

RAIDERS VERSUS FORT ERIE LAST FRIDAY AT THE GORDON ALCOTT ARENA.

# Raiders romp to three victories have sights set on first place

The Georgetown Chrysler Raiders, of the OHA Major Intermediate "A" League, showed they will be a force to contend with down the stretch drive of the regular season, as they posted three wins last week, 11-2 and 11-7 over the Fort Erie Mavericks and 8-3 over league doormat, the Dunnville Mudcats.

The Raiders began their week's surge by journeying to Fort Erie, last Tuesday (February 15) evening. The long ride home was made just that much sweeter, by the 11-2 shellacking that the "Red and White" crew handed the border squad.

The Raiders leaped out to a 5-0 first period lead in Fort Erie and the Mavericks, at that point, must have been arguing the Gods to bring on a blizzard or some other calamity that would put an end to their own misery.

The hectic pace and the "rain of rubber" had to tell on Sherwood and in the third period, the Raiders found the weak link in the goalies' armor and fired home four goals, with but a single reply from the Mudcats to account for the eventual, 8-3 win.

After the 4:33 mark of the overtime period, Tom Daley, converted passes from Bob Clark and Steve Blundy to score the winner in the 8-7 game and send the hometown crowd on its way in a joyous frame of mind.

## Optimist track club has area athletes

By STEVE DAVIES  
In the past year Georgetown has collected a number of promising young athletes. They all run as members of the Scarborough Optimist Track Club. These athletes enjoy running as a year round activity not just for their school, during the track or Cross Country seasons.

Brakel, Lyn Chapman, and Pat Zuber. Hopefully hurdler Ross Jefferies and middle distance runner Jenny Thompson will be joining soon.

Under the dedicated coaching of Brian Barnes they have demanding workouts every Monday and Wednesday all year round. Assisting Barnes with the coaching duties is Mr. Lynn McLaren, a well known Georgetown coach.

## Minor Bants out of OMHA

The Optimist Minor Bantams lost out to Owen Sound in the first round of the O.M.H.A. playoffs in three games. The first game in Owen Sound was a rough start to the series, Georgetown took a 2-0 lead only to end up being down at the end of two periods 3-2.

## GDHS track athletes compete in Hamilton

By PAUL McGRATH  
The GDHS Rebels track team has been hard at work practising for quite some time now. They've done quite well this year, which makes all that hard work worth while.

The team competed at the Highlander games in Hamilton on Saturday, with three boys relay teams and one girl relay team. Mrs. Metcalfe said that the team is "concentrating on relays because they are so exciting for the whole team."

The girls team of Doris Tachel, Meredith McLaren, Sherri Grossman, and Sheryl Leinscheer won their 4 by 1 lap heat with the fastest time. This was an open competition for girls under 20, and GDHS's girls team members were all under 15.

## Junior "B" playoffs create excitement

The Central Ontario Junior "B" League has just completed one of its most successful and competitive seasons. The final playoff berth was not established until almost the completion of the regular schedule and even then, leading into the last week of play, first place was still available to three teams.

First round playoff action commenced last week and it seems as if much the same sort of excitement will prevail. Milton could prove the dark horse of the season as they presently lead their best of seven semifinal series with Oakville, two games to nil.

## ONTARIO OUTDOORS Fishing season's around the corner

By BOB OLLIVIER  
DIVISION 27 of the Ontario fishing regulations has a change from May 23rd to May 25 for the Walleye season. Make sure your copy of the regulations are changed.

The first season to open that is of any consequence is the Lake Trout and Splake in the eastern portion of Ontario. The big one is April 30 for Brook, Brown and Rainbow Trout. I can't wait for that as I intend to go back for the 20 pound Rainbow Trout I caught last fall.

Last weekend saw the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters annual convention held in Toronto. The motion to change the name was defeated at the largest convention ever. Next year it will be held in the same Hotel in Toronto that the first one was held in, and this will be the 50th anniversary in 1978.

George Clavelle from the Wildlife Federation was an excellent speaker and Dr. Bubenik's presentation on Moose and hunters was terrific. George Kerr gave a rundown on stocking and the Coho will be phased out on the Credit River with the Rainbow with its ability to reproduce will replace it. The feeling is that with the dams out all the way to Georgetown the river is now an excellent one for the Rainbow.

Fred Luff is President, Harvey Goldsmith is 1st vice and D. Ogston is 2nd. Vice. Treasurer is R. Langmore. More information on the convention next week.

## College tourney in Oakville

The Canadian College Hockey Championships will be staged in Oakville this year, with the Sheridan College Bruins, currently in first place in their league, acting as the host team.

