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Bob Doyle scoops up the ball while pitcher Mike Manes looks on during the championship game of the Back to Acton Days Fastball tournament. Jug City won the championship, beating Halton Hills Electric to do it.

## Jug City shocks Electric pulls upset at fastball tourney

Jug City walked off the diamond at Prospect Park Sunday, champions of the annual Back to Acton Days Fastball Tournament, staging an upset victory over Halton Hills Electric to do it.

Jug City won the final match 6-5. Mississauga captured the girls' division winning 4-2 over Jarvis, also on Sunday.

The men's final was a battle between two local industrial leagues. Halton Hills Electric, of the Acton Industrial Fastball League, which sponsored the tournament, was favored to win over Jug City of the upstart Condominium league, if only because they had beaten them earlier in the tournament.

The game was close, until Electric finally got on the scoreboard in the second inning with a pair of runs. Dave Allen and Rick Bonnette batted singles to get on base.

Then a single by Steve Townsley and a Sacrifice Fly by Jim Preston brought them home. Scott Somerville hit another single before Ken Hurren struck out to end the inning.

Jug City narrowed the lead in the bottom of the third on a single run by Bob Doyle, but it wasn't until the bottom of the fifth before they shifted into

gear.

There, thanks to a succession of errors on Electric's part, Jug City scored five more runs. Mike Manes, Bill Manes, Wayne McMillan, Fred Lockerby and Bill Clarke, all touched home building a 6-2 lead.

But fielding errors proved costly to Jug City and well. They almost handed the game back to Electric in the top of the sixth, as the club rallied for three runs.

Preston, Bob Jarrett and Gary Masters touched home. Scott Somerville was named the tournament's most valuable player.

Jug City defeated the Bears 12-8 before losing to Electric in their first match-up 6-3, and downed Tack and Tog 14-10 enroute to the final.

Electric doubled the Bears 4-2 and nipped Tack and Togs 9-7 to reach the championship game.

Bears walloped Tack and Tog 14-5 in the other contest.

Jug City had put themselves in a commandable position in the first game against the Bears Saturday, leading 11-1 by the top of the fourth.

Bears came back in the fifth with big hits by Sid

Barens, Tim Coles and Dan Schuler. Other Bear runs were scored by Mike Pedcough, Gary Copeland and Nate Field.

Top gunners for Jug City were Bill Clarke, George Brown, Rod Beaumont, Fred Landry and Manes.

Lockerby slugged a homer in their game against Electric. McMillan and Clark scored the other runs in the 6-3 loss.

Sommerville, Jim McNabb and Rick Bonnette with two each and Steve Townsley touched home for Electric.

Crossing the plate for Jug City in their 14-10 victory over Tack and Tog Sunday were Clarke, no less than four times, Manes, Doyle, Lockerby, Van Aregon, Landry and John Manes.

Big hitters for Tack and Togs were Jamie Morris, Bill McCormie, Ron Schmidt and Larry King.

Brian Canary belted a two bagger in the second frame with ducks on the pond in Electric's game with Tack and Togs. Other big sluggers were Somerville, Hurren and Townsley.

Lyle Prueter slammed a three-base hit in the seventh leading Electric to their 4-2 win over the Bears. Steve Garrett stroked a pair of singles for the Bears. Other big hitters were Copeland and Field.

Bears had better luck against Tack and Togs, capturing a 14-5 win. Joe Vanlyx crossed the plate three times. Garrett Field, Cliff Britton and Gary Barnes all slugged two baggers for the Bears.

Mike Miller was top slugger for Tack Togs, with two doubles and a triple.

Mississauga dominated the girls' competition, capturing a 9-5 victory over Erin, an 8-1 beating of Orangeville and downing Jarvis 10-2 before meeting them again in the final.

Orangeville slammed Erin 7-2, Jarvis dumped Erin 13-7, and nipped Orangeville 7-6 enroute to the final.

## Fread, Oldtimers victims of Pilgrim's pitching, both snared by Unisal

Ken Pilgrim's pitching arm is in fine form. Just ask Fread Construction who fell victim to the Unisal chucker in last Wednesday evening's industrial ball game, falling 4-1.

Pilgrim scattered five hits while fanning nine batters and walking two for the victory. But it was a close game until the sixth frame, when Unisal jumped on opposing pitcher Bob Merriken. Merriken, up to that point, had whiffed four batters and scattered only four hits.

Fread took a single run in the second, when Mike McGregor crossed the plate on a single by Barry Buchanan. Unisal's Charlie Harrison nearly led the game in the fourth but was tagged out enroute to home plate. McGregor picked up a single and tossed it to Dave Boycott for the tag.

It was up to Dennis Kirton in the sixth to start Unisal in the right direction, which he did with a tri-

ple base hit. Harrison, Terry O'Brien and Ian Campbell, followed with singles.

Gus Holmes banged a two bagger in the do or die seventh for Fread, but a strike out, a fly out and a ground out ended the game.

