

SPORTS

Women win sixth consecutive AUAA title



by John Yip

The Dalhousie Tigers hosted the AUAA Championships at Dalplex Feb. 19-21. The meet proved to be an exciting and intense match-up of some of the fastest swimmers in Atlantic Canada. The meet was also the last chance for the swimmers to qualify for the CIAU Championships in Toronto.

The weekend proved to be a fitting way to finish off the season for the women's team. The team added four new CIAU qualifiers: Cheryl Woodman in the 50m Free, Kristen Matthews in the 100m Back, Katy Laycock in the 200 m and Lynne Patterson in the 200m Fly. The four new qualifiers bring the number of female qualifiers to ten, more than half of the women's team. Other outstanding performances were displayed by rookie sensation Katharine Dunn who set a new provincial record in the 100m Back as well as winning three events. Dunn was consequently named the swimmer of the meet as well as an AUAA All-Star. Rookie Sara Woodsworth, Jessica Fraser and Jennifer Smith continued to dazzle their teammates and the large crowd with their dominance in various events.

Cathy Bass swam lifetime-best times while Alicia Daley gave her best shot while battling the flu. For graduating swimmers Christy Gustavison, Marsha Gollan, Robin Mackay and Captain Janet Tingley, the meet was a grand finale for their many years in and out of the pool.

The women's team rallied together to overwhelm their competition by capturing the tenth title in thirteen years, their sixth consecutive AUAA title.

With the conference becoming more competitive each year, the men's Tigers knew what lay ahead. Matt Fraser led the way with an exciting finish to the grueling 1500m Free by going under the CIAU standard. Fraser will be joined by the 1993 AUAA 100m and 200m Back Champion for the third year in a row, Jason Shannon, Captain Sean Andrews, medalist in the 100m Fly and D'Arcy Byrne who broke the Dalhousie record in the 200m Free. Breastroker Ian Jackson narrowly missed qualifying for the 200m Breast by a mere 19/100ths of a second. Jackson eventually took the 100m Breast title while making it to the podium in the 200m Breast. Graduating students Jamie Wright and Louis Beaubien also ended their careers in a flamboyant manner. Wright achieved a lifetime best in the 1500m Free while becoming a finalist in the 200m Breast. Beaubien dropped large amounts of time to swim three lifetime best times.

Third year math student Dave Leblanc swam four lifetime best times and medaled in the 200m Fly. Mike David, Wilbur Macleod and John Yip swam to some lifetime best times in the 50m Free, 100m Free and the 100m Breast. Andrew Kirby also swam the meet of his life by helping the men's 4x200, Free relay to a second place finish while Andrew Haley swam some personal best times.

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by Mark de Pencier

On February 26 the Dalhousie Women played their semi-final game against a hot team from PEI and could not pull out the victory. UPEI who shot fifty percent from the field, went on to win the AUAA championship and travelled to Victoria B.C. for the nationals. Overall Coach Carolyn Savoy was pleased with the fourth place finish and felt the women played inspired ball.

That game ended up to be the last for two very important members of the squad. First, Jody Matheson who played four strong years for the Tigers, and whose experience was vital this year down the stretch. She will be missed by her Coach, players and fans.

Secondly, Angie "Flipper" McLeod has completed her fifth and final year of eligibility. She was a member of the Junior National Team and was also at the National Women's Team camp. Coach Savoy feels that she is easily one of the best players to play in a Dalhousie uniform. She was a starter in all five of her seasons averaging approximately fifteen points a game, but the Coach talked about her incredible ball handling skills as a six footer, rebound-

ing, shot blocking, and overall tantalizing defence. It is the extra things that made her a premier player in the AUAA. Not only will Flipper be missed on the court, but also as an preeminent contributor to Dalhousie athletics.

Next season looks bright, despite the loss of these key players. There were six first year players and three second year players on this year's team so there is still a lot of room for improvement. The team will be looking for leadership from Jennifer Clark who is entering her fourth year. Jen is a point guard who can score with the best of them as she proved a couple of weeks ago scoring twenty-nine points in a game against Memorial. Big things are also expected from other guard Renee McKenzie, forward Jennifer Offman, and post Julie MacAfee.

Coach Savoy is hoping the players will work on their games over the summer so they can come back flying next season. I would like to take this opportunity to thank the team on behalf of the fans, for all the exciting basketball over the last couple of months. Personally I would like to thank Coach Savoy for providing me with helpful insight.

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Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.
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