

# Gendron a Raider

Former Chrysler Raider forward Bryan Gendron has finally found his way back to Georgetown after two weeks of wheeling and dealing with his previous team, the Owen Sound Platters of the O.H.L.

A veteran junior hockey player, Gendron is expected to add some leadership to the Raiders. He toiled with the Raiders a few seasons ago before joining the Peterborough Petes.

"We're absolutely happy about his arrival," said head coach Charlie Hanman, "He should be a real plus for the team."

As well, the Raiders have traded left winger Danny Colacito for rear guard Steve Milek, who comes to the team from the Oakville Blades. Defenceman Justyn Huminiak has returned to Jr. C.

The Raiders will be back to full strength after this weekend. Trevor Elinesky is back from a two week shoulder injury but sitting out Friday evening on suspensions will be Dean Roberts and Jonathan Levack.



# Clean sweep at Firestone Challenge

The Firestone Challenge was held last Saturday at North Halton Golf and Country Club with the rink of Sandy MacIntosh, Todd MacIntyre, Rolly Bradley and Bob McBride taking home top honors. Carrie Tulloch, daughter of Halton Hills Firestone owner Jules Russiani, was on hand to congratulate the winners. Russiani donated four tires as a door prize with Bob Inglis walking away the winner.

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#### Stanley Cup on display

Local hockey fans will have the opportunity to have their picture taken with the coveted Stanley Cup next Friday evening (November 20) during the Georgetown Chrysler Raiders' home game against the Brampton Capitals.

The photo session will run from 6:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. and will be available to anyone with paid admission to the game.

Photographs will cost about \$8 each with a maximum of six people per picture.

#### Municipal Awards Evening

On Wednesday, February 10, 1993 we plan to recognize individuals, groups or teams who have brought recognition to our community in 1992 and/or who have achieved provincial fame or better in an activity unrelated to their means of livelihood. If you are aware of anyone who has excelled in the above area, please assist the Town of Halton Hills, by nominating them before Friday, December 4, 1992. Nomination forms are available at the Recreation and Parks Department Office, 1 Halton Hills Drive, Georgetown, and at the Acton Indoor Pool, 69 Acton Blvd., Acton. For more information call 873-2600, ext. 267.

#### Winter Aquatic Registration

Registrations for winter swimming lessons may come in to the Civic Centre at any time by mail, drop-off or fax, however they will not be processed until the deadline of Monday, November 30 at noon. Registration forms are randomly selected following the deadline date. Confirmations will be mailed to all participants after December 18. (If your child is currently enrolled in fall lessons, check with their instructor during week eight as to the next appropriate level.) If you have a Family Card number don't forget to write it on the form.

For further information, please refer to our Fall and Winter Brochure or call the Recreation and Parks Department at 873-2600, ext. 268.

#### Daytime Skating Lessons

The Halton Hills Recreation and Parks Department is considering running daytime skating lessons in Acton for tots and seniors alike. Call us at 873-2600, ext. 268, if you are interested.



## Figure skaters

Georgetown Figure Skating Club members (front) Rosie Gimeno, Mike Fedchyshyn and Brook Remenda, and (back) Danielle Dembie and Lesley Watson have recently brought home the honors to the club from the recent Hamilton Skating Club Invitational Competition. Brook won the Gold in the ladies Juvenile event, Mike the Silver

for the Men's Juvenile and Danielle, Rosie, Lesley and Cindy Benner (not present) were congratulated for their efforts in the Ladies' Pre-Novice Competitive event. They will compete in the upcoming Sun Life Sectional Championships November 14-15 and November 26-29.

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# Football Rebels earning respect

By STEVE LeBLANC

Special to the Independent/Free Press

In only six short years, Randy Marinangeli and the Georgetown Rebels senior football coaching staff have put together a competitive football program that has fared well against Halton Regional opponents in recent years.

Head coach Marinangeli came to Georgetown District High School six years ago with a great deal of knowledge on the sport of football and a desire to put together a program.

