

Hockey madness at St. Robert's!

You can't separate the teachers from the boys at St. Robert's High School in Thornhill. When it comes to being hockey bugs, that is. St. Robert's, the newest high school in the Region of York, has gone slightly hockey-mad in its two years of existence. That's the word from Gerry Brand, head of physical education at the

Roman Catholic school. "We've had a hockey club for the last two years," said Brand, "but we were confined to playing exhibition games because we couldn't get in a league." All that's changed. "We've had our application into the Toronto and District Double A hockey league," continued Brand, "and this

season they accepted us." **ENTHUSIASM** And if enthusiasm is any criteria, St. Robert's should do all right. "We had 60 students turn out for the first junior practice," he said. "We've cut it down to 25 guys but we're still not set." St. Robert's will operate a midget club as

well as a junior one. **NOT CHEAP** Brand admits that hockey isn't the cheapest form of athletic endeavor in high schools and "that's why we're about the only ones who have such a program." The biggest expense is "our transportation costs to the various schools in Metro and, of course, the price of ice-time."

As for the cost of sweaters and equipment? Easy. No cost to the school. "We were very fortunate," said Brand, "in that the parents of the students donated the team sweaters and socks for the year." "And the players supply their own skates and other gear." The sweaters, in-

identally, are Philadelphia Flyer-type colors — white with orange and brown trim. How did St. Robert's decide on a hockey program? "It was a case of being a new school and deciding what type of sports programs we wanted to introduce. We decided against football because of the injury problem and

costs." **GUNG HO** Everyone seemed "gung ho for hockey and that was it." The St. Robert's juniors, who will play out of Thornhill Community Centre, are coached by Mike Burkart who is an ex-hockey star of the University of New Hampshire. Assistant coach is Dave Brennan, school vice-principal.

Heading the midget entry is Brak himself assisted by Mike Fitzpatrick. Some of the more prominent members of the junior team will be Steve Tschipper, Rob Hartnett, Unionville, Tony Bucci, Thornhill, and John Farrell, Richmond Hill. Which brings us right

back to the opening paragraph regarding the impossibility of separating the teachers from the boys when it comes to hockey. Some 18 members of the staff rent ice-time at the Richmond Hill Arena every week from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Naturally, they play hockey.



Get 'em gang

Members of the St. Robert's High School hockey team swarm around Brebeuf goalie in this action shot as they warm up to

participate in the Toronto high school league for the first time. No, they didn't beat Brebeuf but they had a lot of fun

trying. Tony Bucci (10) is one of the St. Robert's closing in on this play.

Oak Ridges Atoms edge King City 2-1

The Oak Ridges House Hockey Atoms opened their season on an optimistic note last week edging King City 2-1 in an exciting game. Scoring for Oak Ridges was handled by Kris Walsh from Andy Aldworth; and Paul Torlone. Devon Bestard shone in goal for the winners. **Oak Ridges 3, Sutton 1.** Peter Narduzzi was the big scorer in this one with three goals. He was assisted on one by Grant O'Meara. **Oak Ridges 8, Oro 1.** It was that man Narduzzi showing the way again with three goals. Getting two each were Kelly Rheeder and Mike Beade while Billy DeGeer got the other one. **Nobleton 6, Oak Ridges 2.** Peter Narduzzi and David Koteff scored for Oak Ridges. **Oak Ridges 7, Schomberg 1.** Narduzzi had two goals and an assist; David Koteff, two goals; Don Ferris, two goals and an assist; Billy DeGeer, one goal; Dennis Sanders, two assists.

Oak Ridges Victoria Square Lions 2, Schomberg 1. Grant O'Meara scored both Oak Ridges goals assisted on the second one by Kevin Booth. **Oak Ridges 1, Newmarket 1.** Grant O'Meara scored the only Oak Ridges goal from Sean Sanderson. **Peewee House League** **Oak Ridges Gormley Sand and Gravel 3, King City 3.** Michel Beauvais scored twice for Oak Ridges and Lusby once. **Oak Ridges Doane Hall 3, King City 0.** Scoring for Doane Hall were Danny Ward from Robert Muzzini; and Muzzini unassisted; and Muzzini from Jeff Harris. **Peewee OMHA** **Oak Ridges Peewee Kings 6, St. Benedicts 1.** John Lalonde led the win with three goals followed by Jeff Harris with two. Michel Vanderploeg had a goal and an assist with Mark Millard and Garner Colliester also chipping in with assists. Goaltender was Billy MacArthur.

