



A RECORD OF CHAMPIONS

At the conclusion of the Tri-County Baseball season, the Manager of the Stouffville Red Sox, Ted Cadieux, worked out the facts and figures on the records set by the local squad throughout the regular schedule and playoffs. During the schedule the Red Sox played 20 games, won 16 and lost 4. Out of the four games played with each club in the group, the Red Sox defeated Sutton four times, Bobcaygeon four times, Port Perry three, Sunderland three and Lindsay two. In the first round of the playoffs with Sunderland, Stouffville won two and dropped one. In the second round against Sutton, the Red Sox took three and lost one. During the entire season they captured 21 out of 27 games.

In the batting average department Bob Hassard is tops with a .381 average. Les Clarke .361, Bud Lehman .339, Ken Scheff .337, Ted Cadieux .306, Derek Chadwick .300, Allan Edgar .280, Walt Smith .271, Lou Raxlin .261, Lorne Scheff .250, Hal Gibson .234 and Lloyd Jennings .127.

S.H.S. TO DEFEND RUGBY HONORS?

No definite word has been received concerning Stouffville District High School's rugby intentions. Perhaps the biggest drawback to such an organization is the formation of a satisfactory inter-school group. According to reports Richmond Hill District High School is definitely out. Due to overcrowded conditions many classes are held right through until six o'clock and since most games are played in the afternoon they find it virtually impossible to field a contending squad. No word has been received concerning Markham's intentions. Stouffville captured the rugby championship last season.

According to Principal Robbins of the Stouffville District High School, it is expected that an inter-form field day will be held next Spring. Due to the condition of the grounds nothing can be planned along this line for the Fall. Chances of holding an inter-school field day in the Spring will be considered at a later date.

It is quite likely that Stouffville will organize a basketball team. Markham and Richmond Hill are also interested in entering a squad into competition.

HERE AND THERE

The Newmarket Sr. 'B' entry formerly known as the Newmarket "Spitfires" have changed their name-plate to the Newmarket "Redmen". A new press box has been constructed on the north side of the Arena by Mr. Morley Symes.

On Saturday night the Stouffville Clipper hockey team and Management were guests at the home of Mr. Geo. Rodanz Jim "Sleepy" Dawes, star pitcher with Agincourt softballers has been attending the Galt Jr. 'A' hockey camp.

Mr. Fred Byer has presented the Stouffville Arena with a fine picture of Queen Elizabeth. The Stouffville Cardinals were guests of the Delhi Optimist Club following their game on Sunday afternoon. Clarémont will meet Whiteby in a soccer semi-final on Saturday afternoon.

Bowling Leagues To Organize This Week

The various bowling leagues that operated at the local alleys last winter will hold their organization meetings this week. On Thursday night at 8 o'clock the Lions will meet at the alleys. On Friday evening the Ladies League will convene in the Municipal Hall and the Men's Town League will meet at the alleys. All those interested in bowling in the Men's League should contact the alleys or the group Secretary Mr. Tom Johnson. At a meeting of the Young Peoples League soon, Lorne Boardway and Murray Wagg will attempt to organize a bowling group.

Bowlers Make Presentation To Eleanor Crossen



A special get together of the Stouffville Ladies' & Men's Bowling Clubs was held on Friday evening, Sept. 17th, when some thirty members turned out for a two 8-end game tournament on the local Greens, after which the members were invited to the home of one of our members, Miss Gertrude Todd, presumably for cups of coffee and doughnuts. When we were all comfortably assembled Mrs. Gordon Lemon, District No. 13 Vice-chairman for the Ladies Provincial Lawn Bowling Association, gave the reason for the fine turnout that evening, which seemed to be known to everyone except Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crossen. After a few remarks regarding bowling in general, and just what it takes to reach the top in this fine

sport, which Mrs. Crossen had done in winning the Singles Championship for Ontario, both Mr. and Mrs. Crossen were asked to come forward and they were presented with two very lovely Lamps, and a Silver Pin for Eleanor, with the good wishes and compliments of the two Clubs.

