

Campus recreation

Serving the campus community

Advisory committee

The advisory committee for the Campus Recreation program will meet on Thursday, November 12 at 4:30 p.m., room A116 of the L.B. Gym. Designated faculty and students from UNB and STU will convene to review program activities and services for input to the Director.

Facilities

SMA POOL CANCELLATIONS
The following SWIMS will be CANCELLED:

Friday, Nov. 6	Sat., Nov. 7	Sun., Nov. 8
4:30-6:30pm Adult	1:45-2:30pm Adult	1:45-2:30pm Adult
7:30-8:30pm Family	2:30-4:30pm Family	2:30-4:30pm Family
	Sat., Nov. 14	
	1:45-2:30pm Adult	
	2:30-4:30pm Family	

Non-credit instruction

Red Cross/ Royal Lifesaving Water Safety Instructor II Course

This course trains individuals to teach the top 4 levels of the Red Cross Water Safety Program and beginning levels of the Royal Lifesaving Society Program. It runs for 40 hours plus provisional teaching.

Class dates: Nov. 17, 19, 24, 26, 28
March 23, 25, 30,
April 1, 3

Prerequisite: WSII + Bronze Medallion +
Senior Resuscitation

Registration: Registration deadline Nov. 6
at the UNB Business Office

FEES: \$75 + text - for UNB/STU students & recreation members \$85 +
text - for non - members add \$5 after November 8

Intramural sports

\$\$\$Leadership opportunities\$\$\$

Referees are still needed for Intramural Ice Hockey. Training will be provided if not experienced. If you are interested, contact Referee - in - chief Matt Cripps at 454 - 8035

Badminton tournament

Registration for a Men's & Women's Singles & Doubles Badminton Tournament is currently going on at the Recreation Office. Deadline for entries is Tuesday, November 10 at 4:00 pm. NO POST ENTRIES ACCEPTED. Tournament will take place on Saturday, Nov.14 & Sunday, Nov.15. Tournament Draw will take place on Saturday, Nov.14 at 12 noon in the Main Gym. Tournament format will depend on the number of entries received. Tournament is open to UNB/STU Students and Recreation Members. For more information, contact the Recreation Office located at the L.B. Gym.

Co-ed basketball tournament

Registration began on Tuesday, Nov.3 for a Co-ed Basketball Tournament.16 teams is the maximum amount that will be accepted for the tournament.
8 members are required for each team(with a minimum of 3 females).
The tournament is to take place on Saturday, Nov.21 & Sunday, Nov.22.
Registration deadline is Tuesday, Nov.17 at 4:00 pm in the Recreation Office. For more information, contact the Recreation Office located at the L.B. Gym. Interested teams should enter as soon as possible.

Sport editorial: Putting it into perspective

by: Frank Denis

Before I took off for Orono, Maine last weekend people on this campus were warning me about a blowout for the University of Maine over the Red Devil hockey team. I honestly didn't think they would be blown out. After all, I had watched on television the week before the Maine game against Providence which ended in a 3-3 tie and I wasn't impressed with Maine's performance. Sure they were a good team I thought, but number 1 in all of the US.? I didn't think so.

Well, I can honestly say that one week later my feelings have changed. Watching the first few minutes of the Friday night game, in which Maine won 9-2, I was impressed as were a number of other UNB supporters who had made the trip down. The Black Bears outskated UNB, made pinpoint passes and backchecked to cause turnovers.

The Devils in the first few minutes seemed intimidated. Their passes weren't connecting and they found themselves taking stupid penalties. Someone on the trip with me asked why the Maine Black Bears were so much better. And the reason to that is that they have to be. Let me explain.

A few weeks ago in this column there was a comparison of UNB athletics and US college athletics. In that editorial it was pointed out that UNB student athletes come here firstly for an education and secondly for athletics. In the States however their priorities are reversed. The team comes first and the school work second. If the players on the Maine Black Bear hockey team don't play well and produce they run the risk of losing their full scholarship. If this happened they would more than likely not be able to afford the high costs of tuition and would have to drop out. The Maine hockey team boasts a 30 player roster meaning that there are players available should someone hot pull his weight wasn't playing well.

Another point to remember is that a lot of Maine's players hope to pursue a career playing in the National Hockey League one day. With scouts watching their every shift on the ice, they better make pin point passes and backcheck. On the other hand almost all of UNB's players have had a dream of playing in the NHL, but have realized that it isn't going to be so have enrolled at UNB to get an education. I'm not saying that UNB players and coaches don't take hockey seriously, don't get me wrong. What I am saying is that the two teams have different priorities. At Maine hockey comes first while here at UNB school comes first.

Proof in point to this is that while all UNB students are in the final stages of studying for exams the Maine Black Bears will be spending five days at a tournament in Fairbanks, Alaska. Two weeks after that, in the middle of exams the team is off to Los Angeles, California for another tournament.

It would be unfair to say that both games were blowouts. In fact the 11-1 game on Saturday was a lot closer than the score would indicate. The Black Bears led 2-1 mid way through the game before scoring 9 unanswered goals. UNB outplayed Maine up until then but ran into penalty trouble.

Both UNB basketball teams have begun selling t-shirts with UNB Basketball written on them. They come in red or black and look pretty sharp. According to Bloomer coach Claire Mitton only 200 were initially printed and at least 50 were sold during the Fall Classic two weeks ago. There are some still available either through Mitton or men's coach Clint Hamilton.

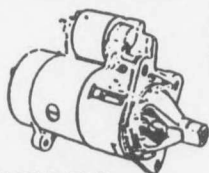
UNB should get some revenge from last weekend's losses to Maine when the UNB women's hockey team travels to Orono for a pair of games in two weeks. The women's team is much improved this year and judging from past results should give Maine a tough couple of games.

This week's trivia question: Which Maine Black Bear was named US College hockey player of the year last season? Hint: he is from Moncton.

Last week's answer: Greg Norman's nickname is the shark.

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