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LOCAL SCENE

BMX

Results of Sunday's Supertrak BMX Club races held at Carrie Jane Gray Park:

Half Trackers

- 1. Austen Finlayson; 2. Michenna Birch; 3. India Paterson; 4. Layla
- 21-25 Cruiser
 - 1. Kevin Mueller; 2. Mathew Doerksen; 3. Joey Matzele

- 36-40 Cruiser
 - 1. Scott Parlee; 2. Chris Ramsay; 3. Andrew Thibodeau; 4. Clint Bernier
- 11-year-old Expert
 - 1. Lyden Chartrand; 2. Cameron Andrist; 3. Nathan Findlay; 4. Brady Anderson; 5. Zach Parlee

- 14-year-old Expert
 - 1. Haydon Albright; 2. Cole Doerksen; 3. Johnathon Graham
- 17-18 Expert
 - 1. Tyrel Findlay; 2. Shane Vanderlinde; 3. Ashley Connors

- 15 Girls
 - 1. Shayna Findlay; 2. Katrina Framst; 3. Stephanie Bernier
- 41-and-over Cruiser
 - 1. Michelle Finlayson; 2. Denise Matzele; 3. Wendy Fram

- Intermediate
 - 1. Austen Nickerson; 2. Alyssa Goulet; 3. Keenan Scott; 4. Connor Normandeau; 5. Cole Patterson

- 12 Intermediate
 - 1. Marty Vanderlinde; 2. Harrison Meredith; 3. Vasko Georgiev; 4. Joshua O'Neill

- 14 Intermediate
 - 1. Nicholas Bernier; 2. Taylor Pacaud; 3. Dagan Scott
- 28-and-over Intermediate
 - 1. Peter Chokowski; 2. James Paterson; 3. Jamie Parker

- 5-and-under Novice
 - 1. Damian Georgiev; 2. Kofi Finlayson; 3. Brandon Larson; 4. Ethan Porter; 5. Danielle Garner; 6. Linden Birch; 7. Gabie Paterson

- 7 Novice
 - 1. Loic St. Denis; 2. Lucas Normandeau; 3. Liam Spagrud
- 10 Novice
 - 1. Riley Anderson; 2. Alex Framst; 3. Bretton McGinnis

BOHL

RBC Royal Bank Cup Champions

VICTORIA — Past winners of the Royal Bank Centennial Cup, awarded annually to the national champions of Canadian Junior "A" hockey, with year, team and league in parentheses:

- Royal Bank Cup
 - 2007-08 - Vernon Vipers (BCHL)
 - 2008-09 - Humboldt Broncos (SJHL)
 - 2006-07 - Aurora Tigers (OJHL)
 - 2005-06 - Burnaby Express (BCJHL)
 - 2004-05 - Weyburn Red Wings (SJHL/Host)
 - 2003-04 - Aurora Tigers (OJHL)
 - 2002-03 - Humboldt Broncos (SJHL)
 - 2001-02 - Halifax Gladiators (Maritime)
 - 2000-01 - Camrose Kodiaks (AJHL)
 - 1999-00 - Fort McMurray Oil Barons (AJHL)
 - 1998-99 - Vernon Vipers (BCHL)
 - 1997-98 - South Surrey Eagles (BCJHL)
 - 1996-97 - Summerside W. Capitals (BCHL)
 - 1995-96 - Vernon Vipers (BCJHL)
- Centennial Cup
 - 1994-95 - Calgary Canucks (AJHL)
 - 1993-94 - Olds Grizzlys (AJHL)
 - 1992-93 - Kelowna Spartans (BCJHL)
 - 1991-92 - Thunder Bay Flyers (USJHL)
 - 1990-91 - Vernon Lakers (BCJHL)
 - 1989-90 - Vernon Lakers (BCJHL)

HOCKEY

AHL Playoffs

SECOND ROUND
Division Finals (Best-of-7)
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division
Providence (2) vs. Worcester (4) (Providence leads series 3-2)
Saturday Result
Worcester 1 Providence 0
Monday Result
Providence 4 Worcester 3
Wednesday Game
Providence at Worcester, 4:05 p.m.
Thursday Game
x-Worcester at Providence, 4:05 p.m.
East Division
Hershey (1) vs. Wilkes-Barre/Scranton (3) (Series tied 3-3)
Sunday Result
Hershey 3 Wilkes-Barre/Scranton 0
Saturday Result
Wilkes-Barre/Scranton 4 Hershey 1
Tuesday Game
Wilkes-Barre/Scranton at Hershey, 4 p.m.

WESTERN CONFERENCE

North Division

Manitoba (1) vs. Grand Rapids (3)

(Manitoba wins series 4-0)

West Division

Milwaukee vs. Houston

(Series tied 3-3)

Saturday Result

Monday Result

Wednesday Game

x-Houston at Milwaukee, 5 p.m.

2009 Memorial Cup

TORONTO — Schedule announced by the CHL for the 2009 MasterCard Memorial Cup to be held May 15-24 in Rimouski, Que.:

Friday, May 15

Saturday, May 16

Sunday, May 17

Monday, May 18

Tuesday, May 19

Wednesday, May 20

Thursday, May 21

Friday, May 22

Semifinal

Second vs. Third Places, 4 p.m.

