



LINE DRIVE BASEBALL ROUNDUP

By BOB CARTON

Midgets Win Third In A Row

Richmond Hill 9, Alderwood 5
Alderwood met World Wide Window Cleaners (Richmond Hill) at Crosby Park for a return match. The Hill boys had defeated Alderwood in their first game of the season.

Rob Clephan pitched the first two innings before being relieved by Doug Webster.

The game was a tense one, as tempers flared up quite frequently. Gord Woolnough was playing a fantastic game before he got the thumb in the last inning. Mike Gignac was also having a good night at the bat.

Doug was credited with his second win of the season against no losses.

(Peewee) Eric's Cycle & Sport 9, Ando Cast San. 6

Eric's won their second game of the season, as they upended Ando Cast Sanitation. They took a commanding lead in the first inning, and never looked back. In the third inning Chris Peters led off with a hit that looked like a sure homerun, but he stumbled rounding first and had to settle for a triple. Brooke followed Peters, and hit one that also looked like a homerun, but interference from a dog in the field forced him to take only a triple. That inning Eric's scored four runs, to put the game out of reach.

Brooke pitched a good game for Eric's, while Terry Klauk hit a homerun for Ando Cast.

Bennett's Textiles 13, Dynes Jewellers 3

Bennett's could have gone home after the first inning, as they recorded five runs, which was enough to clinch the game. During the next three innings they piled up eight more runs to add to their total. Leading the way for Bennett's was Keith Doxey, who smashed out a homer and a triple.

Charlton Hardware 9, Mac's Heating 1

The first inning was close, but during the next three Charlton broke loose for all of their nine runs. Again Kyle Chatfield was great, as he allowed only one run, which came in the fourth inning. Mac's were having pitching problems, so in the fourth inning Mike Wood, a bantam, came in to relief pitch.

Big scorers for Charlton were Newman and Thompson, who collected two runs each.

Kinnear Pontiac 16, Richmond Hill Music 11

You could almost tell who the winner was by the end of the first inning, as Kinnear was leading 8-3. In the first inning Wayne Hillaby hit his third homerun of the season, and Tim Fleming belted a bases loaded double, both for Kinnear.

Wayne also hit a triple later on in the game. Again Kinnear used three pitchers, Dave Veitch, Steve Wolfrey, and Rick Carton.

The leading batters for the Music Centre were Barker and Daily who both hit homeruns.

(Girls - Senior) Ed Leeds 16, Allencourt Pharm. 11

Allencourt took a 10-3 lead in the first inning, but they could only manage one run throughout the rest of the game.

Perry Hill 9, Stoness Tourist 9

Going into the bottom of the fifth, Stoness had a 9-5 lead, but determination at the bat gave Perry Hill four runs in the bottom of the inning. This game could not go into extra innings because it was too late.

(Junior) Powell Fencing 11, Hall's Fuels 8

Village Coiffure 10, Carter Brothers 8
Police Association 6, Village Pizza 5

I made my coaching debut the other night, and it was a success. Going into the fifth inning Village Pizza had a 5-1 lead. Police Association made a valiant attempt in the top half of the fifth, and it worked as they came up with four runs. Police scored one run in the sixth, and held on for the win.

Mic Macs 18, Woodbridge 7

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For some reason the Mic Macs are having trouble beating a team on their home diamond, by as much as they do on the road. Granted they haven't lost a game at home yet. But regardless of where they win, or by how much, they are still winning.

(Squirts)

N. S. Smith Real Estate 3, Town Auto Body 1
Mr. Transmission 21, Dairy Queen 10

Transmission got six runs in the first inning, and then coasted the rest of the way. Glenn Doyle pitched another great game for the Transmission crew. Two times throughout the game Dairy Queen had the bases loaded, but Glenn pitched his way out of it both times.

