

# Canoe club has run out of alibis, now it must fight for everything

SCARBOROUGH — Before the season started, Mississauga Canoe Club members would have "poohpoohed" the idea that they would lose any Western Ontario Division regattas.

How would the loss of Dean Oldershaw, John Wood and Scott Lee, their Olympic paddlers, along with several others such as Wolfgang Ruck and Larry Patey affect them? It would hurt some, they said, but not enough to affect their standings as the top club in their division. The trio in Europe would be back in time for the CCA anyways.

But the third place finish at West Rouge Saturday, their worst showing in many years, may be indicative of just how much the losses of the starry paddlers meant. According to one paddler, they were the driving force as it made everyone try to follow their winning ways. Whatever the reason, Missie just hasn't had the fiery spirit of old and it's hurting them.

West Rouge won the event by amassing 204 points while Mohawk was second with 198, Mississauga third with 158 and Balm Beach fourth with 46.

**FEW WINS**

There were few wins that club members could boast about and some events were downright disappointments. Oldershaw did what was expected of him in the juvenile C-1 while brother Reed, a championship junior K-1 paddler, finished a disappointing second in the event. Bob Boaz,

who had been winning the junior C-1 all year, was a poor second behind his rival Jack Stewart from Balm Beach.

Les Reithauser put on a fine showing in winning the senior K-1 event while Reed Oldershaw showed some hope in the senior ranks in the same event with a strong third. Head coach Mac Kickox had no trouble with his senior C-1 event as usual. Bob Boaz and Rick Wood didn't have it in their junior C-2 event for a second place finish while Chris Garner's bantam war canoe was a runner-up.

**BIG C-2 UPSET**

A big surprise was Rick Tempore's crew in the juvenile war canoe as they took top honors. The junior war canoe was a distant fourth. Possibly the biggest upset of the year was in the C-3 event where Hickox and Stan Mackacek crossed the finish line in second spot — the first time this year they have lost the event.

The crew of Rick Wood, Mackacek, Rick Tempore and Reed Oldershaw won the junior C-4 while Hans Nischan and Art Fogg continue to show well in the senior K-2. They took top spot.

Hickox teamed up with Boaz, Garner and Danny Murphy to win the senior C-4 as expected. A surprising entry of Brad McFater, Greg McCrea, Tom Laidley and John Knox finished second in the juvenile K-4 ahead of the crew of Scott Oldershaw, Paul Moroz, Kevin Frampton and Brian McEwan.

**ALIBIS**

The saddest part of the tale of the club this season is that, despite the viciousness in retrospect of the final tallies, the club is said to be coming on. There were weather factors at the other regattas. But the loss at West Rouge under perfect weather conditions was the supreme shock and some say it may be the catalyst that will rocket the club back to the top of the heap. They had alibis before. Now there are no alibis. The club members have to put their minds to the task.

