

California Winter League (1924-25)

During the 1924-25 California Winter League season there was one black team (Los Angeles White Sox) and three white teams (Pirrone's All Stars, Vernon Tigers and the White Kings) that played in the league.

There was also a Southern California Winter League that played during the 1924-25 season.

The following statistics were compiled by William F. McNeil in his book The California Winter League (McFarland Publishing).

Batting Leaders

(Players with at least 35 at bats)

Player	Team	Games	AB	Hits	2B	3B	HR	BA
Dobie Moore	Los Angeles	40	158	77	17	4	12	.487
Hurley Mc Nair	Los Angeles	15	59	24	4	0	1	.407
Pete Thompson	White Kings	17	52	21	2	0	0	.404
Babe Herman	Pirrone's A.S.	17	66	26	6	1	2	.394
Tank Carr	Los Angeles	32	115	44	12	3	11	.383
Rod Murphy	White Kings	9	37	14	2	0	0	.378
Buzz Arlett	White Kings	25	95	35	6	2	4	.368
Dock Cox	White Kings	20	77	28	6	1	1	.364
Howard Lindimore	White Kings	18	75	26	2	0	2	.347
Gordon Slade	Vernon	11	41	14	1	0	0	.341
Ping Bodie	Pirrone's A.S.	22	87	29	7	2	4	.333
Chet Chadbourne	Vernon	15	63	21	4	0	0	.333
Lem Hawkins	Los Angeles	44	175	58	9	4	0	.331
Neal Pullen	Los Angeles	15	59	20	3	1	2	.339
Walt Golvin	White Kings	27	92	30	1	0	0	.326
Connie Day	Los Angeles	39	147	47	5	4	8	.320
Wes Kingdon	White Kings	26	75	24	5	0	0	.320
Red Smith	Pirrone's A.S.	12	49	15	0	0	1	.306
Ike Mc Auley	White Kings	27	95	29	2	1	0	.305
Hooks Foreman	Los Angeles	36	129	39	12	0	1	.302
Bib Falk	White Kings	12	41	11	0	0	0	.268
Gorman	Vernon	12	41	11	3	0	0	.268
Cleo Carlisle	Gilmore Oil	13	49	13	2	1	1	.265
Lyman Smith	Pirrone's A.S.	18	69	18	0	0	0	.261
Butch Spencer	Los Angeles	24	96	25	3	1	0	.260
Wally Hood	White Kings	27	110	28	8	2	0	.255
Ivy Griffin	Vernon	17	60	15	1	1	0	.250
Bill Whaley	Vernon	12	41	10	2	0	1	.244
Joe Jenkins	White Kings	22	66	16	2	0	0	.242
Bob Fagan	Los Angeles	41	146	35	8	1	0	.240
Joe Pirrone	Pirrone's A.S.	19	71	16	0	0	0	.225
Danny Murphy	Vernon	17	62	13	1	0	1	.210
Marvin Smith	Pirrone's A.S.	8	34	5	1	1	0	.147

League Leaders (Batting):

Games	Lem Hawkins	Los Angeles	4
At Bats	Lem Hawkins	Los Angeles	175
Hits	Dobie Moore	Los Angeles	77
Doubles	Dobie Moore	Los Angeles	17
Triples	Dobie Moore	Los Angeles	4
	Lem Hawkins	Los Angeles	4
	Connie Day	Los Angeles	4
Home Runs	Dobie Moore	Los Angeles	12
Batting Average	Dobie Moore	Los Angeles	.487

Pitching Leaders

Player	Team	Complete			Lost	Innings	SO	BB
		Games	Games	Won				
Plunk Drake	Los Angeles	20	17	11	5	155	70	54
George Payne	White Kings	14	10	10	3	113	75	21
Freddie Schupp	Gilmore Oil	11	10	8	3	91	62	21
Cherry Bell	Los Angeles	18	8	7	6	111	84	44
Rube Currie	Los Angeles	23	8	7	8	123	60	39
Pug Cavet	Pirrone A.S.	10	7	4	3	71	28	12
Willie Ludolph	Vernon	4	3	3	1	37	11	8
Munion	Los Angeles	8	3	3	1	51	34	17
Doc Crandall	White Kings	10	5	3	2	61	22	11
Bill Pertica	White Kings	7	4	3	2	45	24	7
Hillman	Vernon	5	5	3	2	44	10	15
Bill Whitaker	Vernon	7	6	3	4	58	18	12
Percy Jones	White Kings	7	2	2	2	34	16	13
Pope	Pirrone's A.S.	5	2	0	5	35	12	13

League Leaders (Pitching):

Games	Rube Currie	Los Angeles	23
Complete Games	Plunk Drake	Los Angeles	17
Won	Plunk Drake	Los Angeles	11
Lost	Rube Currie	Los Angeles	8
Innings	Plunk Drake	Los Angeles	155
Strikeouts	Cherry Bell	Los Angeles	84
Base on Balls	Plunk Drake	Los Angeles	54
Shutouts	Rube Currie	Los Angeles	2
	Cherry Bell	Los Angeles	2

Southern California Winter League (1924-25)

During the 1924-25 winter league season there were two leagues in California. The Southern California League included two black teams (St. Louis Giants and Colored All Stars) and four white teams (Gilmore Oil, Pasadena Merchants, Glendale White Sox and Hollywood Merchants).

The St. Louis Stars won the league championship with a record of 27-13-1. St. Louis's leading hitters were:

Player	Team	Games	AB	Hits	2B	3B	HR	BA
James "Cool Pappa" Bell	St. Louis	30	120	48	2	0	1	.400
Pinky Ward	St. Louis	32	121	41	2	4	0	.339
Dewey Creacy	St. Louis	34	127	43	7	8	0	.339
Mitch Murray	St. Louis	22	85	28	3	1	1	.329
Willie Bobo	St. Louis	36	129	42	6	5	5	.326
Bill Riggins	St. Louis	16	62	17	3	1	1	.274
Joe Goodrich	St. Louis	9	30	8	0	1	0	.267
John Reese	St. Louis	32	103	26	7	1	0	.252
John Henry Russell	St. Louis	22	83	19	1	3	2	.229

The leading pitchers for the St. Louis Stars for their 1924-25 Southern California Winter League season were:

Player	Team	Games	Complete			Innings	SO	BB
			Games	Won	Lost			
Fred Bell	St. Louis	11	7	8	3	81	34	36
William Ross	St. Louis	15	12	7	5	118	67	38
Jim Gurley	St. Louis	14	8	7	3	94	52	48

William Ross and Jim Gurley each pitched one shutout during the season.