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## TEAM ONTARIO DEFENDS PEE WEE TITLE WHILE ALBERTA IS VICTORIOUS IN BRONZE

The 2012 Warrior Pee Wee Lacrosse Championships of Canada wrapped up with some exciting Lacrosse and impressive victories on August 11th at Iroquois Sports Centre in Whitby, Ontario.

Team Ontario returned to the gold medal game to defend their championship against Team BC. The first period consisted of great goaltending, solid defensive plays and hard hitting. Ontario finally took the lead with the first goal of the game coming from Brett Handsor with 1:12 left in the first period. Ontario built a 3-0 lead in the second period after they added two goals, one from Dyson Williams and one from Zackary Kearney. Team Ontario extended the lead to 4-0 with a goal from Joshua Dawick at the 6:40 mark of the third period, while B.C. got on the board with their first goal of the game at 4:39 of the third from Austin Wahl. Nolan Foote added an empty net goal with thirteen seconds left in the game to solidify the 2012 Warrior Pee Wee "A" Championship. Team BC's top scorers were Tyler Ewen with 14g, 13a for 27 points, 3rd in scoring and Austin Wahl with 10g, 11a for 21 points, 4th in scoring in the tournament in round robin play. Team Ontario's top scorer was Brett Handsor with 13g, 6a for 19 points 5th in scoring in the tournament in round robin play.

After losing a close game to Team BC in the semi-finals the day before, Team Alberta had to settle for playing for the Warrior Pee Wee "A" bronze medal. Team Alberta had matched up against Team Iroquois who had finished 4th in the round-robin portion of tournament. Team Iroquois was looking to avenge a 12-2 loss that they suffered to Alberta in the round-robin but got off to a slow start in the bronze medal game. Alberta jumped out to a 3-0 lead midway through the first period thanks to two goals from Harrison Tucker and one goal from Toron Eccleston. Iroquois responded with their first goal of the game from Marshall Powless, while Alberta counter attacked with two more before the end of the period from David Kope and Darwin Lakoduk. In the second period Alberta and Iroquois added two goals each making the score 7-3, with goals coming from Alberta's Heru Day and David Kope and Iroquois' Shendon Smith and Chase Scanlan. Team Alberta added four goals in the third period from Heru Day, Toron Eccleston, Skyler Wilson and Isaac Saniga to capture the 2012 Pee Wee "A" bronze medal. Albertas top scorers include Skyler Wilson 24g, 6a for 30 points, 1st in the tournament and Griffin Wilson, 18g, 9a for 27 points and 2nd in the tournament in round robin play. Iroquois' top scorer was Riley Miller 7g, 12a for 19 points and 6th in the tournament in round robin play.



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The Warrior Pee Wee “B” Championships were decided earlier in the day and provided a great level of competition. In the Warrior Pee Wee “B” gold medal game, Nova Scotia matched up against Manitoba. Team Nova Scotia took a 2-0 lead in the first period with one goal coming from Matthew Ormon and one goal coming from Glen Holmes. Down by two goals midway through the second period Manitoba was determined to stay in the game and added two goals within a three minute span to tie the game 2-2, with the goals coming from Casey Gregorchuk and Reese Ketler. At the 7:37 mark of the third period Nova Scotia took the lead with a goal from Tyson Carvery. Manitoba responded two minutes later with a goal to tie the game from Kyle MacWilliam. With less than two minutes left in the game Nova Scotia captain Jordan McKenna scored a goal that enabled his team to claim the 2012 Warrior Pee Wee “B” gold medal. Assistant captain Matthew Ormon led the way for Nova Scotia with 1g, 1a in the game. Manitoba’s Derik Cook had 2a in the loss to lead his team.

The Warrior Pee Wee “B” bronze medal championship game was the first game decided on August 11th at Iroquois Park Sports Centre. In this game Team Saskatchewan matched up against Team Quebec. After the first period Team Saskatchewan took a lead of 5-0 with goals coming from five different players. Saskatchewan extended their lead to 6-0 when Quinn Ingalls scored his second goal of the game. Team Quebec got onto the score board with their first goal of the game when Barry Cave scored before the end of the second period. In the third period Team Saskatchewan added goals from Adam Williams and Jadyn Park and Team Quebec added two goals from Troy Boyer. Team Saskatchewan had goals from six different players with Adam Williams with 2g, 1a and Jadyn Park with 1g, 2a leading the way. Troy Boyer led the way for Quebec with 2g.

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