

DUGOUT CHATTER

ELECTRONIC PUBLICATION OF THE GOLDEN SENIORS SOFTBALL CLUB OF SACRAMENTO (WWW.GSSCS.ORG) -- AUGUST 2011

GOLDEN SENIORS ELECT NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The next president of the Golden Seniors Softball Club of Sacramento, elected at the Aug. 15 general meeting, is Tom Sansone, a former player agent who succeeds Bill Hill for the coming year.

Sansone was uncontested on a slate proposed by nominations chair John Mizerak that included three other unopposed candidates: incumbents Dick Latimer, first vice president, and Pete Ward, second vice president, as well as the new treasurer, Don Wall.

In three contested races decided by balloting of the nearly 50 members present, Linda McCollum-Greene was re-elected player agent and Curtis Holcomb was elected club commissioner. McCollum-Greene prevailed over Bret Wengan. Holcomb was the choice over incumbent Bruce Gilmore. Matt Tedrow was elected club secretary, chosen over Vic Vickland. Secretary George Lamb did not seek re-election. Wall was unopposed, succeeding Treasurer Glen Cole.

The seven-member Board of Directors will be sworn in at the Sept. 24 picnic. The club operates on a fiscal year beginning Oct. 1 and President Hill called a special board meeting for Aug. 22 for the outgoing board to work with the new board on the club's budget for next year.

Members approved a motion from the floor thanking Hill for his service, and he replied by saying, "This is a great league with great people." Hill said accomplishments in his year in office included the "real positive thing" of moving the club's picnic from the Complex to Howe Avenue Park. He also noted that a year ago, the Thursday night league was in jeopardy of being discontinued for lack of signups. There was a successful campaign to increase signups and the league was saved.

Hill, who sponsors two teams, said he has had health issues that have prevented him from playing this season and he decided against running for a second term so he could devote more time to his businesses in a challenging economy.

Holcomb, the club commissioner-elect, will be stepping down as L-2 commissioner and club safety coordinator. Tedrow, the secretary-elect, said he is near retirement from 35 years of service with the city, including managing refuse transportation. (See Page 3)

**NEXT
GENERAL
MEETING:
SATURDAY,
SEPT. 24 AT THE
CLUB PICNIC &
PLAYOFFS,
HOWE PARK**

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BOB NEVIS: AN INSPIRATION AMONG SENIOR SOFTBALL PLAYERS



He was only 11, playing sandlot football, when he suffered torn ligaments in his right knee. Tuberculosis attacked the bone. As a result, he has been unable to bend his knee at the joint. But for Bob Nevis, it seems that his obvious handicap makes him even more determined to compete. He sometimes even laughs it off, bringing smiles and admiration from his teammates.

In a recent L-2 game, Bob hit a clean single to right and barely beat the outfielder's throw to first base, then hustled to second as able-bodied infielders chased down the ball. As he gave way to a courtesy runner, Bob commented to all within earshot, "I'm not fast but I run hard."

More than 50 years earlier, despite his football injury, Bob continued to pitch in youth baseball, even hiding his crutches so he could play ball. The Nevis name was well-known in local baseball circles, and later in softball, too. The brothers -- Bob, Jerry and Billy -- have registered more than one league championship over the years.

Bob has newspaper clips of the years when he played baseball on spring and winter city league teams, including a report where "Chuck Griffith and Bob Nevis combined to hurl a four-hitter ... as the Gerlingers tripped the Lemon Hill All Stars 3-2 in an American division of the City Winter Baseball League."

Besides playing for L-2 and L-3 teams this year in the GSSCS, Bob is a mainstay for the Sacramento Rebels tournament team. His play earned him an "All-Tournament Team" patch in a Senior Softball USA competition this year.

When he was 15, the Sacramento Bee reported on the Sacramento Bee-KFBK Baseball School at Edmonds Field, and how the hustle on the diamond that week was personified by Bob Nevis. Orval Grove, the pitching coach, described Bob as "quite a boy. I've watched him pitch and he does all right. The other day we had the hurlers running to first base taking throws from the first sacker and covering bunts. I'm not exaggerating when I say Bob more than held his own. There's a youngster who, by his determination and willingness, should serve as an inspiration to others."