Hodgins Hardware 32, Rice's Flowers 2

Backed by strong hitting from the Hodgins team Lorne Davidson earned his first victory of the season. Lorne allowed one run in both the first and second innings, but that was it for the rest of the game. Hodgins scored 10 runs in the top of the third, and another 13 in the top of the fifth. In the fifth inning with the bases loaded, Johnston of Hodgins, belted a three run triple. That same inning Russ Dunbar hit a two run homer for Hodgins. Rice's pitching was so bad, that they used just about everybody on the team at that position.

Bob's Boys 18, Murphy Real Estate 5

Bob's Boys actually won the game in the first inning, as they scored six runs, which is more than Murphy could manage all night. The big highlight of the game came when Dave Mercer belted a grand slam homerun for Bob's in the top of the fourth.

(Tykes)

Twin Hills 13, Ramsey Rec. 8
Tony's Esso 17, Richmond Hill Auto Body 4
Pizzaville 8, Studio Nine 6
Kent Clothes 10, Consumers' Gas 6

Scott Cameron belted a grand slam home run for Kent Clothes.

Rained out games from Monday, May 25:

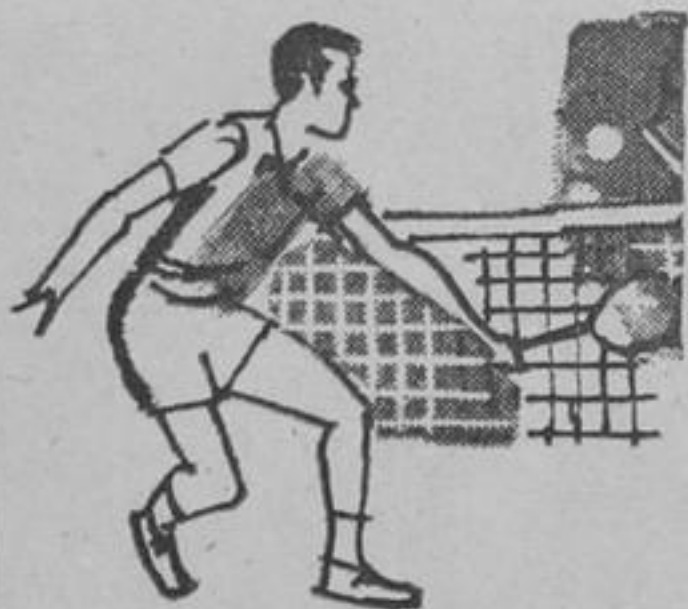
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Studio Nine took a 1-0 lead in the top of the second. Scott Cameron belted a triple in the bottom of the second for Kent's, he later scored by stealing home. Scott also had another triple later on in the game. Richard Gerber pitched four innings for Kent's, and recorded 8 strikeouts. Scott pitched one inning, and got all three of his outs by strikeouts.

The Studio Nine pitcher also played a fine game as he struck out 9 batters.

Notes

The RHMA is looking for part time umpires. For more information call Umpire-in-Chief Danny Smith at 884-5202.



LET'S PLAY TENNIS

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Richmond Hill Lawn Tennis Association

Well, it happened. None of the oldtimers of Richmond Hill Lawn Tennis Association thought they would see the day when we would say, "Stop, we have enough", but we have to say just that when it comes to junior instruction.

One hundred and six juniors from 10 to 16 are registered for instruction from Professional Ian Griffin Saturday mornings. Sorry kids, if you're not registered you'll just have to wait until next year. That should be quite a junior round robin in July.

Senior instruction continues to be popular and well attended. Let's see those techniques learned Thursday nights successfully applied next Saturday (June 13) in the senior round robin. Starting time is 1 pm sharp.

Richmond Hill's entry in the tough Inter-County League continues on its winning way, taking the visiting Rosehorn Team four matches to two. Here is the way it went:

Men's doubles: Sam Malcolmson and Henry Smith 6-1, 3-6, 4-6; Peter Wenzel and Dennis Stainer 6-0, 6-0; John Freeman and John Anderson 5-6, 6-5, 5-6. Mixed Doubles: Kieran Lennon and Monica Vermeulen 4-6, 6-2, 6-1; John Beck and June Beck 6-2, 6-3.

The North York Team started off in grand style and had their old dear friends in Thornhill on the run four matches to none when rain halted play. This will be replayed at a later date.

