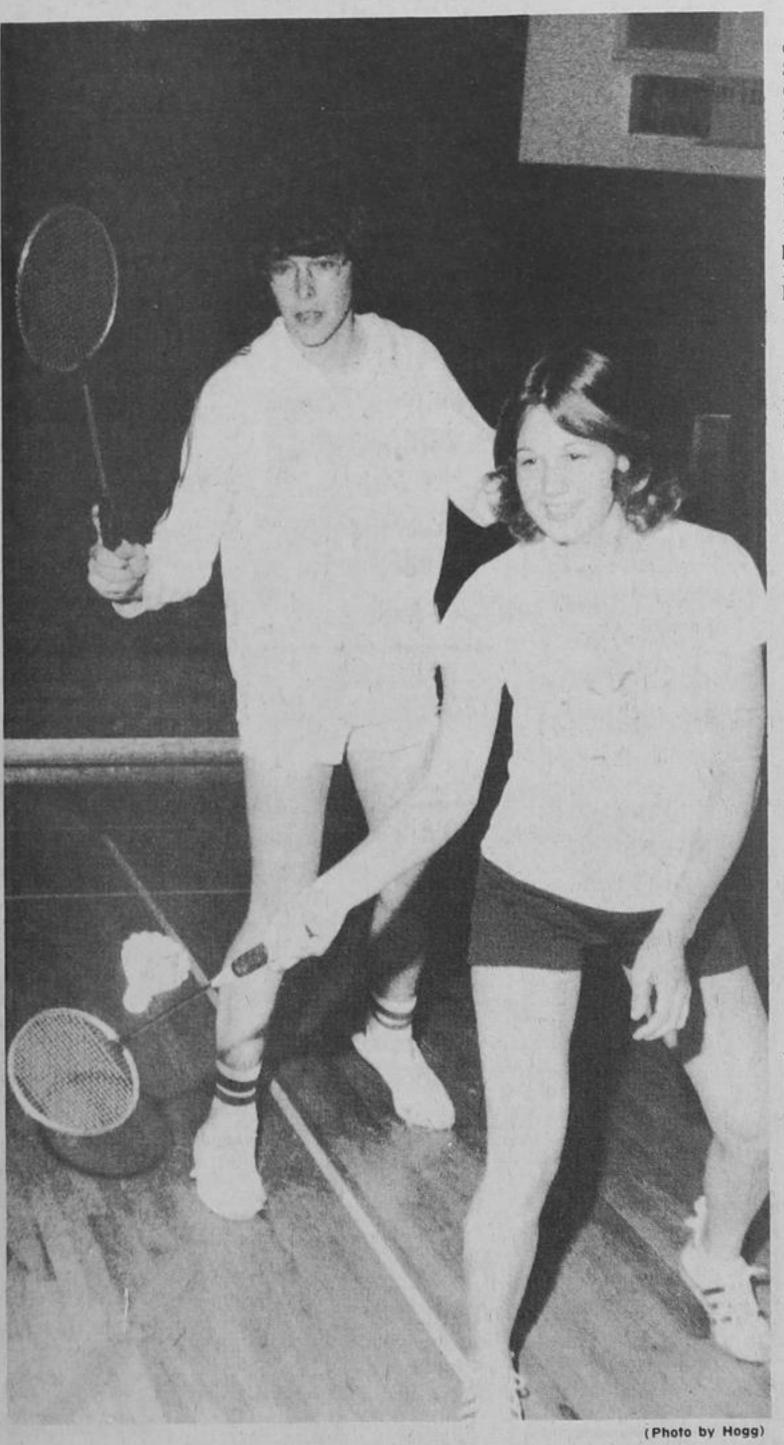
# Thornlea loses badminton title



### Here's how to do it

Brock Evans and Christy Lee domonstrate the form that carried them to the mixed doubles championship over Penetang in the Georgian Bay badminton finals Thursday at Thornlea Secondary School. Penetang finished in first, Thornlea second.

### Sports...

(continued from B-1) losing my aplomb. "I hate that

"Super," they replied and went on to say that if "any of you fans out there want to save the Toros you can

office. It's 595-1919. "Chances are you'll get to talk to a Toro player.'

call this number at the Toros' front

The girls are also hoping to set up a booth in the town to help their cause and maybe get some of those

Toros to drop around. Next stop, Beirut So there you have it. Run, don't

walk, to the nearest phone and start calling 595-1919. Save the Toros. Why not? It's Spring and anything goes. As for me, I'm off to Beirut.

