

Top team on Coast defeats Knights 4-1

Langley Eagles defeated Penticton Knights 4-1 in an exhibition B.C. Junior Hockey League game, Wednesday, in Langley.

Eagles lead the Coast Division while Knights currently share top spot in the Interior Division with Vernon Lakers.

Lakers get an opportunity to see how they stack up against Langley when they host the Coast squad next Wednesday in the Civic Arena.

Lakers maintain the instrument of their success this season has been the age of their team in comparison with the younger teams in the Interior. Langley

boasts a total of 14, 20-year-olds in its line-up.

The remaining players in the Eagles roster include a pair of 17-year-olds and three players who are 19. In sum, Eagles are collectively older than Lakers.

Eagles boast a record of 25 wins and six losses and lead their closest rival, Nanaimo Clippers, by 10 points.

Lakers have a 33-10 record and share first place with Penticton. However, Vernon has one game-in-hand.

Vernon is on the road for two league games this weekend, Friday in Penticton and Saturday in Salmon Arm, to meet the Totems.