

# Swim support lacking

Individually there were good performances but collectively the Bears and Pandas didn't have much success in the pool. In meets this past weekend against Simon Fraser, UBC and Victoria the men picked up the only win, a 95-8 triumph over Victoria on Saturday. The Pandas lost 81-48 to Victoria, 96-40 to UBC and 71-42 to Simon Fraser. Against Simon Fraser the Bears lost 77-36 and were dupped 67-47 by UBC.

Cindy Swartzack and Brent Desbrisay topped the Pandas and Bears with four wins each. Swartzack captured the one and

three meter diving events both Friday and Saturday while Desbrisay had wins in the 200 and 400 meter freestyle against Simon Fraser and 50 and 100 meter freestyle victories in competition with UBC and Victoria.

Other Panda winners in the Simon Fraser meet were Randi Stangroom (200 m. freestyle), Colla McDonald (50 m. and 100 m. freestyle) and the 400 meter freestyle relay team of Stangroom, McDonald, Allison Collins and Kelly Bowden.

In men's action Brian Carleton won the 200 meter

individual medley in a U of A record time of two minutes and 14.8 seconds, Dave Long took the 200 meter butterfly and the threesome of Carleton, Mike Cook and Jack Ashton swept the 200 meter backstroke.

Against UBC and Victoria, Long won the 400 meter freestyle, Carleton, Ashton and Bruce Lecky took the top three spots in the 400 meter individual medley and the 800 meter freestyle relay team of Long, Carleton, Desbrisay and Keith Kendall were tops in their race. No Pandas, other than Swartzack, won an event.

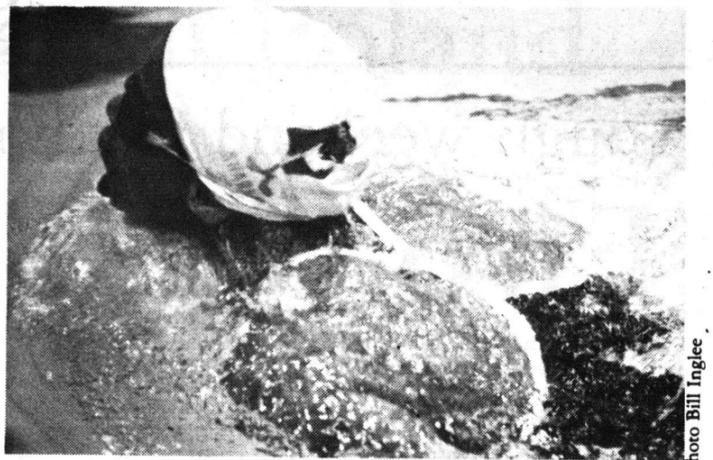


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Both swim teams met some strong opposition in west coast meets this past weekend.

## Gymnastics

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beneficial and seeing the competition was worthwhile to the girls," says Rouse.

Trish McMillan was the Pandas' top competitor with a sixth place overall finish. It was the first time this season she has competed in all four of the events, beam, parallel bars, floor exercise and vault, since suffering an ankle injury last year. Audrey Gee of the Pandas took tenth spot while Noreen Skoreyko had the best individual score with a 7.85 in the vault.

Both the Bears and the Pandas will be in Calgary on January 31 for a dual meet with Calgary. Rouse says, "This will be a good judge of where we stand. We'll be using our rules (the old ones) which we're more used to."

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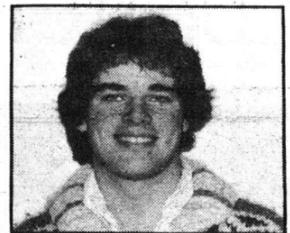
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