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On behalf of the people of Grand Junction we would like to welcome you, our vistors, to Grand Junction.

Our congratulations go to the participants in this National Junior College Baseball tournament. You are winners, and have proved your winning ability to get as far as you have, -- to play in this National Tournament.

Each season we've seen the quality of this tournament improved because the quality of the individual participants has been improving and the quality of the baseball teams who travel to Grand Junction from all parts of this great nation has been improving, year after year.

A special welcome to Baseball Commissioner Bowie Kuhn, and to the baseball scouts who travel here looking for young talent. Welcome too, to the baseball fans.

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TOURNAMENT RECORDS

(BATTING)

Average (15 or more at bats) .647, George Jones, Trinidad, 1962.

Hits—14, Dave Magnole, Miami-Dade, 1964.

Hits One Game—5, Ron Durham, Wilmington, 1961; Sterling Coward, Wilmington, 1962; and John Grubb, Manatee, 1968; Emrick Jagneaux, Panola, 1970.

Runs—12, Stanley Levy, Tarleton State, 1960.

Runs-batted-in—13, Ron Smith, Wilmington, 1962 and Tom Robson, Phoenix, 1965.

Doubles—4, Travis Washington, Bacone, 1967; Ron Hix, Odessa, 1967; and Dennis Kendrick, Mesa Ariz., 1970.

Triples—4, Howard May, Gulf Coast, 1965.

Home Runs—2, Ron Durham, Wilmington, 1961; Ron Smith, Wilmington, 1962; Mike DerManuel, 1963; Jack Posky, Blinn, 1964; Dave McCammon, Miami-Dade, 1964; Ed Bravo, Miami-Dade, 1967; Otis McGowan, Glendale, 1968; Beau Robinson, Bacone, 1969; and Barry Hoffpaur, Panola, 1969; Beau Robinson, Bacone, 1969; Ronnie Saunders, Columbia State, 1970; Bernie Boehmer, Meramec, 1970; and Ted Brazell, Meramec, 1970; Dave Arnott, Genessee, Mich.

Home Runs (one game)—2, Mike DerManuel, Mesa, 1963.

(PITCHING)

Appearances—6, Darrell Porter, Tarleton State, 1960.

Innings Pitched—30 $\frac{3}{4}$, 1966, Joe Arnold, Miami.

Victories—3, Ken Floyd Tarleton State, 1960; Ron Durham, Wilmington, 1961; Tom Burgess, Phoenix, 1965; Richard Folkers, Ellsworth 1966; Doug Ault, Panola, 1969; and Jim Otten, Mesa, Ariz., 1970.

Strikeouts—32, Richard Folkers, Ellsworth, 1966.

Strikeouts (one game)—21, Len Bell, Paris, 1959.

Bases on Balls (one game)—15, Doug Ault, Panola, 1970.

No-hitter—Billy DeBruhl, Wilmington, 1959.

(TEAM)

Most runs tournament—58, Wilmington, 6 games, 1962.

Most runs, one game—19, Miami-Dade, against Mesa, 1964.

Most hits, tournament—71, Phoenix, 1965.

Most hits, one game—20, Trinidad against Blinn, 1962, and Miami-Dade against Mesa, 1964.



Special Tournament Guest

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PAST TOURNAMENTS

1971—Mesa Community College of Mesa, Ariz., won its second straight baseball championship with a 7-2 triumph over Miami-Dade North of Miami, Fla. Miami won its first four tournament games but the hustling HoKams came out of the losers' bracket to defeat the Falcons twice on the final two days of the tournament. Jim Otten of Mesa was selected as the tourney's most valuable player after winning two games and playing in the outfield in the other tournament contests.

1970—After finishing second in 1969, the HoKams of Mesa Community College of Mesa, Ariz., reached the JUCO tourney throne room in 1970. Coach Jim Brock's HoKams defeated Mesa College of Grand Junction 8-0. Jim Otten held the Mavs to three hits and Ken Reed, one of the smallest players in the tournament, delivered a key two-run homer. Larry Patton of Columbia State College, Tenn., won the most valuable player award.

1969—Panola College of Carthage, Tex., used only 12 players in the six-day, double-elimination but the lack of depth did not hamper the tireless Texans from capturing the national title with an 8-6 victory over Mesa, Ariz. Most Valuable Player honors went to Doug Ault, who won three games in the tournament for Panola, and hit .318. Ault played in the outfield when not pitching. Randy Bayer, a 6-5 first baseman with sprinter speed from Mesa, Ariz., was voted the player most likely to succeed.

1968—Glendale Community College battled the odds to win the national crown. The Gauchos dropped their tournament opener 15-8 at the hands of Manatee College but rebounded to win five straight games and the crown. Glendale's Otis McCowan was selected as the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

1967—The Bacone Warriors lashed out 16 hits to defeat Odessa 10-4 for the national title. Gerald Pirtle of Bacone was the recipient of the most valuable player award, Ed Bravo of Miami-Dade was to top hitter with a .500 average and Larry Koch of Nassau was voted the most likely to succeed.

1966—Nassau Community College of Garden City, N. Y. won its first national title with a come-from-behind victory over Miami-Dade College of Miami, Fla., 9-6. Joe Arnold, the Miami-Dade pitcher, was selected as the tourney's most valuable player while Miami catcher Bob Stinson was named the player most likely to succeed in professional baseball. Steve Lohrer of Nassau was the tourney's leading hitter.

1965—Phoenix College won its third national title with a 9-6 victory over Gulf Coast College of Panama City, Fla. Tom Burgess of the Bears won three games and was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player. Tom Robson of Phoenix was meet's top hitter with 13 hits in 24 times at bat.

1964—Miami-Dade College of Miami, Fla., swamps the Mesa College Mavericks 19-5 in the final game. Mack Gendreau of the Mavs is voted most valuable player and sets tournament strikeout record with 31.

1963—Wilmington, N.C. wins second juco title by beating Manatee, Fla., 9-2. Ken Widman of Long Island, N. Y. is most valuable player while Phil Dickens of Mantee is voted most likely to succeed in professional baseball and signs \$50,000 bonus contract after tournament.

1962—Phoenix College claims second national title by upsetting defending champion Wilmington, N. C., 13-5. Lee McFarland, Phoenix pitcher is named most valuable player while 17-year-old George Jones of Trinidad College sets tournament batting record with sensational .647 average.

1961—Wilmington, N. C., wins first tournament title by whipping Mesa College in finals and semi-final, 8-3 and 16-9 respectively. Ron Durham of Wilmington named Most Valuable Player.



