

Mustang Basketball



Front Row: L to R: Harvey Girsh, manager; Ed Humphreys, Dick Nunes, Bob Cena, Brent Grimm, Bob Chinchio, Mike "Peanuts" Preston, manager. Row 2: Pete Fellows, Gary Ricks, Joe Handy, Ron Miller, Dave Klurman, Dave Chapman, Bryce Coffey, Bob Ghiglieri.

Season Record

Mustangs	Opponents	
60	Contra Costa	91
81	Sierra	70
51	Fresno	75
68	Sierra	78
74	Fresno	76
69	Oakland J. C.	70
66	Sacramento	75
59	CCSF	55
75	WCC	85
77	Modesto	69
79	Santa Rosa	78
91	Sacramento J. C.	79
63	CCSF	81
74	WCC	81
92	Oakland	91
94	San Mateo	89
95	Modesto	117
80	San Mateo	89
70	Santa Rosa	76

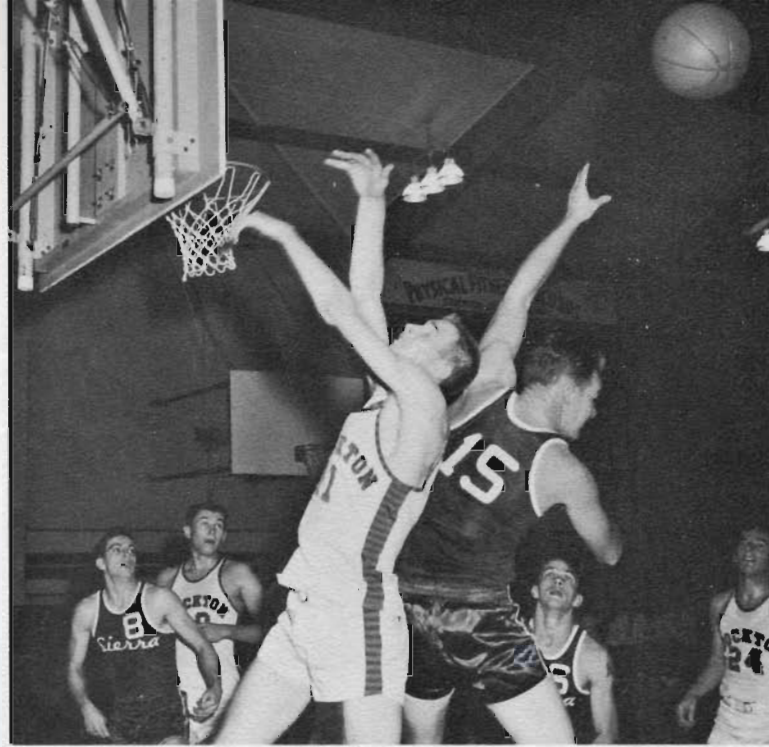


Frank Boyle
Coach

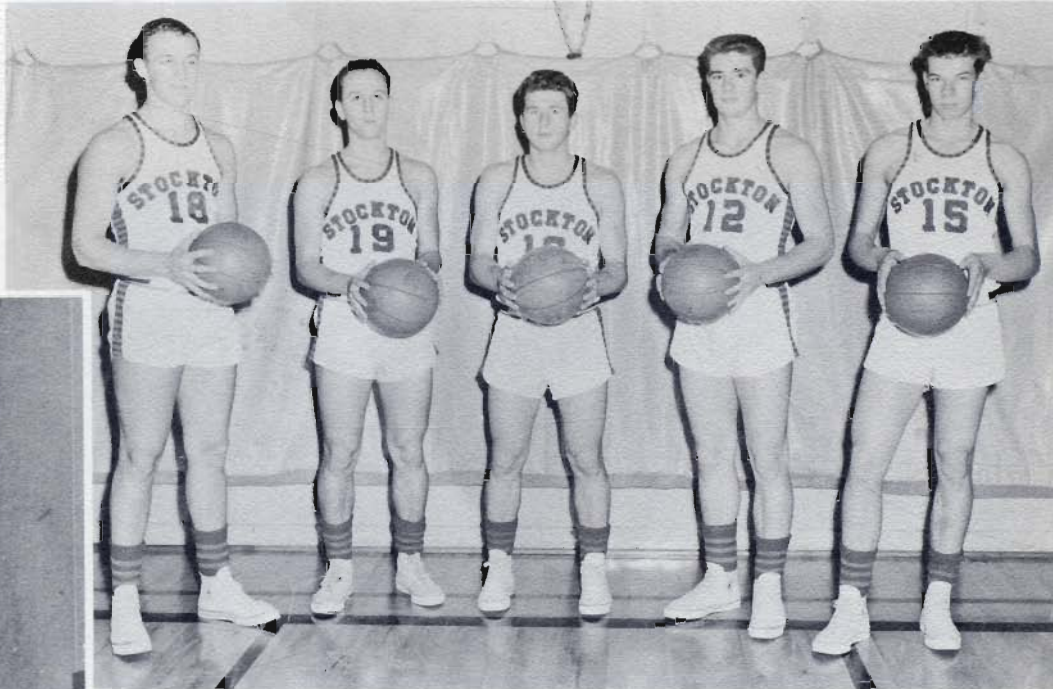
The Stockton College Mustangs began their 1955-56 season with virtually a green team and landed in sixth place after being handed a series of defeats at the hands of the stronger Big 8 teams. The Tangs showed some inspired play, notably against Oakland in an overtime thriller which they won by 1 point. The season was characterized by high scoring on the part of both SC and their opponents. The Tangs won 6 out of their 19 league games.

