

# Sports & Leisure

Friday, Sept. 12, 2003

## Kinsmen Girls ball champs declared

The 45th season of Kinsmen Girls Softball finished this past Saturday at the Georgetown Fairgrounds with some excellent contests to decide the champions.

### Elite League

Final

#### Pizza Hut 21, Pictures and Presents 18

Pizza Hut scored early and often and then barely held on to win the game. Christine Elliott ended the game with a huge strikeout with the tying run at the plate. She had earlier hit a two-run homer and had six RBI on the day. Sylvia Blake went 4-for-4 and scored five runs out of the leadoff slot. Ashley Neuman went 3-for-4 and made a great catch in left field.

First-place Pictures and Presents fought back gamely out of a big hole, but came up just short. Krystal Dutkowski crushed a homer over the wall, had two other hits and drove in three runs. Kim Standing went 3-for-4 and scored three runs and Krystal Balash had three hits, including two doubles and drove in two.

### Semifinals

#### Pictures and Presents 20, Norval Farm Supply 5

The strong pitching of Ashley Nichol and Balash staked P&P to a big lead. Jamie Hayward was 3-for-4 and scored three runs. Nichol was 3-for-4 and scored three times and Dutkowski crushed a homer.

Rachel Black led the offence with a 2-for-3 day including a home run. Amanda Lima had 2 hits and scored once for Norval.

#### Pizza Hut 13, Halton Commercial Printers 5

Pizza Hut played their best defensive game of the year. Jennie Colacci was the game star earning a double and a triple for five RBI and pitched three excellent innings, allowing only one run. Karen Lefebvre went 4-for-4 and scored twice. Andrea Lefebvre went 3-for-4 and scored three runs for PH.

The Printers didn't do much against some solid PH pitching. Emma Gray had two solid doubles and an RBI. Melissa Hotham crushed a double and scored. Evelyn Wagner was 2-for-3 with a run scored and a RBI and pitched in a losing cause.

### Senior League

Final

#### Optimist Club 23, Delrex Variety 6

Emma McDonald hit two home runs and drove in four runs for the winners. Victoria Hunt went 4-for-4 and scored twice and drove in four runs.

Delrex got a couple of timely hits from Erin Cowan, who was 3-for-3 and drove in three runs. Larissa Farley scored two runs and pitched well. Elizabeth Black went 2-for-2 with a walk and scored a run.

Leah Fendley of the Optimist Club was named the MVP for the Senior League.

