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HAM SALE COMING!

Are you scrambling to put together that special family dinner? Maybe you are planning an Easter Party, Family celebration or just want to plan ahead for Memorial Day or a graduation. *Well then, let NBGC help!* You can make your family dinner a success with a specialty ham at a price you can't beat.

For just \$3.25 a pound you can dress up your dinner table with a fully cooked, defatted, spiral cut and smoked ham. This same ham will cost almost \$5.00 a pound from any store or ham company. Our hams are 12-14 and 14-16 pounds, so you can save \$18 or more!

Ham orders will be taken from March 16th through April 1st. Ham pick up and payment is on Wed. April 8th from 2:00 - 7:00 p.m. at NBGC. The sale is sponsored by the *NBGC Dads' Club* and all proceeds go toward the childrens' programs.

Just call Mrs. Borgert at 773-348-4248 weekdays from 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM, or fax it to NBGC any time at 773-463-1853. *Your support is appreciated.*



**SPAGHETTI DINNER
MARCH 28TH
"All-You-Can-Eat!"**



The *NBGC Moms' Club* will turn the clubhouse into an authentic Italian Restaurant for one night when they host their annual "Spaghetti Dinner". The gameroom will turn into "Little Italy" on Sat. March 28th when "Mama Gloria" Ottesen and her crew prepare a delicious family-style meal of spaghetti in sauce complete with fresh bread, a crisp salad, drink and ice cream dessert! The dinner price will be a real bargain, just \$5.00 for adults and \$3.50 for kids you can give mom a night off from cooking and you'll be supporting the girls and boys programs at the same time! *Circle the date on your calendar and bring the whole family.*



**HOLIDAY EGG
HUNT COMING
Girls & Boys Invited!**



The annual NBGC Egg Hunt, for girls and boys 9 and under, will take place on Sat. April 11th at 10:00 AM. We'll have 2,000 candy-filled plastic eggs scattered throughout the park and plenty of nice prizes for the lucky winners. The hunt will be held *rain or shine*, and everyone should bring a basket or bag for collecting eggs. Tell your friends and neighbors and circle that date on your calendar!

We'll be looking for some help to make the event a success. We need some people to fill the plastic eggs with candy, to hide the eggs and supervise the hunt. If any moms or dad can help in any area, please call Jim McNulty or stop by the office. Our volunteers so far include Jovi Argumedo, Diane Wegner and Barbara Kanoon.

MOM & DAD, ARE YOU A MEMBER?

We are interested in knowing which parents are members of the *United Food and Commerical Workers International* union. We will be asking them for a contribution, and a list of our parent members can make a difference. On our list already are Glenn Stahl, Kathy Resendiz, Diane Wegner, Vicki Cochran, Didi Kohndorfer, John Scharenbrock and William Fairholm. If you are a member, please call or stop by the office and talk to Jim McNulty or Allen Cushing. Thanks!



**DID YOU MISS SPRING
SPORTS SIGN UP?
LAST CHANCE ON APRIL 25TH!**



Are you a victim of "Spring Fever"? You know the symptoms. You just gotta play catch, hit the ball around, practice pitching at the schoolyard. *Well we have a lot of other boys just like you with the same "fever".* The best remedy is to sign up for baseball!

If you missed baseball sign up you are not alone. We'll finalize our rosters after one last sign up on SAT. APRIL 25TH from 10:00 AM until 1:00 PM. Just bring your mom or dad, a \$25.00 uniform deposit and birth certificate. The Cadet League is for 3rd & 4th graders born between 9-1-87 and 8-31-89. The Prep League is for 5th & 6th graders born between 9-1-85 and 8-31-87. Games will be played on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4:15 PM. There are currently 44 Cadets and 26 Preps.

If you missed 12" softball sign up just bring your mom or dad, and birth certificate if a new member, on Sat. April 25th. The Junior League is for 3rd-4th-5th graders, who will play slow pitch on Wednesdays and Saturdays. The Senior League is for 6th-7th-8th graders, who will play fast pitch on Mondays and Saturdays. There is no fee to join.

The Tribe Basketball League is open to 7th through 9th grade boys born between 9-1-82 and 8-31-85. There is no fee for Tribes and 59 are signed up so far. Games will be played twice a week in the late afternoon/early evening.



**PLAYOFFS, TOURNAMENT
& ALL-STAR DAY COMING!**



The regular season comes to a close in a couple of weeks, and *we want to remind everyone that floor hockey does not end with that last game!* We will have post-season play for all teams, including the championship playoffs and tournament. The games will open on Tues. March 31st and the schedule will be announced after your last regular season game.

All-Star Day takes place the week of April 13th. We'll have All-Star games for each league, as well as Parent and Son games for the Cadets, Preps and Tribes. We invite everyone to attend the games, whether playing or not.

Because our annual Egg Hunt falls on the second Sat. of April, the All-Star games are being moved to weeknights. The Preps and Tribes will play on Tues. April 14th and the Cadets on Thurs. April 16th, us for lunch between 11:00 AM and 3:00 PM.



LEADERS OF THE MONTH



NBGC would like to recognize the following Leaders who've earned *Leader of the Month* awards. Each received a certificate in recognition of their hard work, progress and dedicated efforts during the month. Congratulations!

