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Blue Fins win one division at annual Christmas meet

Ricky Davids and Andrea Willson led the Halton Hills Blue Fins' domination of the 8-and-under division at the club's annual Christmas Classic meet.

Davids won all six of his events while Willson was tops in five. The one division wasn't enough to carry the Blue Fins to victory as the Orillia Channel Cats captured the overall title. The meet attracted more than 200 swimmers from six clubs.

The Blue Fins were also successful in the 9-10-old division. Doug Main established two club records on his way to victory in the 25m freestyle and 25m butterfly. Halton swimmers Kevin Gorski and Liane Avouac took both the boys and girls 25m backstroke. Gorski was also second in the 25m breaststroke, third in the 25m butterfly and fifth in the 25m freestyle.

Chris Henderson won three events in the 11-12-year-old boys division. He took first in the 25m and 50m freestyle, the 100m breaststroke and the 100 backstroke. He set a new club record in the 25m freestyle. Also winning were Mark Pakkala (25m freestyle) and Eric Sparling (50m butterfly). Sharon Rowan won the girls 25m freestyle and added a sixth-place finish in the 100m backstroke.

Christianne Lent won first in



Kim Willis of the Halton Hills Blue Fins makes her way to a sixth place finish in the 13-14 year-old girls 100m breaststroke. Earlier, Willis won the 100m freestyle.

Photo by Herb Garbutt

all her events in the 13-14-year-old division. She also set a new club record in the 50m butterfly. Kim Willis was first in the 100m freestyle and sixth in the 100m breaststroke. Also setting a new club standard was Alex Main on his way to victory in the 25m freestyle. He also won the 50m butterfly, was second in the 100m backstroke, 200m individual medley and 100m freestyle and placed third in the

50m freestyle.

Aaron Scarlett had six top-three finishes in the boys 15-16-year-old division, including Blue Fin records in the 100 breaststroke (first) and 200 individual medley (second). His other finishes were first in the 100 breaststroke, second in the 100m backstroke, third in the 50m freestyle and fourth 100m freestyle. Bonnie Sparling also had a big day, finishing in the

top two in four events. She won both the girls 50m freestyle and 50m butterfly and was second in both the 25m freestyle and the 100m freestyle. She was also fourth in the 100m freestyle. Dan Hardstaff set club records in the 25m, 50m and 100m freestyle while picking up first, second and fourth place finishes.

Mike White established a new mark while winning the 25m freestyle in the 17-and-over division.

Other top finishes were: Brian Cole (2nd, club record, 25m freestyle, 2nd, 50m freestyle, 3rd, 50m butterfly, 6th, 100m breaststroke, 100m freestyle); Josh Oliver (2nd, 25m freestyle, 100m breaststroke, 3rd, 50m freestyle, 4th, 100m backstroke, 5th 100m freestyle); Becky Sargent (2nd, 100m breaststroke, 3rd, 50m freestyle, 200m individual medley, 4th 25m freestyle, 50m butterfly); Audrey Lookman (2nd, 100m backstroke, 50m freestyle, 3rd 25m freestyle, fourth 100m freestyle); Sacha Larda (2nd, 25m freestyle, 25m breaststroke); Jodey Nurse (2nd, 25m freestyle);

Jordan Scarlett (3rd, 100m backstroke, 4th, 50m and 100m freestyle, 100m breaststroke, 5th, 50m freestyle); David Cole (3rd, 25m butterfly, 4th, 50m breaststroke; 5th, 25m and 50m freestyle, 50m backstroke); Mary

White (3rd, 50m butterfly, 100m backstroke, 4th, 100m freestyle, 6th, 25m freestyle); Derek Campbell (3rd, 50m butterfly, 5th, 200m individual medley, 50m freestyle, 6th, 100m freestyle); Scott Willson (3rd, 100m breaststroke, 5th 200m individual medley, 100m freestyle); James Duff (3rd, 100m freestyle, 6th, 25m and 50m freestyle); Kate Chapman (3rd, 50m butterfly and 100m breaststroke, 4th, 25m freestyle); Chelsy Oliver (3rd, 25m butterfly); Carolyn Main (3rd, 50m freestyle).