Unisal continued their winning ways Monday night at Prospect Park with a 5-3 victory over Firestone Oldtimers. Pilgrim took the victory again, on the mounds for Unisal.

Frank Daley and Gary Masales shared the loss for the Oldtimers. Unisal's Dennis Kirton slammed a triple in the game, but was tagged out at home in the fifth inning.

Other big Unisal hits came off the bats of Terry O'Brien, Roy Bosch, Ray Russiani and Pilgrim.

Jules Russiani belted a single run homer in the third. Doug Pratt and Don Archibald scored the other Oldtimer runs.



The Wolves downed the Leopards 1-0 in atom house league action Monday night, despite the kicking efforts of this Leopards. The game was close, with Wolves' goal coming midway through the second half. Leopards poured on the pressure in the final minutes, but failed to tie the game.

### Minor soccer report

## Tornadoes and Thorpe are a deadly combo

by Jim Richmond

Bob's Angels nipped the Lions 3-2 in squirt house league soccer action last week. Both teams played an outstanding game, but Karl Krasznin was exceptionally good in goal for the Angels.

Sean Reynolds and Erin McDougal played their best games of the season for the Angels and Lincoln Cassie was outstanding for the Lions.

Chris McGeragle led the Angels' scoring all three goals, while Michael Kinnon picked up the assist. Wayne Bousefield scored both of the Lions' markers.

The Gunners and Rockwood tied 1-1 in the other squirt game.

Playing their best game of the year for the Gunners were Jimmy Sales, Sheldon Stuckless, Glen Patterson and in the net Robbie Richmond.

Derrick Martin scored for the Gunners while Dennis Hosdill booted in the Rockwood goal.

The Tornadoes blasted Eramosa 9-4 in their third squirt match last week. The score was not indicative of the play however, as Eramosa had only eight players to work with.

Tornadoes' Brad Thorpe is becoming one of the top scorers in the league. He scored six in this game, aided by Joe Martin, who made a beautiful pass for one of the goals. Jason Piper and Bill Gillies with two, also scored.

Ryan Masales played a solid game, as did Billy Koeslae and Michael Duncan. Robby Morland made some excellent saves in nets.

### Wolves blast Rockwood

The Wolves blasted Rockwood A's 9-3 in atom ac-

tion. Chris Graham led the Wolves' attack with three goals.

David Thorpe netted two, while Rod Laver, Tommy Nolan, Geoff Burton and Sean Yamashita each scored singles.

Robbie Love, Danny North and Don Winter scored for Rockwood.

The Cougars defeated Eramosa 9-3, in one of their best games of the season. Stephen Robertson led the way with three goals, but he was supported by a good team effort.

Other goalgetters were Bryan Creasy, Dale Stewart, Troy Connelly, Gareth Marks, Jason Ash and David Craig, all with singles.

In house league action next week, the Wolves visit Rockwood A's, Rockwood B's play Leopards and Cougars meet Eramosa on Monday in atom division.

Newcastle squares off against Eramosa and United plays Celtic in the pee-wee-bantam division tomorrow while Hillbillies take on the Torpedos in Hillsburgh, Eramosa meets Salamanders in Ospringe and Acton Kings face Rockwood in Rockwood in mosquito division Tuesday.

There are no squirt games scheduled.

### Squirt House League Soccer Standings as of June 25, 1981

Team	G	W	L	T	GF	GA	P
Bob Angels	5	4	1	0	11	4	8
Lions	5	3	1	1	18	10	7
Tigers	5	3	2	0	19	11	6
Gunners	6	2	3	1	6	12	5
Eramosa	5	2	3	0	10	20	4
Tornadoes	5	1	2	2	17	15	4
Rockwood	5	0	3	2	8	17	2



Curling Club ladies held their annual golfing tournament Sunday. Winning twosome was Lynda McDonald and Willa Hewitt. Convenors Finni Berblak and Karen Archibald presented the trophies. Left to right: Finni, Lynda, Willa and Karen.

### Halton-Rural report

## Olympia cops first victory

Olympia Drive-In-Indusmin squirts celebrated their first victory of the season last Wednesday, with a convincing 10-6 win over Glen Williams.

Kerrilyn Cripps was on the mound for Olympia, whiffing nine batters.

They clinched the victory with a seven-run inning. Big hits came off the bats of Tracy Lyn Barclay-Smith, Lori Jarrett, Cindy Anderson and Tammy Hammond.

Gunning for Glen were Joanne Toten, Tracy Weeks and Carina Stevens.

But Olympia-Indusmin's winning streak ended there as they dropped 20-13 decision to Omagh Saturday in the first of three game series with that club.

Although Acton got off to a good start, scoring seven runs in the first inning to Omagh's five, Omagh came back for the win.

Paula Raine batted a home run. Lisa Rider, Cheryl Hancock, and Gail McArthur belted some strong singles.

Andrea Cote, Tammy Brouwers and Denise Gregg played solid games for Omagh.

Squirts play again tonight (Wednesday) against Omagh.

