

Dal Profile

BY TIM RICHARD

Have you always been heavily involved in athletics?

I was really involved in athletics in junior high, but no other girls were. People looked down on me because it wasn't acceptable for a girl to be a successful athlete, so I felt really uncomfortable. When I got to high school it was great. I just totally fell into place.

Tell me about some of your achievements.

Well, I was athlete of the year all three years in high school. We were city and provincial champions all three years. People feared us. We were a dynasty. In university, being named CIAU (Canadian Intercollegiate Athletic Union) rookie of the year my first season was definitely a highlight.

Any chance of a bloated ego?

No, I don't think so. I am a very confident person, but I'm also very down to earth. I don't think people look at me and think "What a snob!" I think people with the biggest egos are the ones who aren't successful, because they have to prove a point.

What is your greatest fear?

Injuries. Losing.

Does it ever bother you that the guys' basketball team gets far more attention than the girls?

Not really. I've come to terms with the fact that men are more exciting to watch. But in the three years since I've been here, recognition for women's basketball has grown so much. Times are slowly changing.



CAROLYN WARES
Age 20

Originally from Calgary Alberta; Captain of the girls basketball team, studying recreation.

Have there been any down sides to playing on a varsity basketball team?

Sometimes it gets a little stressful, but then I sit back and realize how many people would DIE to be on a varsity team and I've been

lucky enough to have that opportunity. I also look at the girls on the bench who don't see any playing time and they still come out to practice and give 100% every single day, without ever being rewarded.

Who do you respect most in this world?

My grandfather. He was a very talented athlete. He won a Stanley Cup with Detroit and went on to the Commonwealth Games. He believes in hard work. Right now, there are also certain players I respect a lot like Jackie Flieger and Jeff Mayo. Even though they are in constant pain, they come out each day and give their heart and soul. And definitely my parents. My parents never doubted me and they gave me all the confidence in the world.

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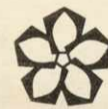
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