

Tanner SPORTS



SAFE: Acton scores another run as the Carlisle catcher waits in vain for a throw to home plate. - Maggie Petrushevsky photo

Carlisle edges Acton in playoff

The Acton II hardball team of eight and nine-year-olds lost a heartbreaker, 17-16 to Carlisle Sunday evening in their final open inning.

Acton won the first of their best of three games in Carlisle last week, then lost their second game Tuesday

in Acton forcing the third games back to Carlisle on Sunday.

The teams were very evenly matched. Acton was winning Sunday until Carlisle drove in eight runs in their open inning.

Rockwood girls second in ORSA take 20 - 0 record into tourney

The Rockwood Bantam Girls had to settle for second place in the Ontario Rural softball Association (ORSA) playdowns with St. Marys taking top spot. In the first game of the series St. Marys was able to take an easy win with a 13 to 2 victory. It seemed like every ball they hit found a hole while Rockwood couldn't buy a hit.

In the second game St. Marys came from behind to post a 5 to 4 victory and the series two games straight. Rockwood led the game 4 to 0 going into the bottom of the fifth when St. Mary mounted a 6-hit 5-run attack to take the

lead. Rockwood threatened in the top of the sixth and seventh innings but left runners stranded on base both times.

To get to the finals Rockwood played three other rounds. In the first series the locals beat Binbrook 12 to 2 at Binbrook and then 5 to 4 in Rockwood. The next series saw Hastings come to town and Rockwood post an easy 27 to 8 win. Four nights later with the series shifted to Hastings, the Rockwood squad was able to mount a 14-hit attack and come away with an easy 11 to 0 win.

In the third series, Rockwood would face Delhi,

again with Rockwood getting first game at home the locals assault and winning the game 13 to 4.

Rockwood now heads into

the league tournament this weekend at Moorefield. In league play Rockwood hasn't lost a game all season with a 20 and 0 record.

Minor Ball

Bruce Hood Trouble Shooters had three wins in recent ladies' softball matchups. No scores were provided for Shooters' wins over Us &

Him and Maple Lodge Chics. The Shooters downed Us & Him 18-12 last Wednesday. Us & Him also downed the Chics (no score provided).

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