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The Georgetown Baseball Association Bantam Eagles were full of surprises last weekend as they upset some top notch competition to reach the final of the Oakville Baseball Tournament. The Eagles fell to Whitby in the final, losing 10-7 in extra innings. Here, a Georgetown runner is out cold at second during the championship battle.

Eagles fall in tourney final

The Georgetown Baseball Association bantam Eagles have had a tough go in league play this season, but tournaments might be a different story.

The Eagles, under the watchful eye of coach Boyd Hoddinott, have mustered a 4-1-11 record in a tough AAA league but last weekend they showed they can compete with those teams.

At an eight team double knockout tourney in Oakville the upstart Eagles surprised everyone by reaching the finals before falling to a powerful Whitby squad 10-7 in extra innings.

The Eagles dumped the Oakville A's, 14-1 in league play, 3-2 in their opening contest and then lost to Whitby 13-6. They rallied to beat Cobourg 10-2 in the semi-final to get another shot at the eventual champs.

In their opening contest the Eagles needed a two-run double from Doug Sheppard in the bottom of the seventh to avenge an earlier one-run loss to Oakville. Jose Mora picked up the mound win.

In the first meeting with Whitby the Eagles fell behind 10-0 in the first inning and couldn't make up the ground. "We won the last



John Del Cozzo has a new glove to work in after being named MVP in the championship game.

six innings," quipped Hoddinott. The coach added that Whitby is one of the best hitting teams he had seen.

Graham Kennedy led the Eagles past Cobourg 10-2 as he picked up the mound win in the semi-final.

In the rematch with Whitby it was *deja vu*. Whitby scored five times in the opening inning on their way to a 10-7 win. This time the Eagles rallied from the 5-0 deficit but couldn't hold on in extra time.

Sheppard and Kennedy led the offensive charge while John Del Cozzo was voted Georgetown's MVP in the final game.

"We didn't make a lot of errors," stated Hoddinott of the success. "We're learning how to come back."

The former coach of the junior Eagles added that "this is the most talented team I've ever coached."

They are back at it at the Georgetown Fairgrounds Tuesday evening at 8:30 p.m. when Cawthra visits.



All smiles! The Georgetown Mike Adams ReMax Bantam Eagles show their prizes as finalists in the Oakville tourney. The local team upset once beaten Oakville in the opening round and reached the championship game before falling in extra innings to Whitby.

Unbeaten squad falls to Falcons

The Georgetown Falcons surprised an undefeated Burlington Soccer Club last Thursday night.

The Falcons played a solid 90 minutes en-route to a 4-0 shutout at Sherwood Park in Burlington.

Georgetown was led onto the scoresheet by newcomer Paul Smith. After that it was all Rick Fitzpatrick in his first game back from serving a suspension. Rick scored a hat trick.

None of these goals were flukes, as the Falcons played their best soccer of the season. Once again Georgetown got the job done without the services of three starting players.

Goaltender George Tzimas was

excellent between the pipes to record his second senior win since joining the club this year.

The Falcons hoped to take their newfound enthusiasm and confidence onto home turf Friday night when they hosted Norval at Alcott field.

With just two weeks until their first league cup game, Georgetown coach Dave Maloney hopes the guys are ready to put it all together when it counts.

The Falcons open the tournament in Mississauga July 28 at 6:30. They take on "Classic" whom they lost to 1-0 in the season opener.

Rams continue to roll, claim pair from Arthur

The Acton Novice 1 Rams continue to make life miserable for league opponents.

The youngsters have carried on unbeaten in league play heading into the final week of the season and Arthur wasn't about to blemish their record.

The Rams got a little scare in Arthur claiming a 9-6 win but it was no contest at the Acton Community Centre as the local heroes scored an impressive 12-1 victory.

While the game in Arthur was never really in doubt the locals allowed the opposition back in the game after controlling the opening period.

With a 5-1 lead after the opening frame the Rams sat back and allowed Arthur to outscore them 5-4 over the final two frames. Richard Raju led the Acton attack with three goals and two assists while Kyle Artem chipped in a pair of markers

and a couple of assists. Jeff Newman, Chris Lee, Scott Monaghan and Shawn Weatherall netted the other goals.

Netminder Ryan Young had two assists while Sandy Chapman, Newman and Lee added the others.

Back at the Acton Arena the locals started with the same aggressiveness they had in Arthur, but this time they didn't let up. They built a 6-1 first period lead and then scored six more while holding Arthur off the scoresheet.

Raju was again the top shooter scoring three times and assisting on another. Jason Christopher and Shawn Weatherall each fired a pair. Andrew Coe, Lee, Artem and Newman all chipped in singles.

Coe, Artem and Paul Withers picked up two assists each while Newman and Chapman added single assists.

Glen squirts stop Acton

By WENDI GOODHEW

Glen Squirt Boys found it to be "worth the drive to Acton" Thursday night when they beat Acton White 15-9.

The game stars for this game were Kevin Leslie for his excellent heads up fielding. Kevin caught a number of near impossible catches and Joey Goodhew, for his tough back catching. Joey tagged a few would be runs at home, caught a foul ball and made some great throws to second. Both boys had some good hits.

Judd Richardson had control of the mound for the entire game and proved when he's hot look out batters. Louis Lapard and

Nathin Martin made some good solid catches and throws. These two boys have awesome throws. Jesse Ward and Chris Mandis had some good plays to their credit while Brent McGuire and Jeff Telford kept the runners stranded on bases not allowing them to steal.

Joey Barber and Chris Hall had a couple of good bats and played a good game. Mat Edwards made a couple of good throws to keep Acton on base and Chris McHugh came up with a nice big catch on second base for Glen's third out in the last inning. Chris has improved his infield playing greatly.

T-Ballers beat Burlington

The Elliott Custom Brokers Rep T-Ball team FINALLY beat Burlington 27-23 on July 9.

Coach Brian Hannah was so thrilled after losing the two previous games by one last inning run that he nominated the whole team for the player of the game award.

The boys were knocking out home runs in every inning. Jason Angyal hit two homers, Tyrell Creus hit a homer, a triple and caught four flies and Kevin Binsell hit a triple and caught a fly ball also.

Mathew Seaman and Marc Monchamp had two superb double plays. Chris Cormpilas controlled the pitcher's mound and Jeff Martin had some excellent

hits. Kyle Findlay and Cameron Sissett also smashed homers. Andrew Oesch crossed the line to score the winning run while Greg Tales' run pushed the team ahead by two runs.

Raiders on ice

It may still be July but that hasn't stopped the Georgetown Chrysler Raiders from gearing up toward a new season.

The Raiders don't officially open camp until late August but a group of veterans and hopefuls started on-ice training last week.