

Swimmers Practice Preparation for Meet

Practices resumed this past week for the girls' swimming team. The swim meet is scheduled for the end of February, and it is hoped that Dal will have a good team to represent it in the competition.

The first workout of this term was held last Thursday. The girls worked on strokes, and practiced lengths and starts. Peggy Mahon,

Sue Campbell, Joan Fowler, Leslie Baldwin, Cathy Walters, Jennifer Botterell, and Beth Greighton will be representing Dal in the meet. Any other girls who would like to work out are encouraged to come to practices, for the coach, Iris Bliss, would like to have at least eight girls on the team.

Tentative practice times at the Y.M.C.A. are set for Tuesdays from 7 to 8 p.m. and Thursdays from 8 to 9 p.m.

SCHEDULE FOR INTERMEDIATE BASKETBALL

- Jan. 10, 8 p.m. Dal gym, Dal vs Mt. St. Vincent
- Jan. 15, 7:30 p.m., Stad gym, Dal vs. Stad.
- Jan. 24, 8 p.m. Dal gym, Dal vs. Dal Grads
- Jan. 30, 7:30 p.m., Bicentennial Jr. High Dal vs Dartmouth
- Feb. 8, 8:30 p.m., Gorsebrook, Dal vs. Kings
- Feb. 14, 8 p.m. Dal gym, Dal vs. Tartans
- Feb. 28, 8 p.m., Dal gym, Dal vs. Stad
- March 8, 8:30 p.m. Gorsebrook, Dal vs. Kings

DGAC Doings

The first meeting of D.G.A.C for the new year was held this week for the purpose of organizing the D.G.A.C. activities for the term.

The main item discussed was the arrangement of interclass competition. There are to be managers in each sport to take care of its organization. Class representatives were chosen and it will be up to each representative to see that there are enough girls to form a team to represent her class.

The winning class is determined on a high point system and will be presented with a trophy in the Spring. Let's see every girl out to represent her class at D.G.A.C.

1962 BRINGS RULE CHANGES

There have been some important rule changes this year for girls' basketball, in an effort to speed up the game, and to improve it.

The most noticeable change is that involving procedure after a field goal or a free shot has been scored. Starting this year, the guards will take the ball out of bounds at the end line as in the boys' game. Formerly the ball went to the opposing team at center court. This will speed up the play, and will also put more pressure on the guards, as there will still be three opposing forwards against them. It will also spread play more evenly over the entire playing area.

A second important change is

that the limited dribble has been increased from two to three impetuses. Players using the three bounce dribble can cover more ground, and have a greater opportunity to change direction.

Smaller changes include rules that allow players to hand the ball to each other and to touch the opponents hands in trying for the ball. Follow through is now defined as the movement after the ball is released of the arms of the body in order to finish the shot or to regain contact with the floor.

48 Teams Are Entered In University Bowlathon

The first Annual University Bowlathon will be staged Saturday, January 13th, at Fenwick Bowl. The event is being sponsored by the B'nai B'rith Foundation at Dalhousie. This is the first Bowlathon of its type here, and it is hoped that it will become a yearly event. The proceeds are to go to the Rehabilitation Centre.

There are 48 teams entered in the competition from St. Mary's

University, Nova Scotia Tech, Maritime School of Social Work, and Dalhousie University. Each team will bowl one game (three strings). The bowling will get underway at 5:45 p.m. with the first twenty-four teams playing. The last twenty-four teams will bowl after the first group have completed their first game (approximately 8 p.m.).

The competition will be scored on the total points of the highest five members of each team for the three strings. The eight highest men's teams and the two highest women's teams (total points) shall progress to the finals which will be bowled immediately after the second twenty-four teams have completed their first game. This

should be at approximately 10:45 p.m.

The finals will be sudden death with the total point basis used again to determine the winners of the competition. High individual point score shall be judged as the high triple in the first game bowled by each team.

There will be a trophy for the high triple for both men and women, and a trophy for the high men's and women's teams. Four trophies in all will be awarded at the end of the competition. These trophies are donated by Oland's, Condon's Jewellers, Rozza's Brothers, and Jeweller Isner.

Open bowling will begin on the first twelve lanes at 11 p.m., or whenever the finals begin on lanes 13 to 24.

Varsity B'Ball Schedule

- Friday, Jan. 26 Acadia at Mt. A
- Saturday, Jan. 27 Acadia at U.N.B.
- Friday, Feb. 2 Mt. A at Acadia
- Saturday, Feb. 3 Mt. A at Dal
- Friday, Feb. 9 Dal at U.N.B.
- Saturday, Feb 10 Dal at Mt. A
- Friday, Feb. 16 Dal at Acadia
- Saturday, Feb. 17 U.N.B. at Mt. A
- Wednesday, Feb. 21 Acadia at Dal
- Friday, Feb. 23 U.N.B. at Acadia
- Saturday, Feb 24 U.N.B. at Dal

LETS LOOK AT BASKETBALL

Girl's basketball is getting off to a good start this season. Under the direction of freshman coach, Iris Bliss, the prospective team members are being put through their paces in preparation for City League and Intercollegiate schedules. Prospects are bright for two top-notch teams this year, although the turnout of players has been discouraging for the size of this university. A much greater turnout of freshmen and sophomores is needed as most of the prospective Varsity players are graduating this year.

