

McDonald scores 11 in McIntyre Fuels win

HOUSE LEAGUE HOCKEY

ATOM

Mr. Mugs doubled Mike and Al's 6-3 in Atom hockey action at the Community Centre on Saturday.

Shane Drexler led the winners with three goals, while Paul Schiller added two goals and Mike Rowsell a goal and an assist.

Other helpers went to Mike Lee, Ryan Samson and Robbie Price.

Replying for Mike and Al's were Paul Walker with two goals and Kenny Christopher.

Walker and Brad West assisted.

NOVICE

Two-goal games by Kyle Murray, Shane Monaghan, Dylan Jacobs and Adam Hewitt propelled MacMillan's to a 9-4 thumping over the Legion

Branch 197 Maple Leafs.

Daniel Payne rounded out the MacMillan's scoring.

Collecting assists were Murray, Hewitt, Michael Chapman and Darcy O'Driscoll.

Scoring for the Buds were Taylor Seeds, Matt Locke and Jason Beatty.

Seeds set up two goals, while Locke and Curtis Williams had one assist each.

In other games, Galvcast edged MacKenzie-Chapman 5-4, thanks in part to Tim Pembleton's hat-trick.

Kevin Zukowski and Joel Graydon also potted goals.

Topping the assist parade was Keith Gilmore with three. Tim Kirk and Tim Horseman each recorded two helpers. Pembleton netted one. Adam Burgess led MacKenzie-

Chapman with two goals. Singles went to Patrick Collins and Mark Finnie.

Assists went to Andrew Reid with a pair, Robbie Rolfe and Reid Hendry.

Chris Foster was stellar in the MacKenzie-Chapman net.

R & M Construction and Remax battled to a 2-2 draw as Chris Galda and Nathan Bowen were spectacular between the pipes for their respective teams.

Finding the net for R & M were Michael Keuprey and Jacob Kentner, who was fed a pass by Keuprey.

Shawn Gobin and Eric Sloane scored for Remax.

Kory Killingbeck assisted on the Gobin marker.

TYKE

Matthew Williamson scored three goals to pace Mike Luty Transport past Nellis Construction 7-2 at the Community Centre on Saturday.

Jeff Schouten fired two goals, while Adam Lindsay and Simon Drexler posted the others.

Schouten and David McEnery counted two assists each. Singles went to Joe McGrath, Trevor Hall and Mike Varanelli.

In a losing cause, Shane Haslam and Patrick Shibley bulged the twine for Nellis.

Andrew Martin, Mike Van Den Hoek and Josh Bowen drew assists.

Kyle McDonald tallied 11 times as McIntyre Fuels routed A & S Engraving 12-3 in one of two other Tyke games.

Paul Sharples, who had one assist, rounded out the scoring.

Other assists were awarded to Steve Collins, who grabbed five, and three apiece to Geoff Malcolm and Daryl McNight. Clark Sinclair, Christopher Richards and Brian Booth had two helpers each.

Nick Johnson scored two of A & S Engraving's three goals. Greg Henry had the other.

Shaun Harkley was in on all three goals, while Jaret Popp, Josh Locke and Matt Lyons had single assists.

Andrew Marcoux potted eight goals to go with four assists as Acton Terminal Warehouse pounded Best Transfer 17-4.

Nicole Gobin chipped in with a hat-trick, while Michael Bentley, Joe Douglas and Michael Kellas each scored twice.

Also assisting were Bentley and Matthew Pettipher with three, a pair each to Steve Gardner and Craig Kirkwood, and singles to Douglas, Gobin, Brian Kim and James Berry.

Kyle Marshall led Best Transfer with three goals and one assist.

Wade Kuiken-Rogers had one.

Pocketing other assists were Kuiken-Rogers with two, Brady Masters, Garrett Williams, Brad Ethier, C.J. Carr and Michael Burke.

Giant hurts Senior v-ballers

BY DOUG HARRISON

The Acton Tanner

Can one player make a volleyball team?

In the Loyola Hawks' case on Thursday, yes ... yes ... yes.

Nick Rupcich single-handedly beat the Senior Redmen in Game 1, made his team beatable as the Redmen shut him down in Game 2 and played a huge role in the third and deciding match.

Without the imposing 6-foot-7 power-hitter's presence on the Acton High floor, the end result—a 2-1 (15-9, 13-15, 15-10) victory for the Hawks—could have been drastically altered.

Rupcich had eight kills to start the day and intimidated the Redmen, who were uncharacteristically slow on their feet and had little communication.

Rupcich's domination in the deciding game, which included

three service points and as many kills, enabled the visitors to erase a 3-0 deficit and mount a comfortable 14-6 lead before the Redmen put a scare to them.

"We should have played better, but we came out and got the win," said Rupcich after the game.

Thanks to big No. 3 at the net.

"The sets and passes were coming and I just put the ball away," continued the modest Rupcich.

Redmen coach Bruce Andrews matched 6-foot-3 Ed Bridge against the menacing Rupcich coming across the middle, but the latter wasn't as fast.

"(Rupcich) was hot to start and placing the ball unconsciously," Andrews said. "It's tough when the tall guy goes over the net and goes over your tallest player."

"But you can't fault our guys' heart. They sure have it and I'm proud of the way they played."

Canes' Petkoff grabs 9 points

The Halton Hurricane Minor Peeewe hockey squad was in Chinguacousy on Saturday attempting to keep their perfect 6-0 record intact.

They wasted no time in jumping out to an early lead.

