

Capturing 12 individual, two team trophies

Judo Club sweeps top honors in weekend meet

If this weekend's tournament results are any indication, UNB Judo Club coaches Samson Chung and Don Glaspy are turning out one of the best groups of competitors in the club's history.

UNB fights took home 12 individual trophies and two team trophies at a tournament held at the South Gym last Saturday. The UNB contingent consisted of 12 men and five women, who took four first places, five seconds and three thirds.

Nine clubs participated in the tournament including one from Shearwater, Nova Scotia. Although the number of fighters was not high, the quality of competition was among the best seen in this area for a long time.

With the exception of the trophies taken by UNB, the honors were evenly distributed throughout the clubs.

The men's competition began with the white to green belt categories, with the under 139 lb. slot being run first. UNB had two fighters entered. Marcel Morency finishing third and John Woodworth was eliminated in the knockout rounds.

The under 154 lb. division saw Mike Hethrington return to his winning ways in a tough category. Jean-Claude Parise lasted until the second round where he succumbed to the eventual third place winner. Colin MacDougall achieved a third place finish after a long spell of poor luck in previous tournaments. In his first tourney action, Ron Ward was eliminated but the experience he received should prove invaluable.

UNB had no one entered in the under 205 lb. division in either belt category. Tom Best remained winless in the under 139 lb. blue to black belt division. Chung and Glaspy finished one-two in the under 154 lb. bracket. Their final match was somewhat an anticlimax after seeing them decimate the opposition on their way to that clash. Bill Smith also competed in the under 154 lb. category.

The final of the under 176 lb. division pitted Gerry Peters against a far more experienced opponent. Peters performed admirably although the decision went to the other competitor.

Heavy weight action in the white-green belt category pitted 'never-say-die' Myles MacAlistar against a former N.B. teammate, Ian Barry, who surprised everyone in throwing the big man in their preliminary match. MacAlistar came back to win the next fight but lost to Barry in the final.

Fred Blaney kept the top spot in the heavyweight blue-black belt division.

The UNB women saw action in all five weight classes, a rarity in New Brunswick tournaments. Glenna Smith again dominated the under 135 lb. division while Tina Hicks and Linda MacRae finished second in their brackets. Lucie Bertin did a fine job in her first tourney, taking a third place in the under 115 lb. division.

The women's team of Smith, MacRae, Hicks, Terese Michaud and Bertin defeated the Saint John team in one of the most exciting team matches ever. The women's team competition is a new concept but the results of the new category should lead to its inclusions in future tournaments.

The men's team was pitted against the talented Nova Scotia squad of Soares, Barry, John

Swain, Whitney and Lessard, which had defeated UNB 'B' team on the ladder to the final. The 'A' team of Chung, Glaspy, Peters, Ray Hale and Blaney went against a light but spirited group from Saint John.

Chung delighted the crowd in his match by throwing Harold Stears with two beautiful throws. Afterward, Chung commented that "Stears must be allergic to that throw." Chung defeated Stears in a similar manner once last year.

The 'A' team defeated Nova Scotia by a narrow margin to take the top honors. The balance tottered back and forth between the two teams until the final where Blaney met Soares. A 10 point win would have given the Nova Scotians the trophy but Blaney hung on even though Soares had the advantage. At the time limit Soares had won by three points but the match went to UNB.

When the dust of the day cleared, UNB had taken an amazing number of 71 percent of the individual trophies offered and all of the team honors. As the tournament schedule continues, UNB should be counted on to be in the money most of the time.

Results

White to green belt

- Under 139
1. Dave Burchill (Newcastle)
2. Renard Elward (Caraquet)
3. Marcel Morency (UNB)

- Under 154
1. Mike Hethrington (UNB)
2. Stephen Perry (Saint John)
3. Bernard Paulin (Caraquet)

- Under 176
1. John Gionet (S.J.)
2. Mike Kennedy (S.J.)
3. Colin MacDougall (UNB)

- Under 205
1. Yves Lessard (N.S.)

- Over 205
1. Ian Barry (Newcastle)
2. Myles MacAlistar (UNB-Azuma)

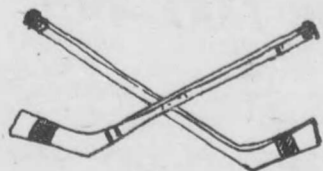
Blue to black belt

- Under 139
1. Harold Stears (S.J.)
2. Geordie Whitney (N.S.)
3. Rodrigue LeBlanc (U de M)

Blazers play tonite

Tonight at the Lady Beaverbrook Arena, the UNB women's hockey team, the Red Blazers, will pay host to the Woodstock Woodpeckers. Game time has been slated for 7:00 p.m.

