

Corner helps police squad to Big Brothers crown

The first annual Big Brothers of Halton Curling Bonspiel at the North Halton Golf and Country Club in Georgetown last weekend wrapped up a back-to-back events which raised more than \$25,000 for the local agency.

The Halton Regional Police had a little added help as they claimed top honors. Peter Corner, a Halton police officer, spends his spare time throwing second stones for former world champ Russ Howard. Corner was on hand for the North Halton bonspiel along with teammates Jim Lindsay, Bruce Mitchell and Don Cousens.

"We were thrilled to match the amount of money raised previous years with times being so tough," said Big Brothers of Halton Executive Director Evelyn Gransaul, "the support just shows people recognize the impor-

tance of a father figure to our boys."

Between the inaugural Georgetown bonspiel and the sixth annual event held at the Oakville Curling club the previous week, 25 teams including fire fighters, police, local politicians, Big Brothers, seniors and members of the respective curling clubs took part.

"It was important we go the bonspiel rolling in the Georgetown area," Gransaul said. "Now we look forward to watching it pick up steam just as the event has in the southern part of the region."

Participants were rewarded with prizes based on their fund raising efforts and treated to a luncheon by the Golf and Country Club in Georgetown and the Olive Garden in Oakville between morning and afternoon games of the respective events.



The Halton Regional Police team of (from left) Jim Lindsay, Bruce Mitchell, Don Cousens and Peter Corner (seated) were at the North Halton Golf and Country Club, last Saturday taking part in Big Brothers of Halton inaugural bonspiel in Georgetown designed to raise money and awareness for the agency.

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This program is \$36 (includes all supplies). Tuesday, March 29, 1994 McKenzie Smith Middle School 7-10 p.m. Call 873-2600 ext. 275 for details.

Archery instruction

The Archers of Caledon are offering archery instruction for beginners and recreational shooters, ages 13 to adult.

The six week program which includes nine hours of instruction and 10 hours of range time, starts April 2 and May 14. The cost for the six week session is \$50 and all equipment is provided. The class size will be small (6 students to 1 instructor) and the instruction is provided by a Provincial Level III Coach. Hurry, space is limited. For more information and a registration form contact Bruce Savage at (519) 927-3256 or Al Moore at (905) 877-3206.

The Archers of Caledon is located north of Winston Churchill Blvd. on Caledon 5th Line West just off Old Base Line Rd.

Swimming passes

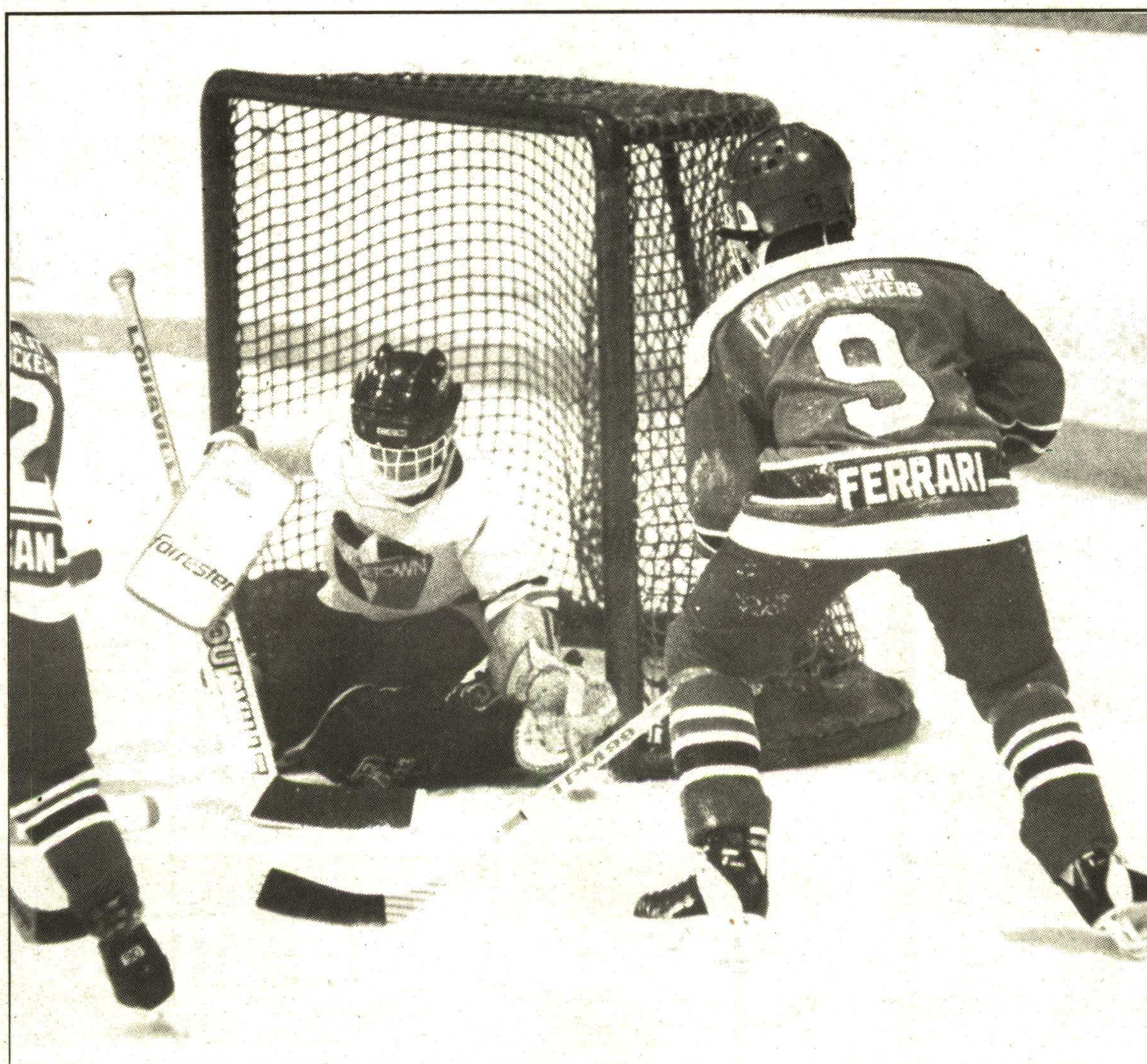
Swimming Passes can be purchased at the Acton and Georgetown Indoor Pools for use at all Halton Hills Aquatic facilities. Passes are available for individuals and families and range from 1 month to a year.

