



Out In Left Field

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If anyone had the chance to take in some football games on the weekend, they would have missed one in Winnipeg. The Blue Bombers were holding home-ice advantage against Edmonton in minus 21 degree weather. The proposed site for the 1991 Grey Cup this fall (winter?) may look more like the Ice Capades if the temperature doesn't rise a little. You sure have to give the people of Winnipeg credit though, even with the cold there were over 24,000 people in the stands. Unless the only reason they were there was because they were frozen in their seats, which is possible.

Has anyone else noticed that the weekly Monday night NFL football game seems to be a New York dominated one? Every week it seems either the Giants or the Jets are playing and the games they play in are extremely boring. In order to show some really exciting football Cleveland should be highlighted a few times.

The Boston Bruin - Detroit Red Wings fiasco the other night will once again bring up the issue of banning fights from professional hockey. The day is inevitable that scraps are eliminated from the game, but you have to wonder, how these same critics are going to react when the NHL turns into a hatchet league with players hacking each other into oblivion with their sticks - aah, but at least that violent fighting stuff will be gone!

Five things Winnipeggers can do if they don't have tickets to the Grey Cup:

1. Fire up the ski-doo and go downtown for a drive.
2. Ice skate outside Winnipeg Stadium and listen to the sound of the game.
3. Ice fish.
4. Watch the game on satellite from their trailer in Florida.
5. Be thankful they didn't get tickets so they can stay inside.

You can tell everybody that you read it here first. When playoff time comes around in the spring for the NHL don't be surprised to see the New York Islanders come out of the Patrick Division. Sounds a little far fetched but it is going to happen.

The Toronto Maple Leafs made a wise trade this summer by acquiring Grant Fuhr from Edmonton. He will help the struggling Leafs strive for a playoff berth this year. Fuhr will help, but Wendel Clark will carry them into the playoffs, if he can remain healthy. The Leafs play better hockey when their captain is healthy and in the lineup. Wednesday night Clark left the game against Minnesota with a sore knee, the same knee he injured previously. He must have a real problem buying insurance.

Hockey update: Montreal Canadiens have won 9 in a row, can they be beaten? Serge Savard says this is the best team he's had since 1983 when he took the G.M. position, better than 1986, that's scary!

What can a dollar buy these days? The Stanley Cup champions Pittsburgh Penguins are selling for 60 million dollars. (Do they know how many beer I could buy with that). To buy a team that isn't even a team yet, Tampa and Ottawa, costs 55 million dollars. The most established sport franchise in North America, the Montreal Canadiens, would only sell for about 36 million. Thanks to television contracts, these outrageous prices may soon drop. CBS has been losing money the past two years, seven games in the World Series did help their ratings.

Cal Ripken, the Baltimore shortstop, is a true ironman. Ripken's played 1573 consecutive games only 537 more games to surpass Lou Gehrig. Ripken is expected to reach the 2130 game mark in June 1995.

Did you know that Pat Lafontaine's new contract will make him the third highest paid player in the NHL?

Super Duper Double Trivia

Last week's answer - How many NBA players can jump higher than a house? All of them - houses can't jump.

Question 1 - In the late 1970's and early 1980's Dieter Brock was a star quarterback for Winnipeg and Hamilton before moving on to Los Angeles Rams. What was Brock's first name that he used early in his career?

Question 2 - What is the design of the Detroit Red Wings' emblem?

Campus recreation

Coed Volleyball Tournament

On October 19 and 20th, the UNB and STU Intramural Coed Volleyball tournament was held at the LB Gym. Participation was great once again with eight teams entering competition. Play started on Saturday with every team playing a round robin. Competition was tough, yet all teams involved showed great determination and spirit. As the day wound down and Sunday arrived the playoffs were set with Dunn/Jones, Harrison, Party Animals and The Earlys making it to the semi finals. Once again the competition was tough, yet the Party Animals and Harrison prevailed to advance to the finals. After a hard fought battle the Party Animals emerged victorious capturing the Coed Volleyball Tournament crown for 1991. Congratulations to the winners and thanks to everybody who participated.

Please note

Public skating on November 15th and 16th at noon at the AUC has been cancelled. Sorry for the inconvenience.

Entry dates

Just a reminder that the entry dates for the Coed Basketball Tournament are anytime between the dates of November 12th to the 19th. Hope to see you there!!!!

