

MEETING HERE TONIGHT

Junior referees boycott

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The B.C. Junior Hockey League's Interior Division hopes to resolve an officiating controversy at a pair of meetings scheduled tonight in Vernon.

Referees and linesmen in the Interior Division say they won't work BCJHL games because referee-in-chief Pat Clarke, of Naramata, was suspended indefinitely by the division's governing body.

Clarke was suspended after he was quoted by the Interior Herald as saying he was tired of

continual verbal abuse from owners, managers, coaches, referees, fans and the media.

He criticized the league for not suspending players who receive misconduct penalties and for not providing enough money for travel expenses.

LINESMEN BITTEN

He also complained about players who kicked, spat upon, and bit linesmen.

The referees will meet tonight, while the governing body discusses the problem in an adjacent room.

BCJHL President Vern Dye, of Vernon, feels the entire situation has been blown out of proportion.

"One important fact has been missed," Dye said. "Clarke resigned as head referee two weeks ago. We received no letter from Clarke with his complaints, he went straight to the media."

According to Dye, there is no possibility that any games will be cancelled. "We're meeting tonight with the purpose of reaching an agreement."

First game that could be affected is Thursday when Merritt Centennials host Kelowna

Buckaroos. On Friday, Vernon Lakers entertain the Centennials.

Dye denied that Clarke was suspended. "The only body that can suspend a referee is the B.C. Amateur Hockey Association," he said. "The divisional governors relieved Clarke of his duties."

Clarke was not available for comment but Roy Remberg, a senior BCJHL official in Kelowna said referees in other BCJHL centres will back the boycott.

He said he didn't agree with Clarke's statements to the media but he doesn't feel his suspension is justified.

"It has gotten this far because we've been able to get into a meeting with the league or set up any form of communication," he said.

"Clarke was justified in going to the press because he couldn't get the league to react to his complaints. Coaches complain about officials constantly in the media but when one of us does the same, we're suspended."

Remberg said the officials want a referee-in-chief who is a member of the league's disciplinary committee.

Snowmobilers host display

Vernon Snowmobile Association kicks off its 1980-81 season with a display from Thursday to Saturday, at Village Green Mall.

In addition to the 1981 snowmobiling display, the club will be selling Great Snowmobile Lottery Tickets, club memberships, and tickets to the first dance of the season.

TO HAWAII

Prizes in the lottery include a trip for two to Hawaii, plus six 1981 snowmobiles.

Proceeds from the draw will go to the B.C. Crippled Children Fund and the B.C. Snowmobile Association for the promotion of family snowmobiling.

The dance is scheduled Nov. 8, at St. Vladimir's Hall. Tickets are \$10 per person and live music will be provided.

Spokesman George Copeland told the Daily News the association is looking forward to a great winter.

"The work we did during the off-season should ensure an active, and safe, season for our members," he said.

The summer work included trail preparation, improvement to the Silver Star and Armstrong snowmobile chalets, and maintenance to grooming equipment.

For further information on any club projects, phone 545-7650 or 545-6767.



FORMER MISS B.C. LION

Dorothy Jansen recently kicked off the Great Snowmobile Lottery when she attempted to ride a snowmobile across salt water from Vanier Park to Sunset Beach, in Vancouver, clad in a bathing suit made of lottery tickets.

Vernon's Snowmobile Association is among more than 50 clubs in the province taking part in the lottery.



HOOF BEATS
with Jeanno White

A weekly column to aid the novice horseperson.

BAD HABITS

Cribbing, or crib-biting, and wind-sucking are unpleasant habits that some owners of horses that are stabled encounter. This is not to say that horses do not do this when outside as well, but unless they are confined to a small paddock with little feed they will not do it to much.

Cribbing takes the form of a horse hooking his upper front teeth over an object such as a post or edge of a stall door, arching his neck and leaning back to make the muscles around the neck get bigger and sucking air into his stomach. It is really revolting to see and hear a horse indulging in this sort of pecking. The cribber will often chew up any available wood which quickly makes a mess of stalls and fences.

WHY DO THEY DO IT?

This is a hard question to answer. One suggestion would be that it is because the horse is not allowed to be in his natural state and the confinement for some of them produces a nervousness which is shown in this manner.

It is a fact, though, that like a weaver, a cribber can learn it from watching another horse performing it. Foals can pick it up from a mother as can other stabled horses who watch.

