



MINOR HOCKEY RESULTS

By BOB ROSS JR.

MINOR MITE
Michaelangelo defeated Chariot 3-1 on a hat trick by Carmen Moro. Keith Moffat had two helpers. Ronny Gillenau was unassisted on the Chariot goal.

Shawn Dodds registered a 1-0 shutout for Kinsmen over Baymar as Mike Tinsley was helped by John Brown on the only goal.

MINOR ATOM
Bob's Girls got a 3-1 win over Galaxy Restaurant as Donna Smith, Debbie Howarth and Sherri Bayley sank the puck. Smith got two assists and Howarth one. The Galaxy goal was netted by Stephen Quigg from Scott White.

In an exhibition game as they tuned up for the play-offs Barrow's Insurance defeated Fred's Towing 5-3. For Barrows Eddy Iafano had a pair and Robbie Apenis, Jean Louis Gendreau and Steven Rumble got singles. Assisting were Allan Jones, Iafano and Ronald Smit. Fred's replies came from Mark Joslin, Brian Dunnett and Gary Sutherland with assists going to Renato Minuti, Shawn McKenna, Reg Golub and Sutherland.

It was just like the Stanley Cup final with coverage on TV as Kinnears became the Atom League champions of the Atom League by defeating Charlton 2-1. Charlton's goal was scored by Jimmy Flett unassisted and Kinnear answered with an unassisted goal from Danny Tarkington. The winning goal was netted by Jackie Woods with assists going to Michael Goldsmith and Ricky Murphy.

Consumers Gas handed Braddock Optical a 6-1 defeat. Scoring for the winners were Stephen Harris with two goals and an assist, Keith Boulter, Warren Nye, David Barton and Stephen Taalman with a goal and an assist each. Mark Hayward got an assist. Braddock's lone counter was potted by Scott Mansbridge aided by Doug McLean.

INTERLECK CHAMPIONSHIP
Presentation of the atom championship and the opening face-off of the peewee championship were handled by Mayor Bill Lazenby, Pat Hickey of the Toros and Dave "Digger" Dunkley of the Rams. Also on the ice were Richvale President Al Cromb, Oak Ridges Representative Len White and Richmond Hill President Dick Hutchinson.

The Peewee trophy was presented by Dick Hutchinson and Len White to BAIF. The bantam trophy was presented by Don Fawcett, 2nd vice-president RHHA, to Richmond Hill TV.

In the lucky draw for door prize winners were M. Hoxey, Bruce Maheu, Tiziano Fantin, Steven Osmond, Len Moss, Jim Mark, Miss Sheila Page, Edward Saarikmaki, and Miss Debbie Chianelli. Prizes were donated by Richmond Sports, Baymar Sports, Bob's Bottoms & Up, RHHA and Bruce Buchanan. A dozen red roses to Mills were presented to Pat Hickey.

NOVICE
Galaxy Restaurant defeated Rascone Construction 4-2 February 23. Scoring for Galaxy were Roy Hayward, Stephen Quigg (2), Keith Crowe with help from Wayne Harris and Steve White. Scoring for Rascone were Jim McCleave and Jack Stewart with assists by Wayne Cardwell and Michael Girard.

BAIF racked up a 4-1 win over Northvale Motors with Jamie Tuck scoring twice, Bill Neilson and Stephen Davis each one with two assists credited to Eric Rockarts. John Mark was helped by Trevor Williams on Northvale's only goal.

Kent Clothes edged Raymore Construction 5-4. Ian Ball contributed two goals, and an assist, Mark Austin a goal and an assist, Raymond Barnett a goal, David Snider two assists, Joey Thurston a goal and Scott McLean an assist. For Raymore Denny Peters had a pair of counters, Andrew Rose and Scott Suter, one each, Suter, Gavin Butler, Eric Ahnert an assist each.

PEEWEE
Hodgins Hardware squeaked by Street Construction 4-3 February 15. Scoring for Hodgins was Robert Hughes with a hat trick, Mike Webb with a goal, Joe Farrell, Norm Murphy and Scott Caseldon with an assist each. Brian Russell did all the scoring for Streets with help from John Noble (2), Dave Weatherhead and Rick Neil.

Bruce Buchanan's unassisted goal gave Tony's Esso a 1-0 victory over Hodgins February 23.

Two unassisted goals by Dan Iafano gave Eric's a 2-1 win over Dynes February 23. Jerry Lawlor was assisted by Darrell Gleason on Dynes' goal.

