

Villains Tolos, Von Erich feud inside, outside ring

Most of the 600 fans who took in Thursday night's professional wrestling card at the Community Centre were probably wondering why officials of the "grunt and groan" game went to all the trouble of erecting a ring, as they wended their way out of the smoke filled arena.

A good portion of each of the four action packed bouts took place on the cold concrete arena floor right under the noses of startled ringiders. In fact the main event between bud guy Chris Tolos and Chief White Wolf ended in the disqualification of both wrestlers, after Tolos had used the Chief's head for a battering ram against the arena boards, a good 80 or 90 feet away from the ring!

In the first preliminary, "Mr. Wrestling", Gene Dubois who is more accustomed to grappling with bears than humans, played around with a 235 lb. bearded Russian by the name of Ivan Kosloff for 13 minutes, before he decided he had put up with enough of Kosloff's underhanded tactics and pinned the "Ruskie" with a "Boston crab".

Kosloff had vacated the ring premises twice previously, when the action got a little hot, but got nothing but a cut across the bridge of his nose, for his trouble, when he returned.

Dick "the bulldog" Brower, 275 lbs. of tough guy turned "woodie goodie", and handsome Waldo, Von Erich (introduced as the "European Wrestling Champion") locked horns in the second preliminary.

"Bulldog" had just headed for his corner, after listening to the referee's instruction, when he was attacked from the rear by the towering German, who quickly wrapped a small whip, he had carried into the ring with him, around Brower's throat causing his face to turn a light shade of purple!

Now "Bulldog" didn't take too kindly to the treatment his opponent was dishing out and after he had staggered around the ring long enough to catch his breath, he caught Von Erich bounding off the ropes applied his famous "bear hug" and pinned him to win the first fall.

Waldo used a small piece of wood, he picked up off the arena floor on one of his out of ring excursions, to good advantage on Brower's forehead and finally pinned the groggy "Bulldog" to win the second fall.

By this time both contestants were completely drenched in perspiration and on the verge of exhaustion. Hence not many fans were surprised when they collided in the middle of the ring, supposedly knocked each other out and were both counted out by the referee.

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NOT ALL THE ACTION at Thursday night's wrestling matches was confined to the ring. Here "Mr. Wrestling", Gene Dubois prepares to deliver a kick to the mid-section of bearded Ivan Kosloff, as he lies on the cold concrete of the arena floor.—(Staff photo)



DARLING DAGMAR AND DIAMOND LIL impressed fans at Thursday night's wrestling matches with their amazing acrobatics. Here the camera caught Dagmar in the middle of a flying head scissors that sent Lil on her way to the other side of the ring.—(Staff photo)

Bantams down Georgetown Van Fleet has perfect night

Acton Canadian Tire bantams downed Georgetown's No. 2 team 11-6 here Thursday night behind the five hit pitching of Gary Turkocz.

Acton sent ten batters to the plate in the 1st inning and counted four runs. Big blows of the uprising were a double by Dan McGilloway and singles by Steve Van Fleet and Steve Marshall.

McGilloway and Van Fleet both doubled in the 2nd as Acton scored three more runs. Georgetown tallied three in the third and two in the 4th but the locals scored two runs in each of the 3rd and 4th to salt away the win.

The game was called on account of darkness after four and a half innings.

Steve Van Fleet had a perfect three for three night for Acton, two singles and a double. Dan McGilloway belted two doubles, George McPhail doubled once and Gary Turkocz and Pete Morrison both singled.

For Georgetown J. McDonald had three singles in four at bats. Acton: Glen McKenzie, Carl Reed, Gary Masters, Dan McGilloway, Rick Stachyra, Pete Morrison, Steve Van Fleet, Rick Bonnette, Roger Swan, Jack Holmes, Bruce Guthrie, Gary Turkocz, George McPhail, Larry Lawson, Alken Green, Steve Marshall.

Umpires: Harry Ensing and Ben Van Fleet.

Acton's next home game is Thursday August 21, against Georgetown's No. 1 team.

RESULTS
First C heat-Larry Cox, Jack Murray, Larry Majurey.

LITTLE LEAGUE GAMES

Aug. 12-Thompson Fuels 10, Acton Motors 9.
A triple by Terry Holmes and a single by Chris Tennant in the seventh gave Thompson Fuels a 10-9 victory over Acton Motors. Winning pitcher Chris Tennant gave up 13 hits but also struck out 13. Charley Bennett and Billy Cushman did the pitching for the losers.

Terry Holmes and Chris Tennant had three hits each for Thompson's and Bernie Taylor and John Pink had two each.

