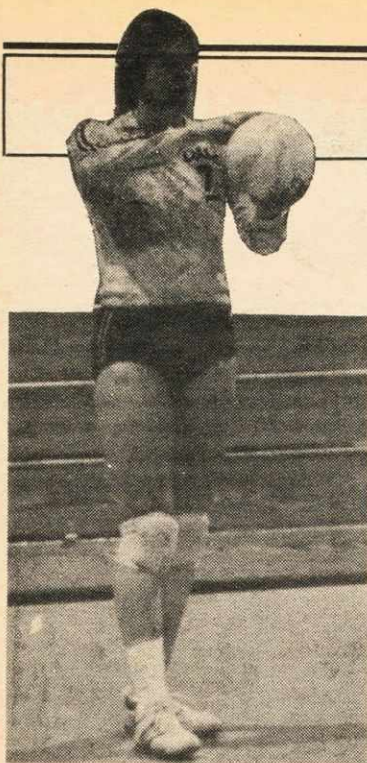


# SPORTS



## Women's volleyball is having a star season

by Kevin Little

In an interview, the Tigers Women's volleyball coach, Lois MacGregor, relayed a success story that Dal should know about. Dal has a 6-0 record in the AUAA and is ranked 5th by the CIAU, which they will host this season.

Summing up the team's successes this year, it won a silver medal in an eight team league at the York Invitation early in November, and consolation honours in Sherbrooke, Quebec, in late November.

Dalhousie's impending test

will come in the Dal Classic, a tournament for the men's and women's teams. This tournament features the strongest in the intra-collegiate field seen so far this year. Eight teams will compete.

Looking at Dal's most recent action, the team went on an exchange program in January that took them to Vancouver, B.C. They played the CIAU 10th ranked UBC team in exhibition play, winning 8-15, 15-6, 15-5 and 15-12. Brenda Turner was the leading Tiger with a 71 per

cent kill and 12 serving points.

While in Vancouver, MacGregor said the team was treated to such sights as Gastown (Vancouver Historic Properties equivalent), Chinatown, they attended class, practised with the UBC team, and received a tour of the city and nearby Grouse Mountain.

From B.C. they went to Calgary, (partaking of the Banff scenes on the way). There they played in the tournament of champions which included 20 teams from Canada and the U.S. Dal won a silver medal,

defeating the University of Calgary 12-14, 14-16. They also beat the Kindersley Senior Women's team from Saskatchewan 13-15, 15-10, 15-4, and the University of Saskatchewan 15-13, 15-3. Saskatchewan has been the national champions for the past three years.

They were defeated by the University of Montana 3-15, 15-1, 11-15. In the quarter finals they beat the University of Alberta 15-5, 15-6, 15-5, defeated the Calgary Volleyball club in the semi-finals 15-1, 15-5, 15-10, and then lost the dramatic final to the University of Calgary 14-16, 11-15, 7-15.

The schedule for this weekend's classic is as follows: Dal plays the University of Sherbrooke (6th ranked) at 8:45 pm on Friday. On Saturday Dal plays the University of Calgary (3rd ranked) at 11:45 am, University of Manitoba (silver medalist at the past CIAU) at 3:15 pm.

The semi-finals take place on Sunday at 7 pm, leading to the finals at 12 midnight. The Bronze medal game will take place at 10 am, Monday.

Other teams playing are Laval (ranked 1st), Memorial (ranked 8th), Winnipeg (ranked 9th) and finally UBC (ranked 10th).

## Women hoopsters still undefeated

by Kevin Little

The Dalhousie Women's Basketball team won three games this past weekend. They defeated Mount Allison, in Sackville, New Brunswick, 85-58. Then in Charlottetown, PEI, they defeated UPEI 76-48, and after only a half hour's rest played to defeat University of New Brunswick 81-76. Coach Savoy believes the victory was perhaps the best thing that had happened to the team all year (current record 6-0).

