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Bowler Kylie Kruk shows off her winning form at Acton Lanes last Wednesday. The 10year-old Grade 4 student recently finished second at the Four Steps to Stardom Provincial Five-Pin Bowling Championships held in Ottawa. A total of 5,944 Bantam bowlers from across the province competed in the Four Steps competition this year, so Kylie's second-place finish is a terrific accomplishment. (Karen Wetmore photo)

# Midget Sabres sweep in Pickering tournament

The Acton Precision Mill- the tournament, the Sabres key squad went undefeated in their year-end tournament in Pickering last weekend, capping off a successful 1995-96 campaign with some impressive hardware.

Goalie Mike Kempton, who has been a pillar of strength for the Sabres throughout the playoffs, was awarded the tournament MVP trophy for his efforts.

"The Midgets played a disciplined style of hockey," said Acton Minor Hockey Association President Dave McIntyre on Monday. "They really played an excellent tournament.

"This was a well-run tour-AMHA teams in the future. There were very nice trophies awarded as well."

In Game 1 Acton hammered Wallaceburg by a 9-1 score, with Bantam call-up Bob Brooks firing four goals to lead the locals.

Phil and Brian McIntyre each hit for a pair of goals in the win, while Derrick McIntyre opened the scoring for the Sabres.

Brian and Scott McIntyre each passed for three assists, with Derrick McIntyre and Gavin Hall picking up a pair each. Single helpers went to Trevor Malloy, Ryan Preuter and Steve White.

Goalie Kempton took MVP honours in the game.

Acton took Game 2 by default as the Brampton Sharks failed to ice enough skaters to play a regulation game.

In their closest match of

wrights Midget Sabres hoc- shaded Whitby 3-2 in their third tournament game.

> Adam DaPonte, Chris Williams and Preuter scored the Acton goals in this tight contest, with assists going to Jason Pembleton (2), Williams, Derrick McIntyre and DaPonte.

> Kempton was solid between the pipes to again take MVP honours.

> The Sabres defeated Vaughn 6-2 in Game 4 as game MVP Malloy pocketed a pair of markers.

> Single goals came from the sticks of Preuter, DaPonte, Derrick McIntyre and Brian

Phil McIntyre, DaPonte and Matt Boycott each had a pair of assists for the Sabres, with singles coming from Brooks, White, Williams, Malloy, Brian McIntyre and Derrick McIntyre.

In their final game the Sabres pounded Rosedale 7-1, with Derrick McIntyre picking up a pair of goals.

Pembleton, Williams, Da-Ponte, Hall and Malloy contributed the other goals.

Malloy had a pair of assists, while single helpers came from Phil McIntyre, Brian McIntyre, Williams, Pembleton, Hall and Boycott.

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It was a big week for the URW Local 603 Peewee 2 Sabres as the team played four games, winning two and tying two. Along the way, they won the consolation championship in the Milton Optimist tourney and, more importantly, the Tri-County championship.

In the fifth and not necessarily last game of the Tri-County finals, Acton finally shook loose of their pesky Elora rivals, 4-2, to win the league championship.

Stephen Monaghan's winner and Jeff Young's insurance marker gave Acton their largest margin of victory in the series. Jordan Zukowski and Chris Near had scored earlier in the contest while assists went to Darren Banks,

Andrew Forbes and Near.

In the Milton tournament, Acton tied Hespeler 1-1 on the strength of Matt Hebden's third period tally from Monaghan and Young.

The following night Acton managed another sister-kisser against Milton, 3-3. Young fired a pair of goals while Zukowski had the solo effort and an assist. Other helpers went to Monaghan, Young, Hebden and David Metcalfe. Young was named MVP.

On Friday, to end their season, Acton defeated Hespeler 3-1 in the rematch to take consolation honours. Monaghan, Zukowski and Young, who also had the only assists, potted Acton markers. Monaghan won MVP honours this time around.

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