



KVHA Focuses on Auction Ticket Sales for February 3rd Auction at ShowWare

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 12, 2012 – Okay KVHA members and fans, Auction procurements are nearly complete, the items for the silent auction tables are being organized and live auction items are being defined for the Auction Catalog. The rest is up to you. It's time to complete and report your ticket sales for KVHA's 9th Annual Fundraising Auction. Please let us know if you need tickets. Please report your ticket sales to your team's Auction Coordinator so we can update our sales thermometer at the front entrance to Kent Valley Ice Centre. Sell, sell, sell! Let's fill all 300 seats.

"Harry Smith 15% Discount" Available for Robby Glantz 3-Session Power Skating Clinic

KVHA Coach Harry Smith contacted Robby Glantz and was able to get Robby to give KVHA a 15% discount for the June Power Skating Clinic a little early. Currently they only have the 10% early bird discount offered. However, the first few years they offered the clinics at Kent Valley Ice Centre they always came back with another 5% later in the spring. Last year Smith asked for the 15% up front and they gave it to him. So, he did it again this year and Robby Glantz titled it "Harry Smith 15% Discount" on the Power Skating Clinic Flyer. A link to the registration is available on the front page of the KVHA web. Thanks Harry!

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett Cleared to Play

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 6, 2012 – Colby Bennett, one of the two goalies for Kent Valley's Midget 18U Tier-II Selects, has been recovering from a head injury since the Selects' PNAHA league game with the Everett Midget "AA" team back on October 9th, 2011. Danny Lorenz, Head Coach of the Selects, announced earlier this week that Bennett was cleared to play.

Bennett was injured during the second period of the October 9th Everett game. He played in 8 games (297 minutes) prior to the injury and had a win/loss/tie record of 2-2-2, a 1.875 goals against average and a save percentage of 87.6%. Bennett missed 20 games during his recovery. He has been with Kent Valley Hockey Association for 8 seasons having first played with the Kent Valley Mite Tornadoes in the 2004/2005 season.

During Bennett's absence Aaron Mathews was the lone goalie on Coach Danny Lorenz's roster. Mathews played in four games prior to Bennett's injury and has played in 20 games since. Mathews has played in a total of 24 of the team's 29 games (1,005 minutes) and has a win/loss/tie record of 8-10-5, a 3.292 goals against average and a save percentage of 84.5%. Mathews is a six-year veteran of the Kent Valley Hockey Association. He began his career with Kent Valley as part of the "Learn to Play" program during the 2006/2007 season.

Welcome back Colby! Thank you Aaron for 20 consecutive games of service.

KVHA Holiday Break & Weekend Scoreboard:

01/07	Loss	KVHA Mite Tornadoes	2	vs.	SnoKing Mite Major Black	6
01/07	Win	KVHA Squirt Tornadoes	4	vs.	Kitsap County Squirt White	2
12/31	Loss	KVHA Squirt Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	Portland Tier-II Jr. Hawks	5
01/01	Loss	KVHA Squirt Tier-II Selects	2	vs.	Portland Tier-II Jr. Hawks	4
01/07	Win	KVHA Squirt Tier-II Selects	14	vs.	Tacoma Jr. Squirt Rockets	1
01/02	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	1	vs.	KVHA Squirt Tier-II Selects	0

01/07	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	1	vs.	Tacoma Jr. Tomahawks	0
01/08	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	6	vs.	WWHFA Phoenix	2
01/07	Loss	KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes	0	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Grey	4
01/08	Loss	KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes	1	vs.	Seattle Jr. PeeWee Badgers	4
01/08	Loss	KVHA PeeWee "B" Storm	4	vs.	Whatcom PeeWee Tier-II	5
01/07	Win	KVHA Bantam Tornadoes	3	vs.	Puget Sound Tomahawks	2
01/05	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	4	vs.	Team Seattle Bantam Minor	1
01/07	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	2	vs.	Spokane Tier-II Jr. Chiefs	3
01/08	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	9	vs.	Seattle Jr. Tier-II (NL)	0
12/28	Win	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	9	vs.	Everett Midget Kodiaks	0
12/28	Win	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	3	vs.	Wenatchee Wolf Pack	1
12/29	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	2	vs.	Coquitlam Chiefs	3
12/30	Win	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	7	vs.	Everett Midget Kodiaks	1
01/07	Win	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	6	vs.	Seattle Jr. Midget Blades	1
01/07	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	3	vs.	OHSHL Lightning	6
01/08	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	1	vs.	OHSHL Lightning	2
12/29	Win	KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects	6	vs.	Everett Midget Tier-II Hornets	3
01/07	Loss	KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects	3	vs.	Wenatchee Midget T-II Jr. Wild	4
01/08	Tie	KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects	2	vs.	Wenatchee Midget T-II Jr. Wild	2
01/11	Tie	KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects	4	vs.	SnoKing 18U Tier-II	4

Mite Tornadoes (2) SnoKing Mite Black (6)

Kingsgate Ice Arena, Renton, WA. January 7, 2012 – On Saturday, January 7th, the Tornado caravan rolled into Kingsgate in the early morning and prepared for the 9:20 draw against the SKAHA Jr. T-Birds Blacks. Unfortunately, the T-Birds Black took advantage of home ice with a relentless attack against the KVHA Tornadoes. Even with the few goals scored by the Tornadoes, they regrettably lost the tough battle on the ice. Yet, with each passing week, the Tornadoes solidify their presence as a team and their positional play continues to see marked improvement.

