

Lacrosse finals hot



Happy winners

The Niagara Warriors won the Golden Horseshoe Lacrosse League champions in tournament with a 10-3 win over the Acton Rams at Acton arena on Saturday. Here, league President Jerry Mamela presents the championship trophy to Niagara Captains Mark Franzen, Chris Miller and Dan Gilmour. (Herald Photo)



MVP's meet

Acton goaltender Steve Young stops Niagara forward Marcus Franzen on a breakaway during the GHLL finale. Although Niagara won 10-3, Young was named MVP for the Rams while Franzen copped the same honors for his two-goal performance for the Warriors. (Herald photo)



Tempers flare

Menacing glances were exchanged during the third period of Saturday's senior lacrosse final. Acton was tagged for 26 penalty minutes in the last period which hurt their chances of coming back against a strong Niagara side. (Herald photo)

Squirt house league

Padres, Indians lead way

GBA Squirt Baseball League results from July 4 saw Shaw Trophies Padres defeat Cross Way Donuts Cubs. Padres homers by Andrew Nelissen, Stuart Scottford and Wesley Blight. Adam Macdonald, Michael Simon and Peter Finlay added triples and Shane Copland a double. Kevin Swim had three RBIs and Daniel Young an RBI. Stuart Scottford great base running and Shane Copland and Andrew Nelissen teamed up for an out at first.

Outstanding players for the Cubs were Adam Stoyles with a three-run homerun, a triple and a double. Cory Rees had a homer and Mark Fedchyshyn a triple. Dianne Allan added an RBI for the Cubs and in the field Shawn Weatherall gloved a line drive and touched first to end an inning.

McEachern Steering Specialties Giants beat the Thomson Moving Indians.

Homeruns for the Giants by Robert La Rose (3), Steven Gibbons (3), Travis Dore, and for his last game of the season due to moving Chris Rapson (2). Good fielding by Robert La Rose, Brendan Smithson and Mike Kitchen.

For the Indians, Steve Collins and Derek Lanthier hit homeruns and Tanya Little and Brian Normore made outstanding plays.

Wednesday night results Thomson Moving Indians 14 and Cross Way Donuts Cubs 9.

For the Indians doubles by Andrea Pollock (2) and Matt McMullen, triples by Tanya Little and homeruns by Steve Collins (2) and Adam Jackson. RBIs by Trevor McBain (2), Josh Travers and Jason. Good fielding by Derek Lanthier with a fly ball catch, Brian Normore and Derek Lanthier with solid throws and outstanding catches by Steve Collins, Trevor McBain and

Andrea Pollock.

A homerun for the Cubs came off the bat of Garrett Norman and Ben Swanson hit a double. Mark Fedchyshyn was outstanding in the field with a fly ball catch.

Shaw Trophies Padres 13 and Glendale Fishing Charters Yankees 8.

Yankee homerun by Andrew Terrell who added a double. Leslie Moss had a double and a single and Robert MacLeod added four RBIs. Brad

Denmore made a fly ball catch and Geoff Bahr threw home to Robert MacLeod for an out.

Padre triples by Stuart Scottford and Michael Simon, doubles by Wesley Blight and Adam Macdonald. Extra RBIs by Daniel Young, Shane Copland, Andrew Nelissen and Darryl Johnston. Michael Simon was strong in the field with a line drive catch and Peter Finlay made an outstanding tag on second.

Get that guarantee down in writing



LOON TUNES and OUTDOOR NOTES by Len Landry

Hing...
"H'lo..."
"Greg?"
"Yep."
"Are you on for tomorrow?"
"Yep."
"Okay, I'll pick you up at three...a.m..."
"Yep. Good. How many fishing rods will I need? I have one."
"That's good for starters." I laughed. "Better bring it. Don't worry, we have lots of equipment. I'll be there at three. Guaranteed. Be ready."
"Yep. See ya."
Click.

From such conversations are fishing trips planned, finalized, and yes, guaranteed.

Some of you will remember Greg Landry, my younger, crazier brother. He used to do a cartoon for The Herald. Yep, that Greg Landry, the one with the buggy eyes, and off-the-wall humour, except in Greg's case, the wall was never built... He's just a bit off, period. Yep, in Greg's condition, the screws aren't just loose. They fell out, and were lost a long time ago. Yeah, but nobody can make me laugh longer or louder than Greg. Bill Cosby might come close.

