



The Vancouver midget team of the Legion Hockey league is this week's 'Feature Team' after they trounced Toronto 4-1 Sunday. Team members are: (back row, left to right) coach John Johnson, Mike Cunningham, Jeff Knapman, Clint MacMillan, Mike Peeters, assistant coach Steve Brunella, (front, left to right) Shane Adams, Benny Dubil, Bob Tremblay and John Moran.



Vancouver goalie Benny Dubil made a quick move to thwart this Toronto sharp-shooter who attempted to narrow the three-goal gap with a breakaway late in the third period Sunday.

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Holmes plate
 By MARK HOLMES

Those Redmen girls are still at it, this week they claimed two more wins each and they're almost sure of first place in their league.

I have to be honest and say I haven't usually been interested in high school sports but the high calibre of play these girls display and their winning spirit has really caught my interest.

I'll bet a few of AHS competitors are interested too. They're really wondering how they'll stop those wily Redmen.

I had a press release dropped on my desk this week that informed me Olympic swimmer Alex Baumann, who eats six eggs a day when he's training, has agreed to act as a spokesman for the Canadian Egg Marketing Agency. Talk about curbing the chicken population, eh!

I stopped in at the home of John Rogers (president of the AMHA) this week to discuss the AMHA's planned trip to Norway next month and I was extremely pleased to hear that fund-raising is going well.

Having more than a passing interest in the trip, I am hoping that the terrific support the new executive has received will continue.

I hope to accompany the two teams overseas to cover the exhibition games and get a taste of Europe while I'm over there.

For those readers who aren't familiar with the plans, the two hockey teams and some of the parents and executive will be leaving December 28 and returning January 9 with stops in Oslo, Norway, and Copenhagen, Denmark.

I'm really looking forward to the trip and I hope Oslo's weather is a little more co-operative than Acton's at that time of year.



Off and running! Acton High's Doreen Uranick runs to the front at the start of the senior girls race at the OFSAA Cross Country Championships on Saturday at the Georgetown Golf and Country Club. About 1,200 of the province's best converged on the course in search of Ontario titles under sunny skies. Uranick, a favorite heading into the event, had to settle for fourth spot in the final, back of winner Tammy Roberts of Pickering. About 4,000 people attended the day long event sponsored by Foot Locker.



Acton's Maria Brillinger heads down one of the steep hills on the Georgetown Golf Club cross country course on Saturday. Brillinger ran to an impressive 14th place finish among the over 200 entered in the race.



Doreen Uranick is consoled by coach Bruce Andrews following a fourth place finish at the Ontario High School Cross Country championships. Uranick led at the start of the race but had to settle for fourth at the finish line.

Lopsided scores

Lopsided scores marked the day on Sunday in Recreational Non-contact hockey at Alcott arena in Georgetown.

North Star Cleaners tripled The Boys 9-3 while Exchange House toppled the Jaycees 11-2 and Acton got hot against Halton Hills Radiator, 15-4.

Noel Stoyles led the North Star squad to their win with three goals and three assists while Terry Moustard had four points on two goals and a pair of assists. John Coffey assisted on two Boys' goals.

Exchange House got three goals and three assists from Kevin Phillips as they topped the Jaycees, 11-2. Rick Donaldson and Dave Norton picked up four points each in the win while Brian Farrell and Bill Stansel scored in the losing effort for the Jaycees.

Dave McGilloway picked up nine points as Acton dumped Halton Hills Radiator 15-4. McGilloway scored twice and assisted on seven others while Scott Malcolm scored four times. Todd McIntyre chipped in a goal and five assists. Rob Evans was the other big shooter netting three goals and an assist. Mark Waters scored twice for the losers.

Royals lose

Intermediate 'C' Hockey action on the weekend saw Hillsburgh Royals split a pair of games. The Royals dropped a 6-4 penalty-filled decision to Elora Rocks Friday night in Elora before bouncing back for a 5-4 win over New Hamburg Towers Saturday evening on home ice.

In Elora the defending Ontario Hockey Association Champion Rocks and Hillsburgh combined for 143 minutes in penalties with the difference being the Elora power play. The Rocks scored three goals with man power advantages with the Royals could only connect once on seven chances.

Redmen contenders for league honors

Cross Country
 Competing in the OFSAA Cross Country meet held in Georgetown on Saturday, AHS runners Doreen Uranick and Maria Brillinger made brilliant showings.

