

## Thibideau bounces back

Recovering from a serious bicycle accident in July, Halton Hills resident Dale Thibideau incorporated the third-largest marathon in the U.S. into his rehabilitation from injury. The 66-year-old member of the Georgetown Runners competed in the Marine Corps Marathon in Arlington, Va. alongside more than 25,000 entrants, finishing 44th in the men's 65-69 age group in a time of four hours, 54 minutes and 47 seconds. Although Thibideau didn't suffer any broken bones in the accident with an SUV, he sustained cuts and bruises that prevented him from training for two months.

Photo by Eamonn Maher

## Raiders fall in shootout

The Georgetown Raiders couldn't hold a 3-1 third-period lead and had to settle for a single point following a 5-4 shootout loss to the host Pickering Panthers Sunday in an Ontario Junior Hockey League contest.

The defeat ended 12-8-2 Georgetown's six-game winning streak. Steve Hladin (2) and Richard Court put the Raiders ahead through 40 minutes, but the Panthers rallied with three goals to take the lead.

Liam Board tallied with 30 seconds left in the third period for Georgetown to force overtime.

On Saturday night, Michael Mc-Niven made 44 saves to earn the shutout and improved his record to 7-0-0 since joining his hometown team in a 2-0 triumph over the guest Stouffville Spirit. John Adams and newcomer Nicolas Lavoie were the Raider marksmen.

In roster moves this past week, the Raiders released 20-year-old forward Adam Nanji, who had 17 points in 19 games this season, and replaced him with 18-year-old Lavoie, picked up from the Central Canadian league's Pembroke Lumber Kings.

The light segment of the schedule continues for the Raiders as their lone game this week was last night (Wednesday) at home against the defending league-champion St. Michael's Buzzers.

Next week, the Raiders have home dates against the Wellington Dukes and the first-place Buffalo Jr. Sabres, who lead Georgetown by 10 points in the OJHL West Division standings.





Commercial Auto

Gary McCaslin, CAIB McCaslin Horne Insurance Brokers Inc. 348 Guelph Street, Georgetown 905-877-8738 info@mccaslinhome.com