The Tornadoes went toe-to-toe during the 1st period against a robust T-Birds Black team. As both teams faced-off, the Blacks scored their first goal within the first few minutes on the clock. Unfortunately, they scored again within the next few seconds. Undeterred with the 2-0 deficit, the Tornadoes got to work. At 8:30 on clock, Aidan Herring (#14) scored his first goal of the game with an assist by Maxwell Mudge(#15) & Jake Ferguson(#6). Great team work boys to get things going!

In the 2nd period, the Tornadoes had a difficult time fighting for possession of the puck and were struck with penalties. On both penalties, the T-Birds Black scored goals. The Tornadoes tried to collect themselves and mount an attack. Unfortunately, they were unable to muster enough strength and the T-Birds Black came out ahead by increasing their lead as the period closed.

The passionate battle for possession continued well into the 3rd period. While the Tornadoes showed their strong skills but just couldn't get a robust enough rally going against the T-Birds Black team. The only goal scored for the Tornadoes during this period came from Aidan Herring(#14) with an assist by Jake Ferguson(#6) & Quinton Gessner(#10) great top shelf shot Aidan!

In the end, the KVHA Mite Tornadoes lost to a resilient SJHA T-Birds Black team in league play on Saturday. The T-Birds Black defeated the Tornadoes by a final score of 6 to 2. A lot of the Tornado players have shown progressive growth throughout the season but the "hunger for the puck" still tends to elude them. Hopefully next week will provide a different story as the Tornadoes will be in tournament play at Kingsgate over the MLK weekend. Good luck, Tornadoes!

Below is the scoring summary:

KVHA Mite Tornadoes (2) vs. SnoKing Mite Black (6)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
SnoKing	1	12:20	Tyson Shaw from Max Harris
SnoKing	1	11:02	Tyson Shaw from Evan Horwat
Kent Valley	1	8:30	Aidan Herring from Maxwell Mudge & Jake Ferguson
SnoKing	2	13:35	Garrett Reagan from Tyson Shaw (Power Play)
SnoKing	2	9:25	Emil Petersson from Max Harris & Jimmy Zeissel
SnoKing	2	5:38	Jimmy Zeissel from Emil Petersson & Shep Romary (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	5:30	Aidan Herring from Jake Ferguson & Quinton Gessner
SnoKing	3	0:57	Brady Schwab from Garrett Reagan & Ryan Foster

Kent Valley's Ripken Renner stopped 12 of 18 shots on goal for 67%
 SnoKing Will Pellerin stopped 5 of 7 shots on goal for 71%.
 Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 6 minutes.
 SnoKing skated penalty free.

Squirt Tornadoes Top Kitsap County White 4 to 2

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 7, 2012 – Kent Valley's Jack Jones scored his first career goal in the Tornadoes 4 to 2 win over Kitsap County Squirt White. Ben Fredell passed the puck to Jones who hit a sweet one-timer passed the Kitsap County goalie. Steve Rosenquist added two more goals to his season point total and Jackson Grande scored the squirts fourth goal. Team Manager Steve Klem said; "It was another good game and the Tornadoes are beginning to run set plays."

The Tornadoes are in a 3-way tie for 2nd place in the NPSHL League with the Everett Kodiaks and Seattle Jr. Badgers. Next up for the Tornadoes is an away game against SnoKing Blue on January 21st at Kingsgate Arena. Blue is in 5th place and just 3 points behind the Tornadoes. Go Tornadoes!

Below is the scoring summary:

KVHA Squirt Tornadoes (4) vs. Kitsap County Squirt White (2)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	12:52	Steven Rosenquist from Ben Fredell
Kent Valley	1	11:29	Jack Jones from Chase Pagan
Kitsap County	2	10:00	Mac Donohue (Unassisted)
Kitsap County	2	1:27	Michael Anderson from Kiet Wheeler
Kent Valley	3	2:55	Steven Rosenquist from Jackson Grande & Steven

Kent Valley 3 0:48 Jackson Grande (Unassisted)
 Kent Valley's Tyler Roberts stopped 11 of 13 shots on goal for 85%.
 Kitsap County's Stein Witt stopped 26 of 30 shot on goal for 87%.
 Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 6 minutes.
 Kitsap County had 1 minor penalty for 3 minutes.

Squirt Selects Travel to Portland for Exhibition Games

Winterhawks Skating Center, Beaverton, WA. January 1, 2012 – The Kent Valley Squirt Tier-II Selects originally planned to play in a Portland tournament over New Year's weekend. Unfortunately, the tournament was cancelled. However, the Portland Jr. Hawks retained the ice and invited the Kent Valley Selects to play two exhibition games. In addition to playing the two exhibition games, the Selects also attended the Portland Winterhawks' New Years Eve game Seattle Thunderbirds.

The Selects lost both games against Portland. Saturday's game, 12/31, was a 5 to 1 loss. Danny Smith scored the Selects only goal with an assist from Kemper Terry. Sunday's game, New Year's Day, was a closer game. The Selects lost to Portland by a score of 5 to 2. Trevor Mertel scored early in the third period with assists from Mark Hanscom and Jake Sordahl. Ty Herring scored the Selects second goal in the closing seconds of the game with an assist from Kemper Terry.

