

# Devils feel heat over weekend

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The problems continued for the hockey Red Devils last weekend as they lost two road games in Atlantic University Hockey Conference action played in Nova Scotia.

Last Friday, the Devils ventured to Wolfville and were stunned 9-1 by Acadia Axemen while on Saturday a game in Halifax saw Dalhousie Tigers upend the defending A.U.A.A. champions by a 10-4 margin. The results leave the Devils 0-4 in regular season action. Tomorrow, the Devils hit the road once again with a night game in Antigonish against St. Francis X-men, while on Sunday the Devils move on to Halifax for a meeting with St. Mary's Huskies. Needless to say, Coach Don MacAdam and his players are hoping to turn things around.

"In a sense, this is a good situation for us," MacAdam said of the two upcoming games. "We're playing against the two teams that are just ahead of us in the standings, so with a win or two we can improve our position within the standings."

In last Friday's game against the Axemen, the Devils were playing well for the first 15 minutes of the opening period, despite the fact Acadia held a 1-0 margin. But then the Axemen scored another goal and added a quick one immediately afterwards, sending the Devils to the dressing room with a 3-0 deficit. Acadia increased the margin to 5-1 during the middle frame, with George Kelly firing the only UNB marker.

On Saturday, the same scenario unfolded once again, with the Devils playing even with Dalhousie for much of the first period before running into problems. In a matter of minutes, a close hockey game

had turned into a 5-1 Dal lead heading into the first intermission. The Tigers increased the margin to 8-3 during the second stanza, with the final count being 10-4 for the home side.

Robbie Forbes, a native of Halifax, fired two power play goals for the Red Devils, with Al Lewis adding another power play marker for the Devils. Mark Welton added the final UNB goal.

Coach MacAdam agrees the Devils must turn things quickly, and is equally certain the talent here is for another conference champion.

"I perceive our problem right now to be a mental one," he said. "Physically, we are capable of beating the teams that we have lost against. I know the players we have on the team have the hockey skills to win games, because they have proved that in the past; some with us last year and the new players with the teams they have played with in the past. It came to the point where we had to bottom out somewhere, and I think that happened last weekend."

With Jamie Frizzell leaving the university due to academic problems, the goaltending load has shifted to David Lutes and Rodney Babcock. Both played quite well against Acadia and Dalhousie, with Babcock seeing his first action as a Red Devil in the final two periods of the Dalhousie game.

"He has come in under very difficult conditions, and we were very pleased with his efforts," MacAdam said.

The Acadia game featured something quite unusual, with MacAdam pulling goaltender Lutes with about 15 minutes left in the third period and the Axemen ahead 6-0. The play worked for awhile, with the Devils scoring one goal and totally confusing the Acadia team. MacAdam said he went

with six attackers for a very good reason.

"We were out to win the game," he said. "When you are down by as many goals as we were, you can't afford to wait until there are less than two minutes left in the game to pull the goalie. You have to take the chance earlier."

As if the weekend wasn't going bad enough for the Devils,

they had to run into the refereeing of Prince Edward Island native Mike Brown at the Dalhousie game. Perhaps his most interesting call was a slashing penalty called on UNB defenseman Scott Clements late in the hockey game. What no has figured out yet is how Scott pulled off this feat without a hockey stick in his hand...he had broken his

about two minutes earlier. Although his officiating had no real outcome of the game, it only added to the frustration the Devils had felt in all four regular season games this season.

The Devils' next game in Fredericton is November 14 at the Beaverbrook Rink against the St. Thomas Tommies.

## Red Sticks No. 5 in Canada

The UNB Women's Field Hockey spent last week in Vancouver, British Columbia. Nice holiday you say, read on.

The Red Sticks were representing the AUSA as one of 6 teams at the CIAU's by virtue of their runner-up performance at the Atlantic Championships. St. Mary's University was the other AUSA team.

The Red Sticks were scheduled to play 2 games on Thursday as part of the preliminary pool play. However, it was not to be that day as the fields were unplayable due to snow accumulation. It was thought the weather would cooperate later on in the day but the snow turned into slush and it was felt that conditions would be dangerous.

An alternate facility and alternate draw was found. The CIAU's moved inside to the famous B.C. Place, home of the Vancouver White Caps and B.C. Lions. Due to the high cost of rental of the facility as well as the fact that one day had already been lost, it was decided to make it a 2 day tournament. This meant early rising and late games due to only one surface and a B.C. Lions practice to fit in.