Kent Kentner and Murray Gow led Acton Motors with four hits apiece.

Thompson Fuels: Andy McDougall, Terry Holmes, Chris Tennant, John Pink, John Hansen, Steve Papillon, Bernie Taylor, Ian Coats, Brian Robinson.

Acton Motors: Gerritt Brouwer, Tony Lambert, Kent Kentner, Ken Withers, Peter Hargrave, Don Dale, Charley Bennett, Murray Gow, Billy Cushman, Ed Ensing.

Umpires: Harry Ensing and Tom Housfield.

Aug. 13-Porter Buzz Saws 16, Thompson Fuels 10.
Porter Buzz Saws clobbered Thompson pitching for 16 hits and a 16-10 win.

Pitcher Billy McGilloway paced the winners with two doubles and two triples. George Artem and Bob Vinski had three hits apiece, and John Hansen and Russ Van Fleet had two each.

For Thompson's, John Pink had four singles in four at bats and Chris Tennant had three hits.

Porter Buzz Saws: John Cameron, Jan Stachyra, John Hansen, Billy McGilloway, Russ Van Fleet, George Carnegie, Bob Vinski, Peter Arbic, Kevin Marcoux, Jeff Townsley, George Artem.

NOVICE PLAYOFFS
Aug. 13-Sports' Corner 15, Nellis Construction 13.
Sports' Corner won the opening game of this best of three semi-final behind the six hit pitching of Ken Swan. Swan also had three hits in four at bats.

John Galt, Bert Post and Terry Gow stroked out two hits each for Sports' Corner as well.

For the losers, Joe Schuts hit a single and a home run. Mark Morrison added two hits and Kevin Broostad one.

Sports' Corner: Ken Swan, Don Coats, John Galt, Bert Post, Mike Mitchell, Pete Brouwer, Doug Jordan, Rob Patterson, Terry Gow, Robin Speaker.

Nellis Construction: Jim Mathews, Joe Schuts, Mark

Morrison, Kevin Broostad, Gary Rousfield, Cliff Ceeney, Rick Jickson, Vaughari Cole, Simon Scott, Robbie Bousfield.

Aug. 15-Lions' Club 15, Custom Cleaners 15.
In a walk-filled contest, Lions' Club and Custom Cleaners gained one point each in their best of three semi-final.

Lions' Club had to score in the last inning to tie the score.

Tim Taylor paced Lions' Club with a three for four performance. Mike Rippon and Gary Barenis had two hits each. Gary Pickles and Tom Haverty each singled once.

Ed Ensing had a single and a double for Custom Cleaners and Rick Gibson had a single.

Custom Cleaners: Rick Gibson, Terry Winters, Steve McKnight, Ed Ensing, Dennis Manes, Rick Van Fleet, Jim Hurley.

Lions' Club: Gary Pickles, Gary Barenis, Tim Taylor, Tom Haverty, Mike Rippon, Tim Newman, John Woodman, Brett Currie, Ricky Holmes, W. Elling.

Aug. 18-Lions' Club 23, Custom Cleaners 19.
Lions' Club took a three point to one lead in this series, as they stroked out eight base hits on their way to a 23-19 win.

Catcher Gary Pickles led the winners with a single, a triple and a home run. Tom Haverty had a single and a home run and Tim Taylor had a pair of doubles. Ricky Holmes doubled once.

Losing pitcher Jim Hurley picked up a double and triple for Custom Cleaners. Tony Traverso and Mike Jollymore each had four walks.

Winning pitcher Tom Haverty fanned eight.

STANDINGS

NOVICE FINAL STANDINGS

W	L	T	Pts
Sports' Corner	5	3	11
Nellis Const.	5	4	10
Custom Cleaners	5	4	10
Lions' Club	2	6	5

Play-off for second place won by Custom.

PEE WEE FINAL STANDINGS

W	L	T	Pts
Porter Buzz Saws	7	4	15
Thompson Fuels	6	6	12
Acton Motors	4	7	9

NOVICE PLAY-OFF STANDINGS

W	L	T	Pts
Lions' Club	1	0	1
Custom Cleaners	0	1	1

Sports' Corner 1 0 0 2
Nellis Const. 0 1 0 0

Peewee Playoffs-Aug. 20:
Thompson Fuels vs. Acton Motors.
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-Aug. 22: Lions' Club vs. Custom Cleaners.

