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Hockey **Promising start for Varsity Reds** Stickmen to go top?

by Neil Duxbury **Bruns Sports**

The Reds were on the road again last week picking up three of four points from Nova Scotian opposition. The Reds tied the UCCB Capers at 4 after overtime and dumped the StFX X-Men 9-2.

The Reds head into the last weekend of the first half of their season with a 5-3-3 record after a tough schedule. Assistant coach Shane Easter said in an interview Wednesday that he's "happy with the way the first half of the season is gone ... as the road trips to UPEI and Nova Scotia are out of the way. They split their games against UPEI and narrowly lost to Dal and Acadia, who are currently 1st and 3rd in the national rankings and are 3-1-1 against MacAdam division opposition.

"The rookies are doing very well so far this season" said Easter. Frank Leblanc leads MacAdam division goalies in goals per game ary 7th with a road trip to MtA average and Luke Naylor has ten and UdeM.

points from his seven goals and three assists. After Christmas two more rookie forwards, Todd Walker and Bill Wright, will be added to the team. "Both will be impact players" said Easter. Veteran Todd Sparks currently leads the team with 9 goals and 11 assists, while Toby Burkitt is close behind with 5 goals and 14 assists.

Three Reds, Sparks, Derek Cormier and Mike Cavanagh, will be reserves for Team Canada when they swing through the area later this month.

This weekend's games against StFX and UdeM offer the Reds a chance of topping the MacAdam division at the Christmas break. Currently they have13 points and two wins would put them on 17, one point ahead of UdeM on 16. Easter "feels there is a strong possibility" of this. The Reds will spend the Christmas break in training before their schedule resumes on the weekend of Janu-

Canadiens defeat

Americans Baby Habs Turner Stevenson scores a goal against the Rochester

American.Stevenson got two goals in the game. Habs defeated the Americans 4-3. Habs next home game is Saturday at 6pm. Photo Kevin G. Porter

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Bruns Sports Dept. Christmas Wish Mark S. - a candlelight dinner with Paulin Bordeleau at Don Cherry's Neil - a new OL, WR, QB, FB, etc., for the Seattle Seahawks Bruce - the respect that we gave to brother Frank, not to mention his alcohol capacity Kevin - Valium and lots of BIG photos Christina - Kwame Dawes to pre-write her thesis Paul - some skin for his Bones Maria - a travel budget so her reporters will stop whining and 'shut the fuck up!' Bruns Staff - free psychological appraisal at Kierstead Donna Hornibrook - Josette Babineau Clint Hamilton - self control Claire Mitton - complete video catalogue of the Red Bloomer glory years Tim Randall - a varsity team Danny Grant - some emotion and his favorite beverage Shane Easter - some recognition Gary Brown - a sabbatical Andrew Cole - a lump of coal, we have no respect for anyone going to Florida for 3 weeks Al McGarvie - a Varsity Red tattoo on his rear that'll get him some respect Donnie Ryan - lifetime promise wrestling team won't be cut Field Hockey - artifical turf Women's Basketball - Pauline Lordon Mens Basketball - Please, please, just a playoff berth Cross Country - Grad class to erect a memorial monument for them Hockey - Mike Johnston Soccer - Romario Swimming - a months supply of tanning lotion and complete on location Bruns coverage of their training camp in Florida this holiday Men's Volleyball - a league Women's Volleyball - respect Wrestling - a big tub of Vaseline SCORE" IT BIG AT... Fredericton's Largest Licensed

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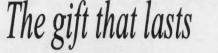
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