### Optimists seek revenge

Optimist squirt boys have a chance to avenge an 18-10 loss last Wednesday in Acton, when they travel

to Glen Williams in the second half of a home and home series in Halton Rural ball action.

Shawn Dryden and Mike Williams shared pitching duties for Optimists in last Wednesday's loss. Glen's winning chucker was Charlie Hancock.

Glen had already built a sizeable lead by the bottom of the second. Paul Sankey, Mike Brouwer and Mike Arnott scored runs for the Optimists, but Glen replied with eight of their own, including a home run by Derek Mayer.

Despite a pair of two-base hits by Dryden, and some singles from Williams and Jason Campbell, Glen continued their domination with a seven-run inning in the fifth.

Optimists had better luck against Hornby Thursday, June 18, capturing a 22-13 victory. Dryden and Williams again shared the mound and Dryden also connected on two homers.

Other big guns for the Optimists in the game were Arnott, and Sanky with several singles each. Scoring runs were Williams, Arnott, Chris Lindsay, Sankey, Brouwer, Campbell, David Harrison, Chris Griggs and Charles Vanitem.

Losing pitcher for Hornby, Frank Lendvay, belted a homer for Hornby. Steve Waters also stepped a four-bagger.

### Tri County report

## Transmissioners remain undefeated

Acton Transmissioner aquirta bombed Brookville Saturday 31-4, capping off two weeks of solid performances and convincing wins.

The Transmissioners, as yet undefeated this year, started their conquests Thursday, June 18, nipping Ponsonby 10-8.

Monday, June 22, they returned to Ponsonby, defeating them 17-9, before walloping Brookville 27-3 Thursday.

Rob Murray scored a homer for Acton in Saturday's match. Other big hitters were Shawn McFadden with a triple and Scott Williams, Carl Yaroschak and David Roden each with doubles.

Murray and Roden also smacked three singles each, Frank Katsilleris, Paul Campbell, Craig Cadenhead and McFadden slugged two singles each while Evann Hayter and Greg Leatherland belted one single each.

Roden also stood out in Thursday's game, sparking at third base, making several key plays. At bat he tapped a single, triple and another homer.

Yaroschak smacked a double and a single while John Van Dam, McFadden, Hayter, and Katsilleris belted singles.

Scott Williams went the distance on the mound. Williams and Katsilleris shared duties on the mound in the 10-8 win over Ponsonby. Together they shifted 18 batters.

Van Dam, David Hinz, Yaroschak and Hayter all belted singles. Cadenhead and Yaroschak added doubles.

Katsilleris was also winning chucker in the June 22 contest, fanning 12 sluggers. Leatherland, Hinz, Yaroschak, Roden, Cadenhead, Van Dam, Hayter and Murray slugged singles.

### Furniture tries again

If at first you don't succeed, the Halton Hills Furniture and Appliances pee-wee girls always say, try, try again.

After failing to dampen Maryhill's undefeated streak Saturday, losing 11-9 in a raindate match, the pee-wees had another crack at them last night (Tuesday). Results were unavailable at press time.

Saturday, Acton's Jackie Roden led the way, scoring the only home run in the game.

But Furniture's strength lay in their fielding game. Shortstop Lee Ann Johnson, for instance, caught three fly balls. Leahann Jarrett picked off two while Diane Hancock caught one.

It was the first meeting of the two teams, this season, with Acton coming off a big victory in Aberfoyle the night before.

There the Furniture pee-wees blasted Puslinch 25-8. Gaynor Jenkinson went the distance on the mound for Acton. Hancock and Jenny McDonald sparked in the field, each catching fly balls in the opening frame. Then in the sixth, Hancock tossed a double play, tagging a runner at second before throwing home to Diana Dunn for the out.

Johnson and McDonald led the offensive attack with home run each.

### Peeweewees lead Puslinch

Acton tri-county pee-wee boys are leading Puslinch 16-8 in the first meeting of these two teams.

But they haven't won yet. The game, played in Puslinch Thursday, was called for curfew after only three innings, since the start was delayed by lack of umpires.

When it finally did get underway, Acton jumped into the lead on three runs each by Kevin Lobalinger and Steven Parker. Paul Porty and Tom Bartolac scored two runs each with singles going to Craig Colston, Randy McIntyre, Mike Cunningham and Steve Fuller.

The game will be continued Monday in Puslinch.

Last Wednesday, the pee-wees avenged a recent loss to Fergus, downing them 5-2 at Prospect Park. The victory was the result of some solid fielding. At bat, Lobalinger Chris Cooney Jeff White and Mike Ormsby scored runs.

The victory came on the heels of a disappointing loss to Rockwood last Tuesday. There Acton was about as fired up as a firecracker in the bottom of a waterbucket. This lack of enthusiasm allowed Rockwood to coast to an easy 5-3 victory.

Rockwood scored their five runs in the first inning. Then they brought out their pitchers for a practice session at Acton's expense. Acton's runs were scored on walked by White, Cooney and Spencer Smith.