

# Wings still unable to find winning formula



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Griddle, there were more bodies than pucks in the net as the Chiefs went on

8:1 victory over Vernon. (Daily News Photo)

## High scoring games highlight weekend action in the NOHL

Scores in the NOHL were mostly high on the weekend, including a 9-1 whitewashing by the Grindrod Elks over the Westside Packers and a 9-3 destruction of the Vernon Sport Cougars by the Vernon Raiders. One game did reveal a sad state however, as the Vernon Price and Markle Canadians managed to stop the Winfield Raiders by the score of 5-3.

In the first Saturday game, Grindrod led the way in the first period of play by scoring three goals to one by the Packers. Grindrod scorers included George Faragher, Rick Harris and Ron Hagarth, while Tom Maltman got the lone goal for Westside.

Two more were scored in the second period by the Elks on drives by Bob Mayer, and a second of the night by Rick Harris. Westside did not manage to score in the period. Grindrod held Westside scoreless, but put-

ting away goals in the third period were Guit Davidson, Bob Mayer, George Faragher and Ken Haller for the Elks. Grindrod outshot Westside 4-34 in the game and the Packers were the more heavily penalized in the game, facing 26 minutes of play abatement.

**CLOSER SCORING**

In the second Saturday game, scoring was much closer as the Price and Markle Canadians and Winfield Raiders sustained one goal apiece in the first period. Garry Laral was credited with the Winfield goal while Jeff Todd was Vernon's scorer.

Second period play showed Winfield with a slight edge in play, running up a 3-2 lead on shots by Ron Dolg and the second of the night by Gerry Saville. The first goal got the second for Vernon.

Vernon broke lose in the

third period of play, getting three goals over Winfield, scored by Les Siao and the second and third of the game for Dave Caldwell. Winfield was unable to score in the third so the score ended 5-3 in favour of the Vernon team.

**SUNDAY ACTION**

In the first game, the Winfield team, paced by four second period goals, took the Vernon Sport Cougars 9-3. Goalgetters in the first for Winfield were Terry Dunham with two, Fred Parent and Jim Dickson, while Mike Marsh got a single for Vernon.

Accounting for the five goal second period outburst were Steve Francoise, Vern's third period goalgetter in the game, and Clint Eccles, Ron Reynolds and Pete Wanda. No goals were scored by Vernon in the second.

Graydon Brown and Wally-Bev Watson were Vern's third period goal getters in the game and the team managed

to hold on any more goals by Winfield. Goalies Smithson and Irwin of Vernon faced 38 shots in the game, while Feedham of Winfield had 20 shots to stop.

## Broncos make it back to the NFL playoffs

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

Making the National Football League playoffs is old hat for Dallas Cowboys and Los Angeles Rams, but not for comeback hero Craig Morton and the surprising Denver Broncos.

"It's been a long time for the Denver Broncos, but it's been even longer for Craig Morton," said the 34-year-old quarterback, who threw two touchdown passes to help Denver subdue Houston Oilers 24-14 Sunday and clinch the American Conference's Western Division title and the Broncos' first playoff berth in 18-year history.

"It was very satisfying for me," said Morton, who suf-

fered years of frustration as a backup in Dallas and then as a starter on a weak New York Giants club. "This year we really together. I'm very proud of it."

Dallas and Los Angeles are also playoff-bound after finishing two of the four National Football Conference's Eastern Division title with a 24-14 victory over Philadelphia Eagles. Dallas clinched the Eastern Division title with a 20-14 decision over the defending Super Bowl champion Oakland Raiders on a 43-yard scoring pass from Pat Haden to Harold Jackson

with 2:10 to play.

**SEVENTH DECIDED**

That fills three of the eight playoff berths in the NFL. Dallas could make it four with a victory over Miami Dolphins tonight. That would clinch the AFC East title for the Colts, although the Dolphins would still have a run for a wildcard berth.

In other NFL games Sunday, the Minnesota Vikings rallied to beat the Minnesota City Chiefs 27-27, New England Patriots beat Atlanta Falcons 16-10, the Chicago Bears beat the St. Louis Cardinals 27-7, Pittsburgh Steelers defeated Seattle Seahawks 20-14, Washington Redskins downed Buffalo Bills 10-0, Cincinnati Bengals defeated Cleveland Browns 27-14 and New York Jets edged New Orleans Saints 16-13.

Morton threw 13-yard touchdown passes to Riley Odoms and Rick Upchurch to help the Broncos to a 14-7 halftime lead. He suffered a strained shoulder on the final play of the first half.

