

## Recreation Scene

by Ron Marchildon



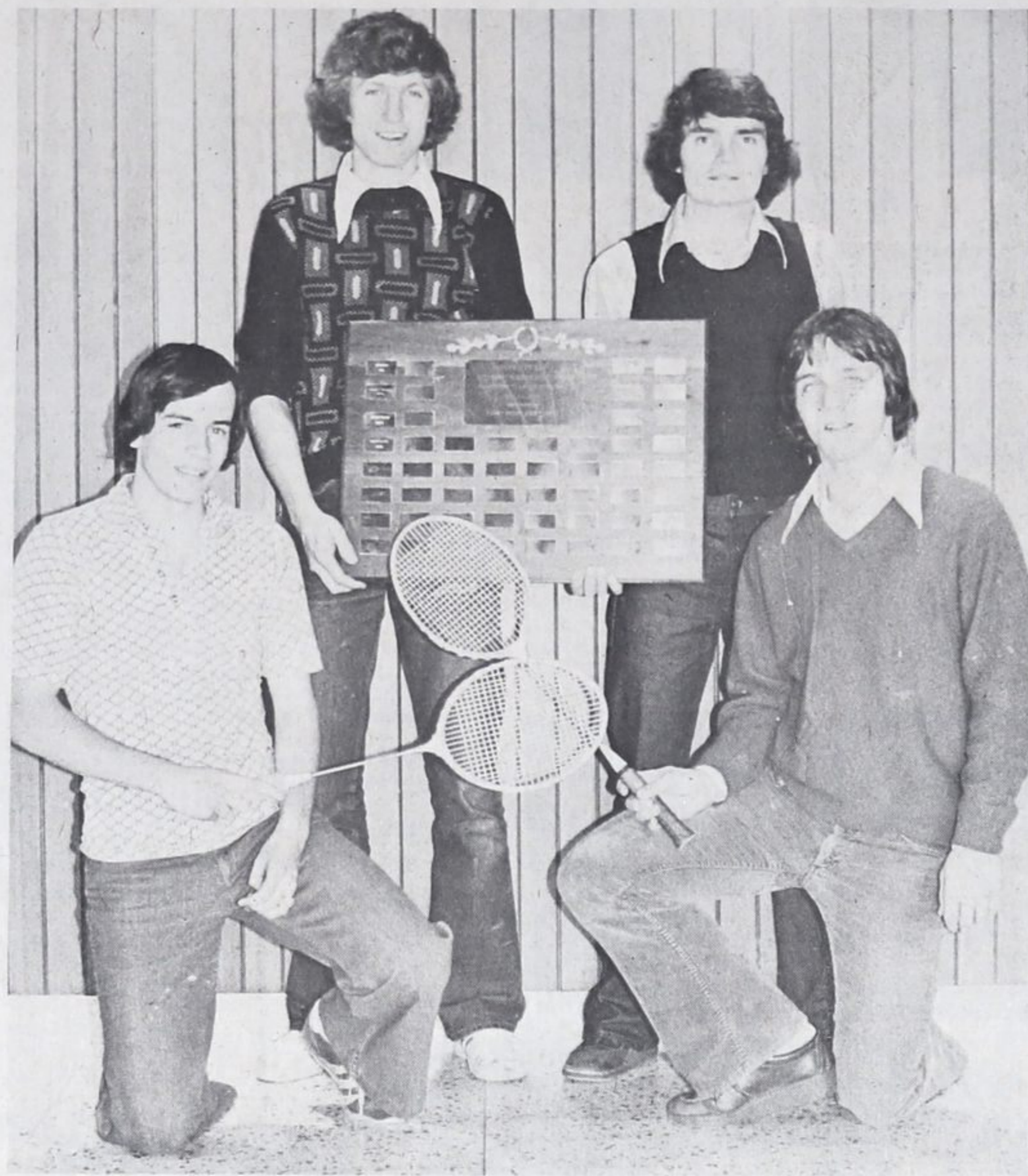
Penetanguishene recreation coordinator

At long last the contracts have been signed and the installation of the lights at McGuire Park is only weeks away. To qualify for the complete Wintario Grant was must raise approximately \$6,200.00. Councillor Francis St. Amant has volunteered to chair a fund raising committee to meet this need. Anyone who may wish to donate money to the fund is asked to call Francis at 549-7137 or the Municipal Offices at 549-7453 or drop it into the Municipal Offices at 10 Robert West. We will accept any money an individual, club, industry or business would like to donate to this cause regardless of the amount. Your help would be appreciated. Over the next few months I will try to keep you informed of the fund raising events which will be taking place.

