

Seminar honor for Kevin Parker

The top 40 singles figure skaters in Canada are getting together at a training seminar in British Columbia, and Kevin Parker has been asked to participate.

It's a great honor for the 12-year-old skater, who lives at R. B. 1, Campbellville and attends Brookville school. He has won seven gold medals in the last two years and has come out on top in every competition he entered lately.

The Canadian Figure Skating Association has just written Kevin that he had been chosen. Airfare, ice costs and professional fees will be paid by the Association. And they also ask his own professional coach to attend. Kevin's is Neil Carpenter.

Kevin will just pay his own residence fees.

Others expected to be there are Toller Cranston, Ronnie and Lynne Nightingale, top names in Canadian figure skating circles. Head coaches are Mrs. Ellen Burke and Mrs. Linda Brauchman, with invited specialists from

Canada and Europe.

Kevin has a couple of weeks off from skating practice right now as he finishes up his year at Brookville. Then he's off to St. Thomas for eight weeks at skating school there. After a couple of days he heads west for the training seminar.

He skates now with the Hamilton Stoney Creek club. The Parkers lived in Acton before moving to the Campbellville area. He's been back to Acton as guest skater at carnival time.

Kevin is very excited about being invited to join the 40 other skaters for this very special training.



THE MR. AND MRS. BOWL-OFF CHAMPS are Frank Morton, Brian Skeggs, Sid Spears, June Bousfield and Morna Sankay. Absent is Kny Banks.

Atoms win

Lowville Atoms fell 12-4 to their Acton rivals in Acton last Monday night.

Acton exploded for five runs in the first inning to put the game away with Rob Dawe providing a homer. Dawe hit safely three times.

Acton pitcher Bruce Shannon fanned 12 Lowville batters en route to the win.

Bant girls top Omagh

Acton bantam girls moved into first place last week with a big 10-4 win over Omagh in Halton Rural Softball play.

Pitcher Anne Swinkles

paced the Acton batters with three hits while Gayle DeForest slugged two base hits with Kim Van Der Eyken and Heather McEachern hitting safely once each.

Anne pitched to the sixth inning until being relieved by Heather McEachern. Anne gave up nine hits, walked seven and struck out another seven.

Omagh pitcher Heather Eves walked nine and struck out five.

Minor soccer dates

HALTON-PEEL SCOREBOARD

Mosquito - Acton vs. Georgetown 1-2
Pee Wee - Acton vs. Brampton 4-2
Bantam - Acton vs. Brampton 4-3

HOUSE LEAGUE

Turnados vs. Falcons 0-1
Rockwood vs. Rangers 2-3
Centennial vs. Bombers 1-2
Spiffires vs. Rockets 2-2
Dynamos vs. Spiffires 4-3

GAMES FOR WEEK JUNE 18-19

HOUSE LEAGUE

June 18 - Tigers vs. Tornados M. Z. Bennett
June 19 - Angels vs. Falcons M. Z. Bennett
June 20 - Rockets vs. Spiffires R. L. School
June 21 - Dynamos vs. Hornets M. Z. Bennett
June 22 - Bombers vs. Bombers High School
June 23 - Centennial vs. Rangers Acton Park
June 24 - Rockwood vs. Bombers Acton Park

HALTON-PEEL GAMES

June 18 - Mosquito - Oakville vs. Acton Oakville
June 20 - Mosquito - Acton vs. Brampton High School
June 24 - Bantam - Acton vs. Burlington High School

Girls see Soviet gymnasts

Acton High girls' gymnastics coach Ann Pool and Mrs. Ilene Andrews of M. Z. Bennett travelled to Toronto last Wednesday night along with Susan Thibodeau, Jennifer Krapek, Tammy and Julie Beeler to watch the Soviet Union National gymnastics team perform at Maple Leaf Gardens.

World champion Larinilla Teresheva and Mellie Kim were among the top Soviet gymnasts in action.

Miss Pool's rhythmic gymnastics team performed between periods of last week's Ram junior lacrosse game.

Swamp Mic Macs

The Acton Novice lacrosse crew swamped the Kitchener Mic Macs 8-2 in Acton last Wednesday.

