

BROOMBALL CHAMPS

B.C. Tel Polecats captured the Winter Carnival All-Girls Broomball Championship by defeating Finning Foxes 2-1 in action downtown last Friday. Jubilantly displaying their trophies are front from left, Debbie Klassen, Nancy Atkinson, Sue Sheldon, and Laurie Van der Wall. Back row from left are, Coach Randy Page, Connie Forbes, Donna Hlookoff, Pam Minor, Sandy MacDonald, Jo Simpson, Marianne Witzke, Cynthia Horchuk, Pat Kraal and Coach Ed Poirier.(Daily News Photo)

Lafleur sets up winner as Habs defeat Bruins

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Montreal Canadiens' captain Serge Savard paid team-mate Guy Lafleur the supreme compliment.

"He's still the best — he was made for this game," Savard said Sunday night after Lafleur set up the winning goal in the Canadiens' 3-2 National Hockey League victory over Boston Bruins.

The Bruins outplayed the defending Stanley Cup champions most of the way and led 2-1 after two periods. However, Montreal pulled into a 2-2 tie at 10:03 of the third period as Mark Napier scored on a quick flip of a rebound on a shot by Pierre Mondou.

Then, the Bruins were stung. Suddenly, Lafleur went to the boards behind the Boston goal. He passed out quickly and Pierre Larouche, left uncovered, struck for his 34th goal of the season.

"How many players in this league can make a pass like that?" asked Boston coach Fred Creighton. "All he did was touch the puck and bing."

LEAFS REBOUND

Elsewhere, Toronto Maple Leafs defeated Detroit Red Wings 4-1, Chicago Black Hawks edged Pittsburgh Penguins 3-2, Atlanta Flames dumped Colorado Rockies 6-1, Philadelphia Flyers tripped Los Angeles Kings 6-2, Minnesota North Stars trounced Hartford Whalers 6-2, New York Rangers defeated Quebec Nordiques 3-1 and Edmonton Oilers and Winnipeg Jets tied 2-2.

On Saturday, Vancouver Canucks edged the Canadiens 4-3, Los Angeles blasted Toronto 7-2, Boston won 5-2 over Chicago, Philadelphia shaded Detroit 6-5, New York Islanders blanked the Nordiques 5-0, the North Stars trimmed Pittsburgh 5-2 and St. Louis Blues upset Buffalo Sabres 3-2.

"We showed a lot of spirit after losing (to Vancouver) with a minute and a half to go Saturday night," said Montreal coach Claude Ruel. "Coming in here and facing this club, we didn't want to open up too much early. We were trying to play safe, defensively."

Leaf 6 Wings 1

Dan Maloney scored twice and Paul Gardner knocked in his 100th career goal to help Toronto rebound from its loss to Los Angeles the previous night and snap a four-game losing streak. Detroit outshot Toronto 35-23 but botched several good scoring opportunities.

Hawks 3 Penguins 2

Goals by Rich Preston and Grant Mulvey in a 64-second span in the third period lifted the home club to the win. The loss was the fifth in a row and the 13th in 16 games for the struggling Penguins.

Jets 2 Oilers 2

Mark Messier fed a perfect goal-mouth pass to centre Ron Chipperfield with less than five minutes to play and Edmonton's captain directed the puck into a top corner to lift the Oilers to the tie.

DAILY NEWS SPORTS ALERT

INTERMEDIATE MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

At Fulton: 8:45 p.m., Sun 49ers vs. Dynamos and Happy Hitters vs. Riverside Rowdies.

HONEYMOONERS' VOLLEYBALL

At Recreation Complex: 7 p.m., Bumpers vs. Up-n-atoms; 8 p.m., Crazy Eights vs. IKS; 9 p.m., Opposition vs. Lost Again.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

At VSSS: 7:15 p.m., Blue Denims vs. Falconettes; 8:30 p.m., B.C. Tel Polecats vs. Westside Grocery.

WOSEN'S BROOMBALL

At Centennial Rink: 7 p.m., Peavey Sound vs. Crusaders; 8 p.m., Alley Cats vs. Big Time Operators.

MAJOR MEN'S BASKETBALL

At Recreation Complex: 7:15 p.m., Lo-Cost Lumber vs. Coldstream Hotel; 8:30 p.m., Paddington Station vs. Trophy Gallery.