Obviously not all of them do which would indicate that most are quite content with their confinement while the horse finds it distressing. Sometimes it will just start with boredom or lack of food available when the horse wants it. He starts to chew on wood and develops the habit. In their natural state, horses graze and move about fairly constantly, sleeping actually only about four hours in 24 and not all at one time.

SOLUTION

As horses who develop this habit are generally poor keepers, they are unhealthier and live shorter lives than the horses who do not crib and wind-suck. It is considered an unsoundness and the condition should be reported to a prospective owner when selling a horse.

The method most often employed to counteract this problem is the use of a cribbing strap. These can be obtained from saddlers and are designed to be more comfortable and more effective than the ordinary strap, such as a wide stirrup leather which is also used. Whatever is used, the strap should be at least two inches wide and is placed around the neck quite snugly.

After putting it on, watch the horse when he tries to crib. If he doesn't make his usual grunting sound it is probably tight enough. If he has trouble swallowing then it could be too tight. Raise up his water and feeding buckets and try to get rid of any projections or things which he can hook his teeth over. Electric fencing will most certainly discourage the habit and save your stalls and fences.

CORRECTION

The address, as printed in my column, for the S.P.C.A. memberships was incorrect and the following is the correct one: The Treasurer, Vernon Branch SPCA, 1904-21st Ave., Vernon, B.C.

An application has gone to the telephone company for a phone, however, we are advised it will take about three weeks. The number will be published as soon as it is known. In the meantime, please use pay stations for the current number each week.

COMING EVENTS

The first general meeting of the SPCA will be held at W.L. Seaton School on Nov. 19, at 7:30 p.m. Films and speakers will be on hand as well as coffee and refreshments. All are most welcome - please come.

The B.C. Horse Council will be having a general meeting Nov. 16, at 10 a.m., in the Hut K-5 at the Army Camp (Okanagan College) on Mission Hill. This is a good idea to be important to all horse people. We need your opinion and input so please make a point of trying to attend this one.

Remember that Halloween is on Friday night. If your horses are near a built-up area, it might be a good idea to be there at least for the early part of the evening. They can be badly frightened by fireworks and, as it seems to be a night when some people turn a bit wild, anything can happen!

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Gas Safety Branch
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Tel: 875-7531

Regional District of North Okanagan
BY-LAW No. 381

A By-law authorizing and permitting retail businesses within Electoral Area "B" to carry on a certain class of retail business, to sell or offer for sale a certain class of goods or services in a retail establishment, or to admit the public to a retail establishment, on a holiday, or during specified hours on a holiday.

WHEREAS there is in force in the Province of British Columbia the "Holiday Shopping Regulation Act"; and whereas those retail businesses permitted under Section 2 of the said Act to carry on retail business or admit the public to a retail establishment on a holiday;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board of a Regional District may with the assent of the electors, adopt a By-law in respect of retail business, other than scheduled business, permitting a person:

(a) to carry on a certain class of retail business;

(b) to sell or offer for sale a certain class of goods or services in a retail establishment; or

(c) to admit the public to a retail establishment; on a holiday or during specified hours on a holiday;

AND WHEREAS it is the desire of the Regional Board of the Regional District of North Okanagan to permit persons within Electoral Area "B" of the Regional District of North Okanagan operating retail businesses or establishments in addition to those scheduled businesses recited in the aforementioned Act to:

(a) carry on a certain class of retail business;

(b) sell or offer for sale a certain class of goods or services in a retail establishment; or

(c) admit the public to a retail establishment; on a holiday or during specified hours on a holiday;

NOW THEREFORE, the Regional Board of the Regional District of North Okanagan, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

- This By-law may be cited as the "Electoral Area "B" Holiday Shopping Regulation By-law No. 381, 1980".
- That those persons within Electoral Area "B" operating a retail business and a retail establishment as defined in the "Holiday Shopping Regulation Act" shall be permitted and are authorized to do the following on a holiday regardless of the total sales and display area or the number of persons to serve the public throughout each year commencing the 1st day of January, 1981:
 - carry on a retail business;
 - sell or offer for sale goods or services in a retail establishment; and
 - admit the public to a retail establishment.
- Except as expressly defined herein for the purposes of this By-law "holiday", "retail business", "retail establishment" shall have the same meaning as recited in the "Holiday Shopping Regulation Act" for the Province of British Columbia.

