

29th DINNER AND SOCIAL NIGHT VILLAGE REUNION

Friday October 12, 2007

OTTAWA ST. ANTHONY
ITALIA SOCCER CLUB HALL
523 ST. ANTHONY AVENUE
OTTAWA

MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN:

ON BEHALF OF THE 2007 VILLAGE REUNION COMMITTEE, I WISH TO EXTEND A WARM WELCOME TO YOU AS WE GATHER FOR THE 29TH REUNION EVENING. FROM OUR BEGINNING IN 1979, ON WHICH WE MET ON TWO OCCASIONS, THE REUNION EVENING HAS BECOME ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR EVENTS ON THE CALENDAR OF MANY VILLAGERS, FORMER VILLAGERS, THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS.

WE ARE ESPECIALLY APPRECIATIVE OF THOSE WHO HAVE TRAVELLED SOME DISTANCE TO BE HERE TONIGHT.

WE ARE ALSO DELIGHTED TO HAVE J.J. CLARKE AS OUR GUEST SPEAKER THIS EVENING. J.J. WAS OUR SPEAKER TWO YEARS AGO AND WE COULDN'T WAIT TO OFFER HIM THE INVITATION TO COME BACK.

THE FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF THE OTTAWA-NEPEAN CANADIANS SPORTS CLUB, IN ASSISTING US WITH OUR MAILING COSTS, IS VERY MUCH APPRECIATED AGAIN.

WE ARE ALSO VERY FORTUNATE TO HAVE TONY DISIPIO AND HIS STAFF AT THE PRESCOTT HOTEL AS FRIENDS OF THE REUNION.

ALSO, OUR GRATITUDE TO JOE IERULLO AND THE STAFF OF THE OTTAWA ST. ANTHONY ITALIA SOCCER CLUB FOR THE HOSPITALITY SHOWN TO US THE PAST 22 YEARS.

I HOPE YOU ENJOY YOUR EVENING AS YOU RENEW ACQUAINTANCES FROM THE PAST AS WELL AS MEETING NEW FRIENDS TONIGHT.

SINCERELY.

Frank

FRANK LICARI

2007 VILLAGE REUNION COMMITTEE MEMBERS

FRANK LICARI (CHAIRMAN)

KARL CALAGOURE

RICHARD CALAGOURE

STU CAMERON

ROYDEN COSTANTINI

TONY DISIPIO

WRAY KING

JIM MC AULEY

MIKE ZITO

RICHARD ZITO

PREVIOUS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

SONNY CALAGOURE (PAST CHAIRMAN)

NICK COSTANTINI (TREASURER)

KEN CREPPIN

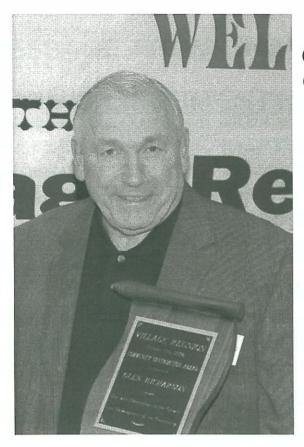
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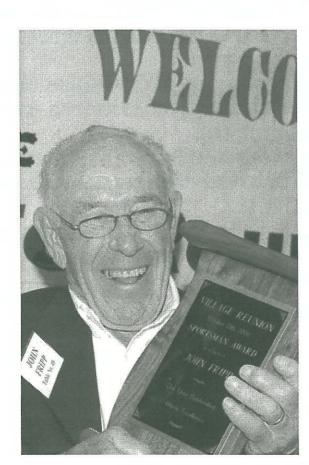
GERRY TREMBLAY (CHAIRMAN)

2006 VILLAGE REUNION HONOURESS



GLEN RICHARDSON

COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION AWARD



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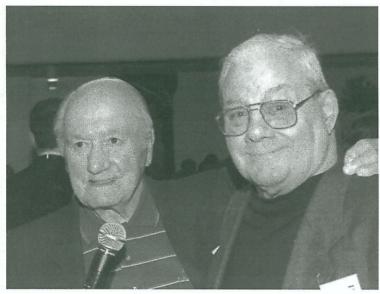
DOMINIC DELLA PALME VILLAGER AWARD

JOHN FRIPP SPORTSMAN AWARD

2006 VILLAGE REUNION HONOURESS

JOHNSON FAMILY SPECIAL PRESENTATION AWARD (BOB JR. AND BOB SR.)





