



SQUIRTS STAND TALL

Glen William Squirts won the Halton Rural Squirts playoffs, the league pennant, Ontario Rural Squirts title, and Hornby and Glen tournaments. In the front row from left are: Randy Sims, Alan Keir, Marty Zilio, David Kemshead; second row, coach Don Hancock, Rod Gimpel, Terry Haines, Mark Goodlett, David Pierce, Kris Barber; back row, Randy Cuthbert, Scott Haines, David Stapleton, Jamie Frank, coach John Haines.

Stage Is Set For Cup Competition

by Murray and Enid Parsons

With the house league now almost complete the stage is set for cup competition. Details of these fixtures are set forth later in this column. Despite many problems caused by lack of sufficient facilities the season thus far has been very successful.

It is hoped that the cup play will be exciting and that as many parents as possible will be on hand to watch. Please remember the spectators are an important part of soccer.

IT ALL HELPS
Eric's Hardware and The Cop donated prizes for the Atom Squirts sports day. D. Jarvie donated an excellent iron as a prize for the parents, coaches and managers golf day, and Baltimore Air Coil offered the use of land for practice sessions.

MANAGERS
Will managers of teams that have had games postponed please arrange with each other to get these games played off. Contact T. Leggett (4396) for pitches. Note that Saturday afternoons and Sunday mornings are best times.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

SQUIRT				
North				
P	W	L	D	P
Golden Jets	12	8	2	18
Tigers	12	6	3	15
Glants	11	6	2	15
Spitfires	13	7	6	14
Thunderbirds	11	6	5	12
Stingrays	10	9	1	1
South				
P	W	L	D	P
Eagles	12	8	0	20
Bobcats	13	9	3	19
Bombers	11	3	7	17
Wolves	13	3	7	17
Boomerangs	10	8	2	2

SQUIRTS RESULTS

Wolves 0 Eagles 4
2 goals by M. Riddell and singles by W. Grey and R. Norris gave the Eagles 2 more valuable points. T. Peck, the Wolves goalie played an outstanding game.

Golden Jets 3
Boomerangs 0
Sorry but no details available.

Bobcats 2 Tigers 0
Bob Dean and Kevin Stewart each scored in this game thereby spoiling the Tigers chances of leading the league for a second consecutive season.

ATOMS				
North				
P	W	L	D	P
Aces	14	10	2	22
Cougars	13	5	5	13
Dynamos	13	5	7	11
Bobcats	15	3	11	7
Phantoms	11	2	7	6
Grizzlies	11	2	9	0
South				
P	W	L	D	P
Falcons	15	14	0	29
Golden Hawks	14	9	3	20
Flyers	14	8	4	18
Colts	13	6	5	14
Spitfires	15	4	9	10
Wildcats	13	3	8	2

ATOM RESULTS
Bobcats 6 Grizzlies 0
In this easy win against only 7 Grizzlies M. McMenemy and G. Stockfish each scored once while G. Richardson scored 4 (hat-trick plus).

Wildcats 0 Spitfires 2
This was the Spitfires best game of the season and they played as a co-ordinated team. J. Allen and M. Dugay each scored really good goals.

Falcons 5 Golden Hawks 0
Scoring taken care of by T. Smith, A. Hardcastle, I. A. Bodin, E. Dwyer, as the Falcons did it again.

Aces 3 Bobcats 0
Excellent game 0-0 at half time. The Aces pressured in second half with 2 neat goals and clinched it with a late penalty shot. Kuiper, J. Thomson, I. and Armstrong (penalty shot).

MOSQUITO
North
Rockets 13 10 1 2 22
Chargers 13 8 2 3 19
Rovers 12 5 3 4 14
Jaguars 11 2 6 3 7
Raiders 13 1 7 5 7

HOUSE LEAGUE AND CUP DRAW GAMES
Squirts
Referee: A. Docherty, P. Thompson

Sept. 30 Giants vs. Eagles—6.30 p.m.
Oct. 1 Stingrays vs Bobcats—6.30 p.m.

Game No.
Oct. 2 1 Stingrays vs Thunderbirds—9.00 a.m. G. Miller
Oct. 2 2 Giants vs Bobcats—10.00 a.m. M. Osborne
Oct. 2 3 Wolves vs Golden Jets—11.00 a.m. P. Thompson
Byes to 2nd Round Tigers, Spitfires, Boomerangs, Bombers, Eagles.

Second Round
Oct. 2 4 Tigers vs Eagles—12 noon P. Barton
Oct. 4 5 Bombers vs Winners of game no. 1—6.30 p.m. J. Butler
Oct. 5 6 Boomerangs vs Winners of game no. 3—6.30 p.m. J. Spires
Oct. 6 7 Spitfires vs Winners of game no. 2—6.30 p.m. A. Docherty
All games played at Simonyi field (Yoder).

