

Vikings looking for another win tonight

Vernon Vikings are really hot to go and they proved as much Friday night in Penticton with a rousing 5-3 win over the host Broncos in BCJHL action.

Feelings amongst those in the know indicates with the re-aligning of the teams structure with additional players such as highly rated Gord Henschke, a Vernon born player with WCHL experience and Tad Campbell back to the fold along with some obvious desire on the parts of the regulars, the Vikings are going to be hard to beat from here on in.

While this remains to be seen, one player, Don Murdoch, really stands out and if it should come to pass he goes missing from the line-up, then the locals will have to take a hard inward look at themselves on how he could, if ever, be replaced.

In Langley, the Lords had two-goal performances from Ryan Walter, Brian Henderson



DON MURDOCH
... 43 goals

ers went to Brian Griese and Marty Stein.

Dean Dyer, Gord Mack and Pat Severyn scored Penticton as the Broncos failed to capitalize on the 45 shots they fired at Greg Hayes in the Vernon net.

At the other end, Penticton Harvey Fairgray handled shots in taking the loss.

Vernon took eight of 12 minor penalties called in the game. Each club was assessed major for fighting.

In Kelowna, the Buckaroos scored three unanswered goals in the first period, then hung on for the win.

Murray Hanson scored three goals to lead the Buckaroos while Randy Naito and Mark Ithouse scored singles. In Bellingham, Mackie, Dean Arnett and Brian Rolin scored for Bellingham.



GORD HENSCHKE
... joins team

Murdoch again came through with a tremendous night's work with another of his many hat tricks added to his laurels. Making it 43 goals in 32 games played this season.

Gordon Henschke, now 19, started for the first time last night after over a season's layoff and within moments in the game had the opposition looking with heads up. He played all his minor hockey here and played tier one hockey with the New Westminster Bruins two seasons ago.

High scores were the trend in the British Columbia Junior Hockey League Friday night as Kelowna Buckaroos defeated Bellingham Blazers 5-3, Vernon Vikings took Penticton Broncos in the same score and Langley Lords dumped Merritt Centennials 7-2.

and Allen Young while Bob McGillivray provided the single. Paul Mulvey and Ed Lisogar scored for Merritt.

The losers outshot Langley 37-20. Langley took seven minor penalties and one game misconduct while Merritt was assessed two minors.

In Penticton, the Vikings struck for a trio of back-to-back goals in the third period and never looked back.

Don Murdoch was the difference in the game with three goals while other Vernon count-

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