



## ***KVHA News – Parent Volunteers are the Backbone of our Youth Hockey Association***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 17, 2013** – I had the pleasure last week of volunteering to be the public address announcer for a game Monday evening at Kent Valley Ice Centre. I don't do this often, but since the game was at Kent Valley Ice Centre between two of our Kent Valley teams, it was early in the evening (well before my bed time) and because I don't get to see many Kent Valley games, I decided to grab the microphone, squeeze my way uninvited into the scorer's box and enjoy the game.

As the game progressed I became more acquainted with my partners on the bench. They were parent volunteers James Barber, Isaiah's dad, running the clock and Gregg Johnston, Zachary's dad, keeping the score sheet and playing the music. Barber and Johnston are two of the most cheerful and positive guys you would ever hope to meet. What a hoot they were during the game. Johnston operated the music from his touch-screen laptop like a professional sound man. He paused the music each time I was about to make an announcement and cranked it back up when I finished. He was awesome.

Barber took his clock operating duties seriously and enthusiastically. At one point during the game Barber had to correct a penalty time on the fly and was able to accomplish the task with a smile and the confidence of a seasoned clock operator. He seemed amazed with his accomplishment. I was impressed.

Johnston and Barber chatted back and forth cheerfully during the game making sure they recorded every shot on goal and didn't miss any of the action. They both seemed to enjoy their jobs immensely as they participated in their officiating duties. The chill of the scorer's box was overtaken by the warmth of their personalities.

So, what is the point of sharing all this with you? It is twofold; 1.) I would like to thank all of our parent volunteers; coaches, team managers, off-ice officials, and locker room supervisors. I would also like to encourage all parents to volunteer to help their teams when needed. It's not that hard to learn to how to operate the clock, run a penalty box or keep score; it can be fun. 2.) I wish all us could have the kind of positive attitude that Barber and Johnston demonstrated Monday evening. They love the game of hockey and have a positive attitude about all the players, officials and others involved. At times, the game presented challenges for Barber and Johnston, but they took them in stride and performed calmly and professionally. They had obviously done this before...

My evening on the bench with James Barber and Gregg Johnston gives me hope for our sport. Hope that we adults can set good examples for the youth who participate in this great sport. I wish there was a way to bottle the Barber/Johnston attitude, character, temperament and behavior into some kind of refreshing drink. I would drink from that bottle every morning.



### ***USA HOCKEY CODES OF CONDUCT***

USA Hockey developed the following codes of conduct to help guide coaches, parents and players. Mid-season is a good time to re-visit them and share them with our KVHA teams. Please do so!

#### ***COACH'S CODE OF CONDUCT***

1. Winning is a consideration, but not the only one, nor the most important one. Care more about the child than winning the game. Remember, players are involved in hockey for fun and enjoyment.
2. Be a positive role model to your players, display emotional maturity and be alert to the physical safety of players.
3. Be generous with your praise when it is deserved. Be consistent and honest. Be fair and just; do not criticize players publicly. Learn to be a more effective communicator and coach; do not yell at players.

4. Adjust to the personal needs and problems of players. Be a good listener; never verbally or physically abuse a player or official. Give all players the opportunity to improve their skills, gain confidence and develop self-esteem; teach them the basics.
5. Organize practices that are fun and challenging for your players. Familiarize yourself with the rules, techniques and strategies of hockey. Encourage all of your players to be team players.
6. Maintain an open line of communication with your players' parents. Explain the goals and objectives of your association.
7. Be concerned with the overall development of your players. Stress habits that promote good health.
8. To play the game is great; to love the game is greater.

### ***PARENT'S 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 young athlete. De-emphasize games and competition in the younger age groups.
5. Know and study the rules of hockey and support the officials. This approach will help in the development 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 at or physically abuse your child after a game or practice – it is destructive. Work toward removing 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. If you enjoy the game, learn all you can and dedicate time as a volunteer!

### ***PLAYER'S CODE OF CONDUCT***

1. Play for FUN.
2. Work hard to improve your skills.
3. Be a team player – get along with your teammates.
4. Learn teamwork, sportsmanship and discipline.
5. Be on time for practices and games.
6. Learn the rules and play by them. Always be a good sport.
7. Respect your coaches, teammates, parents, opponents and officials.
8. Never argue with an official's decision.

