

'FAME' CLIPPERS QUALIFY FOR SILVER STICKS

The Fame International Atom Clippers were successful in their efforts to obtain a berth in the Silver Sticks tournament, to be played at Sarnia on Dec. 27. Travelling to Wasaga Beach last weekend, the Clippers showed their paces by winning both their preliminary games and amassing a total of 22.5 points, the highest

in the tourney.

Points were awarded on the basis of 3 points for winning a period, three points for winning the game, plus three points for a shutout; making it possible to earn a maximum of 15 points.

In their opening game against Caledon, the Clippers failed to score in the first period but

came back with a four goal salvo in the middle frame.

Nathan Brown opened with an unassisted effort, followed by Marcus Milos and Brandon Pridham (from Jay Scaife) to make it 3-0. Goal of the game came from the Caramanico-Whitebread combination. Caramanico took the puck end-to-end be-

fore making the perfect pass to Whitebread, who promptly found the net to make it 4-0. Caledon made a solitary reply just before the period ended.

Pridham scored again in the third period, a very nice play by Whitebread and Scaife. However, Caledon managed to get on the board and spoil the Clippers re-

cord, reducing their points total to 7.5.

Caramanico received a medal as the games' MVP, while Jeff Willis was outstanding in the Clipper net.

Against Ennismore the Clippers could do no wrong. They were unbeatable. Turning in a perfect score of 15 points they hammered in eight goals with no reply from

their opponents.

A five-goal first period saw markers from Jason Whitebread, on a great play by Caramanico who also scored the second one unassisted; Caramanico added two more markers, one from Paul Trentadue, the other unassisted. Darin Zeller was responsible for goal number three.

Whitebread com-

pleted his hat trick in the middle frame, giving the Clippers the necessary goal to win the period and collect three more points.

Third period goals came from Darin Zeller, from Pridham, and Jay Scaife from Whitebread. Caramanico wound up the tournament by receiving his second MVP award of the day.

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Third Section

Intermediate squad win

The Intermediate Clippers came from behind, a long way behind, to win 11-8 against the Pickering Rangers in Saturday night's game at Stouffville arena.

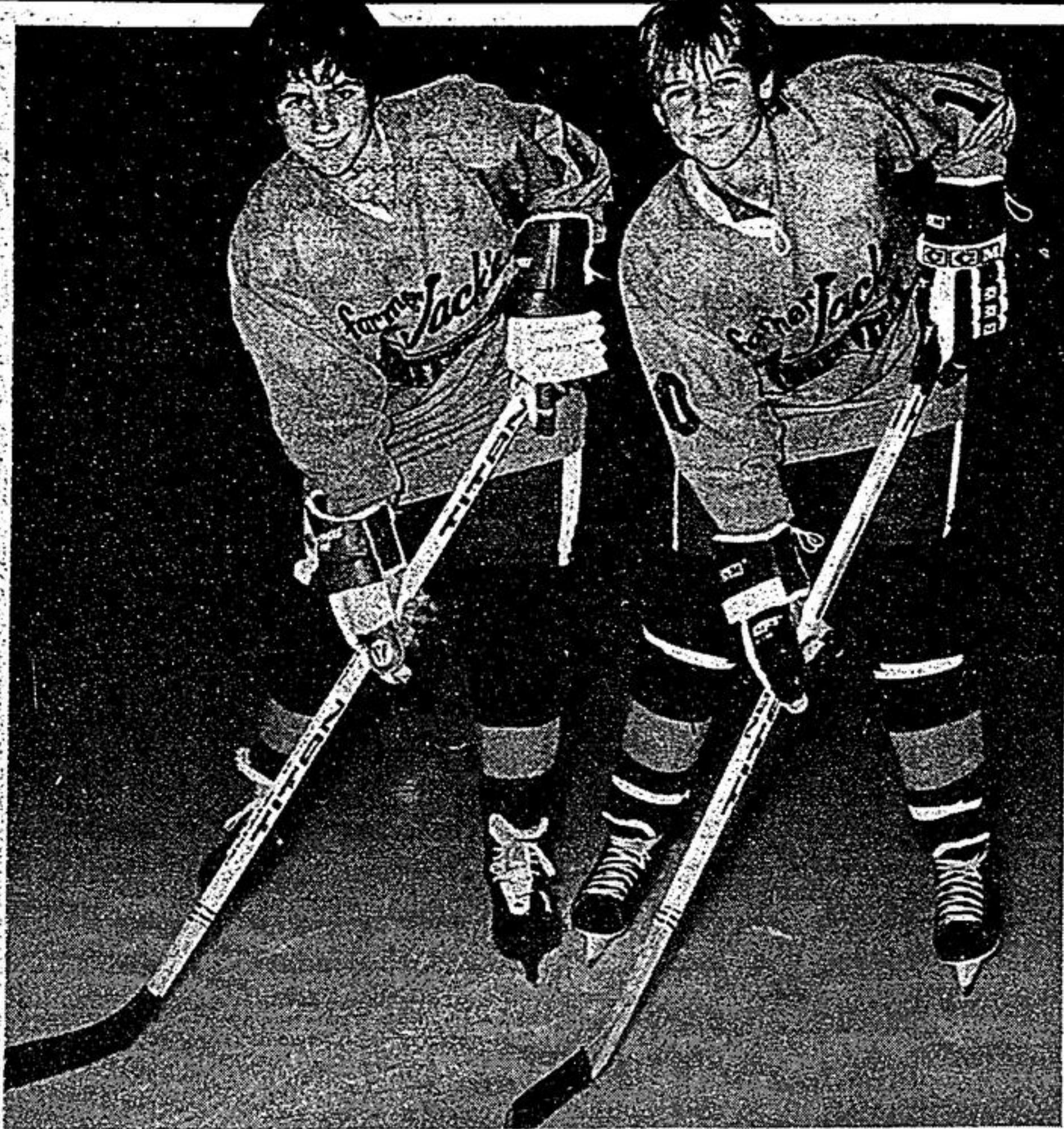
Marksman of the night was undoubtedly Lorne Potter, an ex-Junior Clipper who many will remember. Lorne slammed in a total of five goals, four of them in the final frame.

