

Renegades Newsletter

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First it was Mikayla Erickson bringing the Renegade community up to date from far-off, uber-efficient and occasionally exotic Germany. This week it is Maggie Burlington's turn. Water polo has taken Maggie to another distant and hard-to-fathom destination ... Toronto.

Yes, Tronah ... the eastern 'burgh which has been called Muddy York, Hogtown, and variations on its T.O. abbreviation, such as Tee Dot Oh Dot. For sports fans it is the home of the Maple Leafs and Canada's favourite summer lament: "If I have to watch another Blue Jays game, I swear I'm gonna"

So, without any further delay, we present **A Renegade's Top 5 Spots in Toronto**, courtesy of Maggie (right, with another Renegade, Leah McCauley) who is playing her second season for the U of T Varsity Blues.

1. Burrito Boyz

Now, when it comes to awesome Mexican food, I choose Burrito Boyz every time. Located around Bathurst and College, this local restaurant offers mega-sized burritos with fresh toppings (and a lot of cilantro) for a cheap price. Ideal for everyone from vegetarians to good old Albertan meat-lovers.



2. Snakes and Lattes

For great coffee and infinite games, I love to head down to the Annex



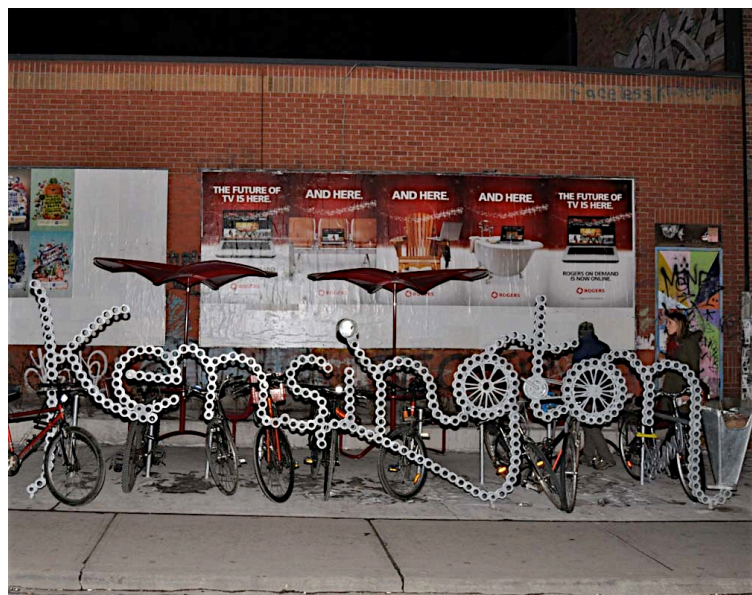
and hit up Snakes and Lattes. This little hole in the wall is a great place to hang out with friends, drink some coffee, and play basically any board game you can think of. It's a great place to relax and truly enjoy the company of friends and family.

3. Queen Street

For everyone's shopping needs, Queen Street offers a wide variety of boutique clothing stores and popular brands. You see the colourful personality of Toronto throughout your shopping experience, from street vendors to buskers and everything in between.

4. Kensington Market

To truly get a look at all Toronto has to offer, Kensington Market is the place to be. This unassuming block of shops is unique, to say the least. It ranges from second-hand stores, to veggie kiosks, to butchers and bakers. Never expect a boring run-of-the-mill shopping trip here



because of all the eccentric personalities that are found throughout.

5. Yoyo's Frozen Yogurt Bar

When all is said and done, some quasi-healthy dessert is always in order. This delectable fro-yo bar has several kinds of frozen yogurt and tons of toppings to boot. You can mix and match anything you want for your own unique mix of delicious. Its fun and relaxed atmosphere makes your frozen yogurt experience super awesome.

Kamloops weekend

And 3,155 kilometres west of Toronto lies Kamloops where the Renegades youth and cadet teams spent a busy weekend, playing a bunch of games with Fraser Valley. Courtesy of Brooke's busy thumbs comes a report on the cadet girls' weekend.

It was a fun-filled weekend.... Of a lot of polo that is! The cadet girls played 4 games against Fraser Valley. Game 1: After the third period the Renegades were winning 8-6. Valley won the fourth quarter, but it wasn't enough, as the Renegades took the win.

Game 2: with hard work and good teamwork, the Renegades had complete control the whole game and finished with a 9-4 win.

Game 3: after a late-night food run and an early-morning wake-up, the girls had a very slow start Sunday morning. Tired bodies and unfocused mindsets do not mix well. With our first loss of the weekend (7-6) the girls didn't seem to feel so great.....

Game 4: after a team chat, the girls are now refocused and ready to show everyone how it's really done. The girls dominated and put up a score of 5-2 within 10 minutes. We then did some powerplay and again..... domination! A well-played last session with Valley.

As most of the cadets were playing youth, there was a lot of water polo to be had, and was a very productive weekend!

Well done ladies!