



GOALTENDER Norm Schwing is one of four netminders trying to earn the number one spot on this year's version of

the Vernon Lakers of the B.C. Junior Hockey League. Schwing and the rest of the players will be out to prove

themselves at the team's intra-squad game, today at the Priest Valley Arena.

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INTRA-SQUAD GAME TONIGHT

Lakers trim roster

Vernon Lakers have their training camp roster trimmed to 39 in preparation for today's intra-squad game, at 4 p.m., in the Priest Valley Arena.

Among the 39 players remaining are four goaltenders, battling for two spots on the roster.

Lakers' Head Coach Murray Lawrence told the Daily News the four are on a par at the present time.

"No one has stood out more than the rest," Lawrence said. "We'll take a good look at all of them in the intra-squad game."

The netminders in contention are

Norm Schwing, who played with Vernon Juvenile Reps last season; Ron Skapski, a graduate of the Richmond Midget Reps; Darren Culling, who played junior hockey last year in Fort St. John; and Dave McMillan, who spent part of the 1981-82 season with the Quesnel junior A team.

Lakers' tier one affiliate, Kamloops Oilers, are expected to dispatch another five players to Vernon this weekend. And according to Lawrence, at least one of them will be a goalie.

"I hope to take a look at another

two or three goaltenders before our season gets under way," Lawrence said.

Neither of the incumbent netminders attended training camp. Shawn Oswald is trying out with Kelowna Red Wings, of the Western Hockey League, and Dale Woods has decided to remain home in Okanagan Falls and play with Oliver Bighorns, of the North Okanagan Hockey League.

Vernon's first regular season game will be Sept. 25, in Salmon Arm. Lakers' home opener is the following night when Salmon Arm visits the Civic Arena.

Clements' passing gives Ticats victory

TORONTO (CP) — Toronto Argonauts had every reason to feel confident their seven-game losing string against Hamilton Tiger-Cats would come to an end Friday night.



though. In the first half, they played a lot of zone and it was reasonably successful. The second half, they went man-on-man with us and did a lot of blitzes."

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