"Ravens"

SAN JACINTO COLLEGE
PASADENA, TEXAS

Coach: BRAGG STOCKTON

Record: 39-4

NO.	PLAYER	CLASS	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	BIRTH DATE	B-T	BA-PR	HOME TOWN
	Guy Barba	Soph	IF	6'1"	170	20	7-8-51	R-R	.348	Houston, Texas
	Donald Bravenac	Fresh	P	6'3"	200	19	11-8-52	R-R	.222	Deer Park, Texas
	Glen Bryant	Soph	P	5'11"	170	20	11-22-51	R-R	(9-0)	Houston, Texas
	Rick Burley	Soph	1B-P	6'3"	200	20	5-3-52	L-L	.473 (10-2)	Dallas, Texas
	Wayne Cato	Fresh	C	6'1"	190	19	2-18-53	R-R	.297	Freeport, Texas
	David Caldwell	Fresh	P	6'0"	190	20	2-26-52	R-R	(0-0)	Pasadena, Texas
	Gary Dial	Fresh	IF	5'8"	155	19	9-11-52	R-R	.276	Spring Branch, Texas
	Jerry Hance	Soph	OF	6'2"	195	20	7-25-51	R-R	.380	Baytown, Texas
	Joe Hernandez	Fresh	OF	5'10"	150	19	5-25-53	R-L	.377	Houston, Texas
	Jimmy Juhl	Soph	P	6'3"	170	20	8-6-51	R-L	(7-0)	Spring Branch, Texas
	Walter Kilgo	Fresh	C-IF	6'0"	155	19	9-28-52	R-R	.272	Waco, Texas
	Paul Miller	Soph	OF-1B	6'1"	175	20	12-19-51	R-L	.398	Houston, Texas
	Rusty Pendergrass	Fresh	ALL	5'11"	160	19	1-26-53	R-R	.286	Galena Park, Texas
	Travis Knox	Fresh	OF	5'8"	155	19	3-4-53	L-L	.286	Deer Park, Texas
	Steve Kennedy	Fresh	P	6'3"	195	19	12-25-52	R-R	(1-1)	Freeport, Texas
	Tim Perales	Soph	P	5'8"	155	20	6-15-51	R-R	(0-0)	Houston, Texas
	Carl Russ	Fresh	SS-P	5'10"	155	18	12-21-53	R-R	.225	Spring Branch, Texas
	Ralph Parrish	Fresh	C-P	5'9"	160	20	9-5-51	R-R	.333	Houston, Texas
	Steven Terrell	Soph	OF	5'10"	170	20	12-12-51	R-R	.241	Houston, Texas
	Bob Smith	Fresh	P	6'1"	180	19	4-2-53	R-R	(2-0)	Dallas, Texas
	Daniel Lee	Fresh	P	6'4"	190	19		R-R	(5-0)	Houston, Texas

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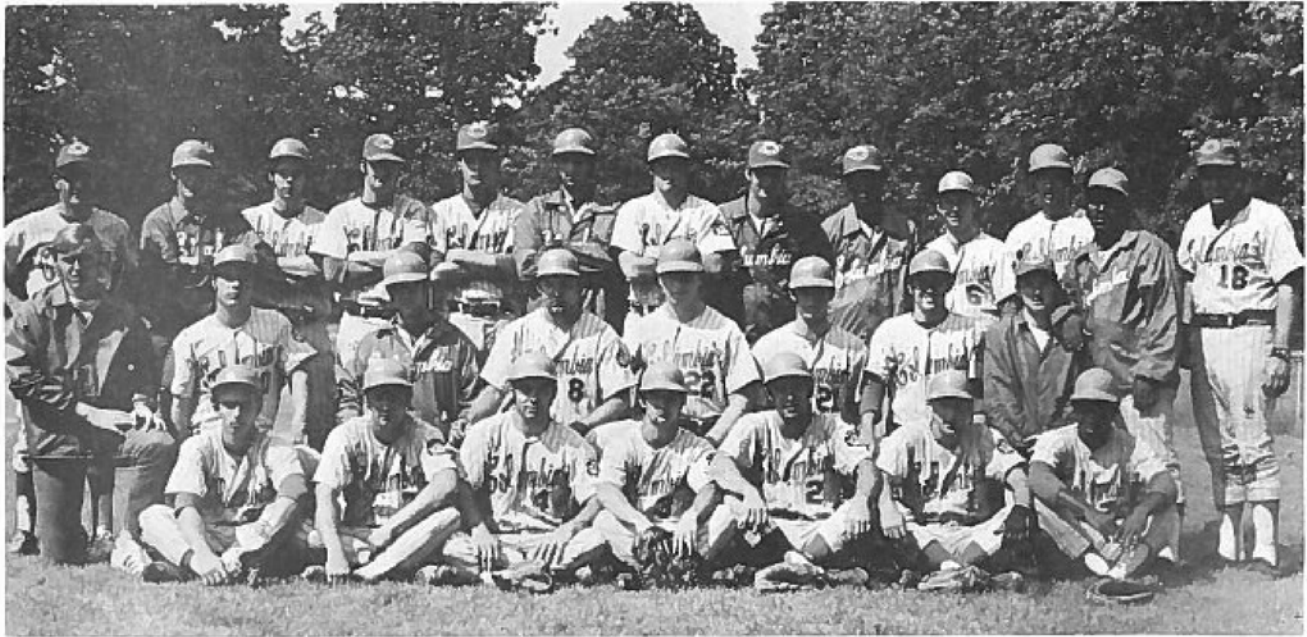
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Coaches: DAVE HALL, JIM PAINTER

NO.	PLAYER	CLASS	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	BIRTH DATE	B-T	BA-PR	HOME TOWN
	Rick Davidson	Soph	C	5'11"	190	19		R-R		Hendersonville, Tenn.
	Mike Rankin	Fresh	C	6'1"	190	18		R-R		Memphis, Tenn.
	Eddie Grant	Soph	C	5'11"	185	22		R-R		Chattanooga, Tenn.
	Mickey Dearstone	Fresh	1B	5'10"	170	18		R-R		Jefferson City, Tenn.
	Steve Herbert	Soph	1B-OF	6'2½"	215	19		R-R		Columbia, Tenn.
	Randy Davidson	Fresh	2B	5'10"	155	18		R-R		Hendersonville, Tenn.
	Kerry Crocker	Fresh	2B	5'8"	150	18		R-R		Nashville, Tenn.
	Glenn Smith	Soph	SS	5'11"	175	19		R-R		Winchester, Tenn.
	Fred Roberson	Fresh	3B	5'9"	175	18		R-R		Franklin, Tenn.
	Greg Pusateri	Fresh	3B	5'10"	170	18		R-R		Crystal City, Mo.
	Jimmy Nicholson	Soph	OF	6'0"	190	19		R-R		Douglasville, Ga.
	Tim Dedmon	Soph	OF	5'8"	155	20		R-L		Chattanooga, Tenn.
	Rodney Jones	Soph	IF-OF	5'10"	160	18		R-R		Columbia, Tenn.
	Gene Essie	Fresh	OF	5'9"	155	18		R-R		Knoxville, Tenn.
	Bobby Rogers	Fresh	OF	5'11"	160	20		LR-R		Chatanooga, Tenn.
	Randy Morton	Soph	P	5'11"	160	19		R-R		Nashville, Tenn.
	Charlie Rogers	Fresh	P	5'11"	170	21		L-R		Chatanooga, Tenn.
	Gilbert Holt	Fresh	P	6'3"	190	18		R-R		Nashville, Tenn.
	Barry Richardson	Fresh	P	6'1"	170	18		R-R		Knoxville, Tenn.
	Steve Downey	Fresh	P	6'2"	185	18		L-L		Collinsville, Ill.
	Steve Cunningham	Soph	P	5'10"	170	19		L-L		Manchester, Tenn.
	Gary Matthews	Soph	P	6'2"	185	19		L-L		Memphis, Tenn.
	Doug Furney	Soph	P	6'1"	190	29		L-L		Macon, Ga.
	W. L. Culbertson	Soph	P	6'0"	175	20		R-R		Columbia, Tenn.

