



At Lions Pool, Hagersville, a lifeguard keeps a watchful eye on swimmers and divers to offer quick and expert assistance in case of need. (Staff Photo)

## Six Nations Redmen Tri-County Champs

Six Nations Redmen needed a win in their last regularly scheduled Tri-County Senior Fastball League game to earn a berth in the playoff-tournament held in Jarvis on Saturday. But when the final pitch was thrown, the Redmen were winners of the six-team playoff-tournament with four wins in five games, all against the division champions.

The Redmen won their opener 2-1 against Tillsonburg Merchants, the club that ended the regular season with the winning percentage in either

division. Then Jarvis Harvesters, first place finishers in the Eastern division, nipped Six Nations 1-0 in the double-knockout tournament.

The Redmen refused to quit. Their second meeting with Tillsonburg ended with a 3-0 Six Nations win and they ran into Jarvis for the second time, needing two wins to take the title. Randy Hill's grand slam home run in the second inning gave the Redmen a 4-0 victory in the first game and a three-run first inning was good enough to carry Six Nations to a 3-2 triumph in the second game.

And to the victors went the spoils. Besides winning the Tri-County title with four wins Saturday, three Redmen earned individual honors. Cec Davis led all hitters with a .571 mark while Randy Hill had three game-winning hits and was named the most valuable player of the tournament.

In the end, Dennis Morgan was the story. Morgan was named the most

valuable pitcher, picking up three wins in hurling the Redmen to their championship. Paul Haviland won the first game of the day for Six Nations.

Morgan spun a three-hitter in the first win over Jarvis Saturday, but it was Hill's blow that accounted for the runs. Rob Johnson and Ted Davis opened the second frame with singles and after Lorne General went down swinging, Dennis Wilson singled, filling the bases.

Harvesters Marv Fehrman nearly wiggled out of the inning when he sent Morgan down on strikes for the second out of the inning, but Hill followed with his lineshot into rightfield.

It was plenty for Morgan. He sent just one down on strikes, but didn't walk a batter in going the seven-inning distance. (All games during the tournament were seven innings).

Fred McKeen slapped a single in the second and Marv Fehrman also singled for Jarvis in the third, but the Harvesters didn't threaten until the final frame, and then it was too little, too late. With two out Jim Lamb singled and Bryan Smith was hit by a Pitch.

However Morgan ended the game by getting Wayne Kellar on a pop up.

The eleventh game of the tournament decided the champions and Morgan again told the story. He held the Harvesters to three hits in the final as well, although two of the three Jarvis hits came in the sixth frame when they scored their final run.

Rick Anderson drew a one-out walk to start the Redmen rally in the first and Tony VanEvery and Johnson spanked back-to-back singles, scoring one run and Ted Davis' grounder was booted by shortstop McKeen, allowing the final two runs to score for Six Nations.

Harvesters got one run in the second and singles by Darryl Fehrman and Dennis Craddock accounted for the other Jarvis tally in the sixth. Morgan did not strike out a batter and walked two in the championship battle.

Darryl Fehrman fanned one and walked one in going the distance for Jarvis. Brother Marv, in the previous game, struck out five and didn't walk any.

Hill's bases-loaded blast along with singles by Cec Davis, Johnson, Ted Davis and Dennis Wilson accounted for the five-hit Six Nations attack in the first win over Jarvis while VanEvery, Johnson and Morgan picked up hits in the final game.

McKeen, Lamb and Marv Fehrman were the first-game hitters for Jarvis with Craddock McKeen and Darryl Fehrman getting one apiece in the championship game.

Jarvis edged Port Dover 3-2 for their first win of the day and blanked Simcoe 2-0 before nipping the Redmen 1-0 in their first meeting, to reach the finals.

### SPORTS ROUNDUP

By  
PETE MYKE

## Hagersville Whips Nanticoke 8 - 1

HAGERSVILLE — Hagersville Blues trounced Nanticoke 8-1 here yesterday to go on top of the OBA Senior D round robin series with three points. Tillsonburg is in second place with one point because of a tie game with the Blues.

Steve Petracco led the Blues at the plate with three safeties. Tony Yacubino, Frank Vecero and Robbie Stewart all had two hits with Dan Forbes getting the other.

Gary Gee had a pair for Nanticoke while Jim Lamb, Larry Moerschfelder, Fred Moerschfelder and Nick Montague each had one.

Cliff Chrysler struck out nine and walked three in going the distance for Hagersville. Gee had three strikeouts and three walks for Nanticoke.

Next game in the series will have Tillsonburg in Nanticoke on Wednesday night.

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Gee and Lamb; Chrysler and Forbes.

