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Fillier leads Ontario Red to national U-18 title

Having recently returned to action from a fractured foot, local resident Sarah Fillier scored once and set up another in Ontario Red's 3-1 triumph over Ontario Blue in Sunday's National Women's Under-18 Championship final, hosted by Hockey Canada at Quebec City.

Fillier, 17, served as captain for the Ontario Red side that clinched its fourth consecutive Canadian U-19 title Sunday and the five-foot-four, 131-pound forward collected her second straight national crown.

A Christ the King Secondary School student, Fillier had four goals and an assist in the five-game tournament after Ontario Red dropped its opening game 2-1 to Atlantic.

She fractured her foot in August and missed the start of the Provincial Women's Hockey League season with the Oakville Hornets, but has picked up five goals and five assists in seven games since her return to the lineup.

Fillier will receive strong consideration for selection to Canada's entry for the 2018 IIHF U-18 Women's World Championship in Dmitrov, Russia Jan. 6-13.



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Georgetown's Cherwaiko, Fournier one-two at OFSAA meet

A pair of athletes from Georgetown District High School brought back medals from the provincial high school cross-country running championships in Petawawa held on Saturday.

Kealyn Cherwaiko earned the gold medal in the Para IV category in the 3-kilometre event and GDHS teammate Ashley Fournier raced to a silver medal at the Ontario Federation of Schools Athletic Association meet.

Christ the King's Nicole Britton placed 62nd in the 4-km midget girls' race in a time of 16:27.

FOOTBALL: Georgetown's seniors head into this week's Halton Secondary School Athletic Association's Tier 1 playoffs on a three-game win streak, having clinched second place in the division with a 21-3 road victory Thursday



Georgetown District High School photo

Grade 9 student Kealyn Cherwaiko (left) earned the gold medal in the Para IV category in the 3-km event and Grade 10 GDHS teammate Ashley Fournier raced to a silver medal on Saturday in Petawawa at the Ontario Federation of Schools Athletic Association meet.

in Burlington against the Dr. Frank Hayden Huskies in the regular-season finale.

Quarterback Mitch Spence three two touchdown passes to Josh Coelho and ran for another for 5-1 GDHS, which will host the 4-2 Iroquois Ridge Trailblazers Thursday in

the semifinals at Kiwanis Field with a 2:30 p.m. kick-off.

Unbeaten and defending champ Nelson takes on Hayden in the other semifinal Thursday, with the winners moving on to play at McMaster University's Ron Joyce Stadium on Thursday, Nov. 16.

Raiders' win streak stopped at six

Despite outshooting the Buffalo Jr. Sabres 46-21 on Saturday (Nov. 4) night, the Georgetown Raiders were beaten at home by their West Division foes 7-3 in an Ontario Junior



Hockey League contest.

The loss snapped the division-leading Raiders' six-game winning streak.

After a scoreless first period, the Jr. Sabres grabbed a 2-0 lead before the 15-4-1 Raiders

rebounded to tie the game, but the visitors struck for four goals in an 8:50 span to seize control.

Josh Nixon, Justin Paul and Jordan Crocker tallied for Georgetown, taking its second home loss of the campaign.

On Friday (Nov. 3) night, defender Jake

Payette notched the winning marker midway through the third period in a 3-2 triumph over the Flyers in Orangeville.

Leading scorer Jason Smith and Steve Mariani also found net for the Raiders, who'll entertain the Oakville Blades on Wednesday and the Bur-

lington Cougars Saturday, both 7:30 p.m. starts.

Georgetown will send eight players to the Eastern Canada Cup All-Star Challenge in Trenton from Nov. 13-15.

Ten teams, including four from the Ontario Junior Hockey League (OJHL), two Central Ca-

nadian, two Quebec, one Maritime and another from northern Ontario will take part. Goalie Mario Cavaliere, Austin Cho, Zack Dybowski, Andrew Court, Jordan Crocker, Jonathan Hampton, Jacob Payette and Zac Elson are on various OJHL teams.



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