

SPORTS

Local Bowlers Tops in District

Stouffville bowlers "cleaned up" all divisions of the South District lawn bowling matches played at Markham this week. Mrs. Reta Laushway who has been a runner-up in the Provincial playoffs for the last two seasons, won the singles. The doubles, skipped by Mrs. Elinore Crossin with Mrs. Dorothy Wagg as her partner, won the doubles.

Bantams Beat Newmarket 12-1

Stouffville's amazing Bantam team stepped into Newmarket on Tuesday night and handed the well-balanced home town crew a 5-3 defeat that will go down in the record books as the season's biggest upset. In the last meeting between the two teams, Stouffville bowled to the County Town boys, 12-1.

Jim Daniels was in control all the way and worked the entire seven inning distance. He was aided by a strong defence and any long balls belted by the opposition were gobbed up in the outfield. Paul Lintner and Dave Colburn made fine catches in left and centrefield. Wayne Crowder smothered a line drive at short stop.

The local squad pulled off a sparkling double play to wipe two runners off the base paths. The twin-killing went from Ken Aida to Ron Castle to Jim Hill. Newmarket pressed three pitchers into action in an effort to hold Stouffville bats in check. The contest was a see-saw battle right to the final out. At the end of six innings, the score was tied at 3-3. Stouffville had held a 2-0 edge up until the fifth. Allan Meabry completed the battery. Stouffville's next home encounter will be against Alliston.

26 in Checker Tournament

The Markham and District Open Checker Championship was held July 8 in the grounds of F. J. Vacher's home at 213 Roslin Ave., Toronto. An entry of 26 players from various centres had a splendid afternoon of speed and skill playing. The event started at 2 p.m. and continued until 6 p.m.

SPORT BRIEFS

Stouffville girls were defeated by Barrie "Hillierists" 23-16 in a scheduled softball contest at Barrie on Tuesday night.

The Uxbridge "BlackHawks" hockey club will play Claremont on Friday night in the Claremont Park. The contest, scheduled for last week, was postponed due to wet grounds.

"Lefty" Bob Ellis, first-string pitcher with Markham "Aces" in the South Ont. city circuit, suffered a dislocated finger on his left hand in an accident during a recent practice session. His services will be lost to the club for at least two weeks.

The Markham "Aces" may have to go to "B" in the forthcoming O.A.S.A. playoffs.

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Buttonville Stock Car Driver Prominent

Sam Snider, Buttonville stock car driver, chalked up his third 25-lap feature victory of the season at Pincrest Speedway Saturday night.

Snider became a double winner on the program by taking the third heat while qualifying, winning easily by a quarter-lap over veteran Jimmy Hallahan, Clarkson ace.

In the feature, Cliff Stiles led the pack for 10 1/2 laps before Snider moved into the lead. On the 11th lap, Jack Cook replaced Stiles in the runner-up spot and battled Snider for the remaining 14 laps to the wire. At the finish Mac Bound held third position over George Symons, followed by Jerry Watson, Hallahan and Stiles.

Nearly 400 Players, Pickering Twp. League

The Pickering Township Softball Leagues have commenced their activities for the summer. Close to 400 boys and girls have been entered in classes ranging from Pee-wee to Senior. The entire program is promoted by the Pickering Recreation Committee.

There are 26 teams in five divisions. The individual schedules are as follows:

SENIOR GIRLS
July —
17 Frenchman's Bay at Pickering Beach
17 Fairport at Greenwood
18 Pickering Bch at Brougham
19 Greenwood at French Bay
19 Brougham at Fairport
20 Brougham at Greenwood
24 Frenchman's B. at Fairport
25 Fairport at Brougham
25 Pickering Beach at Fr. Bay
26 Greenwood at Pickering B.

JUNIOR GIRLS
July —
13 Pickering B. at Dunbarton
13 Ajax at Fairport
18 Ajax at Brougham
18 Fairport at Dunbarton
19 Dunbarton at Ajax
19 Brougham at Pickering Bch.
20 Pickering Beach at Fairport
24 Ajax at Dunbarton
24 Fairport at Pickering Beach
25 Dunbarton at Brougham
25 Pickering Beach at Ajax
27 Brougham at Fairport

BANTAM BOYS
July —
13 Pickering Beach at Mt. Zion
17 Mt. Zion at Dunbarton
17 Claremont at French Bay
18 Dunbarton at Pickering Bch.
18 Pickering Beach at Claremont
20 French Bay at Mt. Zion
24 Mt. Zion at Frenchman's Bay
26 Dunbarton at Claremont
26 Claremont at Mt. Zion
27 French Bay at Pickering B.
31 Pickering Bch. at Dunbarton

