

Travelways edge Armourdale 1-0

By Jane Stel

RICHMOND HILL — The Ontario Cup games played during the weekend of July 10 proved to be a terrific shot in the arm for Richmond Hill Minor Soccer with remaining teams still in the competition via winning performances. The results:
Travelways 1, Armourdale 0. The home team took an early lead with a goal by Kelly Grams. Armourdale attempted to fight back but was unable to penetrate a stubborn defence.

Robbie Stel then scored a late game goal from an indirect free kick but it was disallowed. Excellent team effort on the part of Travelways.

Liberal ousted

Kitchener 3, The Liberal 0. The Liberals were eliminated from the Ontario Cup in this one before a good crowd at Crosby field. Kitchener did most of the first half attacking with The Liberal relying on quick counter attacks. Kitchener's efforts were rewarded with a goal just

before halftime.

The Liberal team had the wind with it in the second half and forced the play but was unable to penetrate the enemy's defence.

A defensive relapse allowed Kitchener a second goal and minutes later the home side missed a penalty which could have produced an exciting finish. They then added a third goal to complete their afternoon's success.

The next round of the Ontario Cup will be played the weekend of Aug. 14 and 15.

The Dynes Jeweller squirts will be away to Saltfleet; the Major Atom Travelways will be hosting Wexford at Crosby Park; the Gamma Foundry Major Mosquitoes will be away to Port Colbourne.

Mexico

The touring Richmond Hill Lions team edged Collegio of Mexico 3-2 July 13 in an exhibition game, the first of their schedule.

Goalscorers were Greg Anderson, Lorne Baxter and Neil Cooke. Richmond Hill goalie Paul Thomas saved a penalty kick only minutes before the game ended.

Minor soccer president Ed Kenny reported the team had a safe trip and have settled down in their billeting homes.

Don't bug the refs

I would like to again remind all coaches, managers, parents of players and other spectators, that the referee is the only person in charge of the game.

The referee will call it as he or she sees it, and he or she should not be unduly harassed from the line.

Some referees are young boys who need your indulgence and co-operation. Unnecessary vocal comments should be avoided.

By the way

I would also like to bring to the attention of all conveners and town team representative coaches that all results and game sheets should be turned in to Jane Stel no later than Thursday night



(Photo by Hoeg)

Just too late

Allison Kirk of the Mutual Life Atoms of the Richmond Hill Minor Soccer Association gets

there just too late as an unidentified Don Mills player puts boot to ball. Don Mills won.

Hill Peeewe Lions way up there in first

RICHMOND HILL — The Richmond Hill Peeewe Lions increased their lead and strengthened their hold on first place in the York-Simcoe league with a pair of victories last week.

On July 13 they hosted Keswick at Crosby Park and found themselves locked in a real pitchers duel with the Lions eventually winning 4-0.

Going into the bottom of the sixth inning the Lions held a slim 1-0 lead as they had mustered only three hits up to that point.

Paul Harrietha and Wes Whitaker both hit singles in the sixth and displayed some heads-up base running which set the stage for Mike Smith's two run homer to give the Lions the margin of victory.

Whitaker and M. Smith both contributed two hits to the Hill attack.

Pitcher Mike Smith was superb on the mound as he surrendered only one hit and fanned 16 batters, including nine in a row at one stretch.

J. P. Farrell made several good plays at shortstop.

Thornhill and came away with a 7-2 victory.

Glenn Apps, making his first pitching performance in almost a month, was steady on the mound as he allowed only six hits and struckout four men. Both runs against him were unearned.

The Lions bats were booming as they pounded out 11 hits including a lot of long balls that were caught for outs.

Pitcher Apps had a big night at the plate as well as he had three hits including a double and triple.

Mike Smith also had three hits with a triple and two rbis. Paul Harrietha slammed his tenth homerun of the season while Wayne Smith hit a double.

Harrietha played an excellent defensive game at third base while M. Smith turned in a good performance at first base. Shortstop Lawrence Millard executed a beautiful double play in the sixth inning.

The Hill Lions record now stands at 8 wins and 2 losses.

