Bulletin

Sabres forfeit series

Acton Sabres' bockey season has come to an abrupt end following an emergency meeting in Orangeville last night (Tuesday) at which representatives of the team executive decided to forfelt the present group quarter-final series with Stayner rather than follow an order from convener Bill Church to play the fourth game of the set on neutral ice in Bradford tonight

(Wednesday). The order followed up a claim by Church that all teams had agreed to have quarter-final series completed by March 1. The Acton-Stayner series was to have started in Stayner last Wednesday night, but because ice was not available there, the series opener was switched to Acton Friday night. Second and third games were played to Stayner Seturday and Monday nights, but the fourth was not scheduled until this Friday, March 2 here in Acton, since community centre ice is booked up tonight and tomorrow night. Stayner held a 2-

effeir. Meanwhile, the league's other quarter-finalists Bradford and Schemberg followed the original playoff schedule Church claims was agreed upon, jamming four games into five nights. Bradford won the series 3-1 by winning 7-5 in Schomberg Sunday. Fergus leads Alliston 3-0 in a best of seven semi-final and could wind up that series with a win in Alliston tonight (Wednesday).

I lead in games in the best of five

"There is no way we would have agreed to play in Bradford. Then he was talking about arranging ice time in Shelburne for a possible fifth game Thursday night," Sabre president Kerwin McPhall told the Free Press.

"It would have cost us over \$150 to but the team to the two games and the only people we'd have

Girls lose final match

Burlington M. M. Robinson defeated Acton High junior girls three games to none in the final game of the HCAC volleyball schedule here last week.

school badminton tournament is in full swing this week and coach Bruce Andrews hopes to begin indoor workouts soon for the Redmen soccer



TOURNAMENT chairman Alan Hall presented the handsome championship trophy to the Centreville captain following their 4-3 win over Milton. Centreville has won the Legion tournament three out of the four years it has been in existence. (Photo by D. Gibbons)

period.

the pressmen.

Lakeview Centre.

Gord Mason spoiled the shutout

of Blow Press goalie Ray Smith,

when he connected on a pass from Ron Mellon in the third

Spet goals

Ken's Auto spotted the Unknowns a pair of first period

goals by John Kavanaugh and Denis Gibbons, then bounced

back to score seven times, before Jack Pignatell netted the third

Gary Kelley with a goal and

three assists and Bill Coon with

two assists also played well for

Nominees for the MVP award

were John Goy of Blow Press,

John Kavanaugh of the

Unknowns, Craig Weldon of

Nielsen's Clothing, Bob Andrews

League MVP stars for Blow Press

Named the league's MVP in a Blow Press goals and Jake vote of players last week, John McKenzie earned two assists. Goy proceeded to prove he deserved the award by scoring four goals and setting up two others, as the Acton industrial hockey league pennant winners Blow Press trounced Nielsen's

Clothing 8-1 Sunday night. Bob Andrews, a contender for the MVP award and Dan Kavanaugh, who shared the regular season scoring championship with Goy both fired hat tricks to lead Ken's Auto to a surprising 7-3 win over the Unknowns in the first game of the other semi-final series. The best of three sets continue this Sunday

night at the community centre. Big nights

Goy's linemates Jim McDonald and Dave Papillon also had big scoring nights. McDonald counted two goals and two assists of Ken's Auto, Jim Piehl of and "Pappy" contributed five Heller's and Ray Stull of assists. Les King potted a pair of

there would be those who made the trip. I don't think either team properly understood that the original schedule was agreed

upon by everyone." Stayner will play the first game of a best of five semi-final series in Bradford tenight. The teams will also play Thursday, of events.

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SUPERB GOALTENDING by Murray Lowe

of the Stayner Siskins ruined Acton Sabres'

chances of winning the first game of the South

Central Junior "D" group quarter-finals here

Friday night. Lowe pulled off at least a dozen

Centreville peewees adged

Milton 43 Sunday afternoon to

win their third Acton Legion

peewee house league tournament

championship. Centreville won

the inaugural event in 1970,

repeated as champions in 1971

losing to Hillsburgh last year.

and made it to the finals before

True to form the championship

game was a spine tingler all the

way. Glen Craven scored the

winning goal for Centreville with

less than three minutes to play.

nesday to have the series completed within a week.