ATOM
Oct. 1 Flyers vs Golden Hawks—6.30 p.m. A. Alling
Oct. 2 Aces vs Dynamos—8.00 a.m. J. Butler
Oct. 2 Grizzlies vs Cougars—9.00 a.m. J. Bew
Oct. 2 Falcons vs Colts—10.00 a.m. A. Docherty
Oct. 2 Phantoms vs Wildcats—11.00 a.m. A. Syme

Game No.
Oct. 4 1 Dynamos vs Phantoms—6.30 p.m. J. Spires
Oct. 5 2 Colts vs Spitfires—6.30 p.m. J. Bew
Oct. 6 3 Falcons vs Golden Hawks—6.30 p.m. T. Leggett
Oct. 7 4 Wildcats vs Flyers—6.30 p.m. B. Rannachan
Byes to Second Round Aces, Bobcats, Grizzlies, Cougars.
All games played at Cedarvale.

MOSQUITO
Oct. 2 1 Chargers vs Owls—12.00 noon A. Potter
Oct. 2 2 Cougars vs Rovers—1.00 p.m. I. Bevan
Byes to Second Round Jaguars, Raiders, Rockets, Rangers, Cable Kings, Panthers

Second Round
Oct. 2 3 Raiders vs Jaguars—2.00 p.m. I. Barclay
Oct. 2 4 Rockets vs Cable Kings—3.00 p.m. J. Bew
Oct. 3 5 Panthers vs Winners of game no. 1—10.00 a.m. C. Wilde
Oct. 3 6 Rangers vs Winners of game no. 2—11.30 a.m. J. Lindley
All games played at High School.

PEEWEE
Oct. 1 Beavers vs Jets—7.30 p.m. T. Leggett
Oct. 2 Arsenal vs Celtic—12.00 noon A. Roxborough
Oct. 2 Wolves vs United—1.00 p.m. I. Bird

First Round - Cup Draw
Oct. 3 1 Beavers vs Jets—9.30 a.m. I. Bevan
Oct. 3 2 Celtic vs Arsenal—11.00 a.m. B. Morrow
Oct. 3 3 Wolves vs United—12.30 p.m. B. Innes
Bye to Semi-Finals Carretal.
All games played at Cedarvale.

SOCCER NOTES

South				
P	W	L	D	P
Owls	11	5	1	15
Cougars	12	5	4	13
Cable Kings	12	4	5	11
Phanthers	13	3	9	7
Rangers	10	1	6	3

MOSQUITO RESULTS
Rockets 1 Rovers 0
In this goal keeping duel G. Preneau was the only marksman to connect.

Rovers 2 Jaguars 1
The Rovers were lucky to win against the shorthanded Jaguars. Scoring for the Rovers D. Berlemont and S. Waldron for the Jaguars K. Flynn.

Rockets 0 Chargers 1
M. Evans scored the winning goal 10 minutes from the end of play and L. Mercer earned his 5th consecutive shut-out to break the Rockets unbeaten streak. Special mentions to E. Gordon and E. Van Dyke.

Panthers 0 Cougars 1
Bob Hill notched the winning goal while D. Cloke and E. Frith played well for the Cougars.

Owls 1 Panthers 1
Goals by D. Potter and T. Turner cancelled each other out in this close hard fought game.

Rovers 0 Raiders 0
The following players earned special mention for their respective teams. Rovers: A. Ruddle, S. Brandt, S. Archibald, D. Berlemont. Raiders: M. Spitzer, D. DeForest, T. Diamond.

Cable Kings 2
Panthers 1
B. Clark and I. Rannachan scored for the Kings and R. Devries for the Panthers. Special mention to G. Fisher for all out effort.

IMPORTANT

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A meeting for all auxiliary bowlers will be held at the Legion

THURSDAY, OCT. 7th

8 p.m.

Beavers	10	6	3	1	13
United	10	4	4	2	10
Jets	9	3	4	2	8
Wolves	8	2	6	0	4
Carretal	11	0	11	0	0

PEEWEE RESULTS

Beavers 1 United 0
An evenly contested game until the Beavers took command in the second half. B. Hayward scored the winner. R. Hayes, R. Hodskins and W. Martin earned special mention.

PEEWEE					
P	W	L	D	P	
Arsenal	10	9	0	1	19
Celtic	10	6	2	2	14

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OUTDOORS

By GEORGE HOARE

Sturgeon Now Considered Rare

Second instalment of an article written by Fisheries Inventory official F. P. Maher on rare and endangered species of fish.

Before going further, it might be well to identify what we mean by rare and endangered species. We have many species of fish in Ontario which are at the extreme edge of their northern range. Many of these fish, while they may be rare in Ontario, are abundant south of the border. The spotted gar, a long, cigar-shaped fish with a lengthy beak-like snout and a tough armour-like covering of diamond-shaped plates of bone, is found only in the shallow weedy waters of Lake Erie, the Detroit River and Lake St. Clair. The same holds true for the grass pickerel which occurs only in southern Ontario.

Other fish in this same category are the lake chub sucker, the silver chub, the pugnose darter, the least darter and the gravel chub. All of these fish have extremely limited occurrence in southern Ontario because they are close to the end of their northern range. Water temperature appears to be the limiting factor here since other environmental factors, such as food, habitat and spawning facilities, seem suitable.

