



JUNIOR STANDOUTS-Peter Doran (left) and Rick Durkin (center) recently returned from Hauppauge, Long Island, where they competed in the 23rd Elks Association Junior Golf Tournament at the Colonie Hill Golf Course. Durkin, 16, placed ninth in a field of 33 in the 15-17-year-old group with an 85. A 75 was the division. He also won a closest-to-the-hole competition and sunk a 16 1/2-foot birdie putt. Doran, 10, placed fourth in a field of 13 for those 12-and-under. He finished with a 91, just six strokes behind the division-winner and only one stroke out of second place. It was the first time the area has been represented in the tournament, in which 84 golfers participated. Jack Phillips (right) accompanied the two on the trip.

Barton Wins Championship In Tennis Tourney

Linda Barton of Potsdam captured the women's Singles Division crown in the annual Potsdam Tennis Tournament

Hansen Nabs 20th Crown

Diane Hansen stroked a 194 over 36 holes to capture her 20th club crown by one stroke over her daughter, Ellen, in the Potsdam Town and Country Club Women's Championship last Monday and Tuesday.

After opening with a 96 in the first round, Mrs. Hansen rallied back with an 88 on the second day to claim the title. She first won the club crown in 1948.

Helene Phillips led the field after the first round, finishing in third place, three strokes off the pace set by Mrs. Hansen. Ann Cohen finished fourth with a 198 total and Margaret MacIntire placed fifth.

Cindy Baker had won the title last year for her first time.

In conjunction with the championship, a four-flight tournament was also held. Mrs. Phillips paced the field in the A Flight while Patty Phillips placed second.

Jeri Baker finished first in the B Flight ahead of Hilda Shelly. The C Flight was won by Kathleen Gilmore with Ruth Jones finishing second and Grace Jenack topped the D Flight ahead of Louise Saunders.

Bautz, Manske, Huntley Run To Victories

Dick Bautz, Mark Manske and Doug Huntley ran to individual victories in the initial Potsdam Road Run of the summer held Saturday at Potsdam High School.

Bautz finished first in the two-kilometer event while Manske won the five-kilometer race and Huntley paced the field in the 10-kilometer competition. Bautz won his event with a time of 6:10.

Manske claimed his triumph by 1:37 over Danny Dominy. Manske toured the distance in 17:48. Pat Porter finished third, Carolyn Fuller placed fourth, Ed Easton finished in fifth and Peggy Snyder was sixth.

The day's closest race was in the 10-kilometer event where Huntley broke the line only 33 seconds ahead of Aaron Pailles. Huntley's time was 40:28.

Finishing behind Huntley and Pailles in the 10-kilometer race were Dan Huntley in third, Jerry Bartlett in fourth, Dick Mooers in fifth, John Elmer in sixth, Thom Daddario in seventh and Bob Riggs in eighth. Less than four minutes separated the first eight finishers.

North Country running organizers are also planning races at the high school this Saturday and next, Aug. 12 and 19. Distances for the individual events will remain the same. Also, the Nicholville trail runs of two and five miles have been scheduled for Saturday, Aug. 26, starting at the Duncan Cutter house at 7 p.m. There are no entry fees for the Potsdam runs and there will be a fee of \$1 for the Nicholville event.

Potsdam Women Place 4th

MASSENA- Helene Phillips carded a 93 to help the Potsdam six-women team to a fourth-place finish in the Northern New York Tournament held at the Massena Country Club Wednesday, July 26.

Mrs. Phillips was followed closely by teammates Cindy Baker with a 94, Nancy Rosenquist at 97, Diane Hansen at 96, Becky Covell at 99 and Peg Lytle at 103.

Alternate Ann Cohen finished with a 98 while the Potsdam team's other alternate, Hilda Shelly, wound up with a 54 after nine holes.

In the senior division, Margaret MacIntire finished at 98 and Betty Pelotte hit 107.

Potsdam 6-Man Golf Team Places 2nd sports

CANTON-Playing aggressively on its home course, the St. Lawrence Golf and Country Club six-man team held off the Potsdam Town and Country Club team by nine strokes in the Northern New York Tournament held here over the weekend.

It was the first time in 32 years the St. Lawrence Golf and Country Club team has claimed the title.

The hosting club turned in a 971 total in the 36-hole event while Potsdam wound up at 980. Finishing in third was the Gouverneur Country Club team at 986 followed by Ives Hill Country Club (Watertown) and Tupper Lake Country Club, both at 989; Watertown Country Club at 997; Massena Country Club at 1002; Malone Country Club at 1008; and Carlowden Country Club at 1040.

Brent Smith of the Tupper Lake team emerged as the tournament medalist with a 36-hole performance of 151, on rounds of 73 and 78 over the par-72 outlay. Potsdam's Bob Bicknell and Brent's brother, Jeff Smith, placed second in the individual competition with 155s.

Friday's medalist honors went to Fred Gerken of Ives Hill with a 74. Dick McAllister of Canton was the runner-up at 75. Brent Smith, who opened the competition with a 73, could not be awarded Friday's medalist honors under the Golf Association's rules since he captured the tournament medalist prize.