## SPORTS ALERT

**MAJOR MEN'S BASKETBALL**

At Kal School: 8:30 p.m. Husky Service Pioneers vs. Coos Bay Raiders, 8:00 p.m. Silver Star Mountaineers vs. Kal Lake Voyagers, 8:30 p.m. Cheery Creek Trappers vs. Priest Valley Saints.

**WRESTLING**

At Lumbly Arena: 8:30 p.m. Evergreen Barons 9 p.m. CHEERY CREEK TRAPPERS vs. PRIEST VALLEY SAINTS.

**WRESTLING**

At Lumbly Arena: 8:30 p.m. P.V. Church of God vs. Vernon Saints, 8:30 p.m. Trinity Thunder vs. Vernon Saints.

**HOCKEY**

**VOLLEYBALL**

At Astoria: 7:30 p.m. Tempests vs. Rockets, Desperados vs. A. Subartners, 8:30 p.m. Sun-Timers vs. Jam Tars, Orangtanga vs. Super Six.

## Juvenile Reps still on their winning ways

By DALE MAJOR

Daily News Correspondent

Vernon Coos Cola Juvenile Reps continued their impressive play by edging Mission 5-3 OMMHA play Sunday.

The juveniles improved their OMMHA record to 17-6, while also stretching their winning streak to 12 games on Sunday, Pentium came

out with some very physical, hard-hitting hockey, which was rewarded each in the game as the two teams battled to a scoreless first period. Pentium's first goal came as Vernon opened it up and put the game on ice taking a 4-1 lead.

Gary Edwards paced Vernon with a pair of netted goals while Tom Ouchi, Kelly Kanada and Paul Gid netted singles. Vernon also had a 4-1 lead in the second period as a stick measurement.

Lloyd Hudson and Gary Apoter replied for Pentium in the game.

Vernon took five of 10 minor penalties and a 20-minute penalty for spearing with injury, which will result in a six game suspension for the Vernons.

Vernon's success in the last few games as emphasized by coach Bob Williams has been their strong checking game.

He said "we were on top of the other team right from the start with our forechecking and we've been able to get the jump on them. Lately, a big lead early in the game is enough to get them out of the game."

Also with the team, Tom Ouchi will be the Vernon representative for the John Boske Memorial Trophy presented to the most valuable player in the match for a second by his teammates. The award will be voted on by all the teams in the league with each team unable to vote for its own player.

## Midgets hammer Armstrong

A four goal performance by Trevor Page led the Vernon Midget 'B' Reps to a 10-1 victory over Armstrong Midget 'A' Reps in an exhibition game here in Vernon Dec. 3.

At the end of the first period the score was one apiece with goals from Page and Armstrong's Tom Jones. Vernon pulled ahead in the second period by popping in a goal to make 4-1. Five goals were added by Vernon in the third period. Other goal scorers for Vernon were Allan Kim, Mike Milbourne, Grant Furusway, Wayne and Armstrong's Tom Jones. Vernon pulled ahead in the second period by popping in a goal to make 4-1. Five goals were added by Vernon in the third period. Other goal scorers for Vernon were Allan Kim, Mike Milbourne, Grant Furusway, Wayne and Armstrong's Tom Jones.

## Mission wins at volleyball

**KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)** — Late penalties to pull into a second-place game in the Western Division in the Western Division, six points ahead of the Breakers.

Cougs played short-handed for six straight minutes—from 12:10 to 18:10—before the two-minute stretch when they were short but Victoria goalkeeper Steve Amis, held Seattle scoreless.

Anlas made 38 stops compared with 28 by Seattle goalie Gary Nakrayko.

**LOOK BACK FIVE YEARS**

DECEMBER, 1977

Ernest Nield was elected president of the Vernon and District Kennel Club. Randy Valair as vice president.

In Saturday BCHL action, the Kamloops Chiefs downed the Vernon Vikings 8-1 in Vernon in a one-sided affair. The played Vernon 8-1 in reported to have a trade in the making for two high scoring Vernon players.

In other BCHL action, the Kelowna Buckaroos, third in the British Columbia Junior Hockey League's Interior Division, played giant-killer Kelowna Buckaroos players.

Second-place Penticon Vees 4-4 Saturday and stopping Merril Penton of Centennial 4-1 Sunday.

Kelowna now has 32 points, four behind Penticon and six behind Merril.

On the Coast, Nanaimo Clippers and Bellinham Blazers fatten's their scoring totals at the expense of Revelstoke Bruins, the Clippers winning 4-2 Saturday and the Blazers triumphing 8-2 Sunday.

In other action Saturday, Abbotsford Flyers trounced Bellinham, 6-1. Penticon hammered Kamloops 16-0.