**TWO REGATTAS**

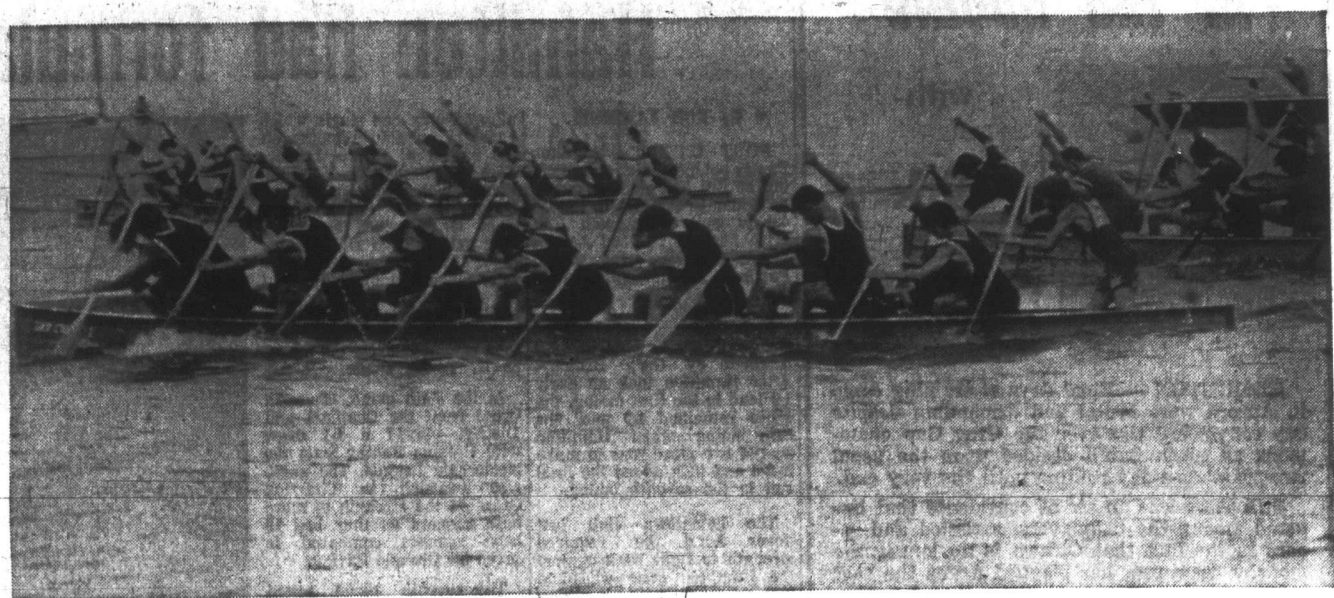
The paddlers, though, have just two regattas left to prove

themselves worthy of a repeat of their Canadian Championships. This weekend they are in Balm Beach for the final division regatta and the following weekend is the Western Ontario Division trials for the right to go to the Canadian championships two weeks later.

Originally, plans called for the Ontario championships the week after WOD but the provincial government would not support the venture and it had to be cancelled. This means there looms what could be a disastrous layoff but the club is hoping to compromise by holding inter-club regattas to keep the paddlers sharp.

A club spokesman is putting his faith on the old theory of "when the chips are down . . ." They proved it at the Dominion Day Regatta and will have to do it again.

Certainly, men such as Bert Oldershaw and Bill Collins with their take-charge attitude are trying to drum up confidence. Time is running short.



Brian Burton's senior war canoe (foreground) makes a determined bid but falls short in third spot. (Photo by Phil Van Houten)

## Streetsville lawn bowling tourneys

STREETSVILLE — Mrs. Henry Pickett's rink from the home club here went high one win to finish among the winners at the July 8 ladies' lawn bowling tournament held at Milton.

Mrs. Pickett was skip of the ladies' triples rink with Mrs. Omar Turney as vice and Mrs. Maybelle May, lead.

A second Streetsville rink which competed in this tournament was made up of Mrs. Anson Forster, Mrs. Joe Trimbale and Mrs. Ann Farquarson. Streetsville Lawn Bowling Club's ladies' division is holding a gala day, July 15, with some 60 ladies on hand for the luncheon and tournament for the Ann Bruce trophy.

Two ladies' rinks of Streetsville lawn bowlers travelled to Port Credit July 7 to take part in the ladies' provincial competitions. Representing the Streetsville Club were Mrs. Irene Forster and Mrs. Omar Turney, Mrs. Henry Pickett and Mrs. Pearl Trimbale.

Unfortunately they finished out of the winners' circle. The local club is also looking forward to July 18 when it will hold a mixed triples tournament for the Robert Grey trophy.

Already there is an enrolment of 16 teams — all the local greens can handle for the tourney. Rinks are coming from Toronto, Burlington, Oakville, Milton and Brampton as well as the home club.

