

Thirty Teenagers Learning Leadership in 'Y' Course

by G Towne

Thirty Georgetown teenagers learning to become leaders through the Y's intensive leadership training course which began last Wednesday evening in Cedarvale. This six-week course is being directed by Eamon, executive director of the Brampton Y and part-time director of the Georgetown Y. It is designed primarily for future councillors for the Y's Summer Day Camp, but the course teaches skills useful in any type of group leadership in church, clubs, playground.

"We plan to show how to lead, to conduct games, to lead sing-songs," said Mr. Eamon, "but more important, to teach these young leaders-in-training to understand children, to understand their thinking and to understand their own personalities as leaders."

A LITTLE RADICAL

The first session, the teenagers were presented with the theme of a dynamic camper who is trying to run the camp away at the expense of the majority. The leaders-to-be were seated into groups to discuss and solve the problem. Later they had to evaluate their performance in discussing and solving the problem.

Some of our methods may seem a little radical," said Mr. Eamon, "but before anyone can be a good leader they must be themselves. This is what we are trying to show these teenagers."

MANY EXPERTS

"We have some conventional ideas planned," he went on, "but the last class is entirely about water safety. There'll be separate water-front director the day camp and many qualified lifeguards, but every instructor MUST be an expert water safety."

Assisting Mr. Eamon in this course are Mrs. Jo Lister, Mrs. Williams, Mr. John Owen, Mrs. Dorothy Gillespie. The course is offered, without charge to those interested teenagers.

and the teenagers are interested, creative, enthusiastic — a really great bunch!

SELF-STARTERS

Anyone who complains about young people should come see these," I commented to Lister at Wednesday's session. "They're terrific self-starters."

Most youngsters are," said Lister. "You should see the group at 'our place'."

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Reshaping Junior Hockey

Take Step Toward Super C Loop

A recommendation now before the Ontario Hockey Association could open the door for a super Junior C hockey grouping in time for next season.

The recommendation which came out of the annual OHA meeting Sunday, would give regular Junior C teams the right to compete against so-called over-populated (Super) Junior C teams at playoff time.

Groundwork for the recommendation was laid at an unofficial meeting last Wednesday involving representatives of 9 Junior C clubs.

Delegates from Dundas, Grimsby, Hespeler, Milton, Georgetown, Burlington, Streetsville and Bramalea were hosted by Oakville Blades' officials.

The recommendation for the Super Junior C circuit was handed down after a proposal that the nine teams be allowed to form a Junior B circuit gained no support.

The invited teams showed a common interest in forming a

CAMPERS WALK ON THE BRUCE TRAIL

Perfect weather added to the enjoyment of a walk on the Bruce Trail for members of the Georgetown Fireflies camping club and their families, Sunday.

They assembled at the corner of the 9th Line Esquimesing and No. 27 Sideroad near Fallbrook Farm and walked a scenic section of the trail between there and the 10th Line of Esquimesing, stopping on a lookout point for refreshments.

PASSED SWIM TESTS

Alpine Health Club winter program.

Beginners: Ricky Steinke, Judy Kennedy, Diane Muirhead, Kathy Turner, Jane Trueman, Alice Boone, Pauline Boone, Marlene Adema, Lee Ann Lyons, Jane Cartwright, Susan and Glen Peer, Stacey Hamilton, Jackie and Michael Morette, Theresa Hartley, Tim Potter, Paul Potter, James Lawson, Bob Hill, Cathy and Robby Masson, Kathy and Mark Ollivier, Ross Knipe, Gordon Kennedy.

Juniors: Blair Thompson, Kevin Thompson, Nick Hill, Wendy Barrager, Lori Davey, Karen Drake, Lee Ferguson, Mike Davey, Brenda Furlotte, Cheryl Furlotte, Tara Faris, Marcy Hewitt, John McCrehead, Janice Snow, John Veitch.

SORRY, FELLOWS!

Cutlines under a couple of pictures appearing on a Herald sport page last week didn't tell the truth. The Baltimore captain accepting the American League champion-ship trophy was not Bob Fotheringham but John Wright, and the Ottawa captain was really Paul Krowchuk. Sorry fellows, but we were only using information supplied to us.

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snack bar, a stage area for their rock groups and have painted everything wild. Not satisfied with just improving their environment they want to learn things too.

DRUG SEMINARS

A group of them decided to attend family drug seminars at Sheridan College to find out

the truth about drugs instead of believing what they hear on the street. The Georgetown Y has sponsored six of them to attend the seminars as well as providing transportation.

From what I can see both at the Leadership training course, and at 'Our Place' there are going to be a lot of progressive young adults in the next decade.

new division because of their geographical convenience.

Travelling would be a cinch and rivalry would be tremendous said one delegate.

Many of the regular Junior C teams would like to play-off with the over-populated groups.

Last season, the Super Junior C category forced teams to separate after regular season play and go into their respective playoff groups.

The Super Junior C grouping was established only last summer to permit teams with

Junior B populations to continue playing in C ranks. Teams from Oakville, Burlington, Woodstock, Barrie and London played in that category.

If the recommendation is accepted by the OHA, regular Junior C teams would still be allowed to import four players each and Super Junior C teams only one player each.

Officials of the nine teams are also still pushing for a geographic re-organization. Last year the OHA ignored natural boundaries and put them in separate groupings.

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Dore Giants New President - But Players Not Attending Practices

Georgetown Giants personnel will have to come out of the woodwork this weekend or stay there.

New manager Bernie Dore told The Herald Tuesday he will decide Sunday morning whether or not to fold the club. The Giants, who play ball in the Halton County Senior League, were in danger of folding a few weeks ago. The problem then was lack of an executive. Playing people seemed to be in abundance.

Since then, Dore has stepped forward to accept the club president's job and sufficient help has been found to keep the Giants alive.

Now, the players are staying away from the practices in droves.

Dore has called two workouts to date and still hasn't looked at a dozen players.

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