

SPORTS

Swim team loses meets, wins support

by Kent Blinston

They might have lost in the pool, but the Bear's swim team came out of last Friday's meet against USC as all around winners.

Most of the 247 people who paid to see the powerful Trojans win the meet 71 to 24 saw the U of A swimming for the first time this year. While the Bears only won one race, the quality of the competition may well be enough to start some repeat trade.

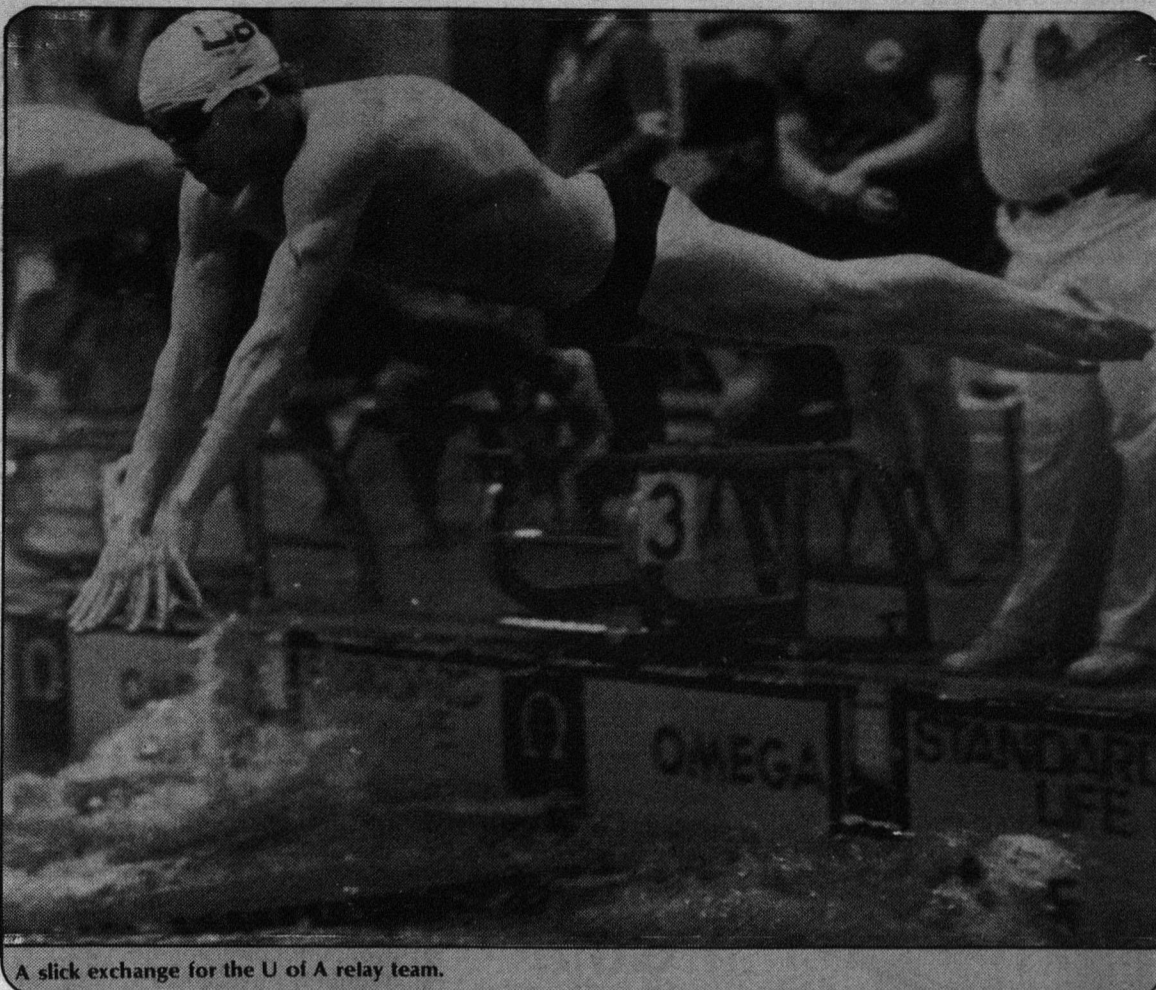
Bruce Berger of the Bears won the 200 metre free style in 1:53.87, just 0.09 seconds ahead of Paul Payette of the Trojans.

Two of the Trojans managed the double. Gleen Gehan won the 50 m and 100 m freestyle. He also swam the anchor leg of the 400 m relay. Alan Alarab won the 400 m and 800 m freestyle.

Expatriate Canadian Ken Fitzpatrick won the 200 m individual medley relay. Another USC Canadian, John Clark, finished second in the 200 m breaststroke and swam the second leg of the 400 m relay.

The Bears had more success Saturday when they met the Washington Huskies who won 54-41. The Pandas fared poorly against the powerful Washington women's team and lost 71 to 24.

Berger won the 400 m and 800 m freestyles. Cam Henning of the Bears also took 2 races; the 200 m freestyle and 200 m backstroke. Jan Meulier was the most successful of the Pandas as she won the 100 m breaststroke and the 200 m individual medley. Jeff Riddle of the Bears won the 100 m butterfly.



A slick exchange for the U of A relay team.

photo Bill Jinglee

Hockey Bear is player of the week.

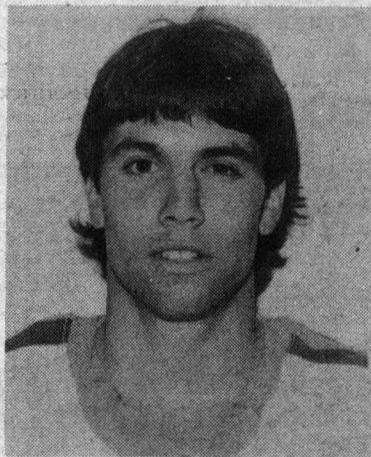
Where the action is

John Reid of the Golden Bears hockey team has been named Canada West Intercollegiate Athlete of the Week. The Bears leading soccer scorer with 9 goals and 9 assists, Reid had 2 goals and 4 assists as the Bears beat Saskatchewan last weekend.

Tomorrow, the Bears host the Calgary Dinosaurs, 7:30 at Varsity Arena. The two teams go at it again Saturday, same time, same place.

Also this weekend, the Bears and Pandas volleyball teams host their counterparts from the University of Victoria on Friday and UBC on Saturday.

Pandas action starts at 6:30 and Bears play goes at 8:00 both



John Reid, CWUAA athlete of the week.

nights in Varsity Gym.

The U of A basketball teams are in for a warm weekend of hot competition as they go to the west coast. Friday the Bears put their perfect season (1-0) on the line as they play the UBC Thunderbirds. The Pandas can even their season at 2-2 if they beat the Thunderettes.

Saturday sees them in Victoria to bash their heads against the brick wall known as the U of Vic Vikings. The Pandas should have better chances against the Vikettes.

The Wrestling team will be in Regina Saturday for the Cougar Invitational.

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