



Good hands

A Burns Transport receiver displays good hands as she holds on to this pass during Georgetown Ladies Flag Football League championship final action at GDHS on

Sunday. A Ferg's Flicks defender is on the spot to grab a flag as Ferg's upset Burns 14-6 to win the 1988 title. (Herald photo)

Pac makes Rhythm blue in powderpuff championship

The Georgetown Ladies Powderpuff League ended the 1988 season last week with an exciting playoff tournament.

All teams were put into three divisions according to their finish in the regular season standings. Each division played off to determine the division winners who would then advance to the semifinals.

Rat Pac overpowered to win their division three games straight. Lucky Charms were the winning team in their division as well as Rhythm in Blue in theirs. Dragon Ladies were granted the wildcard for having the highest runs for and against average.

With these four teams advancing to the semifinals it proved to be an exciting and upsetting playoff.

SEMIFINALS

Rat Pac 12

Dragon Ladies 8

Rat Pac were in the lead throughout the whole game. Strong batting by Linda McClure, Jenny David and Pat Morey helped to keep the Pac ahead. Fine pitching by Sandy Robinson and Joyce Hutchins. The Dragon Ladies gave their full effort with solid batting and fielding but ran out of time to catch the Rat Pac. Susie Williams and Kasey Waldie batted in some of the runs for their team. Good defensive playing by Sherrie Diegel.

Rhythm in Blue 12

Lucky Charms 11

It was a close game for these two teams with the outcome decided in the seventh inning. Super pitching by Janet Ransom and Jean Puckering. Fine hits came off the bats of Lynn Farrimond and Jane Peterson to keep the Blue team on top. The Lucky Charms played to their fullest

needing four runs to tie in the bottom of the seventh. They brought in three of these four runs to keep Rhythm in Blue on their toes. Hermanna Henderson parked a beauty homerun to add to the excitement. Super game by both teams.

With the semifinal games finishing up Saturday's playing, it was time for the final games on Sunday with warm, sunny weather to add to the fun. The consolation game was battled out first between the Dragon Ladies and Lucky Charms.

CONSOLATION FINAL

Dragon Ladies 26

Lucky Charms 14

The Ladies were determined to win this game getting the bats swinging in the first inning. Chris Stoyles and Sharon Zmija pounded out some excellent hits. All the Dragon Ladies were batting great. The Lucky Charms ran out of steam in this game, but still played a great game. Peggy Rawlings gave her full effort going three for three at the plate. Mary Kelly returned to the final game after being injured in the division games. She finished off her year with fine pitching and belting out an awesome homerun.

The championship game was played following the consolation. This proved to be the most exhilarating and suspenseful game for the whole year with Rat Pac taking on Rhythm in Blue.

CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL

Rat Pac 12

Rhythm in Blue 11

These two teams definitely rate as championship players. It was a head to head game with Rat Pac taking the win in the bottom of the seventh

from being down four runs. Sandy Robinson started the lining off being walked. Colleen Costello was next up to hit a single to put two on base. Following Colleen, was Linda McClure who belted out an excellent triple to bring home the two runners. Jenny David did her share hitting a timely double to bring in the tying run. Then it was Bonnie Penny who hit the game winning single to bring the fourth and final run across the plate. The fans went wild as well as all the Rat Pac players. The Rhythm in Blue team looked disappointed but are to be commended for playing an excellent game. It could have been anyone's game. Once again excellent pitching by Janet Ransom and Jean Puckering made the Rat Pac work for their runs. Susan Fergus batted great, hitting a triple, a double and a single. Bonnie Henderson also batted out a triple. Great playing by the Rat Pac and Rhythm in Blue to make it a super championship game.

Well this brings to end another year of Powderpuff baseball. Congratulations to the three winning teams:

L'Il Stinkers - Regular Season Champions
Rat Pac - Playoff Champions
Dragon Ladies - Playoff Consolation Winners

Congratulations and thank you to everyone in the league for making this another successful year. With winter fast approaching, it's time to put the bats and gloves in hibernation and wait for spring to start a whole new season. See you all next year.



High ball

A Georgetown Rebel goes high for a spike during the senior volleyball squad's regular season home opener last Wednesday at GDHS. The high-flying Rebs had little trouble disposing of Perdue's Panthers winning by scores of 15-6, 15-2 and 15-10. (Herald photo)

United stays alive in league playoff



Soccer

By ALEX TOUGH

United came back from the Ontario final defeat to register a 3-1 win over strong rivals Chinguacousy in the league cup. They now await their semi-final opponents and on Friday play Oakville in a league match at Alcott at 8:45 p.m. Their league position is not good to say the least and the lads need to pull in as many points as they can from the few remaining games to stay in the Premier Division of the T and D League.

This Wednesday sees the first semi-finals of the Inter County at Alcott. Meteors and Mariners test each other in the first match with Varian, last year's winners, waiting to face Trexcon or Villa. Trexcon and Villa played Monday and Trexcon needed to win and Villa only a tie for the right to go through to the semi-final game.

On Thursday at Alcott, the only field we have left for the season, the second division semis take place. Eagles and United battle it out in the first match with Laurentians and Crown following.

At the time of writing the finals are not yet set definitely, so wait and see for that news. In any event the finish should prove to be interesting.

Steelers lost in the final of the CSL to Vancouver, or were at the last moment I heard and it would have been difficult to come back from the three goals down with 20 minutes left for play. After the disastrous start to the season Steelers came good and had a fantastic finish to the season and at least made the final for the second successive season.

The CSL is in a precarious position. There are few teams making profits and in fact making ends meet other than two clubs. During the close of the season a close look will be taken at the set up (pardon the pun). There is no doubt that the league is needed within the structure of play in the country. More fan support is a must if the league is to survive.

