

Red Bloomers crush St. F. X.

--open season strong

By MARK ESTILL

If home openers are any indication of how successful a team will be for the rest of the season then the Red Bloomers have nothing to worry about. The women's basketball team rolled over the Saint Francis Xavier University X-ettes twice on the weekend by scores of 57-48 and 47-39.

The big story for the Bloomers was the superb play of the forward line consisting of Laura Sanders, Ann McClellan, and Moira Pryde. These three players accounted for 37 of UNB's 57 points on Friday night and were responsible for 28 of 47 on Saturday afternoon. Leading all scorers from both teams in both games was Laura Sanders with 14 on Friday and 15 points on Saturday afternoon.

Ball handling chores were handled very capably by the guards who Coach Slipp substituted frequently, Carolyn Gammon, Joanne MacLean, and Sandy Hill.

In the first game UNB came out tentatively and appeared bothered by the tight man-to-man (woman-to-woman) which St. F.X. was playing. However as the first half progressed UNB found their game and took the lead for good at 14:20 of the first half. Soon the bloomers were hitting the open woman regularly for easy baskets. The second half was characterized by a tenacious UNB defense led by Moira Pryde.

The second game which took place on Saturday afternoon was much more of a defensive struggle as the score indicates. The first half was a see-saw battle with no team gaining a clear advantage on

the scoreboard. This can be frustrating to UNB women's basketball fans who feel cheated if we do not have a nine point lead for the entire game. The first half ended with UNB taking a narrow 22-19 lead into the dressing room.

Whatever Joyce Slipp said in the dressing room at the half must have been quite inspiring. UNB did not allow St. F.X. to score for the first four minutes of the second half. The Bloomers only allowed the X-ettes three points in the first ten minutes of the second half. Meanwhile UNB added 14 points to their own score showing some offense to go along with their defensive skills. The defensive star in the second game was Ann McClellan. The first year Education student made five steals and dragged down seven rebounds. With UNB obviously in complete control of the game Coach Slipp substituted liberally to allow all of the Bloomers to see action. The subs showed that they could play, maintaining the wide lead built up by the regulars.

The Red Bloomers play their next home game tonight at six o'clock against Acadia in the LB Gymnasium.

STATISTICS: Game 1. UNB: Sanders 14, McClellan 13, Pryde 10, Gammon 8, MacLean 6, Jeffery 2, Keays 2. St. F.X.: Berthimieume 12, Richards 11, Murray 8, Murphy 8, Beliveau 5, Campell 2. Game 2: UNB: Sanders 15, McClellan 9, Pryde 4, McKlean 4, Gammon 4, Ahier 3, Keays 2, Hill 2, Steeves 2, Ryder 2. St. F.X.: Berthimieume 14, Breen 8, Beliveau 6, Murphy 4, Richards 3, Campell 2, McCormack 2.



Carolyn Gammon (6) goes in for a lay-up against St.F.X.

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last weekend.

...then stomp UPEI

By Bev Bennett

The U.N.B. Red Bloomers convincingly trounced the U.P.E.I. Pantherettes last Sunday. The final score was 73-47.

Leading the way for the Bloomers was Carolyn Gammon with an outstanding 20 points, shooting 100 per cent from the floor. Defensively it was Ann McClellan with 5 rebounds and 5 steals. Laura Sanders scored 14 points and pulled down 6 rebounds playing a fine two way game. She was also particularly good at drawing fouls by driving to the basket. C. Hamilton-Irving

scored 11 with a shooting accuracy of 80 per cent.

U.P.E.I. had previously beaten St. F.X. with their team of eight players. Despite two 6' players and a fine outside shooter in M.J. Ready, the Pantherettes ran into foul trouble they could not afford in the first half. Unable to substitute a full line, unlike UNB, UPEI tired noticeably towards the end of the half. The Pantherettes improved in the second half reducing their fouls from 16 to 6 and taking advantage of some UNB turnovers. But the Bloomers were too

strong on the court and the bench, too fast, and overall a more thinking and control oriented team.

