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Deadline is December 18, 1981.

Women's swim team dominates

The Dalhousie women's swim team continues to dominate all other teams in the AUA Conference. The women racked up 145.5 points in the Dalhousie AUA Invitational held this past weekend at Dalplex. Their next closest opposition, Mt. Allison, gained only 92 while Acadia managed 90.5, Memorial 41.5 and UNB 34.5.

The Dalhousie men's team managed to obtain 123 points to place second behind a powerful Memorial team. The Memorial swim team gained 168 points to easily win the men's division and continue their domination of the AUA. Behind Dalhousie, Acadia placed third with 85 points, UNB had 10 and Mount Allison gained 8 points.

The Tiger's women's team won all 3 relay events and had 5 individual victories to win half of all events swum. Louise Deveau and Susan Mason each had 2 individual victories to help lead the swimming Tigers. Louise Deveau won the 2 middle distance freestyle events, the 200 and 400, and placed in the top 3

in all 5 events entered to lead the Dalhousie point-getters. Mason, with victories in the 100 and 800 freestyle events and placings in all events, gained valuable points in the most contested events of the meet.

Winning the 50 and aiding in the Dalhousie sweep of all freestyle events was Susan Bennie. Bennie easily won the sprint freestyle event and gained points in all her swims to add valuable points to the Tiger's winning cause. Shelley Platt and Carol Flynn, two steady performers over the years, both showed their versatility by scoring many points in a wide variety of events. If the Dalhousie women's swim team continues to swim as impressively as they have done since the season's start, they should easily be considered as shoe-ins for the AUA championships.

The depth of the men's Tigers showed this weekend, as the majority of the men scored points to help them place second behind the mighty

attack of Memorial University. Of the 16 events swum over the weekend, Memorial was able to score 13 victories while Dalhousie was only able to gain one.

Winning for Dalhousie was first year breaststroke sensation, Andrew Cole. Cole scored a "come from behind victory" in the 100 breaststroke and was just touched out in the 200 breaststroke to lead the Dalhousie men's team to second place. Arthur Rennie, Dal's premiere sprint freestyler, managed a couple of seconds in the 50 and 100 and gained valuable points in other events to aid Cole in the Dalhousie attack. John Burns, Dalhousie's rookie backstroker, was just touched out in the 100 back and placed second in the 200 backstroke to add valuable points to the Dal score. Bob Goski easily had his best meet of the year as he improved in all his events to become the Coco-Cola Dalhousie Swimmer of the Meet.

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1981 - The year of the Tiger?

Many skeptical fans will find it hard to believe the drought that has plagued Dal's basketball for many years will finally end. Well, I can give you at least two good reasons. Stan 'the man' Whetstone (66 power forward) brings an aggressive brand of basketball seldom seen in this area. If you thought the "slam dunk" was the most exciting aspect of this sport, wait until you see him reject a few shots. Unfortunately, it appears Whetstone will have to relinquish his 'Prince of Mid-Air' title because his overzealousness is frowned upon by the local referees, (which translates into foul trouble).

At this point in time, it is clear St. F.X. and St. Mary's will be the front runners, but the rest of the league will be tough. Regrettably, the former star of the east Acadia, will be one of the weaker teams in the conference this year due to the loss of some key personnel. The rest of

the teams have apparently improved so Dal will have their work cut out for them.

"The Man", besides being tenacious on defense is an offensive threat. James "Bo" Mellot hails from Toronto. Once he becomes more accustomed to University basketball, "Bo" will be a great asset. Though, ostensibly a guard at 63, he probably will be used as a swingman. These two players should take much of the scoring load off point guard Steve Lambert (510). As team Captain he should excel, now that he has a decent supporting cast. Returning centre, Tim Crowell, (68) remains an enigma. He has amply demonstrated that he can score, but he has to discipline himself mentally so that he can contribute in other ways. The most crucial factor to the team's success is how much mileage Doc Ryan can get out of his bench. Players like Phil Howlett

(64 forward), Pat Slaughter (61 small forward), and Art Scraeton, (59 guard) will have more bearing on how many games Dal wins or loses than most people realise.

Now that Dal has a respectable team, the increased number of spectators will no longer accept mediocre games which were so typical of past performances. At the same time, fans will have to be patient, as success rarely occurs overnight. While Captain Lambert expects great things from his cohorts, I rate them as being the dark horse in the conference. In any event, it will be great the day after a game to no longer have to say how close was the score, but to say who won (and really mean it).



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