## MSS Marauders hold on for major 24-22 opening day triumph here

**Garry Forbes** 

Midland Secondary School Marauders varsity football team may have been saved by the bell in their season opener against Orillia's Twin Lakes Secondary School, Thursday at MSS.

Visitors managed to close a 10 point halftime gap to just two points and were looming large on Midland's one-yard line when the final gun sounded to give the Marauders a 24-22 victory.

But despite the close call - which capped off a scoreless last half for Midland --Marauders coach Randy Ritchie was happy with his team's debut.

"I was really pleased with our offense," Ritchie said, "We've had problems getting everyone fitted with helmets, and because of that, had very little time for fullequipment scrimmages and a chance to get our timing down.

"But we tried out a few things, made a few mistakes, and saw what could happen if we let down in any area."

Ritchie expressed disappointment in his club's defense, but pointed out they did come up with the goods in the second half. And without their holding power on some key plays in the final quarter, Twin Lakes might have been able to steal the game.

Midland racked up 332 total yards on offense, and Twin Lakes was limited to 229. Fullback Gary Beausoleil - a defensive cornerback last season - counted for 160 of the Marauders' 202 hit on 10 of 15 passing attempts for 130 yards.

Things didn't look good for Midland right off the bat. Twin Lakes jumped out to a

quick 8-0 lead when they ran back the opening kickoff and added a two-point convert.

Six points

Midland bounced back later in the first quarter when Beausoleil moved in for six points., but Twin Lakes answered with six more of their own before time ran out in the opening frame.

Marauders flexed their muscles in the second quarter and took to the air, grabbing the lead when quarterback Friesen connected on passes to flankers Ernie Desroches and brother John Friesen. Beausoleil added his second touchdown of the day on a play-action sequence from 25 yards out, falling over the goal line in what turned out to be the final play of the half.

None of Midland's four first-half touchdowns were converted, and they went to the break with a 24-14 lead.

Twin Lakes' offense slipped into gear in the final two quarters, but Midland's defenders managed to hold them to eight points - a touchdown and two-point convert - and withstand their assault in the closing minutes.

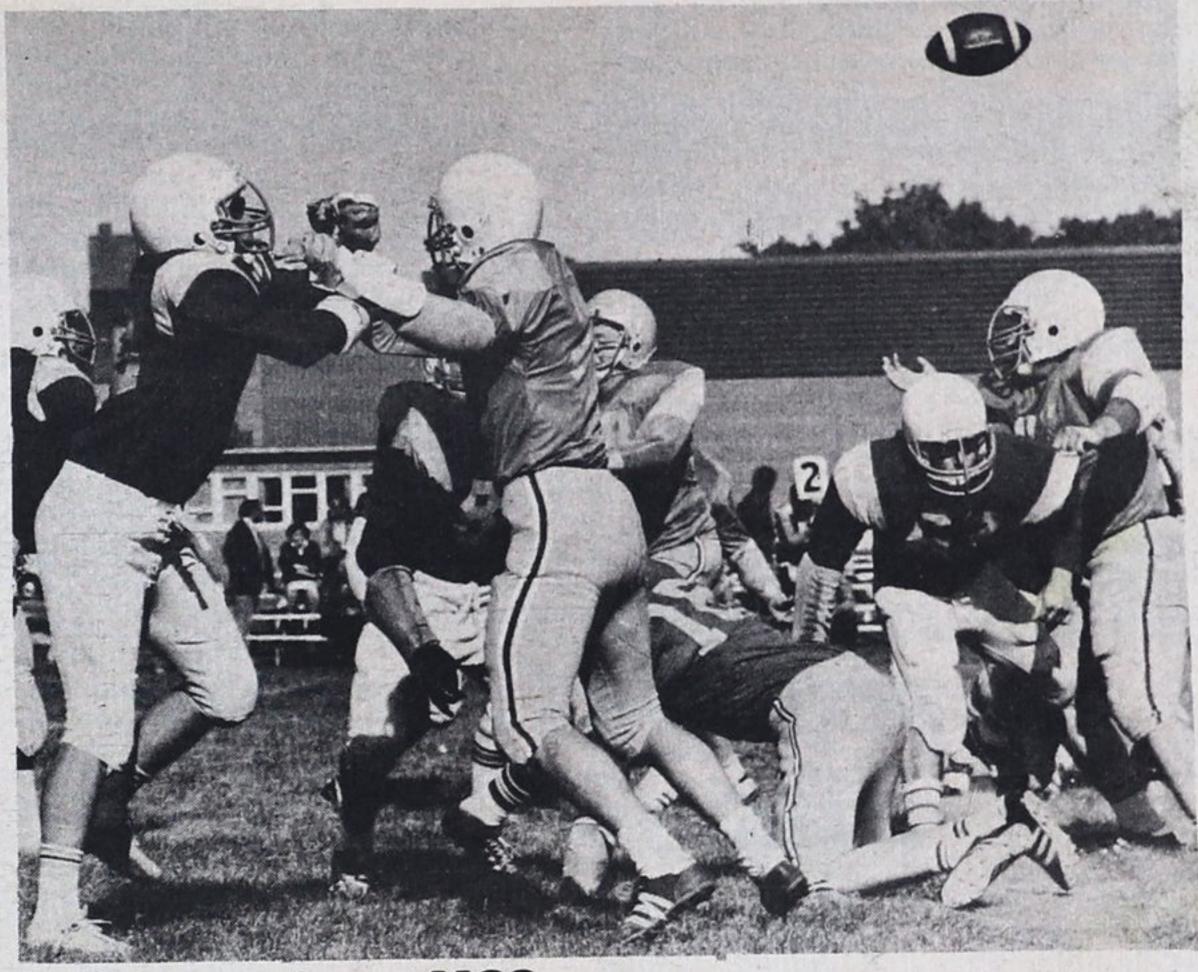
Midland fumbled once in the contest, but evened out that stat when defensive back Mike Leo picked off a Twin Lakes pass and ran it back 13 yards.

