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Rob Hennigar had two assists in UNB's 3-2 overtime win over SMU on Saturday, including the helper on Hunter Tremblay's game-winning goal. The V-Reds will look to stamp their ticket to CIS Nationals in Moncton with a win over the Huskies on Thursday night at the Halifax Forum.

Lock In: V-Reds eye first AUS crown since 2003

by Brian Munn

After a convincing series against the Tommies and six days to prepare, the UNB Varsity Reds managed to come out on top against the St. Mary's Huskies in game one of the Atlantic University Sport men's hockey finals.

It was a huge night for UNB rookie Hunter Tremblay, who, aside from hitting nearly every Husky he saw, assisted on Dustin Friesen's goal and later came through in the clutch to score the overtime winner for the V-Reds.

Although the Varsity Reds had dominated the fourth-ranked Huskies all season long, it was a hard fought win. The first period was scoreless, but it was a hard hitting quick period, one that had all 3,494 fans at the Aitken Centre on the edges of their seats.

Tremblay said that despite the slow start, it was a solid game all around – particularly between the pipes.

"I thought we were fairly sluggish for the first two periods and then turned it on in the

third. Ouzy [Varsity Reds goaltender Michael Ouzas] played excellent and made some big saves at crucial times in the game, and allowed us to stick around throughout the game."

When the second period began the Huskies started to roll, scoring two goals early in the period. This didn't stop the Varsity Reds though, who received a boost when they went on the power play with 40 seconds left in the second period. From there, Rob Hennigar, the leading goal scorer in the CIS, fired the puck to Tremblay, the leading rookie scorer and third-best overall in the CIS, who sent a bullet pass to Captain Dustin Friesen at the side of the crease. Friesen tapped the puck past the Husky goalie Brandon Verge to bring UNB back to life.

"I think it was crucial for us to capitalize on that power play in the last minute of the second period in order to gain some momentum for the third," said Tremblay. "It relieved a lot of pressure and kind of got the ball rolling for us."

The Varsity Reds didn't stop there, as Denny Johnston fought off two St. Mary's defenders to create and capitalize on a scoring chance at the 11:24 mark of the second. The teams held solid at 2-2, sending the game into overtime.

Thanks to a delay of game call against the Huskies with just a few seconds remaining, UNB headed into the extra frame with a power play.

"I was fairly confident we were going to get the job done," commented Tremblay. "Our power play has been on fire all season and it was there again last night to bail us out."

Tremblay's confidence paid off just 1:29 into the extra frame, when a rebound came out in front of the net and Tremblay was able to capitalize. The goal sent the Varsity Reds and the entire Aitken Centre into a frenzy.

"You can't ask for much more as a hockey player then to score the game winning goal in overtime, in the finals, with almost 4,000 fans erupting all around you.

It never gets old.

The V-Reds will look to end the Huskies' season on Thursday at the Halifax Forum. Game three, if necessary, will be played on Sunday, March 16 at the Aitken Centre.

If the Varsity Reds win, not only will they win their first AUS league title since 2003, but they'll clinch a birth in the CIS Men's Hockey Championships in Moncton.

Drug problem on the rise: Counselor

by Naomi Osborne

The prevalence of substance abuse on campus is more of an issue than most students realize.

Substance abuse may not be something that many university students think about on a regular basis. The truth of the matter is that most university students, at both UNB and STU, have either tried or frequently use substances like alcohol, marijuana, and cocaine.

Dr. Reginald David Craft has been the Director of Counseling at UNB for 32 years, working with patients from both campuses with their addiction problems.

He says the biggest problem is the bad message that society gives.

"Our culture has been premised on the notion for some time now that if you're not

happy, there is something wrong," said Dr. Craft. "If you're happy, then you are smiling all the time and everything is going well, but that's just not the way life works. We have to make people think differently about the ups and downs in life."

One of the most interesting aspects, in his experience, is that most of his patients do not come to him with substance abuse problems. "Very few people actually come to counseling with drugs as a specific problem," said Dr. Craft. "However, in my experience, drugs usually contribute to many of the things they are having difficulty with."

Based on his experience over the last 32 years, Dr. Craft says there is definitely a drug problem on campus, but it stems from society as a whole.

"There is a drug problem on campus, but there is a drug problem in our society, period. Campus is by no means immune from that," said Dr. Craft. "Alcohol is the number one problem, marijuana is the second, and I've seen

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Sodexho storage broken into during 'Rock the Hill'

Food supplier's kitchen and storage area raided during 'Rock the Hill' in February

by Josh O'Kane

While 'Rock the Hill', the ECMA concert held in the SUB last month, appeared to run smoothly, there were a few hiccups that occurred relatively quietly.

The storage room and kitchen area behind the former Selona Grill was broken into during the concert. One or more people took \$300 worth of food from one of the freezers, and left a little mess behind as well.

"Somebody went in there and defecated," says Martin Bayliss, General Manager of Sodexho at UNB. "It's really too bad."

Sodexho's kitchens and offices are behind the public area of the cafeteria and atrium. The defecation occurred in a storage room where pots and pans are stored.

Bayliss explains "the offices were fine, but somebody got access to the kitchen. They took basically anything that could be deep fried from the freezers at the Selona Grill. They left hamburgers and stuff. They took several bags of chicken fingers, French fries, curly fries, chicken burgers. All sorts of deep-fried foods."

He was made aware of the situation upon his arrival the following morning.

The thieves made a clean breakaway, but Bayliss says they were likely in a hurry, as one bag of frozen food was found lying in a back hallway.

A custodian was called in to remove the feces and sanitize the area. Bayliss says the items in the room were left untouched.

"It's a big room with an offshoot that has shelves in it," he says, but "it was right in the middle of the floor... There was no physical damage to anything."

Physical Plant has since installed locks on the

refrigerators and freezers to prevent further incidents. It is still unsure how the thieves gained access to the kitchens.

"There's a freight elevator back there," says Bayliss. "If somebody had access to it, they could get to the kitchen, but I'm not sure how they got in. There have been times where we've had concerts and people have come through the kitchen somehow, or got access."

"We've never had a problem with damage in any of our areas, except for this one incident."

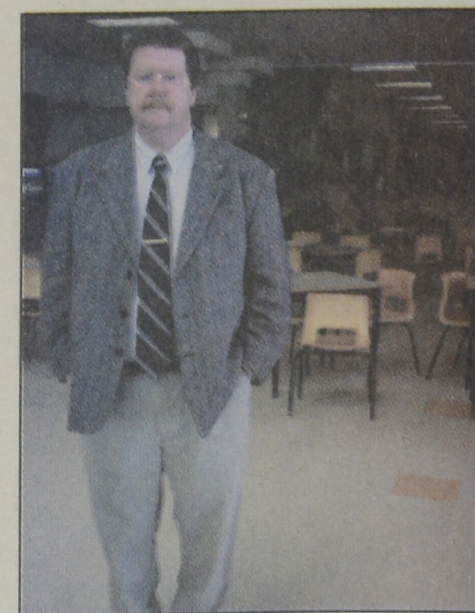
James Brown, Executive Director of Residential Life, Campus & Conference Services, manages the Sodexho contract and oversees business involving the SUB. He says he was not aware of the incident until the time of interview.

"I know there were some incidents," he says, using an example of a police officer attempting to taser someone being unruly.

"We've had similar incidences like that around residence," says Brown.

At least two houses have had occurrences of defecations in common areas this school year.

"It's kind of like the 'Jackass' phenomenon. It's just so interesting to be outrageously offensive, and what could be more outrageously offensive than that?"



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Martin Bayliss in the SUB Cafeteria.

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