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FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Monday Results

South Windsor 100 000-1 2 2
 Windsor Body 231 32x-11 9 1
 Mercy rule.

B. Denapoli (LP), Johnson (5) and Adair, Howle (3), Ron Parent (WP) and Pannetta. **Top hitters:** D. Zucco 2/3 2 rbi, N. Keren 2/3 (WB)

Metro Catering 010 160 4-12 12 3
 Gameworld 440 012 0-11 11 5

Kirk Ehgoetz, Mike Jewell (WP-2) and Art O'Donnell; Rick Rock (LP) and Bruno Flammia. **Top hitters:** Brian Richie 2/3 2 rbi, O'Donnell 2/4 2 rbi, Mike Kaschak 2/4, Ehgoetz 2/5 2 rbi, Dan O'Sullivan 2/5, Ron Jewell HR (MC); Marc Labord 3/4 3 rbi, Dale Marinacci 2/3 3 rbi, Shawn Batsan 2/4 2 rbi (G)

Ticket Wicket 010 030 0-4 5 3
 Westpoint Indians 000 313 x-7 7 3

Larry Champ (LP) and Wendle Banks, Rod Drouillard (5); Steve Johnston, Art McIntyre (2), Jon Weir (WP-5) and John DeMarco. **Top hitters:** Les Milburn 2/3 (TWT); DeMarco 2/3 HR 4 rbi, Ken Pinkowski 2/3 (WI)

Tonight's Games

Penalty Box vs. Bentley's Roadhouse, 6:30 p.m.
 Acapulco/Blais vs. Kilroyz, 8:30 p.m.
 (Doubleheader at Windsor Stadium)

Wednesday Games

Metro Catering vs. Ticket Wicket at Lanspeary Park, 6:30 p.m.

WILDCATS LADIES' LEAGUE

Sunday Results

Novice I 11 Club 240 5
 Taco Bell 14 KFC 8

Monday Result

Windsor East 14 Riverside 5

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

| | W | L |
|------------------------|---|---|
| Westpoint Indians | 4 | 0 |
| Metro Catering | 3 | 1 |
| Penalty Box | 2 | 1 |
| Ticket Wicket/Kurley's | 2 | 1 |
| Bentley's Roadhouse | 1 | 1 |
| Acapulco/Blais | 1 | 2 |
| Windsor Body/Buck Two | 1 | 2 |
| Kilroyz | 1 | 2 |
| Gameworld | 1 | 2 |
| South Windsor | 0 | 4 |

Thursday Results

Gameworld 1022 000 1-15 17 4
 South Windsor 101 200 1-11 14 4
 Matt Sokolik (WP), Rick Rock (5) and Bruno Flammia, Dale Marinacci; Mike Maisonneuve, Mike Denapoli (4) and Kevin Adair, Dennis Houle (4). **Top hitters:** Marinacci 3/5 HR 4 rbi, Wes Kivinen 3/5, Mark Labord 3/5, Flammia HR (G); T.J. Furr 4/5 3 rbi, Ken Budd 2/4 (SW)
 Penalty Box 000 014 0-5 5 1
 Acapulco/Blais 001 000 0 1 3 1
 Larry Griffin (WP) and R. Burns; G. Sivyier (LP), Jim Watt and M. Lucier. **Top hitters:** Jeff Wilson 2/3 (PB); M. Lucier 2/3 (AB)

Windsor Body 021 000 1-4 7 2
 Westpoint Indians 213 002 x-8 6 0
 Roy Allen (LP) and Deminic Penatta; Art McIntyre, Steve Johnston (WP-3) and Jason Ulman. **Top hitters:** Bob Kemler 1/3 HR (WB); Bob Harper 2/2 HR 5 rbi, Ken Pinkowski 2/4 (WI)

Tonight's Game

Kilroyz vs. Bentley's Roadhouse at Windsor Stadium, 6:30 p.m.

WILDCATS LADIES' LEAGUE

A Division

Thursday Results

Windsor AA 100 000 0-1 4 4
 Peppermints 520 100 0-8 2 2
 Cindy Vernes (LP), Chantelle Seguin (4) and Heather Taciuk; Stephanie Moses (WP), Cathy Garnett (4) and Karen Kalkhourst, Michelle Lebert (4)

Penalty Box vs. WGFA Midgets, no report

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

| | W | L |
|------------------------|----|---|
| Westpoint Indians | 10 | 0 |
| Metro Catering | 8 | 2 |
| Ticket Wicket/Champs | 5 | 2 |
| Gameworld | 4 | 3 |
| Windsor Body/Buck Two | 4 | 3 |
| Penalty Box/5 W. Const | 3 | 3 |
| Bentley's/Boston | 3 | 5 |
| Kilroyz | 2 | 7 |
| Acapulco/Blais | 1 | 6 |
| South Windsor | 0 | 7 |
| South Windsor Jrs. | 0 | 2 |

Note: South Windsor Jrs. play one round in schedule, results counting for all opposition

