

SPORTS & LEISURE

Atom BB Tanners sign off with OMHA title victory

Much like their neighbours in Georgetown did on the Easter weekend, the last-ever game for the Acton Tanners resulted in the lifting of an Ontario Minor Hockey Association trophy.

With Acton and Georgetown rep teams signed off to join forces next season to become the Halton Hills Thunder, the atom BB Tanners were looking to duplicate what Georgetown's minor bantam AA Raiders accomplished last Saturday in Kingston, which was to win their organization's swan song, on the road, no less.

Tied 2-2 with Prince Edward County heading back to Wellington for the crucial fifth contest, the Tanners fell behind 1-0 on an early Kings' power play marker.

But Acton netminder Matthew Lantz provided his teammates with a boost by stopping a penalty shot in the middle frame. Brady Worthman evened the score in the third period, followed by Nolan Cree's breakaway

goal with five minutes left in regulation time that clinched the OMHA title for the Tanners, along with some superb defending from Tyler Bartels, Zach Booth, Brandon Hatt, captain Brett Hilts and Roberto Ferraioli.

Coach Adam Hilts's squad had a chance to close out the series on home ice in game four in front of a packed Acton Arena crowd, but the Kings escaped with a 2-1 win after scoring on a power play with two minutes remaining in the third period.

Sponsored by Trendz Hair Studio and Dufferin Aggregates, the atom BB Tanners swept Pelham in the OMHA quarterfinals before needing five games to get past St. Marys in the semis.

OMHA Atom BB Best-of-5 Championship series

Prince Edward County 5, **Acton 2**; **Acton 2**, Prince Edward County 1; **Acton 3**, Prince Edward County 2; Prince Edward County 2, **Acton 1**; **Acton 2**, Prince Edward County 1



Acton's Trendz Hair Studio/Dufferin Aggregates Tanners won the OMHA atom BB championship last weekend against Prince Edward County in Wellington. Team members (front, from left) are: Brandon Hatt, Tristan Wight, Eric Marrows, Matthew Lantz, Stuart Macdonald, Connor Brearley. Second row: Tyler Bartels, Brett Hilts, Roberto Ferraioli, Spencer Booth, Nolan Cree, Jackson Phillips. Third row: Brady Worthman, Zach Booth, Zach Knight, Gabe Rowsell. Back row: Manager Rebecca Macdonald, assistant coach Scott Holmes, trainer Mauro Ferraioli, assistant coach John Lantz, head coach Adam Hilts.

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GCS show Saturday

The Georgetown Skating Club's annual Ice Show will take place this Saturday at the Mold-Masters SportsPlex and this year's theme is 'We've Got Rhythm.'

The show is slated to begin at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for seniors or children under 12.

PreCanskaters, CanSkaters, PowerSkaters and figure skaters will celebrate the GSC's 55 years of existence.



LEARNING THE FUNDAMENTALS: Reave King (left) of the North Halton Girls' Hockey Association's novice division Sharks faces off against Kayleigh Benoit from the FUNDamentals' program during a recent exhibition game at the Alcott Arena. It's the first season in which FUNDamentals' participants (ages 4-8) have played against the three NHGHA novice house league teams following 15 weeks of skills development in the beginners' program. This Sunday, during the NHGHA's annual Day of Champs playdowns for its house league teams, a free introductory session called 'Try The Twisters' for prospective FUNDamentals' registrants for next season will take place at the Mold-Masters SportsPlex. At 1:45 p.m., there will be an opportunity to meet the Twisters' coaches and learn more about the program, with the on-ice segment slated to start at 2:15 p.m. Full equipment is required. Day of Champs action for NHGHA house league teams from novice to midget gets underway at 7 a.m. Sunday and continues through the day on both Alcott Arena ice surfaces. For more info, visit www.nhgha.com. *Submitted photo*

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BSL Men's Over 50 Soccer Registration

The Burlington Soccer League (BSL) is holding registration sessions for the new Over 50 Division.

When? Saturday April 6th and Saturday April 13th 10:00am to 12:00pm

Where? The Queen's Head Pub at 400 Brant Street, Burlington, (just north of Lakeshore Rd.)

How much? Registration fee is \$250

What do you get? Full uniform, 19 games, 3 game officials and insurance coverage.

Who can play? Players born in 1963 or earlier are eligible to register.

Please bring a copy of your photo ID.

Games will be played in Burlington on Friday nights 7:00pm and 9:00pm on grass fields. The season is scheduled to start on Friday May 3rd and will run through to late September. Teams will be drafted from the pool of available players.

If you have any questions, please email Tony at Over50soccer@lsgm.ca