DOM DISIPIO

VILLAGE ATHLETIC AWARD

(AT RIGHT, DOM DISIPIO, 2006 VILLAGE
ATHLETIC AWARD RECIPIENT

WITH GOOD BUDDY, GORD PANTALONE,
1995 VILLAGE ATHLETIC AWARD WINNER).

OUR 2006 GUEST SPEAKER FRED (PINKY) MITCHELL



















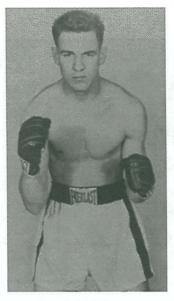
WE STILL REMEMBER THEM



MR. RIP
(With Gordie Howe)



CONNIE



GALE



PATSY

PROUD TO BE FROM THE VILLAGE

GALLA'S 1944 EASTERN ONTARIO SENIOR SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS



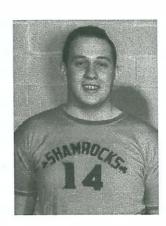
Galla's — 1944 Eastern Ontario Senior Softball Champions Front row, let to right Bert Hoigh, Deng Duncan, Ken Bagguley, Patsy Guzzo, Des Dubrey, Lame Legari and Ray Dinardo. Back row: Tony Galla, Ken Charlton.

Rene Barbeau, Bill Cowley, Sam Dinardo, Dum Dispio, Sylvio Tiezzi, Babes Blondin and Sam Mack

WHO ARE THESE HANDSOME YOUNG MEN?









THIS AND THAT

SAL PANTALONE played the part of gambler Sky Masterson in the Orpheus production of Guys and Dolls in 1959-60. In 1983-84, he played the powerful and sleazy promotor, Howard Benedict, in Orpheus' Applause. Sal was also the President of the Canadian Italian Business and Professional Association of Ottawa in 1978 and 1979.....AB RENAUD was a member of the RCAF Flyers when they won the World Hockey Championship and Olympic Gold Medal in St. Moritz, Switzerland, in 1948. He and TED HIBBERD are the only local players remaining. Ab also recently celebrated his fifth year of marraige. Congratulations Ab and Lorraine.....President for Life, GERRY DOVER, has moved Smuckers to Merivale Road. You have to go upstairs, fellas. Don't make a mistake and go downstairs. I'm warning you.....If you're looking for the Wednesday Morning Coffee Club, you'll now find them at Local Heroes on Clyde. Drop in sometime.....TONY LICARI scored the first goal for a Dallas, Texas, professional hockey team. As a 20-year-old, he was a member of the Dallas Texans of the American Hockey Association. The game was played at Fair Park Ice Arena against the visiting St. Paul Saints. Unfortunately for the Texans, Tony's goal was the only one as they dropped a 4-1 decision.....Reunion committee member, KARL CALAGOURE, is still at St. Vincent's Hospital. He would welcome your visit.....They love The Village. SANTO IMBESI and his wife, Dolores, have lived on Larch Street since they were married back in 1956.....RON GERVAIS and JOE SANDULO keeping the squared-circle sport alive and well in our town. Good for you, fellas.....For no prize at all, how many people actually live on Preston Street now?.....Rumour has it that a Wine Bar will take over a building on Preston between Pamilla and Adeline. No, Catawba is not on their wine list.....Wasn't PINKY great last year as our guest speaker? I understand he was the very first speaker back in 1979. We are very fortunate to have him. By the way, any of our guest speakers get just a free meal. What a deal we're getting.....The Village Reunion is the largest event held at the St. Anthony Italia Soccer Club Hall all year.....Our PETER CHIARELLI, one of FRANK's boys, is the General Manager of the Boston Bruins. Guess how many Ottawa- and-area-born General Managers there are/have been in the NHL. My count is 12 including our own LARRY REGAN who was actually born in North Bay. How about FRANK BOUCHER, TOMMY GORMAN, NED HARKNESS, GEORGE MAGURE, PHIL MALONEY, DOUG WILSON, (all from Ottawa), as well as RAY MIRON (Hull), BRYAN MURRAY (Shawville), RANDY SEXTON (Brockville) and FLOYD SMITH (Perth).....Now we know what RAY SALLY does in his washroom.....Next year is our 30th anniversary. How do we celebrate it?.....Our prayers are with all you fellas who are battling various setbacks. Hang in there. You have our support.

ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS

COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION AWARD

Awarded to an individual or group in recognition of his/their dedication to the growth and development of our community.

1979	Hugh Riopelle Sr.	1987	John Mangione	1997	Italo Tiezzi
1979	Sam Macli	1988	George Maxwell	1998	Jim Durrell
1980	Charles Ladas	1989	Joe Sandulo	1999	George Drummond
1980	Walter Strelbisky	1990	Roy Lafleur	2000	Ottawa St. Anthony
					Italia Soccer Club
1981	Ed Daugherty	1991	Jim McAuley	2001	Garry Guzzo
1981	Ev Tremblay	1992	Ottawa-Nepean Canadians	2002	Nello Bortolotti
			Sports Club		
1982	Les Newman	1993	John Denofrio	2003	Max Keeping
1984	Ernie Leighton	1994	Chris Finnerty	2004	Ed Champagne
1986	Tom Coughlan	1995	Howard Darwin	2005	Al Albania
1986	Jack Snow	1996	Keith Brown	2006	Glen Richardson

VILLAGER AWARD

Awarded to an individual in recognition of his participation in the history of The Village.

1979	Sam Palef	1987	Frank Costantini	1997	Red Gorman
1980	Aggie Lafleur	1988	Chappie Carmanico	1998	Red Wellington
1981	Frank Concordia	1989	Alex Cameron	1999	John Licari
1982	Bill Chinkiwsky	1990	Joe Pilon	2000	Don Romani
1982	Skipper Disipio	1991	Andy Lombardo	2001	Oliver Medaglia
1983	Jimmy MacMillan	1992	Peter Andrusek	2002	Joe Guzzo
1984	Mike Andrusek	1993	Joe Pugliese	2003	Ron Gervais
1984	Ralph Cameron	1994	Alex Lafleur	2004	Ken Burrows
1985	Alex Sauvé	1995	Joe Adamo	2005	John Mastrangelo
1986	Len Concordia	1996	Spike Girotti	2006	Dominic Delle Palme

SPORTSMAN AWARD

Awarded to an individual in recognition of his outstanding athletic excellence.

1981	Patsy Guzzo	1991	Lally Lalonde	1999	Lude Check
1984	Tony Licari	1992	Bob Simpson	2000	Ab Renaud
1986	Bill Cowley	1993	Billy Watson	2001	Don Holtby
1987	Howard Riopelle	1994	Jake Dunlap	2002	Darcy Boucher
1988	Conny Brown	1995	Ed Hatoum	2003	Bobby Copp
1989	Bill Dineen	1996	Larry Regan	2004	Billy Russell
1990	Lorne Watters	1997	Eddie MacCabe	2005	Cliff Neill
1990	Frank Chiarelli	1998	Hugh Riopelle Jr.	2006	John Fripp

ANNUAL AWARD WINNERS

SPECIAL PRESENTATION AWARD

Awarded to an individual, or group, in recognition of his/their achievements and leadership.

1979	lerullo Family	1989	Charles Strang	1998	Phil Murray
1981	Fred (Pinky) Mitchell	1990	Joe Imbesi	1999	Mangione Family
1982	Gale Kerwin	1991	Earl Stinson	2000	Lorne Kelly
1983	Prescott Hotel	1992	Licari Family	2001	Martin Defalco
1984	Clint Jourdain	1993	Gervais Family	2002	Bob Chiarelli
1984	St. Anthony's Church	1994	Patafie Family	2003	Mike Leclair
1986	Chiarelli Brothers	1995	Timpson Family	2004	Ron Barbaro
1987	Purcell Brothers	1996	Sai Pantalone	2005	Luigi Mion
1988	Zito Family	1997	Leclair Family	2006	Johnson (Welding) Family

VILLAGE ATHLETIC AWARD

Awarded to an individual from The Village in recognition of his athletic achievement and high Village ideals.

