

More Adult Supervision Required In Minor Sport

By **BOB TRIMBEE**
EDMONTON (CP) — Adults often organize the fun right out of sports and do more harm among children than they realize, says Murray Smith, associate professor of physical education at the University of Alberta.

"There is a need for more adult supervision of sports for youngsters but adults must mean a concerted effort to produce winning teams."

"Too often the impression is created among children by their supervisors that sports are only for the stars or children who show above-average athletic ability. The cardinal rule of all adults working with children should be that there is always a place for a child who wants to play. The child's place in organized sports should be limited only by his own desire to participate and have fun and not by athletic skill and whether he can contribute to a team."

"But what happens so often is that adult coaches become so concerned about their honor and ability they think it is at stake."

"Competition, victory and defeat all help mold a child. But formative years (up should be in the forefront. Too often even at the little league stage a coach follows the motto—winning isn't the most important thing, it's the only thing."

Grown-ups should remember that youngsters are not miniature adults but immature and inexperienced human beings. "They do not react to situations

as adults do. But they often mirror the example set by their coach or supervisor."

Smith, director of aquatics at the university, also suggests youngsters be encouraged to try a wider variety of sports. "Adults tend to push youngsters into sports modelled after the most popular professional sports. Leagues are established on the same basis. Such organizations become too top-heavy with administrators and officials and end up with very little to offer the youngster in the way of fun."

Leagues needn't be harmful, Smith says. An example is the soccer league for children in Vancouver in which standings aren't kept. "The kids just go out and play. They have fun, get sufficient competition to teach them about the give-and-take of life and perfect skills."

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The same danger threatens Olympic sports, Smith says.

Canadian officials so want to produce a top international team that too much emphasis on winning can result. Demands are often heard to start listing records for eight-year-olds. This can only lead to restrictions in participation and in the end hurt our athletic hopes."

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Ball Action At Souris

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Hunter River At Bonshaw

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League action resumes this evening at 6 o'clock p.m. when E. MacDonald, CT 18 9 6 333; D. Gallant, DT 23 13 8 320; Hits: A. Clinton (DT) 12, J. Rogers, UT 28 11 11 303; D. Bert, UT 23 18 348; G. Macintosh, UT 26 5 9 286; W. MacDonald (CT) 2, Home Runs: P. Grant (UT) 1; Strikeouts: E. White (UT) 54; Pitching: E. White (UT) 7.2, 7.8.

Next week's schedule: Monday: Downowners at Uptowners; Wednesday: Centreowners at Downowners; Friday: Uptowners at Downowners.

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WINS COVETED 4-H TROPHY

Key Forbes of Lot 16 4-H Club won the coveted Prince County Association trophy for the member attaining top marks in the judging competition at the Alberta Exhibition. Raynall MacNeill, chairman of the 4-H section is pictured making the presentation to Miss Forbes who also won last year. The competition is judged by Prince County agricultural representative Graeme Linklater.

These clubs have been battling neck and neck all season and this one shapes up as a real thriller, with the championship at stake. Game time is set for 1:30 p.m. Ball fans are urged to turn out to support

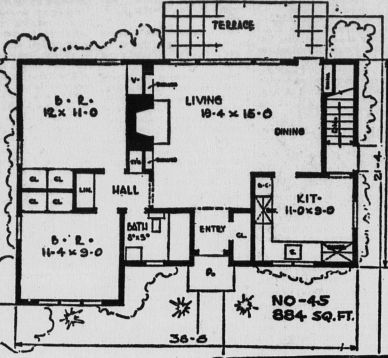
their respective teams in their bid for the league honors.

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This small home, with its unique arrangement and spacious rooms, is a fine example of what can be accomplished by proper planning. The separate entry hall leads into a large living room which includes bookshelves built on either side of the fireplace. There are lots of extra closets and a pleasant and roomy kitchen in the front corner of the house with entry to the basement or side door. With many windows facing the rear, and a lovely lounging terrace, this home will provide great enjoyment. The interesting roof treatment, combined with an exterior of log-groove and vertical boards, will make this house the showplace of the neighborhood.

