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Georgetown connections to Clarkson University's hot start

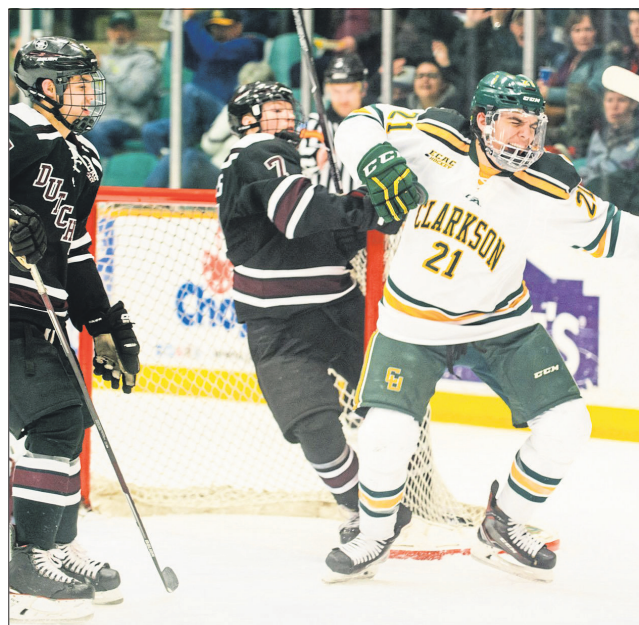
Enjoying one of their best starts to a season in the 96-year history of the school, the Clarkson University Golden Knights have had some big contributions from players with strong ties to Georgetown.

Clarkson, ranked No. 4 among NCAA Division I men's hockey teams, heads into the holiday break with a 15-3-1 record after a weekend sweep of its chief rival, the St. Lawrence University Saints.

The Golden Knights are on an 11-game winning streak and sit in first place in the East Coast Athletic Conference (ECAC) at 8-0-0, thanks in large part to the efforts of two freshmen: Raiders products Josh Dickinson of Georgetown and Jack Jacome of Caledon.

The duo is playing on the same forward line again at Clarkson and have been on a tear recently - with the six-foot-two, 190-pound Dickinson, a liberal studies major and Christ the King Secondary School graduate, registering 10 goals and four assists; and the five-foot-seven, 160-pound business major Jacome, the Canadian Junior Hockey League's top forward in 2016-17, picking up two goals and 13 assists.

The Golden Knights are captained by Georgetown's Nic Pierog, a six-foot-one, 215-pound senior forward who played junior hockey with the Penticton Vees of the British Columbia Hockey League. Pierog, who is pursuing a master of business administration degree after completing his undergraduate degree in fi-



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nance at Clarkson, has three goals and two assists in 19 games.

Goaltender Nick Latinovich also starred for the Raiders in their league championship run last season, but hasn't seen any action for Clarkson, as sophomore Jake Kielly has started all 19 games.

Clarkson also went on its longest road trip in history last month, winning the Belpot Trophy at the Friendship Four tournament in Belfast, Northern Ireland, beating Providence College 4-2 in the final.

ANOTHER RAIDERS RE-UNION: Linemates in Georgetown

Local native Josh Dickinson, now of Clarkson University, celebrates a goal against Union College earlier this fall. After three seasons with the Georgetown Jr. A squad, Dickinson and his former Raider linemate Jack Jacome are having spectacular freshman years with the Clarkson Golden Knights.

HOCKEY

Peewee Twisters shooting for Good Deeds Cup

Georgetown Chevrolet Buick GMC has teamed up with the North Halton Twisters' peewee BB girls' hockey team to compete for the 2018 Chevrolet Good Deeds Cup.

The award is presented to a peewee team from across Canada that performs a good deed within their community.

The Twisters assembled grab bags for McMaster Children's Hospital in Hamilton and will be attending the hospital in the near future to distribute the items.

The team will also be hosting a blood-donor

clinic at some point during the season.

Team members are: Marissa Brown, Izabella English, Cynthia Harrington, Mackenzie MacIntosh, Victoria Murray, Addison Gutcher, Liv Olle- renshaw, Chloe Weisman, Julianne Lefaive, Nicole Deschenes, Kendra de Vries, Hailey Dykstra, Julia Rose Garner-Wowk, Natalie Kerr, Chelsea Smiley, Natalia Tomas, Meghan Atkinson, head coach Robert Atkinson, manager Melissa Gutcher, assistant coaches Jeff Gutcher, Paul Dykstra, Mark Olle- renshaw.



North Halton peewee BB photo

Members of the North Halton peewee BB Twisters recently put together grab bags that will be given out to patients at Hamilton's McMaster Children's Hospital.



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