1982	Edgar Blondin	1991	Harvey Creppin	1999	Ed Nicholson
1983	Nooky Pilon	1992	Rudy Costantini	2000	Hubie Garneau
1983	Toby Dinardo	1993	Paul Ventura	2001	Gord Ventura
1985	Andy Nezan	1994	Wally Swords	2002	Fred (Pinky) Mitchell
1986	Fred Hughes	1995	Gordie Pantalone	2003	Wayne Hughes
1987	Joe Asquini	1996	Santo Imbesi	2004	Bobby Ransom
1988	Leo Blondin	1997	Royden Kealey	2005	Joe Licari
1989	Les Pilon	1998	Art Dinardo	2006	Dom Disiplo
1990	John Kozak				

WE REMEMBER THEM

The following gentlemen, who have been honoured by our reunion, passed away since our last meeting:

Joe Pilon, Villager Award recipient in 1990, passed away on September 9, 2006.

Ed Nicholson, Village Athletic Award recipient in 1999, passed away on October 10, 2006.

Bobby Copp, Sportsman Award recipient in 2003, passed away on December 12, 2006.

Tony Mangione, Special Presentation Award recipient in 1999 to the Mangione Family, passed away on December 12, 2006.

Ken Burrows, Village Award recipient in 2004, passed away on March 9, 2007.

We also recall with fondness others who have attended our function and are no longer with us. Rest in peace, fellas.

VILLAGE NICKNAMES

In some cases, the given name was never known. No one could recall ever using anything but the nicknames to address some of the following, thus the question marks:

NICKNAME GIVEN NAME

AGGIE LUCIEN LAFLEUR

BABES ? BLONDIN

BANAN WALTER CHAPMAN

BATS PHIL BIANCO

BEAN
BEETLE
BIB
BIDOU
LEONARD MULLIGAN
JIMMY MAC MILLAN
ALEX CALAGOURE
ARMAND COUVRETTE

BIRDIE ERIC MULLIGAN

BOOMS / PIANO BOX DOW'S LAKE SWIMMING HOLE

BUCK GERRY RENAUD
BULL JIMMY CESARE
BUTCHIE AL CARMANICO
CAMMY CARMEN DEFALCO
CEMENT RAY DINARDO

CHABOO ART CIAVAGLIA
CHAPPY ALBERT CARMANICO
CHECKO FRANCESCO DEFALCO
CHECH ANYONE NAMED FRANK

CHICK FRANK AND ROCCO (ROCKY) CECCHINI

COBRA ED NICHOLSON FRANK CHIARELLI

COSTY NICK AND JOE COSTANTINI

COUGAR FRED DISIPIO CURLY JOE LICARI

DIZZY HAROLD ROCKBURN
DOODLES WALLY SWORDS

FRANKIE WITH THE

LONG PANTS FRANK DOMENICO
GOOFER KEN BURROWS
GUS LEN WARA

HERBIE ROY LAFLEUR (MC NABB PARK)

HOOSTICK KARL CALAGOURE
HUBIE HUBERT GARNEAU

JESSE ANTHONY (TONY) MENCHINI

JO JO JOE LICARI

JOHNNY RED
KNOB
FRANK COSTANTINI
KONG
LALLY
FRANK CONCORDIA
JEAN-PAUL LALONDE

LANNY
LAST CHANCE
LEFTY
MAX

LANCE STEELE
PRESCOTT HOTEL
DOMENIC BARBARO
JOHN MASTRANGELO

VILLAGE NICKNAMES (Continued)

MOE MAURICE BARBEAU
MIZZY BOB MISERICORDIA
MOON GEORGIE MULLINS
NEWSY DES DUBROY SR.
NICE GIRL KAY CALAGOURE
NOOKY LOUIS PILON
ONION LEN TREMBLAY

