

# Injuries, Lethbridge fail to stop Pandas

by Robert Lawrie

The injury riddled Pandas came away with 2 easy wins over the Pronghornettes from Lethbridge, thanks to the excellent play of their bench. The Pandas played their weekend series without Lori Chizik (knee) and Faith Rostad (ankle) and Colleen Elder (ankle) but nonetheless took the Friday night contest 76-62 and Saturday night's contest 86-42.

The Pandas opened up Friday night's contest with their zone press and streaked to a 44-26 half-time lead. Lethbridge would not have been even that close except for their excellent outside shooting.

In the second half the Lethbridge crew broke the Panda press much better and closed the gap to just 6 points after 9:00 minutes of play. The Pandas held on however and eventually took the game 76-62.

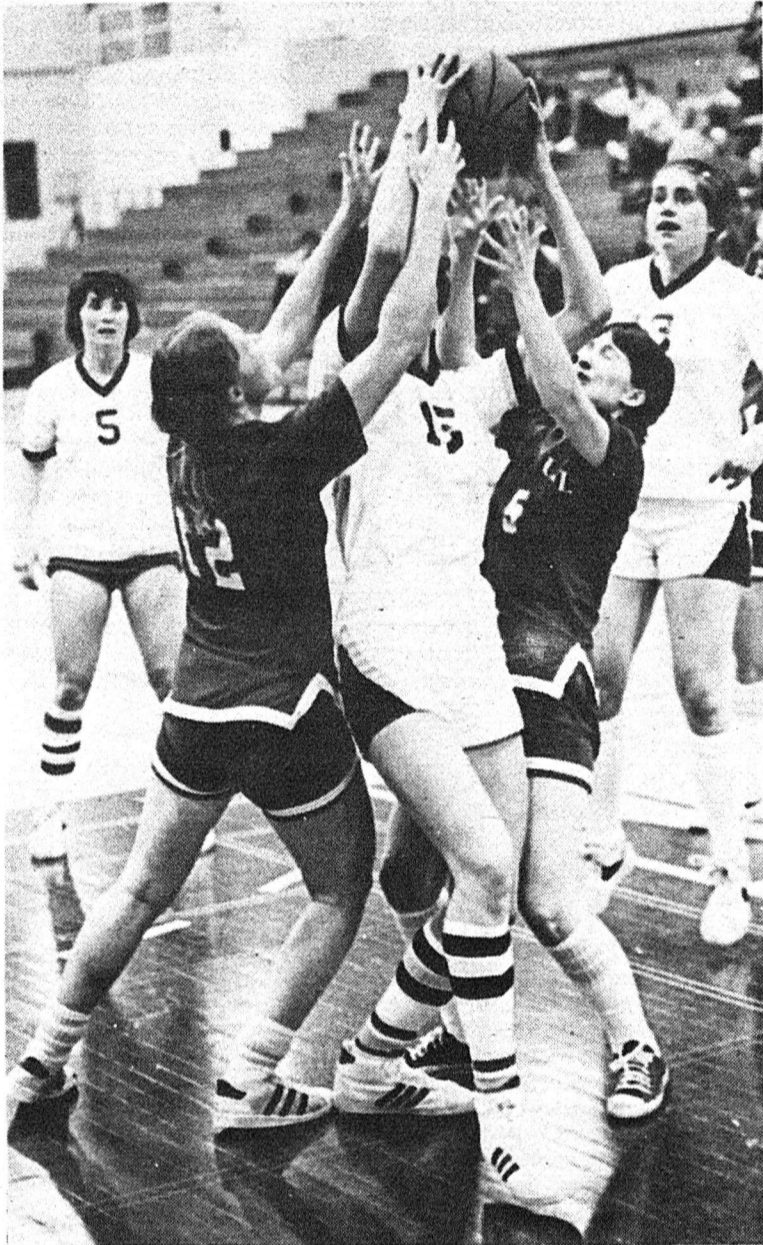
Amanda Holloway played one of her many strong games, dropping in 19 points. Jennifer Cooper, replacing Chizik, scored 12 points from the outside. Karen Johnson and Trix Kanekens dropped in 10 points. Frieda Mennes led Lethbridge with 16 points.

