

Junior "B" team for Georgetown

It is now almost a certainty that Georgetown will have a Junior "B" hockey club in operation next year. At a meeting held at the Georgetown arena on Monday night, a

group, headed by Doug Coulbeck, Allan Walker, Tom James and Bill Moore announced that they had made a formal application to the Ontario Hockey Association.

This was confirmed by OHA officials in Toronto.

The group had been discussing the possibility of an OHA Junior "B" club in Georgetown for a little over a year. It was just in the last three months however that serious preparations took place.

Doug Coulbeck stated that they had talked to George Ferguson, convener of the Central Ontario Junior "B" league—the league which Georgetown could join—and that, from the assurances they received from Ferguson, their application has been accepted in principle. All that remains is for the OHA to formally accept the application. It is expected that this will be done at the OHA meeting scheduled for May 2.

The gentleman involved with the formation of the team had worked together previously on the executive of Georgetown's Junior "C" team which ceased operation after the 1968-69 season. They wished to make clear that they are completely separate from the Intermediate "A" situation. Mr. Coulbeck commented that the group was not formed to take over the Intermediate "A" club and further, their actions in applying for a Junior "B" club should not be construed as an attempt to undermine in any way, the operation of an Intermediate "A" hockey team in Georgetown.

Should the application be accepted, Georgetown would join the Central Ontario

Junior "B" league which is made up of teams from Oakville, Burlington, Milton, Streetville, Brampton, Dixie, Thornhill, and Royal York (Etobicoke). There is a possibility that Burlington may go elsewhere but this would have no real bearing on the actual running of the league.

The operating of a Junior "B" team would cost roughly between \$20,000 and \$25,000 a year and for this reason, Mr. Coulbeck, speaking on behalf of the group expressed the hope that the people of Georgetown would rally behind the team.

Anyone interested in helping the team out or in serving with the team in any capacity is advised to call either Doug Coulbeck, 877-4579 Allan Walker, 877-1135 or Tom James, 877-

9825. Any and all assistance would be greatly appreciated.

According to Mr. Coulbeck, the fledgling team has already set certain goals for itself and will attempt to adhere to them as closely as possible. The club will be built on local talent, run by local people and funded by local money. It was also stated that in conversations with local minor hockey people, an understanding was reached, whereby the Junior "B" team would work in complete harmony with the local minor hockey group.

A Junior "B" club can work in Georgetown. All that is really needed is local support. This paper would like to be one of the first to offer the team the best of luck in their endeavour.

Few for Raiders

Last Wednesday, a public meeting was held at Cedarvale Community Centre aimed at clearing the air regarding the future plans of Georgetown's Intermediate "A" hockey team, the Raiders. In the aftermath of the suspension of the team from post-season activity by the OHA and the subsequent suspension of a member of the team's executive pending a request for a hearing by the OHA, it was felt in some quarters that the question of the future of the team should be left up to the people of Georgetown.

It was made clear by Dave Kentner, a member of last year's executive and chairman of the meeting that this was indeed the crux of the matter. Because of the actions of the OHA this year and in years past in regards to Georgetown hockey, Mr. Kentner explained that at present he wished to have no more dealings with them and was resigning as a member of the Raiders' hockey team. The intimation was also made, that a majority of last year's executive felt the same way and similarly, would not be back.

Georgetown, therefore, has an OHA Intermediate "A" hockey franchise but no executive to run the club. It had been hoped that the response to Wednesday's meeting would have been such that a new executive would be formed. This was not the case as only 14 people showed up. As a result of the poor turnout, it was felt that a second, better publicized meeting should be called before a final decision to

either disband or continue with Intermediate hockey is rendered. This meeting will be held May 28 at 8:00 p.m. in the upstairs kitchen at Cedarvale Community Centre.

The discussion at Wednesday's meeting was, for the most part, fairly informal and several interesting points were brought out in the open. The Raiders were described as "close to solvent," and it was explained that if people are found to form a new executive, they could really do what they want with the team.

