

## Limehouse ball

# Annual corn roast signals end of the season

Limehouse minor sports held their annual corn roast on August 19 at the Limehouse Ball Park. The annual event signals the wind-up of another successful ball season for the seven Limehouse teams, ranging in age from 4 to 15. All but one of the teams earned a playoff berth in the Halton Rural Minor Softball

League.

The Sunday morning started off with a ball game at 10 am with Ballinafad and Petrohaul facing each other. Both teams compete in the Limehouse Men's Softball League. At 12 the Atom boys took on the Squirt girls, followed by the Squirt boys against the Pee Wees girls at

1 pm. At 2 the Pee Wee boys challenged the bantam girls. A ladies game followed at 3 and then a men's game at 4 p.m.

The highlight for the children was the presenting of the players trophies at 5. Every ball player is awarded a 8" high trophy for participating in ball in Limehouse. The

"Spike Scott" trophy was accepted by coaches Chris Sones and Don Brown on behalf of the Atom boys team. The "Weatherall Memorial" was accepted by coach Garnet Case on behalf of the Bantam Girls. The trophies are awarded annually to the boys and girls team with the best record during the league ball season.

The last ball game commenced at 6 pm with the Limehouse Hustlers and the Limehouse Rocks taking the field. The game featured some excellent ball by both teams. Free corn was the order of the day and by nightfall 100 dozen cobs were consumed as well as pop, hot dogs, and chips.

A singsong around the fire-

place with Spike Scott, Steve Thompson, and Garnet Case providing the music wrapped up the evening by 10:30 p.m.

Games and races were held throughout the afternoon with lots of ribbons available to all participants.

The weatherman again cooperated by providing a beautiful sunny day for the annual event. Ted Batchelor presented President, Hank Bouwman with a fishing rod and reel for his dedicated work this year.

Hank would like to take this opportunity to thank the executives, coaches, umpires, and parents for their help in making it a fun year for the ball players. However, unless we can obtain more people to serve on the committee for the next year, we will not achieve the same level of success as in the past 3 years.

A lighting system will be installed at the park in the next month, thus, enabling more teams to make use of the ball diamond. Plans are underway to expand the Limehouse Men's League to six teams from the present four. The league stresses fun and still provides some excellent ball. Any interested teams should contact any member at the ball park on Sunday mornings between 10 and 2. This past year games have been played on Sundays. Next year we may play 1 game during the week as well as the Sunday games.

### ATOMS BOYS

Atom boys lost the semi final round against Glen Williams last week. Thanks goes to Chris Sones and Don Brown for all the time they donated this past season in helping the boys.

Both teams put forth an effort as Limehouse lost the first game 2-0 and 2nd game 4-3.

## Deforest leads Rocks in season finale

In the final two games of regular season play the Limehouse Hustlers met the Ballinafad Blue Jays and the Petrohaul Oilers met the Limehouse Rocks.

In the first game Brad

(Ram) Deforest of the Hustlers went 3 for 4 and led off the first inning with a home run to count for 1 of the 6 runs brought in.

Stew Morrison and Bob Best each hit a 2 bagger to

bring in 2 runs each to retire the side. Hank (The Lover) Bouwman played an exceptional 1st base as well as being 3 for 4 at bat.

Ivan Wheeler went all the way on the mound for the

Hustlers holding the game at 8-6 until the bottom of the 6th when the Jays came back with a 6 run inning. Pete Blacklock pitched 6 innings for the Jays with Dan Englyb coming in at the top of the seventh, to save the win for the Jays 12-8.

George Andrews played a strong first base out but Bob Oliver played a stronger catch keeping George awake and on his toes. (George, Wake up). As a batter George was wide awake going 3 for 4 and bring in 3 rbi's. Terry Anderson and Mel Bailey played a strong infield being in on 7 of the 14 plays made. Terry and Mel each went 3 for 4, bring in 2 runs each. Morley Shortill and Bob Schofeld coming in the 5th went 2 for 2 at bat with 2 singles each.

In the second game Petrohaul Oilers faced the Lime-

house Rocks. Tony Case pitched his first complete game of the season and held the Rocks until the last inning when the Rocks managed to get 7 runs across the plate. Tony also was heavy at bat going 3 for 4. Hugie Case played a strong 1st and was 2 for 4. Garnet Case helped the team at bat with 2 doubles and a walk as well as playing a good short.

Ivan Wheeler of the Hustlers and Ted Batchelor of the Rocks both played well for the Oilers.

George Koeslag for the Rocks had a good day at bat as he was 3 for 3 hitting 3 singles. Eric Dubuc also contributed at bat going 3 for 4 hitting 1 double and 2 singles. Larry Spinney was the hero as he belted a double in the 7th to allow Jim Rogers to cross the plate and count as the winning run. Rocks took the win 9-8. Now for the PLAYOFFS.

### LIMEHOUSE MEN'S STANDINGS

	W	T	L	PTS
Limehouse Hustlers	9	0	3	18
Ballinafad Blue Jays	7	2	3	16
Limehouse Rocks	4	3	5	11
Petrohaul Oilers	1	1	10	3

### SEMI FINALS

Limehouse Hustlers vs. Limehouse Rocks  
Ballinafad Blue Jays vs. Petrohaul Oilers

## Oakville upsets senior girls

By LLOYD JONES

Third place Oakville became spoilers when they defeated Georgetown by four goals to three on Monday 20th August at Oakville in the Golden Horseshoe Girls Soccer League.

Georgetown, needing a win to wrest the Western Division League Title, from Armourdale, wilted under the psychological pressure of the Oakville coach Jerry Duette by having their signatures checked at half time by the President and Secretary of the League.

The victory is a sweet revenge for the Oakville team who for the past three years have always failed to win the big one against the Georgetown teams. Congratulations must be given to players of both teams, for this was definitely the best game played this season. Georgetown especially for having to play without their top players, Elaine Taylor and Nancy Phillips.

The game started with both teams playing cautiously with Oakville doing most

of the pressing in the opposition's area, but it was the visitors who struck first when midway in the half right winger Heather Clarke, doing her speciality "running past the defence" put a schorecher into the nets to the delight of her teammates.

Georgetown's happiness lasted only a few minutes, for shortly afterwards inner right Rosie English pounded upon a miscue by the Georgetown defenders and scored the equalizer ending the first half at one goal each.

On the resumption Oakville took the initiative and went into the lead when inner left C. Thoms headed into the nets from a corner kick. Several minutes later Georgetown equalized when the goalkeeper failed to collect cleanly from a corner kick by Jenny Smith.

The see-saw battle continued for several minutes and

this time Georgetown went into the lead when Linda Wilde weaved past the defenders and put a bullet past the advancing keeper, making the score 3-2 in Georgetown's favour.

Immediately Oakville had a six man change in the lineup which was a bit too much for the visitors as signs of tiredness started to show as they kept booting the ball away from their area. Oakville was awarded a penalty which was scored by Rosie and with five minutes to play in the game scored again ending Georgetown's hopes for the title.

Despite the results of the game Armourdale finished with 15 points, Georgetown 14 and Oakville 13.

A special thank you must go to the parents who attended our home and especially away games during the season.

## Bowling season begins

The Golden Age Bowling League will begin the new season on September 9 and new members are welcome.

Golden agers interested in joining the league can contact W.G. Real at 877-1168 or just show up for the first day of bowling. The bowling on September 7 will begin at 1:15 p.m.

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