PACY'S PALACE PALEF'S CONFECTIONERY

PASQUALE GUZZO PATSY **GUIDO SIRIANI** PEPPER **GORD VENTURA** PETSIE FRED MITCHELL **PINKY** PIT **LUCIEN BOYER** DOUG THOMPSON POP **RON GERVAIS PUNCHY PAUL PROVOST** PYE **EARL CALAGOURE** RAB / ZEKE

RED PETE GORMAN, DON WELLINGTON OR GERRY MENCHINI

RIP ANY RIOPELLE

SAL SALVATORE PANTALONE
SCRATCH RICHARD CALAGOURE
SHAG ? SHAUGHNESSY
SIX ROGER BOYER

SIX ROGER BOYER
SKIP DES DUBROY JR.
SONCO SANTO IMBESI

SONNY
SPIKE
STEAM SHOVEL
STORM
SYKE
T.J.
WILFRED CALAGOURE
ANTHONY GIROTTE
ANGELO DOMENICO
FRANK PANTALONE
ORVILLE MAC MILLAN
TOM DONNELLY

TARPOT FRANK PUGLIESE
THE BARBER / FACCI TONY IERULLO
TICKER JIMMY BOSSIO
TIMBER JIMMY PATAFIE
TIPPY DON PHILIPPE
TOBY FRANK DEFALCO

TOE ? RENAUD

TOMATO HARDING DAWE

TUGGY ? PILON
UNCLE JR. JOHN LICARI
V.J. / FRITZ VIGER GENDRON
WHITEY LEN VENTURA
WIGGY RAY KEALEY

WILLIE WILLIAM STEWART

WILMOTT MOLOUGHNEY

WOODY WALTER LATIMER ZOOK RAY ZUCCALA

VILLAGE SPORTS CLUB

Giving Back to the Community

The Village Sports Club operated during a period of approximately a dozen years beginning in the mid-50s. The purpose of the organization was to provide opportunities for youth in the vast area surrounding Preston Street.

Teenagers, in particular, were provided direction from the upstanding gentlemen in the community. The monitoring of their younger charges involved passing along their experiences in competition as well as life in general. They also arranged successful father-and-son banquets along with family picnics among their many activities.

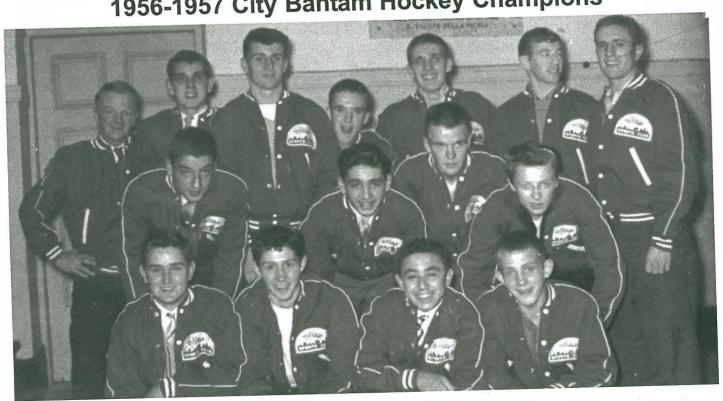
The folks of the Club did not expend all their energy on the youth, however. They were also able to enjoy themselves through their own recreational activities, such as a very active bowling league as well as their own competitive hockey teams.

Their youth teams in the city's hockey leagues proved to most successful.

The 1958-59 season saw the Sports Club win city championships at the midget and juvenile levels.

We give you a glimpse at some of the personalities of the Club as well as some its successes.

1956-1957 City Bantam Hockey Champions



FRONT ROW:

DICK PARRINGTON, ANDRE BELAIR, FRANK LICARI AND LORNE

MAC MILLAN.

SECOND ROW:

PETER GALLA, MOE BARBEAU AND BARRY RIVERS.

THIRD ROW:

LES NEWMAN (COACH), VIC BURNS, MURRAY NEWMAN AND RICHARD

CALAGOURE (COACH).

