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Midget Clippers enjoying four-game winning streak

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The Print Express midget Clippers are on a roll.

The Stouffville squad has put together a four-game winning streak.

The run started with a 4-3 victory over the Scarborough Young Bruins 'AA' outfit as part of the Whitchurch-Stouffville Minor Hockey Association 50th Anniversary Gala at the Rec Centre Oct. 3.

The Clippers then gave the visi-

tors from Markham a double dunking over the past week, prevailing 5-3 and 4-0.

The Print platoon extended their string with a 4-2 defeat of Bradford Friday night at the Rec Centre.

Scoring for the Clippers against Scarborough were Brad Clubine (2), Ian McDougall and Tyler Armstrong. Assists went to Cory Turgeon, Mark Meyers, Brett Boyd and Tyler Markle.

In the two games with Markham, scorers were Tyler Markle, Kyle

Harrison, Meyers, Armstrong, Clubine, Boyd, Mike Wood, Chad Kerswill and Turgeon.

Assists went to Boyd and Harrison (two each), Armstrong, Turgeon, Meyers, Harrison and Chris Howland. Carmen Auciello and Jeremy Marshman earned the shut out.

Clubine netted a pair against Bradford, with singles going to Meyers and Markle. Assists were given to Boyd and Harrison (two each) Howland, Clubine and Markle.

Minor pee wee Clippers earn pair of victories in hockey action

The Smalley's Christmas Trees/Grey Power Insurance minor pee wee Clippers got off to a slow start to the regular season, but it's been smooth sailing in their past two outings.

The Clippers got a strong team effort in a 3-1 victory over Richmond Hill, then put it all together once again to edge Orillia 3-2.

Leading the Clippers offence so far this season is captain Brian

Taylor with seven points.

The team's "twin towers" on defence, Nick Hawkins and Jordan Smalley, have three points each.

The balance of the points have been spread out over the rest of the team, which includes defenceman Blake Maynard, Taylor Lougheed, Norman Fretz and forwards Chris Flanagan, Geoff Campbell, Mark Carruthers, Mark Sutcliffe, Jesse Maillet, Stephen Relf and Dana MacDonald.

Goal tending duties are being split by Kyle Martin and Michael McManus.

This year's Clippers are being coached by Doug Mereweather, Claude Maillet and Brian Reif. Pat Smalley and Kadri Mereweather are team managers.

The team takes to the ice again Saturday in Oshawa.

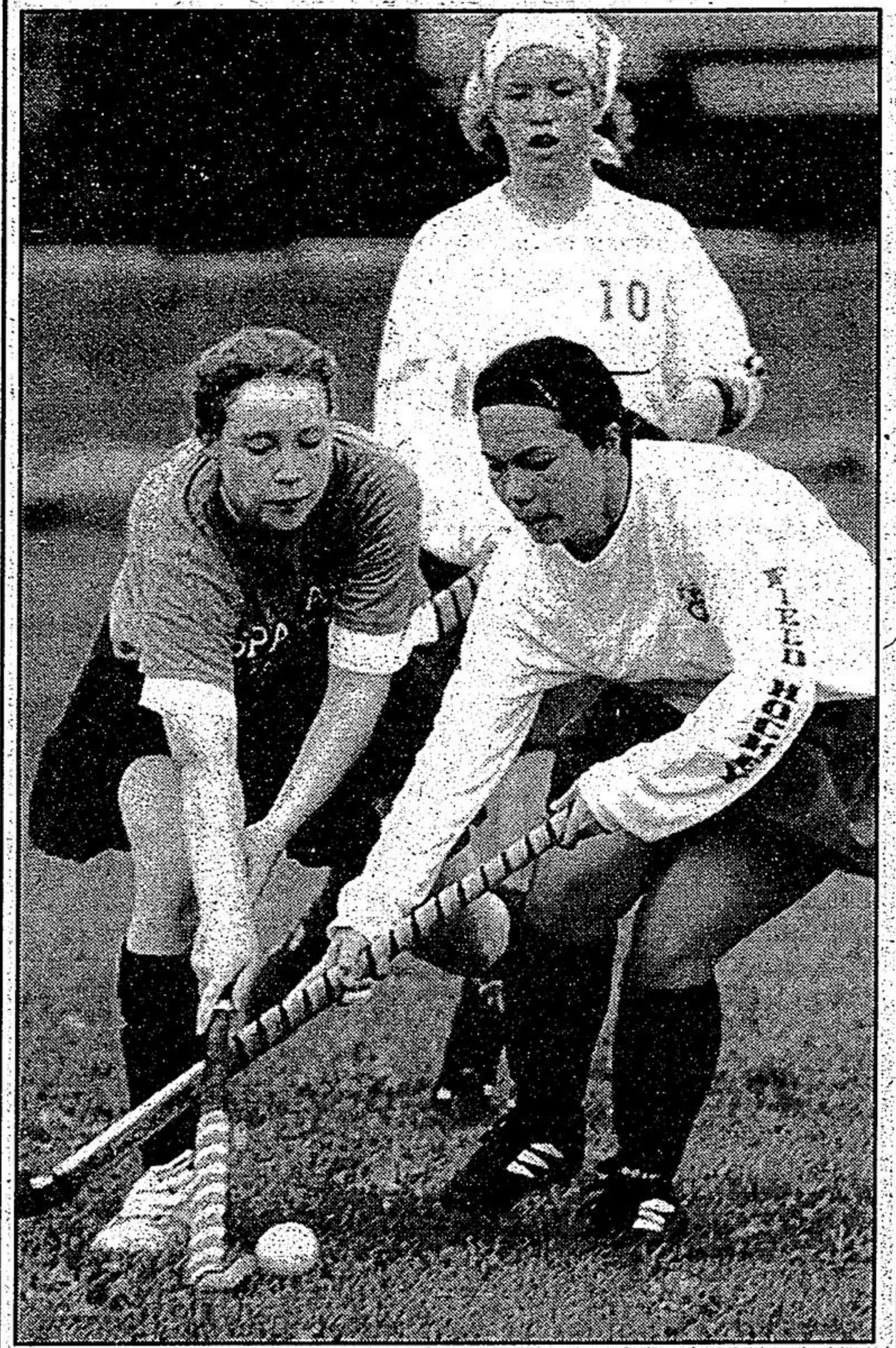
Minor atom Clippers off to perfect start

