Scott Tate

## Wrestles brilliantly

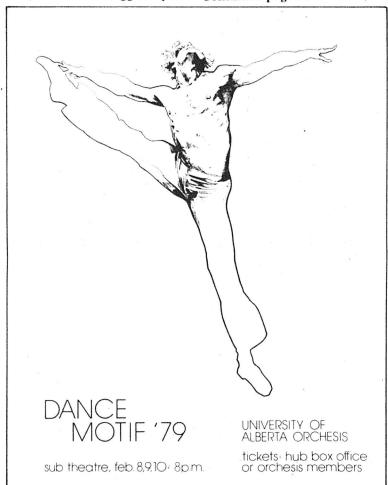
won a gold medal in the Junior Pan American Games this past inconsistent season, last weekend he put it all together to capture the gold medal at Saskatoon's Huskie Invitational. He destroyed Jim Keeley, his Calgary nemesis who had previously beaten Tate on three occasions, by a score of 16-4. He aslo pinned Lakehead's Mark Jodoin, who had soundly defeated Scott at last year's Nationals. It was understandable then why the coaches unanimously voted the sophomore outstanding wrestler of the tournament.

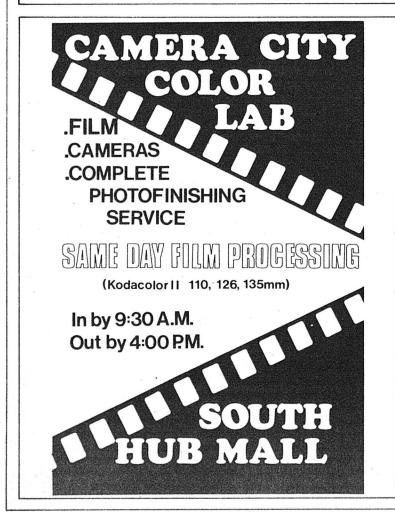
Unfortunately, the weekend was disasterous for the U of A wrestlers if one forgets

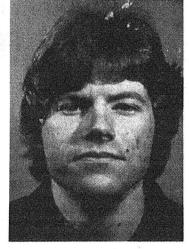
ridiculously cold, and coaches weekend out. Barry and Dowbiggin spent Continued page 23

Scott Tate, is a physical three hours in -40°C education student with a promist emperatures attempting to ing future in wrestling. He has wrestled up a weight class this well, the Bears suffered two year from the one in which he potentially crushing injuries in tne last tourney before Canada West. Mark Yurick, the wrestlsummer. Although he has had an ing team's inspirational leader, was tied 1-1 with Lakehead's Phil Collier in the final match at the 158 pound Weight class when he broke a bone in his foot. Doctors will remove the cast today and decide whether it will be possible for Mark to wrestle in the team championships February 17. Yurick's absence would in all probability eliminate the Bears from a shot at the team title for he has proved to be the class of his weight category.

Team clown and resident small person, Davey Langill, who also has a good shot at winning the 110 pound class, has a rib problem which has yet to be diagnosed. Suffering from the Tate's heroics. same problem is former football Saskatoon weather was star Lorne Degroot who sat this







**Doug Hinton** 

## Athletic reps acclaime

Effective April 1st, 1979. Doug Hinton will become the President of Men's Athletics.

I'm in my third year of Recreation Administration. My most recent background in the field of sports administration includes positions as manager of personnel for the athletics committee of the XI Commonwealth Games; 1978-79 unit manager for Rec. Admin's men's intramurals; 1978-79 men's league co-ordinator for the Edmonton Volleyball Association; and I am working on the publicity committee for the up-coming Junior

Canadian Volleyball pionships.

The primary function of President of Men's Athletics represent students involved athletics. He or she discusses concerns the students may about varsity sports, tramurals, co-rec activities, sports clubs with the stu council and the Unive Athletics Board.

Ralph Stevenc (vice dent of men's athletics) and work together to insure students receive maxim benefit from their involver with athletics.



As President of Women's Athletics next year, I am concerned that the Athletics Department at the U of A is facing critical budget restrictions brought on by elevating costs and decreasing student enrollment. This situation is by no means limited to the department of Athletics, but in some ways,

the student involvement in solving the ensuing problems is unique. Student representatives make up half of the membership of the University Athletic Board.

Unfortunately at a time where important issues and questions are being raised as to budget allocations and spending priorities, student apathy towards involvement on governing bodies such as the UAB has resulted in decisions made with little or no student input. If the UAB is to be a functional body, the students on the board must be active and informed.

To ensure this active participation, communication between the student and administrative members of the UAB, the Students' Union and the study body as a whole, must be improved. Only through a cooperative effort of these peo-ple can the Department of Athletics fulfill its educative function at the U of A.



**Ralph Stevens** 

As of April 1, 1979 R Stevens will officially take Vice-President of M Athletics.

I am in my fourth year of Physical Education progr three years of which I haves at the U of A. The U of A'shi respected Physical Educa and Athletic Program, and other factors, drew me to monton from balmy Vancou Except for a few cases of bite and hypothermia I have no regrets.

In the past three years l been actively involved in Intramural program, a program that provides a tremen service to the students at the A. I am currently the captain the varsity soccer team and most interested in the affair the intercollegiate aspect of athletic program.

To be complacent and the athletic program ride o reputation would be an thing to do, however, Hinton - President of M Athletics - and myself hop enhance the athletic progra any way we can. It is program, we need your sup



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Nancy McCutcheon

One aim that I have as President of Women's Ath is to inform students about privileges that they are entit when they pay athletic fees important for people to just exactly how much available to them - such as facilities, intramural

intercollegiate programs.

The main role of this tion is to present the stud point of view to such comm as the University Athletic (UAB).