

# League standings uncertain: weather

League standings become uncertain as cancellation reports flow from miserable July weather. Third-place G.W. Woodworking Blue Jays, operating in the dry spots, have played ten games. Both George and Dragon Angels and Kinsmen Club Expos, working muddier schedules, have four games in hand: enough to propel Expos to third place or Angels to second.

**Tues., July 14**

**George & Dragon Angels vs. Jim & Pat Akers Countrywide Phillies**  
Rained out

**Wed., July 15**

**M.V.P. Sports Pirates 15  
Kinsmen Club Expos 3**

Expos showed plenty of spark but just couldn't ignite against first-place Pirates. In the first inning, Expos had all three corners loaded when Pirates' pitcher Bill Dimitriou produced three consecutive strikeouts to smother the scoring opportunity.

Pirates' hitters Bill Dimitriou, Chris Kilmer, Mike Krause, Chris Meyers, and Jason VanMeijel all logged RBIs, while Stepen Orticello slid home on a strikeout and Meyers also claimed a catch-and-throw double play.

**Thurs., July 16**

**M.V.P. Sports Pirates 13  
Jim & Pat Akers Countrywide Phillies 0**

Pirates' pitcher Bill Dimitriou

pulled another 3-up-3-down inning out of his glove as second-place Phillies endured an unaccustomed shutout. Phillies fielding was tougher than the score indicates: Jason Estevan's dead-center throw from second put a runner out at home, Fraser Hewitt handled a tough fly ball beyond first base, and Chris Sheppard's dive for a line drive at second was in time to throw the runner out at first.

Andrew Beaven, Travis Dares, Bill Dimitriou, Mike Kitchen, Darren Mansfield, Chris Meyers, and Garry Norman all contributed hits while Norman and Chris Kilmer mercilessly added steals.

**T.D. Bank Padres 8**

**G.H. Woodworking Blue Jays 3**

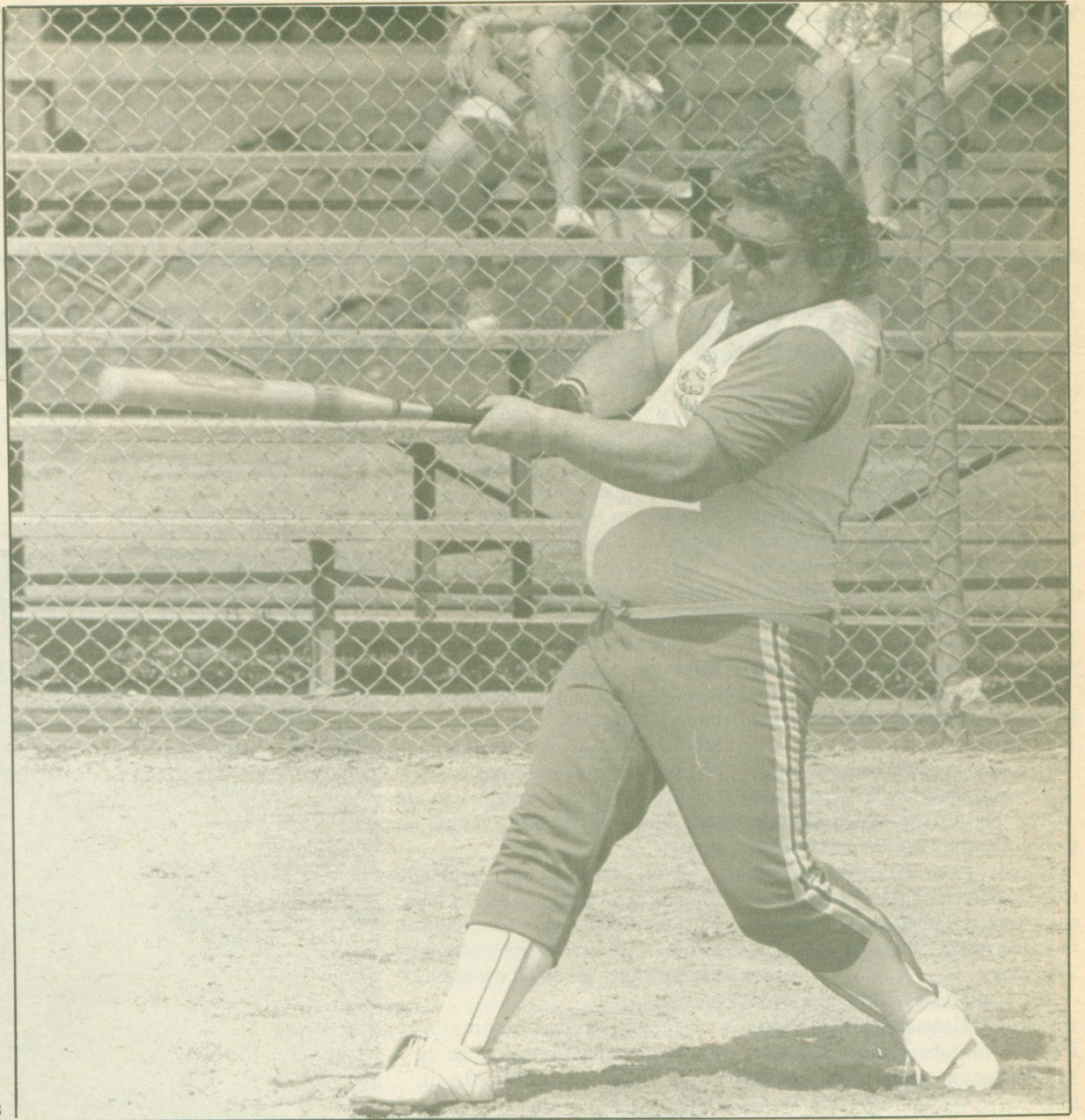
Padres moved up to fourth spot, fired by a Jon Routledge double and a Rob Larose triple. Routledge also claimed a fly ball; Larose distinguished himself on the mound. Mike McMeneny robbed Jays twice with good blocks at the plate.