Tuesday Results

Metro Catering 020 003 1-4 10 1
 Kilroyz 000 100 0-1 4 3
 Mark Gevaert (WP) and Jason Hope, Tom Lyons (LP), Dan Mitchell (7) and Dean Ataman. **Top hitters:** - Kirk Ehgoetz 2/4, Brian Richie 2/4, Don Ing 1/3 2rbi (MC), Ataman 2/3 (K)

Westpoint 000 100 3-4 10 1
 Bentley's 000 000 0-0 2 2
 Steve Johnston (WP) and John DeMarco, Steve Francis (LP) and Glenn Girard. **Top hitters:** Bob Harper 2/4, Mark St. Pierre 2/3, Jason Ulman 2/3 (W)

Thursday Games

Windsor Body/Buck or Two vs. Ticket Wicket at Windsor Stadium, 6:30 p.m.
 Acapulco/Blais vs. South Windsor at Stodgell Park, 6:30 p.m.

WILDCATS LADIES' LEAGUE

A Division

| | W | L | T |
|--------------------|---|---|---|
| Samuel Plate Sales | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| Penalty Box | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Drop-In Tavern | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| Windsor AA | 2 | 4 | 1 |

Wildcats: The Windsor Wildcats novice girls' fastball team won their second straight Ann Arbor Summer Classic title.

The Wildcats, who finished with a 4-1 record, downed Chatham 10-2 in the final to take the championship.

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

| | W | L |
|------------------------|----|----|
| Westpoint Indians | 15 | 1 |
| Metro Catering | 11 | 4 |
| Bentley's | 10 | 5 |
| Ticket Wicket/Champs | 10 | 5 |
| Windsor Body/Buck Two | 8 | 6 |
| Gameworld | 8 | 7 |
| Penalty Box/5 W. Const | 6 | 6 |
| Acapulco/Blais | 4 | 10 |
| Kilroyz | 2 | 13 |
| South Windsor | 1 | 13 |
| South Windsor Jrs. | 0 | 5 |

Note: South Windsor Jrs. play one round in schedule, results counting for all opposition

Tuesday Results

Gameworld 001 000 0-1 4 1
 Bentley's 000 020 x-2 2 2
 Rick Rock (LP) and Bruno Flammia, Steve Francis (WP) and Glenn Girard. **Top hitters:** Cary Lucier 2/3 (G); Blake Guthrie 1/1 2 rbi (B)

Westpoint Indians 234 30-12 12 0
 Metro Catering 000 00-0 0 5
 Mercy rule. Steve Johnston (WP), Art McIntyre(5) and John Demarco, Jason Ulman (4), Mike Jewell (LP), Kirk Ehgoetz (3) and Brian Richie. **Top hitters:** Steve Johnston 2/2 HR 2 rbi, Vic Piccolo 1/2 HR 3 rbi, Brian Matchette 2/3, Ken Pinkowski 2/4 (WI)

Tonight's Game

Windsor Body/Buck or Two vs. Penalty Box/Southwest Sales at Laspeary Park, 6:30 p.m.

Friday Game

South Windsor vs. Westpoint Indians at Windsor Stadium, 6:30 p.m.

No-hitter: Steve Johnston pitcher a no-hit game as the league-leading Westpoint Indians defeated Bentley's Roadhouse 6-0 in Municipal Fastball League play at Lanspeary Park Wednesday night.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Windsor Wildcats girls' softball clinic will be held on Friday, July 2 at Windsor Stadium from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with registration to begin at 8:30 a.m. All spots are currently filled but cancellations are anticipated. Contact Joyce Tremaine at 258-0214.

Softball: The Windsor Wildcats reached the final of the Port Huron girls' fastball tournament last weekend. The Wildcats, who went 3-2 on the tournament, defeated Sarnia 8-6 in the first game of the double-knockout final but lost 18-12 in the second.

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FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE
Thursday Results

| | |
|--|------------------|
| Kilroyz | 400 000 02-4 7 1 |
| Westpoint | 001 300 00-4 4 1 |
| Tom Lyons (WP) and Frank Jedlinski, Steve Johnston (LP) and John DeMarco. Top hitters: Lyons 2/4, Henry Jedlinski 1/4, 3b. rbi, Marty Sanders 1/4, HR, 2 rbi (Kilroyz); Johnston 2/2 (Westpoint). | |
| Windsor Body | 020 000 0-2 7 2 |
| Metro Catering | 023 210 x-8 11 1 |
| Gary Geoffery (L) and Dominic Panette, Kirk Ehgoetz and Tom Thompson. Top hitters: Dominic Panetta (WB) 3/4, Bob Kemler (WB) 2/3, Brian Richie (M) 2/4, Mike Kaschak (M) 2/3 | |

Bentley's vs. South Windsor, no report
Tonight's Games

Gameworld vs. Acapulco/Blais, 6:30 p.m.
Acapulco/Blais vs. South Windsor Juniors, 8:30 p.m.
(Both games at Windsor Stadium)

Softball: Liz Tremaine was named most valuable player as the Windsor Wildcats won the silver medal on the weekend at the Chatham Summer Gold softball tournament.