Kenzie Hackett (4th, 200m individual medley, 100m freestyle, 5th, 50m freestyle); Heather Cunningham (4th, 100m backstroke, 5th, 200m individual medley, 100m freestyle); Dale Langlois (4th 50m freestyle; 100m breaststroke); Pat Potosky (4th, 25m freestyle, 100m backstroke); Melissa Chapman (4th, 50m freestyle, 5th 25m freestyle); Christy Nurse (4th, 25m butterfly); Laura Simmons (4th, 100m freestyle); Kate Duff (4th, 25m freestyle); Nicole Culp (5th, 25m backstroke).

Personal bests: Daniel DeCourey, Mark Gorski, Natasha Hansen, Ashley Carlton, Alison Dwyer, Meagan McGuire, Laura Sweeney, Derek King, Meredith Otten, John McGuire.

Arenas to be jumpin' with tournament action

It's tournament time again. Once the presents are all opened and all the turkey dinners are done, it's time to hit the ice again.

Acton Minor Hockey will host three tournaments over the Christmas break while the Georgetown Minor Hockey Association will have its annual house league tournament.

The Acton Andy's Restaurant Novice Two Sabres get things rolling with an eight-team tournament on Saturday, Dec. 28. The following day the Acton Proplastex Atom Two Sabres will try to fend off the competition. The final Acton tournament is Monday, Dec. 30 when the Acton URW Local 603 Pee wee Two Sabres will vie for the championship with seven other teams.

The Georgetown house league tournament will feature over 50 teams competing in six different divisions.

The three-day tournament begins Dec. 28 and wraps up Dec. 30. It will take place at both Memorial and Gordon Alcott Arenas. Champions will be crowned in each of the junior and senior tyke, novice, atom, pee wee and bantam divisions.

Ski lesson package offered

The Halton Hills Junior Ski Club and Glen Eden Ski Area are offering an eight-week lesson package from Jan. 4 to Feb. 22.

The package is \$175 and includes lessons from certified instructors, lift

pass and transportation by bus from Acton or Georgetown. Rentals are available for \$88.

For more information call Claude Willis (873-0350) or Don Morris (877-5956).

'Flat' Raiders routed 9-1 by Streetsville

The Georgetown Raiders saw their winless streak reach 27 games Tuesday as they were hammered 9-1 by the Streetsville Derbys in Provincial Junior A Hockey League action in Streetsville.

"We just came out flat," said Raiders' head coach and general manager Rick Bince. "We were due for a letdown. We've played really

well lately."

The Derbys, with a 11-14-4 won-lost-tied record, wasted little time in getting the jump on the Raiders as they connected 15 seconds into the first frame en route to a 2-0 first period lead.

The home side added two more markers in the second period and outscored Georgetown 5-1 in the

final period.

