

Optimist Club meet results

Elementary school athletes from the area had a new course to tackle this year for the annual Optimist Club of Halton Hills cross-country meet, held last week over two days at the Gellert Community Centre.

More than 700 athletes from age eight-13 took part in the event, which is normally held at Cedarvale Park but construction forced a change of venues for 2017. Stewarttown Middle School's Stingers earned four of the 12 team titles at the meet while Halton Hills Christian School won three of the divisions. Individual winners from the meet included:

Eight-year-old girls

1. Kira Watkins, George Kennedy;
2. Madison Thoy, Silver Creek;
3. Mackenzie Gigun, Ethel Gardiner.

Eight-year-old boys

1. Ryan Bechard, Park;
2. James Buchan, Halton Hills Christian School;
3. Lincoln Branidis, Ethel Gardiner.

Nine-year-old girls

1. Grace Van Den Hoek, HHCS;
2. Claire Sergeant, Harrison;
3. Sara Hillock, Joseph Gibbons.

Nine-year-old boys

1. Quinn Oliver, Joseph Gibbons;
2. Joshua Henry, Ethel Gardiner;
3. Jackson Fontanna, Glen Williams.



Eamonn Maher photo

Easton Gougeon of Silver Creek Public School crosses the line first in the 12-year-old boys' race during the Optimist Club of Halton Hills cross-country meet last Thursday at the Gellert Community Centre. Race volunteer Tim Davis congratulates Gougeon.

10-year-old girls

1. Keira Savin, Ecole Sacre Coeur;
2. Parker Kennel, Limehouse;
3. Georgia Spooner, George Kennedy.

10-year-old boys

1. Nolan Keeler, HHCS;
2. Sarin Hygren, Limehouse;
3. Graham McDonald, Ethel Gardiner.

11-year-old girls

1. Tara Ienciu, Centennial;
2. Clara Hogue, HHCS;
3. Victoria Murray, Centennial.

11-year-old boys

1. Cameron Waite,

Centennial;

2. Matthew Moir, Stewartton;
3. Nathan Goodhope, Gardiner.

12-year-old girls

1. Taylor Bouchard, Stewartton;
2. Robin Ingles, Ethel Gardiner;
3. Madelyn Vandermeer, HHCS.

12-year-old boys

1. Easton Gougeon, Silver Creek;
2. Joey Melo, Stewartton;
3. Colten Mannings, HHCS.

13-year-old girls

1. Olivia Meldrum, HHCS;
2. Stella Snow, Centennial;
3. Emilia Braam, HHCS.

13-year-old boys

1. Sean Cromack, HHCS;
2. Nolan Smith, Silver Creek;
3. Jack Hunter-Buffington, Stewartton.

Team awards:

- Eight-year-old girls - **Silver Creek**
 Eight-year-old boys - **HHCS**
 Nine-year-old girls - **HHCS**
 Nine-year-old boys - **Ethel Gardiner**
 10-year-old girls - **George Kennedy**
 10-year-old boys - **Limehouse**
 11-year-old girls - **Centennial**
 11-year-old boys - **Stewartton**
 12-year-old girls - **Stewartton**
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 13-year-old girls - **HHCS**
 13-year-old boys - **Stewartton**

McNiven set to join Brampton Beast

Local native Michael McNiven will begin his professional hockey career close to home.

The 20-year-old netminder was assigned to the ECHL's Brampton Beast on Tuesday after attending the training camps of the NHL's Montreal Canadiens and the AHL's Laval Rocket.

Named the Canadian Hockey League's Goaltender of the Year after a brilliant campaign with the Ont-

tario Hockey League's Owen Sound Attack last season, the six-foot-one, 200-pound McNiven didn't appear in any exhibition games with Montreal.

The Beast's home opener is on Sunday, Oct. 15 at 2 p.m. against the Manchester Monarchs.

Another Georgetown resident who is a prospect for an NHL club, 22-year-old forward Jason Dickin-son, was one of the final three training camp cuts

made by the Dallas Stars and was loaned to their AHL affiliate in Texas on Monday.

Georgetown's MacKenzie Entwistle, a third-round draft pick of the Arizona Coyotes this past summer injured his ribs during training camp and missed the start of the regular season for the OHL's Hamilton Bulldogs.

The 18-year-old forward is expected back in the line-up by mid-October.

WEEK OF HOCKEY CELEBRATIONS!

OCT 28th - NOV 5th

Oct 28th
Exhibition Games Featuring
 HHMHA Thunder, Twister and High School Hockey Teams and the Raiders
 Old Timers VS Niagara District Scorecards game.
 CHENGDU SPIKE TEAM from Chengdu China VS Georgetown OHA JrA Raiders.
 TICKETS: \$10 - Lottery Booth at Georgetown Marketplace

Nov 1st
Hockey Heritage Council Awards & Citation Dinner.
 Guest Speaker: Rod Pasma, NHL VP Hockey Operations.
 TICKETS: \$40 - Call Paul Yates 905-877-1885

Nov 3rd-5th
33rd Annual Georgetown Hockey Heritage Old Timers Hockey Tournament.
 Mold Masters Sportsplex FREE ADMISSION!

REGISTER NOW FOR INDOOR SOCCER!

Indoor house league is available for recreational players U5 (born in 2013) to U18 (born in 2000). This fun, affordable league runs from the beginning of November to the end of February 2018 at the Dufferin Centre in Acton. Visit georgetownssoccerclub.com today for details and to register!

Annual General Meeting & Volunteer Appreciation Night

Thurs. Nov 2nd - 7:00pm, Devereaux House (11494 Trafalgar Rd)
 For details see the AGM notice on the website

FALL BONUS

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