

Clippers defeat Penticton

PENTICTON, B.C. (CP) — Nanaimo Clippers took a 7-3 lead over Penticton in their 10-point British Columbia Junior Hockey League final Friday night, downing the Vees 7-5 before 1,800 fans.

The Clippers led 4-2 at the end of the first period and 6-4 after 40 minutes.

Terry Graff scored twice for Nanaimo, with Geordie Robertson, Rod Guimont, Gary Lupul, John Gordon and Gord Genereaux adding singles.

Rod Zavaduk had two goals for Penticton and singles went to Gord MacKay, Darrell Becker and Darrell Booth.

Nanaimo's Steve Amiss turned aside 25 shots while Dennis Ewanchuck and Pat Murphy combined to make 29 saves in the Penticton net.

Nanaimo took nine of 17 minor penalties while Penticton took five of nine majors and each team took one game misconduct.

The series resumes here tonight.



VERNON LODGE TIGERS' veterans Rick Horsley, left, and Jeff Shirley, right, welcome the club's two new

coaches, Mart Bellwood and Joe Tennant. Bellwood will be directing plays and lacrosse fundamentals,

while Tennant will run the bench and be in charge of personnel. Tigers' training camp continues daily next

week with workouts at the Civic Arena, at 8 p.m.

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