Silver Star needs snow to become operational

Silver Star Ski Area needs about 30 cm. of snow before it can open for the 1978-79 season.

Silver Star Manager Woody Woodman said today, "We have a base of about 20 cm. at the present time. To be operational, we'll need a good dump of snow — in the area of 30 cm.

"We had hoped to open on Saturday, but at the present moment, it doesn't look like we'll make it."

The weather forecast for the weekend includes snow.

Woodman said, "With the exception of snow, we're ready to go. We'll be operational within 24 hours of a good snowfall. So, if we get the snow on Saturday, we'll be in business on Sunday."

SEVERAL CHANGES

There are several changes on the Star including two new runs, an improved Yellow Chair, and many new staff members.

The two runs, Farout and Wayout, are located east of the Whiskey Jack Run, off the Yellow Chair. The runs are considered intermediate to advanced.

The Yellow Chair capacity has increased from 900 to 1,250 skiers per hour to service the new runs.

GUEST RETIRES

Most noticeable of the personnel changes will be on the ski patrol where Stan Guest, who was patrol director for seven years, has retired. His position will be filled by Doug Kelly, from Tod Mountain, at Kamloops.

Assisting Kelly will be Randy Stephens, also from Tod, and Brian Hayden, from eastern Canada.

Mike Duggan has taken over as skier services director and Doug Coulson is now in charge of food services.

Woodman said, "We're raring to go — and we know the skiers are ready too. Now all we need is a little co-operation from the weatherman."

MARATHON SCHEDULED

Downhill skiers haven't had a chance to test their boards yet but, cross-country enthusiasts have been out on the trails for about two weeks. Heinz Stussi, right, has announced that the second annual 30-kilometer Cross-Country Marathon will be held Jan. 21. Site of the marathon, as well as the B.C. Winter Games trials, will be the Stussi Cross-country Area, near Falkland.

INCLUDING VSSS

Six teams to compete in valley championships

Vernon Senior Secondary School will be one of six teams competing in the Okanagan Boys' Volleyball Championships Saturday at KLO School, in Kelowna.

VSSS has represented the valley at four consecutive British Columbia tournaments, including 1976 when it won the provincial title.

VSSS is the only north zone team entered in the valley meet with Kamloops and Norkam from the west, KLO and Kelowna from central, and Penticton from south.

Vernon Coach Barrie Reid told the Daily News KLO is the team to beat. Reid said, "KLO has an excellent club. They are ranked first in the valley and number three in the province."

In four games against KLO this season, VSSS has managed one victory. However, Reid feels his club would win the valley title.

BEST SETTER

He said, "If we play up to our potential, we can beat KLO. We have the best setter in the Okanagan and some excellent hitters."

Dave Harding is the team's setter while Jim Garlic, returning from an injury that kept him out of action all season, Rick Beaton, and Mike Kakoske are the club's key hitters and blockers.

TWO BERTHS

Reid said, "If KLO does take top spot, I'd say it will be between Penticton, Kelowna, and us for the second berth in the provincial tourney. Unless they have improved a great deal, I don't expect Kamloops or NorKam to be a serious threat."

The provincial championships are scheduled from Dec. 7-9 in Mission. Sixteen teams will take part in that competition.

Daily News

SPORTS Page

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New prospects coming —Wilkie stays home

Vernon Canadians expect three players to arrive in town today for tryouts. However, veteran centre Darcy Wilkinson will not be one of them.

Wilkinson, 20, indicated last week that he would like to return to the team. But, he telephoned General Manager Sheldon Bloomer on Wednesday, from his Edmonton home, and said he has changed his mind.

Bloomer said, "I think Darcy could have helped us, but I'm confident two of the three guys coming in for tryouts can stick with our club."

The trio includes defenceman Terry Seitz, and goaltenders Tom Williams and Dan Peters.

Bloomer has been chasing Seitz for two months. The 18-year-old defenceman has been playing with Grande Prairie and is considered one of the best rearguards in the northern junior 'B' league.

