

## Farmington Hills Squirt hockey champions



**Bruins are Squirt Tier I champions:** The Farmington Hills Hockey Association's Squirt Tier I championship game March 26 was scoreless until the Bruins scored two goals within a minute early in the third period and defeated the Ice Dragons, 2-0. The members of the Bruins team are (front row, left to right) Jon Rivard, Ben Ferrari, (second row) Michael James, Don Timmer, Joe Burgo, John Padalis, Bill Laubache, (third row) Kevin Wilson, Derek Guminik, Jeff Smale, Andrew Rauth, Jon Vigi, Austin Belanger, Darin Gross, (back row) assistant coach Robin Rivard, head coach Randy Smale and assistant coach John Vigi.



**Hurricanes win Squirt Tier II title:** The Hurricanes captured the Farmington Hills Hockey Association's Squirt Tier II championship March 26 by defeating the Devils in the final game, 5-3. The members of the Hurricanes team are (front) goalie Derrick Daigneau, (first row, left to right) James Imirzin, Jason Berger, Ross Webb, Kyle Burke (game MVP), (second row) Andrew Bray, Laurence Kuza, Daniel Heister Mark Hollinger, Anthony Tomei, (third row) Scott Bachor, Thomas McCondlash, Mark Butler (back row) coaches Dan Burke, Doug Daigneau, Mike McCondlash, Dave Hollinger and Dino Tomei. Pictured at left is team mascot Mario Tomei.

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would like to take a shot at: winning the Memorial Cup. But first things first. The OHL champ will make that trip.

Despite Plymouth's seemingly overwhelming superiority — the Whalers had the OHL's second-best record during the season at 43-15-5, and that included a 2-0 record against Ottawa — this series could once again go the distance.

■ In 14 playoff games, the 67s have gone 12-2. In 13 playoff games, Plymouth has gone 12-1.

■ Both teams have scored 60 goals. The Whalers have allowed 32, Ottawa has given up 33.

■ Ottawa is 7-0 at home during the playoffs, 5-2 on the road. Plymouth is 7-0 on the road, 5-1 at home.

"They have four lines of depth they can throw at you," said DeBoer of Ottawa. "Their goaltender has been outstanding, and they have the leading scoring defenseman in Jon Zion. He's a very good offensive defenseman."

The Whalers have been getting it done in the playoffs by using all their resources and relying on the abilities of goalie Rob Zepp. During the regular season, Zepp had the advantage over the 67s' Seamus Kotyk statistically, posting a 34-18-3 record with a 2.26 goals-against average and a .916 save percentage.

Kotyk was 24-20-7 with a 2.74 goals-against average and a .902 save percentage.

But in the playoffs, Kotyk has been impressive, posting a 12-2 mark with a 2.23 goals-against average and a league-best .925 save percentage, with two shutouts. Zepp hasn't been quite as sharp, although he is 12-1 with one shutout and a 2.54 goals-against average, but a save percentage of just .895.

For Ottawa, top point-producers are Joe Talbot (39 goals, 40 assists, 79 points during the regular season), Zion (22, 61/73), Miguel Delisle (34-48/72), Zenon Konopka (20-45/65) and Lance Galbraith (16-40/66).

In the playoffs, it's been Galbraith who's stepped up with 12 goals and 10 assists (22 points). Talbot (8-2/17), Delisle (6-14/20) and Zion (3-15/18) have been impressive, too.

The Whalers have gotten a lot of scoring from Chad Wiseman, with 10 goals and seven assists

(17 points). Stephen Weiss was their leader during the season (40-47/87), and he's doing pretty well in the playoffs, too (6-12/21).

## Whalers eliminate Otters

It seemed everyone wanted a piece of the action. And quite a few of them got some.

In a series featuring the top two teams in the OHL, the Plymouth Whalers humbled the regular-season champion Erie Otters, eliminating them in five games.

Three of Plymouth's four wins came on Erie's home ice. The Whalers finished this season unbeaten at Erie (6-0-1).

The end of the line for the Otters came when the Whalers followed a 6-2 win Saturday at Compuware Arena with a 7-4 triumph Sunday in Erie.

A dozen players scored points in the Whalers' last two games, led by Chad Wiseman, who scored three goals. Damian Surma contributed two goals and two assists. Kris Vernarsky had two goals and an assist, and Tomas Kurka collected a goal

and three assists.