READ A FIRST TIME this 22nd day of October, 1980.
READ A SECOND TIME this 22nd day of October, 1980.
READ A THIRD TIME this 22nd day of October, 1980.
ASSENT OF THE ELECTORS given this ___ day of ___, 1980.

RECONSIDERED, FINALLY PASSED AND ADOPTED this ___ day of ___, 1980.

Chairman _____ Secretary-Treasurer _____

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NORTH OKANAGAN

NOTICE OF A BY-LAW FOR THE ASSENT OF THE ELECTORS

Take Notice that the above is a true copy of a proposed By-law on which the vote of the electors of Electoral Area "B" of the Regional District of North Okanagan will be taken at the Recreation Centre, 3110 - 37th Avenue, Vernon, B.C., and at the B.X. Elementary School, Silver Star Road, Vernon, B.C., on the 15th day of November, 1980, between 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon;

And an Advance Poll will be open on Thursday and Friday, the 13th and 14th days of November, 1980, between the hours of 8:30 o'clock in the forenoon and 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Regional District of North Okanagan, 2903 - 35th Avenue, Vernon, British Columbia, for those who, being duly qualified electors, sign a statement that:

- they expect to be absent from the municipality on polling day; or
- they are, for reasons of conscience, prevented from voting on polling day;
- through circumstances beyond their control, they will not be able to attend the poll on polling day.

And that Peter Mackiewicz has been appointed Returning Officer for the purpose of taking and recording the vote.

Of which every person is hereby required to take Notice and to govern himself accordingly.

And take notice that all persons requiring further explanation to the By-law may contact the Secretary-Treasurer during regular working hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday) at the Regional District of North Okanagan office, 2903 - 35th Avenue, Vernon, British Columbia.

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The Vernon Acutruss Bantam Reps could be the team to watch this year in inter-city bantam hockey play.

Team members are, front from left, David Munk, Clayton Adams, Jeff Finley, John Barber, Bruce Major,

TEAM OF THE WEEK

Chris Saunders and Darrell Houston, Middle Row, from left are, Kevin Campbell, Robbie Neid, Tony Toth, Brent Gilchrist, Les Olson and Henry Reimer. Back row, from left, are coach Bob Major and coach George Faragher.

DAILY NEWS

MINOR SPORTS

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BANTAM WIN A PAIR

Peewees fill net in two weekend games

The Vernon Watkins Motor peewee reps have been awesome offensively this year, and this weekend was no exception as they outscored their opposition 33-3 in a pair of OMMHA league games.

A 9-2 thrashing of Merritt, Sunday and a 2-1 wipe-out of Rutland, Saturday pushed the Vernon teams goals per game average past the eleven mark.

Sunday, Watkins put the game out of reach early, jumping to a 5-0 first period lead.

Troy Mick paced the Vernon scoring with a pair of goals, singles went to Derek Webb, Dennis Holland, Michel Novak, Jay Stark, Jason Holweg, Murray Head, and Steven Schroeder.

Trevor Hunchak replied with both Merritt goals.

Saturday, Vernon dominated the whole game holding period leads of 7-0 and 15-1.

Mick and Schroeder had four goals each and Webb, Alan Graves, and David Calder, with three each, were the offensive standouts. Novak added a pair while Head, Holland, Rich Anderson, and Wes Elliot counted singles. Holland was top playmaker with four assists, while Mick added three.

The Vernon Acutruss Flyers had a little bit more trouble in recording wins in their two weekend league games. The bantam rep team barely got by Pentiction, 10-7, and Salmon Arm 4-2.

In Sunday's game the locals were hard pressed against a stubborn Pentiction squad and needed five third period goals to edge the Peach City team. The score was tied at 3-2 after one period, with Pentiction holding a 6-5 second period lead.

Bruce Major was the offensive leader with three goals and three assists for Vernon, Henry Reimer and Dale Danalanki each counted a goal and three assists. Chris Saunders, Les Olson, Don Balcombe, John Barber and Tony Toth also had solo efforts.

Bobby Kollman had a big game for Pentiction with four goals, David Carlson added a pair and David Garnett notched a single.

In the nets, the goalies had a busy time of it. Pentiction's Jeff Dunn and Stacey Penton faced 51 Vernon shots, while Vernon's David Munk had to fend off 43 from Pentiction.

