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**GLEN TOURNEY CHAMPS**

The York Merchants (seen above) were the champions of the Glen Williams fastball tournament last Saturday and Sunday. This Etobicoke-based team power-housed their way past 18 teams including the Glen Williams Merchants and the Acton Roadrunners to attain their crown. (Herald photo)

**Local biker at U. S. nationals**

## Jon watches bikers in downpour

Jon Cornwell, continuing his assault on the American National Championship dirt-track series trekked to Kentucky to watch (along with several thousand others) the rain pour down on Saturday, washing out the carefully prepared track.

Rescheduled for Sunday, the race finally got underway in spite of heavily threatening skies and the much abused track turned into what is known in the game as a blue groove. This type of track calls for a unique style of riding and is fantastically hard on tires as well as being impossible to pass on since there is literally no traction once the bike's tires leave the "groove".

For Cornwell, this turned into another learning experience. He qualified in the middle of the pack and finished midway down the pack in the semi and earned himself a spot in the Trophy dash - the furthest he has so far advanced.

The National final was run off first in an attempt to cheat the threatening

weatherman and a very tiny and very determined rookie by the name of Jim Felice from California managed to pass Terry Poovey of Texas when the "Pooh-Bear's" brakes gave up under the strain. Jimbo's trophy was almost as big as he was and he looked as though he'd have liked to take the checkered flag home as a souvenir.

**TROPHY DASH**

The trophy dash wound up the day and Cornwell, after a bad start and a failure to hook into the groove soon enough, hung on grimly to last place, making up time on the pack but unable to pass.

The entire 10 rider pack circled for 12 laps virtually nose to tail like a freight train and the only passing occurred when someone slipped off the groove momentarily.

Cornwell's sponsors, the EGF racing team, had also provided a bike, tuned by Doug Sehl for Terry Poovey so they were pleased with the lucrative second place finish.

Cornwell's continuing slow progress is recognized as a

necessary development stage and the fact that he continues to survive when other more experienced riders occasionally fail even to qualify is an indication of his potential.

Much of the current EGF success can be attributed to the careful craftsmanship of tuner Doug Sehl. There is no question that in the Winston Pro Series 51 per cent of the battle is in having a competitive machine. After that, it's up to the rider.

**HARRINGTON JUNE 6**

Another rained out race rewarded Jon Cornwell's 12 hour drive to this Winston Pro Series half-mile. For the second weekend in a row the rain, coming down in the middle of Cornwell's heat race played hob with the track.

The heat was called because of poor visibility with Cornwell in 6th place after a dead last start. After the downpour the officials restarted the race but Corn-

well, attempting to pass got on a part of the track made slick by rain and slid into the hay bales.

The officials called the race and on Sunday ran the last heat as well as the remainder of the program. Peter Grant, Canada's No. 1, led his heat for three laps managing to hold off the likes of Jay Springsteen and Gary Scott, but inevitably, the super-stars got by him and he wound up 5th.

Ultimately the best he

could do was alternate for the trophy dash. Cornwell, selected as alternate for one of the semi-finals would have been unable to ride as the crash had rendered his exhaust system hors de combat and the EGF racing team had commandeered his brakes to replace those on Terry Poovey's machine.

**TRACKS DIALED**

Despite his disappointment at the results Cornwell was relatively happy about the experience. "I think I'm getting these groove tracks dialed in."

June 14th the travelling Winston show moves to Indianapolis for another mile race and the following week a Friday night TT race near Chicago precedes another half-mile in Knoxville, Tenn. on Sunday.

In the TT Cornwell will ride his trusty 500 Yamaha carrying the Bel-Ray, Micro-Jon, Arai sponsorship. The Panther frame, damaged during the Florida series has been repaired and Jon and his mechanic Brian Olsen hope the bugs have been worked out.

## Tennis team plays Old Mill

In Intercountry Tennis action this past week, the Georgetown 'A' team faced the York Old Mill team and two of the local doubles reps won while two other doubles teams lost.

On the winning side were Doreen Thomson and Isla Allison who won their sets in handy scores of 6-0 and 6-1. Also victors against Old Mill were Marilyn Serjeantson

and Mary Botschen who won 6-0 and 6-0.

Against stiff competition Kay King and Linda Rice lost their sets 7-6 and 6-3 while Audrey Houston and Ann Kennedy were defeated 6-3 and 6-2.

