

Devils third

By Tim Lynch

Hockey season concluded for the UNB Red Devils two weeks ago, and captain Ed Trail capped an illustrious four-year palying career with a superb effort in UNB's 5-4 overtime to the UPEI Panthers.

The Red Devils' final game of the season characterized how the team has played since Christmas. Playing with an injured defensive unit, UNB received solid goaltending from Rick Poirier, and Trail scored two goals and thirteen assists. John McKerrow and John Gravelle also scored for the Red Devils.

Trail's career, highlighted by a UNB AUAHL championship in 1983-1984, was rewarded but he admits "This year was a lot more fun since I assumed the captain's role and was able to lead a great bunch of guys. The highlight of my career was when we played a couple of games against the University of Toronto in front of 3800 fans (at the CIAU championship)."

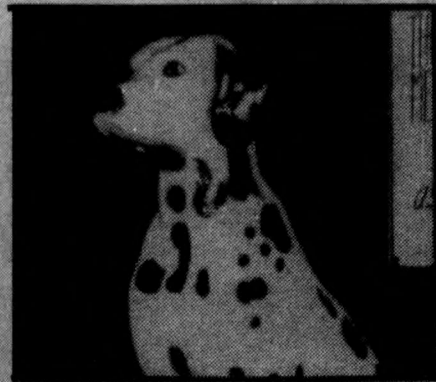
Even though the team's record of eight wins and sixteen losses did not earn them a berth in post-season play, the Red Devils finished in third place in the McAdam Division

ahead of the St. Thomas Tommies. The Red Devils improved their seventh place overall finish last year to sixth place this year. They also boasted a 4.30 goals against average which was good for a fourth place ranking in the league - a major improvement compared to their 5.70 mark one year ago.

Although there is room for improvement in the goal-scoring department, head coach Rick Nickelchok was pleased with his team's performance this year. "Overall I'm happy with the results of the season. There was definite improvement with the team over the second half. Twenty-two out of twenty-four of our games were decided in the third period. Our weak point this year was goal scoring. It is certainly one area we'll have to improve upon to be more competitive."

The 1987-88 version of the Red Devils will be without Ed Trail - an invaluable team leader. However, with the development of the present players and the possible addition of a few new faces, the Red Devils' hockey program can be turned into a winning one.

Red Blazers invitational



The challenges are back, this time Spot has challenged all campus residences to show up at either the consolation or the championship game, depending on how UNB places. In return, Spot promises to guard the winning house from would-be intruders, and ensures the house that their social events will be enjoyed by all. So how about it ladies and gentlemen, who will give Spot a home. Be sure to listen to CHSR to find out how the Red Blazers are doing.

The UNB Red blazers will host their 8th annual Invitational tournament all this weekend at the Aitken Center.

UNB has won the past 2 tournaments but will be hard pressed to defend, as this year's 6 team field is the strongest

UNB Red Blazers 8th Annual Women's Hockey Tournament

Black Division
Concordia U.
West Prince, PEI
UNB Red Blazers

Red Division
Borden PEI
Moncton Jaguars
Acadia axettes

Friday March 6 1987

- Game #
x.6 pm-6:15 pm.....Opening Ceremonies
1. 6:15 pm-8:15 pm.....Concordia vs. UNB
2. 8:20 pm-10:20 pm.....Moncton vs. Borden

Saturday March 7 1987

3. 8:30 am-10:15 am.....Borden vs. Acadia
4. 10:20 am-12:05 pm.....Concordia vs. West Prince
5. 12:10 pm-2:10 pm.....Moncton vs. Acadia
6. 2:15 pm-4:15 pm.....UNB vs. West Prince
45 Minute break
7. 5:00 pm-7:00 pm.....2nd Place Red vs. 3rd Place Red
8. 7:05 pm-9:05 pm..... 2nd Place Black vs. 3rd Place Black
9. 9:10 pm-11:10 pm. First Place Black vs. Winner Game #7

Sunday March 8 1987

10. 9:00am-11:00 am...First Place Red vs. Winner Game #8
11. 11:05 am-12:40 pm.....Loser #8 vs. Loser #7
12. 12:45 pm-2:45 pm.....Loser #9 vs. Loser #10
2 Hour Break
13. 5:00 pm-7:00 pm.....Winner #9 vs. Winner #10
(Championship Game)

ever. The team that recently took UNB's New Brunswick Senior A crown away, The Moncton Jaguar, will head up the Red Division. Joining them will be QUAA finalists The Concordia Stingers from Montreal, and Nova Scotia cham-

pions, The Acadia Axettes. Joining UNB in The Black Division will be PEI Senior A champs the O'Leary Mixers and former PEI champs the Borden Whitecaps.

Games run all weekend and admission is free.

Rebel Action

By NORMA CODY

The UNB men's volleyball team came very close to winning the AUAA title this past weekend. In the semi-finals UNB beat U de M 3-1 to earn a berth in Sunday's finals. This win was particularly satisfying since U de M had beaten the Rebels in their last two meetings. Dalhousie's Tigers beat Memorial to go on to the finals.

It seemed in the first game of the finals that UNB would let the Tigers walk away with the championship. Tension was obviously present in this team which had not been in the finals in several years. They lost the first game 15-2. However, the Rebels did settle down to fight and took the second game 15-13. All games following this were very close and good volleyball was played by both teams. The Tigers won the next two 15-12, 15-10.

UNB cannot be disappointed in this season's performance. Their second place finish this year was a great improvement over their fourth place finish

two years ago. Also, UNB received three of the six AUAA all-star awards. The outstanding Rebels that received these were Mark Bolden, setter, Ted Dakin, middle hitter and Eric Renshaw, power hitter. Other AUAA all-star awards went to Michel Ross of U de M and to two players from Dal.

The Rebels can now look forward to next season with great expectations. No players are graduating and provided grades and interest are present in good form, the Rebels should have an experienced, strong team.

Heartfelt congratulations go out to the UNB women's volleyball team who were victorious over the Dalhousie team in the AUAA finals. The Rebels would like to take this moment to wish the Reds the best of luck at the CIAU's in Winnipeg next week.

As head trainer and only graduating member of the Rebels, I'd like to wish the team the best of luck in their future performance and thanks guys - for the memories.



UNB's Rebels: Back row, left to right, Chris Robichaud, Chris Moore, Teel Dakin, Peter Wood, Mark Bolden, Lloyd Hubbard, Nathan Stairs. Front Row: John Espry, Eric Renshaw, Randy Degross, Eric Boldon (Ass't Coach), Mike Washburn (Head Coach), Mark Gallebois, Norma Cody (Head Trainer), Guy Gallibois.

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