Just notes In keeping with the recent Spring

snow, I'd like to announce the Richvale Minor Hockey Association will hold its annual meeting at the Hillcrest Mall tomorrow night (Thursday) at 8 p.m. All interested fans, coaches and

managers are urged to attend to discuss plans for next season. The association will also be

holding its annual banquet May 15 at Don Head School at 5:30 p.m. Trophies will be presented at 7 p.m. Incidentally, all the association's

team trophies are on display at the Bank of Montreal building in Hillcrest Mall courtesy of manager

RICHMOND HILL - The Richmond

Hill Minor Ball Association will hold a

pitcher's clinic next Saturday at the

Crosby Public school diamond

Bob Cage. Softball

Now to softball.

Stan Thornington of the Richmond Hill Ball Association called to say that the coaches for the town representative teams have been selected and if you want to know who they are call Stan at 884-7098.

Problem. Still on softball.

Some problems in the Richmond Hill Minor Ball Association regarding the lack of bantam boys. Only 28 have registered for the bantam action (not enough to form a league) with the result the bantams and peewees have been combined.

No one likes this because you have 12-year-olds playing with 16-yearolds. The cure is simple. Any Richmond

Hill, Oak Ridges or Richvale youngsters (14,15,16, or 17) wanting to play bantam ball should call Anne Thorpe at 881-4081. It's up to you

Meet Mr. Currie

Finally, the new manager for Regional Sports on Levandale Road is none other than Greg Currie who is well known in softball circles in the area, having led the Toronto Globals for the past three years.

Greg has 30 years experience in the sporting goods, wholesale and retail end of things and will be happy to meet you at the store. As for softball?

"I'm going to watch it from the stands this season," states Greg, "and maybe scout for Casey Cripps."

I think he was kidding?

All youngsters welcome.

An umpire's clinic will be held

tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday from

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## Rangers are champions

at Crosby.

Willowdale Rangers downed Don Mills 4-3 in the final game to win the North York Senior hockey league championship for

beginning at 10 a.m.

seconds remaining.

WILLOWDALE - The the third straight year. the previous game by 5-2 Jerry Whelan got the to Don Mills which was winning goal with only 19 their first playoff loss in 17 games. Willowdale had The Rangers had lost won the first game by 8-5.

### Hill skaters elect executive

for 1976-78.

was handled at the club's Apenis, ways and means; with a sixth place finish in annual meeting April 8 at Bonnie Thompson the Novice Men's free

the "Blue Flame Room." publicity. Other members of the Other activities saw Gordon Cornish executive are: Liz Herbie Deary placing finished fourth in the Godfrey, vice president; first in the Silver Inter- men's novice.

Norah Putnam will head Marg Field, treasurer; intermediate dance along the Richmond Hill Figure Barb Collier, mem- with Carla Holdsworth at Skating Club executive bership; June Fitzgerald, the Scarboro Skating schedule; Ann Smith, competitions - recently. This and other business national tests; Anna Deary also came up

RICHMOND HILL - Pat Mills, secretary; pretive and second in the

skating.

of being outgunned for Thornlea same squad in the finals. Secondary School at the annual finals here Thursday afternoon of last

Doing the gunning was a powerful squad from Penetang which literally blasted its way to the team championship by compiling a total of 38 points to Thornlea's 14, Parry Sound's 13, and Bayview Secondary School of Richmond Hill's five.

But all was not lost. Thornlea impressive

The Thornlea twosome of Brock Evans and Christy Lee turned on the power to dump Penetang in the mixed doubles for the only local conquest of

scrambling to a win against the same team in the first match and then win- event.

THORNHILL - It was strictly a case ning fairly convincingly against the

Georgian Bay high school badminton away with one of the four championship tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday at Patti Barclay and Katie McNamara of plaques. Penetang grabbed the other Seneca College.

> by accumulating a total of eight points Pinkerton, "because we knew that to Penetang's five and Markham's one. Penetang would have a powerhouse. Penetang dominates

> team plaque with its 38 points; the singles although she placed out of the Bayview and Parry Sound with 5 the top finishers. apiece: the mens' with 17 points to Thornlea's 6.

