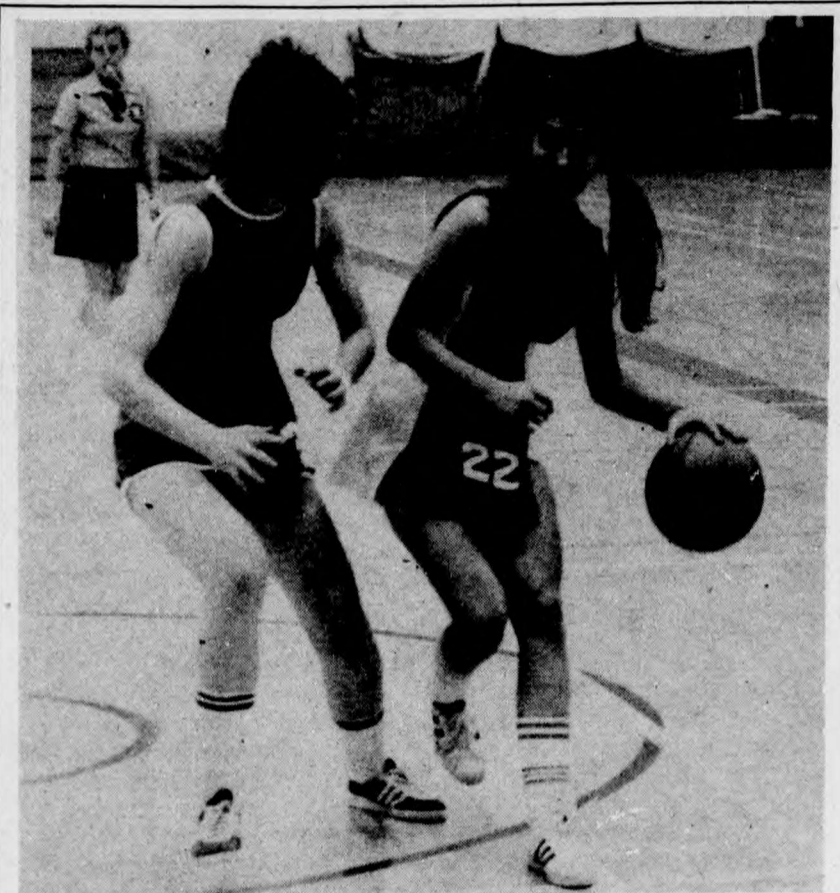


## Sports



York's Donna Scott (22) moves to get away from a Toronto player in the basketball contest held last Tuesday at the Tait McKenzie gymnasium. York's efforts weren't enough, though, as the University of Toronto prevailed to take a 41-35 decision. High scorers for the York squad were Terry Clancy, Betty Krueger and Karina Buba. More action is seen below.



Bob Foley photos

## Hockey team must improve to challenge for top spot

By ED PIWOWARCZYK

York's hockey Yeomen changed their style of play towards the end of the first half of their OUAA schedule, but must complete the transformation if they are to threaten for top spot when league play resumes in January.

"In the last two weeks we've changed to a more aggressive type of hockey," said coach Dave Chambers. "Before that we weren't pushed around by our opponents. But when we were, our team pushed back. I don't think other teams can intimidate us anymore."

After eight games, the Yeomen have a 6-1-1 record and have outscored the opposition 58-28 for a game average of 7.25 to 3.5. In accumulating their impressive offensive statistics, however, the Yeomen have played only two tough teams: the University of Toronto Blues and the University of Ottawa Gee Gees.

Against those teams, York had an 0-1-1 record and were outgunned 13-9. In their exhibition contests, the Yeomen sputtered to a 3-3 record, narrowly outscoring their competition 30-28 for a game average of 5-4.6.

In the second half of their schedule, the Yeomen will have a few soft spots. York has a rematch with the Toronto Blues and will have to face the Laurentian Voyageurs, the Queen's Golden Gaels and the Western Mustangs.

