

## Coach Gary Brown of the Red Shirts

Gary Brown is a man who can enjoy the best of both worlds.

If he wanted to, Brown could sit back and hear people tell him what a great job he's done with the soccer Red Shirts over the past five years. After all, the Brown-coached squad has been in the Atlantic University Athletic Association final all five years, winning the title twice. And once, in 1980, Brown and Company delighted their following by winning the Canadian Interuniversities Athletic

Union title - at College Field no less.

'I'm not one to think about what's taken place in the past,' Brown said earlier this week. 'I believe you have to keep your mind on what is happening today.'

Fortunately, the players on the soccer team allow Brown to do that with a smile etched on his face. Heading into today's 4:00 p.m. contest against Mount Allison Mounties and Sunday's 3:30 contest against Moncton Blue Eagles - both at Chapman Field - Brown has his club

sitting atop the western conference standings with three victories in as many starts. Even more awesome is the Shirts total of 15 goals for compared to just two against in the same span.

'I think this is the best team we've had here,' Brown said. 'It can't be done, but put this team back two years and play the team that won the Canadian title, and this year's team would win. We have a lot more depth.'

Brown also believes the calibre of the conference has been improving steady,

and maintains five teams have a legitimate shot at capturing the AUA title when the championship is held the last weekend in October.

'Dalhousie went to a tournament at McGill before the regular season and played against some of the best soccer teams in Quebec and Ontario, teams like Sir Wilfred Laurier,' Brown said. 'They came within one goal of winning the tournament.'

Along with improved play, UNB has seen a surge in the team's following over

the last few years, with crowds thus far this year averaging slightly under 500. Brown expects the number to increase with each passing week.

'We've established good credibility with our fans, I think,' Brown said. 'We not only win a quite a few games, but we also play quite an exciting brand of

soccer. Our skill level is equal to that of the senior league, but our speed is a lot faster. We not only have a good following on campus, but also in the city itself.'

## Red Sticks Weak? Not on your life.

Joyce Slipp believes she has a weak team this season in the Atlantic Universities Athletic Association field hockey conference.

Other conference teams probably believe that about as much as ice hockey fans would if Wayne Gretzky said he was an underdog to win the National Hockey League's scoring race.

The Red Sticks, under Slipp's guidance since 1977 except for one year when Jane Wright was in charge, have been simply awesome against any and all opponents. Last season was typical, with Beth McSorley, Donna Phillips and Sharon Creelman pacing the Sticks to a 10-1 regular season record, five victories without a loss in exhibition play, two straight wins at the AUA championships played here and a 2-2-1 ef-

fort at the Canadian Interuniversities Athletic Union championships, good for third-place.

More amazing is the Red Sticks record since Slipp took over the program six years ago. In that time, the Sticks have chalked up 61 victories in regular season action and have lost just six games. They also have one tie in that span. Additionally, the Red Sticks have captured the AUA three times during the reign of Slipp, and finished second on two other occasions.

Of course, we all know the Sticks are 'weak' this year, don't we? After all, McSorley, Phillips and Creelman are no longer around, and Coach Slipp does have nine rookies on the team. How can they possibly be any good?

Hold on just a second. The record to date in 1983

shows the Sticks have five consecutive victories, all but shutouts and four against AUA competition. During that time, UNB players have put 22 goals in the opposi-

tion net. Marleigh Moran has four shutouts, co-captains Susan Grady 10 goals and Kathryn McDougall five more. Shawna Lambert is next in

the scoring parade with three, while Lisa Kilpatrick and Anne Campbell each have a pair. The Sticks host Acadia Saturday at 3:00 p.m. and St. Mary's Sunday at 1:00 p.m.; both games at Chapman Field.

Their is just one consolation for the Red Sticks opponents this year: think how bad it could be if Coach Slipp had a squad she con-

sidered to be strong.

Along with the players already mentioned, who are obviously key cogs in the UNB attack this year, Slipp has inserted rookies like

Janet Dignon, Leanna Fitch, Janice Morison, Kelli Simmonds and Lisa Kilpatrick into the line-up. The additions, you would have to agree, must be good ones.

## The Bruns Strikes Back

by RAY MacNIEL

This Saturday, 2:00 p.m., Media Bowl 17. Once again the Bruns and CHSR square off in one of the epic battles. We of the Bruns have decided that once and for all, it's time to crush these upstarts and let the championship reside where it belongs, beside the darkboard in our darkroom. Without further adieu, here's our lineup:

Mike (Nose) MacKinnon: He's the editor, we have to let him play.

Bob (Sir) MacMillan: Half of our front four.

Kristen Goodwin: Nobody really knows what she does around the office, but she does wear jock type clothes.

Sue (Mother) Reed: How do you stop a 200 lb. charging fullback, well when you see Sue give him an earful, you'll know.

Jim Stafford: The man's an enigma. Nobody knows where he'll throw his body next, like any good receiver does.

Mark (The Beast) Savole:

Mark has been practising by playing floor hockey against the boys in prison upriver. You gotta be tough to live through that. Debra (Hands) Geneau: When this girl gets her body moving, nothing stops it.

Tim (Nepo) MacKinnon: He's Mike's brother, so he has to play too.

Corinne Boone: Someone's got to kill the Czar's quarterback.

Bob (The Italian Stallion) Didlato: The only person I know who can do a Rocky imitation and get away with it.

Brenda (chief) Paul: Our gutsy, hard-hitting relentless news editor, she might even be able to play football.

Ray (the One and Only) MacNeil: Positively the greatest thing since Namath. This boy has it all, poise, looks, talent, brains, brow (can you tell I'm writing this). This boy can do it all by himself.

Finally, Tim Lethbridge has volunteered to be the ball once again this year, after all, he gets kicked around by everyone else. Kill! Kill! Kill!

## Hillbilly Night

For all of you who ever wanted to see good hockey and have a great time with a bunch of crazy people, then tonight (Friday, Sept. 30) is your night. For the kick off game of this year's UNB Invitational, that sweet flavour of mountain dew is being added. It's Hillbilly Night at the Aitken Centre with prizes going to the best dressed Hillbilly couple. So

if the week's grind has got you down, grab your partner and head up to see the action. If Hillbillies are as loud and as crazy as their reputation says they are, there just might be as much action in the stands as there is on the ice. So once again 8:00 tonight, (Sept. 30) at the Aitken Centre and remember your UNB-ID gets you in free.

## Tae Kwon Do

By BOB DIDOIATO

This Saturday, October 1, Fredericton plays host to the Canadian Masters Tae Kwon-Do Championships, at the Nashwaaksis Junior High.

Running the meet is Master Jin Chong, a third dan Black belt. Several years ago, Mr. Chong taught students at UNB, while he attended this University. Now he is a full time instructor downtown.

Several people from UNB are competing in the tournament, however, they are

all in the lower levels, i.e., below Black Belt level.

Mr. Chong is hopeful that his tournament will have a strong turnout, especially people who have never seen a martial arts display. At the present, there are several different martial art forms being taught in the city and a tournament such as this is good for new recruits.

Mr. Chong would like to announce that very soon he will be teaching here at UNB and he is hopeful that he will have an exhibition in the upcoming Red and Black Show.