Fine showing

Thornlea's Evans also came up with a fine showing to finish second in the men's singles behind Frank Bertan of Wayne Stiver, drew a third in this

All Ontario

Evans' showing won him a berth in

"I was very pleased with the team's the All Ontario finals. They took the mixed doubles plaque efforts," commented coach Shan

Pinkerton was also pleased with the Penetang won the aforementioned efforts of Gail German in the girls'

> "Gail moved up from junior to senior impressive," said Pinkerton.

Results Other results:

And they did it the convincing way by Penetang. Another Thornlea player, Penetang finished first; Men's singles, Frank Bertan, Penetang finished first while Evans of Thornlea drew second of the Georgian Bay tournament.

and Stiver of Thornlea, third.

Ken Payne and M. Beatty of The victory enabled Thornlea to walk the All Ontario singles to be held Penetang won the ladies doubles with Bayview ending up second. They go to

Zone 6 at Thornlea

As could be expected, it was Thornlea dominating the Zone 6 area with their 14 points compared to Bayview's five and one each by Markham and Woodbridge. Langstaff failed to register a point ladies with 16 points followed by final standings despite beating one of while Thornhill and Richmond Hill failed to qualify.

This showing followed Thornlea's in this competition and she was very winning the York County finals a few weeks ago compiling a total of 34 points to lead second place Langstaff Secondary School of Richmond Hill and Ladies singles, Sally Lichtenberg of third place Markham with 24 and 21 points respectively.

Jay Hooper of Thornlea was convener

# Richvale wins consolation

second half of the season drive to down hockey series.

taking over in January with the team vale's 12. going on to win 16 games, tie one, and lose only eight.

The Bradford series went the route with the Richvale team losing the first game 7-5, winning the next two by 4-1 and 6-2; losing 4-1, and then edging out Bradford 2-1 in the final contest.

Bradford 7, Richvale 5. Dave Carmichael led the attack in this one with two goals followed by John Adams and Alan Evelyn with a goal and two assists each and by Paul Durigon with one and one. Ronnie Johnson and Doug Jones also drew assists.

#### 4 for Carmichael

Richvale 4, Bradford 1. It was that Carmichael doing the job all on his own scoring all four goals with assists to Ron Johnson, Robert Cashin, John Parry Sound. Adams and Adam Celsie.

michael doing his thing again with Penetang 5-0, edge Midland 2-1, before

RICHVALE - The Richvale Caltur three goals and an assist as the Rich-bowing out of the series via a narrow 3-2 season by playing in a London tour-Development Peewees climaxed a vale squad took a 2-1 lead in the series. loss to Ottawa.

The other goals went to Scott Spires Bradford in a best-of-five series and and Robert Cashin and Paul Durigon. boys came out tough to take a 2-0 lead win the York Simcoe Consolation Assists to Bernie McKinlay, Paul Gullo, only to fade and lose it. Carmichael got John DeHaas and Durigon. Penalties the first goal from Adams; and Cashin It was an impressive conclusion to a playued a big factor in this game with got the second one from Bernie season which saw coach Mike Norton Bradford drawing 33 minutes to Rich- McKinlay.

#### Carmichael again

Richvale. team was Dave Carmichael from John game with only 16 seconds remaining. Adams and Scott Spires from Adams.

Gullo playing excellently in goal for

Little NHL series Oak Ridges, ran into a little rough excellent in goal for Richvale. flying weather in the second round at

They opened with a 5-2 loss against and Scott Spires from Cashin. Richvale 6, Bradford 2. It was Car- Bancroft but bounced back to blank

Bancroft 5, Richvale 2. The Richvale

#### Down Penetang 5-0

Richvale 5. Penetang 0. This time out Bradford 4, Richvale 1. Carmichael it was a different story with the Richgot the only goal for Richvale, his 10th mond Hill goals going to Robert Cashin of the series, unassisted. Another from McKinlay; Carmichael from penalty-filled contest with Bradford Cashin; Cashin from Carmichael; receiving 27 minutes and Richvale 19. Carmichael unassisted; and Ron Richvale 2, Bradford 1. This finale Johnson from McKinlay. Gullo got the game was the best of the series with shutout.

