

Major Atoms

# Star Fuels ignite for playoff victory

Georgetown Star Fuel Major Atoms began their Tri-County playoff round with a win.

Coaches Bob Craig, John Andrews and manager Bill Briggs kept the team busy with practices and exhibition games after being knocked out of OMHA playoffs by Milton.

This past Sunday, Georgetown entered the game as an underdog team against Flamboro who had beaten the home team soundly on two previous occasions in league play.

Much to Flamboro's surprise, Star Fuels took a 1-0 lead in the first minute of play on a shot from the point by Chris Corney that rebounded to Pete Mashinter who netted the goal.

Robbie Pilgrim earned an assist on this goal.

With only 50 seconds left in the first period, Flamboro tied it up.

Not to be outdone, Georgetown scored with 22 seconds remaining on a goal by Darin Finlayson with assists going to Andy Kerslake and Keith Hunt.

Halfway through the second period, Georgetown went ahead by two goals. Corney passed to Mashinter who took the puck up from centre ice and rebounded a hard shot off the goalie's blocker. Hunt followed through with a goal off the rebound.

One minute later, Georgetown scored again after a hard-fought

goalmouth scramble. Garry McNiven netted the marker with assists going to Pilgrim and Corney to put our home team ahead 4-1.

A slight lapse in the third period saw Flamboro score three consecutive goals to tie the game with only five minutes remaining.

With three minutes left in the game, the visitors took a penalty which allowed a chance for a powerplay.

Ryan Taylor carried the puck over the blue line and set up Pete Mashinter with a nice pass into the slot.

Mashinter then scored on a high wrist shot into the top left corner. Jamie Briggs also assisted on this goal that turned out to be the game winner.

Finlayson then scored an insurance goal on a tricky corner shot with assists going to Pilgrim and McNiven.

Andrew Craig played a strong game between the pipes, stopping many Flamboro attempts.

This was a total team effort. Other members contributing to the 6-4 win not previously mentioned were Ken Armstrong, Chris Goodhew and Stephen Markham.

Geoffrey Beauparlant, Star Fuel's other goalie, cheered the team on, awaiting his turn in the next game Thursday (tomorrow) against Streetsville, 7:30 p.m. at Memorial Arena.



ACTON GOALTENDER Jake Rhynold smothers the puck and stops action during play in the 1990 20th Annual Acton Branch 197 Royal Canadian Legion Peeewe House League Hockey Tournament staged over the weekend at the Acton Community Centre.

Acton defeated Erin 2-0 in this game with Rhynold registering the shutout. Unfortunately, Acton was eliminated from further tourney play after losing 7-1 to Mt. Forest. (Herald photo)

Novice House

## Young's Pharmacy potent

Young's Pharmacy ended the regular season with a convincing win over a gallant but out-gunned A and S Engraving team, 7-0 Saturday, ending with a total of 98 goals with only 18 against! The GMHA Novice House League match was the final game of a day which saw Lions Club and A and F Johnson skate to a 2-2 tie and Kinsmen down M and M Pro Sports 4-2.

Young's stingy defence was anchored by the fine goaltending of Dylan "Pickleman" Lee, who enters the playoffs with a 25 game undefeated streak over two seasons (22W 3T 0L 10SO).

Defencemen Matt "Iceman" Sykes, Ian "Blue-line" Murphy and "Rockin" Robin Deeley coolly blunted opposition attacks, permitting rushing defenceman Ian "Wheels" Cartwright the freedom to make his electrifying end-to-end scoring rushes (14G 18S).

Brendan "Bull's-eye" Alexa, with a team-leading 51 points (35G 16A) and Chris "Topher" Baker centred Young's potent offensive lines. Left-wingers Jon "Kordic" Howell and Richard "Rebound" Desjardins, together with right wingers Kris "The Jet" Noonan, Kevin "Slippery" Coyle and Garth "The General" Serjeantson, worked tirelessly both ways, quickly capitalizing on opposition mistakes and keeping the pressure on the other team.

Young's success this season can be attributed to good talent, a strong work ethic, and mostly two factors: young coaches, Scott Can de Valk and Jeff Hannah.

They built excellent team spirit, taught the players a simple but effective system of play, and were endlessly patient and encouraging. The players know the playoffs will be difficult, with five other good teams trying to upset them, but look forward to April 7 (Day of Champs) with confidence and anticipation.

Coaches Van de Valk and Hannah thank all the parents for their cheerful and enthusiastic support throughout the season - and especially all those 6:30 a.m. Sunday practices!

D. Lee	9	4	13
R. Deeley	3	8	12
R. Desjardins	2	10	12
C. Baker	1	11	12
K. Coyle	3	7	10
G. Serjeantson	2	4	6
M. Sykes	1	4	5
I. Murphy	0	5	5

GOALTENDERS					
	GP	GW	SO	GA	GAA
D. Lee	11	11	6	10	0.91
I. Murphy	3	3	0	5	1.67
C. Baker	1	1	1	0	0.00
R. Deeley	1	1	0	3	3.00
Team	16	16	7	10	1.13

Major Peeewe

## Bodanis Bruins back in hunt

The Georgetown Major Peeewe "AA" Bodanis Bruins opened Tri-County playoff action this week with a convincing 8-2 win over Oakville and a very close 3-1 victory over a stubborn Flamborough squad.

