

1963 State meet...

Ross Swim Team Of 13 To Columbus

Thirteen Ross high school swimmers left Fremont this afternoon to participate in the state high school tank meet at the Ohio State university natatorium in Columbus.

Preliminaries start Friday at 3:15 p.m. and the finals are set for Saturday afternoon.

In winning the district championship at Bowling Green last weekend, Ross qualified 13 boys for the state meet, won in 1962 by Lakewood. Coach Bill Faunce predicts either Kent State high school or Akron Buchtel will be teams to beat for the squad title.

George Gruse, Ross teacher, will represent this district as one of the diving judges.

Fremont did not qualify anyone a year ago, though Jim Parker, Neal Weninger, Tom Lloyd, Jack Jaisler and Bob Lozano made the trip. Ross last won the state swimming title in 1953.

Little Giants entered in Friday's preliminaries are as follows:

200-yard medley relay: Jack Kramer, Jim Foreman, Parker and Wensinger.

200-yard free style: Bob Lloyd and Charles Fangboner.

50-yard free style: Tom Lloyd and Charles Fangboner.

200 - yard individual medley:

Jaisler and Bob Hite.

Diving: Lozano and John Tuckerman.

100 - yard butterfly: Parker.

100 - yard free style: Tom Lloyd.

100 - yard backstroke: Jaisler and Kramer.

400-yard free style: Bob Lloyd

200 - yard free style relay: Larry Sloan, Ron Roberts, Fangboner and Wensinger.

So What's New? Palmer Favored At Pensacola

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP)—Long-hitting Arnold Palmer, who fired a six-under-par 66 in Wednesday's pro-amateur is favored to win the \$25,000 Pensacola Open tournament starting today.

Palmer, who said he could have shot 62 or 63 Wednesday, took home a total of \$510.

The tournament will be played over the par 36-36—72, 6,412-yard Pensacola Country Club course.

One of golfdom's big three, Jack Nicklaus, was forced to withdraw Tuesday when his physician called him back to Columbus, Ohio, for further treatment of the bursitis that has been bothering

Ross Swimmers Blanked At State

This is NOT the year for a state swimming championship for Ross high's tank crew.

Coach Bill Faunce made that certain Friday night when he telephoned from Columbus to say that not a single one of his boys had qualified for final events scheduled Saturday in the state swimming meet at Ohio State's natatorium.

Provo. St. Francis called a time out and when the teams went back on court there was some discussion as to who would jump for the Knights—big Provo or 5-9 Paluszak. Provo was declared the jumper and he beat Davis to the ball but caught it on the way down. This is a violation. Ross was given possession and held on the final 14 seconds. Prosser was fouled at the buzzer but he missed the shot that Ross did not need.

The Little Giants, jubilant with their victory, paused long enough to be presented the sectional trophy (as was Fostoria after the first game) by Coach Harold Anderson of the Bowling Green Falcons. Anderson served as tournament director.

Fremont took 21 first half shots and made six for a percentage of .285. St. Francis hit on 11 of 23 for .478 per cent.

St. Francis actually made three more baskets than Ross, 17-14, but Fremont hit on 16 of 26 free throws to the Knights' nine of 16. Ross outrebounded St. Francis 33-31.

Moore and Hufford were the field goal shooting stars for Fremont. Moore had six of 13 and Hufford drilled in four of 10.

Fostoria gave away plenty of height to Libbey but the Redmen made up for the disadvantage by hustling the Cowboys off the court and forcing numerous Toledo turnovers.

Ross (44)				St. Francis (43)			
G F T				G F T			
Davis	1	6	8	Provo	5	0	10
Reaser	1	1	2	McMahon	2	0	2

"We're against real stars here," Faunce said, adding that just about all the records on the book were shattered in the preliminaries.

Jack Jaisler even chalked up a Ross high record in the 100 yard backstroke, but it failed to put him in the finals. He did the distance in 1:07, but John Leasure of Canton McKinley won it in 55.08 seconds. Jaisler's time was good enough for only seventh position, the first six qualifying.

In the 200 yard individual medley Jaisler swam into ninth position with a 2:18.2, failing again to qualify. Winning time was 2:11.08 by Jack Betzhold of Kent State high.

Tom Lloyd's efforts in the 50-yard free style and 100 yard free style netted him eighth and tenth, respectively. He did the former in 23.8 seconds, while the event was won by Steve Wilt of Lima Senior in 22.5, a new state record. In the 100 Jaisler churned the distance in 52.6 seconds. The winning time was 50.1, scored by Bill Betzhold of Kent State high and Tom Lakin of Upper Arlington, the time tying a state mark.

Jim Parker did the 100 yard butterfly in 1:01.1 for tenth, a tie and a new state record of 55.3 being scored by Tom Gable of Akron Buchtel and Bill Zorn of Sandusky. Both have competed in the Ross tank this season.

Only Ross youths still in competition are Bob Lozano and John Tuckerman, who compete Saturday in the diving events. No preliminaries are held in diving.

Faunce said he believed Akron Buchtel and Kent State high had the best chance to win the title, with Canton McKinley and Upper Arlington as dark horses. McKinley was handed a break when one of Kent State's relay teams won the event only to be disqualified, McKinley qualifying its team as a result.