LEN LOF
... gone

Seitz, who weighs about 180 pounds, is particularly adept at handling the puck.

Williams, just 16, was recommended to the Canadians by Medicine Hat Tigers, of the Western Hockey League. He played senior hockey last season in Yellowknife and is considered a top prospect by the Tigers.

Peters is a product of Vernon Coach Greg Kvisle's recruiting trip to the Kootenays this week. The 18-year-old goalie has been performing with Creston, of the Western International Junior 'B' League.

Bloomer said, "Nobody is guaranteed a spot on the team, but I know these guys want to play hockey. I've heard nothing but good reports about Seitz. And with Len Lof gone, we need another goalie."

Lof, 20, quit the club this week to take a job in Edmonton.

TOUGH WEEKEND

Canadians have a tough weekend ahead, with three games in as many days. On Friday, Vernon meets the Buckaroos in Kelowna. Then Saturday at home, Canadians tangle with league-leading Merritt Centennials in the first game of a home-and-home series.

Advance tickets for the Saturday game are available at Ernie's Self-Serve Gas Station and the Longhorn Pub.

In Wednesday's only BCJHL game, Nanaimo Clippers edged Chilliwack Colts 5-4.

PIN POINTS

NOV. 11
Y.B.C.-A.M. Juniors

Women's high single, Donna Timm 234; high triple, Donna Keckalo 596; high average, Donna Keckalo 194.

Men's high single, Kelly Meyer 251; high triple, Kelly Meyer 684; high average, Kelly Meyer 180.

Team high single, Pin Pickers 1122; high triple, Pin Pickers 3188.

TEAM STANDINGS

Pin Panthers	231½
Super "S"	213
Alley Dusters	212
Pin Dusters	202½

Bowler of the Week: Michelle Levasseur av. 78, triple 291, 157 pins over. John Genie, av. 117, triple 531, 180 pins over.

100 Pins Over Average: John Genie av. 117, single game 229.

NOV. 11
Bantams

Women's high single, Kimeko Natsuhara 213; high triple, Kimeko Natsuhara 500; high average, Melodie Shenko 146.

Men's high single, Gary Ulevog 198; high triple, Gary Ulevog 485; high average, Michael O'Flynn 144.

Team high single, Alley oops 1120; high triple, Alley oops 2968.

TEAM STANDINGS

Hornets	259½
Black Panthers	253½
Odd Squad	252
T Birds	212
Hot Shots	211½

NOV. 12
Sun. Mixed 9-11

Women's high single, Marie Mackenzie 233, Jeannie Lazosky 233; high average, Inez Buchanan 204.

Men's high single, Louis Vincent 342; high triple, Louis Vincent 767; high average, Louis Vincent 220.

Team high single, Vernon Auto Body - 141; high triple, Vernon Auto Body - 153.

"300" Club: Louis Vincent 342, Tim Murphy 309.

TEAM STANDINGS

Vernon Auto Body	298
Marauders	294½
Single Pins	293
Untouchables	287½

NOV. 12
Sunday Mixed 7-9

Women's high single, Donna Desmarais, high triple, Donna Desmarais 637, high average, Donna Desmarais 224.

Men's high single, Darren Francis 284, high triple, Paul Piche 711, high average, Marcel Gallon 241.

Team high single, Dodd's Bros. - 210; high triple, Dodd's Bros. - 314.

"300" Club: Donna Desmarais 301.

TEAM STANDINGS

Dodd's Bros	343½
Born Losers	300
Dykstra Ins.	296
Pin Ball Whizzards	285

NOV. 12
Y.B.C. Seniors

Women's high single, Allison Penner 302; high triple, Allison Penner 745; high average, Allison Penner 218.

Men's high single, Barry Koenig 318; high triple, Brian Woodroff 780; high average, Barry Koenig 227.

Team high single, B.S.C. 1185; high triple, B.S.C. 3367.