For Jays, Paul Farmer secured an out on a pop fly and Brad Densmore swung for a triple. With ten games played, Jays remain firmly in third spot.

**Fri., July 17**

**T.D. Bank Padres vs. M.V.P. Sports Pirates**  
Rained out

**Jim & Pat Akers Countrywide Phillies vs. Kinsmen Club Expos**  
Rained out



More action from the Georgetown Mens Softball League Tournament Sunday. The local teams faced off at the Georgetown Fairgrounds.

# Confusion reigned at GFFL Sunday games

By COLIN GIBSON

Confusion reigned for the initial game in the Georgetown Mens Flag Football League at Neilsons Field last Sunday as a scheduling glitch saw four teams show up to do battle in the 8:45 a.m. contest.

It could have been due to the fact the day dawned sunny and dry - something of a minor miracle in this otherwise wet and blustery summer of our discontent.

After the schedule was straightened out, the games went off without a hitch, highlighted by the Longhorns advancing four points ahead of the pack in the race for the regular season title on the heels of a lacklustre 27-3 triumph over Plus Welding.

Meznic Electric fell off the pace when handed a 30-15 loss to the Dawgs while M&M received a bit of a scare before pulling out a 28-24 win over New Kids on the Block.

**DAWGS 30 - MEZNIC 15**

Dawgs quarterback John Egan made full use of the wider-than-normal Neilsons field and the usually tight Meznic defense suffered far too many breakdowns in coverage in this battle for second place.

Dawgs wideouts were wide open on a number of occasions, while interior crossing patterns appeared to confuse the Meznic defenders.

Dawgs had 14 points on the board early in the game and led comfortably 22-7 at the half.

The defending league champions

hit the scoresheet first in the second half and from that point, it was just a question of playing out the string.

Linus Stasiulis carried the brunt of the offensive load for the DAWGS, scoring two touchdowns and collecting a two-point convert.

Wayne Stasiulis snagged a touchdown pass and a two-point convert, while Dave Clements had the other Dawgs major.

Al Pelland grabbed a two-point convert while Dan Reynolds contributed at interception.

For Meznic, Gary Lockwood had a touchdown and a two-point convert with Howie Hulme also scoring a major. Jeff Lockwood kicked a convert for the losers, with brother Bob Lockwood snaring an interception.

**M&M 28 - New Kids 24**

M&M may have won the battle but, in effect, lost the war, as first-string quarterback Horace Thomas was helped off the field late in the second half with what was suspected to be either a dislocated shoulder or a fractured collarbone.

For M&M to have any playoff aspirations, Thomas will have to rejoin the fold.

Although New Kids on the Block are a first year entry into the league, they are an exciting team to watch on offense and show promise of bigger and better things ahead as the regular season winds down.

The more experienced M&M squad cruised in front, 21-12 at the

half, then and the New Kids defense quite literally leaped into the breach with a pair of dazzling interception returns for touchdowns on two consecutive M&M offensive forays.

Stew Teetzel latched on to the first errant pass and galloped roughly 80 yards for the score, while Trevor Elinsky took a page from his teammate's play book and dashed the length of the field for his major off the interception.

Teetzel had counted his team's first touchdown early in the game, with Adam Hilts rounding out the New Kids scoring.

It was while attempting to catch Elinsky that Thomas injured his shoulder.

Roger Thomas scored the game's final touchdown, with Richard Garden kicking the convert, to allow M&M to eke out the win. Thomas also collected an interception on an attempted New Kids pitchout.

For M&M, Carlos Periera, Stew Hirst and Dan McCarthy scored the other majors, while Horace Thomas kicked a convert and Mike Hurley added a two-point convert.

**LONGHORNS 27-PLUS WELDING 3**

The good news for the Longhorns was the two points for the win which gave them a four-point bulge atop the league standings.

The bad news was the 'Horns fashioned the win in a very unim-

pressive style. Winning ugly, it might be termed.

Plus Welding again had problems getting any consistency out of their offence and for the most parts the Longhorns seemed content to let the Welders dictate the pace of the game.

Longhorns were in front, 13-0 before Daryl Weir made things slightly more respectably by hoofing a field goal.

Longhorns scored two more touchdowns in the second half - with nary a reply from Plus Welding - to wrap up the comfortable win.

Rob Rivers scored two touchdowns for the 'Horns with Jim Lindsay and Bob McCandless also adding majors.

Dave Patterson was successful on three convert attempts to round out the game scoring.

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