On Saturday night the Pandas, despite ending the game with just 7 players ran Lethbridge out of the gym. After the first half the Pandas had just an 8 point lead but came out a little more determined in the second half, forcing many turnovers and outscoring the Pronghornettes 28-4 in the first 10 minutes.

Jennifer Cooper surprised everybody, including herself dropping in 22 points. Karen Johnson had 20 points with Amanda Holloway adding 14. Georgina Lester scored 14 for the Lethbridge crew.

Coach Debbie Shogan was pleased with her team's play saying "it was a good way to end the season." She added "we moved the ball really well."

On Saturday afternoon in a



**Shield of arms...**  
The Pandas' Trix Kanekens (15) has attracted a crowd of players all looking for the basketball.

photo Bob Austin

nationally televised game the Pandas took an exciting 53-52 decision over the Regina Cougettes. Amanda Holloway led the Pandas again with 18 points with Johnson adding 9. Diana Stober led the Cougettes with 13.

**Rebounds:** Trix Kanekens

saw her largest amount of playing time this year over the weekend, rewarding the Pandas with strong play. Both Kanekens and Sherry Stevenson came up with minor hurts Saturday night but should not hold them back from the Nationals in two weeks.

# sports

## Panda gymnasts dominate West championships

The CWUAA gymnastic championship turned out very well for the Golden Bears and Pandas. In the team event the Golden Bears were edged out and ended up in third place behind UBC (2nd) and U of C (1st). However, the Pandas completely dominated the standings, winning the team event with UBC second and U of C third. Individually the Golden Bears' Gordon Osborne was second all around to Dave Bibby of Victoria. Osborne won the Rings events and will represent the CWUAA in Fredericton, New Brunswick in the CIAU championship.

In the women's competition Jennifer (Diachun) Palmer of UBC was first all around (36.72)

with Pandas' Peggy Downton (32.86), Wah King Ng 3rd (32.83), Jane Welsh 5th (29.24), Thea McKay 6th (28.81), John Dromisky 7th (28.18), and Elizabeth Bouraud 12th. Stacey Lister of UBC was 4th with (30.50).

Individually for the Pandas Peggy Downton was 2nd in floor exercise, and 2nd in uneven bars. Wah King Ng was 2nd on Balance Beam and 3rd on Vault. Jane Welsh was 2nd vault and Thea McKay 3rd vault. For the Pandas Peggy Downton, Wah King Ng, Jane Welsh and Thea McKay will represent WCUAA in the CIAU championships March 4th and 5th.

## Sports Quiz

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1. Yvan Cournoyer has never been selected to the first All-Star team squad. True or False. (2pts)
2. Which one of these goalies has never won or shared a Vezina trophy? a) Lorne Worsley b) Roger Crozier c) Gary Smith d) Roger Vachon e) Dennis Dejordy (3pts)
3. In one year this boxer held world titles in 3 different weight classes simultaneously. Who was it? a) Sugar Ray Robinson - 1952 b) Henry Armstrong - 1938 c) Bob Fitzsimmons - 1897 d) Archie Moore - 1952 (3pts)
4. Which two CFL players hold the record for most touchdown passes caught in one year? (hint: they played for Saskatchewan and Calgary) (2pts)
5. This current NFL coach holds the CFL record for most interceptions in one game. Who is it? (2pts)
6. Since 1936 which CFL team has finished on top of the Western Conference the most times? (3pts)
7. The record for the most victories on the LPGA tour in one year held by: a) Kathy Whitworth b) Mickey Wright c) Jo-Anne Carner d) Carol Mann (3pts)
8. Name the sport associated with these names. a) John Schumate b) Tony Roche c) Roger Maltbie d) Ken Read (4pts)
9. John Ferguson holds the Montreal Canadian club record for most career penalty minutes. True or False. (2pts)
10. Who did Red Berenson score his six goals against in 1968? (1pt)

# Mr. Hyde brings end to streak

by Darrell Semenuk

It might not be called a story book ending but UBC coach Bert Halliwell may have borrowed the idea from a work of literature.

