

UNB REDS VOLLEYBALL: Exclusive

FEATURE: Henrietta DeWolfe

The UNB Reds Volleyball team have had a trying season but all have adapted well to Coach Sexsmith's more technical and systematic approach to the game of

volleyball. By accomplishing both of these objectives the girls have placed a strong third in their tier behind Dalhousie University and Memorial University.

Coach Sexsmith is happy with the teams progress against Memorial and Dalhousie, both of whom have national teamplayers, Memorial in particular are taller. Sexsmith plans to recruit good rookies for next season to

strengthen the team. (Coach Sexsmith is particularly looking for a 5'10" setter, with the speed and agility of a Japanese player, and the hitting and hard blocking and vertical jump of a Russian player, interested phone Jim at L B G y m .

Leading the Reds' throughout the season were Susan Woods (Captain), Alice Kammermans, and Colleen Carten. Sue is in third year education and for the last two yers has been picked for AUA

all star team. Alice is in second year education and has also been on the AUA All Star team. Both Sue and Alice played on the New Brunswick Winter Games Team. Colleen is in 4th year business, her experience and skill will

be missed next season. Anne Keizer is in 3rd year education, being physically strong with good skills, she has been a strong point in the Reds defense. Anne also played on the Prince Edward Island Women's Volleyball Team and this

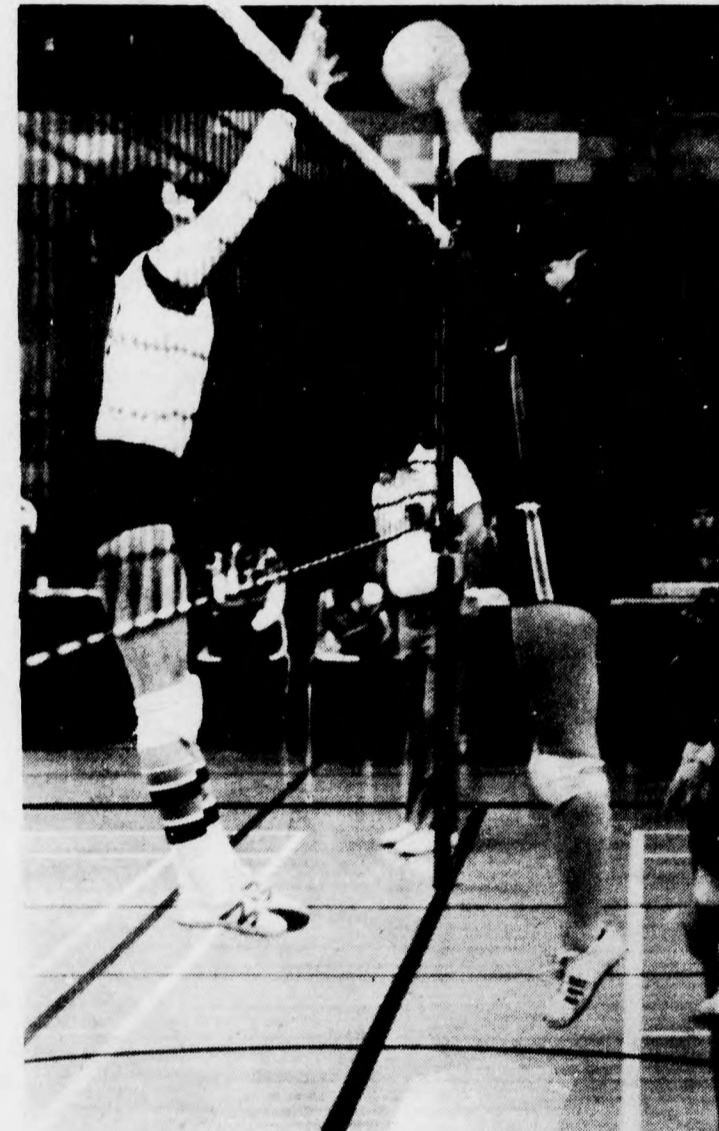
year was a member of the third nationally placed UNB Red Sticks. Sharry Martin is in 3rd year B.P.E. She is tiny but mighty and has been one of the Reds setters.

Brenda Johnston, Caroline Ball are second year education students. Carolyn's consistent playing as the Reds technique player has aided the team in matches against Dalhousie and Memorial. Brenda has added to the Reds offense with off speed hits which catch opposing teams unaware. Also her spirit has contributed to the valuable bench strength of the Reds.