Kent Valley's Dylan Herzog faced 44 shots in goal for the Selects on Saturday for an 89% save rate. Shots were not recorded for Sunday's game.

The Kent Valley Selects are in a tie for first place in the PNAHA League with SnoKing Squirt Tier-II Blue. The Selects will play the Tacoma Jr. Rockets at home on January 21st.

Kent Valley Squirt Selects Shoot Down Rockets 14 to 1

Puget Sound Hockey Center, Tacoma, WA. January 7, 2012 – Penalties were costly for the Tacoma Jr. Rockets as the Kent Valley Selects scored on six of nine power play opportunities. The Rockets were unable to convert any of their seven power plays into points. Kent Valley's Danny Smith earned a Hat Trick in the game and was the point leader with 3 goals and 2 assists. Brett Jenkins played well for the Selects stopping 9 of 10 shots for a 90% save rate. The Selects scored an amazing eight goals in the second period.

The Kent Valley offense fired 47 shots on Bryson Petersen, the Tacoma Jr. Rockets goaltender who stood tall in the net against a constant barrage of shots. Most Squirt goalies don't face that many shots over three games. Petersen never gave up... Good on ya, Bryson!

The scoring summary below provides the details:

KVHA Squirt Tier-II Selects (14) vs. Tacoma Jr. Squirt Rockets (1)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	14:09	Dylan Herzog from Mark Hanscom
Kent Valley	1	4:49	Jacob Sordahl from Danny Smith (Power Play)
Kent Valley	1	1:52	Danny Smith (1) (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	13:47	Andrew Alonzo (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	10:37	Danny Smith (2) from Jacob Sordahl (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	8:16	Trevor Mertel from Danny Smith (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	6:17	Dylan Herzog (Unassisted & Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	3:50	Isaiah Barber from Dylan Herzog
Kent Valley	2	3:33	Lexi Doner from Isaiah Barber

Kent Valley	2	2:23	Danny Smith (3-Hat Trick) from Mark Hanscom
Kent Valley	2	0:07	Andrew Alonzo (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	14:44	Isaiah Barber from Dylan Herzog
Kent Valley	3	4:59	Lexi Doner (Unassisted & Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	3:22	Kemper Terry from Gage Gessner (Power Play)
Tacoma Jr.	3	3:09	Nolan Meekhof (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins stopped 9 of 10 shots on goal for 90%.

Tacoma Jr's Bryson Petersen stopped 33 of 47 shots on goal for 70%.

Kent Valley had 7 minor penalties for 14 minutes.

Tacoma Jr. had 9 minor penalties for 18 minutes.

Kent Valley PeeWee Hurricanes Escape with 1 Point Win over Kent Valley Squirt Tier-II Selects

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 2, 2012 – Kent Valley's PeeWee Hurricanes and Squirt Tier-II Selects played in exhibition Sunday at Kent Valley Ice Centre. The Hurricanes' Qass Huffington scored the only point of the game, an unassisted goal at 12:20 of the first period. Six of the Hurricanes' fifteen players received minor penalties in the game while only two of the sixteen Selects were called for infractions. The Selects outshot the Hurricanes 14 to 5. With six power play opportunities for the Selects during the game, the Hurricanes were lucky to escape with the one-point win.

Kent Valley PeeWee Hurricanes Win Shootout at ShoWare

ShoWare Center, Kent, WA. January 7, 2012 – Kent Valley's PeeWee Hurricanes played a short roster of Tacoma Jr. PeeWee Tomahawks at ShoWare Center Saturday, January 7th and came away with a shootout win. The two teams played even through all three periods with the Hurricanes edging out the Tomahawks on shots 14 to 12. Each team had two penalties. Shootout goals were scored by Jack Hanscom and Qass Huffington for the win.

Hurricanes Burn WWFHA Phoenix 6 to 2 in Weekend NPSHL League Play

Kingsgate Ice Arena, Renton, WA. January 8, 2012 – The WWFHA Phoenix scored bookend goals in this game while the Kent Valley PeeWee Hurricanes scored six goals of their own between the bookends. The Phoenix scored the first goal of the game early in the first period that must have raised some concern for the Hurricanes. The Hurricanes didn't connect with their first goal until two minutes into the second period when Aaron Dunning tapped one in with an assist from Jack Hanscom. Dunning's goal was followed by unassisted goals from Qass Huffington and Jesse Everson. Dru Clark added a fourth goal with an assist from Joey Geisendorfer to end the second period 4 to 1 in favor of the Hurricanes.

Jesse Everson scored an unassisted goal to begin the third period. Joey Geisendorfer scored the Hurricanes' final goal of the game, a power play goal, with an assist from Dru Clark. The Phoenix scored their second goal with 6:05 remaining to play to complete the bookends. Final score; Hurricanes 6 vs. Phoenix 2.