Bob said he never won a varsity letter at Christian Brothers High School, but he still cherishes the memory of his senior year when, at the awards ceremony before the student body, coach Ray Clemons presented him with a surprise trophy while saying that if all his players had Bob's grit and dedication, they'd never lose.

Now Bob, 73, who made a living painting houses and still takes on an occasional job, sees no end in sight to his softball playing days. Fellow Golden Senior Bernie Church, reflecting the feelings of many senior softballers, commented: "Bob was an inspiration to us all many years ago and he is an inspiration today." #

AUGUST GENERAL MEETING NEWS (FROM PAGE 1)

Umpire Report. Hill asked Freddie Miller, who announced this summer that he will no longer umpire games in 2012, stepping down as chief umpire: "Still going to retire?" Miller: "Yep." Hill: Hat's off to you for a great job. I hope you stay on."

Sponsors. Latimer called on all members to recruit sponsors for next year, promoting the club to businesses that they frequent. He also declared that he intends to see to it that no team in 2012 will wear a shirt advertising a former sponsor. "I don't want someone wearing a shirt that is not a sponsor. It's going to hurt us, it's going to hurt our (paying) sponsors." The club has been in the practice of using still-serviceable shirts of former sponsors when there are not enough paid sponsors when the season begins.

A first-year sponsorship is \$300, with subsequent years costing \$250.

Uniforms. Second VP Ward said uniform shirts are usually replaced every five years. He orders 10 to 12 sets of uniforms each year and 500 hats. "This is my fifth year (as second vice president) and seven teams have shirts that are five years old." This means that next year every team will be outfitted with the new type of multi-color shirts that have proved so popular, he said.

Playoffs. Club Commissioner Gilmore said the playoffs schedules are ready to go for the three night leagues and two Tuesday day leagues. L-1 on Mondays adopts its own playoff agenda.

Entertainment Report. Lou Coppola, the club's entertainment chair, announced that the 2012 Entertainment Book is available for \$30 which is the same price as last year. He said it can be used immediately and can provide thousands of dollars in savings for meals and many other things. The club gets some of the \$30 and Lou's efforts result in several hundreds of dollars for the club each year. Wonder how much that adds up to over the years?

RiverCats. As a season ticket holder, Coppola also has access to attractive pricing for RiverCats playoff game tickets. Call him at 444-6138 before Sept. 1 to see how you can get a strip of tickets for playoff games that begin in early September.

Club Banners. Larry Campbell took the initiative to purchase three banners (4 feet by 2.5 feet) advertising the club and its web site. The board approved his \$90 expense for reimbursement, and the banner was on display for L-3 games Aug. 16 at the Complex. One banner is posted on a Denny's fence on Manzanita, Campbell said.

Blood Bank. Someone asked about the status of the club's blood bank. Trudy Smartt noted that the phone number, 456-1500, and the code number, 3912, can be found in each issue of the Dugout Chatter. #

SAFETY REPORT: TRAINING WILL BE OFFERED IN FEBRUARY; NEW SAFETY COORDINATOR NEEDED

Safety Coordinator Holcomb reported that the next First Aid class in CPR/AED (defibrillator) use will be scheduled for a Saturday in February.

A number of currently qualified Golden Seniors will need to be re-certified in 2012 and more "red hats" are needed to come to the aid of their teammates.

Holcomb also reported that the battery of the club's Howe Park AED was dead and a new one is on order. Meantime, L-1 Commissioner George Hodsdon volunteered the use of his personal AED so the Monday league could play without interruption.

He said all club managers need to be familiar with how to check the battery status of the club AED in the crash carts at Howe Park and the Complex. He also said he would check into how much it would cost the club to have a spare battery on hand.

Meantime, managers and umpires are reminded that it has been club policy in the past for the umpires not to start a game until the crash cart is in position. At the Complex, it is the responsibility of the home team manager for the 6:30 game to have the cart in place and the responsibility of the home team manager for the 9 p.m. game to see that it is put away in the Complex office.