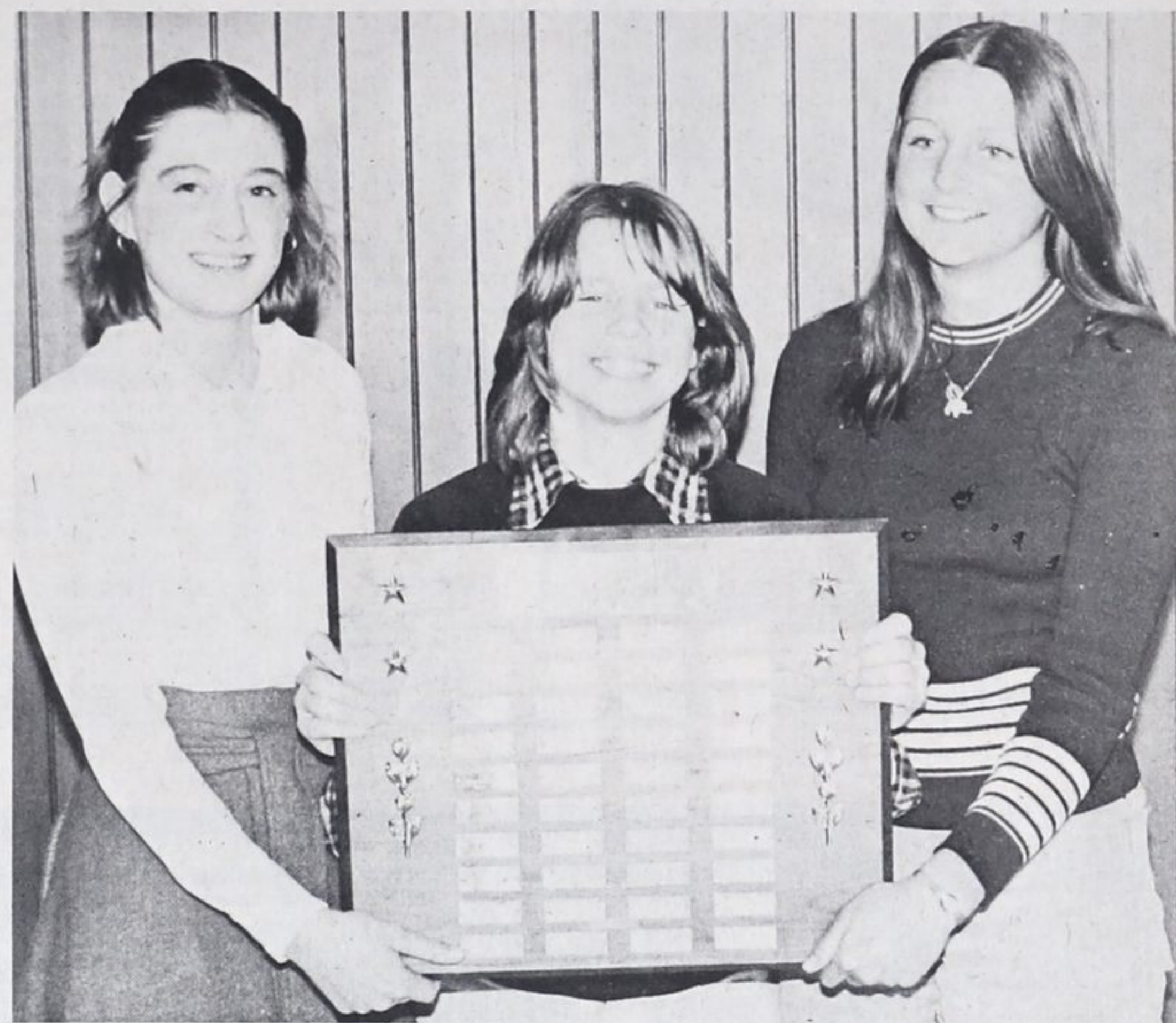
I am presently looking for two people with some softball knowledge to manage and coach a Juvenile Girls Softball Team. We are still looking for some coaches, etc. for our house league teams as well. Please call me if you are interested in either.

