



GABBY KOSZIWKa and ASHLEY NIXON

Local duo place fourth

Limehouse residents Ashley Nixon and Gabby Kosziwka were the talk of the Canadian Beach Volleyball Championships at Ashbridge's Bay in Toronto recently, knocking off a number of top seeds before running out of steam against the number one two-some in the semi-finals of the under-16 women's division.

Seeded 22nd out of 40 teams at the nationals due to a poorer-than-expected finish at the Ontario championships, Nixon and Kosziwka recorded a 3-1 record in the preliminary round, placing second in their pool. Nixon suffered a shoulder injury in the team's second game that will likely require surgery, but persevered into the elimination stages.

On day two, the Grade 11 Acton High School students were matched up with the fifth-seeded duo from B.C. and pulled off the upset, 22-20, 21-19. Facing the fourth-ranked Ontario squad of Facca-Whitaker in the quarter-finals, Nixon and Kosziwka prevailed 20-22, 22-20, 15-9 to move on to the final four against number-one seed Krizmanich-Rosso of Ontario, then were defeated 21-9, 21-6 by the eventual champions.

In the bronze medal match, Nixon and Kosziwka lost 21-11, 21-18 to another Ontario team, Goc-Moloney, but were still thrilled to move up to fourth in the rankings as they graduate to the under-18 ranks.

Kosziwka was unable to compete at the Ontario Summer Games in Ottawa with Nixon due to hockey commitments, so a replacement, Laura Bye of Burlington, was recruited. Heading into the tourney ranked eighth out of 16 teams, Nixon and Bye ended up placing sixth.



Two Georgetown teams met up in the championship game of the Peel/Halton Select Girls' Soccer League tournament, with the under-18 Eagles posting a 3-0 win over their under-17 counterparts. Members of the under-18s were: Nika Ashrafi, Samantha Bridgewater, Jaime Broadbent, Laura Broadley, Mackenzie Cook, Veronique Fauvelle, Amanda Jennings, Danielle Larose, Olivia Martyniuk, Sadie McClure, Natalie McKenzie, Melissa Sabatini, Ashley Shantz, Megan Shantz, Laura Thompson, Alicia Wilton. Under-17 team members were: Michelle Agoston, Leanne Balogh, Chelsey Bouchey, Brittany Cubitt, Emily Field, Laura Haynes, Robyn Henderson, Christina Kendall, Jenna Mathe, Lauren Mansi, Silvija Maric, Cynthia Marshall, Megan McClure, Kylie McFadyen, Katie Morrow, Stephanie Sherren, Nadine Sproule, Shawna Thibodeau.

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Georgetown blanks Georgetown in P-H final

For the first time in recent memory, two Georgetown teams met up in the championship game of the Peel/Halton Select Girls' Soccer League championship tournament, with the favoured under-18 Eagles prevailing 3-0 over their under-17 counterparts at Cedarvale Park.

Preliminary round— Georgetown U-18 5, Oakville U-18 2:

Natalie McKenzie (2G); Sam Bridgewater, Jaime Broadbent, Laura Thompson (G).

Georgetown U-17 1, Erin Mills U-17B 0: Brittany Cubitt (G).

Clarkson 3, Georgetown U-18 1: Laura Thompson (G).

Erin Mills U-17B 3, Georgetown U-17 1: Sylvia Marij (G).

Georgetown U-18 1, Burlington U-18 0: Melissa Sabatini (G).

Georgetown U-17 1, Oakville U-17 0: Brittany Cubitt (G).

Semi-finals— Georgetown U-17 1, Clarkson 0 (shootout): Lauren Mansi (G).

Georgetown U-18 2, Erin Mills U-17B 1: Olivia Martyniuk, Natalie McKenzie (G).

Championship— Georgetown U-18 3, Georgetown U-17 0: Natalie McKenzie (3G).

ACTON FALL FAIR SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
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Education Day for Schools:

"Friday Sept. 15 is an important day for Halton School Children. Activities are organized for students from nursery school to Grade 5 and admission is free for all within that age group accompanied by adults. The gates will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The Spot in the Park tent will be available for the students who bring their lunches. Milk will be provided. The Midway and concession booths will not be operating while the children are on the grounds. Come visit the Ken Jen Petting Zoo, take a ride on the wagon, and play the games. We are waiting for you to join us!"

Home Craft Tent

- On-going Demonstrations & Fairgrounds by Craft and Community Groups.
- Agricultural Displays. Seniors & Pre-School Children Welcome!

4:00 p.m. • Home Craft Exhibits - OPEN
• Ken Jen Petting Zoo

Home Craft Tent
Tent A

5:30 p.m. • MIDWAY - OPEN

6:00 p.m. • Spot In The Park - OPEN
• Log Skidding Contest
• Heavy Horse Pull

Track
Track

7:00 p.m. • Acton Citizens Band

Tennis Court

8:00 p.m. • Fair Officially Open
• Miss Acton Fall Fair Pageant with entertainment featuring "The Essentials", international acappella singers
• Presentation of Service Awards

Entertainment Tent

8:30 p.m. • Home Craft Tent Closed
11:00 p.m. • Spot In The Park - CLOSED

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
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9:00 a.m. • Fairgrounds - OPEN
• English & Western Gymkhana & Games Show

Ring 2

10:00 a.m. • Home Craft Exhibits - OPEN
• Ken Jen Petting Zoo
• Poultry Barn - OPEN

Home Craft Tent
Tent A

10:30 a.m. • Heavy Horse Show

Track

11:00 a.m. • 4-H Beef Cattle Show
• Ponies & Hackney Ponies
• Light Horse Show
• MIDWAY - OPEN
• Beef Cattle Show

Ring 3
Track
Ring 3

12:00 p.m. • Parade Featuring: Acton Citizens Band, Bands, Floats, Shriners' Go Cart Patrol ... and much, much more!
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• Registration for Baby Show
• Logger Sports all afternoon!
• Spot In The Park - OPEN
• Horseshoe Pitching Registration
• 4H Mounted Games

1:00 p.m. • Horseshoe Pitching
• Northern Borders Flyball & Canine Performance Team

Ring 4
Ring 1

1:30 p.m. • Baby Show
Registration in tent 12:00 - 1:15 p.m.
Tennis Courts/Entertainment Tent

2:00 p.m. • Ground breaking for New Building

3:00 p.m. • Northern Borders Flyball & Canine Performance Team

Ring 1

5:30 p.m. • Highway Truck Pull

Track

6:30 p.m. • Lawn & Garden Tractor Pull

Track

• Doors open for "South Mountain" & John Landry Concert
\$5.00 at door, plus fair admission

8:00 p.m. • Concert Starts
Tennis Courts/Entertainment Tent

8:30 p.m. • Home Craft Exhibit Tent - CLOSED
11:00 p.m. • Spot in the Park - CLOSED

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
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9:00 a.m. • Fairgrounds - OPEN

10:00 a.m. • Poultry Barn - OPEN
• Home Craft Exhibits - OPEN
• Ken Jen Petting Zoo

Home Craft Tent
Tent A

12:00 NOON • MIDWAY - OPEN
• Western Horse Show
• Dairy Cattle Show
• Spot In The Park - OPEN
• Antique Tractor Pull
• 4X4 Truck Pull

Ring 1
Ring 3
Track
Track

1:00 p.m. • Pet Show
Entertainment Tent

2:00 p.m. • Pedal Tractor Pull
Entertainment Tent

4:30 p.m. • Home Craft Tent Closed
5:00 p.m. • Exhibits picked up

6:00 p.m. • Spot In The Park - CLOSED



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