

Legion town league tallies



ATOMS

Weston edged Brampton 4-3 in the atom town league division Saturday afternoon. Jeff Shields opened for Weston at 4:45 on a Jim Mathews assist and Bruce McPhail replied with a marker at 12:10 as Mike Ware took the assist.

Scott Malcolm of the Brampton squad tallied up the first period of play with a counter assisted by Bruce at 14:15.

Second stanza scoring saw Jeff Shields return for Weston's third marker on an assist from McKnight at 15:25.

Bruce scored unassisted for Brampton at 18:15 and Bruce McPhail tallied up the period at 21:45 from Mike Ware.

Scott Malcolm knocked in Brampton's final effort at 11:35 of the third on a John Thompson assist.

NOVICE

St. Catharines mobbed Niagara Falls with an 8-3 tally in the novice opener.

Ford Alton paced St. Kitts with a three goal hat full with Steve Brunelle, Steve Daigle and Billy Ware earning the assists. Steve Brunelle captured a pair of unassisted pointers along with Scott Oakley and Billy Ware who counted single tallies unassisted. Thoeke scored from Scott Oakley and Bob Anderson to take the tally.

Niagara Falls' Ricky Baginski counted a pair of scores on an assist from Steve Papillon. Eddy Ensing tallied up unassisted.

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Four town tournament here March 9

Plans for the annual Four Town Tournament to be held in Acton this year on March 9 are proceeding well, tournament officials said this week.

Tickets for the event are being distributed and last week Acton council awarded the tournament a \$400 grant.

Four towns, Acton, Fergus, Georgetown and Milton compete in three hockey classes, novice, pee wee and bantam, formed from their own town leagues. The tournament increases in popularity each season.

Acton Ray Ware wrapped up one of the titles last year.

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ACTON



ACTON'S TRI-COUNTY Novice entry will meet New Hamburg in the first round of the O.M.H.A. playoffs here Sunday at 1 p.m. Second game will be in New Hamburg on Saturday, February 17, at 6:30 and if a third game is necessary, it will be played here on February 18 or there on the 24th. Front row, left to right, Joe Kettner, Ron Chambers, Robin Incoe, Rick Holmes, John Ashley, Jeff Townsend; back row, Barry (Punch) Incoe, Gerald Bardon, Kent Kettner, Russ Van Fleet, Gary Bardon and manager Don Van Fleet. (Staff Photo)

Free Press Sports Page

Cheltenham on top

Tanners dump Macs Harvesters still healthy

To follow up a 5-4 win in Hespoler last Thursday night, Acton Tanners returned to their local ice surface on Friday evening only to suffer a 7-4 defeat at the hands of the Cheltenham Harvesters.

Both teams made threatening attacks in the first stanza of play but it wasn't until the second stanza that Cheltenham captured four quick markers and Acton one.

Cheltenham's Jack Judge slapped one past Sweeney followed by brother Glen Judge, Mike Finnegan and Rand, all within two minutes of each other.

Tanner Harold Townsley made one of his blistering slap shots count at 10:35 to close off second period scoring with an assist from Glen Cooper.

W. Thompson relayed from B. Smith for Cheltenham's opener in the last period at 1:05 while Smith triggered another counter at 5:06 from Ken Thompson and A. Smith.

Acton popped in a pair of tallies within a minute of each other when Dennis Sidor pasted one by Harvester Hogarth from Steve Townsley. Then Blake Ingalls scored from Terry Lane.

Cheltenham replied later at 17:17 when Wanless caught Sweeney off guard long enough to reap the Harvester tally on a set up from B. Smith and Glen Judge.

Tanner's final effort in the game came at 17:53 when Terry Lane scored from Norton on a well executed play.

A total of five penalties were drawn during the game with Acton serving three of the sentences.

ACTON EDGES MIC MACS 5-4

Last Thursday night's O.H.A. Int. B. hockey action in Hespoler saw the local Acton squad edge their hosts, the Mic Macs, 5-4 in spite of being shorthanded.

Billy Wheeler, Tanner winger, tallied a pair of counters for Acton's tally along with Gary Tallofer, Harry Phillips and Glen Cooper with single tokens.

Jim Farrelly, Glen Cooper and Terry Lane earned extra points with a pair of assists each along with Gary Tallofer and Steve Townsley with singles.

Of the seven penalties handed out Acton was sentenced for four minor misdemeanors.

The Tanners will play host to the Durham Huskies this Friday night. Game time 8:30.

Curling Cues

Monday, 7-9 Mixed				Monday, 9-11 Mixed			
M.	W.	L.	Pts	M.	W.	L.	Pts
M. Dumarsh	2	1	4	F. Somerville	2	1	4
B. Dumarsh	1	2	2	T. Tyler Jr.	2	1	4
K. Marchant	1	2	2	J. Goy	2	1	4
A. Irwin	2	1	4	A. McKenzie	1	2	2
W. Dubois	3	0	6	D. Lee	1	2	2
A. Kirkness	2	1	4	W. Hewitt	1	2	2
D. McMillan	3	0	6	G. Williams	2	2	4
W. Beatty	1	2	4	M. Holmes	1	2	2

Tuesday, 9-11 Mixed			
L.	W.	L.	Pts
L. Lovell	2	1	4
Chester Anderson	2	1	4
B. Toth	1	2	2
M. Blow	2	1	4
B. Moore	3	0	6
C. Anderson	3	0	6
T. Tyler Sr.	1	2	2
M. Toth	1	2	2

Bantam tourney team defeat Streetsville

The Legion bantam "four town tourney" team hosted the Streetsville bantams in an exhibition game here last Saturday.