With Holcomb's election to the post of club commissioner, the new Board of Directors will be appointing a new safety coordinator. Interested persons should contact any member of the Board of Directors. #

Want a Golden Seniors Jacket or Windbreaker?

Golden Senior **windbreakers and jackets** will be available for order at the Sept. 24 picnic, reports George Hodsdon. He said order forms will be there for any member of the club to buy the apparel which range in price from \$30 to \$49, including tax. Pay by check or cash when turning in the order form at the picnic.

The jackers or windbreakers have the GSSCS logo, the individual's name or nickname and are in sizes Small to 3XL. There are many colors.

Members of championship teams can purchase the same jackets with additional lettering that says "League Champion 2011."

Prices (including tax):

Unlined Coaches jacket, Nylon, Taffeta \$30

Nylon Satin Windbreak, light lining..... \$44

Nylon Satin baseball jacket, quilt lined... .\$49

Need Check or cash with order.

Delivery at the first Golden Seniors general meeting.

For further information, contact Hodsdon (916) 381-9304.

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SUNSHINE & HEALTH REPORT: Bill Friedrich Passes Away

Life Member **Bill Friedrich** passed away on July 28. He was 87 and joined the Golden Seniors in November 1993, playing through 2009. He also played for the Graduates, the Sacramento Golden Seniors' original 75-plus travel team. He also was a member of SIRS and bowled with them every Tuesday. He is survived by his wife, Mary.

Don Shank, who manages the club's telephone hotline and plays on Tuesday mornings, suffered a heart attack on Aug. 4 and had a stent inserted in his main artery. He was home recuperating two days later.

Don said he did not feel discomfort playing games Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings, even when he "hit the crap out of the ball" for Al Tirapelli's Falcons in the Sierra Valley League earlier on Aug. 4. Later that day, he was driving his 12-year-old grandson, Jacob, to get a hamburger when "I almost passed out." He got to the parking lot of a McDonald's and Jacob went inside and got help, insisting for urgent action to help his stricken grandpa. The doctor told him after the ambulance ride to the hospital, "You're lucky to be here now." Don celebrated his 67th birthday on Aug. 9 and credited his grandson's assertive action at the restaurant for gaining timely medical attention.

Al Tirapelli says he will bite the bullet and have knee replacement surgery in late September, if not before. The discomfort has become too much for him to continue playing, he said, while looking forward to recovery so he can get back on the fields in 2012.

Cliff Toyama, L-2 player, is recuperating from July surgery to remove intestinal polyps. He is out for the season.

Dave Tanner, L-3 manager, has had to go on the injured list with a torn quadricep. His ReMax team was running away with first place with a 12-3 record through games of Aug. 9, when Bob Jones's Fuddruckers registered an 11-8 upset.

Darrel McRorie, L2, L5 and L6 player, underwent successful emergency surgery to remove a tumor that was causing pain and loss of hearing in his left ear. He said he expects to be playing again next year and will use the time off to have a knee operation. Darrel said his "life-threatening" experience required a three-hour operation and "I really recommend listening to your body symptoms" and getting medical attention. The slick-fielding third baseman turned 72 this year.

Brent Korff, assistant L-3 commissioner, says he is out for the season with a torn or strained abdominal muscle.

Bob Smartt, recently retired school district honcho, says he may miss the rest of the season with a twisted knee. He plays in leagues 3, 4 and 5.

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LEAGUE STANDINGS AND HIGHLIGHTS

L-2 (Thru Aug. 9)

Richard H. Will 11-4

Harper Properties 9-6

Sports Leisure Vacations 8-7

Jolly Rogers 7-7-1

RAMBIT 5-9-1

VFW Post 67 4-11

Leading hitters: Don Bess .787, Russ Barnes .759, Joe Cors .745. Home runs over fence: Dave Avery 2; Inside-park HR: Cors 5, Larry Davis and Bess, 4.

