Activity Line Snack Attack

By Laurie Burns **Exercise Physiologist**

To snack or not to snack, that is the question. Does snacking make you fat? No, snacks are not inherently bad for us. Approximately 50 per cent of all fresh fruit consumed is eaten as a snack. The unfortunate truth, though, is that snackers also generally consume more fat, sodium and sugar than those who don't snack all the time.

"We believe people should snack for the right reasons," says Bonnie Spring, M.D., professor of psychology at Chicago Medical School. One good reason is that it has been a long time since your last meal. You may be lightheaded or truly hungry. Snacking at this time corrects performance dips. (Think of your snack as fuel for your body just like a car, when the tank gets low, you fill it up.) Another group of snackers primarily snack in the late afternoon or evening and may have a biological reason. Those showing this pattern are prone to obesity and moodiness. They may be trying to correct a functional deficiency in the brain chemical, serotonin. (Note: This is not an excuse for your eating habits, consult your physician.)



Snacks are a good way to avoid overeating at meal times. By snacking between meals that are low in fat and sugar, you will keep your energy level boosted, your metabolism working efficiently and you will not be starving when it is time to eat your next meal, causing yourself to over indulge.

Overweight people nibble, they tend not to eat real foods, like vegetables or fruit. Try to let snacks fill your nutritional needs instead of providing empty, excess calories. Try to eat tasty, high-carbohydrate, low-fat snacks.

Snacking is one way to meet all the requirements of the Canada's Food Guide daily requirements. Do not let snacking be a bad habit, make it a good habit.

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ers of young horses. He's the best two year old I've ever driven," praised driver Doug Brown. "He hasn't gone a bad race yet.

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Hoof Beat

By Kathy Wade Vlaar

Saturday night.

Robert Grand's ace fresh-

dueled down the backstretch

but Historic fended off the

Direct Scooter colt to open

up and cruise to a 3 and-a-

half length victory to post

the riches payday in his

Grand admitted he had a

difficult week sleeping as

he kept thinking about the

1991 Metro when his colt

Digger Almahurst finished a

Historic is a full brother

to Digger Almahurst, who,

despite missing the Metro

win, enjoyed considerable

success including a

Breeders Crown champi-

Historic now has seven

He's trained by Stew

Firlotte, one of the sport's

most successful condition-

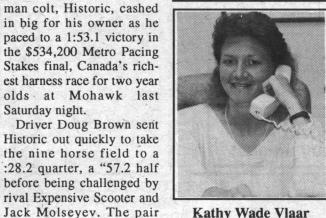
wins in 10 starts and

\$380,531 on the year.

young career.

disappointing 7th.

'93 Metro could be a "Historic" Event



Kathy Wade Vlaar

Half way down the lane, I was smiling!"

Metro Consolation

John Campbell and JBS Andrew teamed up for a 1:54.2 victory in the \$100,000 Metro Consolation over Duke Duke and JB Stena. The Jate Lobell colt is trained by Wade McCoy for owners V A Enterprises and Barretti Koock Stable of New York.

Armbro Luxury notched her fifth win on the season as she trotted to a 1:59.1 victory in the \$101,720 Ontario Sires Stakes Gold Final for three year old fil-

Dave Wall was in the bike for trainer Scott McEnemy and owner John Grant of Hornby. Luxury now has over \$350,000 in '93 earnings.

Miss Milton Again!

Shady Daisy, referred to by many in the sport as the best mare ever to look through a bridle, reinforced mare ranks as she paced to a tremendous 1:52.4 victory in the \$108,000 Milton Stakes Final at Mohawk Raceway last Sunday night.

The win marked the second consecutive year that Shady's managed to capture the Milton Stakes. Last year, she clocked a 1:53 effort in the \$115,250 final.

Regular driver Ron Pierce was at the helm of the fiveyear-old daughter of Falcon Seelster for trainer Lou Bauslaugh and owners Ron Jackson and his daughter, Tamela Bauslaugh.

Shady took over for the :26.4 opening quarter and never looked back from that station, clocking a:55.2 half, a 1:23.2 three-quarters enroute to her half length win, and impressively held off a serious challenge from Swing Back, who poised a menacing threat, racing first-up from the clubhouse turn to deep stretch. Swing Back had to settle for second money while Cinnamon Reel closed for third.

