

MOUNTAINBALL

OCC's Mountainball team has a 3-0 record in the Surveyors' League. Player-coach Bob Johnson reports that in the first game they defeated Sunn, Low, Tom and Hara 11-4. Home runs by Butch Van Artsdalen and Dave Pierson kept the team ahead all the way. In the second game they defeated R. M. Towill 4-1.

Towill scored one run in the 4th in a tight defensive battle until OCC finally broke loose in the 6th with four runs on three hits by Lowrey, Pierson and Gaffney.

Among the outstanding defensive plays were two crucial saves by short center fielder Gary Vietsch. Dickie Sialana made a couple of sensational catches to shut off one of Towill's threats and David Pierson stopped a late rally with a leaping catch at 2nd. Scott Gaffney and Pierson led the OCC hitting with two bingles apiece. Great pitching by "Whiskey" Barnhart has also helped keep our record intact.

On May 19, the OCC powered past Park Engineering 7-5 with a clutch seventh-inning homerun by Bob Corboy. "Whiskey" Barnhart picked up his third win backed up by some brilliant stops by shortstop Scotty Gaffney. Kent Whitman paced the batters with 4 for 4.

All games are played in Kapiolani Park across from the club.