

Charlton Hardware wins opener



He shoots he???

A typical scene is being enacted here as Richvale Royals' goalie Billy Keats kicks to save in a practice Sunday at the

Richmond Hill Arena. There's OMHA hockey each Friday night at Bond Lake Arena featuring the atoms, peewees,

bantams, midgets and juveniles. Starting time is 6 p.m. The house league hockey goes every Sunday afternoon.

By Bob Ross Jr.
RICHMOND HILL — Charlton Hardware downed Baif by 4-2 in Richmond Hill House League Minor Peeewe hockey action Oct. 23.

For the Charlton boys it was David scoring unassisted; ditto Jimmy Madden with Geof Johnston scoring from Tim Vantol; and George Benzik from David Bunker. For Baif it was Mike Gerrard from Gus Zarhos and Bill Todd; and Jim Corrick from Tony Veitch.

Other minor peewee action saw Rice's defeating Barrows 3-1 with Todd Sears, Andrew Field and David Wood scoring. Assists went to Brian Denville, Wood, and Field. Donny Wilson got the lone goal for Barrows unassisted.

4 for Thornhill

Bantam (exhibition)

Gormley Sand and Gravel 6, CFGM 4. Russell Thornhill rapped in four goals to lead the Gormley offensive with Bill Nielson and Mike Barnett getting the others. Mike Barnett drew two assists with the others going to Mike Garret, Ross Cramer, Nielson, two, and Ross Kramer.

For CFGM it was Alden Palisca and Chris Hishon scoring two goals each. John Follows picked up two assists with the others going to Chris Bialkowski, James Mitchell, Hishon, and Palisca.

Surf edges Dan's

Surf Marine 3, Dan's Auto Service 2. For Surf Marine it was Russell Thompson from Stuart Petrie and Mauro Digivlio; Mike Bell from Neil McGregor; and Ray Barnett from Mike Bell. For Dan's Auto it was James Lusk unassisted; and Brad McKenzie from Mike Bell and Neil McGregor.

2 for Kramer

Gormley Sand & Gravel 6, Surf Marine 2. Ross Kramer fired home two goals for the winners with assists to Russell Thompson and Derek Simpanen.

Other goals went to Les Wookey from Mike Tudor and Russell Thornhill; Bill Nielson from Derek Simpanen; Ed Opatowski from Bill Nielson and Thornhill; and Thornhill from Mike Garret.

For Surf Marine it was Neil McGregor scoring from Mike Bell; and Stuart Petrie from Russell Thompson.

4 for Tuck

Dan's Auto Service 5, CFGM 5. James Tuck rapped home four goals for the winners with Alistair Duncan drawing two assists and singles to Gary Boyle, Billy Waterhouse, Rich Hall and Paul Lawlor.

For CFGM it was Steve Bialkowski scoring twice with assists to John McLaughlin and John Follows; Follows from Troy Edwards and Steve Bialkowski; Jim Mitchell from Alden Palisca; Palisca from Martin Lym and Mitchell.

Hat-trick Thornhill

Dan's Auto Service 5, Gormley Sand and Gravel 5. Rich Hall scored twice for Dan's with Gary Boyle getting two assists.

The other goals went to Billy Waterhouse from Paul Lawlor and Brad McKenzie; James Tuck from Rick Hall and Al Duncan; and Paul Lawlor unassisted.

Russell Thornhill scored three goals for Gormley with Bill Nielson drawing two assists and singles to Derek Simpanen and Ross Kramer. The other

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goals went to Ed Opatowski unassisted; and to Alex Bilotta from Russell Thornhill and Kevin Lucksavitch.

Minor Bantam
Brian's Shell 3, Rotary Club 2. For Brian's it was James Gilliam from Darrel Bynoe and Dave Gilem; Paul Ohlis from Keith Boulter; and Boulter unassisted.

Brian Chittenden scored for Rotary from Fred Simpson and Doug McLean; and Simpson from Dave Kenny.

D'Antimo gets 3

Regional Sports 5, D&D Excavating 3. Carl D'Antimo rapped in three goals for Reginals with Doug Walton drawing two assists and Donald Earl the other one.

