



Three Georgetown District High School students came home with trophies recently. Ian Wilkes, 14, (left) got a high triple flat. David Ridley, 14, (right) got a high single flat, and Kristy Hare, 14, (absent) got a high triple flat. The three were participating in the Master Junior Regional Roll Off Nov. 2 at the Sportsman's Bowlerama in Guelph. There were 35 master bowlers, 38 junior sports and 36 junior boys taking part. (Herald photo)

Grid Rebels beat Pearson to gain championship berth

For the second straight year the Georgetown District High School junior boys football team is heading to the Tier II consolation championship.

The Rebels defeated Pearson High School 20-15 Wednesday in the championship semi final game in Burlington. The contest was never in doubt as Georgetown was in control throughout. The win enables the Rebels to defend their consolation title of last year.

The Rebels featured somewhat of a different twist in the Pearson game. Georgetown went with a wishbone offense for the first time, and it proved quite effective. Prior to this game the Rebels went with a two-man backfield, but with the wishbone there are two running backs along with a fullback. The wishbone is predominantly a running offense, but option passes can be worked from it.

As a result of switching to the new set the Rebels had halfback Tim Racinsky at the controls as the quarterback. Fullback Krik Serjeantson remained in his old spot, but both Stewart Teetzel and Derek Orme lined up as halfbacks (instead of slotbacks) while regular quarterbacks Colin McMurray and Sandor Gombocz were the slotbacks in the wishbone. Racinsky had 90 yards rushing while the three backs handed the Rebels' scoring as all three had single majors. Serjeantson scored on a short run while both Teetzel and Orme had longer scoring runs. Orme scored on a 30-yard

reverse while Teetzel went about 30 yards off-tackle. Teetzel also had a two-point convert.

Rebels' coach Rick Redshaw said the switch to the wishbone came partly because this late in the season new things are needed to keep the players keen and hungry in practice. He said he was pleased with how the new offence performed.

"It worked well," he said. "Now we have three formations we can use, which is something I never did do when I coached senior football. But these are intelligent players."

While the offence performed well, the starting defence too stood out.

The starting unit was able to shut down the Pearson attack. Cornerbacks Terry Johnstone and Chad Bailey both were able to support well on the run and shut down Pearson's outside attack. Also, first year player Kevin Barrow got to start at defensive end and responded with two quarterback sacks and good pursuit. Dave Varricchio too performed very well as nose guard.

With the contest in control the Rebels' coaches figured it would be a good time to have some second team players see action and were able to substitute quite freely. Even

though the second unit had two majors scored against it Redshaw was pleased with their play.

"Even though they weren't in a whole lot, it was important those players get in," Redshaw said. "They were right there on most of the plays."

The Rebels will play the winner of the E.C. Drury-T.A. Blakelock contest today. Redshaw said winning the championship is important for his club.

"It puts us exactly where we finished last year," he said. "It shows we're not going backwards."

Senior Rebels come up short in playoff with Burlington team

The Georgetown District High School senior girls' basketball team has been eliminated from the Halton championship playoffs.

The Rebels suffered a 33-20 defeat Thursday at the hands of Burlington-Central in a game played there. Georgetown started off on the right foot, trailing by a point (14-13) at the half. However, the home side used man pressure in the second half, and whenever a turnover didn't hurt the Rebels it was some tough luck around the hoop which let the visiting squad down.

Georgetown began the game with only five players as the other eight team members missed the first quarter due to getting lost on the Queen Elizabeth Way. The five (Lisa Mason, Shanna Long, Jenny Melville, Kim Daquano and Lee Jessop) though were able to play well said coach Meredith Smye.

Thursday's win was a disappointing one for the Rebels not only because it eliminated them from the

playoffs. In the preliminary round contest with T.A. Blakelock last week Georgetown had played quite well, and had the team been able to maintain that level of play there wasn't a reason why the club couldn't go further. But such wasn't meant to be.

Thursday would have been a good time for the Rebels to play well too as the Burlington club wasn't shooting as well as it had in the past. However, Smye said she had to take some blame for the loss as her players began to get too concerned with the officiating and not the game.

