

Persistence Brings Home a Tournament Championship for Kent Valley U-18 "AAA"

Kent WA 4 January, 2009 – Persistence paid off in a big way for the Kent Valley U-18 "AAA" Selects Sunday January 4th when they defeated the Salmon Arm Silvertips 5 to 4 in the Tournament final at Penticton, B.C. The Danny Lorenz led Selects played in two tournament finals prior to last week's tournament final in Penticton. The Selects lost the final game of the Abbotsford Midget Tournament back on November 11th in a shoot-out. They made it to the final game of the Silver Stick Tournament in Las Vegas on November 30th only to run out of gas in the last third of the game and lose to the Orange County Hockey Club. The Penticton Midget Tournament championship proves that persistence pays off.

There is more to this story than just persistence. Jason Bartlett joined the U-18 Selects roster in the middle of last November. Bartlett moved up to the U-18 team from the Kent Valley Midget Tier-II Selects. In his first game with the U-18 Selects on November 22nd Jason proved he belonged with the Selects by scoring a goal and assisting another as the Kent Valley U-18 Selects downed the West Coast Midget Elite team 9 to 1. That was an important outing for Jason and that first goal and assist certainly were confidence builders. However, the joy of scoring points in his first outing with the prestigious U-18 Selects was nothing compared to the joy Jason experienced on Sunday January 4th in Penticton, B.C. With 5:51 remaining in the second period of the tournament final and the score tied at 4 to 4, Jason scored what turned out to be the game-winning and tournament-winning fifth goal for the Selects. Jason had to wait another 25 minutes and 51 seconds before he could truly enjoy the scoring of that all important winning goal, but the wait must have been worth it. Now that's my idea of joy! Way to go Jason and congratulations to you and your teammates on the Kent Valley U-18 "AAA" Selects for your first tournament championship of the season.

Full details on the Penticton Midget Tournament will be posted in a later edition of the KVHA News. The Selects will travel to Sarnia, Ontario January 16th through the 18th for the finals in the Silver Stick series of international tournaments.

Here's this week's KVHA News.

KVHA "Learn to Play" Enrollment Tops 40, KVIC Learn to Skate Tops 70!

Kent, WA 10 January, 2009 – It's hard to say what caused the enrollment jump in Kent Valley's "Learn to Play" (LTP) and "Learn to Skate" programs, but we're all happy with the increase in numbers. Some say it's related to the opening of ShoWare Center and the Seattle Thunderbirds' move to Kent. I think it's because of the great crew of dedicated and enthusiastic instructors who work with the beginners in both programs.

It's wonderful to see these newcomers to the great sport of ice hockey and ice skating at a time when we all worry about the adverse impact the slow economy could have on our sport. Wouldn't it be great to have three Mite Rec and two Squirt Rec teams next season? It could happen! Lets all pray for that second sheet of Kent Valley ice!

"Mite Battle of the Valley" Won by Tornadoes

Kent, WA 10 January, 2009 – The KVHA "Mite Battle of the Valley" was won by the Kent Valley Tornadoes as they topped the KVHA Mite Lightning 5 to 2. The two teams played even in the first period with one goal on each side. The Lightning struck first when Justin Pitzer scored at 13:50 with assists from Andrew Alonzo and Matthew Butson. The Tornadoes waited until 1:30 remaining in the first period to finally get their first goal. JT Rimorin scored on an assist from Ken Gill to tie the game at 1 each. The Lightning offense outshot the Tornadoes 4 to 2 in the first period.

The second period belonged to the Tornadoes as they fired six shots on the Lightning goal while the Lightning managed only two shots on the Tornadoes goal. Danny Smith teamed up with JT Rimorin and Trevor McCorkle for a Tornadoes goal at 7:30. JT Rimorin got his second goal of the game at 2:40 of the second with an assist from Oliver Carlson. The score at the end of the second period was Tornadoes 3 to Lightning 1.

The Lightning's Brandon Lajoie cut the Tornadoes' lead to 1 goal at 9:11 of the third period. Lajoie was assisted by Qass Huffington and Elliott Bucci. The Lightning fought hard to tie the game but fell short as the Tornadoes scored two goals in the second half of the third period. Ken Gill scored the Tornadoes' fourth goal with assists from Blake Britten and Landen Shaw. JT Rimorin earned a Hat Trick at 6:58 with a goal assisted by Davis Fjield and Trevor McCorkle. The "Mite Battle of the Valley" was won by Tornadoes 5 to 2.