The senior women supplied much of the competition in a weak league. They are now ranked fourth.

Individual efforts of merit

include Yvette Milner who scored 19 points against Mount A. and Savannah Metcalf who contributed 11.

On the Island, Natalie Vukovich was the top scorer with 16 points. And in the gutsiest performance of the year, Anna Pendergast scored 26 points as the Tigers were pushed to the limit to produce a victory.

Tuesday night at the Metro Centre, the Tigers defeated Saint Mary's Huskies 92-53. Dal's top scorers were Savannah Metcalf, 21 points, Moira Pennycook 16, Anna Pendergast 14, Natalie Vukovich 12, and Saint Mary's players Karen McKellan scored 13 and Tracy

Vanier 12. Dal kept a steady wide lead, with the score at half time 46-26.

The performance of the men's volleyball team was much hotter than the chilling temperatures outside last weekend. The Tigers disposed of the host University de Moncton team in a pair of AUAA matches. The wins increased Dal's record in the league to a perfect 8 wins - no losses.

On Saturday evening the Tigers won the match in straight games: 15-3, 15-5, 15-11. Phil Perrin led the team in three statistical categories with 12 kills, 12 blocks and 95% on service reception. Bernie Derible had 10

kills, 6 blocks and 3 digs. Jamie Fraser and Lee Turner both contributed 8 kills to the Tiger attack. The team had a fine match from a blocking point of view.

The match on Sunday again provided a three-set victory for Dal: 15-8, 15-2, 15-12. Bernie Derible had a team high 16 kills and 4 digs as well as a figure of 84% on service reception. Phil Perrin, with his usual consistency, had 11 kills, 6 blocks and 3 digs. Jamie Naugler also had 11 kills, while Farley MacLeod contributed 5 blocks.

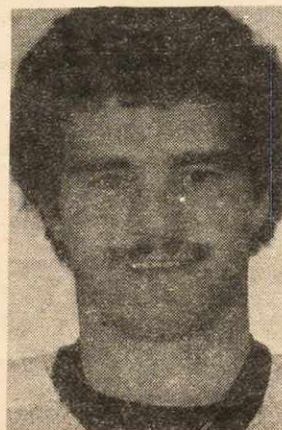
The Tigers big test will be this weekend in the third annual Dal Classic.

# Moosehead Export Salutes

December 6 to January 10



**MOIRA PENNYCOOK** - basketball - a 5'11" Master of Business Administration student from Winnipeg, Moira starred for the Tigers during their tournament trip to Winnipeg and Brandon. She was named an all-star in the Winnipeg Tourny scoring 65 points in three games. Pennycook is fourth in the AUAA in scoring with a 16.2 average and leads the league with 12.0 rebounds per game.



**LOUIS LAVOIE** - hockey - has had an outstanding couple of weeks as the Tigers won three of four games in an American trip and dropped a close 9-8 decision to the Schooner NHL Old Stars. Lavoie was selected player of the game in the latter contest for a one goal, two assist team leading role. Lavoie is a fourth year defenseman from Cremazie, Quebec and is studying physical education.

January 11-17



**KAREN FRASER** - volleyball - co-captain of the Tigers led the team to a two match sweep over Moncton last weekend. The graduate of Halifax West is a fourth year commerce student who compiled nine blocking points, 18 serving points and 32 kills against the Blue Angels while accumulating a serve reception percentage of 75%. Karen, an All-Canadian last year, was named to the all-star team at the Calgary Invitational two weeks ago.



**PHIL PERRIN** - volleyball - was the outstanding Tiger in a sweep of Moncton in AUAA play last weekend. The 6'3" native of Truro is a third year commerce student and was MVP in the AUAA last season. He was named first team All-Canadian and a tourney all-star at the CIAU Championships. In last weekend's play, Perrin had 23 kills, 18 blocks, 95% service reception and was plus 19 on the team's statistical summary.

# Athletes of the Week