Finishing close behind Bicknell on the Potsdam team was Chris Papayanaks

at 159. Former high school standout Steve Hansen carded a 164, followed by Butler Sullivan at 167, Lucas Brown at 167 and Mike Lebeda at 168. "We had the talent to win it. And we were all familiar enough with the course to win it. But they (St. Lawrence) just outlasted us," said Bicknell.

"I think the course was playing a little tougher than usual, too," he added. "Longer, anyway. Most of the pins were quite far back on the greens so we were all putting about 20 to 30 feet extra on each hole. The scores reflect that overall. There weren't as many good low scores as there have been in the last few years."

Potsdam club pro Mike Rosenquist finished in a three-way runner-up spot in

the 18-hole professional division of the competition behind Jim Little, the club pro at Malone. Rosenquist, Stan Mack of the hosting course and Judd Haley all finished two strokes behind Little's 79. Potsdam senior representative Ron Frazer missed a sudden-death playoff by only one stroke in his 18-hole competition with an 86. In the overtime, Lester Rawlins of Canton shaded Jim Stitt of the Watertown Golf Club on the second hole. The two had deadlocked in regulation play with 85s.

In the junior competition, Potsdam representative Rick Durkin finished four strokes behind front-runner Jim Bufalini of Ives Hill. Bufalini carded an 81.

Saturday's medalist in the six-man competition was Jim Convertini of Malone with a 75. Dave Gerken of Ives Hill and Jeff Smith shared second with 77s.

For the tournament champions, Dick McAllister paced the team with a 156, followed by Walter Christy, Roy Jensen and Ted Ebberts at 160, Jeff Rogers at 165 and Jim Wood at 170.

The annual tournament, which changes location among the member clubs each year is scheduled for the Carlowden Country Club next summer.

Potsdam Booters Whitewash Hermon

HERMON - Left winger Frank Signorelli struck for his 12th goal of the season to carry the Potsdam soccer team to a 1-0 victory over a tenacious Hermon team here last Wednesday. The triumph raised Potsdam's season record to 10-0-3.

With both squads playing hard-nosed

defense throughout the contest, the two teams battled to a scoreless standoff in the first half. Then, at the 10:06 mark of the second stanza, Signorelli took a centering pass from right interior forward Kennon Fisher off the left side of the goal and drilled the ball into the left corner of the net.

Potsdam goalie Ed Wixted turned in another outstanding game in the nets enroute to recording his second shutout of the season. His first came in a 2-0 success over Norwood July 5. Against Hermon, Wixted turned away 13 shots-on-goal.

Wixted received strong support from his fullback corps of Pat McGowan, Al Davis and Bill Wass. The trio broke up several scoring opportunities led by Hermon's Marshall Noble, the leading scorer for the 1976 Canton ATC soccer team. Noble had six shots blocked.

With his goal, Signorelli remained the team's leading scorer. It was also his third score in the last two games. Fisher is close behind with nine goals.

With last week's win, Potsdam raised its season-scoring total to 45 goals. The team has allowed only 13.

Potsdam next travels to Gouverneur for an away tilt Wednesday, Aug. 9, and will compete in an eight-team tournament Sunday in Canton. The previously-scheduled game with Eastern Division opponent Canton which had been slated for Sunday has been waived. Several Canadian teams are expected to participate in Sunday's tourney. Potsdam returns home next Wednesday, Aug. 16, for a confrontation with Western Division foe Star Lake.

Haymans Place 1st In Skiing Championships

LAKE PLACID-Potsdam's husband-wife water-skiing team of Bill and Chrystal Hayman captured separate victories in the Lake Placid championships held on Mirror Lake here over the weekend.

Competing in a field of 85 skiers, mostly from upstate New York, the Haymans both paced their respective divisions in the slalom event and also each finished second in the tricks competition. Bill Hayman also topped the overall point standings in the men's division.

Both of the Haymans were highly-ranked skiers in the region last year; Chrystal sixth in the East in the slalom and Bill among the top 15 in the men's

bracket.

While competing here over the weekend, Bill Hayman ran 57 buoys en route to his triumph in the slalom. In comparison, Warren Witherall, a former world and national water-skiing champion from Vermont, was able to run only one addition buoy as an exhibition on the course.

Mirror Lake is closed year-round to motorboat traffic except for this annual event.

The Haymans travel to Owego, N.Y. this weekend to compete in the Eastern Regional Tournament, the qualifying event for the nationals. Skiers from throughout the East will be participating.

Softball Tournament Planned

CANTON-The 1st Slo-Pitch Softball Tournament, sponsored by the Canton Democratic Committee, will be held at the softball field located at the Firemen's Field in Norwood Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 19-20.

The field will be limited to 16 local teams with the deadline for entries set for Thursday, Aug. 17. The entry fee for each team is \$40. Rosters are limited to 18 men and must accompany the entry fee.

The first-place finisher in the tournament will be awarded a \$200 cash prize while the second-place team will receive \$125 and the third and fourth-place teams will earn \$75 each.

The tournament's first game will be played Saturday morning, Aug. 19, starting at 9:30 a.m. Sunday's first game will start at 10 a.m. Preferred starting times by individual teams should be indicated on the entry blank.

Bowling Meeting Scheduled

A fall organizational meeting for the Pin-A-Rama Bowling League will be held at Market Lanes Monday, Aug. 21, starting at 7 p.m. All interested girls and teams should attend the meeting or contact Carole Flanders at 265-8530.

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