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Former Centerites to speak at ASPA meeting

The East Kern Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration is offering a special treat to all Centerites interested in management philosophy when illustrious former NOTS personnel Dr. Walter LaBerge, Dr. Newt Ward, Dr. Howard Wilcox, and H. G. "Hack" Wilson discuss "How did we do it in those days and would we like to do it that way now?" at an Trades Council to meet

The occasion will be a lunch held in the Mojave Room of the Commissioned Officers' Mess. While food service will begin at 11:30, panel members are not going to be able to convene and begin speaking until approximately 12:30; those who wish to attend might plan to take a late lunch hour that day or make other arrangements so that they can stay until 1 or 1:30 p.m.

or mock fillet wrapped with bacon, mushroom gravy, potato, vegetables and tossed salad. The salad lunch will cost ASPA members \$3.65, while the mock fillet meal costs \$3.50. Price for nonmembers for either lunch is \$4.

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Promotional opportunities

Unless otherwise specified in the ad, applications for positions listed in this column will be accepted from current NWC employees and should be filed with the person named in the ad. All others desiring employment with the Naval Weapons Center may contact the Employment-Wage and Classification Division, Code 092, Ext. 2049. Ads will run for one week and will close at 4:30 p.m. on the Friday following their appearance in this column, unless a later date is specified in the ad.

Equal Opportunity Specialist (Employment), GS-160-7/9/11, PD No. 8009202E, Code 0882 — This position is located in the Equal Employment Opportunity Office, Naval Weapons Center. The incumbent manages and exercises technical and administrative responsibility for planning, implementing, directing and evaluating the Hispanic Employment Program.

by Hispanics; program management skills; skill in written and oral communications. GS-7 — skill in written and oral expression; skill in analyzing problems; skill in fact-finding; ability to read, understand, interpret and explain technical material such as written regulations, laws, or court decisions; skill in meeting and working effectively with persons regardless of their socioeconomic backgrounds; ability to rapidly learn the substantive knowledge, concepts, principles, and methods of a subject matter field.

Well Done — Wayne Doucette (at left in both photos), presents letters of appreciation to a group of Centerites (all except one from the Engineering Department), who recently spent six weeks at the Hughes Aircraft Co. plant in Torrance, Calif., where they endeavored to define problems related to the Sidewinder AIM-9M Closed Cycle Cooler program.

Richard Fusteneau, a distance runner from Edwards Air Force Base, crossed the finish line first in the sixth annual George Washington's Birthday 8-mile run staged last Saturday by the Over-the Hill Track Club (OTHTC).



HEADED FOR HOOP — Kelli Harbin (33), of Burroughs, drives in for a layup that helped spark a second half scoring surge by the Burroughs High girls' basketball team in the CIF playoff game played here against Lynwood.

Results reported on OTHTC's annual 8-mile Washington's Birthday run

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clocked at 22:19 for the first 4 miles. Tom Rindt posted a personal best performance of 46:44 in the 8-mile run. Jerry Mumford, another OTHTC entrant, lowered her previous 8-mile run record by 3 min. to 55:29.

China Lake Little League business meeting set Tuesday

Another meeting of the China Lake Little League will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Computer Sciences Building (corner of Norma St. and Inyokern Rd. in Ridgecrest) for the purpose of considering the league's new constitution and by-laws.

Divine Services

Table listing religious services: PROTESTANT, ROMAN CATHOLIC, CONFESSIONS, RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES, JEWISH SERVICES, UNITARIANS, CHAPEL ANNEX 95.

Burros lose to Victor Valley . . .

Mike Wirtz, stellar forward for Burroughs, threw the ball from the left sideline more than three-fourths the length of the court to chalk up a basket that gave the home team a 19-18 lead.

The visitors from the Foothill League had no difficulty getting acclimated to the Burroughs High gym, as they hit a sensationally high percentage of their shots in the first quarter. It took a standout effort by Curtis Edmonson, forward for Burroughs who tallied 8 points in the first 8 min. of action, to prevent the sharp shooting Burbank team from building up a lead and forcing the Burros to play catch-up later on in the game.

The second quarter was a repeat of the first and also ended on an upbeat for the Burros. A quick move by Edmonson enabled him to intercept a Burbank player's inbound pass at the Bulldogs' end of the court, and he quickly banked in a shot from the corner that gave Burroughs a 34-33 halftime edge.

Starting off the second half of play, the Burros built up a 5-point lead, but the Bulldogs were up to the challenge and fought back to tie the score at 45-45 with 3 1/2 min. to play in the third quarter. A bit later, a 3-point play by Martin Jimenez of Burbank, who drew a foul as he hit a field goal and cashed in on the ensuing free throw, gave the Bulldogs a short-lived 48-47 lead.

Both teams tallied 17 points in the third period, and it was 51-50 in favor of Burroughs as the fourth quarter began — thanks to a field goal by Wirtz with 10 sec. left to play in the third quarter.

The scoring surge that Burroughs players and fans had been hoping for finally occurred 2 min. into the fourth quarter. During the next 4 min. of action, the Burros tallied 11 points and built up a 15-point lead of 69-54 to put the game on ice.

Richi Drake tallied on 7 out of 9 attempts from the free throw line to spark this rally

as the visitors ran into foul trouble. In the game's final 2 min. of play, the Bulldogs came to life and outscored the Burros, who were now using their reserve players, 11 points to 7, but it was too little and too late. Burroughs won the game by a final score of 76-65.

The game's high point man was Edmonson with 21 for Burroughs. All five of the Burros starters made it into the double-figure scoring column. In addition to Edmonson, their totals were Wirtz 15, Steve Motte, 14, Richi Drake 13, and Billy Brown 11.

Top scorers for the Burbank Bulldogs were Jimenez 18, Paul Rasmussen 15, and Dyson Hamner and Steve Ricciuti, 13 points each.

More tennis classes taught by Hagist to begin next Tuesday

Tennis classes for beginners through intermediate level players will begin on Tuesday. Instruction, provided by Fred Hagist, will be available on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings and afternoons from March 4 through April 20.

Classes will be held at 10 and 11 a.m., and from 5 to 6 p.m. Students may select a series of 6, 12, or 18 lessons, and may attend classes at the time and on the day most convenient for them.

Particular attention will be given to such fundamentals of the game as body pivot, stretching and footwork. Early in the course, games will be scheduled between students.

Cost of the tennis instruction is \$9, \$17, and \$25 for a series of 6, 12, or 18 lessons, respectively. Registration is being handled at the Recreation Coordination Office, phone NWC ext. 2010. Additional information can be obtained by calling Hagist at 375-9342 before 9:30 a.m. or after 6 p.m.

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requirements. File applications for the above with Susie Cross, Bldg. 34, Rm. 206, Ph. 2731. Supervisory General Engineer, GS-801-12, PD No. 8034014E, Code 3482 — (2 vacancies). Positions are located in the Quality Assurance Branch, Product Assurance Division, Engineering Department. Incumbents will technically and administratively supervise the efforts of a group of engineers and QA specialists responsible for providing quality assurance support for design, development and production of assigned weapon systems programs.

