

Ontario Lacrosse Festival

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LONDON BLUE DEVILS KNOCK OFF DEFENDING CHAMPIONS IN MIDGET FINALS

The Midget "B" final saw the Niagara Thunderhawks take on the London Blue Devils in the championship game. The Thunderhawks entered the game as the reigning Midget B champions after beating the Gloucester Griffins in 2015. It didn't seem to matter to the Blue Devils that they were playing the defending champions as they took a 2-1 lead in the first period. Ben Foster and Gregory Elijah-Brown scored for London while Reid Lowe scored for Niagara. Once the Blue Devils took the lead they never let it go, as they would score three more goals in the second period thanks to a hat trick from Quincy Abram. They kept Niagara scoreless for the rest of the game to take home the Midget "B" championship with a 5-1 victory.

In the Midget "C" Finals the Orillia Kings fought the West Durham Rockmen in a close championship match. West Durham opened up the scoring in the first period with a goal from Tyler Davies. But in the second half of the period Orillia would bounce back as Michael Montgomery scored twice to put the Kings up 2-1. The 2-1 lead was all that Orillia would need as they held West Durham scoreless for the second and third period. The 2-1 score would be enough for Orillia to become Midget "C" champions.

The Barrie Bombers 2 pulled of a third period comeback against the Kawartha Lakes Fury to become Midget "D" champions. The Bombers got off to a hot start in the first period scoring the first four goals of the game with two goals from Zac Greening and goals from Garet McMahon, and Gordie Powers. Kawartha Lakes would cut into the lead with a goal from Dylan James to make it 4-1 for Barrie. In the second period Kawartha Lakes would go on the attack with 5 unanswered goals from Tyler Grandel (2 goals), Dylan James, Brendan Tomilson, and Taylor Dooley to put Kawartha Lakes up 6-4. In the third period the Bombers would fire back with three goals from Griffin McCullogh and Garet McMahon (2 goals) to put Barrie up 7-6. Dylan James' third goal of the game would tie the game up for Kawartha Lakes. Then shortly after Garet McMahon's fourth goal of the game would be the game-winner as Barrie would win the Midget "D" championship with an 8-7 victory.

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