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## Peewee Rams are playoff champs

Acton's Galvcast-MacKenzie & Chapman Peewee Rams captured the "B" division championships for their league with a big 8-2 win at Elora last Tuesday.

The Acton squad took the lead early on and never looked back in the final game. Elora's two goals came during the third period of the game.

Richard Raju led the local scoring with three goals and two assists. Andrew Coe scored twice, while Jason Christopher, Jeff Newman and Thomas Wolfer added one tally each. Kyle Artem had a busy night, picking up four assists, and singles went to Sandy Chapman and Shawn Weatherall.

The previous Thursday, Acton hosted Elora and came away with a closer 8-5 win. At the end of the first stanza, Elora held a 2-1 lead, but they couldn't hold on and the powerful Acton squad came back with three during the second and four more in the third period.

Richard Raju once again had a big game, tallying four goals and three assists for the Rams. Other scorers were Shawn Weatherall, with two goals, and Kyle Artem and Jason Christopher with one apiece. Assists went to: Chris Lee (three), Andrew Coe (two) and Sandy Chapman (two). Ryan Young, Kyle Artem and Thomas Wolfer counted one each.



**MAD SCRAMBLE!** Timbit lacrosse players do battle for a loose ball during recent action at the Acton Community Centre. This season has been a successful one for local minor lacrosse clubs, and a strong Timbit program should ensure the continued health of Canada's national game in town. (Mike Albano photo)

## Campbell's Soup is hot as Squirt season winds down

BY PAUL CHUMLEY

Tough luck for Blue Springs this week in minor Squirt division soccer action. In Monday's game at Eramosa the team lost 6-0 to Rockwood Campbell's Soup. Both teams had a lot of trouble playing in the high grass. Blue Spring's Shannon Gray played very well at midfield. Brendan Dick made some great shots as did Andrew Draper. Peter Van Helvoort played well at midfield and defensively.

Also on Monday Mr. Mugs and MacMillan's Frozen Foods played to a one-all tie. Daniel Pursoo had Mr. Mugs' lone marker and MacMillan's goal came on a penalty shot.

In other Squirt action on Wednesday, Grand Valley outscored Blue Springs 5-1. Michael Van Den Hoek scored Blue Springs' lone goal while the goalie's job was shared by Joel Savard and Shane Stewart. Matthew Gardner played well defensively and the team was glad to have Robert Keelas back from vacation.

Also on Wednesday MacMillan's Frozen Foods blanked Rockwood Guelph OPP 5-0 with excellent play by the Bowen brothers. Josh had three goals while Nathan booted in the other two. Two other outstanding players were Amy Incoe and Sabrina Fread. Mark Penner played a strong game for Rockwood, while Christophe Laurenceau was a capable first-half keeper.

Rockwood Campbell's Soup continued their winning ways Wednesday with a 7-0 win over Acton Home Hardware.

In other Squirt action

Wednesday Mr. Mugs squeaked by Merit Industrial 1-0. The lone Mugs goal was scored by Daniel Pursoo with John Newby assisting. Goalie Philip Doucette had some great saves in goal.

## Lions Club wins Atom title, beat Hornby 5-2

Acton's Lions Club Atom boys softball club are league champions after a playoff series that was finally wrapped up on the weekend.

The score was 18-0 for the Acton Lions in game one against Hornby White on Friday, Aug. 7. Pitcher Ryan Turpin had a big game on the mound, recording 13 strikeouts in the win. Turpin was backed up by the solid defensive work of his team-mates.

After a layoff due to the inclement weather of the past few weeks, on Sunday, the Acton Lions held Hornby Blue to a 6-4 win. For the Lions, Craig Lockwood and David Schmuki had singles and Jamie Dunn and Jason Wells each had walks.

Sunday's final game went to the Lions, who battled to a 5-2 victory over the same Hornby side. Lions players Joey Thompson and Brydon Perry had singles, Craig Lockwood had a triple, and Jamie Dunn and Bryan Turpin both had walks in this championship game.

## Novice Rams win "C" division as Petkoff nets eight goals

Acton's Tim Horton Novice Rams finished off their minor lacrosse season with a show of offensive strength, beating Elora 10-4 last Thursday.

Heading into the second period tied at one goal apiece, it was starting to look like the previous game in Elora when the Rams outplayed their opponents but couldn't find the net.

However, this time around, Joel Petkoff uncorked and found the net eight times. He also had two others disallowed. Also scoring for Acton were Ryan Weatherall and Beeper Valente with one goal apiece. Assists

went to Weatherall, Greg Tummonds, Stephen Monaghan, Terri McCaslin and tyke Matty Wolfer.

Members of the championship Tim Horton Rams are:

Daniel Charland (who did an outstanding job in the net), Jason McGuire, Brandon Valente, Shane Kilgour, Greg Tummonds, Marty Gordon, Joel Petkoff, Stephen Monaghan, Terri McCaslin, Frederick Allan, Casey Woodman, Chelsea Young, Tyke All-star Matty Wolfer, Maura Kilfeather, Mathew Hall, Lucas Schott and Noah Malinkosky.

## Leathertown Pets outscored 3-1

Acton's Leathertown Under-12 All-Star soccer side found out the true meaning of "ooze ball" when they met their Woolwich rivals on Tuesday here in Acton and fell 3-1 to the visitors.

There was a steady rain falling when the teams took the field and the game became one of chance and luck more than skill. As the rain increased, the players, the ball, the spectators, the coaches and the field all became waterlogged.

Chris Adema played an excellent game in net for Leathertown but even so, the slippery conditions allowed Woolwich to score three times. Devon Frazer scored Acton's lone marker.

Unfortunately, the game was called off before the end of the second half due to ever-worsen-

ing weather conditions. This was a great disappointment to the Leathertown team as this was the last game of the season.

Leathertown went on to the end-of-season tournament on Aug. 22 in Elmira but results had not been submitted at press time.

## Al & Al's win

Playing with a full team again, Al & Al Meats dominated the field and left few chances for the ball to travel into their half in a 5-1 win over Rockwood in Peewee soccer action Wednesday.

A great game was played by all players, especially goal scorers Paul Guy (with two) Bobby Bard, Derrick McIntyre and Scott McIntyre with one, and halfbacks Jeff Adema and Jamie Birrell.

## Tuitman's U-16s take Brampton I

Tuitman's Under-16 Girls soccer squad found themselves short of players at the start of their game in Brampton Thursday, but still managed to gain a 3-1 victory.

Brampton managed to hold the game scoreless during the first half but Tuitman's came back stronger with a full complement of players in the second half and Eileen Campbell soon found the back of the Brampton net. Mia Trembly followed suit with a perfect shot on the rebound of her first try to get past the Brampton goalie.

Brampton managed to come back with one of their own but, with the light almost gone and the spectators unable to distinguish the players through the gloom, Eileen Campbell secured the victory with another goal. Goalie Tammy Allan was once again the sportswoman of the game; she did a tremendous job by holding Brampton to a single goal.

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