Windsor lost 8-6 to Chatham in the final after dumping Sarnia 10-4 in the semi-finals.

Lindsay Kohuch and Jessica Kavanaugh each had grand-slam home runs for Windsor during the tournament.

Wildcats: The Windsor Wildcats squirt team lost 8-5 to Milford (Mich.) Bandits recently in the championship game of the Brighton (Mich.) Fastpitch Tournament.

The Wildcats had gone 3-0 in round-robin play with victories over Waterford Grand Slam 7-4, Ann Arbor Gold 11-4 and Detroit Compuware 14-2 before meeting Milford, which won its division, also with a 3-0 chart.

The Wildcats will play in the provincial squirt division tournament at Ottawa, Aug. 6-8.

Softball: The Windsor Athletic Association Wildcats bantams came home with the title from the Summer Softball Spectacular in Waterford, Mich. on the weekend.

Unbeaten in round-robin play, Windsor downed Saginaw 6-2 in the championship. Jen Andrew led the team with a .563 batting average and Dana Rodrigues drove in 14 runs.

Saginaw had outslugged the Wildcats B team in the semi-finals by an 11-8 count. The Wildcats B squad had also gone unbeaten in pool play and finished third in the tournament. They were led at the plate by Lindsay Kohuch, who hit .545.

Fastball: Chantelle Seguin tossed a four hitter to lead the Windsor Wildcats to a 5-1 victory over Brampton Friday at the Ontario bantam girls' fastball championships in Mississauga.

The Wildcats were scheduled to play London, also 1-0, today at 11 a.m. with the winner from that game guaranteed a medal. Offensively for the Wildcats, who scored twice in the third and sixth innings, Dana Rodrigues and Jen Andrew each went two-for-three at the plate.

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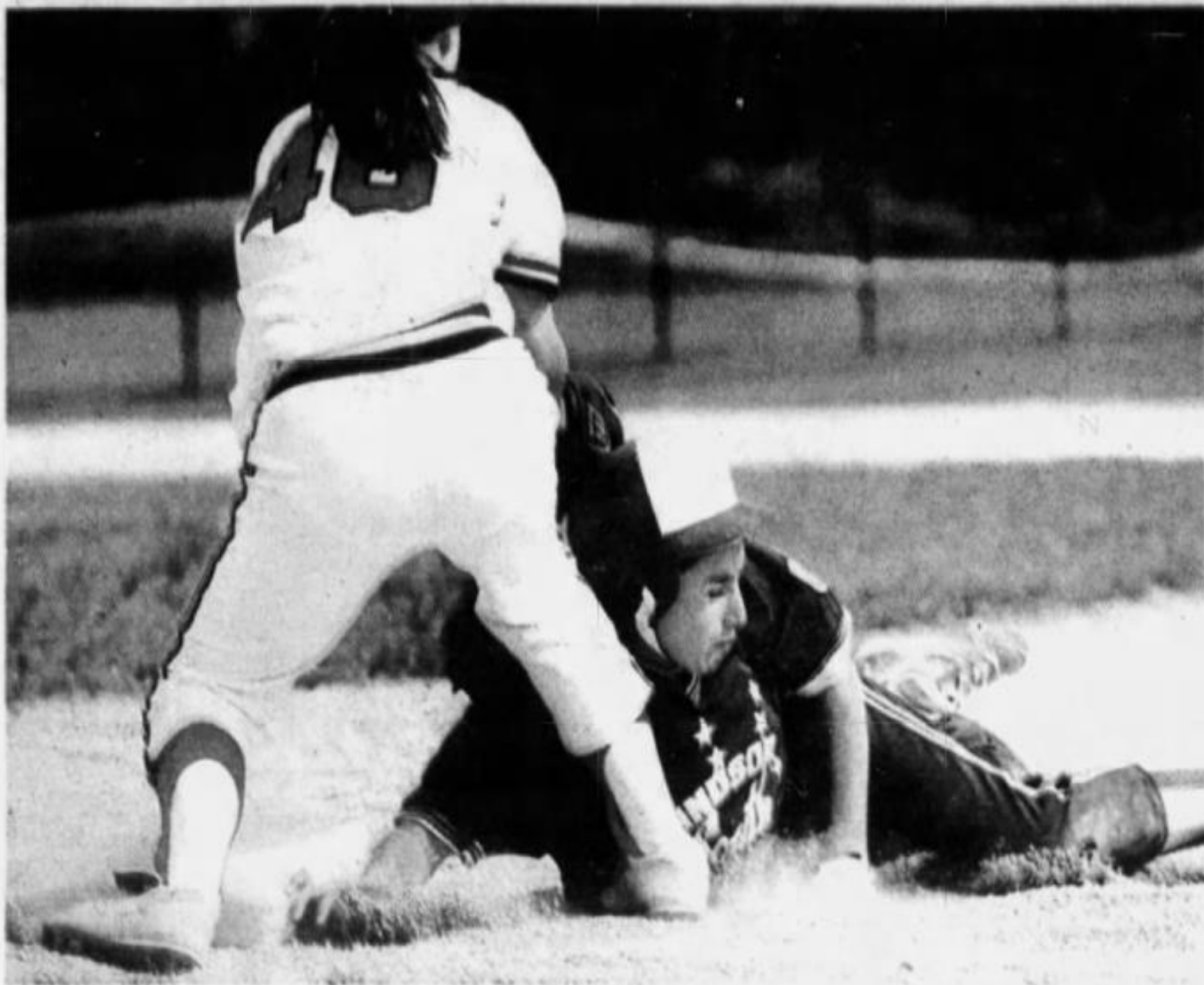
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WINDSOR SOUTH'S Sara Adam slides back to first base while Kim Danderfer of a Victoria, B.C. area team attempts a tag during a game in the