### Semifinals

#### Delrex Variety 24, Dunlop Insurance 19

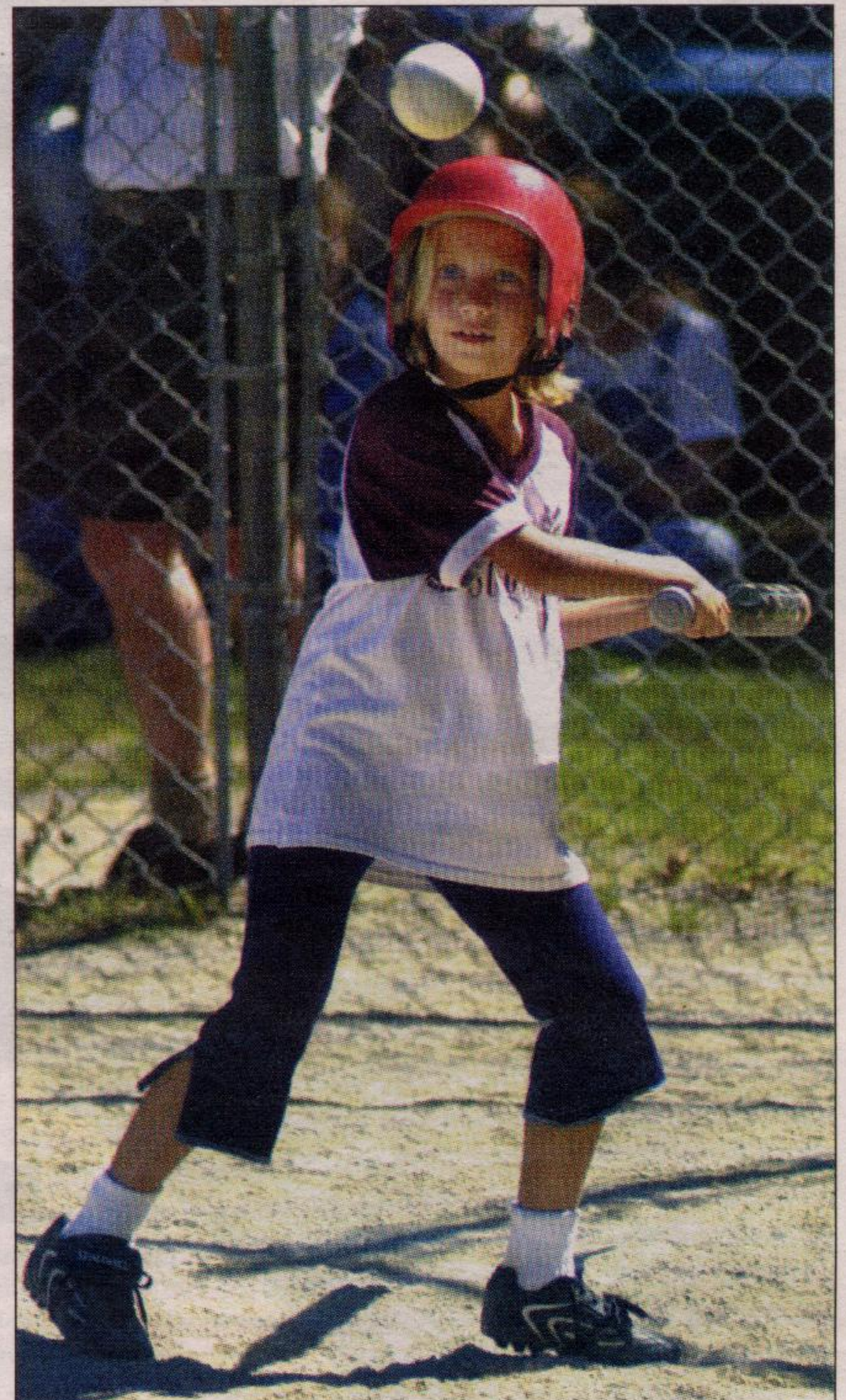
Delrex had the bats going throughout the lineup to win. Melissa Ott, Larissa Farley and Jodi Cox all were on base all four times and scored four runs each. Sam Sala and Elizabeth Black scored three runs each.

Dunlop got some fine hitting from some parts of their lineup, but they came up just short. Jessica Haffner went 5-for-5 and scored four times. Maggie Barry went 4-for-4, and she scored four times as well. Jennifer White was 4-for-4 with two runs scored and six RBI's for the Insurers.

#### Optimists 35, DDH Distribution 9

Jamie Hayward hit home runs her first three times up for Optimists while Leah Fendley, with two and Jen McVicar also hit homers. Sarah Caruso went 5-for-5 and scored five runs.

