

Huskies take it (for now)

Dal to protest score

by Carol Montgomery

The Dal Tigers certainly showed their stripes at home Tuesday night in AUAA men's basketball action against the Saint Mary's Huskies.

SMU took the victory, winning 84-77 in overtime, but Tiger coach Bev Greenlaw says he is protesting the game.

The controversy occurred when, in the last few seconds of scheduled play, the Huskies hooped a 3-point shot to tie the game 74-74. Or did they? Many spectators thought the shot was only good for two. Greenlaw says if anyone has any question about the shot they can refer to ATV's videotape footage that clearly marked it as a two-pointer.

The change in score will mean an upset over the Huskies, who are first place in the Conference standings, and a much-needed confidence-building win for the fourth-place Dal Tigers.

Greenlaw says, "Our kids played well and I'm proud of their effort," but added that he feels they can do a lot better.

Half of the Tigers are in their first year, which means there is not a lot of playing experience on the court, hurting them offensively.

Throughout the game, Dal's defence seemed to work effectively, as they took parts of SMU's offensive away from them, leading the half-time score a close 42-38 in the Huskies' favour.

Willem Verbeek came up big for the Tigers with 18 points. Spunky point guard Kevin Hayden had 16, followed by Andrew Merritt with 13. Paul Riley hit double digits for 11.

Brian Thompson and Dean Durnford led the Huskies with 18 apiece.

Dal's performance Tuesday shows that they are just as capable of winning the Conference as any other team in the league.



Making a break in Tuesday night's controversial game vs. the Huskies.

With so many new and talented players, the future years look very

promising.
Way to go, Tigers!

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Women get gold, men get silver

by Dale A. Rissesco

The Dalhousie Women's Tigers captured the gold medal in the ninth annual Dalhousie Volleyball Classic Tournament for the third time in the history of the event over the weekend. The women entered the tournament with their sights set on gold and on maintaining their perfect record, which now stands at 9-0 in conference play.

The women defeated the Mount Allison Mounties in the championship match with a

stunning 15-8, 15-2, 15-10 performance Sunday afternoon. Leading the Tigers on to victory were co-captains Colleen Doyle, Tournament MVP, and Andrea Borysiuk, who was selected to the All-Star Team. Sandra Rice was also selected for the All-Star Team.

Leading up to the final game against the Mounties, the Tigers (defeated UNB 15-3, 15-10, 15-7, Carleton 15-8, 15-9, 13-15, 15-7, Mt. A 15-6, 2-15, 15-8, 20-18, and Moncton 15-7, 15-7, 11-15, 15-5.

In the Men's division, the Tigers rolled through all the compe-

tion, except the American George Mason Patriots, who caused the Tigers to stall. In the championship game the Tigers lost to the Patriots 15-3, 15-11, 15-11, coming out of the tournament with the silver. Tigers Travis Murphy and Brian Rourke were named to the All-Star Team.

The Tigers came into the competition with the intention of extending their perfect record, which now stands at 11-0 in conference play, and securing a place for themselves in the national rankings.

Tigers thump Capers

The Dalhousie Hockey Tigers snapped a mini-slump on Saturday night as they defeated the University of Cape Breton Capers 7-2, handing the Cape Breton squad their first loss in four starts in January.

Outshooting the Capers 55-21, the Tigers led just 3-1 after two periods, but two goals apiece by Graham Stanley and Coca Cola Player of the Game Alan Baldwin sealed the Capers' fate in the third. Bruce Campbell scored his second goal of the game late in the third to round out the Capers' effort.

Also tallying for Dalhousie were Scott Birnie, Brian McDo-

nald and Phil Priddle.

To compensate for a relatively easy night in the nets, Tiger goaltender Rick Reusse contributed two assists, while Dal's leading

scorer Martin Bouliane and Phil Priddle each added three.

After a game at Saint Mary's on Wednesday, January 27, the Tigers travel to Prince Edward

Tiger top Mounties

Bev Greenlaw's basketball Tigers evened their league record at 4-4 and moved into a fourth-place tie with the Saint Francis Xavier X-Men by defeating the winless Mount Allison Mounties 85-80 over the weekend at the Dalplex.

The squad opened up a 47-39 halftime lead under the firing power of six-foot-four Willem

Virbeek, who tallied a game-high 26-points. Sophomore Andrew Merritt netted 23 points in the Tigers' winning effort.

Rory Herget contributed 21 points for Mount Allison.

After hosting the Saint Mary's Huskies on January 26, the Tigers travel to PEI on January 30 before hosting the Acadia Axemen on Tuesday, February 2 at 8:00 p.m.

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