

BCJHL action

Vernon facing tough schedule of games

Vernon Essos have completed four of seven straight games at this writing in the B.C. Junior A hockey league and a split in the win-loss column is not too bad considering the last three games have been played on the other fellows ice.

Tonight they go back at it again in Bellingham and then tomorrow night arrive home in time to take on Kamloops here at civic arena and then head out to Kamloops the next day for a game in the Hub city the same night.

What will happen is anyone's guess but the strain of so many games in so short a time with all but two of them on the other fellows ice, surely will tell a sad tale or will it?

Last Thursday night, Essos did come up with a strong game in winning the Winter Carnival trophy as the game of the week here by taking Bellingham Blazers 4-2 then Friday night they went into Vancouver but failed to gain a win as the Villas dropped them by a 7-5 difference.

Then Saturday night in Chilliwack, Essos again came up with a good show and won the game over the host Bruins by a 5-3 difference.

Sunday afternoon at Nanaimo, it was another tough game and this time they took it on the chin with a 6-4 loss at the hands of the Clippers.

Tonight they should win over the Blazers once more and then here Tuesday night at 8 p.m. they face a tough Kamloops Rockets squad.

Here is one game loyal fans just might make the difference as Kamloops and coach Tennant delight in winning games in front of Vernon spectators.

Kimberley wins Hydro bonspiel

Results of the B.C. Hydro Bonspiel held at Vernon recently.

"A" event winners — Kimberley, Ron Tarr, Mick Allum, Jack Stevens, Walt Sakowicz.

Runners Up: Crawford Hatch, Bill Martin, Don Jakes, Bernice Mills of Vernon.

"B" event winners — Vernon, Gerry Wills, Bob Prentice, Bill Laidlaw, Hank Hildebrand.

Runners Up, Del Hopffner, Jim McMahon, Ewin McGuinness, Dennis McKeeman of Vernon.

"C" event winners, Kamloops, Lorne Lussier, Jack Fowles, Chuck Cooney, Les Jewell.

Runners Up, Ray Emblau, Jack Armfelt, Fred Wernicke, Cam Forster of Vernon.

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