



**RAMS RAISE THEIR STICKS** high to signal yet another goal as they outscored Huntsville Hawks 17-16 in OLA playoff action here Thursday. Rams lead their best of five game series against Hawks by a two games to one margin. Hawks and Rams

go at it again here tonight in the fourth game. Huntsville handed Acton a 19-12 loss in the Hawks' nest Saturday. Ram number 12 is Kevin Marcoux.

# Rams hope to shoo Hawks out the playoff door

Acton Rams have a chance to put Huntsville Hawks out of the Ontario Lacrosse Association's Junior "C" playoffs in the fourth game of a best of five series here tonight. Rams lead the series two games to one after they muffed a chance to make it one, two, three in the Hawks' nest Saturday. Rams dropped the decision 19-12 after taking the first two games: 17-16 here Thursday and 13-11 at Huntsville the

previous Tuesday. The winner of the Ram-Hawk series will face Owen Sound Satellites in the next round of Central Division action. First place Satellites eliminated Dundas Bengals three straight. In other playoff action Orangeville Stingers hold a two-to-one lead in games over Windsor Athletic Association. Stingers clobbered Windsor

13-5 at Windsor. They also play tonight. The last two games of the Ram-Hawk series shows Acton players following a pattern. They start big in the first period, cut down in the middle frame, and end up short at the close. Here Thursday the scoring by period went 7-3 for Acton, 6-4 for Hawks and 7-6 again for Hawks. Saturday Rams led 7-5 after the initial 20 minutes, but Huntsville edged them 10-9 in the second and outthrust them 9-3 in the final period. With 59 seconds remaining Thursday and the teams tied 16-16 George Artem weaved by and dodged three Hawks and cleanly popped the ball behind Huntsville's goalie for the win. Artem is the Ram top marksman in the playoff series with ten goals. He also has three assists. He stands sixth in Central Division regular

## Cindy passes dance in summer skating

Cindy McGilloway, of Acton, passed her gold dance in Argentine Tango with the Silverthorne Figure Skating School at Western University Saturday. Summer figure skating school is being held at London, Ontario during July and this month. English professional Malcolm Cannon is instructing Cindy and Dave on "Dance Pair". Figure skating students from as far away as Nova Scotia and Saskatchewan are attending and making friends at the Silverthorne School. Cindy's brother Dave joined her at the school for six

## Artem is third Ram to bust century mark

George Artem is the third Ram to break the 100 point barrier in regular season scoring with his 106 mark this year. Artem netted 49 goals and helped on 57 others. League stats may place the high scoring Ram in the top ten marksmen in the OLA's Junior C Central Division.



**GEORGE ARTEM**

Mike Marcoux, who is Ram's assistant coach, holds the club's record for most goals scored: 89 in a single season. During 29 games in the '72 season Marcoux combined his record setting marksmanship with 26 assists to earn 115 points. The title for most points in a season still belongs to Bob Turkosz, who in 1971 collected 147 points from 88 goals and 59 assists. Rams were then classed as a Junior B team.

## Georgetowners win Acton invitational

Two Georgetown duffers walked off the greens with honors from Acton's First Invitational Golf Tournament Saturday. Eric Ross shot a 69 for the low gross; Ken Allen fired a 62 for the low net. The 32 golfers were split into three flights over the nine-hole course. Winners of "A" flight were H. Chapel, Bob Salter, Fred Temple, J. Bullough, K. Burbridge and Terry Hay. "B" flight champs were J. Jones, G. Hall, T. Worrall, G. Orr, J. Zazac and J. Crichton. The winners of "C" flight were Harold Townsley, G. Heller, G. McGowan, R. Eckroth, G. Welland and M. McHugh. Rain hampered enthusiasts during the invitational, but Jerry Pridmore of Acton Meadows, hopes next year's tournament will be bigger and better.