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

1/12	Tie	KVHA Squirt Tornados	3	vs.	West Sound Squirt Black	3
1/11	Loss	KVHA PeeWee Tornados	2	vs.	Tri-Cities PeeWees	4
1/12	Win	KVHA PeeWee Tornados	1	vs.	Whatcom PeeWees	0
1/12	Tie	KVHA PeeWee Tornados	3	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Green	3

1/13	Win	KVHA PeeWee Tornadoes	8	vs.	Moses Lake PeeWees	0
1/12	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	9	vs.	Moses Lake PeeWees	1
1/12	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	7	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Blue	3
1/12	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	10	vs.	Wenatchee PeeWees	1
1/13	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	5	vs.	Tri-Cities PeeWees	0
1/13	Win	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	3	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Blue	1
1/12	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tornadoes	0	vs.	SnoKing Bantam Grey	1
1/13	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tornadoes	1	vs.	SnoKing Bantam Blue	4
1/9	Loss	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	1	vs.	SnoKing Bantam Tier-II	3
1/12	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	9	vs.	Tri-Cities Bantam T-II Jr. Ams	1
1/13	Win	KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects	7	vs.	Tri-Cities Bantam T-II Jr. Ams	2
1/13	Loss	KVHA Midget Tornadoes	1	vs.	Everett Midget Grizzlies	2
1/12	Win	KVHA Midget Tier-II/AA Selects	4	vs.	Tri-Cities U18 AA Jr. Ams	1
1/13	Loss	KVHA Midget Tier-II/AA Selects	2	vs.	Tri-Cities U18 AA Jr. Ams	3

## ***Kent Valley Squirt Tornadoes in Rare Tie with West Sound Squirt Black 3 to 3 in NPSHL League Play***

***Story Contributed by Ellen Shelden***

**Bremerton Ice Arena, Bremerton, WA. January 12, 2013** – On Saturday, January 12th, the Tornado caravan rolled into Bremerton at sunset and prepared for the 4:30 draw against the WSHC Warriors Black. Unfortunately, the West Sound Black took advantage of home ice and posed quite a threat to the KVHA Tornadoes. Even with the few goals scored by the Tornadoes, they regrettably had to settle with a tie. Yet, with each passing week, the Tornadoes solidify their presence as a team and their positional play continues to see marked improvement.

**Period 1** - As the first puck dropped, the anticipation of another great hockey game was almost palatable! Even after the first face-off, the fierce competitiveness displayed by both teams was overtly apparent. In an almost poetic ebb and flow, the teams would swap possession multiple times throughout the battle. However, the Tornadoes didn't waste any time to take the lead by scoring on a sweet goal from Luke Pizzey(#9), assisted by Steven Rosenquist(#5). Sadly, that lead was short-lived as the Blacks would score only a few minutes later to end the period in a tie.

**Period 2** - When the 2nd period opened, the exhilarating battle for possession continued. However, at 6:39 on the clock, the Tornadoes decided they'd had enough with a tie and struck first to take the lead on a breakaway goal from Steven Rosenquist(#5), assisted by Jake Ferguson (#8). The Tornadoes got a rare penalty for "Too Many Men on Ice", but with extraordinary defensive skills, they were able to hold this lead to end the second and prevent a power-play opportunity score for the Blacks.

**Period 3** - It was evident from the first two periods of play that this game was indeed different. However, things became dramatically different in the 3rd period when the Tornadoes were hit with a bizarre penalty for roughing. Unfortunately, that left the Tornadoes unable to fend off the both power-play attempt, allowing the Blacks to score to tie the game once again. Minutes later, they would repeat and score again to take the lead. Undeterred, the Tornadoes got to work and concentrated on their positional attacks. Within only 3 minutes left to play in regulation, Luke Pizzey(#9) tied it all up by scoring his second goal of the night, assisted by Jake Ferguson(#8). The fervent battle for the puck continued as the Tornadoes showed their strong wills to succeed. Regrettably, there just wasn't

enough time on the clock to take the lead once again and the game was left in a tie as the last horn sounded to end the game.

