



MOOSEHEAD INTRAMURAL REPORT

Intramural Ball Hockey

By Louis G. Brill

The men's intramural ball hockey league has wrapped up for another year after a most exciting and competitive play-off season.

In round one of the three round event, the top 4 teams from each division were matched in a cross-over format with first playing fourth, second playing third, etc. Most picked division one teams to dominate the round as seemingly the bulk of the leagues talent lied therein. Along with the undefeated regular season champions the New Jersey Devils, the defending champions the Pine Rats, and pre-season favorites the Alpines came from the first division. Domination, however, was not the case as round one turned out to be the most exciting set

of ball hockey games to be played at UNB in the past four years.

The N.J. Devils kept up their winning ways by knocking off the hayshakers 6-2. Bridges Blues Brother's on a dramatic last second goal by Curt (The Box) Bocx eliminated the Blues team 8-7. Game 3 proved to be the most exciting game of the playoffs as the much improved Free Agents took the favored Alpines from STU to a triple overtime shoot-out and then advanced on a great goal by Mike Boudreau. Todd Dorion's 3 goals led the Pine Rats to a nail-biting one goal victory over the Bandits to wrap-up round one.

In round two, (2 game total goal) it appeared the N.J. Devils had finally found a test for themselves as the hard fighting Free Agents were giv-

ing them all they could handle. After 2 periods, Scott Clements' 3 goals had kept the Free Agents tied at 5. The bubble burst in the 3rd period however, as the slick teamwork of the Devils resulted in 8 unanswered goals and a 12 - 5 series lead. Terry Vickers and Jamie Melanson both had hattricks for the winners. Game two was more of the same as Louis Brill's four goal performance led the Devils to a 14-9 win. It was the 11th straight victory for the Devils as they captured the series 26-14 over the Free Agents.

In series two, Todd Dorion once again led the Pine Rats to victory scoring three in a 7-4 victory over the Bridges Blues Brothers. By now, the Blues Brother's had become known for their never-say-die all out hussle style of play. While down by 3 going into game

two, Bridges' relentless attack quickly evened the score. It became clear the undermanned Pine Rats would not return as champions when Jim English potted 4 to lead the Blues Brothers to a 10-5, 14-12 come from behind series victory and a berth in the finals.

The finals (two out of three) shaped up to be a classic Oilers-Flyers type confrontation with the leagues top offensive team, N.J. Devils, vs the top defensive club, the Bridges Blues Brothers.

After two periods in game one, a defensive struggle was indeed underway as the incredible goaltending of Brian Barnett kept the Devil's fire power under control, the score being 3-3. Once again, however, the third period belonged to the skillful Devils as Alex Scholten led the way to an 8-3 victory with 5 goals. Game two started with Bridges in full gear, three quick goals and the Devils were faced with their largest deficit of the year. With an undefeated season on the line, N.J.'s defense led by goalie Pat Davidson settled down, after two the Bridges lead was cut to one goal, the score 4-3. Play intensified as the score became tied at 5, each team trying everything to score the decisive marker. Jamie Malanson of the Devils scored what proved to be the winner with just over four

minutes to pay. The excitement continued to the last second as the champions were penalized and forced to play the last three minutes short handed. In the end a 6-5 victory for the N.J Devils who became the first team to go undefeated in the UNB men's league.

Congratulations to the Devils for an excellent season. Team roster: Marcel Arsenault, Jamie Melanson, Louis Brill, Terry Vickers, Pat Davidson, Blaine Westrate, Alex Scholten, Dan Arsenault, and Rob McLean.

Congratulations are also in order to the Bridges Blues Brothers on their runner-up performance and excellent sportsman like conduct throughout the entire season.

A special acknowledgement is also due to Don Bastrache and Ken LeBlanc who did an outstanding job of officiating the hard fought and close games played throughout the playoffs. Your commitment is much appreciated by all.

To close for the season, I would like to thank all eighteen managers and all the officials who helped assure the continued success of our league. With the increased parody and continued high interest, all signs point to a highly competitive 88-89 season...all the best in the off season.

Challenge of the Hearts

Runners from the Maritimes, Quebec, and New England are ON THE MOVE in preparation for the Tenth Annual New Brunswick Heart Marathon. The Marathon is a major fund-raising event for the New Brunswick Heart and Stroke Foundation, with all funds going to further medical research.

This annual event began in 1979, when two UNB Physical Education students (Doug Davidson and Garth Cochrane) undertook the organization of this unique and exciting sporting event. The tradition is being carried on, and on Sunday, April 10, 1988 Fredericton will again be hosting the runners.

This year the Marathon is also the New Brunswick Provincial Championship Race. The runs include a full marathon (26.2 miles), a half marathon (13.1 miles), and a quarter marathon (6.5 miles). There will also be a competitive relay (26 miles, 4 runners), and a recreational relay (26 miles, 4 to 10 runners). Recognizing that not all people are runners, there will be a two mile walk so that more people can participate in this special event.

CHALLENGE OF THE HEARTS 1988

TIME: Saturday, Feb 13
10:00 - 11:30 am
1:00 - 3:00 pm

PLACE: Buchanan Field (Morning)
Lady Beaverbrook Gymnasium (Afternoon)

Reception to follow!

REGISTRATION: January 28 - February 8
Intermural office

ENTRY FEE: \$12.00 per team
Proceeds to the NB Heart Fund

TEAM ENTRIES: Maximum of ten teams
Teams of eight participants (4 men and 4 women)

NOTE: Prizes will be given to all participants. All events will be centered on a Valentine's Day theme. Managers will be required to meet at the LB Gym twenty minutes prior to the challenge beginning (9:40 am)

Social Dance Classes

Here is your opportunity to train those two left feet to glide around the dance floor like Ginger Rogers or Fred Astaire. Introductory Social Dance classes are being offered in the Lounge at Bridges House. Classes are held on Thursday nights between 7:00 and 8:30 pm Feb 11 - March 24 (excluding Feb. 25). Students will be introduced to the fundamentals of a variety of social dances. No partner or experience is required. Interested individuals may register at the UNB Business Office between 10:00 am and 5:00 pm. For further information contact the Recreation Office, Rm A121 L.B. Gym.

Friday		Varsity
Basketball (M)	6:00 pm	
UNB at St. F.X.		
Basketball (W)	8:00 pm	
UNB at St. F. X.		
Hockey	7:30 pm	
UNB at Dal		
Volleyball (M)		
UNB at UdeM (AUA Tour # 2)		
Volleyball (W)	7:00 pm	
UNB at UPEI		
Saturday		
Basketball (M)	3:00 pm	
UNB at Dal		
Basketball (W)	1:00 pm	
UNB at Dal		
Hockey	2:00 pm	
UNB at Acadia		
Volleyball (M)		
UNB at UdeM (AUA Tour # 2)		
Volleyball (W)	12 noon	
UNB at UPEI		