PEE WEE BOYS
July —
13 Dunbarton at Brougham
13 Claremont at Cherrywood
17 Cherrywood at Claremont
18 Dunbarton at Cherrywood
18 Brougham at Pickering Bch.
19 Pickering Bch. at Greenwood
19 Claremont at Dunbarton
24 Greenwood at Brougham
24 Dunbarton at Claremont
24 Pickering B. at Cherrywood
25 Claremont at Pickering Bch.
26 Dunbarton at Greenwood
26 Cherrywood at Brougham
27 Brougham at Dunbarton
31 Brougham at Claremont

MIDGET BOYS
July —
13 Pickering Bch. at Brougham
17 Brougham at Fairport
18 Fairport at Audley
19 Pickering B. at Pickering
20 Audley at Brougham
24 Fairport at Pickering
26 Dunbarton at Fairport
26 Pickering Beach at Audley
27 Brougham at Pickering Bch.
27 Pickering at Brougham
31 Audley at Pickering
31 Pickering Beach at Fairport

August —
1 Pickering at Audley
3 Fairport at Pickering Beach

50 Enrolled In Claremont Swim Classes

Fifty boys and girls have enrolled this summer in the swimming classes conducted in an open-air pool on the Baker property, north of Claremont. The instructor is Mrs. Helen Vizeley.

The program was started on July 4th and will conclude with tests on July 21st. The largest group is in the Beginners' class. Four lessons have been completed out of a total of ten. The instruction is held during the week-day afternoons from 2:30 to 4:30.

Jack Watson Makes Comeback to Star For Markham "Aces"

It will take a good man to fill Jack Watson's spikes when the veteran guardian of Markham's third base "hot spot" finally decides to call it quits. On Tuesday night, he returned to active competition and turned in a sparkling defensive performance to lead the "Aces" to an 8-3 victory over Pickering.

It was the same Jack Watson in a familiar role. Pouncing on bunts, grabbing line-drive shots or smothering infield pop-ups, he appeared to strengthen one of the weak links in the Markham roster. In the second and third innings, he was on the starting end of two sizzling double plays. In the ninth, he gloved a liner from the bat of Pickering's Ted Oldfield, to end the inning and the game. The "Aces" have now stretched their victory string to 10 straight games.

Right-hander, Jim Raymer came out of semi-retirement to twirl a nifty 5-hitter for Markham. He took over on the mound to fill in for the injured Bob Ellis. The "Aces" southpaw suffered a dislocated finger on his left hand and will be out of action for at least two weeks. Raymer aided his own cause by whacking out a pair of singles and scoring two of his team's eight tallies.

Rod McArthur displayed amazing power at the plate for Markham. Batting in a lowly number eight position, he slammed a home run and a single in four trips. His round-tripper was a ball club that sailed into deep centrefield. Jack Watson was aboard at the time. Bob Atkinson wielded a big bat for the "Aces" with a double and a single. Bill Johnson looked good, both at the plate and in centrefield. He tapped out a pair of singles and gloved two well-hit balls. Jim Johnson and Morris Prosenko collected the other single-base blows.

Stouffville Council Briefs

Thursday, July 6th
Council passed new bylaw setting up scale of fees for plumbing inspection, as requested by the York County Health Unit.

Received Bell Telephone Co. report on moving several poles in Main St. business section.

Read communication from Christ Church, Anglican concerning a congregational meeting to be held to discuss offer by town to purchase present church property.

Turned down tenders received for old fire truck and offered the machine to the public Utilities Commission for \$100. The tenders were received, and four was rejected and not opened when it was received an hour late.

Agreed to speed up completion of roads as well as final clean-up in Watson Heights subdivision when informed that mortgage money was being withheld on this account.

Passed new bylaw covering completion of operation of local Cemetery Grounds. Maintained caretaker's salary at \$2,000, but agreed to \$10 additional per grave opening for all over 25 in one year. Rates will be single grave plot \$40, two grave plot \$80, three grave plot \$120 and 4 grave plot \$160.

COMMUNITY LEAGUE SOFTBALL STANDINGS

Team	W	L	T	Pts
Claremont	8	1	0	16
Greenwood	7	3	0	14
Altona	6	2	1	13
Uxbridge	6	5	1	13
Ballintrae	5	4	0	10
Pickering	3	5	2	8
Brougham	3	5	0	6
Raglan	0	12	0	0

Brougham 9, Uxbridge 0 (def.)
Claremont 16, Raglan 3.
Altona 6, Pickering 6
Greenwood 13, Ballintrae 1
Claremont 3, Uxbridge 0

Send Youth To Reformatory For Break-in

Frank Kurlovitch, 19, of Toronto was sentenced to twelve months definite in the reformatory by Magistrate O. S. Hollinrake when convicted in Newmarket Court of break and entry into a house on No. 48 Highway, north of Markham Village. Kurlovitch and a partner, Douglas Ibboson, also of Toronto, were arrested by Markham Twp. Police after a cross-country chase that ended in a small barn on conc. 9. With the officers in pursuit, the youths attempted to bury their loot.