**Summary** - Ultimately, the Tornadoes did an outstanding job on defense as well as offensive plays throughout the contest to end the game on a positive note. Although the outcome of this game could have been a "W" for the Tornadoes, they settled for a tie instead with a final score of 3-3. It was a closely played match showcasing strong skills from both teams. Kent goalie Kyle Klem(#16) did his best to fend off multiple shots to the net, turning away 12 of 15 shots on goal, including a couple of threatening breakaways by the Blacks' offense. Great job, Kyle! Next up is an away game at Kingsgate against the Sno-King Blue! Good luck, Tornadoes!

Below is the scoring summary:

**KVHA Squirt Tornadoes (3) vs. West Sound Black (3)**

Team	Per	Time	Scoring
Kent Valley	1	8:35	Luke Pizzey from Steven Rosenquist
West Sound	1	5:02	Mekai Sanders (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	6:39	Steven Rosenquist from Jake Ferguson
West Sound	3	9:45	Trevor Schenk (Unassisted)
West Sound	3	6:11	Trevor Schenk (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	3	3:03	Luke Pizzey from Jake Ferguson

Kent Valley's Kyle Klem stopped 12 of 15 shots on goal for 80%.  
 West Sound's Daniel Nukols stopped 12 of 15 shots on goal for 80%.  
 Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 5 minutes.  
 West Sound had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

**Kent Valley PeeWee Hurricanes Sweep 2013 Moses Lake Winter Classic to Win First Place in PeeWee Division**

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 13, 2013** – Ahhh, there's nothing like mid-winter hockey outdoors on a frozen pond. Well, it wasn't completely outdoors; the Moses Lake Community Ice Rink has a roof but is open on all sides. Cold? *"It was so cold that the water bottles froze,"* Coach Steve Mertel said. *"Our players breathes froze on their plastic visors and they had trouble clearing them to see. We had a heck of a time keeping the visors clear. I looked over at the Moses Lake player bench and noticed that none of their players had visors, they all had cages,"* Mertel added. *"One of our parents got some propane heaters to help keep us warm and that helped a lot,"* he said. The Hurricanes survived the cold and went on to win the tournament.

The Kent Valley Hurricanes played three games on Saturday and two on Sunday to win the 2013 Moses Lake Youth Hockey Association (MLYHA) Winter Classic PeeWee Hockey Tournament. The Hurricanes won all five games of the tournament outscoring their opponents 34 to 6.

Below are the tournament scores:

Game 1:	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	9	vs.	Moses Lake PeeWees	1
Game 2:	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	7	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Blue	3
Game 3:	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	10	vs.	Wenatchee PeeWees	1
Game 4:	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	5	vs.	Tri-Cities PeeWees	0
Game 5:	KVHA PeeWee Hurricanes	3	vs.	SnoKing PeeWee Blue	1

**Balanced Scoring** - Every player on the Hurricane roster earned points during the tournament. Trevor Mertel scored at least one goal in each of the Hurricane's games and

earned assists in 4 of 5 games. Alex Bolshakov, Isaiah Barber, Zachary Johnston and Lucas Major each had goals and/or assists in 4 of 5 games.

Below are the player point summaries for the five tournament games:

Trevor Mertel – 7 goals, 5 assists = 12 points  
Alex Bolshakov – 5 goals, 4 assists = 9 points  
Isaiah Barber – 5 goals, 2 assists = 7 points  
Zachary Johnston – 2 goals, 4 assists = 6 points  
Dylan Smith – 4 goals, 1 assist = 5 points  
Lucas Majors – 2 goals, 3 assists = 5 points  
Mark Hanscom – 3 goals, 1 assist = 4 points  
Adam Beamish – 1 goal, 2 assists = 3 points  
Jack Hanscom – 1 goal, 2 assists = 3 points  
Chandler Bartoy – 2 goals = 2 points  
Gage Gessner – 1 goal, 1 assist = 2 points  
Cameron Grondin – 1 goal, 1 assist = 2 points

Coach Mertel split the goaltending duties between Blake Walden (3 wins) and Cameron Steinocher (2 wins). Unfortunately, goalie stats were not recorded on the score sheets. Congratulations to the Hurricanes for an outstanding team effort in winning the MLYHA 2013 Winter Classic Hockey Tournament.