In Salmon Arm Vernon blew numerous power play opportunities but were still able to come out on top.

Major Reimer, Balcombe and Jeff Finley handled the Vernon scoring.

Wern Williams scored both Salmon Arm goals.

The Vernon Bloom and Sigatet Midget Reps had a tough time

over the weekend, dropping Merritt to a 7-7 tie and battling an 8-5 decision to Kamloops in OMMHA play.

Sunday, Merritt jumped to a 6-1 first period lead. Vernon came on strong in the final two frames narrowing the count to 7-4 after two periods and then coming close to stealing the game in the final period.

Tom Day led the Vernon scoring with a pair of goals, Reimer, Kevin Alchewie, Ray Duley, Greg Kowal and R. Harris rounded out the scoring.

D. Hunchak and M. Reimer scored three each for Merritt while W. Robbison added the solo effort.

In Kamloops, Saturday, the Vernon squad put up a good fight against a tough team, but penalties trouble put them behind early and they never recovered.

Kamloops held period leads of 3-1 and 5-3.

Duley and Rob Schaefer each scored a pair of goals for Vernon, while Jay added the single.

Vernon Coach Roger Schwing said, "We would have liked to have gotten out of the weekend with two points, but it wasn't to be. I am satisfied with the way we played. Everybody expected it to be a lot worse against Kamloops, but we skated with them in the second period and if we'd have done it the whole game and did away with early penalties we'd have given them a good run."

The Vernon Consumers Glass Pup Reps were blasted 15-3 by Kamloops over the weekend in their only game.

Kelly Reef, Tony Crozier, and

Danalanki, Keith Chase, Don Balcombe, manager Mel Major and coach George Faragher.

Bantam Reps 'looking good'

With a good mix of talent, experience and a willingness to work, the Vernon Acutruss Bantam Reps could be the next city team to win a provincial championship.

Last season, it was the Watkins Motors Peewee Reps that brought back the trophy and Bantam coach Bob Gregorash and George Faragher are looking on that team, as well as second year bantams to help the team go all the way this year.

"I don't see any reason why we shouldn't be able to take the championship," Gregorash said, "the team is looking good."

"Gregorash is unwilling to name standout individuals because he feels the team effort is so important.

"They're really willing to work," he said. "We've paid off. The Bantams have lost only one game since the beginning of the exhibition schedule to the North Shore Winter Club, Vancouver.

Offensively, the team is in good shape. They have a lot of high scorers and playmakers.

As much as possible, Gregorash said he has his lines together.

"We've tried to get at least two guys who played on the same line last year together this season," said Gregorash. "That way they're used to working with each other."

If there is a problem, it could be the size of some of the players like winger Kevin Campbell and a few others. Gregorash said his smaller players still have some growing to do and their aggressive style more than makes up for their lack of stature.

"They've got a lot of heart."

On the blue line, Gregorash is expecting some minor problems

initially, but thinks his five defencemen will be as good as any squad in the league who have a little experience behind them.

Three defencemen are first year bantams with the other veterans of last season with the rep squad.

All the defencemen are big boys who know how to use their size in the checking department.

"They can all skate well, too," said Gregorash adding that they are hard workers and have good shots from the blue line.

He has confidence in both his goaltenders, Darrell Houston and David Munk.

"Barring any injuries we'll be alternating them from game to game," he said.

Another plus for the team is the self discipline they have exhibited in league games. They have kept their penalty time down to around 10 minutes.

On the administrative side, the two coaches and manager Mel Major have respect for one another in their ability to lead and guide the development of the young players.

"This team has the best

coaching of any in the league," said Major of Faragher and Gregorash.

"They both know hockey and they know how to teach hockey," he said. "Every kid on the team has respect for both of them."

Both Faragher and Gregorash have junior experience with Faragher playing most of his hockey in this area most recently with the Grindrod Elks of the North Okanagan Hockey League. Gregorash played most of his junior hockey in Weyburn, Saskatchewan and is currently on the RCMP team.

Gregorash is equally impressed with Major who is doing a "fantastic job" of organizing everything from the uniforms and equipment to the booking of tournaments and travel schedules.

"I don't know what I do without him," he said.

This year's edition of the Vernon Bantam Reps is clearly a team effort in their coaching through goaltending and with continued hard work and a little luck they could form Vernon's next provincial championship team.



ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Ramona Krause, 16, is having a great year so far in Youth Bowling play and has her eyes set on competing in the National Championships this coming May. Ramona, who has been bowling for 10

years, has an average of 222 after six weeks of play including high scores of 331 and 296. She is also active in YBC administration and is press secretary for the organization. (Daily News Photo)

Girls' field hockey results

With only one week remaining in junior girls' field hockey, the Hackers remain alone in first place after beating the Red Devils 2-0 in play at VSSS Saturday.

The Hackers are undefeated so far with three wins, and three ties giving them nine points.

The second place Giants were handed a 1-0 defeat by the Hot Shots in their play Saturday giving them a 5-1 record on the season.

Following the Giants are the Silver Stars, who are also undefeated with one win, and four ties for six points.

In fourth spot are the Hot Shots, who in picking up their first win Saturday, improved their record to 1-3-3 to notch a total of five points.

The Red Devils bring up the basement with a single point from a tie and five losses.

YOUTH BOWLING STANDINGS

YBC JETS

Team	Pts
Panthers	97
Proteus	73
Sevens-Balls	71
Overhalls	64
Cheerleaders	64
Lane Lines	43
Hot Shots	39
Hot Rollers	33
Wildcats	33
Cougars	31

YBC BANTAMS

Pin Power	108
Super Soles	89
Screechalls	89
Hot Shots	79-7
Allegoras	67
Cougars	67
Hot Stars	67
Kool Kats	56-7
Fantastic Five	54-9
Pyro's 3	45-7

YBC JUNIORS

Guster Brats	94-7
All Stars	81
SP1's	81
Horn Loosers	76-1
Hot Shots	76-1
Fire Balls	62-7
Short Circuits	62-7
Pros	47-7

Kokanees place third in weekend meet

The Vernon Kokanee Swim Club finished third behind the Vancouver Pacific and Kelowna Aqua-Jets in their first meet of the season held over the weekend in Kelowna.

Coach Tom Bryce was happy with the club's overall performance and noted that some of last year's top swimmers are back this year and are already improving their times.

Ken Kokanees qualified in various events for the B.C. Championships which are coming up in March.

Eden Yakeva, Jodi Palmer, Steven and Gary Vandermeulen, Jerry Willows, Phillip Schure, Jennifer Strachan, Jim Mordan and Randy Spelman all turned in qualifying times.

Standouts during the meet were Robbie Ames, who took the boys eight and under boys' age group, Nikki Pollock won the eight and under girls', Anthony Silva was the overall winner in the boys' nine and 11 division and Steven Vandermeulen was the most points in the 11 and 12 boys' division.

Minor hockey fund raising in Armstrong

There are four fund raising events upcoming in Armstrong in aid of minor hockey there.

Nov. 13, Armstrong Lanes will donate 50 per cent of the receipts from lane rental during public bowling. The lanes open to the public at 9 p.m. after league play is over.

The Armstrong Minor Hockey Association is sponsoring a skateathon in the Hasson Arena Nov. 15. Pledge sheets should be available starting late this week or early next week.

The Royal Canadian Legion, branch 25 in Armstrong, is sponsoring a cash bingo at the Legion Hall, Nov. 19. All proceeds will go to minor hockey.

The Association will hold a raffle and bake sale Dec. 13. First prize in the raffle is \$50 with a cut and perm from Wayne Ashton second and a turkey donated by Armstrong COOP as third.

Proceeds from all the fund raising events will be used to buy ice time for minor hockey in Armstrong.

Juveniles win easily

The Vernon Coca Cola Juvenile Reps came away with a convincing 10-1 win over Kamloops in their home opener in the Civic Arena, Saturday.

Vernon got two goals from Kevin Poirier with Dave Poirier, Norm Day, Ron Irtzman, Cliff Vetter, Terry

Schafer, Lamont Martel, Kerry Kogler and Blair Cooper adding singles. Allan Schwing had three assists for the winners.

Vernon got outstanding penalty kills from Schwing and Day and a steady performance by goaltender Brian Fester was what they team's blue line squad.

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HOT PURSUIT

Marnie Lett, left foreground, of the Giants, is pursued by Hotshots Tracy Huyvan, center and Gina Gull during weekend action in the junior girls' field hockey league. Hotshots came out on top in the game. (Daily News Photo)