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Jans in final

The London Squash/Racquets Club was the scene of the Provincial Men's and Ladies' Closed Championships this past weekend.

Eighteen-year-old Melanie Jans from Georgetown, finished second out of 14 competitors, by reaching the finals without losing a game. However, she met National team member Lori Coleman in the final, and was defeated 1-3.

After a slow start, with a 3-9 loss in the first game, Melanie took off the brakes and played three strong games with scores of 7-9, 9-5 and 7-9. The third game was won decisively when she was able to move Coleman around the court with accurate drops and boasts scattered among drivers to length.

Melanie left for Amsterdam, Holland on December 2 to gain international experience

Stealing a win

Each week the curling action at North Halton provides exciting finishes and Thursday, Nov. 28 was no exception.

On the early draw it was Miki Potovoszy's Rolling Stones rink pulling off a steal of three in the eight over Jaws for a well deserved 8-7 win.

Later in the evening Don Campbell's Hackers staged a stunning comeback against the Rockers, scoring four in the final end for a 6-5 victory.

Ken Irwin's Work That Body foursome made it 5-0 on the season with a win over Dave Dunlop's Rink Hounds and on the next sheet Graham Farnell returned to action this week leading the Senators to their fourth victory of the year courtesy of the Sign Shoppe Sliders.

Paul Barber's Challengers get back into the win column stealing four in the sixth to put away La Guys, while Scott Russel and his 8 Enders showed no mercy over the Ruby Begonias, stealing several ends for a decisive victory.

Mark Hyttinen's Hogliners continued their streak with a big win over 3 Men and a Skip, and Steve Cartwright's Frigidaire Frosted Flakes took advantage of two big ends to sink Brad Smith's Wingnuts.

Hub League triumph

Acton's Firefighters did it again Nov. 25 in Fergus, winning their 11th game of the Hub league season 4-1.

This game obviously put the goaltenders to the test. Although the puck was in Fergus' end the majority of the game, Acton's defence still had to work hard to defend their net. But it was Mike Kempton's excellent goaltending that definitely saved the game.

Fergus scored their first and only goal on Acton in the third period giving them a 1-0 lead. But that score didn't last long. Acton soon took control of the game, setting up goals one after another to win 4-1.

Acton's goals were scored by Aaron Forrest, Jason Pembleton, Matt Boycott and Trevor Malloy. Assists were earned by Tavis McKeracher, Trevor Malloy, Aaron Forrest, Jason Pembleton, Scott McIntyre and Dave Clarke.



CLUB CHAMPS

BARB STEPHENS photo

Members of the Georgetown Figure Skating Club held their annual Club Competition recently with several champions being crowned. Among the award winners are, front row, (from left) Ashley Monckton, Cindy Benner, Terri Parker, Leslie Ransom, Ann Grant. Second row, Rosie

Gimero, Brooke Remenda, Brianne Beaumont, Janice Somers, Lillah Lee, Peter Johnson, Mark Fedchyshyn. Third row, Louise Halton, Leslie Watson, Danielle Demble, Tara Hart. Back row, Christine Dawson, Ellen-Louise Matthews, Jessica Hepburn, Mandi Brown and Nadine Holmes.

Skaters shine in Club Competition

By FRANCINE DEMBIE
Competition Convenor

The Georgetown Figure Skating Club annual competition results from Wednesday, Dec. 4 are:

Ladies Pre-bronze Artistic - Rose-Marie Gimeno, first; Lesley Watson, second; Danielle Demble, third.

Canfigureskate Ladies - Brianne Beaumont, first; Michelle Bronizewski, second.

Preliminary Ladies - Cindy Ben-

ner, first; Terri Parker, second; Rachel Hepburn, third.

Pre-juvenile Ladies - Heather Parker, first; Christine Dawson, second; Ellen-Louise Matthews, third.

Juvenile Ladies - Brooke Remenda, first; Ashley Monckton, second; Leilani Lee, third.