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BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

Coach: LOU SHOR

Record: 11-3

NO.	PLAYER	CLASS	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	BIRTH DATE	B-T	BA-PR	HOME TOWN
1	Vin Chirchirillo	Soph	SS	5'9"	160	19		R-R	.222	Brooklyn, N. Y.
14	Al Benny	Soph	P	6'0"	180	19		R-R	(0-0)	Brooklyn, N. Y.
12	Marty Becker	Fresh	P	6'0"	205	18		R-R	(0-0)	Brooklyn, N. Y.
2	Phil Canucci	Fresh	C	5'9"	165	18		R-R	.525	Brooklyn, N. Y.
3	Bob Daniels	Soph	2B	6'0"	165	19		R-R	.356	Brooklyn, N. Y.
4	Joe Defilipis	Fresh	SS	5'11"	165	18		R-R	.250	Brooklyn, N. Y.
10	Gerry Gaffney	Soph	P	5'11"	175	19		R-R	(4-0)	Brooklyn, N. Y.
7	Bob Gentile	Soph	1B	5'11"	170	19		L-L	.320	Brooklyn, N. Y.
5	Tom Giarmarrino	Fresh	OF	5'10"	165	18		R-R	.273	Brooklyn, N. Y.
17	Tony Giorgio	Soph	P	5'11"	185	19		R-L	(2-1)	Brooklyn, N. Y.
6	Tony Jonas	Soph	OF	6'1"	180	21		R-R	.451	Brooklyn, N. Y.
9	Bob Kartowski	Fresh	OF	5'11"	165	18		R-R	.333	Brooklyn, N. Y.
15	Howie Mallock	Fresh	P	6'2"	190	19		R-R	(1-0)	Brooklyn, N. Y.
8	Ron Natoli	Fresh	2B	5'10"	170	18		R-R	.000	Brooklyn, N. Y.
18	George Monier	Soph	OF	6'0"	185	20		R-R	.235	Brooklyn, N. Y.
16	Billy O'Connor	Soph	P	6'3"	210	20		R-R	(4-2)	Brooklyn, N. Y.
11	Tony Perrone	Fresh	OF	5'10"	185	18		L-L	.148	Brooklyn, N. Y.
19	Bob Petrucci	Soph	3B	6'0"	190	20		R-R	.291	Brooklyn, N. Y.
13	John Zazzu	Soph	C	5'10"	170	18		R-R	.000	Brooklyn, N. Y.

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PORT HURON, MICHIGAN**

Coach: DICK GROCH

Record: 35-8

NO.	Gr.	Wh.	PLAYER	CLASS	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	BIRTH DATE	B-T	BA-PR	HOME TOWN
16	16		Brown, Bryce	Soph	P	6'4"	190	19	3-23-52	R-R	(5-2)	Circleville, Ohio
5	8		Howay George	Soph	P	6'0"	160	20	11-28-51	R-L	(2-1)	Imlay City, Mich.
20	17		Ferguson, Randy	Fresh	P	5'8"	180	19	10-26-52	L-L	(7-2)	Redford Twp., Mich.
13	13		Lange, Steve	Soph	P	5'10"	162	19	11-16-52	R-R	(5-0)	Bullock Creek, Mich.
14	14		Perkins, Bob	Fresh	P	5'10"	185	19	9-20-52	R-R	(10-0)	Sterling Hgts., Mich.
18	--		Wedra, Mark	Soph	P	6'1"	195	20	1-16-52	L-L	(0-0)	St. Clair Shores, Mi.
6	6		Zajac, Gary	Soph	P	5'9"	165	19	8-17-52	R-L	(4-1)	Rossford, Ohio
10	11		Zalucki, Mike	Fresh	P	5'10"	170	20	7-3-51	R-L	(3-2)	Detroit, Mich.
15	10		Dykes, John	Soph	C	6'0"	195	19	4-23-52	R-R	.315	Harper Woods, Mi.
19	19		Nahorodny, Bill	Fresh	C-3B	6'2"	220	18	8-31-53	R-R	.419	Hamtramack, Mich.
11	5		Ansel, Doug	Fresh	3B	5'8"	180	19	9-25-52	R-R	.306	Wyandotte, Mich.
22	20		Brehmer, Mike	Fresh	SS	6'0"	172	18	9-4-53	R-R	.243	Taylor, Mich.
9	9		Fowler, Don	Fresh	OF	5'11"	168	18	5-14-53	R-R	.365	Port Huron, Mich.
12	3		Herbert, Bill	Fresh	1B	6'0"	170	18	3-4-53	R-R	.340	Redford Twp., Mich.
4	4		Mills, Terry	Soph	2B	5'8"	155	19	8-10-52	R-R	.369	Northville, Mich.
2	2		Welsh, Jim	Fresh	SS	5'9"	158	18	7-4-53	R-R	.303	Allen Park, Mich.
21	21		Petrillo, Chas.	Soph	OF	6'0"	195	20	1-29-52	L-R	.296	Southfield, Mich.
17	12		Secory, Mark	Soph	1B	6'1"	100	20	9-28-51	R-R	.250	Port Huron, Mich.
7	7		Semanco, Bob	Fresh	OF	5'11"	170	18	10-5-53	R-R	.312	St. Clair Shores, Mi.