PITCHING STATISTICS

	Wins	Losses	ERA
Mike Smith	12	0	1.33
Paul Harrietha	4	4	4.44
Glenn Apps	3	1	4.74

Outright Thornhill
 On July 15 the Lions travelled to

Thornhill loses by 11-3

RICHMOND HILL — Richmond Hill Dairy Queen Squirts downed Thornhill 11-3 in York Simcoe Softball League action last week.

The game was a bit of a cliff hanger until the sixth inning when Dairy Queen forged ahead to stay.

Pitcher John Lalonde gave up five hits, three walks and earned 12 strikeouts in the seven innings of play.

Millard Lot bat
 The hitting end of the contest saw Richmond Hill's Mike Millard getting home on a Thornhill error after he smashed a triple to tie the game at 2-2 in the second inning.

Another three-bagger earned him another three rbis to give Dairy Queen a two-run lead in the sixth. Other rbis went to Mark Millard, Carman Morra and Don Wilson.

Tourney time
 Tournament action saw the Dairy Queen crew winning its first game at the North York Annual Squirt showdown by defeating Glenfield 12-5 only to be ousted via an 8-0 loss to Cedar Hill in the second game.

Grand slammer
 The Glenfield game was scoreless after the

first three innings but Glenfield scored one run in the fourth only to see Richmond Hill storm back in its half of the inning to score nine runs including a grand slam drive by John Lalonde.

It started with Rob Strang walking and coming home on Carman Morra's triple to tie the game. Nick Negri then tripled followed by doubles to McArthur, Neal Wilson and singles to Mark Millard, Renzo Avolio and Allan Smith.

Third baseman Morra was responsible for three outs with perfect throws to first baseman Allan Smith.

Pitcher Lalonde gave up four walks in the four innings he pitched plus no hits and had eight strikeouts and was charged with one run. Don Wilson came on in the fifth giving up nine hits and one walk. He made the final out of the game catching a fly ball.

Bitter end
 Then came the bitter end against Cedar Hill who were playing their first game of the day and were much the fresher team in the blazing heat.

Only two Dairy Queen boys got safe hits and

they were Lalonde and Morra. Centrefielder Millard made a fine catch and Renzo Avolio made an important third out.

It was Dairy Queen's first shutout against them.

Rain forced postponement of the grand championship game between the Dairy Queen Squirts and Cedar Hill which will be rescheduled at a later date.

The Hillers managed to beat out the rain and win the 'B' championship by winning of their own tournament here June 26.

They led Oshawa by 5-4 in the top of the seventh when the rains came and stopped all further play.

Strong pitching
 Once again it was the strong pitching and good catching by the duo of Lalonde and Morra which helped win the day. Hitting saw the same Lalonde tripling for one rbi while good fielding by second baseman Mark Millard and a fine catch by centre fielder Nick Negri also saved the day.

Richmond Hill got off to a rough start in their first game of the tournament as they tied East Gwillimbury 17-17 but lost the game due to having left less men on the

basepaths.

Shook up
 Dairy Queen pitcher Don Wilson, somewhat shook up by constant warnings about his position on the mound, gave up nine runs in the first inning.

He came on strong in the second inning with three strikeouts and with the bases loaded in the third walked in only one

run which tied the game at 13-13.

Some of the Richmond Hill scoring went like this:
 A bunt from Neal Wilson in the fourth got him on first and, with two on base, Larry Smith belted a homerun.

The fifth inning saw one run come in on Greg Robertson's sacrifice followed by a triple by Larry Smith.

Amesbury charge back three for four at bat, Kerri Snider three for five with homeruns going to Nancy Jones and Sandra Trumbull.

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in order to publish it for next week's paper.

With your co-operation, I can include standings, game results, etc. Without your assistance you'll have some disappointed players who would like to see their games published and the standings.

Next week will not do anything as old news becomes stale news.

Game results — Squirts.
 Dynes Jewellers 2, St. Augustine 0. Dynes Jewellers dominated the game but could only score two goals via Chris Hobbs and Chris Wilson.

Atoms
Shutout Paoletti
 Travelways 7, Flemingdon 0. Another shutout for goalie Orveo Paoletti who is playing extremely well. Jeff Manczell got a hat-trick with two goals going to Kenny Harrington and loners to Kelly Grams and Shaun Cooke from a penalty kick.

