

GMHA Scoreboard



Playoff schedule

Sunday, February 4
 7-Year-Old Selects — Milton at Georgetown Memorial 4 p.m.
 Novice II — Oakville at Georgetown Memorial 6 p.m.
 Major Peeewe — Georgetown at Milton 8:30 p.m.
 Minor Bantam — Georgetown at Owen Sound 12:30 p.m.
 Peeewe II — Georgetown at Owen Sound 2 p.m.

Monday, February 5
 Major Bantam — Georgetown at Orangeville 9 p.m.

Tuesday, February 6
 Major Atom — Georgetown at Brampton 6:30 p.m.
 Minor Atom — Georgetown at Orangeville 7 p.m.
 Atom II — Oakville at Georgetown Memorial 6:30 p.m.
 Major Peeewe — Milton at Georgetown Alcott 7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, February 7
 Minor Novice — Georgetown at Oakville 7 p.m.

Thursday, February 8
 Major Novice — Burlington at Georgetown Memorial 7 p.m.
 Peeewe II — Owen Sound at Georgetown Alcott 7:30 p.m.

Friday, February 9
 Major Atom — Brampton at Georgetown Alcott 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, February 10
 Major Peeewe — Georgetown at Milton Noon
 7 Year-Old Selects — Georgetown at Orangeville 3 p.m.
 Minor Atom — Orangeville at Georgetown Alcott 4:30 p.m.
 Novice II — Georgetown at Oakville 7:45 p.m.
 Midget — Georgetown at Hespeler 9 p.m.

Sunday, February 11
 7 Year-Old Selects Georgetown at Barrie 5:45 p.m.

Peewe II's eliminate Orangeville

SEVEN SELECTS

The collective sigh of relief heard coming from the Alcott Arena last Friday night was the sound of 17 sets of parents exhaling in exhilaration as the Remax Seven year old Selects earned their first victory of the Tri-County season with a stellar 2-1 win over the Chinguacousy Blues.

The local boys worked hard to earn these points that come hard on the heels of their recent tie against Milton.

Hitting the twine for the Raiders were snipers Michael LaRose and Peter Bailey. Bailey's quick hands resulted in the winning goal as Peter was able to fight off the opponents check and deposit the biscuit into the open net. Earning assists on the Raider markers were Raymond Martin, Cory McLaughlin and Kyle Westwood. LaRose also helped out on the winner.

Netminders Cameron Noble and Curtis Sargent again turned in solid efforts to thwart the visitors.

The Raiders did not have time to savour the victory as they played three additional games last weekend. After skating to draw in their regularly scheduled house league game, the Raiders travelled to Chinguacousy for a return trip against the Blues.

The Raiders came out strong once again and were rewarded at 4:32 of the first period as Peter Bailey found the net with help from Mike LaRose and Cory McLaughlin. The Raiders legs seemed to give out on them late in the second period as the home team was able to count two goals to take the lead. Ching upped their lead midway into the third as they took command and the 3-1 win.

Daniel Eutenier performed well on the blue line for the Raiders as did workhorse Jeff Bayley as the Raiders continue to show tremendous improvement.

The Raiders third tri-county game was played on Super Bowl Sunday at Memorial Arena against the league leading Barrie Colts.

Barrie's reputation preceded them as the Raider players had a feeling of intimidation hanging over them prior to the game.

Instead of getting run out of the rink by the Colts however, the Raiders showed great poise and in fact held the visitors to a goal-less draw through one period. Great goalkeeping from Curtis Sargent and Cameron Noble kept this game from getting out of reach early.

The entire team played with intensity and determination as they battled Colts on all fronts. By the time the dust had settled, Barrie skulked out of Town with a less than impressive 7-0 win. While that score may sound like a thrashing, according to head coach Paul LaRose, it was a great moral victory for the boys. Heads up play from Chris Darling, Mitch Thompson and Alex Bulgarelli highlighted this game.

MINOR NOVICE

The Georgetown Minor Novice A

Raiders are tied at two with Hespeler in their best of five OMHA playoff series. Georgetown won the first two games 3-2, and 4-1, but dropped the next two 3-1 and 4-2 to set up a winner take all game five.

In the first game of the series, a 3-2 victory for the Raiders, Michael Clost and Corey Carlton scored goals in regulation time with the assists going to Sean Logan, Corey Colarossi and Chad Mercer. In overtime Mercer ended the game with an unassisted goal at the 3:41 mark.

Georgetown dominated in their 4-2 game two win and Mercer continued his red hot scoring streak. Mercer scored two goals and an assist. The other goals were scored by Michael Carter and Ryan Reist. Corey Carlton had two assists with singles going to Michael Clarizio, Joel Greaves, and Kevin Greer.

Hespeler staved off elimination with a 3-1 game three victory. The only goal for Georgetown was scored by Kevin Greer assisted by Corey Carlton and Michael Clarizio.

Game four was a hard fought contest with Hespeler prevailing to even the series at two with a 4-2 win. Chad Mercer was again the scoring star for the Raiders with a goal and an assist. Michael Carter scored the other goal. Corey Carlton picked up two assists with a single helper going to Michael Clarizio.

NOVICE II

The Georgetown Referees Association Novice II Raiders played the first game of the Ontario playdowns this past week in Oakville.

The Raiders learned the hard way that it ain't over til its over by giving up three unanswered goals in the last two minutes, going down to a 4-3 defeat.

Georgetown set the pace from the opening face-off. Early in the game while short-handed, Graham Knoepfli, who fought off two Oakville defenders in his own zone set up a tow-on-one where James Mountford fired home a rising shot to the glove side after an excellent pass from Adam McKnight.

