

# SPORTS

DEADLINE IS MONDAY AT 12 NOON

## HOUSE LEAGUE HOCKEY

### TYKE

#### M.K. Masonry - 8 A&S Engraving - 4

Masonry goals: Colin Koperdraad (2), Harold Kirkness, Owen Jubinville, Michael Kri, Bradley Timmerman, Joshua Butson, Jordan Percy. Assists: Lyla Dixon (3), Kirkness, Matthew Butson, Joshua Butson, Brendin Shannon, Koperdraad. A&S goals: Dalton Smith, Bradyn Moore (2), Justin Gear. Assists: Matthew Toebes, Sean McIntosh, Zachary Ross. \*\*\*

#### Jescan Power - 6 Tim Hortons - 5

Jescan goals: Travis Baker (3), Bret Allonby, Kevin Giordano (2). Assists: Chase Foster, Matthew Beauchamp, Graham Collins, Baker, Tyler Schouten, Lauren Saelzer. Hortons goals: Theodore Warren (4), Tyler Tremblay. Assists: Bradley Karat, David LaFrance, Billy Barnes, Daniel Reynolds, Patrick Conlin, Neil Mowat. \*\*\*

### NOVICE

#### End Zone Sports - 3 R.K.D. Internet - 3

End Zone goals: Dylan Schouten (3). Assists: Alexander Gouth, Gage Cartwright (2), Quinn Harding, Matthew Fritz. R.K.D. goals: Jacob Lehman, Evan Oulten, Andrew LaFrance. Assists: Luke Diemer, Jenna Gaetan (2), Oulten. \*\*\*

#### Daniel Varanelli - 2 MacMillan's - 1

Varanelli goals: Vincent Marciano, Adam McCoy. Assists: Mitchell Griffiths, Justin McKinnon. MacMillan's goal: Joshua Kalbhenn. Assist: Carl Lindo Jr. \*\*\*

#### Yourway Auto - 4

### Giant Tiger - 1

Yourway goals: Joshua Doucette, Aaron Stone, Nicholas Molinaro, William Richards. Assists: Christopher Porty (2), Molinaro, Ian Thompson. Tiger goal: Drake Andrews. Assists: Kurt Hughes, Bridget McDonnell. \*\*\*

### ATOM

#### Ron's Burner Service - 4 The Graphic Shoppe - 3

Ron's goals: Greg Wells (2), Brian Taylor, Jacob Box. Assists: Jeff Mah, Bradley Reynolds, Box, Wells, Sean Horricks (3). Graphic goals: Kevin De Lestard (2), Cody Fram. Assists: Justin Nadon, Nathan Pete, Kyle Glover. \*\*\*

#### Halton Power Line - 5 Georgetown Chrysler - 3

Power Line goals: Jordan Luceri, Nicholas Vandereyken (2), Zach Payne, Shaun Thomson. Assists: Basil Payne, Tyler Kri, Zach Payne, Vandereyken, George Kennedy. Chrysler goals: Eric Victoria, Connor Hitchcock, Chris Azzopardi. Assists: Azzopardi, Jennifer MacKenzie, Victoria, Joey Landry. \*\*\*

### Best Transfer - 4

#### City Limits Consulting - 3

Best goals: Malcolm Eppinger, Troy Weaver (2), Tyler Brown. Assists: Weaver, Justin Giordano (3), Matthew Stiehl, Eppinger, Zach Botelho. City goals: Travis Brown (2), Dylan Payne. Assists: Josh Campbell, Brendan DeWinter, Christian Begin. \*\*\*

### PEEWEE

#### Gibbons Painting - 7 Acton Precast - 1

Gibbons' goals: Conor Gibbons (3), Mark Wells (2), Jacob Botelho, Eric Small. Assists: Wells (2), Ted Smith (3), Gibbons, Daniel Azzopardi (2), Eric

Otten, Ethan Job (2), Eric Small. Precast goal: Mitchell Webster. Assist: Rachel Kirkwood. \*\*\*

#### R & M Construction - 2 Time Out Sports - 0

R&M goals: Evan McMeekin, Brandon Bennett. Assists: Bennett, Matthew Mills. \*\*\*

#### Nellis Construction - 1 Acton Subway - 1

Nellis goal: James McKinnon. Assists: Jackson Mercer, Wesley Sadgrove. Subway goal: Alex Barry. Assists: Joe Frechette, Justin Bradley. \*\*\*

