

# BRENDEL SETS RECORD 125.70 IN SKI BOAT

Mike Brendel, 18-year-old North Hollywood driver, bettered his record in the ski competition class with a 125.70 m.p.h. clocking in his boat, Hot Damn Hondo, in the Pacific Challenge drag boat races Saturday at Long Beach Marine Stadium.

His previous mark was 123.70.

Bruce Bourquin of Buena Park set a record in outboard single engine on fuel at 106.06. The pre-

vious record was 104.28 by Bob Piper of Garden Grove.

Top speed of the day was 196.28, by Larry Schwabenland of Fresno in his Sanger Hydro Climax.

John Taylor of Long Beach, a former defensive halfback at Cal State Long Beach, raced 90.08 in bare-foot skiing competition, although he wore moccasins because of a foot injury. Consequently, his mark, better than the world record, was disallowed.

The eight top boats in 15 racing categories will compete for \$6,000 in prizes, starting today at noon.