NOTES:

Some confusion in Midland's defensive ranks resulted in only 11 men on the field during one Twin Lakes touchdown ... Marauders attempted one field goal, that in the fourth quarter .. more than 14 brand

new Midland helmets were found to be too small, and the club is awaiting replacement from Riddell. Due to the shortage, Midland managed only three dress practices - using some borrowed helmets in those - and borrowed eight

helmets from Ecole Secondaire Penetanguishene Secondary School for Thursday's game .. Next outing for the Marauders is set for Friday, at MSS, against Penetanguishene. Kickoff is scheduled for 3 p.m.



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Oldtimers strike gold in Gravenhurst

**Doreen Stainton** -For the second time in as many years, the Penetanguishene Oldtimers hockey club was successful in capturing the gold medal in their divisiion in the Granvenhurst Tournament of Colour over the weekend.

Penetanguishene started off rather doubtfully though, losing their first two games: the first one to the Tillsonburg Oldtimers by a 2-0 score. The second was closer but not close enough as the Lindsay Oldtimers hung on to win against a fired u p Penetanguishene team.

Down 3-0 in the final period, Penetanguishene poured it on and scored two late period goals but failed to tie it up, losing 3-2. Paul Dion and Alvin Robillard



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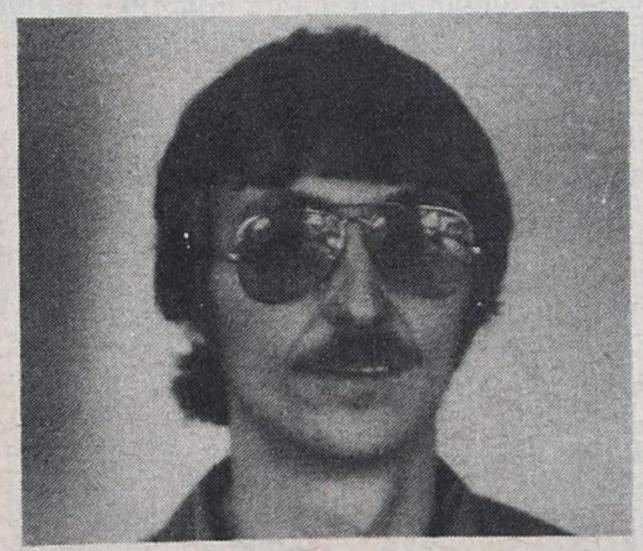
The third and crucial game of the day saw a different Penetanguishene team skate to a convincing 11-4 victory over the Burlington Oldtimers. The Penetanguishene squad finally got their act together with Mike Dubeau getting a hat trick, Ed Trudeau and Larry Marchand each with a pair and singles going to Fred Patterson,

Chuck Hatfield and Larry Leroux.