**BSQUAD**

The Georgetown B squad lost three matches while taking one in games against Mountain Grove. The lone

victors were Margo Prior and Mary Hughes who outlasted their opponents in sets of 6-1, 6-2, white losing one 7-6.

Francis Brown and partner Brenda Sissett lost 6-4, 6-2 while attaining one 6-3 win. Patti Brown and Karen Wilson lost 6-2 and 7-5 while winning one set 7-5. Pat McCarthy and Norma Maynard lost both their contests 6-4 and 6-3.

and Mary Botschen who won 6-0 and 6-0.

## Croatian weekend bash has fun for all

**Dobra dolsi!**

That's the kind of hearty welcome Croats from all over southern Ontario will offer hundreds of visitors of various ethnic backgrounds in Norval this weekend to celebrate the annual "Feast of St. Anthony".

Beginning Saturday and running until Sunday night, the Croatian centre at the northwest corner of the Fifth Side-road and Winston Churchill Boulevard will host at least a dozen dancing groups, a parade featuring the Acton Citizens' Band and even a aerial display by parachutists from

display rarely enjoyed in our rural areas. Some of the dancers are travelling from as far away as Chicago and there are groups from Ottawa and Kitchener arriving and Mississauga and Oakville as well.

Dancing will start at approximately 2:30 p.m. each day of the Feast. The parachutists are set to skydive to the centre at about 4:30 Saturday afternoon.

Everyone is welcome to join in the festivities and learn more about this event so widely celebrated among northern Mediterranean nationalities.

the Parachute School of Toronto.

And there'll be food fit for a king. Organizers, banking on fair skies throughout the weekend, will roast at least 200 pigs and lambs, as well as barbecue the usual hot dog and hamburger party favorites.

For the young (and the young at heart), eight different amusement rides will be set up on the property. A fireworks display is planned for both evenings.

The dancers, which include Italian, Croatian, Ukrainian and Filipino groups, will be dressed in full national costumes offering a colorful ethnic

## Busy weekend for youth soccer players

**MOSQUITO**

Hounds 1  
 Goals: Grant Kelly, Stars: Mike Dowd, Jamie Schenk, Marc Bassett.

Manic 4  
 Goals: Anderson 2, Fletcher, Pook, Invaders 1  
 Goals: David Presswood.

Jamie Schenk, Rob McGuigan.

Blizzards 0  
 Stars: Brent Presswood, Richard Sowery, Barry Coe.

Torpedoes 5  
 Goals: John Wilson 4, David Schouten.  
 Stars: Andreas Schirm.

Rodney Weatherall, David Seida.

Mustangs 1  
 Goals: Harvey Jonkman.

Murderers 1  
 Goals: C. Niccolucci.  
 Stars: The whole team.  
 Manics 0

Paul Gerrits, Kyle Edwards.

Torpedoes 5  
 Goals: John Wilson, 2, Scott Compton, Todd Axford, David Seida.  
 Stars: Christopher Somers, Nap Beneto, Danny Brennard.

Bandits 0

Hounds 2  
 Goals: Marc Bassett, Greg Sholdice.  
 Stars: Greg Sholdice.

Lead Feet 2  
 Goals: Terry Smith 2.  
 Stars: David Schandlmeier, Paul McLeod, Jeff Edward.

Steelers 6  
 Goals: Mike Johnston, James Gage, Ronny Kempton.

Blizzard 4  
 Goals: Mile Flynn 2, Tim Oosterhof 2.  
 Stars: David Fisher, Mark Shepherd, Paul Howlett.

**T-Ball action**

## T-D Bank ties Canadian Legion team

**Jr. T-Ball**  
 June 4, 1981  
 T-D Bank 21  
 Home runs: Adam Troy 3.  
 Triples: Adam Troy.  
 Doubles: Adam Troy 4.  
 Canadian Legion 21  
 Home Runs: Foyntz 2, Gardiner 1, Ryan Pells, Christopher Barrow.  
 Doubles: Tara Green, Ross Thompson.  
 Outstanding player: Kevin Spears.

**T-D Bank 24**  
 Home runs: 3.  
 Triples: 2.  
 Doubles: 3.  
 Outstanding players: Troy Gardiner, Josh Webster, Blaine Kennedy.  
**Elks Lodge 16**  
 Pitcher: Gregory Dawson.  
 Home Runs: Gordon Buchan 2, Bobby Campbell 1.  
 Outstanding players: Kerri-Anne Vandevalk, Andrea Gaul, Charlie Snook.

