

EA boosts Make-a-Wish Foundation
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BURNABY/CKNW(AM980) - It was kids versus pros Sunday as gaming giant Electronic Arts hosted a video game competition for the Make-a-Wish Foundation in Burnaby.

Members of the Vancouver Canucks, the BC Lions and Olympic snowboarder Ross Rebagliati battled about thirty kids with life-threatening illnesses. The kids and the pros faced-off in a virtual hockey tournament.

Rebagliati says he only managed to win one game, "These kids are some serious gamers and know what they're doing, so it's kind of fun for them to come out and kick our butts."

11 year old Sarita Ponce says it was an exciting day, "I played with a lot of different people. I had two losses and three wins. It was really fun."

All proceeds benefitted the Make-a-Wish Foundation.