There will be a meeting at McGuire Park, Thursday, May 6 at 6:30 p.m. for all Women who wish to play house league softball. You are asked to attend so that teams may be drawn up and the league started as soon as possible.

The mens softball league was organized last week with a total of 10 teams involved, six playing out of McGuire Park. Their schedule will commence the week of May 24.



**Ontario victory**  
The male half of the Penetanguishene Secondary School badminton team which raced to an all-Ontario victory recently is: (Front row) Bob Harrison and Chris Robitaille; (Back row) Frank Berdan and Dan St. Amant.  
Staff photo



## Badminton champs

These happy girls were part of the championship-winning badminton team which swept to the all-Ontario crown. The girls half of the Penetanguishene Secondary School team is: (left to right) Kathy Payne, Sally Lichtenberg and Mary Sue Beatty. Susan Maracle was absent when the photograph was taken.

## GBMHA

### Awards banquet

The Georgian Bay Minor Hockey Association held its annual awards banquet last Tuesday night at the Collingwood Legion hall and honoured many young boys and teams who performed outstandingly in this year's hockey play.

Leading scorers were: Wasaga Beach Novice, Tom McIntyre; Stayner Minor Atom, Bob Parker; Midland Minor Peewee, John Johnstone; Thornbury Minor Bantam, David Valcourt; Elmvale Minor Midget, Paul Archer; Midland Major Atom, Steve Charlebois; Midland Major Peewee, Pat Brodeur; Owen Sound Major Bantam, Mark Gaetz; Midland Major Midget, Andy Zurawski and Penetang Juvenile, John St. Amant.

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## Penetanguishene Minor Atoms

This photograph was taken of the Penetanguishene Minor Atoms at the Streetsville tournament in April when they finished one game away from the consolation finals. The players and officials are: (Front row) left to right, Mike Brunelle, Robert Gauthier,

Robby Cowan, Andre Marchildon, Chris Lethbridge, Curtis LeMeseur, Henry Marchildon, and Jody Blanchard; (Back row) Derek Quigley, Paul Trudeau, Mark Dorion, Paul Moreau, Perry Beausoliel, Bradley Dennis, Sean Marchand, Martin Duval, the trainer,

and Ralph Lacroix, the coach. Lacroix said he thanked all those people who were kind enough to sponsor a dance and sold tickets which enabled the boys to receive team jackets.  
Staff photo

## Talking sports

by Tom Shields



With the Stanley Cup playoffs making most of the news in the sports world right now, I thought that this would be a good time to take a look at some of the history of the sport, namely the Hockey Hall of Fame in Toronto and some of the local players or people who have their names inscribed in such hallowed halls.

George S. Dudley is one of those people who is in the Hall of Fame after serving in hockey for over 50 years. In 1925 he was elected to the executive of the CAHA and eventually served as president from 1940 to 1942. At his death in 1960 he was still active as the treasurer of the OHA. George was also one of the instrumental forces in arranging some of the first visits to Canada by hockey teams from the Soviet Union. Mr. Dudley was born in Midland on April 19, 1894 and played his minor hockey here in town.

Elmvale is also known in the hockey Hall of Fame thanks to a member of the Turner family. Lloyd Turner was born in Elmvale in 1884, but he

left the village to go west and help build up hockey while we were still exploring the Canadian west. Lloyd arrived in Calgary and started building a team in 1909. In 1924 he installed ice in a roller skating rink, organized a team called the Calgary Tigers, and even formed a league for them to play in. He brought the Tigers to the east that year to challenge for the Stanley cup. (you could do that in those days). But the cup didn't want to go out west with them. Lloyd also was the leading man in the resurgence of the Allan Cup, which is now won by the best amateur senior club in Canada and northern United States.

