



KATHY CROWE, pictured here lining up a putt, emerged as the 1976 North Halton Ladies Golf Champion following a sudden-death playoff on Sunday. Kathy was tied with Liz Hermelyn and Marg Richardson after 36 holes but parred the first-playoff hole to capture the championship.

Chryslers split week's games

It started out as a fine week for the Georgetown Chryslers of the Halton Mens Softball League, unfortunately, the good times came to an abrupt end Friday when Palermo put a damper on the festivities by handing the locals a 6-3 hometown defeat.

The previous Tuesday the Chryslers journeyed to Burlington and walked off with a convincing 14-7 win that seemed to herald the turnaround that the team needed.

Going into the Burlington game the Georgetown owners sported a 2-5 record and in their last several encounters had seemed flat. It was hoped that the Tuesday win would signal a change in the club's fortunes but lack of bench strength, which has been a problem in the past, once more plagued the team against Palermo.

Chrysler Coach, Paul Marshall, had to be inserted into Friday night's lineup when only eight regulars were on hand as game time approached.

The bench remained vacant until Bill Sykes appeared in the later innings. Sykes entered the game in the sixth inning but ironically it was at that point that both teams discovered the purpose of the bat rack.

The game was tied 1-1 after five innings, then Palermo began to take aim on Bill Tilt's offerings. The visitors scored two runs in the sixth and single counters in the seventh, eight

and ninth innings for their margin of victory. The Chryslers rallied for a pair of runs in their half of the seventh but it proved to be their swan song as the bats once more fell silent over the last two frames.

Bill Tilt was charged with the loss and struggled through most of the game. He might have put on a better show had his mates provided him with a little more support as the Chryslers left 10 runners stranded.

Barry Cuthbert did his best to aid the cause as he was three for five at the plate; Bob Marchand, Ray Ingles and Bill Tilt each picked up two hits in four at bats.

Last Tuesday's game (June 29) in Burlington was only the second test in 14 days for the Chryslers. To say they came through in fine style would be something of an understatement. The locals chalked up 14 runs on 16 hits and whipped Burlington 14-7.

The Chrysler explosion didn't occur, however, until

the top of the seventh frame and at that point they were behind, 2-1. Ray Ingles opened the inning with a single and by the time the host club dragged themselves to their bench for their turn with the lumber the Chryslers had racked up five runs on four hits and four free passes.

The big blow of the inning was a bases-loaded triple by Bob Marchand that accounted for three of the Georgetown runs.

Burlington was set down in order in their half of the seventh but was given little time to recover from the previous inning's ordeal as the locals launched another offensive that effectively sealed the hometowners fate. Ray Ingles again opened the inning with a lead-off single and consecutive hits by Gord Tomalty, Gene Ingles and Grant Usher, walks to Barry Cuthbert and Dave Boycott had Burlington reeling. Hits by Bill Sykes, Bill Tilt and Gord Tomalty (with his second of

the inning) rounded out the eighth inning assault that saw the Chryslers comfortably in front by a 14-2 count after 7 1/2 innings. Burlington added three runs in their half of the eighth and picked up two more counters in the ninth, but their death knell had already been sounded.

Bill Tilt notched the win for the Chryslers, he allowed five hits, fanned four Burlington batters and issued one walk. Grant Usher relieved Tilt in the latter part of the game.

The Georgetown hitting spree was spread fairly evenly throughout the lineup but several Chryslers had exceptional nights. Bill Sykes was five for six at the plate, including a triple. Dave Boycott was three for four and Bob Marchand laced a three-bagger and pounded out a home run.

This Friday, 8:30 p.m. at the Georgetown Ball Park, the Chryslers play host to cross town rival, Glen Williams, while this coming Sunday, they travel to Lowville.

Royalettes host tourney

The Georgetown Legion Royalettes will be hosting an Ontario Girls Fastball Tourney at the Georgetown Ball Park, Saturday, July 10.

The team's sponsor, Georgetown Legion, Branch 120, has thrown its support behind the venture and it promises to be a first class affair.

Eight teams from southern Ontario; the Royalettes, byron (London Kitchener, Cedar Hill (Toronto), Dorchester (East London) Brampton, Chinguacousy and Acton will vie for silverware in both championship and consolation categories.

The tourney format is one that employs a double knockout system, with a team that loses its first game being put into the "B" (consolation) division and a team that wins its first contest advancing into "A" (championship) division. From here it's sudden death as a second loss means elimination.

Branch 120 has gone out of its way to assure that winners are rewarded as trophies and crests will be made available to the finalists in both divisions.

Byron, Dorchester, Kitchener and Cedar Hill are classed as "A" teams and all have provided stiff competition for the Royalettes in earlier tournaments.