NBGC Leaders are members who are about 13 years old and approaching 8th grade. Boys and girls can apply by stopping by the office and talking to Jim. The Leaders have the responsibility of running the gameroom, games, practices and other activities. Although the girls and boys earn some money for their work, based on performance and effort, the real benefits of becoming a Leader are the training and potential of earning college scholarship money.

Senior Leader
of the Month

Jan. R.Argumedo
Feb. Gilbex Ruiz

Junior Leader
of the Month

Chad Wright
Brian Wright

Female Leader
of the Month

Candice Werstein
Michel Cebollero



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**BEES CROWNED
FIRST HALF CHAMPIONS**
By: Ricardo Solis



This past Saturday we saw the Cadets play the final games of the first half. There were a few good games and a lot of great action by everyone especially the goalies.

At 1:15 we saw the Bobcats defeat the Pirates with a final score of 1-0. Leading the Bobcats to 5th place with this victory was Robbie Miller with his goal late in the second period. Playing great defense for them were Micaljon Assmar, Marcelo Cervantes, Lucas & Marco De la Rosa, Angel Delgado, David Ridgeawy, Tony Staggs, Salomon Morales and Dana Harris. Leading the way for the 6th place Pirates were Daniel Billings, Michael Garcia, James Gilbert, Salvador Ortiz, Jonathan Quiles and Joel Rivera

The 2:00 game pitted the Eagles and Falcons. The final score of the game was 2-0 in favor of the 3rd place Eagles, by defeating the Falcons which finished in 4th place. The Eagles were led to victory by Marc Patino who scored their first goal in the first period, Joseph Aluise scored their final goal late in the third period to ensue their victory. Playing great "D" were Brandon Baron, Emmanuel Cervantes, Keany Kohndorfer, Fritz Krancis, Reid Mullin, Sean Arteaga and Dominic Aluise. Playing great for the Falcons were Eddie Boyce, Nicholas Chovanec, Andrew Elliott, Michael Kelly, Nicholas Schreiber, Raymond Torres, Brian Waslik and Richard Abfall.

The final game of the day was the most exciting match up of the day. The Bees and Locusts faced each other for the second time within the past three days. On the prior game the Locusts had defeated the Bees 1-0 to give them their first loss of the season. On Saturday, the Locusts gave them another great game and were so close on defeating them again, but the Bees acted fast and were able to tie the game 1-1. Since the Bees were two points ahead of the Locusts in the standings, so a win or a tie would crown them the 1st half Champs. The Locusts goal was scored by Louis Uhler early in the second period. But Tom Sliva scored late in the game for the Bees to tie the score. This game was played great on both sides of the court. Playing great for both teams included (Bees) Kevin Beck, Joseph Dickerson, Robert Govas, Sean Gschwind, Tod Harris, Nathan Krischer, James Petrucci, Michael Pfest, Kyle Welsh, Brian McCoskey, (Locusts) Matt Butzen, Michael Daker, Tim Geschrey, George Kanoon, Vincent Millwood, David Miranda, Matt Powell, Matt Resendiz, Sean Stahl, Dan Wegner and Nicholas Wessel.

Just a reminder that we are now taking sign ups for Baseball, and all boys in 3rd and 4th grade are more than welcome to sign up. **YOU WILL BE PITCHING THIS YEAR. NO MORE TEE...**



PREPS END FIRST HALF
By: Tony Ramirez



The first game of the day saw the Eagles take on the Spartans. In the first period the Eagles jumped ahead as Francisco Trujillo shot one right pass the Spartans defense. This put the Eagles up 1 to 0 at the end of the first period. In the second period the roles switched as now the Spartans were on a quest. Robert Anguino lead the way as he scored 2 goals to put the Spartans up 2 to 1 at the end of the second period. In the third and final period the both teams struggled back and forth but the Stephen Capusi nailed one for the Eagles. This tied up the score 2 to 2. The Spartans reacted to this by Dennis Fisher scoring a goal to put them up. It came down to the final moments but it was Stephen Capusi for the Eagles who tied the score up. The final score was 3 to 3. Doing a great job for the eagles were Raul Solis, Jaime Solis, Michael Pratt, Charlie Santiago, and Nich Baron. Doing a great job for the Spartans were Chris Couch, Derrick Dominguez, Kevin Morris, Eric Flores, Jaime Mendoza, A.J. Navarrete, Adam Billing, and Ruben Urquiza.

The second game of the day saw the Locusts take on the Bees. The Locusts took the lead early on as they were up 2 to 1 at the end of the first period. Leading the way were Carlos Lema and Kevin Ward. Scoring for the Bees was Luis Cervantes. In the second period the Locusts continued as Josh Iverson shot one in for the Locusts. This put the Locusts up 3 to 1. In the third period the Bees managed to get one more goal in but the Locusts managed to keep up their defense. It was Luis Cervantes who scored again. The final score was 3 to 2 Locusts. Doing a good job for the Locusts were Dan Ward, Alex Lemon, Matt Leaske, Roger Llamado, and Manuel Miranda. Playing for the Bees were Jon Wesley, Elliott Gschwind, Andrew Gschwind, Jason Jenkins, Jeff Otto, Nich Nutoni, and Miguel Parreta.

