

Women Basketball Tigers take two game series



GRANDY/DAL PHOTO

Anna Pendergast hooped 14 points in Fredericton last weekend despite the sprained ankle she suffered last week at Dalplex against 'X'

by Ken Fogarty

Over the weekend the women's basketball team furthered their unbeaten season with two victories over the University of New Brunswick. The women have to be truly admired for this victory for they had only six healthy players to take on UNB. "The rookies did very well" said coach Carolyn Savoy, referring to the way they came off the bench to fill in for the starters.

On Friday, December 5, UNB took Dal right to the wire in the battle to win the first game of the two game series. Dal, however, emerged victorious, 69-65. Jill Tasker led the way for the Tigers with 27 points and 18 rebounds. Following with 22 points was Dal's play co-ordinator, Carol Rosenthal. Both of these women have gotten off to a great start, and look to be good bets to take home a lot of hardware when the awards are presented at the end of the year. The leading scorer for UNB was Ann McLellan with 12.

The second game, on Satur-

day, resulted in a more comfortable win for the Tigers; this, perhaps as a result of Anna Pendergast's decision to play with a sprained ankle. Anna ended up contributing 14 points to the total of 68 points that Dal added up. Carol Rosenthal led Dalhousie's scoring with 20. Joanne MacLean topped all other UNB scorers with 14 points to help

UNB put together 53 points.

The Dal women Tigers now have an 8 win no loss record overall this year, and a record of 4 wins and no losses for the regular season. With only six players, and the Tigers can still defeat their opposition, it's looking better every day for the women to reach their goal of winning the AUAA title again this year.

Intramural Athletes of the week

Beginning in January the Gazette will be accepting nominations from intramural teams for their athletes of the week. Nominations must be received no later than 6 pm on the

Monday prior to the Thursday publication and must also be typewritten. Selections will be made weekly, beginning with the second issue in January.

score bored

by Sandy Smith

Well, the arrival of the Christmas season brings more than snow, candy-canes, and new socks. Indeed, much more than this comes to the home of every university student. I speak, of course, of the inevitable arrival of first term marks. Before we all head home, away from this glorious institution, I thought it only fair that the various varsity Tigers get their grades on their performances to date. I'll just put my robe on and I'll be all set. . . okay, here we go.

SOCCER (F) (Withdrawal)

Soccer class was not always well attended and when too many students began to miss class because of illness, tutor Terry McDonald got some other students to take their place. Unfortunately, the principal said one of the new students was not supposed to be in the class. As a result, the entire class had to withdraw before their tests. It's too bad; they probably would have had an A for the term.

FIELD HOCKEY (B+)

The women were good students throughout the fall, failing only one test — that one being one in New Brunswick. The only students to do better in the final exam were the same students from New Brunswick that outscored them on the earlier test. Their tutor, Nancy Tokaryk, said that everyone studied hard for the final and did very well, the other students just did better.

SWIMMING (A-)

Both the men and women of the class seem to be the best students in the area. Many have already qualified to do national final exams. Looking good for mentor Nigel Kemp and his crew.

CROSS-COUNTRY

It's been a while since the Professor marked cross-country results, but here goes. The female runners — B+. They, like the members of the field hockey class did very well, they just could not do as well as those students from New Brunswick.

The men suffered from a lack of good students. Their mark — C.

HOCKEY (C-)

Only a fine last minute effort by these students saved them from getting the old 'the students could do much better if they would only apply themselves' line. Their last test was a better indication of what the students are capable of doing. Still, lots of room for improvement.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL (B+)

This relatively low mark is to keep heads from swelling. The students have passed all of their tests so far this year and could be as good as last year's class. Probably this year's best class.

MEN'S BASKETBALL (D)

Few students are enrolled this year and the class has had its problems so far. Like their hockey comrades, there is a lot of room for improvement.

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL (B+)

The volleyball students are doing well with the help of a couple of the country's top students on their side. The only other students around here that could do better are those from Memorial. Big things expected of this class.

MEN'S VOLLEYBALL (A/F)

These students are performing better than any others. They've been passing their tests with relative ease although they, like the women, found the western students superior on crucial tests. The big problem with the team is that one student qualified to be in the class, but was denied admittance because of his long hair that he would not cut. I say that is not fair, hence A/F.

WRESTLING (B)

The 'grapplers' performed well in their only test. Not much to say about this class, I would not want to get any of them too upset.

Finally, students forming their own classes, but not calling themselves Tigers, did very well indeed! Both the burly rugby players and the women's soccer students deserve A's for their work.

And so as the 1980 sports year comes to a close, I bid you all a fond *adieu*.

So long, farewell, ciao, catcha on the flip-side Steve, and bye-bye. Have a very happy holiday!

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