Byron and Dorchester are tied for first place in their Western Ontario League and as usual, Kitchener appears to be leading the way in the Grand Valley league. Cedar Hill

has yet to be defeated in their Toronto-based loop and sport three players from Scarborough's 1975 Junior Canadian championship team.

Although Brampton has gotten off to a slow start in the Peel-Halton League, they still have the nucleus from last year's competitive team present and should get untraced soon. Chinguacousy is the most improved team in the Peel-Halton league and cannot be regarded as a pushover for any team.

The Acton Juveniles have just this year entered competitive inter-town softball and are still in the process of adjusting to higher calibre ball. The Georgetown tourney will mark their first entry into a top tournament.

There is no admission charge for the tournament and with games going from 9 a.m. until the championship final at 8 p.m. it should prove a glorious day for area softball supporters.

Jim Ford has taken over as Tournament Chairman, while Ted Wilkes has been acting as tournament organizer.

Opening Games Schedule
Time... Teams... Diamond
9 a.m. ... Georgetown vs Kitchener ... (B)
9:15 a.m. ... Acton vs Brampton ... (C)
11 a.m. ... Dorchester vs Cedar Hill ... (B)
11:15 a.m. ... Byron vs Chinguacousy ... (C)

Consolation Championship - 6:00 p.m.
Grand Championship - 8:00 p.m.

Meteors nip Brampton

The Georgetown Meteors led the way for the 1976 North Halton Ladies Golf Champion following a sudden-death playoff on Sunday. Kathy was tied with Liz Hermelyn and Marg Richardson after 36 holes but parred the first-playoff hole to capture the championship.

Fred Ballis led the way for the Meteors with two goals and his fiery performance was heartening to his mates as Fred has been absent from the lineup for two weeks. Nick Ferraro scored the third Meteor goal.

Charlie Knoepfli played a very steady game for the locals, while Bernie Flannigan showed by his performance that he is back in shape after an earlier injury.

The Meteors have an away game this week.

Kathy Crowe was crowned the 1976 North Halton Ladies Golf Champion following a sudden-death playoff on Sunday between herself, Liz Hermelyn and Marg Richardson.

chosen for the Mississauga District team that will play in the Ontario Best Ball on July 21 and 22 at the Barrie Golf and Country Club.

To qualify, three rounds were played at Credit Valley, Chinguacousy and Richview. The three other ladies making up the team include; Liz Ferrario from Credit Valley, Lynn Barrington from Richview and Lil Stubbs from Trafalgar.

Kathy Crowe tops Royalettes roll

Georgetown's Royalettes fastball team had a very successful month in June as they won 19 of 21 starts, some against provincial "A" ranked teams.

The highlight of the month was winning the Sarina tournament but the team is equally proud of its Peel-Halton league record of 10-0 which places them one game ahead of last year's champions, Alderwood.

Royalettes humbled the Woodbridge girls 8-2 Tuesday and then sprang again on Wednesday to best Dundas 7-2.

Laura Wilkes and Betty Marchmont shared mound duties for the Woodbridge contest while Margo Butler and Charlene Milton provided the firepower at the plate.

The Dundas contest was in doubt until the fifth inning when Pattie Caruso tripled to knock in two runs. The rally continued as Betty Marchmont sacrificed for another counter.

She also proved unselfish in the sixth when she repeated her performance for another run.

Barb Curry picked up the Royalettes win and had a strong showing on the rubber as she fanned nine Dundas batters and held them in check until her teammates' hitting game got on target.

Brenda Smith and Debbie Hamilton were both sidelined with injuries during the game. Royalettes hosted Eringate Tuesday but as presstime the score was unavailable. The next league game will be July 13 when they play host to

Chinguacousy. Then on July 17 the Royalettes will take on an All-Star contingent from the Halton Ladies Softball League in an exhibition game at Hornby during the annual picnic.

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Sport Comment

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by COLIN GIBSON
Herald Sports Editor

Inclement weather of late has literally put a damper on many area sporting activities. As often happens however, such an interlude often allows another situation to develop - one, to be completely honest, that this sports writer not only welcomes, but relishes.

Last week, possibly because of the weather imposed calm, was the time chosen by a number and it might be added, a variety of people, to comment on or question the Herald sports pages.

Thankfully, my pages passed all tests but it is gratifying to know that people are reading and expressing an interest in my efforts. However, several points were raised, that I feel require expanding upon.

First of all, to paraphrase the words of a thankfully long since departed politician, I would like to make one thing clear. These are your sports pages. The people, readers, of Halton Hills dictate what is covered and to what extent the coverage is extended. It was on this point that most of the questions arose. Questions such as, "Why does one sport get more space than another sport?" "Why is one team followed more closely than other?" And of course the inevitable, "Why is it that my son's (or daughter's) team is hardly ever heard from?" There are answers and reasons for the policy that provokes the questions.