The final game of the day saw the Cougar take on the Falcons for first half championship. The first two periods were a back and forth struggle as both teams were playing excellent defense. The moment of truth came in the third period as the Cougars broke the silence as Rick Ludwig shot one right in the right spot for the goal. This put the Cougars up 1 to 0. The Falcons tried to catch up but the Cougars just kept on doing what they were doing. Finally time expired and the final score was 1 to 0 Cougars. Doing a great job were Alan Bennett, Jimmy Ridgeway, Sean Barnes, Adam Stiles, and Matt Shepard. Doing a great job for the Falcons were Didier Guadarrama, Charlie Suarez, Jose Torres, Joe Cihak, Angel Lopez, Sergio Rengifo, Milan Zivanovich, Jr Tellez, Victor Tellez, and Kevin Barszcz.



**PIRATES WIN FIRST
HALF CHAMPIONSHIP**
By: Arturo Radilla



The Pirates clinched the 1st half the Thursday before. In the first game the Vikings beat the Eagles 2-4. The Viks dominated this game taking a 8-2 lead after the 2nd period. Leading the Viks were Sergio Solis 5 goals, Ruben Solis and Carlos Mendoza 2 goals 1 assist, Ricardo Roman and Jeffrey Montesdeoca added an assist each. For the Eagles Tommy Schreiber 3 goals and Nick Delgado added a goal. Playing hard for the Eagles were Anthony Ramos, Chris Thompson, and Joe Kollab. Players of the game were Ruben Solis and Tommy Schreiber.

The next game featured the Pirates and Cougars. The Cougars have had a hard time scoring against the best defensive team in the league Pirates. The last time these two teams met the Pirates won 7-0. This day wasn't different as the Pirates won 10-0. The Pirates scored 7 goals in the 1st period and closed it out later in the 3rd. Leading the Pirates were Andrew Johnson 6 goals, Robbie Aguilar 1 goal 3 assists, Paco Galicia 2 goals, and Phil Jensen added a goal. Playing hard and not giving up for the Cougars were Jason Frumkin, Chucky Ridgeway, Kirk Sandberg, Bobby McClanahan, William Serment, and David Arteaga. Players of the game were Andrew Johnson and Phil Jensen who combined for the shutout and Kirk Sandberg.



**FLOOR HOCKEY MEETINGS &
FITNESS CONTEST MONDAY!**



The Cadet and Prep meetings of last week were rescheduled because of the weather. We'll talk about the drive for the playoffs and complete our annual Fitness Contest on Mon. March 16th. Everyone can earn a ribbon or trophy!

Mon.	March	16th	4:15	Cadet Bobcats, Bees & Locusts
			5:15	Cadet Eagles, Falcons, Pirates
Mon.	Mar.	16th	4:15	Prep Cougars, Bees & Locusts
			5:15	Prep Eagles, Falcons & Spartans



ALL-STAR VOTING COMING!



Cadets, Preps and Tribes will vote for Floor Hockey All-Stars starting March 17th. The voting will be done following a game. The All-Stars will face off in mid-April after the playoffs! They will receive ribbons and all parents and members are invited to join us for lunch night after the games. Don't forget about the Parent & Son Challenge games. You can sign up with Ricardo (Cadets), Tony (Preps) or Arturo (Tribes) at the end of March.



ONE MORE PRACTICE TO GO!



Cadet and Prep hockey practices will end this week. We'd like to see you give your team 100% by coming out for the last week and getting yourself set for post season play! The Cadets will finish on Wed. March 18th and the Preps on Fri. March 20th. We'll give your 3 on 3 team a chance to practice for the big tournament!

Wednesdays	4:00	Cadet Bees & Locusts
	4:45	Cadet Bobcats & Pirates
	5:30	Cadet Eagles & Falcons
Fridays	4:00	Prep East Teams
	5:00	Prep West Teams



**TRIBE FRIDAY
NIGHT SOCCER!**



Since the turnout for Tribe hockey practices has been so poor, we are going to start using the time for something new - indoor soccer! Whether playing floor hockey or not, Tribe members are welcome to come out Fridays at 6:00 PM. Bring a friend!

NO GAMES ON SAT. APRIL 11TH

ANNUAL EQG HUNT AT 10 AM



JUNIOR VOLLETTBALL NEWS

BY: OLIVIA CEBOLLERO



On Wednesday the 11th, the first match was a forfeit. It was Supposed to be between the Panthers and the Aliens. We had only three Aliens and eight Panthers show up. The second match was between the Panthers and the Twisters. The Panthers won the first game by a score of 12-9. Then the Panthers won the second game with a score of 15-1. The Panthers had nine people for this game, and the Twisters had five. We really need to get our attendance back up to have a season girls!!!