The rookies include Judy Burns, Paula O'Brien, Ellen Jarvis and Cathy Skanes. Judy and Paula have been constant starters for the Reds. Ellen relieves Judy as setter and has proved she can play equally offensively and defensively. Cathy has shown strength as a power hitter and as a defensive digger.

No team is complete without a manager, luckily the Reds have Karen Doucet plus the knowledge of assistant coach Bob Capen has frequently enlightened the Reds on specific aspects of the game of volleyball.

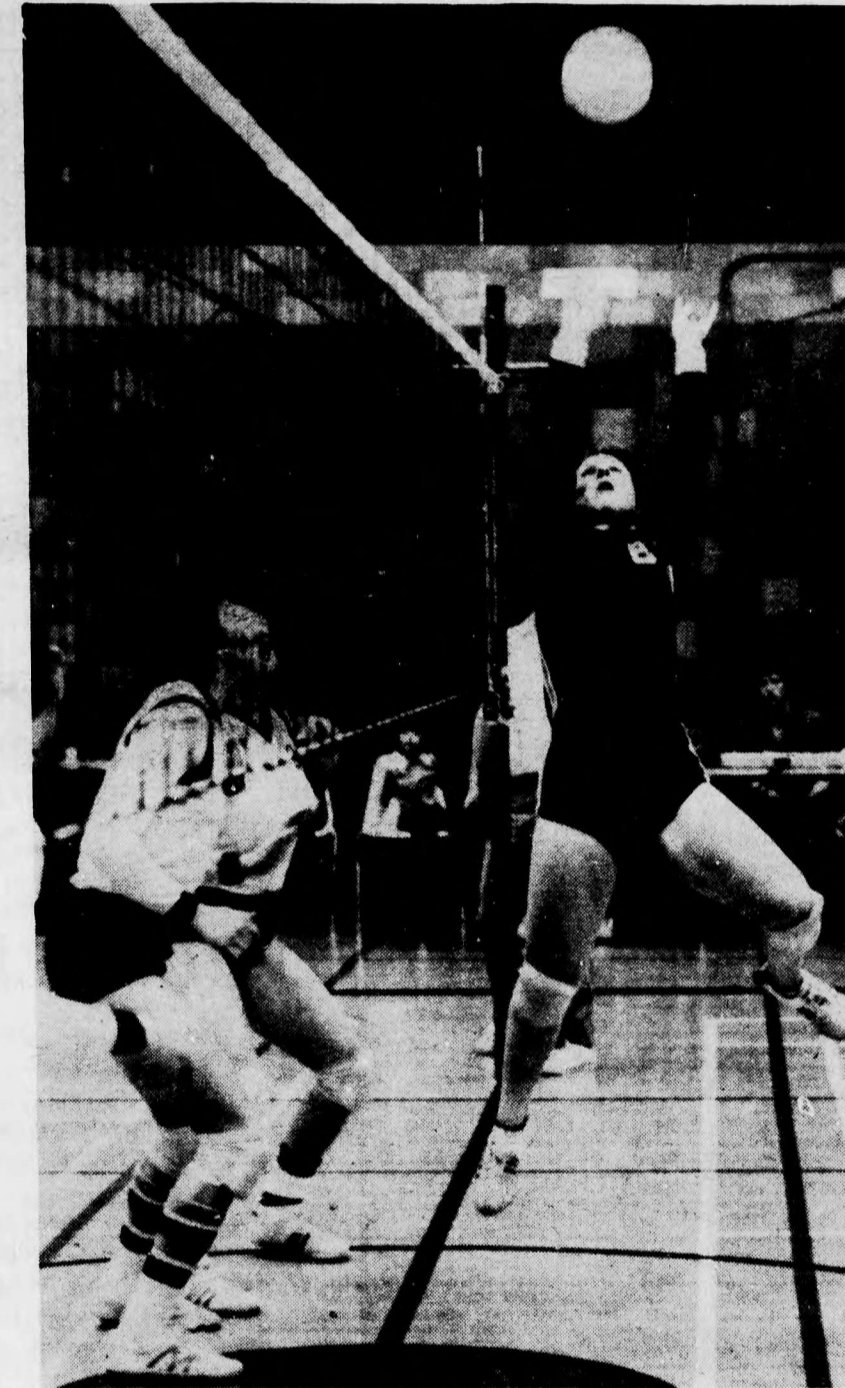
Note the UNB Reds Volleyball team are hosting the AUA championship on February 20, 21, 22. The action will be fast and furious as UNB, U de M, Memorial and Dalhousie battle for first place in the Atlantic Provinces.