Forwards

Rewriting the individual scoring record was the Mustangs star forward, Dave Klurman. Klurman broke the record by scoring 618 points during the season. Klurman also was selected the Mustang's "Outstanding Player." Ron Miller and Joe Handy both showed well in their reserve rolls for the Tangs.



Dave Chapman vainly tries to snag a high rebound in a game against Sierra JC.



F O R W A R D S

L to R: Pete Fellows, Dave Klurman, Ed Humphreys, Ron Miller, Joe Handy.



Brent Grimm (21) leaps high to rack up two more points for SC. Teammate Dave Chapman (11), looks on.



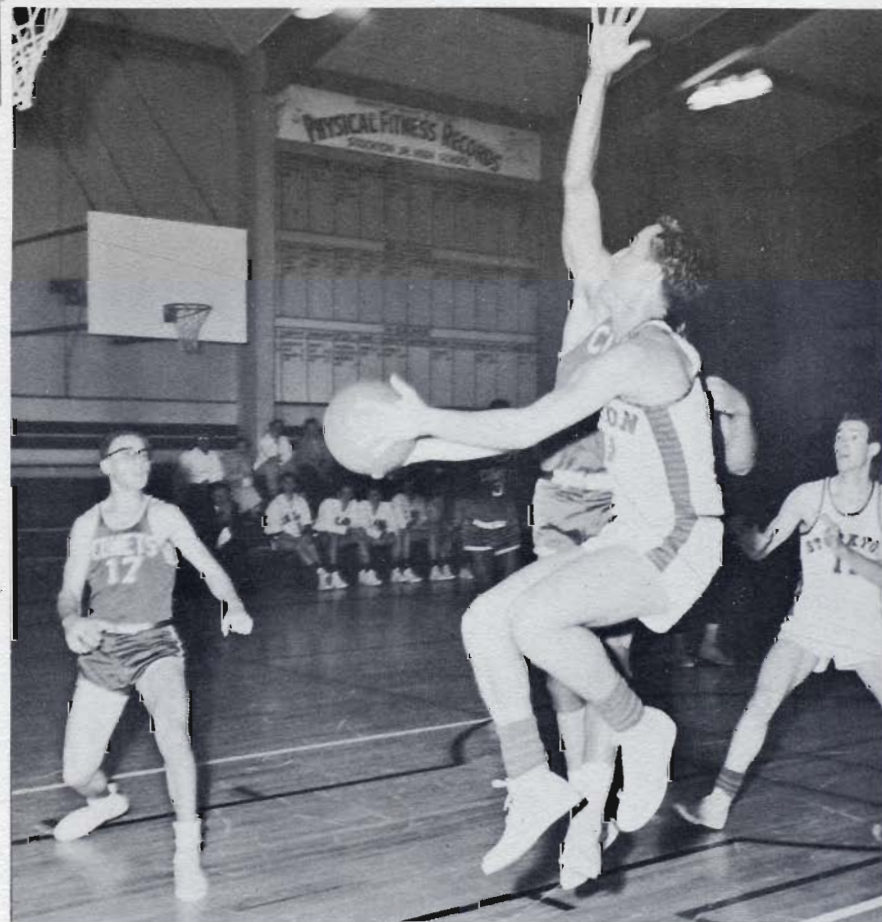
Guards and Centers

Guards Bob Cena, Bob Chinchio, and Bryce Coffey all had a share in the Mustangs' starting guard. Cena was the Tangs' second leading scorer.

