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FRISBEE® DATELINES

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. - Patty Griffin reports that she was proposed to via Frisbee (an official Pro model carried the message). Patty points out that Frisbee romances have distinct advantages. Says she: "No one has ever heard of a girl getting pregnant while throwing a Frisbee or while she had a Frisbee squeezed tightly between her knees."

BASS LAKE, Calif. - The first ever Youth Frisbee Camp was held here July 24-28 under the direction of George Sappenfield.

MUNCHEN, West Germany - Keith Swineheart, reports engaging in Frisbee fun with natives of Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, Malawi and Mozambique, before gifting his Frisbee to a young Masai boy.

FORT BRAGG, N.C. - Robert K. Eberle has announced the formation of the Organization of American Razzelers (OAR), from among the staff at the Rohde Dental Clinic.

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Defeat Fuschia in Overtime

In a setting more reminiscent of an 18th century "duel at dawn" the Highland Avenue Aces of Wilmette, Ill. successfully defended their world Guts Frisbee championship at the International Frisbee Tournament by defeating the Berkeley Frisbee Group Fuschia team 13-21, 21-18, and 21-13.

The unprecedented "overtime" final match took place at 7 a.m. on the morning of July 3, after darkness had called a halt to the previous day's activity.

Although the Berkeley group was unable to capture the Julius T. Nachazel Trophy, emblematic of world supremacy in Guts Frisbee, they did sweep all of the individual honors.

Bob May led the way in distance, with the BFG providing the first six finishers, and Jay Shelton captured the accuracy competition. Ines Sam scored a double in distance and accuracy on the distaff side.

With more than five thousand persons on hand, the Guts Frisbee

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The National Finals of 1972 Junior Frisbee Championships will be held at the Las Vegas Hilton International Hotel Convention Center Ballroom on Wednesday, November 22, 1972. Many of the cities participating have already held their competitions, with state and regionals also well underway.



OUTSTANDING CATCHING ABILITY of Highland Avenue Aces was major factor in their second consecutive triumph at International Frisbee Tournament. Team captain Alan Blake (C) makes the grab, with John Connolly (L) and Tom Cleworth standing by to render assistance.

FAST FLIGHTS

Former National Junior Frisbee Champions **Danny Sanders** and **Darrell Lewis** went on a 45-day tour through South Africa, demonstrating their Frisbee techniques... similar tours through West Germany were made by **George Sappenfield** and **Bill Schneider**... **Carol** and **Dale Lauritzen** of Parkville, Missouri claim to have walked alongside a rolling Frisbee propelled by a slight wind, which traveled nearly 1-1/2 miles on the Atlantic beach in Southern Florida. Their feat exceeds that of **James T. Wiles** and **Beni Talley**, whose Frisbee rolled 370 yards at Silver Strand Beach in San Diego, but maybe things go farther on the Atlantic seaboard... **Chuck Deem** claims to have flown a Frisbee over the South Pole, and, to give equal time, **Jack Slosburg** says he's thrown a Frisbee over the North Pole... lots of folks have come up with Frisbee flips while riding unicycles, including **Doyle E. Strout, Jr.**, **John Strout**, **John Zelezny**, **Andrew Shannon** and **Peggy Shannon**... **John Chamberlain** of Santa Fe, N.M., is the only winner of the prized Charlie Cup, and is scheduled to receive the prized trophy soon. Whether the Charlie Cup will be filled with its normal contents remains to be seen... **Michael Calder** and **Stan Kensinger** threw Frisbee while rafting down the Colorado River in Grand Canyon... **John Cosgriff** has thrown his Moonlighter Frisbee 476 times in boomerang fashion without a miss... **H.E. Streitfeld** made two consecutive baskets with a Frisbee on a regulation basketball court at a distance of 94 feet... **Canned Heat**, the popular blues-rock group, uses personalized Frisbees at all of their concert performances... **Joe Long**, **Dave Anderson**, **Bob Brown** and **Tom McRoberts**, all of the Rochester (Minn.) Post-Bulletin staff, were able to use strong air currents to throw a Frisbee from the 12th floor of the world famous Mayo Clinic building to the 12th floor of the Kahler Hotel, a distance of 450 feet. It took 27 tosses before one was caught... **Jeffrey Long** successfully juggled two Frisbees with one hand in a seven-foot-high room... **Harry Eagar**, **Bill Burke** and **Tom Walsh** organized the **Relay International de Frisbee Runners & Flingers** and proceeded to sail a Frisbee in continuous marathon relay, employing three-man teams, from Yorktown to Williamsburg, Virginia, along the historic Colonial Parkway, a distance of 12 miles, in less than three hours.

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PORT WASHINGTON, N. Y. - Formation of the **Schreiber Frisbee Association**, with an initial membership of 45, has been announced by **Gordon F. Helman**, president. The association is dedicated to the most popular activity at Schreiber High School. Frisbee, that is.

