Tigers lose both ends of home-stand

By MARK ALBERSTAT

IN THE GAME OF HOCKEY it is nearly impossible to win games with only one or two goals. The Dalhousie Tigers proved this point twice over the weekend at home.

On Saturday night, in front of a large and often noisy crowd, the Dal squad lost to the St. Francis Xavier X-Men 3-2 in overtime, then lost to the UPEI Panthers 3-1 on Sunday.

The weekend outings leave the Tigers with a record of eleven and five, good for first spot in the Kelly Division of the Atlantic Universities Hockey Conference.

One factor contributing to Dalhousie's losses was the lack of the strong power play which they usually possess.

"The power plays just didn't exist. These last two games the power play could have won it for us, but sometimes it's just going to break down," said Darrell Young, head coach of the Tigers, after Sunday's loss.

Against the X-Men the Tigers were being constantly outshot and were in fact doubled in shots on goal in the first period, 14-7. Despite this the score was tied with one goal apiece, due to the talents of Tiger netminder Rick Reusse.

Scoring first in the game was the visitors' centre Dave Purcell at the 6:11 mark. Forty seconds later Dal's Whitney Richardson scored, assisted by Paul Herron and Neal Megannety. The X-Men almost scored again in the period when Doug McNeil's shot went off the crossbar.

The only goal in the second frame belonged to the X-Men, as John Beckers came straight in on Reusse, shifted to the stick side, and tucked the puck behind the Tiger net-minder.

Jamie Jefferson tied the game



Don't look now but rookie Tiger Kevin Reynold searches for the goal against the visiting UPEI Panthers Sunday afternoon. The Tigers lost the contest 3-1. Photo by Sean Forbes, Dal Photo.

at two goals apiece at the 10:04 mark in the third period. He scored with assists from Richardson and Megannety.

This forced the two squads to go into a ten-minute overtime period. Purcell needed only two and a half minutes to end the overtime and Dal's hope of a win, scoring unassisted.

"I knew in Friday night's practice, I could feel it in the air that there was something that was not going to go right. I knew it was coming. The first two periods were just dead and the third we won but it was a case of too little too late," said Young.

Saturday afternoon's game was much the same except the Tigers took to the ice against a different team.

UPEI was the first team to find the net as Greg Gravel scored with 11 minutes expired.

About four minutes later Dalhousie's Whitney Richardson was caught by a high stick under the chin. Richardson received two inside stitches and ten outside and a badly bruised neck. Veteran Peter Woodford was missing through the entire game bacause of a sore knee and a sore elbow.

The second period had the Tigers come out of the chute fast with Kevin Quartermain scoring Dal's only goal of the game with 48 seconds expired. Quartermain picked up the puck at the blueline and scored on the glove side. Four minutes later Kevin Skilliter scored while Steve Fulton picked up the assist.

Gravel finished off the scoring in the game picking up an unassisted goal at the 6:44 mark in the third period.

Although the Tigers lost, the shots were there; they didn't get past the Panthers' goalie.

"We had a lot of shots but it is also a matter of where those shots come from. A lot of them were from the periphery and should have been in tight," said Young.

The Tigers' next home game is Saturday, Feb. 1 at 7:30 p.m when they take to the ice against the Mount Allison Mounties.



AUAA standings

VOLLEYBALL (MEN'S)

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	Dalhousie	11	11	0	33	7	22			
	U de M	12	7	5	28	19	14			
	UNB	11	3	8	14	26	6			
	Memorial	12	2	10	9	32	4			
	VOLLEYBALL (W)									
	Dalhousie	6	6	0	18	3	12			
	U de M	8	6	2	20	9	12			
	UNB	11	6	5	22	16	12			
	St. F.X.	7	5	2	15	10	10			
	Mt. Allison	6	3	3	11	9	6			
	UPEI	10	3	7	14	26	6			
	Memorial	6	1	5	7	17	2			
	Acadia	6	0	6	3	18	0			
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	Acadia			10	84	102	14			
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	UPEI		6	0	452	321	12			
	Dalhousie St. F.X.		3	3	379	381	6			
	Mt. Allison		3	3 5	363 489	365 532	6			
	Memorial		2	4	309	444	4			
	Acadia		1	4	267	307	2			
	St. Mary's		1	6	398	478	2			
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Womens volleyball team downs Memorial

THE DALHOUSIE WOMEN'S volleyball Tigers improved their league record to 6-0 this weekend with a pair of wins over Memorial in games played in Newfoundland.

On Saturday, the Tigers won their match in three straight games, with scores of 15-2, 150-10 and 15-13.

Simona Vortel had 10 kills for the Tigers, while Karen Fraser recorded 12 kills and two aces. Sue Furey chipped in seven kills and three stuffed blocks.

For Memorial, Sue Wendall had six kills and Sue Farlow, seven.

On Sunday, the Tigers needed four games to defeat Memorial, triumphing 8-15, 15-9, 15-7, and 15-9.

Fraser led the Dal squad with 20 kills and three stuffs, while Sue Furey added six kills and two stuffed blocks. Andrea Borysiuk had three stuffed blocks and Paula Clark, two aces. Maureen Sweeney, in her new position as power hitter, recorded eight kills.

The undefeated Tigers now move into first place in the AUAA. Moncton is second with a record of 6-2, followed by UNB at 5-5.

Athletes of the Week

TWO DARTMOUTH NAtives have been named Dalhousie's Coca-Cola Athletes of the Week for the week of Jan. 13-19.

Swimmer Marie Moore and volleyball standout Brian Johnstone, two freshmen at Dalhousie, have been chosen for leading their respective teams to victory last week.

Moore, an 18-year-old Recreation student, captured four individual events at the AUAA Invitational held at UNB last weekend. Moore placed first in the 200 and 400m freestyle, the 200m butterfly and the 200m backstroke.

Moore's time of 4:26.83 in the 400m free moved her into top spot in the CIAU rankings in that event. In addition, her time of

2:07.94 in the 200m free placed her fifth in the rankings. She is already ranked second nationally in the 100 and 200m fly. Moore also anchored the winning 400 and 800m freestyle relay teams. She is a former member of the Dartmouth Crusaders and she competed in the 1984 Olympics.

Johnstone, a 19 year old graduate of Prince Andrew High school, was named Dalhousie's Coca-Cola Player of the Game in two tough 3-2 victories over Moncton last weekend. The science student collected 21 kills, four ace serves, two blocks and a team high serve/receive percentage of 74. Johnstone played the spiker position. He is a former member of the Dartmouth Lakers.

Tiger sports this week

Date	Sport	Against	Place	Time
Jan. 24-26	Volleyball (M/W)	Exh.	Home	
Jan. 24	Basketball (W)	St. F.X.	Away	6 p.m.
Jan. 24	Basketball (M)	St. F.X.	Away	8 p.m.
Jan. 28	Basketball (M)	St. F.X.	Home	8:30 p.m.
Jan. 29	Hockey	Acadia	Away	7:30 p.m.