Shields handed Streets a 3-2 defeat on goals by Shawn McKenzie, Rick Lapenna and Dave Vennard with Bob Willcock, Craig Peterkin and Dennis Kane helping. For Street the marksmen were Glenn Fehily assisted by Rob Strain and Greg Dailey and Blake Moss aided by Dave Stewart and Bobby Hill.

MINOR BANTAM
A pair of goals by Jim Wood and a single by Scott Taylor with assists from Randy Johnston, Bill Barton and Steve Young gave Pirris a 3-2 win over the Cougars. The losers' goals were netted by John Lyons and Don Bowen who sank a Lyons' pass.

In the second game of the semi-finals Pirris again were victorious over Cougars 2-1. Mark Bruhn came up with a counter and an assist and Jim Wood with a goal for Pirris. Richard Legge scored for the Cougars. This gave Pirris the semi-final series 5-3.

In the first game of the semi-finals Richmond Hill TV tied Brian's Shell 3-3. Scoring for TV were Danny Petroff, Mike Pedro and Luciano Teso with assists from Dale Banton, Steven Reynolds (2) and Teso. Brad O'Hara connected for two goals, and Danny Parmenter for one with help from Jesse Waddington, Greg Walton, John Burnett and Brad O'Hara.

The TV men took the second game 4-3 and the series 7-6. In the second game Greg McMillan clicked for a hat trick and Steve Reynolds got the other while Neil Putnam, Bill Byers, Paul Hillaby and Russell Graham earned assists. Brian's goals were netted by Jim Burnett, Mark Robson, Randy Tinsley with John Burnett assisting on the latter.

Pirris Fruit and Richmond Hill TV met in the finals. In an exhibition game February 21 Simms Construction defeated D&D Excavating 6-0 with Andy Beckwith getting a hat trick, Randy Bennett, Robert Greiner and Peter Long singletons, Martin Bacchi, Peter Long, Tom Jensen and Backwith aided.

Bennett and Dave Collins. Rick Girard and Larry McGee both scored unassisted for Blackthorn.

MIDGET
Little Fords managed a 3-2 win over Oak Ridges when Alan Thomas, Frank Alisch and Bruce Chaisson hit the target and Zenio Ferrone, Gord Sinfield and Alan Thomas contributed assists. Allan Lusk and Steve Sackfield were the goalgetters for Oak Ridges with help from Tom Dukelow, Rick Lusk (2) and Robert Herd.

Village Pizza overwhelmed Cifelli Carpenters 7-4 as Kyle Chatfield connected for two goals, Steve Wilson, John Peden, Doug Whitting, Neil Clark and Roland Proulx for a goal each, Clark, (3) Brian Moran (2), Scott Kerr, and Roger Wiegant assisting. Wayne Stiver got all four goals for Cifelli with Darrell Ramdeen and Stuart Bellamy each getting two assists.

Oak Ridges Midgets Whip Stayner 6-2

The Oak Ridges Alex Brockton Midgets opened their best-of-five playoff series against Stayner with a convincing 6-2 win Friday night in Stayner.

Al Heintzman led the offensive with a three-goal effort plus an assist and played an all round excellent game. Other goals were by Peter McConachie, Dale Rofey, Paul Smith. Assists to John Lenneville, three; Gary Gee, two; Jim Gerber, one; Peter McConachie, Dale Rofey; and Len Beintima.

The midgets play at Oak Ridges Wednesday of this week at 8 pm and again Sunday at 3 pm, also in Oak Ridges.

The Oak Ridges Lions Club Juveniles won two exhibition games downing Richmond Hill "A" Juveniles 6-5 and then winning over Bolton by 3-1.

The win against Richmond Hill was led by Albert Shaw with two goals with singles going to Brent Orser, Steve Ground, Alan Heintzman, and Brian Jones. Assists to Brian Jones, two and singles to Orser, Ground, Heintzman, Larry Gueran, and Wayne Rofey.

Against Bolton it was Cam Cummings showing the way with two goals with Larry Gueran getting the other one.

Results of the Little NHL preliminary Division "C" Playdowns at Bond Lake Arena Saturday and Sunday were as follows:

Sharon won the atom bracket with a 2-0 win over Sharon; Oak Ridges, peewee, 4-3 over Sharon; Sharon, bantam, 1-0 over Oak Ridges; consolation, atom Oak Ridges 4-3 over Richvale; peewee, Richvale, 2-0 over Bradford; Bantam, 2-1, Richvale over Alliston.

