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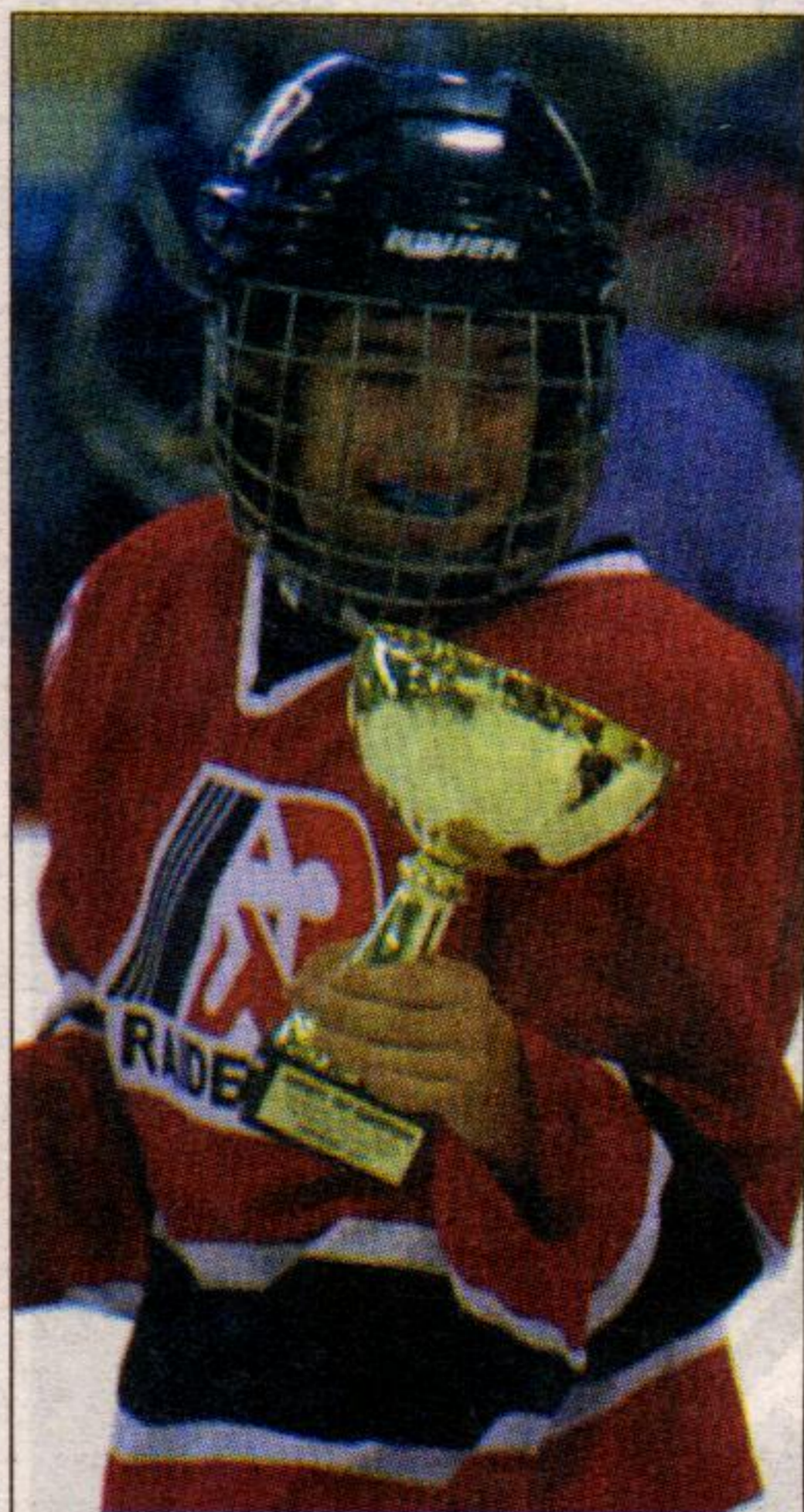
## Raiders enjoy championship feast at Thanksgiving tourney

In a tournament billed as The Best of the Best Hockey Challenge, the hosts left little doubt as to who that is.

Georgetown won five of the eight division titles in the inaugural tournament. The victories included the expected—the Minor Atom AE Raiders outscored their opponents 32-2 before doubling Flamborough 4-2 in the final—and the unexpected—the Toppers Pizza Major Peewee AE Raiders avenged an earlier 5-1 loss to Oakville by posting a 4-0 shutout in the final.

The Major Atom Raiders posted four wins and a tie on their way to the title, the Minor Atom Raiders allowed only two goals to win their third tournament of the season and the Major Novice Raiders won three straight one-goal decisions to claim the championship.

But the only victory wasn't on the ice. Although most of the hardware stayed in town, the tournament drew positive reviews from the visiting teams.



Alex Crew of the Georgetown Peewee AE Raiders is all smiles as he gets his hands on the championship trophy. Photo by Herb Garbutt

### Major Novice Raiders

Austin Kemp scored both goals, including the winner with 5:54 to play, as the Raiders edged the Richmond Hill Stars 2-1 in the championship game. The Raiders got off to a good start with Kemp's goal 1:49 into the game. The Stars tied it early in the second and it stayed that way until Kemp broke the tie with his second of the game.

