

**WINTER CARNIVAL WEEKEND**

**Look what's happening in ATHLETICS**

<p><b>VANIER Men</b> Sign up for swim meet until Jan. 15</p> <p><b>Women</b> Sign up for swim meet until Jan. 15 Sign up for Intercollege and Intramural basketball <b>ALL SIGN UPS IN VANIER J.C.R. ON ATHLETIC BULLETIN BOARD</b></p>			<p><b>WINTERS Men</b> Sign up for swim meet</p> <p><b>Women</b> Sign up for Intercollege hockey and Intercollege basketball <b>ALL SIGN UPS IN MAIN LOBBY OF WINTERS</b></p>			
					<p><b>FRIDAY JAN 12</b> Hockey York vs Windsor (Double Rink) 4:00 pm</p> <p>Basketball Founders vs New College 7:00 pm</p>	<p><b>SATURDAY JAN 13</b> Volleyball Varsity Men's York vs McMaster 1:00 pm</p> <p>Basketball Men's Varsity York Windigoes vs Waterloo Golden Hawks 8:30 pm</p>
<b>SUNDAY JAN 14</b>	<b>MONDAY JAN 15</b>	<b>TUESDAY JAN 16</b>	<b>WEDNESDAY JAN 17</b>	<b>THURSDAY JAN 18</b>	<b>FRIDAY JAN 19</b>	<b>SATURDAY JAN 20</b>
	<p>Basketball Intercollege Vanier vs Winters (men and women) 8:00 pm</p>			<p>Intercollege Winter Carnival swim meet 6:30 pm</p>	<p>Basketball and Volleyball Women's Varsity York vs Windsor 7:00 pm</p>	<p>OQWCIA Women's Badminton Tournament Fri. 3 - 9 pm and Sat. 9 - 1 pm</p>
<p><b>FOUNDERS Men</b> Sign up for swim meet and Intramural basketball</p> <p><b>Women</b> If want to play hockey contact Shirley Gasparet 651-6903 or Judy Galbraith 248-6065--1st game Jan. 16 vs Glendon. Sign up for swim meet, swimming lessons now available. <b>SIGN UPS IN BASEMENT OF FOUNDERS ON ATHLETIC BOARD</b></p>			<p><b>GLENDON Men</b> Sign up for swim meet</p> <p><b>Women</b> Sign up for swim meet <b>CHECK NOTICES IN PROCTOR FIELDHOUSE FOR FURTHER DETAILS</b></p>			

**chips off...**

by David 'Chip' Henry

**End importance of big guys**

Last week's prime time television was interspersed with an abundance of U.S. college basketball games.

Most of the tilts featured such proclaimed superstars as the high-scoring Calvin Murphy of Niagara's Purple Eagles and the Kerr brothers from Colorado State's Cowboys.

In spite of the preponderance of such name players almost all the games were dull and ponderous to watch. In each game approximately 75 percent of the shots at-

tempted were accompanied by the referee's whistle, signalling a foul.

It got so that this writer felt a real sense of dread when a player took a shot, knowing the inevitable line-up and foul shot would follow.

What has already happened in the professional ranks is now appearing more and more frequently in college basketball. The game of basketball is steadily being dominated by big men who need only to reach up and

drop the ball into the eagerly awaiting net. Such dwarfs as 5'10" Calvin Murphy and Purdue's 6'1" Rick Mount are becoming a rarity.

Defensive teams play in fear of that ever-present quick whistle, so the strategy of a game has become: give the ball to our big centre and forwards and let him drop it in or draw a foul.

There are several suggestions which have been forwarded in the hope of eliminating the need for the 7' giants and opening the game up.

This writer sees merit in raising the basket but a more practical and exciting suggestion is the 3-point basket which is currently working out favorably in the new professional American Basketball Association. The game as such remains unaltered. However, a new area is marked on the floor to facilitate the new rule. This area consists of two lines extending from the base-line three feet in from and parallel to the sidelines, and 22 feet from the basket, which meet a semi-circular line from the basket. All successful shots taken from outside these lines are worth three points.

Now, what are the advantages of this rule? Instead

of letting the big centres dump the ball into the basket for two points, the premium would be on the good outside shooters who would not have to be especially tall.

With the constant threat of the good outside shot scoring 3 points, defenses would have to move out to present some opposition. The foul line would be less congested. Play would open up to the point where the ball could be worked "inside", without the fear of interception. Two-point shots would therefore be easier to take and there would be less chance of fouls being called.

One final advantage of the 3-point basket lies in the fact that a team which is losing in the final seconds of a game could more easily make up the deficit than it can with our present system.

On the other hand, the team that is leading would have the same opportunity of building their lead. But this is what the game needs. Some excitement, some opening up.

This writer thinks a good place to experiment is right here at York, either in a scrimmage or in the forthcoming exhibition game with RMC. How about it, Coach Johnson?

**chip shorts**

Best of luck to the Vanier athletic council on their new house system which is unique at York...In reply to Fred Halpern, who smugly informed this writer and Chips Off readers that "the intercollege council also runs the intramural program", I am informed by another athletic rep that the intercollege council simply allots the time in which intramurals will be played. The college councils control intramural events.

**WINDIGOES**

**WIN TWO AFTER HOLIDAYS, TRY FOR THREE SAT.**

York Windigoes have won two more exhibition games since the holiday break - defeating Avon Sports 84-67 and Oakwood Grads 73-64.

These two victories against senior teams move the Windigo record to 7-3.

The 84 points against Avon is a new school record (breaking the previous high mark of 81) and again shows there is scoring punch on the team.

This Saturday, York takes on Waterloo-Lutheran, the best team in the league. In their last meeting, Lutheran defeated York 88-65 in a game that most Windigoes consider their best effort to date.

York has always done better against the Hawks at home; therefore, the game should be a really good match. Fan support for the Windigoes would be greatly appreciated.

Next week, York travels to Queens, Carleton, and Ottawa for games against tough opponents. A creditable showing on the trip for the Windigoes will give them added confidence as they go through the remaining schedule.

After 10 games, the high scorers for York are Brooke Pearson (14.6); Pete Young (11.8) and Chuck Gordon (10.1)- he also leads the team in rebounding (8.5 average).

**WINTER CARNIVAL**

FRIDAY  
JAN. 12  
8:30 PM

**The Paupers**  
**DANCE WITH: The Last Words**  
**The Yeomen**  
**The Magic Circus**

\$1.50 per person.

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SATURDAY  
JAN. 13  
8:30 PM

**THE TRAVELLERS** in Concert

\$1.50 per person

BURTON AUDITORIUM  
See Bulletin Board for week's full schedule of events