Also scoring was Rob Russell from Steve Irwin; Robert Genoa from Carl D'Antimo.

For D&D Excavating it was David Ezechiel scoring two goals from Chris Reed, Troy Mitchell, and Stephen Kail; and Harold Thornhill from Troy Mitchell.

Regional wins 7-4

Regional Sports 7, Rotary Club 4. Robert Genoa got two goals for Regional with Mark Crowe getting two assists and singles to Doug Walton and Rob Russell.

Carl D'Antimo also got two goals with assists to Doug Walton, Steve Irwin and Rober Russell. Other goals went to Adrian Steinson from Mark Crowe; Steve Irwin from D'Antimo and Russell; and Russell from Steinson and Walton.

For Rotary it was Doug MacLean scoring twice with assists to Steve Taalman, two, Scott Pipher and Dave Kenny. Other goals went to Neil Moreland from Doug MacLean and Paul Vignano; and Wayne Girard from Doug MacLean and Neil Moreland.

2 for Ohlis

Brian's Shell 3, D&D Excavating 1. Paul Ohlis scored twice for Brian's with Peter Mills assisting on one of them. James Gilliam got the other goal from Keith Boulter. Troy Mitchell scored for D&D assisted by Chris Reed and Harold Thornhill.

3 for Flett

Peewee
Mister Transmission 8, Bob's Bottoms 3. Jim Flett led the winner's scoring parade with three goals with an assist to Kelvin Wood. Dave Wright had two goals assisted by Flett; John Osmond from Jim Flett; Tony Marinelli unassisted; and Marco Rannano unassisted. For Bob's it was Paul Rigon scoring from Steve Rumble and Brian Neubeck; Bill Lsotsos from Tim Rowe; Brian, Neubeck from Derek Raemer.

Dynes win

Dynes 5, Shield's 3. For Dynes it was Tom Kirisit from Ralph Copola; Jack Stewart from Ken Lennox; Jack Copola from Mark Ellison and Pat Morra; Bob Apenis unassisted; Ken Lennox from Mark Ellison. Brian Dunnett scored twice for Shield's both unassisted while Mark Tullock also got an unassisted goal.

Richvale hockey going

RICHVALE — The Richvale Country Place Ret. Centre Peeeweas downed Woodbridge 3-1 in an exhibition game under way in the Richvale Minor Hockey Association last week.

Good defensive play combined with offense won the first game with goals going to T. Nettleton, T. Boswell and A. Evelyn. Assists to A. Evelyn, Mettel and S.

scoring in that order with assists to Ruitenbeer and Evelyn.
The same Richvale team downed Oak Ridges 5-1 in an exhibition game with Boswell leading the way with two goals followed by singles by E. Iaiano, T. Boswell, and Paul Durigon. Assists to Mettel, T. Boswell, A. Evelyn and Wolfenden.
The same Richvale team nipped Sharon 2-1 Oct. 28 with A. Evelyn and Durigon doing the

scoring in that order with assists to Ruitenbeer and Evelyn.
The Richvale boys kept rolling Oct. 29 with a 5-2 win over Bradford but it wasn't all that easy.
2-2 Tie
It was a 2-2 tie with only a minute to go when Richvale pumped three fast ones home.
Mike Brooks led the way with two goals and singles to S. Boswell, J.

DeHaas and B. Cardone. Assists to Ruitenbeer, A. Evelyn, Mettel, Durigon and DeHaas.
Dance
Don't forget to attend the league hockey dance next Saturday night at Oak Ridges Arena. Tickets may be obtained at the door or by calling May Butler at 889-4508 or Claudette McKinlay at 884-7763.
Come out and see

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6 p.m.
The Richvale Minor Hockey Women's Auxiliary would like to thank all who baked for their sale. It was a great success.
Don't forget to come every Sunday afternoon and watch good house league hockey starting at noon on hour for novice; atoms at 1 p.m.; peewee 2 p.m.; bantam at 3 p.m.; and midget at 4 p.m.

Skatathon falls 'flat'

By Bob Reeves

RICHMOND HILL — Well, I guess you could call it a "Blue Saturday." And "blue" it was.