Intermediate Ladies - Tara Hart, first; Rose-Marie Gimeno, second.

Preliminary Solo Dance - Sara Robertson, first; Brianne Beaumont, second.

Senior Bronze Solo Dance - Heather Parker, first; Brooke Remenda, second; Erin Scudder, third.

Junior Silver Solo Dance - Sarah Hepburn, first; Ashley Monckton, second; Christine Dawson, third.

Senior Silver Solo Dance - Tracy Noblett, first; Danielle Demble, second; Tara Hart, third.

The first place winners of the above events as well as the following skaters whose events were

uncontested, will be representing the Georgetown Figure Skating Club at the Annual Peel/Halton Region Inter-Club to be held on Feb. 2 at Twin Rinks in Erin Mills.

Preliminary Men - Mark Fedchyshyn. Pre-juvenile Men - Peter Johnson. Pre-novice Ladies - Lesley Watson. Senior Ladies - Danielle Demble.

Congratulations to all participants and good luck at inter-club.

Raiders win round one with Caps

A few weeks ago Georgetown Chrysler Raider coach Charlie Hanman commented that his team would have to beat the teams in front of them if they wanted to be considered a contender.

On Thursday night they did just that as they knocked the Brampton Capitals out of first place with an 8-5 win in the front end of a home and home weekend series.

The Raiders head back to Alcott on Saturday evening hoping to sweep the twin bill and knock the Capitals

out of top spot.

Coach Hanman missed Thursday's contest with the flu, turning the reins over to assistant coaches Keith Bennett and Mike Marcolini.

General manager Finn Poukstrup was extremely pleased with what he saw in the game. "We played good hockey," stated the GM. "We moved down the ice well. They took the penalties and we capitalized."

The Raiders came out flying against the Capitals firing 24 shots at the Brampton netminders in the opening 20 minutes, building up an

impressive 5-0 lead.

The Raiders wasted little time getting started. Scott Humber lit the lamp from Duane Lewis and Trevor Elinesky and the Raiders were on their way.

Before the period ended Peter Perrone had scored twice while Lewis and Trevor Brandt had chipped in singles. John Ventresca chipped in two assists in the period.

The Raiders extended that lead to 7-0 in the middle stanza on goals by

Perrone and Mike Wilson before the Capitals got in gear, attempting to make a game of it.

Brampton got two back in the middle frame and added three more third period goals before Pat Tessardi put the icing on the cake with an empty net goal.

The two teams square off Saturday evening at 7:30 p.m. at Alcott with the Raiders looking at moving even with Brampton in the standings, and surpassing their total points from a year ago.