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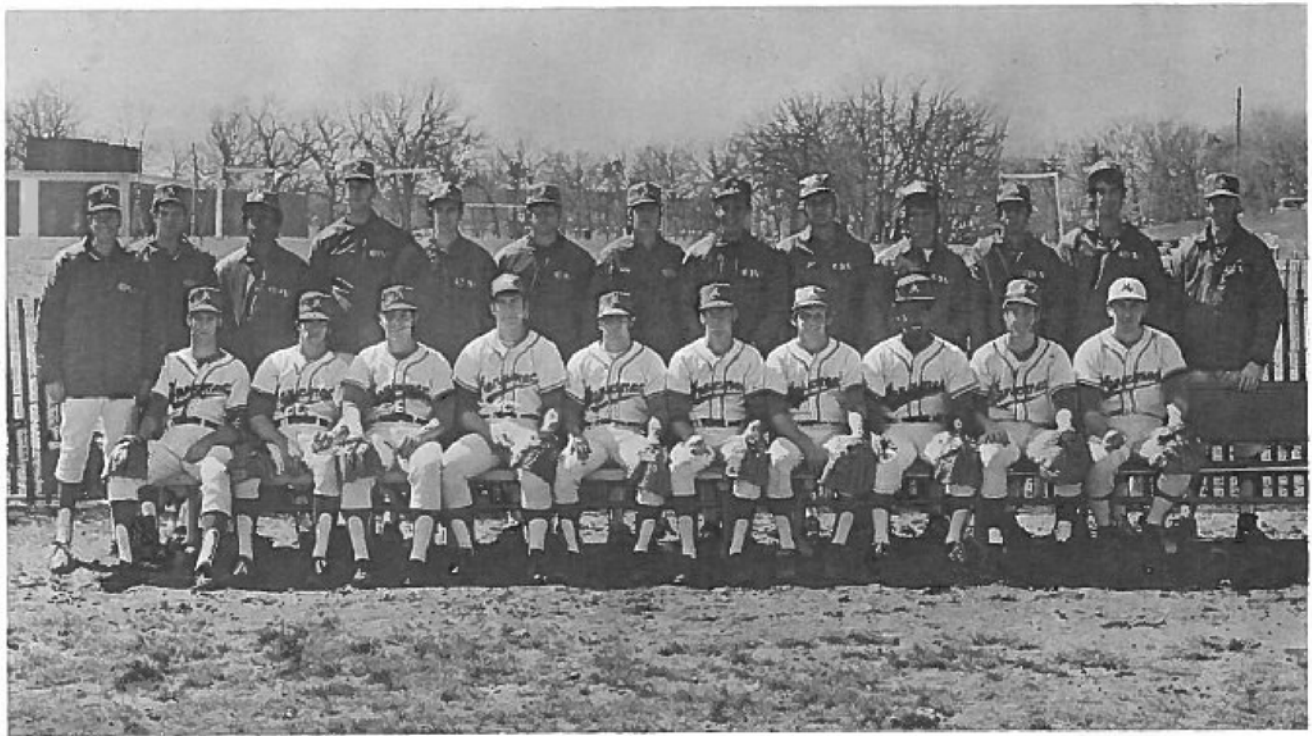
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ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

Coach: RIC LESSMANN

NO.	PLAYER	CLASS	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	BIRTH DATE	B-T	BA-PR	HOME TOWN
1	Breen, Dave	Fresh	P	6'2"	183	19	4-20-53	R-L		St. Louis
2	Bull, Tim	Soph	OF	6'1"	175	23	5-18-49	RL-L		Kirkwood
3	Burleson, Jack	Soph	3B	6'2"	200	19	7-31-52	R-R		Overland
4	Byrne, Jim	Soph	P	5'11"	155	20	3-23-52	R-R		Bridgeton
5	Chambers, Daniel	Soph	1B	6'1"	200	20	9-23-51	L-L		St. Louis
6	DeSalme, Skip	Fresh	P	6'1 1/2"	200	19	7-17-52	R-L		Kirkwood
7	Dickmann, Doug	Fresh	C	6'1 1/2"	204	19	2-17-53	R-R		St. Louis
8	Eisen, Stan	Soph	P	6'3"	185	20	4-19-52	L-L		St. Louis
9	Fingerhut, Greg	Fresh	SS	6'0"	165	20	4-17-52	R-R		St. Louis
10	Husser, Tom	Fresh	P	6'0"	174	18	8-19-53	R-R		St. Louis
11	Kick, Charles	Fresh	SS	5'10"	165	18	8-13-53	R-R		Ballwin
12	Klipsch, Joe	Fresh	C	6'0"	185	19	2-13-53	R-R		St. Louis
13	Leigh, Dan	Soph	OF	5'11"	170	20	9-1-51	R-R		St. Louis
14	McClendon, Ed	Soph	OF	5'11"	180	22	5-12-50	R-R		St. Louis
15	Metzger, Ew	Soph	2B	5'10"	175	21	3-24-51	R-R		Ballwin
16	Reinhardt, Dennis	Fresh	P	6'0"	172	18	8-29-53	R-R		St. Louis
17	Shapiro, Bill	Fresh	P	6'2"	175	18	7-16-53	L-L		U. City
18	Tysdale, Mike	Soph	COF-3B	5'9"	166	20	11-25-51	R-R		Overland
19	Wallace, Ken	Fresh	P	6'5"	200	19	3-2-53	R-R		St. Louis
20	Wild, Tom	Fresh	P-OF	6'1"	175	19	9-19-52	R-R		St. Louis

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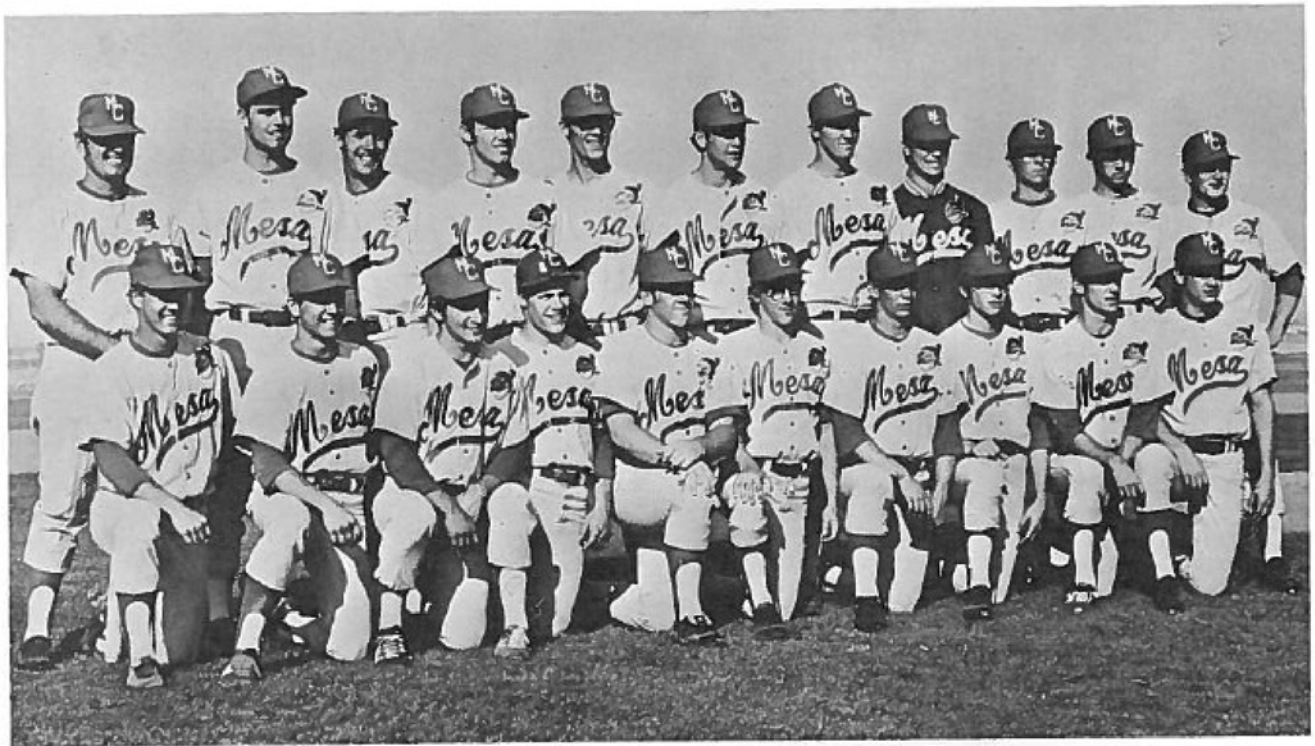
Record: 20-17