Midway through the second period the Raiders built up a 2 to 0 lead when Ryan fines muscled a hard shot through the five-hole after a tic-tac-toe play from Ryan Clost and Scott Atkinson which was only one of the many fine passing plays throughout this contest.

With five minutes to go in the game, Oakville managed to get on the scoreboard. However, this did not affect the Raiders as they continued to outplay Oakville and displayed a solid team effort in all aspects of the game. They continued to protect their goalie Brett Hirtle who played an excellent game by turning away numerous shots and scoring chances in this see-saw battle.

The Raiders then took a two-goal lead with four minutes to go when James Mountford scored from Jordan Jacobs and Tyler Patterson.

A penalty with 2:37 to go in the game resulted in a powerplay goal three seconds later by Oakville. Oakville

scored the tying goal 20 seconds later and the eventual winner with only 43 seconds left to play.

MINOR ATOM

The John Henderson Pro Shop Minor Atom "AA" squad opened their Tri-County play-offs against the tough Oakville team and proved they were equals with a hard-earned 2-2 tie.

Oakville opened the scoring in the first frame, but Bradley Norton tied things up by putting in his own rebound, assisted by Eric Euteneier partway through the second. With Oakville ahead 2-1 and 3 minutes left to play, Matt Hilts fired the tying marker in the net, assisted by Norton and Euteneier.

This was the first of a round robin series being played while the OMHA playoffs are also being fought out. The Raiders will play a best of five against first place Orangeville.

Last weekend the Raiders participated in the Markham tournament, playing three strong games, but coming away with only one win.

In the opening game against Nickel Centre from Sudbury, both teams had trouble beating the goalies, but Georgetown was the first on the scoreboard with a hard shot from the blue line by Daryl Veltman in the second period. The opponents tied things up and then went ahead with a power play goal in the final minutes, winning 2-1.

In the second game, the Raiders met up with Pickering. By the end of the first 10 minutes the score was tied 1-1, with Matt Hilts notching the goal, assisted by Norton and Jordan Cole. Georgetown took a commanding lead in the middle frame on goals scored by Ryan Hirtle from John Moxham, Kyle Termini from Gavin Aldridge and Matt Gruenwald from Termini and Marcus Sargent. Hirtle widened the lead to 5-1, assisted by Veltman in the last frame before Pickering fired in their second, giving the Raiders a 5-2 win.

In their final game, Georgetown gave up 2 goals to the host Markham team before Cole put on away, assisted by Norton Hilts, in the second period. The Raiders fought hard but could not solve the Markham goalie, and as the buzzer sounded, Markham found the empty net, winning 3-1.

MAJOR ATOM

The Georgetown Sports Unlimited Major Atom Raiders played their first two games of the opening round of the OMHA playdowns against Brampton.

The series is now tied at one game each.

The Raiders were in Brampton on January 26 and lost a very well played game 3-2 in overtime.

Brampton drew first blood but Jeff Boyce bulged the twin with an unassisted shot in the second period to tie the game.

Brampton then took a 2-1 lead but the Raiders persevered and tied the game in the third frame to force overtime.

Dan Walinga scored the tying goal on the powerplay with help from Dustin

McKnight and Brent Beaumont.

Brampton scored less than two minutes into sudden death overtime to win the match.

The Raiders were fired up for game two at Alcott Arena on January 30 as they defeated the opposition 3-1.

Brett Veltman gave the Georgetown a 1-0 lead in the first period with an unassisted short-handed marker. Thomas Stokes gave the Raiders a 2 goal cushion in the second frame assisted by Kevin Oulds. Veltman scored his second of the game in the third period to put his team ahead 3-0.

Brampton managed to break Donnie Lane's the shut-out with 33 seconds remaining on the clock.

PEEWEE II

The Georgetown Chiropractic & Sports Injuries Clinic Peeewe II Raiders pulled off a major upset in the opening round of the OMHA play-offs.

The Raiders edged Orangeville two games to one, after losing game One 8-1. The Raider beounded for a pair of 2-1 victories and have earned the right to tangle with Owen Sound.

The second game had the Raiders take the lead in the 2nd period with a goal by Allan Harvey, assisted by Mike Noonan and Josh Robbins.

Orangeville answered back to tie it up 1-1 midway in the third, before he Raiders came back to score the tie-breaker at 5:05 of the final frame with the same goal producing line of Harvey Noonan and Robbins to make it 2-1. Brendon Louth had an excellent game in goal.

Travelling through a blizzard wasn't enough to stop the rampaging Raiders as they again asserted themselves in Orangeville with a 2-1 win. It was a great team effort and Brendon Coates played outstanding in goal. The Raiders notched the first goal late in the first period with Mike Noonan getting the honours assisted by Andrew Silrasio. Midway through the third the Raiders turned up the heat and put another one between the pipes to make it 2-0. Kyle McIlvenna got the goal assisted by Todd Keirvin and Sean Reynolds.

Early in the third period, Orangeville got their only point to make it 2-1. The Raiders held Orangeville at bay with a tight defense to earn the win.

MAJOR PEEWEE

The Georgetown Charley Fitzwhiskey Major Peeeweas are giving Milton all they can handle in the opening round of the OMHA play-offs, despite finishing 14 points behind their rivals in the standings.


Georgetown took the opening game of the best-of five series 3-2 but Milton rebounded to claim game two 4-2, scoring three times in the final five minutes.

Peter Veltman scored twice for the Raiders in the two games while Ryan Inglis, Dave Gibbons and Matt Walinga have netted others. Veltman, Inglis, Greg Bidwell and Riley McAneney have earned assists.

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