



Speer Named Bantam T-2 Coach, Pizzey U16 T-2 Coach and Lorenz U18 Coach for 12/13

Kent Valley Ice Centre, Kent, WA. May 29, 2012 – Danny Lorenz, KVHA Hockey Director announced three more Tier-II coaching assignments today. Adam Speer will serve as Head coach of the Bantam Tier-II Selects, Derek Pizzey will be Head coach of the Midget U16 Tier-II Selects and Danny Lorenz will be Head coach of the Midget U18 Tier-II Selects.

Lorenz emphasized that the U16 Tier-II Selects plan to play a non-league schedule of exhibition and tournament games. The U18 Tier-II Selects will play in the PNAHA League.



Coach Speer and son Tom



Coach Pizzey



Coach Lorenz

Adam Speer coached seven consecutive seasons with Kent Valley, 2004/2005 thru 2010/2011, before taking a break for the 2011/2012 season. Speer coached at the Mite, Squirt and PeeWee levels with assignments as rep team coach in alternating seasons. Tony Bell will serve as assistant coach to Speer. Bell has coached six seasons with Kent Valley beginning with the Mites in 2006/2007.

Derek Pizzey has coached seven consecutive seasons with Kent Valley, 2005/2006 thru 2011/2012. Pizzey has coached Mite, Squirt, PeeWee and Bantam, often as a Tier-II coach. Chuck Cadiente will serve as assistant coach to Pizzey. Cadiente is nine-year veteran of Kent Valley having coached every season since 2004/2005.

Danny Lorenz is Kent Valley's Hockey Director and has coached the Midget Tier-II Selects for four seasons since the 2008/2009 season. Lorenz took the Midget Tier-II Selects to the USA Hockey National Championships in 2011. Jay Johnston will serve as assistant coach to Lorenz. Johnston is another nine-year veteran of Kent Valley having coached every season since 2004/2005.

Lorenz said; *"This wraps up our "Rep" team coaching assignments for the coming season. We hope to get the "Rec" team coaches announced within the next two weeks. We will likely name them all in one announcement."*

Early Bird Registration for the 2012/2013 Season is Open - Register before June 10th and Avoid a Rate Increase

Registration for the 2012/2013 season opened late last week. Registration forms are available on-line at www.KentValleyHockey.com by selecting the **Administration** tab and clicking upon the **KVHA Registration** sub tab. Last season's rates are available for those who register on or before June 10th, 2012.

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Quote of the Day!

The True Meaning of Winning the Cup:

"When you win the Cup you are flooded with a variety of emotions. The first thing I thought of were all of the people who helped me along the way, because you certainly don't get there by yourself. You are out on the ice holding up the Cup, but you are thinking of all these other people: coaches, parents, friends, and teammates – the ones who made it possible. Beyond that, winning it was just a huge relief. The playoffs are really a survival of the fittest."

Ken Morrow, Stanley Cup winner with New York Islanders 1980, 1981, 1982 and 1983.

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

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