Home runs: Kevin Latchford 2, Falzal Mirza.  
 Outstanding players: Ryan Hay, Julie Scarlett, Peter Rintoul.  
**Canadian Legion 28**  
 Pitcher: Stuart Curran.  
 Home runs: Gordon Buchan 3.  
 Outstanding players: Jason Smitka, Bobby Campbell, Sharon McDonald.  
 Comments: Gordon Buchan and Jake Mashinter outdid themselves both getting fly balls.

MacLeish, David Sheppard, Ian Sinclair.  
**Elks Lodge 23**  
 Pitcher: Andrea Gaul.  
 Home runs: Gordon Buchan 3.  
 Outstanding players: Jason Smitka, Bobby Campbell, Sharon McDonald.  
 Comments: Gordon Buchan and Jake Mashinter outdid themselves both getting fly balls.

**J and K Enterprises 31**  
 Home runs: 3.  
 Outstanding player: Jason Morey.  
**McPherson's Esso 29**  
 Home runs: 5.  
 Outstanding player: Bobby Dezeccu.

**Stanley Cup draw**

First Period Times	Amount Won
5:12 Mr. W. Lane 28 Prince Charles Georgetown, Ontario Seller: W. Lane	\$50.00
5:37 Mr. F. Marek Ford Motor Co. Brampton, Ontario Goal Seller: Lion Jim Taylor	\$750.00
10:03 Mr. S. Cathrae 7 Uplands Georgetown, Ontario Seller: Lioness Arlene Callaghan	\$50.00
16:06 Mr. C. Barnhart 2018 Seacrook Drive Oakville, Ontario Seller: Lion Bill Crawford	\$50.00
Second Period Time	
19:21 Ma. B. Look 15 Dallner Road Downsview, Ontario Seller: Lion Ray Harlow	\$50.00
Third Period Time	
17:06 Mr. A. White 52 Church St. V. Acton, Ontario Seller: Lion Vic Bristow	\$50.00

Thanks to all for supporting the Georgetown Lion's Club.



This Belwood batter connects with a hit during baseball action at the Glen Williams diamond last weekend during the Glen hosted two day tournament. (Herald photo)

**June 2, 1981**  
**A and S Engraving 29**  
 Outstanding player: Adam Edwards.  
**McPherson's Esso 27**  
 Home runs: 3.  
 Outstanding player: Adam Hills.  
 Comments: Excellent effort by Guardo Piqueras and Eddy Doyle of McPherson's Esso.

**Georgetown Tire 25**  
 Home runs: Kevin Usher.  
 Triples: Danny Korosic.  
 Outstanding player: Gordon Burke.  
 Comments: Gordon Burke scored 4 times while both Kevin Usher and Danny Korosic had a good day at the plate.  
**J and K Enterprises 18**

**A and S Engraving 32**  
 Home runs: A. Edwards, S. Curran, Brad Tutt.  
 Outstanding players: Robert Boyle, Mark Rembish.

**Georgetown Tire 30**  
 Home runs: Kevin Usher 2, Sean McCartney 1.  
 Outstanding player: Kevin Usher.  
 Comments: Kevin Usher had an outstanding game at bat and on the field.

**Blizzard 3**  
 Goals: Mike Flynn, Jim Johnson 2.  
 Stars: Neil Beveridge, Peter Bergsma, Craig Usatchuk.

**Pirates 0**

**Hounds 1**  
 Goals: Marc Bassett.  
 Stars: Mike Dowd, Marc Bassett, Greg Sholdice.

**Drillers 1**  
 Goals: No. 14.

**Lead Feet 4**  
 Goals: Scott Cunningham 2, Brendan Cleary 2.  
 Volcanoes 0  
 Stars: The whole team.

**Hurricane 4**  
 Goals: John Devries, Jason Bell, Jim Bennett, Derek Jarner.  
 Stars: The whole team.

**Drillers 3**  
 Goals: Jason Bew, John Hillier, Derek Oram.  
 Stars: The whole team.

**Mustangs 4**  
 Goals: Neil Munro, Doug Stamp 2, Harvey Jonkman.  
 Stars: The whole team.

**Murderers 2**  
 Goals: Michael Wilde, Paul Taylor.

**MAJOR ATOMS**  
**Green Hornets 1**  
 Goal: Sean Cotton.  
 Star players: Ken Best, Brian Jonkman, Jeff Miedma.

**Bandits 1**  
 Goal: Chris McWilliam.  
 Star players: Brad Bray.

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