Sports

### **Bantam Baseball**

### ReMax reps win playoff berth

Mike Adam's Remax Bantam Boys baseball team defeated Alliston in a three game series August 16-19 to win a berth in the Ontario Baseball Association championships.

In order to make it to the OBA championships in Kingsville, Georgetown had to get past Alliston in a best of three, winnertakes-all series. Georgetown took the series two games to one, even though Alliston had the home town advantage.

In the first game on August 16, Georgetown defeated Alliston 9-3 in seven innings. Jose Mora was outstanding as pitcher. Mora pitched the entire game facing 28 batters and gave up only six hits over seven innings, striking out 12 opponents while allowing no waiks on the day.

Offensively, the second inning was a big one for Georgetown. Shane Leslie got hit by a pitch to start the inning. Later, Joe Stevens doubled in two runs and Josh Petch singled in one run. Georgetown also scored two unearned runs for a total of five.

Georgetown added another run in the fifth to bring the score to 6-3 over Alliston. Jose Mora got to first on a hit and ater stole home for the run.

The Georgetov i hats were silent again until : le seventh ining. The lead-off batter. Doug Sheppard, ranked out a triple, followed by Shane Leslie's RBI single. Steve Onoprijenko doubled in another run. Both Mora and Petch grounded out in the inning, but they cashed in one run each, bringing the final score to 9-3.

The second game of the series was played in Georgetown on August 17, but Georgetown came up short of a victory by a score of 6-3. After their win in Alliston, Georgetown looked a little flat during the first three innings of play and Alliston capitalized on Georgetown's sluggish per-

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formance. By the time the boys got back on track, the damage was already done and the score was 5-0 for Alliston.

Georgetown only allowed Alliston one run after the third inning, but the deficit was too great for them to overcome. Georgetown's loss meant that the series would have to go to a third and deciding game. The winner of the final game of the series would be Kingsville bound on the Labour Day weekend (results unavailable at press time).

The final game was played on Monday, August 19th in Alliston. Georgetown jumped out to a three run lead in the first inning and never looked back. Brett DeSouza started off the inning with a single and later scored on a Doug Sheppard double. Jose Mora doubled in Sheppard and Shane Leslie singled in Mora to bring the score to 3-0.

Georgetown had an excellent second inning after forcing Alliston to a three up, three down first inning. Joe Stevens, DeSouza, and Sheppard loaded up the bases for Mora, who bashed out a solid double earning himself two more RBIs.

Onoprijenko smashed out another extra base hit, increasing his RBI production by two, and later increased his runs scored production on a Shane Leslie single: During the inning,

nine Georgetown batters faced the opposition's pitching, earning five more runs.

Alliston managed to cash in one run in the third, and two runs in the fourth while effectively silencing the Georgetown bats in their half of the inning. DeSouza earned another RBI in the fifth inning, bringing the score to 9-3.

The score remained unchanged for the remainder of the game due to the excellent Georgetown fielding. DeSouza made a phenomenal throw to third base from right field, which caught the runner attempting to tag and steal after a fly ball was hit. Josh Petch chased down a long fly ball hit to centre, making an outstanding, over-the-shoulder catch while on the run.

Head Coach Boyd Hoddinott believes that the Bantam team has an excellent chance of taking it all in the OBA finals in Kingsville. The six assistant coaches, Shawn Mitton, Mike Ross, Harvey Green, Andy Williams, Craig Chantler have put in a lot of quality time and effort helping an outstanding group of young men realize their athletic potential.

The members of the team and their parents thanked all of the coaches and their families for all the hours of volunteered time given and for the dedication they have shown to the team.

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