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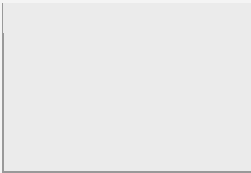
The annual OASA awards banquet is set to be held Sunday September 22nd at 3pm at the Grand Valley Gold and Country Club in Cambridge.

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ELIMINATION RECAP

2013 Pee Wee
Eliminations

The Pee Wee Eliminations started on Friday night with Belleville, Caledonia, Cambridge, Chepstow
Cobourg, Elmvale, Ennismore, Glencoe (ORSA), Kitchener/Waterloo, Napanee,



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New Hamburg, Stouffville and Tavistock competing. Thanks to Mother Nature we started on time and finished on time and then came the rain. Glencoe finished in first place going undefeated and will represent Ontario in the Western Canadians with Chepstow finishing second and Napanee third representing Ontario in the Eastern Canadians. Opening ceremonies were fantastic with all the teams being piped in by a piper. Ewart Timlin through the first pitch and Roger Cole catching.

I would also like to thank Ewart Timlin, Keith Flemming, Denise Quigley, Scott Tuttle and Larry Sherwin for their convening services and making this the great tournament that it was, as well the host Cobourg Minor Ball, John and Cathy Klein. The Men in Blue did an excellent job on the field and were open to coaches rule questions off the field.

Glencoe went through the tournament undefeated; they came to play ball and play ball they did, never giving up even when they were down. This tournament had no no-hitters, 1 home run each by Stouffville, Tavistock, Napanee, Kitchener/Waterloo. Chepstow and Napanee had 2 home runs each. Only one game went extra innings with Glencoe winning the game over Tavistock.

Mary Myers
Tournament Director

K-W Kolts Win Bantam Elims

The K-W Kolts defeated the Grand Valley Hitmen 5-3 early Sunday evening at Doug Fischer Memorial Park in New Dundee to capture the OASA Bantam Provincial Elimination crown. The Hitmen had eeked out a 6-5 victory in the previous match to hand the Kolts their only loss of the tournament. Earlier Sunday Grand Valley defeated the Tavistock A's 6-3 to relegate the A's to the bronze medal. The Kolts will represent Ontario at the Western Canadian Championships to be held August 2-5 in Winnipeg, Manitoba. The Hitmen and Tavistock will travel to Ste. Perpetue, Quebec to compete in the Eastern Championships in late August.

Congratulations go out to Luke Zettel of the Grand Valley club who was awarded the tournament's Gil Read Most Valuable Pitcher's Trophy award. He pitched the final 21 innings of the tournament defeating Tavistock and K-W before losing the final. Luke also pitched the Hitmen to two earlier victories on Saturday against the Tavistock squad and the Baden Pirates. Thirteen clubs competed in this year's tournament. Baden Pirates, Pt Perry Power, Campbellford Cougars and Twin Centre Wildcats all won two games on the weekend while the Toanche Eagles and the Osgoode Little Chiefs won single matches.

Bruce Young

OASA Bantam DC

2013 Midget Eliminations

The Teeswater Otters rode the strong arms of their pitching staff and came through with some clutch hitting to go undefeated and capture the 2013 Midget Eliminations in Napanee.

Teeswater faced Port Perry for the second time on the weekend in the gold medal game and came through with 2 runs in the top of the 7th on a 2 out triple by Nick Penner to take a close hard fought game by a 3 – 2 margin. Tyler Randerson went the distance for the Otters to get the victory. Jeff St. Pierre also went the full 7 innings for Port Perry. Teeswater had defeated Fullarton, Tavistock and Port Perry to advance to the championship game. Matt Wardrop led the pitching staff picking up the W in all 3 games leading up to the final game. Matt earned the Barry Ellerbeck Pitching Award for his strong pitching performance all weekend long.

Teeswater, Port Perry and Tavistock will represent Ontario at the U18 Midget Canadian championships in August based on their top 3 finish.