TEAM STANDINGS

Spit Fires	287½
B.S.C.	278½
Troo ers	260
Team Canadians	257½

100 Pins Over Av. - Doug Wood, av. 160, bowled a 262.

Bowler of the Week: Cathy Darroch av. 191, bowled 734 triple, 161 pins over av.; Brian Woodroff av. 217, bowled 780 triple, 129 pins over av.

November 13
Mon. Mixed 7-9

Women's high single, Linda Siulstad 263; high triple, Linda Siulstad 630; high average, Lil Jamieson 222.

Men's high single, Marcel Gallon 330; high triple, Grant Costigan 776; high average, Marcel Gallon 242.

Team high single, KC's Stereo 1480; high triple, KC's Stereo 3887.

"300" Club: Marcel Gallon 330, Grant Costigan 316.

TEAM STANDINGS

Pin Ups	301
Reid Heating	284½
Captains Choice	280½
Shooting Stars	276

November 13
Mon. Nite 9-11

Women's high single, Elsie Milton 321; high triple, May Turek 740; high average, May Turek 226.

Men's high single, Wayne Klippert 312; high triple, Ira Arnold 788; high average, Archie Turek 228.

Team high single, Jakes Mistakes 1360; high triple, Knockouts 3737.

"300" Club: Elsie Milton 321, Wayne Klippert 313, Len Chanley 304, "700" Club: Carole Wendel 704, May Turek 740.

TEAM STANDINGS

What Eagles	357
III Eagles	336
Knockouts	301
Aristocats	295½

NOV. 14
Tuesday Nite 9-11

Women's high single, Marg Forscutt 309; high triple, Marg Forscutt 735; high average, Paulette Stampe 212.

Team high single, Try Hards 189; high triple, Alley Cats 233.

"300" Club: Marg Forscutt 309, Betty Griffin 300.

"700" Club: Marg Forscutt 735.

TEAM STANDINGS

Alley Cats	322½
Del's Belles	310½
Good Shots	307
Pin Power	295

NOV. 14
Tuesday 7-9

Women's high single, Linda Hollins 283; high triple, Sharon Redlick 677; high average, Joan Allen 207.

Men's high single, Ron Trask 344; high triple, Frank Gration 822; high average, John Tykalovich 248.

Team high single, Marv's VI 1360; high triple, Sweathogs 3896.

"300" Club: Ron Trask 344; Peter Nicholles 314; Frank Gration 822.

TEAM STANDINGS

Four Roses & a Prickle	352½
Geniers TV	322½
Winsomes	321
Dalf	290½

NOV. 14
Tuesday Coffee

Women's high triple, Grace Koselowski 713; high single, Inez Buchanan 315; high average, Lil Jamieson +227.

Team high single, Maypo +189; high triple, Frankenberry +198.

"300 Club": Inez Buchanan 315.

"700 Club": Grace Koselowski 713, Inez Buchanan 712.

TEAM STANDINGS

Frosted Flakes	312
Frankenberry	306½
Lucky Charms	298½
Maypo	293½
Captain Crunch	286½

Four Kokanees attend U.S. meet

Four female members of the Vernon Kokanee Swim Club recently attended an age group meet in Spokane.

Jennifer and Jill Strachan, Jodi Peshko, and Margie Potyrala competed in the meet, sponsored by the Eastern Washington Recreation Association.

More than 400 swimmers competed and the Kokanees did well, bringing home several medals and certificates.

FIVE MEDALS

Potyrala brought home five medals. She finished third in 50m freestyle, third in 200m backstroke, third in 200m individual medley, fourth in 100m butterfly, and fourth in 100m backstroke.

Jennifer Strachan earned an 'A' certificate in 50m backstroke, a third-place medal in 100m backstroke, fifth in 100m butterfly, and sixth in 200m freestyle.

Jill Strachan won a fifth-place medal in the 200m butterfly while Peshko received an 'A' certificate in the 50m backstroke.