SPORT IN KINGS

Mt. Stewart Stops Eagles; Uptowners Leading The Way

By **ED CLINTON**
Ernie Crane's Mt. Stewart Huskies ended the Georgetown Eagles winning streak at nine games. The nine straight wins by the Eagles, is a new record for the league, with the record being held by the Huskies. And the victory by the Huskies puts them into a position, where they can regain the record. They now have seven straight wins, only two shy of the new record. Their game Sunday is at Peakes, and they follow with games home and away with Cardigan.

The players responsible for the Mt. Stewart surge are Art "Big Sco" Coffin, and Merle Crane. Art has now won six games in a row, and has taken over the lead in strikeouts. Merle has been hitting the ball at quite a clip, and has taken over the league lead with an average of .520. That is a very, nice average to have. In addition to that, a couple of sluggers, Elliot Hendegren with three home runs, and Gary Clark with four doubles, have made their presence felt.

Action resumes this Sunday with four games being played. Mt. Stewart goes to visit Peakes in the big game. Art Coffin (6-11) will probably go for the Huskies while Fred Handrahan (5-9) will start for the Uptowners. In their first meeting in Mt. Stewart, the Huskies won 8-1. Morell comes to Souris for the first meeting between the two clubs. This will probably see Mink Kelly (2-1) against Maynard Paquet (1-4).

The double-header is in Vernon River, the Eagles, from Georgetown will play the first game, and Joe Martell (3-0) may oppose F. Hughes (0-3). The second game will have Cardigan as the visiting team. Lawrence MacIntyre (1-3) will probably take the mound for the visitors while J. Hughes (0-0) may toil for the home-ists. All should be good contests, so you not turn out and watch.

This Sunday was originally intended to end the regular schedule, but a number of postponed games (including one entire Sunday date) remain to be played. So it'll be at least another two weeks before the playoffs commence. And don't forget, this year, there are six teams in the playoffs instead of four.

The MacIntyre Uptowners are starting to run away with top honors in the Souris Town Baseball League. After a slow start, they have surged into a one-game lead over the Centreowners, with the Downowners dragging along in the cellar. The Downowners should do better a little later when some of their key players return from vacation trips. Hitting has been the big factor in the Uptowner surge, and they have three of the top seven batters in the league, with two more knocking on the door.

Ernie White, their ace pitcher, leads the league in that department, and also in strikeouts. He and Wayne MacDonald of the Centreowners are having quite a battle for earned run average with Wayne ahead to date. Wayne has the terrific 1.89 average while Ernie is a step behind with 2.06. And that is fine pitching indeed.

STANDINGS
W L Avg GBL
Georgetown 9 1 100
Mt. Stewart 7 2 77 114
Moro 5 3 625 3

Centreowners 4 3 444 44
Cardigan 2 5 286 512
Vernon River 1 6 143 615
Souris 1 7 152 71

TOP SEVEN
M. Crane, MS 25 7 13 350
C. Creamer, S 20 4 9 450
M. Kelly, M 29 7 13 448
Hendegren, MS 21 6 9 429
J. Conolly, P 33 12 14 424
W. Bradley, P 36 11 15 417
A. Macintosh, P 33 4 13 264
Hits: W. Bradley (P) 15
Runs: J. Conolly (M) 12
Doubles: G. Clark (MS) 4
Triples: Seven tied with 1.

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The latest design book entitled "Canadian Guide to Home Planning and Design", is now available at the office of The Guardian and The Evening Patriot for \$1. tax free. This new edition includes information on financing in detail, landscaping, color selection, etc. plus over 100 popular new designs to choose from or modify. Also included are full details on how to order blue-prints.

Home Runs: E. Hendegren (MS) 3
Strikeouts: A. Coffin (MS) 87; Pitching: A. Coffin (MS) 6.0, 1.000.
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