

NORTH SPORTS OKANAGAN



Sharp blades

Here is a good-sized youngster who will help put some scoring punch into the Blades' line-up this winter. He is six-foot Pat Hembree from Lethbridge, an all-star in his Alberta Junior Hockey League last season, who likes the rough going. Sent out by Walt Trentini's father, Pat is one player that Blades' coach Odie Lowe is already high on for his skating ability alone.

Ken Polon, who originally comes from Cranbrook, is another player who will help to sharpen up Blades for the coming season. Ken, who last year toiled in an Intermediate circuit in Manitoba, is a 6' 3" defenseman who was formerly tutored by ex-Winnipeg Maroon star Ken McKenzie.