Our Skatathon has come and gone and I regret to say it literally bombed out. In postmorteming the whole situation it is very difficult to find out just what went wrong.

It is also impossible to attach any fault in any one direction. But fail we did!

When a team has only four members out on the ice — that's four out of 15 — there really is something lacking. This happened in many cases and it is most disturbing.

The whole concept of the Skatathon was to raise money to subsidize our very low registration rates. The low rates — and they are the lowest around — was to enable more kids to take part in what is fast becoming a very expensive sport.

Failure

Our failure to raise the required sum means either of two actions must be followed. One is to continue with another major fund raising effort.

Raise fees?

The second is to raise registration fees next year to \$55 or \$60 in House League and \$95 for Town Teams. This I abhor and don't really want to consider, but it could happen.

A player who has paid \$40 registration has really only paid for one hour of ice time. If there are 13 or 14 other players on his team this takes care of only 10 weeks of play at the outside.

Costly

Where does the balance come from? And then pro rate to a group who pays \$20 or \$25 registration and the facts of life become very clear and it becomes most apparent why it was a "Blue Saturday." So we will be doing something else and just what form it takes only time will tell.

On a more positive note, I'd like to thank all the members of the Ladies Auxiliary for their fine effort and all the kids who did skate and who worked so hard in their pledges. You all did a fine job.

Bazaar

Now on to other things. Our ladies are now very busy preparing for their second annual bazaar scheduled for Nov. 27. I am sure you all recall what a fine success it was last year and it should be even better this year.

There will be lots more publicity coming up so keep your eye on "The Liberal" and Channel 10 because this is one of the year's social highlights in Richmond Hill.

Peewee tourney

Christmas is fast approaching and along with all the other Xmas goodies is our Peewee tournament.

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32 teams

This year our Lions Club and the hockey association have pooled their forces and are aiming at a 32-team tournament. With this in mind we are trying to encourage as many teams as possible to take part from towns and cities that are close to the Hill.
We feel that this will encourage good competition with lots of support in the stands for all the games. Remember to keep some time open after Christmas and see as many of these games as possible.

Our Peewee A team, under the coaching of Bill Wolfson and Bruce Mackenzie, have their team off to a fine start this year.

They may very well be a strong contender in their own tournament. And, of course, they are busy preparing for their trip to Quebec City, which brings up the dance they are holding next Saturday night.

Big dance

Tickets are still available and can be

obtained from the coaches, parents or myself. Come on out to the dance, have a good time and give the Peewees your support.

Midget tourney

Planning began last Sunday morning for our 10th annual Midget tournament scheduled for the school break in March.

It was great to see all those smiling faces again(?). Being the 10th anniversary of the Legion tournament there is every effort being made to make it a big, big year.

Marsh Amos is chairing the group and it was good to see him looking so well after a rather lengthy stint in hospital. As you know, Branch 375 has been a great supporter of minor hockey over the years and this year is no exception.

Yea Legion

Once again they are sponsoring our Midget A club and Tournaments Incorporated our Minor Bantams. Their constant support is much appreciated by us. I'll be writing much more about both tournaments in the weeks to come because both will merit your attendance.

And that's it for this week. Sorry about all the negativism but those are the financial facts of life and must be considered. It's still a great game for the kids so come on out to the arena, give them your support and enjoy some Happy Hockey.

Penalty parade

Legion midgets lose 6-3

RICHMOND HILL — The Richmond Hill Legion Branch 375 Midgets dropped their season opener to Barrie by 3-1 in a penalty filled, chippy contest.

Barrie jumped into a 2-0 lead taking advantage of Legion penalties which saw them assessed eight minors to three for Barrie.

The second period saw little improvement as the Legion killed off six minors and three majors

compared to three minors for Barrie.
Justice prevailed in the third as Barrie walked into five minors to Richmond Hill's two with the result Richmond Hill controlled the play.

Richmond Hill's Steve Richards cut the lead to 2-1 scoring at 11:52 from Pete Halliday. Richmond Hill had numerous scoring chances with the puck appearing to go in on two occasions but apparently unobserved by the officials.