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica-**Paul** and **Florence Seifert** have been doing Frisbee missionary work among youngsters in Costa Rica and report the Frisbee is tremendously popular.

NEW YORK, N.Y.-**Roger Bensen**, president of the Number One Corporation and inventor of the passing grundy, says he and his Frisbee have performed in 23 different countries and he once had to charter a Greek fishing boat to rescue it from the Aegean Sea.

COCKEYSVILLE, Md.-**Tug England** claims the title of the world's youngest twin IFA members for his nieces **Lora Jane** and **Aimee Rey Davis**, now eight months old.

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Ode to Wham-O

(The following poem was written on March 31, 1972 by YN3 J.D. Pesek, while stationed at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.)

Frisbees are fleetly; Frisbees are fun.

Frisbees turn colors, when thrown in the sun.

Frisbees soar skyward and gently float down;

Just look around you; they're all over town.

Frisbees are necessary, as far as I can see

To help all the children escape life's misery.

Frisbees gently floating in a park or a street

Give a person a feeling of Freedom and peace.

So to you Frisbee makers whom we all hold so dear

May your days be filled with laughter for all the joy
you've engineered.



REACHING OUT are youngsters involved in City of Chicago's "Reach Out" program, where Frisbees were again a part in this year's observance.

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COPENHAGEN, Denmark-Dean Radin postcards that he was amazed to find Frisbees in Denmark and the enthusiasm there is almost equal to that in the U.S.

KENMORE, N.Y.-Richard Smith and David Manka report they have been able to successfully complete a game of underwater Frisbee in a backyard swimming pool.

HOUSTON, Tex.-H. W. Tyas, who bills himself as the Humble Frisbee King, says he can do things others only dream about, but he keeps it secret, because, in his words, "a wise Frisbee king never degrades his court."

YONKERS, N.Y.-Radio station WINO claims to be the first station ever to do a broadcast of a Frisbee match.

ANNAPOLIS, Md.-Midshipman Daniel Vislocky claims to be undefeated to all challengers in the brigade of midshipmen in Hall Frisbee competition.

BROWNWOOD, Tex.-Glenn Smith and Billy Sawyer say they have thrown a Frisbee back and forth 6,603 consecutive times without a miss at a distance of 100 feet.



DISPLAYING OUTSTANDING FORM in Frisbee frolic at Lake Tahoe is lovely Pam Slayman of Pomona, Calif.

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competition this year was the finest ever. Biggest surprise team was the Bosch Hunt-Hers from Calumet, Mich. Unseeded and unknown, the Bosch team eliminated the powerful Berkeley Blue team, and gave the Fuschia squad a bitter tussle before bowing.

Most observers consider the contest between Bosch and Berkeley Blue as the greatest Guts Frisbee match ever.

The final match between the Highland Avenue Aces and Berkeley Fuschia was a bitterly-fought contest, marked by the usual banter between teams and the usual number of disputes.

IFT Director Jumbo Jon Davis said plans are already underway for 1973's 16th annual event, with Copper Harbor again the probable site.

Frisbees Make News

Frisbees continue to delight the editorial palates of those persons involved in the dispensation of news.

The International Frisbee Tournament generated considerable coverage this year. Time magazine assigned writer Ed Reingold to cover the tourney, and his excellent article appeared in early July.

Film taken of the IFT was sent out by NBC on its news syndica-



CALLING ATTENTION to First Annual Stetson Traditional Invitational Pro-Am Frisbee-Golf Tournament are five happy students at the DeLand, Florida institute of higher learning.

tion service and appeared on NBC affiliate stations around the country. And the wire services, UPI and AP, provided both pre and post-event coverage.

The National Junior Frisbee Championships also is piling up news coverage on a local level.

Cartoonist Art Finley featured the Frisbee in his popular syndicated "Art's Gallery" and television's Monty Hall included Frisbees in his ABC-TV special on June 5.

New Frisbee Marathon Mark

Frisbee Marathons have become quite the "in" thing since the Phi Sigma Kappa fraternity at California State College, Los Angeles, set a new mark earlier this year.

Among those who have indulged in Frisbee Marathons are a group at Purdue University, the Epsilon Epsilon Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega at Missouri Valley College in Marshall, Va., a group headed by Rob Bell in Worcester, Mass., and Dynamite Doering and His Soaring Frisbee Flingers in South Windsor, Conn. who went 241 hrs. 8 min.

However, from the reports we have received, the new holder of the Frisbee Marathon record is the Riverside Demolay, which set a mark of 280 hrs, 19 minutes in July.



ESTABLISHING NEW "LOW" for Frisbee throwing by tossing their Frisbees on the floor of Death Valley, Calif. are those intrepid adventurers (L-R) Herry Winkleblat, Dick DeKlotz and Grundy Mudshoes. The elevation was 282 feet below sea level.

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