Kurlovitch took the blame for the break-in. He said that his partner had taken part only because he feared he would be called a "chicken" if he refused. The accused had a previous record and had been released from the reformatory only in May. Magistrate Hollinrake said that the youth's age was the only factor that kept him out of the penitentiary.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

The old Queen's Court residence may be demolished. The owner is anxious to have the structure removed from its present Main Street site. Anyone wishing to enter into an agreement to obtain the materials as payment for the demolition work, should contact Stouff. 103. The building, known as the Queen's Hotel, has a history dating back to the mid 1800's.

Mrs. James Osborn of Vancouver, B.C., has returned home after visiting with her son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Osborn, at Dickson's Hill, for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilf Coathup of Saskatoon are on a three-week holiday and are spending part of it with her sister, Mrs. Bob Snowball. They are accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Angus Hamre and Mr. Hamre and three children. This is the Hamre's first trip East.

A number of local ladies were among the large crowd who had the privilege of visiting the beautiful grounds at Parkwood in Oshawa, on Monday evening. This is the home of the McLaughlin family and special arrangements were made to tour the grounds. Its sunken gardens with its fountains, pools and statues and coloured lighting are rare sights in this country. Even the vegetable gardens are a thing of beauty.

WILSON
Mr. Ernest Gabriel Wilson passed away at his home on O'Brien Ave., Stouffville, suddenly on Tuesday, July 11, 1961, in his 51st year. He is survived by his wife, the former Ethel Hope, a son Tony, and sisters, Muriel (Mrs. Emile Rousseau) and Louise (Mrs. Allen Norrie), both of Ayresville, Quebec.

Resting at the O'Neill Funeral Home with service on Friday, July 14 at 9 a.m. at St. Patrick's Church at Markham.

ENGAGEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. James Barry announce the engagement of their daughter Margaret Beverley, to Francis Charles Hannan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hannan of Toronto. Marriage will take place, Saturday, August 5, 1961, at 11 o'clock in St. Monica's Church, Toronto.

BIRKETT
BIRKETT, William — at the Stouffville Nursing Home on Sunday, July 9, 1961. William Birkett, beloved husband of Della Ward, brother of Randall of Regina. Funeral service from the Baptist Church, Claremont, on Wednesday, July 12, at 2 p.m. Casket will be opened in the church from 12 noon Wednesday until time of service. Interment Union cemetery, Claremont.

FERGUSON
Mr. Elmer P. Ferguson of Second St., Stouffville, passed away at Uxbridge Cottage Hospital on Sunday, July 9, 1961, after an illness of 12 weeks. He was born in King Township in 1881, son of the late Thomas and Margaret Ferguson of King. In 1910 he married Mabel Brown and 37 years ago they came to make their home in the Stouffville District and since retiring from the farm, have lived on Second St. Mr. Ferguson is survived by his wife, and 3 daughters, Gwendolyn (Mrs. D. Durnon Cober), Ruth (Mrs. D. Dunn) and Marion (Mrs. George Baldwin); two brothers, Harry of Newmarket, George of Toronto and a sister Bertha (Mrs. Leo Cull) also survive, as well as 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was identified with the Presbyterian Church and was a member of the Oddfellows Lodge. The funeral service, in charge of Rev. W. H. Fuller, was at the L. E. O'Hill Funeral Home on Tuesday, July 11. The pallbearers were three nephews, Keith and Andrew Hutchinson and Walter Brown, Wm. Morris, Bert Maye and Clifford Watson. Interment was in the Stouffville Cemetery.

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Newlywed Catcher Leads Girls To 19-4 Win

Stouffville catcher, Doreen (Jarvis) Alexander has changed her name but not her soft-ball style of play. She returned to the ranks of the local girls' team on Wednesday night and sparked the homesters to a 19-4 victory over Barrie "Varcoes". In spite of the one-sided score, the contest was featured by some fine defensive work by both clubs. At the plate, Stouffville had a wide edge, whacking out a total of 21 hits off two Barrie pitchers. Joan Raymer coasted to an impressive win, allowing only eight hits in nine innings.

Doreen Jarvis "murdered" the offerings of Barrie's starter, Shirley Cole and reliever, Lorraine Gregory, a lefthander. She slammed two triples and scored with a pair of singles, one a perfect bunt in the 8th. Her big bat was personally responsible for pushing 4 mates across the plate.