In all there were 12 teams represented at the eliminations from across the province. Other teams participating were Kitchener Waterloo, Pickering, Napanee, Innerkip, Cobourg, Domville, Alvinston and Jarvis.

Hats off to the hosts from Napanee, who shifted Friday's games to an alternate site so that the main diamonds at the Fairgrounds could be groomed and made playable for the rest of the weekend, after the skies opened up and soaked them on Friday afternoon.

Dave Northern
Midget Elimination Convenor

Congrats to Teeswater Otters for winning the 2013 Midget Eliminations.

2. Port Perry
3. Tavistock
4. Kitchener Waterloo
5. Pickering

Full game results / highlights are below.

1 Port Perry 10 Cobourg 6 North Fredricksburg

WP - Jeff St Pierre

LP - Frank Sullivan

2 Pickering 13 Alvinston 4

WP - Steve Millar

LP - Devon Triest

3 Napanee 8 Domville 5

WP - Joey Balkwill

LP - Luke Severson

4 Fullarton 16 Jarvis 1

WP - Brayden Bertens

LP - Clint Barker

HR - Tyler Pauli, (Fullarton)

5 Port Perry 2 Innerkip 1

WP - Jeff St Pierre

LP - Josh Karn

6 Kitchener Waterloo 7 Pickering 0

WP - Johnny Baker - No Hitter

LP - Steven MacLeod

HR - Johnny Baker (KW)

7 Tavistock 5 Napanee 4

WP - Dylan Taylor

LP - Joey Balkwill

HR - Travis Ramseyer, Liam Laforest
(Fullarton); Brandon Blunt (Napanee)

8 Teeswater 3 Fullarton 2

WP - Matt Wardrop

LP - Braden Bertens

9 Innerkip 6 Domville 5

WP - Mike Arnott

LP - Matt McIntyre

10 Pickering 11 Jarvis 7

WP - Steven MacLeod

LP - Clinton Barker

HR - Corey Mclean (Jarvis)

11 Napanee 9 Cobourg 5

WP - Alex Douglass

LP - Frank Sullivan

12 Fullarton 11 Alvinston 4

WP - Tyler Pauli

LP - Devon Triest

HR - Derek Elliott (Fullarton)

13 Port Perry 4 Kitchener Waterloo 2

WP - Jeff St Pierre

LP - Johnny Baker

HR - Quinton Bruce, Matt Reid (Port Perry)

14 Teeswater 10 Tavistock 6

WP - Matt Wardrop

LP - Dylan Taylor

15 Pickering 4 Innerkip 1

WP - Steven MacLeod

LP - Mike Arnott

HR - Matt Morrow (Pickering)

16 - Napanee 6 Fullarton 5

WP - Jeremy Martin

LP - Braden Bertens

HR - Derek Elliott (Fullarton)

17 Teeswater 3 Port Perry 2

WP - Matt Wardrop

LP - Jeff St Pierre

18 Tavistock 6 Pickering 5

WP - Jessie Deweerd

LP - Steven MacLeod

HR - Devon Kropf

19 - Kitchener Waterloo 4 Napanee 3

WP - Johnny Baker

LP - Joe Balkwill

20 - Tavistock 9 Kitchener Waterloo 7

WP - Dylan Taylor

LP - Johnny Baker

21 - Port Perry 11 Tavistock 5

WP - Jeff St Pierre

LP - Jessie Deweerd

HR - Layne O'Halloran (Port Perry)

22 - Teeswater 3 Port Perry 2

WP - Tyler Randerson

LP - Jeff St Pierre

2013 Masters Report

submitted by Mike Goodridge
Tournament Director

Perhaps, the proper way to describe the 2013 Jack Cook Classic, is to relate to the reader a quote from Stoney Creek Scrapper fielder Mike O'Hearn " I have played in every Masters tournament since 1996, and this was the best one ever"

The tournament was a huge success due to a multitude of reasons. Back in Central Ontario, {Cambridge} it attracted 8 teams which was up from the previous year. Also there were 3 new teams, St Thomas, Ohsweken, and Mississauga. Cobourg, and Toronto Gators were strong teams as they prepared for the 2013 World Masters in

Turin Italy. Waterloo Classics, Waterdown Hammer and Stoney Creek who all have been strong supporters of previous tournaments also competed.