The locals, in a third stanza uprising, defeated the visitors 5-3.

Rowland McCulloch opened in the first period for Acton on a Steve Connell assist. Connell captured two more counters for the tourney team with Ron Loutlet assisting one and scoring the final stanza counters unassisted.

Streetsville tally came from Chadella, Dixon and Mota on a Chadella assist.

Huren and Colas drew tripping sentences for the locals.

Tom Ginger of Acton and Wes Robinson of Streetsville officiated.

Acton clubs meet Fergus in first round of playoffs

Acton Tri-County hockey clubs waiting for opponents in the O.M.H.A. playoffs will all likely meet Fergus in the first round. There's one exception - the Novices will meet New Hamburg.

Fans are urged to watch for the opening dates of the playoffs which local officials hope will start next week. The teams have been keeping busy with exhibition games after the schedule finished.

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Right day - wrong groundhog

The old wives' tale regarding groundhog day may or may not be true but one local sportsman reports seeing a groundhog on Feb. 2. Bud Webster, Rockwood, reports seeing the groundhog on a local road - killed by an auto. He is now wondering if the groundhog saw his shadow. The groundhog may have been killed before he spotted the shadow that, according to the old tale would mean six more weeks of winter.

Youth programs sponsored by various departments of the provincial government were outlined by Hon. Rene Brunelle, guest speaker at the Ontario forestry association's annual dinner meeting held at Toronto's Royal York Hotel on January 24th.

The lands and forests Minister explained his department's junior forest ranger program, its work with boys from the Bowmanville training school, two summer projects involving Indian and non-Indian boy scouts on the Wabigoon River near James Bay and an outdoors program in Quebec provincial park arranged by staff members of Algonquin High School for students of both sexes.

Mr. Brunelle had high praise for junior farmers and 4-H clubs. He commended the Ontario forestry association for its popular resource rangers program.

"As a further example of its interest in young people, I might point out that the department of lands and forests has a youth groups' conservation trophy which is awarded annually by the Ontario federation of anglers and hunters. It is presented to the group which the federation feels has made the most progress and the greatest contribution in the protection, betterment and wise use of renewable, natural resources," the Minister said.

Mr. Brunelle said that "by these few references to youth programs you can see that Ontario is certainly not indifferent to the needs of this age group."

Industrial League Standings

TOP TEN

	G	A	PTS
Ed. Hilliard	24	12	36
Jim Bullough	13	16	29
Bill Coon	17	11	28
J. Cunningham	16	12	28
R. Gordon	13	14	27
G. VanGils	12	11	23
D. Arbie	15	7	22
Ken Tuck	9	11	20
Stu McDonald	9	9	18
Ron Mellon	11	5	16

STATISTICS

	GP	W	L	T	Pts
Jets	12	6	4	2	14
Raiders	12	6	6	0	12
Orioles	12	4	5	3	11
Hornets	12	4	5	3	11

GOALTENDERS AVERAGE

	GP	GA	A
A. Williams	12	72	6.
J. Leatherland	9	39	4.3
F. Anthony	12	67	5.5
W. Wilson	7	42	6.

Euchre winners

Wingers at the euchre at L.O. L. Hall, Crowsons' Corners were Bea Anderson, Mrs. C. Storey, C. Storey, J. McDonald, Lone Hand prize went to Marie Dewar.

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ACTON ARENA SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7
6-7 p.m. - Hockey School
7-8 p.m. - Pee Wee (Tri-City) Port Dover (Exhibition)
8-9 p.m. - Bantam (Tri-City) Practice
9-10 p.m. - Midgets (Tri-City) Port Dover (Exhibition)
10-11 p.m. - Ind. Hockey

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8
2-3 p.m. - Mothers and Pre-School Children
6-8 p.m. - Figure Skating
8-9 p.m. - Legion Hockey
9-10 p.m. - Juveniles (Tri-City) Practice
10-12 p.m. - Ind. Hockey

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9
6:30-7:30 - Novice (Tri-City) Practice
9 p.m. - Int. "B" Hockey - Durham vs Acton Tanners

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10
8-9 a.m. - Hockey Practice (Legion)
9:15-10:45 a.m. - Private Lessons Figure Skating
10:45-12:45 - Figure Skating
1-6 p.m. - Legion Hockey
6:30-7:30 - Bantams (Tri-City) Exhibition
8-10 p.m. - Public Skating

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 11
8-11 a.m. - Industrial Hockey
11-12:30 p.m. - Tanner Practice
1-2 p.m. - Tri-City Novice - Exhibition
2-4 p.m. - Public Skating
4:30-5:30 p.m. - Midget Practice
5:30-6:30 p.m. - Pee Wee Practice
7:15-10:15 p.m. - Industrial Hockey

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 12
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13
Curling

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