



## ***KVHA News – Parents Code of Conduct Revisited***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 15, 2015** – It is time for a mid-season reminder to Kent Valley parents and fans regarding conduct at the rink. It is KVHA's desire to promote competition and athleticism through sportsmanship, fair play and appropriate conduct by all participants. Our leagues/events should be played with good sportsmanship. Although competition may become intense, we expect our participants to maintain good sportsmanship up to and after the final whistle. KVHA members are encouraged to re-read the Parents Code of Conduct.

### ***Kent Valley Hockey Association Parents Code of Conduct***

1. Do not force your children to participate in sports, but support their desires to play their chosen sport. Children are involved in organized sports for their enjoyment. Make it fun.
2. Encourage your child to play by the rules. Remember, children learn best by example, so applaud the good plays of both teams.
3. Do not embarrass your child by yelling at players, coaches or officials. By showing a positive attitude toward the game and all of its participants, your child will benefit.
4. Emphasize skill development and practices and how they benefit your athlete.
5. Know and study the rules of the game, and support the officials on and off the ice. This approach will help in the development and support of the game. Any criticism of the officials only hurts the game.
6. Applaud a good effort in both victory and defeat, and enforce the positive points of the game. Never yell or physically abuse your child after a game or practice, it is destructive. Work toward removing the physical and verbal abuse in youth sports.
7. Recognize the importance of volunteer coaches. They are important to the development of your child and the sport. Communicate with them and support them.
8. Respect the dressing rooms/hallways as private areas for players, coaches and officials.
9. The use of profanity and objectionable cheers are offensive and will not be tolerated.
10. If you enjoy the game, learn all you can about hockey, participate/volunteer in all of the programs that Kent Valley Hockey Association has set aside for our members to participate.
11. Kent Valley Ice Centre is private property; a spectator does not have the right to remain in the facility if they do not behave appropriately. KVHA members must adhere to all USA Hockey, KVHA, PNAHA and Arena policies at all arenas.
12. Failure to comply with the Code of Conduct may result in suspension and or expulsion.

### ***Article - Hockey can be a very emotional game.***

PSHOA (Puget Sound Hockey Officials Association) recently circulated this article to local hockey associations saying it was a "good read." We agreed and decided to include a link to the article in this week's KVHA News. Thanks PSHOA.

[Click here](#) to read the article.

### ***Cold, Dry Hands! Some Thoughts on Equitable Ice Time***

Concerns about unequal ice time have again been raised by KVHA Members. Kent Valley Hockey Association is addressing these concerns, working with coaches and will take appropriate action to resolve the issues. In the mean time, we encourage everyone to read "Cold, Dry Hands," an article by Hal Tarse of Minnesota Hockey. Equal ice time makes sense.

[Click here](#) to read the article.

## ***KVHA Auction Update, Making Great Progress***

Your Auction Team hopes everyone had a Happy New Year. Over the holiday break we spent some time in the auction room sorting through donations. We are super excited as we have some amazing items and we are looking forward to a great auction. We are beginning to sort these items into live and silent auction categories.

Just 1 family remains that needs to turn in their procurement items. We are reaching out to them one last time this week before we default to the \$300 alternative as per their contract. Only 2 members have yet to purchase their auction tickets.

Dinner forms are going out to teams this week so we can see how many people we have coming and focus on outside ticket sales.

We are working on getting some more sponsorships for the ice rink; we've sold three Gold Sponsors and have a possible fourth in the wings. Do you have any business contacts that may be interested? We would love to have all new dasher board adds by the end of the season.

### **Gold Sponsor \$600** (includes \$109 production cost)

Sponsorship includes Dasher Board for One Year at Kent Valley Ice Centre, your Business Name on a Silent Auction Table, Full-Page Ad in our Auction Catalog, a "Thank You" on KVHA's Website & Banner, plus 2 Free tickets to our Auction March 20th

### **Silver Sponsor \$300**

Sponsorship includes half-page advertisement in our Auction Catalog and a "Thank You" on our Rink Banner.

### **Bronze Sponsor \$100**

Sponsorship includes business-card size advertisement in our Auction Catalog and a "Thank You" on our Rink Banner.

## ***Kent Valley's Second Sheet of Ice***

A drawing showing the layout of Kent Valley's planned second sheet of ice is available for viewing in the window of the office on the upper concourse. The drawing shows only the ice level view of the planned building. The upper level (over the outer circumference of the ice) may include additional office space and an indoor jogging track. *"We are all very anxious to get this project underway,"* commented Lew Sellers, President of Kent Valley Hockey Association.