Acton's Gord MacArthur led the attack with six goals with Brad Manes and Steve Raine supplying singles.

MacArthur and Dave McKnight drew assists.

Lowville outplayed

Acton Bantam girls outplayed Lowville 23-13 in an IHSAA game last week.

Lowville was leading in the fourth inning when Debbie Brown was called to the mound to sub for Heather McEachern. Debbie pitched the win.

Anna Swinkles was the big hitter for the Acton crew, tapping out four hits including a home run. Susan Lehn batted four hits while Kim McCristall hit safely three times.

Community worker joins summer staff



CHERYL SODERLUND, new community worker in Halton Hill.

A young attractive community worker joined Halton Hills recreation department this week.

Cheryl Soderlund, 21, a native of Wawa, Ont. will be here until the end of August. She is employed by the Ministry of Community and Social Services, Sports and Recreation Branch, who pay her salary.

Her aim is to study the

recreation needs of special groups of all ages, including the deaf, blind, physically or perceptually handicapped, the mentally retarded, or any special group.

Miss Soderlund plans to contact all existing groups to find out if there is a need, and if so, how best to fill the need.

"I want to know what programs are in operation now, for the mentally

retarded, handicapped of all age groups, and see if they need funds, or volunteers, or leaders," said the community worker. She pointed out the existing programs maybe adequate, but perhaps in need of co-ordination.

Recreation Director Doug Collison is helping Miss Soderlund get to know the town and existing organizations.

As a native of a small town, Miss Soderlund was happy to be assigned here. She is a student at University of Ottawa in the recreation course, and has worked with the physically handicapped in swim, gym, and arts and crafts programs in the past.

Selects blank Simcoe

Brookville Selects and their fans travelled by bus to Simcoe Friday night. Linda Dennis pitched her first complete game and did an excellent job, beating Simcoe 12-0. The team backed her with some great plays. Sandra Inglis and Deb Rippon both participated in double plays. Sue McCallum and Kim Henderson played in the field like pros. Kathy Rusk had a fine game behind the plate.

Sunday night the Selects travelled to Burlington and lost a heartbreaker 2-1. Burlington drew first blood in the seventh with one run and added another in the eighth. Brookville came to life in the ninth but it was too late. Sue Thomson was the losing pitcher and Maxine Hall the winner. Brookville are now six wins and four losses and are in second place.

Softball wins

Ed Hillier's Titans knocked Gary Lewis' Blazers for a 13-6 loss while Fred Crawford's Avengers clubbed Skeeter Hill's Arrows 16-2 last Sunday.

Turk in top 10

Acton's Bob Turkosz is currently sixth in the OLA Major Lacrosse League scoring race.

T-ball tie

Blue Bombers knotted Green Hornets 18-18 in T-ball play last week.

Mike Davey scored three times for Bombers with Darren Edmondson and Susan Wilson scoring three times each.

Robin McClure and Floyd Young crossed the plate three times apiece for the Hornets.

Maureen 4th best

Maureen Gerth placed fourth in the junior girls' shot putt event at the recent all-Ontario high school track and field championships at Elaboke's Centennial Stadium.

The Acton High putter, who won both the Halton and Peel-Halton championships threw 10.57 metres. Karen Ashcroft of Richview was first with 11.96. Sheila Rutledge of T. K.

Grand River

Acton novices came up on the short end of a 7-6 score to the Grand River Senecas in Golden Triangle Boxla action in Grand River last week.

Gord MacArthur rallied home all the Acton tallies with Dean Hughes chalking up an assist.

Glen Williams bests Fuelers

Glen Williams smacked the Acton Thompson Fuel bantams for a 13-8 loss last week.

Cliff Britton and Riek Holmes both clipped out first inning home runs as the Acton crew jumped to an early lead but the Glen came back with five runs in the seventh to take the game.

Holmes pitched for Acton.

L & L girls

Acton L & L Ford Pee Wee girls clipped Limehouse for a 24-10 loss last Monday night.

Shelley Young pitched a strong game for the Acton crew with shortstop Mickey Phillip consistently batting safely.

Catcher Lynn Matthews paced the team with a good game.

