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UHL Receives Building Naming Rights

Formerly Westside Rec. Centre – City council is pleased to announce that the UHL (Ukrainian Hockey League) was awarded naming rights to the arena formerly known as the Westside Recreation Centre.

After 18 years of negotiations between the UHL and the City of Calgary, a settlement was reached behind closed doors as city Council agreed that the UHL required the naming right to the building in order to further expand nationwide.

While representative from the UHL were not available for comment, one player seen outside the building was in tears and beyond ecstatic hearing the recent news. In a statement from the unidentified player *"This is huge news for us, and we can't wait to allow Cabbage Rolls and Perogies to be served at a kiosk in each dressing room"*.

No comment from the City of Calgary.

WANT A SHOT? TAKE A SHOT!

Calgary, AB – It was a sight for sore eyes. During a game in the UHL, players took notice of the home team bench. Not for the players, the fans, nor the small child, but they noticed the boards lined with shots! These shots were more potent than a Mark Demchuk slapshot from 9 feet away (Rule #44).

Shots (of a different kind) were spread along the boards to raise a toast to one of their own UHL Cossacks.

A toast for Adrian Sakundiak to pray for health during his battle with a brain tumor. Since that toast, many shot have been seen in and around the players benches to perhaps start a new tradition.



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Captain Cabbage Roll Ponders Future with UHL

Australia— UHL Captain Neil Horbachewski, leader and founder of the Cabbage Rollers, took to the ocean to ponder his future in the UHL.

Just four weeks into the 2019 season, the Cabbage Rollers are sitting dead last in the standing with a lethargic 20 points.

Horbachewski, known for his scoring punch, has zero points thus far this season, can't explain why his team is under performing. *"I think its because my main goal scorers have been shut down by the opposition. More specifically, our superstar Jonny Buck has been held off the score sheet, just like our enforcer Mike Siroishka has! This is crazy to see!". "I won't resign as Captain of the Roller, instead, I will prove we can win this week with 2 goals of my own. Mark my words".*

ZAZULA WON'T BE SHUTDOWN

Dressing Room #3, AB – When Borscht Boilers captain Vince Letwin drafted Yuri Zazula, he was convinced he was filling his roster with a silent sniper, instead, he got more then he thought.

Just four games into the season, Letwin has been more than happy with the performance on, and off the ice from Zazula. In a statement from Letwin *"yeah, Yuri has been solid for our team! He has had a few dynamite scoring chances but came up short. That's the way it goes I guess. I'm sure Yuri will light it up soon!"*.

Zazula was not available for comment at the time of this press release, but he was seen upgrading his helmet at Hockey World after witnessing the bloody mess Joe Tysowski left on the ice.



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LOSS OF UHL VETERAN HAS IMPACTED THE LEAGUE AFTER INJURY THEN RELOCATION

When the Commish was told that one of is UHL veterans and Skyscraper Randy Ritchie would not be returning in 2019, it was hard to fathom how his absence would impact to the league.

After Ritchie declared he was moving to Saskatchewan in the off season, nobody thought he would actually be absent from the UHL lineup in 2019, but he has been noticeably absent on the blueline, so we have concluded he is gone, and will no longer play in the UHL. We wish Randy all the best in his new start in Saskatchewan, the land of.... well, not too much cause its flat. Very flat.



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PATRICIAN POWER MISSING THEIR PUNCH



Northwest Calgary – The Patrician family has lots to cheer about these days, especially when it comes to hockey.