## ***Kent Valley Hockey Association Awarded PNAHA Grant***

The Pacific Northwest Amateur Hockey Association (PNAHA) awarded Kent Valley Hockey Association (KVHA) a \$1,200 grant at its winter meeting in Wenatchee on January 10th. KVHA is currently looking at its needs and is seeking ideas from KVHA coaches and KVHA members. Please let us know if you have any specific ideas. We have to utilize the grant monies by the end of January, 2015.

## ***KVHA Weekend Scoreboard:***

The Weekend Scoreboard includes games played between December 27th and January 12th.

1/3	Win	KVHA Squirt "B" Tornados	7	vs.	SnoKing Development	3
1/10	Loss	KVHA Squirt Tornados	0	vs.	Seattle Jr. Squirt Eagles	5
1/3	Win	KVHA PeeWee Tornados	2	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Green	0
1/10	Win	KVHA PeeWee Tornados	2	vs.	Seattle Jr. PeeWee Blades	0

1/11	Tie	KVHA PeeWee "B" Storm	2	vs.	Seattle Jr. PeeWee "B" NW Admirals	2
1/10	Win	KVHA Bantam Hurricanes	7	vs.	Tacoma Bantam Jr. Rockets	2
1/11	Win	KVHA Bantam Hurricanes	1	vs.	Seattle Jr. Bantam Blades	0
1/10	Win	KVHA Bantam Tornadoes	4	vs.	West Sound Bantam Warriors Black	3
1/12	Win	KVHA Bantam Tornadoes	4	vs.	KVHA Bantam Hurricanes	1
12/27	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	1	vs.	Boise Bantam "B" Jr. Steelheads	7
12/28	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	4	vs.	Portland Bantam "B" Jr. Winterhawks	7
12/29	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	0	vs.	Comox Valley Bantam "B" Chiefs	13
1/3	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	1	vs.	Portland Bantam "B" Jr. Winterhawks	2
1/4	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	0	vs.	Portland Bantam "B" Jr. Winterhawks	9
1/4	Win	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	1	vs.	Vancouver Bantam "B" Jr. Vipers	0
1/2	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	3	vs.	Vancouver Midget T-Birds	4
1/3	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	0	vs.	SnoKing Midget Grey	4
1/3	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	0	vs.	Langley RA Midget Energy	9
1/4	Win	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	3	vs.	SnoKing Midget Green	2
1/10	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	0	vs.	Seattle Jr. Midget Eagles	6
1/1	Loss	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	1	vs.	Coquitlam Midget A2	4
1/3	Win	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	2	vs.	Port Moody Midget A1	0
1/3	Loss	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	2	vs.	Ridge Meadows Midget A2	3
1/4	Win	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	2	vs.	Port Moody Midget A1	1

## ***Kent Valley Squirt "B" Tornadoes Top SnoKing Squirt Development 7 to 3***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 3, 2015** –G'bari Mayers' Hat Trick led his Squirt "B" Tornadoes to a 7 to 3 victory over the SnoKing Squirt Development team Saturday. Mayers scored the first and last goals of the game for the "B" Tornadoes. The Tornadoes also got goals from Isebella White, Connor Kirby (2) and Ripken Renner. Easton Wagner, Ryan Severson, Isebella White, G'bari Mayerrs, Derrick Means and Sean Elwell contributed the all-important assists. Kent Valley outshot SnoKing 13 to 6. Way to go team!

**Below is the scoring summary for Saturday's game:**

### **KVHA Squirt "B" Tornadoes (7) vs. SnoKing Squirt Development (3)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	2:44	G'bari Mayers (1) (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	1:54	Isebella White from Easton Wagner
SnoKing	2	8:47	Aman Ali from Dylan Berger (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	8:59	G'bari Mayers (2) from Ryan Severson
SnoKing	2	9:09	Dylan Berger from Aman Ali (Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	2:05	Connor Kirby from Isebella White
SnoKing	3	5:37	Aman Ali from Buck Winningham

Kent Valley	3	8:36	Ripken Renner from G'bari Mayers (Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	9:44	Connor Kirby from Derrick Means
Kent Valley	3	11:30	G'bari Mayers (3-Hat Trick) from Sean Elwell

Kent Valley's Savannah Dunn stopped 3 of 6 shots on goal for 50%.  
 SnoKing's Quinn Lynam stopped 6 of 13 shots on goal for 46%.  
 Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 4 minutes.  
 SnoKing had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

## ***Kent Valley Squirt Tornadoes Blanked by Seattle Jr. Squirt Eagles in NPSHL Match***

**Lynnwood Ice Arena, Lynnwood, WA. January 10, 2015** – Kent Valley's Squirt Tornadoes returned to NPSHL league play Saturday at Lynnwood and lost their first league game of the season. The Tornadoes are now in second place to the Everett Squirt Kodiaks (12-0-0 & 36 pts) with a record of 10-1-1 and 33 points. An incomplete score sheet made it difficult to provide game stats.