BAD WEATHER

The swimmers, chauffeured by Bernice Strachan, had to brave unusually cold weather and a blizzard on the way home.

Kokanees will be hosting the Snowflurries Meet, on Saturday and Sunday, at the Recreation Complex pool.

LOOK BACK FIVE YEARS

NOVEMBER, 1973

The provincial fish and wildlife branch has approved a new fee schedule for British Columbia hunting and fishing licenses which could in many cases result in tripling of current rates.

WVHL STANDINGS

TEAM	W	L	T	Pts
Coldstream Hotel Sabres	5	1	1	11
Lotus Gardens	4	1	2	10
Lumby Flying Frenchmen	4	2	1	9
Peerless Pipe Blades	4	2	1	9
Allison Smokeaters	1	5	1	3
Rene's Place Barons	0	7	0	0

TOP 10 SCORERS

NAME TEAM	G	A	Pts
Tom Williamson, Lotus	9	9	18
Jeff Shirley, Allison	6	9	15
Steve White, Coldstream	9	4	13
Ray Horochuk, Lotus	5	6	11
Willie Madden, Peerless Pipe	5	5	10
Wally Fisher, Peerless Pipe	4	6	10
Terry Sammartino, Peerless Pipe	5	4	9
Bruce Ritchie, Lotus	5	4	9
Wayne Brown, Peerless Pipe	3	6	9
Dan Horochuk, Lotus	2	7	9

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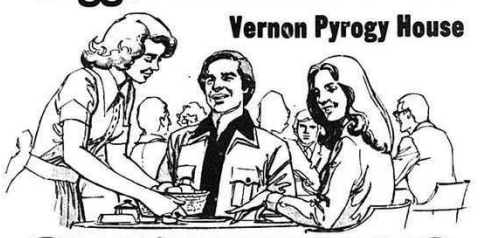

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3rd Prize: $10.00 gas at Al's Esso

Runner-Up Prizes: All correct answers received will receive a ticket to the Tuesday, November 28th game between Vernon Canadians and Penticton Vees. All entries must be brought in to McDonalds, Vernon, or the Vernon Daily News by midnight Saturday, November 25th. Draw will be made Sunday, November 26 with prize winners announced in the Vernon Daily News on Monday, November 27th.

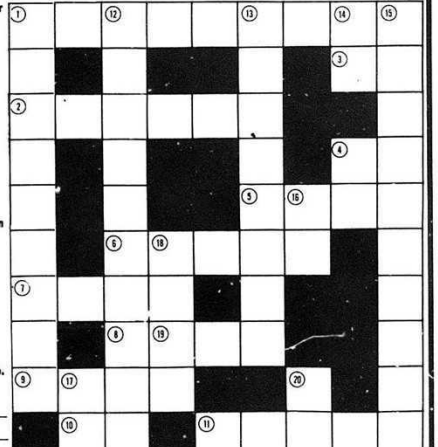
CLUES:

DOWN

1. The Canadians' captain
4. Initials of Philadelphia's Callander
12. Ex-Philadelphia Flyer retired this year
13. Last name of one of the Maple Leafs
14. Initials of an ex-Vernon player whose brother is a NHL captain.
15. One of the Winnipeg Jets.
16. A pronoun
17. Initials of a player cut last week in Vernon.
18. Initials of New York's Duguay.
19. First name of ex-Vernon player now with New York Rangers.
20. Initials of a Vernon right winger.

ACROSS

1. One of the Canucks.
2. First name of a Vancouver defenceman
3. Initials of ex-NHLer Ubracio.
4. Initials of Vernon's Hascari.
5. Blight's first name.
6. Pittsburgh Penguins' captain answers to this.
7. Proof of ownership.
8. First name of ex-Boston defenceman Flaman.
9. One of the Red Wings answers to this.
10. Initials of Washington Capitals' Rowe.
11. A Vernon left winger.



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