## ***Kent Valley PeeWee Tornadoes Take Fifth Place at 2013 Moses Lake Winter Classic***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 13, 2013** – Kent Valley's PeeWee Tornadoes Participated in the Moses Lake Youth Hockey Association's 2013 Winter Classic Hockey Tournament over the weekend and came away with fifth place. The Tornadoes tallied two Hat Tricks during the tournament. Riley Lewis scored a Hat Trick against SnoKing PeeWee Green in game two and Blake Britten scored a Hat Trick against the host team Moses Lake PeeWees in game four. The Tornadoes Ben Fredell earned shutouts in games two and four.

**Game #1** (Loss 4-2) vs. Tri Cities PeeWees - Alex Britten #3 scored one with an assist by Jesse Everson #12 and Jesse Everson scored one goal with an assist by Joey Geisendorfer #11. The Tornadoes were short two players for Game #1.

**Game #2** (Won 1-0) vs. Whatcom PeeWees - Noah Koester #18 scored the only goal, assisted by Jesse Everson #12

**Game #3** (Tie 3-3) vs. SnoKing PeeWee Green - Riley Lewis #15 got a hat trick. (No assists were recorded.)

**Game #4** (Win 8-0) vs. Moses Lake PeeWees - Blake Britten #4 got a hat trick, Alex Britten #3 scored two, Jesse Everson #12 scored one, Noah Koester #18 scored one, and Joey Geisendorfer #11 scored one. Joey Geisendorfer also had one assist and Riley Lewis had one assist.

Unfortunately, the score sheets from the tournament lacked goalie statistics. In spite of this one shortcoming, the Moses Lake Youth Hockey Association deserves congratulations for hosting an excellent tournament. Way to go MLYHA!

## ***Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes Taken Down by SnoKing Grey and Blue in NPSHL Competition***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 13, 2013** – Home Ice didn't help the Kent Valley Bantam Tornadoes a whole lot over the weekend. SnoKing Bantam Grey snuck by the Tornadoes 1 to 0 on Saturday and the SnoKing Bantam Blue blew by the Tornadoes 4 to 1 on Sunday.

Kent Valley's Sean Anderson turned in a stellar performance on Saturday stopping 20 of 21 shots on goal for a save rate of 95%. At the other end of the ice SnoKing's Jack Ryan stopped 13 shots on goal to earn a shutout. SnoKing outshot Kent Valley 21 to 13.

Max Fredell gave Kent Valley an early lead in Sunday's game as he scored a goal in the first minute of the game. Fredell was assisted by Ben Lewis. SnoKing went on to score four unanswered goals to win the game 4 to 1. SnoKing outshot Kent Valley 35 to 5. Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins stood up well to the SnoKing barrage of shots stopping 31 of 35 for a save rate of 89%.

Below is the scoring summary:

#### **KVHA Bantam Tornadoes (0) vs. SnoKing Bantam Grey (1)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
SnoKing	2	11:25	Jeremy Anderson from Jake Freeman & Alexandrew Quintal

Kent Valley's Sean Anderson stopped 20 of 21 shots on goal for 95%.

SnoKing's Jack Ryan stopped 13 shots on goal to earn the shutout.

Kent Valley had 5 minor penalties for 14 minutes.

SnoKing had 3 minor penalties for 8 minutes.

#### **KVHA Bantam Tornadoes (1) vs. SnoKing Bantam Blue (4)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	14:15	Max Fredell from Ben Lewis
SnoKing	1	9:38	Devin Mann from Bryan Collier & Michael Gasser (Power Play)
SnoKing	1	5:44	Michael Gasser (Unassisted)
SnoKing	2	1:13	Branden Stevenson (Unassisted)
SnoKing	3	11:24	Kalem Cutrer (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's Brett Jenkins stopped 31 of 35 shots on goal for 89%.

SnoKing's Owen Roche stopped 4 of 5 shots on goal for 80%.

Kent Valley had 7 minor penalties for 18 minutes.

SnoKing had 1 minor penalty for 2 minutes.

### ***Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects Fall to SnoKing Bantam Tier-II 1 to 3 in Midweek PNAHA League Competition***

**Castle Ice Arena, Renton, WA. January 9, 2013** – Kent Valley's Bantam Tier-II Selects scored the first goal of the game early in the second period only to see their 1 goal lead fade away as SnoKing scored three unanswered goals to win the game 3 to 1.

