

John Toebees surprised winner, at Legion Day of Champions



OSHAWA WON THE Atom Championship Saturday in the Legion Day of Champions. The team coaches were Henry Toebees, left, and Bruce Cooksley, right. Team members were, front row, left to right, Chris Lob-singer, Kevin Kroll, Rick Dwyer, and Roger Ward. Middle row, Brian Witherley, Jamie Taras, Clayton Oakley, Micky Fryers and Randy Waples. The third row is, Ted Lindsay, Tim McKendry, Scott McDon-ough, Kent Hurst and Chris Hisaki.

Half the entrants in the Legion's Day of Champions could expect to win top honors, but there was one winner who was surprised.

John Toebees, who won the Charles Thomson award for his significant contribution to recreation in Acton, said he was happy and surprised.

Mr. Toebees started with Legion House League seven years ago. He has been president of the minor hockey executive for three years. Mr. Toebees' interests also include working with Scouts and at one time town soccer.

As many as 200 spectators took in the yearly event which marks the end of season for Legion hockey at the arena.

Novice
In the sudden death championship play, on the novice level, Brampton emerged the victor in a 5-2 struggle with Dixie.

Norm Merrin, convener of the novice league, presented the Kenner Trophy to the team.

Heath Norton, who scored four goals and assisted on Steve Wagner's marker, took the high scoring award.

David Hardgrave and Sean Taras managed the two re-

plies for Dixie.

Atom
Oshawa won the atom level championship by skating to a 4-1 win over the St. Kitts team.

Ab Irwin, vice-president of Legion Branch 197, presented the Tom Watson trophy to the team.

Chris Hisaki, who notched Oshawa's fourth goal, took the high scoring trophy.

Ted Lindsay, Scott McDonough, and Jamie Taras, who also got an assist, were the other Oshawa marksmen.

Paul Vermulden registered St. Catharines' sole goal on a play involving Gord McMeek- en in the second period.

Peewee

In the peewee championship match, Richmond held Baltimore scoreless for the first two frames, while managing to fire three goals. Richmond eventually won 4-1.

Richmond was presented the Gord McCutcheon Trophy by John McCutcheon.

Dave Brown of Richmond, who let loose three goals un-assisted in the game, was presented the top scorer trophy by peewee league convener Bill Shannon.

Dean McKerracher also picked up a goal and an assist for Richmond. Fred Kappert helped on Brown's third goal.

For Baltimore the only reply came off the stick of Robbie Monro from Dennis Kirton and Paul Phelan.

Bantam
The final game in the championship series featured the bantam Cougars with a convincing 5-1 win over the Nordics.

The victorious Cougars were presented the Legion Ladies Trophy by Marie Dou-gall.

Dave Johnson with three solo goals and a pair he managed with help from Bob Hud- son, did all the Cougar's scor- ing.

Johnson also received the high scoring trophy.

Referee-in-chief Robin In- scoe presented the most gentlemanly player award to Gord Scott.

Ron Guest fired the Nord- die's only marker in the second period from Gord Scott and Rus Allen.

The novice consolation game was between Weston and Guelph. The teams ended their efforts in a one-all draw.

Steve Campbell opened the

scoring for Weston in the first period from Todd Andrews.

Royal City

Royal City marksman Michael Ormsby tied the game in the second frame.

Norm Merrin, convener of the novice teams, presented the Alex Johnson Trophy for the most improved player to Scott Phelan.

The most improved goalie on the novice level, Steven Tafeler, was given the Scott Post Memorial Trophy by Bert Post.

London edged Hamilton 2-1 to take the atom consolation game.

Randy Coverdale fired both London goals, both with Bruce Sheppard assisting.

Gary White, with an assist from Dave Jackson, scored for Hamilton. White also re- ceived the Claude Piper Tro- phy for the most improved player of the atom division.

The presentation was made by Jim Mitchell.

Edged
There were two consolation games on the peewees and bantam levels.

Tidewater edged Cleveland 4-3 with two goals and an assist coming off the stick of Paul Hudson for Tidewater.

Ted James also notched a goal and an assist, and Simon Ager registered a goal.

Tom Shannon, Toni Shepp- ard and Ed Allen, off the stick of Dean Hughes, pulled the trigger for Cleveland.

Rams at U. of Guelph

The Acton Rams junior lacrosse team will practise at the University of Guelph arena Sunday.

Transportation to the Royal City from Acton will be leaving the arena at 12:30 p.m.

Major peewees drop two

The major peewees took it on the chin twice, dropping a 3-1 decision to Elmira and a 5-2 match to Guelph.

In exhibition play against the Guelph As here Saturday Mike Monahan made it a 2-2 tie on a play from Rick Pool.

Derrick Hodgson had already given Acton its first goal from Paul Campbell.

Andy Ellerby played a steady game in the nets.

In league playoff action in Elmira Friday the major peewees lost a squeaker 3-1.

Elmira put the game away in the final frame with a shorthanded goal.

Ronny Jackson, with an un-assisted effort, gave Acton a 1-1 tie in the second period.

The team got superb goal- tending from Dave Anderson.

The major peewees are travelling to the Wasaga Beach Tournament at Easter. They are slated to play Thorold on the Friday at 2 p.m.

