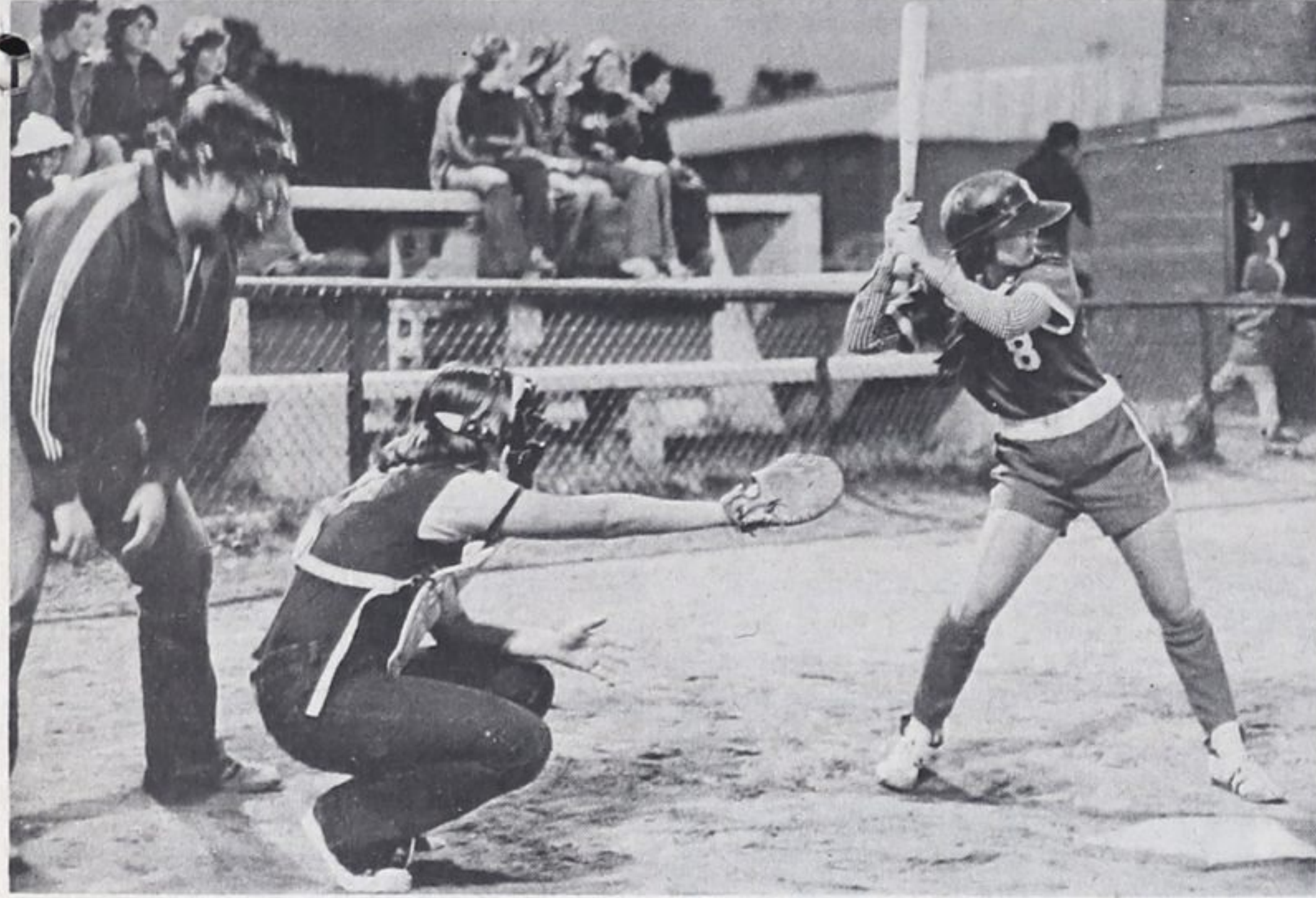


## Penetanguishene girls trample Elmvale midgets



The girls hit one after another

It was a hitter's game for the Penetanguishene midget girls' softball team in Elmvale Monday night. Here Ann Robillard stands at the plate waiting for the pitch. The Penetanguishene girls, whose only loss of the season was to the Elmvale team two weeks ago, won the game 20-4.