Oak Ridges 4, Oro 1. Carl Koteff, one goal; Neal Wilson, one and one; Craig Bumstead, one goal; Frank Rossi, one goal; with assists to Mike Millard, two, Scott Richardson, and Steven Arnold. Glen McKenzie was in goal. **Oak Ridges 1, Richmond Hill 5.** Michel Vanderploeg got the lone goal. Glen McKenzie was in the twines. **Oak Ridges 4, Nobleton 2.** John Lalonde had two goals and an assist; Koteff, one and two; Scott Richardson, one goal; and single assists to Damien O'Flaherty and Garner Colliester and Millard. **Schomberg 7, Oak Ridges 6.** Vanderploeg led Oak Ridges with two goals and two assists; Neal Wilson, one and two; Robert Sanders, one goal; Garner Colliester, one goal; Scott Richardson, one goal. **Steven Arnold had two assists with singles to Bumstead, Frank Rossi, and Lalonde.**

Braddock wallops Pharmacy 7-2

Jeffery Parisi got his Braddock Optical team off to a flying start in Richmond Hill Atom House League action last week scoring four goals as his team downed Allencourt Pharmacy 7-2. He was assisted on two

of the goals by John Kennedy. Other goals went to Stephen Grimshaw, two with assists to John Kennedy and Jeffery Parisi; and Jeffery Hankin unassisted. For Allencourt it was

Doug Choffe scoring an unassisted goal with the other one going to Stephen. Other house league scores: **Pickseed 3, People's Natural Gas 1.** For Pickseed it was Brian

Hunt unassisted; Brian Wookey from Pat Glover; and Paul Lyons from Brian Hunt. Barry McKinnon got People's lone goal unassisted. **McKinlay Drywall 3, Hughes Excavating 0.** Steve Byer got two goals

for McKinlay with assists to Bruce Smith and Jason Trenton; and Smith got the other one from Byer. **Kinnear Pontiac 1, Risi & Co. 0.** Greg Moore got the lone goal from Joe Apps. **Minor Peewee**

Barrows Insurance 4, Cadillac Baif 3. Shawn McQuiggan got three unassisted goals for Barrow's with Brian Winch getting the other one. For Cadillac it was Don Godfrey and Sean

O'Brien scoring two of the goals with assists to Sean McQuiggan. The other goal scorer could not be identified. **Rice's Flowers 5, Charlton Hardware 2.** Scott Massey led Rice's with two goals with assists to Larry Walton and Anthony DelGrosso. Another goal was scored by Steve Laird. For Charlton it was Jamie McGee and Carl Killey scoring unassisted goals.

Novice **Jakma 2, Hilltown 0.** Anthony Suchy scored for Jakma from Steve Robinson; and Paul Black from Sam Opanakos. **Allencourt 5, City 2.** Lorenz Boff pumped home two goals for the winners with Derek Flood assisting on one. Steven Treppo also had two unassisted goals and Flood one. For City it was Kevin Jennings scoring unassisted and Danny Patterson from Sam Orpanakos. **Bob's Boys 2, Galaxy Restaurant 0.** For Bob's it was Raymond Hubrich

scoring from Brett Fredericks; and Jeff Rumble from Matthew Lawlor and Warren Payne. **Minor Bantam** **Brian's Shell 4, Regional 4.** Ralph Coppola led Brian's with two unassisted goals. The others went to John Kirk and Mike Purigom. For Regional it was Marco Ramunno scoring from Matthew Hozjan; and Mike Goldsmith from Russ Waterhouse and Bruce Jacobsen; Eddy Fofano unassisted; and Matthew Hozjan from Russ Waterhouse. **Bantam** **CFGM 5, Surf Marine 3.** Dave Banton popped in two unassisted goals for CFGM. The others went to Richard Jansen from Doug Walton and Dave Banton; Mike Hegenauer from Banton and Rob Genoa; and Steve Taalman from Walton. For the surfers it was Mark Lockerbie scoring from Robin Russell; Kevin Lee from Mark Lockerbie and Steve Irwin; and Irwin from Gary Armstrong.

Average bowler has day

By MIKE KYTE This week starts the entry period for the Carling O'Keefe Classic 210 & Under. For those of you who are unfamiliar with this tournament, it is one which is specially designed for the average once-a-week bowlers who averages under 210. Last Sunday the Y.B.C. Senior Mixed Team championships were held at Hilltop Bowl. The winners, who will now go on to represent our zone at the provincial finals are, Steve Young, from Hilltop Bowl, who led the way with 1315, for five games.

Second place went to Scott Renshaw from A.B.C. with 1250 and third place was Stephen McNaught with 1222, from Bowlerama Newmarket. For the girls, it was Sheila Snow, from Bowlerama Newmarket, with 1160, second was Audrey Burns from A.B.C., with 1131 and third was Wanda Findlay, also from Bowlerama Newmarket, with 1034. The spares are Matt Thompson, with 1177 from A.B.C., & Sharon Farrance, with 998, from Bowlerama Newmarket.