14-Boy Richmond Hill Soccer Team Taking Exhibition Tour Of England

A team of 14 soccer playing Richmond Hill youngsters will be touring England and playing exhibition games from March 9 until March 23.

The boys, ages about 12, will use Sevenoaks as their base and be the guest of the Amherst School at Riverhead.

Five matches have been set up against Amherst School, Tonbridge Juniors, Brasted and Sevenoaks Schools.

In addition the young tourists will also be spending three days in Sheffield as guests of the Sheffield School Soccer Association where they will play two matches.

Playing prominent roles in the arrangements for the tour were Ed Kenny, a former resident of Richmond Hill now living in England, and Manager and Coach Sam Johnston. Team members, coach and executive members will attend receptions as put on by the Lord Mayor of Sheffield, and the mayors of Sevenoaks, Tonbridge and the Village of Brasted.

They will also go on a sight-seeing trip to London and visit the Tower of London, Big Ben, Westminster Abbey and Trafalgar Square. Team players are Chris Arbuckle, Paul Beckwith, Jeff Briggs, Paul Buchan, Peter

Bulfin, Brian Hobbs, Danny Iafano, Mark and Kevin Kernohan, Mike Kirk, Alan Lyndon, Kenny Main, Scott Patterson and Graham Rowe.

Their schedule is as follows:

March 10, arrive London; March 11, 7 pm, reception, Amherst P.S. Meet the team and hosts; March 12, half day sightseeing trip; 3 pm, Richmond Hill vs. Amherst CP School; March 13, all day sightseeing in London; March 14, 12 noon, reception lunch tea; 4:45, Richmond Hill vs. Sevenoaks School; March 15, all day trip to Dover, Isle of Wight, Hoovercraft; March 16, visit to London, see game between Queens Park R. vs. Wolverhampton; March 17, Richmond Hill vs. Brasted; March 18, civic reception at Sevenoaks. Possibly another game. March 19, day at Tonbridge, reception and game, Richmond Hill vs. Tonbridge; March 20, visit to Sheffield; March 21, two games in Sheffield; March 22, return to Sevenoaks; March 23, return to Canada.

Accompanying with them besides Coach Sam Johnston will be Rob Kernohan, Al Beckwith and Les Trotman who are executive members of the association and Mrs. Trotman and parents Mr. and Mrs. Ted Main.

Nats Bow Out In 7 North Bay Wins 5-4

The 1973-74 edition of the Provincial Junior "A" Vaughan Nationals' Hockey Club officially bowed out of the playoffs when they dropped a 5-4 seventh game to North Bay Trappers.

But the unofficial end came Friday night in North Bay when they blew a 4-0 lead while leading the best-of-seven series three games to two. "Anytime you blow a 4-0 lead you don't deserve to win," was the comment of one of the Vaughan players and that just about summed it all up.

The Trappers went on to win the game 7-5 to tie the series and setting the scene for Sunday night's death-blow at Maple.

That game saw Vaughan's Brian Burch scoring the only goal of the first period at the 17 minute mark.

Then came the second period and the visitors from North Bay were the opportunists all the way as they pumped home four unanswered goals despite fairly even play. Pulling the triggers were Randy Stojkiewicz, Brian Kuruliac, Dave Nadeau and Mitch Babin.

BARN BURNER
The final period was a "barn-burner" with Brian Wilton scoring for Vaughan to make it 4-2 only to have North Bay's Bob Horton put the visitors in front by 5-2.

Goals by Brian Wilton and Rick Crisdale narrowed the score to 5-4 and it remained that way until there were six minutes remaining in the game as the Nats dominated play.

The Trappers held on for the final six minutes and it was series over. An indication of the play could be drawn from the fact the Nats fired 40 shots at Danny Ranich in goal for North Bay while Vaughan's Kevin Wilton was stopping 19.

Friday night's big loss in North Bay saw Vaughan opening with a 4-goal edge on counters by Warren Holmes, Brent Bowen, Doug Taylor, and Ike Makos.

They maintained the lead until the 9:39 mark of the second period when Mitch Babin scored the first of his four goals of the night.

ROOF FALLING
That's when the roof fell in. Babin went on to rap in two more goals at 10:10 and 13:41 with Glen Urquhard

BALLANTRAE: The fire marshal has been requested to assess the scope of present fire-fighting facilities in this municipality, after receipt by council of the need for an auxiliary fire station in the northern section of Whitechurch-Stouffville. The Erie Manufacturing Company has offered its swimming pool reservoir as a water supply. Three properties in this area were razed by fire in 1973 because of lack of water and the time needed for the firefighters to get there.