Canadian Little League softball championships at Optimist Park on Sunday. Windsor South is 0-2 in both the major and senior divisions. See C4.

B.C. softball team walks to a win over Windsor South

By Mary Caton
Star Sports Reporter

Kim Harper has already won the hearts of umpires and fans at the Canadian Little League major softball championships at Optimist Park and the tournament has just begun.

Harper is the diminutive catcher for the Layritz, B.C. team which is 1-0 in the round-robin portion of the championships following a 19-18 victory over Windsor South Sunday night.

South is now 0-2 including another tight loss Saturday, 15-13 to Erindale.

In the Canadian senior division, South is also 0-2 with a 13-0 loss to Lakehill, B.C. Sunday and a 4-3 loss to Fort Erie Saturday.

AS DARKNESS closed in on the diamond Sunday night, Harper crossed the plate in the bottom of the sixth and final inning after a bases-loaded walk forced her home with the winning run.

At just four-foot-seven and 72 pounds, Har-

per was the smallest player on the field but one of its most animated.

Earlier in the game, when Layritz manager Mike Darby had an on-field discussion with pitcher Nicole Hancock, Harper joined him and offered Hancock a hug of support and the thumbs-up sign.

"She's our motivation out there," Darby said.

"This is the best thing to ever happen for Layritz ever," the 12-year-old decided after the win. Both sides were plagued by walks — 16 is-

sued to Windsor South and 17 to Layritz.

South came from behind to take an 18-16 lead into the sixth inning but couldn't hold it.

"TODAY THEY really tried to come back. They never seem to give up out there," South manager Gail Bowden said. "I think maybe they're almost trying too hard. They're trying to please everybody (in the stands). Now (at 0-2) they've got nothing to lose so maybe they'll loosen up for Tuesday's game."

Harper drove in two runs off two hits for

Layritz against South while teammate Brittany Spinelli drove in four runs with a pair of hits.

Natalie Taylor and Melissa Lovegrove each drove in three runs off a pair of hits for South which will play the Prairies Tuesday.

The Prairies, Layritz and Erindale are all 1-0 following weekend play.

In the senior division, Fort Erie tops the field a 2-0 with Lakehill, B.C. at 1-0.

South also plays the Prairies Tuesday in the senior division.

Wildcats: The Windsor Athletic Association Wildcats came home from the Ontario bantam girls softball championships in Mississauga with a third-place showing.

A 6-2 loss to Waterloo left Windsor one win short of reaching the final of the double-knockout tournament. London edged Waterloo 3-2 in the championship game.

Earlier on the weekend, Windsor had suffered its first loss, a 3-1 setback against London, but followed up with a 2-0 shutout of Cawthra and an 11-2 rout over Thorold.

For Windsor, pitcher Chantelle Seguin, who was 3-0 with a 0.67 earned-run average, was named the tournament's top hurler. At the plate, WAA's Dayane Rodrigues batted .500 and Jen Andrew hit .466.

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

| | W | L |
|------------------------|----|----|
| Metro Catering | 19 | 6 |
| Ticket Wicket/Champs | 19 | 7 |
| Westpoint Indians | 18 | 9 |
| Windsor Body/Buck Two | 17 | 11 |
| Bentley's | 17 | 9 |
| Gameworld | 15 | 12 |
| Penalty Box/S.W. Sales | 12 | 12 |
| Kilroyz | 7 | 19 |
| Acapulco/Biais | 7 | 20 |
| South Windsor | 4 | 23 |

South Windsor Jrs. 1 8
Note: South Windsor Jrs. play one round in schedule, results counting for all opposition

Thursday Results

| | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-------|---|---|
| Kilroyz | 000 | 111-3 | 4 | 1 |
| Metro Catering | 011 | 000-2 | 4 | 2 |

Tom Lyons (WP) and Frank Jedlinski; Kirk Ehgoetz (LP) and T. Stevenson. Top hitters: Neil Ataman 2-3 GW rbi (K)