Coach Bill Dawkins has called a players meeting for Friday night at 8 at the community



Acton Sabres sandwiched a 6-4 win on Stayner ice Saturday night in between two Slakin victories to force at least one more game in their best of five South Central Junior "D" quarter-final series. Siskins relied on unbelievably

good goaltending by ex-Collingwood Jr. B'er Murray Lowe to steal the first game of the set 6-1 here Friday night in a game that produced 104 minutes in penalties.

big saves like this one on Sabre sharpshooter

Johnny Snow, as Stayner won the series

6-1. Siskin winger Rick Coker reaches out to

try to stop Snow, as Ted Harmer moves in

from the right for a possible rebound. Sabres

Centreville three time champs

of Legion peewee tournament

The local Legion 4-town

peewees provided one of the

biggest tournament surprises,

whipping New Hamburg 5-2 in the

first round and nipping a tough

Elmira squad 2-1 in the second

Gordon Scott, Dave Haverty,

Rick Widmont, Nick Humeniuk

and Bob Hudson scored for Acton

in the win over New Hamburg.

Barry Billings converted

passes from Nick Humeniuk and

Rick Widmont into a goal with

less than four minutes to play to

In the third game in Stayner Monday night, Siskins fired 65 shots at Sabre goalie Rick Bonnette and recorded an easy 10-2 victory.

Lowe kept Sabres off the acoresheet until the 13.16 mark of the third period of Friday's series opener, before defenceman Brad Timbers stickhandled past three Siskin defenders and fired a shot right along the ice into the corner of the Stayner cage. Randy Coker

Rick Coker, Dave Calder, Don Parker, Jim Bell, Greg Conn and Terry Gowan scored for Stayner. Sabres started many

necessitated lt. Seturday night in Stayner,

upset Stayner 6-4 on Stayner ice Saturday

night, but lost the third game 10-2 in Stayner

Monday night. Fourth game is slated for the

Branch members that helped

make the tournament a success.

The Legion Minor Hockey

bigger tournament for Acton's

James Hartman of New

Hamburg was the lucky winner of

a \$50 bond in the tournament

draw. Robbie Artendale of

Shelburne received a new wrist

watch for selling the most tickets

and John Van Sam of Hespeler

won himself a free week at the

Keon-Harris hockey school in a

Gordie Bell, a popular centre

with Acton Tanners intermediate

club coached the Milton team to

A complete list of tournament

TOURNAMENT SCOREBOARD

Hespeler 2, Georgetown 2 (Hespeler wins 6-5 on penalty

Centreville 3, Lorne Park 1 Preston 4, Streetsville 1 Shelburne 5, Erln 4

Acton 5, New Hamburg 2

Centreville 6, Heapeler 2 Presson 10, Shelburne 0 Acton 2, Elmira 1 Milton 6, Listowel 0

Centreville 3, Preston 2 Milton 2, Acton 1

Centreville 4. Milton 3

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Elmira 4. Ancaster 2

Listowel 6, Elora 0 Milton 4, Barrie 2

scores follows.

special draw for competitors.

Centennial next year.

community centre Friday night at 8.30.

bring Acton victory against teams and the cooperation of

Mike Nicholls was the lone Association may stage an even

Elmira. Steve Trotter netted the

first Acton goal with help from

marksman in the exciting game

against Milton. Randy Mac-

Donald scored twice for Milton.

Goalles duel

For two periods the game was a

tough goaltenders duel between

Mark Curtis of Milton and Ac-

ton's Paul Bowen. There was no

scoring until the third period.

Bowen allowed only five goals in

three games for the Acton team.

which was coached by Bruce

Sears and managed by Jim

Competition was keen in most of the games. Nine of the 15

contests were decided by a

margin of two goals or less and

one, the tournament opener

Georgetown ended in a tie.

Hespeler won the game 6-5 on

penalty shots taken after the final

eventihat began at 7:30 Saturday

morning. All competitors received crests and all were

treated to meals served by the

Branch 197 Ladles' Auxiliary in

Chairman pleased

sportsmanship shown by visiting

Tournament chairman Alan Hall was pleased with the

the Legion auditorium.

Teams from 18 different towns competed in the two day

Hespeler and

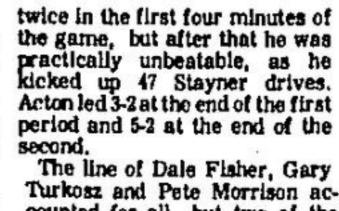
Steve Tremills.