Nick Snyder scored Kent Valley's lone goal early in the second period. Snyder was assisted by Tyler Perry. Kent Valley's Ben Jarvis stopped 15 of 17 shots on goal for a save rate of 88%. SnoKing's Ted Pardike stopped 19 of 20 shots on goal for a save rate of 95%.

Below is the scoring summary:

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

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	2	12:11	Nick Snyder from Tyler Perry
SnoKing	2	7:10	Matthew Clarke from Mitchell Hunt
SnoKing	2	6:37	Mitchell Hunt from Chris Bailey & Matthew Clarke
SnoKing	3	0:28	Mitchell Hunt (Unassisted & Empty Net)

Kent Valley's Ben Jarvis stopped 15 of 17 shots on goal for 88%.

SnoKing's Theodore Pardike stopped 19 of 20 shots on goal for 95%.

Kent Valley skated penalty free.  
SnoKing had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

## ***Kent Valley Bantam Tier-II Selects Notch Two Wins against Tri-Cities in PNAHA League Play***

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 13, 2013** – Kent Valley's Bantam Tier-II Selects took two home PNAHA League games from the Tri-Cities Tier-II Jr Americans over the weekend. The Selects topped the Jr. Americans 9 to 1 on Saturday and 7 to 2 on Sunday.

Tri-Cities stunned Kent Valley in the opening seconds of the game Saturday as they scored the first goal of the game just 19 seconds into the first period. Nick Snyder got the Selects on the board over ten minutes later with an unassisted goal to tie the game. Kent Valley scored four goals in the second period and another four goals in the third period to take a 9 to 1 win to the locker room. Kent Valley's John Brockes stopped 24 of 25 shots on goal for an impressive save rate of 95%.

Like in Saturday's game, Tri-Cities scored the first goal of the game on Sunday to take the early lead. Kent Valley retaliated with two goals by the end of the first to end the period with a 2 to 1 lead over the Jr. Americans. Tri-Cities tied the game early in second period. Kent Valley added two more goals in the second period to end the period with a 4 to 2 lead. Kent Valley scored three more goals in the third period to end the game with a 7 to 2 lead and their 12<sup>th</sup> PNAHA League win of the season

JT Thompson earned a Hat Trick in Sunday's game with his third goal being scored shorthanded. Worthy of mention this week is the performance of Tyler Perry who, over the 2 weekend games against Tri-Cities, matched the number of points he had collected over the first 34 games of the season. A more disciplined game is definitively paying dividends for Tyler.

Kent Valley remains atop the PNAHA League with a 12-3-0 record and 24 points. SnoKing is tied for second place with Seattle Jr. with 23 points each. Kent Valley's next league game is against SnoKing at Castle Ice Wednesday, January 16, too late for KVHA News press time. Go Kent Valley!

Below are the scoring summaries for both games:

### **KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects (9) vs. Tri-Cities T-II Jr. Ams (1)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Tri-Cities	1	14:41	Blaize Vargo from Kaleb Anderson
Kent Valley	1	4:00	Nick Snyder (Unassisted)
Kent Valley	2	10:20	JT Thompson from Elliot Plourde & Nick Snyder
Kent Valley	2	9:00	Elliot Plourde from Nick Snyder (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	5:39	Dylan Moriarty from Ian Doner & Elliot Plourde
Kent Valley	2	4:28	Andrew Bell from Elliot Plourde
Kent Valley	3	12:13	Andrew Bell from JT Thompson Mikey Thomas
Kent Valley	3	7:30	Mikey Thomas from Elliot Plourde & Nick Snyder
Kent Valley	3	5:11	Ian Doner from Elliot Plourde & Nick Snyder (Power Play)
Kent Valley	3	0:46	Tyler Perry (Unassisted)

Kent Valley's John Brockes stopped 24 of 25 shots on goal for 96%.  
Tri-Cities' Carrington Nevard stopped 16 of 25 shots on goal for 64%.  
Kent Valley had 4 minor penalties for 8 minutes.  
Tri-Cities had 6 minor penalties for 12 minutes.