In the second period, Acton's Joel Petkoff assisted on a Canes goal to give the locals a 3-1 lead.

Recently, the Hurricanes saw their record surge to 5-0 with three straight wins.

They downed Stoney Creek 1-0 in a hard-fought battle that saw

both squads squander chances to pull out the win.

The Canes were home to Streetsville the previous night and fired rubber from all directions en route to a 11-1 dismantling.

Petkoff assisted on six goals.

Petkoff earlier set up two more goals as the Hurricanes doubled Guelph 4-2.

The Canes are in Oakville at the Glen Abbey arena this Friday at 8:30 pm before a home date in Erin on Saturday against Niagara Falls at 6:30 pm.

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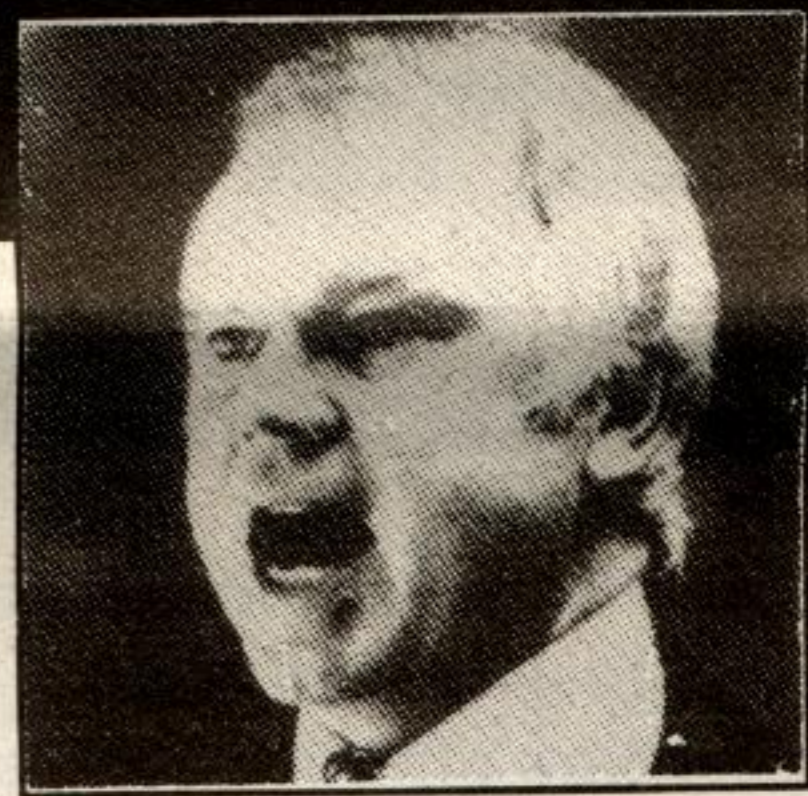
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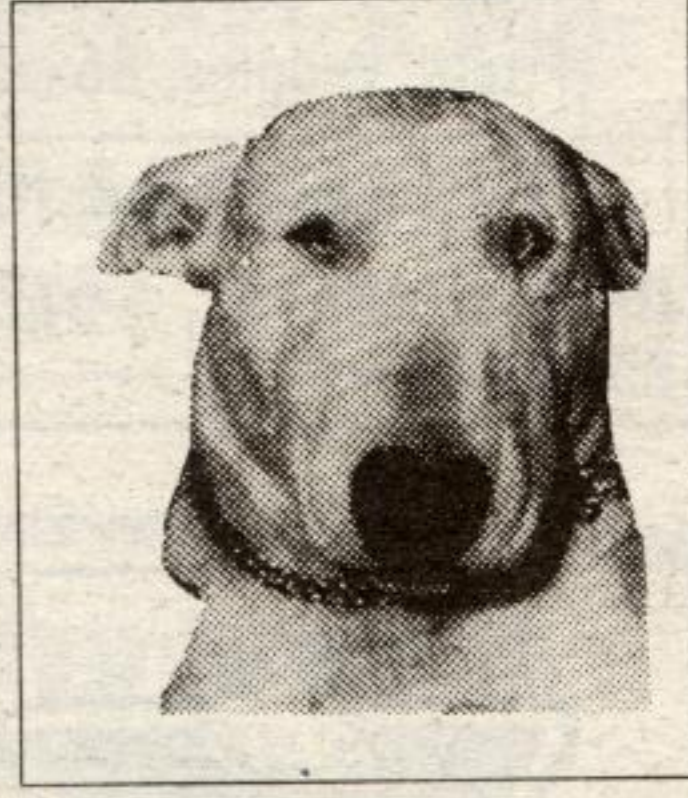
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THE WRATH OF GRAPES
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Old school? Maybe
Back to our talk on discipline in hockey ... Maybe I'm from the old school; I've been coaching only seven years in the league and I'm 42. It's hard to believe I'm old school. But when you run over the other team's best guy, in the old days you'd be expected to stand up to the guy who looked after the smaller players. Now you just turtle and cover up—and call it "discipline" if you're Vancouver Canuck Tim Hunter. There are all kinds of guys acting tough and disciplined when they were nowhere to be seen before.
A good example of the old school was in the semi-final two years ago when L.A.'s Marty McSorley hit Gilmour and Wendel Clark went to Killer's rescue. Clarkie and McSorley got into a good toe-to-toe. Marty expected Wendel to come and he didn't turtle like Hunter did.
"You're not going to have the great players in our league if they can't be protected, and that's sad," warned Pat Burns, coach of the Leafs.



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