

SPORTS & LEISURE

House league tourney boasts thrilling finals

Close to 100 Georgetown Minor Hockey Association teams were entered in the organization's 12th-annual House League Christmas Tourney last week, culminating with some fantastic finishes on championship Sunday.

Junior Tyke

After an early second period lead of 3-2 the Timbits Blackhawks, led by MVP Tyler Jaycocks' four goals, turned up the pressure and cruised to a 7-3 victory over the Timbits Flyers in the championship game.

Strong goaltending from Brencis Large of the Blackhawks and Graham Ripley (Flyers) kept the scoring down, considering the numerous breakaways on both sides. Ryan Docker, Stefen Panzani and Nathan Gaudette rounded out the Hawks' scoring. Flyer MVP Bryce Hillock paced the Flyers with two goals, while Jack Reid added a single marker.

In the consolation final, the Timbits Bruins edged the Timbits Lightning 11-10 as Bruins' MVP Matthew Oram dominated the game with eight goals.

TB: Matthew Oram (8G, A, MVP); Kurt Bieber (G, 2A); Joel MacNair (G, A); Kodi Trumble (G); Davin Kelly (3A); Nicholas Theim, Jacob Kelly, Alivia Moneypenny (A). TL: Noah Warkentin (4G, 3A); Justin Leblanc (3G, 2A); Rachel Canavan (2G); Brett Bayley (G, A); Zach Avramidis, Jacob Cockuyt (3A); Aidan Faloona, Declan Drummond (2A); Jason Weisbrot, Jack Charlton, Ben Haymond (A).

Senior Tyke

Goalie Campbell Coleman earned player-of-the-game honours in posting the shutout for the Halton Tire & Auto Sharks in their 6-0 victory against Dave's Service Centre Canadiens in the championship game.

Brenden Kennedy scored twice, with singles added by Eric Bertrand, Brendan Darragh, Angelo Russiani and Ferguson. Haley Armstrong was named MVP for the Canadiens.

Tyler Vaccari and Russell Donald scored twice each as the Johnson & Assoc. Flyers hung on to defeat the Rainbow Trophies Maple Leafs 8-6 to claim consolation honours.

JAF: Russell Donald (2G, A); Tyler Vaccari (2G); Connor Mooney (G, 2A); Christian Legere, Sarah Thomsen, Kevin Love (G); Matthew Irwin, Benjamin Conrad (A). RTML: Brett Hodgson, Nolan

Hodgson (2G); Ben Holt, Jordan Anderson (G); Sullivan Murphy, Devin Guest (A).

Novice Blue

The Caravan Kids Stars built up a second period 3-1 lead on two goals by Braden Hayes and a single from Robert Roitman and held on to win the championship 3-2. Red Wing goals came from Curtis Boven and Tanner Ellis. Game MVPs were Taylor Pearson from the Stars, and Kyle Doobay from the Red Wings.

The Triplus Financial Blackhawks spotted the Sports Unlimited Maple Leafs a goal in the second period by Zachary Cunningham, and then roared back with seven unanswered goals, including three by game MVP Spencer Lahn, to win the consolation final game 7-1.

TFB: Spencer Lahn (3G); James Keenleyside (2G, 2A); Cameron MacDermid (G, A); Joshua Bridge (G); Connor McCullough, Andrew Lillycrop (2A); Cameron Gourlay (A); Spencer Lahn (MVP). SUML: Zachary Cunningham (G); Haydn Bennett (MVP).

Novice White

Champions for this year are the Balloons On The Go Canadiens, who outlasted the Decourcy Steel Blackhawks 5-2. Goals for the Canadiens were supplied by Jayden Wright (2), Anthony Barone, Nicholas Richardson and Raynard Cox. Both goals for the Blackhawks were scored by Tyler Skilling.

Consolation winners are the Caravan Kids Stars as they defeated the Caravan Kids Bruins 4-1.

CKS: Ethan Anderson (2G); Mackenzy Quiton, Troy Bowman (G). CKB: Eric Leslie (G).

Atom Blue

Thomas Roberts and Connor Ferrell had a goal and assist apiece for Wilson's Hot Tubs & Pools Maple Leafs in a 3-1 win over Dr. Sayal Dental Blackhawks to take the big trophy in the 2007 tourney.

Nick DiPietrantonio also scored for the Leafs. Daniel Clifford had the Hawks' lone goal.

The Heritage Orthodontics Red Wings are consolation champs after skating to a 5-2 win against the Ryan & Co. Sharks.

HORW: Jacob Gallant (2G, 2A); Drayden Patey (2G); Trevor Ellis (G, A); Devon Houston, Justin Lochert, Aaron Mauro, Mason Loggie, Austin Thompson,



Bratin Auto Muffler goalkeeper Nicholas Kinney blocks a shot by Emerald Isle's Nicholas Farrugia on Friday afternoon in a bantam division contest during the annual Georgetown Minor Hockey Association House League Christmas Tournament at the Alcott Arena. Emerald Isle won but bowed out to Overhead Door Company 5-1 in the consolation final.

Photo by Eamonn Maher

Billy Bartens (A). RCS: Davis Rapagna (G, A); Ryan Williams (G); Ryan Hellowell, Quincy Molnar, Jonathan Stiles (A).

Atom White

The first-place Pizza Pizza Flyers trailed the Georgetown Firefighters' Association Red Wings early on in their championship final on a goal by Mitchell Playford, but the Flyers rallied with singles by MVP Cameron Fritz, Spencer Disanto and Lucas Gower in their 3-1 win.

Wyatt Murphy was named Red Wings' MVP.

In the third-place game, Carter Snow netted the third-period clincher for the Osborne Décor Sharks in their 2-1 victory over the 401 Dixie Auto Collision Blackhawks.

ODS: Austin Lynas, Carter Snow (G); Jason Ikin, Zack Henderson (A); Snow (MVP). 401DACB: Justin Dool (G); Luke Warkentin (A); Liam Bell (MVP).

Peewee Blue

Kyle Sokolowski struck for the third-period winner as the Cooper Standard Flyers edged the New Solutions Capital Group Blackhawks 2-1 to take top billing in the Christmas tournament.

Shawn Jackman added the other Flyer score, with Alex Wharram receiving player-of-the-game honours. Nicholas Deligiannis had the Blackhawk tally and goalie Matthew Boardman was him team's MVP.

On the consolation side, William Cousins posted the shutout for Spruce Your Roost Canadiens and Jesse Beaulieu scored in overtime in a 1-0 win over the Jason Clark Royal LePage Bruins. Logan Tralla was the Bruins' MVP.

Peewee White

The shutout netminding of MVP Thomas Ormond, along with two goals and an assist by captain Blair Davies, boosted the Ramsay & Barr Assoc. Canadiens to a 4-0 victory versus the Jones & Son Blackhawks in the final contest.

Jake Crosby and Kirk Riedstra rounded out the Canadiens' scoring, with Adam Puckering and Kendrick Kerr adding assists.

Chris Roach scored twice and set up another, while Allan Hickmott was named MVP for the Wild Wing Flyers in their 4-2 consolation title-winning effort against the Stoyles Carpentry Stars.

WWF: Chris Roach (2G, A); Lawrence Beauchamp, Liam Docherty (G); Brendon Ward, Allan Hickmott, Jason Bridges, Zachary Bugden (A); Ryan Coulter (W).

Bantam

Two of the division's top teams fought vigorously for every inch of ice in the championship final, with Wells Fargo Financial prevailing over MVP.com 1-0.

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