

## SPROT-SHROTS

By TOM BEST

This is my first stab at an editorial this year, so don't expect much. As you well know, Orientation is now in full swing and a traditional part of the program has been freshman sports day. This year the event was held on last Wednesday and attendance was extremely poor. The program was set up in order to acquaint the new students with the athletic facilities and services that are available to students at UNB.

Amby Legere, who is in charge of the intramural and recreational sports club program, told me that perhaps the entire concept of sports day should be reevaluated for next year's orientation.

Most returning students have some knowledge of the problems that the non-varsity sports program experienced last year and if the students do not show strong support this year, one of the most beneficial services on this campus, as far as the number of people participating goes, will be out the door.

Since the Student Athletics Association all but died last year due to lack of interest, the people in charge who say what money goes where did not raise the amount of money going into the Intramural Recreational program. With a high rate of inflation, this means that the effective amount of money that the program must operate on is decreased by around 25 percent.

Last year over 3500 students participated actively on the various levels of sports offered. The number registering at UNB will be up again this year and if the law of averages holds, more people will be involved in the program. I don't like to make predictions but there could be some major problems if students keep their opinions to themselves instead of letting the folks down at Lady Beaverbrook Gym know what they think.

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Glenda Turner of Public Relations and Development has informed me that season tickets for football are available at the Business Office at the IUC or at Mazzuca's downtown. These tickets are for seats in the reserve section of the stands at College Field and with the new conference set up, the Red Bombers will be playing three home games this year. On this Saturday, UNB's finest meet the UPEI Panthers, while on the 18th of this month they host the defending champion Acadia Axemen. The final home game of the season is on the 9th of October against Saint Mary's Huskies. All games begin at 1:30 p.m.

These tickets cost \$6.00, which sounds like a lot of bread, so now I'll let you in on a bargain: the students season pass, which is good for all home games of the Football, Hockey and Basketball. The price - only \$7.00. There are 22 home games in all, so it sounds like a good deal to me. These are also available at the Business Office.

Single game tickets for football are as follows: \$2.50 for reserve section; \$2.00 for general admission; \$1.00 for non-UNB students and \$.50 for the UNBers with I.D.

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A bit of info to pass on. Student Injury Clinics will be held on Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Sports Medicine Office, Room A117, Lady Beaverbrook Gymnasium.

Appointments for this Clinic may be booked through the Main Phys. Ed. Office on the second floor of the Gymnasium (Phone 453-4575).

The Clinic is open to ALL university students and athletes.

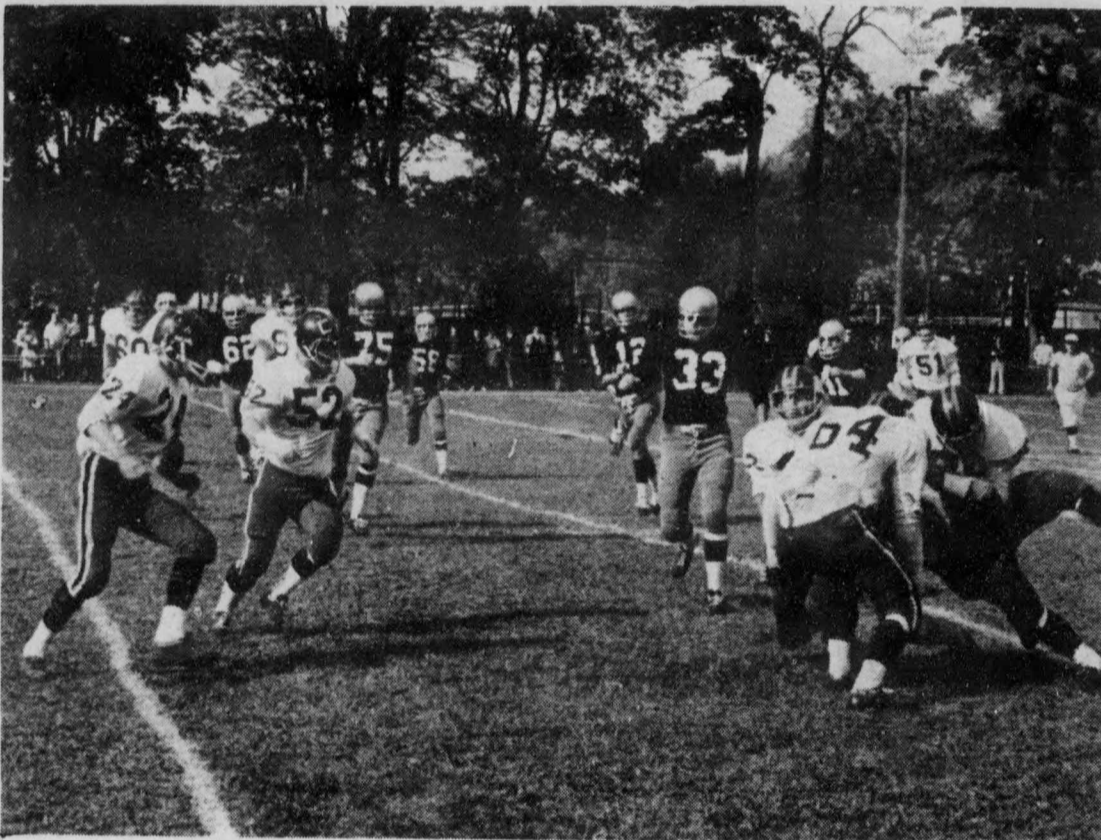
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Now for the traditional plea for new writers, etc. HELP! I need somebody! HELP! I'll take anybody. The sports staff is extremely small this year and I need photographers and writers. Even if you have no experience at all, come down to The Bruns and we'll talk. Maybe you could give me a hand.