MAJOR MEN'S VALLEYBALL

At Seaton: 7 p.m., Vercom vs. Five-plus-one and Toros vs. Allens; 8:45 p.m., Nads vs. Teachers Scotch and Lagers vs. Wasters.

PVHL

10 p.m., Civic Arena, Raiders vs. Super Valu Flames.

FOR OLYMPIC GAMES

Boycott would be fatal

LAKE PLACID, N.Y. (AP) - "A boycott is the best way to kill the Olympic Games," said Monique Berlioux, director of the International Olympic Committee, as the committee prepared to spend all day today discussing President Carter's request to move the Games from Moscow.

Signs were that the IOC would reject Carter's plea, heavily underlined by State Secretary Cyrus Vance in a controversial speech at the opening of the IOC session, to move or cancel the games if the Soviet troops are not pulled out of Afghanistan.

"We should try to unite, not disunite," Berlioux said at a news conference.

The controversy over the Moscow Games, scheduled to open next July 19, is dominating the IOC session which precedes the Winter Games here. Lord Killanin, IOC president, has said repeatedly that the Games must stay in Moscow.

More than 70 of the 89 members of the self-elected, self-perpetuating IOC are expected to attend today's meeting. Killanin delayed discussion of the Moscow issue until a maximum attendance was assured.

Robert Kane and Col. Don Miller, president and executive-director of the U.S. Olympic Committee, were to present Carter's case.

They have already explained their position before the IOC executive board, arguing that the Russians have betrayed Olympic principles by intervening in Afghanistan and that Moscow is not a suitable place for an Olympic Games.

Most IOC members said they were bitterly angry over Vance's speech — a purely political speech which they claimed was unprecedented in Olympic history — and took the view the Moscow Games must be confirmed so the IOC can preserve its non-political traditions.

"This speech will unite the IOC," said Willi Daume of West Germany.

In his speech Saturday night, Vance said the Summer Olympics should be moved from Moscow since it was the capital of an invading country.

"To hold the Olympics in any nation that is warring on another is to lend the Olympic mantle to that nation's actions," Vance said.

An honorary vice-president of the U.S. Olympic committee, Vance said the Games and symbolized peace from their beginnings.

"In the view of my government, it would be a violation of this fundamental Olympic principle to conduct or attend Olympic Games in a nation which is currently engaged in an aggressive war, and has refused to comply with the world community's demand to halt its aggression and withdraw its forces."

Bean earns top money at Hawaiian tournament

HONOLULU (AP) — Lee Trevino, who ranks second on golf's all-time money list, admits "I'm not a long hitter off the tees."

He figured that in his 1980 debut he could beat one of the long-hitting leaders — but not both of them — and the Merry Mexican from Texas was right.

Andy Bean, all 6-foot-4 and 210 pounds of him, won the $125,000 Hawaiian Open on Sunday by shooting birdies on all four of the par-five holes for a final-round 66 and a tournament record 22-under-par 266.

Bean, from Haines City, Fla., birdied the first three holes Sunday at the Waialae Country Club course, and left 210-pound George Burns far behind.

The two long hitters had been tied at the end of the third round at 200 and Trevino figured he could beat one of them.

"Long hitters can make a mistake and figure they have four long par five holes to make it up," said Trevino, who has won more than $2 million in Professional Golfers Association events.

He did outscore Burns, winner of the Bing Crosby the previous week, but the two-time U.S. Open champion could not overtake Bean.

CAME CLOSE

Trevino came close before taking two strokes to get out of the trap for a bogey on the 16th hole and then watched Bean sink a 50-foot putt for a birdie on the 17th.

Both birdied the 18th and Trevino finished second by three strokes at 269, the third-best round ever shot in the 15-year history of the Hawaiian Open.

Bean's 283, worth $58,500, was one stroke better than Hubie Green shot here a year ago in winning his second straight Hawaiian title.

Dan Halldorson of Shilo, Man., fired a final-round 68 for a 281 total and collected $1,533. Dave Barr of Kelowna, B.C., had a 275—283 and Jim Nelford of Burnaby, B.C., a 68—285. Barr won $647, while Nelford won $655.

Trevino picked up $35,100 for his second-place finish.

Ed Sneed shot a final-round 68 for a 270 and third place at $22,100.

Burns wound up in a tie for fourth, shooting a 71 for a 271 total. He and Mark Lye, who finished with 67—217, both collected $14,300.