AUTO RACING

NASCAR Sprint Cup

Money Leaders

Through May 9 (all figures in U.S. dollars)

- 1. Matt Kenseth, \$3,159,263; 2. Kevin Harvick, \$2,562,809; 3. Jeff Gordon, \$2,339,366; 4. Kyle Busch, \$2,331,883; 5. Jimmie Johnson, \$2,226,440; 6. Jeff Burton, \$1,848,585; 7. Tony Stewart, \$1,836,297; 8. Carl Edwards, \$1,776,060; 9. Clint Bowyer, \$1,694,238; 10. Mark Martin, \$1,677,827; 11. Joey Logano, \$1,666,505; 12. AJ Allmendinger, \$1,662,963; 13. Ryan Newman, \$1,658,313; 14. Kasey Kahne, \$1,654,372; 15. Greg Biffle, \$1,639,187; 16. Juan Pablo Montoya, \$1,610,597; 17. Martin Truex Jr., \$1,610,184; 18. Reed Sorenson, \$1,603,905; 19. Kurt Busch, \$1,591,313; 20. Brian Vickers, \$1,565,222;

- 21. David Reutimann, \$1,563,997; 22. David Ragan, \$1,333,543; 33. Michael Waltrip, \$1,311,589; 34. Robby Gordon, \$1,308,929; 35. Scott Speed, \$1,144,887; 36. John Andretti, \$1,087,543; 37. Aric Almirola, \$826,313; 38. David Gilliland, \$795,140; 39. Scott Riggs, \$715,463; 40. Regan Smith, \$712,946;

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- 11. Mark Martin, 1,316; 12. Carl Edwards, 1,271; 13. Clint Bowyer, 1,264; 14. Juan Pablo Montoya, 1,255; 15. David Reutimann, 1,232; 16. Kasey Kahne, 1,205; 17. Brian Vickers, 1,186; 18. Dale Earnhardt Jr., 1,182; 19. Martin Truex Jr., 1,144; 20. Marcos Ambrose, 1,131.

NHL

Stanley Cup Playoffs

SECOND ROUND

Conference Semifinals (Best-of-7)

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Boston (1) vs. Carolina (6)

(Carolina leads series 3-2)

(all games on TSN)

Sunday Result

Tuesday Game

Boston at Carolina, 4 p.m.

Thursday Game

x-Carolina at Boston, TBD

Washington (2) vs. Pittsburgh (4)

(all games on CBC, RDS)

(Series tied 3-3)

Monday Result

Washington 5 Pittsburgh 4 (OT)

Saturday Result

Pittsburgh 4 Washington 3 (OT)

Wednesday Game

Pittsburgh at Washington, 4 p.m.

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Detroit (2) vs. Anaheim (8)

(all games on TSN)

(Detroit leads series 3-2)

Sunday Result

Detroit 4 Anaheim 1

Tuesday Game

Detroit at Anaheim, 7 p.m.

Thursday Game

x-Anaheim at Detroit, TBD

Vancouver (3) vs. Chicago (4)

(all games on CBC)

(Chicago wins series 4-2)

Monday Result

Chicago 7 Vancouver 5

Saturday Result

Chicago 4 Vancouver 2

x—if necessary.

Penalties — Chicago bench (too many men; served by Kane) 1:54; Byfuglien Chi (roughing) 6:30, Kestler Vcr (interference) 7:52, Brouwer Chi (goaltender interference) 12:07, O'Brien Vcr (hooking) 13:26.

Shots on goal by

- Vancouver 1-5: Chicago 3-4;
- Chicago: Khabibulin (W-8-4-0);
- Goal — Vancouver: Luongo (L, 6-4-0-0);
- Chicago: Khabibulin (W-8-4-0);

Power plays (goals-chances) —

- Vancouver 1-5: Chicago 3-4;
- Referees — Mike Leggo, Dan O'Halloran;
- Linesmen — Lonnie Cameron, Greg Devorski;
- Attendance — 22,687 (20,500).

NHL Today

SCOREBOARD

Tuesday, May 12

Detroit at Anaheim (7 p.m.). The defending Stanley Cup champs Red Wings can return to the Western Conference finals with a win in Game 6. The Ducks will try to force a deciding game back in Detroit.

STARS

Sunday

— Tim Thomas, Bruins, stopped 19 shots for his first NHL playoff shutout, and Boston stayed ailed by beating Carolina 4-0 in Game 5 of the Eastern Conference semifinal series.

— Johan Franzen, Red Wings, scored his sixth goal in six playoff games to help Detroit beat Anaheim 4-1 and grab a 3-2 lead in the Western Conference semifinal series.

— Phil Kessel, Bruins, scored twice to help Boston top Carolina 4-0.

HURRICANE PUNCH

Boston Bruins defenseman Aaron Ward left Sunday night's playoff game with what team doctors fear is a broken orbital bone after he was punched by Carolina's Scott Walker. Bruins coach Claude Julien asked the NHL to look into the play. Ward left the game with 2:47 remaining after Walker punched him in the face. Walker was given a misconduct, a fighting major and an instigator penalty.