So much for having a single production line.

As they did throughout the series, the Whalers got in front early in both games and didn't let up. On Saturday at Compuware, Kurka got a goal 5:01 into the opening period; Chris Bert tied it for the Otters, but Plymouth responded with goals from Vernarsky and Wiseman to take a 3-1 lead after one period.

Nikita Alexeev's short-handed goal at 2:57 of the second made it 3-2. But it would get no closer; Wiseman, Vernarsky and Karl Stewart got third-period goals to win going away.

Rob Zepp was in goal most of the way for the Whalers, making 19 stops. Adam Munro started for Erie in goal, but he was pulled early in the third period and replaced by J.F. Perras. Each gave up three goals.

It was the end of the line for the Otters Sunday. For the Whalers, the win presented another shot at something that slipped from the grasp last season — the OHL Cup.

# NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT FOR THE SPECIAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 11, 2001

## TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a special election for the Oakland Community College district shall be held on Monday, June 11, 2001, in conjunction with the regular elections of component school districts.

Act 116, Public Act of Michigan, 1954, as amended, provides in part that:

The inspectors of election at an election or primary election in this state, or in a district, county, township, city or village in this state, shall not receive the vote of a person whose name is not registered in the registration book or listed on the computer registration precinct list of the township, ward, or precinct in which he offers to vote...

The last day for receiving registrations for the election will be Monday, May 14, 2001. Persons residing in the Oakland Community College district registering after 5:00 p.m. on Monday, May 14, 2001 will not be eligible to vote at the election. Only persons who have registered as general electors with the appropriate clerk of the city, village or township in which they reside, or through registration at a Secretary of State drivers license bureau or other agency designated to accept applications for voter registration under Michigan law, are registered electors of the Oakland Community College district. Persons planning to register must determine when the city, township or village offices or Secretary of State drivers license bureau offices will be open for registration.

Effective April 1, 2000, Public Act 18 of 1999 amended the Michigan Vehicle Code to correspond a person's voter registration address with the person's driver's license address. An address change submitted by an individual to update his or her driver license record will automatically carry over to the individual's voter registration record.

Please take further notice that only registered school electors residing in the Oakland Community College area of any component school district will be eligible to vote at the special election of Oakland Community College. The following proposal will be submitted to the electors at the special election to be held on Monday, June 11, 2001:

## This proposal will allow Oakland Community College to continue to impose a levy of up to \$110 mills that was previously approved by electors in 1995 for operating purposes.

### OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE MILLAGE PROPOSAL

Shall Oakland Community College be authorized to levy taxes in an amount not to exceed Eighty Cents (\$ .80) per thousand dollars (\$1,000) (0.8 mill) of the taxable value of all taxable property in the College District for a period of ten (10) years, 2002 through 2011, inclusive, as a renewal of that portion of the 0.8 mill authorization previously authorized by the electors not reduced by operation of the Headlee Amendment (which is estimated to be .7800 in 2001) plus new additional millage in the amount equal to the amount reduced by operation of the Headlee Amendment (which is estimated to be .0200 mill), to provide funds for all Community College purposes authorized by law? It is estimated that 0.8 mills would raise approximately \$34 million when first levied in 2002.

This Notice is given by the order of the Board of Trustees of Oakland Community College, State of Michigan.

SANDRA L. RITTER  
Secretary, Board of Trustees  
Oakland Community College

## STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF OAKLAND

### PUBLICATION NOTICE TO CREDITORS DECEDENT'S TRUST ESTATE

Deceased: Yvonne Y. Atkinson, Social Security  
374-16-723

#### TO ALL CREDITORS:

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, YVONNE Y. ATKINSON, who lived at 2548 Mt. Vernon Drive, Bloomfield Hills, MI died March 16, 2001. There is no probate estate. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the Yvonne Y. Atkinson Trust Agreement dated December 16, 1995, as amended, will be forever barred unless presented to Frank M. Keefe, Charles DeGuzman and Pamela A. Fox, 1219 Birmingham Blvd., Birmingham, MI 48409-218-647-6015 the named Successor Trustees within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Attorney Pamela A. Fox, 336155, 1219 Birmingham Blvd., Birmingham, MI 48409-218-647-6015

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