

Sports

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League's most valuable player

Seventeen year old Brian McTaggart, a catcher with Greenwood Sr.s, has been named the South Ontario County Fastball League's 'most valuable player.' He will receive an engraved trophy emblematic of the honor. —Staff Photo

Cut football from H. S. sports

STOUFFVILLE—Football has been withdrawn from the sports program at Stouffville Dist. Secondary School. The decision was revealed this week by Physical Education Instructor, J. H. Rehill, in conversation with The Tribune.

"There are two main reasons," explained Mr. Rehill. "Number one, we don't have the coaching personnel to look after it and number two, it's just too expensive." He said that a similar policy had been adopted at several other schools in the area and Metro. At Huron Heights, East Gwillimbury, all football equipment has been sold, Mr. Rehill said.

Mr. Rehill said that the total cost of a single game could amount to \$50 with no visible return. "We want to obtain the most value for the least amount of money, so why spend from \$700 to \$900 on 15 guys," he continued. He noted that one helmet

could cost \$26 plus \$20 for pants and \$18 for shoes.

"Without football, there will be no sports vacuum at Stouffville High with volleyball, basketball, wrestling, golf, archery, cross-country races and track and field to keep students in tip-top shape. In cross-country competition at Bruce's Mill Saturday, the girls excelled over the boys. Lyla Yip placed third and Patricia Houston seventh. There were 120 entries. In the senior boys, Derek Gresham was 18th. For the intermediates, Keith Liedtke placed 65th with Frank Morgan 46th for the juniors.

In golf, Grant Barkey finished two strokes off the pace in the G.B.S.S.A. tournament, Saturday at Huntsville. Other Stouffville entries were: Wayne Cluett, Don Wood, Wayne Emmerson, Norman Christie and Ed Lowe.

Editor's mail

Temptation!

Dear sir:

Now we've heard everything! The devil has been stolen! The Claremont Golf and Ski Club reports that the huge, but artistic devil, erected to a 12-foot height as an attraction to wild golfers has been stolen.

Perhaps, if instead of the figure of the devil, an angel had been erected, the attraction would not be so noticeable, since Claremont and its vicinity is choked full of angels who are not in demand.

So the owners of the Claremont Golf and Ski Club decided to erect something honest and attractive in the form of a burning lucifer that nobody would want to steal. But, much to their mistake, the devil was not only highly coveted, but wished to be immortalized to the temple of Claremont Angelic Honesty. Won't the fallen angel who, abducted the devil himself return it to its real honest pedestal for everyone to behold with admiration?

Robert G. Roy

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**Tops Ladies League**

STOUFFVILLE—Joanne Steel rolled a high single of 292 to lead the Thursday Afternoon League, Sept. 26. She also had the high triple of 675.

Others over 200 include: Joanne Steel, 292-204; Bernice Nelson, 220-289; Aly Nauta, 214-203; Lois Bartley, 227; Ella Nichols, 221; June Hopper, 219; Jean Foley, 205; Elva Newmarch, 201.



Greenwood, South Ontario County fastball champions

Greenwood Sr.s are the new champions of the South Ontario County Fastball League. They defeated Claremont in three straight games to take the title. Team members are: Back row (l. to r.), Les Wilson (coach), Jim Wilson, Ray Ward, George Tweedle, Bob McTaggart, Bob Posthill, Grant Pascoe, Brian McTaggart and Ray McGuckin. Absent, Mike Humnick and Wayne Elson. —Staff Photo

Thirty-two players at 'Clipper' practice

STOUFFVILLE — It's still a bit too early to diagnose the malady but all symptoms point to a severe case of hockey fever.

It was evident at the arena Monday night, on and off the ice.

Thirty-two players attended the first official workout of the O.H.A. Intermediate 'B' team and just as many fans watched from the sidelines. As one spectator put it, 'just like

old times.'

Put through their paces by Don Havnes and Bob Hassard, a number of first-string stars were easily discernible through the mass of sticks, skates and less that churned back and forth for ninety minutes. And the report is that others are on the way including ex-Clipper, Ken 'Red' Crawford of professional lacrosse fame. Don

McIntosh, no stranger to Stouffville fans, may also stage a comeback here.