L-6 (Thru Aug. 9)

GSSA 10-5

Better Softball Equipment 10-5

Mark E. White DDS 8-7

Arnold Properties 7-8

Denny's Grand Slams 5-10

Auburn Oaks Senior Living 5-10

Leading hitters (thru Aug. 2): Rich Edwards .804, Bill Greene .774, Don Steiner .760. Inside-Park HR: Greene 6, Chuck Knutson, Don Bess and Bob Jones, 3 each, Joe Cors 2. Cycle Man: Bob Jones of Dennty's, on July 12. Grand Slam HR: Greene (Better Softball Equipment) on July 5, Dave Raydon (Denny's) on July 12.

Highlights: Triple play on July 26. With Better Softball runners on first and second, Jack Hallstrom hit a hard bouncer to Auburn Oaks third baseman Steve Kenner, who stepped on third, threw to second base where Jim Wait made the turn and threw to first baseman Bill Enos for the third out. A great play, noted scorekeeper Colette Barnes, but Better Softball won the game, 10-8.

L-4 (thru Aug. 10)

9th & X Self Storage 10-6

East Lawn 10-6

Bertolucci's Body & Fender 8-8

Executive Limousine 7-8-1

Cottonwood Estates 7-9

C&C Plumbing Building Supply 5-10-1

Leading batters thru Aug. 3: Emilio Lobato .806, Dennis Garrett .754, Phil Jayson .732. Inside-the-park HR: David Raydon 5, Lobato, Steven Smith, Dan Gunsalus, Doug Gedestad, 4 each, Hal Johnson, Bill McMahon, Bill Greene, 3 each.

Highlights: McMahon's grand slam on July 13 helped defeat Executive Limo 17-10; East Lawn first baseman Rod Rogers, whose stretching catches have enhanced his team's defense, also has stepped up to the plate with key seventh-inning game-winning hits,

including a three-run homer July 26 that defeated Cottonwood Estates, 15-14, and, on Aug. 10, a bases-loaded drive into the right-field corner to clear the bases and help beat C&C Plumbing, 9-8.

L-3 (thru Aug. 9)

ReMax 12-3

Silver Cats 8-5-1

Old Hornets 7-7-1

Fuddruckers 7-7-1

Geremia Pools 6-9

Livingston Concrete 3-10-1

Web Gem: the Silver Cats' Maryanne Sheppard made a great running catch of Bill Greene's bid for extra bases down the right-field line, the final out an 11-6 victory over the Fuddruckers on Aug. 2. Ties: Fuddruckers and Old Hornets played to a 17-all tie on July 5; Silver Cats and Livingston tied 19-19 on Aug. 9. Livingston may be in last place but scores of recent games indicate this is a tough team: July 5 -- 10-9 loss to first-place ReMax; July 12 -- 18-2 romp over Old Hornets; Aug. 9, tie with second-place Silver Cats. Dave Tanner's ReMax, winners of 12 of first 15 games, have lost twice since Independence Day by scores of 9-7 and 11-8, and three wins have been by a total of four runs. #



Bob Honda holds his honorary Golden Seniors Softball Club life membership award, presented in July by GSSCS President Bill Hill. About 20 softball players, many of them GSSCS members as well as players on Bob's Islanders team, gathered for the presentation. Honda was an outstanding pitcher who has been sidelined by strokes. The report on the GSSCS approval of the award was published in the July Dugout Chatter.

PICNIC NEWS: PLANNING CONTINUES ... VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE EVENT SEPT. 24 AT HOWE PARK

The club's annual picnic, scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 24, is taking shape as the committee discusses plans for parking, meal tickets and the need for volunteers. And members are reminded that they will be at a new picnic venue, Howe Park.

Dante Ciardella, picnic chairman, said at the Aug 15 general meeting that volunteers are needed to help make the club's showcase social event a success. Call him at 453-1921, or his committee members, Henry Fontes 381-2455, and Arnold Wilkerson 486-8130, to see what you can do to help.

Already helping to get things together are Henry Low and Lou Coppola. Henry put together team roster sheets so managers can check off their players and what they want to eat, chicken or tri-tip, and whether they are coming with their spouses or significant others, who also get to eat free. It is imperative that managers provide an accurate count of players planning to attend and their meal preference so appropriate amounts of food can be prepared.

