

# Sports

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## Raiders off to shaky start in 7-3 playoff loss to Caps

Post-season play for the Georgetown Chrysler Raiders got off to a shaky start Tuesday as the locals went down to a 7-3 defeat at the hands of Brampton Capitals.

In a penalty riddled game — between them, the teams had 100 penalty minutes — Raiders led Brampton at the end of the first

period but struggled to put the puck in the net in the second period and were shut out in the third.

Georgetown jumped out to a 2-1 lead in the first with their opening goal coming just over seven minutes into the frame.

Blair Catherwood and Matt Rudnicki fed a pass to Scott Hum-

ber, who blasted a shot past Brampton goal tender Jamie Storr.

Less than five minutes later, Charlie Humber scored on a setup by Duyane Lewis and Adam Hagen.

It was not until 14:40 that Brampton scored their first goal on Georgetown's Jason Sirota, who faced 33 goals during the game.

Brampton came out flying in the second period, scoring in just over a minute. Their second of the period and third of the night came less than a minute later.

The Capitals began to pull away from the Raiders when they scored a pair of goals in less than a minute just over 12 minutes into the second.

Georgetown scored what was to be their last goal of the game when Catherwood capitalized on a powerplay opportunity taking a pass from Corey Ames and Rob Doucette.

With a 5-3 lead going into the final 20 minutes of play, Brampton again scored in the first two minutes of the period and then closed the scoring just inside the 10-minute mark with a short-handed goal.

Game Two of the best of five quarterfinal series was set to take place in Brampton Thursday night. At press time no results from that game were available.

The Raiders come home for what could be a must-win game tonight (Saturday) at 7:30 p.m. at Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena.