### Midgets Tie Series

The Hagersville Midgets played three games with Paris for the S.C.B.A. championship winning and tying one while losing the 3rd game. The two teams ended the regular season tied for first place so it is evident they are pretty evenly matched.

The first game went to Hagersville by a score of 9-1 with Richard Salvatore being the big gun. Salvatore had a triple and 2 doubles with 5 runs batted in. Richard also made the outstanding defensive play when he pulled down a fly ball that was headed for extra bases.

Phil Nie, Paul Horvatis, Ralph Awde and Bill Winger had 2 hits apiece with singles going to Terry Crawford, Darrell Watson and Darryl Nixon. Bill Winger pitched a strong game allowing just 4 hits and 3 walks while striking out 7.

### H.M. TOURS

#### BUS TRIPS

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A visit to beautiful Niagara-on-the-Lake and the Shaw Festival Theatre for a matinee of "Too True To Be Good". On our way we will see Jordan Museum, one of the oldest in the Niagara Peninsula.

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## Hoss For Minor Ball

A heart-warming letter after being read by Public Relation's Chairman of the Legion Branch 164, A. Esselment, brought much applause, and praise. This sincere letter was from Mrs. Irene Hall of QuAppelle, Saskatchewan, a former Hagersville resident, who enclosed a \$25.00 cheque to assist with the Minor Ball, through these progressive hosiery parties.

This final in a series of hosiery parties where all proceeds were given to the Hagersville Minor Ball Committee was held in the Hagersville Legion Hall on Wednesday evening, August 7, commencing at 8:30 p.m. Essie gave a sincere thanks to all those who were in attendance, to make up the twelve tables, who later

played ten games progressively. Likewise he gave words of appreciation to those who had donated the worthwhile prizes of the evening — Harry Cuff; Anonymous (Regular Hosiery player); Firestone of Upper James Street, Hamilton; Alfred Walker, Jarvis; Wayne Mitchell; Charles Diosi Shoes, King Street West; William Jacobs Shoes, Main Street North; Winger's Jewellery Store, King Street West; Shildrick's Hardware, King Street West; Haldimand Office Supply, Main Street North.

Others who made cash donations were \$5.00 Dave McNeilly, and Mrs. Marion North who sold her prize, and turned the \$2.00 back into the door receipts, making the total receipts, \$68.25 (this includes Mrs. Hall's fantastic cheque).

A thank-you was also extended Mr. Norman Crawford of the Minor Ball Committee, for his support in obtaining prizes; and also to Mrs. Edith Fincham

(Legion Auxiliary member), and loyal helper at each charitable hosiery game.

Those winning the prizes were — Ladies High (335) — Mrs. Clarence Kindree; Ladies Second (318) — Mrs. Hilda Atkinson; Men High (313) — Mrs. Mary Ford (playing as a man); Men Second (311) — Mrs. Madeline Young (playing as a man); Lady Most Hoses (2) — Mrs. Marion North; Men Most Hoses (4) — Frank Salvatore, Man Hidden Score (213) — Miss Ruby Jepson (as a man); Woman Hidden Score (253) — Mrs. Ruth Skinner.

The lucky door prize ticket was drawn by youngest son of the Chairman, Billy Esselment age 8; most appropriate in his ball uniform after just playing for Hagersville Hall's fantastic cheque. Atoms that evening, and winning over Norwich lads. The ticket drawn, declared Mrs. William Nichol to be the winner of the prize donated by William Jacob's Shoes and Repairs.



A group of children enjoy swimming in the modern and spacious Lions Pool at Hagersville. Expert swimming instruction is afforded by qualified personnel. (Staff Photo)

## On The Green

by Ruth Hagan

Hagersville Lawn Bowling Club held their seventh Jitney on July 25th for their regular night of Tuesday, July 23rd was rained out. Before the members started to bowl on Thursday we had a minute of silence for one of our members who passed on. A minute of silence was for Norman Graham who passed away on July 24th.

Winners of the games were: Ladies high, Agnes Laidlaw; with two wins 22 plus three, second went to Marg Gushart with two wins 21. Men's high went to Lloyd Henry with two wins 22; second went to Fran Almas with two wins 21 plus three. Prizes were donated this week by Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Hyde.

Lunch was put on by the committee of Orma Dunnett, Agnes Laidlaw and Mabel Wilson. Lunch consisted of cheese and different kinds of crackers. Tea and coffee was also served.

Hagersville Lawn Bowling Club held their eighth Jitney on July 31st for our regular night was Tuesday and it was rained out. Winners for that night were: Ladies high went to Betty Vanni with two wins 24 plus ten; second went to Agnes Harrop with two wins 21. Men's high went to Mel Sheldrick with two wins 19; second went to Craig Vanni with two wins 18 plus 9. Prizes were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harrop.