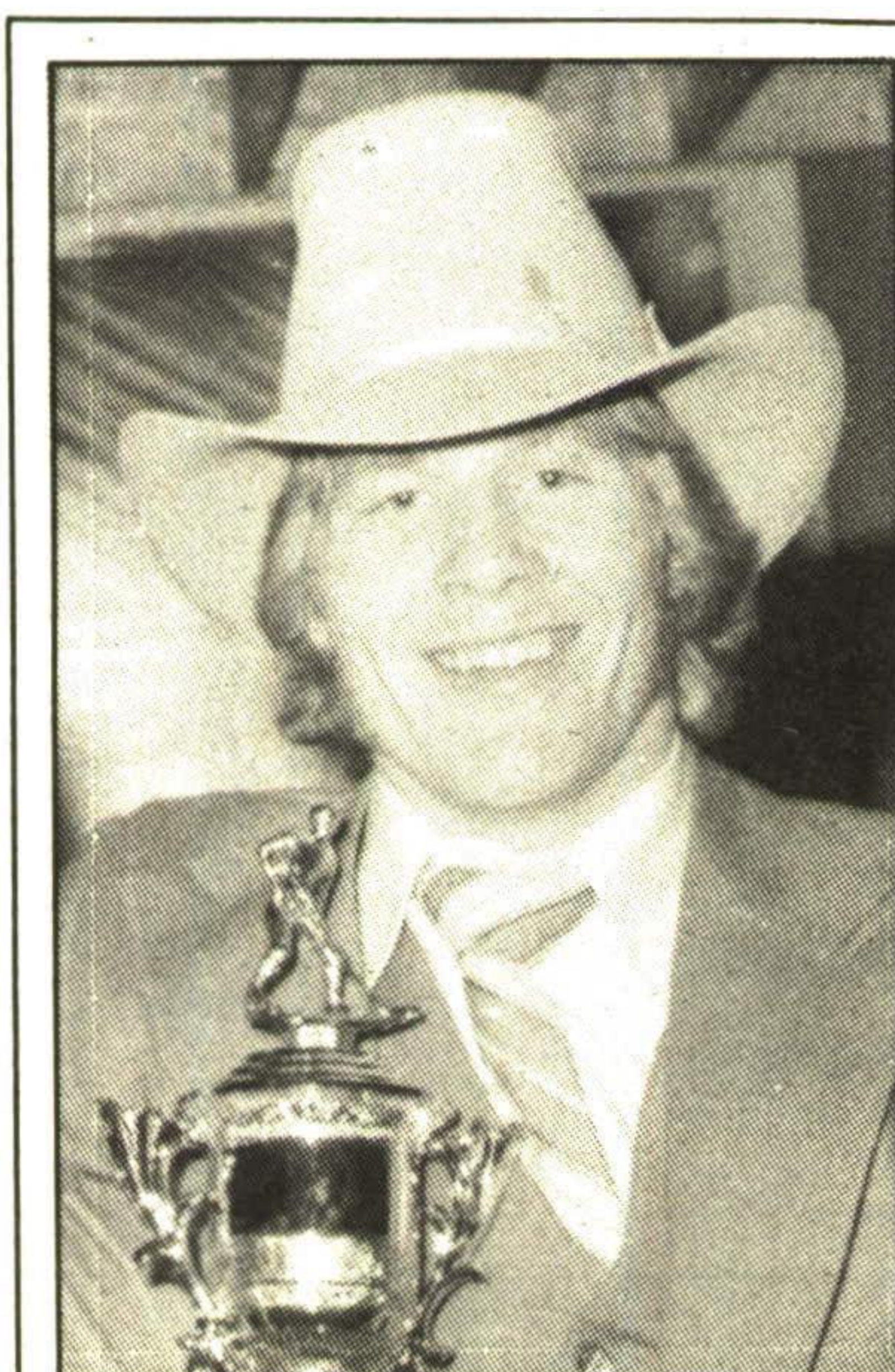
Hurricanes split contests

On the weekend the Hurricanes took part in the North Bay Tournament and again distinguished themselves as a top Midget club. In their opener, they lost a hard fought 3-2 decision to Toledo, Ohio. Jamie Janjevich registered both goals for the Hurricanes.

They bounced back with decisive victories against Windsor 8-2 and the host club North Bay 6-2.

The Hurricanes lost their chance to advance further when they dropped a 6-3 decision to a well rested Sault Ste. Marie club.

The Hurricanes' lone league contest was a hard fought 5-5 tie with Barrie. Short four regulars in their line-up and an early ejection of Jason Cole for the Hurricanes, left them fighting an uphill battle.