JUNIOR VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE



Wed.	Mar.	18th	5:30	Twisters	vs.	Aliens
			6:15	Twisters	vs.	Panthers
Wed.	Mar.	25th	5:30	Aliens	vs.	Panthers
			6:15	Aliens	vs.	Twisters
Wed.	Apr.	1st	5:30	Panthers	vs.	Aliens
			6:15	Panthers	vs.	Twisters
Wed.	Apr.	8th	5:30	Twisters	vs.	Aliens
			6:15	Twisters	vs.	Panthers

End Of Regular Season



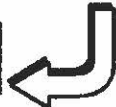
SENIOR GAMES SNOWED OUT



The Senior Girls Volleyball games from Monday, March 9th were postponed because of the severe weather. Mother Nature was good to us all winter, but wanted to show that she still had her stuff! As a result the games will be made up over the next two Mondays. Please review the schedule in the next column and be prepared to play doubleheaders!



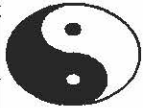
SENIOR VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE



Mon.	Mar.	16th*	5:30	Twisters	vs.	Chargers
			6:00	Panthers	vs.	Chargers
			6:30	Twisters	vs.	Panthers
Mon.	Mar.	23rd*	5:30	Chargers	vs.	Panthers
			6:00	Panthers	vs.	Twisters
			6:30	Chargers	vs.	Twisters
Mon.	Mar.	30th	5:30	Panthers	vs.	Chargers
			6:15	Panthers	vs.	Twisters
Mon.	Apr.	6th	5:30	Twisters	vs.	Chargers
			6:15	Twisters	vs.	Panthers

End Of Regular Season

*Special schedules to make up for games postponed March 9th



KARATE NEWS!



The NBGC Karate Class works out twice a week under the direction of Senseis Joss Anayas and Mae Anayas. Boys and girls 7 and older are welcome. A parent must bring the child to a class, talk to Mae and sit in on a class. If you like the class, you can sign up and get started. The class is made possible by the generous support of *Herb Veith State Farm*, located at Irving Park and Bell, and is offered free of charge. The group meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00 - 7:15 PM. Karate will be off for spring break March 24th & 26th.

Coming to class last week were Nick, Mark, Ashley, Nicole, Theresa, Ismael, Tyler, Marco, Alex, Top, Gabriel, Javier, Alexa, Corine, Jesse, Janira, Brian, Erwin, Anthony and Ana.



Discovery News

BY: ROLANDO ARGUMEDO, JR.



Last Saturday the Discovery kids had fun, despite my absence. Great fun was had by all in the gym as we played kickball. The kids enjoyed this game and looks forward to playing it outside on the fields when the weather becomes nicer. In the Coference Room the kids played Martha Steward. Each member received a Mr. or Ms. Potato Head. The top of the potato was cut, and then seeds were added. Hopefully, with the sun's love in the spring our Potato Heads will grow. In addition, the kids were making their own flower pots. The kids were given a cup with dirt in them and asked to plant their seeds in the pot. Let hope they will all grow to be as beautiful as their makers. In the Discovery Room the kids made kites and centerpieces. The members were given a diamond shape paper and decorated it. Some drew animals and funny faces (Bonnie). When they were all finished streamers were added. Lastly, the kids made centerpieces. Each were given a white piece of paper and they added designs to it. After that, it was rolled up and streamers were also added. You can see our kites and centerpieces in the Discovery Hall of Fame. Winning our weekly raffles were Socorro Martinez and Max Witherspoon.

Just a reminder our "Bring A Friend Day" is next Saturday, March 21th. Your friend can either be a male or female, however, your friend must be a 1st or 2nd grader.

Enjoying the activities without me were:

- Vikings- Joseph Couch, Alex Gomez, Ethan Johnson & Eric Silva
- Pirates- Jesse Flores & Sammy Jensen
- Bees- James Gill, Max Witherspoon, Scott Potter, Jake Rodriguez & James Lauletta
- Locusts- Russell Geschrey, Hector Couty, Nick Haderlein, Scott Krier, Tom Nickels IV, Jake Rosen, William Schneider, Jr., Michael Hatter & Robert Uhler
- Cougars- Tim Mcnamara & Michael Van Den Bosch
- Falcons- Junior Brewer & Raul Ramirez
- Eagles- Bryan Arguelles, Branden & Kyle Lisciandreno, Joshua Paley, Erik Solis, Daniel Kelly
- Bobcats- Michael Prodomos & Max Macaluso
- Panthers- AnnaLiese Eaton, Dorothy Gill, Chelsea Gschwind, Elizabeth Kmet, Meagan Rodriguez, Victoria Slevers, Sioban Stahl & Francisca Accedo
- Twisters- Kelly Mcnamara & Samantha Prodomos
- Angels- Raquel Flores, Kathi Jensen, Socorro Martinez, Shani Mendez & Nadine Sumulong
- Aliens- Jaimy Creson, Veronica Ramirez & Crystal Couch

VOLLEYBALL STANDINGS
Through Wed. Mar. 11th

JUNIOR	WON	LOST	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Panthers	6	0	3	3	0	12
Twisters	2	2	1	2	0	5
Aliens	0	6	2	2	1	4

SENIOR	WON	LOST	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Chargers	4	1	2	2	0	8
Twisters	1	2	1	1	0	3
Panthers	0	2	0	1	0	1



JUNIORS TRYING FLOOR HOCKEY & SOCCER!



