

# SPORTS

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## UNB Athletics name their best

by Frank Denis

The University of New Brunswick Athletics Department handed out their annual awards on Wednesday to what were described as some of the finest athletes to have ever represented the university.

Red Stick field hockey player, Jossette Babineau won the Copeland Medal which goes to the best overall athlete at UNB. Babineau who was named a first team All Canadian for the second time, led the league in scoring with 13 goals.

Male athlete of the year was Red Devil goaltender Chris Somers. Somers, also his team's MVP, finished 2nd in the AUSA with a 3.45 goals against average. He joined the Red Devils 4 years ago after a successful career with the London Knights of the OHL. Somers has been named MVP for the Red Devils three times in the past four years.

Kara Palmer captured the female athlete of the year

award for her exceptional season with the Red Bloomers Basketball team. Palmer, named to the All Canadian team this year, led the team to its finest performance in recent memory. The Red Bloomers threpeated their AUSA championship and then finished a respectable fifth at the National Championships.

Female rookie of the year went to Tammy Jewer of the Red Sticks field hockey team. Jewer from Sussex, NB is a first year Science student.

There were co winners of the male rookie of the year award. Beavers teammates Jason Lukeman and Iain Tennant both led the swim team to the AUSA title for the second time in three years.

Graduating student Heather Eagle won The Brunswickan award which goes to the graduating student with the highest cumulative GPA.

Following is a list of award winners from the UNB Athletic banquet held on Wednesday in the SUB Ballroom.

### Men's Basketball

**Most valuable player:** Yaw Obeng, **Most improved player:** Ken Badour **Rookie of the year:** Marc Aube

### Women's Basketball

**Most valuable player:** Kara Palmer, **Most improved player:** Krista Foreman, **Rookie of the year:** Jackie Fleiger.

### Cross Country

**Most valuable:** Felicia Greer, Keith Fahey and Rosri Currie **Most improved:** Kenny Hunter and Mollie Ferris **Rookies of the year:** Marnie Bray and Ian Washburn.

### Black Bears

**Most valuable wrestler:** Sean Dockrill. **Most improved wrestler:** Scott Harper, **Rookie of the year:** Terry Pomeroy

### Ice Hockey

**Most valuable player:** Chris Somers and Ken Murchison, **Top defensive**



Heather Eagle receives The Brunswickan Achievement award from Sports Editor Frank Denis  
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Winners from Wednesday's athletic banquet included from left Jason Lukeman, co-male rookie of the year, Kara Palmer, female athlete of the year, Tammy Jewer, female rookie of the year, Jossette Babineau, top overall athlete, Chris Somers, male athlete of the year and Iain Tennant, co-male rookie of the year.  
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**forward:** Jim Landine, **Outstanding defenseman:** Neil Hawryluk, **Rookie of the year:** Trevor Boland. **Mark Jeffrey memorial award:** Murray Nystrom.

### Field Hockey

**Most valuable player:** Jossette Babineau, **Most improved player:** Krista Thompson **Rookie of the year:** Tammy Jewer

### Women's volleyball

**Most valuable player:** Carla Mason, **Rookie of the year:** Kerry Maher.

### Swimming

**Most valuable swimmers:** Sean Penney and Angie Pickles **Rookies of the year:** Iain Tennant and Jason Lukeman **Most improved swimmer:** Heather MacDougall.

### Soccer

**Top forward:** Malcolm Lightfoot, **Top defenceman:** Adrian Thomkins

### Men's Volleyball

**Most valuable player:** John Ellsworth, **Rookie of the year:** John Richard

## Black Bear Pomeroy wins Nationals

Oromocto's Terry Pomeroy, a member of the UNB Black Bears wrestling team, won two National titles this weekend at the 1992 Canadian Espoir wrestling championships. The tournaments were held at St. Francis Xavier University in Antigonish, Nova Scotia. In the Freestyle competition, Terry defeated the Ontario and Saskatchewan representatives, as well as his brother Tim, to advance to the finals against the British Columbia champion. The final match went to overtime with the score tied 6-6, before Terry scored the decisive takedown to win the 48 kg Freestyle title. In the Greco-Roman competition, Terry easily defeated opponents

from Alberta, Newfoundland and New Brunswick to capture his second Canadian championship at 48 kg.

Tim Pomeroy, a member of the Oromocto High School wrestling team, also competed in both tournaments at 48 kg. In the Freestyle competition, Tim lost in the preliminary rounds to Terry and the Saskatchewan wrestler, but came back to defeat the Ontario representative to advance to the consolation round. He easily defeated the Newfoundland wrestler in his final match to finish 5th. In the Greco-Roman championship, Tim again lost to Terry but in the consolation final completely dominated his Newfoundland opponent to

claim the bronze medal.

Jesse Simon of the UNB wrestling team was eliminated from the 68 kg Freestyle tournament by the 1st and 4th place finishers but wrestled very well in the Greco-Roman competition to capture the bronze medal. Scott Seeley of Oromocto High School lost to the eventual champion from Ontario before defeating opponents from New Brunswick and Ontario to advance to the consolation round of the Freestyle tournament. His final placing was 5th at the 90 kg weight class. He also placed 4th at 90 kg in the Greco-Roman competition.

Other top six finishes in the Greco-Roman competition

included Jeff Allen of (Oromocto, 4th at 130 kg) and Jamie Murphy (Oromocto, 6th at 90 kg).

## Athlete of the week

Terry Pomeroy of the Black Bears Wrestling Team is the UNB Athlete of the Week. Terry represented his club over the weekend winning 2 Gold Medals at the Canadian Espoir Championship. He placed first in the 48 kg. weight category for both the Freestyle and Greco Roman (Olympic) Wrestling. Terry is now a national team representative for Espoire because of his dominating first place finishes. He will also go to the Olympic Training Camp in Hamilton, Ontario to train to represent the country. In addition, Terry qualifies for the Canada Cup which is an International Wrestling Tournament hosted in Hamilton, Ont. with several powerful teams being represented (eg - USSR, Japan, USA). What is more astounding is that Terry is only a first year Arts student with more years to qualify for this national event. Expect big things from this Oromocto native.