

Peewee Reps "A" champs in tourney

The Orono Peewee rep team sponsored by Newcastle Funeral Home competed in their second tournament of the year in Bobcaygeon over the weekend and came away with "A" Champs.

In the first game against Baltimore the Leafs skated to a 4-1 win. Behind the solid goaltending of Sean Lowe and Patrick Rempel the game was never in doubt as the Leafs took control of the game early and never looked back. Lucas

Martin, Jeremy Caruana, Matt Field and Spencer Cole scored for Orono.

In game two the Orono crew faced off against the host team and once again led from start to finish earning a 3-2. Spencer Cole, Matt Field and Tyler Middleton each potted goals and Sean Lowe once again made key stops down the stretch to preserve the win.

The final game was against Prince Edward County and the Leafs darted out with quick

goals and played very good hockey the rest of the way to capture the Championship. Matt Field, Greg St. James, Spencer Cole and Carson Quinn scored for Orono while Lucas Martin picked up MVP honors in the final game. This was a very impressive win as the team had contribution from everyone starting with great goaltending, solid defense and forwards chipping in with big goals and crucial times.

by T.S.

Village Bake Shop Comes Up 1 & 1

Orono Village Bake Shop met Newcastle in an exhibition game on Saturday, November 22. This game was the final in a semi-full Orono bench, with the arrival of new players Tyler and Blair McKenzie. For the first time this year Orono outnumbered the opposing bench.

Orono opened the scoring in the first period with a pass from defensive player Colin Maitland to offensive player Mark Spiers. In the second

period Mark Spiers popped a second goal in the Newcastle net unassisted. Garrett McDonald followed up in the third period with another unassisted goal. A sizzling Shane Winters chalked up a shut out.

On Tuesday November 23, Orono crossed hockey sticks with Bowmanville's Hobb, Baker, Bergin and Hill.

The opposition opened the scoring on a penalty to Orono, with a quick goal arced over

the left shoulder of Shane Winters. Offensive player Matt Bester set up the first Orono goal as he drew the full defensive line into his corner and executed the perfect pass to Steve Rozario in front of Bowmanville's net. Rozario tipped it in. The first period ended with a tied score.

Brothers Joe and Brien Konopka played almost flawless defence enjoying taking Bowmanville's offense out at the blue line. Feisty Heather Maitland, showed she would not take any nonsense from Bowmanville. Doug Deboo and Josh Flynn played the corners expertly as they challenged Bowmanville on every play. As usual, Shane Winters was outstanding.

In the third period Orono was bested with two quick goals from the Bowmanville team to end the game 3-1 Bowmanville.

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Karen Collier	219		
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Leah Wood	185	196	
Marie Wood		187	
Sharon Bester	205	175	

50/50 winner: Joanne Flynn

OAAA Euchre Results

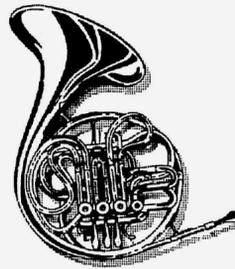
RESULTS FOR
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BEST SCORES:

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FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

CHANGES TO EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

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Changes to Employment Insurance (EI) may benefit you.

The Government of Canada is increasing the Small Weeks threshold to \$225. When you qualify for EI and we calculate your benefit rate, we will, where possible, ignore weeks where your earnings fall below this level.

This change could increase your EI benefit.

Why is the Government of Canada making this change?

These improvements will encourage Canadians to accept workweeks of lesser pay without lowering their Employment Insurance benefit rate on a future claim.

The new threshold of \$225 for a regular week of work (up from \$150) reflects increases in Canadian wages.

This change makes EI more responsive to the needs of Canadian workers.

Some things remain the same:

- All insurable hours will still be used for eligibility purposes, even if they are not used to calculate your benefit rate.
- You must continue to report all earnings in the weeks you earn them.
- Earnings allowed while on claim are \$50 per week or 25 percent of your weekly benefit rate, whichever is higher.
- Employers must continue to remit EI premiums on every dollar paid and complete Records of Employment.

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Orono Major Tykes Game Report

The Orono Easton Truck Caps Major Tykes started the week with a loss but came back strong with 2 wins. Orono lost the first game 3-2 with the goals scored by Connor Whitley and an assist to Elizabeth Jackson. Strong goaltending by Dylan Armstrong also helped to keep the score close.

In the second game with a rash of sickness running through the team they still managed a 6-4 win. Goals with scored by Ben deBoer, Dylan Armstrong and Connor Whitley. Assists went to Christopher Third, Cooper Phillips and Tyler Trimble. Jarret Lane played a strong game between the pipes.

In the final game the offence and defense both shone. Led by goaltender Ryan Armstrong and strong defense from Chris Austin and Jack Kingston Orono won 7-2. Tyler Hutchison led the way with 2 goals and 2 assists, Cooper Phillips had 1 goal and 1 assist, Ben deBoer and Connor Whitley had 2 goals each. The other assists went to Chris Third, Tyler Trimble and Trevor Butt-Middleton.

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