There is no obligation to remain in the OHA and a new executive could, if they so decided, drop out and attempt to join another Intermediate "A" league. Similarly, a new executive could decide to change the Raiders from an Intermediate team to a Junior "B" team and such a change was suggested by several people at the meeting.

At the May 28 meeting an attempt will be made to form a new executive but this obviously is not the heart of the matter. The future of Intermediate hockey in Georgetown is at stake and it was made plain that, should a decision be made to drop out of the OHA, under new rules initiated this year, Georgetown could find it very difficult to return to the fold if they re-applied at some future date.

Mr. Kentner urged that all those wishing to be heard on this subject be in attendance at the May 28 meeting. All positions on the team executive are available and anyone wishing to state an

opinion or raise a question will be given the chance to speak.



CHRIS HALL, pool supervisor, leads the first class in exercises at Georgetown's new indoor pool. The pool was open for use on Monday, however, the official opening is scheduled for the early part of June.



THE TURNING OVER OF THE KEYS. The Georgetown pool was turned over to the recreation department on Monday. Doug Collison, recreation director, in turn presented the keys to a member of the school board. (From left) Art Burrow of the school board; Chris Hall, pool supervisor; Doug Collison; Fred Zorge, president of Mountclair Developments Ltd., the construction firm; and George Gray, vice-president of Mountclair Developments Ltd.

HERALD sports



THE TEAM WINNER in last Sunday's Regional roll-offs for the National Golden Age Championships went to the Streetville entry. Team members (front row from left) are Olive Eastall, Lily Archer, Ellen Trevers, (Back row, from left) David Dowling, George Dowling and Anderson May.

GDMHA annual meeting

The Georgetown and District Minor Hockey Association will be holding its annual General Meeting this coming Saturday, 1:00 p.m. at Cedarvale Community Centre. Two specific items will be dealt with; the election of the GDMHA

executive for the 1975-76 season and a proposal for changes in the draft system. Throughout any hockey season, in any league, situations arise which call into question some of the rules in a league's constitution.

Similarly, as a hockey season progresses, complaints are sometimes lodged in regards to the way a league is run. It is often difficult and sometimes impossible to change directions in midstream and thus the reason for and importance

of a league's annual meeting. Complaints or problems which have cropped up over a season can now be aired and, if so decided, changed. People critical of the league's operation have a chance to do something concrete by stan-

ding for office and attempting change from within. Parents, coaches, managers, players and interested parties are urged to attend this Sunday's meeting

Hit hard in third

Rams open with win

The Halton Hills Rams underwent their first real test of the still early season last Thursday night and, according to team manager, Howard Dwyer, did a lot better than was actually expected.

The team had an exhibition contest against the Oakville

Junior "B"'s and rallied in the third period to drop the Oakville team 13-9. The Rams outscored the Oakville club 9-1 in the final frame to claim the win. Oakville led 4-3 after the first period, 8-4 after the second and then the boom dropped.

Bruce Cooksley led the team

with a four-goal effort. Steve Wilson popped three goals, Jim Chisolm counted twice and singles went to Kevin Marcoux and Glen Sherman. The team is currently working out Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights at the Georgetown arena and a pleasant surprise at the last

two practices has been the appearance of five Georgetown youngsters vying for a place on the team.

The Rams got into action this Thursday evening at the Georgetown arena. Game time is scheduled for 8:30 p.m.

New soccer officials

The Georgetown Minor Soccer Association held a referees clinic on Saturday, April 19 and Sunday, April 20th.

The clinic, sanctioned by the Canadian Soccer Association was conducted by the highly qualified Hugh Morrow of Toronto, a member of the Federation of International Football Association. Mr. Morrow was appointed by the Canadian Soccer Association for this role.

Fifteen candidates worked six hours on Saturday and again on Sunday, climaxed by an examination, to determine if they could carry cards as qualified Junior referees. To the credit of all concerned all 15 passed!

