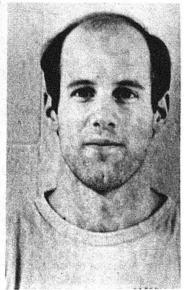
Athletes of the Week



Brian Smith **Gymnastics**

Brian Smith of the Golden Bear gymnastic team cleaned up his weekend in the meet against U of C. He placed first in five of the six men's events and took second place in the other.

He has qualified as a B athlete in Canadian Gymnastics Plan 76 (one step down from eading contenders for the 76 Olympics in Montreal).

The two time provincial champion spent a year studying n Japan and now practices for four-plus hours a day



Doreen Jones Track and Field

Doreen Jones went wild against the University of Saskatchewan two weeks ago, winning four events as Pandas were defeated by Huskiettes.

She placed first in the 50 metre sprint, 50 metre hurdle, long jump and shot put.

Huskiettes hard-pressed to win the meet and only managed to do so by nine points.

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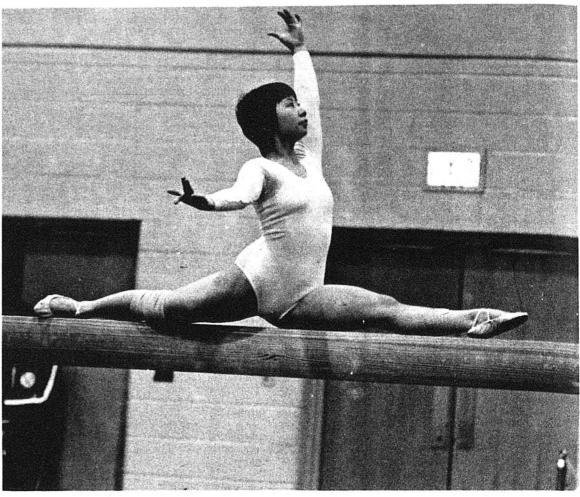


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Wabe Wah-King has been one of the Panda Gym team's most consistent performers this year. The palance beam is one of the areas where the ladies really turn it on and Wah-King, shown here in last Sunday's meet against Calgary, shows much grace and poise in her routine.

Bear/Panda Gymnastics Sunday

The University of British Columbia and University of Manitoba women's gymnastics teams, along with the University of Manitoba's men's team, will be coming to the Main Gym in the Phys Ed building Sunday at

The UBC women boast a strong team led by the talents of Janet Terry, a former Panda and alternate on the team for the World Student Games held in Moscow during the summer, and Tammy Martin, a second alternate with the World Student Games team.

The U of M women's team is, at this point, a bit of an unknown factor, but Manitoba has been known to produce

has been known to produce some excellent gymnasts.

Francis Tally's men will have their hands full. "They thumped us thoroughly last year," said the coach.

David Johns, a U of A graduate, coaches the Bison team. One of the Manitoba athletes. Keith Carter was athletes, Keith Carter, was second in the national junior championships last year, and is on the A squad of Canadian Gymnastics Game Plan 76.

Johns will be bringing five men out for the meet. Bears' team will include Dale O'Brien, Hardy Fink and Chuck Thompson, who were unable to compete last week.

Bears' Brian Smith is suffering from a shoulder injury and may not be able to compete.

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Volleyball

Pandas are back in action but unfortunately had an unproductive weekend. At the University of Calgary International Invitational, Canada's top volleyball teams were present.

Pandas played 10 games, two of which they won against U of Lethbridge, 15-1 and 15-10.

They played hard games against U of Winnipeg but, after going down 10 points could not come up for a victory. They put up a hard fight, though, pushing on for losses of 22-20 and 15-10.

The highlight of the weekend, especially for rookies Ellen Aust, Kim Brown, and Gloria Kallio, was seeing the Chimos from B.C. play. They are a top Canadian volleyball team and in the match against the Chimos, the pandas displayed outstanding volley ball technique. No other team had more than five points against the Chimos. They topped that with results of 15-5 and 15-9.

Pandas next tournament is Feb. 1 when they travel to Saskatoon.