Eighth Annual

WATERLOO COLLEGE INVITATION GAMES

The Eighth Annual Waterloo College Invitation Games will be held at Woodside Park, Queen Street South, Kitchener, on Saturday, May 3, 1947.

The Games, first held in 1935, were discontinued during the war, from 1941 to 1945. They were resumed in 1946 with attendance at an all-time high: 337 contestants representing 28 collegiates, high schools and continuation schools.

This meet sponsored by Waterloo College has always enjoyed the full approval of physical instructors in this part of the province. The excellent high-and-dry athletic field at Kitchener's Woodside Park, a better than eighty per cent "break" in weather conditions, the orderly conduct of a varied programme of field and track events, and the certainty of spirited competition have given teachers and students confidence in a sporting event which became an institution — a recognized feature in the athletic schedule of a large number of secondary schools in Central Western Ontario.

Since these Games pioneered successfully. in large-scale inter-scholastic competition for girls in this part of the province, it has been considered advisable to make substitutions for the most strenuous events without sacrificing the competitive spirit. An increase in the number of meets sponsored by smaller high and continuation schools for themselves and their district rivals may be traced to the Invitation Games. It has always been the Waterloo policy to ensure success and recognition for even the smallest schools by a strict division of all competition into two classes -Class A, Collegiates: enrolment 300 and over; Class B, Collegiates (under 300) and all High and Continuation Schools.

The aim of the Invitation Games is still the development of individual athletic ability by friendly competition of girls and boys, of small schools with small schools, and of collegiates with collegiates. The quality and number of awards is unexcelled. The collegiate in Class A amassing the largest total of points receives the large Goudie Trophy, donated by Mr. A. R. Goudie of Kitchener; the small collegiate, high or continuation

school in Class B with the best aggregate wins the no less handsome Hainsworth Trophy, donated by Mr. George Hainsworth, who needs no introduction to hockey fans.

Winners of individual events receive handsome trophies. There are thirty of these trophies divided equally as awards to boys and girls of the two classes. Minor awards go to second and third place winners, and team awards to the schools successful in the various relays and in volleyball.

On the calendars of many physical training instructors in this district there will be a ring around the first Saturday in May. This comparatively early date was selected because it does not interfere with final examinations in the schools and because it affords preparation under actual competitive conditions for contests sponsored later by the various secondary schools' association. The early date has been upheld through the years because it has been approved by coaches and contestants and because the bogey of bad weather has faded out in the light of experience.

The meet has the official sanction of the Ontario branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, whose rules are used. Trained officials, headed by representatives of the A.A.U. of C., provide efficient supervision.

Waterloo College does not compete. It is not a secondary school. A degree-granting institution of higher learning, affiliated with the University of Western Ontario, and training young men and women for the B.A. degree, the College plays the part of host as its students and professors do everything possible for the comfort and entertainment of the visiting principals, coaches, competitors, and spectators. Mr. Reuben Baetz, a member of last year's committee and President of the Graduating Class, is chairman of the Games Committee.

Any student, boy or girl, under 20 years of age, May 3, 1947, in regular attendance at a secondary school in Central Western Ontario is eligible to compete, provided that application is made with the consent, and over the signature of his or her Physical Director.

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Records

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