



Port Moody Annual A2 Tournament for PeeWee, Bantam & Midget

June 4 - 7, 2009 • Port Moody Rec Centre



The PeeWee A2 Burrards went undefeated in the tourney.

Game 1: Thu. June 4 Port Coquitlam	6 - 5	MVP - <u>Renton Swick</u>
Game 2: Fri. June 5 Mission	10 - 8	MVP - <u>Kyle Toporchak</u>
Game 3: Sat. June 6 North Okanagan	7 - 3	MVP - <u>Owen Foord-Catterall</u>

PoCo was the real competition and so the first game was close. PoCo went up 3-0 early in the second period, but Vancouver refused to give up and fought back to tie things 4-4. Vancouver went ahead 5-4 early in the 3rd but PoCo tied it with 2 minutes left. Vancouver kept the pressure on and scored with 30 sec. on the clock for the victory.

The Mission game was not as close as the score indicates. After building up a big lead Vancouver let down a bit and Mission scored several goals late in the 3rd period.

The North Okanagan game was similar to the Mission game, but the Vancouver kids had learned their lesson and didn't let up, although North Okanagan scored at the final buzzer for a respectable finish.



Sun. June 7th - Gold Medal Game vs Port Coquitlam 5-4 Overtime Win MVP Niko Mottus

Vancouver came out of the gates flying and were up 3-1 early in the second period in a very evenly matched championship game. PoCo clawed their way back to a 3-3 tie at the midpoint of the 3rd. Vancouver put lots of pressure on PoCo and went up 4-3, but then Vancouver ran into penalty trouble and PoCo came back with a late goal to force overtime. About half way through the 5 minute sudden death overtime Owen Foord-Catterall picked up a loose ball in his own end, eluded a couple of checks and scored the winner on a breakaway.



Vancouver's defence was outstanding throughout the tournament with the Burrards playing the team game and covering for one another when someone got beat. The victory was truly a team effort where the parents had great difficulty picking an MVP for each game because every player contributed.

Tournament MVP - Renton Swick

Congratulations PWA2 Burrards on playing good lacrosse and winning an exciting tournament!