

Young forward signs with Lakers

Vernon Lakers, of the B.C. Junior Hockey League, today announced the signing of 17-year-old forward Robert Toye.

Toye had been playing with the Prince Rupert Kings Intermediate Hockey Team.

Lakers' Coach Murray Lawrence said he thinks Toye can help his club. "I watched him play in the Vernon Cougars' Tournament, in November, and he impressed me," Lawrence said. "He skates well and isn't afraid to go into the corners."

Toye, who stands 5'10", can play all

three forwards positions, but he will probably start at centre ice with Lakers. At practice Monday, he skated between Brent Doucette and Ken Fenton.

Meanwhile, centre Glen Doucette may be ready to play Friday night when Vernon hosts Revelstoke Rockets. Doucette has been sidelined six weeks with a separated shoulder.

Lawrence said, "Glen has to go to the doctor again this week to get the go-ahead. If we can get a proper brace for him, I think he'll play."

Lakers host Abbotsford Flyers, Saturday, and meet Shuswap Totems, in Salmon Arm, Sunday.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — Statistics released Monday by the B.C. Junior Hockey League:

STANDINGS

Coastal Division

	W	L	T	Pts
Abbotsford	29	3	1	59
New West.	26	6	0	52
Esquimalt	20	15	0	40
Burnaby	19	16	0	38
Richmond	13	21	2	28
Cowichan Val.	12	20	1	25
Langley	12	22	1	25

Interior Division

Kelowna	20	12	2	42
Penticton	19	14	0	38
Vernon	18	14	0	36
Shuswap	16	18	1	33
Revelstoke	7	24	0	14
Merritt	4	30	0	8

SCORING

	G	A	Pts
Shibicky, Abb	41	48	89
Ronning, NW	45	39	84
Vos, Abb	23	56	79
Mathiasen, Abb	32	42	74
Sheers, Bby	26	47	73
Graham, Bby	31	30	61
Nottingham, NW	28	31	59
Evans, Esq	18	41	59
Hull, Pen	24	29	53
Schluter, Kel	21	28	49

GOALTENDING

	G	GA	Ave.
Taylor, Kel	6	16	2.67
Kirby, Kel	7	20	2.86
Roach, NW	17	51	3.22
Moll, Vcr	7	24	3.41
Bradley, Abb	20	67	3.53
Jeffrey, Pen	16	54	3.69
Grant, Ver	9	31	3.83
Hankin, Shu	17	64	3.95