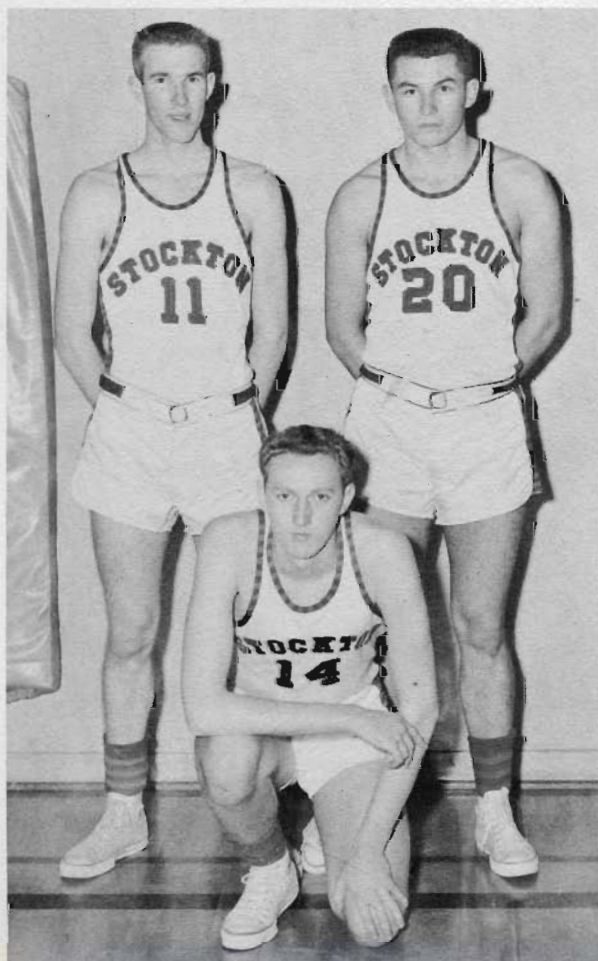
Centers Dave Chapman and Bob Ghiglieri alternated from center to forward positions, both doing an excellent job on the backboards against their taller opponents.

G U A R D S

L to R: Brent Grimm, Bob Cena, Bob Chinchio, Dick Nunes, Bryce Coffey.



Dave Klurman, the Mustang top scorer, lays in another bucket against the Comets.



C E N T E R S

Kneeling: Gary Ricks.
Standing: Dave Chapman,
Bob Ghiglieri.

Colt Basketball



Carl Peregoy
Coach

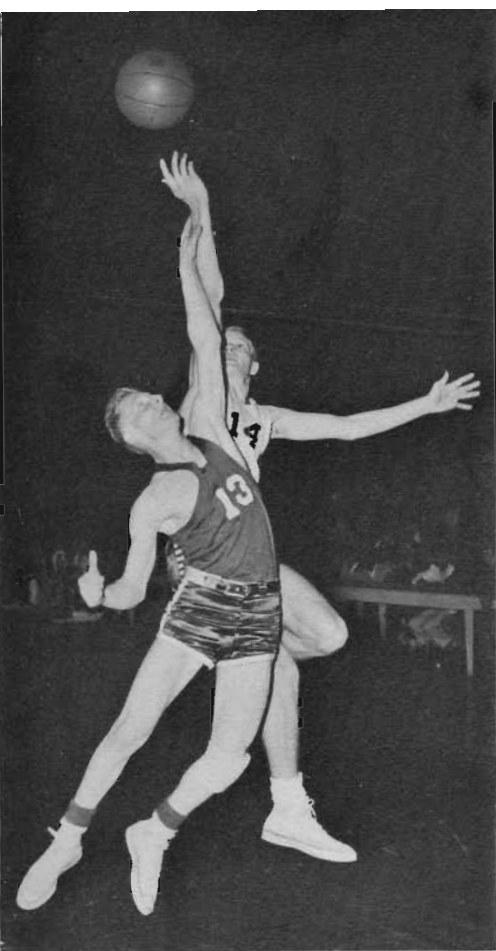


Front Row: L to R: Tom Tisdale, Dixie Frazier, Ray Claveran, Clyde Williams. Row 2: Dee Lambert, John Morris, John Williams, Phil Swimley, Earl Moreno. Row 3: Al Walcott, Wilson Johnson, Alfred Gross, Eddie Davidson, Dale Walker.

The SC Colts missed being co-champions with Turlock of the Sac - Joaquin Conference because of a first game upset to Sacramento. The Colts split their two games with leading Turlock, placing themselves second in the league standings. The rest of the league teams were defeated by the Colts with relative ease. The season closed with the Colts placing third in the 12th annual Acker Tournament in Chico.

Colt Basketball Season Record

Colts	Opponents	Colts	Opponents
47	Sacramento 53	47	Turlock 49
74	Lodi 45	70	Woodland 49
62	McClatchy 47	46	Turlock 40
75	Modesto 36	65	Modesto 37
41	El Camino 30	69	Grand 35
72	Downey 50	60	Downey 60
52	Grand 47	54	Lodi 37



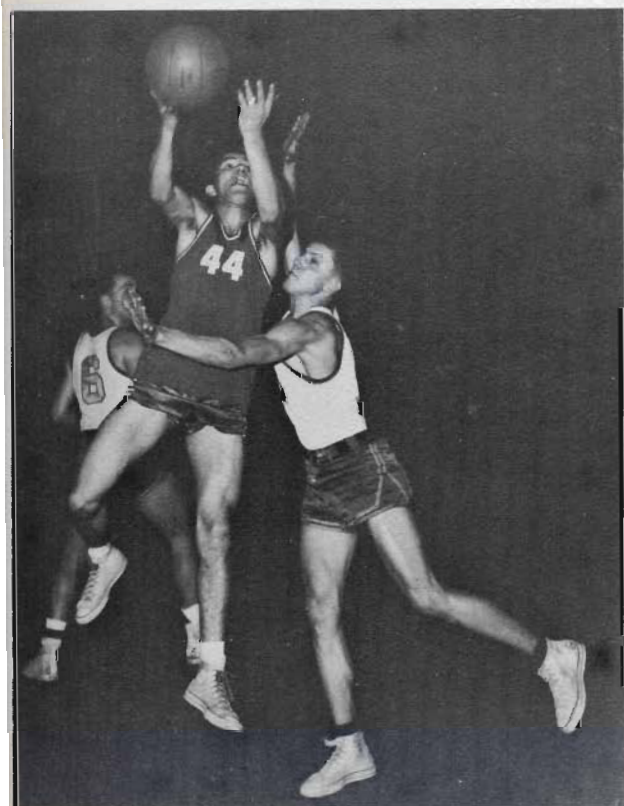
John Morris (14) and a Flame player tangle in a futile attempt to recover the ball. Is holding hands legal?

