

# Pearson eliminates Acton from Halton hoop playoffs

With any luck at all the Acton High School senior girls basketball team could be playing in the Halton semi-finals this week.

The Redmen, who were fourth in the East Halton standings, travelled to Burlington Thursday to take on Lester B. Pearson in the quarter-final playoff round. Pearson had finished the regular season atop of the West Halton standings.

However, the Redmen squad picked a bad time to play a subpar contest as the Pearson squad took the game 33-25. Redmen coach Anne Andrews said had her club played the way it had in its prior five games, the outcome would have been closer.

"I know the kids gave it their best but it wasn't the best we've seen," Andrews said. "We just couldn't pick the tempo up. Lyn and I kept waiting for it to happen and I guess we out-waited ourselves."

When Acton played its best games earlier (or at least prior to this one) the Redmen got balanced scoring from Susan Craig and Lee Ann Johnson. Craig was the inside player who either drove to the hoop or picked up offensive rebounds and turned them into points. Johnson, on the other hand, was the outside threat who could pop in shots from the 20-foot range.

But the long shots weren't dropping for the Redmen Thursday. Johnson didn't get as much court time as she normally would because the Redmen went to a man defence in the second half. Craig led the way with 13 points while Margie Parker

had five and Johnson chipped in with four.

The playoff exit however isn't the end of the season for the Acton squad. The Redmen will be travelling to St. Thomas early next month to take part in the "A" Ontario Federation of School Athletic Association (OFSAA) champion-

ships. This will be the third time Acton has gone to the tournament and last year the team came home with a silver medal.

"It's a good experience for the kids," Andrews said. "It shows them where they stand in the provincial strata and it also lets them know how they stand with schools that are

roughly the same size. "We know we play in a league with "AA" and "AAA" schools and that our kids have done well. But we tell them just because we play against "AAA" schools not to expect a cakewalk. There are a lot of good teams there (at the OFSAA event)," Andrews added.

## Junior Redmen basketball team suffers tough Halton playoff loss

Acton High School junior girls basketball team finished its rebuilding season on somewhat of a down note, but there's a sense of optimism present for next season.

The Redmen were defeated 40-33 Tuesday in the preliminary round of the Halton championships at the hands of Oakville-Trafalgar. The defeat evened Acton's record this season at 5-5 as the Redmen were fifth in East Halton standings with a record of five wins against four losses.

Jennifer Scott ended her season on a high note, notching 17 points for the Redmen. Melissa Corson had eight points while Trine Fisker and Shannon Burrell both had four points.

"It was a very competitive game," Redmen coach Anne Andrews said of the playoff contest.

"We came off the court feeling we had played a good game. They (O-T) had to work for the win."

While the loss was a disappointing one, Andrews said she was pleased with the year her club had. Both Andrews and co-coach Lyn McLaren felt at the beginning of the year this

season would be a rebuilding one for the Redmen, who had many first-year players on their roster. Acton should be in good shape for 1987 as four of the five starters will be returning as well as four other second team members. Only Corson graduates to the senior squad from the Redmen starting lineup.

## Boyle's eight points leads atoms to win

Left-winger Steve Boyle held the hot hand for Georgetown "AA" Major Atoms Thursday night, scoring a goal and assisting on seven others to lead his team to a lop-sided 11-2 win over Stoney Creek.

Leading goal scorer Randy Bond had three goals and helped out on one other while third member of the line Todd Fuller had a goal and three assists to complete a 16-point night for the unit.

Steve Melykuty and Derek Parsons both fired a pair of goals while Ryan Pirie and Jim Kavanagh had singles. Melykuty, Parsons, Kavanagh, Pirie, Paul Kalbarski and Matt Downs all had an assist.

Goalie Trevor Knight had a rather easy night as the defence of Jeremy Hamp, Keith Montgomery, David Rivard and Downs was solid in front of him.

Earlier in the week the Major Atoms showed a lot of heart, scoring twice in the dying minutes to steal a 4-3 win from Brampton at Georgetown's Memorial Arena.

Bond opened the scoring at the 1:36 mark of the first period with an unassisted tally only to have Brampton tie the game early in the second, then take a one-goal lead at the 1:18 mark of the final frame. Four minutes later Bond evened the match on a Montgomery rebound but again Brampton regained the lead 3-2 with less than four minutes to play.

However Boyle took advantage of sloppy clearing by the Brampton goalie to poke in a loose puck and tie the score with 1:47 to play.

Kalbarski emerged the hero for Georgetown, taking a pass from Parsons and firing an accurate shot into the corner of the cage after the goalie came out to down the angle.