The Penetanguishene midget girls softball team got its revenge Monday night as it clobbered Elmvale 20-4.

The girls' only loss of the season was their 15-14 squeaker against Elmvale two weeks ago.

The regular pitcher, Brenda Columbus, was injured in a recent game and the Penetanguishene girls took full advantage of the team's misfortune.

The game started off slowly with no runs for

either team in the first inning. In the second it was still close with Penetanguishene picking up two runs and Elmvale scoring once. But by the third inning the gap began to widen as the Penetanguishene team went ahead 7-2.

The real clincher, however, was the sixth inning. After scoring three runs in the fifth, the Penetanguishene girls, sparked by the good solid hitting of Janet Belcourt,

scored ten runs to put the game far out of reach for the Elmvale team.

The Elmvale girls scored their other two runs in the sixth and seventh innings.

The victory for Penetanguishene means the girls are in first place for the time being, but if both teams maintain their high calibre of play they could end up tied for first place at the end of the season with their only losses to each other.



It's not quite the Olympics

Town councillor Hubert Charlebois shows his enthusiasm in a volleyball game between the parents and the counsellors at the Daycamp parent's night at Bayfield Park. The parents beat the counsellors by a score of 15-8.

## Mosquito soccer team keeps on winning

The Penetanguishene team in the Mosquito division of the Simcoe County Minor Soccer League staged a shooting gallery last Thursday night as they defeated the team from Lafontaine by a score of 14-1.

Peter Roi, who has been the team's high scorer since he was moved up to

the forward position, accounted for six of the Penetanguishene goals. He played goal tender for the first part of the season.

Blair McReynolds scored five times, and David Robillard, Ken Leclair and Mike Bonnin scored one each.

The team plays again tomorrow against the

Collingwood 'B' team in Collingwood.

## Hydro team goes to Wyevale

Wyevale's entry in the Simcoe Rural Fastball League will be hosting a tournament in Wyevale Sunday afternoon to help pay for park's new floodlights.

League rival Perkinsfield clashes with Victoria Harbour Caswell's Antiques in the opening game at 12:30 followed by a 1:15 confrontation between host Wyevale

and Penetanguishene Ontario Hydro. At 2 p.m. Ken's Esso takes on the Penetanguishene juveniles then Wyebridge meets Vasey at 2:45 p.m.

Coldwater meets the Penetanguishene Garrisons at 3:30.

A sixth game will feature two teams not yet selected. There will be a gate prize of \$50 at the tourney.

## Georgian Bay Fastball League

Results and standings as of Sunday July 11.

Monday, July 5		Tuesday, July 6		Wednesday, July 7		Thursday, July 8		Sunday, July 11	
Ken's Esso 6	Olympia 4	LA Boys 5	Garrisons 3	Ken's Esso 9	LA 8	Expos 7	Thunder Bay 5	Expos 19	Juveniles 8
Juveniles 3	LA Boys 0	Thunder Bay 3	Olympia 2	Hydro 10	Caswell 3	Hydro 10	Caswell 3	Garrisons 5	Hydro 2
		Caswells 12	LA 4						

**STANDINGS**

Team	P	W	L	T	Pts
Garrisons	14	12	2	0	24
Ken's Esso	14	11	3	0	22
LA Boys	14	8	6	0	16
Caswells	12	7	4	1	15
Thunder Bay	14	7	6	1	15
Penetang Expos	14	6	8	0	12
LA	14	5	9	0	10
Juveniles	13	4	9	0	8
Hydro	13	4	9	0	8
Olympia Sports	14	4	10	0	8

## "For the good of hockey"

### Flyers Junior A bid turned down

The Ontario Hockey Association has turned down the Midland Flyers application bid for a Junior A team.

Flyers president Ron Sauve has not yet been officially notified of the OHA's decision Monday and was informed by press reports.

Although reports quoted OHA officials as having made the decision "for the good of hockey", the Flyers organization can't understand it.

Last week the Southern Ontario Tier II Junior A

league accepted Midland's application for a team in the league. "All the teams in the league are in full agreement", Sauve said Monday.

Organizers from other teams in the league "are backing us 100 per cent". The league itself "wants us badly and they accepted us", he added.