For the next few Wednesdays we'll have the gym at 5:10 for floor hockey and soccer. We are going to try a different sport next winter and want your input. Please come out and try both activities and tell us which you enjoy the most. We'll still start volleyball between 5:30 and 5:40 PM and will remain on schedule.



PAUL REVERE PARK WINS NORTH REGION DIVISION A JUNIOR HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP

BY: ARTURO RADILLA



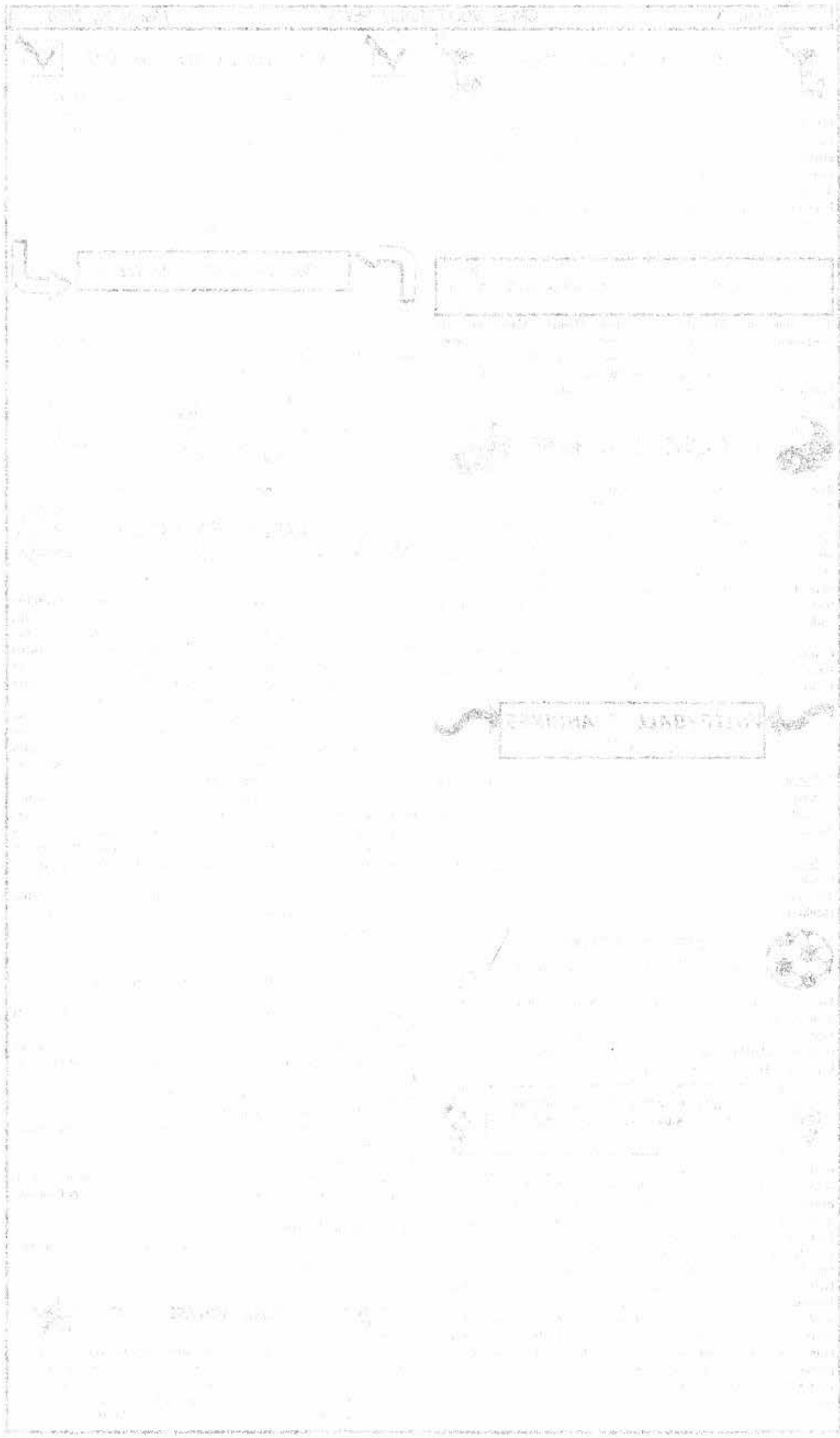
Paul Revere Park's Junior Hockey team won the part of the championship this past Wednesday by beating Gill Park 2-0. NBGC is proud to have their players represent *Revere Park*. The road was tough as they went 4-0. In the first game Revere beat Emerson Park. In the 2nd game Revere beat Wrightwood Park 17-0. The periods are only 8 minutes each too. In the semifinal game Revere beat Hamlin Park at Hamlin 6-4. On Wednesday Revere played Gill Park at Gill and won 2-0. Scoring both goals was Danny Jensen. Also on this championship team were Phil Jensen, who made unbelievable saves against Gill, Paco Galicia, Andrew Johnson, Steve Kottra, Jason Frumkin, and Kirk Sandberg. We need to win 3 games to win the citywide championship! The games will be played next week at Horner Park. Congratulations guys, and good LUCK!!! As soon as I know dates and time I will post them next to the counter.



