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UNB VARSITY REDS

Sportswire

VARSITY BRIEFS

Soccer

The Varsity Reds fell short in their final bid for a playoff spot in the AUAA championship.

UNB won both of their final games on the road and therefore picked up four points. Striker Matt Compton scored the first goal and Saul Keyworth scored the winning goal at the 78th minute mark to defeat Acadia 2-1 Saturday. On Sunday Tony White scored the lone goal defeating the Dal Tigers 1-0. Pat Byrne got the shutout for the Reds.

ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

Stanleigh Mitchell, Men's Basketball

Stanleigh Mitchell, a second year Phys. Ed student from Toronto, Ontario is the Male Athlete of the Week. Stanleigh has picked up where he left off in 1993-94 when he was selected as UNB Rookie of the Year. Playing in his first games since recovering from a broken wrist, Stanleigh was selected as MVP of the Laval Tournament with 35 points and 14 rebounds. UNB recorded victories over Laval and University of Maine at Fort Kent to finish first in the tournament. Coach Hamilton said that "Stanleigh put in a fine performance after being out of action for three months with a broken wrist".

Charla Currie, Field Hockey

Third year Phys. Ed student Charla Currie of Summerside, Prince Edward Island is this week's Female Athlete of the Week. The former AUAA Rookie of the Year (1992) is co-captain of the Varsity Reds field hockey team. Charla scored a gaol and was selected as AUAA/Pepsi Player of the Game in UNB's 2-0 victory over St. Mary's for the AUAA Championship on Sunday. As co-leader in league scoring, Charla was also selected as an AUAA All-star and AUAA MVP for her efforts this season. According to coach Hornibrook, "Charla's skill and leadership helped to set the tone for the Varsity Reds this season. Her ability to get the ball in the net and to get her teammates the ball in a good scoring position makes her a valuable asset".

RESULTS

Soccer

UNB 2	Acadia 1
UNB 1	Dal 0

Field Hockey

UMaine 2	**UNB 1** (Ex)
UNB 2	SMU 0

Men's Basketball

UNB 74	Laval 55
UNB 90	UMaine 69

Hockey

Brown 6	**UNB 3** (Ex)
Harvard 6	**UNB 2** (Ex)

Swimming

Men	**Women**
UNB 197	McGill 186
Dal 158	Dal 114.5
Mt A 39	**UNB 112.5**
MUN 27	MUN 19
	Mt A 12

Women's Volleyball

UNB 2-0	Acadia
UNB 2-1	Sir J. Abbott
UNB 2-0	Dal
UNB 3-1	Carleton
UNB 3-1	Dal

THIS WEEK IN **UNB** SPORTS

Friday, November 4
Men's Basketball at U of Toronto
Men's Volleyball at UNB Invitational

Saturday, November 5
Cross Country, AUAAs at Dal
Hockey at Dal
Women's Basketball v MUN, LB Gym 8pm
Men's Basketball at U of Toronto
Men's Volleyball at UNB Invitational
Wrestling at McMaster
Swimming v Mt A, SMA Pool 2pm

Sunday, November 6
Hockey at Acadia
Women's Basketball v MUN, LB Gym 1pm
Men's Volleyball at UNB Invitational

Wednesday, November 9
Women's Volleyball v UdeM, LB Gym 8pm

Field Hockey

AUAA Champions

For the sixth year in a row

by Maria Paisley
Sports Editor

The UNB Varsity Reds field hockey team continues to dominate the AUAA both on and off the field.

The Reds won their sixth consecutive AUAA title, the fifth under coach Donna Hornibrook, defeating the Saint Mary's Huskies in the finals 2-0 on Sunday. The Huskies qualified for the finals by shutting out the UPEI Panthers 1-0. Charla Currie scored on a penalty corner in the first half and Lindsay Toole added an insurance goal for the Reds. UNB end the season undefeated with a 7-0-4 record.

UNB will be heading to the CIAU's for the fifth consecutive year and Hornibrook has coached them for all five years. This year they are ranked sixth in the nation and Coach Hornibrook considers this "a reasonable ranking heading into the championship. At the pre-season tournament at the University of Toronto invitational we ended with a 0-1-7 record, but we didn't just score goals or put teams away, but we were tough to score on." The nationals are in Calgary on November 4th and 5th.