His knowledge and coaching abilities have helped the Rebels post successful seasons the past two years, with the help of defensive co-ordinator Terry Elik and offensive assistant coach Chris Sargent.

After three years of losing seasons (a lack of players forced the end of the senior team in 1989), the Rebels came away with a 4-2 season record last season and a 3-3 regular season record this year.

Despite losing a 17-13 decision to the Blakelock Tigers last Friday in quarter-final play-off action, the Rebels looked solid all season and can be proud of their performance.

"I was impressed with our defence this season," said Randy Marinangeli, "I was disappointed with our offence overall, but satisfied with some individual efforts. We had a lot of dedicated, capable

players this year."

Recapping this season, the senior Rebels took losses in week one, three and five while they came away the victors in all three of their home games, weeks two, four and six.

They were shutout 7-0 by St. Thomas Aquinas in week one but came back to post a 13-7 win against Loyola the following Friday. The Rebels took a heart-breaking 8-7 defeat by Aldershot in week three.

In their season highlight, the Rebels threw the numbers game to the wolves and beat the first place Milton Mustangs 15-3 thanks to exciting offence and incredible defence.

They were pounded 22-0 by Lester B. Pearson in week five and posted a 19-0 shutout two weeks ago against Loyola.

"We were in every game except week five against Pearson," explained Marinangeli.

Georgetown had the odds stack against them this year with only 25 players (many of which went both ways this season) and some key injuries in the second half of

the season. However, the Rebels are a class bunch - they didn't make excuses and turned in their best efforts throughout the season.

Starting quarter-back Paul Ingram led the Rebels' offensive attack this season with the help of impressive rushing and catching by tail-backs Todd Damone and Trevor Elinesky as well as slot-backs Ian Sinclair and Darren Hill.

The offensive line put in some strong performances and kicker John Buckle came up with strong kicks for extra point conversions throughout the season.

The defensive unit, led by middle linebacker Rob Elmslie, was strong all season. Brad Fisher, Mark McIntyre, and Mike Hergaarden came up with impressive performances as did Jamie Priddle and Joe Beaver.

Making up the rest of the senior team this season were: Darryl Casselman, Chris Crawford, Ken MacKenzie, Paul McKeeman, Jeff Sandifer, Scott Hobbs, Jim Dimitriou, Darby Oram, Mark Lockwood, Jason Bouwman, Dave Blyth, and Dolf Dejong.

Marinangeli explains that his team's success is anything but a single effort, that Elik and Sargent are effective dedicated coaches that have helped his efforts tremendously.

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# Novices earn ties

By MARA FANTEGROSSI

Special to the Independent/Free Press

The Beaver Lumber Major Novices are playing awesome hockey this season. At the midway point before the Christmas break, they now tally their record at an impressive 9-0-3.

This past weekend they played two of their best games of the season, according to coach Paul LaRose, but had to settle for two draws.