Lou was putting together a flier to be distributed with the Dugout Chatter. See the club's web site (www.gsscs.org) for more or updated information on the playoffs and picnic.

Also welcome as guests of the club are all sponsors. Team managers are encouraged to contact sponsors and invite their presence. And, when they arrive, they need to let Dante know they are sponsors.

Those wishing to eat who are guests other than sponsors, players or their spouses or significant other must pay \$8 (\$5 for kids under 12).

Special efforts are being made to contact all non-playing life members so they can sign up and participate in the festivities.

Club President Bill Hill said members who have transportation issues should contact the committee, or any club officer to see how a ride can be arranged. Howe Park is located at Cottage Way and Howe Avenue.

Parking will be at a premium, so plans are being made to use nearby facilities. Note that the park also is used by tennis players and other members of the general public, hence the need to car pool if possible and use off-site parking that is to be available (see the flier for details on this or call a member of the picnic committee).

Ciardella also said it is extremely important that folks obtain their meal tickets promptly upon arrival. He will have a table set up near Diamond #1 to hand out tickets for meals and the raffle. The cut-off time for getting meal tickets will be noon.

Also to be noted is that consumption of beer will be limited to the gazebo area. Golden Seniors also are advised that there is limited seating, so bring your own chair for guaranteed seating.

By moving the picnic and championship playoff games from the Complex, the club expects to save thousands of dollars.

The first of six league playoff games are scheduled to get under way at 8:30 a.m. on the two diamonds, and all should be completed by mid-day, when food will be served before the general meeting, featuring the swearing in of the seven board members elected or re-elected on Aug. 15. The recipient or recipients of the club's Award of Merit for 2011 will be unveiled. #

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VFW POST 67

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*9TH & X SELF STORAGE

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2011 Teams and Managers

L-1 MONDAYS AT HOWE AVENUE PARK

Commissioner George Hodsdon 481-9304

Asst. Commissioner George Langan 483-6874

Monday Rules Chairman Henry Low 391-3938

Team 1 Nielsen Real Estate -- Norm Blackwell Sr. 452-1539

Team 2 L&S Survey -- Benny Benson 383-0179

Team 3 Avalon Hearing -- John Chatfield 965-1932

Team 4 Dumont Pest Control -- George Langan 483-6874

Team 5 Merrill Bookkeeping and Tax -- Bob Benham 961-7131

Team 6 American Medical Equipment -- Dick Reisinger 427-6982

Team 7 Show Biz Productions -- Joe Kline 331-7042

Team 8 Jerry Jodice -- Bob Havrilla 285-5413 and Joe Sugimoto 359-4111

Team 9 Wion's Body Shop -- Ray Ward 421-8875

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LEAGUE 3 TEAMS & MANAGERS

Tuesday Night

Commissioner Jerry Toenyas 354-4126

1. Silver Cats -- Larry Shelton 955-9955

2. Old Hornets -- Bill Knoblauch
408-5501

3. ReMax Central -- Dave Tanner
216-1941

4. Geremia Pools -- Rich Del Chiaro
484-0854

5. Livingston Concrete -- Trudy Smartt
973-8269

6. Fuddruckers -- Bob Jones 965-4516

LEAGUE 5 TEAMS & MANAGERS

Thursday Night

Commissioner Allen Riker 485-9567

1. NorCal Jackets -- Mark Cordell
718-4058; Ed Frantz 607-3750

2. Reinwald's Health & Dental Ins. --
Robert Reinwald -- 481-6323; Matt
Tedrow 515-0451

3. Overhead Door -- Greg Leurgans
332-7953

4. Cal Energy Services -- Michael
Lofton 216-2427; Darryl Watson
897-9330

5. Monte's Munchies -- George Lamb
681-8070; Bob Paese 797-1084

6. Espanol Italian Restaurant -- Larry
Lagomarsino 441-3047; Allen Riker
485-9567

LEAGUE 4 TEAMS & MANAGERS

Wednesday Night

Commissioner Bill Greene 391-5559

1. Executive Limousine -- Jim Stokes
422-5683

2. 9th & X Self Storage -- Bud
DeSouza 424-6115; Bill Hill
804-2243

3. East Lawn Inc. -- Russ Barnes
332-2832; Harold Johnson
771-0179

4. Cottonwood Estates-- Tom
Osborne 709-8464

5. Bertolucci's Body and Fender
Shop -- Winston McDowell
972-9483; Bob Smartt 973-8269

6. C&C Plumbing -- Jack Kocunik
485-5031; Mark Noel 536-9225

LEAGUE 6 TEAMS & MANAGERS

Tuesdays 10:30 a.m.