A scoring summary is below:

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Lightning	1	13:50	Justin Pitzer from Andrew Alonzo & Matthew Butson
Tornadoes	1	1:30	JT Rimorin from Ken Gill
Tornadoes	2	7:30	Danny Smith from JT Rimorin & Trevor McCorkle
Tornadoes	2	2:40	JT Rimorin from Oliver Carlson
Lightning	3	9:11	Brandon Lajoie from Qass Huffington & Elliott Bucci
Tornadoes	3	8:00	Ken Gill from Blake Britten & Landen Shaw
Tornadoes	3	6:58	JT Rimorin (Hat Trick) from Davis Fjield & Trevor McCorkle

The Lightning's Alex Bucci stopped 12 of 17 shots on goal for 71%.

The Tornadoes' Nick Gill stopped 6 of 8 shots on goal for 75%.

Each team had one penalty.

Mite Tornadoes Take Down Admiral Red, 5 Zip

Kent, WA 20 December, 2008 – The Tornadoes' wind was too strong for the Seattle Jr. Admiral Red when they met on Kent Valley ice Saturday December 20th. The Tornadoes outshot the Reds 18 to 13. Ken Gill and JT Rimorin each got two goals. Danny Smith also scored a goal. Nick Gill turned away all of the Red's shots on goal to earn a shutout. The scoring summary is below:

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	12:32	Ken Gill (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	1	13:30	Danny Smith (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	1:10	JT Rimorin from Ken Gill
Kent Valley	2	17:35	JT Rimorin (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	0:11	Ken Gill (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Nick Gill stopped 13 of 13 shots to earn the shutout.

Seattle Jr's Olson stopped 13 of 18 shots on goal for 72%.

Tough Day for the Squirt Tornadoes Kent Valley Tornadoes 1 – SJHA Eagles 10

Story by Kristine Langmack

The Tornadoes were the first to put a goal up on the board. Andrew Bell scored assisted by Chase Dosa and Nolan Schaper. That was the only goal for the day but the Tornadoes' effort didn't stop there. They played hard for the remainder of the game but their effort didn't see any additional goals for the day.

The SJHA Eagles are in 2nd place for a reason; here's the game summary:

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
KVHA Tornadoes	1	10:15	Andrew Bell assist by Chase Dosa & Nolan Schaper
SJHA Eagles	1	12:56	S.Wachter assist by A.Bilheimer & J.Alvord
SJHA Eagles	1	12:10	M.Shippee assist by G.Allen & A.Wagner
SJHA Eagles	2	7:38	A.Wagner assist by B.Kane & M.Shippee
SJHA Eagles	2	13:35	A.Wagner assist by B.Kane & M.Shippee
SJHA Eagles	2	12:27	B.Lawton assist by R.Webb & A.Wagner
SJHA Eagles	2	9:56	D.Cornwell assist by S.Wachter & J.Alvord
SJHA Eagles	2	7:07	M.Shippee assist by D.Cornwell
SJHA Eagles	3	10:10	M.Shippee assist by S.Wachter & M.Norgren
SJHA Eagles	3	7:48	A.Garrett assist by M.Shippee & A.Bilheimer
SJHA Eagles	3	11:59	A.Wagner assist by R.Webb & B.Lawton

Squirt Selects Win and Tie in Abbotsford

Abbotsford, B.C. 4 January, 2009 – The Kent Valley Squirt Selects travelled to Abbotsford, B.C. for a 3-day 5-game tournament. The Selects won one game and tied another in their 5-game series. Their tie game was against the Cloverdale Colts. One doesn't see many zero to zero games, but that's what the final score was in this tie. Cloverdale was unable to take advantage of five power plays, 1 in the first, 2 in the second and 2 in the third period. The Colts had opportunities but the Selects held them off to get the tie.

Kent Valley's scoring in the first game began at 9:21 of the first period when Ian Doner scored the first goal of the game with assists from Dylan Moriarity and Dawson Myers. Nicklas VanHalder got the second goal at 8:03 of the second period with assists from Nicholas Snyder and Tom Speer. The Selects final goal of the game was scored at 4:56 of the third period by Mikey Thomas with assists from Tony Alonzo and Nicholas Snyder.