From Penetanguishene comes George McNamara, a real bruising Irish defenceman who was born in Penetanguishene in August 26, 1886 and was elected to the Hall of Fame in 1958. George played in the Soo area in 1908, and with the Toronto Tecumsehs in 1912. He took time out from hockey to serve Canada in the Great War then returned to the Soo area and coached the Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds to the Allan cup in 1924.

Stayner also has a representative in the Hall of Fame in the person of Angus Daniel Campbell who was born in Stayner in 1884. Angus helped to develop hockey in Northern Ontario and he became the president of the Northern Ontario Hockey Association when it was formed in 1919 and he later became an executive of the OHA.

Angus was elected to the hall of fame in 1964.

From Minesing, south of Elmvale comes another Hall of Famer in the person of Frank C. Foyston born in 1891. He started his hockey in Barrie and played for Eaton's when they won the OHA title in 1911. The following year he played for Toronto in the National Hockey Association and they won the then young Stanley Cup. In all, Frank was on three Stanley cup teams including the first United States team to win the silverware in 1916 when it went to Seattle Washington.

How about Clarence "Hap" Day, who most of us will remember as a Toronto Maple Leaf in the 1930 hay-days when they won the cup in 1931. Hap Day was also the Maple Leaf's manager from 1950 to 1957 before he retired to enter business life. A little known fact here is that Hap Day was a member of the Midland Junior team when he played his minor hockey.

Maybe the newest member from our area to hit the hockey hall of fame might be Penetang's Don Tanahill. Just last week in a playoff game with Winnipeg, Don combined with Lyn Powis to score the quickest two goals in professional hockey, or even any hockey for that matter. Lyn and Don each scored within three seconds in the game. It took over 50 years for two players to score two goals in four seconds, so the three second record will hit the record books in the hall of fame and that record could stand for even centuries.

## At Seneca College

### PSS captures team title

by Pat Fitzgerald  
Penetanguishene Secondary School badminton team captured the Ontario Badminton Team Championships at Seneca College last Thursday and Friday.

Mary Sue Beatty and Kathy Payne were ranked second overall in Ontario in girls doubles. Danny St. Amant and Chris Robitaille who are ranked number one in Georgian Bay placed fifth overall in the boys doubles.

Frank Berdan who is also ranked number one in Georgian Bay, placed fifth in Ontario in the

tough boys singles division.

A newcomer to PSS this year, Sally Lichtenberg, swept championships in the Zone Two and the GBSSA, then reached the quarter finals in the OFSSA in girls singles.

PSS hosted the Zone Two badminton meet two weeks ago and sent eleven people to the Georgian Bay Championships.

They were Frank Berdan (boys singles), Sally Lichtenberg and Karen Yule (girls singles, first and second respectively), Dan S. Amant and Chris

Robitaille, Rich Glover and Mike Berdan (boys doubles, first and second respectively), Mary Sue Beatty and Kathy Payne (girls doubles), Sue Maracle and Bob Harrison also first in mixed doubles.

From there six people reached the Ontario Championships. Frank Berdan, Mary Sue Beatty and Kathy Payne, Dan St. Amant and Chris Robitaille and, finally, Sally Lichtenberg.

I think the whole team has to give credit for their success in winning three team championships to

Mate "Coach" Lichtenberg who spent every night of the week practising with them and also, which is the most important, beating the "young bucks".

## St. Joseph's baseball

St. Joseph's swept a baseball doubleheader late last week.

The boys beat Corpus Christi 13-11 while the girls handled the Corpus Christi team 11-7 on Thursday afternoon.



## sports calendar



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**Penetanguishene Secondary School Track meet**  
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Thursday, May 6 — Track meet begins at 12:30 p.m. at the high school.

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**Penetanguishene Little N.H.L.**  
May 10 - General meeting for the election of officers in the Legion basement.

**Penetanguishene Men's Softball**  
May 24 — Season commences.

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