This victory placed the Penetanguishene club in the 'D' division finals on Sunday afternoon against the Whitby Oldtimers. Penetanguishene went on to defeat them 4-1 and win the gold medal.

Mike Dubeau, Alvin Robillard, Larry Marchand and Fred Patterson all notched

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| CLASSES START OCTOBER 12, 1981                           |              |        |          |       |        |
|--|--------------|--------|----------|-------|--------|
| COURSE   | DAY          | TIME   | LOCATION | COST  | LENGTH |
| Ceramics (max. 15)                                       | Monday       | 8-10   | Room 3   | 25.00 | 20     |
| Stain glass  | Monday       | 8-10   | Room 16  | 20.00 | 20     |
| Grandmother crafts                                       | Monday       |        | Cafe.    | 20.00 | 20     |
| Upholstering   | Monday       | 8-10   | Waverley | 15.00 | 10     |
| Volleyball (adult)                                       | Monday       | 8-10   | Gym      | 10.00 | 10     |
| Small engines  | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Esso     | 25.00 | 20     |
| Hairdressing   | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Dianne's | 25.00 | 20     |
| Volleyball (High School)                                 | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Gym      | 10.00 | 20     |
| Welding (6 max.)   | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Room 16  | 50.00 | 10     |
| Woodwork   | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Room 16  | 25.00 | 20     |
| Typing   | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Room 13  | 25.00 | 20     |
| Ladies Keep Fit  | Tuesday      | 8-9    | H.C.E.S. | 10.00 | 20     |
| Computer   | Tuesday      | 8-10   | Room 9   | 10.00 | 10     |
| Compose  |              | 7:30-  |          |       |        |
| Photography  | Tuesday      | 9:30   | Waverley | 15.00 | 10     |
| Gymnastics   | Wednesday    | 7-9    | H.C.E.S. | 10.00 | 20     |
| Woodwork   | Wednesday    | 8-10   | Room 16  | 25.00 | 20     |
| Basketball   | Wednesday    | 8-10   | Gym      | 20.00 | 20     |
| Pattern Crochet  | Wednesday    | 8-10   | Library  | 10.00 | 10     |
|  | Wednesday    | 8-10   | Room 5   | 15.00 | 10     |
| Basic Sewing Art (sketching and oil)                     | Thursday     | 8-10   | Room 3   | 20.00 | 20     |
| Woodwork   | Thursday     | 8-10   | Room 16  | 25.00 | 20     |
|  | Thursday     | 8-9:30 | Room 7   | 10.00 | 10     |
| Yoga   | Thursday     | 8-10   | Cafe.    | 10.00 | 10     |
| Quilting   | Thursday     | y 8-10 | Gym      | 10.00 | 10     |
| Couple dancing   | Thursday     | 8-10   | Room 5   | 10.00 | 10     |
| Cake decorating  | Friday       | 8-10   | Woodland | 20.00 | 20     |
| Square dancing<br>Figure Skating Junior - Intermediate - | Senior       |        |          |       |        |
|  | Saturday 9:3 | 0-4:00 | Gym      | 10.00 | 20     |
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1:00 Intermediate Ballet 9:30 Beginners - Tap 1:30 Intermediate Jazz 10:00 Beginners - Jazz 2:00 Senior Tap 10:30 p.m. Junior - Tap 2:30 Senior Baton 11:00 Junior - Jazz 3:00 Senior Ballet 11:30 - Preschool 3:30 Senior Jazz 12:00 Intermediate Tap 12:30 Intermediate Baton

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CAFETERIA 9:30 Junior - Ballet 10:00 Junior - Baton 10:30 - Beginners - Ballet 11:00 Beginners - Baton

Acrobatics classes will be given Tuesday evenings by Mrs. Peggy Dove

6:00 Beginners-Acro 6:30 Junior - Acro 7:00 Inter. - Acro 7:30 - Senior - Acro