## ***Kent Valley PeeWee Tornadoes Shut Out SnoKing PeeWee Green 2 to 0***

***Story contributed by Ellen Shelden***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 3, 2015** – On Saturday, January 3rd, the KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes continued their quest for first place in the NPSHL standings with a home game against the SKAHA Jr. Tbirds Green. Just like the previous contest in October, it was a thrilling rematch – however, the Tornadoes relentless attacks dominated the game and demonstrated their strong defensive skills, only allowing 8 SOGs! In the end, it was another electrifying contest, between two competitive teams displaying solid performances and impressive teamwork – but this one would favor the Kent Valley PeeWees who would take the eventual win and defend their home ice once again!

**Period 1** - Even after the first face-off, the fierce competitiveness displayed by both teams was clearly obvious. With having just minutes elapsed from the clock, the Tornadoes didn't waste any time to strike first and take the lead by scoring on a goal from Steven Rosenquist with the assist by Jake Ferguson & Tyler Sherwood. The turbulent battle for possession and struggle to control the puck was intense throughout the period as the Tornadoes did an outstanding job defending their zones. With time running out in the 1st period, the Tornadoes held the lead, preventing the Greens from even scoring. Great teamwork, boys!

**Period 2** - Despite only scoring one goal in the 1st period, the mighty Tornadoes were not deterred and knew what needed to be done to take full advantage of their home ice and bring this game to a close against this familiar foe. As the 2nd period opened, the Tornadoes hunkered down with a relentless offensive attack on their opponent. This just frustrated the Greens to a whole other level, causing them to incur multiple penalties. In fact, the Greens had 3 penalties for 9 minutes – spending more than half the period in the penalty box! Ouch! Midway through the period, the Tornadoes got an opportunity to strike once again on a power-play and scored on a goal from Steven Rosenquist, assisted by Jake Ferguson & Reid Shelden. Because of this domination, they held the lead as the period ended, preventing the Green team from even getting on the scoreboard and keeping their 2-0 lead. Way to rally and keep the momentum going, boys! And talk about silencing the Greens!

**Period 3** - The competitive nature of the game continued well into the 3rd period. It was evident from both teams that their once raw hockey skills had now developed into a strong aptitude, well-nurtured throughout the season of play. The Tornadoes did an outstanding job of keeping the puck deep in the Green's zone almost the whole period, DOMINATING puck possession time, and rattling off 12 sensational shots on goal – all a result of pure grit and determination by all our boys. Way to go, Tornadoes! Unfortunately, the Tornadoes'

relentless offensive attack and outstanding defensive maneuvers didn't translate into any more goals. At the end of the day, the Greens were unable to muster enough strength to even score as the Tornadoes simply overpowered them to come out ahead and hold their lead as the buzzer sounded, signaling 'GAME OVER!'.

**Summary** - Ultimately, the Tornadoes did an outstanding job on defense as well as offensive plays throughout the contest to end the rematch on a positive note – clenching another home ice win, and a shutout none the less. In addition, because of the boys' efforts and teamwork, it resulted in their sole claim to 1st place in the league - a hard-earned feather in their cap and one to be proud of! While the Sno-King Green fired 8 shots on the Tornadoes goal, the Tornadoes put three times that with an impressive 26 shots on the Greens' net. The Tornadoes defeated the SKAHA Jr. Tbirds Green to win the rematch by an amazing final score of 2 to 0 – earning Kent goalie C J Hundal, his third shutout of the NPSHL season! Way to put up a defense, C J! Congratulations to both teams on a very awe-inspiring and entertaining game! Hopefully their next game against the SJHA Blades will keep them on this great path of success and remarkable teamwork! Good luck, Tornadoes!