Lunch committee were as follows: Orma Dunnett, Agnes Laidlaw, Marg Lougheed and Mabel Wilson. Lunch consisted of different kinds of cake, tea and coffee.

On August 6th the Hagersville Lawn Bowling Club held their ninth Jitney with 24 in attendance. The winners for the evening were: Ladies high went to Marg Gushart with two wins 24 plus 6; second went

to Mabel Wilson with two wins 21 plus 8. Mens high went to Mel Sheldrick with two wins 24 plus 9; second went to Gerry Hyde with two wins 24 plus 8. The lunch committee served cookies, tea and coffee. Prizes were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stoddart.

On Monday, August 5th the holiday, Hagersville Lawn Bowling Club held a Pot-Luck supper for their members. We played two 12 end games before supper and one 12 end game after supper. Everyone enjoyed themselves.

Tuesday night was our regular Jitney night. On Wednesday was the Ladies Tournament. There were ladies there from different clubs for instance Hamilton, Burlington, Dunnville, Simcoe, Hagersville, Waterford. They played one game of 12 ends and stopped for tea and played their second game of 12 ends, then they stopped and had their supper on the grounds.

Lady members of the Hagersville Club made and served supper which included different kinds of salad plates also different kinds of jellies, pickles, different kinds of meat, tea, coffee, cheese, tomatoes, devilled eggs and many pans of fancy bake goods of squares.

On Thursday evening it was a very wet evening for our bowling. We were able to get one game of bowling in. Members from Dunnville and Caledonia were invited up to Hagersville to bowl with us. We went into the club house and had sandwiches, tea and coffee. On Monday night, August 12th we are invited to go to Dunnville for mixed doubles.

I will tell you a little more about "Starting The Game". Stance on Mat: A player shall take his stance on the mat, and at the

moment of delivering the Jack or his bowl, shall have one foot remaining entirely within the confines of the Mat. The foot may be either in contact with, or over the mat.

Delivering the Jack: The player to play first shall deliver the Jack. If the Jack in its original course comes to rest at a distance of less than two yards from the opposite ditch, it shall

be moved out to that distance and centred. Movement of Bowls: "Live" Bowl - A Bowl, which in its original course on the Green, comes to rest within the boundaries of the rink, and not less than 15 yards from the front edge of the mat, shall be accounted as a "Live" bowl and shall be in play.

"Touchers": A bowl which in its original course on the green, touches the Jack, even though such bowl passes into the ditch within the boundaries of the rink shall be counted as a "live" bowl and shall be called a "toucher". If after having come to rest a bowl falls over and touches the Jack before the next succeeding bowl is delivered, or if in the case of the last bowl of an end it falls and touches the Jack within the period of half - minute invoked under Law 53, such bowl shall also be a "toucher".

Jim Vanni came up with 5 hits as the Hagersville Juveniles won the first game of the S.C.B.A. playoffs over Caledonia by a score of 11-3. Vanni singled in the 1st, 5th and 7th innings and doubled in the 4th and 8th for a great night's work. Vanni also handled 4 chances at 3rd base without an error. Randy Curran started for the winners but didn't have his good stuff and gave up 2 runs in the first inning.

Pat Martin came on in the 3rd and went the rest of the distance allowing one more run in the 8th and giving up 6 hits. Pat struck out 8 and walked one. Martin hit a home run in the 4th inning when Hagersville picked up 4 big runs to take the lead for good. The home run proved to be the winning run.

Dan Donato and Glen Hewson picked up 2 hits apiece for the Hagersville team with Dean Webb and Craig McKeen having one each. Dan Galbraith the starting pitcher for Caledonia was the leading hitter with 3 singles. Howden and Almas had 2 hits apiece with singles going to Ross Wedlock, Neilson, and Berdan. The next game in this series will be in Hagersville Thursday, August 15th.

## Hagersville Girls Win Over Fonthill

Hagersville girls winning 33-5.

The following evening, August 1, the Hagersville female athletes journeyed to Fonthill (with some going the extreme long way there), and won with a score of 26-19. This was the second, and final game of the First Series, with Hagersville winning the first two games.

The second series of play-offs began on Hagersville-home diamond, against Erie girls on Thursday evening, August 8, with Erie taking this first game with a score 11 to 7. Both teams showed much enthusiasm in this second series.

The Hagersville girls are coached by Misses Donna Jepson, and Marilyn Forrest, with the Erie coaches being Miss Cathy Mattice, and Lynn Rowntree.

Hagersville Bantam girls beat out Fonthill Lions (girls' team ages 12-15). First game in this series best 2 of 3 games, was held in Hagersville at the Park Diamond on Wednesday evening, July 31, with

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