Mitchell.

between

assisted on the play. dangerous rushes, but failed to pass the puck in situations that

Sabres forechecked their hosts right into the Ice to gain their first win against the Siskins all year. Rick Bonnette was beaten



Turkosz and Pete Morrison accounted for all but two of the Sabre goals. Morrison potted a pair of goals, while Fisher collected a goal and three assists and Turkosz a goal and two assists. Ted Harmer and Johnny Snow were the other Acton marksmen.

Don Parker connected twice and Dave Calder and Jim Bell counted once each for Stayner.

Terry Gowan, Brian Dickey and Ted Dwyer paced the Siskin attack with two goals apiece in Monday night's game. Kevin McInnis, Biair Gordon, Rick Coker and Jack Stephens shot single goals.

Pete Morrison and Johnny Snow netted the Sabre goals. Assists went to Gary Turkosz, George McPhail and Bill McGilloway.

Stayner scored on three shots from the centre Ice area during

"We started out playing the same kind of hockey in the first period as we did Saturday night," coach Bill Dawkins said. "Rick let three soft shots by him, but he he was exhausted. He stopped 55 shots and made a lot of saves on sure goals."

Ted Harmer played an outstanding game here Friday night and Acton fans felt Bobby Krul played perhaps his finest game of the year in Stayner (Photo by D. Gibbons)

> Terry Gowan of Stayner was the best player on the ice in Friday's game.

Lucky winner

Jean Naylor, 27 John St., Port Credit was the lucky winner of \$500 in the Acton Minor Baseball Association's monthly draw for February. Seller of the lucky ticket was Susan Lee, 312 Westcott Rd., Acton.

Midgets need win tonight

Acton CFAW midgets must win at the community centre tonight (Wednesday) in order to stay alive in the OMHA midget "B"

Niagara-on-the-Lake edged the locals 4-3 in Virgil Friday night to take a 2-1 lead in games in the best of five series. An Acton win tonight would force a fifth and deciding game in Virgil Friday

The lead see-sawed back and forth in Friday's game and Niagara finally netted the winning goal in the third period. John McAdam, Charlie McRae and Terry "Moochey" Holmes were the Acton marksmen.

Midget manager Ken Marshall Sr. was critical of the work of the Niugara district referees appointed for the game.

"We'll need better refereeing Wednesday, but our guys are up for this game and they'll give it their best shot," he said.

Winner of the series advances to the OMHA midget "B" quarter-finals against the winner of the Aylmer-St. Mary's series.

Firefighters

Acton Firefighters bantams were whitesashed 8-0 in Fergus Thursday night and thus eliminated from the Waterloo-Wellington league playoffs in three straight games.

Firefighters travel to Harriston to play in a tournament this weekend. They will then play exhibition games until the week of the Georgetown International bantam tournament March 17-24.

400 club

Lucky winners in last week's 400 club draw were G. Mc-Cutcheon, G. Usher, H. Lambert, D. Noseworthy and N. Gibbons.



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at the community centre Saturday. A complete schedule of games is listed below. PEEWEE

(Two games total goals quarter-finals) 6.50 Tidewater vs. Cleveland 7.40 Baltimore vs. Richmond 8.40 Springfield vs. Rochester

Mark Curtis kept Milton in the

game with excellent goaltending

in the first two periods. Bill

Goencz scored two goals and

Randy MacDonald netted one for

Centreville eliminated Lorne

Park 3-1, Hespeler 6-2 and

Preston 3-2 to earn the right to

play in the championship game.

tournament for the first time

knocked off Barrie 4-2, and

Listowel 6-0, then edged a

stubborn Acton team 2-1 in the

Milton, playing in the

Milton.

semi-finals.

ATOM

NOVICE (Exhibition games) 9.20 London vs. St. Kitts 10.20 Hamilton vs. Niagara Falls Round robin series to begin March 10.

(Two games total goals quarter-finals) 11.20 Weston vs. Welland 12.10 St. Thomas vs. Dixie 1.00 Brampton vs. Guelph BANTAM

(Exhibition games)

5.40 Quebec vs. Winnipeg 6.40 Ottawa vs. Alberta

Round robin series to begin March 10.

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