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The Red Shirts play their first home game on September 11 at 11 a.m. against Presque Isle at College Field.



UNB Red Bombers' first home game is against UPEI on September 11 at 2 p.m. on College Field.

## Recreational opportunities available for women

By GERALYN MACFARLANE

Here at the University of New Brunswick, the Women's Recrea-

### Red Shirts practising

In the past week the UNB Red Shirts soccer team has been holding practices twice a day in preparation for the upcoming Atlantic Universities Athletic Association (AUAA) soccer season.

Several key members of last year's team are returning this year including league leading scorer Jimmy Kakliris, right winger Albert El-Khoury, and Winston Ayeni and Don Castle in the goaltending department.

The rookies trying out for the team are showing much talent and the competition for berths on the team is very spirited.

Last season the Red Shirts climbed to a second place finish by virtue of a 6-3-3 win-loss-tie record. Both head coach Gary Brown and assistant coach Mike Aitkenon feel confident that this year's team has championship potential and are looking forward to a successful 1976 schedule.

The Red Shirts open their season with a home game against the University of Presque Isle this Saturday at 11:00 a.m. at the Teachers College Field below the Aitken University Center.

tion Council, under the guidance of Mr. L.J. Legere (Physical Recreation and Intramural Co-ordinator), endeavor to encourage the female student body to combine a good academic year with a healthy physical one so that they will be better equipped to reach those all important goals and aspirations.

These goals and aspirations cannot be achieved unless you are willing to participate and take advantage of the courses and programs available here for you that cover your areas of interest.

We cannot provide your recreation but rather we can plan a program and supply all necessary facilities for you, thus it is up to you

to make use of the program and supply your own recreation. As long as there are people willing to participate there will always be recreation for them.

I would like at this time to welcome the first year students and good wishes for your future here at UNB. To the other students returning we welcome you back and look forward to seeing you at some time during the year. The continued success in the sixth year of the Women's Program depends on you - the participants.

Read The Brunswickan next week for further information about the women's recreational program.

## Recreation-Intramural

Inter-class league teams should organize immediately for the fall program...

The procedure for organizing a team includes collecting a manager's kit containing all material and instructions needed to register your team. These kits may be picked up at the Intramural Office located at the Lady Beaverbrook Gymnasium.

The deadlines for registering are as following: Softball - Wed. Sept. 22, 7:15 p.m.; Flag Football - Thurs. Sept. 23, 7:15 p.m.; Soccer - Tues. Sept. 21, 7:15 p.m.

All organizational meetings will be held in the Lady Beaverbrook Gym.

Game officials are required for softball, soccer and flag football. These officials are paid \$2.55 per hour.

Recreational Sports Club executives are requested to report their addresses and telephone numbers to the Recreation-Intramural Office as soon as possible.

For further information refer to the Recreation-Intramural Handbook or contact L.J. Legere at the Intramural Office.