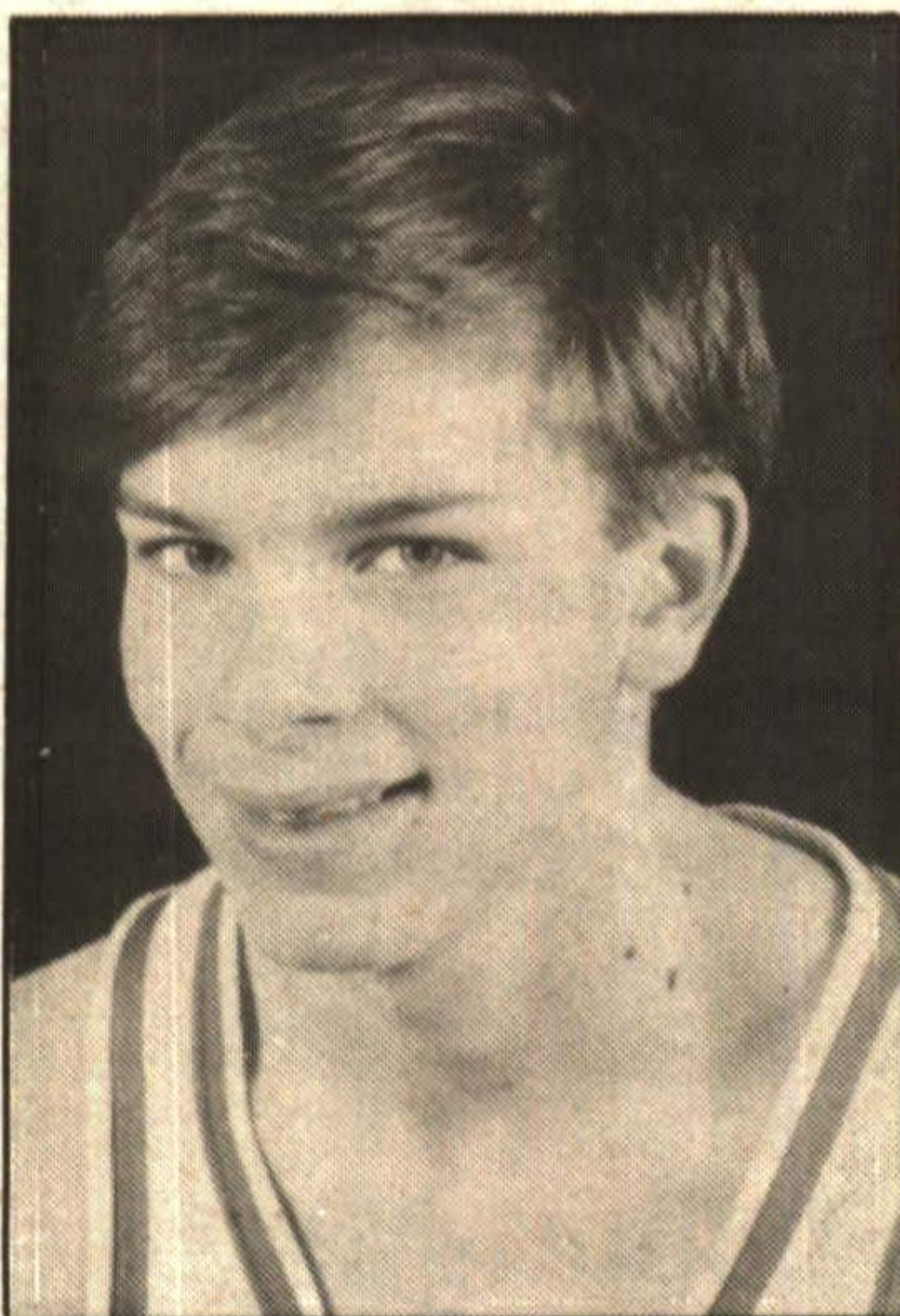
**SETTING UP**

Bishop Reding Secondary School's Catherine Kemp gets under the ball as teammate Amy Kerslake looks on during a four-team tournament in Acton Tuesday.