In game three, the Kent Valley Selects dominated the Victoria Racquet Club 6 to 2. The Selects goals were scored by Nicholas Snyder and Conor Pitlick. Snyder scored four goals, one in the first and three in the second. Pitlick scored one in each of the first two periods. Assists went to goal tender Cam Hansen (2), Ian Doner (2), Dawson Myers (1), Mikey Thomas (2), Nickey Pokrzwinski (1) Tom Speer (2) and JJ Blondin (1).

Game four of the tournament could be called "The Nicholas Snyder Show." Snyder scored all four of the Selects' goals. Snyder was assisted by JJ Blondin on his second goal. In spite of Snyder's extraordinary efforts, the Selects lost to the Chilliwack Bruins 4 to 7.

If Game four was "The Nicholas Snyder Show," then game five could be titled the "The JJ Blondin Show." JJ scored the Selects only two goals in their final game of the tournament. Unfortunately, the Selects lost 5 to 2. Good show JJ!

Since shots on goal were not recorded or reported for any of the games, the score sheets don't portray the tremendous effort of the Selects' goalie Cam Hansen. Hansen survived five Cloverdale Colts power plays in game two to earn a shutout. He was credited for two assists in game three against Victoria Racquet Club. I give Cam Hansen 1/2 of a Most Valuable Player (MVP) award. The other half of the MVP has to go to Nicholas Snyder. It wasn't Christmas, but Saint Nicholas scored eight goals and two assists over five games for a total of ten points. Way to go Selects! Below are the scores from the five tournament games:

Date	Kent Valley		vs.	Opponent	
01/02/09	Kent Valley Selects	3	vs.	Abbotsford A3 Hawks	4
01/02/09	Kent Valley Selects	0	vs.	Cloverdale A2 Colts	0
01/03/09	Kent Valley Selects	6	vs.	Victoria Racquet Club	2
01/03/09	Kent Valley Selects	4	vs.	Chilliwack A2 Bruins	7

Goalies Duel as Squirt Selects Play Spokane Close in Two Games at Kent Valley Ice Centre

Kent, WA 11 January, 2009 – The Spokane Jr. Chiefs had their hands full on Saturday when they met the Kent Valley Squirt Selects on the Selects' home ice. The Selects fell one goal short on Saturday and matched the Jr. Chiefs goal-for-goal on Sunday for a dramatic tie. Both teams played well, but the real story was the dueling goalies.

Kent Valley's Cam Hansen faced 39 shots in game 1 and stopped 37 of them for a save rate of 95%, considered an outstanding performance for a goalie. Spokane's Jason Pichette faced 28 shots in game 1 and stopped 27 of them for a save rate of 96%, just 1% better than Hansen. Cam Hansen came under even greater pressure in game two when he faced an incredible 43 shots and turned away 41 of them to record another save rate of 95%. Spokane's Jason Pichette faced 19 shots from the Selects and turned away 17 of them for a lower but still respectable save rate of 89%. Congratulations to Kent Valley's Cam Hansen and Spokane's Jason Pichette for their amazing performances.

A scoring summary for the two games is below:

Game 1: Kent Valley Squirt Selects (1) vs. Spokane Jr. Chiefs (2)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Spokane	1	7:41	Ray Wallen from Troy Pichette & Dalton Roeser
Kent Valley	1	13:13	Nicholas Snyder (Unassisted)
Spokane	3	10:23	Ethan Florko from Dalton Roeser

Kent Valley's Cam Hansen stopped 37 of 39 shots on goal for 95%.
 Spokane's Jason Pichette stopped 27 of 28 shots on goal for 96%.
 Kent Valley had 3 penalties for 6 minutes and Spokane had 2 penalties for 4 minutes.

Kent Valley Squirts Selects (2) vs. Spokane Jr. Chiefs (2)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Spokane	1	6:44	Joey Marsalis from Dawson Tritt & Ray Wallen
Kent Valley	2	1:33	Nicholas Snyder (Unassisted)
Spokane	2	4:36	Ethan Florko from Desmond Parisotto & JT Neely
Kent Valley	2	13:58	Nicholas Snyder (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Cam Hansen stopped 41 of 43 shots on goal for 95%.
 Spokane's Jason Pichette stopped 17 of 19 for 89%.
 Kent Valley had 5 penalties for 10 minutes and Spokane had 4 penalties for 8 minutes.