The championship involves the top six teams in the nation and are divided into two pools of three teams. Within each pool is a round robin competition and the team with the most points goes to the semi-finals. Hornibrook hopes that



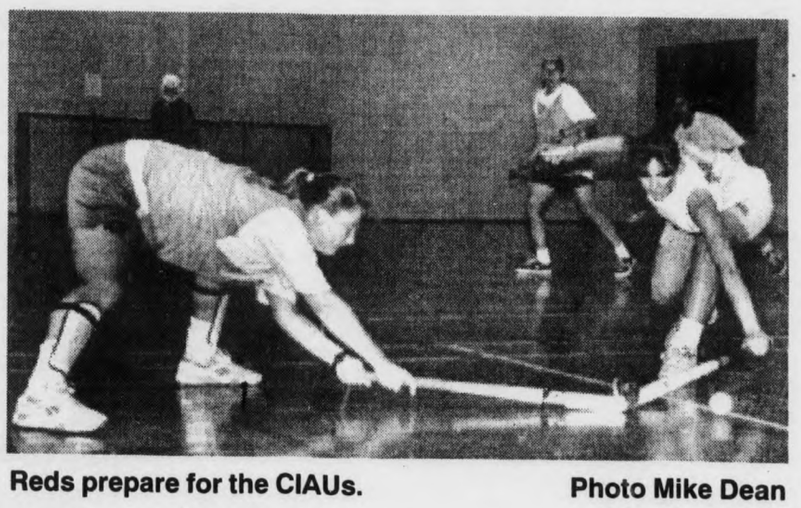
Tammy Jewer takes on a Panther. **Photo Kevin G Porter**

"the team is able to have enough points to go to the semi-finals. " UNB is in a pool with second ranked University of Victoria and U of T, who ranked third in the nation. Hornibrook states that "these are both tough teams and U Vic has a solid team. The Reds have lost to both of these teams in the finals in previous years." In the other pool is top seeded York, fourth ranked University of British Columbia and the host University of Calgary ranked fifth. York is considered the favorite to win as they have a lot of national team players and they beat U of T 3-0 in the OUAA final.

"UNB is going into the nationals as a strong underdog," states Hornibrook. "This takes the pressure off the team, whereas the other teams are expected to perform. The Reds are going for the experience of the championship as we are a young team and just rebuilding." UNB will see their first action against U Vic, which finished first in Canada West, then a few hours later will take on the defending CIAU champions U of T.

Off the field the Reds also dominated having six players named to the AUAA All-Star team - Natasha Connell, Shonaugh Coles, Charla Currie, Tammy Jewer, Dianne Rogers, and Krista Thompson. Thompson was named to the team for the second consecutive year. The two Panthers named were Lisa Atkinson and Angela Cormier and Huskies Sara Kailey, Sabitha Masih, and Erin O'Brien. Reds Charla Currie won the MVP award. Donna Hornibrook was named the Coach of the Year. Huskies Colleen O'Brien won the Rookie of the Year.

There has been speculation that the Universite de Moncton will be joining the three team field hockey league in 1995. Moncton's field hockey team is not a varsity team this year. They played a pair of exhibition games against Saint Mary's at Huskie Stadium to prepare for the AUAA championship and resulted in a 1-0 win and a 3-2 loss for the Huskies.



Reds prepare for the CIAUs. **Photo Mike Dean**

Varsity Reds

Varsity athletics supporters?

by Pam Easton
Bruns Sports

Rumours of inevitable cuts within the university's Athletic department seem to be just that.

The general impression around campus is that three sports teams are to be cut to solve financial problems and to create gender equity. The teams in question are men's volleyball, and both men's and women's cross-country.

Dean of Physical Education and Recreation, Terry Haggerty, said that a motion to cut the three teams was passed at one of many daily faculty council meetings dealing with budget problems. However, he said this motion still left the department with a $19,000 deficit.

"Obviously it was not going to be the final result," said Haggerty.

Since that motion was passed, Haggerty has met with alumni and people from the Venture Campaign, a five-year fundraiser with a goal of $30-million.

A new group of recommendations was presented to the university administration early this week.

Haggerty hopes that no teams will have to be cut. Adding women's soccer is also an option being looked at.

While the athletics department is already in line for funding from the Venture Campaign, it is looking at finding other sources of revenue.

Small reductions in team sizes and implementing a tier-system for some of the teams are also ideas being looked at.

Haggerty stressed that while the new recommendations are more positive, they are not final. He hopes to reach a co-operative agreement with the administration within the month. Venture Campaign, it is looking at finding other sources of revenue.