Richvale 2, Midland 1. This was one Hagenauer; Carmichael unassisted. of the most exciting games of the Scoring for the winning Richvale tournament with Midland tying the

The resultant overtime saw Carmichael scoring the winner unassisted. The Richvale Peewees, winners of Richvale's other goal was scored by the Little NHL zone championship at Scott Spires also unassisted. Gullo was

Ottaw 3, Richvale 2. For Richvale it was Carmichael scoring unassisted;

London tournament The Richvale team rounded out its

nament winning the first game by 6-1 over Kitchener and the second one by 5-0 over London.

They were eliminated in the following game dropping a narrow 2-1 game to Amherstview. Penalties hurt the Richvale team as they picked up nine to Amherstview's five.

#### Whip Kitchener

Richvale 6, Kitchener 1. Richvale was red-hot in this one with the goals as

Carmichael unassisted; John DeHaas unassisted; John Adams from Paul Durigon; Robert Cashin from Allan Evelyn; John Adams from Mike

#### Shutout for Gullo

Richvale 5, South London 0. Another big shutout for Paul Gullo.

Scoring for Richvale were: Scott Spires from Hagenauer; Durigon from Adams and Evelyn; Carmichael unassisted; Evelyn unassisted; and Adams from Evelyn.

Amherstview Richvale 1. Robert Cashin scored unassisted in this final game which saw Richvale taking nine penalties to Amherstview's five.

# Road Runners are ditched

Sooner or later.

That, in a nutshell, is what happened of 37 wins, no losses, and four ties. to the Thornhill Levesque Motors Minor Bantams on their last outing of the The Road Runners quickly recovered hockey season after going undefeated from this initial setback and went on to

Winnipeg to meet their first defeat of Sweet revenge came in their fourth the year in a hockey tournament there game as they met the same River East despite putting on an impressive team and blanked them 8-0.

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and the executive is in the

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league teams while the

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will contact each member

of his team and as

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THORNHILL - All bubbles burst. Runner's perfect record for the season which had seen them compile a record **Blast Fort Garry** 

all year. the B division and promptly blasted They had to travel all the way to Fort Garry 11-0, Assiniboine 7-1.

Anyone wishing to at 37 Maralim Road,

Wiltshire; Seeley from Mark and Paul

The B final saw Thornhill blanked 3-0 They lost the opening game 6-5 to by St. James Canadians despite out-River East in a heart-breaker in shooting the latter team 11-2 during a overtime. That loss broke the Road scoreless first period, 9-6 in the second,

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The Richmond Hill

and 12-4 in the final frame. goals by Thornhill: Duhee Lee from Paul Myers; Rick Seeley from Paul Howson: Kurt Pearson from Mark

Howson; Paul Howson and Rick Seeley, a hat-trick. Pearson and Steve Mallett drew assists on this last score. The 11-0 triumph over Fort Garry saw Lee and Steve Sim each scoring twice with single goals to Mark Wilt-

shire, Rob Bagg, Rick Seeley, Paul Howson, Glen Shaw, Dante Anderson and Kurt Pearson, Todd McKnight and Dante Anderson. Single assists to Todd McKnight, Glen Shaw, Mark Wiltshire, Steve Mallett, Rob Bagg, Steve Sim and

Paul Myers.

Whip Assiniboine The third game saw the Road Runners storm back from a 1-0 defeat to win

The soccer season is little attend is asked to call Richmond Hill, from 10 7-1 over Assiniboine. Glen Shaw and Paul Howson; Steve honor of their winning the All-Ontario Mallett from Paul Myers and Kurt Minor Bantam championship this Pearson; Rob Bagg from Steve Sim and season.

Dante Anderson; Steve Sim from The opening loss saw the following Myers; Glen Shaw unassisted; Mark Wiltshire from Todd McKnight; Anderson from Pearson and Steve Mallett.

The win against River East saw Shaw scoring from Paul Howson and Seeley; Anderson from Mallett. Goals by Kurt Pearson from Steve Mallett; and Mallett from Pearson gave Thornhill a 4-0 lead. Paul Howson scored the Road

Runners' fifth goal in the second from Seeley and Glen Shaw. Steve Sim then fired a tally after taking a pass from Rob Bagg. Then it was Myers from Paul Howson and Mark Wiltshire to make it 7-0.

Paul Howson netted his second goal and Rick Seeley assisted for his third point before the game was called in the final period.

Prior to participating in the Winnipeg tournament, the Road Runners were Goal scorers were: Rick Seeley from preented with Town of Markham pins in

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