Below is the scoring summary:

KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes (6) vs. WWFHA Phoenix (2)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
WWFHA	1	12:00	Adrienne Duguay from Anna Prekeges & Alaura Duguay
Kent Valley	2	12:30	Aaron Dunning from Jack Hanscom
Kent Valley	2	11:10	Qass Huffington (Unassisted)

Kent Valley	2	7:30	Jesse Everson (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	6:00	Dru Clark from Joey Geisendorfer
Kent Valley	3	11:04	Jesse Everson (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	8:10	Joey Geisendorfer from Dru Clark (Power Play)
WWFHA	3	6:05	Adrienne Duguay from Kaitie Lindsay & Anna Stensland

Kent Valley's John Brockes stopped 8 of 10 shots on goal for 80%.

WWFHA's Syona Pathak stopped 30 of 36 shots on goal for 83%.

WWFHA had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

Kent Valley skated penalty free.

Kent Valley PeeWee Wolves Maul Kent Valley PeeWee Tornadoes 4 to 0

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 7, 2012 – Kent Valley's PeeWee Tornadoes ran into a pack of angry SnoKing Wolves Saturday. The Wolves outshot the Tornadoes 26 to 15 in the NPSHL League game and scored four unanswered goals for the win. Jesse Everson turned away 22 of the 26 Wolves' shots on goal for an 85% save rate. The Tornadoes gave the Wolves four power play chances but the Tornadoes' strong defense was able to prevent the Wolves from scoring during the man advantage opportunities.

As we reported earlier on the KVHA Web, the Tornadoes' injured goalie Alex Estrada was supposed to be released to play for this game. However, he is listed on the score sheet as "Injured." The Tornadoes were fortunate to be able to borrow Jesse Everson from the Kent Valley PeeWee Hurricanes for this game.

The Tornadoes are one point behind the Hurricanes in the NPSHL Standings. Their next league game is January 28th at Lynnwood Ice Arena against the 1st place Seattle Jr. Blades.

Kent Valley PeeWee Tornadoes Fall to Seattle Jr. PeeWee Badgers 4 to 1

Lynnwood Ice Arena, Lynnwood, WA. January 8, 2012 – The NPSHL's 7th place Seattle Jr. Badgers took advantage of home ice Sunday and defeated the 10th place Kent Valley PeeWee Tornadoes 4 to 1. The Tornadoes scored the first goal of the game, just 1:30 into the second period. Sean Blair scored off an assist from Andrew Barton. The glow of that goal didn't last very long. The Badgers scored their first goal 3:30 later and never looked back.

The Tornadoes fell victim to penalties in the third period but still outshot the Badgers in the period 3 to 1. The Badgers outshot the Tornadoes 18 to 11 in the game.

Kent Valley PeeWee "B" Storm Debuts in Bellingham in Exhibition Game with Whatcom PeeWee Tier-II Warriors

Bellingham Sportsplex, Bellingham, WA. January 8, 2012 – The Kent Valley PeeWee "B" Storm was just recently organized and rostered as a team with PNAHA. The game with the Whatcom PeeWee Tier-II Warriors was the first time this group of kids had skated together as a team. There were no other games or practices prior to this outing. The Storm is made up of selected PeeWee aged players from the Kent Valley Hockey Association. Players were drawn from the PeeWee Tornadoes, PeeWee Hurricanes and Bantam Tornadoes. The team will be coached by Jeff Alonzo, Isaac Van Mechelen and Gary Barton. The team plans to compete at the PNAHA "B" Tournament in March.

The Kent Valley Storm started off a little disorganized allowing a couple of early goals in the first period but settled down and cut the lead to 2 to 1. A late first period goal by Whatcom bumped their lead to 3 to 1 going into the second period.

Whatcom registered the only goal in the second period as both teams exchanged even chances. Whatcom took a 4 to 1 lead into the third period.

Kent Valley didn't give up. At one point in the third period Storm had a 5 on 3 opportunity but couldn't convert. Chances kept coming the Storm's way and finally at the 5:31 mark Kent Valley cut the lead to 4 to 2. Two minutes later the Storm scored again making it 4 to 3, a one goal lead.

Kent Valley drew a Whatcom tripping penalty with less than a minute to go in the game. With the Storm goalies on the bench and an extra attacker on the ice, Storm won the ensuing face-off deep in the Warrior zone, passed the puck back to the defense and a slap shot from the blue line beat the Warrior goalie with 57 seconds to go for a 4 to 4 tie. Whatcom won the following face-off at center ice and moved the puck to the Storm's zone. The Warriors pressured the net and were able to slide the puck in with 23 seconds remaining to secure the 5 to 4 win.

Following the game, Coach Jeff Alonzo commented on the Storm's first game. *"It was a tough 5-4 loss. But, we were proud of how well the kids played together. They fought hard the entire game. The best part is we're only going to get better with time and that is encouraging."*

Below is the scoring summary:

KVHA PeeWee "B" Storm (4) vs. Whatcom PeeWee Tier-II (5)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Whatcom	1	14:18	Kamron Tari from Allison Reeb
Whatcom	1	13:15	Simeon Smith from Kamron Tari
Kent Valley	1	10:52	Anthony Alonzo from Seth Anderson
Whatcom	1	0:44	Dave Williams from Kamron Tari & Matti Toivula
Whatcom	2	7:11	Simeon Smith from Kamron Tari
Kent Valley	3	5:21	Andrew Bell from Qass Huffington & Anthony Alonzo
Kent Valley	3	3:17	Qass Huffington from Andrew Bell
Kent Valley	3	0:57	Mikey Thomas from Qass Huffington (Power Play)
Whatcom	3	0:23	Sydney Lee from Kamron Tari & Matti Toivula

Kent Valley's Cam Hansen and John Brockes shared goaltending duties and stopped 29 of 34 shots on goal for a combined save rate of 85%.

