

Curling Club News

by Pete Vidler

Although the main objective of the Acton Curling Club is to promote the activity of curling, that is not all it provides. Notice that I said activity of curling and not sport of curling. People indulge themselves in curling for many different reasons. For most people, they engage in curling to get some healthful winter exercise and to participate in social fellowship. They enjoy the fun they have with other people - young and old alike. Others may look on curling as a sport - a game which offers competition in both the physical and mental sense. Most people try to combine the elements of fellowship, exercise and competition according to their own needs. Whatever their reasons for curling at our club, it just so happens that everyone tries to mix with everyone as well as they possibly can so everyone comes out a winner.

A share of first place last week with a win in a wide open game against Claude Cook. I wonder if Mac Dumarsh who vices for Claude will let Bill Aaker with a win again. Colin Baker's rink of Flo Barber, Mac Sprowl and Chris Geggie are the other in first place. They got there by skimping over Pete Ginn's rink last Monday. Somebody has rumored that Mac upset Peter's team by looking very officious and flashing a sheriff's badge. However Peter's team of Linda Ross, Bill Geggie and Marg Mackenzie must have curled well - they took five of the eight ends. Tough luck, Pete! Interesting games this week match Jack Holmes' rink of Pearl Baker, Martin Oelrich and Grace Lucas against Bill Dumarsh's team. And also on this draw, instead of a grader, Roy Rozelle will be driving his team of Jean McPhail, Jeff Moulden and Ann Ridley to victory. Both Jack and Roy have excellent chances to nab a share of first place.

Monday 9-11—This draw is still wide open and very even. The women (Mary Watson, Nancy Vidler) on Fred Archibald's team are holding their team up in the standings. Bill Cripp's rink of Finni Verbik, Carl Rosenquist and Dorothy Few are coming on strong. Teams of Ab Robinson, Ted Tyler Jr. and Sherry Few are all making their presence felt. This week Ted Jr. leads his team of Ina Mellon, Gord Toth and Yvonne Rosenquist against Sherry's rink of Dolores Tyler, George Robertson and Mary O'Leary.

Wednesday 9-11—Fred Archibald and his rink still lead this draw with a perfect 3-0 record along with Andy McKenzie's rink. Don Ross is still looking for a lead and a win. Last week Don was involved in just a great game with Ken Marchment. It went to an extra end and the last rock thrown by Ken who had to draw to the four foot. He did. A well played game boys. It sure was enjoyed by all of us behind the glass pulling on a pint or two. You should have heard all of the skipping going on. Now our club should

be in the briar with all our knowledge. Thursday Night—Gwen Tyler is bound and bent she's going to capture the McKenzie Trophy. She and her team of Sue Beemer, Anne Pickering and Marion Wilson have a perfect 3-0 record. Nicole Campbell and her rink of Dolly Moulden, Pearl Baker and Mary Smith are making overtures about grabbing first place but Gwen's team knocked them off last week.

Friday 7-9—Both John Wintern and Tony Verbik were making a run at first place until last week when Tony got severely bumped off by Udo Fleback and his wife Fiona along with Ron Loutlet and Trev Patrick. This probably signals the big move by Udo and company. Andy McKenzie's rink of Kit King, Fred New and Mary Watson, dropped John Mintern in a closely fought game giving Andy a share of first place. Dennis Rowley's team of wife Joyce, and Gabe and Shirley Rosenbersky also have crept

into first place. Friday 9-11—Fred Archibald tells me no-one will beat him this year. That remains to be seen but he'd better look out for Sherry Few's rink, Bruce McArthur's team and Howard Campbell's foursome who are hot on his heels. Feel the pressure, Freddie.

Georgetown junior Rebels basketball team clinched its first Halton Championship with a 40-33 win over Blakelock last week.



Youth bowling

By Dale Anderson

Bantams
1st Shift: The Sparrows were left with egg on their faces as the Orioles flew off with both games and totals. The Cardinals left the Robins seeing red as they took off with both games and totals. The Blue Jays took the first game but couldn't stop the crowd from getting the second game.

Standings: Cardinals 19, Orioles 17, Blue Jays 11, Crows 10, Sparrows 9, Robins 3.
2nd Shift: The Wrens out-swooped the Eagles and carried

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hockey as he and the rest of the team blanked Hamilton 2-0.

Jamie Taras fired the winning goal in the first period, while Brad McPherson put the game on ice on a goal from Jamie Taras.

Bantam
Don Buchanan shut the door to all Cougar marksmen as he and the Nordics shutout Cougars 4 to 0.