### **KVHA Bantam Tier-II Selects (7) vs. Tri-Cities T-II Jr. Ams (2)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Tri-Cities	1	6:10	Traven Bills from Wylie Jenne
Kent Valley	1	3:59	Elliot Plourde from Tyler Perry
Kent Valley	1	3:17	JT Thompson (1) from Mikey Thomas & JJ Blondin
Tri-Cities	2	11:55	Kaleb Anderson from Trenton Sellers
Kent Valley	2	9:57	Nick Snyder (Unassisted & Shorthanded)
Kent Valley	2	0:45	Tyler Perry from Andrew Bell & Elliot Plourde
Kent Valley	3	9:50	JT Thompson (2) from Tyler Perry & Elliot Plourde
Kent Valley	3	3:07	JT Thompson (3-Hat Trick) (Unassisted & Shorthanded)
Kent Valley	3	1:09	Tyler Perry from Nick Snyder

Shots on goal and goaltenders were not identified on the score sheet.

Kent Valley had 5 minor penalties for 10 minutes.

Tri-Cities had 8 minor penalties and 1 major penalty for 21 minutes.

### **Everett Midget Grizzlies Sneak Past Kent Valley Midget Tornadoes in NPSHL League Play**

**Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. January 13, 2013** – The NPSHL's second place Everett Grizzlies came to town Sunday and defeated the Kent Valley Midget Tornadoes by a score of 2 to 1. The Grizzlies, 6-2-3 and 27 points, slipped by the Tornadoes with two unanswered goals in the second period. The Tornadoes end the week with a NPSHL record of 5-5-2 and 23 points, and fourth place in the standings.

Kent Valley's JD Dunn scored the Tornadoes' lone goal with 2:41 remaining in the first period to give Tornadoes an early 1 to 0 lead. Dunn was assisted by James Catherson. The Everett Grizzlies took over from there and scored two unanswered goals in the second period. The Grizzlies held on to their lead to the final buzzer for their eighth NPSHL League win of the season.

Kent Valley's Shawn Anderson stopped 13 of 15 shots on goal for a save rate of 87%. Everett's Ben Gardner stopped 23 of 24 shots on goal for a save rate of 96%.

Below is the scoring summary:

#### **KVHA Midget Tornadoes (1) vs. Everett Midget Grizzlies (2)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	2:41	JD Dunn from James Catherson
Everett	2	10:03	Ethan Anderson (Unassisted & Power Play)
Everett	2	1:24	Keegan Otness from Ethan Anderson & MJ Meyer

Kent Valley's Shawn Anderson stopped 13 of 15 shots on goal for 87%.

Everett's Ben Gardner stopped 23 of 24 shots on goal for 96%.

Kent Valley had 2 minor penalties for 4 minutes.

Everett had 3 minor penalties for 6 minutes.

### **Kent Valley Midget Tier-II Selects Swap PNAHA League Wins with Tri-Cities U18 Jr. Americans**

**Toyota Arena, Kennewick, WA. January 13, 2013** – Kent Valley's Midget Tier-II Selects soundly defeated the Tri-Cities Jr. Americans 4 to 1 on Saturday and let the Jr. Americans slip by them 2 to 3 on Sunday. Kent Valley remains in second place in the Midget Tier-II

Division of the PNAHA League standings with a record of 8-1-1 and 17 points. Tri-Cities strengthens their hold on fourth place with a record of 5-6-3 and 13 points. SnoKing is leading the PNAHA League with 3 more games played than the Selects. Their record is 8-3-2 and 18 points.

Saturday, the Kent Valley Selects played the Tri-Cities Jr. Americans even in the first period with 9 shots each and nothing in the nets. Steven Farwell teamed up with Max Doner mid-way through the second period to take advantage of a 5 on 3 power play opportunity and get Kent Valley's first goal of the game. Thirty seconds later Brandon Endres tapped in another power play goal to give the Selects a two goal lead. Endres was assisted by Mason Stewart. Forty-five seconds later Endres proved to the Jr. Americans that the Selects were capable of scoring even strength goals. Endres was assisted by Noah Persson and Jesse Howland. Patrick Dunphy wrapped up the Kent Valley scoring with his even strength goal with 3:50 remaining to play in the second period. Dunphy was assisted by Tyler Jennings. Kent Valley outshot Tri-Cities 14 to 5 in the second period and scored 4 goals in 2 minutes and 27 seconds.