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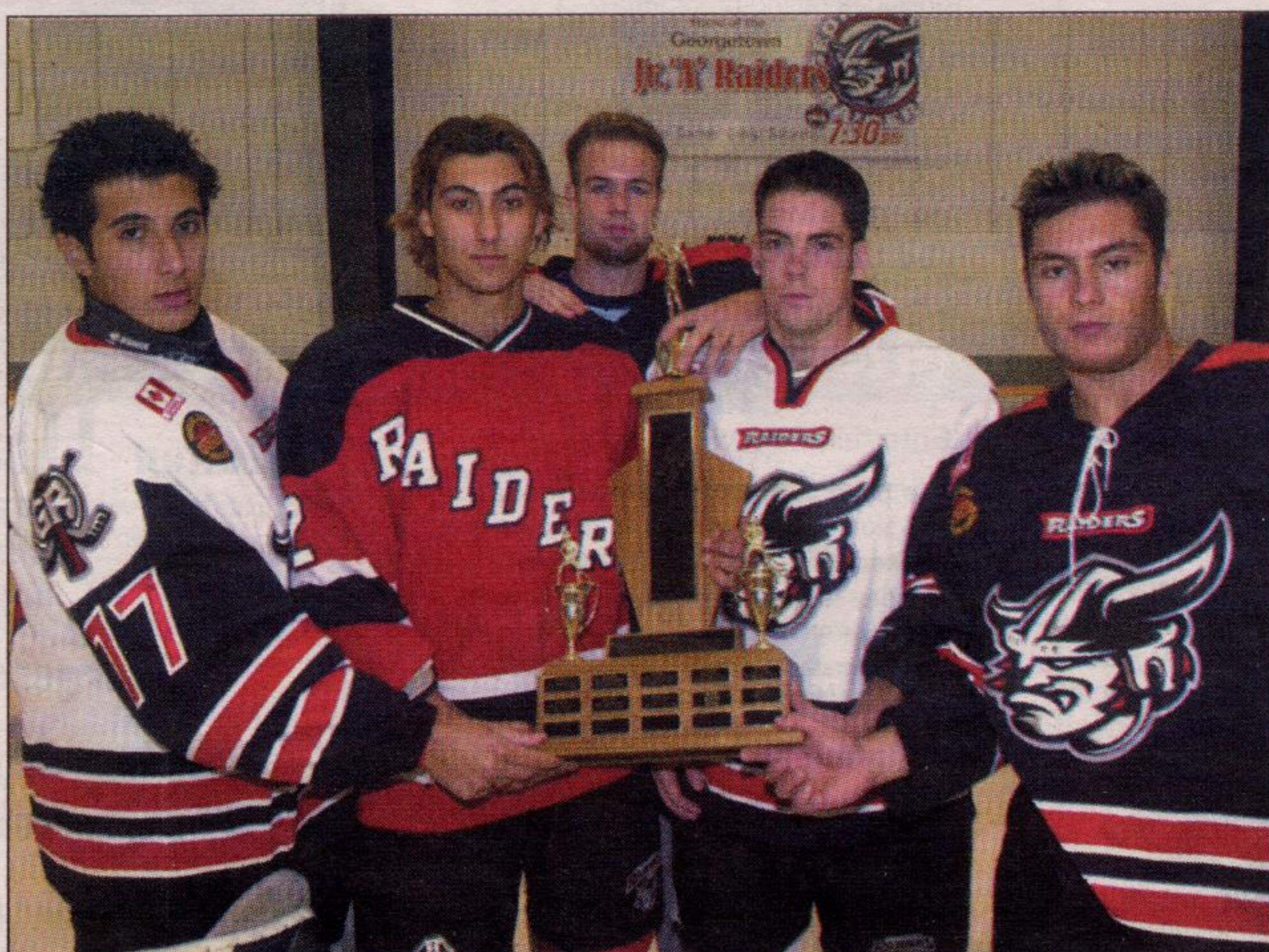


Melissa Lawr of Stage West keeps her eye on the ball as she bats during the Kinsmen Girls Softball League junior final Saturday.

Photo by Stephen Uhraney

Returning players for the Georgetown Jr. A Raiders are hoping to keep their hands on the Ontario Provincial Jr. A Hockey League West Division championship trophy again this year. From left, are, Daniel Bellissimo, Vince Laise, Daryl Knowles, T.J. Manastersky and Rick Varrone. The Raiders will begin defence of their league crown tonight in Milton and host Streetsville at Mold-Masters SportsPlex Saturday at 7:30 p.m. The team will kick off the home opener with a tailgate party, including free hamburgers, hot dogs and soft drinks.

Photo by Ted Brown



## Raiders ready to roll

The Georgetown Jr. A Raiders will celebrate last season's Provincial Jr. A Hockey League West Division championship win before kicking off the 2003-04 season home opener tomorrow (Saturday).

The Raiders will host a tailgate party, complete with music, an autograph-signing session and a barbecue outside Mold-Masters SportsPlex between 5-7 p.m. before dropping the puck on a new home schedule against the Streetsville Derbys. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

Georgetown opens the new season tonight (Friday) in Milton.

The Raiders added another player with Ontario Hockey League experience this week, inking former Sarnia Sting forward Ryan Del Monte who has shone for the club in preseason action.

The club invites the entire community to celebrate last year's West Division crown and kick off the new campaign in style.



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