"The insertion of Bill MacKay and Dave Murray at forward positions and John Titus on defence has given us the added muscle," said Chambers. "Also (rearguards) Dave Wright and Don West have been playing more aggressively since the U of T game."

"The aggressive play will help us in our forechecking, but we've got to improve overall defensively.

"The aggressive play has to continue, and we've got to cut down on our goals against if we're going to succeed."

The York power play has been impressive to date, but their penalty killing has been less spectacular. York scored 13 times in 32 attempts in league play and 10 times in 35 attempts in exhibition games. The opposition scored six times in 31 tries in league contests and four times in 22

attempts in exhibition matches.

Tim Ampleford, Al Avery and Doug Dunsmuir have led the Yeomen when they have had the extra-man advantage in notching three goals each.

York did not score a shorthanded goal in either league or exhibition play. The opposition scored twice in league action and once in exhibition play when York had the man advantage.

In league games, the Yeomen have notched the opening goal only four of eight times, while in exhibition matches they have rifled the first game marker five of six times.

Barry Jenkins had two first goals and Avery and Dunsmuir one each in league play. Ampleford, Avery, Gerri Greenham, Jenkins and West had one each in the exhibition contests.

In firing home winning markers, Avery and Wright lead the way in league competition with two each, with the other two going to Jenkins and John Marshall. Ampleford, Avery and Dunsmuir each had one in exhibition play.

The netminding tandem of Wayne Weatherbee and Art Willer has pleased Chambers with its play to date. "Both have proven themselves as good goaltenders."

In six games, Weatherbee has faced 161 shots and allowed 21 goals for a 3.5 goals against average. Willer has an identical 3.5 average after playing in two contests, facing 57 shots and allowing seven goals. Weatherbee has York's only shutout this season.

**PUCKNOTES:** Before travelling to Flint, Michigan for a holiday tournament, the Yeomen will play exhibition matches with the Vaughan Nationals and the Wexford Raiders of the Tier II Provincial Jr. A league. The Nats encounter will be Thurs. Dec. 20 at 8:15 p.m. in the Ice Palace. The game with Wexford will be held at the Hyland Arena on Sat. Dec. 22 at 8:15 p.m. York's competition in the Flint tournament Dec. 7 and 28 will be Lake Superior State, the University of Michigan and Air Force. . . . York's next home contest will be Sat. Jan. 12 at 2 p.m. in the Ice Palace against the Ottawa Gee Gees.

### Stong College leads

## Intercollege activities wind down

By RICK SPENCE

This week marks the end of the first half of intercollege sports, and although things are winding down now they'll be resuming again in the new year.

In men's hockey last week, Vanier annihilated Grads 12-1, Calumet crushed MBA 10-4, Winters battered Bethune 5-1, Glendon vanquished Vanier 6-1, Bethune squeaked past Founders 4-3, Glendon trounced Calumet 6-2, and Osgoode and Stong played to a 3-3 tie.

In women's hockey, Grads defaulted to McLaughlin and Vanier and Winters double-defaulted. Bethune stomped Stong 9-0, and Founders blanked Glendon 4-0.

In men's basketball, McLaughlin

defaulted to Osgoode (II), Vanier flailed Founders 48-35, and Stong stung Osgoode (I) 51-43.

First-half statistics showing the relative standings of the colleges in the race for the York Torch have been compiled by the phys. ed. department. The intercollege activities completed are tennis, men's and women's golf, and men's and women's flag football, men and women's cross-country, coed water polo, coed basketball, men's and women's swimming, men's soccer, and men's and women's volleyball.

Participation points and placement points count equally towards total points. Total points for a first place finish are 350 place points; second place is good for 275, third place 225, down to eighth place, which is good

for 100 points. The greatest amount of participation points in any one event is 200. Therefore, the maximum number of points attainable in each event is 550. A team that defaults out of an event gets no points for the college.