Men's Intramural Softball

The 1991 Men's Intramural Softball season came to a close this week. A total of 28 teams competed in the league with eight of them advancing to the play-offs. The outsiders lost their first game of the season but remained undefeated the rest of the season, in taking the Intramural Men's Softball Championship. Their road in the play-offs saw them beat the Harrington Raiders 9-4 in the quarter-finals and then moved on to trim the always tough Blues Brothers 15-11 in the semi-finals.

The Outsiders were to meet the Moosehead Lights in the final. The Moosehead team continuously slugged homers throughout the entire season and continued to in the play-offs. They beat the Hub Town Rats 16-6 in the quarter-finals and knocked out the undefeated Young Guns 10-4 in the semi-finals. This set the stage for the final match-up of the season.

The Outsiders jumped out to an early 5-0 lead after the first inning as they had done so all year. The contribution of tight defence and clutch hitting allowed the Outsiders to take their first Championship in Intramural Softball. In the end, the Outsiders came out on top with a 13-6 victory. Sean "Jake" Bradbury picked up the win for the Outsiders as he silenced the bats of the Moosehead team for the first time this year.

We would also like to take this time to thank all the officials who helped out this year for their time and the City of Fredericton for the use of the diamonds.

Law Raiders Win Championship

Men's intramural touch football ended last week with the Law Raiders defeating the MacKenzie Terminators in a very close game. Both teams survived bitterly cold temperatures to play the last game of the season which proved to be an exciting one. The Raiders drew first blood with a touchdown by Mark Welton. They converted for 2 points which made it a 8-0 score. The Terminators, who were the underdogs came roaring back with a touchdown by Nathan Chown. They too, after advice from their head coach Mike Ditka, converted for two points, tying the game at eight. During the second half, possession alternated between the teams until Greg Kirby made an excellent catch in the endzone putting the Law Raiders ahead. A two point conversion by Cameron Gunn put them up 16-8 with only two minutes to go. The Terminators did not give up though, with two minutes left in the game they came charging from deep in their own field all the way down to the 10 yard line with only 2 plays left in the game. Sure enough, quarterback Ron Bourque tossed Glenn McLean the touchdown that made it 16-14 in favour of the Raiders. Then the MacKenzie house team was terminated. They missed the conversion which sealed the victory for the Raiders.

The Raiders were impressive throughout the season, placing second in their division with a 7-1 record. Their only loss was to the Capital City Goof Balls. In fact, it was these two teams that played off in the divisional championship game. The Law Raiders won 1-0 on the last play of the game.

In the other division the Neill Knives finished on top of their division with a 7 and 1 record but were easily handled by the MacKenzie team 18-0 in their divisional final.

Thanks goes out to all the participating teams and the referees for their outstanding commitment.

Members of the winning team were: Mark Welton, Denis Clarke, Rod Jordon, Greg Kirby, Drew Simpson, Dave Weir, Jay Washington, George Monroe, Cameron Gunn and Bill Kean. Congratulations guys.

Rebels cont'd

this weekend, this was a learning experience that could prove invaluable in the season to come; says Belanger, "Rookie mistakes, first-of-the-year mistakes I'm not worried about right now". These rookies have some big shoes to fill. The team is missing three starters from last year: Claude Cullinan, Nathan Stairs and Dan McMorran. They were all top level performers who will be hard to replace.

Next week the Rebels are off to the rock to play matches against the Memorial University of Newfoundland's Seahawks on Saturday and Sunday. Although UNB took each match they played against MUN last year, the Seahawks could be a surprise with all of their players returning for another season.

CIAU top ten

Cross Country (M)

1. TORONTO
2. VICTORIA
3. WINDSOR
4. WESTERN ONTARIO
5. SHEP-BROOKE
6. NEW BRUNSWICK
7. DALHOUSIE
8. MANITOBA
9. OTTAWA
10. MCMASTER

Cross Country (W)

1. DALHOUSIE
2. VICTORIA
3. QUEEN'S
4. TORONTO
5. WESTERN ONTARIO
6. BRITISH COLUMBIA
7. WATERLOO
8. MCMASTER
9. GUELPH
10. WINDSOR

Ice Hockey

1. UQTR
2. CALGARY
3. CONCORDIA
4. GUELPH
5. UPEI
6. ALBERTA
7. REGINA
8. NEW BRUNSWICK
9. YORK
10. BRITISH COLUMBIA

Soccer (M)

1. BRITISH COLUMBIA
2. MCGILL
3. LAURENTIAN
4. DALHOUSIE
5. MCMASTER
6. ALBERTA
7. NEW BRUNSWICK
8. VICTORIA
9. CONCORDIA
10. TORONTO