Barrie completed the scoring after Steve Shadoff blocked a hard drive from the point only to have the loose puck poked in.
Steve Shadoff played an excellent game in net for Richmond Hill.

Gary Gentry put Richmond Hill on the scoreboard assisted by Pete Halliday before Peterboro added two more to take a 4-1 lead.
Richmond Hill suddenly caught fire to score four in a row: Steve Madden from Phill Wood; Reiner Plushberger from Steve Bowers and Greg Walton; Steve Bowers from Jamie Gropp and Greg Walton; Gerry Legere from Pete Halliday.

Peterboro then got two more before Richmond Hill's Tom Peden tied the game from Phil Wood and Blair Lewis.
The score was tied 6-6 when Peterboro scored only to have Richmond Hill tie it with 50 seconds remaining after taking out their goals.
Steve Bowers got the big one from Phil Wood and Tom Peden.
Richmond Hill travels to Newmarket Friday and are at home to Orillia

Sunday. . . apart from the fine display of hockey by both teams, the officiating was above average. Only seven minor penalties were called, four to the home club and three to the visitors.
The RHHA Legion Midget Dance will be held Nov. 26 at 8 p.m. at the Lions Hall on Centre Street. Tickets may be obtained from Jim Peden at 884-5115 or John Powers at 884-3359.

Both teams go right back at it next Saturday night in Orillia and Artemchuk's not worried.
"There were no serious injuries," he said, "and we're ready and raring to go in Orillia. We'll be there."
The Jewellers are at home Monday night for a 7:30 game at Bond Lake Arena against Owen Sound.
They've now won eight games and tied one.

Commenting on his team's success to date and their impending road games in Newmarket and Barrie, coach Cade observed:
"We've come a long way, but we've got a long way to go yet to reach a level of consistently good hockey," he said.

The end of two periods saw Barrie leading 8-5 before Magna roared back with two quick goals. Barrie then scored two more to put the game away.
Mark Gossman led the Richmond Hill scoring with two goals along with Jim Wood. The other goals went to Jim Burnett, D. Anderson, G. Bauer, J. Turk and Scott Taylor. Assists went to G. Bauer, D. Anderson, S. Norman, D. Moore, three, Mark Gossman, two, S. Taylor and A. Beckwith.

Magna midgets lose

Dynes zap Orillia

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Standings										
Mid Ontario Junior B										
	P	W	L	T	F	A	P			
Oak Ridges	9	8	0	1	61	24	18			
Thornhill	9	4	5	0	51	48	8			
Barrie	8	4	4	0	35	41	8			
Orillia	8	4	5	0	37	41	8			
Owen Sound	7	3	3	1	31	34	7			
Midland	8	0	6	2	27	54	7			
Provincial Junior A										
	G	W	L	T	F	A	P			
North York	10	9	0	1	64	32	19			
Wexford	12	7	3	2	64	57	16			
Markham	11	6	3	2	56	41	14			
North Bay	11	6	4	1	62	57	13			
Nationals	12	6	6	0	63	71	12			
Newmarket	9	3	3	3	46	47	9			
Richmond Hill	9	4	4	1	44	40	9			
Weston	9	4	4	1	46	43	9			
Royal York	11	3	6	2	53	59	8			
Ajax	10	3	7	0	39	55	8			
Aurora	10	1	6	3	36	51	5			
Dixie	10	1	7	2	41	61	4			
Future Games										
Wednesday — Ajax at Royal York										
Thursday — Richmond Hill at Nationals; Newmarket at Ajax.										

Tournaments whip Orillia

RICHMOND HILL — The Richmond Hill Tournaments Inc., Minor Bantams skated to a 7-3 victory over Orillia Sunday in their home opener.

The play was closer than the final score indicated as Richmond Hill saw a two-goal first period margin dwindle to a goal difference at one point in the second frame.

Three unanswered goals, two in the third, secured the victory.
Earlier in the week, Tournaments travelled to Barrie and battled to a 2-2 stalemate in the Eastview

Arena. The contest in Barrie saw two goals called back on Jim Cade's contingent and the Richmond Hill team will be looking for revenge on its return engagement to

Barrie Nov. 9.
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