STILL ON TOP

Russia defended its gold medal at the world championship, beating Canada 2-1 on Sunday in a rematch of last year's final. Oleg Saprykin had a tying, power-play goal in the first period and Alex Radulov scored late in the second for Russia. The Ottawa Senators' Jason Spezza gave Canada the early lead. Sweden won its bronze medal, beating the United States 4-2 earlier Sunday.

SPEAKING

"When we keep the speed up and put the pucks behind their D, it's going to be hard for them to create something. If we keep doing that the next game, I think we have a good chance to win." — Wings forward Johan Franzen, who scored a hat trick in Detroit's 4-0 win over Anaheim on Sunday that gave his club a 3-2 lead in the Western Conference semifinal series.

ON THIS DATE

May 12

1909 - The Preakness Stakes is held in Maryland after 16 runnings in New York. As part of the celebration marking the return of the Preakness, the colors of the race's winner were painted onto the ornamental wheelbarrow vane at Pimlico Racecourse for the first time.

1917 - Omar Khayyam, ridden by Charles Borel, becomes the first foreign-bred (England) colt to win the Kentucky Derby with a 2-length victory over Ticker.

1924 - Walter Hagen wins the PGA championship with a 2-up victory over Jim Barnes.

1955 - Sam "Toothpick" Jones of the Cubs gets a no-hitter the hard way. In the ninth inning against Pittsburgh, he walks the bases loaded and proceeds to strike out the next three batters for a 4-0 victory.

1970 - Ernie Banks hits his 500th career home run off Pat Jarvis in the Chicago Cubs' 4-3 victory over Atlanta at Wrigley Field.

1974 - The Boston Celtics beat the Milwaukee Bucks 102-87 to win the NBA championship in seven games.

1996 - A three-way dead heat is run at Yokoma (Nash.) Meadows, the 20th such finish in thoroughbred racing history there. In the day's third race, a top of \$80,000 claimers — Fly Like A Angel, Allihaveachtheradio and Terri After Five — hit the wire together after a one-mile race.

2000 - Boston's Pedro Martinez, who had 17 strikeouts in his May 6 start against Tampa Bay, strikes out 15 in a 9-0 win over Baltimore, to tie an AL record set in 1968 by Cleveland's Luis Tiant for most strikeouts over two games.

2006 - Laure Manaudou of France breaks Janet Evans' 18-year-old world record in the 400-meter freestyle, finishing in 4:03.03 at the French national swimming championships. Manaudou beats the time of 4:03.85 Evans set in winning gold at the 1998 Seoul Olympic Games.

2006 - Justin Gilling breaks the 100-meter world record with a time of 9.76 seconds at the Qatar Grand Prix. A week later, the International Association of Athletics Federations announces a timing error gave Gatlin a time of 9.76 seconds. His time of 9.76 seconds, should have been manually rounded up to 9.77, tying Asafa Powell's world mark of 9.77.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

CHICAGO WHITE SOX-Purchased the contract of LHP Jimmy Gobble from Charlotte (IL). Optioned RHP Jose Contreras to Charlotte.

CLEVELAND INDIANS-Agreed to terms with RHP Blaine Neal on a minor league contract and assigned him to Columbus (IL).

National League

HOUSTON ASTROS-Optioned C J.R. Torres to Round Rock (PCL).

SAN DIEGO PADRES-Recalled OF Drew Matias from Portland (PCL). Optioned LHP Arturo Lopez to Portland.

American Association

GRAND PRAIRIE AIRHOGS-Signed C Cody Merrell. Traded RHP Jeff Jamnik to Sioux City for a player to be named. Traded OF Drew Holder to the Laredo (UL) for a player to be named. Released LHP Justin Garza and OF Chris Ferrie.

FORT WORTH CATS-Released INF Jason Diaz and C Kent Wright.

LINCOLN SALTDOGS-Released RHP Ryan Trytten.

PENSACOLA PELICANS-Signed INF Dallas Christola and OF Adam Deleo.

ST. PAUL SAINTS-Signed C Chris Herbert. Released C Tommy Bryant.

SHREVEPORT BOSCHERS CAPTAINS-Signed RHP BJ Litchfield. Traded RHP Matt Clayman to Edinburg (UL) for future considerations.

SIoux CITY EXPLORERS-Signed INF Derek Schermerhorn. Released LHP Tim Huber.

WICHITA WINGNUTS-Signed INF Pat Brooks.

Can-Am League

AMERICAN DEFENDERS-Signed LHP Mark Romanzuk.

BROCKTON ROX-Released RHP

England

Premier League

Newcastle 3 Middlesbrough 1

League Championship

Playoff Semifinals

Second Leg

(Sheffield United 1 Preston 0)

(Sheffield United advances on 2-1 aggregate)

MLS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

GP W L T GF GA Pts

D.C. United 9 3 2 15 15 13

Toronto FC 9 3 2 13 13 13

Chicago 9 2 0 14 11 12

Kansas City 9 3 4 12 12 11

New England 7 2 2 3 12 9

Columbus 8 1 2 15 14 8

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