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### MHL looking for big finale in charity drive

THE MILTON Hockey League is looking forward to this weekend's games with an above-average amount of enthusiasm. Not only are they awaiting an interesting three-game set, but Sunday also marks the final day in the league's campaign to raise money, tinned goods and gifts for needy families.

For those unaware, the MHL decided on its own to raise some Christmas cheer for the kids and families in town during these bleak economic times.

Spearheaded by Terry Gibbons, the MHL has campaigned for tinned goods, money and gifts for two weeks with the final week coming up on Sunday.

The league executive, which met Monday night, said they are hoping for a big response in the final night and has taken steps to ensure that comes about.

For starters, the league decided to turn over its gate receipts for the night to the Salvation Army. In addition, the word is out to all member teams for donations.

Among the donations thus far were 150 lbs. of potatoes given by the Milton Referee's Association. The Salvation Army will use the potatoes for their meals during the holiday season.

I rather enjoyed the jokes as well, like, "There's goes a 150 lb. sack of potatoes carrying another."

Again, I can't say enough about this unsolicited gesture on the part of the league in general and Terry Gibbons, who really got the ball rolling, in particular.

It's times like this when one sees the advantages of living in a genuine town as opposed to an impersonal city.

Although I have not been able to confirm this directly, I have it from a good source that Sean Davidson of the Milton major bantams has now left the club to join a team in the Metropolitan Toronto Hockey League.

The 14-year-old centre is the son of Bob 'Stumper' Davidson who was (is?) president of Milton Minor Hockey. Sean had earlier tried to join an MTHL team but was prevented from doing so by the MMHA and the OMHA. It appears that the Davidsons have secured an apartment in the city thereby making the move legal according to the rules of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association.

Bob Davidson still has not officially resigned as president. However, the MMHA executive met last night (Tuesday) and should Davidson miss the meeting (and all information points to his absence) it'll mark the third consecutive meeting he has missed. The rules of minor hockey allow for the executive to dismiss anyone who misses three straight meetings without proper notification.

A big cheer goes out to Jim Hall and his boys' volleyball team from Sam Sherratt school which won the Halton championship Friday night.

A large crowd of about 600 people watched the events and listened to the loud and boisterous cheers the Milton school received from its loyal supporters.

Hall has put together quite an athletic program since the school opened just three years ago. It's a program which has the secondary school physical education teachers eager with anticipation for the graduating students.

## A heartbreaking loss for Movers in Silver Stick

Owen Sound scored with just 1:27 left in the game to secure a 3-2 win and claim the championship of the regional Silver Stick tournament over Milton Scannell Movers major peewees in Owen Sound over the weekend.

The goal capped a third-period rally by Owen Sound which saw them bounce back from a 2-0 disadvantage with three unanswered markers in the final frame.

Movers had advanced to the championship game with victories of 8-0 over Preston and 4-1 over Pickering.

In the final game, Brad Jones opened the scoring with a goal from goalie Jimmy Murray and Jason Bahman. John Snow made it 2-0 from Bryan Haringa and Danny Brown. Movers seemed content to sit on the two-goal lead but instead watched it evaporate.

Against Pickering, Adam Mead scored just 23 seconds into the game from Jones for a 1-0 Milton lead. Pickering came right back to notch the equalizer midway through the frame.

Jones put Milton ahead to stay with a goal near the end of the period. Despite taking eight more minor penalties, that didn't stop the club as Jones scored a short-handed goal from Philip Leach. Matt McCandless completed the scoring finishing off a Jones relay.

Movers had no difficulty with Preston. Snow and McCandless sparked Milton with two goals apiece. Chris Harrison and Jones each contributed a goal and two assists while Mead and Leach each poked home a goal.

In league play, Movers scored three goals in the final four minutes of the game to earn a 3-3 tie with Georgetown Thursday in Georgetown.

Georgetown is proving to be a pain for Movers by holding Milton's only defeat and now a tie. Georgetown pressed from the opening whistle and were finally rewarded with three goals in the middle frame.

Movers finally got their act together in the latter stages of the game. Bahman blasted home a goal from the point with four minutes left in the game. Paul Allen and Mead earned assists.

Just 34 seconds later, Jones beat the goalie from close in. Milton continued to press until Kevin Elkins tipped home a drive from Jones to earn the draw. The three goals were scored in 77 seconds.

Footnotes: Both goalies, Steve Dall and Jim Murray played well in Owen Sound allowing just



### Setting his sights

Taking dead aim during a turkey shoot is Randy Wenzel. He was participating in the annual turkey shoot held at the Halton Sportsman's Club on Steeles Ave. over the weekend. The results are still being tabulated and Arn

Coulson will have a list of the winners next week in his weekly column Game and Fish News.

## Champion Sports

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# Landry explodes for 8 goals

For followers of Bob Landry through his minor hockey career, there was little that the shifty centreman could score goals. Last year at the major midget level, Landry connected for 111 goals over the stretch of a long season.

By Landry's standards, he had got off to a slow start putting the puck in the net this year although he had stayed among the team's top point producers from the opening game. Last weekend, he caught up and passed them all.