ALL-STAR VOTING SOON



Girls will vote for team All-Stars after their games on Mar. 23rd & 25th. The All-Stars will take the floor against the league champions on *All-Star Night* in early April. All-Stars will receive ribbons at the game. We also are planning a Parent & Daughter game. Everyone is welcome to join us for food and snacks after the games.



Cadet Floor Hockey Schedule

Sat.	Mar.	14th	1:15	Eagles	vs.	Pirates
			2:00	Falcons	vs.	Bees
			2:45	Bobcats	vs.	Locusts
Thurs.	Mar.	19th	4:00	Pirates	vs.	Bees
			4:45	Eagles	vs.	Bobcats
			5:30	Falcons	vs.	Locusts
Sat.	Mar.	21st	1:15	Eagles	vs.	Bees
			2:00	Falcons	vs.	Bobcats
			2:45	Pirates	vs.	Locusts
Thurs.	Mar.	26th	4:00	Eagles	vs.	Falcons
			4:45	Pirates	vs.	Bobcats
			5:30	Bees	vs.	Locusts
Sat.	Mar.	28th	1:15	5th place	vs.	6th place
			2:00	3rd place	vs.	4th place
			2:45	1st place	vs.	2nd place
End Of Regular Season						
Thurs.	Apr.	2nd	Start Playoffs & Tournament			

Prep Floor Hockey Schedule

Sat.	Mar.	14th	11:00	Eagles	vs.	Spartans
			11:45	Falcons	vs.	Bees
			12:30	Cougars	vs.	Locusts
Tues.	Mar.	17th	4:00	Cougars	vs.	Bees
			4:45	Falcons	vs.	Spartans
			5:30	Eagles	vs.	Locusts
Sat.	Mar.	21st	11:00	Eagles	vs.	Bees
			11:45	Falcons	vs.	Cougars
			12:30	Spartans	vs.	Locusts
Tues.	Mar.	24th	4:00	Falcons	vs.	Locusts
			4:45	Eagles	vs.	Cougars
			5:30	Spartans	vs.	Bees
Sat.	Mar.	28th	11:00	5th	vs.	6th
			11:45	3rd	vs.	4th
			12:30	1st	vs.	2nd
End Of Regular Season						
Tues.	Mar.	31st	Start Playoffs & Tournament			

3 ON 3 HOCKEY NEXT WEEK!

One of everyone's yearly favorites is the annual *3 on 3 Hockey Tournament*. In just one month we'll be holding tournaments for the Cadets, Preps and Tribes. You can get a group of your teammates together and shoot for the trophies! The Cadets will play on Wed. March 25th at 4:00, the Preps on Fri. March 27th at 4:00 and the Tribes on Fri. March 27th at 6:00.

All that you'll need is *3 or 4 of your players from any team* to join with you. There is a maximum of 5 players per squad. Sign up will start today so talk to your teammates and friends! Non-members are also welcome. Here are the sign ups to date.

Cadet League

- Falcons I: N.Chovanec, R.Abfall, B.Wasilk, M.Kelly, A.Badagiacco
- Falcons II: E.Boyce, A.Elliott, N.Schreiber, R.Torres, M.Torres
- Pirates I: J.Quiles, D.Billings, K.Buchman, M.Garcia, R.Russotto
- Pirates II: S.Ortiz, S.Mazur, J.Rivera, J.Gilbert, W.Calams
- Bobcats I: T.Staggs, D.Harris, A.Delgado, M.Cervantes, D.Ridgeway
- Bobcats II: M.Assmar, S.Morales, M.De la Rosa, L.De la Rosa
- Locusts I: M.Resendiz, M.Daker, M.Powell, V.Millwood
- Locusts II: D.Wegner, S.Stahl, D.Miranda, L.Uhler

Prep League

- Falcons 1: Angel Lopez, Jose Torres, Jr. Tellez, Charlie Suarez, Joe Cihak
- Falcons 2: Victor Tellez, Kevin Barszcz, Sergio Rengifo, Didier Guaderrama
- Cougars 1: Sean Barnes, Allan Bennett, Jimmy Ridgeway, Matt Shepard
- Cougars 2: Rick Ludwig, Bart Grudzinski, Adam Stiles
- Eagles 1: Stephen Capusi, Jaime Solis, Francisco Trujillo
- Eagles 2: Raul Solis, Nick Baron, Michael Pratt
- Spartans 1: Kevin Morris, Derrick Dominguez, Jason, Chris Couch
- Spartans 2: Jaime Mendoza, Robert Anguiano, Steven Kentala, Dennis Fisher
- Spartans 3: Ruben Urquiza, Adam Billings, AJ Navarette, Erick Flores

