

DISTRICT SPORT NEWS



SPORT SPOTS

BY RON CRAINE

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Don't forget that Friday and Saturday of this week are the dates for the Richmond Hill Figure Skating Club Carnival. Skating shows are good entertainment any time but more especially when the talent is local.

Maybe the skating won't be as professional as that seen in the Ice Follies, but, if there are any marks given for effort and enthusiasm, then this show will be a winner! If all the blood, sweat and tears expended by club professionals, club executive, hard working mothers and long suffering fathers could be accounted for — the Charge of the Light Brigade would almost pale by comparison.

Tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children. This is a show the whole family should enjoy. Show time is 8 p.m. on the Friday and Saturday night. There are no reserved seats, it's a first come, first served affair. Plan to arrive early and be certain of getting a good seat to view the show.

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A disappointingly small crowd turned out to the arena last week on the "Basinnettes for Branson" night. Two teams from the Richmond Hill Senior Hockey League, Wise Insulation and the Orphans, gave a half hour sample of fast, rugged hockey to lead off the show.

Branson Hospital nurses tangled in a hockey (???) game with the lady teachers of Richmond Hill. Last time the girls clashed the nurses shellacked the teachers 4-0. This time the teachers lost 2-0, a fifty percent improvement in performance.

What they lack in hockey skill the girls make up in willingness and a real show results. When a fair forward grabs the puck and heads toward the opposition goal, woe betide the hapless defender! They never try to skate around a would-be checker but head right into them under a full head of steam. The resulting collision produces hilarious results.

Two of the girls came up with such a mighty effort they split their strides. In a very strategic place too! The embarrassed players headed for the benches with loud applause spurring them on.

All the girls gave it the big try in a very worthy cause. Ladies' hockey is so darned entertaining that it could become a regularly featured event at the arena.

Students of Bayview and Richmond Hill High Schools had another go at each other in a broomball game. The way these guys play it comes out more like broom-brawl. Last time Tex Patfield and the Bayview crew defeated Brian "Ace" Atkinson's Richmond Hill squad 2-1. The latest effort produced a scoreless tie and a bucket of laughs for spectators.

Teachers, nurses and high school students deserve a lot of credit for their part in these shows. A better bunch of sports just can't be found.

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Two Richmond Hill mothers got the thrill of their lives just the other day. They were down in Toronto to take care of a few chores and decided to have their offspring's skates sharpened at Maple Leaf Gardens. The kindly gentleman in the lobby offered to conduct them to the proper place. He then told them to go through a certain door and he would meet them inside.

They went through the door as per directions and arrived in the middle of a Leaf practice session. Two pleased and flattered mothers collected the odd wolf whistle from the players and they even bumped — actually bumped — into Red Kelly.

From now on the kids' skates will probably be sharpened at the Gardens quite frequently. How often can you sharpen skates until there's no blade left?

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Toronto Township Wins Exhibition Game

Aurora Eliminated By Sing-Alongs

Earl Methe's Sing-Along Sing-Along netminder was replaced by a sixth attacker. As of North York League competition on Tuesday of last week. The Sing-Alongs trounced Aurora 8-2 as they dominated the play throughout the game.

In preparation for various hockey tournaments and the King Clancy series, the Sing-Alongs have embarked on a series of exhibition games. Last Friday night they lost a 7-5 decision to a team from Toronto Township.

As the final seconds ticked off, the Sing-Alongs were on the short end of a 6-5 score. In an attempt to salvage a tie the

MacErlain, 242 Axminster Dr., Richmond Hill, No. 1404, and John Spencer, Maple, Ontario, ticket No. 991.

All prizes will be delivered by the sellers of the various winning tickets.

MINOR HOCKEY RESULTS

Squirt League
Canadians (Sunnybrook Riding Club) 1
Flyers (Victoria Lodge) 0
 There wasn't much scoring done in this game. Martin Gill with an assist from Pete Coughlin scored the only tally. The two goalies were just too good.