"It was a physical game but the calls were consistent," she said. "I have a feeling I should blame myself because they were on the refs and not concentrating (on the game)."

No scorers were available. However, even with the loss the Rebels' season isn't over. The team will play Milton once more to decide who will advance to "AA" OFSAA

(Ontario Federation of School Athletic Association) championships to be held in Thunder Bay. That game will give the Rebels another shot at Milton, a team Georgetown lost to 33-9 in the final game of the East Halton schedule. It's a game the Rebels are looking forward to, Smye said.

"Our kids will be up for that," she said.



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GEMINI GEMS

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Gemini president would like public input on local team

It is my intention to write about some personal observations and concerns in each edition of Gemini Gems. I would very much appreciate your comments on our hockey club or our Gemini Gems feature.

PUBLIC COMMENT
The Gemini is one of the few community operated junior B teams in the OHA. Each year at

public elections the board of directors must answer to the hockey community of Georgetown.

The 1986-87 Gemini Board of Directors is fully committed to the principal of an "open" community team. Each member of the Board of Directors is asked for comment on every item discussed at our meetings. Every facet of our team operation is reviewed, approved or

rejected by the Board of Directors. If you, the hockey fan and supporter of our Gemini, wish to make comments you are encouraged to:

- 1) call the president - Dave Kentner - 877-1113
- 2) call any elected or appointed official of our team
- 3) attend board of directors meeting and enter the discussion Board Meetings

Alcott Arena - 7 p.m.
Wed. Nov. 19, Dec. 3, Dec. 17
Everyone is welcome and will be heard

I believe in the concept of "Delegated Authority" and this is the method we are using to construct an "organization" which will win the Sutherland Cup.

We have been blessed with a large number of excellent volunteers who have each accepted an area of our operations to manage. This has at times and in certain critical areas caused what seems to be "Too many Chiefs and not enough Indians", however as all these workers begin to understand each other - look out!

Gaining respect for each other and understanding just what each of us is expected to do (and sometimes more important - "what is expected of us not to do") are the most important objectives for our first season together. I get tremendously excited when I think of what could be accomplished when each of us makes our best and total contribution in our own area of responsibility.

The Georgetown Gemsins are well along the road to accomplishing this. Gerry Osborne

and her booster club is one of our most impressive early season successes - Bill Spense and our souvenir booth operation has already reached its 1986-87 target - Al Walker with the box office has created a most impressive image and a financial success - Jack Handy with the hockey operation has the most difficult, most publicly exposed, largest groups of highly qualified people to pull together into a team. Jack is really a "head coach" of a highly strung and delicately balanced group - I am proud of Jack's efforts and success so far.

Finn Foulstrup has exceeded the most ambitious sales campaign ever undertaken by a Georgetown hockey team. I could name every worker for they all have done well.

However we are just nicely started the final report card will come in April of '87. I am confident that we all will be proud of what the Gemsins have accomplished in '86-'87.

Won't you, our supporters, help us with your comments, both favorable and constructive?
-Dave Kentner
President Georgetown Gemini

Gemini-Zellers Puck Shot rules

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 5. The participants do not have skates on.
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 7. Two Committee Members shall be in attendance at each holding of the event
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 - I will not take practice shots.
 - I will shoot from the far blue line as required by the official.
 - I will shoot only when the referee has blown the whistle and when in attendance by 2 Gemini Committee Members.
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STEADY INFLUENCE-One of the big surprises this season has been the play of Gemini defenceman Tom Purcell. Purcell last year played bantam hockey with

Chinguacousy, and despite being in his first season with the Gemini, Purcell hasn't looked out of place. If he continues to improve, Purcell will fast become a major part of the Gemini hockey club in the future. (Herald photo)

Gemini fans can win

You could win one of five portable televisions. Each week five ticket stub numbers will appear in the "Meet the Gemini" feature. If you are the holder of one of these numbers you will receive a complimentary Gemini Adult Admission ticket when you enter "The Herald's Television Draw" at 45 Guelph St. Each month in Gemini Gems we will announce a winner of a portable television (random selection from the entries received prior to publication of Gemini Gems).

This is a terrific opportunity for Georgetown Pontiac-Bulek Gemini fans to enjoy community hockey and win valuable prizes.