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To All Those Interested in Deerfield Hockey

The hockey team this year established the best record of any team in the history of Deerfield. It was a real pleasure to be associated with them. They won fifteen games and tied one, out-scored their opponents 135 goals to 18, and broke almost every record that has been kept. For instance, the first line of Paul Lufkin, Baldy Smith, and Gene Kinasewich scored a total of 85 goals, and each member of that line broke the previous individual scoring record. The goalies and defense allowed an average of 1.12 goals per game - rather remarkable in itself.

Obviously the rink has continued to be a wonderful addition for the school. As of last year, there have been seven teams playing an outside schedule of 65 games. To have 120 boys able to skate every afternoon since November 20 is, I assure you, a real pleasure. Other boys in school have had the opportunity to skate each day also, for the rink has been opened in the evenings after study hall. The children in town have been invited during the vacations and each Saturday morning to skate, and I know that they have been most appreciative.

Our co-captains, John Johnston, center on the second line, and Jon Kamber, goalie, were excellent leaders, standing for the highest type of sportsmanship and play throughout the season. Baldy Smith has been elected captain for next year's team.

The team voted that the Hockey Cup, given to that senior who has contributed the most spirited sportsmanlike play, be awarded to Gene Kinasewich. His contribution to Deerfield hockey has been a remarkable one and all who saw him play during the year were impressed with his skill and his "spirited sportsmanlike" play.

Throughout the season I have been particularly grateful to the parents who followed the team so closely, and obviously to the many other individuals who have given of their time and effort to make the season a success. In particular I would like to thank Mr. Ball who again worked with our defense.

There are many plays I would like to describe in detail but I cannot and will, once again, give only a short resume of each game.

I hope that next winter we will see all of you often.

Sincerely,

Deerfield 10 Alumni 4

We had a good alumni turnout - Lloyd Semple, Bill Stout, Mike Erdman, Tom Griffin, Jim Witham, Peter Sieglaff, Bob Keltie, Bob Low, George Lunt, Dick Schroeder, Peter Clark, Dick Lombard, Peter McEachron, and Dave Harrop.

The game was an excellent one, and we had some difficulty in containing the alumni first line of Lombard, Keltie, and Schroeder.

Kinasewich scored four goals for us, Smith two, Marr, Lufkin, Tom Oliver, and Friebely had one each.

Deerfield 16 Vermont 1

Vermont was not strong, and we had little difficulty. Nine different boys scored for us.

Deerfield 5 Belmont Hill 2

It was an extremely windy day at Belmont Hill and the team going with the wind had a real advantage. Jon Kamber in the goal was excellent, and the first line in scoring our five goals was wonderful. The game as indicated by the 44 shots for us and 37 for Belmont Hill was much closer than the score indicated.

Deerfield 4 Mt. Hermon 0

Although we outshot Mt. Hermon 81 to 20, we had a difficult time scoring and I felt we did not play well. It was not until the second period that Baldy Smith slapped one in. Kinasewich had the other three.

Deerfield 2 Andover 1

This was the most exciting game of the season as the score would indicate. Doyle scored our first goal in the first period, the second period was scoreless. In the beginning of the third period Kinasewich scored on a pass from Smith. Andover scored at the end of the period. Once again Jon Kamber in the goal was great and with many fine saves kept us in the game. The Andover goalie was also excellent, and both teams exhibiting real offensive power as well as good defensive work made for great excitement.

Deerfield 15 Loomis 0

Loomis was not strong. Baldy Smith broke the individual scoring record by scoring six goals in this game. Another interesting statistic-at the end of the first period the first line scored three goals in fourteen seconds.

Deerfield 8 Choate 2

Choate scored a quick goal in the first period to go ahead, but Johnny Johnston broke away two minutes later to pull the goalie out and score. We were definitely stronger than Choate but the boys played well and worked hard throughout the game.