Ann McClellan's Comments

On U.P.E.I.: "The forwards were tall but slow. You also can't expect to stay in the game at this level of basketball with only eight players." On the Bloomers schedule: "It's good to play the weaker teams first, especially at home. It gives a chance for a team like us with many new players to jell together before we hit SMU and Dalhousie U."

Reds lose in semis

The Reds Volleyball team travelled to Nova Scotia last weekend to play in the Dal-Acadia Invitational Tournament. In round robin play Friday night, they met St. F.X. and a Dal senior team and defeated them both, two straight. Saturday they played Acadia and U de M, and captured both these matches by a 2:1 majority. The Reds finished first in their section and went on to play Memorial (Nfld) in the semi-finals. Memorial squeezed by the Reds with a 3:2 majority, but only after an exhausting fight put up by the Reds. The Reds then played U de M for third place, but were defeated 3:1.

Coach Gail MacKinnon is very pleased with the results this weekend, because the girls travelled to the tournament short-handed, Elaine Estey was forced to show great stamina, as the other setter, Janice Aiton, was sick and could not attend.

Next tournament for the Reds is in Moncton on November 31st

Athletes of the week



Chris McCabe

Carolyn Gammon

A freshman Business student from Yonkers New York is the male athlete of the week. Chris McCabe averaged 20 points per game in the three Raiders basketball wins over the weekend. This included being the leading scorer in championship game of the Laval Tournament against host Laval. Chris topped off this performance with two points at the final buzzer to give UNB its first lead of the game and the championship win. For his outstanding performance, Chris was named to the tournament all-star team.

Starting guard for the Red Bloomers Basketball team, Carolyn Gammon is our female Athlete of the Week. The third year

Physical Education student from Fredericton led the team to 3 victories over the weekend.

Against UPEI she slot 9 for 9 from the floor and had a total of 20 points. Carolyn took apart UPEI and St. F.X. with long passes making their press plays virtually useless.

Lanny's Grey Cup quiz

1. When was the last time the Toronto Argonauts won the Grey Cup?
2. Who dropped the ball in the 1955 Grey Cup that Jackie Parker picked up and ran back into an Edmonton victory 25-24?
3. Who was the last team to win the Grey Cup three years in a row?
4. IN what year did the Saskatchewan Roughriders win their only Grey Cup?
5. Who has the most career Grey Cup points?
6. When was the last time the B.C. Lions won the Grey Cup?
7. Who is the young player who scored three touchdowns in the fourth quarter of the 1938 Grey Cup for the Argonauts? (HINT: He became a distinguished NHL referee after his career)
8. Who was the first western team to win the Grey Cup? What year?
9. What two teams have played each other in four of the past five years in the Grey Cup finals?
10. Who made the last minute catch that led Ottawa to a 23-20 victory over Saskatchewan in the 1976 Grey Cup?

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The New Brunswick Open Championships held at the University of New Brunswick on Saturday November 18, 1979, were dominated by Susan Stewart and Roland Morrison who were both undefeated in their respective events. The winners were:

LADIES FOILS: 1st-Susan Stewart, 2nd-Roland Morrison, 3rd-Daniel Dalhousie, 4th-Memorial, Newfoundland

MENS FOIL: 1st-Roland Morrison, 2nd-Nova Scotia (undefeated), 3rd-John Shanks, Saint John's, 4th-Freeman, Memorial, Newfoundland

EPEE: 1st-David Goodridge, 2nd-Bees, 3rd-Maine, 4th-Delief Hess, UNB

SABRE: 1st-Roland Morrison, 2nd-Nova Scotia (undefeated), 3rd-Freeman, Memorial, Newfoundland, 4th-Delief Hess, UNB, 5th-Alan Manchester of UPEI

Childre

Registration procedures for the second term of children's swimming lessons have been completed by the faculty of Education and Recreation

Faculty, staff, students and extension students and alumni who have participated in the pick up registration forms at 121, Lady Beaverbrook beginning Monday, Dec 3. Proper I.D. card will be required to pick up a form.

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