Minor Mosquito
4 for O'Connell
 Richmond Hill Liberal 12, St. Jane Francis 0. Visiting Scott James O'Connell knocked home four goals and regular Willie McMurray got in this big win at Crosby Park. The win avenged an early season defeat by the same team.

The other goals were scored by David Bone, Carl Koteff and Tony Guydos.

Girls division
 The Cadillac Baif Bantam team travelled to Northview Secondary in North York to defeat the Armourdale girls 1-0 on a first half goal by Carolyn Wynn.

Steady defensive play by Marie Flood, Leigh Smith and Gabriele Stohr were instrumental in keeping

Paul Joslin played good ball for Auto Body on first while Kelly Thorpe impressed at third base.

Tykes
 Ramsey Rec 20, Powell Plumbing 11. Joe Apps struck out seven batters for the winners. He was aided by Todd Robinson when went three for three with a single, triple and homerun. For Powell it was Pat Thompson getting the only homerun of the game.

Ziebart Rustproofing 20, Photo Hut 4. Jason Trenton was outstanding on the mound for Ziebart walking only two. Bobby played extremely well on first base while Steven caught two pop fly balls and made a double play.

Robbie pitched a good game with Terry catching well in a losing cause for Photo Hut.

Following are the re-scheduled Tyke games originally rained out.

Photo Hut 12, Powell Plumbing 9. David Nicol played an exceptional game for the winners on first and also went two for three and scored twice. For Powell it was Pat Thompson, Don Rawding and Scott Young impressing.

Ramsey Rec 10, Ziebart Rust 5. Todd Robinson homered twice for the winners while Wayne Murphy played a strong game at first. Ed Kammerman went two for two for Ziebart including a triple and homer. David Repath was solid on the mound with Larry Curry steady at shortstop.

Ziebart Rust, 14, Powell Plumbing 2. Cesidio Negri caught an excellent game while Peter Bullock homered and Scott Rice impressed generally.

Senior Girls — July 12
 Hanson's Flowers 20, The Record

R. F. Mote 7, Richmond Hill Auto Body 3. Paul Sarazin struck 10 out for Mote and also knocked in three runs. Also contributing at bat were Paul Howorth, Stephen Grimshaw and Bruce Marsh.

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2 homers Majury
 For Dynes it was Jim Majury pitching a solid game and also socking out two homeruns in a losing cause. Glen Barethin played sharply at shortstop.

Rice's wins
 Rice's Flowers 26, Powell Fencing 16. Lisa Dunford and Cheryl Edwards made two great catches for the winners while Janey Gerritse socked out three homers. Also playing well were Karen Weir and Carol Thompson.

For Powell it was Michelle McLean throwing well in a losing cause while offensive honors went to Heather McLean, Madelaine Belanger and Nancy McLelland.

No results were submitted for the senior girls teams.

Widdifield stars
 City Wide Rental 10, Dynes Jewellers 7. Ed Widdifield caught an exceptional game and also homered for the winners. Chris Stewart, Darrel Lewis and Brian Durnett all played well defensively.

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Armourdale off the score sheet.
 July 13

Lose to Don Mills

Our Mutual Life Atom girls bowed to the St. Andrew league-leading Don Mills Kiwanis Gold team by 4-1.

The Richmond Hill goal was scored by Allison Kirk. Acting coach Mike Kirk reports that the calibre of play is steadily improving and his biggest problem is vacationing players.

July 14

Ouch

The powerful St. Andrew Mosquitos defeated our Dan's Auto Service girls 10-0 despite a valiant performance in goal by league Monica Stohr.

House League — Atoms
 Aurora Home Hardware 2, Tournaments Inc. 0. Tournaments was shorthanded in this one. M. Buckley scored both Aurora goals.

Jakma Construction 9, Invictas 2. Peter Beck scored five goals for Jakma while Richard Gray rapped in three with Paul Rothwell getting the other one.

David West and Christopher Dewar scored for Invictas.

Midas Muffler 6, Aurora Travel 0. George Zandana and John A Zandana each scored twice with the other goals going to Sean Forkin and Michael Hubrick.

