



High School Sports

By BOB CARTON

Bayview Wins Field Hockey Laurels

Well, another extremely successful field hockey season has come to an end at Bayview.

The team was tremendously effective in all the games they played throughout the past season, which led them to the York County Championships and the Ontario Field Hockey Conference Championships.

Throughout the regular season the team was undefeated as they came up against such competition as Langstaff, Markham, Woodbridge, Thornhill, and Thornlea.

Because of this fantastic record of being undefeated, they were declared the York South Champions. This title led them to the York County Championships, which were staged at Bayview Secondary on October 23.

Other teams competing in this round robin tournament were Aurora, Langstaff and Newmarket.

Bayview put up a sustained effort during the entire tournament, and came out with wins against Newmarket and Langstaff, but could only manage a tie against Aurora.

Because of the fact that they remained undefeated, they were honored as being the official York County Champions.

The previous weekend (October 16 and 17), the team participated in the Ontario Field Hockey Conference Championships, in which six other schools were also in attendance.

This round robin affair was held at Sunnybrook Park, in which schools from the Toronto area did battle against each other and Bayview as well.

Bayview did very well, as they tied Strathallan 1-1, beat Medway 1-0, lost to Port Credit 2-0, tied Mayfield 0-0, knocked off Eastern 4-0, and tied Applewood 0-0.

Their final record was two wins, one loss, and three ties, with them outscoring their opponents 6-3.

This showing was very good, but unfortunately it was not good enough to win the whole thing.

During the weekend there were three all-star teams picked to play against some Senior teams, with Bayview's Linda Fraser being selected to one of them.

Throughout the entire season the team seemed to be defensively oriented, with the three halfbacks, Muriel Mortson, Danielle Pilotte, and Donna Walker, forming the backbone of the team.

But, it was and had to be an entire team effort if they were to do as well as they did. As Coach Diane Martyn put it, "Bayview has the best combination of experienced players and new enthusiasts to the game."

Top scorers during the season were left wing Linda Fraser, and centre forward Jan Baxter.

Again, congratulations must be extended to these girls who put up a fine performance throughout the entire season, and once again proved that Bayview is indeed a field hockey power.

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VOLLEYBALL

Last week the girls' junior volleyball team entered the playoffs and performed well enough to get into the league finals.

In the semi-finals they faced Markham in a best-three-out-of-five situation, with Bayview coming out on top three games to two.

This win moved them into the league championship against Woodbridge. The Bayview team were outclassed in this game, as a powerful Woodbridge unit defeated them three games to one.

This is the best effort that Bayview's Volleyball Team has come up with in quite a few years, thanks at least partially to the coaching of Miss Kathy Duncan.



RICHMOND HILL CURLING CLUB

German Theme Opening Mixed Bonspiel

The curling activities opened with their enthusiasm. Men's and ladies' schedules are now underway with the business girls and juniors commencing theirs this week.

The ladies of the curling club held their opening bonspiel October 20.

It was a great success with the first prize winner of the first draw being Irma Ferris and her rink of Sylvia Brown, Myrtle McEwen and Blanche Leslie. Second prize went to Mildred Ross with Terri Powell, Marlene Turner and Vivian Steffan. Third prize went to Jean Conkeybear with Gladys Thwaites, Bev Major and Joy Davidson.

On the second draw there were two winners, the first being Pat Thomson with Molly Waite, Marie Kaye and Clare Wood. Second prize went to Eileen Peck with Joyce Davey, Marj Sahr and Lil Williams.

The ladies all agreed it was a very successful bonspiel with a large number of new members participating.

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Appointed Richmond Hill Arenas Administrator Starts In With Hammer, Nails, Mop

By FRED SIMPSON

Ed Sackfield is the new full time administrator for the Richmond Hill Arenas. But don't expect to see him running around in suitcoat, shirt and tie. Not right now, anyway.

You're more likely to see him armed with a hammer in one hand, some nails in his mouth. His other hand might even be carrying a paint brush, a light bulb. Or heavens! Maybe a mop!

"This is something new for me," he was saying the other day as he prepared to replace a burnt out bulb with a new one. "I figure the best way to find out about a job is to do it yourself first. Then when you give orders you know what you're talking about."

It's Sackfield's hope to increase activity in the arena during the summer months to get away from the impression "that we're just here for winter hockey."

He's a resident of 272 Richmond Street and has been connected with minor hockey in Richmond Hill in one capacity or another for the past 14 years.

He is married and has four children — Robbie 17, Ricky 15, twins Wendy and Beth, ages 11. His wife's name is Edith.

His positions have included being a board of director, manager and coach of the Richmond Hill Lions Pee-wees, presently treasures of the Richmond Hill Arena Board and Richmond Hill Junior "B" Rams.