Dee Lambert and Eddie Davidson held down the regular starting positions and their extra height helped the Colts out-rebound every one of their opponents during the season. Tom Tisdale and Alfred Gross, both juniors, saw action in several contests.



F O R W A R D S

L to R: Tom Tisdale, John Williams, Dee Lambert, Eddie Davidson, Alfred Gross, Clyde Williams.



Ray Claveran gets off a shot in a non-league game in spite of rather heavy guarding by a Manteca player.



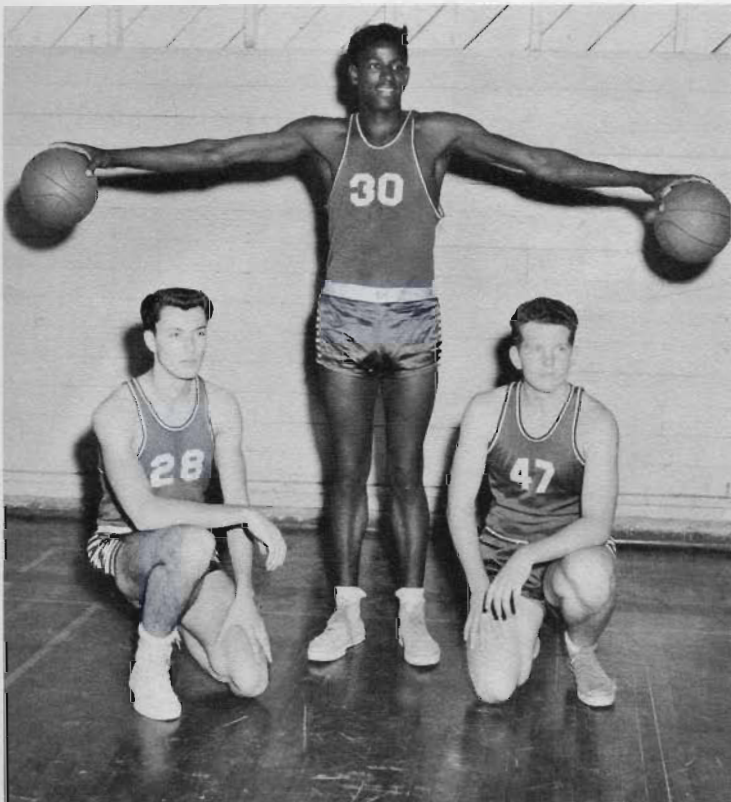
GUARDS

L to R: Earl Moreno,
Ray Claveran,
John Morris,
Phil Swimley,
Dixie Frazier.

Guards Ray Claveran, Dixie Frazier, and John Morris filled the guard positions for the Colts, all doing a very fine job. Claveran led the team in scoring and was selected for the All-Conference team. Morris, although not ranked as a sharp-shooter, was one of the Colts' leading playmakers. Frazier, breaking into the line-up late in the season, proved his ability by being selected the "Colts' Most Improved Player."



Wilson Johnson snags a rebound against the Lodi Flames as Dee Lambert reaches for the sky with a helping hand.



CENTERS

L to R: Dale Walker, Wilson Johnson, Al Walcott.

Wilson Johnson dominated the center spot for the Colts by starting every Colt game. Johnson was selected the "Colts' Most Outstanding Player," selected to the All-Conference team, and also selected to the San Francisco *Chronicle's* "All Empire Team."