Kent Valley PeeWee Hurricanes Win Big at Home, Beat KCHA Outlaws 4-2

Kent, WA 11 January, 2009 – The Hurricanes hosted the KCHA Outlaws Black team this weekend, having defeated them on their ice three weeks ago. The Bremerton game was close, with the Hurricanes winning 3-2, and we expected another close game this time around.

The first period started with Bremerton scoring at 13:07, a goal by Scotty Perkins. Scotty was assisted by Justin Sommer. When these two get together, scoring happens, and that is exactly what occurred here, with Scotty beating Aaron Mathews under his stick.

Second period scoring again saw Bremerton beat Mathews on a rebound, scored by Justin Sommer at 5:46, with an assist awarded to Andrew Hansen. It was beginning to look like a win for the Outlaws, but the Hurricane boys were just getting started. At 2:31, the

Hurricanes' Daniel Gill scored a beauty to make it a 2-1 game. Daniel was assisted by Mason Conner and Jonathan Gonzales.

The start of the third period saw a different Bremerton team come to the faceoff circle. Whether they were tired, or tentative, I'm not sure, but the Hurricanes absolutely owned them in the third. Our players took shot after shot on their net, and finally got one past goalie Chris Mitchell at 3:03 left in the game. Matthew Saunders scored, with assists going to Blaine Reich and Daniel Gill. Then, at 2:34, Matthew got the game winner with assists awarded to Daniel Gill and Jonathan Gonzales. With about a minute left in the game, Bremerton pulled their goalie for the extra attacker, but lost the puck in the neutral zone. Our defense set up Jacob Ray to score an empty netter with :19.4 seconds remaining, with assists awarded to Mason Conner and Blaine Reich. This was Jacob's first goal of the season, and he was grinning from ear to ear when he skated to the bench! The game ended 4-2, with a Hurricanes victory and a mobbing of the goaltender.

In summary, I would like to point out that this could have easily been a very lopsided victory for the Hurricanes, had it not been for Chris Mitchell's brilliant goaltending. We have, for some weeks now, been practicing setting up plays in front of the net, and today's game seemed to bring it all together. Our passing was great, as witnessed by every goal getting dual assists awarded. The boys knew where to go, and kept constant pressure on Bremerton's net. Eventually, we wore Bremerton down, and pounced on every opportunity. This was good, never say die hockey, and our boys never quit playing, even when we were down 2-0. I know I say this just about every game, but to date, this was the finest effort I have witnessed from this team. Our Hard Hat winner this game is Daniel Gill, who skated his heart out and got a goal and two assists for his efforts. He was in position constantly during the game, and just flat out played smart hockey. Way to go Daniel, and way to Hurricanes, for a very exciting victory!!!

Final score: Hurricanes-4, Outlaws Black-2
PIM: Hurricanes-1 for 2 minutes, Outlaws-2 for 5 minutes
SOG: Hurricanes-22, Outlaws-14
Save percentages: Hurricanes-.857%, Outlaws-.818%

Seattle Jr. Blades Topple PeeWee Hurricanes

Kent, WA December 20, 2008 – The Hurricanes were missing three players for Saturday's game and the Seattle Jr. Blades were missing two players. The Hurricanes can't fault a short roster for the loss; it was just a stronger Blades team. Hayden Milne scored the Hurricanes' only goal. Milne's goal was assisted Blaine Reich.

A scoring summary is below:

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Seattle Jr.	1	12:55	Harris-Uldall from Jacob Poteet
Seattle Jr.	1	4:59	McGie from Rossini
Kent Valley	2	4:50	Hayden Milne from Blaine Reich
Seattle Jr.	3	11:15	Ellis from Bailey
Seattle Jr.	3	7:10	Bailey (Unassisted Power Play)

The Hurricanes' Aaron Mathews stopped 9 of 13 shots on goal for 69%

The Blades' Leise stopped 14 of 15 shots on goal for 93%

Kent Valley had 4 penalties for 8 minutes and Seattle Jr. had 2 penalties for 4 minutes.

Great Teamwork Earns PeeWee Tornados Their Fourth Straight Win

Bremerton, WA January 11, 2008 – The Kent Valley PeeWee Tornados are on a roll and their goalie Ben Cary is rolling right along with them. The Tornados got their fourth

straight win and Ben Cary earned his second shut out in a row as the Tornados beat the Kitsap County Outlaw Reds 2 to 0.

Both of the Tornados' goals were unassisted. Nick Pizzey scored the Tornados first goal in the second period and AJ Alonzo scored in the third period. Pizzey's goal was particularly exciting as he skated through three defenders and rushed the goalie for a five-hole score.