Tribe Floor Hockey Schedule

Sat.	Mar.	14th	9:30	Eagles	vs.	Vikings
			10:15	Pirates	vs.	Bees
Tues.	Mar.	17th	6:15	Eagles	vs.	Cougars
Thurs.	Mar.	19th	6:15	Vikings	vs.	Bees
Sat.	Mar.	21st	9:30	Pirates	vs.	Cougars
			10:15	Eagles	vs.	Bees
Tues.	Mar.	24th	6:15	Pirates	vs.	Vikings
Thurs.	Mar.	26th	6:15	Cougars	vs.	Bees
Sat.	Mar.	28th	9:30	3rd	vs.	4th
			10:15	1st	vs.	2nd
End Of Regular Season						
Thurs.	Apr.	2nd	Start Playoffs & Tournament			

FLOOR HOCKEY STANDINGS Final First Half Results

CADET	W	L	T	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Bees	4	1	1	6	6	0	21
Eagles	3	2	1	6	6	0	19
Locusts	2	1	3	6	6	0	19
Bobcats	2	3	1	6	6	0	17
Falcons	1	3	2	6	6	0	16
Pirates	0	2	4	6	6	0	16

PREP	W	L	T	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Cougars	4	0	2	6	6	0	22
Falcons	3	1	2	6	6	0	20
Locusts	2	1	3	6	6	0	19
Bees	2	3	1	6	6	0	17
Eagles	2	3	1	6	6	0	17
Spartans	0	5	1	6	6	0	13

TRIBE	W	L	T	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Pirates	5	0	0	5	5	0	20
Vikings	3	2	0	5	5	0	16
Cougars	2	3	0	5	5	0	14
Eagles	1	4	0	4	5	0	11
Bees	1	3	0	2	3	1	7

THANKS FOR CIRCUS TICKETS!

We would like to thank *Tony Morizzo* of the Lawrence Funeral Home, located at Lawrence and Austin, for the very generous donation of over 230 (\$20.00 each) tickets to last night's performance of the *S hriner's Circus*. We had a large group of NBGC families and friends who enjoyed a great time, free of charge. Mr. Morizzo has kindly donated these tickets to us for about 8 years and we are grateful for his support.

NBGC WINTER HOURS

The members and their families are welcome to use the gameroom whenever we are open, as long as you follow the simple rules for using equipment and playing games. You may notice the hours have been shortened an hour Monday through Thursday. This is the result of a budget cutback. With more parental support and contributions, we hope to restore that hour next year.

Monday - Thursday	3:30 until 7:00 PM
Friday	3:30 until 6:00 PM
Saturday	8:30 until 3:30 PM

MOMS' CLUB HAS COOKBOOKS FOR SALE!

The *NBGC Moms' Club* out together a beautiful cookbook a few months ago filled with recipes from parents, neighbors and friends. Most of the books sold out around the holidays but *we have 50 left!* If you would like a copy, stop by the office. They are just \$8.00 and worth every penny!

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TWO GAMES TO GO!

By Jim McNulty



The Teen Jordan race is tightening with just two regular season games left to go. It is a three team race with the Eagles at the front of the pack. Last Tuesday opened with the Bulls and Sounz Deep. The Bulls haven't looked like last year's champs and came into this one needing a win. The game opened with a slow pace and cold shooting at both ends. The Bulls were up 15-7, but Sounz Deep narrowed it to 15-11 at the half. Both teams came out strong in the second half, running the break and getting some easy lay ins. Sounz Deep used their height to take charge of the boards and slowly pulled out in front. The was close until the final minutes, but the Bulls offense could not convert down the stretch in a 39-34 final. Dennis Wilch led Sounz Deep with 14 pts. He was 4 for 4 from the line. Others who contributed to the big win were Carl Abram (8), Robert Serrano (8), Fernando Ontanon (4), Julio Ontanon (3) and Brian Wright (2). The Bulls were missing three key players, and that figured into the final score. TJ Morales had his best game of the year with 12 pts. Terrell Thomas added 10 pts. and Eric Loureiro and Dore Kutsogianis scored 6 pts.

Our second game pitted the Wildacts against the Bengals. Both teams came out with their claws sharpened and ran the floor non-stop. The Wildcats had the height and outside shooting advantage, while the Bengals had the defensive pressure and ball handling skills on their side. The Wildacts controlled the first half, getting second chance points and building a 25-12 lead. The Bengals battled back early in the second and closed to within 5 points, but the Wildcats toughened up and surged ahead to post a 45-33 win. Dustin Hoffman keyed the Wildcat attack, hitting four three pointers and scoring 24 pts. Melvin Holder had a big game with 10 pts., followed by William Maldonado (6) and Arnulfo Ruvalcaba (5). The Bengals played another strong game, but the height factor made the difference. Donny Flores led the effort with 11 pts. Also playing well were Gilbert Ruiz (9), Marco Lopez (5), Jose Rojas (4) and James Dixon (4).

We saved the best for last when the Eagles met the Swoosh. Both teams entered the game 2-0, knowing that only one of them would leave undefeated. The teams have quite a rivalry and tied for the first half title. A playoff game will break that tie after the regular season closes. Both teams came out running full throttle and attacking the basket. Everyone on Swoosh scored in the half, as did 6 of the 7 Eagles. By the intermission Swoosh held a slim 17-15 lead and both teams earned a two minute break. In the second half the Eagles came out determined. They turned up the defensive pressure, forced some turnovers and converted the easy lay ups. Billy Oliveros took over and scored 14 pts. in the half to propoel the Eagles into the lead and sole possession of first place. The final score was 40-30. Billy "Basketball is my life" Oliveros paved the road to the top spot with 15 pts. Angel Popoca added 9 pts., and a great effort was turned in by Luis Bultron (6), Mike Lindquist (6), Jason Gonzalez (2), Erik "Smooth As Silk" Velasquez (2) and Michael Feliciano. The Swoosh were down, but are not out. Chris Trifkovich had a welcome return to the lineup and scored 11 pts. Tim Wangerin added 7 pts. and William Flanagan, Brian Matza and Chris Matza each added 4 pts.