The Red Sticks opened their tournament with a 3-1 loss to York University, winners of the

Ontario-Quebec conference. Sharon Crellma, a former Red Stick who transferred to York was a key factor in this loss. She scored 1 goal and set up 2 others. She is a member of the Canadian National Team. Scoring for the Red Sticks was Lisa Kilpatrick. The Sticks outplayed York through most of the game but could not seem to get the ball into the net. The fact that York had 4 national team players including the Olympic Team goalie may have made the difference.

Their second game of the day in 4 hours time had the Sticks playing a fresh Univ. of British Columbia team. UBC played very well and held UNB to one goal (scored by Lisa Kilpatrick) while they scored five. This was B.C.'s best game of the tournament and likely UNB's worst as they couldn't seem to stop playing defense!

The Sticks played U of Waterloo for 5th and 6th place at 8:00 the following morning. The Red Sticks overpowered the Warriors by a 2-1 score off goals by Lisa Kilpatrick and Carla Reeves. Barb Leaman was in goal for all these games

and had a very good tournament considering the number of shots she was faced with.

The University of Victoria won their first CIAU title with a 1-0 win over York University. UBC defeated St. Mary's 3-1 to secure third place.

Kathryn MacDougall was named to the Tournament Eleven Team for the second year in a row. She had a superb tournament dominating the play for UNB.

This concludes the outdoor season for the Red Sticks.

They would like to thank trainers Sally Pirie and Carlotte West for all their injury taping. Thanks to Beth Wright and Marleigh Moran for helping get the team ready for the games in many more ways than one. Also thanks to secretary Maureen Sparks for the help this season. Sorry Maureen and Sally about not being able to take you to B.C. but it was wet and cold and we were too lousy to do much except play and watch field hockey anyway.

Indoor Field Hockey starts soon. Watch the sports page for news on this.

## Intramural sports continued

Wayne Jared and Rao Byrapaneni. Karen Boucher and Bernie Russell were the Mixed Doubles Champions upsetting Wanda McNaughton and Vic Holmes 15-2, 15-5 in the Final. Donna Kinney and Frank Brubacher joined forces to defeat Elaine Levesque and Donny Lim in the Consolation Final. Special thanks to every participant and looking forward to seeing you and your friends at the future Badminton, Racquetball and Squash Tournaments!

To accommodate the FYA Fall Invitational Swim Meet to be held in the S.M.A. Pool Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 9, 10, and 11th, the following

changes for the Casual, Family and Public Swims are being made:

Friday, Nov. 9th - Casual, Family, Public. 7:30 - 9:00 at Lady Beaverbrook Pool.

Saturday, Nov. 10th - Casual, Family, Public. 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. at S.M.A. Pool. Casual, Family, Public. 7:30 - 9:00 p.m. at Lady Beaverbrook Pool.

Sunday, Nov. 11th - Casula, Family, Public. 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. at S.M.A. Pool.

Inter-Residence Soccer

The 1984 Inter-Residence Soccer season came to a close on Sunday, November 4th

with Rosary Hall coming out on top over Aitken House, 1-0. Semi-final play saw Rosary Hall defeating Bridges House and Aitken squeezing by Neill in a sudden death play-off.

During regular season play, Aitken came out on top followed by Bridges, Rosary and Neill. All four houses were separated by only one point at the end of regular season play. It was an excellent season for soccer with only one rain delayed day which made for make-up day. Thanks to all the people who helped throughout the season, especially the referee.

Andy Fitzpatrick  
Soccer Convenor

## Beavers drop 3 meets

By DAVE SEABROOK  
Although the Beavers dropped all three dual meets on the weekend, things don't look so bad. Last weekend virtually every member of the team swam to mid-season personal bests.

"I'm especially pleased with our men. They are all swimming better "in season" times than ever before. Individuals are swimming well but just lack a bit of depth to take on Memorial or Dal," says Head Coach Mitch Oliver.

On Friday the Beavers lost to Acadia 51-43 without the help of Greg Pheeny, a key figure in the lineup. Team Captain Kirk Cutcliffe com-

mented, "we can beat Acadia, it's just a matter of swimming the right people in the right events and having them swim well."

Oliver says she thinks "the team is only about one year away from a conference championship. We've been recruiting better than any other team. The talent is there, with a few more bodies, we can win. it's a long term, goal but we only lose one person this year and everyone else loses a lot."

"Also I think the men's medley is within reach of winning the conference this year. If everyone clicks it could surprise some people."

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