The State Farm-Legrow Agency/Cobequid Life Sciences minor atom Clippers are off to a perfect start to the 1997-98 season.

The Clippers took their first three games by shut out scores as goal keepers Matthew Cartwright and Adam Davis have proved unbeatable.

The Clippers opened the season with a 2-0 win over Pickering, then followed up with a 3-0 whitewash job of the Innisfil Eagles. They bombed the Vaughan Raiders 5-0 in their third outing.

Brendon Laing led the scoring with four goals and an assist. David Del Zotto had three goals and two assists, while Zach Popper netted a pair of goals. Alexander Bruno and Phillip Briggs each chipped in a goal. Other assists went to Kevin Rainbow (2), Brook Stachel, Devon McDougall, Matthew Mulder and Cameron Allan. Landon Wideman, Shayne Paterson and Trevor Greenham all played well to assist in the three wins.



A Stouffville District Secondary School player battles for the ball with her Markville Secondary School opponent during field hockey action at SDSS last Thursday. Stouffville went on to win the contest 1-0.
Photo by SJOERD WITTEVEEN

Major pee wees lose close one

The major pee wee Clippers tasted defeat for the first time this season in a closely contested 6-5 loss to Orillia Monday night (Oct. 13) on the road.

The set back came on the heels of a 3-2 Stouffville victory over Essa in another out of town match Saturday.

In Orillia, the Clippers trailed 3-0 after the first period before scoring twice in the second. They rallied for another trio in the third to make it close. Marcus D'Annunzio, Jesse Miller, Cameron Davis, Tyler McMaster and Andy Gibson were the Clippers marksmen, with assists going to Kyle Sandiford (2), McMaster, Davis, Miller and D'Annunzio.

Gibson, Robert Hooper and D'Annunzio clicked for Stouffville in the win over Essa. Gibson, Matt Wright, Anthony Tsiopolous and Josh Brillinger assisted.

Minor novices earn pair of wins

Justin Lacey picked up a pair of goals, and Jeff McGuckin had a goal and two assists, to help the minor novice Clippers to two wins and a tie in recent action.

The Clippers edged Markham 3-2 and topped Keswick 2-1, while holding East Gwillimbury to a 1-1 draw. Nathan James had a goal and two assists, Kyle Miller a goal and an assist, Wes Wittenbols two assists, and Jeff Gibson one assist to round out the Stouffville scoring in the first two contests. Miller was the lone Clippers scorer in the tie with East Gwillimbury.

Atom Clippers host car wash Saturday

Justin Lyons netted a pair of goals to help lift the atom Clippers to their first win of the season, a 5-2 victory over Pickering in a recent contest.

Brad Steckley, Todd Nesbitt and Gabe Barnett also scored for the Clippers in the rough tough affair. Assists went to Jon Woch (2), Brandon Wild and Cam MacKenzie.

The Clippers, who play their next home game Oct. 26 at 5:10 p.m. against Keswick, are to hold a garage sale/car wash this Saturday morning at Stomark Rental on Main St. Stouffville. The fundraiser gets underway at 8 a.m., with the car wash starting at 10:30 a.m.

Running tougher in cool weather

The runners in town continue to log some miles as the road racing season changes into the marathon and half-marathon season.

Soon the dark cool nights will appear as a formidable opponent. It will not motivate you as your mind dreams up a list of things that seem to be more important. Yet you know that the few minutes it takes to get out the door will pay dividends that even an RRSP can't give you. That is added years and improved health.

A regular group of committed runners meet on Wednesdays at the Recreation Centre at 7 p.m. Various distances are covered determined by who comes out.

Last week the group did the "usual run," passing a woman walking her dog, not just once but on the way home trip as



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well. She thought she had walked farther than the group. She thought the group was slow.

We don't try to break any records but take in the latest stories and see the changes about town. I then thought out loud, "It's only a jog around the block."

Right lady. Some of the group have covered 8K, 10K, 12K distances. Yet the appearance is we just are doing the same thing each time.

You realize to start running is a healthy thing. Do it before the snow flies.

Jim said he found it hard to shut it down and start again in the spring. That first jog is easy, just go around the block. Try to hold back that energetic enthusiasm. The real test is the second and third day you run, do the same thing again. This will help your confidence, for you know you can go the distance, "it's easy."

When those legs get stiff and heavy loosen up and go the same route again.

If you really want advice, join the group.

Elyse found out her knee problem was in the poor shoes she was wearing. The shoes looked good yet the mileage had been spent. Chris, recovering from a broken collar bone is anxious to be back with the group to get his training back on schedule.