**Below is the scoring summary for Saturday's game:**

### **KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes (2) vs. SnoKing PeeWee Green (0)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	4:30	Steven Rosenquist from Jake Ferguson & Tyler Sherwood
Kent Valley	2	4:50	Steven Rosenquist from Jake Ferguson & Reid Sheldon (Power Play)

Kent Valley's CJ Hundal stopped 8 of 8 shots on goal to earn the shut out.

SnoKing's Max Hey stopped 24 of 26 shots on goal for 92%.

Kent Valley had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

SnoKing had 3 minor penalties for 6 Minutes.

## ***Kent Valley PeeWee Tornadoes Shut Out Seattle Jr. PeeWee Blades 2 to 0***

***Story contributed by Ellen Sheldon***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 10, 2015** – It was GAME day – and not the usual one that surrounds hockey. With the Seahawks Super Bowl fever pitch at an all-time high in the Seattle area, it would be hard for most to concentrate on a hockey game. But not our ice warriors, aka the KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes, who took full advantage of their home ice on Saturday, January 10th, as they hosted the SJHA Blades team for their 13th game of the NPSHL season! However, most people perceive the number "13" as unlucky – but there was no luck involved in this game. Instead, true grit and determination prevailed as the Tornadoes quickly took full advantage of this rematch on their home ice with a relentless attack, demonstrating their solid skills by preventing them from even scoring, while posting another shut-out to take the eventual win!

**Period 1** - The Tornadoes aggressively took to the ice with a fierce competitiveness, fighting hard for possession of that elusive puck. Wasting no time or opportunity to gain the upper-hand, Steven Rosenquist would score a short-handed goal from an assist by Zach Johnston. The Blades did their best to defend against a strong Tornadoes team whose core of superb players have been honing their great hockey skills, all season long. Unfortunately for the Blades, time ran out and just as the scoreboard indicated, the Tornadoes owned the 1st period to make a significant impact on the SJHA team.

**Period 2** - The exhilarating battle continued well into the 2nd period, with both teams battling it out like true ice warriors. However, midway through the period, Michael Geddes would also net a short-handed goal but on a breakaway pass from Maxwell Mudge to extend the Tornadoes' lead. The Tornadoes kept up this pace and concentrated on their positional attacks, keeping the puck in the Blades' zone for most of the period. Fortunately, the

impressive team effort displayed by the Tornadoes where some timely defensive plays by D and forwards alike helped them keep this lead as the buzzer signaled the end of the play.

**Period 3** - As the period went on and the tensions built, both teams fought hard for control to gain the upper-hand in positional attacks.

Sensing the game was close to an end, the Blades began throwing everything they could at the Tornadoes' net. In addition, the Blades had many big, physically strong players who could really throw hard shots at the net and did so relentlessly in the last period. Yet, Kyle Klem stood large in front of the Tornadoes' cage and denied the Blades at every turn! Thankfully, as the period closed, no further goals were scored and the Tornadoes could take the shut-out win! Way to bring the "D", boys!

**Summary** - In the end, the Tornadoes won another great one, defending their home ice, with a final score of 2 to 0. Goalie Kyle Klem once again put on the armor and turned away ALL 6 shots to earn his 3rd shut-out of the season – the sixth overall for the team! And talk about SOGs - the Tornadoes put an impressive 22 shots on the Blades' net. WOW! Congratulations to both teams on a very exciting and entertaining game! Next up, the Tornadoes have a break but then will play a tough rematch when they face the Sno-King Blue at home on Saturday, January 31st. Good luck, Tornadoes!

**Below is the scoring summary for Saturday's game:**

### **KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes (2) vs. Seattle Jr. PeeWee Blades (0)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	5:40	Steven Rosenquist from Zach Johnston
Kent Valley	1	6:50	Michael Geddes from Maxwell Mudge

Kent Valley's Kyle Klem stopped 6 of 6 shots on goal to earn the shut out.  
Seattle Jr's Will Kern stopped 20 of 22 shots on goal for 91%.  
Kent Valley had 3 minor penalties for 6 minutes.  
Seattle Jr. had 2 minor penalties for 4 Minutes.

## ***Kent Valley PeeWee "B" Storm Tie Seattle Jr. NW Admiral PeeWee "B" 2 to 2***

***Story contributed by Ellen Shelden***

**Lynnwood Ice Center, Lynnwood, WA. January 11, 2015** – On Sunday, January 11th, Coach Jeff Ferguson took his KVHA PeeWee Storm team on the road to Lynnwood for a rematch against the SJHA NW Admirals B. As their moniker represents, the KVHA Storm churned it up when they faced a confident, Admirals team. A chaotic storm with forceful winds they did stir ... agitating their opponents at every turn! It was the kind of game where you hated to see either team lose; it was the kind of contest where it looked like it could easily end in a friendly handshake and everyone could go home with a 'well-we-didn't-lose' smile on their face. And that's just how it ended.....in an electrifying tie match right up until the last buzzer sounded.