Nordic Todd McIntyre notched two unassisted goals after Dave De Vries and Dave Lawson put the team two goals ahead. McIntyre also earned an assist on Lawson's goal.

Toro netminder Brad Jenkinson turned aside all shots as the team blanked Aeros 6-0.

Joe Trecepelli came through with a three goal effort and an assist on one of two goals by Dave Mitchell. Mitchell also picked up a couple of assists. Paul Marchment accounted for Toro's other goal.

Dave Midland, Mike Swetman, Rick Miller and Warren Hawthorne also helped the Toros to the win by setting up goals.

Midlet
Larry Kurtz fired the winning goal, one of three he netted, as Montreal downed Detroit 6-1. Kurtz also shares an assist on Russell Allen's goal with Robert Allen.

Les Dalton and Mike Nichols unleashed the other two Montreal markers. Dalton also assisted on one goal as did Dave Williamson. Russ Allen helped on three goals.

Dave Johnson replied once for Detroit and helped on two additional goals. Rob Edge counted for one goal and an assist. Bill Waites and Nick Humeniuk inked the one goal each. Bernie Harding and Ron Guest also helped the team with assists.

Toronto's Scott Ingles waited until the third period of the Toronto-Vancouver game to slip in the winner from Jeff Gardner. Toronto edged Vancouver 3-2.

Allen Snels started Toronto's scoring on a pass from Rusty Miller, while Dave Murchison fired the team's second goal.

Gary Pickles replied once for Vancouver, and Terry Winters tied the game 2-2 in the second period on a pass from Gord Scott.

Elmira shades major bants

Elmira shaded the Fire-fighter bantams 2-1 in W-W play Monday at Elmira.

Don Brouillard spoiled Elmira goalie R. Ament's bid for a shutout when he connected with a pass from Mark Teasdale and Bob Allsup.

R. Kirkorian gave Elmira a 1-0 lead in the first period and S. Cope added one in the second before Acton got on the score sheet.

Seniors
The Sioux caught up to the Iroquois to take the first two games and totals out of reach. The Cherokees must have looked the other way as the Hurons rolled off with all games and totals.

After picking off the first game the Apaches got off the trail as the Mohawks took the second and third games for totals. This leaves the Seniors with a four way tie for first place. It should be a good contest next week.

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Top ten: Bobby Felker 618 (227), Dave Pleht 590 (278), Pat Storey 553 (255), Renate Voskamp 552 (211), Kevin Archibald 540 (253), Debbie James 538 (200), Mickey Phillips 520 (187), Gord Degen 512 (202), Joanne Gordon 502 (187), Rob Bourfield 480 (196).

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Juniors
1st Shift: The Coyotes picked up the last game of the first and second games and totals. The Panthers, after taking the first two games and totals left the third for the Wolves to retrieve. The Lions roar was quieted as the Bears lobbed off with all three games and totals.

Standings: Coyotes 18 1/2, Wolves 18, Tigers 17, Bears 17, Panthers 14 1/2, Lions 11.

2nd Shift: The Raccoons were trampled as the Elephants claimed all three games and totals while the Kangaroos were left hopping mad as the Bobcats took off with all three games and totals. The Beavers chewed up the first two games for totals leaving the third game for the Leopards.

Standings: Bobcats 25, Kangaroos 21, Leopards 17, Elephants 12, Raccoons 11, Beavers 11.

Top ten: Gail Robb 647 (228), Gardner Rowles 557 (196), JoAnne Mandarino 531 (270), Lynn Phillips 508 (198), Lisa Thomas 481 (173), Colleen McKnight 484 (180), Jody Sheppard 478 (185), Graham White 477 (182), Tracey Gordon 458 (182).

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An example of this fellowship happened last Wednesday night. It didn't happen out on the ice where everyone was in tight competition but afterwards in the lounge where these same people who had competed against one another were enjoying all kinds of laughs and at times serious discussion of current topics. Doug Rhyndard provided the laughs with his timely jokes as did Bob Lovell. Discussions revealed that maybe Fred Archibald should run for mayor - imagine that! On council we could have Bill Cripps, Bruce Barber and Earl Steckley. For board of education I'm sure Vic Patrick and Bill Toth would accept the nominations. All of this of course is strictly rhetorical but just an example of the fun I had that night. And on Friday night in the lounge I was fortunate enough to hear of Colin Baker's secret ambition. That's some ambition, Colin!

Monday 7-9—Bill Dumarsh's foursome of Susan Patrick, Don Towler and Lois Mackenzie grabbed

Friday 7-9—Bob Bradley

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