

Beaver 3 Pitch Tournament Enjoyed



One of the players in the Beaver 3-Pitch Tournament at Herschel Township Ball Park shows great batting style during one of the final games.

by Ann W. Smith

A great family day resulted at the Herschel Township Ball field when the 3rd Annual Beaver 3-Pitch Tournament took place on Saturday July 22.

The Beavers are children from 11 to 13 years. Ten teams of the 13 in the League took part in the tournament.

The teams came from Cardiff, Coe Hill, Gilmour and L'Amable. Others were sponsored by the O.P.P., Canadian Tire, Country Depot (Bird's Creek) and Jan's

Fish and Chips. The Collective Souls were a Bancroft team. The Dare Devils were from a number of communities in the area.

Play began at 9 a.m. with both ball diamonds being used through the morning.

There were 2 food concessions, one behind the Herschel Township Municipal Building and one under a canvas shelter near the new ball diamond. These sustained the players and their families with hamburgers, hot dogs, drinks and candy bars.

The organizers, Janice Sears and Eileen Carr, were busy keeping score through much of the day. They were very appreciative of the help they received from others in the community. They expressed special thanks to the people looking after the food booths. A long list of businesses and organizations was posted so that everyone would know who to thank for the prizes donated.

Prizes included fishing tackle, mugs, a walkman, a remote control truck and many

gift certificates. The umpires were Tom Carr, Russell Forde, Larry McTaggart, Brian Sears, David Sears, John Sears, Steve Sleeper and Doug Williams.

The 2 final games lasted 5 innings each.

The B Championship game between L'Amable and Country Depot began at 6 p.m.

Tyson Tredger pitched for Country Depot. Connie Edwards and Sean Martin shared the pitching for the L'Amable team.

There was lots of enthusiasm among the players as well as the adults both officiating and watching.

Country Depot won 27 to 19. The Most Valuable Player award was shared by cousins Brad Sears and Tyler Sears. Each winning team member received a cap inscribed "Beaver 3-Pitch 1995 B Champions".

The most valuable Player on the L'Amable team was Sarah Foster.

The A Championship game began at 7:15 p.m. between the Dare Devils and the Collective Souls.

Here again there was excitement and enthusiasm among the players and the spectators. The coaches encouraged the players as much as possible, especially when they struck out.

The final score here was close to the B Championship game. The A Champion team was the Collective Souls with a score of 25. The Dare Devils were runners-up with a score of 19.

The Dare Devils' MVP was Ryan Card. Their Most Imp-

Twin H 3 Pitch

By Sheila Baverstock

The North Hastings Twin H three pitch Tournament held on Saturday, July 8, 1995, saw Gilmour emerge as undisputed Champions.

Four teams for the mixed league, Mosquito Division included L'Amable,

Cardiff One, Cardiff Two, and Gilmour. These played off with Gilmour winning three games of three.

The Tournament was organized by Paul Ellis and his wife.

Gilmour's team is sponsored by Bob and Marg Watson, proprietors of Trudy's Place.

Crystal Sicker. The coach, Muriel Parks, was very pleased, and seemed a bit surprised that her team went so far in the tournament. The members had not played together very much during the season and came from different communities some as far away as Hermon.

The Collective Souls had 2 MVP's Peter Jury and Lindsay Douglas.

The coach is Ron Speck.

The members of the A Championship team were each given a Beaver 3-Pitch T shirt.

The trophies for the Championship teams and Most Valuable Players were donated by Eileen Carr and Janice Sears.

The umpires did a fine professional job of ruling on the plays and no complaints were heard from the parents.



The Collective Souls was the A Championship team at the Beaver 3-Pitch tournament at Bird's Creek.

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