Whatcom's Justin Hutchings stopped 26 of 30 shots on goal for 87%.

Kent Valley had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

Whatcom had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes Top Tacoma Jr. Tomahawks 3 to 2 in NPSHL League Play

Puget Sound Hockey Center, Tacoma, WA. January 7, 2012 – Kent Valley's Bantam Tornadoes faced the Tacoma Jr. Tomahawks for the second time this season and topped them 3 to 2. The Tornadoes won the last meeting on October 29th by a larger margin, 5 to 1. The Tomahawks proved to be a tougher team this time around.

Kent Valley set the tone with a quick start scoring less than a minute into the game on a goal by Mikey Thomas with an assist from Anthony Alonzo. Colin Bartlett scored the Tornadoes' second goal at the 10:20 mark of the second period with an assist from Mikey Thomas. The Tornadoes took a 3 to 0 lead halfway through the 3rd period on an unassisted power play goal from Ryan Atkins. The Tornadoes held off a late third period rush of pressure from the the Tomahawks to earn the win. Coach Jeff Alonzo said; *"Hard work was the key. We skated hard, pressured them all game long in their zone, and kept them from setting anything up offensively."*

The two teams were tied in the NPSHL standings prior to this game. However, the Tornadoes' win moves them into fourth place, 2 points in front of the Tomahawks and 1 point behind the third place Seattle Jr. Badgers. Next up for the Bantam Tornadoes is the "Battle of the Sound" tournament in Bremerton with games against Langley, Semiahmoo and Abbotsford.

Below is the scoring summary:

KVHA Bantam Tornadoes (3) vs. Tacoma Jr. Tomahawks (2)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	14:39	Mikey Thomas from Anthony Alonzo
Kent Valley	2	4:40	Colin Bartlett from Mikey Thomas
Kent Valley	3	10:02	Ryan Atkins (Unassisted & Power Play)
Tacoma Jr.	3	6:31	Tory Lane-Partlow from Brendan Sedgwick (Power Play)
Tacoma Jr.	3	0:03	Brendan Sedgwick (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Cam Hansen and Ben Jarvis stopped 21 of 23 shots on goal for a combined save rate of 91%.

Tacoma's Jeremiah Bowden stopped 22 of 25 shots on goal for 88%.

Kent Valley had 4 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Tacoma Jr. had 3 minor penalties for 7 minutes.

Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects Defeat Team Seattle Bantam Minor 4 to 1 in PNAHA Tiering Competition

Castle Ice Arena, Renton, WA. January 5, 2012 – Kent Valley's Bantam Tier-II Selects played Team Seattle Bantam Minor at Castle Ice Arena in Renton Thursday evening and defeated Team Seattle 4 to 1. The game was played as part of the PNAHA tiering process.

Kent Valley outshot Team Seattle 31 to 15. Kent Valley's Austin Phelps stopped 14 of 15 shots on goal for an impressive 93% save rate. The Team Seattle goal tender was not indicated on the score sheet. However, he stopped 27 of 31 shots on goal for an 87% save rate. Both teams had four minor penalties for 8 minutes each.

SCORING SUMMARY:

First Period – 1, Kent Valley, Nick Pizzey (Jeremy Carlson), 12:04. 2, Team Seattle, Benjamin Herrling (Unassisted), 5:19.

Second Period – 3, Kent Valley, Anton Nikitin (Unassisted), 6:33. 4, Kent Valley, Jake Best (Eliot Plourde), 3:07.

Third Period – 5, Kent Valley, Eliot Plourde (Jake best), 1:02

Shots on goal – Kent Valley 15-10-6 31. Team Seattle 5-4-6 15

KVHA members rarely hear much about the combined (SnoKing, Seattle Jr. and Kent Valley) Team Seattle teams. Team Seattle teams play in the Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey Association League (PCAHA) based in British Columbia while our Kent Valley Tier-II teams play in the Pacific Northwest Amateur Hockey Association (PNAHA) and North Puget Sound Hockey League (NPSHL) Leagues, both based in Washington. Navigating the PCAHA web site to determine Team Seattle standings turned out to be a challenge since the teams don't compete in the PCAHA League under the Team Seattle banner. They are labeled either Sno Kings or Seattle Junior. You can find Team Seattle team standings at the following URL: <http://teamlink.ca/standings.htm>. Team Seattle Bantam Minor can be found by selecting the following: Division = **Bantam**, Category = **A**, Competition = **League** and Flight = **3**. They are listed in the standings as Seattle Junior Bantam A1. It isn't clear why our Team Seattle teams are listed as Sno Kings and Seattle Junior in the PCAHA.

Spokane Jr. Chiefs Sneak by Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects 3 to 2

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 7, 2012 – The Spokane Jr. Chiefs were a bit of an unknown coming into this game. The Jr. Chiefs play a non-league schedule in the Kootenai and Okanogan area of B.C. The Jr. Chiefs edged out the Kent Valley Selects by one goal to win the exhibition game by a score of 3 to 2.