Peewees
(Macdougall's Motors) 1
Marlboros (Consumer's Gas) 1
 A one all tie in this game. Marlies' Bob Wilkinson scored their only goal. Gary Oliver with an assist from Terry Guntton did the honours for Teepees. Again fine goal tending.

Royals
(Gormley Sand & Gravel) 2
Tiger Cubs (Wilson Niblett) 0
 A shutout for Goalie Ken Hughes. Robbie Graham with an assist from David Webster and Paul Martin with an assist from Brian Tierney scored Royals two tallies.

Petes 2
Biltmores 0
 Eddie Jak scored both Petes goals, the first unassisted. The second goal saw assists to Glenn Sharpe and Paul Fountain. Another shutout for Mike Petronski.

Peewee League
Reds (Quality Utilities) 4
Barons (Loren Gordon) 1
 A shutout for goalie Craig Worford. All Reds goals were singles. Garry Hause, John Beaton, Paul Burton and Dave Gill. Assists went to Dave Lund, Hause, Mike Hiscott and Burton on the assisting end.

Bisons
(Decianis & Rice) 4
Indians (Pinewood Aggregates) 0
 Another shutout for Goalie Steve Brown. Mike Tucker scored two goals and singles went to Brian Oliver and John Shropshire. Assists to Oliver and Steve Connelly.

St. Mikes (Youngs B.A.) 4
Indians (Pinewood Aggregates) 1
 Indians lone goal went to Steve Graham. St. Mikes' goals were Duane King two, Brian King and Wilson Ross, singles.

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Police Juvenile Team Out-scored In League Games

The hockey season came to an abrupt end for the Richmond Hill Police Juvenile hockey team in a two game total goal to count, series with Orillia, the local puck chasers absorbed a 14-3 defeat.

Team members will continue to play in exhibition games as, under North York League rules, they are not eligible to carry on in league playdowns. Despite the loss to Orillia the team made great strides this season and the boys of the police department can be proud of their work.

Results of intensive hockey training over the past six years will soon be reflected on the juvenile teams. Midget graduates will be strengthening the juvenile squad next year and should produce a real contender.

FRIDAY at 8:00 p.m.
SATURDAY at 8:00 p.m.

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After Championship Again

Hornets Await Northern Winner And Practice On Toronto Teams

John Gropp and his Richmond Hill Hornets hockey team are awaiting the winner of a series between Midland and Collingwood. While waiting for further

OMHA playdown action, Mr. Gropp has his team playing exhibition hockey with various Toronto teams.

Scarboro All Stars and the Hornets fought to a 2-all draw and the Hornets trounced Bert Robinson All Stars 10-1. The Bert Robinson league operates in the Kellestade area and the Hornets have been invited to show what a first class pee-wee hockey team can do.

Early Sunday morning the Hornets lost 4-2 to East York Metro at East York Arena. This Hornets team is now clicking like a well-oiled piece of machinery and should make things interesting for competition in the OMHA playdowns.

Last year's version of the Hornets brought an Ontario title to Richmond Hill. This year's team has a better-than-good chance to emulate last year's feat. So go, Hornets, go and we'll all be watching and rooting for you!

Safruk Shutout Seen As Flyers Beat Unionville

Bob Safruk came up with a well-earned shut-out as Richmond Hill Flyers defeated Unionville 3-0. The game was a North York League bantam affair played in Richmond Hill last Friday night.

Stewart paced the Flyers scoring with a two-goal effort. Scott Sheppard set Stewart up in the first period on a beautiful play and Stewart was all alone to park the puck in the net.

John Bookalam combined with Rod Mabley to score in the middle frame. Terry Stewart scored an unassisted goal in the third period for his second of the night.

and assists, Duane Reid, Bill Huke and Barney Corless.

Aces (Mills Roses) 3
Reds (Quality Utilities) 2
 Aces Derry Andrews scored two goals with assists going to Doug Brooks and MacDonald Smith. Carlo Cappy scored the tie breaker. Gary Hause assisted from Dave Lund and a goal unassisted from Dave Gill accounted for the Reds goals. Fine game to watch.