Commissioner Rich Edwards
483-1293

1. Mark White DDS -- Greg Leurgans
332-7953

2. Denny's -- Rich Edwards
483-1293; Al Tirapelli 419-3102

3. Arnold Properties -- Russ Barnes
332-2832; Vic Torres 784-7910

4. Greater Sacramento Softball
Association (GSSA) -- Dave Bristol
381-1037; Bruce Gilmore
424-0920

5. Auburn Oaks Senior Living --
Everett Richardson 455-2839

6. Better Sports Equipment -- Bill
Greene 391-5559; Howard Toder
927-3593

LEAGUE 2 TEAMS & MANAGERS

Tuesdays 9 a.m.

Commissioner Curtis Holcomb
600-6065

1. Jolly Rogers -- Ron Peck
344-1376, Rich Edwards 483-1293
2. VFW Post 67 -- Cloicec Wade
393-5809; John Wade 421-2162
3. RAMBIT -- John Colletto
966-0771

4. Sports Leisure -- Bill Enos
487-7047; Curtis Holcomb
600-6065
5. Harper Properties -- Jim Wait
455-4440
6. Richard Will Attorney -- Glen Cole
966-4561; Tom Sansone 686-1654

CLUB “HOTLINE” SOURCE FOR NEWS, INFORMATION

Operated by Don Shank, the club’s hotline provides recorded information for members, such as the general meeting schedule. It also is where players can call to make sure their games are going to be played as scheduled due to threatening weather or other events that make the fields unplayable, such as water main breaks or thefts of copper wire that prevents use of lights for night games. These things have happened, so even if the weather looks balmy, and you can’t be reached by your manager, you might be advised to give the “hot line” a jingle at 491-1721.

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LEAGUE COMMISSIONERS FOR 2011

Nominated by Club Commissioner Bruce Gilmore and approved by the Board of Directors, the club’s League Commissioners for 2011:

League 1 Monday Day, 70 and older: George Hodsdon -- 481-9304 (George Langan, assistant)

L-2 Tuesday Day 9 a.m., 60 and older: Curtis Holcomb -- 600-6065 (Jim Wait, assistant)

L-3 Tuesday Night, 50 and older: Jerry Toenyes -- 354-4126 (Brent Korff, assistant)

L-4 Wednesday Night, 50 and older: Bill Greene -- 391-5559

L-5 Thursday Night, 50 and older: Allen Riker -- 485-9567

L-6 Tuesday Day 10:30 a.m. Select, 60 and older: Rich Edwards -- 483-1293

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS -- 2010-2011

President **Bill Hill** ... 804-2243

First Vice President ... **Dick Latimer**
363-9555 (Responsible for team
sponsorships.)

Second Vice President **Pete Ward** ...
989-4722 (Responsible for team
uniforms.)

Treasurer **Glen Cole** ... 966-4561

Secretary **George Lamb** ... (530)
681-8070

Player Agent **Linda McCollum-
Greene** ... 391-5559 (Responsible for
player applications, player substitutes,
waiting lists.)

Club Commissioner **Bruce Gilmore** ...
424-0920 (Responsible for enforcement
of playing rules, oversees league
commissioners.)

TELEPHONE HOTLINE

Club Answering Machine

(managed by Don Shank):
491-1721 for meeting news and
field conditions.

Phone or Address Changes:

Henry Low 391-3938

Player Applications:

Linda
McCollum-Greene 391-5559

Sunshine & Health:

Trudy
Smartt 973-8269

GSSC #3912 Blood Bank:

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