Spokane took an early lead on a first period goal by Conor McKenna. Jake Kelly added their second goal near the end of the second period to put Spokane up 2 to 0. Kent Valley's Anton Nikitin got the Selects on the board right at the end of the second period with his goal assisted by Eamann McMillion.

Spokane went up 3 to 1 on Conor McKenna's second goal early in the third. After getting 10 shots on the Spokane net in the second period, third period penalties limited the Selects to just 4 shots on goal. Back at full strength, Elliot Plourde teamed up with Tom Speer to cut the Spokane lead to one goal. A Kent Valley penalty with 13 seconds remaining all but eliminated the Selects' chances for a tying goal.

Spokane outshot Kent Valley 20 to 15. Kent Valley spent more time in the penalty box with 7 minors for 14 minutes to Spokane's 5 minors for 10 minutes.

Below is the scoring summary:

KVHA Bantam Tier-II selects (2) vs. Spokane Jr. Chiefs (NL) (3)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Spokane	1	3:51	Conor McKenna from Troy Pichette
Spokane	2	3:43	Jake Kelly from Quinton Wieber & Paxton Malone
Kent Valley	2	0:19	Anton Nikitin from Eamann McMillion
Spokane	3	14:32	Conor McKenna from Jake Kelly & David Connor McIntosh
Kent Valley	3	0:22	Elliot Plourde from Tom Speer

Kent Valley's Austin Phelps stopped 17 of 20 shots on goal for 85%.

Spokane's Jake Holden stopped 13 of 15 shots on goal for 87%.

Kent Valley had 7 minor penalties for 14 minutes.

Spokane had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Bantam Tier-II Selects Shutout Seattle Jr. Tier-II

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 8, 2012 – Kent Valley's Bantam Tier-II Selects shutout the Seattle Jr. Tier-II NW Admirals 9 to 0 in PNAHA League play at Kent Valley Ice Centre Sunday. The 4th place NWW Admirals struggled to keep up with the Selects throughout the game. Kent Valley's Jeremy Carlson earned a Hat Trick with his three goals and one assist in the first period. Christian Cinderella was the point leader for the game with one goal and four assists for five points.

The Selects remain atop the PNAHA League standings with a 9-0-1 record and 19 points. They are 11 points ahead of the second place SnoKing Jr. Thunderbirds and their 4-0-3 record. The Selects will play the Jr. Thunderbirds in back-to-back games at home on January 21st and 22nd.

Below is the scoring summary: (Some details are not available due to an incomplete score sheet.)

KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects (9) vs. Seattle Jr. Bantam Tier-II (0)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	?:?:	Jeremy Carlson (1) from Christian Cinderella
Kent Valley	1	?:?:	Christian Cinderella from Jeremy Carlson
Kent Valley	1	9:02	Jeremy Carlson (2) from Nick Pizzey

Kent Valley	1	0:??	Jeremy Carlson (3-Hat Trick) from Nick Pizzey & Christian Cinderella
Kent Valley	2	?:55	Anton Nikitin (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	8:24	Anton Nikitin from Christian Cinderella & Elliot Plourde
Kent Valley	2	3:10	Mason Stewart from Nick Pizzey
Kent Valley	2	1:55	Eamann McMillion from Dawson Myers
Kent Valley	3	8:44	Elliot Plourde from Christian Cinderella

Kent Valley had 4 minor penalties for 8 minutes.
Seattle Jr. had 4 minor penalties for 8 minutes.

Midget Tornadoes Win 3 and Lose 1 at Holiday Tourney

Kingsgate Ice Arena, Kirkland, WA. December 30, 2012 – Kent Valley's Midget Tornadoes competed in a Midget Rec tournament at Kingsgate Ice Arena between Christmas and New Years. The Tornadoes won 3 games and lost 1. Tournament final standing results were not known but the Tornadoes' game scores are noted below:

- Game 1: KVHA Midget Tornadoes 9 vs. Everett Midget Kodiaks 0
- Game 2: KVHA Midget Tornadoes 3 vs. Wenatchee Wolf Pack 1
- Game 3: KVHA Midget Tornadoes 2 vs. Coquitlam Chiefs 3
- Game 4: KVHA Midget Tornadoes 7 vs. Everett Midget Kodiaks 1

Individual scoring totals for the four games:

- Brendan Laik – 4 goals, 6 assists = 10 points
- Luke Blair – 5 goals, 3 assists = 8 points
- Tommy Peebles – 4 goals, 1 assist = 5 points
- JD Dunn – 1 goal, 3 assists = 4 points
- Paul Pinkoske – 3 goals = 3 points
- Tanner Coughlin – 2 assists = 2 points
- Miles Hansen – 1 goal, 1 assist = 2 points
- Erin Byrnes – 2 assists = 2 points
- Neil Dhanda – 1 assist = 1 point
- Ben Cary – 1 assist = 1 point

Goalie Joshua Severeid stopped 78 of 73 shots on goal during the four games for tournament save rate of 94%.