Uranick, running in the Senior 4900 meter event, placed fourth and Brillinger, running in the Midget girls' 3100 metre event, claimed position number 14.

Coach Bruce Andrews remarked that both runners performed well.

Basketball
 On the Redmen basketball courts both the Junior and Senior girls' squads are top contenders for first place in the league.

The Senior girls' have established a perfect six win, no loss record while the Junior girls' maintain a respectable seven win, one loss tally.

In this week's action the Junior and Senior teams took on Blakelock Oct. 30 and with little trouble the Juniors took a 46-45 win and the Seniors claimed a 40-32 victory.

The top Junior scorers in the match were Susan Craig with 20 points and Lee Ann Johnston with 13 points.

Linda Thompson led the Senior's scoring drive with eight points while Andrea Arbic, Judy Thomson and Boo Tufford recorded six points each.

On Nov. 1 Redmen travelled to Oakville Trafalgar and once again both squads claimed wins.

The Juniors, led by Lee Ann Johnston with 16 points and Susan Craig with nine points, recorded a 42-30 win and the Seniors, led by Teresa Dunn with 15 points and Andrea Arbic with 10 points, notched a 43-36 win.

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Midgets lack effort but claim win

Despite maintaining their perfect record this season with a 6-3 win over Woolwich Saturday, Ed's In and Out Midgets' coach Steve Marshall is anything but happy with the team's efforts.

"There wasn't any passing and there was a total lack of team effort," said Marshall.

Acton was first onto the scoreboard with a first period goal by Pete Cargill and then Woolwich came back moments later to tie up the game.

Brad Demone, Dan Bourdeleau and Steve Wagner then rounded out the first period tally with a goal each.

In the second frame Acton managed to collect one more goal when Bourdeleau whiffed the Woolwich goaltender and then the opposition returned fire with two goals to narrow the lead.

A final goal by Jason Rogers clinched the game.

Acton assists came from Rogers, David Haynes, Kevin Lobsinger, Cargill, Scott Phelan, Mike Nellis and Steve Martin.

The Midgets' next home game will be Nov. 16 at 7:40 when they take on Waterloo.

Atoms claim shutouts

The Acton Atom Glenlea Drugs squad pegged identical 7-0 wins this week against Guelph and Kitchener.

On Oct. 30 battling against Guelph on home ice Ricky Demone and Don Crispin shared the goaltending duties to achieve the shutout.

A stellar performance by Brad Demone netted the Acton player all seven goals with aid coming from Scott Foster, Don Haynes, Troy MacDougall, Kent Stuckey and Brad Cripps.

Demone and Crispin were in net for the team's second shutout of the year Nov. 2 as Brad Hayter and Jeremy Cooney led the Acton scoring drive with two goals each. Rounding out the score was Jim Lloyd, Cripps and MacDougall.

Acton assists came from Steve Turkosz, Hayter, Cooney and Lloyd.

Shinny dates

Opening the Legion hockey schedule Nov. 10 in the Pee-Wee division will be Cleveland and Tidewater at 6 a.m. Following will be Rochester and Baltimore doing battle at 6:55 a.m.

In the Atom league London meets St. Kitts at 7:50 a.m. and Oshawa will take on Hamilton at 8:45 a.m.

Novice action will begin at 9:55 a.m. with Burlington and Oakville facing off and at 10:55 a.m. Dixie meets Weston. At 11:50 a.m. Guelph and Brampton will pit their skills against one another.

The Whalers will take on the Jets at 12:45 in the Bantam division and the Cougars vs. the Rockies at 1:45 p.m.

On Sunday Nov. 11 in the Midget division Toronto vs. Edmonton at 4 p.m. and Montreal meets Vancouver at 5 p.m.

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back of Ken's mind for a month, he admitted, but agreed the actual decision came quickly.

"Maybe I came on too strong and expected too much," stated Southwick. "I wish the boys the best of luck. They may be a little short on talent but they make up for it in desire."

The new coach, or old coach in Russiani, agrees. "They are very young but have a good spirit," claimed Jules after leading the squad to a 5-5 tie with Milton and 4-3 loss to Burlington in weekend games. "They have enthusiasm and a will to learn," stated Jules.

Russiani's first game behind the bench resulted in a 4-3 loss to the Burlington Cougars but the veteran coach is looking forward to the future. "We took the game away from them in the second half of the game," claimed Russiani.

