

Around the Diamonds

A coach for the squirt house league team has been acquired in the past week. Now all that is needed to complete the roster for this season is an assistant convenor for the squirt division. Any volunteer for this position is asked to contact Mrs. Lynda Price at 884-9782.

The gremlins were busy in last week's column and the schedule of games was headed 1975. Of course this should have read 1974.

Week of May 20
EXHIBITION GAMES
T-BALL
Apollo 11 Coiffure 13
Cork Provincial Amb. 18
Baymar Sports 18
Town Auto Body 15

All the youngsters had a good time to start the new season.

TYKES
Tony's Esso 10
G. S. Wood Opticians 3
Ziebart Rustproofing 10
Ramsey Rec. 7

SQUIRTS
N. S. Smith 6
Hodgins Hardware 1
Brian Dunett hit two for three at bats for Smith. Edward Devlin got the only run for Hodgins.

R. F. Mote 8
R. H. Auto Body 6

Kevin Turner pitched very well for Mote, having eight strikeouts.

David of RH Auto Body recorded eight strikeouts. Wayne and Don both contributed homeruns.

Sovereign Water Conditioners 5
Murphy Real Estate 2
PEEWEEES
R. H. Judo 2
Bob's Boys 1

This was a real pitchers' duel as it went into extra innings before it was settled. Jeff Joslin of Judo recorded 15 strikeouts, while Jim Major of Bob's had nine. Paul Bunton scored the winning run.

City Wide Rental 3
Bill Best Tire 3

Homeruns were supplied by Len Bowman of Bill Best and Chris McVeigh for City Wide. Paul Osborne pitched well for City Wide.

Dynes Jewellers 5
Kenzie Pharmacy 1
Mike O'Donnell, Kevin

Shipcott and Chris Gaffney all played well for Dynes. Mike Smith recorded 10 strikeouts. For Kenzie John McKinlay, Mike Mulvihill and Craig Peterkin all contributed two hits each.

BANTAMS
Rumble Transport 4
Alliance Sports 2
Commercial Credit 7
Charlton Hardware 3

For Commercial Credit Ron Lindemann and Greg Henderson each contributed homeruns. With the combined pitching of David Mock and Lorne Davidson there were 15 strikeouts. Ed Rayner of Charlton recorded 13 strikeouts.

JUNIOR GIRLS
Nelson's Contracting 5
Allencourt Fish & Chips 3
Pam MacInnis pitched well, having 13 strikeouts. For Nelson's Karen Wells hit a homerun.

Perry Hill 4
Bob's Girls 3

INTERMEDIATE GIRLS
Lazenby's Ladies 11
Loughlin Lumber 4
Rice's Flowers 6
Powell Fencing 5

For the exhibition opens all four teams played well with a lot of enthusiasm. Lazenby's Ladies came on strong after a seasaw beginning to win over Loughlin Lumber. Ellen Quereguesser hit a homerun for Rice's Flowers and Tracey Henderson hit a triple for Lazenby's.

SENIOR GIRLS
Hanson's Flowers 9
Dairy Queen 9

Elaine Allen caught an excellent game until she received an injured hand. Janet Wells played well as shortstop and catcher. Lorie Brooshooff and Karen Anderson hit well for Dairy Queen, getting two for two.

Aloi Bros. 20
Micro Mets 9

Cindy Sutton pitched an excellent game for Aloi. Kim Podorski did an excellent job behind the plate. Darlene Nelson hit three times in four trips to the plate.

For Micro Mets Christina Barbour pitched well. Melinda Naylor did an excellent job at second base and in the outfield.



LET'S PLAY TENNIS
Richmond Hill Tennis Club
By Brian Bullock
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Wine, Cheese, Tennis Party Saturday

The opening round robin event starts at 1 pm Saturday at Crosby Park Courts. You are all welcome. And don't worry if you're late, we'll probably manage to fit you in. Partners will be supplied as well as wine and cheese. It's a lot of fun. I still remember last year — two glasses of Cold Duck and I was strictly cold turkey.

Captain Peggy Freeman says, start challenging. OK, here's my first challenge... to Peggy. How does it work? Bob McKee, finding himself at the top of the men's singles pyramid, has announced that since he can't do any better he will resign and give lesser players a chance. Those of us who know Bob for the great sportsman that he is, expect these gestures, and a few of the others he makes from time to time. He's been a stale wart, oh! stalwart is it, on the teams for many years, his main assets being his incredible talent for winning the toss (when he tosses) and his uncanny line calls.

