

2010 B.C. AA Basketball Championships

Friday, February 26

Game 33 (Boys consolation)- L.V. Rogers Bombers 59 Holy Cross Crusaders 55- L.V. Rogers trailed for much of the game, but won the fourth-quarter 18-7 to pull out the victory. Senior forward Kean Silverthorne had seven points in the fourth-quarter and 15 of his 18 points in the second-half to lead the comeback. Another senior, Matt Irving had three treys and 17 points in the win. Surrey Holy Cross got a game-high 19 points from guard Luke Ehman and 12 more from guard Luke Ehman.

Game 34 (Girls consolation)- Windsor Dukes 58 Mount Elizabeth Eagles 56- Windsor led 31-22 at the half, but fell behind 41-40 entering the final quarter, setting the stage for Hayley Boulier to lead Windsor back into the lead. Boulier, a six-foot post, scored 10 of her team leading 24 points in the final ten minutes to clinch a narrow victory. Gabriela Koc-Spadaro had 15 for the winners, while Eagles got a big effort from guard Miranda Ross with 29, 18 of it in the second-half. Kristi Seaby also had ten for the losers.

Game 35 (Boys consolation)- Seycove Seahawks 59 Princess Margaret Mustangs 56- A pair of seniors led Seycove to a close win over Okanagan four qualifier, Penticton Princess Margaret. 6'6" Fedor Mikhailytchev and Daniel Asch each had 15 in the win, while Penticton was led by Ajay Rikhi. Quarter scores not available.

Game 36 (Girls consolation)- Samuel Roberts Titans 48 St. Michaels Jaguars 23- Victoria St. Michaels failed to score a point in the first-quarter and trailed 12-0 en route to a 48-23 whipping at the hands of the Titans. Titans' scoring was paced by senior Rachelle Broome with 17 as the only player in double figures. Similarly, Jaguars also had just one player in doubles, with Abbey Piazza getting 11.

Game 37 (Boys consolation)- Shawnigan Lake Stags 90 Columneetza Cougars 76- Columneetza had no answer for 6'8" Shavaan Sheldon, who scored 29 points to pace a high-scoring win. Shawnigan again got the bulk of their offence from the same two players, as Pat Eadie had 24 out of the guard spot. Shawnigan led 30-19 at the quarter and 49-40 at the half, with the rival Cougars getting a game leading 35 points from their own 6'8" big man, Harpreet Randhawa. Manpreet Randhawa and Mike Holm each had 13.

Game 38 (Girls consolation)- D.P. Todd Trojans 66 Carihi Tyees 62- The Trojans from Prince George got past the Vancouver Island champs behind a 26-17 margin in the third-quarter, to overcome a 33-28 first-half deficit. Better scoring balance by the Trojans was the factor, led by senior guard Ashley McMillan with 17 points, and a dozen each from Katlyn Roberts and Piper Hoekstra. McMillan led the third-quarter surge with nine. Carihi again was led by Emily Bryant with a 23-point game, before fouling out in the fourth quarter to slow comeback hopes. Alyssa Jackson also had 16 and Emily Bailey 13 for the Tyees.

Game 39 (Boys consolation)- Southridge Storm 76 St. Michaels Jaguars 67- This game was tied 28-28 at the half, but Surrey Southridge won it from the charity stripe, as rival Jaguars took 23 of 37 foul calls and Storm was 24 of 28 from the line, including ten-for-ten by senior perimeter gun Jordan Yee. Storm held a 24-5 points difference from the line, in addition Jaguars lost one of their normally top starters, Jamie Yorath to fouls, with just a single field-goal. Jordan Yee with 24

topped game scoring, while senior Jag Dhatt had 21 and Royce Holm 12. St. Michaels was led by Jure Erlic with 19 and 18 from Mitch Wiggins, to go with 14 by Tycho Mommsen-Smith.

Game 40 (Girls consolation)- Lambrick Park Pride 59 L.V. Rogers Bombers 52- Lambrick very slowly built on their lead, up 23-20 at the half, led in the game by 5'3" grade-10 guard Chelsea Strandlund with 17 points that included three treys. Another grade-10, 6'1" Tyger Holt had 15, along with ten each from Amy Acheson and Whitney Hamilton. L.V. Rogers got 15 from Ghez Naka and 14 from Sara Fuhr.