The points standing at the end of 1973 are: Stong 5,275, Osgoode 4,575, Bethune 3,412, McLaughlin 3,250, Vanier 2,875, Glendon 2,830, Founders 2,116, Winters 1,875, Calumet 463, Atkinson 300 (thanks only to their women golfers), Grads 175 (due to their men golfers), and MBA 0 (as they have yet to complete an event).

Upcoming events in 1974 are men and women's squash, coed volleyball, men and women's badminton, archery and table tennis, and coed curling and broomball.

## Yeowomen suffer 1st hockey loss

By DEBBIE CATE

The hockey Yeowomen suffered their first season defeat in going down 5-3 to a strong, fast-moving University of Toronto team in a battle for first place in the OWIAA league.

Unfortunately, the Blues were more psyched up than the York squad and scored four unanswered goals in the first period. York was slow in headmanning the puck and Toronto split the York defence several times with solo rushes. Netminder Jean Panagopka stopped several breakaways and blocked 19 shots in the first period.

The second period featured top calibre hockey with both teams in excellent form. York's Judy Goodhead flipped in a goal at the 10:06 mark. Nine seconds later Cathy Brown pumped in another to make the score 4-2 for Toronto. Both goals were assisted by Liz Bowes. Toronto scored again with four seconds left in the period.

York didn't give up, and in the third period managed to move and pass the puck more efficiently. Coach Bruce Shilton made a strategic change and sent out six attackers with five minutes left in the game. With the extra-woman advantage, Brown scored the third York goal. The

Yeowomen pressed the Blues for the last four minutes but were unsuccessful in capitalizing on their scoring opportunities.

**REBOUNDS:** Brown was the York standout. Rookies Lorraine Baker and

Patti King foiled numerous Toronto attacks with their tough woman-to-woman play. . . . The defeat left York tied with the University of Western Ontario for second place behind the undefeated Blues.

## More than 1,000 expected at basket-ball tourney

By ED PIWOWARCZYK

According to athletic co-ordinator Nobby Wirkowski, between 1,000 and 1,200 people will be attracted to the York campus during the invitational high school basketball tournament Dec. 27-29.

Entering its sixth year, the 16-team tournament is a non-profit venture designed to be "a showcase of high school basketball." In past years York has always broken even in meeting expenses.

"We started out with 16 Toronto area teams," said Wirkowski. "Now we try to get every Metro association into it."

The tournament has also attracted teams from as far away as Sudbury and Sussex, New Jersey. This year the out-of-town competition is Waterloo Collegiate, Henry St. from Whitby and Brampton Centennial.

Returning to defend their tournament crown will be the George Harvey Hawks. Other participants include North Albion, Sir John A. MacDonald, Brebeuf, Winston Churchill, Danforth Tech, North Toronto, Victoria Park, C.W. Jeffreys, Runnymede, Lorne Park and Westwood.

The action gets under way at 9:30 a.m. each day. Saturday, Dec. 29, the consolation final gets started at 5:30 p.m. The match to decide third place is slated for 7:30 p.m., while the championship battle is scheduled for 9:30 p.m.

Daily tickets are one dollar each as are the tickets for the championship contest. Children under 12 are admitted for 50 cents. For further information contact the phys. ed. department at 667-3734.

## Hockey statistics

### YEOMAN SCORING

PLAYER	GP	G	A	Pts	Pim
Ampleford	8	11	9	20	2
Avery	7	8	12	20	10
Dunsmuir	8	7	11	18	2
Jenkins	8	9	11	14	4
Martin	8	3	11	14	4
Greenham	8	2	11	13	2
Wright	8	5	6	11	20
Titanic	8	4	4	8	6
Ball	3	1	4	5	0
Marshall	8	1	4	5	4
Travis	6	2	2	4	6
Cerre	3	1	3	4	2
MacKay	5	3	0	3	8
Maeck	7	0	3	3	25
West	7	1	1	2	12
Murray	5	0	2	2	2
Titus	5	0	1	1	6
Gordon	2	0	1	1	6
Ayres	5	0	0	0	4
Howard	2	0	0	0	2