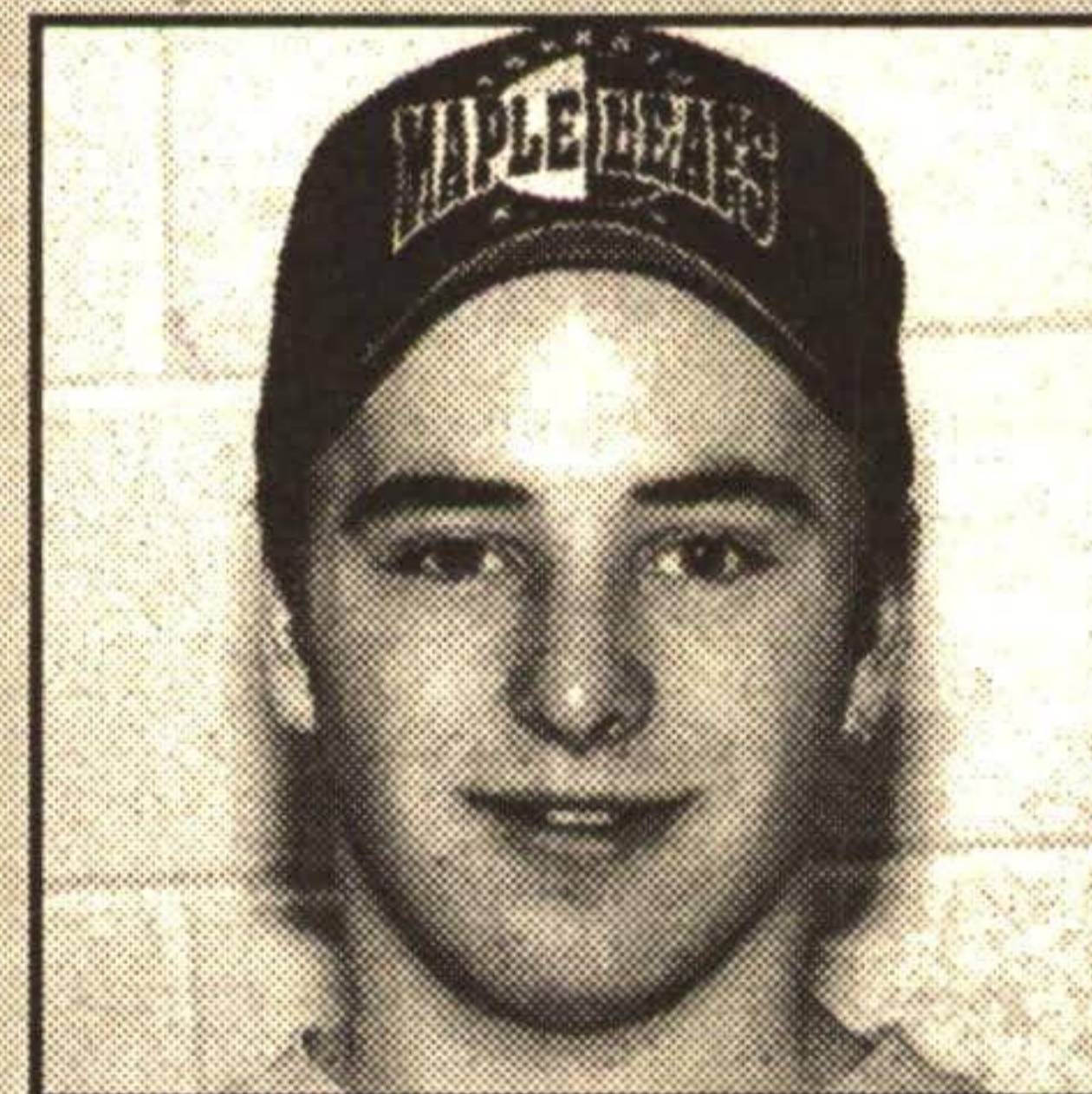
Krys Barch had the lone Raiders' goal.

Georgetown, owners of a 2-28-1 mark, played a home and home series with Milton Friday and yesterday (Saturday). Their next match will be Jan. 3 at Gordon Alcott Arena against Mississauga. Game time is 8 p.m.