Colt "B" Basketball

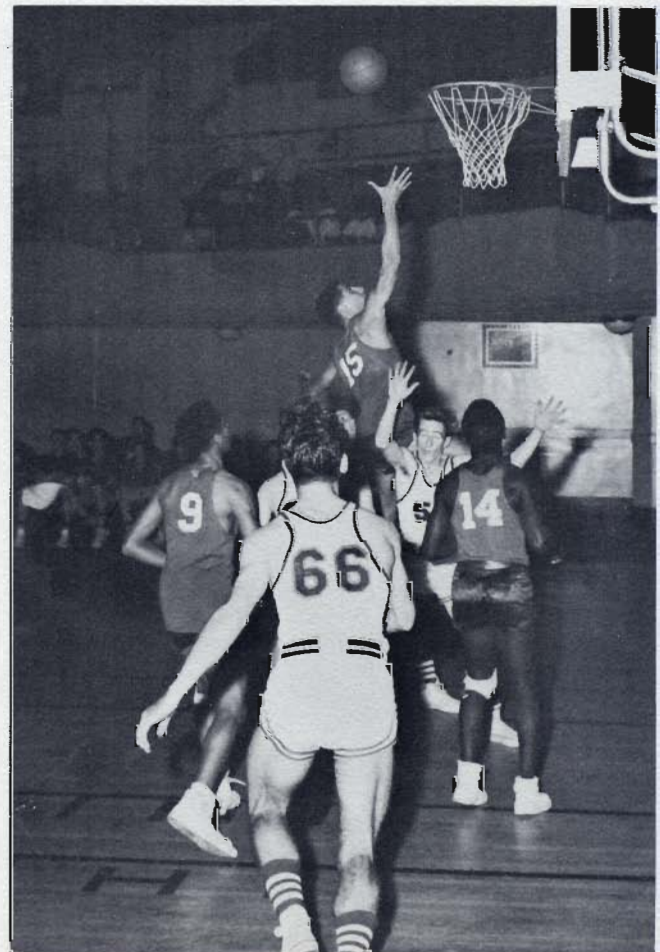


Kneeling: L to R: Ernest Ivy, Bob Krebs, Willie Easter, Marvin Young, Don Kibby, Waymond Hall. Standing: Delbert King, Tom Miller, Denis Willens, Clifton Norman, Wayne Cox, Bill Bianchi, Coach Bob Thomas.

After winning all of their four preliminary games, the Colt B's won four of their fourteen Sac - Joaquin Conference games. They beat Lodi, Woodland, and Turlock in league games but otherwise showed little of the spark that drove the A's to victory.

Colt Season Record

Colts	Opponents	Colts	Opponents
44	Elk Grove 34	40	Downey 49
32	Manteca 31	28	Grant 39
54	Sonora 16	47	Turlock 37
55	Armijo 42	49	Woodland 41
44	Sacramento 58	45	Turlock 57
47	Lodi 35	39	Modesto 43
39	McClatchy 42	36	Grant 50
70	Modesto 53	52	Downey 64
40	El Camino 48	36	Lodi 38



Denis Willens (15) tips one in against Turlock as teammates Roy Chambliss (9) and Willie Easter (14) look on.



WINNERS: L to R: Champ Hall, Flash Parton, Whiz Peregoy, Speed Boyle, Krusher Kane, 31-Knot Estrada.

Block S - Faculty Game

The Block S gang attempted their annual revenge but, as usual, failed by one point to down the faculty. The faculty team outweighed the students considerably (an important factor in THIS game). Score 47-46.

W.S.A. - Faculty Game

The gals decided to get into the act at the last minute this year, but the result was the same: Faculty 17, W.S.A. 10. Basketball rules were used some of the time.



Block S player Bill Laughlin argues with Flash Parton over a rebound. Those fancy knee guards on the faculty must have had something to do with the score.

That's a faculty member shooting and a W.S.A. member wishing she wasn't. If we didn't tell you that you'd never know, since the camera didn't show that one of those "doilies" tied over their neck is red, the other blue.

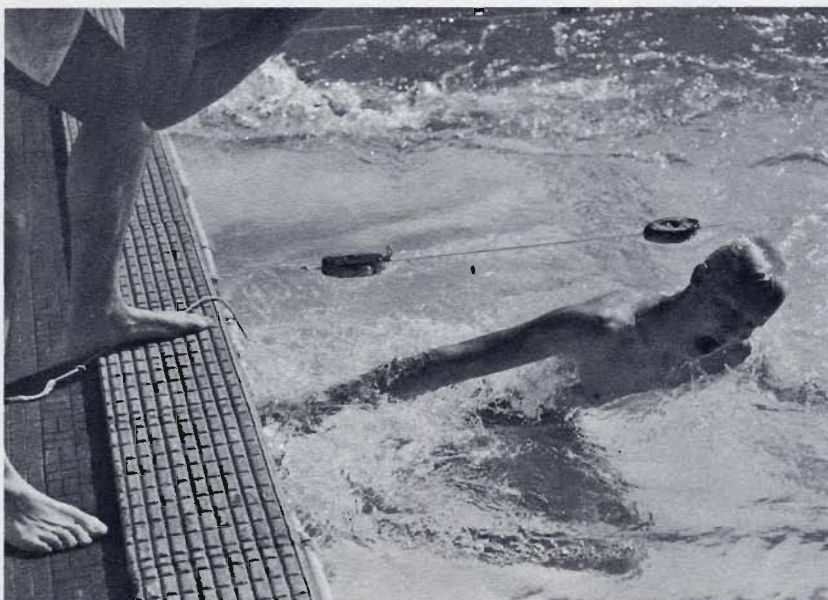
Mustang Swimming



Kneeling: L to R: Pete Fellows, manager; Lynn Walker, Wally Norman, Bud Randolph, Coach Bill Anttila. **Row 2:** Bob O'Lear, Lewis Van Buskirk, Dennis Ahearn, Laurence Mullins, Rollie Rohnow, James McHugh. **Row 3:** Don Smith, William Conner, Bob DeLong, Ed Hinshaw, Bill Webster, John Felix, Wes McKenzie.