GLEN MURRAY
Former Junior B MVP

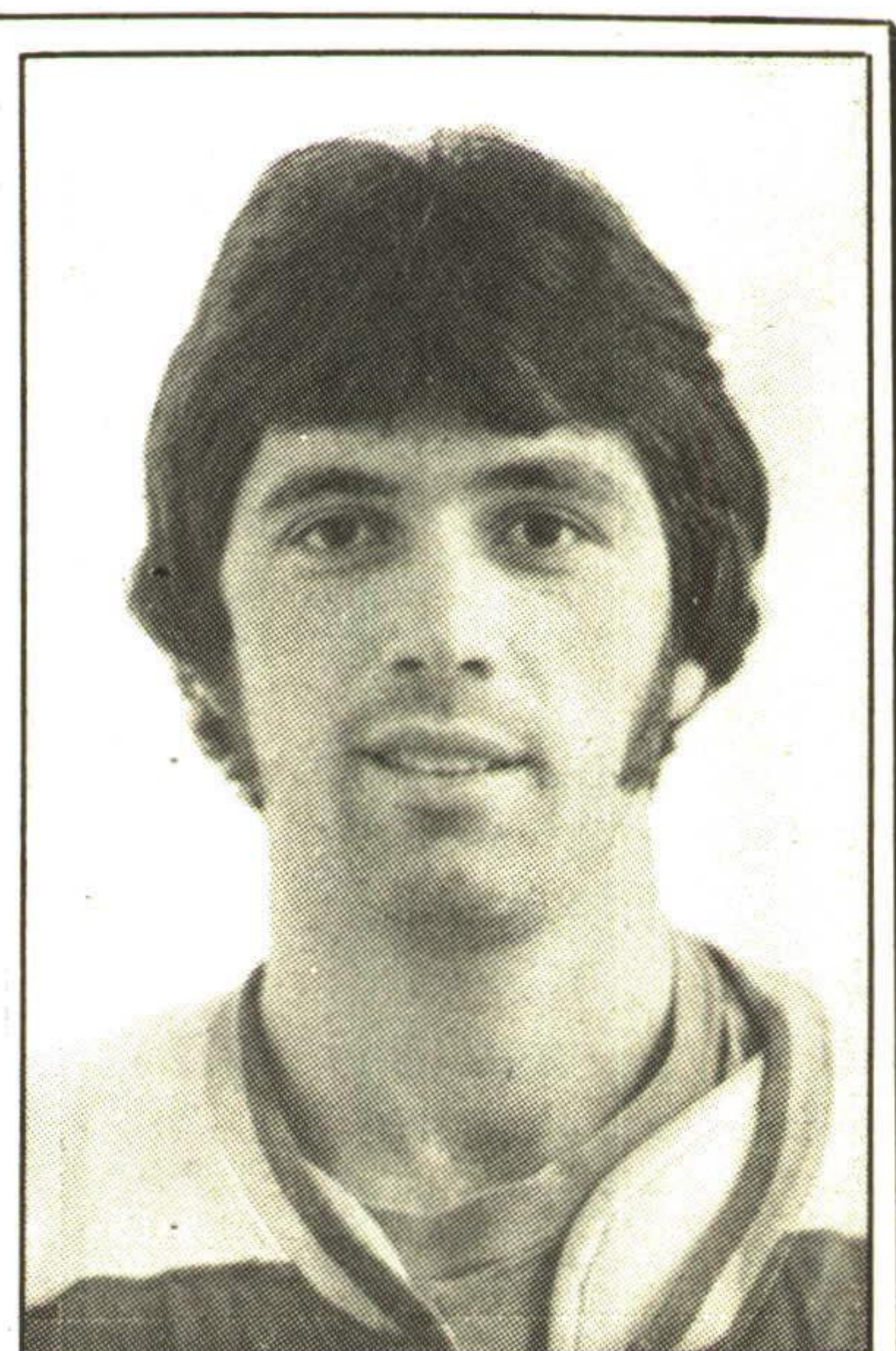
Alumni set to do battle

The action may not be quick but it should bring back some memories for more than 30 former Acton Junior Sabres tonight (Saturday) as the Junior C club holds its second annual Alumni Game and Christmas Party.

The veteran Sabres will toil against each other this season splitting up into two squads for battle in a 7 p.m. contest at the Acton Community Centre.

Among the veterans expected to suit up are Wally Petrie, Denis Kirton, Dave McGilloway, Ken Whetham, Steve Brunelle, Dave Chapman and Glen Murray.

The festivities are being sponsored by Acton IGA.



DAVE CHAPMAN
Former Junior B Top Scorer