Bears 2
Indians (Pinewood Aggregates) 1
 Another close game, with Cliff Clarke and Stan Scott scoring for Bears. Steve MacKenzie got two assists. Jim Docherty with assists from Eric Riswick scored for Indians.

Bantam League
Rangers (Rotary Club) 3
Black Hawks (Dynes Jewellers) 3
 Brian Haviland scored two of Rangers goals and John Brash scored the other. Assists went to Peter Bird, Norm McLeod, Warren Hurren, Tony Thompson scored for Black Hawks with assists going to Norm McLeod and George Shepherd.

Wings (Jas. MacKay & Sons) 2
Canadians (Mills Roses) 2
 Steve Rawlinson and Bruce Pridham scored Wings goals. Doug Dennis scored both Canadians goals with an assist to Tom Moffitt.

Leafs (Holiday Fuels) 3
Americans (Street Const.) 2
 Darryl Middleton, John Alan and Mike Engler scored singles for Leafs with an assist from Howard Cazaly. Americans goal getters were Doug Shadoff and Dan Shadoff, with an assist to Gilchrist.

Maroons 2
Bruins (Butler & Baird) 1
 This was a well played game. Bill Hudson and Ray Pratt scored Maroons goals with John Hudson getting Bruins lone tally.

LET'S BOWL

PIN PATER

Eastiders
 Marion McGeachie showed everyone in the league how to bowl. Marion had a total of 740 for three games and had a high single of 287 in her three game string. Jeanne Richardson was the second high lady with a 691 total helped out by a 242 single. Dorothy Hincks finished the night with 675 and a fabulous 325 single and Ev. Jones rolled a 619 (261).

Pat Jones was top bowler in the male division with a 717 and a 279 single. Art McGeachie came home with 697 (240), Len McLean 672 (260) and Arnold Price 637 (258). Al McLeod and Ross Lewry each finished with a 632 total and each one of them had a high game of 248 to make like the Bobbys Twins. Stan Shadoff carried 631 (283), Bill Jones 616 (213), and Wilf Allen 613 (281).

Bill Jones has the top average in the league, knocking over an average of 238 pins per game. Stan Shadoff and Art McGeachie are deadlocked at the 227 mark. John Allen has a 214 average and Vic Palmer has a 204 on the go.

The ladies' list is headed by Jeanne Richardson at 211, followed by Pat Jones and her 207. Muriel Steven is knocking them over at a 199 clip, Madge Nicholson 198 and Ev. Jones 193.

Thursday Afternoon League
 Ida Madill set the pace with a 742 trio and a 300 single. Irene Everatt strung together a 728 (309), Shirley Mansbridge 686 (288), and Jean Nugent 654 (256). Jean Holloway notched 646 (227). E. Parrett 618 (260), Eileen Jackson 617 (302) and Madge Nicholson 612 (220).

Audrey Harris came up with 608 (235) and Rita Cornack 607 (267).

Games over the two hundred mark were rolled by Jean Nash 240, Lorraine Carwardine 215 and Sonia Graeden 214. Dot Webster rolled a 212, Mary O'Rourke 211, June Steele 209 and Darlene Buchan 208.

Noreen Clouter and Molly Freeman tallied 206 singles. Doris Facer hit for 204 and Adele Downey had a single game of 203. Gladys Rogers managed a 201 game and Hazel Ritchie came up with a 200 even.

Allencourt Major
 League standings in the major loop are as follows:

Current Series	O'all	Pts.	Pts.
Richmond Hill	28	124	
Auto Wreckers	26	165	
Manufacturers' Life	25	106	
Dynes Jewellers	17	106	
Turnbull Groceries	16	82	
Allencourt Pharmacy	14	82	
Allencourt Lanes	12	117	
Nutri-Bio	12	82	
Hughes Shell Ser.	11	99	
Rothman's King Size	7	61	
Canadian Tire	7	16	
Ken Clothes	4	42	

Billy Patton was high man for the week with his 644 pin total. Dave Emms rolled 628, Les Chidley 627 and Al Richardson 625. Art McGeachie carved out a 784, Lou Alarico 781 and Bob Kennedy 776.