Perfect D. P.
Defensively, the final out of the game was one of the most thrilling plays seen in the local park to date this season. With Barrie's leadoff batter on first, third baseman, Mary-Lou Bishop, lined a bullet drive over short stop, infielder, Gwen Kennedy leaped in the air to grab the shot, then, in one motion, fired to first sacker, Joyce Roberts to nip the runner. In addition to the twin-killing, Gwen also wielded an explosive bat. She connected for two singles and a double. Erna Redshaw, batting in the clean-up spot, clouted a pair of doubles. Marg Smith had a good night with three singles. Joan Raymer, Jane Cook, Joyce Roberts and Joyce Nesbitt each had two safeties. Joyce Roberts was "robbed" of a hit when leftfielder, Mildred Elliott pulled down a well-tagged ball in the seventh.

Mid-Game Rally
Barrie started a mid-game rally rolling in the fifth and scored two runs off three hits. They bunched together to push safeties in the sixth to push one more runner across. Two errors and a triple counted their fourth and final tally. Ila Redshaw made one of the errors, but completed a dazzling cross-field catch in the fifth on a drive by Ann Spence. She also made five other put-outs. First baseman, Ruth Cole was Barrie's best with three singles.

The coming Stouffville victory ended a prolonged losing streak for the local squad. Doug "Peg" O'Neill, a former club coach who guided the team to an Ontario Title, was in attendance at the contest.

Minister and Wife Mark Silver Anniversary

Monday was the occasion of the Annual Stouffville Baptist Sunday School picnic. Bus and cars transported children and grown-ups to Lazy Lake where the picnic was to be held. Due, however, to weather conditions, it was decided to return to the Stouffville Memorial Park to complete the events of the day.

A splendid meal was enjoyed by all and before the children went out to take part in their sports, the Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Williams were called forward by Mr. Fred McCleary and were presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers on behalf of the church by Brenda Morden. Two Sunday School boys then carried in a cake having the design of an open Bible, inscribed with anniversary greetings and a text.

Mr. Bert Lickorish also on behalf of the church, presented the Rev. Williams, with a purse containing sixty-five silver dollars. Mr. Williams spoke on behalf of himself and his wife and expressed sincere appreciation for the kindness shown them by their people.

The presentation ended with a hearty chorus of "He's a jolly good fellow", sung by children and parents alike.

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Uxbridge Tp. Go-Cart Track to Feature International Races

International competition, featuring entries from the United States, Mexico, Europe and Canada will take part in a 1961 Championship Meet to be held at Uxbridge Township's new Go-Kart Track on Sept. 29-30 and Oct. 1. The track site is located on conc. 2, 1 1/4 miles north of No. 47 Highway.

The project has been promoted by Messrs. Wm. Bell and Gary Hodgkins. The one-half mile asphalt track is the largest of its kind in Ontario. Initial races were held on Sunday, July 2nd but the official opening will not take place until July 30th. The Ont. Regional Championships will be held on Aug. 15th.

Restaurant facilities are available on the grounds in addition to a Kart sales and service centre. A racing program will consist mainly of competition on Sunday afternoons and possibly on one evening during the week. Fifteen machines will be available on a rental basis.

Good Turnout For First Park Service

Embarking on a series of Sunday evening services in Memorial Park, Stouffville, the four co-operating churches were greatly encouraged by the evident reaction to the first meeting, last Sunday evening. Almost 200 worshippers crowded the grandstand at the ball diamond, along with another 100 people in cars, to witness the proceedings.

Prior to the service, which began at 7:30 p.m., Pastor Bass of the Stouffville Christian Church conducted a prayer meeting in the Baptist church from 6:45 to 7:15. During this same half-hour, recorded hymns and sacred songs were played in the park. Hymn singing began at 7:30, with Mr. L. Stouffer leading, and Mr. F. McCleary at the organ. We certainly want to thank Ponting's Music Centre of Newmarket for donating the organ for this service.

Pastor Williams led the meeting, assisted by the other ministers. Mrs. Walsh, of the United Missionary Church, was the soloist, and everyone received real blessing from her numbers. The speaker for this initial service was Rev. R. C. Mackenzie from Uxbridge Presbyterian Church. He challenged all who attended with a message from John 3. The Lord greatly blessed in this hour-long meeting and showed to one and all that great things are in store for us during the coming weeks.

Next week, another outstanding meeting, with Rev. Harry Percy of the Sudan Interior Mission, speaking, and the Ambassador Choir under the direction of Mr. Cyril Redford will combine with our own Christian Men's Fellowship Choir to provide music at its best.

The Cowan family met in the local Park on Sunday for their Annual get-together. Around 30 were present and this included some from Milton and Highland Creek.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harwood announce the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Ruth, to Mr. Robert Bruce Ambrose Stover, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stover of Stouffville. The marriage is to take place Saturday, August 5th, 1961, at 3 o'clock in the Second Markham Baptist Church.

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