

Vikettes befuddle Pandas

by Keith Steinbach

U of A Pandas first antation with Victoria last was much like it was. The Pandas shot poorly 69-51 Friday loss and close in the rematch losing overtime. Pandas shot 20% from in the first game (com- to 13% last year) and had a time cracking the Vikette defense. "I never an- that they would play a

zone defense," was coach Debbie Shogan's comment of the game.

Another thing that wasn't anticipated was the Victoria fast break. The effectiveness of the break was shown by the fact that Vikette guard Leslie Godfrey scored many of her 18 points on lay-ups. The Victoria squad also worked very well inside going mainly to Marg Mainwaring who potted 16 points.

The Pandas did have a half time lead of 27-25 mainly due to 8 straight points late in the first

half. The Alberta team was out-scored 44-24 in the second half with fouls mainly hurting their cause. Lori Chizik, the Pandas leading scorer with 11, fouled out at 8:57 of the second half. Amanda Holloway who had 10 points also made a premature exit along with Faith Rostad.

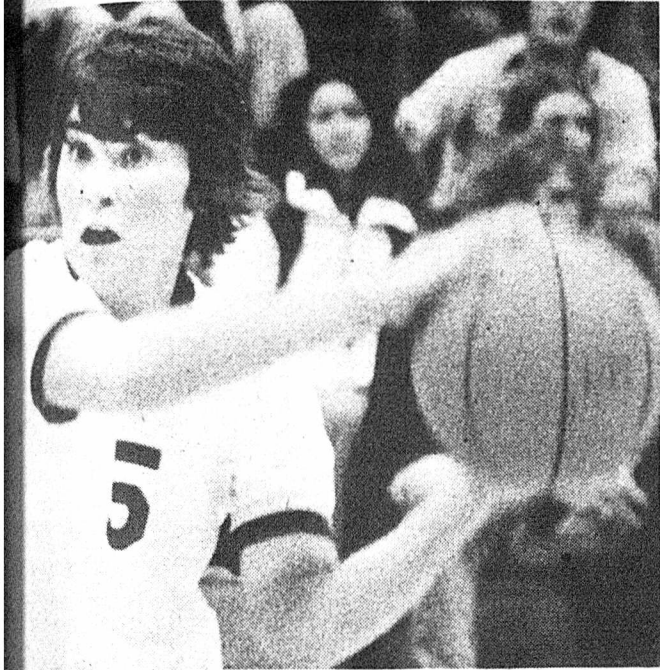
Saturday the Pandas got better shooting (31%) but hit only 16 of 26 shots from the foul line. In terms of play, the Alberta team performed better both on offense and defense. The Pandas again had a slim half time lead, 38-34. The second half was also closely contested even though Victoria lost Marg Mainwaring due to fouls late in the half. Mainwaring had 28 points and 9 rebounds to her credit.

Amanda Holloway put the game into overtime with two foul shots (her only two points of the half) with 12 seconds left in the game. The winner for the Vikettes was scored by Ronni Hind who collected a rebound under the Alberta basket and put it in with 1:14. The Pandas could not click in the last minute of play as Victoria controlled the ball well.

Alberta coach Debbie Shogan thought that her group played better than the night before, but said, "Our transition from offense to defense wasn't fast enough. Also they were constantly throwing things at us and we didn't read (the situations) particularly well."

Scorers for Alberta were Sherry Stevenson with 17 points, Amanda Holloway netting 14, Lori Chizik with 13 and Karen Johnson, who played half the game with a badly sprained finger, 10 points.

The Pandas will take their 2-2 record to Calgary this weekend for two games against the U of C Dinnies.



Karen Johnson and the rest of the Pandas had trouble with the leading league champions Victoria Vikettes, dropping a pair of games. photo Gail Amort.

CWUAA Basketball Standings

	MEN					
	G	W	L	Pts	F	A
Alberta Golden Bears	4	4	0	8	367	329
Calgary Dinosaurs	4	3	1	6	304	283
UBC Thunderbirds	4	2	2	4	312	272
Lethbridge Pronghorns	4	2	2	4	277	273
Victoria Vikings	4	1	3	2	282	300
Saskatchewan Huskies	4	0	4	0	288	373

Injuries continue as schedule unfolds

Head coach Clare Drake may ask assistant coach Billy Moores to start looking over the University calendar and pick out a few good courses so he'll be eligible to suit up as a player.

Drake hasn't quite reached that desperate a position yet, but injuries continue to plague the team early in the year.

Bears lost their third player with a serious injury on the weekend when veteran forward Rick Venance broke his knee-cap

blocking a shot. Besides Venance, who will be out for 6 weeks, there's Clark Jantzie (torn knee ligaments) and Mike Broadfoot (shoulder separation). Both will be lost until Xmas.

Besides these major injuries Jim Carr missed last weekend's action because of internal injuries suffered against Saskatchewan. Brian Sosnowski was going at less than 100% being hampered by a back injury.

Sports Quiz

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- The record for most assists by a defenceman in one game is held by three men. Name two of them. (4pts)
- In 1961 this baseball player hit 4 home runs in one game, who was it? a) Willie Mays b) Micky Mantle c) Roger Maris d) Carl Yastrzemski (3pts)
- Name the leading scorers for these NHL teams in the 1975-76 season. a) California b) Detroit c) Kansas City d) N.Y. Rangers e) Vancouver (5pts)
- Who did Muhammad Ali defeat to capture the heavyweight crown in 1964? (2pts)
- Which receiver caught the most passes (10) in one CFL game last year? a) Bob Larose b) George McGowan c) Tony Gabriel d) Rhett Dawson (3pts)
- Who captured the Canadian Open Golf tournament in 1975? a) Tom Wieskopf b) Jack Nicklaus c) Gary Player d) Ben Crenshaw (3pts)
- Name the four divisions of the National Hockey League. (4pts)
- Only one NHL coach has won championships in both the American and National Hockey Leagues. Is it a) Fred Shero b) Scotty Bowman c) Tom Johnson d) Bep Guidolin (2pts)
- Only three players in NBA history have accomplished the feat of leading the NBA in scoring and rebounding in the same season. Was the last double leader a) Bob McAdoo b) Elvin Hayes c) Wilt Chamberlain d) George Mikan (3pts)
- In terms of numbers, the Canadian Olympic team ranked third in size at the '76 Olympics. True or False. (1pt)

CWUAA Hockey Standings

	G	W	L	Pts	F	A
Thunderbirds	6	5	1	10	30	14
Golden Bears	6	4	2	8	27	22
Saskatchewan Huskies	6	2	4	4	21	29
Calgary Dinosaurs	6	1	5	2	15	28

Pandas provide pleasing performance

Intercollegiate volleyball in Calgary this weekend, Pandas finished tournament in second place, in a three tie with the Universities of Calgary and Victoria.

The Pandas shut out the Huskies and Huskiettes 3-0 in a five series but were then 3-0 by UBC and the University of Victoria.

Pleased with the overall performance of the Pandas in their first major tournament of the season, head coach Val Hunt feels the team will make strong showings in upcoming season play.

"The Pandas have a good chance of finishing on top," says coach Hunt, "they play with poise

and confidence and have a strong team spirit. UBC will be tough competition but we're just beginning to jell as a team and haven't played to our full potential."

The Pandas will meet teams from the Universities of Calgary, Manitoba and Saskatchewan in the U of A Invitational, December 3 and 4 in the Main Gym.

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