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|----------------|-----|-------|----|---|
| Bentley's Road | 401 | 08-13 | 12 | 2 |
| Acapulco/Biais | 001 | 01-2 | 5 | 4 |

Paul Flynn (WP) and Blain Strain, Art Anderson (LP) and Shawn Jackson. Top hitters: John Cunison 2-4 2rbi, Paul Curran 2-3 2rbi, Shawn Jackson 3-4, Anderson 2-3 2rbi (B)

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|------------------|-----|-----|------|----|---|
| South Windsor | 000 | 020 | 0-2 | 3 | 2 |
| Penalty/SW Sales | 000 | 023 | x-10 | 10 | 1 |

Jerry Ferster (WP.), Larry Griffin (5) and Rick Burns, Dwayne Harris (LP), Pat Reilly and Darko Veselinovic. Top hitters: Scott Shields 2-3 2rbi, Scott Irwin 2-2 2rbi, John Frye 2-4 2rbi (PB/SW)

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

| | W | L |
|------------------------|----|----|
| Ticket Wicket/Champs | 20 | 6 |
| Metro Catering | 20 | 6 |
| Westpoint Indians | 18 | 9 |
| Bentley's | 17 | 9 |
| Windsor Body/Buck Two | 16 | 12 |
| Gameworld | 15 | 12 |
| Penalty Box/S.W. Sales | 13 | 12 |
| Kilroyz | 7 | 19 |
| Acapulco/Biais | 7 | 21 |
| South Windsor | 4 | 23 |

South Windsor Jrs. 1 9

Note: South Windsor Jrs. play one round in schedule, results counting for all opposition

Friday Results

| | | | | |
|-------------------|-----|-------|----|---|
| South Windsor | 000 | 22-4 | 7 | 4 |
| Penalty Southwest | 228 | 13-17 | 14 | 0 |

J. Ferster, (LP), L. Tazzman (4) and R. Burns, D. Tazzman (3); John Denapoli (WP) and Mike Maisonneuve. Top hitters: Jim Howard 3-4 4rbi, Kevin Owchar 2-3 2rbi, Scott Irwin 3-4 (PB)

Metro Catering 7 Acapulco Biais 0

WILDCATS LADIES' LEAGUE

B Division

Playoffs

Semi-Finals

Monday Games

Novice 1 at Turtle Club, 6 p.m.
(First game in best-of-three series)
Taco Bell at Amherstburg, 6 p.m.
(First game in best-of-three series)

Fastball: The Windsor Wildcats captured the title at the Southwestern Ontario Region fast-ball tournament for 14-to-16-year-old girls in London on the weekend.

Windsor downed Chatham 7-4 in the gold-medal game on Sunday. Earlier in the tournament, Tracy Lambert tossed a perfect game as Windsor blanked Sarnia, the eventual bronze medallists, by an 11-0 count.

Liz Tremaine led Wildcat hitters, batting .692, while Heather Bondy hit .667 for the tourney.

Windsor now advances to the Ontario championships, Aug. 27-28 in Sarnia.

Softball: Strong teams from British Columbia sit atop standings after impressive victories Monday at the Canadian Little League major softball championships.

In the major division, winning pitcher Nicole Darby led her Layritz, B.C. club at the plate, driving in five runs on four hits in a 18-9 win over Northwest Calgary. Layritz has a 2-0 record.

Northwest Calgary was led at the plate by Leanne Nichol, who drove in three runs on three hits. Their club has a 1-1 record and plays Windsor South today. The host club is 0-2, while Erindale, Ont. is 1-1 going into a showdown with Layritz today.

The Lake Hill, B.C. squad is 2-0 in the senior division after pounding the Fort Erie, Ont. entry 22-9 Monday.

Again, the winning pitcher led the offence. Erin Finlayson cracked a grand slam home run, had four hits and five runs batted in. Becky Mark was the losing pitcher for Fort Erie, which falls to 2-1.

In the other senior contest, Windsor South was edged 9-8 by Calgary Northwest.

Calgary rallied for five runs in the final inning to even its record at 1-1. Windsor South was led by Sasha Fedchun, who had two hits. Pitcher Laura Sobrocca was tagged with the loss.

Windsor South, 0-2, faces Lake Hill today, while Calgary Northwest meets Fort Erie. All games are at Optimist Park.

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

| | W | L |
|------------------------|----|----|
| Metro Catering | 19 | 5 |
| Ticket Wicket/Champs | 19 | 7 |
| Westpoint Indians | 18 | 9 |
| Windsor Body/Buck Two | 17 | 11 |
| Bentley's | 16 | 9 |
| Gameworld | 15 | 12 |
| Penalty Box/S.W. Sales | 11 | 12 |
| Acapulco/Blais | 7 | 19 |
| Kilroyz | 6 | 19 |
| South Windsor | 4 | 22 |
| South Windsor Jrs. | 1 | 8 |

Note: South Windsor Jrs. play one round in schedule, results counting for all opposition

Wednesday Result

| | | | | | |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|----|---|
| Windsor Body | 220 | 300 | 0-7 | 9 | 2 |
| Ticket Wicket | 200 | 800 | 0-2 | 10 | 1 |

Lauzon (WP), Champ and Larocque Parent (LP), Jefferies (S) and Brownlee. **Top hitters:** Karon 3/4, Pannetta 3/4, HR, 2 rbi, Murer 2/3 (Windsor Body); Banks 2/4, Freeman 2/3 (Ticket Wicket).