**Period 1** - The game got off to a dream start for the Storm. As the period began and the tensions built, both teams fought hard for possession of that elusive puck as they went toe-to-toe in the 1st period. It was yet another impressive team effort displayed by the Storm with superior defense skills being matched with inspiring offensive maneuvers. The Storm carried the play for most of the 1st period, outshooting the Admirals 9-1. And with those SOGs came an awesome goal when Maxwell Mudge made a long rush up the ice, slid quickly to the right of the goaltender and netted a sweet wrist shot to score the first goal of the game. Nice shot, Max! As the 1st period closed, the Storm would take the 1-0 lead!

**Period 2** - The Storm quickly got back to work as the 2nd period opened in this heated contest. The turbulent battle for the puck and the intensity at which both teams played was of epic proportion. With strong determination, the Storm kept pace with the Admirals and concentrated on their positional attacks. The Storm did an outstanding job defensively,

allowing NO SOGs in the period. With only minutes left in the period, Michael Geddes stole an Admirals' failed pass and made a fast dash to the net, scoring a spectacular unassisted shot! Way to go, Mike! With a 2-goal deficit ending the 2nd period, things were not working out as planned by the home team. GO STORM!

**Period 3** - The Storm kept up the relentless pressure and the passionate battle well into the 3rd period. The incredible passing shots and extraordinary positional play was reminiscent of the meaning of playing on a team sport! The Storm's strong defensive skills were put to the test as the Admirals attempted to get on the scoreboard with a flurry of shots to net. Even though the Admirals were plague with multiple penalties in the period, they managed to score on two controversial goals to tie the game!

In fact, all in attendance seemed to agree that the goalie interference was so blatant that the entire rink was in an uproar! With little time to regain the lead, the Storm were left with a disappointing tie score as the period closed, but the boys realized that they had fully dominated SJHA in Lynnwood, so they walked away with heads held high and the knowledge that THEIR game was a win.

**Summary** - While the outcome wasn't what it should have been, the Kent Valley PeeWee Storm played an outstanding game against the Seattle Jr. NW Admirals B on Sunday. In the end, the exciting outcome of this game came down to the last seconds, with the Kent Valley Storm ending in a tie against the Seattle Jr. Admirals B, by a final score of 2 to 2. Kent goalie Gabriel Poyer did an outstanding job against a large Admirals team! Not to mention the Storm's offense that outfired the Admirals by 29 - 5. Awesome team play, boys! Keep up the good work!

**Below is the scoring summary for Sunday's game:**

**KVHA PeeWee "B" Storm (2) vs. Seattle Jr. NW Admiral (2)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	9:04	Maxwell Mudge (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	2:17	Michael Geddes (Unassisted)
Seattle Jr.	3	11:22	Henry Bruininks from Clark Keegan
Seattle Jr.	3	4:42	Clark Keegan (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Gabriel Poyer stopped 4 of 6 shots on goal for 67%.

Seattle Jr's Taylor Cantu stopped 27 of 29 shots on goal for 93%.

Kent Valley skated penalty free.

Seattle Jr. had 6 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 22 minutes.

***Kent Valley Bantam Hurricanes (7) vs. Tacoma Bantam Jr. Rockets (2)***

**Puget Sound Hockey Center, Tacoma, WA. January 10, 2015** – The Kent Valley Bantam Hurricanes swept over the Tacoma Bantam Jr. Rockets by a score of 7 to 2 Saturday and solidified their hold on first place in the Bantam Division of the NPSHL. The Hurricanes scored goals in all three periods as they outshot the Jr. Rockets 39 to 14. The Hurricanes' Ben Fredell had an excellent game in net for the Hurricanes as he turned away 12 of 14 shots on goal for a save rate of 86%. Tacoma's net minder Josh Knox played well considering he faced 39 shots on goal. Knox turned away 32 shots for a save rate of 82%.

Lokelani Antonio figured in five of the Hurricanes seven goals. Goals were scored by Antonio, Nick Loe, Caedmon Kim, Rian Hebert, Chandler Bartoy (2) and Lexi Doner Jr. Antonio (4), Logan Seals, Elijah Kuzmenko, Lexi Doner Jr. and Jonah Mulcrone all earned assists.