Bob Landry

The eight goals over the two games doubled Landry's goal production in the season to 16 and

also gives him 34 points which is now tops on the team.

"It was just one of those nights when everything I shot went in," said Landry Friday night. "They were going in from every angle."

Known throughout his minor hockey career to have a keen sense of the goal area, the 17-year-

old Landry has made the most of his scoring opportunities. His deft moves and quick shots have followed him from minor hockey to junior B although the transition took some time to become accustomed to.

"Here, you've got to shoot faster, a lot faster," he says. "In midget, you can do a lot of walking

around but they don't give you the space or time here."

Scoring at the junior level isn't exactly new to Landry. He played one game as a 15-year-old and another as a 16-year-old. In each game he scored two goals.

Although overlooked in the recent Major A draft of eligible major midget hockey players, Landry says he has his eye on a few hockey scholarships and has been contacted by Royal Military College in Kingston in that respect.

The two Steamer wins came after a 7-4 defeat to Oakville last Tuesday in Oakville. Steamers also travelled to Streetsville last night (Tuesday) but results weren't known until after press deadlines.

The win over Barrie Colts catapulted Steamers into a tie with Oakville for second place in the Central Ontario Jr. B League. It was solidified the following night with the win over Sabres.

Steamers played perhaps their most complete three-period game against Barrie and controlled the play from start to finish. Backed again by strong goalkeeping from Paolo Zulian, it was a victory which left Steamer coach Tom Martin smiling from ear to ear with the play of his charges. Steamers led 4-2 after two periods before pumping home three unanswered tallies in the third period.

In addition to Landry's four goals, Randy Perusello, Brad Warden and Tim Pollen scored singles. Pollen also had three assists.

Against Acton Saturday, Steamers led 3-0 in the first period before Sabres rallied with one goal near the end of the opening frame and another early in the second period to close to within one. However, Steamer's rebounded back to carry a 5-3 lead into the final frame and outscored Acton 3-2 over the final period to earn the win.

In addition to Landry's second four-goal night in succession, singles went to Ken Schaeffer, Blair Phillips, Scott Sanders and Warden.

Rick Landry guarded the nets for Steamers and kicked out 38 Acton drives to ensure the victory.

Last Tuesday in Oakville, Steamers came up flat. After a 1-1 tie in the first period, Oakville broke the game open in the middle frame with four goals while holding Milton to just a single tally.

The goal scorers for Milton were Grant Zilliotta with two and Bob Mills and Schaeffer with singles.

Off the track—Returning to action after an injury layoff was Bob Mills. However, another Steamer joined the injury list when Doug Riding was injured against Oakville.

Steamer right-winger Brad Warden has had nothing but bad luck so far in scoring goals. However, he notched two over the weekend to give him three for the season. When he scored against Barrie, Warden picked up the puck and skated the length of the ice before flipping it over the glass and into the waiting arms of Steamers number one supporter Mary Coulter.

Steamers host Georgetown Friday at 7.45 p.m. at Memorial Arena and then play Oakville in a key match-up next Tuesday, also at Memorial Arena. Game time is 8.15 p.m.

\* Steamer scoring summaries, statistics and standings are on page C6 in the Sports Scoreboard.



Showing fine defensive form is a Sherratt forward during a game with McMillan for the Halton elementary school volleyball championships Friday at Drury. Although Sherratt dropped

both games to McMillan in the round-robin, Sherratt gained revenge with a two-game sweep in the finals for the title.

### Bounce back over McMillan

## Sherratt claims Halton volleyball title

Bouncing back with intensity, Sam Sherratt School captured the Halton elementary school boys volleyball championship with a straight-set victory over McMillan School of Burlington Friday night at E.C. Drury School.

Before about 400 supporters, Sherratt swept the Burlington school 15-13, 15-6 to claim its first Halton team title in its three-year history.

"Our guys have just never played better," explained Sherratt coach Jim Hall.

There was little doubt about that. McMillan handled Sherratt in two straight games in the preliminary round before meeting them again for the title.

In the round-robin, McMillan took the first game 15-9. Sherratt had McMillan on the ropes in the second game with a 14-11 lead but the Milton school couldn't come up with the winner and watched as McMillan strung together five straight points for a 16-14 win.

In the other preliminary contests, Sherratt handled Eastview from Oakville 15-10 and 15-0 while McMillan also made short work of the Oakville school 15-6, 15-3.

In the final, Sherratt pulled through with a 15-13 win in the opener before salting it away with an easy win in the following game to take the title.

On the girls side, Centennial from Georgetown walked over their two opponents en route to a comfortable

title. Centennial easily handled Frontenac from Burlington and Falgarwood from Oakville.

The members of the winning team from Sherratt are Jay Garces, Don Durand, Mark Brisley, Chris Turner, Cameron Murray, Eric Karp, Danny Van Zuylen, John Maltby, Jason Bowers, Nick Chronopoulos, Paul Starkiss, Tom Woodward, Alfie Mula, Todd Thomson and Steve Kolbuc. Assisting Hall with the coaching is Dave Toderick.