Tonight's Games

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|---|
| Metro Catering vs. Kilroyz at Windsor Stadium, 6:30 p.m. |
| Bentley's Roadhouse vs. Acapulco/Blais at Jackson #2, 6:30 p.m. |
| South Windsor vs. Penalty Box/South Western Sales at Stoddell Park, 6:30 p.m. |

WILDCATS LADIES' LEAGUE

B Division

Playoffs

Quarter-Finals

Wednesday Results

| | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Novice 1 @ St. Anne's 2 | (Novice 1 wins best-of-three series 2-0) |
| Turtle Club 13 Sertoma Club 3 | (Turtle Club wins best-of-three series 2-0) |
| Taco Bell 22 Club 240 3 | (Taco Bell wins best-of-three series 2-0) |

West best in girls' softball

By Mary Caton
Star Sports Reporter

The Canadian Little League Softball championships at Optimist Park proved one thing Thursday — the west is the best.

Teams from British Columbia won both the major (11-12 years) and senior (13-15 years) divisions at the nationals and will now advance to the worlds next week in Kalamazoo, Mi.

Lakehill, B.C. defeated Fort Erie 7-5 in the senior final while Layritz, B.C. took the major title with a 19-5 victory over Erindale.

The senior final was a well-played affair featuring the pitching of Lakehill's Erin Finlayson.

Finlayson completed a hat trick with Thursday's victory, having previously been the winning pitcher in the district and provincial championships.

"I'm always nervous before the game starts but after the first pitch that's gone," the 15-year-old righthander said.

Twice Finlayson was able to work her way out of a bases-loaded jam — the first time with the score tied 2-2 in the third and the second time with Lakehill holding a 4-2 lead in the fifth.

"Erin has been pitching since she was nine years old but in the last year and a half she's really started to come on," Lakehill manager Ron Danderfer said.

Finlayson gave up five hits, struck out three and walked seven in the final.

"It's a lot hotter here and the ball moves a lot differently," Finlayson said of the walks. "It rises straight up and it's hard to control."

In the third inning, Lakehill's Heather Reid cracked a two-run double that snapped a 2-2 tie.

Fort Erie fought back to make it 4-3 in the top of the sixth inning but a couple of walks and errors in the bottom of the inning ignited a three-run rally for Lakehill.

Fort Erie got one back in the bottom of the seventh but that was it.

Now it's on to Kalamazoo where Lakehill opens Monday against the defending champions from Naples, Fla.

In the major final, Layritz's Jessie Carson hit a grand slam and drove in six runs in all.

Nicole Hancock had a pair of hits and drove in four runs for the winners and Brittany Spinelli hit a two-run homer.

Hancock picked up the win for Layritz.

League merger a boon

The passing of the Essex County Girls' Fastball League has led to a re-birth of the Windsor Wildcats League this summer.

The county league, for players 20 years and under, has joined forces with the Windsor league this year, giving it four A division teams and 11 B division teams.

"The idea is we can, hopefully in years to come, have some of these successful county teams move into the A division," said Jim Stonehouse, the league's president.

All the county teams went into the B division for this season but a couple — including McGregor — are knocking on the door of A.

"McGregor has six or seven players who could play in the A division," said veteran umpire Gerry Mayea. "What most of the B division teams need is a pitcher but I'm really impressed with the quality of the ball. They're mostly young kids but they know how to play. What's going to happen is they are going to make the A division better."

In the years before the merger, Mayea had watched the Windsor league's B division deteriorate "into a garbage league."

"That's what we were worried about with this league but the level of play is so much better and the coaching is so much better than it used to be."



Star photo/Scott Webster

LASALLE TURTLE CLUB'S Sherri Hayes avoids a wild pitch

Teresa Bezaire, of Amherstburg, had four daughters go through the old county league but finds the merger to her liking.

"As far as I'm concerned it's going really well," she said.

All the B division teams make the playoffs because it's designed to be a developmental league for the younger players.

The two divisions do not interlock but instead crown separate champions.

Stonehouse said the Wildcats' organization had been after the Essex County league for the past few years to join them.

"It's not just for survival (of girls' fastball) but hopefully for the growth of the sport," said Stonehouse.

Windsor Wildcats: The Windsor Wildcats bantam II team will be off to Sarnia this weekend looking for gold at the provincial championship.

"They're all tough teams, but we think we have a good chance," manager Ken Lebert said.

Four regions will send three teams each with the Wildcats the top seed from the Southwest Region following their gold-medal performance two weeks ago.

