



KVHA Auction Donations Deadline, January 10th, is Just Around the Corner

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 4, 2013 – KVHA Members are reminded that the deadline for individual and team Auction donations is January 10th. According to the KVHA Auction coordinators, a large number of members have not turned in their individual auction item donations.

Tickets to the February 22nd event are on sale now. KVHA Members are encouraged to contact their team manager or see Rena in the Kent Valley Ice Centre office to purchase tickets. Auction volunteers will also be selling tickets in the lobby of Kent Valley Ice Centre during game times on Saturday January 12th and Saturday January 26th.

Last year's auction had net proceeds of \$35,178.87 with \$9,400.00 of that being designated for the "Fund a Player" program. Auction coordinators are hoping to top those numbers at this year's auction.

The February 22nd Auction will be held at the Federal Way Community Center at 876 333rd Street in Federal Way. The Auction will feature a Casino Night along with Live and Silent auctions. Doors open at 6:00pm.



Limited Numbers of Opportunities Remain to Play at ShoWare Center Before a T-Birds Game!

Kent Valley teams have only scheduled 3 weekend pre-game competitions and other associations have grabbed a good number of other potential dates.. However, there is still time for your Kent Valley team to play at ShoWare before a Thunderbirds game. Jason Thomsen, Seattle Thunderbirds' Director of Business Development, said; *"We have still have just few timeslots available, but I need to hear from teams soon!"*

Thomsen spoke to team managers at a KVHA meeting back in September and there seemed to be a lot of interest... *"I hope we are still able to make this work for the teams that have not had an opportunity to play at ShoWare yet this year. As you all know, it's an experience your kids will remember for the rest of their lives..."*

For those that have not reviewed the information packet they received at the Managers Meeting in September, the T-Birds have made it as easy as possible for teams to play at ShoWare. *"We have discounted our Premium Seat tickets from \$24 to \$15 for any pre-lim game... so you save \$9 a ticket AND your kids get to play on the T-Birds ice... it's a huge opportunity,"* Thomsen said. A copy of the packet was placed in team mail boxes at Kent Valley Ice Centre earlier in the week. If you are interested in looking at available dates, please let Thomsen know ASAP as the opportunities to play are becoming VERY limited.

If you have any interest in getting your team out, but feel the ticket sales might be a challenge, please give Thomsen a call. He shared with me a number of great ideas as to how to make that portion of the program the very least of your worries. Thomsen wanted to be sure that KVHA members that are T-Birds Season Ticket Holders and T-Birds billet families aren't asked to buy more tickets than they could possibly use. But with his ideas, I don't think you will have any problems.

Team Managers can contact Jason Thomsen for more information and available dates:

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"Let's Go Birds!"

KVHA Holiday Scoreboard:

The KVHA Holiday Scoreboard includes scores for games played between December 22nd and December 31st.

12/22	Win	KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects	6	vs.	Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B"	0
12/23	Win	KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects	7	vs.	Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B"	1
12/29	Tie	KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects	5	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee "B"	5
12/30	Loss	KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects	1	vs.	Seattle Jr. PeeWee NW Admirals	3
12/22	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	3	vs.	SnoKing Bantam Tier-II	1
12/23	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	SnoKing Bantam Tier-II	2
12/27	Tie	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	North Vancouver Tier-II	1
12/28	Tie	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	5	vs.	Ridge Meadows Tier-II	5
12/28	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	Boise Tier-II Jr Steelheads	5
12/29	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	4	vs.	Fairbanks Tier-II	3
12/29	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	Boise Tier-II Jr Steelheads	8

Kent Valley PeeWee "B" Selects Top Seattle Jr. "B" in Home and Away Exhibition Play

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. December 23, 2012 – Kent Valley's Tyler Roberts earned a shutout in game one as the PeeWee Tier-II Selects topped the Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B" 6 to 0. The Selects went on to win game two 7 to 1. Game one was played in Lynnwood with game two played on home ice at Kent Valley Ice Centre.