The line of Rachael Rutherford, Luke Blair and Jake Ryerson were a fore-checking machine keeping Bremerton hemmed in their own end pretty much the entire time they were on the ice. Riley Agnew and Tory Lane-Partlow came very, very close to earning their first goals of the season as they and their teammates pressured the outlaws throughout the game. Coach Derek Pizzey said later; *"It was a great team effort and one of our best games of the season."*

Speaking of teamwork, parent Dawn Rutherford did her part for the team Sunday rushing to get daughter Rachael and a teammate to the Bremerton Ice Arena in time for the game. In route to the ice rink the Bremerton Police Department assessed Dawn a minor penalty for speed in excess of the posted limit. Once out of the penalty box, Dawn proceeded to the ice rink without further infractions. Way to take one for the team, Dawn!

Below is the scoring summary:

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	2	14:26	AJ Alonzo (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	3:35	Nick Pizzey (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Ben Cary stopped 16 of 16 shots on goal for 100% and a shutout.
Kitsap County's Pierson Hall stopped 18 of 20 shots on goal for 90%.
Kent Valley had 3 penalties and Kitsap County Red had 2 penalties.

Kent Valley PeeWee Tier-II Selects Win Two and Lose One Against Portland Jr. Hawks

Sherwood, OR 11 January, 2009 – Sherwood Ice Arena southwest of Portland, Oregon, was the site of three exhibition games between the Kent Valley PeeWee Tier-II Selects and the Portland Jr. Hawks PeeWee "A" team. Game number 1 was played at 3:45pm on Saturday afternoon. Portland scored the first goal, their only goal of the game, early in the first period. Kent Valley won the game with two goals a minute apart in the middle of the third period. Jack Speer scored the game-winning goal. The Selects outshot Portland 27 to 9 in game 1.

Game number 2 was played early Sunday morning and the Kent Valley Selects brought their best game to Sherwood Ice Arena. Portland again scored the first goal of game but the Selects went on to score nine unanswered goals and win the game 9 to 1. Patrick Dunphy got the game-winning goal. The Selects outshot Portland 36 to 14 shots on goal.

Game number 3 was played less three hours later. It's hard to say what happened with the Selects between a 9 to 1 victory at 8:30 and a 3 to 0 loss a little over three hours later; maybe they used up all their shots in game 2. Whatever the case, the Portland Jr. Hawks won game 3 by a score of 3 to 0. Portland's Noah Rosenberg turned away 18 of 18 Selects shots to earn a shutout. The Selects lost even though they outshot Portland 18 to 11. The Selects headed home with two wins and an unexplained loss in their hockey bags.

Scoring summaries for the three games are below:

Game 1: Kent Valley Tier-II Selects (2) vs. Portland Jr. Hawks "A" (1)			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Portland	1	7:53	Joshua Malin from Billy Gardner (Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	7:19	Zach Houck from Max Doner & Lydia Grauer
Kent Valley	3	6:18	Jack Speer from Anthony Stepaniants & Jason

Smith

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett stopped 8 of 9 shots on goal for 89%.

Portland's Noah Rosenberg stopped 25 of 27 shots on goal for 93%.

Kent Valley had 4 penalties for 8 minutes and Portland had 4 penalties for 8 Minutes.

Game 2: Kent Valley Tier-II Selects (9) vs. Portland Jr. Hawks "A" (1)

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	12:13	Alec Johnson from Chad Haywood & Jack Speer
Portland	1	11:06	Andrew Lee from Ivan Vilcauskas & Paul Frys
Kent Valley	1	1:34	Patrick Dunphy from Max Donor & Zach Houck
Kent Valley	1	0:08	Jason Smith from Jack Speer
Kent Valley	2	9:52	Anton Nikitin from Danny Thomas & Brendan Miller
Kent Valley	2	4:42	Jason Smith from Jack Speer & Lydia Grauer
Kent Valley	3	12:23	Danny Thomas from Anton Nikitn & Chad Haywood
Kent Valley	3	8:00	Patrick Dunphy from Lydia Grauer
Kent Valley	3	6:22	Jordan Tindall from Max Doner & Zach Houck
Kent Valley	3	4:41	Chad Haywood from Hunter Nickell & Danny Thomas

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett stopped 13 of 14 shots on goal for 93%.

