



### READING WITH RAPTORS

Thirty students from Armadale Public School visited the Art Gallery of Ontario in Toronto to take part in the National Basketball Association's Read to Achieve program. Here, Toronto Raptors rookie forward Matt Bonner (left) along with Armadale student Nofel Alam (centre) and Herbie Kuhn, Raptors public address announcer, read a book to the students.

# Seneca College courses get anglers hooked on ice fishing

With winter invading York Region and another season of hardwater angling set to begin, Seneca College's King and Richmond Hill campuses are offering ice-fishing courses.

The courses, which are being taught by veteran ice angler and outdoor writer Wil Wegman, begin Jan. 13 at the King City campus with Ice Fishing Fundamentals.

The three-hour course, which begins at 7 p.m., is geared for ice anglers of all levels.

The cost is \$35 for each adult and \$10 per child.

Students will be taught general ice fishing principles such as: ice safety and how to read ice conditions, winter habits and habitat of several fish

species, an overview of standard hard-water techniques to catch these fish, ice fishing tackle and equipment, conservation and more.

The second course, Advanced Ice Fishing, will be held Jan. 27 at the King City campus and Feb. 24 at the Richmond Hill campus. Both classes begin at 7 p.m.

#### NEW STRATEGIES

This course is geared for those who are interested in refining their methods and will reveal other strategies.

As well as standard ice safety procedures, conservation, electronics and new ice fishing tackle and equipment, students will learn about finesse ice fishing techniques, winter seasonal movements, tournament

strategies and advanced methods to fool fish into striking when standard approaches don't work.

This course also includes an ice fishing excursion to nearby Lake Simcoe in March. Students will be put to the test in a fun-filled ice fishing competition with prizes awarded to the winners.

The cost of this program is \$70 for adults and \$10 per child signing up with the adult. This price includes the day of ice fishing for both adult and child. Please note adults must accompany and are responsible for the children with whom they enrol.

For further information, e-mail wegman at: wil.wegman@rogers.com or call Seneca College at 416-493-4144.

## Atom Clippers clinch first place in York-Simcoe division

Backed by strong netminding from Connor Timewell, the Stouffville atom Clippers won their 15th straight game and clinched top spot in the Ontario Minor Hockey Association's York-Simcoe division with a 3-0 win over the Markham Waxers Dec. 21.

Timewell's shutout was his third straight, as he also backstopped the Clippers to victories over Oak Ridges 2-0 Dec. 15 and the Bradford Bulldogs Dec. 18. The Clippers began December with victories over the Richmond Hill Stars 3-1 and Newmarket 5-1. Tanner Creek was the winning goalkeeper in those two outings.

Scoring for the Clippers in those games were: Craig Hasler seven goals, one assist; Alex Popper three goals, one assist; Jordan Barkey two goals; Cody Towsey one goal, three assists; Brad Harley, Tommy Stevens, Jay Averill one goal, two assists each; Trevor Carrick and James Lovett three assists each; Will Brown, Adam Kostandoff and Mitchell King one assist each.

The Clippers have one regular season game remaining, Jan. 4 against Aurora.

### SPORTS DIGEST

#### Atom AE's down Waxers

The Stouffville atom AE Clippers had an extra reason to celebrate Christmas after they skated off with a 5-2 victory over the Markham Waxers Dec. 22 at the

Stouffville Arena.

Scoring for the Clippers were: Daniel Szabo two goals, two assists; Josh Manson and Andrew Muirhead with one goal, one assist each; Jake Dobson one goal; Chris Matsoukas, Andrew Baggs and Michael Liscio each contributed one assist.

Goaltender Kevin DeRocchis was solid in net.

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