

**WWHSHL Playoff Finals
Winnipeg Free Press Division B Game Two**

**CSHC Huskies v. Miles Mac Buckeyes
March 14, 2016**

After a rousing duet rendition of O Canada by Sturgeon Heights' #10 Anna Meier, the teams got down to business. The Miles Mac Buckeyes' energized by their Overtime win in Game One and determined to match the City Championship claimed by the Miles Mac boys over the St. Paul's Crusaders, were looking to close it out. Sturgeon Heights, led by League scoring champion Anna Meier, were just as resolved to force a third and deciding game. The Buckeyes' had had the Huskies' number (and everyone else's) all season, but the Playoffs are different. And so it was that Sturgeon Heights opened the scoring with an unassisted goal by, surprise, Anna. The Buckeyes' evened the score minutes later with a goal by #6 Carley Kolotylo. Assists went to #8 Kaitlyn Chorney and #15 Meghan McDonald. Sturgeon Heights went back into the lead just over a minute later with Anna's second goal, this time assisted by #19 Lindsay Slywchuk and #35 Goaltender Emily McDonald. But again this was matched by Miles Mac as they scored on the Powerplay with less than two minutes to go, thanks to the dynamic defensive duo of #4 Captain Kali Solmundson who was set up by Mikaela, heroine of Game One. Shots on goal in the First: Sturgeon Heights 7, Miles Mac 5.

In the Second, the tendency of Miles Mac at times to undisciplined play led to a procession of Buckeyes' to the penalty box. And the Huskies' made them pay, biting Miles Mac for three powerplay goals. The go ahead marker was notched by #20 Danielle Chobotar, who was set up by Anna and #6 Abigail Mondor. It was 4-2 moments later, as Anna registered her hat trick, assisted by #3 Meghan Hodgins. Finally, as the period wound down, the Game was put virtually out of reach as #17 Jamie Pischke scored to make it 5-2, assisted by Danielle and #15 Chelsea Hobson. Shots on goal in the Second, Sturgeon Heights 12, Miles Mac 5.

In the Third, the Buckeyes' did their best get back in the Game but the Huskies' were not to be denied on this night. Emily had the answer to every scoring attempt and Sturgeon Heights even managed another goal scored by Jamie with assists going to Danielle and Chelsea. With the resounding 6-2 victory Sturgeon Heights forced a third and deciding game. Shots on goal in the Third, Sturgeon Heights 6 for a three period total of 25; Miles Mac 6 for a three period total of 16.

The Three Stars were:

- 1st Star - Anna Meier, CSHC Huskies
- 2nd Star - Emily Thevenot, Miles Mac Buckeyes
- 3rd Star - Chelsea Hobson, CSHC Huskies

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