Portland's Liam McBain stopped 27 of 36 shots on goal for 75%.

Kent Valley had 2 penalties for 4 minutes and Portland had 5 penalties for 21 minutes.

Game 3: Kent Valley Tier-II Selects (0) vs. Portland Jr. Hawks "A" (3)

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Portland	1	0:14	Christopher Edwards from Paul Frys & Andrew Lee (Power Play)
Portland	3	3:57	Billy Gardner (Unassisted – Power Play)
Portland	3	0:50	Devin Garg (Unassisted – Empty Net)

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett stopped 9 of 11 shots for 82%.

Portland's Noah Rosenberg stopped 18 of 18 for 100% and the Shut Out.

Kent Valley had 8 penalties for 27 minutes and Portland had 2 penalties for 4 minutes.

Rainiers Enjoy Extended Sunday Practice

Kent, WA 21 December, 2008 – The Kent Valley Rainiers took advantage of the winter storm in the Puget Sound area to conduct a Sunday morning practice marathon. Regularly scheduled games were canceled on Sunday at Kent Valley Ice Centre. The Rainiers took the ice at 7:00 AM for their regular practice and stayed on the ice until the afternoon. The extended practice was an added bonus for several Portland and Seattle area players who were invited to attend the practice weekend and learn more about the Rainiers program. Players were also treated to an on-ice conditioning program run by Bob Hamre. Bob ran the players through a skating workout instead of their normal dry-land training. It was a good break from the normal routine and allowed players to focus on their leg strength and footwork. The Rainiers are off to Chilliwack for a holiday tournament starting December 27.

Bantam Tier-II Selects

Kent, WA January 11, 2008 – The Richmond Thunder C-4 were guests of the Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects for the weekend. Only eleven of Richmond's 16 players were able to make the trip so the team did not perform as well as they did in a recent "B" level tournament. None the less, they played well and were surprisingly strong at times.

The Thunder got scoring off to an early start in game one with a goal just 2:32 into the first period. They held the lead until early in the second period when Kale Pokrzywinski scored for the Selects with an assist by Molly Doner. Johnny Scherer scored at 8:19 of the second

period assisted by Kale Pokrzywinski and Dane Dahline. The Thunder outshot the Selects in the second period 14 to 4.

Molly Doner teamed up with Kale Pokrzywinski and Colton Bohonos at 21:08 of the third period to put the Selects up 3 to 1. Two minutes and 47 seconds later Grant Wilson took a pass from Katie Scherer and put the puck into an empty net for the Selects' final goal of the game. The Thunder outshot the Selects in the game with 29 shots to the Selects 22 shots.

Sunday's game was a 13 goal affair. Again, the Thunder got off to an early lead with three straight goals in the first nine minutes of the game. They held the lead at the end of the first period 3 to 2. The Selects scored 3 goals in the first seven minutes to gain a two goal lead. The Thunder responded with two goals of their own late in the second period. The second period ended in a 5 to 5 tie.

Noah Bloxton scored the Selects' winning goal at 7:56 into the third period. He was assisted by Steven Farwell and Melanie Doner. The Selects scored two more goals for a final score of 8 to 5.

A scoring summary is below:

Saturday's Game One – Kent Valley 4 vs. Richmond 1			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Richmond	1	2:32	Jeremy Johal from Hasset Sidhu
Kent Valley	2	0:51	Kale Pokrzywinski from Molly Doner
Kent Valley	2	8:19	Johnny Scherer from Kale Pokrzywinski & Dane Dahline
Kent Valley	3	12:08	Molly Doner from Kale Pokrzywinski & Colton Bohonos
Kent Valley	3	14:55	Grant Wilson from Katie Scherer (Empty Net Goal)
Kent Valley's Dimitri Nikitin stopped 28 of 29 shots on goal for 97%. Richmond's Miguel Soler stopped 18 of 22 shots on goal for 82%. Kent Valley had 4 penalties for 8 minutes total. Richmond had 6 penalties for 15 minutes total.			
Sunday's Game Two – Kent Valley 8 vs. Richmond 5			
Team	Period	Time	Scoring
Richmond	1	1:03	Hasset Sidhu (Unassisted)
Richmond	1	3:00	Taran Dhesi from Hasset Sidhu
Richmond	1	9:14	Hasset Sidhu from Ryan Grewal
Kent Valley	1	2:16	Molly Doner from Katie Scherer & Grant Wilson
Kent Valley	1	4:53	Grant Wilson (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	2:16	Jake Becker from Mikey Julin
Kent Valley	2	4:53	Johnny Scherer from Mikey Julin
Kent Valley	2	6:57	Miles Hansen from Steven Farwell & Tyler Jennings
Richmond	2	11:03	Taran Dhesi (Unassisted)
Richmond	2	11:38	Taran Dhesi (Hat Trick and Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	7:56	Noah Bloxton from Steven Farwell & Melanie Doner
Kent Valley	3	9:14	Grant Wilson from Kale Pokrzywinski & Dane Dahline
Kent Valley	3	9:47	Johnny Scherer from Kale Pokrzywinski
Kent Valley's Curtis Rydrych stopped 1 of 4 shots in the first period. Dimitri Nikitin stopped 6 of 8 shots on goal for 75%. Richmond's Miguel Soler stopped 28 of 36 shots on goal for 78%. Kent Valley had 2 penalties for 4 minutes total. Richmond had 5 penalties for 10 minutes total.			