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THE COW DOG SKY TROOPER (Cartoon)

SUN.-MON.-TUES.-WED. AUGUST 24-25-26-27

PRETTY POISON (Adult) (Color)
(ANTHONY PERKINS, TUESDAY WELD)

NOBODY'S PERFECT (Color)
(DOUGLAS MacLURE)

THURS.-FRI.-SAT. AUGUST 28-29-30

ALSO MATINEE
SUNDAY, AUGUST 31st, 2 p.m.

SWISS FAMILY-ROBINSON (Color)
(DOROTHY MCGUIRE, JAMES MCARTHUR) (DISNEY)

CATNAP PLUTO (Cartoon)

Stewart wins late model feature Lyons roars to take hobby race

By Vivian Shaw
Acton, Aug. 17: although there were threatening skies right up to race time today, the rains held off and we had a good turn out of cars to put on a good show for the many spectators.

Our late model feature proved to be a real thriller with lots of action. On the first lap Al Peterson blew his rad, Steve Pottle spun on the fifth lap to our first restart. Hard luck Nicholls blew his motor.

On the restart Larry Majurey spun with No. 18, running into him. Majurey had to retire while No. 18 continued for three more laps, then also had to retire. On the sixth lap Dave Pilon and Barry Cleland spun and both had to retire, while Cliff Faryon and Lawrence tangled in front of the stands with Majurey retiring. Larry Cox started in pole position driving a 6 cyl. and was able to hold the lead for five laps when Larry Bain took over for the next four.

Starting in 17th position, Ed Stewart drove a fine race to come through the pack and take another feature, with Larry Bain second and Jerry Rous third.

Larry Cox put on some fine driving and held down fourth spot in his six banger to take over sole possession of first place in the point standings.

The mini stocks feature was run off without a spin out. So nothing very exciting happened here. Ken Daniels started in tenth position to come through and take the feature with Doug Sutton second and Jim Dunham third.

The hobby feature also was run off very smoothly today with only Wayne Fleet running into the wall. No damage was done. Bill Lyons started in scratch and came through to take the lead on the fourth lap and hold it to take his first feature with Lyle Thring second and Ted Tufford third.

Peterson, Cliff Faryon.
Second Mini-Ken Daniels, Doug Sutton, Ken Graham.
Second Hobby-Bill Lyons, Lyle Thring, Larry Fleet.
Mini feature-Ken Daniels, Doug Sutton, Jim Dunham, Ken Graham, Bruce Bainbridge.
Hobby Feature-Bill Lyons, Lyle Thring, Ted Tufford, Gerry Frankam, Tony Eba.
Late Model Feature-Ed Stewart, Larry Bain, Jerry Rous, Larry Cox, Steve Pottle.
Powder Puff-Susan Simpson, Hanna Cleland, Bernice Majurey.

Rovers maintain league lead with two weekend victories

Acton Mason Knit Rovers maintained their hold on first place in the Golden Horseshoe Soccer League with two important wins of the weekend.

Saturday afternoon on a rain-soaked high school field they thoutout Georgetown Eagles 4-0, then whitewashed Georgetown Royals 3-0 Sunday.

Larry Nolan beat the Eagle goalie with a low hard shot after just ten minutes of play, Saturday.

Peter Day made it 2-0 with a high shot just under the crossbar at the 28 minute mark.

In the second half Terry Slaven evaded three Eagle defenders to score Rovers' third goal, then Dave Fraye completed the Acton scoring with a long hard shot at the 35 minute mark.

In Sunday's game Peter Jones made a beautiful pass to Peter Day who scored Acton's first goal after only two minutes of play.

Jones then scored both Rovers second half goals, the first on a pass from Bob Dyc and the second on a low header, after the Royal goalie had dropped the ball.

Rover goalie Mike Clarke played very well in both games.

Acton Lineup: Mike Clarke, Len Spicer, Mick Davis, Erwin Schandelmeyer, Dave Fraye, Jim McHugh, Peter Jones, Peter Day, Bob Dyc, Jim Slaven, Terry Slaven, Kevin Lumbers, Bill Diggins.

ROCKWOOD SPORTS

Coach Paul Waddell's Rockwood Squirrels edged Limehouse 10-9 in extra innings, last night, to take a one game lead in their best of three league semi-final. Rockwood had previously eliminated Moffat.

Peter McPhedran whacked a double to score Dave Buttenham from second with the winning run in the first extra inning.

Albert Kelly pitched a fine game for Rockwood, and Peter Bolton was spectacular at shortstop.

Next game in the series is Thursday night in Limehouse at 6.30.

Winner of this series will face Hillsburgh in the league finals.

Rockwood bantams eliminated Moffat from the playoffs, last week. This Friday they will start their next series against Brock Road.

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