He was also peewee convenor for a couple of years. The past three years he has been co-coach with Gary Smith of the Pee-wee Lions.

AIM IS SERVICE

"The idea behind hiring a full time administrator," said Sackfield, "is to provide better service, a more co-ordinated service. It's an attempt to put the arenas to their best usage in order to increase revenue."

Yet another reason is the decision made recently to construct a new arena in Oak Ridges and Sackfield will have this particular building under his wing also.

"At the present time we've been concentrating on improving the appearance of the facilities here," he said.

This has included putting in a tile floor in the old arena, painting the outsides of the building.

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There is a seven-man executive but that could only mean seven different viewpoints on how to operate a league. You need a boss man, one boss man. If you don't like the way he does things, vote him out next year.

Secondly, you have the executive members also coaching and/or refereeing in the league. That's good for a minor revolution any time in my humble opinion.

A good example, or horrible one, is that fateful game that was called off and which started all the upset.

All three persons involved are on the seven-man executive. Namely Referee Bob Thompson who called the game, and Coaches Kyte and Bork.

Can you imagine the problems arising if Referee Thompson takes the problem to Executives Kyte or Bork? Or if Coaches Kyte and Bork take the matter to Executive Thompson? I don't need to go on.

I realize that any non-profit minor league has to get by with a minimum amount of people for a maximum amount of jobs. These people are sincere, very sincere, and contribute a heck of a lot.

But they are only human. They get too involved and that's when explosions start occurring. We all think we're mature even though the other guy may not be. Maybe we are. But we're also human and, dear me, humans disagree with one another on occasions.

GET TOGETHER

I've no real conclusions. I just want to congratulate the seven men who got together this year and made sure that we do have minor league football. I want to see them stay together, I want to see the league stay together.

At the same time I'm sure they will. They are all undoubtedly reasonable men. This is but a tempest in a tea pot. The time to stop it is now before emotions take over and it's too late.

Everyone should make a point of stressing that the whole idea, after all, is to have fun. This means the executive, coaches, players, and the parents. Maybe even the parents should stay out of it.

Amen.

STAG TIME

It looks like it's going to be one of those winters that you'll have to talk about Dynes Jewellers through snowstorms and bitter winds.

Like right now the Jewellers are readying to throw a "stag" November 12 at the Richmond Hill Lions Hall on Centre Street East to help dredge up some funds for their trip to Manila in February.

In case you don't know, that's where the World's Softball Tournament will be held.

This "stag" will feature some film (softball films, dear sir) on the Jewellers' triumph at Halifax. If you're interested in tickets contact Russell "Casey" Cripps at 884-3681.

Speaking of the Jewellers, the team had a victory party Saturday night at Sponsor Vern Dynes' house and had a bang-up time. I know I enjoyed myself because I felt so ill the next day. Those ginger ale bubbles are hard on the nose.

NOT ALL WORK

Just to prove it's not all work and no play. The men-in-blue of the York Regional Police Force are entering a team in the Southern Ontario Police Hockey League this season which opens November 8.

The league will be made up of the Oak Ridges area OPP (Division 5), and other men-in-blue from Kitchener, Mississauga, RCMP Toronto, and Chinguacousy.

York Region opened its series October 26 with an 8-4 win over Downsview (I think it was Downsview) at Woodbridge Arena. Will keep you posted on the team's doings, etc.

ED SACKFIELD
Major Appointment

arena board has to provide ice time for children in that area.

ICE TIME SHORT

"It's meant we've had to cut off some people from outside areas who have been using the rink in past years. This is unfortunate," said Sackfield, "but we're certainly glad to have the Oak Ridges people using our facilities."

"Ice time is still a problem in the area but this should be solved when the new rink is built at Oak Ridges."

"It's still in the early stages," he said, "but there's plenty of work to be done initially. It keeps me going."

Sackfield is a former local businessman having operated North End Cleaners for some 23 years. He was appointed to his newly created position by the arena board two weeks ago.

"Right now this is a new type of job for me," he said. "But I'm feeling my way and it's going good so far."

With the absorption of Oak Ridges into Richmond Hill, the place that broken bulb.

"Know Thyself" Theme Human Relations Lab

York University is conducting a Human Relations Lab at Terra Cotta Inn in Peel County November 14 to 20.

Sponsored by the university's centre for continuing education, the sessions will focus on learning through experience. Registration is limited to 20 people (two groups of 10) to ensure maximum contact with instructors.

Participants will concentrate on understanding of self, and how to relate more effectively with other people.

Information and brochures are available through the centre of continuing studies at York U, telephone 635-2525.

PEPPERLAW: Georgina Township is to have an engineering department. Council has approved a request by its engineer administrator Gerry Mintz, to hire a design draftsman. He told council it was the right time to hire a draftsman because many of the maps and diagrams could be worked on over the winter months.

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