Game 41 (Boys consolation)- South Okanagan Hornets 61 Brentwood College 48- South Okanagan ran 11-straight points midway in the first-quarter to build a 17-6 lead they would never relinquish, and a 17-3 margin for the third-quarter salted the win away, with 6'2" grade-10 star Greet Gill the key figure in both the first and third-quarter runs, finishing with 23 points, while senior Bal Sidhu had 21 and Parry Aulakh 10. Mill Bay Brentwood got 18 from 6'9" grade-11 Ben Hindson, the tallest player in the 2010 championships.

Game 42 (Girls consolation)- Holy Cross Crusaders 58 Vernon Panthers 42- Holy Cross led 17-10 by the quarter and 28-16 at the half, steadily building on their lead behind the double-digit scoring of grade-11's Tessa Beauchamp with 13 and Jessica Villadiego with 12. Vernon was again led by Emily Kanester with a game-high 19 as the only player in double figures for her team.

Game 43 (Boys consolation)- Kamloops Sa-Hali Sabres 77 Prince Rupert Rainmakers 61- Co-captain Timo Sargent scored ten first-quarter points to lead 24-13 after ten minutes. Sargent finished with 18, while senior forward Ian Smith topped the win with 23 and Shane Toporowski added 15. Rainmakers' Tyler Verde topped both teams with 26 points, while Adrian Robinson had 15.

Game 44 (Girls consolation)- Sa-Hali Sabres 52 St. Thomas More Knights 37. Taiysha Worsfold only played half a game as Sa-Hali used their whole team in this win, but Worsfold, a grade-11 player who runs the offence with authority, still had 23 points, including 13 of 14 from the foul-line to up her tourney points to 102 in three games. Sa-Hali led 17-10 after a quarter and 21-20 at the half, fell behind in the early fourth quarter, but re-entered Worsfold to resume command of the game. Nicole Karstein added 11 for the winners, while St. Thomas More had 19 from grade-11 post Kamila Wojciechowski as the lone player in double figures.

Game 45 (Boys semi-final)- Vancouver Britannia Bruins 70 G.W. Graham Grizzlies 52- In a battle of the bears, the Bruins emerged victorious over their 'tougher namesakes' as Britannia dominated the second-half, after pretty well trading baskets in the first-half. The game was tied 20-20 at the quarter and Britannia led 31-29 by the half. The second-half domination was led by senior Semir Ibrahim with 14 of his team-leading 24 points, to go with 21 from Osaro Obaseki and 15 by Wayne Hoang. G.W. Graham lost their hottest player in the second-half to fouls, as Chris Thomson had ten points in the third-quarter, but was lost in the fourth. Thomson had 14 points for the game, second to teammate Micah Cockrill's 22 points.

Game 46 (Girls semi-final)- York House Tigers 75 Nechako Valley ViQueens 25- York House used typical aggressive pressure defence to limit the ViQueen offence and zip out to a 20-5 lead at the quarter. The outcome was never in doubt from this point, as grade-10 Laura Baker led a balanced attack for the Tigers with 19 points, while fellow grade-10 Alisha Roberts had 15 and returning 2009 tourney all-star Roya Assadi finished with ten. Senior Jalae Brophy had nine to top

the ViQueen offence. Nechako, with a thinner bench had four starters and five players in foul trouble late in the game.

Game 47 (Boys semi-final)- Richmond R.C. Palmer Griffins 96 Vernon Fulton Maroons 86- Griffins pulled away in the fourth-quarter, driven by lightning quick inside penetration and the ability to clear many of the offensive boards. The knife like drive-feeds of guard Billy Cheng, and the near flawless finish inside by fast-moving Vijay Dhillon and Ranjodh Hare with 19 points between them during a high-scoring final ten minutes. By contrast, Maroons were pressured on their efforts to penetrate down the stretch and depended to heavily as such on perimeter shots which ran hot and cold. Maroons led 67-65 entering the fourth quarter. For Griffins, Vijay Dhillon finished with 27, Hare had 19 and Cheng 26, along with 18 from Mike Zayas. Fulton's Brett Rouault topped all scorers with 35, teammate Dallas Pepper had 20 and Ben Olsen 13.

Game 48 (Girls semi-final)- Vernon Fulton Maroons 72 Mission Roadrunners 53- Fulton only led 25-23 at the half, but 6'2" senior Cassandra Brown took charge of the second-half for Fulton as she had 25 of her 35 points to enable the Maroons to lead 47-36 by three-quarters. Fellow senior Danica Rybachuk pitched in with 19 and Janice Phung had a dozen. Mission guard Angie Toor topped her team with 16, to go with 11 from Theresa Jacobse. This sets up the 2010 girls championship game as Okanagan champion Fulton meets a loaded Vancouver York House Tiger squad seeking a seventh B.C. title in the past ten years