The major problem as I see it is that there are far too many people still interested in playing the game as opposed to watching the game. Participation in soccer is high, higher than most sports - either recreationally or in competition. As long as this is the case spectators will be few and far between. It is hard to realize that soccer has been in vogue for more than 100 years in Canada and we are still in the backwoods in world standings. The success of the CSL is crucial in forwarding the cause of the largest playing force in sports.

Belamy's blaze trail to ball hockey heaven

The Belamy Blazers took their undefeated record into the playoffs and never looked back to end the season on a perfect note, taking the Georgetown Ball Hockey League championship for 1988.

The Blazers, who finished the regular season with a 16-0 record, 4-0 tournament mark and who were 8-0 in the playoffs had an impressive season finishing 23-0 overall. They are the first GBHA team to complete a season without a loss or draw.

On their way to the division championship, Belamy's, who finished first, had choice of their opponent.



Swinger

A natter takes a mighty swing at the first annual Howell's Baseball Slo-Pitch tournament at the Fairgrounds last weekend. The unique tourney, which featured a regulation baseball used slo-pitch style, saw a club from Bolton take top honors. Proceeds went to the local Big Brothers. (Herald photo)

They eliminated second-place Bracken's in the first round with 3-1 and 4-1 victories, all series best two out of three.

In the second round the Blazers knocked off Apple Auto Glass 7-2 and 7-0 respectively. This series win over AAG advances Belamy's to the division final.

Belamy's opponent in this important series was North Halton Sports, the winner advancing to the championship. A 2-0 blanking of NHS in the first game showed a worthy opponent but the Blazers exploded in game two with a 10-2 win to oust North Halton out of playoffs.

Entering the finals, the Blazers anticipated a matchup with defending champions Station House. Station House winners three of the last four titles went to a third game only to be upset by a rising team Pompei Pizza.

The first game of the championship showed caution as both teams were first-time finalists. Belamy's finally settled down en route to a 6-1 decision. Game two opened up with some rough and tough action but once again, for the 28th straight time the Belamy Blazers prevailed, final score 3-0.

The end of a terrific GBHA season, and the vision and hopes of many more.

Talent night

Tickets are now available for the Local Talent Night on Thursday, Oct 13 at the John Elliott Theatre. Pick up tickets at the Recreation and Parks Department office on James Street in Georgetown or the Acton Indoor Pool on Acton Blvd in Acton.

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Rangy Rebels look strong in hoop openers

One might have to excuse Moe Leeking for sounding a bit like a mad scientist when discussing his 1988 GDHS senior girls basketball team.

"I'll have to get the chemistry working," said Leeking after his Rebel charges won their second game in as many starts in Halton girls basketball play on Monday with a 33-21 decision over Oakville-Trafalgar in Georgetown. "We have a lot of size this year but not a lot of quickness."

Monday's win followed a successful season opener at Perdue last Wednesday where the Rebs outgunned the Panthers to the tune of 68-9. "Perdue has a small inexperienced team and we've got a tall experienced team," said Leeking of the mismatch.

Sandwiched between the two league wins was a tournament appearance in Ottawa last weekend where the Leeking-led Rebels turned in a 1-2 record while carrying only seven senior players and two juniors in the lineup. "We just wanted to get some games in," said Leeking of the makeshift tourney roster. "I was pretty happy with the character the girls showed. A lot of them played with injuries and their effort bodes well for the future."

But it was a healthy lineup that hit the floor on Monday night as the Rebels lowered the boom on O-T with Jenny Irwin leading the scoring parade with a career-high 14 points. Heather Lawrence chipped in with 10 and guard Tara Burroughs hit for eight in the 33-21 win.

In the season opener at Perdue last week Tara Burroughs led a balanced offensive attack with 18 points in the 68-9 drubbing.

In Ottawa on the weekend Georgetown opened with a 50-39 loss to Glebe. The GDHS squad trailed for the entire game but did make it close at one point by coming to within four points of tying the lead.

Game two saw Georgetown click

for a big 60-28 triumph over Hideau, setting the stage for a consolation final affair with Colonel By. "That was a barnburner," said Leeking of the B final which saw GDHS drop a heartbreaking one-point loss to the home town crew, 50-49.

"We were down by 18 for most of the game and were losing by 40-31 at the half," explained Leeking. "We changed our defence in the second half and outscored them 18-10." Leeking said the 50-point allowance by Georgetown surprised him. "We're usually rock-solid on defence," he said.

Leeking will be relying on that "rock-solid" approach this season as GDHS attempts to top last year's performance which saw the senior Rebs finish in the top eight in the final OFSAA picture.

Size will be on Georgetown's side this year in the person of 6-foot, 4-inch Heather Lawrence who along with Carolyn Stewart (6'1") gives the Rebels plenty of height under the basket. Sharon Long and Tara Burroughs are outstanding guards and Melissa Corson is strong at forward.

Georgetown's bench strength will also be a prime factor in any title hopes this year with steady Jenny Irwin leading the way. Cindy Kallo, Lisa Carter and junior call-up Melanie Jans round out a solid bench for Leeking.

"We're a big team and we'll be playing kind of a power half-court game," said Leeking. "We'll have a good test down at Q.E.P." The senior Rebs visit Queen Elizabeth Park tonight (Sept. 28) in an effort to extend their early season winning streak.

Meanwhile, the GDHS junior Rebels girls basketball team will also carry an unblemished 2-0 record into Oakville tonight to face Q.E.P. The junior Rebs edged O-T by one point in a 34-33 nailbiter on Monday night after opening the season in Perdue with a convincing 56-21 win last week.

New programs available

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275	George Archibald 735
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281	High Single with Handicap
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226	Lesiah Allen 263
	Len Walker 274
	Pat Butler 288
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