

Nite Raiders, Caudill's Comets To Clash at Smyrna Tomorrow Night

When Caudill's Comets invade Smyrna gym tomorrow night to meet the Smyrna Nite Raiders, fans will be treated to one of the best basketball shows to be found in these parts. The Nite Raiders will be out to please the home

folks with a victory over the clowning crew from Washington.

The Comets have promised to play straight ball for the first half, and during the second half they play "Harlem Globetrotter ball." Their antics are guaranteed to be crowd pleasers.

but fans will enjoy watching the Nite Raiders warm up—especially when Snoball takes his practice free throws. He tosses the ball into the air and bangs it through the hoop, using his head.

The Nite Raiders say that when it comes to clowning they don't have to take a back seat to anybody. In Snoball Gaskill and Nick Sikorski, the Nite Raiders have a pair of "naturals."

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Snoball has an off-balance push shot from the corner that never seems to miss, but his two-handed over the head hook shot is something as unusual as a flying penguin. Somehow he usually manages to stay on his feet when he gets it off, but fans can count on a good show.

Sikorski is a top-notch ball handler, who shoots a lay-up from behind his back as easily as he dunks a conventional shot. His passing baffles the opposition (and his teammates) when he drives in one direction, looks a different way, and then passes off behind him.

Harkers Island-Coast Guard

In the preliminary game, the Harkers Island team, will meet a team from the Coast Guard Cutter Chilula. The Coast Guardsmen have not had time to practice as a team, but stack up as formidable opposition on the basis of individual performers.

They are led by Lauren B. Richter, team captain, and coached by Ens. Herbert L. Hiller. Team members are Cecile E. Taylor, Benjamin H. Choate, Hedrick D. Arthur, Edward R. Salter, Lewis C. Stryker, William E. Davis, Donald R. Gray, David S. Stalker, Carlton G. Miller, Robert V. Evans, and Leonard N. Quillen.

The first game begins at 7:30.

To Clash with Comets



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the Smyrna Nite Raiders, who will meet Caudill's tomorrow night, look ready for the business at and Nick Sikorski, left to right, are kneeling in the Golden, Dallas Arthur, and Wilson Davis back the Raiders play in the feature game of a doublehead 0 p.m.