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Three Cheers For Thornhill's Umpires

Although they don't very often get the traditional "Three Cheers For The Ump" from the two ball teams after each game nowadays, the umpires are still a very important part of every game. When respected as judges and arbiters doing their best, the lot of the umpires is a happy one. Most coaches help to lead their young players in a fair attitude, but some times the "ump" still has a tough time of it. Having somehow survived the season still

able to smile, the Thornhill Softball League's roster of 1974 umpires (left to right) included: (front row) Dan Willison, Umpire-In-Chief Dave Eaton, Joe Petrosino, Marc Danckert, Ken Eaton, Bill Wheeler, Paul Bourrie and Bob Houghton; (back row) George Meek, John Donaldson, Larry Rose, Cary Small, Chris Murock, Bill Houghton, Steve Kavanaugh and Tony Levy; with Bob Coryell kneeling between the rows.

Play Stouffville For Championship

Squirts Win First Round Take Claremont In 3 Games

By MARG HOUGHTON
The Thornhill Softball League's Canac Cardinal Squirts, coached by John Zubick and Orton Beaumont, advanced to the York Simcoe South Division finals when they eliminated Claremont in the third game of the series, by a score of 8 to 3. The teams split the first two games of the series, Thornhill taking the first game by a score of 4 to 3, and Claremont taking the second game by a score of 10 to 8.

CLAREMONT STRONG
In the third game, Claremont started strongly, getting three singles in the first inning, but good defensive ball playing by the Thornhill boys cut off the runs at the plate. There was no scoring until the bottom of the third inning, when Thornhill scored five runs on four hits, an error and two passed balls. Jay Zubick started the inning with a hard grounder to third, and was safe when the third baseman bobbled the ball. Gary Quenneville, Adrien Smith, Greg Packer, and Kevin Goble followed

with singles and all runners scored. Claremont got one run in the fifth on two singles. Thornhill added three more runs in the sixth on two singles and two errors by Claremont. The visitors tried in vain to make it close in the seventh when the lead-off batter was safe on an error and came home on a single by Mallett.

Mallett was out trying to make it home from second on a single by Norton. The next two batters were retired in order.

LEADS IN HITS
Gary Quenneville led the hitting parade for the home boys with three singles in four trips to the plate. Jonathan Angel pitched a strong game, allowing six hits, walked three and struck out six.

The Cardinals now meet Stouffville for the south division championship. First game of this series to be played at Grandview on September 23.

Thornhill Senior Citizens Hold Season's First Meeting

By MARGARET GOVAN
The first general meeting of the new season took place, as usual, in the hall of Thornhill Presbyterian Church, September 18. The attendance was small and it was decided to postpone the election of officers and other business requiring a vote from the membership, until the October meeting. A further \$2 will entitle the member to luncheon. Mrs. Baker will find out the proposed menu and if it suits, the additional \$2 will be collected on the bus.

Those members present arranged for their trips. Others wishing to go are asked to contact Mrs. Baker at 222-3604.

There were a few games of euchre followed by tea and biscuits. The meeting adjourned at 4 pm.

BRADFORD: The local Lions Club turned over more than \$15,000 to the town recently as full payment for the new tennis courts in Centennial Park completed recently.

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TSS Tiger Tales

By JUDY McDONALD
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Thornhill Field Hockey Girls Tough On Thornlea, Langstaff

I hope everyone is getting back into the grind of homework tests and assignments after a long and lazy summer. This past week at Thornhill has been bustling with activity, after the first initial shock of being expected to do some work. Most of our clubs and sports have been organizing and practising for the season ahead.

By the time you read this, the Thornhill Tigers will have kicked off their football season. The first game was scheduled for September 24, at home against Bayview.

BOSS ELECTION

Homerun representatives were elected to the BOSS (Board of Student Senators) last week.

Thornhill's annual trip to Stratford was made September 24. Everyone enjoyed Moliere's play, "The Imaginary Invalid".

GIRLS' FIELD HOCKEY

Two ties and a loss started the ball rolling for Thornhill's girls' field hockey team. The first game of the triple-header, held at Bayview Secondary, was a close defeat for Thornhill by Newmarket. Thornhill's team managed to tie up the last two games against Langstaff and Thornlea with scores of 1-1 and 1-0 respectively.

The bridge club under the direction of Dr. D. J. McMurchy has chosen Wednesdays for game nights. Everyone is invited to attend.

YEAR'S FIRST DANCE

Thornhill's first dance was held Friday evening. The dance organizers stepped out on the right foot by engaging FLUDD for the evening's entertainment. This first social event of the year was enjoyed by all.

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