For those hockey fans looking for an enjoyable evening of hockey action, the L.B. Arena is the place to go. Coach Brian Savoy has been working hard with the girls lately and the Blazers are now ready to test their skills against their opponents from up the river.



- Under 154
1. Samson Chung (UNB)
2. Don Glaspy (UNB)
3. Conrad Rousell (Caraquet)

- Under 176
1. Mike Soares (N.S.)
2. Gerry Peters (UNB)
3. Ray Hale (UNB-Azuma)

- Under 205
1. Jean Claude Cormier (U de M)

- Over 205
1. Fred Blaney (UNB)

Women's Division

- Under 105
1. Carol O'Toole (Campbellton)
2. Terri Cogswell (S.J.)
3. Noell Barry (S.J.)

- Under 115
1. Jan Murphy (S.J.)
2. Tina Hicks (UNB)
3. Lucie Bertin (UNB)

- Under 125
1. Louise Landry (Dalhousie)
2. Linda MacRae (UNB)

- Under 135
1. Glenna Smith (UNB)
2. Laurie Sandersen (N.S.)

- Over 135
1. Alice Whitenect (S.J.)
2. Judi Lucas (N.S.)

Team:
Men - UNB 'A'
Women - UNB



Photo by Tim Gorman

UNB Judo Club 'B' team's Bill Smith goes down against a big Ian Barry during the preliminary round of the team competition. UNB 'A' team took the first place trophy by defeating Nova Scotia.

Rebels defeat STU Tommies in curtain raiser

By RODDY MACKENZIE

The men's varsity volleyball team, the Red Rebels, opened their 1975-76 Atlantic University Volleyball conference schedule last week with two lopsided victories over St. Thomas University and Acadia University.

Wednesday night, Nov. 12th, the Rebels easily handled the Tommies 15-4, 15-0 and 15-5. It was just a matter of UNB showing their experience over the relatively weak STU squad as they dominated the contest from the opening serve. It was obvious to observers of the match that the Rebels were a superior team in the areas of ball-handling and floor coverage while STU just did not have the required hitting strength to give them any offensive advantages.

Three days later, the match that was supposed to be a closely fought battle turned out to be just the

opposite. The Rebels downed the Axemen 15-6, 15-9 and 15-7 for a 3-0 victory, in a contest that saw Acadia turn up with a young, small and non-aggressive team, much to the surprise of the UNB squad.

Neither team appeared to be very impressive - the games featured erratic setting and hitting - although the Rebels outshone the Axemen in all departments. One major plus for the Red and White was the consistent play of their backcourt men who, time after time, responded with last-second dives and rolls to save many a point.

Acadia, on the other hand, had

two primary faults - they refused to hit the ball even when set properly, and they constantly left a gaping hole on either side of their centre-back man, which the Rebels found was much to their advantage to hit into.

Future action in the Atlantic conference schedule will have UNB travelling to Sackville and Moncton next Wednesday, Nov. 26th to meet Mount Allison and University of Moncton in best-of-five affairs. The Rebels close out their pre-Christmas schedule by competing in the Mount Allison Invitational Tournament December 6th.

UNB shows strong in badminton tourney

It was a good weekend, in more ways than one, for the UNB Badminton club at the Edmunston open. A field of more than 160 players were entered at the playoffs in the St. Louis Mailier College gym.

In men's singles, Eloi Roy, Brooke Rothwell and Randy Wilson all saw quarter-final play with Andy Prince surviving to the semi-final. Britt McLeod of UNBSJ eventually won, defeating Tom Wadey on a badly sprained ankle. In women's singles, Caroline Smallman and Judy Rousselle

made it to the quarters in singles and the finals in doubles.

Brooke Rothwell and Andy Prince were in the men's doubles final, being defeated by the pair of Smith and Ingraham from UNBSJ.

Eloi Roy and Rodney Freeman made it to the semi-final and Doug Cochrane and Randy Wilson folded in the quarter-finals.

Mixed doubles proved to be the pillar of strength for the UNB club as Rothwell and Smallman defeated Prince and Rousselle in the all-UNB final.

Red Sticks chosen as All-Stars

Three members of the UNB Red Sticks were named to the all star team of the western division in the Atlantic Intercollegiate Women's Field Hockey Conference, Tuesday.

Janet Miller, Janet Goggin and Pam Wiggins are the representatives chosen by the conference coaches.