Next Tuesday the inter-county team hosts the central Park Club at 7 pm. The North York Team is away at Barrie and is asked to meet at the car park at 6:30 pm.

Hill Auto Body Wins Two In Row 14-4 And 7-6 Over Aurora Squad

Richmond Hill Auto Body used the heavy bats to upend Aurora Rolling Hills 14-4 and 7-6 last week.

The Bodymen scored seven early runs Sunday night in their 7-6 win against Aurora at the town park for their first win at home.

Moe Williamson, Steve Wood and Duane Reid were the leaders at the plate but it was some sensational fielding by Ian Oliver in the late innings that saved the win.

Aurora opened the scoring in the first inning on three singles by Paul Smith, Glenn Siesman and Dave Heinzman.

Richmond Hill tied the score in its half of the first with Reid and Mike Thompson singling and Wood following with a double.

The Bodymen loaded the bases in the second inning on an error and singles by Reid and Bucky Buchanan which set the stage for Williamson's dramatics as he homered to deep centrefield giving The Hill a 5-1 lead.

Aurora added single runs in the third and fourth but Richmond Hill knocked Aurora hurler Cy Lavender from the mound with two runs in the fifth on a single by Thompson, a double by Wood, and an error.

Bob Kennedy, who picked up the win, was in trouble in the late innings yielding a run in the sixth and two in the seventh. He was saved by Oliver in right field who threw one runner out at the plate in the eighth and one out at third in the final frame to preserve the win.

Tuesday night of last week saw Richmond Hill travelling to Aurora for what turned out to be an unusual contest.

The Bodymen jumped on Rolling Hills starter Cy Lavender with three runs in the top of the second inning but Aurora came back with two runs in their half.

It was at this point that Hill's hurler Bob Kennedy had a slight disagreement with the umpire and was sent to the showers by the

umpire.

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Phillip scattered five hits over five innings of the 11-1 game allowing but one unearned run. Glenn Moreland hurled two hitless innings.

The Baker crew hammered out 14 hits with Greg MacMillan and Dave Forbes leading the way with home runs apiece. Forbes also scored two runs with singles going to Moreland, MacMillan, Bond, Phillip, and Tipold.

Forbes led the way in the runs batted in with three with Chris DeGeer and MacMillan each having two.

Moreland and Phillips combined their talents in Stouffville to throw a two hitter over seven innings. They faced only 25 batters, striking out 19.

Moreland pitched five innings, striking out 14 batters and surrendering but one single and one run. Phillip hurled two innings whiffing four batters and giving up one single.

Batting star of the game was rangy Dale Strang who had two triples, two runs batted in, and scored two runs. Jody McLinton smashed a wrong field triple, scored one run and knocked in another. Rickie Berezowski was also credited with a run batted in.

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BOB KENNEDY Hangs On To Win

man in black.

Stan Hammond took the mound and tossed five-hit ball the rest of the way to gain credit for the win.

Richmond Hill added a run in the third and two in the fourth while Aurora scored two runs in their half of the fourth to make the score read 6-4.

Aurora then brought in Earl Leithwood who was greeted with four hits and five runs in the fifth. The Bodymen added three runs in the ninth for their most impressive offensive effort so far this year.

Steve Wood was the big stick driving in four runs with three hits which included a tape measure home run that became a single when he failed to touch second base and was subsequently called out. Pitcher Hammond added three singles while Bucky Buchanan, Mike Thompson and Pete Gould added two each. Steve Johnston had three runs batted in on a timely single and a fielder's choice.

Hammond struck out five and walked four and pitched no-hit ball the last four and two third innings.

Richmond Hill Auto Body hosts Richmond Hill Kent Clothes this Sunday. Game time is 8:30 pm.

Stouffville Bounced By Baker's 11-1, 8-1

The potent two-man pitching combination of Glen Moreland and Paul Phillip overwhelmed Stouffville last week as Richmond Hill Baker Sales Squirts won their first two games of the season in league play.