Borg is a hit in Grand Slam

BOCA WEST, Fla. (AP) — Not only does Bjorn Borg own a private island, a home in Monte Carlo and a bank account in the millions — the 23-year-old Swede also owns Vitas Gerulaitis and the $300,000 Grand Slam of Tennis.

Borg captured his fourth straight title Sunday by pounding out a 6-1, 5-7, 6-1 victory over Gerulaitis in a match worth $150,009, biggest prize in tennis.

That brought Borg's career record to 16-0 against Gerulaitis, a flashy New Yorker who took home $75,000. It also added to Borg's stash of four Wimbledon titles, four French Opens, two Italian Opens and one Grand Prix Masters championship.

Borg also happens to own an island in the Baltic Sea off the southern coast of Sweden. International Management Group, which handles his affairs, estimates he's the highest paid athlete in the world. In 1979, he earned $3 million, half from prize money and half from endorsements.

Borg, the world's No. 1 ranked player, was at home on the slow, clay surface, spraying his savage top-spin ground strokes all over the court. The quick Gerulaitis, ranked No. 4, covered the court well, but his aggressive charges to the net were often answered by scything Borg passing shots.

"On this court, when you come in it must be an almost perfect approach shot," said Borg, who ripped 24 winners off his bullet forehand and two-fisted backhand. "Vitas came in on not such good shots, and I had an easy time making passing shots."

Gerulaitis, who wasn't helped by an erratic forehand and seven double faults, appeared unsure whether to battle Borg from the baseline or the net.

"When you come to the net, he passes you; when he needs a big serve he gets it — he just plays the big points well."

As for his 16-match losing streak, Gerulaitis said: "It's a little frustrating, but he is the No. 1 player in the world. If I lost to No. 600 I'd really be ticked off."

Buckaroos hammer Sockeyes

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Chilliwack Colts and Kelowna Buckaroos had one thing in common during weekend B.C. Junior Hockey League action — high-scoring victories.

Brent Shaw scored four goals Sunday to lead Kelowna Buckaroos to a 15-3 victory over the visiting Richmond Sockeyes. Kelowna broke an early 1-1 tie by scoring four goals in the last half of the first period.

Mike Sapach and Mitch Wilson each scored two goals for the winners. Singles came from Rick Valdarchi, Eric Sanford, Dave McConnell, Tim Turner and Bruce Cullen.

Mickey Candler, Dave Williams and Jim Thon scored for Richmond.

Howard Schlaimb scored three goals Saturday to lead Chilliwack Colts to a 9-2 rout of Abbotford Flyers. Loyal Goodey, Shawn Protopetz, George McVittie, Doug Trotzak, Tim Kolner and Doug Miles scored singles for the winner. Steve Lapointe and Rob Roflick scored for Abbotford.

The Sockeyes edged the Rockets 4-3 Saturday in Revelstoke. Mickey Candler scored twice for the winner with one goal each from Brad Rand and Jim Thom. Bob Wensley, Elton Allen and Jay Kozak scored for Revelstoke.

Merritt Centennials were inhospitable hosts Sunday, edging the Rockets 5-4. Rich Norberg scored two goals for Merritt, with Tony Pontarollo, Rich Mettler and Mark Sochatsky adding singles. Norm Meyer replied with a pair for Revelstoke.

U.S. speed skater captures world title

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Eric Heiden, proving again why he is hailed as the greatest speed skater ever, primed for an assault on five Olympic gold medals by winning the world sprint championship an unprecedented fourth straight time Sunday.

Runner-up was Gaeten Boucher of Quebec City.

Heiden, of Madison, Wis., favored by many to win all five events he will enter in the Winter Olympics in Lake Placid, N.Y., starting Wednesday, won convincingly in both the men's 500-and 1,000-metre races.

Heiden lost his first race of the two-day competition Saturday when unheralded Olympic team-mate Tom Plant of West Allis, Wis., won the men's 500. But Heiden, second in that race, stormed back to win Saturday's 1,000 and re-establish his superiority.

Karin Enke of East Germany, 18, virtually unknown until she swept both women's races Saturday, clinched the women's championship by winning the women's 1,000-metre race Sunday in one minute, 27.19 seconds.

Defending champion Leah Poulos-Mueller of Dousman, Wis., won Sunday's women's 500 in 42.26 seconds, with Enke second. However, Poulos-Mueller finished only 12th in the 1,000.

Heiden won Sunday's men's 500 in 38.61 seconds, with fellow Olympian Dan Immerfall of Madison second and Boucher third.

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