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**Red Devils ready for Tommies** 

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The UNB Red Devils have been busy this week getting ready for the start of the second half of the AUAA hockey season. After play in the first half, the Red Devils find themselves in second place in the Macadam Division, one point behind the Mount Allison Mounties. The Mounties have defeated the Devils twice this season, including a 7-4 victory late last year.

Though the Devils are only one point out of first place they still haven' been playing up to expectations. The Hockey News picked the Red Devils to finish first in their division, and coach Don Macadam feels that his team is capable of a first place finish. When asked about the team's play thus far, Macadam simply replied that, "We have the capability to do much better, but we just haven't been playing up to our potential. The guys didn't seem to have the desire in the first half, but I'm looking forward to a better effort from now on."

Looking at the Red Devils lineup, anyone can see that there is a tremendous amount of raw talent available. Macadam feels that he is going to have to explain this talent more effectively, if the team is going to finish the season

changes but hockey fans will notice a few new twists to the Devil's style of play. There will also be a couple of new line combinations, designed to try and get the players going. Brian Craig will now be centering wingers George Wood and Vaughn Porter. Craig could be the catalyst needed to get the line moving and producing more goals. Sid Veysey will be the center for John Kinch and Gary Agnew. Macadam feels that Veysey's experience and good hockey sense will help Kinch and Agnew a great deal in the upcoming games. "One thing that I want to do," says Macadam, "is get the guys to think more when they are handling the puck. We've made too many stupid plays, and you don't win games that way." Let's hope that Macadam's efforts are successful and the Red Devils can put it all together. The Devils will be playing the Saint Thomas Tommies on Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Lord Beaverbrook Rink. Even though the Red Devils defeated the Tommies twice in first half play, the team can't take the game for granted. According to coach Macadam, "the Tommies have a good team and they always put out an extra effort when they play us." Sunday's game should be very exciting and hopefully the Devils will be able to start off the new year with a victory.

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## U.N.B.'s Brian Craig and the Oldstar's Derek Sanderson.

## **RED DEVIL NOTES**

The Red Devils had a successful tour of Europe over the holidays and there will be an article in next week's Brunswickan about the trip... There should soon be some

Red Devils souvenirs available to fans at the games, so watch for them, they won't last long... The game between the Red Devils and the NHL Oldstars, last term, was a great success and proved to be very entertaining. Hope we see more games like this in the

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future...Most of the Red Devils upcoming games are away from home, but the Bruns will do its best to keep you informed on the progress of the team...There will be a couple of special promotions coming up at the Devils home games, so make sure you attend.

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