And speaking of 'close', that's the way Greg and I always were (when we weren't fighting, that is). Even though I had a fourteen month head-start in this world, Greg and I were both practically the same height on the day he was born. Honest Injun!

Once Greg started to walk and talk a bit, people figured that we were twins, except Greg was much cuter, according to the experts. In fact, my father says that I was the ugliest kid he'd ever seen (and, as the Ace continues, things haven't changed much).

You know what really hurts? My mother agrees with him!

Anyway, Greg's buggy eyes were the picture of despair when I pulled up to his Newmarket home at 4:15, over an hour late (so much for that first guarantee).

"Don't worry, Greg. Tom will have our boat labelled, ready, and loaded with bait... guaranteed. I called to remind him last night. After he forgot last time, there's no way he'll mess up today..."

Greg still wore an anxious, fretful look. This is typical of people who don't fish often enough.

But, alas, Tom did forget, and our boat was not seaworthy when we arrived at the marina at seven.

"Don't worry, Greg. We can catch fish right off the dock here on Stoney Lake... guaranteed. When I was waiting for Tom last time, I caught two nice bass and a walleye right here. Toss your line in and here come the fish..."

Well, we fell precisely two nice bass and a walleye short.

Tom came along at about eight o'clock, sheepishly apologized for not having the boat fuelled and ready, and he began to help us in

loading the old, steel craft: four fishing rods, one giant net, two tackle boxes, two styrofoam coolers full of dangling Muskie lures, one ice-filled cooler for fish... and then we were ready for Greg's equipment.

"Seats, life-jackets, bait bucket... hey, have you guys got enough room to sit down in this boat? Maybe I should take out the gas tank..." Tom quipped.

Well, we finally got underway, and Greg began to relax and unwind, and the jokes started flying.

"Did you catch Letterman's show the other night? Billy Crystal was on, telling how Yul Brynner almost got the lead in The Baby Ruth Story..."

"You mean the old William Bendix flick? Man, they should have given it to Yul. Bad movie..."

Greg stood up, assumed a regal pose (ala King and I) and in perfect Brynner baritone, stated, "Thee Chicago Cubs... they got me nutz..." puff, puff on cigar.

Well, I roared! Greg was really rolling now, but it reminded him that this Canada Day was very cool, and cold front conditions always guaranteed slow fishing... sorry, Greg...

Smash! Smallmouth bass! Guaranteed it would jump... it didn't, but it surely gave a steady, strong fight all the same, the trademark of the species.

Wham! Another fish... guaranteed it was another smallmouth... it turned out to be a beautiful, battling walleye!

Thud! Thud! Zing! Another smallmouth... so much for slow fishing in this cold front! I confidently guaranteed even better fishing at noon when the water warmed and the solar tables predicted maximum fish activity, so what happened? The fishing died at noon.

Before we knew it, dinner hour arrived: time for the best pizza made... guaranteed. Thick cheese, delicious sauce, tender and bona fide bacon strips... and so what turned up? A delayed pizza, mediocre in taste at best, and you guessed it, they forgot the bacon strips.

As our thoughts returned to fishing, I guaranteed at least six more walleye from the weedline's edge, about one hundred yards out from shore, six more walleye before we had to turn the boat back over to Tom.

Well, we fell four walleye short. All in all, though, we'd had a good day.

And, as I cruised along the 400 and 401 after dropping Greg off, I found myself practising my own Yul-doing-Babe bit:

"These Chicago Cubz..." No, a little lower, with more accent, then the cigar... "These Chicago Cubz... they got me nutz..."

Yeah, and I could tell what some of those onlooking, passing motorists were thinking... guaranteed...

SHORELINES: This is 'Metro Fishing Week' in Toronto, an idea which promoted fishing opportunities in the city, especially for kids and the disabled. If you'd like to take part, call the Ministry of Natural Resources (416) 832-2761, ext. 355.

ON THE HORIZON: Hot weather, hot bass fishing... See you in two weeks.

Bantam A's beat Sheridan

Standard Products Bantam As came home two weeks ago with a 5-2 Canada Day win against Sheridan.

Dezeeuw went the distance, pitching a no hitter - although he walked six he had eleven strikeouts - a career high. It was a team effort with two RBIs for Hagen and one for Lawrence. Runs were scored by Butler, Dezeeuw, Lawrence, Mowatt and Steve Wright.