A big thanks goes to Hilltop Bowl for Holding this event and the Ontario division of the Youth Bowling Council, who sponsored and conducted the tournament. **BIG DAY** The big day is this Saturday at Pro Bowl. Starting at 9:00 a.m., there is a tour of Professional Bowling Ltd., where you can see how pins are made, followed by the Harold Buchner Memorial Tournament. Following that, in the evening is the Builders of

the Industry Dinner. All of these events, the tour, the tournament and the dinner are sponsored by Professional Bowling Ltd., the Ontario Bowlers Congress, & the Bowling Proprietors Association of Ontario. I think a big thank you, should go out to everyone involved for the terrific job that they do. Getting down to the Friday Nite Men's Majors at Hilltop, we find that as of Oct. 28th, Arts Taxi, still leads the way with 185 points. In second place is Superior Propane

(172½), then Mowatt Cartage (172½), Vercan Ltd. (154½), Mobile Heat (146), Eves & Eves (137), Hilltop Bowl (116), Anderson Heating (102), Don Mills Truck Sales (91), Fuddle Duddles (86½), Canada Bolt & Hook (76), and Powell Plumbing (74). The high triples for the night were, Corky Rumsun (899), Ernie Rumsun (792), Ian Cameron (785), Mike Fraser (776), Jim Glandfield (772), Ernie Haley (755), John Shearer (752), Gary Palmer (751), and Art McGeachie (740).

High Singles flat went to Ernie Haley (329), Ernie Hughes (322), Val Reid (321), Gary Palmer (316), Al Snow (311), Jim Basley (309), Corkey Rumsun (308) and Jim Glandfield (301). **MIXED LEAGUE** The Wednesday Nite Mixed League at A.B.C. finished its first series last week with the Jokers finishing first, with 221, followed by the King Pins with 214½. The pins were falling well, last week as you can see by, Craig Rayson's 915 (320, 309, 286), Gloria Byer 837 (283, 264, 290), Dave Alexander 806 (282, 279, 244), Rose Antl 747 (260, 254, 233), Ernie Wolfreys 696 (298), Karen Kirby 695 (285), Betty Wolfreys 683 (247), Gary Byer 689 (304), Bill Barker 681 (272), Brian Butler 667 (239), Ken Morin 659 (259), George Stephanovs 651 (239, 248), Ed Weber 644 (226), Dorothea Woolley 633 (267) and Larry Peck 622 (348).

High Average for the men is Dave Alexander with 261, followed by Craig Rayson with 236, then Jack Hill 226. For the ladies, it's Betty Wolfreys 229, then Rose Antl, 214 and Edith Harrison, 210.

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Thanks a heap

A big, big cheque from two relatively little people. York Central Hospital Administrator J.C. Hepburn accepts \$2,300 from Robbie Stel, 11 (left) and Kim Rex, 9 (right)

11. It's the money raised by the Richmond Hill Minor Soccer Club at it's "soccer-a-thon" recently. Robbie also collected the most money, \$200

Magna midgets lose three games in a row

The Richmond Hill Magna Midgets ran into problems last week dropping three straight games. Last Sunday they visited Newmarket and came away on the short end of a 6-3 score. Newmarket jumped into an early 3-0 lead in the second period when Barrie scored two quick goals. Magna couldn't stay with their opponents in the final period as Newmarket pulled steadily away.

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Minor atoms lose 5-2 game

Richmond Hill Minor Atoms suffered a 5-2 loss against Orillia this week. Orillia was ahead with a 4-0 lead until the 3rd period, despite numerous shots on goal. Richmond Hill started to make a come-back with Pat Dickinson scoring an unassisted goal. Orillia put the puck in again, but the Hillers kept digging and Todd Savoye scored the final goal assisted by Robbie Jackma. Good efforts were made by Mike Kenward and Mike Leonard.

Menke Flyers blank Sharon by 2-0 score

Some superb goaltending by Reinhart Reusse carried the Thornhill Menke Flyers to a 2-0 victory over Sharon last Friday night. Goalie Reusse was bombarded by 21 shots but still came up with a shutout as Menke made good on just nine shots at the Sharon end. Thornhill started quickly on a goal by Richard Parkinson from Brian Macdonald.

Thereafter the action was all by the opposition especially in the second and third periods. In addition to the 21 "on shots" there were another 16 "wide ones" which just missed the net. With such activity around the Thornhill net, the pressure was continually on Reusse who made many daring saves. The last two minutes saw Sharon pulling its

goalie but was still unable to penetrate Reinhart the Invincible. Thornhill's final goal came from the stick of defenceman Neil Crebbin who skated through the opposition and got the unassisted score. Good control of the game was maintained by the two referees which contributed to a clean and very fast game — a joy to watch.