Streetsville Lawn Bowling Club, now over 80 years old, is one of the oldest bowling clubs in Ontario and was founded by the late Robert Grey, a Streetsville hardware merchant, who used to hold tournaments on the lawn of his home before proper greens were acquired.

## Jr. A lacrosse standings

	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Lakeshore	7	0	0	415	291	24
Bramalea	16	7	0	303	256	32
Mississauga	15	8	0	361	276	30
Oshawa	14	9	0	377	288	28
Peterborough	11	13	0	295	298	22
Etobicoke	10	12	1	313	309	21
St. Catharines	9	14	1	314	347	19
Huntsville	1	25	0	214	525	2

## Minor Lacrosse Schedule

**HURON PARK ARENA**  
Monday, July 20th  
6:30—Tyke—Erindale Miss. Police vs Clarkson F. G. Lister  
7:20—Novice A—Erindale K-Mart vs Clarkson Turf Cust. Cl.  
8:10—Novice B—Clarkson Dixie Flash vs Dixie PCO  
9:00—Bantam B—Erindale Kanef vs Dixie Covassin Const.

Tuesday, July 21st  
6:30—Novice B—Erindale Concrete Pipe vs Port Credit Totony's  
7:20—Fee Wee B—Clarkson 1 vs Erindale Herron Motors  
8:10—Bantam A—Erindale A&W vs Clarkson Ray Whyte  
9:00—Bantam B—Port Credit Parson Tire vs Clarkson Fuels

Wednesday, July 22nd  
6:30—Clarkson Paperweights  
7:15—Clarkson Exhibition Games  
8:30—Juvenile—Clarkson vs Rexdale

Lakeshore League  
Thursday, July 23rd  
7:00—Fee Wee C—Clarkson vs St. Christopher House  
8:00—Bantam A—Erindale vs Alderwood  
9:00—Bantam—Dixie vs Mimico

**MALTON ARENA**  
Monday, July 20th  
6:30—Tyke—Malton Fastmarket vs Clarkson Weavers Fdn.  
7:20—Fee Wee B—Malton King City vs Dixie Crestlawn  
8:10—Midjet—Malton vs Dixie Bruce Scott

Tuesday, July 21st  
6:30—Novice B—Erindale T. J. Labella vs Clarkson Petrie  
7:20—Novice B—Malton Bolton Hilltop vs Erindale Bells  
8:10—Midjet—Port Credit Texaco vs Clarkson Comm. Centre

Wednesday, July 22nd  
6:30—Novice B—Malton Firefighters vs Clarkson Dixie Flash  
7:20—Fee Wee B—Malton Hutons vs Erindale S. M. Superette  
8:10—Bantam B—Malton Vern Pederson vs Dixie Covassin  
9:00—Midjet—Erindale Union Elec. vs Dixie Bruce Scott Oil

Lakeshore League  
Thursday, July 23rd  
6:30—Tyke—Dixie vs Erindale  
7:20—Tyke—Clarkson vs Beaches  
8:30—Midjet—Clarkson vs Mimico

**DIXIE ARENA**  
Tuesday, July 21st  
6:30—Tyke—Dixie Bahr Auto vs Erindale Dawson Esso  
7:20—Novice B—Dixie Burger Chef vs Dixie Dairy Queen  
8:10—Fee Wee B—Dixie Nido Auto. vs Port Credit Starcos  
9:00—Fee Wee A—Dixie Red vs Malton Lgn. Br. 582

Wednesday, July 22nd  
6:30—Novice A—Dixie Premier Conc. vs Malton Jay's Ftwr.  
7:15—Novice M—Dixie vs Erindale Forestwood Sunoco  
8:30—Midjet—Dixie POP vs Ajax

Lakeshore League  
Thursday, July 23rd  
7:00—Novice—Clarkson vs Erindale  
8:00—Fee Wee—Erindale vs Dixie  
9:00—Bantam—Clarkson vs West End A-C

