



KVHA News – Lorenz Names Ferguson PeeWee Tier-II Coach for 2014/2015

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. May 21, 2014 – Danny Lorenz, KVHA’s Hockey Director, named Jeff Ferguson as PeeWee Tier-II Head Coach for 2014/2015 and Rick Campbell as Ferguson’s Assistant Coach.



Ferguson is a USA Hockey Level III certified coach and has coached with KVHA since the 10/11 season. He also assisted with KVHA’s ‘Learn to Play’ program in 08/09 and 09/10. Ferguson coached KVHA’s PeeWee Rec Tornadoes to the NPSHL League Championship last season.

Rick Campbell has coached three seasons with KVHA at the Mite, Squirt and PeeWee levels. He assisted Ferguson with the PeeWee Tornadoes last season.

"We're very excited to have Coach Jeff for our PeeWee Tier-II Selects. Jeff's success in developing his teams speaks for itself," Lorenz said. He added, "In addition, we will leave the PeeWee Rec team coaching assignment as TBD (to be determined)."

USA Hockey Pacific District CEP Level IV Coaches Clinic

USA Hockey recently announced a CEP Level IV Coaches Clinic for June 20-22nd, 2014, at SeaTac Airport Marriott Hotel, 3201 South 176th St, Seattle, WA 98188. Cost for the 3-day clinic is \$325.00. According to Danny Lorenz, KVHA’s Hockey Director, the clinics typically begin on Friday at 5:00pm with a meet and greet and introductions. Saturday is generally a full day and Sunday wraps up around noon. Lorenz said; *"This local clinic is a great opportunity for our Level III coaches to complete their Level IV certification without incurring the cost of travel."*

Unfortunately, USA Hockey’s web site provided very little information regarding course content and structure without first registering for the course. Coaches interested in attending the June clinic may [click here](#) to register.

Quote of the Day!

Life Lessons:

"Determination! It takes a lot of determination to reach your goals, whether they are in hockey or in life. To become a champion in hockey you have to pay a price. The Stanley Cup playoffs in general are really a test of your will. They are a test of your ability to stay strong and to deal with adversity. If you can do those things and persevere then you will be successful. It won't guarantee you a championship, but it will guarantee you an opportunity."

Steve Yzerman, Stanley Cup winner with Detroit 1997, 1998, and 2002

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

Editor’s note: In 2012, Yzerman was named Executive Director for the Canadian men’s hockey team at the 2014 Winter Olympics. The Canadian team he put together went on to win their second straight gold medal. Canada became the first nation to win back-to-back gold medals since the Soviet Union won three straight in 1984, 1988 and 1992. Following Canada’s 3-0 victory over Sweden in the gold medal game, Yzerman announced that he would not return as the Executive Director for Canada in 2018.

Yzerman and his wife Lisa Brennan have three daughters. They reside in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan. Yzerman has acquired naturalized United States' citizenship, due to his many years of residence in Michigan.

Not far from where Steve Yzerman grew up, the Nepean Sportsplex named one of its indoor ice surfaces the Steve Yzerman Arena in 1997 in his honour. This is the home rink of the CJHL's Nepean Raiders, the Tier II Junior "A" team Yzerman played on during the 1980-81 season. The Raiders currently play in the Yzerman Division.

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