Tri-Cities' Kenny Miller regained some offensive energy for his team when he scored early in the third period with assists from Brian Walker and Casey Phelps. Miller's goal spoiled the shutout Kent Valley's Colby Bennett had in the works. Bennett ended up stopping 20 of 21 shots on goal for a save rate of 95%. Tri-Cities' Austin McCain stopped 29 of 33 shots for a save rate of 88%.

Sunday's game belonged to the Tri-Cities Jr. Americans but not without a challenge from the Selects. Kent Valley's Tyler Jennings scored the first goal of the game with 8:01 remaining in the first period. Jennings was assisted by Max Doner. Tri-Cities tied the game with 1:12 remaining in the first period. Second period was almost a carbon copy of the first as Kent Valley's Johnny Scherer scored with 4:17 remaining with an assist from Nolan Fritts. Tri-Cities tied the game with a power play goal at the buzzer to end the second period. Tri-Cities' Casey Phelps got the game-winner midway through the final period with an assist from Kolby Killoy. Kent Valley outshot Tri-Cities 22 to 20. Austin Phelps stopped 17 of 20 shots on goal for a save rate of 85%. Tri-Cities' Austin McCain improved his save rate from the previous game as he stopped 20 of 22 shots on goal for a save rate of 91%.

Below are the scoring summaries for both games:

#### **KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects (4) vs. Tri-Cities U18 AA Jr Ams (1)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	2	6:17	Steven Farwell from Max Doner (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	5:45	Brandon Endres from Mason Stewart (Power Play)
Kent Valley	2	5:00	Brandon Endres from Noah Persson & Jesse Howland
Kent Valley	2	3:50	Patrick Dunphy from Tyler Jennings
Tri Cities	3	11:44	Kenny Miller from Brian Walker & Casey Phelps

Kent Valley's Colby Bennett stopped 20 of 21 shots on goal for 95%.

Tri-Cities' Austin McCain stopped 29 of 33 shots on goal for 88%.

Kent Valley had 11 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 32 minutes.

Tri-Cities had 8 minor penalties and 2 major misconduct penalties for 36 minutes.

#### **KVHA Midget Tier-II Selects (2) vs. Tri-Cities U18 AA Jr Ams (3)**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Per</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring</b>
Kent Valley	1	8:01	Tyler Jennings from Max Doner
Tri-Cities	1	1:12	Dalton Brown from Lucas Brown
Kent Valley	2	4:17	John Scherer from Nolan Fritts
Tri-Cities	2	0:01	Kolby Killoy from Cameron Trader & Brian Walker (Power Play)

Tri-Cities 3 6:18 Casey Phelps from Kolby Killoy  
 Kent Valley's Austin Phelps stopped 17 of 20 shots on goal for 85%.  
 Tri-Cities' Austin McCain stopped 20 of 22 shots on goal for 91%.  
 Kent Valley had 7 minor penalties and 2 major misconduct penalties for 34 minutes.  
 Tri-Cities had 5 minor penalties and 1 major misconduct penalty for 20 minutes.

## Quote of the Day!

### The True Meaning of Winning the Cup:

*"I think of all the guys who have played in the league for 10 or 20 years and never got their name on the Cup, and here I am playing four measly games. At first I would just wonder to myself, 'Did I really deserve it?' I guess it is what it is. We all have our own unique stories and journeys to get here, and mine was just different from everybody else's, I suppose. I had a role on that team, and they obviously saw something in me, so I have no regrets. It was an amazing experience. To be out there afterward with all the guys on the ice, celebrating and hugging everyone, it was a moment I will never forget. I just hope that there are many more Stanley Cups in my future, that's why we all play this game."*

### Ryan Carter, Stanley Cup winner with Anaheim 2007

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

**Editor's note:** In the 2011-12 season on October 26, 2011, Carter was claimed off of waivers by the New Jersey Devils. He would go on to score five goals along with two assists during the 2012 Stanley Cup Playoffs with the Devils as they ultimately lost in the Stanley Cup Finals.

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