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Wimbridge Ladies Win Take Alpha Belles 12-1

Wimbridge Ladies' Softball Team has now won four and lost two games this season. Last week they defeated Alpha Belles 12-1.

Winning pitcher was Marion Fox with 13 strike outs, four hits and no walks. Catching for Marion was Irene Bryson, who was also the batting star of the night, with three hits to her credit.

Losing pitcher was Lynn Meredith with relief from Bea Leslie in the sixth. Catching for them was Claire Fecteau.

The Wimbridge girls combined for 14 hits. They were allowed four walks and had only six strikeouts.

Irene Bryson had three hits, Marion Fox, Sandy Glass, Lynn Olsen two each; Donnie Westcott, Cathy Buxton, June Peck, Karen Milbourne and Mary Williamson one each.

Wimbridges are playing a fun game against the Metro Police-men (Emergency Task Force Division) June 17 at 8:30 pm in the town park. The teams will switch batteries to make the game more interesting. Pitching for the girls will be "Bubbles Baby" Smith and catching will be "Cuddles Baby" Owen.

Pitching for the police will be Judy Hopkins and catching, the one and only oldtimer, Irene Bryson. Some of the star players for the police will be their first baseman, the "Wip-Wop" Paul Fascia and shortstop the "Great Cope".

A new treat in umpiring is also promised with some help for Shorty Bowen behind the plate. There will be a big official on the bases.

Come and see the game. It is always good for lots of laughs.

... Sport Spots ...

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major in either computer science or physical education. I've had some reaction but nothing is definite yet. After school I would like to give pro ball a stab if I can make it."

NO BROKEN NOSES

Then it was over to Ken who differs from Bruce in one particular way. He's never had a broken nose, never been injured. He weighs 170 pounds and is a defensive linebacker. This is his second and final year with the senior team (Bruce is in his fourth year) and he hopes to attend the University of Toronto and continue the physical education theme.

"Ken loves physical contact, he loves to hit, he's very rugged, very aggressive," states Coach Rutherford.

This brings a semi-flush to Ken's features and he twitches embarrassedly. But he does look like the type. Congenial off the field (I guess) but rugged on it. Sound like a football player you're familiar with? Certainly does. He also hopes to play professional football. This will be Ken's first time ever in the CNE classic and he's looking forward to it.

Finally, to Coach Rutherford who is the son of Vaughan Township Deputy-reeve Albert "Ab" Rutherford.

"This is my last year at Bayview," states Dave. "I'm taking a year off, you might say to do my thing."

Dave has done pretty well as a coach in his two years as head man with the Bayview team.

His team was undefeated in 1968, won 9 and lost none, took the area high school championship. They won 8 and lost 2 last season, took the area championship again, but lost out to Newmarket 22-2 in the Southern Georgian Bay grouping.

That's it. There is no more.

Now to the tid-bits:

LANDERS BACK

Rumor has it that Oshawa Lefty Pete Landers is back from his fastball sojourn in Providence and will be lining up with The Tony's. Anyhow, he's back in Oshawa and will undoubtedly be pitching with someone which is good news and bad news. Good news for Oshawa, bad news for the other teams he will face.

Also, the Jewellers will be heading to Welland for a tournament this Sunday. They play Jarvis in the first game at 11:30 am and, if they win, they go again at 7:30 the same day.

TRACK AND FIELD

Hark, there's a chap by the name of Sterling Reid who would like to start a track and field club in Richmond Hill for Bantam (under 14) and Midget (under 16) aged youngsters.

Immediate object is to field a team in the Royal Canadian Legion track and field meet July 1 at Thornlea Secondary School.

If you're interested, give Sterling a call at 884-6056 after 6 pm. More on this later.

Boston Bruins Hockey Star Bobby Orr may be one of the leading lights at the annual Sutton Fair. Board members are presently negotiating with Orr to have him attend the fair.

Donald Martyn, Sutton resident, and executive secretary to Premier John Roberts, said last week that the plan to get Orr was running smoothly and there is a good possibility he will open the fair which will run from August 6 to 8.