**Below is the scoring summary for Saturday's game:**

**KVHA Bantam Hurricanes (7) vs. Tacoma Bantam Jr. Rockets (2)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	8:27	Nick Loe from Lokelani Antonio & Logan Seals
Kent Valley	1	4:08	Caedmon Kim from Lokelani Antonio
Tacoma	1	3:07	Cameron Gebhartt from Joe Thomsen
Kent Valley	2	11:05	Rian Hebert from Elijah Kuzmenko
Kent Valley	2	0:51	Chandler Bartoy from Lokelani Antonio
Kent Valley	3	11:49	Lokelani Antonio (Unassisted)
Tacoma	3	10:42	Hunter Kosmider from Alexa Gaulke
Kent Valley	3	6:47	Chandler Bartoy from Lexi Doner Jr. & Lokelani Antonio
Kent Valley	3	6:38	Lexi Doner Jr. from Jonah Mulcrone

Kent Valley's Ben Fredell stopped 12 of 14 shots on goal for 86%.

Tacoma's Josh Knox stopped 32 of 39 shots on goal for 82%.

Kent Valley had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Tacoma had 6 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 22 minutes.

## ***Kent Valley Bantam Hurricanes Blank Seattle Jr. Bantam Blades 1 to 0***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 11, 2015** – The Kent Valley Bantam Hurricanes played their second NPSHL league game of the weekend and shutout the Seattle Jr. Bantam Blades 1 to 0. Mac Barger tallied the game winner with an assist from Nick Loe. Kent Valley outshot Seattle Jr. 16 to 11. Ben Fredell had a perfect game in net for the Hurricanes stopping all 11 shots on goal to earn the shutout. Seattle Jr's Audrey Moore had an excellent game in net for the Blades stopping 15 of 16 shots on goal for an impressive save rate of 94%.

Kent Valley gave Seattle Jr. five power play opportunities but the Blades were unable to take advantage of them. Kent Valley had 3 power play chances and were unable to convert. It was a very defensive game.

**Below is the scoring summary for Sunday's game:**

### **KVHA Bantam Hurricanes (1) vs. Seattle Jr. Bantam Blades (0)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	5:41	Mac Barger from Nick Loe

Kent Valley's Ben Fredell stopped all 11 shots to earn a shutout.

Seattle Jr's Audrey Moore stopped 15 of 16 shots for 94%.

Kent Valley had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

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

## ***Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes Sneak Past West Sound Bantam Warriors Black 4 to 3***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 10, 2015** – The Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes skated past the West Sound Bantam Warriors Black by a slim 1 goal margin in a 4 to 3 NPSHL league game Saturday. Kent Valley got off to a 3-goal lead early in the first period scoring 3 goals in less than four minutes. Lane Eriks scored the first goal, unassisted, just 39 seconds into the game. Eriks scored a second goal at 2:47 of the second with assists by Drew Sherwood and Alex Britten. Jesse Everson teamed up with Aaron Dunning and Cole Best to put the Tornadoes up 3 to 0. West Sound scored midway through the first period to end the period 3 to 1 in favor of the Tornadoes.

West Sound scored their second goal of the game, a shorthanded goal, at 4:30 of the second period to cut the Tornadoes lead to 1 goal. Rachel Dunning bumped the Tornadoes lead back to two goals when she scored the game winner at 14:31. Dunning was assisted by Riley Lewis and Lane Eriks. West Sound scored a goal at 10:52 of the third period to cut the Tornadoes' lead to one goal. The Tornadoes held on to record a 4 to 3 NPSHL league victory over the West Sound Bantam Warriors Black.

Cole Konowalchuk earned a win for Kent Valley as he turned away 16 of 19 shots on goal for a save rate of 84%. West Sound outshot Kent Valley 19 to 18. Way to go Tornadoes!

**Below is the scoring summary for Saturday's game:**

**KVHA Bantam Tornadoes (4) vs. WSHC Bantam Warriors Black (3)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	0:39	Lane Eriks (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	1	2:47	Lane Eriks from Drew Sherwood & Alex Britten
Kent Valley	1	4:00	Jesse Everson from Aaron Dunning & Cole Best
West Sound	1	7:38	Reid Montague from Dusty Grogger & Connor McCoy
West Sound	2	4:30	Eli Lockard (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	14:31	Rachel Dunning from Riley Lewis & Lane Eriks
West Sound	3	10:52	Eli Lockard from Andrew Barton (Shorthanded)

Kent Valley's Cole Konowalchuk stopped 16 of 19 shots on goal for 84%.

