

Rompers come last

Rebels place third

Fredericton Junction Piranhas won their fourth UNB Invitational Volleyball Tournament title by defeating the University of Moncton 15-2 and 15-7 in the finals. The host team, the UNB Red Rebels were third.

The Fredericton Junction Junior team won the 'B' title with 15-5, 15-0 wins over the UNB 'B' team. In the women's section the Caraque Junior team defeated a Halifax team three games to two. UNB Red Rompers placed last in their four team section, with a 1-5 record.

U of Moncton finished preliminary play with an 11-1 record, the Junction had a 9-3 record, while the Rebels were

7-5. UNB's main problem was their failure, on Friday night to come up with consistent enough play to win only one of four games. The lost two games to Moncton, and one to the Fredericton Grizzlies. They did manage to come alive on Saturday winning six and losing two.

The 'B' team of the Rebel's finished preliminary play with a 7-3 record before being defeated in the finals.

Mount Allison finished fourth in the "A" section with a 6-6 record. CFB Shearwater, N.S., Flyers were 5-7, Fredericton Grizzlies 2-10 and Edmundston Trade School 2-10.

University of Moncton's "B" team finished in a tie for

third in "B" section with a 5-5 record, the same as St. Thomas University. Les Etoiles, much the same team that represented Prince Edward Island team in the 1971 Canada Winter Games volleyball competition, was 3-7 and CFB Gaagetown ended 0-10.

University of Moncton was third in women's play with a 2-4 record. UNB Red Rompers were 1-5.

The Red Rompers and the Red Rebels venture to the wild woods of Halifax this weekend to take part in the Shearwater Open Tourney. About 32 teams will be in attendance, both the teams will be facing the best competition in the Maritimes.

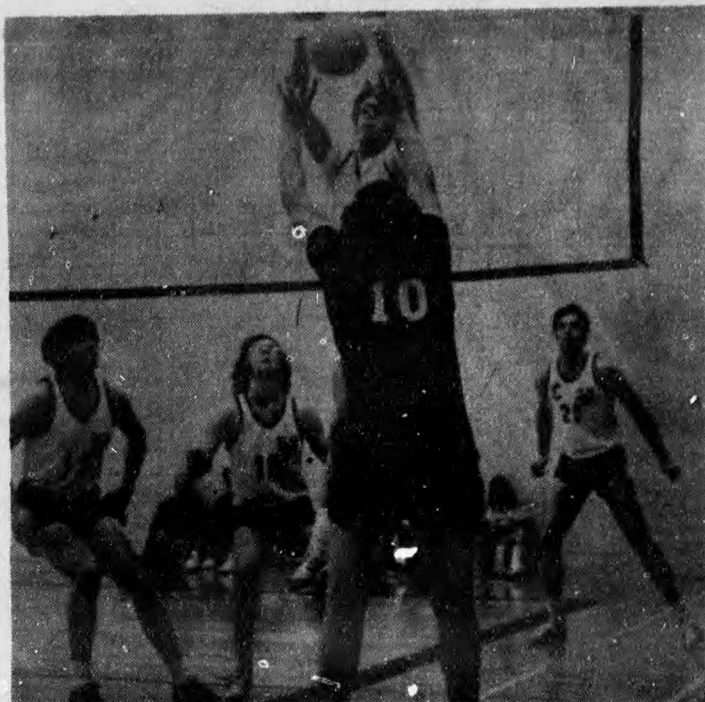


Photo by Phil Sheeda

Members of the Red Rebel 'B' team await volley in finals against Fredericton Junction Piranhas.

Beavers lose twice to Memorial as Mermaids romp

By RANDY NASON

Last weekend the UNB Men's swim team travelled to Acadia and Dalhousie to swim in tri-meet situations with Acadia and Memorial University of Newfoundland at Acadia and Dalhousie and Memorial again at Dalhousie.

The Beavers overpowered the Acadia team with a score of 55-39 but were narrowly edged out by Memorial 48-46.

The meet started off very poorly for the Beavers when their winning 400 yd. medley team was disqualified however they easily out swam their opponents with a time of 4:16.1.