The teams were divided into 2 divisions of 4, playing each team in your division once and Toronto Gators won the Masters A championship "Bill Danford plaque" with a victory over Stoney Creek. The "B" championship played for the Gene Rouselle plaque and St Thomas won a close 5-3 decision over Mississauga.

Darren Zack was named winner of the Cliff Belch Pitching Award for the A division and Bill Carson from Mississauga was the MVP pitcher in the B division winning the Ontario Masters Fastpitch award

Dave Birnie of Stoney Creek was named winner of the Jack Cook award, which is awarded annually to the individual who shows sportsmanship and dedication to the Masters Series.

The tournament was held at the Cambridge Sports Park which proved to be a great facility.

I would like to thank co-director Gene Rouselle and OASA convenors Hub Fehrman, Bill DeHaan and Ron Heagle. and a special thank you to UIC Mitch Zuk and the entire blue crew.

The real winner though was the OASA Scholarship Fund which receives all profits from the tournament.

Respectfully submitted

Mike Goodridge

Tournament Director

Great Lakes Tournament

On the weekend of July 26 the Great Lakes Tournament was held in New Dundee.

The winner of the Hamilton Spectator Trophy for the Senior "A" Provincial Championship was the Scarborough Force. The Scarborough Force defeated the Kitchener Cubs in the final by a 3 – 0 score in a hard fought and well contested game.

The Force got to the championship game by defeating the Waterdown Hammer 8 – 1 in their first game. In their second game they defeated the Niagara Snappers by a 2 – 1 score.

Their third game which was the undefeated game they defeated the Kitchener Outlaws by a score of 11 – 1.

The Kitchener Cubs got to the finals by defeating the Alvinston Indians 2 – 1. They then faced the Kitchener Outlaws who defeated them 4 – 3. This put them on the loser's side bracket where they faced and defeated the Shakespeare Falcons. They then faced Hill United who they defeated by a score of 2 – 1. This put them into the semi finals where they defeated the Kitchener Outlaws to get

into the finals.

The Kitchener Outlaws got to the semi-finals by defeating the Hill United Warriors by a score of 2 -1 then defeating the Kitchener Cubs to get into the undefeated game before losing to the Scarborough Force by a score of 7 - 1. This put the Outlaws into the semi-finals where they were defeated by the Kitchener Cubs 10 – 1.

Other teams participating were Hill United who defeated the Wellington Sox by a score of 6 – 4 in their first game they then faced the Kitchener Outlaws who defeated them by a score of 2 – 1. They then faced the Alvinston Indians whom they defeated by a score of 9 – 2. They then faced the Niagara Snappers who they defeated by a score of 7 – 5. They then faced the Kitchener Cubs who put them out by a score of 2 – 1.

Wellington Sox lost to the Hill United team and in the loser's bracket they faced the Waterdown Hammer who defeated them by a 10 – 1 score.

Niagara Snappers defeated the Shakespeare Falcons in their first game. They then faced the Scarborough Force who defeated them by a score of 2 – 1. Their next opponent was the Hill United Warriors who defeated them by a 7 – 5 score.

Waterdown Hammer lost their first game to Scarborough Force by 8 – 1. They then faced the Wellington Sox in the losers bracket defeating them by a score of 10 – 1. The Shakespeare Falcons then defeated them by a score of 3 – 2.

Alvinston Indians face the Kitchener Cubs in the first game and were defeated by a score of 2 – 1. Alvinston were relegated to the loser's bracket where they played the Hill United Warriors who defeated them by a score of 9 – 2.

The winner of the Len Henderson top pitcher award was Andy Skelton of the Scarborough Force.