Persons who passed were: Stephen Archibald, Alan Cain, Harvey Clare, Mrs. Sheena Kewley, David Manning, Miss Sylvia Martin, Andy Parent, Mark Payne, Patrick Shanks,

Peter Skelton, Peter Smedema and Bryan Turner. It should be noted that William Barclay, Joseph Foster and Haddy Smedema

held cards as qualified referees and used the clinic as an opportunity to freshen their skills. A special tip of the hat to

Peter Smedema, who at 13 years of age scored 81 percent on the exam to become the youngest qualified referee in Georgetown.

Equipment for new arena

A written list was submitted to the general administration committee on Monday, containing the necessary items still needed for the Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena. The list, drawn up by the recreation director, Doug Collison, consists of facilities which could be donated by interested service organizations.

The items include: furniture for the first aid room, \$300; exterior sign for building; music tape recorder, \$200; hockey frames and nets, \$1,200; Thomson ice edger, \$600; chair and tables for the banquet room, \$1,640;

refrigerator for snack bar; canteen equipment, ranging from \$30 to \$500 sports timer, \$2,500; garbage container, \$600; ash tray for the lobby, \$240;

Automatic scrubber vacuum, \$1,500; small scrubber, \$600; wet and dry vacuum, \$200; ladders, \$120; telescopic ladder, \$1,200; and asbestos planking, \$14,800.

Any organizations or interested persons wishing to make a donation to the Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena should contact Doug Collison at 877-5185.

Kinsmen girls' softball lineup

By Theresa Callaghan

An executive and coaches meeting was held on Sunday. Registration is now closed. Any further applicants will be placed on the waiting list. Sixteen teams—eight seniors and eight juniors—were made up from approximately 220 players.

Games are scheduled to start on May 20 and May 22 for seniors and juniors respectively. The holidays for the Kinsmen this year run through July 22 to August 7.

The umpire's calls will be based on the official OSA rules. New rules include a pitcher's eight-foot radius from her mound. While a pitcher is in the circle the base runner must advance or return to her base. The juniors for the first time will be playing the infield fly and third strike rules.

SENIORS
Standard Products
Coach: Bob Cooper

Players: Wendy Bouiskill, Vicki Gillham, Kim Herrington, Marg Taylor, Muriel King, Lori Diegel, Sandra Kirby, Donna Hoare, Judy Stone, Sherry Love, Lynn Margetta, Karen Cawley, Kathy Cawley, Tracy Vanderkooy.

Young's Pharmacy
Coach: Pat Butler

Players: Sandy Vanderlinder, Beverly Switzer, Sheila Ford, Mary Lynn Hillier, Alice A. strong, Sylvia Heissler, Heather Robertson, Brenda Fournier, Melane Harris, Ginny Wilkes, Marlene Vanderkooy, Irene Watt, Carol Hogg, Clare Carter.

Sponsor Unknown
Coach: Joe Penney

Players: Bonita Penny, Linda Donalds, Jeannie Girarde, April Sacco, Linda Goss, Ganine Maxwell, Lynda Evans, Julie Armstrong, Joanne Hillier, Judy Russell, Carey Warrall, Peggy Gilbert, Carol Carter.

Magnuson Insurance
Coaches: Patti Styles
Terry Richmond

Players: Joan Wright, Patty Caruso, Debbie Borland, Ivy Worrell, Joanne C. MacDonald, Ivy King, Selma Aldnam, Elaine Bastien, Nicole Lemay, Sherry Webster, Debbie Ford, Teresa Forbes, Leanne Mackie.

Blue Giants
Coach: Donna Robins

Players: Debbie Armstrong, Pam Kavanagh, Cathy Elaliger, Kathy Robins, Geraldine Ford, Linda George, Karen Johnston, Heather McConnell, Laura Russell, Alice Henderson, Kelly Frost, Meredith Henley, Mary Caruso, Shariene Mahaffy.

Cable Jets
Coaches: Dave Ward
Clady Poyst

Players: Colleen Sunnucks, Cherise Lacoursier, Shelly Perkins, Janis McBean, Ruth Scott, Cathy Harris, Sharon Greenslade, Janet Ollivier, Lorie Allison, Debbie Williams, Lynn Barclay, Colleen Seaton, Sandy Sedore, Debbie Talbot.