Arne Skretteberg is still tops in the high average race and his 247 puts him well ahead. Tim Saul has a 242 average. Al Richardson 240, Bill Jones 237, Larry Bishop 234, Stan Shadoff and Art McGeachie 232 each.

Fifty-four entries in the Major's Doubles Tournament saw Bob Webber of Dynes Jewellers and John Allen of Hughes Shell Service team up to win first place money. The winners had a 573 total and nosed out Mike Parrett of Dan's Esso Service and Eric Morby of Allencourt Ruck, ladies!

HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS NEWS

Richmond Hill
 Richmond Hill's Junior Basketball Team qualified for the Georgian Bay basketball championships by defeating Aurora 92-60 on a two-game, total point series.

Midland was the opposition in the first game of the G.B. championships at Thornhill. Richmond Hill came through with the win over the northern school. The win sent Richmond Hill into the Junior Final against Thornhill.

The final game was a real thriller with Thornhill edging a fighting Hill squad 50-46. Ian Ross was probably the best man on the floor for Richmond Hill. He was picking rebounds off all afternoon and gave it everything he had. Richmond Hill Juniors are to be congratulated for their fine effort.

Barrie Central eliminated Richmond Hill Seniors in the opening game of the Georgian Bay basketball championships. Barrie had a fairly easy time of it in winning 59-44.

Richmond Hill Senior Girls Basketball Team was defeated by Barrie North 24-8 at Barrie on Saturday last. The Hill girls gave it a real shot but the combination of tournament jitters and a strange floor were just too much to overcome.

Richmond Hill High School are the co-holders of the North York Wrestling crown along with Bayview High School. The meet was held at Markham High School and was convened by Mr. Newell, principal of the Markham school, Richmond Hill and Bayview each chalked up 42 point totals to top the meet.

Jimmy Glover, 98 lb. class wrestler of Richmond Hill suffered an elbow dislocation during a match. Subsequent x-rays revealed that he also suffered a tendon detachment. Three weeks in a cast and a bit of exercise should see Jim back in harness as good as he ever was.

Georgian Bay wrestling championships will be held this Saturday at Richmond Hill High School. Action starts at 11 a.m. and admission is 50c for some real entertainment.

The Blackball Basketball Tourney will be held at Orillia next Saturday. Richmond Hill's Junior Basketball Squad will be representing local schools in the tournament.

Thornhill
 Two more championships were added to the impressive Thornhill collection last Saturday. Both junior and senior basketball squads came up with wins

CURLING
BY RUTH CHANDLER
 A Richmond Hill rink skipped by Ruth Chandler, vice-skip Peggy Austin, 2nd Maisie Gibson and Lorna Kerwin, lead won three games at a six-year Filly Bonspiel at Barrie, February 23.

when it's all over but will be entitled to some big fat boy for a job well done.

Bayview Seniors lost out the "B" school Georgian Bay basketball championships last Saturday. Camp Borden was the site of the meet and Bayview got into the final round by defeating Bracebridge by 20 points in the semi-final round.

Port Perry and Bayview locked horns in the final round with Port Perry beating Bayview 10 points for the senior title.

Wrestlers gave Bayview a tough time with Richmond Hill wrestlers in the North York championships held at Markham. The two local schools are co-holders of the championship.

Globetrotters downed Celtic 17-2 and 20-3 last Saturday to win the Saturday Basketball League regular series. Playoff in the league start this Saturday with the Globetrotters favoured to win all the way.

The senior girls basketball team went to Barrie on March 2 to play for the Georgian Bay Trophy. They won the semi-final game against Collingwood by 19-15. But in the final game they lost the trophy to the Barrie North Team.

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