

Congratulations ACTON TANNERS — DURHAM HUSKIES

★ A FINE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES ★
YOU BOTH PLAYED WELL!

For the first time since 1948 when they met Burke McDonald's Sundridge Beavers in the O.H.A. Int. B. finale, an Acton hockey team has taken the group championship and advanced into the association finale. Only their fourth year in the W.O.A.A., Acton Tanners copped the southern division crown this season, knocked Potville off in the semi-finals, and met Durham in the Int. C. Major finale.

Although the Tanners never captured the W.O.A.A. championship they gave Durham Huskies a real tussle before bowing out. Huskies, one of the best clubs to come out of the north in some years, knew they were in a hockey series. Both teams gave their best in a close, crowd pleasing set which filled arenas to near capacity in both towns.

We, the merchants and businessmen of Acton are proud of the Tanners and congratulate both teams on the calibre of the hockey in the finale. May the Tanners be back next year stronger than ever. They're a credit to the town and district.



JIM SWEENEY, Goalkeeper
This was Jim's first season in a Tanner sweater. He won the regular netminding assignment and was a real asset to the team. He used to play Jr. A for Guelph Biltmores. He's a barber in Acton.



JACK MARSHALL, Sub Goalie
The "Nipper" was called on to play three or four games this season and he rose to the occasion. Jack came to the Tanners from minor hockey in Acton and has also played O.R.H.A. hockey. He lives in Acton.



GERRY INGLIS, Defense
Gerry's first year in a Tanners suit strengthened the defense. A leader on the ice he played with Bradford in the O.H.A. last season. Before that he was with Georgetown Raiders. He's from the Glen.



MAX STAFFORD, Defense
A Glen Williams resident, Max is captain of the Tanners for whom he's played three seasons. His rock 'em, sock 'em style has played a big part in their success.



FRED KENTNER, Defense
Fred had one of his best seasons since the Tanners got going again. An Acton native his rushes have thrilled fans in Scotland and in the States where he played pro hockey. He is well known in this district where he's lived most of his life.



BOB MARSHALL, Defense
Bob plays a hard hitting game behind the blue line in a style reminiscent of Bob Baun. He's an Acton boy. In his second season with the Tanners.



BLAKE INGLIS, Centre
The league's top scorer, Blake is a clever playmaker in his first season with the Tanners. He's popular with fans for his unselfishness with the puck. Blake played for Bradford last season and for Georgetown Raiders before that. He's a Glen Williams resident.



DON MCKENZIE, R. Wing
Don's imbued with lots of hustle which he translates into goals. He was the second top marksman of the Tanners in his second year and finished runner up in the league. Don farms between Acton and Hillsburgh where he used to play Int. hockey.



HAROLD TOWNSLEY, L. Wing
A veteran of the Tanners, Harold showed down a little this season but was still an effective marksman. He has played in Intermediate hockey for years and did a bit with the defunct Washington Lions. He is an Acton boy. Also played defense.



JIM FARRELL, Centre
A former Junior B star with Waterloo Siskins, Jim joined the Tanners early this season where his shifty plays and stickhandling ability earned him a regular spot. He lives in the Guelph area.



BILLY WHEELER, R. Wing
Billy joined the Tanners when Guelph Regals released him in January. A real hustler, the Glen Williams boy was one of the top defensive players as well as contributing his share of goals. He played Jr. B with Kitchener.



UGO BOLZON, L. Wing
In his third season with the Tanners, Ugo's stickhandling and shifty moves have made him a favorite with fans. Injuries hampered his effectiveness this season. Ugo lives in the Guelph area.



JUNIOR BEAUMONT, Playing Coach
Junior guided the Tanners to the W.O.A.A. finals in his second year as coach as well as rattling in many goals on a regular shift. He stood third in team and league scoring. A star for many years with Georgetown.



EMMERSON BAXTER, L. Wing
Beaver, a defensive player who hits often and hard, was used most effectively this season in a penalty killing role where he excelled. Another Acton minor hockey graduate it's his fourth season as a Tanner.



RON MELLON, R. Wing
Ron had to miss several games this season because of shift work but his presence was felt when he was in the lineup. He's a real competitor who never backs down from anybody. Ron lives in Acton.



ED FOOTITT, Manager
Ed had the onerous task of looking after the many duties connected with managing the team. Sometimes faced with big problems, Ed managed to take it in his stride.

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SONNY TOWNSLEY, Trainer
A real hockey man with years of playing experience, Chaglie (Sonny) looked after the equipment and the players aches and pains in a quiet, capable manner.

WAYNE DAVISON, R. Wing
Wayne led the team in scoring until he suffered a broken wrist in an exhibition game in January. He came back for the playoffs but never regained his real form. Played in the first game of the finals. Played Jr. A last season.



MICK HOLMES, Asst. Trainer
Mick helped with the indispensable items necessary to keep a team happy and healthy through the season. Has always been an Acton hockey booster.

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