

Sports program - after rebuttal

by David D. Chadee and Don Clinton

First of all, the writer of the Howe Hall Column truly appreciates the so-called constructive comments made by one Bill Johns. Many schools of thought claim that one should be able to criticize but in return should accept criticism. Since I am a strong believer in this philosophy I have accepted your so-called constructive and sland-

erous criticisms which shall be stored in the archives of my filing cabinet. Many of your facts were wrong but my duty as a writer is not to teach you personally so I shall allow a sleeping dog to lie.

In order to inform the new residents of Howe Hall of the sporting facilities and events available for their participation, Don Clinton has prepared the following report.

The sports program at Howe Hall will start this year with some major changes. Probably, the largest

change is in the league format, with the addition of Studley House, the major increase in the population of Henderson House, and a Lesser increase of Smith and Bronson Houses, we are running an "A" and "B" division in the three major sporting events, Basketball, Hockey, and Floor Hockey. Because of the large differences in the size between Studley and Henderson, Henderson will be required to enter two "A" teams, and a "B" team, while Studley will be permitted to bring players back from the "A"

team to their "B" team. This coming year will see one of the longest Hockey schedules, and equally long Floor Hockey and Basketball seasons. The Squash Tournament which took place during the 26th-28th September weekend ended with Bernard McIntyre and Eric Elvidge one of the Resident Assistants, going into the finals. Eric Elvidge won by default but he was really looking forward to the clash of the champions.

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Runners look for another championship

by Bob Book

The Dalhousie University cross country team is now into its running season as they go after their fourth consecutive AIAA championship. Under the new coach Bob Book, the team is heading into its fourth week training with the championships scheduled for STU on Oct. 25. With a mixture of four returnees from last year and several fine looking newcomers the team appears much stronger than last year's winning combination. The returning runners include, Pat Theriault, a sophomore, who last year finished second in the championships; Bill Lloy and Paul Theriault, both seniors, have performed well in the past, and should do even better in this their final year, and Vernon Simms, a good experienced runner should

add a lot of depth to the team. George Piccott returns after a year of absence and is certainly a big addition. Bruce Patterson who was on a track scholarship to the states last year, has decided to return to Nova Scotia and should add a lot of strength to the team. Three freshmen, Randy Bullerwell, last year's provincial High School 5000 Metre Champ, Brian MacKinley, a strong 1500 metre man from New Brunswick and Don Quance, a fine steeplechaser from Montreal, round out the team.

With season still only young, the team has already won two meets. On Sept. 20 they made their annual visit to Bates College in Lewiston Maine. Running against a strong field of U.S. runners the team finished fourth, with Paul Theriault

the first Dal runner to cross the line finishing 17th. However, Dal did beat their arch rivals UNB by a considerable margin.

On Sept. 27th, the team travelled to Truro. Under extremely poor conditions Dal runners completely dominated the field taking 6 of the first 10 positions. Pat Theriault once again led the way, winning rather easily and narrowly missing the course record. George Piccott, running one of his finest races, finished in second spot, Bob Book, joining the team for this race, placed third. Bill Lloy, fifth, Brian MacKinley, 6th and Don Quance, tenth rounded out the team.

Dal's next competition is scheduled for Oct. 5th in the Joe Howe Road Race.

Soccer Tigers make a come back

Another dismal first half performance by the Soccer Tigers resulted in them being one goal down at the half. The St. Mary's Huskies tallied their only goal which came from a penalty shot. The initial ten minutes of the game showed a very cool and

controlled Tigers team. However, they seemed to lose all their composure and it was not until halfway through the second half that they began to look more like the mean machine we are used to seeing.

Sandy Bum's injury caused him to be replaced at the half-time by "Herby" Clough. As was the case last week the Tigers were still able to put two goals in the back of the net even though some of the key players were out through injury. Clough was a star in mid-field and managed to hit the woodwork on two occasions. The 70th minute saw a goal from Kevin Mayo who made a comeback this week. If he remains fit he will be a great contribution to the club. A disgusting display of temper by Bob Moss resulted in the striker being cautioned with a yellow card. This sort of behavior is very disappointing for a player of Moss' caliber.

With barely three minutes left to play Ray Riddell was able to follow

in the wake of Kevin Mayo and slot the winning goal into the far corner. This was Riddell's first appearance for the club but not his last.

Player of the Week

The award this week goes to "Herby" Clough. This is the second consecutive game that Clough has proved to be the Club's best 45 minute man. On both occasions his presence on the field has contributed to two goals. In the game against St. Mary's he showed sheer class. He drifted about the park giving subtle balls at very opportune moments. In mid-field Clough was asking all the questions. The cry from the crowd when his volley hit the crossbar was, "they don't come much better than that". Congratulations Herby Clough on being elected "Player of the Week".

Next home games for the Tigers are: Friday Oct. 3rd against U.N.B. Kick-off at 5:00 p.m.; Sat. Oct. 4th against Moncton, Kickoff at 1:00 pm.

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Tigerettes continue to win

Dal dumps Memorial University 4 - 0.

On Saturday September 27, Dalhousie Tigerettes hosted M.U.N. on the Commons in a field hockey game, which proved to be extremely one sided for Dalhousie. After numerous breakaways and shots on goal Dalhousie finally tallied in the closing minutes of the first half.

The second half proved more productive in both goal scoring and midfield play. M.U.N.'s strategy in trying to put Dalhousie offside proved more favourable for Dal-

housie as they easily broke thru M.U.N.'s last line of defense.

Sharon Keaugh's fine goal attacking abilities show promise of many goals to come and Claudia Powell's starting performance leaves no doubt of her capabilities as a right wing. Dal's defensive unit (thought to be the best in the league) with veterans: Julie West, Karen Kelly and Jocelyn Webb and newcomers, Wendy McMullin, Anne MacKinnon, Patti Buzzell and Merle Richardson, have devastated

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