NO.	PLAYER	CLASS	POS.	HT.	WT.	AGE	BIRTH DATE	B-T	BA-PR	HOME TOWN
1	Jack Rowberry	Fresh	P	6'1"	170	18	2-12-53	L-L	(5-1)	Idaho Falls, Idaho
2	Tony Reynolds	Fresh	2B	5'8"	165	18	12-31-52	R-R	.125	Astoria, Oregon
3	Bob Leise	Fresh	CF	5'10"	165	20	9-23-51	L-L	.333	Omaha, Nebraska
4	Jim Strode	Fresh	P	6'0"	170	19	11-16-52	R-R	(0-1)	Boise, Idaho
5	Jim Dinsmore	Fresh	SS	5'5"	150	18	10-7-53	R-R	.324	Tulsa, Oklahoma
6	Mike Tonchette	Soph	3B	5'11"	175	24	8-15-47	R-R	.295	Twin Falls, Idaho
7	John Wilson	Fresh	2B	6'0"	170	18	9-9-53	R-R	.200	Tulsa, Oklahoma
8	Roy Kinnan	Fresh	C	5'8"	175	18	9-30-53	RL-R	.121	Tulsa, Oklahoma
9	Ben Plaza	Fresh	C	5'10"	180	18	6-23-53	R-R	.364	Ontario, Oregon
12	Mike McGraw	Fresh	OF	6'0"	180	19	10-4-52	L-R	.289	Omaha, Nebraska
13	Ralph Bollinger	Fresh	OF-P	6'3"	175	18	10-5-53	L-L	.247	(3-2) Tulsa, Oklahoma
14	Kurt Barron	Fresh	P	6'0"	180	19	7-19-53	R-R	(6-4)	Tulsa, Oklahoma
15	Jim Grinnell	Soph	P	6'2"	180	20	4-18-52	R-R	(2-4)	Blackfoot, Idaho
16	Doug Blue	Fresh	P	6'0"	165	19	2-9-53	L-L	(4-3)	Gering, Nebraska
17	Bob Papworth	Fresh	2B	5'10"	165	19	11-6-52	L-R	.365	Calgary, Canada
19	Vic Wells	Soph	1B	6'1"	190	20	7-2-52	L-L	.314	Twin Falls, Idaho

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MESA COMMUNITY COLLEGE
MESA, ARIZONA

Coach—JIM FRYE

Record: 34-12

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1 11	Gowans, Steve	Soph	C	5'8"	175	19	10-10-52	R-R	.224	Tempe
8 14	VanBrunt, John	Fresh	C	5'10"	195	18	8-21-53	L-R	.235	Detroit, Mich.
7 12	Delgado, Julio	Fresh	IF	5'7"	155	19	4-19-52	R-LR	.288	Whitefish, Mont.
9 15	Inglish, Jamie	Fresh	IF	5'7"	150	18	10-2-53	R-R	.178	Mesa
17 28	Oscarson, Jeff	Soph	IF	5'9"	170	20	10-27-51	R-R	.378	Scottsdale
18 18	Straine, Jeff	Fresh	IF	6'2"	170	18	8-12-53	R-R	.265	Scottsdale
16 29	Baker, Don	Soph	OF	6'0"	170	19	6-18-52	R-R	.336	Tempe
1 4	Gerlach, Bill	Fresh	OF	5'9"	155	18	8-30-54	L-R	.500	Tempe
32 32	Collins, Dave	Fresh	IF	5'11"	165	19	10-20-52	R-LR	.402	Rapid City, S.D.
25 25	Diveley, Rick	Fresh	OF	5'11"	170	18	10-7-53	R-R	.269	Scottsdale
26 26	Rooney, Pat	Fresh	OF	5'10"	175	18	8-13-53	R-R	.250	Mesa
10 10	Snowden, Greg	Soph	OF	5'10"	145	20	11-3-51	L-R	.315	Chandler
27 27	Colton, Stew	Soph	P	6'2"	185	19	3-23-52	R-L	(6-0)	Skokie, Ill.
36 24	Draper, Ed	Fresh	P	5'11"	160	18	10-25-53	L-L	(6-3)	Las Vegas, Nev.
29 31	Forgie, Ray	Fresh	P	6'0"	185	18	7-6-53	R-R	(2-3)	Scottsdale
22 22	Harshey, Chris	Fresh	P	5'11"	155	19	2-8-53	R-R	(6-1)	Chandler
19 19	Slocum, Doug	Soph	P	6'1"	190	19	11-7-53	R-R	(12-3)	Scottsdale
21 21	Wirth, Duane	Soph	P	6'3"	190	19	8-24-52	L-R	(2-1)	Mesa

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1	Saber, Mark	Fresh	IF	5'10"	160	19	2-15-53	R-R		Grosse Pointe, Mi.
2	Daniel, Douglas C.	Fresh	IF	6'0"	165	19	1-17-53	R-R		Richmond, Va.
4	Smith, Robert, Jr.	Soph	IF	5'6"	160	20	2-21-52	R-R		Palmetto, Fl.
6	Dias, David W.	Fresh	OF	5'11"	160	19	2-12-53	R-L		Pascoga, R.I.
7	Bender, George P.	Fresh	OF	6'2"	180	19	1-8-53	L-L		Ringwood, N.J.
8	O'Connor, John J.	Soph	C-IF	5'8"	185	20	1-20-52	R-R		Alexandria, Va.
9	McNeal, Rand E.	Soph	OF	5'10"	175	19	7-8-52	R-R		Sarasota, Fl.
10	Fowke, J. Charles	Fresh	IF	5'11"	150	19	2-7-53	R-R		College Park, Ga.
11	Smith, Keith L.	Fresh	OF	5'9"	180	19	5-3-53	R-R		Palmetto, Fl.
12	Hodges, Velton V.	Fresh	C-OF	5'10"	170	10	10-20-53	R-R		Sarasota, Fl.
14	Mercer, Thomas	Soph	P	5'11"	161	20	4-23-52	L-L		Richmond, Va.
15	Lampley, V. David	Soph	IF	6'0"	183	20	3-7-52	R-R		Sarasota, Fl.
16	Gingerich, Benjamin L.	Fresh	C	6'0"	175	19	1-5-53	R-R		Bradenton, Fl.
17	Beasley, M. Wayne	Soph	P	6'2"	198	20	10-9-51	R-R		Richmond, Va.
18	Vincent, Ernest	Soph	P	5'10"	188	20	8-3-51	R-R		Richmond, Va.
19	Tomlin, Richard E.	Fresh	P	6'2"	190	20	2-9-53	R-L		Richmond, Va.
20	Tripp, Daniel	Soph	P	6'2"	206	19	7-13-52	R-L		Holland, Mi.
21	Heppert, Wade	Fresh	OF	6'1"	165	19	9-11-53	L-R		Richmond, Va.
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A Tribute To

RAYPH F. (RED) STOCKER

Grand Junction has lost the individual most responsible for those parts of our city which makes this town an attractive, welcoming oasis in the desert.