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At Ottawa's Operation Olympics

2 Richmond Hill Athletic Club Swimmers Win Provincial Rank

Two Hill swimmers won honor for their club and provincial ranking for themselves when they competed at Operation Olympics in Ottawa Saturday of last week. Operation Olympics is the national age group championships and 12 finalists in each group compete in age groupings.

Neil Miller, competing in the 100-metres freestyle for 16 years and over event, placed sixth in the province with a time of 58.9 seconds, two-tenths of a second slower than his best time. Only recently has he been able to beat the minute for the 100-metres and now appears to beat it at will.

He was lying sixth in the preliminary events before the final in the Capital City and he held on to this position, showing great form under pressure.

SWIMMING EVENTS
In the 200-metre breast stroke event for 12 year old boys, Stephen Davey smashed his personal record by over three seconds to finish seventh in the province. Coach Ross Ballantyne said it was a remarkable performance as he had lapped over six seconds off his personal best in the last two weeks.

Both swimmers will be ranked on the Canada wide scale when the times across the country are computed in the next few weeks.

The day after competing in the Capital, both swimmers competed in a three club meet at Richmond Hill Centennial Pool Sunday where they won their specialties with ease in a three club meet, against Oshawa and

HOURS

The offices of the Children's Aid Society of the Regional Municipality of York 288 Cawthra Boulevard, Newmarket will NOT be open the evening of Wednesday, March 6, 1974 because of the Annual Meeting of the Society

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There are no bargains in driveway paving

Ontario's Consumer Protection Bureau receives many complaints about residential driveway paving. Fly-by-night contractors appear every spring, offering to asphalt or resurface driveways at ridiculously low prices. Their usual ploy is that they "just happened to be in the area and we have good orders from your neighbors so we can give you a good deal if we do your driveway now." Be suspicious of this type of operator.

Despite repeated warnings, many consumers do business with contractors who do not even have an address. Anyone can rent equipment and slap down a thin covering of asphalt. When the driveway cracks and weeds start growing through it soon after the job is completed, these hucksters cannot be found so nothing can be done to have repairs made.

Choosing a Contractor

There are no bargains in driveway paving. You only get what you pay for. Paving is a major undertaking that involves expensive supplies and equipment. A first-class paving job should last at least 10 years with routine care.

Your best bet when considering either resurfacing or paving your driveway for the first time is to get three estimates from reputable contractors.

Ask the contractor for the names of three people in your area with whom he has done business. If possible, look at their driveways and ask if they are satisfied.

Don't haggle or cut corners on the quoted price. A contractor may cut his price, but he will also reduce the amount of material he supplies. Thus, a lower price will affect the quality of the work.

Make sure that all quotes include everything you want and list the types of materials to be used and the method of construction. Be especially careful if you have a drainage problem. Once you have three estimates in writing, telephone the Consumer Protection Bureau to ensure that the contractor is duly registered under the provisions of The Consumer Protection Act. The Bureau will be able to indicate whether the company has been the subject of consumer complaints.

Three Driveway Types

There are basically three types of driveway paving jobs:

1. An adequate first paving requires a six-inch excavation which is then filled with crushed and compacted limestone to a depth of four inches. To this, two inches of compacted asphalt is added.
2. For a severely cracked older driveway, a good job requires that the old asphalt be completely removed before backfilling with four inches of compacted crushed limestone. After this, two inches of compacted asphalt is added.
3. For a re-capping job, where minor cracks have appeared, a layer of asphalt over the original driveway is sufficient.

The Contract

Before signing any residential paving contract remember:

- Never sign a blank contract. This amounts to signing a blank cheque.
- Make sure the contract includes full details and specifications of the job to be done.
- Read and understand all terms and conditions before signing.
- Make sure all verbal agreements are written into the contract. (Verbal agreements rarely stand up in court.)
- Delete any terms in the contract you find unacceptable and make sure that both parties initial the change.
- Get a firm date for completion of the work.
- If there are still unacceptable conditions or terms, don't sign. Learn how to say, "NO."
- Make sure the contractor's name and address are included in the contract.
- Never pay more than ten percent of the total cost as a downpayment.
- Don't be fooled with the offer of a lengthy guarantee. A guarantee is only good for as long as the company remains in business.

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