Sauve and his colleagues are upset and have appealed the OHA decision. A lawyer on the Flyers executive will be representing the Flyers in the appeal.

An example of the league's support for the Flyers case, one team representative offered to help sponsor a Junior B team in Penetanguishene, if Midland were allowed entry in Junior A.

Sauve said last week that he hoped the higher calibre of hockey played would attract more fans to the games. "We didn't go in blind", he added. "The executive talked about the decision for many meetings."

The Flyers have lost money in recent years, and "it isn't going to cost a whole lot more to operate a Junior A team", Sauve said.

Junior A regulations do not limit the number of import players allowed on the team, while Junior B regulations allow only seven imports. "But I really don't think we'd have any more imports in Junior A than we've had in the past", he said.

Ontario Hockey Association officials were unavailable for comment on Monday.



House League Softball Champs

The Indians, Penetanguishene Boys' House League Softball Champions. They won the tournament held on Sunday at McGuire Park. In the final game they defeated the Angels by a score of 14-13.

## Recreation Scene



by Ron Marchildon

Penetanguishene recreation coordinator

Beginning this week many programs will be taking place at McGuire Park. Tonight Jack and the Jesters will be here to entertain the people of Penetanguishene. We are looking forward to a very large crowd to be present at this game. I am sure you will enjoy it as well as the California Cuties, game scheduled for 2 p.m. on Sunday, July 25. We are nearing the required amount of money necessary to completely pay for the installation of the lights at McGuire and these two projects are going to hopefully give us a big boost in that direction. Please come out and enjoy yourself for a very worthwhile cause.

Swimming classes will have begun this week with a very good registration we are still looking for people to register for the final three week period from Aug. 2 to Aug. 20. All Junior, Intermediate, Seniors and Bronze are asked to register for this session. Remember we are also offering Adult and Tiny Tot lessons as well.

### Georgian Bay Girls Softball League

Team	Novice	Midget	Intermediate
Penetang 29	C.B.O. 15	Waverley 9	Victoria Harbour 0
Penetang 17	Perkinsfield 5	C.B.O. 12	Elmvale 10
Elmvale 16	C.B.O. 10	Perkinsfield 23	Elmvale 24
		Victoria Harbour 20	Christian Is. 12
		Elmvale 23	Penetang 11
		Perkinsfield 19	
		Waverley 15	
		Perkinsfield 4	
		C.B.O. 11	
		Christian Is. 2	

### Standings as of Sunday, July 11, 1976

Team	P	W	L	T	Pts.
Perkinsfield	5	4	1	0	8
Penetang	4	3	1	0	6
Elmvale	4	1	3	0	2
CBO	3	0	3	0	0

Team	P	W	L	T	Pts.
Elmvale	5	5	0	0	10
Penetang	6	5	1	0	10
Perkinsfield	5	3	2	0	6
Perkinsfield	5	2	3	0	4
CBO	7	2	5	0	4
Victoria Harbour	4	1	3	0	2
Waverley	4	0	4	0	0

Team	P	W	L	T	Pts.
Elmvale	4	4	0	0	8
Perkinsfield	4	2	2	0	4
Penetang	4	2	2	0	4
CBO	2	1	1	0	2
Victoria Harbour	4	0	4	0	0

## Indians beat Angels for Boys House League title

The Indians are the Penetanguishene Boys' House League Softball champions.

They beat the Angels 14-13 in the final game of a tournament held Sunday to win the title.

In the opening games of the tournament, the A's

defeated the Eagles 30-7, and the Expos won their first game by default.

This gave the A's and the Expos the right to go on to play the two first place teams, the Angels and the Indians, for the right to go into the finals.

The Indians beat the

Expos 10-5, and the Angels defeated the A's by a score of 24-11.

In the final game, the Angels, behind by a score of 14-9 going into the last inning, but on a scoring burst to pull to within one but never quite caught up.

## Talking sports

by Tom Shields



The All-Star break is here. This usually means that we are now mid-way through the baseball season and the old saying goes that whoever is leading the divisions at the end of the season, will end in first place at the end of the season. Indications now are pointing strongly to Philadelphia and Cincinnati in the National League and the New York Yankees and Kansas City in the American League. As for the Montreal Expos, they are now 29 games out of first place and they are hopelessly lost with the worst record in the major leagues.