A truly rare fish is one which is found only in a limited area and not anywhere else, or one which is extremely scarce over a wider range. One example of such a fish in Ontario might be the aurora trout. This fish, a form of the brook trout, was originally found only in White Pine Lake in the Timagami forest reserve and in two adjacent lakes, Whirligig and Little White Pine. None have been taken from the latter two lakes for ten years. It has recently been planted in other nearby lakes, but due to the presence of brook trout it is likely that only hybrids are now present.

TRUE SPECIES?

Unlike the brook trout, the aurora did not have red or light-coloured spots and dark vermiculations. The body and fins were

light-coloured, and those who caught it described it as a uniquely beautiful fish. There is some doubt among ichthyologists as to whether or not this fish was a true species. Scott and Crossman (1969) do not list the aurora trout in their checklist of Canadian freshwater fishes.

Another example of a rare Ontario fish is a dwarf form of the lake whitefish which has been reported only from Lake Opeongo in Algonquin Provincial Park. Although the population of this fish is restricted to small areas, it is apparently in no danger of extinction since it is not being exploited. Sometimes a species was thought to be rare simply because surveys had not been carried out or because the proper gear had not been used for catching it. For example, the pigmy whitefish is common in Lake Superior but eluded capture until trawls were first used in 1952. Also the Arctic char was unknown in the province until it was found in the Severn and Winisk rivers, both tributaries of Hudson Bay, when Fisheries survey work was conducted in the early 1960s.

CHANGES
Environmental changes and direct fishing pressure have greatly reduced certain fish populations which were once abundant in Ontario. The lake sturgeon was once plentiful throughout most of the large lake and river systems of Ontario, but now its numbers have dwindled. Several factors contributed to the decline of the sturgeon population. In pioneer days, it was considered a nuisance since it tangled nets set for other species, and the fish, itself, then had little commercial value. As a result, sturgeons were systematically destroyed in large numbers. The true value of sturgeon flesh and caviar was not realized until the population had been greatly reduced. The downward population trend was further accentuated through the construction of dams which cut off spawning grounds.

Lost Control

Richard Bennett of Brampton escaped injury, when he lost control of his car on the 10th Line near 17 Sideroad, September 26. The 1970 Rebel received \$350 damage to the left side.

Because of their slowness in reaching sexual maturity (males don't mature until 12 to 19 years of age and females until between 14 and 23 years) and the fact that females only spawn every second year, sturgeon are extremely susceptible to over-fishing. For one or a combination of more than one of the above reasons, this fish is now considered rare in many parts of its range in Ontario.

ELIMINATED
At one time, the blackfin cisco and the deepwater cisco were both abundant in Lakes Michigan and Huron. A combination of factors appear to have eliminated these fish. The arrival of the parasitic sea lamprey through the Welland canal virtually eliminated the lake trout population from these lakes. The lake trout had fed heavily on smelt and alewives and apparently kept the population of these fish in check. With the lake trout gone the population of smelt and alewives increased enormously and competed with the cisco for food and environmental niches. The cisco population began a rapid decline and finally disappeared.

The blue pike (blue pickerel, blue wall-eye) was once abundant in Lakes Erie and Ontario and was an important commercial fish in the lakes. At the peak of the fishery in the mid 1950s, twelve million pounds were harvested annually. Destruction of the environment through pollution caused the population to crash, and by the mid 1960s twelve million pounds were harvested annually. The commercial fishery for this fish has gone and the fish itself may be extinct.

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MEATS		FACELLE		ONE REGULAR SIZE PACKAGE		MAXWELL HOUSE		DUNCAN HINES	
RED & BLUE BRAND BEEF		FACIAL		FREE		INSTANT		DELUXE - ALL VARIETIES	
PRIME RIB ROASTS		TISSUES		WITH PURCHASE OF		COFFEE		CAKE MIXES	
BONE IN SHORT CUT		3 LGE. PKGS.		CHEER KING SIZE		6 OZ. JAR		REGULAR 55¢ SAVE 16¢ 19 OZ. PKG.	
RIB STEAKS		\$1.00		\$2.09		\$1.25		39¢	
FRESH CHICKEN		BLUE BONNET MARGARINE		3 LB. PKG.		93¢		FRESH PRODUCE	
LEGS OR BREASTS		ROSE PICKLES		SWEET MIXED BREAD & BUTTER		2 1/2 OZ. JARS		P.E.I. POTATOES	
LB. 61¢		SMITHS JAMS		PURE RASP OR STRAWBERRY		9 OZ. JAR		CANADA NO. 1 GRADE	
FRESH SLICED		BOYARDEE BEEFARONI or SPAGHETTI		WITH MEAT BALLS		15 OZ. TIN		10 LB. BAG 37¢	
PORK LIVER		NABISCO SHREDDED WHEAT		2 10 OZ. PKG.		59¢		McIntosh Apples	
LB. 25¢		CRISCO SHORTENING		3 LB. TIN		\$1.29		NEW CROP ONT. FANCY GRADE	
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