

Two new faces to play tonight

Vernon Vikings will have two new faces in the line-up tonight when they host Merritt Centennials.

Barry Lang and Blair Donnelly have been called up from Vikings' farm team, Grand Forks Border Bruins. Bruins were eliminated from the Kootenay-International Junior B playoffs last week, by Trail.

Vikings' Coach Joe Tennant said Lang and Donnelly may be around for a while, if they look impressive.

Lang, a 185 pound right winger, impressed Tennant with his aggressive play and goal-scoring ability.

Donnelly, 16, can play left wing or centre and was one of the final cuts from Vernon's camp this season.

Also in town is goalie Ken McNabb, from Calgary, who spent the last-half of the season with Grand Forks. Tennant, who already has two of the best goalies in the B.C. Junior Hockey League, says he just wants to look at McNabb in practice.

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Meanwhile, Wayne Nelson scored two goals, including the winner, as Kelowna Buckaroos edged Penticton Vees 4-3 Tuesday in Kelowna.

Mike Wills and Pat Severyn scored the other Kelowna goals while Gord McKay scored twice for the Vees. Shawn Dineen got the third Penticton marker.

Kelowna took a 1-0 lead after the first period and led 3-1 after 40 minutes.