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Bugs and mud combine to make for tough run at cross-country meet

Battling swarming ladybugs and inclement weather, the Acton High School cross-country team fell short in their bid to qualify for the Ontario Secondary School Athletic Association championships Wednesday at the combined Halton/Golden Horseshoe (GHAC) meet at Kelso Conservation Area.

The hilly course, combined with the wet ground and muddy footing, made for a challenging race in all divisions.

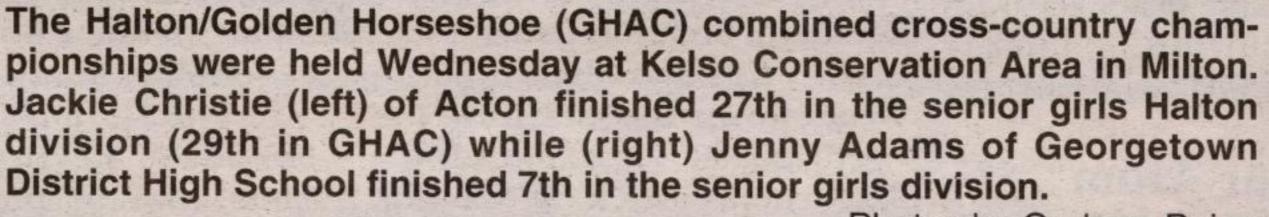
In the midget boys' race Ashton Roza paced Acton with a 14th-place Halton finish (16th in GHAC). Roza covered the 5-kilometre course in 18:44 minutes— a personal best by a minute and a half.

Kyle Marshall was 24th in Halton and 29th in GHAC in the same race while Meghan Colvin turned in an 18th-place finish in the junior girls Halton race (23rd in GHAC).

Ryan Bannon was 20th in the Halton junior boys division and 28th in GHAC while Kyle Williams placed 44th among Halton senior boys (55th in GHAC).

Jackie Christie was 27th among Halton senior girls and 29th in GHAC.

Results for Georgetown District High School runners were unavailable at press time.



Photos by Graham Paine







Up and over

To celebrate 25 years of junior hockey in Georgetown, former members of the Georgetown Gemini and

Georgetown Raiders junior teams squared off Sunday at Alcott Arena. Gems' forward Bill Allison (17) gets

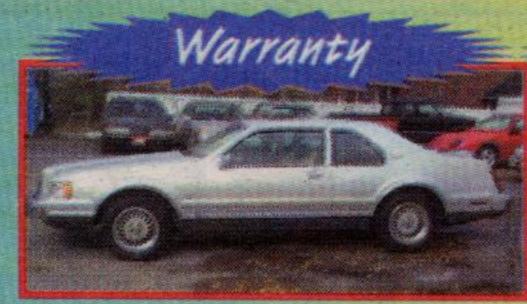
upended by a sprawling Dave McMenemy during the Raiders' 3-2 win.

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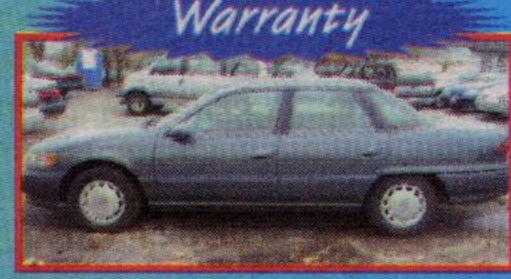
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