Keeping the ball alive

The Holy Cross boys volleyball players try to come to the aid of a fallen teammate and keep the ball in play here. In this game Holy Cross met up with rival St. Francis in a tournament played last week at Bishop Reding High School. These two clubs met in the round robin as well as the tournament final, which was won by Holy Cross. (Herald photo)

## Pee wee's lone loss is in tourney final

The DRG Stationery "AA" Peewees laced on their skates seven times during the past week. Georgetown won six of their seven games with the only loss coming in the championship game of the Valleytown Tournament in Dundas against a strong skating team from Waterloo.

Their week began with a home and home series with Orangeville. On the road, Georgetown gave up three late goals in just nineteen seconds but held on for a 5-4 victory. Jason Smith notched two goals, including the winner while singles went to Trevor Elinecky, Trent Cull and Adam Hills.

Back at Memorial Arena the following evening the Peewees skated to a more convincing 4-1 win with goals coming off the sticks of Duane Lewis, Doug Crawford, Trevor Elinecky and Sean Guistini. Assisting in the two games were Elinecky (3), Guistini (2), Steve Brown (2), Mark McIntyre (2), Brad Amato, Cull, Hills and Lewis.

Friday, in Dundas, Georgetown opened the round robin part of their tournament with a 3-0 win over Cedar Hill. Dusty Lane posted the shutout while Trent Cull won the MVP Medallion. Brown, Elinecky and Smith handled the scoring.

The Stationery crew was back on the ice Friday evening to take an easy 11-1 win over a pretty undisciplined Fort Erie team. Adam Hills potted five goals and the MVP

award in leading his team to the win. Also scoring were Elinecky (2), Lewis, Adam Hagen, John Jickling and Smith.

A 4-2 victory on Saturday night over Richmond Hill guaranteed a first place division finish for Georgetown. Trevor Elinecky scored the winner on a great end to end rush to go with the game's opening marker giving him the nod for the MVP. Duane Lewis and Adam Hills got the other two goals.

Georgetown met the Mississauga Terriers in the semi-final match and John Katsilieris backstopped our Peewees to a 2-0 victory. Possibly the most exciting game of the tournament it took three period goals by Brad Amato and John Jickling to give Georgetown the edge. Trent Cull picked up his second MVP medallion.

Late Sunday afternoon Waterloo was the better club on the day. After an early flurry of activity around the Waterloo net, Georgetown lost their momentum, Waterloo settled down to play good sound hockey to win the tournament with a 4-1 win. Trent Cull notched the only Georgetown goal and Trevor Elinecky earned the MVP award.

Earning assists during the tourney were Elinecky and Brown with four each, Amato and Guistini three each, while Lewis, Smith, Hills and Rob Lang had a pair apiece. Single helpers went to Jickling, Cull and Hagen.

## Dave Harris nets hattrick as midgets dump Brampton 6-4

Dave Harris' hattrick paced Georgetown Labelmaster minor midgets to a 6-4 win over Brampton Saturday in a game played at the Alcott Arena.

Harris' third goal of the game in the final frame proved to be the win-

ning tally in Saturday's contest.

Harris started the scoring in the game two minutes into the first period as David Ciglen drew an assist. With a second to play in the period Brampton notched its first goal to tie the game.

The locals added two more tallies to their score in the second period as Wayne Snow scored with five minutes remaining in the period from Frazer Dougal and Harris. Brent Presswood then scored with three and a half minute to go with Steve Sutherland and Snow gaining the assists.

Brampton cut the deficit to one goal with a tally just two and a half minute into the final frame. Seventy-five seconds later Harris had his second goal of the game from Ciglen and Dougal. Brampton cut the advantage to one again, but less than 30 seconds later Harris notched his third goal of the game on an unassisted tally. Snow's second score of the contest was the insurance tally the locals needed. Alain Thibault drew an assist.

Les Lumsden played his best game of the year in goal for the locals and was called upon to make some big saves in the win.

## All teams gunning for defending champs

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Carter came in' and did well. Georgetown put the icing on the cake with 11 seconds to play when Martha McClure hit both ends of the bonus from the free throw line to make it 53-44. A late Robinson field goal rounded out the scoring.

Leeking said the loss of Burroughs late in the game was of major concern. However, Leeking said the play of his bench in the game more than made up for it.

"I was concerned when Tara left because there went our ball-handler," he said. "But our bench did play well. In fact I thought everyone did a good job. Everyone knows their role and is comfortable in them."

Burroughs led the way for Georgetown with 16 points while Heather Lawrence, who had six blocked shots, had 15 points. Nicki Squire of Robinson was the game's high scorer with 24 points.

The Rebels will host the winner of Aldershot-Assumption today in the

semi final. Leeking said he's finding a big difference now being the defending champ rather than being a team doing the chasing, like the Rebels did last season.

"We're walking a fine line because we're expected to win," he said. "Last year anything after first place was extra. Now everyone is coming after us."

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