GIRLS WIN—BOYS LOSE
The girls had a splendid win at Donalda on Saturday 5-3. Captain Vickie Robinson and Janet Grant won their singles handily and Karen Hutchinson and Judy McLean tied their doubles to give us the necessary points. Team Manageress Pat Robinson was understandably well pleased with our first ever win over Donalda.

Ruddington, just to make sure I wouldn't ever forget them, came to Richmond Hill on Saturday and this time called out our boys 5-3. As in last week's match, we could well have won this one. Paul Beck and James Vermeulen just lost their second set in a tie-breaker which, if reversed, would have tied the whole match 4-4. And they only lost the first set 7-5. Tony Robinson split his singles playing nicely controlled tennis. Tony has been with the team since we first started junior teams and he's always a pleasure to watch.

TOURNAMENTS
ICTA Junior Doubles, June 7, 8, 9.
Enter your names on the application form on the clubhouse bulletin board. Entrants will be informed of the location by phone as there are two.

COURT ACCESS
It is hoped that by the end of this week, a combination lock will be in use on the south west gate. Senior members can obtain the combination by calling Valerie Bruhn on 884-4881. When you open the gate PLEASE FASTEN THE PADLOCK TO THE GATE HOOK so that it cannot be mislaid. And lock up when you leave during club time if the courts are empty.

NEW COACH
This year Coach Ian Griffin became a member of our club and just to show that it can be done in reverse one of our members, Steve Cox, has become a coach. He is listed among the OLTA Certified Instructors in this month's "Ontario Tennis". Congratulations Steve. Now about my backhand. What do you mean, what backhand?

Bantam Boys Sharp Win 2 Exhibitions
The Richmond Hill Bantam Boys team representative team has shown indications of being very competitive this season having chalked up 6-2 and 12-0 exhibition wins.

200 Fans

Hill Boxing Show Delights Features Action And Drama

Some 200 spectators turned out Sunday to see boxing come to Richmond Hill at the Lions Community Hall and they more than got their money's worth.

Nine action-filled bouts studded the two-hour card with the high-light being the personal appearance of Canadian Heavyweight Champion George Chuvalo.

The matches had everything from wild slug-fests to a scientific five-round boxing exhibition between 110-pound OBA Flyweight and Bantamweight Champions Nicky Furlano and Sammy Reis, Novice Golden Glove champion. Both are members of Sully Sullivan's Toronto boxing club.

Boxing fans even got the chance to watch one bloody nose and a knockout during the bouts.

KNOCKOUT
The knockout came in the match between Richmond Hill St. Gabriel's Boxing Club's Todd Fraser and Sully's hard-hitting Danny Smear in the 126-pound class.

Fraser hit the deck second as he attempted to slug it out with Smear who calmly blocked his best shots and then sagged Fraser with a right-hand. Smear was adjudged the best prospect of the tournament and walked off with the Richmond Hill Firefighters Trophy.

The St. Gabriel Club boys fared well overall as they took their share of the wins especially in the small younger groupings.

Defeat finally came in the 7th bout as Sully's Jack Ventrone had too much going for him against Doug Daniel.

Mic Mac Juniors 40-Run Explosion
The Richmond Hill Juvenile Dairy Queen Mic Mac girls opened their softball season on a thundering note last week putting together a total of 40 runs in two games to the opposition's 10.

Needless to say, Richmond Hill won both games. They walloped Bolton 29-2 in Bolton Tuesday night of last week and then edged Kleinberg 11-8 in their home opener at the town park Thursday night.

Rangers Win Soccer 3-1 Over Nwkt.

The Richmond Hill Soccer Rangers picked up another two points on the weekend as they downed Newmarket 3-1 in Newmarket.

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Neither team played well due to bad park conditions but the Rangers adapted more quickly to the field adversities.

June 13-14-15
THURS. - FRI. SATURDAY

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8:00 - Judo Demonstrations
SAT. - 15th—
3:00 - Dog Showings
5:00 - Judo Demonstrations
8:00 - Fashion Show
9:00 - Pool Draw

3 BIG DAYS
RICHMOND HILL ARENA
TOWN PARK - CHURCH & LORNE STS.

The Rangers drew first blood as Right Winger Andy Godchalk scored on a pass from Jimmy McKeegan.

Their next goal came at the 30-minute mark on a beautiful combination play from Andy Brennan to Jan Dorst who took it down the left wing, returned it to Brennan who sent it over to Vincent Fottrell who made no mistake with his low right-footed shot into the corner of the net.

Steve Wright made it three in a row for Richmond Hill for 85 pounders as he decided Bruce Dack of the Beaches.

Newmarket came out pressing at the start of the second half and it paid off when a penalty kick was awarded against star centre half Jimmy Leitch of the Rangers. Goalie Ron Binsell didn't have a chance on the accurate drive.

