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# Essos host Rockets

Vernon Essos picked up two of a possible six points on their swing into coastal territory of the Junior A hockey league over the weekend, but the lack of two wins didn't want for a solid try by everyone in the lineups.

Friday night at Vancouver, they almost came through with a 4-4 tie but were literally robbed by a goal judge who missed a puck bouncing off the centre post at the one foot high mark late in the final period.

In Victoria Saturday night, a better club took things into hand as the host Cougars came

through with rousing 10-3 win, then Sunday afternoon Essos found the going better as they managed to keep ahead of a hard checking Chilliwack Bruins club and win that one by a narrow 5-4 difference.

Wednesday night Essos once more appear on their own ice surface as they play host to Kamloops Rockets in a fixture that will see the Winter Carnival trophy given to the winner of the team playing in a junior A game which is played during the Winter Carnival.

Game time has been set for 8:30 with doors opening at 7:30 p.m.

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## Sportsman of the year

One of Vernons best known athletes, turned coach, has been chosen as sportsman of the year. Particularly well known for his prowess as a player on the old senior Vernon Canadian hockey club, Lowe turned his knowledge to coaching youngsters and has proven his ability by winning two provincial championships in recent times. Lowe topped a strong field of nominees to win the honor which was announced Saturday night at the Legion sponsored windup ceremony. In the above photo, Odie Lowe, right, accepts the big trophy from Branch 25, Royal Canadian Legion president, Tom Harper.