

# Your guide to sports

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Three handbooks are now at large to guide students in an athletic direction: the Recreation York Handbook, The Men's Inter-university Program Review and the Women's Inter-university Athletics handbook.

The 1979-80 version of the recreation handbook is expanded over last year's and explains the ropes of the recreational athletics at York.

Generously endowed with advertisements for the first time in its history, it offers information on the inter-college program, the instructional program, and a reasonably extensive account of the facilities available to students and the time they are slotted for casual recreation.

Instruction is provided in archery, conditioning, fencing, gymnastics, judo, karate, modern dance, skating, scuba diving, squash and every level of swimming. The latest addition to the instructional program, included this year, is disco lessons.

In inter-college sports competition, the college teams vie for the York Torch. College teams can chalk up points participating in a wide array of sports throughout the year. For the past seven years Stong has amassed the greatest number of points, although McLaughlin almost ousted Stong in last year's competition.

York has an extensive variety of athletic facilities. The pride and joy is the track and field centre, opening for the first time this season to York athletes between the hours of 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

It is, according to the handbook, the largest and most sophisticated indoor track facility in Canada.

The Men's Inter-university Athletic Program Review has taken a different tack for this school year. Instead of providing a calendar of the 1979-80 varsity season, it has delved into past

laurels, and supplied the reader with a review of the 1978-79 season.

There were a lot of laurels to delve into, especially in gymnastics, basketball and tennis.

The men's gymnastics team never loses. It has been the national university championship team, under coach Tim Zivic, for seven years, and the Ontario champion for eight.

The basketball Yeomen, under coach Bob Bain, was robbed of the Ontario University Athletic Association championship last year by Windsor, after a 12 win, no loss season of league play. Windsor won the championship game 80-78. The basketball squad was ranked the number one university team in Canada. But the final championship is what really counts and they placed third in that.

The tennis team, reinforced by star player Walter Crane, swept the Ontario competition with the team championship, and individual senior singles and

doubles championships.

The women's calendar, called Women's Inter-university Athletics, took a more practical bent. It provided a calendar of upcoming variety events and dates for the first practises of the season, so candidates for the varsity teams can show up.

It also briefly lists the highlights of the 1978-79 season. The volleyball team, coached by Sandy Silver, did what it has been threatening to do for several seasons now. It upset the University of Western Ontario, the seven-year kingpins, to take the Ontario Women's Inter-university Athletic Association championship.

The female version of gymnastics is also a success story. It, too, took the OWIAA championship, and completed the season as the third ranked women's university gymnastic team in Canada.

To obtain any of these handbooks, go to the physical education offices on the second floor of Tait McKenzie.

## Off on right foot

The soccer Yeomen started the 1979 season off on the right foot on Sunday by winning the McMaster Invitational Soccer Tournament.

The Yeomen started off the 4-team tourney by beating Guelph 2-1 on Saturday with Bunny Minnott scoring the winning goal off a free kick taken by Terry Giangiergorio.

The championship game pitted the Yeomen against McMaster, winners on penalty shots over Toronto on Saturday. After a shaky start and surviving a penalty shot against them in the first minute, the Yeomen settled down to play a determined game that ended 0-0. In the ensuing penalty kicks, the Yeomen finally prevailed 10-9 to win the championship.

Coach Eric Willis was pleased with the play of the team considering it was so early in the season. "We had a good competitive training camp last week before the games and showed poise and determination throughout both matches. With continued hard work this augers well for our chances in the league."

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- (2) your present Student Authorization
- (3) evidence that you have been registered at York for the Fall/Winter 1979/80 session, e.g. your sessional validation card

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