Sheridan Bruins have two chances of qualifying for the national tourney; they will automatically gain a berth in the tournament if they finish first in their league, but should they fail to accomplish this they will have a second chance at gaining entry.

It has been decreed by the Canadian Colleges Athletic Association that the host team, if they haven't qualified through their league, play a preliminary game against the previous year's fourth place finisher, with the winner gaining entry to the affair. Should Sheridan fail to win their league, they would go against Quebec in the preliminary game.

The preliminary game is tentatively scheduled for Oakville Arena, Thursday, March 31. The tournament semifinals will be played, Friday, April 1, with the semi-final losers meeting Saturday afternoon and the championship game slated for Saturday night April 2.

## Major Atoms show class

Georgetown Major Atoms, despite being four players short came up with a fine effort in a losing cause as they were defeated 4-1 by league leading Milton last week.

## Outers' Club plans hike

This Saturday and Sunday, the GDHS Outers' Club will be staging a hike and camp-out. The hike will be over the Bruce Trail, beginning at Lambhouse and proceeding to the intersection of the trail and the 5th sideroad, near Kelso Conservation dam, a distance of approximately 14 miles.

The group will camp overnight southwest of Highway 25, where it's hoped, outdoor survival techniques can be put to use. Those wishing to participate must possess a student card and must be a registered member of the Outers' Club. Also, there is a 50 cent charge for transportation costs, and it is requested that a share of food be brought along.

## Softball league holds meeting

Georgetown Industrial League President, Bryan Lewis, is washing no time in getting the league prepared for the upcoming, 1977 season. In announcing the league's Annual meeting, slated for this Monday evening, 7:30 p.m. at Parkway Community Center, Lewis noted, "Even though the pitching rubber is not yet visible at the Fairgrounds Park, it's time to plan for the upcoming season."

The League is anticipating some expansion from the eight team league of last year, that saw, Sandhill Shell, DRG Stationery, Norval, Elmiers Natural Gas, A&W, Flyers and Parks vie for the loop title.

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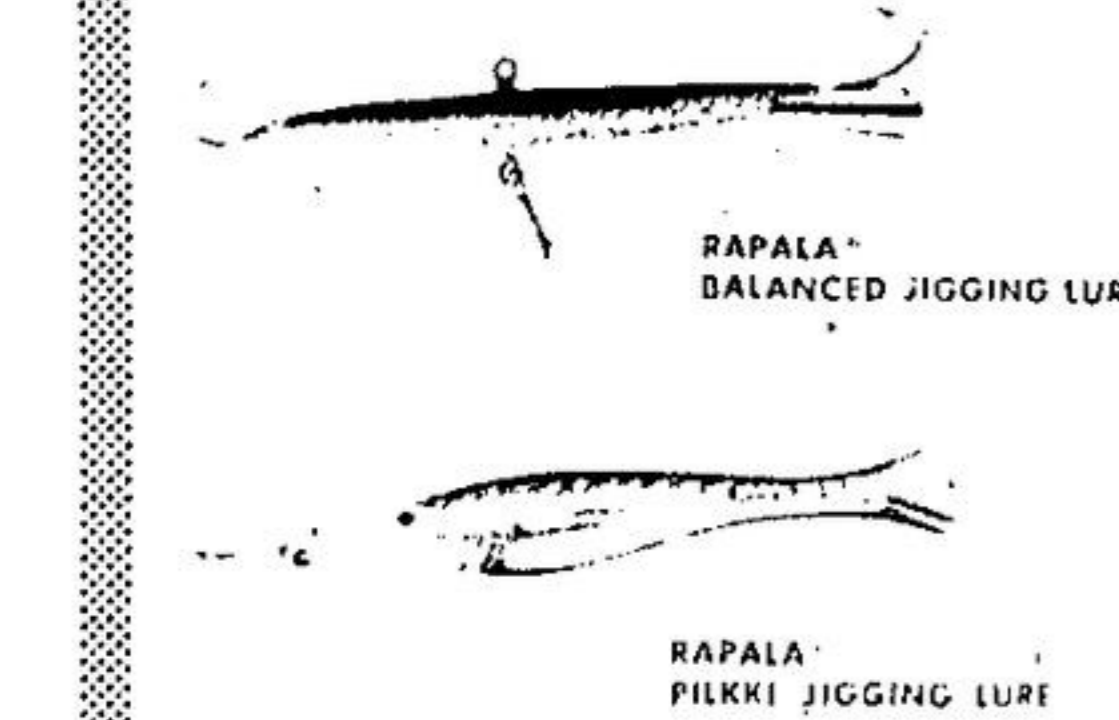
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