



JIM MASON AND CLUB CAPTAIN, WAYNE WRIGHT, congratulate the top three finishers in the first annual Jim Mason Winter Squash Tournament. From left to right are Jim Mason; third place finisher, Marty Hughes; runner-up, Bob Marchand, tournament champ, Jurjen Zeidler and Wayne Wright.

## Zeidler wins first Jim Mason tourney

The first annual Jim Mason Winter Squash Tournament was held at the Georgetown Racquet Club the week of March 8 to 13, and after a very exciting series of matches, Jurjen Zeidler captured the championship trophy, donated by North Halton Sports.

The tournament got underway early in the week as elimination matches were decided and the finals and semifinals were staged

Saturday, March 13. The runner-up in the tournament was Bob Marchand, number three spot went to Marty Hughes while Monty Hyde placed fourth.

The tournament was named in honour of Jim Mason, who has spent a great deal of time coaching and assisting members during the first year of the club's operation.

Persons wishing to obtain more information regarding

the club may contact either, Barry Griffiths at 877-5629 or Dr. Boyd Hoddinott at 877-0123.

## Royalettes beginning training

The Georgetown Royalettes of the Peel County Juvenile Girls Softball League held their first official practice of the 1976 season last Thursday evening at Pineview Public School.

The Royalettes finished in second place during the league's regular season last year but were knocked out of further competition in the second round of the playoffs. Coach Ted Wilkes is hopeful that his charges will journey farther along the playoff route this year and for several reasons.

The team will not lose any regulars because of age limitations and a pleasant surprise at last Thursday's practice was the number of newcomers who turned out to challenge for a spot on the team. Of the 16 girls who bussed up last Thursday, more than half were attempting to latch on to a position and this can only improve the team's makeup as healthy challenges are what leads to team improvement.

Practices are scheduled to resume, Thursday, April 1 and any girl, 18 or under as of January 1, 1976, is welcome to attend. The April 1 practice is again set for Pineview School and anyone wishing further information regarding the team can contact Ted Wilkes at 877-9623.

# Norval one game away from crown

It appears that Norval has a stranglehold on the Georgetown Industrial Hockey League championship series in light of their 7-2 thumping of Sandhill last Sunday at the Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena.

The opening game of the series, that saw Norval squeeze through to a closely contested 2-1 victory, seemed to indicate that the finals would go down to the wire with little to choose between the two combatants. Sunday's meeting was a nip and a tuck affair through 40 minutes, Norval held a slim 3-2 lead, then the

dam burst and the defending league champions poured in four unanswered goals in the final 20 minutes to seal the win.

Perhaps the Sandhill effort in the series opener caused Norval to change their tactics somewhat as last Sunday's tilt was the roughest of this spring's playoffs. Norval logged 65 minutes in the "Sin Bin" to 30 minutes for the Sandhill crew and the end result seemed to indicate that the more physical tactics worked.

The first period on Sunday belonged to Norval as they jumped into a 3-0 lead by the

8:18 mark on goals by Gene Ingalls, Dave McMenemy and Hugh Williams. Sandhill's Kevin Judge, got his team on the scoresheet at the 13:27 mark but the nod went to Norval in the opening period.

Both teams tightened up defensively in the sandwich frame and as the buzzer went to signal the end of the second, Norval's lead had been cut to one goal as John Thompson counted for Sandhill to make things interesting.

All signs pointed to an exciting closing period but the Ingalls boys, Ray and Gene, dashed Sandhill's hopes by

scoring within 51 seconds of each other near the ten minute mark to end all speculation. The win was reinforced by Max Korzack, who scored at the 15:03 mark and underlined by Brian Beaumont, who fired in the last pellet at 17:13.

Ray Ingalls of Norval took over the playoff scoring lead by notching three points on Sunday for a total of nine points. Sandhill's, John Thompson is right behind however as he picked up two points for a total of eight playoff points.

This Sunday the two finalists angle at 11:15 in what could be the last Industrial Hockey League game of the season at the Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena.

### GEORGETOWN INDUSTRIAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

TEAM	GP	G	A	TP	PM	
Ray Ingalls	Nor	7	3	0	9	14
John Thompson	SH	5	4	4	8	8
Brian Beaumont	Nor	7	4	3	7	10
Max Korzack	Nor	7	3	4	7	22
Hugh Williams	Nor	7	2	5	7	22
Jim Blair	TC	5	0	6	6	0
Larry Bradley	Nor	7	2	3	5	10
Bob Monckton	Nor	7	1	4	5	4



CENTENNIAL PUBLIC SCHOOL'S "A" wrestling team has handily beaten all their Southern Ontario challengers, with the exception of Robert Service Public School of Scarborough. Hopefully this oversight will be corrected when Robert Service enters the Centennial fair, Saturday, April 3, to take part in the Centennial Invitational Tournament.

## Plenty of volunteers indicate great season ahead for soccer teams

According to Georgetown Minor Soccer Association President, Bryan Turner, the signs are there that it should be another banner year for the association in Georgetown.

Registrations for the upcoming season are completed, although stragglers are still turning up at Turner's door, and sign-ins are on running at roughly the same level as last year. The draft of players, a new innovation for the

Georgetown group this year, will take place in several week's time and the Herald will publish the various team rosters.

In year's past one of the dilemmas faced by the soccer people has been a scarcity of people willing to take on coaching positions. This is not the case this year, stated an obviously pleased Turner, as volunteers have come forward in unsurpassed numbers to

offer their services.