Laurie Easterbrook captured first place in the 200 yd. butterfly event with his time of 2:29.7. Another newcomer to the Beavers squad, Bruce Hewson, proved his ability by winning the gruelling 500 yd. freestyle in a time of 6:09.6. The 400 yd. freestyle relay team of Roy Hastings, Dave McFaul, Barry Roberts and Dave O'Neil easily paced their way to victory with a time of 3:54.6.

On Saturday the Beavers moved on to Dalhousie where again they out swam their Dalhousie opponents and winning 56-36. The Memorial team downed the Beavers 53-44.

Now that the UNB team knows where Memorial's strength lies, they will be able

to start their intensive training in preparation for the AIAA championships to be held in February.

First place finishers for the Beavers in the meet at Dalhousie were Laurie Easterbrook in the 200 yd butterfly event with a time of 2:32.4 and John Dowd in the 100 yd freestyle with a time of 56.2.

This past weekend the women's swim team travelled to both Dalhousie and Acadia. The Mermaids were victorious in both their meets.

The meet with Acadia was very close but with Coach Mary-Lou Wood's juggling of the line-up it proved to put the Mermaids on top. The final score was 53-42.

The dual meet with Dalhousie was not as challenging. All the girls swam well and finished with a 66-26 victory.

ACADIA:

- 400 Medley Relay
 1. UNB 5:23
 - Kathy Steiner
 - Ann Beaman
 - Becky Reid
 - Janet Henderson
- 2. Acadia

- 200 Freestyle
 1. Acadia
 2. UNB Lynn Gray 2:25.9
 3. Acadia

- 50 Freestyle
 1. Acadia
 2. Debbie Prince 26.3 UNB
 3. Acadia

- 200 Individual Medley
 1. Acadia
 2. Suzanne Fitzgerald UNB 2:37
 3. Acadia

- 200 Butterfly
 1. Acadia
 2. Shonn Atkinson UNB 3:24
 3. Brenda Fraser UNB 4:22

- 100 Freestyle
 1. Debbie Prince UNB 55.9
 2. Acadia
 3. Becky Reid UNB 1:10

- 200 Backstroke
 1. Acadia
 2. Kathy Steiner UNB
 3. Pat Wilson UNB

- 500 Freestyle
 1. Debbie Prince UNB 5:44
 2. Acadia
 3. Lynn Gray UNB 6:45.7

- 200 Breaststroke
 1. Suzanne Fitzgerald UNB 2:59.3
 2. Acadia
 3. Ann Beaman UNB 3:11

- 400 Free Relay
 1. UNB 4:31
 - Becky Reid
 - Mary Trenholm
 - Lynn Gray
 - Suzanne Fitzgerald
- 2. Acadia

Bloomers cream Quebec

The Red Bloomers have again proven their superiority on the basketball court by winning 3 exhibition games in Quebec last weekend. On Friday they met their toughest competition of the season in Bishop's Gaiterettes. The girls overcame Bishops 54-45 with Lesley Olmstead leading the scoring with 13 points. On Saturday, the Bloomers trounced McGill 69-23 and the University of Montreal 64-27. Marilyn Watts and Karen Lee each hooped 10 points in the McGill game, while Lesley Olmstead once again led the girls with 17 points against the University of Montreal.

In statistics, Lesley Olmstead grabbed 25 rebounds while Ann Fenety follows close behind with 23 in the games in

Montreal. Joyce Douthright was tops in the assist category with 13. The team's shooting percentage was 40 per cent as compared to Bishop's 30 per cent, McGill's 34 per cent and Montreal's 24 per cent.

The Red Bloomers have been intercollegiate champions for the past 6 years. This year has seen them winning the UNB Invitational Tournament and they are also undefeated 2-0 in league play. They are once again the favourites to represent the league in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan on March 3rd and 4th.

Be sure to catch these upcoming games as they plug the Saint John Alpines on Thursday at 7 o'clock and Mount Allison on Saturday at 6:00. Both of these games will be held in the UNB gymnasium.

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