### MIDGET

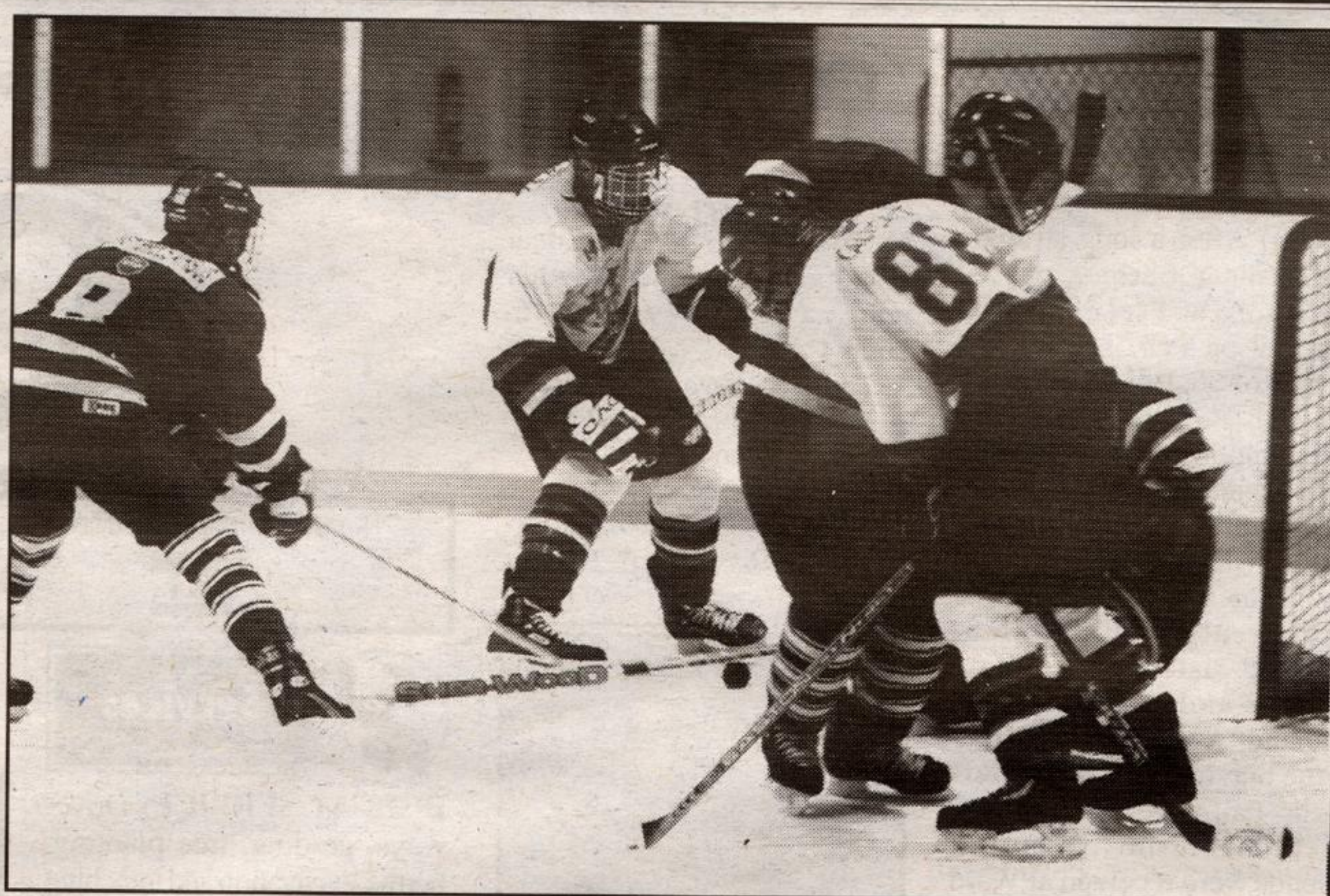
#### Achilles Mazda - 11

Actonite Distributing - 7  
Achilles goals: Robert Andrew, Brendon Dick (2), Tyler Holmes, Jay Lalonde (3), Steve Terry (4). Assists: Greg Black (3), Denis Cooper, Trista Demonte (2), Dick, Holmes (2), Lalonde, Lance Morris (2), Terry, Jeremy Webster, Michael Wood. Actonite goals: James Berry (3), Jim Blair, Spencer Morrison, Kevin Saelzer (2). Assists: Blair, Jason Douthwright, Mike English, Shane Monaghan (3), Morrison, Saelzer. \*\*\*

### Maksteel - 10

#### M&M Meats - 4

Maksteel goals: Stephen Agar (2), Adam Burgess, Matt Chapman (2), Matt Locke (2), Dan O'Driscoll (2), Darcy O'Driscoll. Assists: Burgess, Michael Burke, Brent Chapman (2), Matt Chapman (2), Locke (4), Tim Medland (2), Dan O'Driscoll, Darcy O'Driscoll (3). M&M goals: Robbie Rolfe (3), Scott Williams. Assists: Stephan Gazzola, Mike Gerrow, Jordan Larose, James MacLeod (2), Darryl McKnight, Rolfe, Williams. \*\*\*



**NONE SHALL PASS:** Jon Tysoe (center) is stymied by Saugeen keeper. Brandon Ceccotti (88), out of four Acton Regulars to register a series point, peeks around defensive wall in Acton Midget's series with Saugeen Shores. The Tanners lost the best of five series to Saugeen 3-1

## Novices throttle Erin 5-0 take 3-1 playoff margin

The Carquest Acton Nellis Construction Novice BB Tanners faced Erin in their second OMHA semi-final game, after tying the first game 1-1. This time the Tanners left no doubt about the outcome, throttling Erin 5-0 to take a three points to one lead in the first-to-eight points series.

