

AA minor atoms squeeze by in 1-0 win

Outplayed, but not outdone. That was the story for the AA minor atoms in Oakville Thursday.

The Milton Machine Shop Winterhawks managed just seven shots on net — only a third as many as their hosts — but squeezed by 1-0.

Backstopping the locals to victory with some sensational cage work was goaltender Joey De'Athe. The always reliable cager held opposing snipers at bay early on while his teammates struggled and made a few nifty saves down the stretch to preserve the shutout.

Sharing the heroics on the night was Craig Howse. He used his long reach to deposit a bottom shelf shot within

the final few minutes of play. Jon Monk and Cody Murphy drew the assists.

Also showing strongly in the win, exhibiting a lot of grit down the stretch, were Mike Hannah and Jeff Lynch.

The shutout victory was a big boost to the locals, who've had some trouble getting into a groove lately.

Penalties costly

Milton's AA minor bantams surrendered a late goal while shorthanded and fell to Burlington 5-3 Saturday.

The game winner came with under four minutes remaining in the contest — and was quickly followed by an

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empty net insurance marker.

Delivering a goal and an assist for the local squad were Derek Blanchard and Lee Frittenburg, while also scoring was Brett Turner.

The Grand Transport Winterhawks held the edge in play but a penalty-filled affair proved to be their undoing.

Five nights earlier they blanked Brampton 3-0.

Netminder Tim Johnston earned the goose egg.

Leading up front with a goal and an

assist was Tyler Holman. David Brown and Darryl Teed also buried the biscuit.

Pull out big win

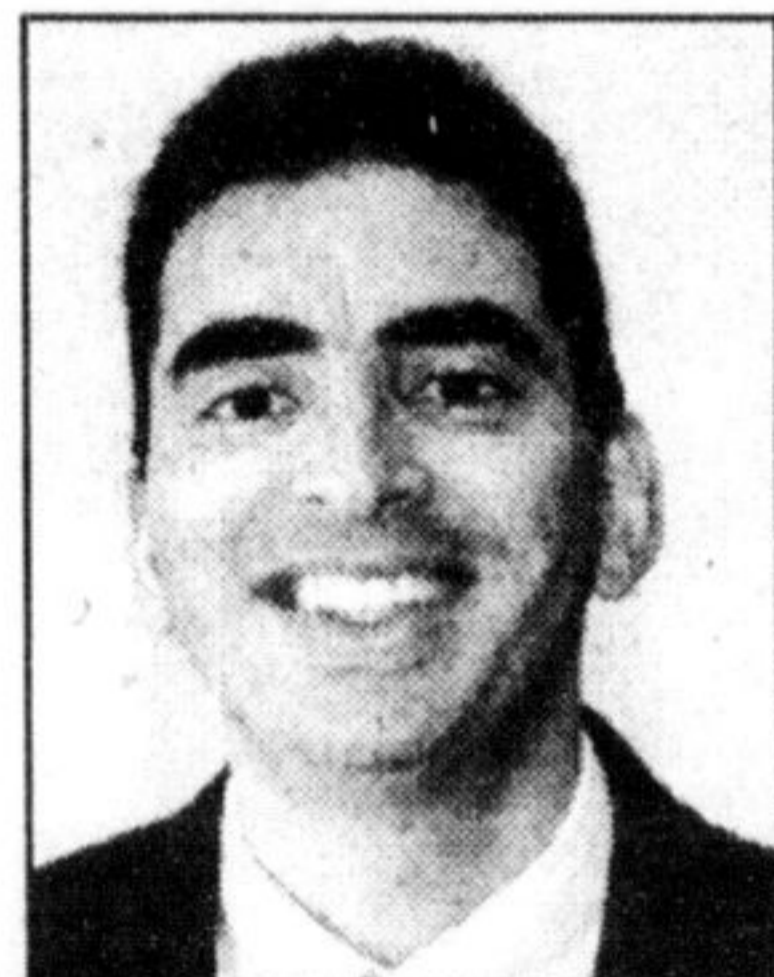
Milton's AA major atoms turned in one of their best performances of the season and trimmed Fergus 3-2 Wednesday.

They scored once in each period and got some clutch cage work from Brendan Duke.

Jeremy Brown potted the game winner early in the third while standing out with two points each were Alex Berndt and Kyle Campbell.

Assisting on the go-ahead goal were Ryan Black and Scott McTrach.

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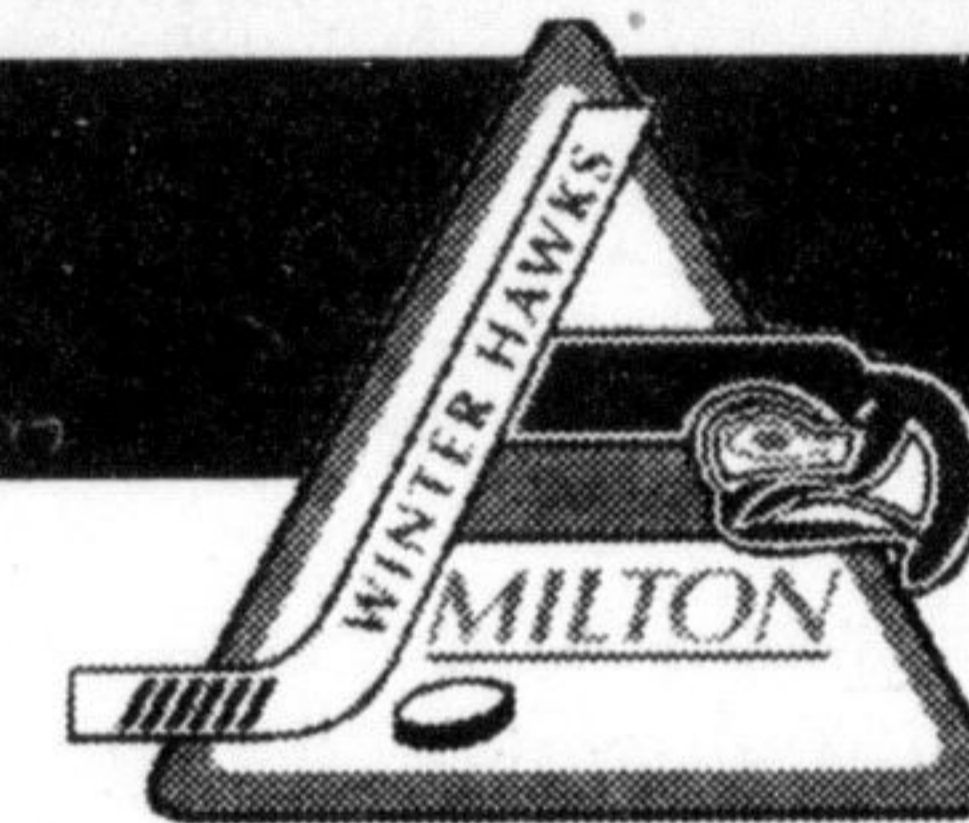
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JAN 8	MINOR ATOM	GORRUD AUTO HOME CINEMA VIDEO	N/A N/A	LIFESTYLE/CAR GUYS HUNT CHRYSLER JEEP	N/A N/A
JAN 8	MAJOR ATOM	DIRECT T.V. REBEKAH LODGE	N/A N/A	GALLINGER MOTORS MCCUAIG INSURANCE	N/A N/A
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JAN 9	MAJOR NOVICE	HUNT CHRYSLER JEEP SHOPPERS DRUG MART	N/A 3	CANADIAN TIRE BRIAN'S AUTO	N/A 2
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