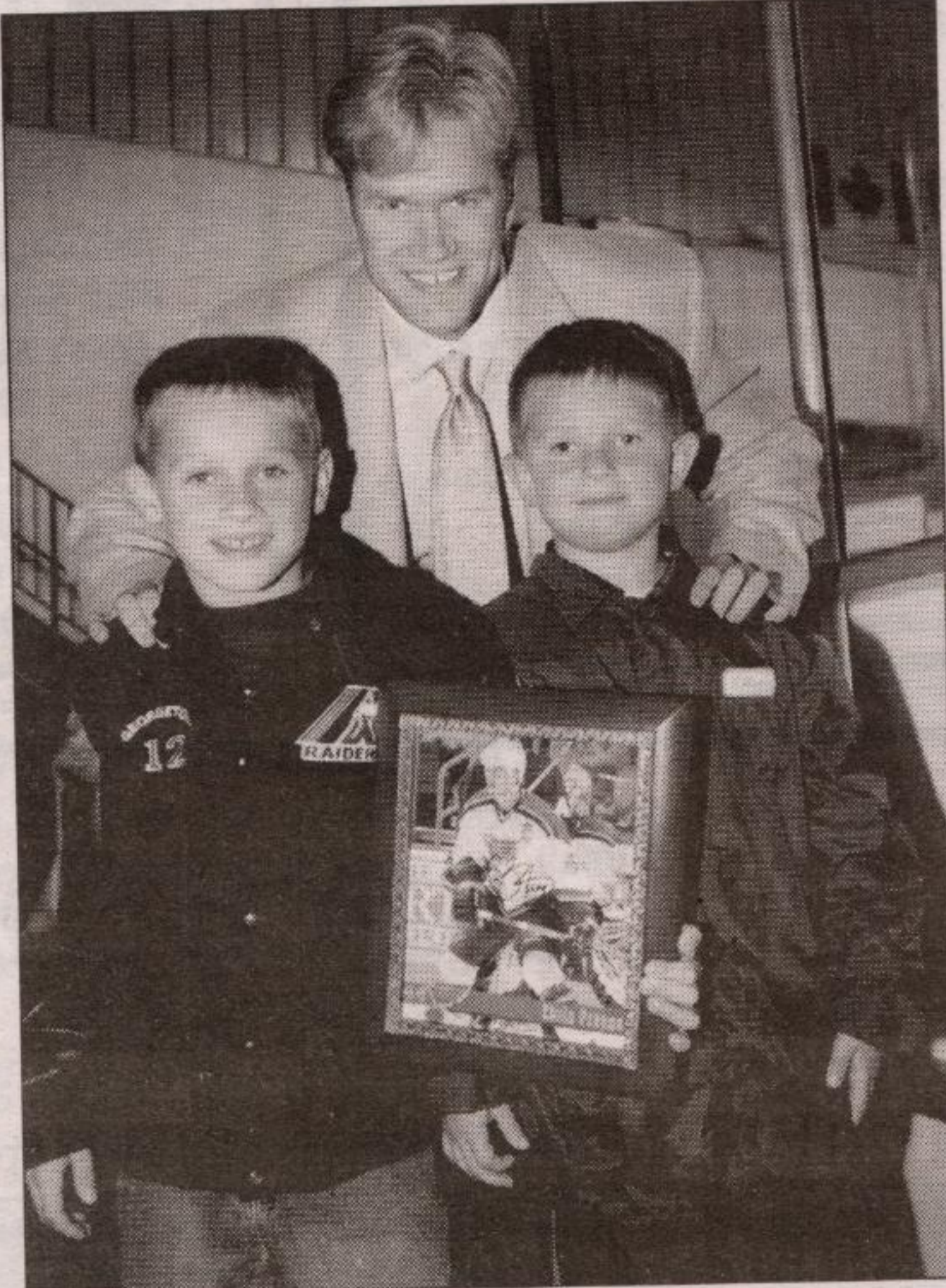




Double thrills

Sean Courtney of the Erie Otters gets a shot away despite the poke check of the Mississauga IceDogs' Adam Abraham during Monday's Ontario Hockey League exhibition game at the Mold-Masters SportsPlex. Danny Revelle scored twice to lead the Ice Dogs to a 3-1 win. For Thomas (left) and Robert Byckowski, all the excitement wasn't on the ice. They won an autographed photo and a chance to meet St. Louis Blues captain Chris Pronger, a co-owner of the IceDogs.

Photos by Herb Garbutt



Midget Bulldogs finish fifth

The Halton Hills Midget Bulldogs were edged 5-3 by Wallaceburg, ending their run at the provincial championships.

Halton Hills led 2-1 on goals Kyle McDonald and Braden Artem heading into the third period but Wallaceburg scored three straight to take a 4-2 lead. Derrick Cormier, who set up the first two Halton Hills goals, pulled the 'Dogs within one with 2:19 to play but Wallaceburg would hold on and add a last-second insurance marker.

The Bulldogs went 2-2 in the tournament to finish fifth out of 20 teams.

Halton Hills opened with a 9-3 win over Whitby. Greg Henry had three goals and Artem had two goals and four assists. The Bulldogs fell 11-6 to Guelph in

their next game. The Bulldogs then erased a 5-1 deficit to down Sarnia 7-5. Cormier had three goals and Artem scored the winner with 5:56 to play.

Tournament scoring: Artem (6G, 7A); Cormier (5G, 4A); Henry (5G, 2A); Michael Brown (3G, 4A); McDonald (2G, 6A); Brad Ethier (1G, 3A); Tyler Hill (G); Brett Maltby (3A); Darcy Gordon, Matthew Laidlaw (2A); Sean Nellis (A); Jason Herron-Jacobs (2W).