On Thursday the Phippen Division race took an interesting turn. There are three teams tied for first place and the other three teams are just two points out! *This is a legitimate 6 team race!!* The day opened with the Maniacs and Bulldogs. The Maniacs have struggled this season, but looked like a first place team on this night. They came out strong, running the floor with confidence and crashing the boards. Their inspiration came from Conrado Vera, who forgot his gym shoes and had to sit the game out. The game was close in the first half with the Maniacs leading 13-11 at the break. In the second, though, they were on fire. The Bulldogs went cold, missed a lot of lay ups and were beaten 44-35. Bolfin Paiz and Brian Rene led the winners with 12 pts. each. Also playing well were Eddie Fernandez (9), Arturo Montes (6) and John Griffin (5). Leading a solid effort for the Bulldogs were Juan Monroy (11) and Todd Richards (10). Working hard were Otto Hurtado (5), Jese Rojas (5), Raymond Nieves (4) and Arturo Salinas.

In the second game the Bees took on the Wolves. The Wolves were a few minutes late because of college night at Lane Tech, missed warm ups and were out of synch during the first half. Turnovers led to the Bees taking a solid 21-11 lead at the half. In the second half, though, the Wolves pulled out their claws and attacked. Luis Bucaro had the hot hand and pulled the Wolves back into the game. After tying the game several times and taking a short-lived one point lead, the Wolves were hungry and on the brink of victory. The Bees recovered, though, and battled back in front. (continued in column 2)



TEEN BASKETBALL STANDINGS



JORDAN	WON	LOST	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Eagles	3	0	3	3	0	12
Swoosh	2	1	3	3	0	10
Sounz Deep	2	1	3	3	0	10
Bulls	1	2	3	3	0	8
Wildcats	1	2	3	3	0	8
Bengals	0	3	3	3	0	6

PIPPEN	WON	LOST	ATT	SPTS	FOR	PTS
Bees	2	1	3	3	0	10
Dragons	2	1	3	3	0	10
Purple Rain	2	1	3	3	0	10
Wolves	1	2	3	3	0	8
Bulldogs	1	2	3	3	0	8
Maniacs	1	2	3	3	0	8

Through Thurs. Mar. 5th

TEEN JORDAN SCHEDULE

Tues.	Mar.	17th	7:00	Swoosh	vs.	Sounz Deep
			7:40	Bengals	vs.	Eagles
			8:20	Bulls	vs.	Wildcats
Tues.	Mar.	24th	7:00	Swoosh	vs.	Bengals
			7:40	Wildcats	vs.	Sounz Deep
			8:20	Bulls	vs.	Eagles

END OF REGULAR SEASON



TEEN PIPPEN SCHEDULE



Thurs.	Mar.	19th	7:00	Bulldogs	vs.	Dragons
			7:40	Wolves	vs.	Maniacs
			8:20	Purple	vs.	Bees
Thurs.	Mar.	26th	7:00	Bulldogs	vs.	Bees
			7:40	Wolves	vs.	Purple Rain
			8:20	Maniacs	vs.	Dragons

END OF REGULAR SEASON

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They held off a Wolves stretch run and posted a 41-35 win, pulling them into a tie for first place. John Smiros (13) and Tim "Guerito" Ward (12) led the Bees. Also adding to the victory were Brian Mounts (5), Dan Zavala (5), Ashour Haji (4), Steve Lucio (2) and John "No Foul" Skaar. Victor and Luis Bucaro led a great rally for the Wolves with 15 pts. each. Howard Aguada (5) and Panit Treccsara also gave a great effort.

The day closed out with a big game between the Dragons and Purple Rain. The Dragons were undefeated and could put themselves in the driver's seat for the second half race. Purple Rain dropped a heartbreaker last week and needed a victory. Purple Rain came out strong and took charge early. The Dragons started cold and had trouble dealing with the height advantage of Purple Rain. At halftime the score was 17-8. In the second half Purple Rain shut down the Dragon machine with tenacious defense. They forced numerous turnovers, dove for loose balls and dominated the boards. When the smoke cleared Purple Rain had drenched the Dargon fire 33-16. Shawn Thomas led the winners with 14 pts., including a three pointer at the buzzer. Contributing to the win were Zack Ross (7), Valentine Crespo (6), Eric "I Nced New Glasses" Ayala (4), Jose Valencia (2) and Francis Manalo. Randelle Villabar led the Dragons with 8 pts. Others who played hard were Cong Ngo (2), Dwight Aquino (2), JonJon Alvaro (2), Lemuel Censon (2) and JR Dagan.