Sad to say but many Georgetown organizations and teams have fallen down badly on this latter point. Prior to the start of the various sports seasons, I contact as many organizations and teams and individuals as possible informing them of the situation and assuring them that with a little co-operation on their part, their players and supporters will be able to read of their exploits in the Herald sports pages.

I did this prior to the commencement of summer sporting activities and stated to all who were contacted that space would be allotted to them, on a weekly basis, if their organization and reports warranted it, as long as the information was forthcoming.

For the most part, assurances were given, ideas expounded upon and then completely forgotten. Contact was made with several groups and teams and advice given as to how reports could be prepared, on a number of occasions but to no avail.

There is only so much a person or in fact a sports writer can do. In my case, because there is so much going on that does require my attention I have to assume that coverage is neither required or indeed wanted.

This is a shame, doubly so in the case of minor sports, where oft times the team report is the only chance for the youngster to see his name in print and his exploits trumpeted.

The space is available, the interest is here. Perhaps it might be better to use stronger words. Interested parties should demand from the various team representatives or organization heads that someone start doing their job. That job is simple. Make people aware of just what is happening in "Your" sporting activity. "Your" newspaper, the Herald, can provide the forum.

Anyone, even remotely familiar with the Halton Hills environs, knows that sports locally, flourish with a vengeance. Because of this, and because there is only one Herald sports writer, it would be physically and mentally impossible to give first hand coverage of every event. Similarly major sports teams, the Chryslers, Glen Williams, the Raiders and the Geminis attract a cross-section of the town's sports fans and therefore must be given more attention. This is not to say that other teams or organizations are ignored. On the contrary, but the coverage extended must be of a different sort. This includes a lot of telephone work but of prime importance it places a burden of responsibility on the respective organizations, including minor sports organizations, to assure their people get proper attention.

Acton rams can't hit right formula

The Acton Rams of the OLA's Junior "C" division have one problem. They can't seem to put together three solid periods of lacrosse.

Last Friday night's game in Rexdale once more emphasized this fault. The Rams lost, 16-14 to Rexdale in a 10 minute overtime period after holding the lead twice in the contest.

After the first frame, Acton led 9-0 and although they came

out shooting blanks in the sandwich period, still maintained a 9-7 lead after 40 minutes. The second period Ram shutout proved the difference in the game as Rexdale outscored the locals 6-4 in the third period - to send the game into overtime - then came out on top by a 3-1 count in the crucial ten minute period to provide the margin of difference.

Steve Wilson wielded a hot stick for the Rams as he potted

four counters; George Artem and Bill Mathieson each hit for a hatrick and collected three assists, while Wayne Young and Kevin Marcoux each fired a pair of goals.

The Rams have two games on tap this week. On Thursday, they play host to Mississauga, while on Friday they journey to Orillia. Thursday night's game is scheduled to get underway at 9:30 p.m. at the Acton Arena.

Eric Ross, 1976 champ

Eric Ross won the North Halton Men's Club Championship on Sunday, June 27. His total 54-hole score was 228 after finishing with his second consecutive 71. The first 18 holes of the 72 hole championship had been rained out so it was decided to determine a winner after three rounds. In second place was Bob Salter with 229. Following are the final scores of the others who made the 36 hole cut.

A Flight—Brad Brownsey-234, Reg Finlayson 236, Peter Wuensch 236, Harvey Chappel 236, Terry Hay 237, Csaba Becsy 239, Jim Paichnie 240, Tom Cochrane 240, Chet Obacz 242, Ron Young 245, Barry Dickson 245, Dan Fisher 246.

