

Minor hockey elects eight new officials

Vernon Minor Hockey Association has elected eight new members to its board of directors.

Election of the new executive of the local association took place Wednesday night which saw a large turnout of members and parents on hand for the annual general meeting.

Heading the list of executive members is president Frank Flasch who returns to the top post for his second term in office.

First vice-president and new to the board is well known sports enthusiast Chum Kaneda. Mr. Kaneda will also act as head coach for the Pee Wee division of the association.

Second vice-president and serving his second term on the

group is Dr. E. O'Brien. Dr. O'Brien moves up one step following his term last year as third vice-president.

Third vice-president is another well known hockey worker, Nick Schuk. Mr. Schuk was a director last year and headed the Bantam division.

New secretary to the association is a new resident to Vernon, Mr. Jim Alveberg, who is with the department of highways. He recently moved from Kamloops and is formerly from Cloverdale.

Treasurer this year is another newcomer and is manager of Woolworth's store in Vernon. Mr. Bob Moore is well versed in hockey procedures having gained most of his experience while living on the Prairies.

Former Lumbyite, Mrs. George (Shirley) Wapple has been elected to the post of registrar, a very important position in the VMHA. She, along with her husband George are well known in Lumby for their work with hockey in that community.

Mr. Wapple is also named as one of the new directors and will take over the head coach position of the Bantam section.

Others returned as directors are Odie Lowe, Al Madden.

Walt Trentini, Les York, Mickey McMann and Rennie Holland.

New directors this year are Pete Guidi, George Green, George Wapple and Doug Bulwer.

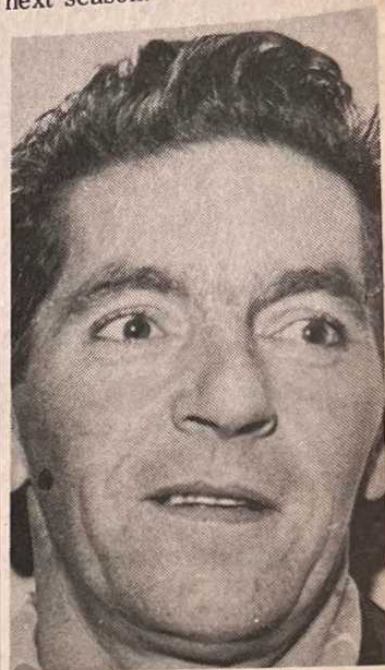
Mickey McMann will again head the Pup division and Rennie Holland also returns as head coach of the Midget division of the association.

Addressing the meeting, president Frank Flasch quickly reviewed last year's operation and had high praise for all members of the executive and in particular the hard working core of volunteers who coached, refereed and the mothers auxiliary.

Each head coach of the divisions also gave brief reports and in almost every instance expressed gratitude for the many who helped run the many teams and helped with transportation to out of town games.

Executive members gathered following the general meeting

and began to map out plans for next season.



FRANK FLASCH
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Tennis lessons commence

Sponsored by the Vernon Department of Parks & Recreation will commence on Tuesday, April 27th, 1971.

Lessons will be held in the morning for adults at 10 a.m.; afterschool children 4 p.m.; adults and students in the evening at 6:30 p.m.

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