At Alcott Arena on Saturday, the talent of the Bodanis Bruins simply prevailed against Oakville.

Jamie Stephenson and Stephen Onoprijenko sparked the Major Peeewe offence with two goals each. Defenceman Gavin Glaser was prominent as he chipped in with a goal and two assists.

Two points were earned by Mark Aldridge on a goal and an assist and Doug Sheppard and Jim Katsiferis who each notched two helpers.

Single goals were recorded by Brent Wilkinson and Stephen Yurichuk.

Blaine McCauley and Minor Peeewe Sandy Davidson closed out the scoring with an assist apiece. Chad Hughes was very solid in the Georgetown net.

In Flamborough on Sunday, the Bodanis Bruins were unable to crank up their offence.

With the pressure on, goaltender John Waller played a strong game. McCauley tied the game 1-1 late in the second period, on a goal assisted by Aldridge and Glaser. Duke Bouskill scored two late third period markers to ensure the Major Peeewe victory.

Sheppard and Wilkinson earned assists on the first goal, and Glaser counted the lone helper on the final score.

Parkdale emerged as the "A" Division Grand Champion, on the heels of a 7-2 win over the Dofasco team from Hamilton, while Stoney Creek claimed "B" Division Grand Championship honors by blanking Coronation, from Hamilton, 2-0 in the division final following a weekend chock full of action in the 1990, 20th Annual Acton Branch 197 Royal Canadian Legion Peeewe House League Hockey Tournament staged at the Acton Community Centre.

Nineteen teams in two divisions competed for tournament laurels that saw games played Friday night, Saturday and Sunday at the Acton Community Centre.

The Acton representative ran into stiff opposition in the form of an inspired Mt. Forest team and was eliminated from further play following a second game 7-1 loss to Mt. Forest.

In Acton's first contest of the tourney, the Leathertown crew blanked Erin 2-0.

A team from Clarkson was supposed to round out the 20-team field but pulled out at the last minute.

Acton took on Brampton, an "A" Division squad, in an exhibition game Friday evening, but bowed 4-1.

In the exhibition game loss to Brampton, Al Schuster on a pass from Jason Lowrie, scored the lone Acton goal.

John Oliver, Dave Garcia, Jason Marks and James D'Olavetra scored for Brampton.

Jay McDaniel and Brad Fisher scored the goals to get Acton off to a flying 2-0 tournament start over Erin, with Lisa Harlow, Scott Yates and Jason Lowrie drawing assists.

Jake Rhynold earned the shutout in the Acton nets.

The win moved Acton over to the championship side of play but it also meant that a loss would relegate the team to spectator status.

This, unfortunately, was the scenario that unfolded for an outgunned Acton squad against Mt. Forest.

Jamie Goy converted a pass from Lisa Harlow to count Acton's only goal.

Two players did most of the damage for Mt. Forest.

Tyler Tunney notched a hat trick and Mark Ciszewski scored twice for the winners with singles going to Brad McGukin and Craig Suggen.

In the "A" Division championship game, Parkdale's Eric Ellis proved too much for Dofasco to handle.

He scored three times with singles going to John Samson, Andrew Harris, Nicky Smith and Matt Geczy.

For Dofasco, Tim Wial and Jeff Michaud counted the markers.

The "B" Division championship game saw Stoney Creek's goaltender Scott Townsend stonewall Coronation (Hamilton) en route to the 2-0 triumph. Goalscorers Robert Cobaj and Mark Colouri provided all the margin Stoney Creek needed.

The "B" Division Consolation Championship was won by St. Clements with a tight 4-3 win over Belmont.

Gerret Linesman, Mike Brown, Jed Klink and Jeremy Kramer scored for St. Clements.

Dan McPherson had a pair of goals for Belmont with Trevor Gammon counting a short-handed marker.

Guelph Majors romped to a 9-5 win over Guelph Minors in the "A" Division Consolation Championship game.

For the Guelph Majors, Trevor Smith potted a hat trick while Danny Lockart and Kevin Smith each scored two goals apiece. Jason Prior and Darryle Mackie rounded out the Guelph Majors scoring.

Peter Walinga scored twice for Guelph Minors with Jay Volpe, David Crawford and Jason Webb adding singles.

ACTON ROSTER

Coaches John Enright and Bruce Sears. Players: Jake Rhynold, Chris Cullen, Scott Yates, Alex Schuster, Bryce Marshall, Devon Ambrose, Chris Sargeant, Jason Lowrie, Lisa Harlow, Brad Fisher, Jeremy Bannister, Phil McGregor, Douglas Enright, Jamie Coy, Jay McDaniel, Chris Coulson and Mark McPhedran.

# Parkdale wins Acton tourney

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