Tryouts for juves

The Georgetown Minor Hockey Association will be icing a juvenile rep team for the upcoming season.

Tryouts will be held Saturday, Sept. 6 from 7:15 to 8:15 p.m. and Tuesday, Sept. 9 from 10-11 p.m. at the Mold-Masters SportsPlex.



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Thursday September 11 & Friday September 12, 2003

6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

At Club Office - 348 Guelph St., Unit 7

New players with the Club must bring a copy of their birth certificate to registration



Girls and Boys born in
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Coaches for all
age groups required



MINOR MOSQUITO EAGLES SEASON END UPDATE

The Georgetown Baseball Minor Mosquito Eagles (sponsored by Swiss Chalet and Hunter International) had a tremendous year of baseball. The coaching staff of Scott Grandin, Glenn Cunningham and Brian Muirhead were very proud of the team's accomplishments for the season play, the tournaments and the playoffs.

During season play, the team came in third overall with a season record of 14 wins, 8 losses and 1 tie. They entered into four tournaments: St. Catherines, Ajax, Bolton and London. The St. Catherines Tournament was the first and they missed out qualifying for the playoffs by a 3 run differential. Their next tournament was Ajax, their biggest challenge, as it was open to "AAA", "AA" and "A" teams. Out of the 3 qualifying games they netted 1 win, and the two losses were very close against "AAA" squads. In the Bolton tournament, The Eagles made the playoffs and they lost the semi-final game to Newmarket, (a "AAA" ranked team), the tournament favorites, by only 2 runs. The Minor Mosquito's final tournament was in London. Though they had a shaky Friday night game, they came through with two wins on the Saturday (both mercies) but again lost out on run differentials for the qualification into the playoffs...an excellent effort by a developing Baseball team.

The team started to become a threat within their tier and during the Regional Playoffs (COBA, Central Ontario Baseball Association) they made it to the finals only to be defeated by Mississauga by a score of 6-3. The game was tied up until the 6th inning. The Minor Mosquito's showed a lot of character during these playoffs and started to play from the heart, and began to show their natural skills in a gut wrenching battle. The parents and coaches were very proud of the team in these playoffs.

The teams final tournament was the OBA's (Ontario Championships for the "A" ranking tier). The Minor Mosquito's made it to the semi-finals after 5 games. Their first game was a loss to Peterborough by a score of 8-5, and 7 of those runs were in one inning. The second, third and fourth games the Minor Mosquitos merced each team after 5 innings...Cobourg, Bolton and Guelph. As a result, the Minor Mosquitos made it to the semi-finals for the Ontario Championships, only to be defeated by Ajax (the tournament Champions) in their 5th game. Hats off to this team as they gave it their all, and showed team spirit and the "want to win" for Georgetown. Overall an excellent effort by all.

The 2003 Georgetown Minor Mosquito team roster was as follows: 1/ **Matt (Pants) Aversa**, # 20, the teams' Pitching Practitioner, capable of slicing strike out after strike out on opposing batters, 2/ **Matthew (No Name) Berlingieri**, # 14, one of the outfield specialists, had the ability to run down fly balls and slap out hits in clutch situations, 3/ **Jordon Blum**, # 9, the 3rd baseman, had the ability to snag down a ball hit down the line and fire a runner out at first, 4/ **Warren (Bronco) Brayne**, # 3, one of the outfield specialists, came on strong when needed the most in the Playoffs and the OBA's with key hits at much needed times, 5/ **Kyle (G-Dog) Burns**, # 25, Team Captain, pitcher, catcher, and infielder...the teams multi-position player with an ability to get on base as the teams lead off hitter, 6/ **Alex (Baldy Jr.) Cunningham**, # 7, short stop extraordinaire, capable of knocking down any ball hit anywhere on the left side, one of the teams pitchers and the teams clean up power hitter, 7/ **Matthew (Matrix) Grandin**, # 6, the leagues "Bunting King", as fast as the wind, and the team could always rely on him to drop the ball down the line, 8/ **Corey (Haymaker) Hayward**, # 11, infield and outfield specialist, an overall utility player capable of playing any position, and hitting or bunting in any situation, 9/ **Ryan (Bomber) Hunter**, # 33, the teams 1st baseman and catcher, always a hitting or bunting in any situation, 10/ **Hayden (Hammer) Mancini**, # 18, a threat at bat and on the bases, team catcher and one of the team's Pitchers; runners didn't even try to steal on Hammer for if they did, count on an out, 11/ **Matthew (M&M) Muirhead**, # 8, 2nd baseman, outfield specialist and Pitcher, the team could utilize M&M anywhere at anytime and could power hit, clutch hit and bunt at will, 12/ **Corey (Corkey) Warden**, # 13, outfield specialist, a glove the size of the fishing net, Corey could always hunt down a fly hit anywhere near him.

On behalf of the Georgetown Minor Mosquito's Eagles Baseball Team, thanks to everyone who supported the team and a special thanks to the Teams sponsors Georgetown Swiss Chalet and Hunter International for contributing to a very successful baseball year.



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BOTTLE DRIVE

Support the Novice AAA Hurricanes

The Halton Novice AAA Hurricanes will be holding a bottle drive on Saturday, September 6th. They will begin collecting bottles at 1:00 pm. Proceeds from the bottle drive will help offset costs for tournaments. Anyone wishing to donate, who will not be home Saturday can leave bottles on the front step. They can also call 905-877-8447 for pick-ups.