"That was a tremendous mile", admitted Bauslaugh, mares.

her dominance of the pacing "she's as good as she's ever been. I was feeling a little apprehensive about her chances all week but after I warmed her up tonight, I felt very confident."

The win was the 11th in 28 starts for Shady and bumped her '93 bank account to \$370,437 on the year. Lifetime, Shady has earnings in excess of \$1.3 million.

After Shady's win in the Milton, Ron Pierce feels very good about her chances in the upcoming Breeders Crown on Oct. 8. That will be a hectic day for Pierce who will drive American Winner in the Kentucky Futurity at Lexington's Red Mile before flying on a charter to Mohawk for the Cadillac Breeders Crown that night. If American Winner can manage a victory in the Futurity, he will also become trotting's crown winner. And it could be an especially big day if Shady Daisy can manage a repeat performance in the Cadillac Breeders Crown for pacing

Junior Rebs lose opener

left by Oakville Loyola ruined the season opener for Georgetown District High School's junior Rebels football team as the visitors edged GDHS 10-8 Wednesday.

Overall, coach Fred Kotani credited the boys with playing a well- rounded game and felt the rough edges will be smoothed out with time.

"Offensively they showed potential," said Kotani. "Jeff Wilson threw well and the receivers will get better with time. Both Paul Ruttimann and Scott Teeter ran the ball well."

The Rebels had a couple of drives where they couldn't Oakville Blakelock.

punch the ball across the goaline but Kotani doesn' t seem overly worried, saying that practice will iron it out.

Kotani credited the defense with a very strong effort, including the play of linebacker Paul Sandifier and defensive back Jaimie Bottomley and several juniors he feels will develop.

Kotani sees the juniors as a competitive team this year that will end up in the Tier II playoffs. Last year the junior Rebels made it to the semi-

The Rebels next action is this Thursday against St. Thomas Aquinas in Oakville, with their next home game Oct. 13 against

By Mike Zrostek

A field goal with no time

Tennis season finale

By Norma Maynard

The Gordon Alcott Tennis Club is winding down after another successful tennis season.

There will be a Round-Robin, Annual General Meeting and refreshments Mail in - don't delay. on Oct. 13 at 7 p.m., rain, shine or frost. It is hoped all our members will partici- a healthy fall and winter.

G.T.A.C. wishes to thank Halton Hills This Week for all the great tennis coverage each week.

Watch for your 1994 registration forms in April/94.

For further information call Norma, 877-8918. Have

Public schools set for cross country

public schools will compete in a cross country meet Thursday at Bronte Creek Provincial Park to see who advances to the county meet on Oct.13.

Schools from Georgetown and Acton will join schools from Milton Campbellville to compete in two divisions.

In Thursday's meet, one

Students from Halton Hills division will involve runners from Grades 3 to 6, who will compete from 10 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

From 1p.m. to 2:30 p.m. the Grade 6 to Grade 8 students will be running.

The top five runners from each age group advance to the finals Oct. 13 at Bronte Creek Provincial Park to face competition from Burlington and Oakville runners.

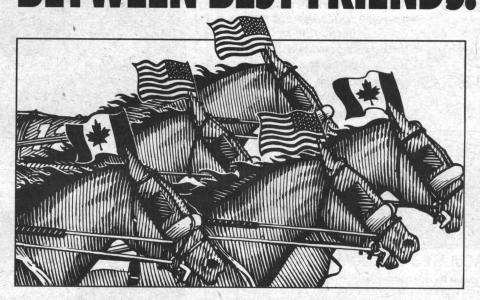
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UNLESS IT'S \$1,200,000. THE BREEDERS' CROWN, FRIDAY OCTOBER 8.

This is harness racing's most prestigious event. With prize money totalling \$1,200,000, The Breeders' Crown Divisional Championship can make even the best of friends fierce rivals. Be at Mohawk vay to watch this continent's

finest pacing and trotting champions strive for country, glory and fortune. Highway 401 and Guelph Line. General admission and clubhouse admission: \$3.50. Call 1-416-854-2255 for more infor mation. Post time is 7:30 p.m.

