

sports



Debbie Mann, hotly pursued by Jerome Wverhoog, prepares to pass the ball. Water polo is similar in many ways to soccer, although it is much wetter. Staff at Stouffville Pool hope to have two teams, a 12 year old and

under and an over 12 team, to compete at a meet to be held in Whitby at the end of the summer. A total of eight players are required for each team.

Water polo is a fast game that requires strong swimmers. Much of the game, as in this picture, is a rush to capture the ball. Those pursuing

the ball are from left: Glenn Dobson, Debbie Foley, Marianne Mann and Kathy Summerfeldt.



Mary Catherine McDermott, playing in goal, prepares to block the shot on net of Kathy Summerfeldt who is hidden by the spray of water she

shot up. The newly formed water polo teams meet twice weekly and are coached by Steve Dowswell.

House League action

Lions dump Hunt's

By BARB COOPER
STOUFFVILLE
Keith Larkin and Mike Wilkinson teamed up to form a strong pitcher-catcher combination and Billy Watts and Mike Wilkinson smacked homers, as Stouffville 6 Lions dumped Dickson Hill Hunt's Sunoco 14-10, in squirt boys house league action last week.

Lions took another game by default over Stouffville 4 Co-op.

Ballantrae 1 Bingo stunned Stouffville 2 Card's Hardware 21-13 as Kevin Nesbit belted a round tripper. Andrew Vonk, Scott Gayton and Earle Noseworthy were outstanding for the winners.

Ballantrae 2 Glendale Park squeaked by Goodwood 20-17. Jon Paul hit two homers for Ballantrae with single four-baggers going to

Doug O'Neill and Tom Devlin. Ed Sturge belted three homers for Goodwood and Vic Stewart managed two round-trippers. Jeff Harper also picked up a homer.

PEEWEE GIRLS
After taking a 19-6 drubbing at the hands of Pine Orchard Mapleview Farms Antiques, Jackson's Floor coverings rebounded to post a 41-7 victory over Ballantrae 1 Ladies Auxiliary. Sylvia Pollard collected her first two hits of the year for Stouffville 1, and Lisa Henderson played a strong game at shortstop.

Ballantrae 2 Cedar Beach Park, playing one person short, stunned Stouffville 2 IGA 38-12. Terry Bingham led the scoring for the winners with three home runs. Jannette Cooper belted

two homers with Cindy Child and Noreen Tufford picking up one each. Lone homer for the losers came off the bat of Valerie Cuthbertson. Solid play was displayed by Julie Chambers, Debbie Budd, Gloria Mintz and Christine Hodgson.

Pine Orchard Mapleview Farms Antiques chalked up victories over Goodwood (10-2) and Vandorf (9-4). Becky Holder and Patty Kingdom swatted homers.

Stouffville 2, IGA downed Ballantrae 1 Ladies Auxiliary 23-16. Gloria Mintz hit two homers with single round-trippers going to Christine Hodgson and Teresa Ewing. Kelly Rex-Graham hit two home runs for Ballantrae.

Vandorf General Store pulled off two victories downing Ballantrae 2 Cedar Beach 4-3 in seven innings. Becky Holder hurled the win. Cindy Child hit the lone homer of the game for the losers.

Vandorf stunned Ballantrae 1 Ladies Auxiliary 25-13. Homers went to Becky Holder, Laura Weston, Teresa Chayer and Susan Daniels for the winners, with Irene van Vliet adding one in a losing cause.

PEEWEE BOYS
In peewee boys action, Ballantrae 1 Whomsley dumped Ballantrae 2 Cedars of Musselman's 18-9 and

Pine Orchard Stouffville Printing downed Vandorf Consumers Gas 11-5.

BANTAM GIRLS
Pine Orchard King Cole Ducks downed Stouffville 1 Farley's Crest Hardware 23-16 on a homer by Linda Greenwood. The team then stunned Unionville 2 Country Chick Inn 30-21. Ashley Robb, Penny Jamieson and Linda Greenwood belted homers.

Vandorf General Store fought hard but fell to the King Cole Ducks 19-15. Debbie Murby homered for the winners and Barb White for the losers.

Stouffville 1 Farley's Crest Hardware just squeaked by Goodwood Couple Club 18-17. Crest Hardware then nicked Ballantrae 1 Syl's Superstars 17-16. Homers for Stouffville came from Debbie Bond, Louise Minicki, Lori Barby and Denise Landry. Phyllis Card homered twice and Ruth Stickwood, Janette Cooper and Robin Elson rounded the bases in a losing cause.

BANTAM BOYS
Goodwood 2 Couples Club edged Ballantrae Youth Club 15-13. Terry Graham hit a two-run homer and Dave Shembri homered for the winners. Kelly Parke hit two round-trippers for Ballantrae.

Goodwood 1 Stouffville Co-op dumped Ballantrae Youth Club 19-7, while Stouffville Streakers downed Goodwood 2 Couple Club 12-11.

Peewees clinch season title

STOUFFVILLE — Stouffville peewee boys capped off a successful league schedule with two wins last week, to clinch first place. They downed Claremont 3-1, July 30 and stunned Port Perry 9-6 Thursday evening.