Ralph F. (Red) Stocker, who died April 22, gave a large part of his life and his dedicated green-thumb efforts toward beautifying Grand Junction. He left behind him living, growing monuments that will be here so long as this city exists.

More than that, his gentle personality, his friendliness and his instinctive concern for people made him a wide circle of friends who mourn his passing.

Nobody knew better than "Red" how to make this desert bloom—and keep it blooming. No one in local government was ever more concerned that his projects—from a small flower garden to the downtown Shopping Park and all of the parks of the city—result in attractive areas that people could enjoy.

Stocker was responsible for the complete refurbishing of the Lincoln Park baseball stadium. The Lincoln Park diamond is now the finest non-professional baseball park in the western United States.

Mr. Stocker began work for the city April 17, 1926. He was employed by the water department for one year, the street department for two years and finally transferred to the parks department to serve as caretaker.

When Stocker became Lincoln Park care-

taker in 1929, the 'park' part was a small grassed area in front of Moyer Pool with some picnic tables and a flagpole. The pool and the pole are about the only things that have stayed put.

Through his efforts various city properties were transformed into recreation areas which have offered relaxation and enjoyment to out-of-towners as well as area residents. After retirement in 1970, Mr. Stocker viewed Lincoln Park as his greatest achievement. His work towards the beautification of the Downtown Shopping area and various other city-owned properties are also considered outstanding marks on his long record with the department.

After years of dedication to many beautification projects in Grand Junction, Mr. Stocker was honored by the Grand Junction Garden Club in 1970, the first man to be named an honorary life member of the organization.

Mr. Stocker was active in various clubs and organizations including Mesa Lodge No. 55, AF&AM, of which he was a past master; all Grand Junction Scottish Rite bodies; El Jebel Shrine; and Grand Junction Chapter No. 103 Order of Eastern Star.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Whatever Grand Junction's grand plans for the future they will be solidly based on the green, living foundation that "Red" Stocker gave us.

Where They Are Now

Sophomores that participated in last year's tournament have scattered to all points of the United States with most playing baseball at four-year schools while several are trying professional baseball.

A survey shows that five players from the 1971 tournament are playing pro ball while 46 sophomores are now members of teams at four-year colleges. However, the survey does not show the overall picture because two schools failed to respond to the local baseball committee's questionnaire.

Last year's tournament most valuable player, Jim Otten of Mesa, Ariz., was unbeaten in eight starts this season at Arizona State University. The tourney's outstanding defensive player, Vern Watkins also of Mesa, signed with the Texas Rangers.

All-tourney choice Bob Jablanski of Hudson Valley signed with the Boston Red Sox while Pat Leary of Mt. Hood, Oregon, the tournament's top hitter, went on to the University of Nevada.

Rick Richardson of Louisburg College set a home run record at North Carolina State this spring.

Below is the complete results of the survey.

MESA, ARIZONA—Marty Stajduhar, Dave Fraser and Steve Swingle—California Western in San Diego. Dennis McCabe—Texas Wesleyan. Mark Reinke — University of Tulsa. Ed Weatherspoon—University of Arizona. Mike Pfitzer—Brigham Young University. Jim Otten and Dave Gerlach, Arizona State University, Vernon Wilkins—Texas Rangers.

MT. HOOD—Rae Owens—Linfield College, Mike Guischer—Portland State University, Pat Leary—University of Nevada, Bruce Fox—University of Oregon.

HUDSON VALLEY — Mike Battiste and Jerry Pieklo—Cornell University, Jack McDonald and Gary Walcott—University of Colorado, Jack Broomhead—SUNY, Oneonta, N. Y., Ed Dingo—Nasson College in Maine, Ed Harvey—University of Connecticut, Bob Jablanski—Boston Red Sox, Mark Reynolds—North Adams (Mass.) State, Doug Schoonmaker — SUNY, Brockport, N. Y., Jim Talarico—University of Massachusetts.

MIAMI-DADE NORTH—Stan Butkus and Gary Conley — South Alabama, Rolando de Armas, Jorge Perez, John Tamargo—Georgia Southern, Rudolfo Daumy—South Florida, Jim Mansilla, Toledo, Paco Suarez and Eddie Fernandez, signed with Minnesota Twins.

GENESEE, MICHIGAN — Dave Arnott—Florida Southern, Doug Ballnik, Keith Carroll and Terry Chaffer—Columbus (Georgia) College, Jack Pasco and Curt Smith — Eastern Michigan, Don Smith and Dennis Zierlow—Michigan State University, Don Ward—Western Michigan.

LOUISBURG COLLEGE—Rick Richardson and Wayne Currin—North Carolina State, Jim Garland—Jacksonville University, Al Barbour —University of North Carolina, Bob Becher and Doug Donald — Wilmington University, Dave Johnson, Elon College.

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Game 6 — Lannom	Game 14 — Rawlings
Game 7 — J. De-Beer	Game 15 — Spalding
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Homa S. Thomas is President of the National Junior College Athletic Association.

Thomas began his teaching career in the Elk City School System in 1937, teaching mathematics and coaching junior high football and basketball. In 1941, he moved to the Oklahoma Military Academy as chairman of the Business Education Department, and served in numerous other capacities. Since 1948, he has been associated with Northeastern Oklahoma A.&M. College at Miami, serving as public relations director, sports information director, director of the largest high school basketball tournament in the United States, coach in boxing and baseball, and currently is chairman of the business education division.


The year 1957 saw the beginning of the first NJCAA Region II under the leadership of Homa Thomas. He served on many of the NJCAA committees including the Football Committee, and then was elected vice president of NJCAA in 1965. Last year he was elected to the important post of president of NJCAA.

The National Junior College Athletic Association is proud that the 1972 National Championship Baseball Tournament will be held in Grand Junction, Colorado, for the 15th consecutive year. The citizens of Grand Junction and all the officials connected with the tournament are to be congratulated for the exceptional manner in which this tournament is conducted.

I congratulate the members of each of the eight contesting teams, and regardless of who wins, each player should consider himself a champion.

On behalf of the NJCAA, I welcome the coaches, players, officials, and fans to the 15th annual National Baseball Championship Tournament.

Sincerely,


Homa Thomas
NJCAA PRESIDENT

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All Tournament Team — 1971

1b—Vernon Wilkins, Mesa, Ariz.
2b—Bob Jablanski, Hudson Valley, N. Y.
3b—Clarence Poirier, Miami-Dade, Fla.
ss—Pat Leary, Mount Hood, Oregon
of—Bruce Fox, Mount Hood, Oregon
of—Greg Snowden, Mesa, Ariz.
of—Gary Conley, Miami Dade, Fla.
c—Marty Stajduhar, Mesa, Ariz.
c—Jon Tamargo, Miami Date, Fla.
p—Jim Otten, Mesa, Ariz.
p—Gary Walcott, Hudson Valley, N. Y.
p—Stan Butkus, Miami-Dade, Fla.
u—Dave Arnott, Genessee, Mich.
u—Jeff Oscarson, Mesa, Ariz.
u—Mark Reinke, Mesa, Ariz.