In that tournament, pitcher Tracy Lambert pitched a perfect game and was the winner in three of the team's four games. Robin Farrand got credit for the other win.

Offensively, the Wildcats are paced by shortstop Liz Tremaine, who batted .692 at the regional. Third-baseman Heather Bondy also carried a big bat with a .667 average.

Rounding out the starting lineup is second baseman Jackie Napier, first baseman Amy Dececco, outfielders Jamie Howell, Lauren Snyder and Laura Gignac, and catcher Jessica Kavanaugh.

Catcher Andrea Bulat and outfielder Lindsay Kobuch will also see action.

"We've been in eight tournaments and at the beginning of the year we had a rough going, but we've taken medals in the last three," Lebert said.

"We've been entering divisions at a higher level to get tougher games and it seems to have helped."

The Wildcats, made up of girls 14-16 years, open the tournament Friday against Stouffville, which won the bronze medal in the Toronto Region.

"We have a bye since we won the gold and if we win two games we're assured a medal," Lebert said of the double-knockout tournament.



TRACY LAMBERT

In the game of fastball, the pressure often falls on the shoulders of the person on the mound. Tracy Lambert, 15, has certainly proven she has what it takes to handle that pressure.

The right-handed pitcher recently led her Windsor Wildcats travel team to the gold medal at an Ontario qualifier in London. The team went 4-0 as Lambert pitched in every game, earning three wins and a save. The team will next play this weekend at the provincial finals in Sarnia.

For the season, Lambert owns a 10-2 record with a 2.51 earned run average. She has 71 strikeouts in 67 innings. When not on the mound, Lambert plays centre field and holds a .453 batting average.

"I enjoy pitching more than centre field," Lambert said. "People really count on me to pitch good. I enjoy the pressure, I'm used to it by now."

Heading into Grade 11 at Brennan High School, Lambert also competes in track, basketball and volleyball.

Wildcats: The Windsor Wildcats won their opening game of the Provincial Women's Softball Association bantam II championships in Sarnia Friday.

Tracy Lambert tossed a one hitter at Stouffville in a 19-1 victory.

Lauren Snyder led the offence with a four-for-four performance that drove in seven runs, Lindsey Kohuch cracked two home runs and drove in three in all and Liz Tremaine went four-for-five.

The Wildcats will face the winner of a Friday game between Chatham/Niagara Falls today at 3 p.m.

Wildcats: The Windsor Wildcats returned home Sunday with a silver medal from the Provincial Women's Softball Association bantam II championships in Sarnia.

The Wildcats reached the final where they bowed 5-3 to Chatham.

Earlier in the day, the Wildcats shut out Niagara Falls 10-0 to advance to the championship game where they rallied for three runs in the seventh inning but the rally ended with the bases loaded.

Saturday, the Wildcats defeated Niagara Falls 8-4 in eight innings and lost 11-8 to Chatham.

Lauren Snyder received an award as the tournament's top hitter with a .600 average, 12 RBI and two home runs.

The Windsor Wildcats Girls Fastball Association will be holding tryouts for house and travel league teams on Sept. 11 at Wigle Park and Sept. 18 at Jackson Park. Tryout times on both dates are: 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. for girls born in the years 1975 to 1977; 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for girls born 1978 to 1980; 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. for girls born 1981 to 1983. Anyone interested in coaching is also welcome to attend. For more information contact Mary Lauder at 735-0190 or Jim Stonehouse at 944-1560.

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Playoffs

Series A

Friday Results

Westpoint 400 000 0-4 4 5

Metro Catering 010 000 0-1 4 3

Steve Johnston (WP) and Ken Pinkowski; Gerry Mayea (LP), Mark Gervert (1), Kirk Ehgoetz (4) and Jason Hope. **Top hitter:** Hope 2/3 (MC).

(West Point Indians leads best-of-five series 2-1)

Bentley's vs. Ticket Wicket/Champs, p.p.d. no diamond available

(Ticket Wicket/Champs leads best-of-five series 2-0)

Monday Games

Ticket Wicket/Champs vs. Bentley's, 6:15 p.m.

Metro Catering vs. Westpoint Indians, 8:30 p.m.

(Both games at Windsor Stadium)

Series C

Friday Result

S.W. Juniors 200 010 1-4 7 1

South Windsor 300 410 x-8 16 2

Mike Maissoneuve (LP), Barclay Fahringer and Travis Firr, John Denapoli; Les Johnston, Dwyane Harris (WP) and Tom Firr, Andrew Switzer. **Top hitters:** Pat Kelly 2/3 (SWJ); T.J. Firr 3/4 2 rbi, Dwayne Harris 2/2 2 rbi (SW)

(South Windsor leads best-of-three series 1-0)

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FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Playoffs
Series A
Final

Thursday Result

Ticket Wicket 101 102 x-5 8 0
Westpoint 010 070 0-3 8 0

Larry Lauzon (W), Larry Champ (7) and Rod Drouillard; Steve Johnston (L) and Ken Pinkowski. Top hitters: Brian Machette (W) 2/3, Wayne Banks (TW) 2/2.

