Black will undergo elbow surgery today

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SAN FRANCISCO left-hander Bud Black will undergo surgery today to repair a tendon in his left elbow.

"They have a pretty good idea the tendon has pulled away from the bone," Black



said Friday night before the game against the San Diego Padres. "I'm all for this. They told me it wasn't a radical procedure. I'll be ready for spring training.

Black,

posted an 8-2 record this season despite going on the disabled list

The procedure will be per-formed at the Palo Alto Surgery Center by orthopedic surgeon

GIANTS NOTEBOOK

Warren King.

Team physician Gordon Campbell said doctors weren't exactly sure what the injury was, but that it will be repaired once the elbow is opened up.

MANWARING WINS AWARD: Giants players selected catcher Kirt Manwaring as the winner of

the 1993 Willie Mac Award.

The award, given annually to the player chosen as the team's most inspirational, will be presented to Manwaring by Hall of Famer Willie McCovey before Sunday's game.

Manwaring is the 14th winner of the award. Outfielder Mike

Felder won it last year.

TRAFFIC ALERT: Sunday is Fan Appreciation Day and also the day of the Lifespan 10-kilometer run across the Bay Bridge.

GIANTS REPORT

Black to Have **Arm Surgery** Today

After three stays on the disabled list and months of frustration, pitcher Bud Black will undergo surgery today to repair his left elbow. Black, who has one year left on his contract, said he should make a full recovery and be ready by spring training.

Although the Giants' medical staff will need to examine the elbow internally to determine the exact extent of the injury, Black had a good idea what was wrong: "The tendon has pulled away from the bone," he said.

"I'm all for it," Black, 36, said of the surgery. "The last two months have indicated that something needs to be done."

The surgery will be performed in Palo Alto by Dr. Warren King. Black (8-2) made just 16 starts and pitched 93% innings this season, his lowest totals since 1988.

MANWARING HONORED: Kirt Manwaring became the 12th recipient of the Willie Mac Award. Manwaring, who has set career highs this season in hits, games, home runs, doubles and RBIs, was the choice as the most inspirational player in a vote among teammates.

START OUT EARLY: Fans who will be using the Bay Bridge to attend tomorrow's 1:05 p.m. game against the Padres are encouraged to leave home early because of tomorrow morning's Bay Bridge Run.

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HOW THEY SCORED

- SECOND INNING: With two out, Staton Padres 1, Giants 0 homered to left.
- FOURTH INNING: With one out, Clark walked. Williams was safe on a fielder's choice, forcing out Clark at second. Bonds hit a two-run homer to right-center.

Giants 2, Padres 1

- SIXTH INNING: With two out, Plantier doubled to right. Cianfrocco hit a two-run ho-Padres 3, Giants 2 mer to right-center.
- EIGHTH INNING: Hoffman pitching for Padres. Thompson led off by being hit by a pitch. Benjamin pinch-ran for Thompson. Clark singled to right, sending Benjamin to third. Williams hit a sacrifice fly to left.

Giants 3, Padres 3 ■ 10TH INNING: Harris pitching for Padres.
With two out, Clark homered to left-center. Giants 4, Padres 3