

Women's and men's

Basketball

The Dalhousie Tigers women's basketball team gave notice to the league that they will be a force with which to be reckoned as they captured the gold at the Acadia Tip-Off tournament over the weekend. The Twin Tower McCormack Sisters, Trish and Kathy, combined for 54 points to lead Dalhousie to an 81-52 victory over Saint Mary's in the championship final.

Trish McCormack had 30 points while sister Kathy poured in 24. Rookie Mary Cameron was the next highest scorer with 12. The Tigers led 42-30 at the half.

The Tigers had advanced to the final round of the four-team tournament by virtue of a 62-59 victory over Guelph.

The squad will host their annual Centennial Tournament, featuring Ottawa, UPEI, Concordia, UNB, Acadia, York, and Windsor, at home November 13-15.

The Dalhousie Men's basketball Tigers took to the court in a pair of season opening games over the weekend in Montreal and came away with a solid win and a narrow loss in the championship match of Concordia Invitational Basketball Tournament.

The Tigers advanced to the championship by virtue of a 100-83 victory over the Ryerson Rams on Friday. Second-year players Willem Verbeek and Andrew Merritt were outstanding in both games and were named to the Tournament's All Star Squad.

In the Championship game, the Tigers lost to the host Concordia Stingers 95-91. Verbeek had 26 points and 10 rebounds for a two-game total of 25. Merritt contributed 16 points while Colin Charles added 19.

The Tigers travel to Mount Allison to play their first league game November 20.



PHOTO: DAVID GRANDY

Greg Royce scores one of his goals, beating Mount Allison Moun-tie goalie Pat McLaughlin. Dalhousie defeated Mt. A. 13-7 in Sunday's game.

Tigers learn lesson

The Dalhousie men's volleyball Tigers learned some valuable lessons over the weekend as they squared off over the weekend against some of the best teams in North America at the University

of Manitoba's Bison Invitational. On Friday, November 7, the Tigers lost to NCAA finalist University of Southern California 15-6, 15-8, 15-5, to Sherbrooke 15-5, 12-15, 15-11, 15-6, and to the top-ranked team in Canada, the University of Saskatchewan, 17-19, 12-15, 15-8, 15-12, 15-12 in a hard-fought match.

In the consolation round, the Tigers, who were minus the services of second-year standout Jody Holden, who is injured, lost to the University of British Columbia 15-11, 5-15, 15-13, 15-12, and 15-13, 5-15, 15-13, 15-12 to York.

Travis Murphy had 57 kills for Dalhousie, while Brian Rourke contributed 53 and Andy Kohl, 52.

French Connection leads Tigers

The Dalhousie Tiger hockey team's French Connection — second-year centreman Martin Bouliane and rookie right-winger Eric Aubertin — are laying the groundwork for yet another great season for the Black and Gold, with the speedy duo already occupying first and second place respectively in the AUAA scoring race. Bouliane, who was named a CIAU All-Canadian in his freshman year with Dal, has already chalked up 9 goals and 10 assists while the 19-year-old Aubertin, a native of St. Eustache, Quebec, has 8 goals and 10 assists.

This past weekend helped their totals, as the Tigers thumped Mount Allison Mounties 13-7 on Sunday, November 8 to extend their league record to

5-2. Bouliane had a pair of goals and assists, while Aubertin added two goals and an assist.

Frank Wilson opened the scoring for the Mounties in the first period, but after that it was all Dalhousie, as Brad Murrin, Aubertin, Greg Royce and Graham Stanley all contributed to a 7-1 score at the end of 20 minutes.

In the second period, Bouliane and Brian McDonald scored for the Tigers, while Joe Kinch, Preston Dixon, and Mark Farwell replied for Mount Allison. In the final frame, Dal's Jamie Jefferson had two goals and Bouliane and rookie Andrew Thompson one apiece, while Kevin Andrews, Frank Wilson and Preston Dixon closed out the Mounties' scoring.

On Saturday, the visiting team

again opened the scoring as the UPEI Panthers' Gerry Flemming made it 1-0 in the first period before Graham Stanley and Aubertin, both on the power-play, put the Tigers ahead. PEI's Greg Gravel rounded out the scoring to end the first period in a 2-2 tie.

Bouliane and Alan Baldwin scored for the Tiger in the second period, while Gravel and Fleming again scored for the Island team to make it 4-4 after two.

Aubertin helped the Tigers pull away in the third period with a pair of goals while Baldwin fired in the third to make the final score 7-4 in favour of the Tigers.

The team will again see action on November 14 when they host the Moncton Blue Eagles.

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FOLLOW THE TIGERS!

Womens Centennial Basketball Tournament in Dalplex
November 13-15

Swimming
Acadia at Dal November 13

Mens Hockey
U de M at Dal 7:30 pm. November 14

Mens Hockey
SMU at Dal 7:30 pm. November 19