Danny Smith scored one goal and earned 3 assists for 4 points in game one. Connor Wilson scored two goals and 1 assist for 3 points. Lokelani Antonio, Jack Hanscom and Logan Seals also scored goals in game one. Nick Loe assisted Smith's goal in the second period. Tyler Roberts earned the shutout with 12 saves.

In Game two Liam Sedgwick and Danny Smith each had 2 goals and 1 assist for 3 points. Jack Hanscom scored 1 goal and 2 assists for 3 points. Caed Kim had 2 assists for 2 points. Joey Geisendorfer and Connor Wilson each scored one goal. Nick Loe, Lexi Doner, Logan Seals and Kemper Terry each had one assist. Tyler Roberts stopped 20 of 21 shots for an impressive save rate of 95.24%. Roberts stopped 32 of 33 over the two games for a combined two-game save rate of 96.97%. Well done young man!

Below are the scoring summaries for both games:

KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects (6) vs. Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B" (0)

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	13:40	Connor Wilson from Danny Smith
Kent Valley	1	1:25	Lokelani Antonio from Connor Wilson & Danny Smith
Kent Valley	2	0:40	Danny Smith from Nick Loe
Kent Valley	3	6:50	Jack Hanscom from Danny Smith (Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	4:48	Connor Wilson (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	0:01	Logan Seals (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Tyler Roberts stopped 12 of 12 shots on goal to earn the shutout. Seattle Jr's Jarrett Manalang and Kenna Berti combined to stop 20 of 26 shots on goal for 77%.

Kent Valley had 4 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Seattle Jr. had 4 minor penalties for 11 minutes.

KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects (7) vs. Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B" (1)

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	6:05	Jack Hanscom from Danny Smith & Caed Kim
Kent Valley	1	12:11	Danny Smith from Jack Hanscom & Caed Kim
Kent Valley	1	14:13	Connor Wilson from Derek Smith
Kent Valley	2	10:35	Danny Smith from Jack Hanscom & Liam Sedgwick
Kent Valley	2	13:58	Liam Sedgwick from Kemper Terry & Logan Seals
Seattle Jr.	3	0:33	Rafael Osuna (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	4:10	Liam Sedgwick from Nick Loe (Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	13:56	Lokelani Antonio from Lexi Doner

Kent Valley's Tyler Roberts stopped 20 of 21 shots on goal for 95%.

Seattle Jr's Jarrett Manalang and Kenna Berti combined to stop 16 of 23 shots on goal for 70%.

Kent Valley had 3 minor penalties for 6 minutes.

Seattle Jr. had 3 minor penalties for 6 minutes.

Kent Valley PeeWee "B" Selects Tie and Lose to SnoKing PeeWee "B" in Exhibition Play at Home

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. December 30, 2012 – Kent Valley's PeeWee Tier-II Selects didn't fare as well against the SnoKing PeeWee "B" (1 tie and 1 loss) as they did against the Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B" (2 wins) the weekend prior. SnoKing proved to be a little tougher than Seattle Jr.

SnoKing scored one goal in the first period of Saturday's game and added a second goal early in the second period to take a 2-goal lead. Liam Sedgwick got Kent Valley on the board with a goal at 4:57 of the second period to cut the SnoKing lead to one goal. Sedgwick was assisted by Jack Hanscom. Connor Wilson tied the game up at 7:18 with help from Liam Sedgwick. Caed Kim got the go-ahead goal for Kent Valley at 12:47 of the second period with an assist from Danny Smith. Smith made it four in row for Kent Valley with his goal at 13:09 of the second. Smith was assisted by Logan Seals and Connor Wilson. Kent Valley ended the second period with a 4 to 2 lead over SnoKing.

SnoKing found their offense again early in the third period and scored three unanswered goals to take a 5 to 4 lead. Danny Smith scored the tying goal for the Selects, a shorthanded goal, with seconds remaining to play in the game. Connor Wilson assisted Smith. The game ended in 5 to 5 tie.

Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins stopped 8 of 10 shots on goal for a save rate of 80% and Tyler Roberts stopped 9 of 12 for a save rate 75%. Jenkins and Roberts split goaltending duties. SnoKing's Jacob Fry stopped 21 of 26 shots on goal for a save rate of 81%.

Sunday's game was a lower scoring game with SnoKing getting the win by a score of 3 to 1. SnoKing's Tynan Peacock scored all three of SnoKing's goals and earned the Hat Trick for his efforts. Kent Valley's Jack Hanscom scored the Selects' only goal of the game with an assist from Lexi Doner. Brett Jenkins and Tyler Roberts split the goaltending duties again. Jenkins stopped 22 of 24 shots on goal for a save rate of 92% during his turn in goal and Tyler Roberts stopped 11 of 12 shots on goal for a save rate of 92% during his stint in goal. SnoKing's Joseph Lee stopped 17 of 18 shots on goal for a save rate of 94%.

All three goalies in Sunday's game played well and deserve recognition. SnoKing's Joseph Lee performed well with a 94% save rate. Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins and Tyler Roberts each turned in equally impressive performances with a save rate of 92% for each. Congratulations to all three goalies.

Below are the scoring summaries for both games:

KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects (5) vs. SnoKing PeeWee "B" (5)

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
SnoKing	1	5:53	Jake Hopkins from Jonathan Lily & Kai Wood
SnoKing	2	1:06	Mitchell Juranek (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	4:57	Liam Sedgwick from Jack Hanscom
Kent Valley	2	7:18	Connor Wilson from Liam Sedgwick
Kent Valley	2	12:47	Caed Kim from Danny Smith
Kent Valley	2	13:09	Danny Smith from Logan Seals & Connor Wilson
SnoKing	3	3:34	Isac Grayson from Kyle McCarthy
SnoKing	3	9:52	Jake Hopkins from Isac Grayson
SnoKing	3	10:40	Joel Anderson from Jake Hopkins
Kent Valley	3	14:54	Danny Smith from Connor Wilson (Short Handed)

Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins stopped 8 of 10 shots on goal for 80% and Tyler Roberts stopped 9 of 12 for 75%.

SnoKing's Jacob Fry stopped 21 of 26 shots on goal for 81%.

Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 4 minutes.

SnoKing had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

KVHA PeeWee "B" Selects (1) vs. SnoKing PeeWee "B" (3)

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
Seattle Jr.	1	8:57	Tynan Peacock (1) from Evan Langstead
Seattle Jr.	2	8:15	Tynan Peacock (2) (Unassisted)
Seattle Jr.	2	12:55	Tynan Peacock (3-Hat Trick) from Trevor Garrood
Kent Valley	3	7:52	Jack Hanscom from Lexi Doner

Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins stopped 22 of 24 shots on goal for 92% and Tyler Roberts stopped 11 of 12 shots on goal for 92%.

SnoKing's Joseph Lee stopped 17 of 18 shots on goal for 94%.

Kent Valley had 6 minor penalties for 12 minutes.

SnoKing had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects Swap Exhibition Wins with SnoKing Bantam Tier-II

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. December 23, 2012 – Kent Valley's Bantam Tier-II Selects topped the SnoKing Bantam Tier-II on Saturday by a score of 3 to 1 and lost to SnoKing 1 to 2 on Sunday. Both exhibition games were played on the Selects' home ice at Kent Valley Ice Centre.

Mikey Thomas got the game winner on Saturday when he scored a shorthanded goal off a pass from JT Thompson. Elliot Plourde scored the Selects first goal with assists from Dawson Myers and Nick Snyder. Plourde added an insurance goal near the end of the third period to put the Selects up two goals over SnoKing. Plourde's goal was assisted by Dawson Myers and Tom Speer. Kent Valley's Ben Jarvis turned away 15 of SnoKing's 16 shots on goal for a save rate of 94%.