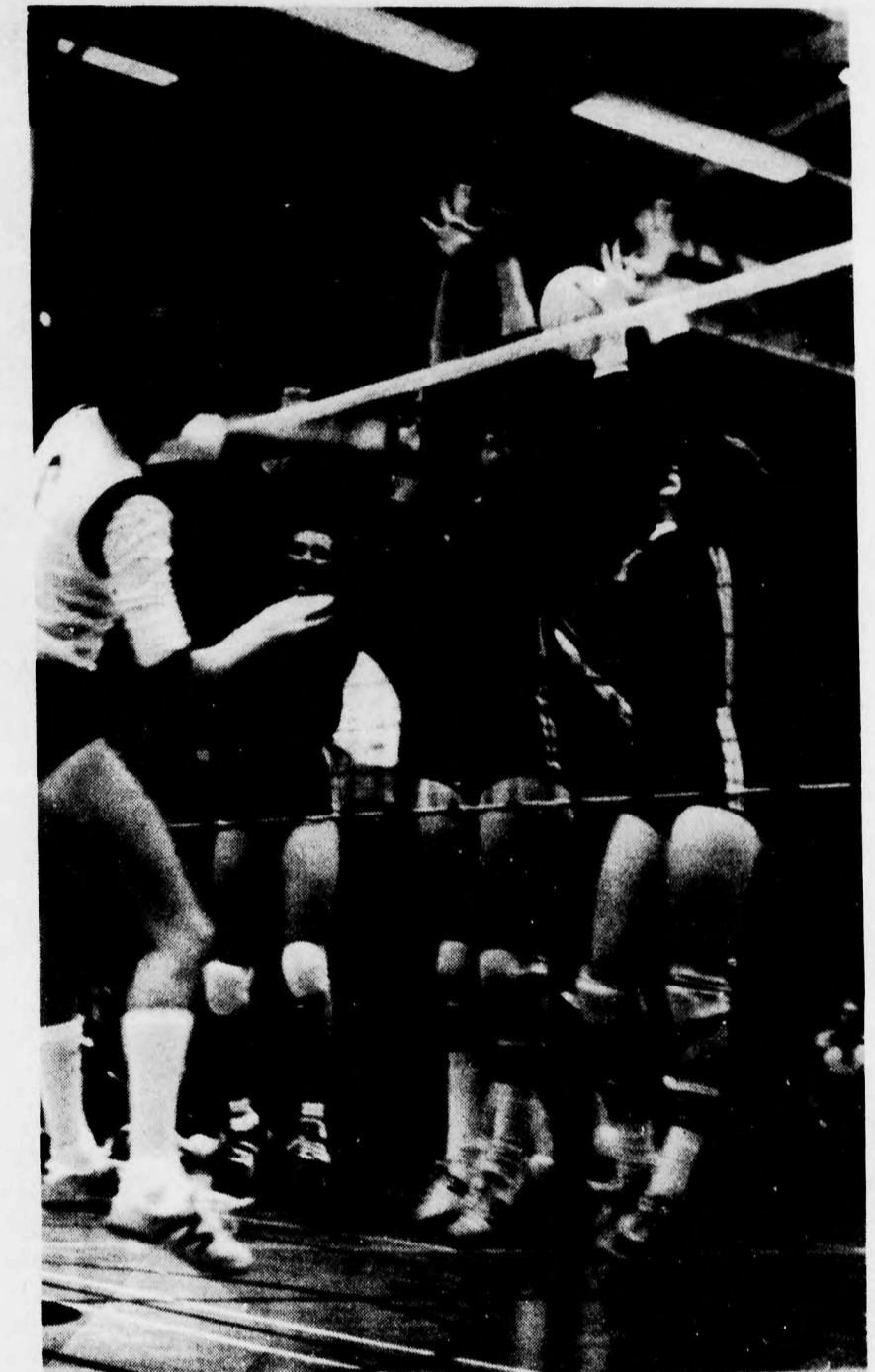
Paula O'Brien



Captain Sue Woods



Setter Judy Burns



L to R: 12 - Caroline Ball, 6 - Sue Woods
2 - Alice Kammermans



L to R: 2 - Alice Kammermans, 10 - Paula O'Brien, 8 - Judy Burns,
12 - Caroline Ball



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