Deerfield 3 Williams 3

We had one of those days when it didn't seem as though we would ever get going. The Williams' goalie stopped everything. They scored two goals in the first period and one in the second. Baldy Smith scored all three of ours in the third period. It is interesting to note that in the first period we took 11 shots to Williams' 15; in the second period we began to move and took 27 shots to their 11; in the third we took 18 to their 11. I was pleased obviously that the team could come back, but there were moments during the first period when I wondered.

Deerfield 7 Bishop's College School 2

This was the eighth game in the series. We had beaten Bishop's once before, in 1953. Bishop's started fast and scored two quick first period goals when we made two mistakes. By the end of the first period the score was 2-2. In the second period we added four more, and in the third, one more. Gene Kinasewich was superb, scoring five goals.

The Band played "Oh Canada" and "The Star Spangled Banner" just before the game. With both teams lined up on the blue lines it was a very impressive sight.

Deerfield 9 Amherst 0

This was a very weak Amherst team and we spent most of the time passing the puck around. The Amherst goalie played a fine game and deserves great credit for his many saves.

Deerfield 10 Vermont 1

Tom Oliver had the "hat trick" in this game. I thought our third line of Friebely, Marr and Jahncke looked good.

Deerfield 10 Mt. Hermon 0

Mt. Hermon was not strong and as the score indicated we had little difficulty. Bob Tedoldi, our second goalie, did not play a great deal during the season but he was an excellent goalie and in this game made two great saves on Mt. Hermon breakaways.

Deerfield 6 Kimball Union 1

It had been a long time since we had beaten Kimball Union, and the team was anxious to do a good job. The Kimball Union team had not skated much during the previous week and they had had some sickness, but I felt that our team played as well as at any time during the season. Paul Lufkin at the beginning of the third period scored two beautiful goals, one from Kinasewich and one from Smith. Ernie Jahncke also scored a fine goal when he deked the goalie late in the third period. Our defense of Dave Oliver, Dick Sincerbeaux and McMorris played their best game of the year. Because of Doyle's injury, Dave Donnelley had to be moved from defense to line. The second line of Donnelley, Johnston and Tom Oliver played their best game of the season.

Deerfield 15 Williston 0

Williston was very weak and as is obvious we had little difficulty.

Deerfield 4 Kimball Union 1

I was concerned about this game for Kimball Union had skated more, felt better, and would really want the game, but the team played a beautiful game. The first goal was a particularly good one as Kinasewich rounded the defense and fed back to Lufkin who trailing in on the goal slapped one home.

Some idea of the Kimball Union team can be gathered by the fact that the goalie in their first ten games had only had five goals scored on him.

Deerfield 11 Loomis 0

As I have said before Loomis was not strong, but I was pleased with the boys' play.

Roster

<u>Name</u>	<u>Home</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>P.</u>
David E. Donnelley	Lake Forest, Ill.	D	1	4	5
Brian P. Doyle	Hingham, Mass.	RW	11	5	16
C. Dary Dunham	Mt. Kisco, N.Y.	D	0	2	2
John D. Friebely, Jr.	Plainfield, N.J.	LW	4	2	6
Ernest L. Jahncke, III	Greenwich, Conn.	RW	5	5	10
John W. Johnston (Co-captain)	New Vernon, N.J.	C	6	7	13
Jonathan B. Kamber (Co-captain)	Great Neck, L.I., N.Y.	G			
Eugene Kinasewich	Edmonton, Alberta, Can.	RW	44	32	76
Paul L. Lufkin	Gloucester, Mass.	LW	20	21	41
Terrence D. Marr	Newport, R.I.	C	6	4	10
Howard McMorris, II	Princeton, N.J.	D	2	2	4
David G. Oliver	New Canaan, Conn.	D	3	11	14
W. Thomas Oliver	New Canaan, Conn.	LW	9	8	17
Richard M. Sincerbeaux	Short Hills, N.J.	D	3	4	7
Baldwin Smith (Captain-elect)	Buffalo, N.Y.	C	21	32	53
Robert C. Tedoldi	Wellesley, Mass.	G			
William T. Adams (Manager)	Duluth, Minn.				
Dennis L. Greenley (Manager)	New Providence, N.J.				

Totals:
Goals 135
Assists 139
Points 274