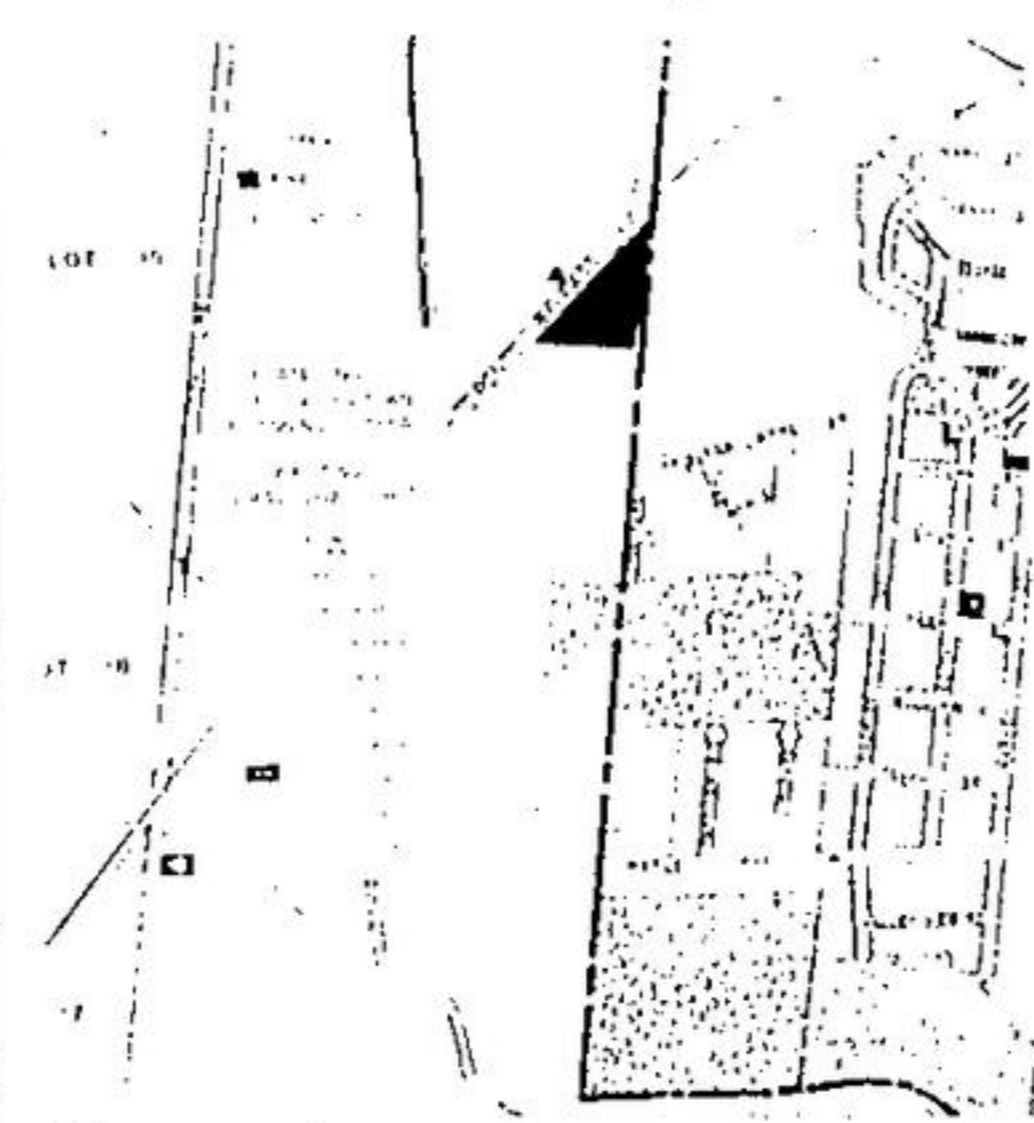
John Harrison 248, Max Korzack 250. George Williams won a sudden-death playoff against Ron Crosby to take B Flight. They had both tied with 244 scores. Following are the other scores.

B Flight—George Smart 246, John Morrison 249, Ross Sendell 252, Rick Collier, 255, George Shapcott 258, Steve McDermot 259, Harry Sanderson 260, Ray Mecure 260, John Flannagan 260, Rob Crichton 263, Gord Tubb 266.

Dave Bowness 271, Ken Allen 279. Karl Golinski edged out Gerry Osborne in C Flight, by one stroke as he finished with 35. The others scored as follows.

C Flight—Gerry Osborne, Paul Skinner 269, Jack Zarn 277, Jim McCully 277, Ron Peter 278, Don Cumming Sr. 281, Gib Hay 280 Frank Potipco 281, John McClatchey 306, Jack Cormann, 308, Ray Duthburn 313, John Panchyshyn.

Notice of Public Meeting



That the Halton Hills Subsidiary Planning Board will hold a Public Meeting to discuss and explain a proposed Amendment to the Official Plan of the Georgetown Planning Area. This Amendment proposes to redesignate approximately 4 acres of land known as Part of the West Half of Lot 19, Concession 8 in the Town of Halton Hills (formerly the Township of Esquesing) from Rural to Residential.

Copies of the proposed Amendment and Development Scheme are available for public inspection in the Planning Department in the Municipal Offices on Trafalgar Road between 8:30 and 4:30 p.m.

ALL INTERESTED CITIZENS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THE PLANNING BOARD MEETING.

Time: 7:30 p.m. Tuesday July 13th, 1976.
Place: Municipal Administration Building (formerly Esquesing Municipal Building) Trafalgar Road (7th Line R.R. 1), Halton Hills, (Georgetown), Ontario
MP. VENDITTI, Town Planner
Town of Halton Hills

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