



Swim team tops

Markham synchronized swimmers led the competition at a recent invitational meet, taking top honors in the lion's share of events they entered.

Three local groups at the Granite Club Invitational Synchronized Swim Meet finished first, second, third and fourth in various age categories, while other local competitors finished in the top 10.

In the 10 years and under group, syncro-swimmer Jennifer Thomson took first, while teammates Tracy Britt, Lori Tregwin and Krista Doyle finished second, third and fourth, respectively.

Melissa Sousa finished seventh and Loran McGaw swam to an eighth place completion.

Hillary Huffman came second in the 11-12 years division while Connie Griffin finished fourth. Also placing in the group were Kim Cleary (sixth), Tanya Mueller (eighth) and Lisa Morabito (tenth).

The 13-14 year girls ended the outing most impressively, with a sweep of first to seventh place finishes in the standings.

From the top were Lena Pederson, Erika Scott, Kristen Cleary, Kim Orr, Heather McDonald, Susan Gautier and Barbara Maloney.

Other finishers in the group were Kathy Woo (ninth), Jocelyn Manley (10th), Kathryn Oliver (14th), Kelly Thomson (15th) and Carol Feil (16th).

Chloe Greenhalgh and fellow swimmers Fiona Santos, Debra Thomson and Andrea Flint took first to fourth in the 15 years and older group, while Theresa O'Brien finished seventh.

An eighth place went to Anita Bapooji, and teammates Laurie Mitchell, Jenny Kindy, Cindy Merriam, Laura Scull and Connie Goberis took ninth to 13th.

Squeeze play

Unionville High School Midget basketball player Angus Grant tries to dodge defending Sacred Heart opponents as they close in on him at a match held this week. The UHS Midget squad, led by Lee Hargreaves who netted 13 points, went on to beat Sacred Heart 28-22 in the match. The UHS Juniors also beat that school 48-23 in their match. — Sjoerd Witteveen

Minor Atoms nip Bowmanville

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McCowan Mobile Mix Minor Atoms split two games last weekend, squeaking by Bowmanville 4-3, but were blasted by Ajax Major Atoms 8-1.

Brent Hughes, Chris Lawton, Jason Valin and Neil Garland popped the goals against Bowmanville, with assists going to Valin, Darren Webb, Paul Von Kalben and Scott Ponsford.

Against the older and stronger Ajax Major Atoms, Hughes delivered the lone goal, assisted by Zac Spain.

In other league play, the locals lost a hard-fought game against Pickering 2-1.

Scott Higgins played an excellent game between the pipes, while Brent Hughes scored unassisted.

Taylor nets two

Steve Taylor led the way to a 4-0 victory over Aurora with a pair of goals for the McDonald's Atoms "AA" in recent exhibition play.

Mark Petrou and Greg Virgin netted one apiece, as Jeff Blanchard (2), Paul Franklin (2), Scott Keeling, Geoff Doherty and Trevor Van Egmond assisted.

A 5-2 exhibition win over York Mills saw Franklin, Keeling, Doherty, Virgin and Petrou all connect once.

Assists went to Taylor (2), Doherty (2), Petrou, Jason Neal, Ian De-

Castris and Matt Greinert.

In the only league game last weekend, the locals lost 4-2 to Ajax.

Goals came from Petrou and Blanchard, with assists from Franklin, Van Egmond and Doug Maybury.

Shutout for Bruno/Bell

Noroc Sports Minor Novice goaltenders Jamie Bruno and Chris Bell shared the shutout in a 3-0 victory over Unionville in exhibition play.

Craig Walters scored twice for Markham and Mitch Freeman netted one. Assists went to Major (2), and Frizzell.

In a 5-2 loss to the Oshawa Bruins, Boyd Major took advantage of Adam Garland's breakaway pass to score Markham's first tally, while Micheal Frizzell scored on a penalty shot in the third period for the second.

In a hard-fought battle, the Minor Novices managed a 1-1 tie with Peterborough. Peterborough opened the scoring early in the first period but from that point on was shutout by Markham's goaltending duo of Jamie Bruno and Chris Bell.

The two teams battled through almost three periods of play until

Mark Meredith scored the tying marker with less than two minutes remaining in the game. Adam Garland and Mitch Freeman assisted.

Brookes earns 2 points

Geoff Brookes led the attack on Whitby with a goal and an assist in a recent 2-0 victory for the Golden Griddle Minor Peeewe "A" squad. Jim Simpson connected for the other goal, as Rick Franklin earned assists on both.

The Peeewe took home three of four points from Ajax in two exhibition games last weekend.

In a 1-1 tie Saturday, Chris McLeod netted the lone goal from Brookes.

McLeod connected twice Sunday as the locals came out fighting in the second to take the win by a 4-1 margin.

Miguel Torres scored unassisted and Mike Pereira made it four from Jeff Egan. Franklin also got an assist.

Grossi scores twice

Anthony Grossi and Mike Gellard each netted a pair as the Markham Rotary Club Novices beat Oshawa 5-1.

Richard Morra completed the offence. Assists went to Greg Best (3), Andrew Dowdell (2), Jeff Bell, Charlie Mott and David Kinahan.

In recent exhibition play, the Novices earned two wins, one a 9-2 destruction of the Agincourt Canadiens.

Gellard powered through the defence with a hat trick and two assists. Other goals went to Morra (2), Grossi (2), Mark Burrell, and Greg Gilpin.

Set-ups went to Grossi (2), Burrell, Mott, Best and David Good, and Jamie Loughery played a strong game in nets.

In a 6-3 victory over East Gwillumbury, Mott connected twice, while Grossi, Morra, Burrell, and Gellard each scored once.

Assists came from Jeff Bell (3), Morra (2), Kinahan (2), and Gellard.

Minor Bantams lose

Markham Scotia Bank Minor Bantams came up on the short end of a 6-2 score in a recent game against Oshawa. Jonathan Cooper and Chris Maybury scored for Markham with assists coming from Maybury and Brad Prentice.

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One win in two games

The Markham Fiberglas Canada Major Peeewe played two strong games on succeeding days — but only came away with one win in recent action.

The team lost a close 3-2 decision to Oshawa, then blanked Pickering 2-0. Against Oshawa, Tony Mongillo and Bucky Houston scored for Markham giving the locals a 2-0 lead. Oshawa scored three goals in the final frame to clinch the win.

Markham assists went to Brad Lever, Mike Gottschling and Mike Conway.

Lever and Conway scored against Pickering with assists to Lever, Mongillo and Kevin Cluett. Greg Donahue and Adam Stoddart shared the goaltending duties for Markham.

Atoms split two

David Green and Ryan Treacy teamed up to lead the Markham Uncle Roberts Pizzeria Atoms to a recent 7-3 victory over Kingston. Other goal scorers included Steve Motresky, Robbie McGarrigle and Brad Underwood.

Assists went to McGarrigle, John Cooper (2), Mike Bevacqua (2), Green, Matt Sloan (2), Brett Strano, Matresky and Underwood.

In another game, Markham lost 7-1 to Whitby. Jonathan Mott scored the lone Markham goal from Bovacqua and Cooper.