

Pioneers bow out to defending champions in WCSLA semi-finals

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The lacrosse season is over for the Ladner Pioneers following an 11-9 overtime home loss to the Nanaimo Timbermen.

The defending provincial champs from Vancouver Island won the West Coast Senior Lacrosse Association (WCSLA) semifinal series 3-1 and advance to play the top seeded Langley Warriors.

Ladner struggled to find any early momentum in game four, falling behind 5-1 after the first period and trailed 7-2 in the second before they found their legs. In game three 24 hours earlier at the Nanaimo Ice Centre, the Timbermen capitalized on a three-goal second period to pick up a 6-3 win.

Ladner couldn't muster much offensively for most of the night and was outshot 43-37.

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