For the first time, the Georgetown association has instituted a fund-raising committee. The reason behind the new arm of the league, as previously intimated by Mr. Turner, was that the association will be attempting to freeze registration costs.

Soccer has meant a lot to Georgetown youngsters in years past and obviously from the intentions of this year's

executive, it is hoped that this trend will continue. It is a shame however that someone on the town authority has not appreciated this commitment to the town's youth recreation program and suggested that they be given proper facilities. The pitch at Cedarvale is an abomination and although promises have been made in the past to look into improvements, as yet, nothing has been done.

## Bertram Hack to coach Meteors

The Georgetown Meteor Soccer Club held its first league meeting of the year recently and at the top of the agenda was the election of officers for the upcoming season.

Angelo Cianforani takes over as league president; Erwin Wittich is the 1976 secretary-treasurer; Uwe Wasserman holds the position of assistant secretary; Bertram Hack will be handling the coaching reins; Nick Ferrara will be lending a hand as assistant coach, while Erwin

Gross remains on the executive as past president. The position of manager was left open until the next full membership meeting.

The team has already been involved in indoor action against Milton and it was obvious that a conditioning program is very much in order. A training schedule is being prepared and will be put into practice as soon as possible. The Meteors are one of three Georgetown Senior teams playing in the Inter-

County Soccer League, whose other members include Guolph, Brampton and Milton.

It has been decided that each member will be charged a \$5.00 membership fee and these funds will be used to cover such expenses as new strips, equipment costs, plus the referees fees for home games and other incidentals. Concern was expressed at the meeting about the con-

dition of the Cedarvale pitch and it was noted that the field was to go yet another season without improvement and that use of the field will cease in early September when lights are essential. The Meteors will play at Cedarvale Wednesday evenings and it is hoped that a room will be made available for club meetings following the games.

## New coaches raise hopes

Basketball is still the main topic of conversation amongst high school sportsmen and sportswomen but the diminishing supply of snow signifies that the track and field season is just around the corner.

Last year the GDHS track and field team had what could be termed an average year, finishing sixth in the Haltons and eighth in the Peel-Haltons

but this year a new coaching contingent will be running the show.

Donna Metcalfe, Karen Cosgrove, Mike McMahon and Grant Clatworthy have volunteered their services and it is expected that official team practices will get underway in the first part of April, after the March break.

Several team members from last year have been working

out on their own and this should stand them in good stead as it is expected that the first meet of the year will be run in the latter part of April. The Universal Gym, recently installed at GDHS is expected to improve the squad's training regimen and lead to better performances throughout the spring track and field circuit.

### Ontario Outdoors

## Say hello to the Sportsmen's Show manager

by Bob Olliver

I would like to introduce you to Mr. R.T. Birchall. I probably can't introduce you all but I would like to as he is to be considered a gentleman. Maybe you have had the opportunity of meeting him, as he is president of the Canadian National Sportsmen's show, and as such is doing a fantastic job for the outdoors-minded people of Ontario.

When you get down to the show, buy an official program, look for his photograph, and when you see him at the activities, go right up and shake his hand. I know he will be pleased, as this is what he told me to tell you.

I have known Mr. Birchall for some years now, and can say for sure that he will make you feel welcome to the 28th annual Canadian National Sportsmen's Show.

To date the C.N.S.S. has given over \$6 million to conservation projects in Canada.

In the arena this year is comedian Paul Lennon, a Canadian and internationally known. Also the life-size puppets, and the Tripoli Steel band. Their repertoire is fantastic as they play music from pops to classics with equal ease. The range of sound from those steel drums is unbelievable, although the arena does not do them justice with its bad acoustics.

At the retriever trials today, Ray Odorico of Limehouse will be judging. Ray also has a dog in the trials. This is a Black Labrador, male, Zeke-Doo, number 49. Watch for him.

In the Queen Elizabeth building, the Dog Show has over 5,000 entries and more than 120 breeds. Transportation is gratis on a double decker bus.

Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources has redesigned their well attended display of Canadian wildlife in the upper wing. As can be seen by this brief skim of the activities, a program is essential to the full enjoyment of the show.

Outdoor Canada magazine is well represented their, with Sheila Kalghin, the editor, who has won the Kortright Award for the best Canadian writing on conservation, two years in a row.

The Angler and Hunter in Ontario is the name of the new style magazine of the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters. It is in true magazine style and is truly a great magazine, keeping the members informed of activities and struggles in the field of fishing and hunting in Ontario, along with related sports.

This issue is numbered Volume 1, Number 1, and I feel that it is going to be the start of something good. While at the show, pick up a copy of their brochure on "Our Position on Gun Controls". This is a membership application. Fill it out and join others that like to head out to our outdoors.

Another great magazine, Out of Doors, has started a "Proud To Be A Hunter" fund. See them there and find out about it. Or call me, I have several copies of the brochure.

Garcia Canada Ltd. has started a program called "Garcia Canadian Angler of the Year Award" and the "Garcia Fishing Hall of Fame". I will review the particulars at a later date.

Hon Penfound who runs the Coho Charter Service out of St. Catherine's, has told me of a Salmon Fishing Derby at the end of April and I will fill you in on the details next week.

Till then, see ONTARIO OUTDOORS, indoors at the SPORTSMEN'S SHOW.

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