Eden Mills beaten

Brookville girls hosted Eden Mills and soundly beat them 43-10. Sue Thomson belted out three home runs and Marg Itzki had two.

Tigers win

Tigers clubbed Panthers for a 10-3 in Acton Girls Minor Softball last week.

Catcher Janice Raine scored three times for the Tigers.

Dynamos win first in house league soccer

MOSQUITO PEE WEE

Dynamos came up with their first win of the season clubbing Raiders 11-2 - a good start for Dynamos' new coach.

Rockets posted a narrow 3-2 victory over the Hornets - a well played game on both sides.

Holders came back with a 7-3 victory over the Spiffires in their second game of the week.

ATOM

Rockwood atoms shut out Ravens 4-0 with Daniel Guest scoring twice with Paul Hudson and Craig Yarmey firing singles.

In a closely contested game Rangers edged Bombers 3-2. Centre Ken Kavanagh, Steven Watzek and Todd Kre

scored Ranger goals with Simon Ager and Michael Hines coming through for the Bombers.

Hovers lost their second game of the week 2-1 at the hands of the Centennials.

SQUIRT

Falcons and Tigers played to a 2-2 tie at M. Z. Bennett school Ronnie Vanitem and Ricky Dodds scored for Falcons with Jamie Taras firing Tiger goals.

Omagh beats bant girls

Omagh defeated Acton bantam girls 10-7 in a Halton Rural Minor Softball League game in Omagh Monday night.

Omagh scored five runs in the first inning on their way to victory. Acton made a valiant effort to tie the score, when they tallied four times in the final inning, but it was not enough.

Susan Lehn led Acton batters with five hits in five trips to the plate. Heather McEachern and Lynn Fisher reached base three times each.

Acton: Susan Lehn, Kim McCristall, Anna Swinkles, Kim Van Der Eyken, Marg Slingerland, Gayle DeForest, Heather McEachern, Laurel Murchison, Debbie Brown, Lisa Neer, Karen Van Der Eyken, Lynn Fisher, Carol Jordan.

Chicks in tournament

Acton Chicks girls lacrosse team will play in a tournament in Rexdale this week end. Jim Junnet is coaching the team again this season with Danny Allan as manager, Steve Marshall as assistant manager and Colleen DeBruyn as trainer.

Team members are Sue Somerville, Nlu Cardingly, Maureen Gerth, Debbie Drinkwater, Deb James,

Joanne Ancker, Donna McClure, Vera Strakov, Cathy McChure, Karen Barber, Deb Spilvogel, Pat Kelly, Deb Brown, Frances Barons, Val Irwin, Madeleine Rogers, Joanne Berry, Joyce Denny, Vicki Taylor, Diane Drysdale, Charlotte Hobbell.

Chicks will face Lakeside in their first tournament game Saturday morning at 11.

Jr. "C" Lacrosse Excitement

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SUNDAY, JUNE 30
7.00 P.M.

Acton Community Centre



Recreational softball

Hugh Forbes' team defeated Ted Hagan's club 5-2 and Guy Parent's team bested Don Richard's nine 13-7 in Acton men's recreational softball league play Sunday.

Hawks win another

Golden Hawks chalked up their third victory without a loss in the Acton Minor Softball T-ball league when they clubbed Blue Bombers 30-7 at M. Z. Bennett school last week. The Hawks coached by Donna Gordon and Sue Matthews will play their next game at M. Z. Bennett tomorrow (Thursday) night against the Green Hornets.

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Oh no, not another special committee!

"We're being committed to death." Regional Chairman Allan Masson told Halton's Public Works Committee during a meeting Wednesday.

The committee had been asked to endorse a recommendation that would have established a committee of staff and elected people to work with the Ministry of the Environment.

The committee rejected that proposal but agreed to have the four standing committee chairmen meet with the ministry at the initial meeting and then develop a stand after that meeting.

Deal with group involved

Administration Chairman Ric Morrow opposed the creation of subcommittees. He felt the people from the ministry should deal with the committee that happened to be involved with the particular subject at any time.

P. G. Cokburn, director of the central region of the Ministry of the Environment told the committee in a letter that the ministry had been reorganized and decentralized.