Varlan
Coach: Harold Gilmer

Players: Joan Gilmer, Nancy Leider, Wanda Rogers, Michelle Ripley, Arlene Fredricks, Leanne Storch, Kathy Allen, Maureen Ollivier, Sylvie Washbourne, Jane Gilmore, Chris Vetricek, Michelle Friskney, Patty Barber, Kathy Kuchmash.

Fobert's Real Estate
Coaches: Karen Neil
Jim Davies

Players: Leona McAusland, Rita Sauve, Christine Lawrie, Donna Reed, Silvana Girardi, Christine Girardi, Teresa Mackinnon, Patty Deventor, Loretta McGarry, Teresa McGarry, Debbie Jones, Kelly Grant, Sally Murphy, Ella Marie Ballentine.

JUNIORS
Kinette Krulsers
Coach: Debbie Dunn

Players: Kim Richardson, Patti Sunnucks, Laurie Sacco, Karen Penney, Patricia Stoyles, Vicki Sacco, Kathy Monk, Debbie Kent, Suzanne Bew, Penny Patterson, Rebecca Halonen, Karen Levers, Janet Smith, Dianne Rae.

Fred Harrison
Coaches: Kim Warrall
Barb Curry

Players: June Ford, Carol Donalds, Rosemary Hartley, Carol Peardon, Stacy Adams, Rose Hydevaape, Cathy Carter, Candi Grant, Sally Burns, Christine Barclay, Lori King, Judy Vetricek, Erin McIntyre, Michelle Richmond.

Georgetown Upholstery
Coaches: Bill Hewitt
Lori Worrall, Ginny Wilkes

Players: Cindy Hewitt, Leslie Rand, Lorraine Turner, Lisa Rand, Sandra Hewitt, Patricia Turner, Dawn Adams, Linda Hariston, Rhonda Breen, Tricia Switzer, Shirley Gray, Christine Cleave, Sandra Marshall.

Delrex Smoke Shop
Coaches: Mike Harley
Laura Wilkes

Players: Jackie Diegel, Michelle Miehms, Janine La Rose, Krista Hillier, Ellen Dicker, Sarah Vickery, Jo-Anne Tucker, Jack Leveque, Nancy Vetricek, Hope Hulme, Holly Hulme, Lynne MacKinnon, Liz MacKinnon.

Larriad Construction
Coaches: Colleen Sunnucks
Janet Ollivier

Players: Julie Fournier, Robin Richardson, Lori Henderson, Vicki Walte, Tracy Leggett, Julie Lamb, Susan Arbuckle, Julie Sheild, Charlene Woycheko, Christine Woycheko, Wendy Crawford, Kim Thompson, Cindy Kemper, Lori-Anne Faulhafer.

Dairy Queen
Coach: Cherise Lacoursiere

Players: Marlon Peters, Rhonda Ritchie, Christine Washbourne, Margo Craig, Kim Craig, Marcel Tingleck, Sheila Reckett, Tricia Fotheringham, Kelly Dunciff, Linda Dunciff, Laura Bannan, Gail Doucette, Andrea Stafford.

Thrush Muffler
Coach: Jim Wilson

Players: Claire Lacoursier, Donna Herrington, Debbie Osborne, Angela Barnes, Karen Wilson, Leane Lacoursier, Heather Gibbs, Karen Coleman, Amanda Roxborough, Sally Baines, Barb McBean, Sue Anne Juniper, Jacky Chapman.

Pauline's Flowers
Coaches: Shaaron Barclay
Leanne Gilson

Players: Judy Kroyack, Carrie Gibbs, Sharon Jones, Diane Jones, Sharon Presley, Susan Waldrum, Claudette Bourque, Bernadette McGarry, Carrie Bastedo, Yvonne Sauve, Cynthia Halonen, Donna Sedore, Barbara McKeeman.