## Rural ball Bantams

	GP	W	L	P
Glen Williams	14	13	1	26
Lowville	11	7	4	14
Limehouse	12	4	8	8
Acton	15	2	13	4

## Men's ball

	G	W	L	T	P
Van's Welding	13	8	4	1	17
H.H. Electric	13	7	3	3	17
Station Hotel	13	6	5	2	14
I.H. Catering	12	6	6	0	12
IGA	12	5	7	0	10
Family Cleaners	13	3	10	0	6

## Chicks tie Metro again

Acton Chicks girls lacrosse team again tied their opposite numbers from Toronto during a game at the community centre last Wednesday. The Chicks tied the Metro squad 4-4. Two weeks previously at Toronto the Chicks forced their hosts into a three-all draw. The Chicks practise Thursday at 6 p.m. Camp opens North Halton Sports Camp opened at Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena Monday.

## Acton swimmers net firsts at Georgetown

Two Acton swimmers contributed firsts to Halton Hills' second place finish in a five team meet last week. Mark Bray and John Vadeika placed in the top three in races against Fairfield, Hamilton, Ancaster and Caledonia in the Georgetown Pool. In the age 9-10 events Mr. Bray won the free style and took seconds in individual medley and backstroke. Mr. Vadeika, in the same age group, won the breast stroke, and finished third in the individual medley. They tied for third in the butterfly event. Fairfield won the meet with 264 points. Halton Hills, collected 159 points. Swimmers from Acton, Georgetown and district are on the Halton Hills team.

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## At St. Catharines

## Thomson's arm again lifts Kinsmen to national title

Brookville Selects' hurler Sue Thomson helped Burlington Kinsmen win the Canadian Junior Ladies fastball championship on the weekend at St. Catharines.

game against Saskatchewan Bluebirds. Miss Thomson went six innings for an 8-4 win.

The 17-year old Brookville pitcher helped Burlington to the national championship two years ago. Last year Scarborough took the top hon-

ors, also with Miss Thomson on the mound. A Kitchener team went to the finals with Miss Thomson in 1973.

The Kinsmen scored four second-inning runs against the western team Burlington got one in the fourth and add-

ed three runs in the sixth. Saskatchewan scored single runs in the opener, second, fifth and sixth frames.

Kinsmen had four pitchers for the weekend. In their double-knockout qualifying matches Burlington nipped Saskatchewan 3-2, beat New Brunswick 3-1 and edged Nova Scotia 7-6. Their only loss was a 2-1 decision to Alberta.

## Selects nip Kitchener drop to Bridlewood

Brookville Selects knocked Kitchener out of the PWSA. A division in the playdowns by ripping Kitchener 6-5.

At one point Kitchener led Selects at Brookville three to nothing. Selects' Cathy McLeod blasted an eighth inning home run to give Brookville the win.

Sue Thomson was on the mound. Kim McTrach, Thomson, and Heather McEachern drew three runs for Selects in the sixth frame. Penny Pielt and Sandy Inglis added two in the seventh.

Single Kitchener got one run in the

second frame from Cynthia Charlton. In the fifth Olga Vujovic connected for her first of two game runs, and Wendy Kaufman and Debbie Kraemer added single runs.

In Southern Ontario Ladies' Fastball League play Bridlewood blanked Selects six to nothing last Wednesday. Bridlewood scored one run in the first, two in the fourth, one in the fifth and a pair in the seventh.

Thomson took the loss for the Selects.

## Colonials to play 5 games in 8 days

Rockwood Colonials played one game at the Priceville Fastball Tournament last weekend, and they lost a 5-4 overtime decision to a Richmond Hill team.

The teams were tied after playing tournament regular play seven innings. John Thatcher was on the Colonials' mound.

Rockwood got hits from Chick Milne, a pair, and Jim Thatcher and John Parkinson each with singles.

Priceville is located just south of Owen Sound. Tonight Colonials traveled to Belwood for a game, and tomorrow night they again take to the road for a match at Hillsburgh.

In weekend action, Cambridge is at Rockwood on Saturday and Orangeville visits Colonial territory Sunday.

Next Tuesday Rockwood is in a rematch at Hillsburgh. All games start at 8:15 p.m.

## Acton Open

The annual Acton Open Golf Tournament is on this weekend at Halton Heights Golf Club at Milton.

Duffers got off with a shotgun start at 8 a.m. They will play for several trophies which will be awarded later in Acton.

Some positions are still open.

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## Hockey

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