Standings

	W	L	T	P
Concord Food Centre	5	1	0	10
Midas Muffler	5	1	0	10
Jakma Construction	3	2	1	7
Invictas	3	3	0	6
Tournaments Inc.	1	3	2	4
Aurora Hardware	1	4	0	2
Aurora Travel	0	4	1	1

Mosquitos

Aurora Legion 4, Regional Sports 0.

3 for August

Cadillac Baif 7, Midway Machinery Movers. 1. Terence August triggered three goals for Cadillac with Danny Jensen popping in two, with singles to Mark Sheppard and Chris Broshek.

Doane Hall 4, Deciantis Construction 0. Doane Hall picked up its first win of the season with P. Hunter scoring two dingles to San Patrick and K.

Caesar's Palace 5, Ratcliffs (Canada) 2. This was an excellent game which saw Ratcliffs leading 2-1 at halftime on goals by Jeff Waker and Russell Armstrong.

4 big goals

Caesar's fired four goals in the second half and went on to win 5-2. For Caesar's it was David Toporowski scoring three goals and Greg Moore two. Paul Feeney played a strong game for Ratcliffs and David Carruthers was steady in goal for Caesars.

Sanderson's Gulf 3, Aurora Bowl 0. Sanderson's made it four in a row as they blanked Aurora Bowl 3-0. For Gulf it was Vincent Wong, Mark DiGiachino and Glen Munro scoring.

W L T P

Caesar's Palace	6	1	0	12
Cadillac Baif	5	1	1	11
Ratcliffs	4	3	0	8
Midway Machinery	4	3	0	8
Dave Sanderson Gulf	4	3	0	8
Deciantis Construction	2	4	1	5
Aurora Bowl	1	6	0	2
Doane Hall	1	6	0	2

Next week

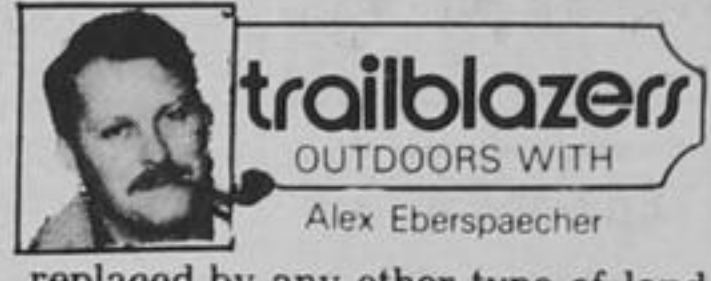
Next week's games and referees:
 Squirts, July 27: Ratcliffs vs Doane Hall, Harry Stel; Deciantis vs Cadillac Baif, T. Jensen; Caesar's Palace vs Dave Sanderson Gulf, M. Kirk Jr.

Atoms, July 27: Invictas vs Aurora Travel, J. Vorich; Tournaments Inc., vs Jakma Construction, N. Murphy. Midas Muffler has a bye. Concord Food goes to Aurora.

Mosquito, July 29, Peter's Excavating vs Aurora Legion, P. Beckwith; Regional Sports vs Royal Canadian Legion, P. Stevenson; Don Deb Construction has a bye.

Peewees, July 26. Baymar Sports vs N.Y. Trophies, T. Vorick; Flair travels to Aurora.

Saving the wildlife



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Lush vegetation
 The lush vegetation teems with wildlife found only in jungles and rainforests. Many plant species depend on such areas for their existence. Some orchids are found only in wetlands, and a few are so rare that they are being considered for possible inclusion in the 'endangered species' list.

Destroy
 Why are we destroying our wetlands then? Many of us look upon such areas as breeding grounds for mosquitoes without considering the endless list of all other harmless species depending on the same environment. To some people with only a passing experience of the outdoors, marshes and swamps are so wild and menacing that they would refuse to enter them.

Good organizations
 There are, as I mentioned, some good organizations in our area who are working hard to keep those areas from becoming another suburb. I urge all of my readers, dedicated to the great outdoors to support these groups. If you cannot find a contact, feel free to write me and I will pass your name along to the list of people who really care.

There is only one way to experience the richness and importance of our wetlands — you must walk in one. No reading, slides or movies can give you the true feeling or bring the real message across that it is almost too late. We must act now. When you walk in a wetland area, remember that you are walking in an endangered area.