Most Valuable Player—Jim Otten, Mesa, Ariz.
Top Hitter—Pat Leary, Mount Hood, Oregon
Sportsmanship Award—Coach Ernie Myers and
Genessee College team

All Tournament Team—1969

1b—Randy Bayer, Mesa, Ariz.
2b—Ken Reed, Mesa, Ariz.
3b—Steve Foucault, South Georgia
if—Roy Staiger, Bacone
ss—Glenn Cooper, Panola
u—Gary Wiley, Gardner-Webb
u—Mike Ahern, South Georgia
of—Leroy Gardner, Bacone
p-of—Doug Ault, Panola
of—Charles Miller, Panola
of—Bob Knight, South Georgia
c—Bob Engle, Mesa, Colo.
c—Bill Sievers, Wright
p—Hardy Frazer, Panola
p—Don Formiller, Mesa, Ariz.
p—Kyle Young, South Georgia

Most Likely To Succeed—Randy Bayer, Mesa,
Ariz.
Most Valuable Player—Doug Ault, Panola

All Tournament Team—1967

1b—Travis Washington, Bacone
2b—Kurt Bevacqua, Miami-Dade
3b—Ed Bravo, Miami-Dade
ss—Check Mercer, Odessa
of—Van Fixico, Bacone
of—Ronnie Ward, Bacone
of—Edgar Avila, Miami-Dade
of—Mark Sink, Gardner-Webb
c—Ron Hix, Odessa
Utility—Pete Hernandez, Phoenix
Utility—Louis Flores, Gardner-Webb
Pitcher—Lloyd Kingfisher, Bacone
Pitcher—Larry Horton, Odessa

Most Valuable Player—Gerald Pirtle, Bacone
Most Likely To Succeed—Larry Koch, Nassau

All Tournament Team — 1970

1b—Vernon Wilkins, Mesa, Ariz.
2b—Gus Lombardo, Meramec
3b—Joe Steiner, Meramec
ss—Donald Rhoten, Columbia
of—Dennis Kendrick, Mesa, Ariz.
of—Ken Mosley, Meramec
of—Herb Genung, Mesa, Ariz.
*c—Bernie Boehmer, Meramec
p—Jim Otten, Mesa, Ariz.
p—Mike Hall, Mesa, Colo.
p—Larry Patton, Columbia
u—Tony Cianelli, Hagerstown
u—Al Torrey, Mesa, Colo.
u—Dennis Primeau, St. Clair
u—Phillip Williams, Columbia
u—Emrick Jagneaux, Panola
Most Likely to Succeed — Dennis Queen, St.
Clair (pitcher)
Most Valuable Player—Larry Patton, Columbia
(pitcher-outfielder)
Sportsmanship Award given to Columbia
*Won the Big Stick award for highest batting
average of .563

All Tournament Team — 1968

1b—Phil Pate, Blinn
2b—Carlo Spartano, Hudson Valley
3b—Jim Williams, Glendale
ss—Dick Allred, Mesa
c—Harry Saferight, Manatee
of—Otis McCowan, Glendale
of—John Grubb, Manatee
of—Ricky Burch, Blinn
p—Jack Snyder, Glendale
p—Mike Boyce, Glendale
p—Pat Jamison, Blinn
u—Doug Thorley, Glendale
u—Dave Moates, Manatee
u—Ron Cash, Manatee
u—Mike Houck, Hudson Valley
u—Ralph Dick, Mesa

Most Valuable Player—Otis McCowan, Glendale
Most Likely to Succeed—Harry Saferight,
Manatee
Sportsmanship Award—Bill Dorothy, Bacone

All Tournament Team—1966

1b—Bill Brill, Mesa
2b—Kurt Bevacqua, Miami-Dade
2b—Richard Souto, Nassau
ss—Steve Lohrer, Nassau
3b—Dan Colombo, Nassau
3b—Terry Brumfield, Miami-Dade
of—Al Crawford, Miami-Dade
of—Larry Linville, Mesa
of—Harry Green, Wingate
of—Dennis Hegarty, Miami-Dade
c—Bob Stinson, Miami-Dade
c—Gene Sidor, Nassau
p—Richard Folkers, Ellsworth
p—Joe Arnold, Miami-Dade
u—Steve Ogin, Miami-Dade
u—Gary Reiners, Ellsworth

Most Valuable Player—Joe Arnold, Miami-Dade
Most Likely to Succeed—Bob Stinson, Miami-
Dade

All Tournament Team — 1965

p—Tom Burgess, Phoenix
p—Q. V. Lowe, Gulf Coast
p—Gary Gentry, Phoenix
1b—Tom Robson, Phoenix
1b—Howard Maye, Gulf Coast
2b—Dave Alvarado, Phoenix
2b—Pete Garza, Blinn
ss—John Hill, Phoenix
ss—Ron Sutton, Blinn
3b—Bob Smith, Bacone
of—Jesus Pesquiera, Phoenix
of—Jim Johnson, Bacone
of—Phil Ogee, Bacone
c—Nate Markham, Gulf Coast

All Tournament Team — 1963

1b—Bob Shipp, Wilmington
2b—Dick Fernandez, Manatee
3b—Mike DerManual, Mesa
ss—Maurice Hopkins, Manatee
of—Larry Honeycutt, Wilmington
of—Tex Tolman, Mesa
of—Tom Cole, Wilmington
c—Allen Payne, Manatee
p—Ed Lemon, Wilmington
p—Steve Cahoon, Southern Utah
p—Ken Widman, Long Island
Honorable Mention — Bucky Hakes, Mesa;
Norm Johnson, Long Island; Brook Tol-
bert, Bacone; Sterling Coward, Wilming-
ton.
Most Valuable Player — Ken Widman, Long
Island.
Most Likely To Succeed — Paul Dicken, Man-
atee.

All Tournament Team — 1961

1b—Randy Dow, Mesa
2b—Herb Bumgardner, Wright
3b—Al Nelson, Wright
ss—Dave Miller, Wilmington
of—Bernard Bisho, Boise
of—Jack Milam, Pueblo
of—Bob Bruno, Northeastern
c—Wayne Taylor, Wilmington
p—Len Church, Wright
p—Pete Lovrich, Mesa
u—Jim Reed, Manatee
u—Warner Brooks, Mesa
Most Valuable Player—R. Durham, Wilmington
Most Likely to Succeed—Floyd Weaver, Paris

All Tournament Team — 1964

1b—Brooks Tolbert, Bacone
2b—Tom Zumalt, Bacone
3b—Ken Mann, Miami-Dade
ss—Bob Andrews, Mesa
of—Bob Rosenthal, NYCC
of—Dick Welch, Ellsworth
of—Dave Magnole, Miami-Dade
c—Tom Cook, Blinn
p—Mack Gendreau, Mesa
p—Barry Lersch, Mesa
p—Oscar Zamora, Miami-Dade
Honorable Mention—Jerry Chick, Mesa; Steve
Bruns, Wingate; Mike Martin, Wingate;
Billy Johnson, Blinn.
Most Valuable Player—Mack Gendreau, Mesa
Most Likely to Succeed — Dave McCammon,
Miami-Dade

