

Triathlon offers something new

A Monday afternoon stop-off at the Rec Centre found the town's "say hey" recreation programmer, Peter Abbott, on the business end of a broom in the complex's upstairs lounge.

While maintenance is one of the few things not included in the industrious redhead's job description, he knew full well he would be the first one to hear about it if the room wasn't spick and span for a function scheduled for later in the day.

"What does the great regulator of recreation have going for fitness freaks looking for a little challenge this spring and summer?" I asked him, hopeful of being given a little something to help fill an early May sports page suffering from between-season blight.

"How about the second annual triathlon we'll be holding July 1 as part of the town's Strawberry Festival?" he offered.

Now there's a change of pace from hockey, baseball and golf, I thought. And it would give me a chance to refer, at least in passing, to my burning desire to see a running track installed at the high school.

The first annual triathlon, you may recall, was contested by 17

willing participants who hit the water at the town pool at 7 a.m. on a cool morning last Strawberry Festival weekend. Several hours later, after a bike ride up the 10th Line and back to the park, they crossed the finish line in various states of fatigue.

"We're planning a couple of changes in this year's race," suggested Pete. "We will be entertaining team entries, three people per team, each one doing one event."

"And we're going to have a waterfront swim. The folks at Shadow Lake Camp have agreed to let us use their facility for the swim leg of the Triathlon, which will be one kilometre."

Sufficiently invigorated after their morning dip, the entrants will then bike down to the Bloomington, across to the 10th Line, then back down to Main Street, a 15-20-kilometre ride.

They will then run the final leg, 8-10 km down to 19th Avenue and back up the Ninth and across to the park like last year.

Pete assured me that this is what is called a "short route" triathlon and that he saw no reason at all why I shouldn't join the other 99 people he hoped would willingly sign up for the little endurance test.

"You could write a report for the Trib from the perspective of a participant," he enthused.

"Not if I was unconscious due to heat prostration or total exhaustion," I responded.

"Bruce, even you could complete this triathlon," he assured me.

Well, for those who are temp-



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ted, I say 'go for it.' Maybe I will enter this year, with a Trib team. How about 'Team Tribune'?

And for the rest of you out there, both serious and casual triathlon aspirants, it sounds like a good go. Four age categories, male and female, will offer prizes to first-, second- and third-place finishers, with a special award to the highest-placing Stouffville. Sponsors include Betz Pools, Canadian Tire (Stouffville), Boyd's Sports, The Greens Restaurant (Stouffville), Thomas Winters Plumbing, plus more to be named later.

So give big Pete a call at the Rec office if you want to get involved, either as a participant or as an assistant.

Let's show that there's more to the Stouffville sports scene than old-timers' hockey and slowpitch.

Glenn Jackson leads bowlers

Glenn Jackson led the youth bowling scores last week with a three-game 724 (257, 272, 195). Two others went over 600: Sandra Van Leeuwen with 647 (200, 288) and Janet Flewell (232, 247, 203).

With over 175 were: Aaron Ringwood 243; Jason Ringwood 219, 178, 191; Robyn Grove 204; Tammy Grove 208; Chris Kerswill 234; Andy Carpenter 178; and Janet Crowder 184.

Junior leaders were Jeff Flewell with 733 (299, 264, 270) and Anthony Van Leeuwen 610 (193, 193, 224). Scoring over 150 were Christine Jackson, 225; Bryan Mallinson 179, 161; Tammy Hammond 184; Scott Clubin 184; Shaun McKinnon 159, 189; 156; Julia Johnstone 192; Peter Watson 167; Kathy Tait 171, 162; Steven Tait 176, 216, 150; Paul Lorimer 153; Lindsey Haylow 167, 185, 198; Dana Beavis 154; and John MacVarish 186.

Bantams scoring over 100 were: Shawn May 144, 102, 114; Patrick Curley 140, 125; Cheryl Davidson 160; Steven Lummiss 150, 148; Graeme Morrison 105, 103, 111; Trevor Fogal 159, 160, 126; Travis Arnold 122, 139; Jason Van Rassel 131, 176; Mandy Van Veen 143, 138; Jason Sinclair 160, 118, 164; Cheryl Jackson 130, 182, 150; Christi Foster 134, 112, 155; Michelle Foster 139; Allan Leighton 118, 193; Luke Caldeira 157, 147; Dina Inslay 119, 173, 198; Brendon Inslay 110, 116, 141; Darcy Raybould 144, 216; Adam Rochacewicz 174, 122, 126; Chris Grimes 110, 116; Jason Palmer 155, 106, 164; Jenny Carpenter 113, 120, 140; Diane Vanderliff 127, 120, 113; and Peter Ward 115, 137.

Pee Wees scoring over 75 were: Clint Moxley 119; Dale Marie Arnold 88, 97; Chris Lipson 76; Stephanie Rand 103, 92; Becky Wilson 83; Nicholas Smirnov 92; Zachary Raybould 149, 115; Kefny Leighton 92, 85; Davey Wilson 135, 99; Duffy Lyons 93; Chad Kerswill 101, 140; JoAnne Van Leeuwen 81; Krystle Palmer 99, 103; and Philip McComiskey 106, 99.

Three top 700

Three bowlers topped the 700 mark at last Wednesday's final game of the season. Jack Blasco had 721 (241, 281); Bill Petri 713 (285, 250); and Steve Ireland 710 (329, 200).

Three bowlers topped 600: Bill Menar 660 (219, 209, 232), Frank Wilbur 613 (238, 230) and Marg Wagg 605 (239, 217). Karen Faulkner had 535 (220, 200).

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