Under the able coaching of Bill Anttila, the Stockton College Mustang swimmers have splashed to a very remarkable record. In the last ten years the Tangs have never lost a Northern California Junior College swimming meet,

and have captured eight N. C. J. C. championships in their nine tries. This season was no exception as Coach Anttila boasted one of the best balanced swimming squads in the past several years.

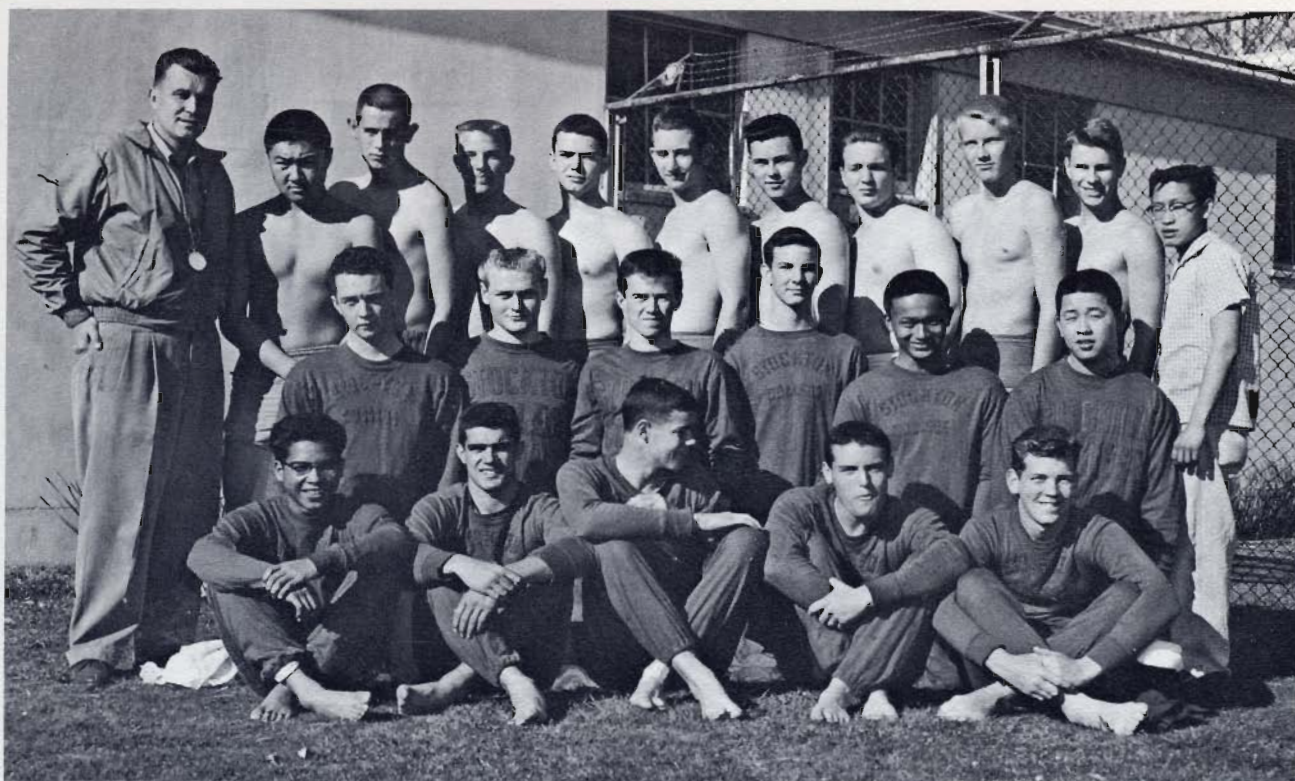


A Tang swimmer comes out of a turn in a distance race.

Season Record

Mustangs	Opponents	
49	Univ. of California Frosh	35
20	Arden Hills	62
60	Menlo Junior College	23
68	Monterey Junior College	15
46	Fresno State College	38
62	Navy	21
53	Sacramento	31