Midget Tornadoes Win One, Lose Two on Busy Weekend

Mountain View Ice Arena, Vancouver, WA. January 8, 2012 – Kent Valley's Midget Tornadoes played an 11:30am game against the Seattle Jr. Midget Blades at Kent Valley Ice Centre, packed their bags and travelled to Vancouver, Washington for 5:30pm game with Oregon High School Lightning. The Tornadoes won the mid-day game with Seattle Jr. at home by a score 6 to 1 but lost the next two in Vancouver 6 to 3 and 2 to 1.

Kent Valley Tornadoes 6 vs. Seattle Jr. Blades 1

Tommy Peebles scored a first period Hat Trick with goals at 12:02, 5:26 and 2:55. Paul Pinkoske assisted Peebles' first two goals and JD Dunn assisted the third. Luke Blair scored at 5:58 to help the Tornadoes take a 4 to 0 lead into the second period.

The Blades scored early in the second on a power play to cut the Tornadoes lead to 3. Brendan Laik bumped the Tornadoes' lead back to 4 with his goal 47 seconds later. Laik was assisted by Erin Byrnes and Ben Cary. One minute later, Luke Blair scored his second goal of the game with an assist from Tommy Peebles. Blair's goal was final goal of the game for either team. The two teams skated even for the balance of the game.

Credit Luke Blair's first period goal as the "game winner." Kent Valley's Joshua Severeid stopped 18 of 19 shots for a 95% save rate. Seattle Jr's Morgan Pearson stopped 16 of 22

shots for a 73% save rate. Kent Valley had 3 minor penalties for 6 minutes. Seattle Jr. had 2 minor penalties for 4 minutes.

Kent Valley Tornadoes 3 vs. Oregon High School Lightning 6

It must have been the mid-day game at home plus the long drive to Vancouver that robbed the Tornadoes of their energy. Or, the Tornadoes used up their allotment of goals for the day. At any rate, the Tornadoes took a 6 to 3 thumping from the OSHSL Lightning.

Paul Pinkoske scored an unassisted goal at 7:30 of the first period to give the Tornadoes an early lead. Brendan Laik put the Tornadoes up by two goals at 8:00 with an assist from Luke Blair. That was the last the Tornadoes would see of any lead as the Lightning went on a scoring spree 5 unanswered goals before the Tornadoes scored their 3rd goal at 18:00 of the third period. The goal was scored unassisted by Ben Cary. The Lightning answered with the final goal of the game at 18:40.

Kent Valley's Joshua Severeid stopped 28 of 34 shots on goal for a save rate of 82%. The Lightning's Jordan Legendre stopped 20 of 23 shots for a save rate of 87%. Kent Valley had 10 minor penalties and the Lightning had 4 minor penalties.

Kent Valley Tornadoes 1 vs. Oregon High School Lightning 2

A full night of rest made a big difference for the Tornadoes as they played the Oregon High School Hockey Leagues' Lightning in a close Sunday morning game. The Lightning won the game 2 to 1. All of the scoring occurred in the third period.

The Lightning went up 2 to 0 in the third period before Kent Valley's Tommy Peebles scored the Tornadoes' first goal of the game with 6:17 remaining to play. The Tornadoes worked hard for a tying goal in the last six minutes but fell short leaving OSHSL Lightning with a 2 to 1 win.

Kent Valley's Joshua Severeid had an excellent game stopping 32 of 34 shots on goal for a save rate of 94%. The Lightning's Jordan Legendre stopped 19 of 20 shots for 95%. Kent Valley had 7 minor penalties while the Lightning had 4 minor penalties. The game winning goal by the Lightning's Cody Larkin was a power play goal.

Midget Tier-II Selects Score 6 Goals in Third Period to Defeat Everett Midget 18U "AA" Hornets 6 to 3

Comcast Community Ice Arena, Everett, WA. December 29, 2012 – Kent Valley's Midget Tier-II Selects ended the year on high note with a 6 to 3 victory over the Everett Midget 18U "AA" Hornets. The confident Hornets took a 3 to 0 lead into the third period only to see it evaporate in the third period. Credit Kent Valley's Noah Bloxton with scoring the winning goal. What in the world inspired the Kent Valley Selects in the third period? I call it "*third period magic.*"

The scoring summary is below: (Some details are not available due to an unreadable score sheet.)

KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects (6) vs. Everett 18U "AA" Hornets (3)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Everett	1	13:22	Jordan Wasmund from JD White & ???
Everett	1	10:08	Brendan ??? from ??? & Bailey Shaver
Everett	2	4:33	??? from Jacob Skinnell & Casey Jones
Kent Valley	3	16:44	Jarid Rivers from Jacob Becker
Kent Valley	3	6:40	Kyle Miller-Smith from Buck Scougale
Kent Valley	3	6:12	Jarid Rivers from AJ Alonzo
Kent Valley	3	5:31	Noah Bloxton from Max Doner & Buck Scougale
Kent Valley	3	2:41	Tyler Jennings from Brandon Endres (Power Play)

Kent Valley 3 2:13 Buck Scougale from Max Doner & Jacob Becker (Power Play)

Kent Valley's Aaron Mathews stopped 15 of 18 shots on goal for 83%.

Everett's two goalies shared goaltending responsibilities but their names and shots on goal were not readable.

Kent Valley had 6 penalties for unknown minutes.

Everett had 11 penalties for unknown minutes.