As it stands right now, I seriously believe that an all-star team picked out of the South Simcoe Baseball loop could give the Expos a good game, at least before Gary Carter returns to the lineup. The South Simcoe team might not get many hits off someone like Woody Fryman, but then again, it's a proven fact that the Expos can't hit either - especially when we watch their batting averages on TV on Wednesday nights. In fact the whole starting lineup together hasn't hit as many home runs as league leader Dave Kingman of the Mets who has smashed 30 and has a shot at breaking Roger Maris record of 61 homers in 1961.

The Expos are now in their eighth season as a major league team and they came close to winning a pennant once, only because the other five teams had trouble in playing 500 ball. The most interesting point to make today is by flashing back to the 1969 and 1970 seasons, when many people stated that although the Montreal Expos were a new team and the first Canadian team to get a major league franchise, they had the top management in baseball in the persons of Jim Fanning and Gene Mauch. This is now at best described as a "joke". In the first two seasons that the Expos were in the league, they were constantly battling with the Philadelphia Phillies to see who would stay out of the basement in the division. But look at the Phillies today...they'll probably clinch their division by mid-August at the rate they're going. Former

Expo Rusty Staub will be a starting outfielder for the American League in the all-star classic and it's possible that Ken Singleton will be in the game as well. Steve Renko is now winning games for the Chicago Cubs and Mike Torrez is winning for Atlanta. They got long-forgotten Willie Davis for Mike Marshall when Mike was at his peak and so on. Now people are looking towards the new Toronto team to salvage some wins for the teams north of the 49th parallel.

### UNSOLD SPORTS BOOKS

Each year there are a lot of books about sports or sports-heroes which become good sellers. The following list of sports books has been removed from the shelves due to lack of sales. "How to make three and a half million dollars in two minutes" by Charley Finley; "The winning coach in a rookie season" by Russ Jackson; "Umpires are my best friend" by Tim Folie; "How to get a big raise in your contract" by Dave Dunn; "How to have a winning team" by Gene Mauch; "Playing tennis for fun" by Ilie Nastase; "Avoiding costly injuries" by Bobby Orr; with a second volume written by Anthony Davis; "How to win friends and influence people" by Charley Finley with footnotes by Bowie Kuhn; and "My greatest thrill in baseball" by Pepe Frias.

### LINERS

Will the Midland Flyers be Junior A or Junior B or will they be at all next season? "Friends, hockey fans, OHA, lend me your ears"...says Ron Sauve....Anne Merkley, tennis wonder from Penetang is getting ready for the Canadian Open in the 14-and under category which gets underway in the last week of July at Kew Beach in Toronto....After about seven years' effort it now seems that minor lacrosse in Midland is catching on as we are starting to win our share of games....With the Midland Arena not getting ice until maybe November, Ron Marchildon, manager of the Penetang Arena says that letters are now coming to him, asking for ice time in September and October....There is a slight possibility that all the games of the Midland Recreational Hockey League could be played at the Penetang Arena....Jack and the Jesters a four-man crack softball team is in Penetang tonight for a game against members of the Georgian Bay fastball league....And I said that I wouldn't put it in the paper that TKM finance big wheel John Butler had a one-yard drive at Brooklea's par 4, fourth hole...so I won't.



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Georgian Bay Fastball League

**Wednesday, July 14**  
Garrisons play at Kess Esso  
Olympia goes to LA Boys  
**Thursday, July 15**  
Expos play host to LA  
Juveniles go to Caswells  
**Sunday, July 18**  
Kess Esso plays at Juveniles  
Hydro plays host to Expos  
**Monday, July 19**  
Juveniles go to Olympia  
LA Boys play host to Caswells  
**Tuesday, July 20**  
LA plays at Garrisons  
LA Boys go to Thunder Bay

**Georgian Bay Girls Softball League**  
Intermediate Division  
**Thursday, July 15**  
Penetanguishene plays at Phepston  
Midget Division  
**Thursday, July 15**  
CBO plays at Penetanguishene  
Novice Division  
**Monday, July 19**  
Perkinsfield comes to Penetanguishene

**Special Event**  
**Wednesday, July 14**  
Jack and the Jesters play the Georgian Bay Fastball League at McGuire Park. Proceeds go to the park lights fund.

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