Mr. Martyn is one of the directors of the fair board.

Hill Ballymena's Down Markham By 7-0 In Minor Soccer Action

The Richmond Hill Soccer Ballymena squad downed Markham 7-0 in a minor association exhibition game last week.

Tim Whelan and Davey Simpson scored two goals apiece for Richmond Hill with single scores going to Keith Brown, Ken Waugh, and Mike Parker.

Left winger Davey Simpson was outstanding for the local team.

The same teams meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 pm at Bayview Secondary School in the first league game.

Mosquito division action saw the Expos turn in an impressive first half to lead Camp Borden 2-1 only to falter and end up losing 5-2.

The junior "B" 's ran into a Scottish whirlwind at Langstaff Sunday and ended up losing 8-0 to a powerful Scarborough St. Andrews Club.

This Sunday the locals travel to Guelph looking for their first league win.

Squirt combat saw Jamie Tuck coming up with a four goal effort to lead his Rangers team to a 5-2 win over the Blue Bombers. The other Ranger goal was scored by Ricky Hall while Kenneth Main replied with both Bomber goals.

Dynes Jewellers, helped by three goals from Eric Rockarts and one from David Mason, defeated the Red Barons 4-1.

John Mark put the Barons on the score sheet.

Ratcliff's started where they left off last year: Winning They downed Industrial Life Insurance 4-2.

Marksmen for Ratcliff's were Lincoln Dinning and Kevin Kerohan with two each while Adrian Steenson and Stephen Shannon replied.

The Rangers, Dynes Jewellers, and Ratcliff's are now tied for first place.

In Atom action it was Lazen-

by's Leaders blanking Dynamos 6-0 on two goal performances by Mark Kerohan and Robert Hughes with singles by Tom Peden and Kelly Farrell.

Peter Tipold's two goals for Emerald Isle Motel gave his side a tie with Spartans whose goals came from Billy Byars and Dennis Reid.

Dan's Esso and Travelways played to a 1-1 tie on goals by Jeff Joslin and Michael Flood. League standings have Lazenby's Leaders in sole possession of first place.

Peewee games in the Newmarket and District League get under way this week.

Sponsors for this week is Dynes Jewellers, a household word in Richmond Hill sporting circles.

Tied For Second

Kent's Tie Merchants 6-6, Win 11-8

Richmond Hill Kent Clothiers moved into a tie for second place last week in the Richmond Hill and District Fastball League by downing Aurora Merchants 11-8 and tying them 6-6.

In the first place is Unionville which has only lost one of its six games.

The lead see-sawed back and forth in the Hills 6-6 tie Tuesday night of last week before the two rivals settled for a saw-off. The league has a rule that no extra innings will be played after the regulation nine and the two deadlocked teams each gain a point in the standings.

Kent's scored single runs in the first, second and third innings for a 3-0 lead while starter Larry Guio held the Merchants scoreless.

Doug Hartley tripled and Keith Warling doubled for The Clothiers first inning marker.

Ken Goddard singled in the second, advanced on a passed ball, went to third on a wild pitch, and scored as John McDonald's ground ball was fumbled by Shortstop Ogie Thompson.

Doug Hartley's double and Alex Smith's fielder's choice combined to give Kents another single run in the third.

The game was delayed by a brief shower and this seemed to lessen Guio's effectiveness.

Aurora tied the game in the fourth on four hits including a home run by third baseman Don Lahey. Brother Ron Lahey gave Aurora a one run lead with a home run in the top of the fifth.

Ray O'Quinn's single and a costly two base error tied the game in the fifth. Aurora picked up single tallies in the seventh and eighth and held a 6-4 lead but a pair of triples by O'Quinn and Harley plus Alex Smith's second run scoring ground out knotted the count for good in the bottom of the eighth.

Aurora loaded the bases in the ninth on a Kent error but the threat fizzled as Ron Lahey failed to tag up at third on a fly ball to centre field.

Doug Cook went the route for Aurora allowing eight hits, five for extra bases. Guio and Al Griffin, who

relieved him in the fourth, gave up