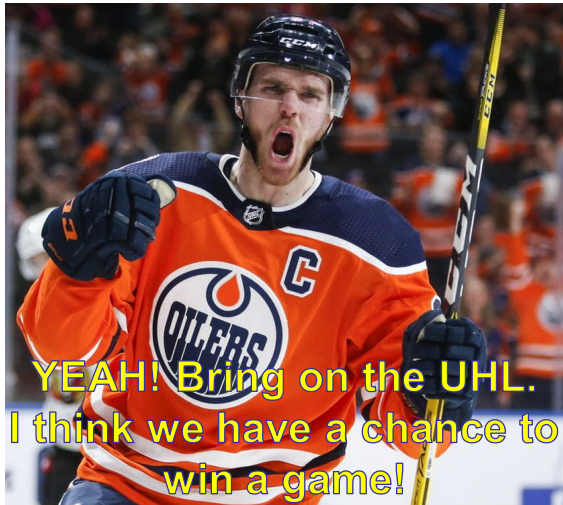
When Mark and Susan Patrician (seen above) sold their 1986 Volkswagen and complete set of AHL hockey trading cards to put all their kids through hockey they got more than they bargained for. They didn't anticipate their youngest, Evan Patrician, to achieve what he has thus far in that other league. Evan is playing in the Conference finals for the UHL farm team *WHL's Vancouver Giants*, and they couldn't be more proud.

Siblings Ryan and Jenna are playing for their brother Evan and filling his shoes on the ice for the UHL, while their dad, Mark, watches his kids out-skate him each and every shift. Jenna, who plays in net for the Kubie Krushers and backstops her dad, has been a wall for the Krushers as they lead the league with 37 points.

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UHL SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS



Dierks Bentley sings national anthem before Game 4 of Stanley Cup Final before UHL Fans at Cossack Kup Finale

7:18 PM Jun 5



Bentley sings national anthem



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Knapik Wins the weekly prize in the Fantasy Draft by scoring 21 points



Jack Carter Chev Cadillac – Tom Knapik, #6 of the Borscht Boilers took over top scoring spot this week by adding to his goal scoring. Knapik, father of newcomer Ben Knapik, has scored 7 unanswered goals in just 4 games. He is one behind league leader Peter Ewanchyna who has 8 goals. Knapik leads in the Fantasy Draft as he generates 3 points per goal, whereas Ewanchyna generates 1 point per goal.

As part of the generosity of the UHL, Knapik was given a car to use for a weekend getaway to Banff Alberta.

If all players can be as lucky as Knapik, they too could win a weekly prize for being in top-spot in the Fantasy Draft. This should send a clear message to Ben Knapik to step it up as he only has 2 goals in 4 games.

Special thanks to Corey Taillon of Jack Carter Cadillac for donating this orange machine.

(Please note there really is no week prize in the Fantasy Draft)

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TELL Won't Tell the Secret



Visitor Bench Game 3 - When #7 D-Man Aaron Tell entered the league, nobody knew what to expect. With a smile on his face, and his knowledge locked tight into his cranium, Tell stated *"don't ask cause I won't tell"*

Tell, who plays on the D line for the Kubie Krushers would not release to media the secret behind his success in helping the Krushers remain in first place so far this season.

UHLPL believes that his success comes from being engaged to a Siroishka. No, not to Mike or Rob, but Kristina Siroishka. (But don't Tell")

Two Bucks Selected Most in the Fantasy Draft



Commish's Office – It's truly hard to believe, and utterly amazing, and completely shocking that when the UHL launched the online Fantasy Draft that the father-son Buck tandem would be selected highest overall by most that entered the Draft, as 31 entries picked Jonny, and 29 selected Chris to be on their team.

Currently, they have 2 goals each for their team The Cabbage Rollers who sit in dead last place this season. Perhaps a Buck or two can step it up next game?

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WANTED



Bowden Institute, Alberta – Mike Walter Siroishka nickname “Wally” did not show up on Sunday to help represent his team the Cabbage Rollers.

Siroishka, recently spotted occupying space at the Bowden Correctional Center was last seen at “The Trop” in Marda Loop. If you see this man, please do not approach him as he may be armed with a hockey stick and ready to slash, hack or trip you!

The UHLPA is looking for Wally to ensure he meets his parole requirements by attending each and every game for his team, The Cabbage Rollers.

