# Sports

# Concordia gets stung

#### **Rose Crawford**

The York Yeomen trounced the Concordia Stingers en route to capturing the third annual Excalibur Classic basketball tournament played at York last weekend.

Four York cagers managed to hit double figures in the point column led by guard Paul Jones with 15, followed by teammates David Coulthard and Grant Parobec, both pushing 14 points through the hoop. Starting centre Peter Greenway scored 11 points, sinking four baskets from the field.

Coach Bob Bain was able to go to his bench early in the game as the Yeomen jumped to a 17-4 lead after ten minutes. The bench showed York's superior depth with the likes of rookies Mark Jones and John Christensen.

The pair collected 8 points a piece when 6'9" Christensen scored on 4 lay-ups and Jones hit on three shots from the field.

The early York lead steered the game towards chippyness and rough play. York amassed 30 personal fouls in response to Concordia's cheap shots.

The York offense was well supported by a good defensive effort as the Yeomen pulled down 39 rebounds. Enzo Spagnuolo played his typically strong defensive game leading the team with 7 rebounds.

Paul Jones and Coulthard were chosen as tournament All-Stars along with Edgar Merchant of Shaw College of Michingan whom the Yeomen defeated 90-71 Friday night to advance to the final.

All-Star Garry McKeighan of Concordia was also chosen as the tournament's Most Valuable



Veteran Yeoman Paul Jones figured prominently in York's success in the Excalibur Classic tournament. He was a tournament All-Star.

Player leading the Stingers with 21 points over the other entry in the invitational, the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown Panthers, in a 53-51 victory.

"When you've got talent, height is of no consequence. S. Clayton

#### Wrestling

Last Saturday, the York Yeomen wrestling squad had their season debut at the University of Waterloo Open in Waterloo. Under the direction of coach Albert Venditti and assistant coach Carlos Moniz the Yeomen grapplers came up with three well deserved bronze medals. Rookie Leon Manner and veterans Jonathan Graham and Dave Carmichael all wrestled well to clinch the third place finishes. York's remaining seven wrestlers all performed admirably but were unfortunately eliminated from medal standings. Their encouraging performance has left coach Vendetti with an optimistic eye turned towards the up and coming meets this season.

With a strong rookie contingent, this year's "mat men" are well on their way to becoming a force to be dealt with at the tournaments to come. This Saturday, they remain in Toronto for what promises to be a highly competitive Ryerson open.



#### **Basketball**

In an exhibition game played last Sunday, the York Yeowomen demonstrated their power by soundly defeating Lakehead University 72-42. Yeowoman Leslie Dalcin was the top scorer with 16 points followed by teammate Barb Whibbs with 13 points. York travels to London this coming Saturday to face the Western Mustangs.

## **Athletes of the Week**

Yeowoman Mandy Battershell of the York Squash team, is Excalibur's female athlete of the week. She was successful in winning the decisive match of the Can-Am tournament which gave York the championship.

Eventhough the soccer season is over for the Yeomen, this week's male athlete of the week is a member of the Yeomen soccer team. Goalkeeper Glenn McNamara was named an All-Canadian by the coaches of over 25 university teams across the country. Earlier in the season, McNamara was also named to the OUAA All-Star team.

Congratulations!

## York wins Can-Am

**Rose Crawford** The York Yeowomen Squash team travelled south of the border this weekend and came home victorious, defeating various American college teams and a squad from McGill University in two separate college meets.

On Friday, November 14, York took part in the Colgate Exhibition tournament, competing against the host team and William Smith College. The Yeowomen easily came out on top, winning 11 matches to Colgate's 4 and William Smith's 2.

The following day, the action moved to Hamilton College, the site of the first part of the annual

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