Athletes of the Week



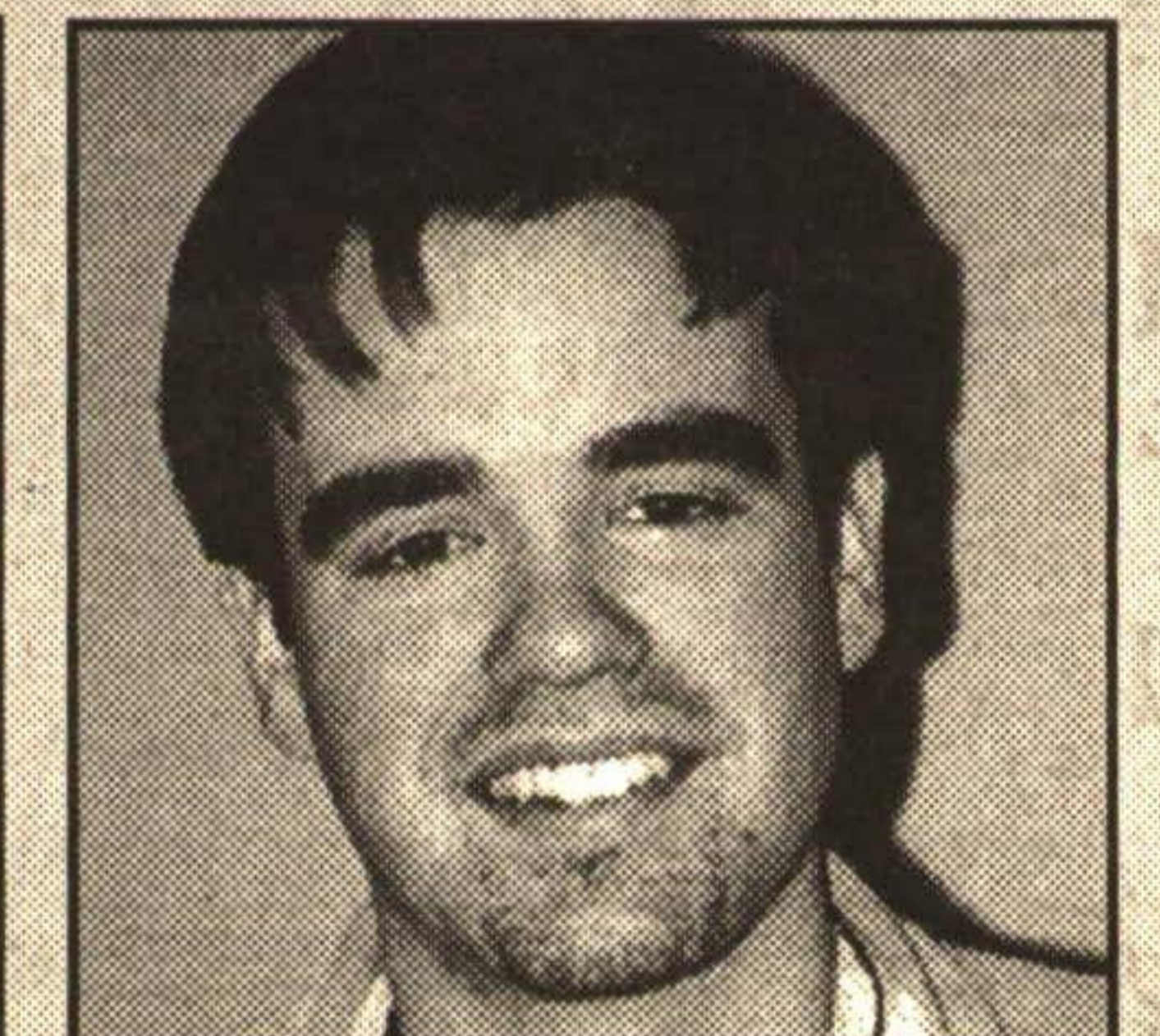
JENN MacKAY



KEVIN CULLINGHAM



ERICA TICKLE



J.M. OGDEN

The Acton High School Athletes of the Week are Jenn MacKay and Kevin Cullingham.

MacKay was selected for her performance as setter on the senior Redmen volleyball team, contributing to two victories last

week.

Cullingham was selected for his constant performance as goalie on the Redmen hockey team.

Georgetown District High School Athletes of the Week are

J.M. Ogden and Erica Tickle.

Ogden was chosen for his 20 point average on the senior Rebels basketball team.

Tickle was cited for her team effort as power on the junior Rebels volleyball team.