

# Sports Scene



## A challenge

Mike Larmand, captain of the Midland Stoneleigh Centennials accepts the CKMP Challenge Cup from Scott Warnock. The Cents won the 1989 Challenge Cup Friday night at Centennial Arena by defeating Penetanguishene Charlebois

Kings 13-0. Midland has won the trophy five times in its eight year history. Penetang won the first two matches and won again last year.

## Cents take CKMP cup

Midland Stoneleigh Centennials won the 1989 CKMP Challenge Cup by defeating Penetanguishene S. Charlebois Kings 14-0 Friday night in Georgian Bay Junior C hockey.

No Less than 14 Cents figured in the scoring. Midland scored four power play goals although the Kings were off for 19 minors compared to just six for

Midland Each team received three fighting majors and four games misconducts.

The Cents scored five times in both the first and third periods.

Don Robertson netted a hat trick, while Rob Fortin, Derek Haines and David Forrest each potted a pair. Chris Bales, Trevor Irvine, Doug Robertson,

John Richardson and Chris Walser checked in with single markers. Mike Larmand assisted on three.

Penetang began its best-of-seven playoff series Tuesday night against Huntsville and will resume the series Friday at 8:30 p.m. at home.

The Cents, meanwhile open their best of seven series Friday night at home beginning at 8:30.

## Top spots locked in PRHL

With five games remaining in the Penetanguishene Recreational Hockey League, G. Wilicers and Therrien's Furniture have locked up the top spots.

In Sunday's action, Therrien's downed Huronia Outlaws 5-3. Chris Wright, Martin Quigley, Brian Pilon, Steve Buttineau and Terry King hit the scoresheet for the victors with John Monague, Peter Roi and Paul Trudeau replying for Huronia.

G. Wilicers handed Hindson Marine a 6-1 defeat with Ken Lacroix counting a pair. Trent Maracle, John O'Hara, Dave Robillard and Bill Mundy completed the scoring. Scott Hook notched the sole marker for Hindson.

Alex's Service Center dropped Penetang Quality Home Products 5-3. Paul Lefaive scored twice for Alex's with Marc Duquette and Mike Gadsby adding single

counters. Mike Smith, Ken Edgar and Dave Vajda answered for Penatang Products.

G. Wilicers tops the standings with 37 points on 18 wins, a loss and a tie while Therrien's shows 14 wins, a pair of losses and four ties for 32 points. Huronia (8-9-3), Hindson (5-12-3), Alex's (5-14-1) and Penetang Products (4-16-0) bring up the rear.

## House league playoffs begin

Playoff action began for the novice and tyke divisions of the Midland Minor Hockey Association House League Saturday.

Dynasty Inn defeated Bertram Fuels 10-1 in round-robin tyke action. Matthew Murdock registered five counters with Jeremy Sauve and Jamie Hamelin netting a pair each. Chad Levecchia notched a single. Ryan King accounted for Bertram's lone score.

Stoneleigh Motors nipped Mike's Mart 4-3. Nicholas Jeffery popped a pair for Stoneleigh with brother Joshua and Eric Tindale rounding out the scoring. Justin Neilon counted all three markers for Mike's.

Midland Free Press and Royal LePage played one of the tightest competitions in the novice division. The game was tied 2-2 entering the last minute of play. Chris Murdock seemed to lock up the contest for the Free Press with a goal at the 51 second mark but Stephen Myers struck with only one second on the clock to salvage a 3-3 tie.

Ryan Cameron and Brian Robitaille netted the other Free Press tallies while Chris Cooper and Jay Dorion answered for LePage.

Bike Shop defeated Bourgeois Motors 3-1 with Jonathan Levecchia, Chad Grubb and Jeff Latour sharing the honors for Bike Shop. Shawn Pattison replied for Bourgeois.

In South Simcoe action, Penetang No. 1 blanked Wye Heritage 6-0 in bantam play with Chris Segalin recording the shutout. Steve Robillard (2), Sean Maynor, Tim Corbeau, Jason Dorion and Trevor St. Amant took care of the scoring.

Smith's Mobile proved ungracious hosts to Elmvalle with a 5-0 whitewash. Angela Rumney earned the shutout with Martin Kraftscik and Spencer Levesque each scoring twice. Jason Levesque scored a single.

Tom Leclair scored twice as Midland No. 2 bested Thornton 4-1 in peewee action. Shawn Asselin and Stephen Stoneman each notched one.

## Howard tunes in for week in Trenton

by Ed Pearson  
Special Report

Russ Howard and his rink prepared for this week's Labatt's Tankard by scooping up \$5,000 in the Port Elgin Cash Bonspiel last weekend.

Early in the 'spiel, the foursome was defeated by Paul Savage, relegating them to the "B" side. As fate would have it, the two rinks met again, but this time it was Howard's turn as Savage was beaten 9-1. The teams shook hands midway in the match.



Howard

The Ed Werenich entry was knocked out early. Werenich may not be up to par due to a car accident he was involved in after Christmas. He suffered bruised ribs and a sore wrist.

At the Port Elgin 'spiel, the man with the hot hand was Owen Sound's Al Hutchinson, who breezed through to the final undefeated. In the final, Hutchinson and Howard arrived at the sixth end tied. That was the pivotal end as Howard stole four and cruised to a 9-6 win and the \$5,000 first prize.

## Marauders tops in 2 weekend tournaments

Midland Secondary School senior Marauders won a pair of basketball tournaments the past two weekends.

On Jan. 28, MSS won the Gravenhurst High School senior boys basketball tournament by sweeping three games. This past weekend, the Marauders captured the 17th annual Penetang Secondary School tournament.

In its first outing in Gravenhurst, MSS stopped Aurora 58-41 and led 29-21 at the half. Steve Kirdeikis scored 11 points with Chuck Lehr adding 10.

Mike Dobson hooped 15 points as MSS slipped past a scrappy Sutton contingent 45-39. Scott Bales scored 12 points while Kirdeikis added 11.

In the championship tilt, the Marauders defeated Bayview 41-34. Kirdeikis was top scorer with a 16 aided by Dobson's 11.

At Penetang on Saturday, The Marauders dropped CFB Borden 56-37 with Bales leading the way with 17 points. Shane Devlin hooped 12 for Borden. Midland led 30-19 at the half.

In its second contest, MSS disposed of Aurora 68-44. Midland led 42-20 at the half. Dobson netted 15 of his 19 points in the first half. Bales scored 10 in the game, all in the first half.

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