The key to the victory was the play of the Tanner defence of Brodie MacFarlane, Callum Bowles, T.J. Baker and Mac Browes (Michael Fatrdla was unable to play, but still came out to cheer on his teammates.) The Tanners defence allowed only three shots on Goalie Mason Overland, making it easy for him to record his seventh shut-out of the season.

Acton had 25 shots on the Erin goaltender, as the Tanners maintained pressure throughout the game. The line of Carter Ebbinge, Walter Kirkness and Billy Mowat accounted for all the offense, Ebbinge scored once after some nice passing with Kirkness, while Kirkness scored the other four, three of them assisted by Ebbinge. Mowat and Baker also had single assists.

### Lose to Brampton

The Tanners started their Tri-County playoffs with a 3-1 loss in Brampton on Feb. 12. Acton actually out-shot Brampton 15-10, but were often pinned in their own end by the aggressive Brampton forwards. Acton's goal was scored by Ryan Dunlevy, assisted by David Bickers, but it came with only three minutes left in the third, with Brampton holding a 3-0 lead, as Acton's comeback fell short.

The Tri-County playoffs continued on the 15<sup>th</sup>, with a 4-4 tie at home to Burlington. Burlington jumped to a 3-0 lead in the first five minutes of the game, but Acton came back to tie it at three, then fell behind 4-3, before scoring to earn the 4-4 tie.

Michael Evans led the way for Acton with two goals and an assist, Ryan Dunlevy and Walter Kirkness had the other goals. Damian Ewing had two assists, T.J. Baker and David Bickers had single assists each.

### Tied with Erin

Tanners had started their best of seven OMHA semi-final against Erin on Feb. 3, and came home with a 3-3 tie. The Tanners outshot

Erin 32-9, but again had difficulty solving the Erin goaltender.

Acton took the lead on the power play, as Callum Bowles' point shot went in off Walter Kirkness's skate. Erin tied it. Then the Tanners retook the lead on an unassisted goal by Ryan Dunlevy.

Erin scored two in the third to take the lead, and appeared on their way to a win, until T.J. Baker scored the equalizer with only three seconds left, unassisted, with the Acton net empty. The teams then played 10 scoreless minutes of overtime, the last two minutes of it with Acton shorthanded, before ending it as a tie. The series is now first to eight points.

The Tanners travelled to Georgetown on the 6<sup>th</sup> for an exhibition rematch with the Novice AE Raiders. The Raiders won 5-1 last time, this time it ended in an evenly matched 3-3 tie. Mason Overland stopped 10 shots for the Tanners, his Georgetown counterpart stopped 13.

Tanners scoring was David Bickers from Mac Browes, Ryan Dunlevy from Mason Galway and Billy Mowat from Walter Kirkness.

## Atom Tanners trail Goderich

The Denny's Atom AE Tanners split weekend games with Goderich, after losing the opener last week. The Tanners now trail two games to one in the best of five game series, and must win both remaining games to take the series.

The second game of the series was played in Acton on Feb. 14, and was won by Acton 7-4. Goderich outshot Acton 30-21, but Colton Wiens made a number of good saves to keep Acton in the game, while the Goderich goaltender struggled.

Goals by Tyler Christopher, Wyatt Martin and Eric Butson gave Acton a 3-1 lead, but Goderich came back to tie it 3-3 at the end of the first. Acton went ahead 4-3 when Roger scored on a penalty shot after the puck was gloved by Goderich in their crease. Acton increased their lead to 7-3 on a goal by Mitchell Brake, and two

more by Kirkness, before Goderich scored to make the final 7-4.

Kirin Rice appeared to have also scored for Acton, but the goal was disallowed because the referee had not seen it go into the net. Acton did not do much hitting in the game, except for Holden Carachi who had four, including a couple of very powerful checks.

The series returned to Goderich on the 15<sup>th</sup>, and Goderich won a close, exciting game 3-2, to take a 2-1 series lead. Both Jesse Hill in net for Acton, and Goderich's goalie made numerous good saves, as Goderich outshot Acton 27-26. Neither team could convert many shots into goals, as the goalies were playing very well throughout.

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**PEEWEE POWER:** Strong play from Cameron Coady helped Gibbons Painting to a 7-1 win over Acton Precast in Pee wee House League play on Saturday at Acton arena. -Frances Niblock photo