SnoKing took command of the game early in the first period of Sunday's game scoring two goals in the opening minutes of the game. Mitchell Hunt scored both of the SnoKing Goals. JT Thompson scored the Selects only goal of the game midway through the second period

with assists going to Nick Snyder and Dawson Myers. The Selects' John Brockes stopped 12 of 14 shots on goal for a save rate of 86%.

Below are the scoring summaries for both games:

KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects (3) vs. SnoKing Bantam Tier-II (1)

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	9:10	Elliot Plourde from Dawson Myers & Nick Snyder
SnoKing	1	2:19	Mitchell Hunt from Anthony Ivanov & Michael Shippee
Kent Valley	2	14:23	Mikey Thomas from JT Thompson (Shorthanded)
Kent Valley	3	6:25	Elliot Plourde from Dawson Myers & Tom Speer

Kent Valley's Ben Jarvis stopped 15 of 16 shots on goal for 94%.

Seattle Jr's Mack Willy stopped 11 of 14 shots on goal for 79%.

Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 4 minutes.

Seattle Jr. had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects (1) vs. SnoKing Bantam Tier-II (2)

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
SnoKing	1	14:17	Mitchell Hunt from Jacob Bennett
SnoKing	1	12:33	Mitchell Hunt (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	6:49	JT Thompson from Nick Snyder & Dawson Myers

Kent Valley's John Brockes stopped 12 of 14 shots on goal for 86%.

SnoKing's Theodore Pardike stopped 16 of 17 shots on goal for 94%.

Kent Valley skated penalty free.

SnoKing had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects go 1-2-2 at Seattle Jr. Holiday Tournament

Olympic View Arena, Mountlake Terrace, WA. December 29, 2012 – Both of Kent Valley's tournament losses came at the hands of the Boise Bantam Tier-II Steelheads, 1 to 5 in game 3 and 1 to 8 in game 5. The Selects single tournament win was in game 4 when they defeated Fairbanks 4 to 3. The Selects tied their first two games, 1 to 1 against North Vancouver and 5 to 5 against Ridge Meadows.

Below are the scores for the five tournament games:

12/27	Tie	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	North Vancouver Tier-II	1
12/28	Tie	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	5	vs.	Ridge Meadows Tier-II	5
12/28	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	Boise Tier-II Jr Steelheads	5
12/29	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	4	vs.	Fairbanks Tier-II	3
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Elliot Plourde was the tournament point leader for the Selects. Plourde had a total of 4 goals and 4 assists for 8 points. Nick Snyder scored 2 goals and 3 assists for 5 points. Andrew Bell scored 2 goals and 1 assist. Mikey Thomas scored 2 goals. JT Thompson earned 2 assists. Ian Doner and Tom Speer each had a goal and Dawson Myers had 1 assist.

Ben Jarvis and John Brockes split goaltending duties over the five games. Jarvis played in 4 games and stopped 91 of 104 shots for a tournament save rate of 87.5%. Brockes played in 2 games and stopped 42 of 51 shots for a tournament save rate of 82.4%.

Quote of the Day!

The True Meaning of Winning the Cup:

"I will never forget when Scotty Stevens handed me the Cup, it was just unbelievable. I get chills just thinking about it. He was our captain and had it first, and he had passed it around to all the veteran players. Then, toward the end, he saw that I hadn't had my turn yet so he grabbed it and handed it to me. I was standing there with Brian Rolston, who was also a rookie at the time, and we both just freaked out. What a moment, I will never forget it. Well, that was it for me. I went on and played for 11 seasons, and that was my only Cup. As a rookie I just figured, 'Hey, this is great, this is easy, this is going to happen every year!' Then reality sets in and you realize, especially when you are on some struggling teams, just how difficult it is to get through that 82-game grind and then win four playoff series. I mean, that very next year, 1996, the Devils didn't even make the playoffs. So you just never know. One thing is for sure, though, it's gotta be the toughest trophy to win in sports, no question."


Chris McAlpine, Stanley Cup winner with New Jersey 1995

Quote from **Raising Stanley - NHL LEGENDS IN THEIR OWN WORDS** by Ross Bernstein

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