BACK ROW:

WAYNE PARRINGTON, MIKE NEWMAN, DICK DUCHARME AND ORAL

GIROTTI.

1957-1958 City Midget Hockey Champions



Village Sports Club — 1958 City Midget Hockey Champions Front row, left to right: Bob Leblanc, Ron Anka, Lorne MacMillan and John Dunnigan. Middle row: Bonnie Powers, Ken Graham, Gary Kerwin and Bernie Nevins. Back row: Karl Calagoure (assistant coach), Mitch Tannis, Dave Friel, John Powers and Roy Lafleur (coach).

March 12, 1959 Village Sports Club 5 Straths 0 at Rockcliffe Rink to win the city midget hockey championship. Dave Friel and Brent McDonald each scored twice with Walter Harris adding a single goal. Ron Anka registered the shutout. It was the second straight midget title for the club.

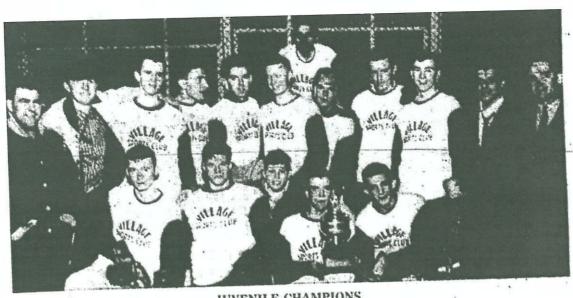


MIDGET PLAYGROUND CHAMPS.

Village Sports Club midgets picked up their second consecutive playground championship when they blanked Strathcona 5-0 in the second game of their best-of-five series. They won the round 8-1. Front row from the left, Ronnie Powers, Ron Anka, Brian Davidson, Brent McDonald; centre,

Gary Kerwin, Brian James, Mitch Tannis, John Powers; back row, Gail Kerwin, coach, Ken Graham, manager, Dave Friel, John Dehler, Roy Lafleur, coach. Missing were Walter Harris and Ed Joseph.

March 12, 1959 Village Sports Club 5 Notre Dame Aces 1 to win the city juvenile hockey championship. Marcel Charlebois netted a hat trick, while Mike Newman chipped in with a pair of goals.



JUVENILE CHAMPIONS.

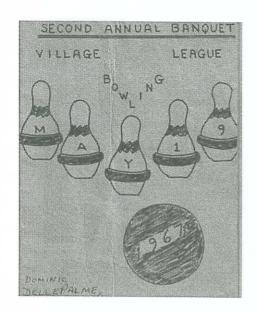
Village Sports Club won the playgrounds title by downing Notre Dame Aces. Members of the team are, left to right, front row, Jim Zito, coach, Clem Kealey, Robert Lalonde, Mike Newman, Lorne MacMillan, Rolly Villeneuve.

Second row, Pat Riopelle, Frank Powers, Don Romanl, Boh Scaine, Bob Lablance, Murray Newman, Marc Charlehois, Maurice Richer, Top centre is Ralph Legare and mascot from row is Butch Parent. Journal Photo by Dominion Widel

FLASHY NEW WINDBREAKERS



VILLAGE SPORTS CLUB BOWLING LEAGUE



PERFECT ATTENDANCE

LADIES

GAIL GIRCTTE
PAT HUGHES
ANN CESARE
HEA LAHEY
LARY CALAGOURE
PHYLLIS SHEPHERD
HELEN CHEFFIN
HELEN CHICTTE
CAROL LEVEAU
SHIRLEY DELLEPALME
ESTTY CHIEK WERY
SUE CALAGOURE
JUAN FALLEFEUTILE
KITTY LOCONNERY
MORE COPPENY
LO IRA KENCHINI

MEN

DON HYLAND
CORKY LAHEY
NICK COSTANT INI
GERRY MENCHINI
SPIKE GIROTTE
JIM MCCONNERY
JIM MCCONNERY
JACK SHEPPERD
GERRY KFALEY
SON CALACOURE
LEN DAMIANO
DOM GIROTTE
FRED HUGHES
CLIVER MEDAGLIA
GALE KERWIN
DOM DELLEPAIME
KCBERT DAMIANO
GERRY TREMBLAY
JOE MANCIONE
JIM CESARE
RON DAMIANO
IVAN LEVEAY
BILL CHIRK MERY
BILL CHIRK MERY
REMBLAY
JOE MANCIONE
JIM CESARE
RON DAMIANO
IVAN LEVEAY