Then came a unanimous win for Richmond Hill's Cam Moss over Sully's Sam Ombricolo in the 75 pound bracket. Moss was all over Ombricolo for the entire distance.

The Rangers took over after this and controlled the game the rest of the way. A few near misses were followed by the Rangers wrap-up goal.

It started with team captain John White passing to Jimmy McKeegan who kicked it up the wing to Ian Dorst who beat two Newmarket defenders before passing the ball to Vincent Fottrell.

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Inside Ranger Right Joe MacFarlane had some excellent opportunities to add to the score along with Dorst and inside left Andy Brennan but they couldn't finish off their chances.

The Rangers will host Aurora United Saturday at Pearson Park in Richmond Hill. Kickoff time is 6 pm.

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Sport Spots

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ism than skill in most of the bouts and quite a bit of un-planned humor. They flailed away at one another as if they were dueling with fly-swatters.

In one of the matches, this one chap kept charging at his opponent as if he was going to tackle him. This turned out to be too much for the latter and he'd just turn around and take off. Never did catch him.

Of course, there was plenty of skill involved also. The most impressive match (other than the knockout) was the last one which involved two teenage scrappers from Sully Sullivan's Toronto club put on a five-round exhibition match which featured dazzling footwork and some lightning-fast left and right jabs. Strictly scientific, strictly impressive.

AL'S CLUB

Al's club works out every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at St. Gabriel's on Bayview Avenue from 6:30 pm to 9 pm.

"It's my opinion," said Al, "that boxing is cleaner than hockey. There's a referee in the ring and just you and the other guy. We always use head-gears in the gym and no one gets hurt. It's great exercise."

In fact you don't even have to box to join Al's club.

GREAT EXERCISE

"I've got boys who have been with the club since we opened and they've never had the gloves on. They work out with the rest in the gym, skip three rounds with the rope, shadow box, lift weights, etc. The others go two rounds on the heavy bag, two rounds on the speed bags, do sit-ups, etc. Great exercise."

Al winces when you comment somewhat weakly that there seems to be a lot of hitting to boxing.

"We don't stress the hitting," explains Al. "We stress the defensive part of boxing. We try to teach them to not get hit. That where the science comes in." All right Al, but . . .

SWIM SHOW

Got a swim show here that sounds like a dandy. Tonight (Wednesday) members of the Richmond Hill Centennial Swim Club will be presenting swimming demonstrations starting at 7 pm. This will also feature competitive swimming, life guard team, etc.

Also on hand will be four of Canada's top divers in the persons of Beverly Boys, Cindy Shatto, Linda Cuthbert, and Skip Phoenix. You don't want to miss these.

Big Fish Contest Is Now Underway

All anglers in this area will be interested in the 15th annual "Big Fish Contest" now open which will run until November 17. It is sponsored by the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters in cooperation with Molson's Brewery (Ontario) Limited.

The cash prizes total \$3,200 and range from \$100 for the biggest fish in each of the eight eligible species to \$10 for the 15th prize. All fish that meet the minimum weight requirements for the species will also qualify for a special anglers' certificate.

The game fish eligible for entry in the contest are Rainbow Trout, Speckled Brook Trout, Lake or Splake, Walleye (Pickerel), Northern Pike, Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass and Muskellunge.

Entry forms must be accompanied by a clear side view photograph of the fish. Scale samples are requested, if possible, and these are sent to the Ministry of Natural Resources for study. Scales submitted in the past have provided the fisheries department with valuable information on sport fish.

Entry forms can be obtained at convenient locations throughout Ontario or by writing to "The Big Fish Contest," Box 480, Richmond Hill Ontario.

A free kick was awarded Richmond Hill as Keith Prosser blasted one which went in just off the goalpost to make it 4-3.

Hill United Loses By 5-3 Aurora Team

Richmond Hill United dropped a 5-3 soccer game to Aurora United Saturday in a game played at Don Head.

The Hill squad got off to a bad start and saw two mistakes put them in arrears in the early going. They finally got going and the game was close from there on in.

They came on the strongest in the second half aided by a strong wind and with a bit more luck might easily have won the game.

Exchanges were fairly even for the first 20 minutes when Aurora scored quite unexpectedly on a defensive error by the home side. They made it 2-0 shortly after with Richmond Hill's goalkeeper John Slawson having no chance.

This latter score rattled Richmond Hill and this enabled Aurora to capitalize again to lead 3-0 going into the second half.

Richmond Hill kept pressing but Aurora got a quick break and scored on a deflected shot from leftwing.

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