

Argo domination!

By Alicia Wynter

A total of 53,208 fans filled the Rogers Centre in Toronto on Sunday representing their favourite teams from across Canada. Lining up for popcorn, hotdogs, pizza and pop, the fans prepared for the game of the year.

The Toronto Argonauts fought their way through the regular season with a new coaching system. Scott Milanovich, who was named the 42nd head coach of the Toronto Argonauts, along with his coaching staff, lead his team to victory at the 100th Grey Cup.

The Argonauts entered the finals against the Calgary Stampeders with a 2-0 advantage during their regular season. Having this advantage may have been the motivation the Argonauts needed to win the Grey Cup that all of the CFL players had their eyes on.

Two touchdown passes were made by Argonauts quarterback Ricky Ray as running back Chad Kackert ran the field. Kackert was named the game's MVP finishing with 195 all-purpose yards on 28 touches. The game's Most Valuable Canadian award was given to defensive end Ricky Foley.

The Argonauts played as if this was the last time they would ever play, taking out one Stampeders' player at a time with injuries.

Coming back from hip surgery, Noel Prefontaine punted 283 yards. Chad Owens, who was named the 2012 Most Outstanding Player, gave Toronto a 7-0 lead with a five-yard touchdown.

As the crowd counted down the last 10 seconds of the game, Milanovich was soaked with orange Gatorade by his team, fireworks went off, the Stampeders sauntered off the field as the Argonauts jumped, hugged and kissed each other in celebration.

Family and close friends poured on the field to congratulate their brothers, husbands and sons with proud tears falling down their cheeks.

Double blue and white confetti filled the air and Argonaut children played and made confetti angels while their fathers hoisted the Grey Cup for all to see.



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Armond Armstead hold ups the Grey Cup after the Argonauts won the 100th Grey Cup game Sun., Nov. 25, 2012. The Argonauts took on the Calgary Stampeders at the Rogers Centre in Toronto, Ont. in front of 53,208 fans. The Argonauts had home field advantage winning 35-22.



Photo by Vivek McCague

The 100th Grey Cup gala was held on the field of the Rogers Centre during festivities last week.



Photo by Jenny Robertson

Lance Miller made a huge scene at the 100th Grey Cup Festival on Front St. in Toronto, Ont. to show his pride and support for the Toronto Argonauts.



Photo by Tijana Martin

Fans celebrate outside the Rogers Centre Sunday after the Toronto Argonauts won the game.



Photo by David Zammit

Toronto Argonaut fans hold a replica of the Grey Cup and carry it through Toronto earlier this week, hoping their team would win, which they did Sunday.



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The Argonauts celebrate their 100th Grey Cup win on top of a stage as blue and white confetti falls at the Rogers Centre. Photographers and reporters rushed the stage to get as many photos and interviews as possible with the team.