VILLAGE MEMORIES



The Red Sox Losti-Rocky Cecchini, 86 Beech Street, pulled so hard and long for the Red Sox that when the Boston team was eliminated from the American League pennant chase, Rocky's neighbours decided to have some fun at his expense. So they built a little black-draped platform and placed on it nine little black boxes to represent the death of the Red Sox hopes, placed a red sock on a private pedestal and carted the whole sheebang over to Rocky's house. Above, at left, Rocky scratches his head in bewilderment at the scope of the gag while the neighbours look on and grin.-Ottawa Citizen, October 1949.

(Recognized in photograph are Jim Arnone, Sonny Calagoure, Frank Cecchini, Mary Cecchini, Rocky Cecchini, Art Ciavaglia, Art Dinardo, Sam Dinardo, Dom Disipio, Spike Girotte, Carmel Pantalone, Frank Pugliese, Italo Tiezzi, Jim Zito, Mike Zito, Rose Zito and Tony Zito.)

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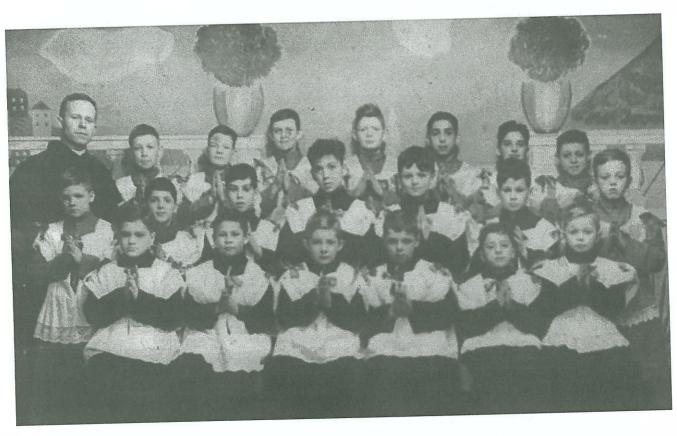


A PICK-UP HOCKEY TEAM

BASL NICHOLLS, TIPPY PHILIPPE, LEN VENTURA, GERRY MORIN AND GORDIE HARRISON.

BARNEY DUNCAN, ROLLY MORIN, WALLY SWORDS, KEN BURROWS, LOUIE EMPADA AND JACK NEVINS. FRONT:

BACK:



ST. ANTHONY'S ALTAR BOYS C. 1940

VILLAGE MEMORIES



ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL CLASS C.1948



ST. ANTHONY'S ALTAR BOYS
C. 1948

VILLAGE MEMORIES



SOME VILLAGERS PLAYED THE GAME AT A HIGH LEVEL

Chaudiere Club Intersectional Team (1954)
ANDY NEZAN (Beech St.), FREDDY HUNT, NORM VENTURA (Louisa St.) AND PAUL FRONT:

GOING (Breezehill Ave.).

DARCY BOUCHER, HUGH RIOPELLE (Champagne St.), ALEX LAROCQUE (Louisa St.), DON CORDUKES AND PETE ZEBCHUCK (Norman St.). BACK:



Her Excellency Viscountess Alexander of Tunis presents Cpl. Tony Licari of the Air Force Flyers with a trophy which she donated for the most valuable player of the 1949-50 hockey season. The presentation was made prior to a game between the Flyers and the Hull Volants held in the Auditorium on the evening of Friday Octl3th. W/C A.G. Watson, Flyers manager on the right.

(National Defence Photo)

The committee is always eager to hear your compliments or disappointments. Please let us have your comments.

If you have had a change of address, or are new to our gathering, please let a committee member know of your new location or address.

SEE YOU ONE YEAR FROM NOW ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2008

PROGRAMME CREATED BY
JIM MC AULEY