Keegan Martinec's three-goal, two-assist performance led the Raiders to a 10-0 rout of Burlington in their opener. After falling 3-1 to Chatham, Martinec and Ryan Howard each scored twice in a 4-3 win over Richmond Hill. Howard had a goal and an assist as the Raiders assured their spot in the final with a 3-2 win over Stoney Creek.

**Tournament scoring:** Martinec (5G, 6A); Howard (4G, 5A); Kemp (4G, 2A); Coner Allison (2G, 1A); Kevin Gergely (1G, 3A); Jake Spence (1G, 2A); Andrew Pottruff (1G, 1A); Brad Ranson, Blair Vander Glas (G); Eric Speers (2A); Mark Bowen, Jonathan Kreis, Drew Hillock (A); Matt Boardman, Brandon Phair (4W, 1 SO).

### Minor Atom AE Raiders

Jonathan Hanley and Patrick Gough scored third-period goals a minute apart as the Raiders doubled Flamborough 4-2 for the championship.

Sam Wight and Gough staked the Raiders to a 2-0 lead but Flamborough tied the game with two quick goals late in the second period. Hanley broke the tie three minutes into the third and Gough's second of the game—his fifth straight two-goal game of the tournament—provided all the insurance Georgetown needed.

The Raiders posted back-to-back shutouts in their first two games. Dean Dimou blanked Flamborough and Tyler Chabot, Johnathan Haines and Gough each scored twice in an 8-0 victory. Gough added two more and Alec Littlejohn also scored twice and not to be out-



David Waters of the Atom AE Raiders lunges across the net but not in time to stop Aaron Eustuce of the Eastwood Hawks. Eastwood won the game 2-1. Photo by Yves Desjardins

done, Kevin Valdes earned a shutout in a 7-0 victory over Lansing. After downing Stoney Creek 7-2, Valdes and Dimou combined on a third shutout—a 10-0 win over Downsview. Haines had a hat-trick and Jake Cameron had six points.

**Tournament scoring:** Gough (10G, 4A); Haines (7G, 2A); Cameron (5G, 8A); Littlejohn (3G, 6A); Hanley (3G, 4A); Chabot (3G, 1A); Spencer Sykes (1G, 4A); Maclean Shiell, Cody Fry, Zachary McLean (1G, 3A); Wight (1G, 1A); Olin Flydorf (3A); Sebastien Beckett (2A); Connor McEwan (A).

### Major Atom Raiders

Zach Sutherland scored twice to break a 1-1 tie and lead the Raiders to a 3-1 victory over Chatham in the final. Chatham beat the Raiders 3-2 in an earlier meeting and struck early in the championship. However, Conner McGucken tied the game late in the second and 55 seconds

later Sutherland scored what would prove to be the winner. He added his second of the game in the final period to put it away.

Kyle Moore scored twice in the Raiders' opening 5-1 win over Orangeville. Despite a goal and an assist from Paul Chiappetta, Chatham edged the Raiders but the Raiders moved on after earning a 1-1 tie with Oakville.

Jordan Brown, Travis Godfrey and Tom Byckowski each had a goal and an assist in a 5-0 win over Barrie.

**Tournament scoring:** Moore, McGucken (3G, 2A); Michael Capostagno (2G, 2A); Sutherland (2G, 1A); Jordan Brown (2G); Chiappetta (1G, 5A); Travis Godfrey (1G, 3A); Tom Byckowski (1G, 2A); Tyler Topham (1G, 1A); Curtis Jobin (A).

### Minor Atom

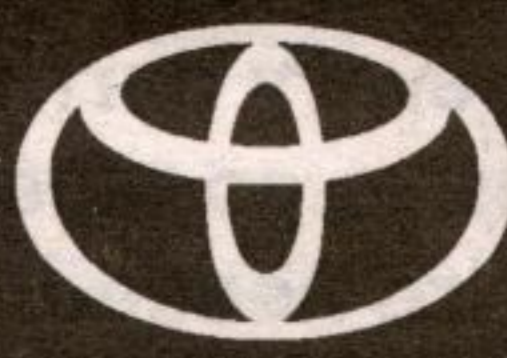
Jacob Harris scored twice as the Raiders downed Owen Sound 5-1 in the final. The

Raiders built a 3-0 lead on goals by Darren Raddysh, Liam Clare and Owen Stubberfield. Owen Sound scored—just the second goal allowed by Raider goalies Drew Coleman and Kristian Pancevski in four games—to cut the lead to 3-1 but Harris added two goals in the third to secure the win.

The Raiders began the tournament with a 7-1 victory over Milton. Dickinson scored three times and set up two more while Harris and Stubberfield also had five points each.

Raddysh had two goals and Dean Daquano earned the shutout in a 4-0 win over Owen Sound and Tom Stone scored a pair in a 5-0 victory over Vaughan.

**Tournament scoring:** Harris (5G, 3A); Dickinson (4G, 5A); Alexander Robertson (3G, 4A); Raddysh, Stone (3G); Clare (2G); Owen Stubberfield (1G, 2G); Owen Stubberfield, pg. 15

  
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