SCOTT KLINE, Independent/Free Press

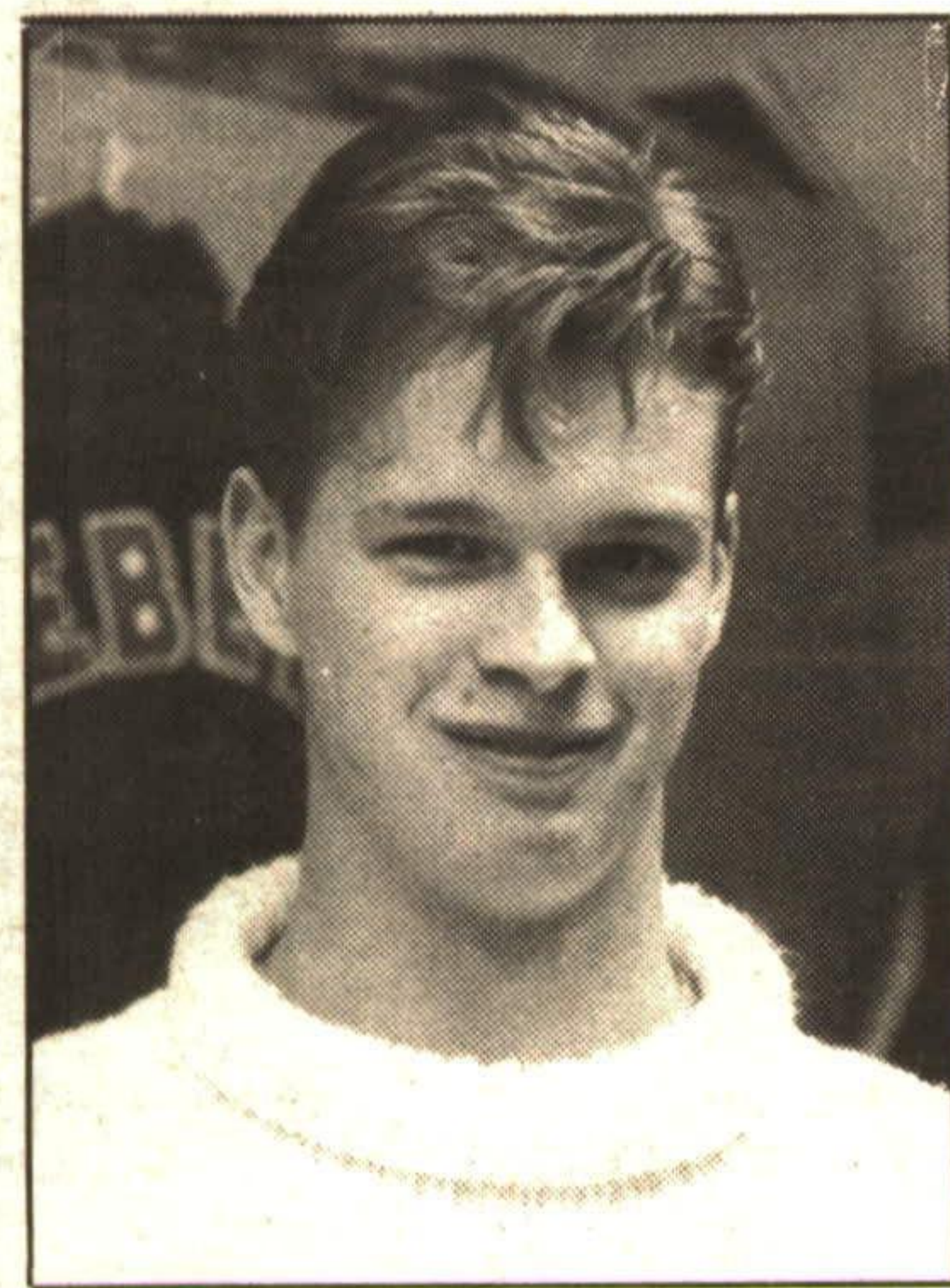
### High School Athletes of the Week

#### AT ACTON HIGH...



DARRELL BRIDGE is credited with outstanding play during Acton's last Midget Boys Basketball league game against Bishop Reding Secondary School. SARAH LINDSAY followed up on her strong play and leadership in the Midget Girls Volleyball tourney in Stayner with a fine Junior performance at Reding last week.

#### AT GEORGETOWN HIGH...



Thanks to her consistent play both offensively and defensively, SHANNON MORRIS has helped the GDHS Midget Girls volleyball team record an outstanding year. In tournament play, the Grade 9 athlete has anchored the young spikers. STEVE SCARLET, a 77-kilo, Grade 12 wrestler, inspired team members with an "impressive" effort at a pair of tournaments last weekend. Scarlet fought 10 opponents in two days.

## Volleyball Selects host tournament

The North Peel Selects travelled to Belle River Saturday to compete in an Ontario Volleyball Association Tournament hosted by the Windsor Diggers.

Competing in the tournament were seven of the eight top ranked Midget teams in southwestern Ontario. Georgetown is well represented on the North Peel squad as Stephanie O'Brien, Darby Erler, Julie Scarlett, Tanya McMaster and Christy Hallett are team members.

Injuries and absences meant the Selects were forced to play without their starting setters. Hamilton Seekers and the South Peel Selects, the two top ranked

teams, soundly defeated a hesitant North Peel team in the opening two matches by scores of 6-15, 6-15 and 9-15, 2-15 respectively.

After losing the opening game of their next match to Brampton Spirit by a score of 8-15, the North Selects began a determined run with a 15-11 victory in the second game.

The Selects then swept Scarborough Nova 15-10 and 15-3, and the Toronto Titans 15-13 and 15-4.

A sweep of host Windsor Diggers was needed to place third in the round robin play. A 10-15, 15-12 split meant a fourth place finish for the North Peel squad. The top four teams advanced to the

medal round.

The strong-serving Hamilton Seekers soundly defeated the Selects 6-15 and 1-15 in the semi finals. A very tired North Peel squad then lost the bronze medal match to Windsor Diggers 6-15 and 5-15.

Local corporate sponsor Webster and Sons Ltd., with its building materials business, wish the North Peel Selects every success as the Brampton club hosts the next Ontario Volleyball Association tournament this Sunday (Feb. 17) at Mayfield High School. With the return of the injured and absent players, the North Peel Selects will be looking to capture a medal on their home court.

## 'Ice Dream' comes true as novices win bronze

The Georgetown Figure Skating Club's juvenile and novice precision teams, known as the Ice Dreamers, travelled to Mount Forest last weekend for the Cupid's Capers competition.

In spite of nervousness and a lack of experience among the majority of juvenile skaters, they performed their very best and placed fourth in their flight.

They're now practising for competition in April.

The novices also produced their best effort to date, winning their flight to advance to the finals. Another good effort there placed them third to win the bronze medal.

They're right back into competition today (Saturday) at the Niagara '91 meet in Grimsby.

Coaches Monica Phillips and Gale Verhaegen said they and the the skaters' parents are very proud of the way the teams represent the club and Georgetown.

The Ice Dreamers acknowledged the support of Branch 120 of the Royal Canadian Legion and the Lions Club, and extend a special thankyou to the Georgetown Chrysler Raiders for inviting them to skate at a recent game.



Bronze medallists in Cupid's Capers Precision Competition, the Ice Dreamers are (front row, from left) Louise Hatton, Tim Baker, Mandi Brown, Lesley Watson, Peter Johnson, Jenny Smith, Carrie Crocker, Amber Lyons, Angela Lee,

(back row) Jessica Hepburn, Christine Dawson, Rachel Baker, Amy Longworth, Linda Lacroix, Katie Stansfield, Yvonne Moore, Susan Gilpin, Michelle Menecola, Amy Sykes, Krysten McBride, Cathy Vaters and coach Monica Phillips.