The Thunderbirds ended Alberta's 16 game winning streak Saturday night, dropping the Bears 5-4, after losing a 3-1 decision on Friday.

Halliwell got a Jekyll and Hyde performance from T-Bird bad man John Dzus in the weekend series. Friday, Dzus was up to his old tricks and penalties cost the T-Birds the game but the player with the second highest penalty total in the league came back in the second game with 2 goals to lead the upset of the Bears, the first win for UBC over Alberta in 8 starts this year.

Alberta had two power play goals on Friday night in their win over UBC. The T-Birds took 7 of the 11 minors called but outshot the Bears 35-29.

"The penalties really hurt us," said Halliwell after the game. "You can't win if you can't stay out of the penalty box."

Dzus, who was involved in a fight with Cummings two weeks ago in Vancouver, was again involved in an incident with Cummings.

With Alberta leading 2-1 in the third period, on goals by John Devaney and Dave Hindmarch (Tom Onno getting the UBC marker), Dzus broke down the right wing, fired a shot at Cummings and continued skating, crashing full speed into the Alberta goaltender.

The winger was assessed a minor penalty for charging but despite the call the incident raised the ire of Bear coach Clare Drake.

Drake, who was bombarded by verbal obscenities behind the Alberta bench on Friday night, and had beer dumped on him, felt the collision was not an accident.

"Certainly it was on purpose," fumed Drake after the game. "It was a deliberate charge. He went at him from 20 feet. It just takes one incident to put a guy out for the rest of the season and then it's too late."

Halliwell viewed the play differently. "I didn't think it was deliberate. I think Clare thought it was but it wasn't. I talked to John after the game and he said it wasn't. John wasn't going out with the intention that he was going to run Jack (Cummings) into the net."

Despite the episode Cummings played one of his best

games of the season, keeping Alberta in the game in the first period when they were outshot 17-5. He made two brilliant stops in particular, a sliding save off Grant Cumberbirch and a spectacular pad save, robbing Danny Lucas on a breakaway. The Bears led 2-1, after 2 periods and defenceman Frank Clarke got the insurance marker late in the third.

The Bear goaltender said the Dzus incident didn't rattle him but questioned the tactics that UBC has employed against him. "It didn't upset me. I really don't know why he's doing that. Every



Clare Drake

game someone from UBC is going after me. They definitely give way more cheap shots than any other team in the league."

"Before they were just any other team in the league. Right now I want to beat them more than anyone else. There's hard feelings developing between us."

In the Saturday night game the Alberta win streak came to an end and also the antics of Dzus. The winger scored two times to lead the 'Birds to an impressive 5-4 win over the Bears. After Clarke scored on the powerplay at 6:15 Dzus banged a rebound past Cummings late in the period to tie things up.

The second period ended with UBC in front 3-2. Ross Cory bounced a centering pass off the skate of Alberta defenceman Randy Gregg and into the net, while Doug Tottenham put UBC ahead in the game after Dave Breakwell had earlier tied the score for Alberta.

Dzus got his 2nd goal at the :26 second mark of the third when Stan Swales inadvertently put the puck into his own net. Lucas made it 5-2 a little later and UBC appeared to have the game in control.

But with 2:08 remaining Drake pulled Cummings from the

Alberta net and the team responded with 2 goals, by Ken Primeau and Hindmarch. The Bears swarmed around UBC goalie Ron Lefebvre in the dying seconds but the last gasp comeback fell short.

Despite the flourish at the end Alberta was distinctly outplayed in the game and according to Halliwell the narrow margin flattered the Bears. "I don't think the game was as close as the score. I thought we dominated."

Halliwell was especially pleased about the sudden transformation of Dzus. "I'm glad he played so well because everybody thinks he's just a goon. That particular line (Peter Titchener, Steve Davis and Dzus) gave Alberta trouble all night. Whenever they were on the ice Alberta couldn't get out of its own end."

Drake gave credit to the UBC team after the game but was philosophical about the loss. "Overall in both games I thought B.C. had a decided edge. I was that upset about it either way would be a good realization for the players that they can be beaten. What the hell, it's pretty hard to get too critical. I'd just as soon see us play bad this weekend and not later."