Colt Swimming

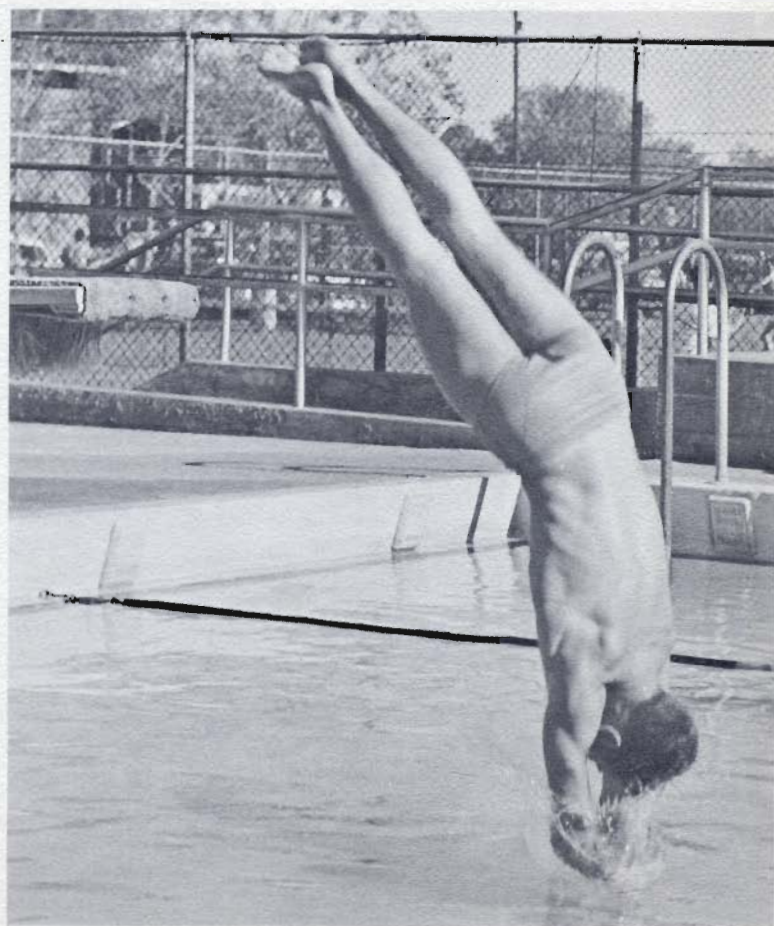


Front Row: L to R: Rudolph Yadao, Steve Pereira, Burke Ferrari, Dave Crandall, Jim Flint. Row 2. Roy Barker, Gene Stern, Jim Graves, Bob Bennitt, Bob Duran, Allan Nagata. Row 3: Coach Bill Anttila, Dick Park, Kenneth Blackman, John Crummey, Jacques Coudeyre, Bob Beardslee, Michael Huddleston, John Humphreys, Kelvin Kjeldsen, Mickey Gasser, George Young.

The SC Colts had a terrific season this year. Their only loss was to Lodi, and that because they were disqualified from a relay race. Excellent men were available to fill all positions this year allowing the Colts to press their opponents in every phase of the meet.

Season Record

Colts	Opponents	
49	Grant	26
47	El Camino	28
60	Norte Del Rio	17
55	Liberty	20
33	Lodi	40
54	Modesto	20



A Colt diver eases himself into the water with hardly a splash.

Mustang Baseball



Sitting: L to R: Bob Chinchiolo, Ron Laughlin, Bob Perry, Dick Nunes, Dave Bender, Bob Loureiro, Sam Behic, Mike Preston. **Standing:** Bob Wimberly, Joy Gritts, "Itch" Horton, Dean Martin, Neil Nostrand, Bob Leopold, Don McDonald, Don Torre, Ruben Bacci, Devere Schnabel, Bob Cruz, Coach Don Hall.

Winning warm-up contests was a cinch for the Mustangs, but, when league play arrived, the horsepower dimmed. Key injuries, such as Bob Chinchiolo's injured knee, were the deciding factors in the Mustangs's league games. Chinchiolo was hitting .425 when he was sidelined. The Mustangs had power hitters as demonstrated by some of the very high scores they racked up. Then won ten straight games before they lost the last game of a double-header. The remainder of the season provided many thrills for the fans, however, and the Mustangs won their share of conference games.



Don Hall
Coach

M u s t a n g S e a s o n R e c o r d

Mustangs	Opponents	Mustangs	Opponents
13	American River J.C. 1	8	Fresno J.C. 7
*12-8	Reedley J.C. 8-7	12	Porterville J.C. 8
20	E. Contra Costa J.C. 7	2	Reedley J.C. 4
*12-14	Porterville J.C. 0-6	7	Univ. of Calif. J.V. 8
12	Univ. of Calif. J.V. 8	7	Sierra J.C. 6
*7-7	College of Sequoias 6-8	15	Sierra J.C. 8
3	Fresno J.C. 20	8	Stanford Braves 7
*7-3	Oakland J.C. 0-4	*5-4	West Contra Costa 2-2
7	College of Sequoias 5		* Double Headers



Kneeling: L to R: Devere Schnabel, Bob Cruz, Don Torre.
 Standing: Bob Leopold, Dean Martin, Ruben Bacci, Neil Nostrand.

Pitchers and Catchers:

Number one on the Tang pitching staff was "Lefty" Bob Leopold, former Colt star. Dean Martin, Bob Ghiglieri, and Ruben Bacci, all right-handed chuckers, backed up Leopold and got in their share of pitching.

Don Torre, the catcher, was highly praised by Coach Hall for his leadership and outstanding playing.



Don Torre ducks just in time as the wildly pitched ball sails over him.

Outfielders:

Joy Gritts and "Itch" Horton, two veteran Tang baseballers, and newcomer Don McDonald held the starting berths in the outfield. This trio was one of the best in the conference. Sam Behic, reserve outfielder, was a good man in hitting the long ball.