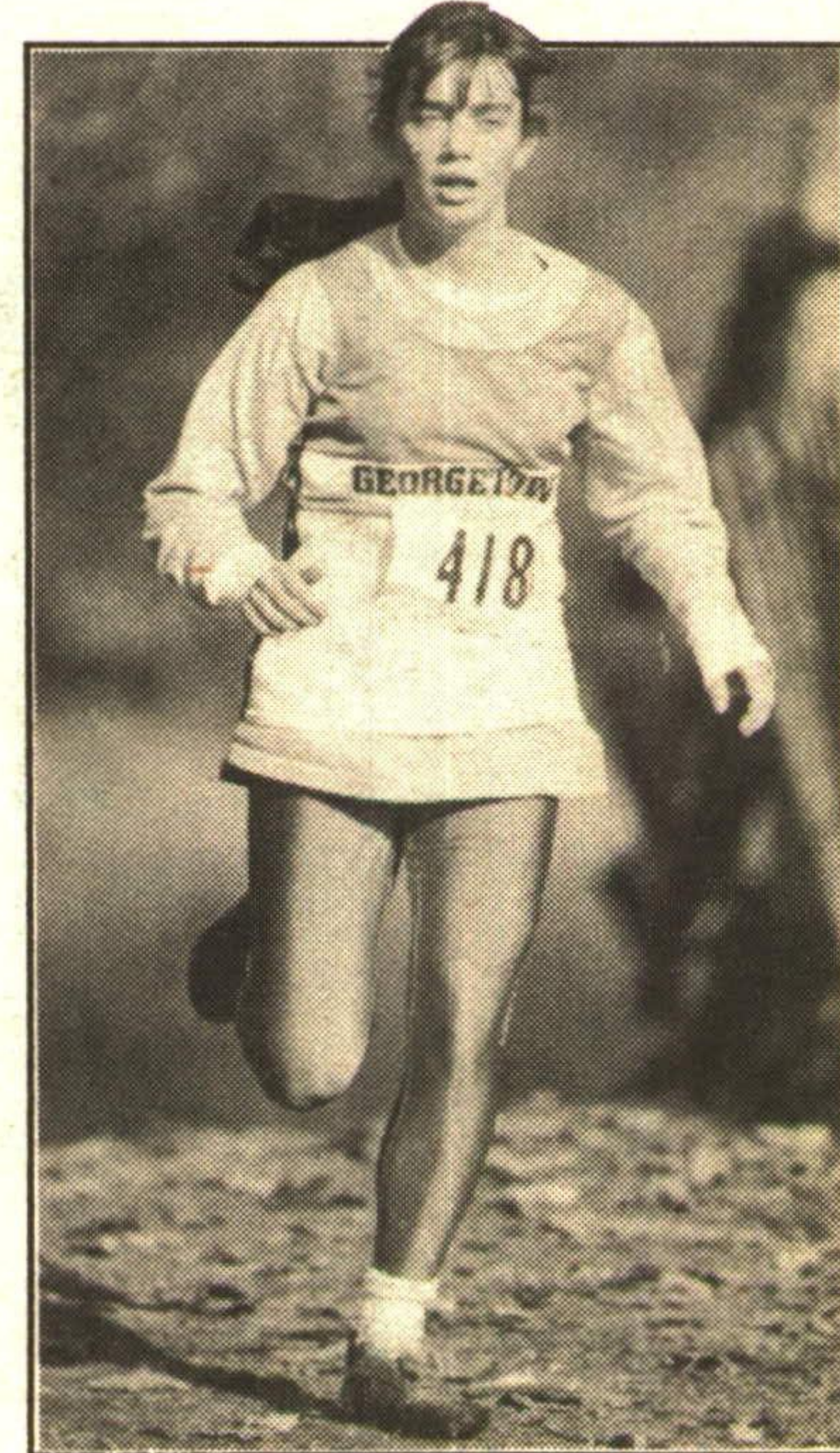
The last time the Raiders met Ancaster, they outscored them by six goals, however last Saturday when the two teams faced off again, hometown Ancaster came out much stronger.

The game was scoreless until the third period when Georgetown scored first, with defenceman Ryan Busby's shot. Ancaster answered five minutes later to make it a 1-1 final.

The following day at frigid Memorial, Georgetown and Milton met for the first time this season skating to a 6-6 draw.

Graham McCulloch, Ryan Bushby, Brandon Valente, Mark Fantegrossi, Kyle Hotham and Brad Snow scored for Georgetown with Chris Henderson, Ronny Larocque, Kevin Binsell (2), Fantegrossi (2), Valente and McCulloch assisting.

For Georgetown, Tim Mansfield and Martin Lefebvre played outstanding defence. With the 6-6 final, the Raiders collected their third tie of the season.



## On the run

Georgetown's Emma Gelack competed at the OFSAA High School Cross Country championships at Heart Lake in Brampton last Saturday, placing 138th of 223 runners. The junior Rebels didn't finish in the top three to reach the podium.