That left the team with a record of 16 wins and four losses on the season.

The first game of the playoffs start tonight (Aug. 7) at 6:30 at the town park against Uxbridge. Port Perry meets Claremont in the other series.

Tuesday, the peewees meet Keswick in the first game of the OASA playdowns. The Claremont game was close. Until the 7th inning, the game was tied 1-1. Howard Underwood and Paul Barry each singled in that inning then scored on singles by Roland Wright and Randy Underwood. Jim Chilvers was on the mound.

The Port Perry game had its ups and its downs. Stouffville went ahead 5-0 only to see Port Perry close the gap to 5-4. Stouffville added another run and then the Port team evened the score at 6-6.

In all-star action Close win takes series

STOUFFVILLE — Stouffville junior girls won their way into the second round of the PWSU playoffs with a close 21-20 win over Newtonville last week.

The local team took the best of three series two games to one. Stouffville had won the first game and then lost the second. The final game was tied 19-19 after regulation nine innings.

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Tuesday evening, Monday the series moves to Uxbridge for the second game.

SQUIRTBOYS
After finishing first in the regular league, the Stouffville squirt boys have a bye into the playoffs. The team finished the season with a

13 and 2 record. Stouffville midget girls seem to have their coaching situation straightened out, but the team lost two straight in their playoff series with Eringate. The first game was a 32-7 whitewash. The second was closer as

Eringate won 32-14. At the top of the 6th inning, Eringate had only a two-run lead. In the final inning that team broke the game wide open, to win the series.

The midgets start a consolation round this week against a team from St. Catharines.

WSMHA banquet honors title-winning team

STOUFFVILLE — Tickets are still available for the Whitchurch Stouffville Minor Hockey Association banquet this Friday being held to honor the provincial champion Juveniles and the runner-up peewees.

Speaker for the event is Canadian Welterweight boxing champion Clyde Gray, a resident of the Claremont area. Banquet is underway at 7 p.m.

The members of the two teams will receive crests presented by the OMHA. Juveniles will receive plaques and rings, while the peewees will receive crests and jackets.

Tickets are \$5 per person and are available from members of the executive.

The WSMHA is holding a fund-raising dance Saturday, Sept. 13

featuring caller Frank Barkey. There will be round and square dancing.

2-mile swim

UNIONVILLE — Local swimmers are invited to participate in the Unionville Two-Mile Swim, to be held August 9 at 10:30 a.m. The swim calls for nine laps of a natural course of slightly less than 440 yards, and usually attracts a large field of youngsters from as far afield as Lindsay, Oshawa, Newmarket and Woodbridge.

Entrance for swimmers and spectators is free, with light lunch and refreshments available.

Three playoff wins for battling bantams

STOUFFVILLE — After dropping Richmond Hill two games straight, Stouffville bantam girls went on to dump Markham Bluff 5-2 Friday in the first game of their second best of three series.

Stouffville took an early 2-0 lead in the

second inning, then added another run in the 3rd. In the top of the sixth inning, Markham hit the scoreboard, but in the Stouffville half of that inning, the local squad picked up two runs.

A single Markham run in the 7th inning failed to close the gap.

Dave Dart hurls bantams 18-4 win over Markham

STOUFFVILLE — Strong hurling by Dave Dart led Stouffville bantam boys to an 18-4 win over Markham July 30. Friday the team stunned Uxbridge, 21-3.

Against Markham, Dave Dart, Brad Steele, Steve Schell and Mike Lafleur each connected with round-trippers. Ken Benson added to the win with two singles and triple, while Mark Fockler and Keith McGuckin managed to get on base safely four out of five times.

An 18-run onslaught in the third inning made the difference against Uxbridge as 22 Stouffville batters hit in that inning. Brad Steele led the way for the bantams with a grand slam homer and a triple, this driving in seven runs.

Mike Lafleur's bat was hot as he belted a

home run, a triple and two singles. Steve Schell pitched a fine game and also connected with a triple, double and single.

The Stouffville squad was strong defensively picking up two double plays.

and Steve Spang managed a triple and a single.

The Stouffville council, a resolution was approved directing that "no parking" signs be posted along the 2nd concession and the 20th sideroad near the track to discourage freeloaders.

Susan Brouwer of the March of Dimes organization appeared before council urging the move. March of Dimes will sell beer at a Molson's tent there.



Keith Davidson practices on the trampoline as part of Operation DAISY, an OFY funded project at Stouffville Dist. Secondary School.

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Operation DAISY

'Taste' of high school sports

STOUFFVILLE — Like many other OFY-funded programs, the Operation D.A.I.S.Y. program at Stouffville Dist. Secondary School this summer has attracted a large number of participants.

Altogether, 120 signed up, with a fluctuating number present each day.

The program is designed to give grade 6-8 students a taste of sports they are likely to encounter in high school, such as softball, swedish

dodgeball, golf, flag-football, orienteering, track and field, basketball, gymnastics, and rugger.

The second term of the program commenced last week, and a closing field day and picnic was held Friday at the high school.

Classes are 9-11 a.m., 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 1:30-3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Any youth still wanting to join may do so, according to the program organizers.

One sport that was entirely new to the youthful participants was rugger.

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