Kent Valley/West Coast Elite Win Two In Burnaby

Burnaby, B.C. 4 January, 2009 – It was tough tournament at times, but the Kent Valley/West Coast Elite were able to win two of four games at Burnaby 8-Rinks in a post New Year's Tournament. The KV/WC Elite's six goals were scored by Austin Mayton (2) and Dylan Gambrell (4). Logan Mueller, Colton Meekhof, Brock Weitzl and Stein LaFontaine earned assists. Below are scores for the four tournament games:

Date	Kent Valley		vs.	Opponent	
01/02/09	Kent Valley/West Coast Elite	0	vs.	North Vancouver A2	4
01/02/09	Kent Valley/West Coast Elite	3	vs.	North Vancouver A1	2
01/03/09	Kent Valley/West Coast Elite	1	vs.	Richmond A1	6
01/04/09	Kent Valley/West Coast Elite	2	vs.	Vancouver T-Birds A1	1

Midget Tornadoes Shut-Out Kitsap

Story by Sheri Walsh

Kent, WA, January 10, 2009 -- The Midget Tornadoes continued their league winning streak as they shut-out the Kitsap Outlaws Black 5-0 in Kent on Sunday. The Tornadoes improved their record to an impressive 11-and-1 in their first game back from the holiday break. The guys played a great passing game and it paid off against the Outlaws. Zac Cadiente was first on the board with an unassisted goal. Julius Bush made it 2-0 in the first period after taking the puck all the way down the ice through the Outlaws to score. The second period started off short-handed and ended short-handed with 4-on-4's and powerplays in between. With all of the penalties, there was no scoring in the second, just lots of defense on both sides. The scoring resumed for the Tornadoes in the third as Taylor Birkeland knocked one in. Tommy Peebles took advantage of a Paul Pinkoske rebound and scored Kent's 4th goal. Finally, Taylor Birkeland made a beautiful shot to the back of the net after multiple passes by Julius Bush and Kyle Miller Smith set things up for the final point. Goalie Eric Shaver gets the shut-out and the Tornadoes win 5-0.

Team	Period	Time	Scoring
KVHA	1	10:30	Zac Cadiente, unassisted
KVHA	1	7:08	Julius Bush from Zac Cadiente
KVHA	3	11:40	Taylor Birkeland, unassisted
KVHA	3	9:12	Tommy Peebles from Paul Pinkoske
KVHA	3	7:13	Taylor Birkeland from Julius Bush & Kyle Miller Smith

Kent Valley Midget "B" Selects Fall to Wenatchee Midget Blades in Weekend Series

Kent, WA January 10, 2009 – The Kent Valley Midget "B" Selects made just 6 shots on goal in game one of a two-game series with Wenatchee at Kent Valley Ice Centre this past weekend. The Selects played most of game one shorthanded as they took 17 penalties for a total of 58 minutes of incarceration. The Blades didn't fair much better in the penalty column. They took 17 penalties for 42 minutes total. The Wenatchee Blades had 32 shots on goal compared to the Selects 6 shots. The Blades easily won game one by a score of 7 to 0. Well, "easily won" may not be appropriate. Looking at the score sheet for game one, it looks more like the game was a war...

The score sheet from Sunday's game is still in the hands of the Officials. Apparently, there was at least one Match penalty assessed to one of the Selects during that game.

Have a great week!

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