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Who's 'That Girl Racing' snowmobiles in summer?

By ANGELA TYLER
The New Tanner

While some wives and moms may be at home on weekends tending to stere-otypical female tasks, Acton's Tiina Duncanson is breaking tradition. Almost every weekend from now until November Tiina can be found drag racing snowmobiles.

Around three years ago, while attending a snowmobile race in the United States, Tiina, according to her hus-

band Peter Duncanson, decided "Come hell or high water, she was going to race (snowmobiles)."

Tiina and Peter both admit that it can be difficult, as she is the only female racer in her open modified division. She compares it to a top fuel division for cars.

However, Tiina seems to be handling her division quite well. This past year after racing throughout Canada and the United States, she claimed the Ontario Open Modified Championship. Last weekend in the first race of the season in Grand Bend, she won in the 800 class and placed 2nd in two others. Currently, they race on grass until the season changes. The racing season finishes in November also as a result of the weather.

At the Acton Agricultural Society Show and Shine, the Duncanson's racing team, "That Girl Racing", displayed their racing sleds. Along with their crew and family, spectators could check out the two Skidoo's she races, as well as see how their reaction time was in a mock race start. That Girl Racing has even been on the cable network Speed Vision.

That Girl Racing has an Acton crew and is sponsored by local business, Outdoor Power Equipment from Georgetown. With the Duncanson's children, Kyla, 14, and Kiersten, 10, attending most races, it is a family effort.

The big race for the team will be the upcoming September Hay Days race in Minnesota. However, if you want to see snowmobile drag racing locally, the team also races as close as Kitchener.



TWO IN A ROW: Bruce Hood Trouble Shooters defeated Limehouse Spikes at the GLPL annual tournament to claim the championship the second year in a row. The Trouble Shooters are, back from left: Nancy Rhynold, Judy Spear, Tracy Wrigglesworth, Margie Laton, Tracy Deforest and Denise Hannah. Front from left: Carrie Gallant, Becky Osborne, Linda Wilson, Linda Robson and Flo Weatherbie. Absent Shelley Young. — Submitted photo

Ladies' Softball

On July 14 the Maple Lodge Chics defeated Us & Him 15-7. Wendy was player of the game for the Chics and Mel was for Us & Him.

On July 15, the Chics came from behind to defeat the Bruce Hood Trouble Shooters 12-11. Flo Weatherbie was Trouble

Shooters player of the game and Lou was player of the game for the Chics.

The Trouble Shooters defeated Us & Him on July 21.
Players of the game were Kimberly for Us & Him and Linda Wilson for the Trouble Shooters.

Grasshopper T-Ball

Carpets played July 20 at Sir Donald Mann park. Kerr's Chris Bourque had a great play on first and hit two home runs. Teammate James McKinnon hit two doubles while Robert Laing had some great fielding. Emma Bailey had a home run for Camden while A.J. Snieder hit a triple. Lindsay Lobelio also had some great fielding plays.

Bulldogs

tural Society's Show and Shine.

The Halton Hills "Quinterra"
Bantam II Bulldogs are in a best
two out of three lacrosse playoff
series against Shelburne.

Shelburne on July 20 with a 9-2 win going to the Bulldogs. Nick Newby opened the scoring with two and finished with three more goals. Tim Walinga scored one and assisted on all five of Newby's goals. Cory Henderson contributed two goals, with Brock Grin tucking in the other goal on a break away.

Goaltenders William McDermott and call-up peewee Jason Heron-Jacobs, both division winners at the annual all-star game at Elora last Sunday, shared goaltending duties.

The next game in the series is at the Acton Arena on Wednesday, July 28 at 9 p.m., with the third, if necessary, game scheduled for the next night at the same time and place.

Soccer Report

Boys - Under 13

READY TO RACE: Acton's Tiina Duncanson

shows off her snowmobile she uses in races through

the summer and fall recently at the Acton Agricul-

Halton Hills Furniture played to a 1-1 tie against Georgetown last Thursday at Acton High School. Ben Deckler scored the lone goal for Acton. Goaltender Shayne Wall played well, stopping a penalty shot.

Acton Cleaners cleaned up against Puslinch July 20 with a 7-5 win at McKenzie-Smith Bennett School. Jesse Sparkes led the team in goals scored with three. Both Thomas Poullos and Derek Thomas scored twice.

Coaches Brad Yowart and Keith Poullos said there was an outstanding effort by the whole team, with a special effort by Chad Peacock and Davin Pole.

Girls - Under 11

Danielle Morin put two
between the posts for Empress
Communications in a 4-2 win
over the Kinette Club on July 20
at MSB. Kiersten Duncanson

and Caitlin Bowen rounded out the scoring. Forwards Hjoerdi Stockinger and Emily Brix played aggressively.

Girls - Under 19

Toth Motors took two losses against Georgetown and Bolton recently. Chrissy Pereira scored Acton's lone goal in the 6-1 loss against Georgetown 1 on July 13. Ashleigh Bunt, Jennifer Elliott and Amanda Duffield supplied excellent defensive fielding while Eva Sitarz and Rachel Andrews provided amazing goaltending.

On July 20 the team played to a 4-1 loss against Bolton. Astounding fielding by Caitlin Dick, Chelsea Young, Alexia Appleby and Jackie Christie contributed in a well played game. Goaltending by Tonya Wood and Kim Lindsay held Toth Motors in the game with Erin Douglas scoring.

COACHING

Some coaching positions still available. For more information please call: Steve Marshall at 853-0158

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