A well attended Mixed Trebles Tournament was held on the local Greens on Monday, Sept. 20th, when the very fine Trophy presented by Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn E. Watts was competed for, 18 rinks competing, with the following results:

High for three wins and winners of the Trophy, the Rink skipped by Mr. Mervyn Watts himself, with Mrs. C. Boardway, lead, and Miss Jean Pi-pher, Vice; second high for 3 wins, Mr. and Mrs. Charly,

and Jimmy Grainger, skip, from Richmond Hill; 3rd high for three wins, Mr. Ed. Goodman, Oshawa, skip, Mrs. Wallace, lead, and Mrs. Thos. Hammond, vice; high for two wins, Mr. Wilson and his rink from Aurora; and high for one win, Mr. Elmer Daniels, Skip, Don. Bacon, lead, and Mrs. Ken Laushway, vice.

Mrs. Fred Crossen and Mr. George Hillson of Agincourt attended the Mixed Doubles at Brampton on Sept. 18th and won their three games; and again they attended the Rose Tournament at Brampton on Wednesday, Sept. 22nd and were high for three wins, and won the Rose Bowl full of Roses, donated by Dales of Brampton, and also the tournament prizes.

Altona Takes Playoff Opener

Altona dumped Pine Grove 9-7 on Monday night in the 1st game of the Claremont Community League playoff finals. The series is a best three out of five with the second contest on Friday.

The contest was a thrilling affair that had the fans sitting on the edge of their seats. Altona jumped into a six run lead in the third inning and although Pine Grove cut the lead down they could not overtake their rivals.

Shortstop Bob Stover came through with a key blow for the winners in the third inning when he smashed a long triple into the outfield with the bases loaded. Grant Drewery brought Stover in when his infield grounder was bobbed by the third baseman.

Harwood started on the mound for Pine Grove but ran into control trouble in the third. He walked Murray Johnson, Glenn Byers and Don Davis to load the bases. Relief hurler Morley Luke took over the pitching chores but he also was unable to find the plate as Jim Prentice and Bruce McDowell were handed free tickets to first and two runners walked home. Bob Stover then took off on a grooved pitch to give Altona a five run advantage. An error on Grant Drewery's grounder scored another run. Luke then settled down to strike out Mel McNeil, forced Lee Fretz to fly to right field and made Pitcher Murray Johnson ground out.

Pine Grove rallied with three runs in their half of the inning. Lead-off batter Bob Ashenhurst connected for a triple and although G. Evans was a strike out victim Harwood came through with a three-bagger for Pine Grove's first run of the game. A bad throw to second on an attempted pick-off play went wild and Harwood raced home. Two walks and a double by Cain accounted for the other Pine Grove runs.

Altona added one run in their half of the fourth. Don Davis walked and Bob Stover came through with his second extra base clout to score the front runner. The Pine Grove second baseman and centre fielder collided on the play.

A home run by Pine Grove's Bob Ashenhurst made it 7-4 in the bottom of the fourth. Altona went down in order in the fifth but Pine Grove added two more runs. Two doubles, a triple and a home run accounted for the runs.

Altona scored two very important runs in the sixth. Glenn Byers doubled and advanced to third on an error. Second sacker Don Davis smashed the longest home run ball of the game into deep centrefield to score easily behind Byers. Prentice, Stover and Drewery went down in order as Harwood again took over on the mound. Pine Grove counted a single run in the bottom of the sixth.