West Sound's Jarrah Sturgeon stopped 14 of 18 shots on goal for 78%.

Kent Valley had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

West Sound had 3 minor penalties for 6 minutes.

***Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes Win "Battle of the Valley"***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 12, 2015** – The Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes won KVHA's "Battle of the Valley" Monday evening by surprising the NPSHL's first place Kent Valley Bantam Hurricanes 4 to 1. Lane Eriks had a hot night for the Tornadoes scoring a Hat Trick on the way to exciting victory. Eriks' first goal was unassisted. Alex Britten assisted Erik's second goal and Riley Lewis assisted the third. Dylan Smith scored the Tornadoes third goal, an unassisted goal, in the last minute of the first period.

Mac Barger got the Hurricanes on the board with his goal at the buzzer to end the second period. Barger was assisted by Caedmon Kim and Lokelani Antonio. The teams skated scoreless through the third period to end the game at 4 to 1 in favor of the Tornadoes.

The Tornadoes outshot the Hurricanes 15 to 10. Cole Konowalchuk was near perfect in net for the Tornadoes as he stopped 9 of 10 shots on goal for a save rate of 90%.

The Hurricanes retain their first place standing in the Bantam Division of the NPSHL with a record of 12-1-0 and 36 points. The Tornadoes move up to third place in the NPSHL with a record of 10-0-1 and 29 points. Second place is held by SnoKing Grey with their record of 10-3-0 and 32 points. The Tornadoes having played two fewer games than Grey or the Hurricanes make the race for the Bantam Division Title a tight one. This tight race points up the value of sportsmanship points...

**Below is the scoring summary for Monday's game:**

**KVHA Bantam Tornadoes (4) vs. Kent Valley Bantam Hurricanes (1)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Tornadoes	1	11:50	Lane Eriks (1) (Unassisted)
Tornadoes	1	6:23	Lane Eriks (2) from Alex Britten

Tornadoes	1	0:42	Dylan Smith (Unassisted)
Tornadoes	2	3:28	Lane Eriks (3-Hat Trick) from Riley Lewis
Hurricanes	2	0:03	Mac Barger from Caedmon Kim & Lokelani Antonio

The Tornadoes' Cole Konowalchuk stopped 9 of 10 shots on goal for 90%.

The Hurricanes' Ben Fredell stopped 11 of 15 shots on goal for 73%.

The Tornadoes had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

The Hurricanes had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

## ***Kent Valley Bantam "B" Storm Compete in Two Holiday Tournaments***

**Olympic View Arena, Mountlake Terrace, Wa. December 29, 2014** – Kent Valley's Bantam "B" Storm competed in the Seattle Jr. Bantam "B" Holiday Tournament and came away without a win. Score sheets were incomplete and did not show all the usual stats. Mac Barger scored the Storm's only goal in game one, an unassisted goal. Barger also scored a goal in game two while Lokelani Antonio tallied two goals and Chandler Bartoy scored a goal. Lane Eriks had two assists and Nicholas Loe had one assist. The score sheet indicated an assist to Kent Valley player #7 who was not listed on the roster. Comox Valley blanked the Storm 13 to 0 in game three.

**Below is the tournament game record:**

12/27	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	1	vs.	Boise Bantam "B" Jr. Steelheads	7
12/28	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	4	vs.	Portland Bantam "B" Jr. Winterhawks	7
12/29	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	0	vs.	Comox Valley Bantam "B" Chiefs	13

**Mountain View Arena, Vancouver Wa. January 4, 2015** – Kent Valley's Bantam "B" Storm traveled to the Portland area for a Portland Winterhawks Bantam "B" Holiday Tournament following New Years. The Storm won one of their three games. Dylan Smith scored the Storm's only goal in game one. Noah Koester scored the game winner in game three with assists from Dylan Smith and Mathew Brandmire. Goalie stats were incomplete.