Other ex-Juniors to share the scoring were Kevin Bartley and Kelly Burrows, both scoring in the second period.

The Clippers were painfully slow to get started. The Rangers had a five goal lead after one period and looked as if they might continue scoring non-stop. However, Naz Nicastro popped in a pair along with a single from Mark Kernahan for a respectable second period total of six goals.

If the opening frame belonged to the Rangers, then Lorne Potter was King of the Ice in the third period. Potter's four goal salvo, along with a single from Tom Miller, gave the crowd more than their monies worth.

The Clippers play at home again this Saturday against Lindsay at 7:15 p.m.



Debra Surman (right) and Bonnie Tait are members of Farmer Jack's girls' allstar squad. Both play at right-wing and centre. Debra, 13, is a first year rookie. She scored two goals in her team's 4-0 win over Thornhill on Sunday evening. Bonnie, 12, is in her second year with the girls' hockey league.

Jim Holt

Bruins grab two points

Bruins fans can at least hold up their heads again. A loss and a tie over the weekend may be nothing to shout about, but it's a great improvement on some of their recent performances; the goals against used to look like a telephone listing.

Against Port Perry on Sunday night they were an improved team. With Tarleton in net they could at least feel safe to cross their own blue line and go after goals. Port Perry got off to a quick start, and held a two goal lead well into the second period before Paul

McEwan (from Convery) and Mike Feasby (from Burrows) tied the knot.

Third period action was hectic. The Bruins went ahead on a nice goal by skipper Cliff Freckleton (from La Roche), only to have their hosts tie it up seconds later. With only five minutes left they let the game slip away. Port Perry went ahead 4-3 and the Bruins pulled their goalie in an effort to get it back. Unfortunately Port Perry didn't see it that way. They put puck into an empty net to make it 5-4.

It was nice to see right-winger Chris Brown back on the Bruins' strength. He's been missed.

Bruins 6 - Port Hope 6

At home on Friday night the Bruins were well and truly 'robbed'. They led the game throughout, but were forced to settle for a tie when Port Hope scored with only 34 seconds left to play.

The Bruins got no easy breaks in this one. Feasby and Convery put the Bruins ahead 2-in the first period, while Todd Pinder went alone on a power-play goal early in the

second, leaving Campbell (from LaRoche) to match Port Perry's two goals in the middle frame for a 4-3 lead going into the third.

Both Burrows and Stewart found the net for the Bruins, Port Perry notching a three-goal salvo for the tie.

Three Bruins, Scott Harper, Sean Convery and Todd LaRoche, have been chosen for the allstar game against Bowmanville on December 26.

This Friday the Bruins meet Lindsay at home.

Girls' squads win three out of four

At the girls' allstar hockey night on Sunday, Farmer Jack's junior squad shutout visiting Thornhill in a one-sided game. Heading up the Farmer scoring was Debra Surman, the talented centre counted for two goals, singles going to Corry Palmer and Deanna Evans. Assists went to Keri Holland (2), Bonnie Tait, Linda Kerr and Catherine Dunkeld. Shawn Morrison earned the shutout.

Lorraine McDowell, Kim Gutkind and Shawn Morrison were in competition to lead Protective Rustproof.

Thompson, Dawn Stewart and Laurie Taylor turned in single markers, assists going to Dawn Stewart, Andrea Tricker and Michelle Coppins.

In the senior 'C' game, Stouffville Legion-Altona Autobody's squad came up empty handed, but it was an excellent effort. The score could have been much higher were it not for the outstanding abilities of Terri Plette and Debbie Coxworth, who made some great saves in the Stouffville net.

Big turnout for Family Twosome

This year's Family Twosome bowling event was held at the Stouffville Lanes on Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 8 and 9. Full results are as follows:

Peewee

Mother-Daughter

1. Christine and Glenn Jackson 852

2. Tammie Wray and Jim Skinner

Father-Son

1. Chad and George Dutton 747

2. Steven and John Tait

Senior

Mother-Daughter

1. Cheryl and Anne Oldham 1340

Mother-Son

1. Greg and Jeanne Vliet 1179

Father-Daughter

1. Lorraine and Al Humphrey 982

Father and Son

1. Mark and Bernard Conway 1168

Junior

Mother-Daughter

1. Linda and Leah Collett 1108

2. Jeni and Lois Barker

Mother-Son

1. Randy and Eunice Flewell 1158

2. Trevor and Lynn Wise

Father-Daughter

1. Bonnie and John Tait 1315

2. Roby and Larry Grove

Father-Son

1. Glenn and Glenn Jackson 1150

2. Scott and Larry Silver

Bantams

The Edwards-Murphy Bantams Clippers won their league game against Peterborough on Monday night, coming away with a 9-7 win. Darren Baston, Kirk Smythe, Danny Larmer and Mike Ferguson posted two goals apiece, assists going to Kent Smythe (2), Baston, Francis, McWilliams, Ferguson, Stronach (3), Kirk Smythe (2), Hamilton, Blacktopp and Hennze.

Different strokes for different bowlers



Senior league members showed their paces at the Stouffville Lanes earlier this month. Here, Ed Sanders concentrates as he gives the ball that slight curve to hopefully edge the centre pin and collect a strike. He did, too.



A much more casual approach is adopted by George Williams. George obviously believes in the old adage "Let the pins fall where they may." He has a pretty good eye though.