

# Blue Lites team to beat in local powderpuff league

While the Georgetown Ladies Powderpuff League schedule is still in its early stages, indications point to the high-flying Blue Lite team, led by "Grand Slam" Jeannie Brooks, as the team to beat. The Blue Lites are off to a torrid 4-0 mark and sit atop the GLPL standings.

## Blue Lite 12 Red Sox 11

In last week's action the league-leaders nipped by a game Red Sox team 12-11. Anne Dale, Priscilla Reyce and Cindy Crawford had perfect four-for-four nights at the plate but the decisive blow for the Lite team was a grand slam home (her second) by Jeannie Brooks.

The Red Sox ran out of luck as they allowed seven runs to cross in the bottom of the sixth to let this exciting match slip away. Wendy Middleton led the attack for the Red Sox with a two-run homer. Kay King and Eda Warren pitched in with a double and triple respectively. The whole club played well in giving the Blue Lite a real scare.

## It's not Easy Being Green 5 Roger's Dodgers 2

It's not Easy Being Green and Roger's Dodgers locked horns in a tight defensive match. The "Greener's" got by with a 5-2 win. The green team held off a strong challenge from the Dodgers with good defensive play.

Shortstop Laura Richardson played "Human Vacuumcleaner" and got to everything hit her way. Joyce Hutchins helped seal the win with a key double play in the seventh inning. Bonnie Malenfant provided the offensive clout with a two-run triple. In a rare occurrence, S'not Easy held Penny Butterworth off the home run

sheet. The Dodgers were stymied by the Green pitchers and had to scramble for two runs. Jan Walker with a double and Dini Adams with a run scored highlighted the Dodgers' offence. Lori King sparked defensively turning two double plays.

## Shady Ladies 12 Travelling Blueberries 5

Shady Ladies and Travelling Blueberries went at it last week as well. Ev Metier crashed two doubles and scored twice to lead the Shady Ladies to a 12-5 decision. Debbie Ireland was three-for-three and Virginia Walker brought home two runs with a triple in the Shady Ladies well balanced attack.

The Roy Orbison-inspired Blueberries (!!!?) came up short in this game but still put on an impressive defensive display. Janet Mather and Diana Westwood were impeccable in the field. Elaine Moreland and Diane Saunders provided the batting in a game well-played by the entire "Berry" Patch.

## Pink Cadillacs 3 Blue Zone 13

In a match that left the Pink Cadillacs feeling blue, the Blue Zone turned up the volume on their bats and pounded out a 13-3 win. Cindy Kemper, Kim Kirk, Diane Richardson and Janice Murray led the hit parade for the "Zone" - Janice also made the defensive gem of the game, making a good running catch to end the game. The Pink Caddies had little to cheer about in this game but some gals shone. Helen Slingsby belted out a triple and Sharron Hollingsworth played a solid shortstop. Betty Fendley pitched well in a losing cause.

## Dirty Shirts 16 Life's a Peach 15

The Dirty Shirts and the Life's a Peach teams had an old-fashioned barn-burner last week with the Dirty Shirts coming out clean with 16-15 win.

The Dirty Shirts got good bat support from Judy Pomeroy (three-for-three) Janet Ransom and Sue McDonald. Janet also pitched well to help the cause.

In the field, Patti Puckering and Lauri Shaw played stellar defence to hold off a stingy Peach team. Patti Sunnucks and Rose Wilcox put hammer on the Dirty Shirts pitchers each slamming home runs. Debbie Knoepfli showed her base-running prowess beating a throw to third with a terrific slide. Lynn Lafleur (Guy's wife?) played outstanding in the field collecting three excellent catches. Laurie Henson also came up big in the field, however, one run in the bottom of the seventh spelled the difference for the 'Peachy' Ladies.

## Half-Croc'd 15 Raisin Hell 14

Good coaching (?) was the difference in the Half-Croc'd 15-14 win over Raisin' Hill.

Pat Morey smoked two doubles and Carolyn Gingras and Lorie Sinnevac each chipped in one a piece. Goldie Cash surprised everyone in the park and laid down a great bunt to keep the Raisins off-balance.

In a repeat performance for the Hell-Raisers, Carol Spiteri and Mary Anne Bradley tossed a good game. "Bernie" Bishop and Sharon Presley (Elvis' wife?) both stood out defensively. Lesley Beague played her usual steady game behind the plate, but a good comeback by Raisin' Hell fell just short.



Acton Rams goaltender Steve Young juggles the ball as he slams the door on a Burlington Cougar scoring opportunity during opening game action of the Golden Horseshoe Men's Lacrosse League in Acton last Thursday. Rams won, 7-3. (Herald photo)

## Rams romp in opener

Acton Rams opened their 1989 Golden Horseshoe Men's Lacrosse League regular season schedule on a winning note Thursday as they bounced the visiting Burlington Cougars 7-3 at the Acton Arena.

Jim Clark led a balanced Ram attack with a pair of goals while singles were notched by George Artem, Paul Wilson, Beck Hofland, Kevin Marcoux and Henry Van Ort.

Assists went to Van Ort with four while Clark, Hofland, Artem, Rob Allen and Wayne

Young all earned lone helpers.

Acton goalkeeper Steve Young proved to be stingy as only Courtney Sanderson (2) and Matt Phelps were able to penetrate his armor for Burlington goals.

Rams led throughout the match, holding a 2-1 lead after 20 minutes before increasing that to 5-2 after two periods. Burlington took 28 of 46 minutes in penalties.

League action resumes for the Rams tomorrow in Acton with Hamilton Wildcats in town for an 8:30 p.m. start.

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