**Below is the tournament game record:**

1/3	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	1	vs.	Portland Bantam "B" Jr. Winterhawks	2
1/4	Loss	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	0	vs.	Portland Bantam "B" Jr. Winterhawks	9
1/4	Win	KVHA Bantam "B" Storm	1	vs.	Vancouver Bantam "B" Jr. Vipers	0

## ***Kent Valley Midget Tornadoes Compete in SnoKing Midget New Years Tournament***

**Kingsgate Arena, Kirkland, WA. January 4, 2015** – Kent Valley's Midget Tornadoes competed in the SnoKing Midget New Year's Tournament winning one and losing three. The Tornadoes played a strong Vancouver Midget T-Birds team in game one and came out with a heartbreaking one goal loss. Jake Ryerson scored the Tornadoes' first goal with assists from Nick Pokrzywinski and Brian Paradee. James Catherson scored the Tornadoes' second goal with an assist from Ben Lewis. Pokrzywinski got the go-ahead goal and the Tornadoes' final goal of the game near the end of the second period. Pokrzywinski was assisted by Sean Blair. Cam Hansen played an excellent game turning away 23 of 27 shots for an 85% save rate. The Vancouver T-Birds scored two unanswered goals in the third period to get the win.

SnoKing Midget Grey blanked the Tornadoes 4 to 0 in game two. Ben Cary played well in net for the Tornadoes as he turned away 23 of 27 shots on goal for a save rate of 85%. SnoKing's Jessie Elop earned a shutout on just 6 Kent Valley shots.

A very strong Langley RA Midget Energy team blanked the Tornadoes 9 to 0 in game three. Cam Hansen held up well to the offensive pressure from Langley as he fought off 16 of 25 shots on goal.

The Tornadoes bested SnoKing Midget Green 3 to 2 in game four. Jake Ryerson scored the Tornadoes first goal, unassisted. Nick Pokrzywinski scored two goals, including the game winning goal, just a little over a minute apart in the third period to lead the Tornadoes to a 3 to 2 win. Sean Blair assisted both Pokrzywinski's goals. Ben Cary played well in net for the Tornadoes getting the win as he stopped 11 of 13 SnoKing shots on goal for a save rate of 85%.

**Below is the tournament game record:**

1/2	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	3	vs.	Vancouver Midget T-Birds	4
1/3	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	0	vs.	SnoKing Midget Grey	4
1/3	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	0	vs.	Langley RA Midget Energy	9
1/4	Win	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	3	vs.	SnoKing Midget Green	2

## ***Kent Valley Midget Tornadoes Fall to Seattle Jr. Midget Eagles 6 to 0 in NPSHL Play***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 10, 2015** – The Seattle Jr. Midget Eagles flew past the Kent Valley's Midget Tornadoes 6 to 0 as the pair returned to NPSHL league play following the holidays. The first place Eagles (11-1-0) used their strong offense (5.6 goals per game) to dominate the Tornadoes. The Tornadoes remain in fourth place with a record of 5-7-0 and 18 points. They are in a close race with the Tacoma Rockets (4-8-0) and SnoKing Grey (3-6-2), also at 18 points each.

## ***Kent Valley Midget 16U Tier-I Rainier Win Two and Lose Two in Coquitlam Tournament***

**Coquitlam Recreation Centre, Coquitlam, BC. January 4, 2015** – Kent Valley's Midget 16U Tier-I Rainiers lost games one and three and won games two and four in a strong showing at the Coquitlam Tournament. Elliot Plourde was leading scorer of the tournament for the Rainiers as he tallied 2 goals and 4 assists for 6 points. Kyle Katras and Calen Randall each had 1 goal and 1 assist for 2 points. Michael Thomas Jr. scored 2 goals and Nicholas Snyder tallied 2 assists for 2 points each. Michael Morrison had 1 assist for 1 point. Goaltenders records were not recorded.

The Rainiers are headed to Minneapolis January 15th for Minnesota's "Gone Wild" Tournament. We wish them success.

**Below is the tournament game record:**

1/1	Loss	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	1	vs.	Coquitlam Midget A2	4
1/3	Win	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	2	vs.	Port Moody Midget A1	0
1/3	Loss	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	2	vs.	Ridge Meadows Midget A2	3
1/4	Win	Kent Valley 16U T-1 Rainiers	2	vs.	Port Moody Midget A1	1

## ***Quote of the Day!***

### ***Life Lessons:***

*"I don't think necessarily winning the Cup in itself taught me anything; I think that I can take away something from the dedication and the perseverance that I had to go through in order to be in a position to become a champion. I found it incredibly gratifying to know that all of those thousands of hours of work that I put in over the years were worth it. At the end of the day, when you realize that you were able to do something that not a lot of people*

were able to do, you just feel validated. One thing is for sure, there is a lot to be learned in the journey of it all, and I am certainly still learning as I go."

**Ben Clymer, Stanley Cup winner with Tampa 2004**

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

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