

# M&M Pro Sports defeat Milton in Midget hardball

## HARDBALL REPORT

### MIDGET BOYS

There's an old adage in baseball that says 'if you can pitch and play solid defence the rest will take care of itself.'

Well that certainly holds true for Acton M&M Pro Sports as they did both on their way to an 8-1 drubbing of Milton, July 30 at Maple-hurst Park in Milton.

Starting Pitcher Derek Lockerbie earned the win, combining with reliever Chris Scully to shackle a potent Milton attack.

When the pitching faltered Jimmy Dickinson, who stole home, picked up the slack, flashing some impressive leather at second base to snuff out a couple of potential Milton rallies.

Offensively, Acton was led by fleet Richie Dalziel who knocked in a pair of runs.

Mark Faseruk, Shaun Lockwood, Jeff Miller and Paul Kerins also had rbi's.

### MOSQUITO

Matthew Vanderleest and Aaron Chiasson each scored three to lead Heartland Shipping to a 19-8 smashing of Kilbride, Aug. 6 at Prospect.

Derrick McKeown had two rbi's and scored twice for Acton, who were helped by the splendid pitching of Chris Galda, Mike Kuipery and Adam Burgess.

Gavin Williams, Burgess and Michael Meade also scored twice while Mark Sinkgraven, Ryan Stroud, Nigel Williams, Galda and Kuipery scored once. Sinkgraven had a pair of rbi's.

One night later, Hornby scored five times in their final atbat to upend Heartland Shipping 13-12 in Hornby.

Acton's play of the game occurred when Meade and Chiasson perfectly executed a rundown between second and third base with Meade tagging out the runner.

It was an up and down week for Halton Power Line, who split

a pair of games, losing 9-8 to Hornby A, July 31, and then rebounding to beat Stanley Acme Track 11-7, Aug. 1.

Thursday night Eric Goll led Power Line with a pair of doubles. Jamie McGhie also hit a double while Nick Perrron, Nicholas Ridler and Matt Shibley chipped in with key singles.

In the loss to Hornby A, Roberto Umbrello and Goll scored twice, and Lalande, Perron, Greg Aitken and Sean Watson scored once.

### ROOKIE

Acton Legion closed out their regular season campaign in fine fashion winning two out of their final three, outscoring their opponents 39-13 in the process.

Acton began by trouncing the Lions Club 16-0 and following that up with a 18-0 thrashing of Brookville 2. Pitchers Nick Ridler and Patrick Byrne were awesome on the mound.

Fatigue and the law of averages caught up with the Legion last Thursday night at Prospect Park when they fell 13-5 to Carlisle.

Despite the loss, Acton managed to secure fourth-place in league standings with a 10-6 record ensuring a berth in the first round of the playoffs this week against first-place Rockwood.

Coach Dave Dawkins praised the entire team as being responsible for such a successful season. Acton Legion players are Nick Ridler, Kyle Osborne, Tommy Dawkins, Patrick Byrne, Brad Near, Justin Kentner, Andy Burnett, Darryl McKnight, Daniel Kentner, Kyle Bodi, Kenny Schaljo, Joshua Shabaga, Doug Steenhuis and Chris Looyenga.

The Acton Lions Club saved the best for last, winning their first game of the year in their final effort of the year, a 14-3 smashing of Brookville 1, Aug.

8 at Prospect Park.

Offensively, the Lions were paced by Matthew Jones, Jimmy Berry, Dennis Hunak, Benjamin Bailie and Ben Holland who each knocked in two runs.

Starting Pitcher Neil Armstrong picked up the win with Clark Sinclair solid in relief.

Jordan Kuenig and Zach Sher chipped in with rbi singles while Aaron Boyer and Kyle Pinkerton had great offensive efforts for the winners.

Defensively Stephen O'Donnell shined for the winners.

A special thanks goes out to all the boys and their parents for sticking with the team through a difficult season.

The Acton Lions took it on the chin against Kilbride, losing 14-9, July 30 in Kilbride.

Despite taking the loss, starting pitcher Sinclair sparked on the mound in his two innings of work. Berry came on in the third and was solid in his inning of

relief while Jones played great behind the plate.

Hunak, Pinkerton and Berry notched rbi's to lead the potent

Acton offensive attack. As well, O'Donnell and Kuezig had good offensive games, according to the coaching staff.



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## Perfect season for No-Stars

The Rockwood Ladies No-Stars Fastball team completed their 1996 regular season play in top spot with an impressive 14-0-0 record.

As a result, the No-Stars now enter playoffs with the top seven teams in their league - Jerseyville, Millgrove, Freelon A&B, Westover and Brookville.

In the opening game of the playoffs, the No-Stars used great hitting and stingy pitching to defeat their arch rivals Jerseyville 11-3.

However, their next game proved more difficult as Rockwood was forced to rally for four runs in the bottom of the seventh inning to beat Millgrove 14-12. Jan Airdrie's two-run game-winning

triple provided the No-Stars with their margin of victory.

Pitching duties in both contests were shared by Lori Savage and Airdrie.

"The ladies stayed focused in both games and are very determined, going into the playoff games with a positive attitude," remarked coach Dot Polo after the game.

Manager Bonnie Hamilton credited both victories to a solid effort by all the ladies.

The No-Stars faced Brookville Monday night in Brookville. They return home to the comfy confines of Lloyd Dyer Park on Aug. 21 at 8:30 against Freelon A.

The remainder of the round robin playoff action will take place at the year-end tourna-

ment in Brookville on Aug. 24 at 6:30 pm and Aug. 25 at 1 pm, with the championship game slated for 5 pm.

So, come out and support the ladies.



## The ACTON SOCCER CLUB

will be holding their  
**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

August 27th @ 8:00pm.

in the  
Acton Legion Boardroom

This is an election of officers for the 1996-1997 soccer board. Everyone is invited to attend and your support is vital to the next years success.



## Acton House League

# Hockey

## REGISTRATION

### Acton Arena

August 15	7 - 9pm
August 24	9 - 12pm
September 5	7 - 9pm

\$180/player

First time registrants please bring **photocopy** of birth certificate.

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