

Bear/ Panda gymnasts to compete in championship

The Golden Bear and Panda gymnastics teams fly to Vancouver this weekend to compete in the CWUAA championships.

Pandas have been working hard all year and team members Lenka Svatek and Barb Rutherford have consistently placed in the top three overall in every meet in which Pandas have competed.

Another purpose of this meet is to determine the top six all around gymnasts in the CWUAA who will attend the National Intercollegiate championships in Toronto March 2 and 3. Lenka and Barb will certainly be among

The men's team, bolstered by the return of Brian Smith, hope to continue their

excellent showing in meets this year as well. Smith has been hampered somewhat by a shoulder injury but the last time he was seen, he was whirling about on a high bar

whiring about on a nigh bar once again so he should be in shape for the BC tournament.

The men's team is inexperienced (so they say) but they have done well this year beating out a strong University of Manitoba team here this term and Calgary as well so the very worst they well so the very worst they can do is give the others a good run for their money. Bears feature routines that are uncomplicated in many cases but sound.

It should be a good

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Deadline for applications is Friday, February 22,

Panda swimmers tops in meet

The Panda Swim team this past weekend has a very successful meet against U of C and U of M. U of A women beat U of C with a score of 74 to 29 and U of A took U of M with a score of 72 to

Of the ten events the Pandas won eight. The other two events went to Jo Ann DePape of U of M, a Canadian representative to the 1973 World Aquatic Games in Yugoslavia. This gives one an idea of the calibre of

swimming at the meet.

Double event winners from U of A were Karen Nelson in the 200 and 400 yard freestyle and Mary Jane Henning in the 50 and 100 yard freestyle. Single event, winners were Susan Hunt who won the 200 yard backstroke by a good ten seconds and Lynn Purdy who won the 200 yard handily breaststroke.

The Pandas won both the nedley and the freestyle relays. U of A out swam U of M by eight seconds to win the medley relay. Team members Susan Hunt swimming backstroke, Wendy backstroke, Wendy Kruger breaststroke, Lynn Purdy butterfly and Karen Nelson freestyle. Again in the freestyle relay, U of A came in 34 seconds ahead os second place U of M team. The Panda's freestyle relay consisted of Jean Elzinga, Mary Jane Henning, Lynn Kavalinas and Chris Wright.

The success of the meet for the Pandas was evident in

for the Pandas was evident in that the majority of the team swam their year's best time. The Western Conference finals to be held at U of C February 14, 15 and 16 should prove to a very interesting meet. Pandas hope to qualify a good number of swimmers for the Canadian Championships to be held in Sudbury, Ontario at the end of the month.



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