Kneeling: L to R: Sam Behic, Joy Gritts.
 Standing: "Itch" Horton, Don McDonald, Bob Wimberly.

Infielders:

Hard-hitting shortstop Dick Nunes lead the Tang batters this season. Playing next to Nunes on the second base side was another fine ballplayer, Bob Chinchio. Bob Perry held down third base, while Bob Loureiro and Ron Laughlin alternated at first base.



Kneeling: L to R: Ron Laughlin, Bob Laughlin.
Standing: Bob Chinchio, Bob Perry, Dick Nunes, Dave Bender, Mike Preston.



Ron Laughlin goes high, but doesn't get down in time to put out the Sierra player.



Don McDonald gives the OK sign to Dick Nunes.

Colt Baseball

With only four lettermen returning from the '55 squad and few otherwise-experienced players, Coach Carl Peregoy's outlook for a league winner seemed rather dim. The first couple of games, non-league, found the Colts playing pretty fair ball; however, the hitting was not as good as pre-season expectations. At mid-season, the fellows finally found the mark, and three regulars had over a .400 batting average.



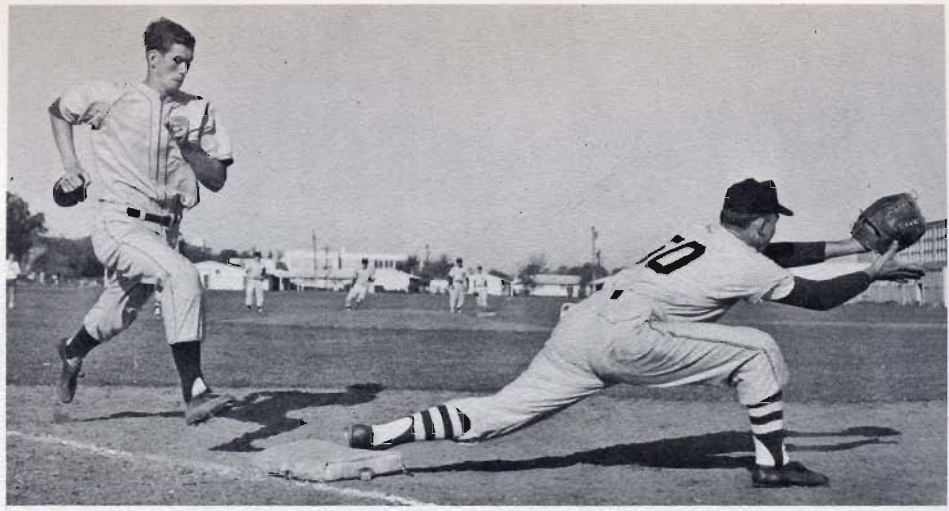
Kneeling: Bill Cree, Larry Martucci, Earl Moreno, Al Crandall, Farnum Soto, George Camara. Row 2: Coach Carl Peregoy, Phil Swimley, Bill Laughlin, Doug Ratto, Art Holland, David Macias, Joel Escobar. Row 3: Ron Kuehl, Doug Mitchell, Chuck Rose, Vern Grech, Ed Davidson.



Carl Peregoy
Coach

C o l t S e a s o n R e c o r d

Colts	Opponents		Colts	Opponents	
0	Manteca	4	7	Oakdale	1
12	Oakdale	7	7	Modesto	8
4	Manteca	3	4	Downey	10
7	Norte Del Rio	6	8	Grant	0
1	Sacramento	5			



If grimaces could help, Chuck Rose would easily make first.



Kneeling: L to R: David Macias, Farnum Soto, Art Holland
 Standing: Doug Mitchell and Doug Rato.

Colt Baseball

Infielders:

Carrying the big bats this season were first baseman Farnum Soto and second baseman David Macias. Art Holland possessed a strong arm and a good glove hand that enabled him to be the Colt's regular shortstop. Doug Mitchell and Doug Ratto played the "hot corner" for the Colts.

A Downey man almost gets trapped off first base as Farnum Soto takes the throw from Chuck Rose.



Outfielders:

Two returning lettermen, Bill Cree and Ed Davidson, patrolled the "outergardens" like pros. Bill Laughlin, a converted catcher, also played consistently good ball. All of the outfielders were adept at getting that needed hit.



L to R: Earl Moreno, Bill Cree, Bill Laughlin, Eddie Davidson, Larry Martucci.



Kneeling: Al Crandall. Standing: L to R: Joel Escabar, Phil Swimley, Ron Kuehl, Chuck Rose, Vern Grech, George Camara.

Pitchers and Catchers:

The mound staff for the Colt horsehid-ers was led by junior Phil Swimley. His 3-0 mark in early league play kept him on top. Next in line for pitching chores were Chuck Rose and Ron Kuehl. Al Crandall, with an amazing .350 average at the plate, was the catcher and out-standing player for the Colt nine.

The Colt's first baseman lands in the dirt after a desperate try for a throw that hit the dirt and bounced away (see ball at upper left of photo).