Nanaimo leads the Coastal Division with 30 points, followed by Bellinham with 28. Abbotsford and Langley 20.

The Buckaroos scored four goals in the final period Saturday in Kelowna to gain their first win over Penticon this season.

## VERNON-KELOWNA TRADE REPORTED

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP) — Kelowna Buckaroo of the British Columbia Junior Hockey League announced Saturday the team has traded two high-scoring players to the Vernon Vikings.

Wayne North, Buckaroos' general manager, said John and Rob Need were traded for players whose names will be announced at a later date.

North said that the deal hinges on the two brothers reporting to the Vikings. He said they will not return to the Buckaroos even if they decide not to move to Vernon.

John Need is the team's second-highest scorer with 14 goals and 22 assists. Rob Need is ranked seventh with four goals and 18 assists.

North said the trade was made "for the betterment and harmony of the hockey club."

Vernon General Manager, Vern Dye, said today no firm commitment had been made by the two players, and it will be announced later as to their status with the club.

**THREE EACH**

Murray Matheson and Jay Koak scored three goals each Saturday in the Kamloops game as Kamloops took period leads of 3-0 and 6-0 in Vernon.

Ward Sporn and Clint Febr completed the Chiefs scoring, Mike Winter scored or Vernon.

Gary Del Aludice played a strong game in the Kamloops game, turning in two goals and one assist. Rick Hugg stopped 37 shots for Vernon.

In Abbotsford, the Flyers, led by 3-0 after two periods, broke open the light-checking contest with three unassisted goals in the first four minutes of the final period to defeat Bellinham.

Rick Greenwood scored twice for the Flyers, while Craig Williamson, Jim Dobson, Anthony McCurche, Don Stewart and Brad Geauvrene were the other Abbotsford scorers.

Randy Hall spoiled Mike Schamber's shutout bid with goals during the night game. Schamber stopped 39 shots during the night game.

Ross Fitzpatrick led the Penticon attack Sunday in Kamloops with four goals. Berry and Howard Ward fired three goals each, Terry Olson and Joe Cunningham scored twice each and Ken Pederson and Ralph Anderson potted singles.

Koak, Matheson and Greg Lynott scored for Kamloops. Penticon outshot Kamloops 63-21.

Next league action is Tuesday, with Vernon at Kelowna and Abbotsford at Langley.

**SCORES TWICE**

Darryl Caribon led the attack with two goals, while Darrell Eccles, Mike Willis and Rob Wright added singles. Ron Jobson, with two, Gary Eccles and Barry returned for the Vees, which were outshot 30-34.

Nanaimo, Becker and Wright scored again as the Buckaroos led 3-1 after two periods. Ken Linquist and Shawn Clarke had the other goals, while Bob Deschamps and Gerry Merritt, which outshot Kelowna 34-25.

Revelstoke goaltenders Steve Abbott, Darrell Krambel and Blair Shettler were bombarded in their weekend games. Abbott and Krambel faced 58 shots Saturday in Nanaimo, while Shettler and Krambel saw 58 shots Sunday in Bellinham.

**WINS M'RATION**

PUKUOKA, Japan (Reuters) — Pre-race favorite Bill Rogers of the U.S. won the two-hour, four-minute marathon Sunday, covering the 26-mile, 385-yard course in two hours 10 minutes and 55.3 seconds—the fastest time in the world this year. Rogers led a field of 48 runners, including 17 foreigners from nine countries—a record number of foreign runners to take part in the annual event in this southern Japanese city.

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### PIN POINTS

NOVEMBER 24	Women's high single, Georgia Males 285; high triple, Peggy Turik 215; 722; high average, Mary Turik 215.	Men's high single, Frank Gratton 236; high triple, Frank Gratton 209; high average, Frank Gratton 218.	Men's high single, McGavin Toostmasters 1312; high triple, McGavin Toostmasters 309; high average, McGavin Toostmasters 326.	Women's high single, Dick Berrevoets 194; high triple, Dorothy Beter 460; high average, Betty Chenevett 194.	Team high single, Groaners 1256; high triple, Groaners 3561.	Happy Gung 370; high triple, Groaners 3182; Twister 297.
NOVEMBER 24	Thurs. Coffee Party	Women's high single, Margie Galanis 273; high triple, Margie Galanis 215; high average, Lil Jamieson 198.	Women's high single, Ida Giles 156; high average, Arthur Nelson 164.	Men's high single, Larry Brown 254; high triple, Larry Brown 299; high average, Arthur Nelson 164.	Bowler of the Week—Ladies: Eise Marton, 40 pins over; Men: Jeff Yamamura, 110 pins over.	

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