All Tournament Team — 1962

1b—Mike Strobe, Trinidad
2b—Sterling Coward, Wilmington
3b—George Jones, Trinidad
ss—Cecil Holt, Blinn
of—Bill Hart, Phoenix
of—Allen Bauer, Phoenix
of—Ron Smith, Wilmington
c—Rex Heard, Ellsworth
p—Wayne McAlpin, Phoenix
p—Louis Howard, Wilmington
u—Jim Reed, Manatee
u—Stan Matthews, Blinn
Most Valuable Player—Lee McFarland,
Phoenix
Most Likely to Succeed—Ron Smith,
Wilmington



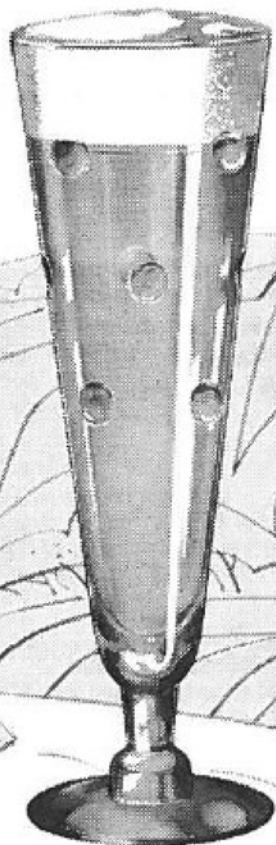
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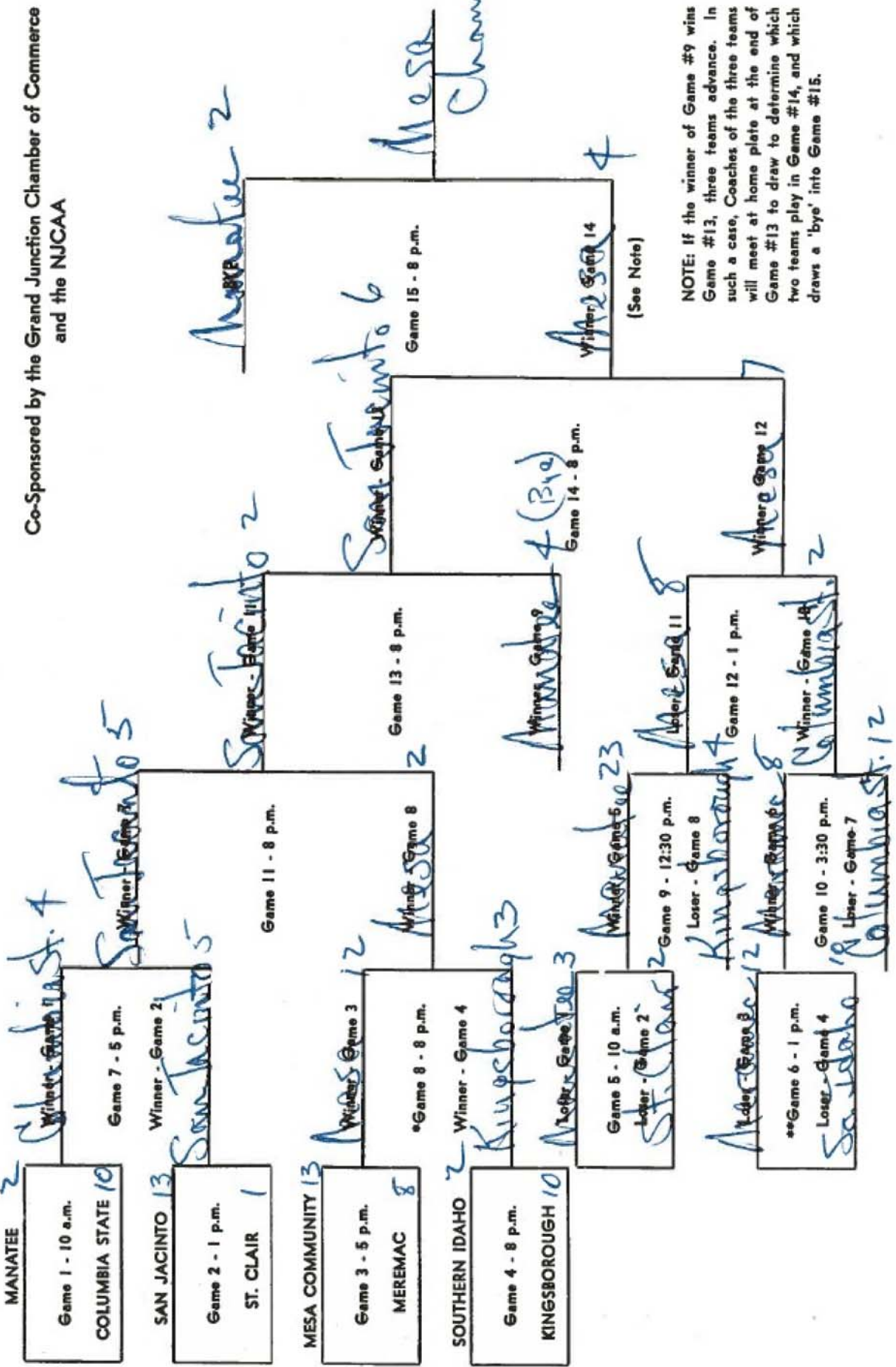


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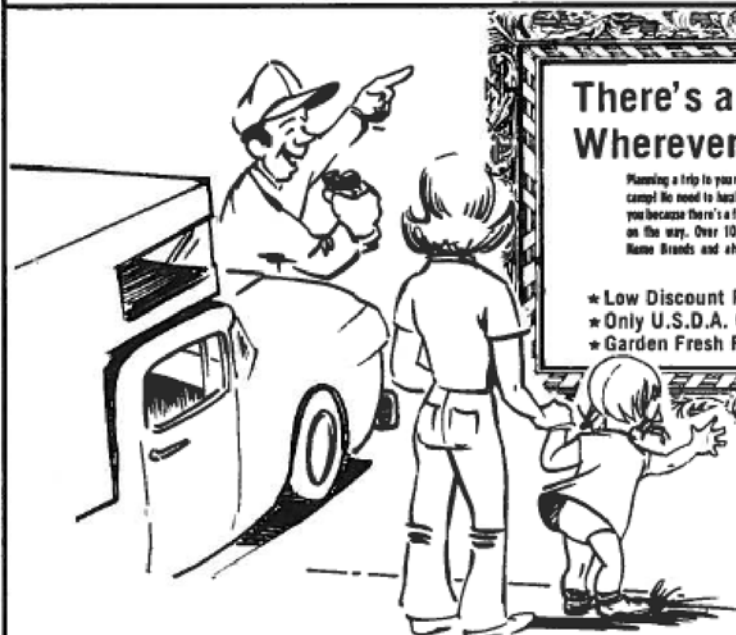
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