

Tickets are available for Athlete dinner

Tickets for the Halton Hills Athlete of the Year Dinner at St. George's Hall June 18 are available at five locations. They can be purchased at Miracle Foodmart, the Halton Hills Herald, the Royal Bank, Kentner's Dairy Bar, and the Halton Community Credit Union.

Actonians interested in at-

tending the dinner may phone The Herald and tickets will be set aside for them.

The main priority on the agenda will be to honor Ian Clark, Kris Barber and Kevin Parker, the three finalists for the Award. The announcing of the winner will be the highpoint of the evening.

The first-ever Halton Hills Sports Builder Award winner Gerry Perkins and the two runner-ups for that award, Jim Hall and Harry Levy, will also be honored at the dinner.

Halton MP Julian Reed, Brampton-Georgetown MP John McDermid and Halton Hills Mayor Pete

Pomeroy will be at the dinner to also give awards to the winner.

The speakers for the dinner will be Dave Hutchison, of the Toronto Maple Leafs,

and Bill Watters who has been the general manager of team Canada in 1977, 1978 and 1979.

Of course the highlight will be when Bill Ward, manager

of the Royal Bank, presents either Barber, Clark or Parker with the Royal Bank Trophy. Last year wrestler Peter Fournier was the winner of the award.

Handy intends to resign as Raider general manager

Jack Handy, general manager of the Georgetown Raiders for the past two seasons, has apparently handed in his resignation to team president Bob Hooper.

In a conversation with The Herald Handy said he has handed in his resignation because his job will take up more of his time next year and also because he felt he did not contribute too much this past year.

"Although we won the league championship I felt I did not do too much last year," Handy said. "I don't think I want to return to the post next year."

Handy also cited the recent arena rental hikes by the Town of Halton Hills as a reason for his decision.

"The rent hikes really ticked me off," he said. "It seems you work hard to accomplish something and the more you do the more

they want."

Handy said he may want to serve in some capacity with the Raiders, but not as general manager.

As high points of his two years as the team's general manager Handy pointed out the two international games the Raiders have played. In 1977 they hosted the Yugoslavians and, early this year the Austrians paid a visit to Alcott Arena.

Hooper said he received a letter from Handy last week, but that he has not had a chance to look at it yet.

NOT READING IT

When informed that the letter was Handy's resignation as general manager, Hooper said he had not had a chance to read it.

"Would you like to see Jack Handy back as the Raider general manager?" Hooper was asked.

"I would like to see Jack

working in some capacity with the Raiders," he answered. "However, the executive was just elected last week, so we will have to have a meeting to see who does what."

There was also a rumor that the new executive would have a committee, as opposed to one man, handling so-called general manager's duties next year.

"We will have one person performing the general manager's duties next year," the president said.

"Is there a chance the president will be acting in a dual capacity?"

"Yes, there is a possibility of that happening," Hooper said. "But the new executive won't be making those kinds of decisions until the middle of July."

Hooper was the teams' general manager in the 1975-76 and 1976-77 seasons.



Toronto Maple Leaf defenseman Dave Hutchison and Team Canada general manager Bill Watters will be the guest speakers at the Halton Hills Athlete of the Year Dinner to be held at St. George's Hall Monday night.

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7:30 Dinner
9:00 Guest Speakers
10:00 Presentations