More photos
More pictures from the Legion's Day of Champions will appear in next week's Free Press.

Six to one was the margin of victory for Rochester over Springfield in their peewee consolation contest.

Jamie McMillan fired two goals for Rochester and as- sisted on Mark Staley's marker. Staley also assisted on one of McMillan's and another by Tom Briggs.

Mike Cleary and Dana Taras also scored singles while Marty Collerton picked up a pair of assists and Rickey Allan a single.

Jocko Garton fired the only goal for Springfield after Lormer McGinn set him up.

Molozzi
Judy Shannon presented the Molozzi Trophy for the most improved player for the peewee division to Lormer McGinn.

The bantam consolation games saw the Aeros defeat the Oilers and the Jets blank the Toros 2-0.

Lary Kurtz led the Aero hit- men with six goals to an 8-1 win. Rick Lott and Mark Fer- guson, who got an assist, also flicked the red light for the Aeros.

Bill Waites got the only marker for the Oilers on a play involving Malcolm McKenzie.

Gord James presented his trophy to George Warner.

In the Toro-Jet match John Griese and Nick Humenick scored both Jet markers.

G. Rosenbergs presented the Limestone Trophy to the most improved goalie to Scott Ingles.

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DAVID BROWN accepts the Gord McCutcheon trophy for the peewee Richmond team from John McCutcheon. Richmond defeated Baltimore 4-1 for the honor.

OHA Junior and Intermediate playoffs

Cobourg and Essex are leading in the OHA Junior C semi-finals while Tweed, in the Intermediate section, is ahead of Bradford. Port Elgin and Dresden, also Intermediate, are tied at one game each.

First in the Juniors, Cobourg leads Dunnville 3-2 in games. Essex holds the same margin over Clinton. Tweed on the Intermediate level, has a three to one lead in games on Bradford.

Trotters

A pair of local harness racers finished in the top three money makers during Greenwood's winter meet. Ron Waples, R. R. 1, Rockwood reaped most of the hay with \$145,842. William Wellwood took third spot with \$86,287.

Charles Lawson of Orangeville finished the Jan. 1-March 20 season in fifth spot with \$67,571.

Major bant

The OMHA Major Bantam finals are tied at one game each between Markham and South London.

Markham took the first game of the best of five series 3-2. South London came back to win the second match 5-4.

Minor peewees tune up for the final tournament

The minor peewees finished off their playoff action on a winning note and will carry the same tune to Wasaga Beach and the final tournament of the season on Easter Weekend.

The minor peewees blanked New Hamburg 2-0 with the flawless goaltending of Tim Shields last Wednesday. The game was the final of the play-off series.

In exhibition play the minor peewees routed the Huron team from the Port Credit area 7-2.

The win against New Hamburg was the team's sixth in the round robin play. The players managed two ties and took a pair of losses in the playoffs.

Against New Hamburg, Rick Greenly gave the minor peewees a one goal lead from Robert Vermulden in the second frame. The first period ended in a scoreless tie.

Gord McArthur put the game out of reach for the Acton team with an un-assisted third period marker.

Eighth win
The Port Credit team supplied the minor peewees with an eighth victory against two losses in exhibition play Sunday.

The game was never really in doubt. Acton jumped into a three-zip lead in the first period. Port Credit put away two goals in the second frame, but the minor peewees put on the pressure in the final ten minutes with four straight goals.

Gord McArthur led the peewee scoring with a pair of goals and an assist. Mark Duval and Rick Greenly each collected a goal and an assist, while teammates Mike McCrae, Tim Ferguson and Randy Smith fired singles.

Tim Shields and Tim Baker shared the goaltending chores.

Port Credit's Greg Bertrand and Terry McManus replied once each for the Hurons.

The regular season schedule was not completed this season because of the OMHA playoffs. The minor peewees, however, finished

Minor ball figures up go to 17 teams

An unprecedented increase in soft ball registration this year has forced the Acton Minor Ball Association (AMBA) to expand by four teams.

The T-ball, rep and house **Minor ball winners**

The following are two groups of the Acton Minor Ball Draw.

On April 3 Mary Mitchell won \$100 with ticket number 269. The ten dollar winners were Eric Felker, 60, Dave Swackhammer, 171, Ross Britton 893, Heinz Haefner 168 and V. Grogan 929.

The March 6th draw made Mary Cooney a \$100 winner with ticket 905. Laura Burton, 1200, M. Campbell, 697, Bill Cox 343, J. Ferguson 878 and James Fletcher 585 each got \$10.

Pigtails first on diamonds

The first baseball team to practise in Acton this season may be wearing pigtails.

The Acton Minor Ball Association's Juvenile girls team will work out Thursdays at Robert Little School starting at 7:30 p.m.

All girls under 19 years of age in Halton Hills are invited by the team management to work out at the school gym.

The juveniles are managed by Pat Van Der Eyken (853-1819) and coached by Ed Wood (853-2310 or 0195).

the regular season with a ten win, six loss, and one tie record.

"We had a very successful year", says Wilf Duval, team manager.

Mr. Duval also said looking back over the season's play that most of the players had improved.

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