The Scarborough Force, Kitchener Cubs, Kitchener Outlaws and the Shakespeare Falcons as host team will represent Ontario at the Senior Canadian's in Stratford August 27th to September 1, 2013.

PROVINCIALS RECAP

Bantam Provincials

Cobourg Minor Softball hosted the OASA Bantam "A" and "B" provincial tournaments at Legion Fields, August 3,4. Eight teams competed on the "A" side and six teams played in the "B" series. Twenty-five matches were played over the two days under perfect weather conditions.

The Campbellford Cougars claimed the "A" division gold with a 9-6 victory over the Tavistock Athletics. The Tavistock club had forced a second championship game with their 8-5 first championship game win. The Cougars had advanced to the championship game with a thrilling 2-0 victory over the Athletics in the undefeated game Saturday night. The Cougars,

made up of entirely first year Bantams, won 4 of 5 games played on the weekend. All four pitching victories were claimed by their ace, Ben Broek. Bronze medal winners, the Grand Valley Hitmen, scored the pitching gem of the tournament as their hurler Luke Zettel tossed a no hit, one walk 2-0 victory over the Baden Pirates in a Saturday evening match-up.

The Shakespeare Bantams scratched out a 6-5 victory over Douro in the championship game on the "B side. Douro Diamondbacks relegated the Johnstown Count to the bronze medals with a 5-3 victory on the Sunday morning. Johnstown's Peydon Selleck proved to be one of the tournament's hottest hitting stars as he racked up a total of two home runs, a single, double and triple, scored five runs and batted in six more in back to back games Sunday morning.

The host group, umpiring crew headed by Steve Gallagher and the ball clubs all worked together to produce an exciting weekend of fastball. The Tavistock and Grand Valley clubs would next be off to St. Perpetue, PQ to compete in the Eastern Canadian Softball Championships. The KW Kolts were forced to miss the Bantam Provincial Championship weekend as they were busy successfully competing in the Western Canadian Championships held at the same time in Winnipeg, Manitoba.

2013 Midget Provincials
Teeswater Otters hosted 12 teams at the Midget A & B Provincials on the weekend of July 26th.

In a repeat of the Eliminations in Napanee in June, Teeswater came out on top by winning the A championship in dramatic fashion. Teeswater broke a 5 – 5 tie in the bottom of the 7th inning of the 'if' game with a 2 out, walk off home run by Cory McGregor to the delight of the large hometown crowd in attendance. Tavistock forced the 'if' game by scoring early in the championship game and holding on to win 6 to 3 to give Teeswater their first loss of the weekend. It was the 3rd time that these two teams had faced each other within 24 hours.

Teeswater had advanced to the championship with victories over Cobourg, Kitchener Waterloo and Tavistock. Strong pitching and clutch hitting once again were the backbone of Teeswater's success all weekend.

Tavistock had advanced based on victories over Napanee, Port Perry and Kitchener Waterloo to make it to the finals. Leveraging their deep bench they received strong pitching and solid hitting throughout the weekend. Pickering came out victorious over Napanee by a score of 4 to 3 to take the Midget B title. Pickering had defeated Domville in their semi-final and Napanee had defeated Innerkip to reach the final.

Other centres represented at the provincials were from Fullarton, Desboro and Harriston. Hats off to the host crew from Teeswater who kept the fans well fed, and the diamonds in great shape in spite of the heavy rain on Saturday night that forced us to move the late games to early Sunday morning.

Good luck to Teeswater, Port Perry and Tavistock who will be representing us at the Midget Canadians.

Good luck to Pickering who will be representing us at the Eastern Canadians.

Dave Northern

Midget Division Convenor

OASA AGM

November 23, 2013

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Long Term Player Development
Information Session 12 - 1:30

Ask the
Umpire 12 -
1:30

Annual General
Meeting 2 - 4:30

Nominations and Constitutional/Bylaw
Amendments must be in to the Secretary
by September 20th.

Please come out and support your
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Toronto, ON

Christine Patenaude