Thumbnail sketches of players returning from last year: Donna MacRae - Returning for her fourth year in Dal Basketball, Donna is Dal's top scorer. A Haligonian, she is a QEH product. Penny Bennett - A former Intermediate player, Penny is working hard for a berth on the Varsity this year. She played her basketball formerly at St. Pat's and the Convent in Halifax. Sheila Mason - A returnee from last year, Sheila also a QEH product. She is in Education this year, and is a high-scoring forward. Jane Williams - A Pharmacy student, Janie is seeking a berth on the Varsity for a third year. A play-maker with a good lay-up, Janie should prove a valuable asset to the team. JoAnne Murphy - A standard guard, hailing from Truro, JoAnne has led the Dal defensive corps for three years. Heather Hebb - A guard from QEH, Heather is a steady player and is hoping for a third Varsity season. Bobbie Wood -

A guard, from Halifax, Bobbie is also out for Varsity for a third season. Eleanor Bainbridge came to Dal last year from QEH, and has worked in well with other Dal players. Gillian Ash, hailing from Toronto, played on the Dal Intermediate team last year. With her height she should figure prominently on future Dal teams.

Intermediates returning from last year include Ann Dunnigan, Heather Saunderson, Linda Stoker and Linda Ramsay.

Players new to the Dalhousie basketball scene include Pam Peterson, Heather Grant and Jill Rowan-Legge, who are forwards, and Doris Young and Judy Shakespeare who are guards.

B.BALL PRACTICE TIMES THIS WEEK

- Monday, January 8th - 1 to 2 p.m.
 - Tuesday, Jan. 9th - 5:30 p.m.
 - Wednesday, Jan. 10th - 7 to 8 p.m.
 - Thursday, Jan. 11th - 5:30 p.m.
- The coach would like to see more girls turning out to practice. Come on out girls, and give it a try!

News on Badminton

Varsity Badminton is off to a start already with practices being held on Monday nights from 7-8 p.m. in the gym. Mrs. Roper has kindly consented to be on hand to give her assistance. Later on a Badminton team consisting of three girls will be chosen to represent Dal at the intercollegiate tournament to be held in late February at St. John or Fredrickton. Other teams, besides Dal, that will be entered in the competition are Mount Allison, U.N.B., and Acadia. Everyone is urged to turn out to the practices.

ON CAMPUS

- WED. Hockey - Dal vs Stad. at Forum 8:30
- FRI. Dal-Com Movie - Room 21 7:00
- Sadie Hawkins Dance 9:00
- MON - FRI. Commerce Week
- MON. Ball Banquet
- WED. Tea Party (Phi Kap)
- TUES. Canterbury - Room 222 12:00

POSITION OPEN

Any girl wishing to work on the Dal Gazette this year as Assistant Girl's Sports Editor with a view to being Girl's Sports Editor next year please enquire at the Gazette Office.

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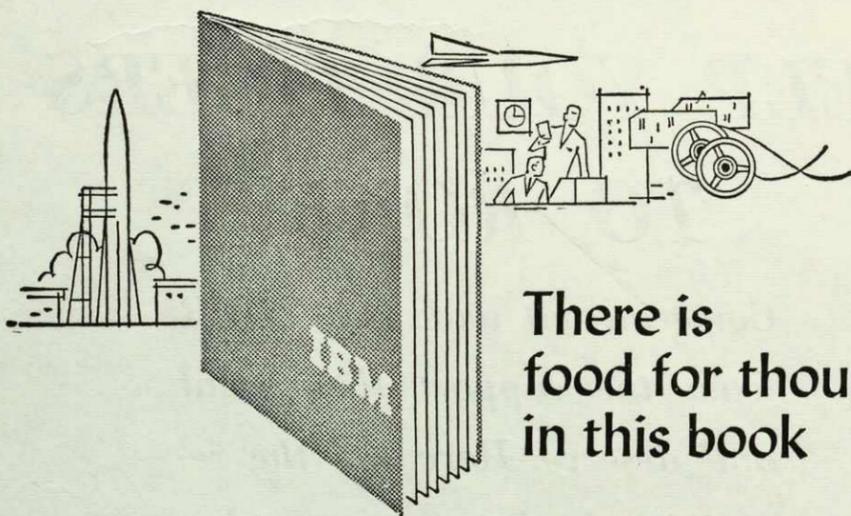
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