Tension in the game reached its height in the ninth as Pine Grove came up for their final turn at bat. Evans batting for Davis was a strike-out victim. Morley Luke singled and Adams doubled into right field. Rightfielder Glenn Byers scooped up the ball and hurled to McDowell at third who tagged the front runner for an important out-off play. With two out Ashenhurst singled and G. Evans walked to load up the sacks. The next batter, Harwood, one of Pine Grove's hottest hitters, popped up to Mc-

Markham Blanks Aurora 5-0

On Monday night of last week Markham Aces blanked Aurora 5-0 to oust the Legion from the Markham Twp. Softball League semi-finals. Markham will now play either But- tonville or Agincourt for the Madsen Trophy. Norm Stun-

den, who fared so well as a relief hurler in the first game, was the starter on the mound for Aurora in the second hit. Peg O'Neill handled the mound chores for the winners. Stun- den was nicked for nine hits, one a home run clout by short stop Morley Petch. Aurora gained six hits off O'Neill. Earl MacDonald and Harold Stephenson were the big hitters for the Yonge Street crew. MacDonald whacked a triple and a single while Stephenson connected for two singles. For Markham, Morley Petch and Charlie Parent each collected a pair. Petch smashed a homer and a double while Parent hit two singles.

Markham jumped into an early-game lead and were the masters throughout the contest. They counted one run in the first, three in third and another in the eighth.

Dowell to retire the side.

Altona moundman Murray Johnson went the nine inning distance on the hill for the winners. He found himself in trouble on numerous occasions but was given solid support by his fielders. Jim Prentice, Don Davis and Bob Stover were the best batters for Altona. For Pine Grove, Bob Ashenhurst, and Bill Harwood were the power batsmen.

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Cardinals Lose To Delhi 5-2 in Playoff Finals

Stouffville Cardinals were nosed out of the Ontario Juvenile C. finals by Delhi Optimists on Sunday afternoon in one of the finest games of the season. The two ace left-handers, Dave Hammersley of Stouffville and Bob Sabatine of Delhi turned the contest into a thrilling pitchers battle. The Delhi south-paw allowed but three hits, two coming in the second inning when Stouffville scored both their runs. Delhi scored their five runs off four hits. Neither club counted a run after the fourth inning.

The Cardinals went down in order in the first inning but Delhi collected two hits for two runs. A walk to Coyle and hits to Boughner and Sabatine produced the pair of runs.

Stouffville roared back in the second inning and bunched together two hits and two walks to pull back on even terms. Harold Hodgson leading off hit safely and Don Haynes walked. Pitcher Dave Hammersley came through with a safe drive as two runs romped home. Rightfielder Geo. White received a free ticket and centre-fielder Fraham Frisby was also passed to load the bases but Ted Malloy went down on strikes to end the rally.

Delhi squeezed in a run in their half of the second inning and added two more in the 4th. Stouffville went hitless in six successive innings. In the 9th inning pitcher Dave Hammersley connected for his second hit but was left stranded on second base.

In the nine inning tilt Hammersley sent Delhi Batters down on strikes and walked six. Delhi's Bob Sabatine fanned fifteen Stouffville batsmen and walked four.

Centrefielder Graham Frisby turned in a fine performance in the outfield for the Cardinals. He was roundly applauded for his fast-fielding displays.

Ted Malloy, one of Stouffville's most dependable batters, was a strike-out victim in his five appearances at the plate. In the two games he connected for only one hit and struck out nine times.

Following the game, the Stouffville Cardinals and their spectators were royally treated to a dinner as guests of the Delhi Optimist Club. The local squad and supporters were very pleased with the reception given the Cardinals in the Tobacco Town.

In the second game the Stouffville team showed a sharp reversal of form and even in defeat they looked good. The Delhi team are worthy Champions.

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Skating Club To Start Oct. 25th

The Stouffville Skating Club will commence its regular activities on Monday, Oct. 25th. Practice dates and time have not been settled as yet. An open organization meeting will be held in the Stouffville Arena on Tuesday, Oct. 5, at 8 p.m. All those interested are requested to attend.

Wage Semi-Final Softball Thriller

On Thursday night in the Stouffville Memorial Park But- tonville and Agincourt waged one of the most thrilling softball games played here this season. Lou Ross' squad emerged with a 9-8 victory. The win for the visitors deadecked the series at one game apiece.

The visitors built up a 7-1 lead going into the sixth inning but Bill Hood's squad staged a sensational rally in the late stages of the game and very nearly pulled the game out of the fire. They knocked starter Bob McKim out of the box in the seventh. Eddie Crouch took over in relief and managed to cool out the Slugger's rally. Ab Townsend went the distance for Buttonville.