Call the Halton Hills Recreation and Parks Department at 873-2600, ext. 266, or drop in at the pools Monday to Thursday 6-9 p.m.

Annual meeting

The hockey season is almost complete for the Acton Sabres (OMHA) Minor Hockey Association and plans are already under way to prepare for the 1994-95 season.

The Sabres will hold their year end awards evening at the Acton Legion on Friday evening, April 8, beginning at 7 p.m. and then hold their Annual Meeting and election of officers at the Acton Community Centre on Sunday, April 10, beginning at 2 p.m.



The Georgetown P.D.S. Minor Atom Raiders had their backs to the wall as they met Markham in the third game of their Ontario Minor Hockey Association finals last night (Saturday) at Alcott arena. The Raiders trailed the best-of-

five affair two games to none after dropping 2-1 and 4-2 decisions. The Raiders reached the OMHA championship by sweeping all previous playoff rounds.

Photo by STEVE LeBLANC

Atoms trail in OMHA finals

The Georgetown P.D.S. Minor Atom Raiders have begun Ontario Minor Hockey Association championship play against Markham.

After sweeping through the playoffs in the early rounds, the Raiders were edged out in the first two games of their OMHA best-of-five final.

Markham picked up the lead on home turf, by winning Game one by a 2-1 score.

Georgetown's only goals were scored by Kyle Hotham, helped out by Ronny Larocque and Ryan Busby.

On Tuesday at Alcott Arena, Markham added to their series lead, beating the home town favorites 4-2.

The Raider goals were both unassisted efforts, the first by Graham McCulloch on a wraparound, and the second by Kevin Binsell on a rush. In the third period, the Raiders pushed hard to catch up, but were consistently denied by a tough Markham defence.

Game three was scheduled to be played at Alcott arena in Georgetown, Saturday March 26 at 4 p.m.

Raiders claim tourney crown

The Georgetown Major Novice Raiders traveled to Oshawa for the Little NHL tournament, over March break, returning with six straight wins and the tourney championship.

The Raiders played two games on March 17.

The first game ended in a 5-0 victory vs Uxbridge. Goal scorers were Rusty Parsons (2), Brett Velten (2), and Jeff Boyce. Earning Assists were Rusty Parsons, Matt Knoepfli (2), Andy Burns, Brent Beaumont and Andrew McGourty. Donnie Lane claimed his first shut-out of the tourney. MVP honors were awarded to Rusty Parsons.

The second game of the day had the Raiders taking on the Oshawa Blackhawks for a 5-2 win. Goals scorers were Billy McDonald (2), Vince Burke, Jeff Boyce and Rusty Parsons. Brent Beaumont, Rusty Parsons, Billy McDonald and Andrew McGourty claimed assists. MVP honors were awarded to Vince Burke.

On Friday brought the Raiders another victory and Donnie Lane's second shut out. The Raiders were

up against the Oshawa Red Wings and came away with a 1-0 victory. Rusty Parsons was the lone Raider scorer with Brent Beaumont assisting. MVP honors were awarded to Donnie Lane.

Saturday had the Raider squad up early to claim a 2-0 victory once again over the Red Wings. Donnie Lane nabs on to his third shut out. Scooping the goals for this game were Andy Burns and Billy McDonald. Dustin McKnight, Jeff Boyce and Brett Velten claim the assists. MVP honors were awarded to Andrew McGourty.

On the Sunday, the Raiders were at the rink early to take on the Black Hawks once more. The Raiders played hard for the 3-1 victory to take them to the Championship game. Scott Rostrup returned from vacation to claim the first goal of the game. Billy McDonald and Rusty Parsons claimed a point each with Vince Burke nabbing an assist. MVP honors awarded to Andy Burns.

The second game of Friday had the Major Novice Raiders squad

working hard for the victory and the Championship title.

The fans of both teams were on the edge of their seats. The Raiders nabbed a 1-0 win over the Oshawa Bruins.

The first and second periods remained scoreless.

Rusty Parsons sets the Georgetown fans roaring slamming it past the Oshawa goalie with only 0:58 seconds remaining in the third. Kevin Oulds worked hard to earn the assist.

The Bruins pulled their goalie for the extra man. The Raiders couldn't get it out of their end but crowded their net to help Donnie Lane retain his fourth shut-out of the tourney.

Rusty Parsons played solid to claim his second MVP honor of the tourney.

The Raider squad had a victory dunking in the dressing room and a quick thanks to the Oshawa Fire Dept. and the great Dad who climbed the pole to wave the Raider banner in honor of their hard work and championship title.

Ellis eyes OHA title

Former Georgetown Chrysler Raider Ian Ellis has his sights set on an Ontario and Canadian Provincial Junior A Hockey championship.

The talented forward was traded by the Raiders to top ranked Orillia late in the season.

Ellis has put up some impressive numbers this post-season, picking up six points on four goals and two assists in four games in the Central Junior A semi-finals.

In 12 playoff games Ellis has 13 goals and 13 assists for 26 points. Orillia is currently playing Hamilton for Central League bragging rights.