

Epic boys ousted by Orillia in finals



York Simcoe champs

Following are members of the Richmond Hill Tournaments Inc. Minor Bantams who won the York-Simcoe championship last week. Front row (left to right) Maurice Del Fabro, Craig Halliday, Danny Henderson, Eddie McCleave, Dave Jordan, David Allen, Steve Shannon, Glen Dunford.

Middle row, Ken Main, Joe Thurston, Bill Madden, Mike O'Donnell, Mark Austin, Jeff Briggs, Doug Eldridge, Eric Rocklart, Doug Jones. Back row, Larry Trollope, manager, Ray Floyd, coach, Wayne Allison coach. (See story Page B-1).

RICHMOND HILL — An injury-plagued Richmond Hill Epic Bantam team went down to defeat against Orillia in the York Simcoe finals by 4-2 and 5-2 scores.

That final 5-2 loss saw the Realty bantams forced to dress injured "Digger" DeGeer and have him sit on the bench just to have the required number of players in the lineup.

Despite this, the Epic boys come up with a hard struggle before losing with their goals going to Scott Bartlett from Jeff Joslin; and Gary Carvin from the same Bartlett.

The opening game 4-2 loss saw the Hillers losing a tough one despite a great effort in the net by Rick Warren.

For Epics it was Bartlett from Joel Reeves and Cross; and Rick Gerber from Jim Majury and Joslin.

Coach happy Epic coach Richard Hughes was happy with his despite the loss stating that "this is a great group of kids who in the past years of playing OMHA hockey have never gone this far in the league. Their efforts deserve full

acknowledgement.

Tournament The Epic boys are currently in the North York Invitational Hockey tournament and have won their first two games by 4-2 over Cedar Hill and 3-0 over Agincourt in a two-game total points to count series.

Play today The second game takes place today (Wednesday) at North York Centennial Arena.

The opening game saw Epic take a 3-0 lead in the first period on two goals by Bartlett and one by

Gerber. Assists went to David Plaxton, Carvin and Joslin.

Cedar Hill came back in the second and third periods to make it 3-2 but Richard Hughes put the game away from Bartlett.

Shutout for Warren The second game saw goalie Rick Warren coming up with the shutout with a terrific effort.

The goals were scored by Bartlett from Cross and Hughes; Bartlett from Majury and Dan O'Sullivan; and Hughes from Majury and Joslin.

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BANTAM-Under 15
MIDGET-Under 17
JUVENILE-Under 19

Agas as of Jan. 15 of current year.

Minor ball registration time

RICHMOND HILL — Registration dates for Richmond Hill Minor Ball will be held April 3 and 10 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the new arena here.

Fee per child is \$7, family rate is \$18.

It was also announced that "with the increasing interest and co-operation of the parents in Richmond Hill" the association has achieved a full executive committee with all positions filled for the 1976 season.

The executive committee is:

New executive
Stan Shadoff, president; Shirley Edwards, treasurer; George Nelson, equipment manager; Ann Thorpe, publicity director; Lillian Chepelsky, secretary; Dale Trumbull, diamond controller; Lois Smith, head convener; Ed Deminiuk, umpire-in-chief.

Footnote:

The RHMB is a separate body of executives from the Richmond Hill Ball Association which most people seem to be confused about.

The minor ball executives work directly

with all boys and girls ages five years and up in the house league division in Richmond Hill only.

Lots of enthusiasm

RHMB publicity director Anne Thorp told "The Liberal" that "with all the enthusiasm being shown we are looking forward to a very promising season in minor ball with lots of action nightly in Bradstock Park commencing around May 24."

"Parents are urged to attend registration with their children as a required signature is required on all application forms."

"We still need all those parents who so graciously gave their time last season in coaching our house league teams for similar duties this season. We also need conveners for all divisions as well."

"You can sign on registration day when you come to the arena."

Your efforts are very much appreciated, not only by the children but by the executive committee and parents alike.

It is quite a rewarding experience to be involved with boys and girls in the

house league teams."

Clinics

Plans are also underway for an umpires' and pitchers' clinic. These clinics are for the benefit of everyone and run free of charge.

Youngsters are also encouraged to attend.

Dates of the clinics will be announced.

The association will be holding a Spring dance June 19 at St. Mary's Catholic Church.

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