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Elgin Mills Wins Championship

Elgin Mills marched to their second straight Markham Twp. League Championship on Monday evening by beating Peaches in three successive games. The Yonge Street crew retained the Ernie LeMasurier Trophy which they captured last season. The winners showed their power on Monday night as they trounced their rivals to the tune of 23-5.

For one and one-half innings both clubs battled on even terms but in the remaining innings the Champions piled up a convincing lead. They scored six runs in the second, five in the third, six in the fourth and four more in the fifth. Peaches counted two runs in the second and three in the seventh.

Marjorie Barber started on the mound for the seventh concession squad with Doreen Jarvis pitching in relief. Peaches committed a number of serious infield errors early in the game and Elgin Mills took advantage of every break. Mae Spires, an ex-Sr. star, connected for two home runs. Doreen Jarvis and Edna Stickley were Peaches top batsmen. Eleanor Reid, Fern Hoover, Edna Stickley and Doreen Jarvis counted the runs for the seventh concession squad. Shirley Jones handled the hurling chores for Elgin Mills and retired her opposition in one, two, three order in five of the seven innings. Elgin Mills are worthy holders of the Softball Silverware.

Jack Dyte To Coach Orillia Pontiacs

Jack Dyte, a veteran performer with Barrie, coach of Simcoe Gunners in 1953 and New Liskeard in 1951, will coach Orillia Pontiacs this winter. Last year Dyte was ousted by the OHA for signing a coaching contract with both Tillsonburg and Simcoe. He returned to Orillia where he had played the previous year and this season he was signed to coach the Sr. B. entry.

Now is the time of year when some folks are too sick to work and too well to stay home from fishing.

Jack Watson Named Coach of Markham Entry

Jack Watson has been named Coach of Markham's new Intermediate B hockey entry. The decision was made at a meeting of the Club Management on Monday evening. Jack has been connected with sports in this district for many years. A former Markham Jr. star a few years back, the speedy puck-chaser has done much to promote hockey here in Stouffville both as a player and a Club Assistant. Mr. Eugene Thompson will carry on his duties as Manager and Frank Tunney will act as timekeeper.



Mr. John Lunau has been appointed President and Eddie Robinson will be the teams' publicity agent.

According to President Lunau, Markham hopes to place an entry in the Eastern Group which comprises such clubs as Orono, Lindsay and Port Hope. Markham has not had an OHA Intermediate B since 1946 when they were defeated by Grimsby in the finals.

Markham expect to have the majority of their players back who performed with the team last year when they captured the ORHA Sr. title. Such stars as Morley and Bob Petch, Frank Hill, Roddy MacArthur, Lyle Petch, Clare Fockler, Bun Sellers, Gord, Howard and Don Fergie and a few more. They expect to play their home games at Unionville.

Softball Championship on Thursday night as they whipped Peaches 11-5. Four hits, one a two-run homer by third baseman Mae Spires in the first inning accounted for 4 Elgin Mills runs. They added two in the third, one in the fourth, two in the sixth and two in the seventh. Peaches showed signs of a rally in their final turn at bat. With two runs in and the bases loaded, Doreen Jarvis rolled a grounder to third sacker Mae Spires who retrieved the ball and fired to the plate forcing Eleanor Reid. In the big seventh inning Gwen Kennedy, Edna Stickley, Eleanor Reid and Fern Hoover reached first base safely.

Eleanor Reid was the power batter for the seventh concession squad, pounding out three hits in five trips. Marg Smith, Gwen Kennedy, Doreen Jarvis and Shirley Risborough clipped pitcher Shirley Jones for two hits in four times at bat. Marg Smith pulled off the best catch of the game, out in centre field on a hard-hit ball.

Shirley Young went the distance for the local squad and although she gave up ten hits, infield errors were responsible for putting four runners on base. Peaches were forced to play without the services of their fine infield star Pat Smith who is presently attending MacDonald College at Guelph.

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