Midget Tier-II Selects Face a Strong Wenatchee Jr. Wild

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 8, 2012 – Kent Valley's Midget Tier-II Selects played back to back home games against the Wenatchee Midget Tier-II Jr. Wild. Wenatchee won the first game 4 to 3 and the second game ended in a 2 to 2 tie.

Kent Valley certainly had the fire power for these games. They outshot Wenatchee 22 to 31 in Saturday's game and a whopping 29 to 8 in Sunday's game.

Welcome back Colby Bennett. Bennett was in the net for the Selects Sunday, his first game back since his October 9th injury.

Wenatchee and Kent Valley are now tied for fourth place in the NPSHL. Kent Valley has played 10 games with 2-6-2 record for 6 points. Wenatchee has played 12 games and has a record of 2-8-2 and 6 points.

Below are the scoring summaries for both games:

KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects (3) vs. Wenatchee Tier-II Jr. Wild (4)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Wenatchee	1	13:52	Rheid Cline from Ian Whited
Kent Valley	1	9:31	Michael Julin from Tyler Jennings (Power Play)
Kent Valley	1	1:24	Caleb Bromley from Kyle Miller-Smith & Jarid Rivers
Kent Valley	3	9:55	John Scherer from Kale Pokrzywinski
Wenatchee	3	7:26	Ross Mullen from Conlan Ross & Lachlan Ross (Power Play)
Wenatchee	3	5:56	Lachlan Ross from Conlan Ross & Rhett Cline (Power Play)
Wenatchee	3	2:24	Rheid Cline from Ian Whited

Kent Valley's Aaron Mathews stopped 18 of 22 shots on goal for 82%.

Wenatchee's Brett Canada stopped 29 of 31 shots on goal for 94%.

Kent Valley had 3 minor penalties and 2 major misconduct penalties for 26 minutes.

Wenatchee had 4 minor penalties for 8 minutes.

KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects (2) vs. Wenatchee Tier-II Jr. Wild (2)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Wenatchee	1	3:04	Ross Mullen from Lachlan Ross & Conlan Ross (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	6:08	Brendan Miller from Buck Scougale & Kale Pokrzywinski
Kent Valley	3	10:52	Max Doner from Buck Scougale
Wenatchee	3	6:15	Ross Mullen from Conlan Ross (Shorthanded)

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett stopped 6 of 8 shots on goal for 75%.

Wenatchee's Brett Canada stopped 27 of 29 shots on goal for 93%.

Kent Valley had 4 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 18 minutes.

Wenatchee had 8 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 26 minutes.

Midget Tier-II Selects Tie SnoKing 18U Tier-II 4 to 4 in Mid-Week PNAHA League Game

Kingsgate Ice Arena, Kirkland, WA. January 11, 2012 – Coach Danny Lorenz and his Kent Valley Selects travelled to Kingsgate Wednesday night to play a PNAHA makeup game with the SnoKing 18U Tier-II team. SnoKing went up 2 to 0 in the first period before Patrick Dunphy scored an unassisted goal with 5:31 remaining in the period. Dunphy's goal cut SnoKing's lead to 2 to 1. SnoKing scored two quick goals early in the second period to go up 4 to 1. Kent Valley's AJ Alonzo retaliated with the Selects' second goal with 9:18 remaining in the second period and cut the SnoKing lead to 4 to 2. Alonzo was assisted by Kale Pokrzywinski.

The Kent Valley Selects worked their "third period magic," proving once again "the game ain't over till the fat lady cuts the ice." Buck Scougale trimmed SnoKing's lead to one goal with 9:09 remaining to play. Max Doner assisted Scougale's goal. Jarid Rivers scored the tying goal 2 minutes later with assists from Caleb Bromley and Kyle Miller-Smith.

SnoKing outshot Kent Valley 27 to 18. Neither team was able to take advantage of Power Plays.

The scoring summary is below:

KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects (4) vs. SnoKing 18U Tier-II (4)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
SnoKing	1	14:09	Seamus Brown from Matthew Brown
SnoKing	1	10:10	Riley Gundersen (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	1	5:31	Patrick Dunphy (Unassisted)
SnoKing	2	11:46	Brett Baker from Cody Stanley & Seamus Brown
SnoKing	2	11:12	Riley Gundersen (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	9:18	AJ Alonzo from Kale Pokrzywinski
Kent Valley	3	9:09	Buck Scougale from Max Doner
Kent Valley	3	6:52	Jarid Rivers from Caleb Bromley & Kyle Miller-Smith

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett stopped 23 of 27 shots on goal for 85%.

SnoKing's Daniel Gorbach stopped 14 of 18 shots on goal for 78%.

Kent Valley had 3 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 16 minutes.

SnoKing had 3 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 16 minutes.

Quote of the Day!

March 12, 1966

"I assisted on a historic goal, while I was sitting down!"




Lou Angotti, Right Wing with Chicago Blackhawks after passing the puck to Bobby Hull and going to the bench as Hull scored his 51st goal of the season to break the previous record of 50 goals held by Maurice "Rocket" Richard and Bernie "Boom Boom" Geoffrion. Hull went on to score 54 goals that season.

Quote from ***The Golden Jet – Bobby Hull*** by Bobby Hull with Bob Verdi - 2010

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