**PORT CREDIT ARENA**  
Monday, July 20th  
6:30—Tyke M—Clarkson Rickie Tickle vs Dixie  
7:20—Fee Wee A—Port Credit Rotary vs Erindale Haldanes  
8:10—Fee Wee A—Clarkson Turf Cust. Cl. vs Clarkson Kerrs  
9:00—Fee Wee M—Clarkson A&W vs Dixie

Wednesday, July 22nd  
6:30—Tyke—Port Credit Lgn. 52 vs Erindale Erinmills  
7:20—Novice A—Port Credit Thompson vs Erindale K-Mart  
8:10—Fee Wee B—Clarkson Red Cabin vs Malton King City  
9:00—Bantam A—Port Credit AN&F vs Dixie Lgn. 582

**OUT-OF-TOWN GAMES**  
Wednesday, July 22nd  
9:00—Midjet—Clarkson at Beaches

Thursday, July 23rd  
7:00—Novice—Erindale at Alderwood

Friday, July 24th  
6:30—Juvenile—Clarkson at Whitby

## Erindale bantams fall short in Kitchener tournament

KITCHENER — Playing in the Kitchener Bantam Invitational Tournament Saturday, July 11, the boys from Erindale won the first game against Branford by a score of 12-5, only to have their hopes come to an abrupt end when they lost the second game to Brampton 10-6. In the latter game it was strictly a team with more desire which came out victorious.

The combined scores of the two games produced the following statistics: Top point man for Erindale was Kevin Rushton with seven goals; John Lamprea two goals and one assist; Kim Crossman three goals; Mike Keszinski two goals; Scott Sands one goal and one assist; John Collins one goal and one assist; Kurt Forstner one goal; Robby Anderson and Tom Hespider two assists each; Brent Knudson also two assists, while single assists were credited to Marc and Bobbie Neeb and Tony Smith.

The bantams were idle this week in the Lakeshore League but will have their hands full this Thursday when they meet Long Branch at Long Branch, finalists in Kitchener against

## 8-team basketball league underway

PORT CREDIT — In the short time that John Tutty, physical education instructor at Port Credit Secondary, had to organize a summer basketball league, he received a response large enough to go with eight teams.

Of course, there still is room for more players and those interested are asked to contact Tutty at the school or at home. His number is 828-1278.

A schedule has already been devised and games are underway. The first game begins at 7 p.m. and the second follows at 8:30 p.m. All games are at Port Credit Secondary from Monday to Thursday.

The schedule is as follows:  
Wed., July 15 — Knicks - Bullets; Royals - Eagles.  
Thurs., July 16 — Lakers - Celtics; Bucks - Pistons.  
Mon., July 20 — Knicks - Eagles; Bullets - Celtics.  
Tues., July 21 — Royals - Pistons; Lakers - Bucks.  
Wed., July 22 — Knicks - Celtics; Bucks - Pistons.  
Thurs., July 23 — Bullets - Bucks; Royals - Lakers.  
Mon., July 27 — Knicks - Pistons; Celtics - Bucks.

Tues., July 28 — Eagles - Lakers; Bullets - Royals.  
Wed., July 29 — Knicks - Bucks; Pistons - Lakers.  
Thurs., July 30 — Celtics - Royals; Eagles - Bullets.  
Tues., Aug. 4 — Knicks - Lakers; Bucks - Royals.  
Wed., Aug. 5 — Pistons - Bullets; Celtics - Eagles.  
Thurs., Aug. 6 — Knicks - Royals; Lakers - Bullets.  
Fri., Aug. 7 — Bucks - Eagles; Pistons - Celtics.  
Mon., Aug. 10 — Knicks - Bullets; Royals - Eagles.  
Tues., Aug. 11 — Lakers - Celtics; Bucks - Pistons.  
Wed., Aug. 12 — Knicks - Eagles; Bullets - Celtics.  
Thurs., Aug. 13 — Royals - Pistons; Lakers - Bucks.

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