The next practice is Friday at 8 p.m. and again, Sunday morning from 11 to 12:30.

After a ten-year hockey stint overseas, Bob McNeil, formerly of Barrie 'Flvers' looked great. Other notables included, Art Rennie, Mickey Flynn, Ken Aida, Ron Jones, Carl Keffer, Dave Winnitov, Ray Pipher, Murray Holden, Pete Reesor and many more. Glenn Jackson, Dennis Forsyth and Harold Crowder took turns guarding the twine.

The league will include Cobourg and Whitby as well as Haliburton, Sunderland and Little Britain. A meeting of all club representatives was held Wednesday night.

Bill Barry Minor league Pres.

STOUFFVILLE — Bill Barry of Main Street East will serve as president of the Stouffville Minor Hockey Association for the coming year. Mr. Barry, who has served as coach, manager and personnel director over the past six years received the nomination at the Association's annual meeting held Tuesday, Sept. 24.

Other members of the executive are Perc Schell, vice-president and treasurer; Keith Sutherland, secretary and directors; Harry Bowes, Earl Crowder, Bud Nicholls and Wilf Morley.

The many members in attendance adopted the new constitution and regulations which will now govern league actions. Those wishing a copy of the by-laws may get one

by contacting Wilf Morley. The Squirt and Atom leagues will be called Novice and Mite this year. In this way they will be standardized with other similar age groups in the province.

Players in the Mite, Novice, Pee-wee and Bantam House Leagues will be required to wear mouth guards in addition to the other basic equipment.

There are still openings for coaches, managers, referees as well as time-keepers and scorers. Anyone interested in filling any of these should contact any of the executive at their earliest convenience.

Tickets are now available for the first Minor Hockey Dance of the year at the Legion Hall on Friday, October 25.

Rolls 305

STOUFFVILLE—Frank Bramham rolled a high (flat) single of 305 in the Sept. 23 event of the Men's Bowling League. Ken Hamm had the high single (hdcp) of 323. The high triple (flat) was rolled by Eldon Waeg, 771 and high triple (hdcp) by Ray Madeiros, 819.

Scores of over 220 were counted by: Bob Morley, 228; Eldon Waeg, 262-312; Ralph Marcelli, 224; Frank Bramham, 305; Ken Hamm, 304; Roy Ward, 257; Ross Madill, 225; Bud Lehman, 244; Brad Gilbert, 258; Larry Grove, 247; Neil Logan, 243; Ray Madeiros, 252-230.

Juveniles organize

STOUFFVILLE—Stouffville will ice a Juvenile hockey team again this winter. The initial workout was held at the arena Wednesday night.

Manager John Maxwell will assume the coaching duties until Christmas when the regular club coach, Don Harman will return. The team is sponsored this season by 'The Sports Scene,' a sporting goods store in the Markham Shopping Plaza.

Turkey shoot

Claremont Dist. Lions Club will hold a Turkey Shoot on Oct. 12 at 1 p.m. on the property of Lou Beaton, two and one-half miles north of Claremont.

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Phil Whybrow Counts 344 single

STOUFFVILLE—Phil Whybrow rolled a sparkling 344 single and followed up with a 222 in the seven o'clock division of the Men's Bowling League, Sept. 23.

Others with 220 and over included: Ron Willerton, 248; Bill White, 318-314; Al Gleave, 227; Don Trotman, 253; Glen Taun, 252; Vic Blake, 236; Bill Bedford, 235; Don Chase, 237-220; John Lankveld, 226-240; Garry Donkers, 245; John Martin, 249.

High triples of 660 and over went to: John Martin, 689; Phil Whybrow, 768; Ron Willerton, 660; Bill White, 844.

**EXHIBITION HOCKEY**

STOUFFVILLE — The 1968-69 edition of the Markham 'Seal-a-Wax' Junior 'B' club, will take to the ice in the Stouffville Arena Thursday (tonight) at 8:30 p.m. They will host North York. Admission is adults, \$1.00 and children, 50c.

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