Standard Product Bantam As were host to Streetsville on Tuesday evening and took command with a 2-1 lead in the first. Two unearned runs contributed to the 6-3 fall-behind in the third. There was no change in the fourth with the home team scoring one in the fifth. Streetsville got two in the sixth while our boys captured one. Nothing changed in the seventh giving the visiting team a 7-5 win. Steve Wright had three stolen bases, two singles and two runs - Dave Lawrence stole four bases and contributed two runs. John Butler had a triple and a single plus two RBIs while Adam Hagen had two stolen bases, two singles and one RBI and Humphreys with a walk and one stolen base.

Standard Products Bantam As lost to Clarkson Thursday evening 12-5. Georgetown was again plagued by the opposition hitting through the holes for base hits in the first to score four to our one, getting two more in the second. Our boys came back with three in the third. In the fourth errors put the game out of reach for us with the host scoring five. Each team managed one more in the fifth with curlew ending the game. Dave Lawrence led the team with two singles, two stolen bases and two runs. Dezeeuw recorded a triple and two singles plus two RBIs. Claude Johnson contributed with a triple and one run. Singles, came courtesy of Steve Wright, Adam Hagen, Jason Fitzpatrick, Paul Sevenster and Dave Humphreys.

Sports briefs

Eagles lose

The Georgetown Midget Eagles under manager Brian Hannah travelled to Erindale last week and sent Scott Van de Valk to the mound.

The Eagles started out big with walks from Jeff Hannah and Andy Domingos, singles from Curtis Green, Travis Gardiner and Van de Valk. Van de Valk breezed along until the fourth when he walked two and was pulled in favor of Hannah. In the sixth Abad Mora tripled and then scored on a wild pitch. In the eighth Dave Ridley reached first after the catcher missed strike three and later scored on a wild pitch to wind up the scoring with the final score being Erindale 11, Georgetown 8.

Squirt soccer

The Girls Squirt Soccer is now in full swing with all teams showing lots of skill and enjoyment.

In last week's action the Smurfs recorded a narrow 1-0 victory over the Golden Girls with Shannon Rypstia the goal scorer. Other noteworthy players on the Smurfs were Sarah Williams, Roxanna Roberto and Sharon Loomala while Tara Raftery, Judith Irwin and Branwyn Williams starred for the Golden Girls.

In other action the Red Devils defeated the Whites by two goals to nil, the scorers being Becky Leferink and Ann Grant. In further action the Golden Girls and the Greens fought out a goalless draw with Pam Ruffalo, Tara Raftery and Marjorie Murphy starring for the Golden Girls while all the Green team played a strong game.

Minor lacrosse

Ryan Young and Kyle Artern both had hatricks to lead the Orange to a 7-6 win over the Blues in Acton minor tyke lacrosse play last week.

Shorthanded ruggers win twice

Despite arriving at the annual Niagara Rugby Union tournament last Saturday with only 11 players the North Halton Rugby Club managed to bounce back after an opening loss and win a pair of matches.

The locals were able to recruit some extra players from other clubs for their tournament games which started off on the losing end of a 12-0 score to Hamilton Hornets.

North Halton came back in its second matchup to blank Grimsby Gentlemen 26-0 with Duane Wilson scoring two tries and Casey Vandersluis, Cam MacIver and Bob Paul touching down one each. Brian Hall kicked three converts.

In its final match of the day North Halton turned in a strong second half performance to defeat Brantford Harlequins 9-4. The locals were down 4-0 at the half but Brian Hall cut the margin to 4-3 with a penalty kick and Ian MacIver crossed the line for a try with under three minutes left in the contest to put North Halton ahead. Hall cemented the win with a successful convert attempt.

Other North Halton regulars who played in the tourney included captain Terry Pottruff, Cam MacIver, Brian Collier, Craig Lonsdale, Scott Martin, Bob Bingham and Rob Smith.

Meanwhile, North Halton II's are on a two-game win streak with recent victories over Cambridge Pirates (8-7) and Stoney Creek (10-0). Kyle Goodlet, Rob Smith and Mike Howie were cited in the Cambridge win with good efforts also coming from Brian Collier and Bob Bingham. Goodlet and Smith each scored one try.

Against Stoney Creek, Scott Martin and Casey Vandersluis had tries while James Paul booted a convert.

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