

**Nelson-Ekstrom**

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A.K.A. "The La Jolla Boys" (as given by Dale Velzy)

OWNERS: Alan Nelson, shaper & Carl Ekstrom, shaper

FACTORY: La Jolla, California (Eads Ave.)..... started 1963..... closed 1965

MODELS: None

BLANKS: Clark foam (no balsa or other wood boards)..... 1963..... 1965

STRINGERS: T-band, ¼ redwood x ½ balsa x ¼ redwood..... 1963..... 1965

NOSE: Some blocks, redwood & balsa (no glass blocks)..... 1963..... 1965

TAILS:

    Mainly square, some pin..... 1963..... 1965

    Some blocks, redwood & balsa (no glass blocks)..... 1963..... 1965

RAILS: All 50/50..... 1963..... 1965

LOGO: 'Nelson-Ekstrom' **Figure 1**, page 2..... s 1963..... x 1965

    The oval was traced off their water heater label.



**Figure 1**

GLASSING: 2 x 10 Volan..... 1963..... 1965

RESIN: Dion 6908 isophthalic..... 1963..... 1965

FINS: Routed and glassed on matt & cloth..... 1963..... 1965

COLOR: Pigment resin & opaques..... 1963..... 1965

FINISH: Unpolished gloss, polished rails..... 1963..... 1965

NUMBERING: [Reliability = 9]

    NOTE: Boards were numbered sequentially and continued into the Carl Ekstrom line.

    <1> to <59>..... 1963

    <60> to <118>..... 1964

    <119> to <177>..... 1965

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