(Ticket Wicket/Champs leads best-of-five series 1-0)

Series B

(Kilroyz leads best-of-five series 1-0)

Series C

Tonight's Game

South Windsor Jrs. vs. South Windsor at Windsor Stadium, 8:30 p.m.

(South Windsor leads best-of-three series 1-0)

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FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Playoffs
Series A
Final

Monday Result

Ticket Wicket 010 010 0-2 6 0
Westpoint 012 050 x-8 15 0

Kramer (LP), Champ (3) and Drouillard; Johnston (WP) and DeMarco. Top hitters: Malloux (TW) 2/3, Drouillard (TW) 1/3 with a home run; Harper (W) 3/4, Weir (W) 3/4, Pinkowski (W) 2/3 with three RBI, Burns (W) 2/3 with two RBI, St. Pierre (W) 2/3, DeMarco (W) 2/4.

(Best-of-five series tied 1-1)

Thursday Game

Westpoint vs. Ticket Wicket/Champs at Windsor Stadium, 8:30 p.m.

Series B

Monday Result

Penalty Box/SWS 100 000 3-4 3 0
Kilroyz 000 020 0-2 4 1

Jerry Forster, Larry Griffin (WP) (5) and Rick Burns; Jeff Griffin, Tom Lyons (6) (LP) and Dean Attaman. Top hitters: Skip Renaud (PS) 1/3 with one RBI, Dean Attaman (K) 1/3 with one RBI.

(Best-of-five series tied 1-1)

Thursday Game

Kilroyz vs. Penalty Box/Southwest Sales at Windsor Stadium, 6:15 p.m.

Series C

Tonight's Game

South Windsor Jrs. vs. South Windsor at Windsor Stadium, 8 p.m.

(South Windsor leads best-of-three series 1-0)

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Playoffs
Series A

Thursday Result

Ticket Wicket 011 200 x- 4 9 1
Westpoint 001 000 2-3 7 1

Larry Champ (W), Rod Kramer (7) and Rod Drouillard; Steve Johnson (L) and John DeMarco. Top hitters: Greg Johnson and Steve Millben (TW) 2/3, Mike Malloux 2/2; John Demarco (W) 2/4 and Mark St. Pierre 2/3.

(Ticket Wicket/Champs leads best-of-five series tied 2-1)

Monday, Sept. 20

Ticket Wicket/Champs vs. Westpoint at Windsor Stadium, 6:15 p.m.

Series B

Thursday Result

Kilroyz 000 000 0-0 3 0
Penalty Box 103 000 0-4 4 0

Jerry Ferster (W) and R. Burns, Dan Mitchell (L), Tom Lyons and F. Jedlinski. Top hitters: Ferster (PB) 1/2 three RBI. (Penalty Box/Southwest Sales leads best-of-five series tied 1-1)

Monday, Sept. 20

Penalty Box/Southwest Sales vs. Kilroyz at Windsor Stadium, 8:30 p.m.

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Playoffs
Series A

Final

Monday Result

T. Wicket/Champs 100 000 1-2 5 2
Westpoint 202 000 x-4 8 0

Steve Johnson (WP) and Ken Pinkowski; Larry Lauzon (LP), Rod Kramer (5) and Rod Drouillard. Top hitters: Pinkowski 2/3, Brian Machette 2/3, Jon Weir 2rbi (W), Greg Johnson 1rbi, Les Milbourne 1rbi (TW/C)

(Best-of-seven series tied 2-2)

Thursday Game

Ticket Wicket/Champs vs. Westpoint at Windsor Stadium, 7:15 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 27

Westpoint vs. Ticket Wicket/Champs at Windsor Stadium, 7:15 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 30

Westpoint vs. Ticket Wicket/Champs at Windsor Stadium, 7:15 p.m.

Series B

Monday Result

Penalty Box/Southwest Sales vs. Kilroyz, no report

(Best-of-five series tied 1-1)

FASTBALL

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE

Playoffs
Series A
Final

Thursday Result

Westpoint 001 002 0-3 4 0
Ticket Wicket 100 100 0-2 3 2

Steve Johnson (WP) and Ken Pinkowski; Larry Champ (LP) and Rod Drouillard. Top hitters: Jon Weir 1/3 (Westpoint); Jeff Larocque 2/3, HR, Mike Maloux 1/3 (Ticket Wicket)

(Westpoint leads best-of-seven series 3-2)

Monday Game

Westpoint vs. Ticket Wicket/Champs at Windsor Stadium, 7:15 p.m.

Thursday Game

Westpoint vs. Ticket Wicket/Champs at Windsor Stadium, 7:15 p.m.

Series B

Final

Kilroyz 000 000 0-0 2 1
Penalty Box 002 000 0-2 3 0

Tom Lyons (LP) and Dean Attaman; Larry Griffin (WP) and Rick Burns.

(Penalty Box wins best-of-five series 3-1)

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