

TIGERBELLES SWAMP MARINERS 42-20 IN EXHIBITION TILT

by Bobbie Wood

The Dal Varsity Tigerbelles, basketball edition, started off their season on a winning note Saturday in the first of a series of pre-season exhibition games. The kilted lasses took the measure of the Mariners (formerly Dal grads) 42-20.

The opening quarter saw the team feeling each other out, with the Mariners shooting from outside, while at the other end, the Dal forwards penetrated the Mariners' defense, only to find their shots going awry. Neither team was impressive in the scoring department, with the quarter ending in Dal's favour 9-8.

In the second quarter there was even less scoring, as Dal could only manage 7 digits, while the Mariners were held to a mere 3. The Dal forwards worked the ball around well in this quarter, and were cutting well, but they could not pry the lid off the basket. The guards, working in a new line, contained the fast-breaking Mariners attack, but found the going rough when trying to move the ball up the floor. Half-time score stood at 18-11 for Dal, a far cry from some previous half-time scores produced by virtually the same team.

Dal Starts to Move

After the half-time intermission Dal began to move and they looked more like the fast moving squad of last year. Donna MacRae, Sheila Mason and Jane Williams combined on the forward line to dump in 12 points, as their ball-handling and cutting plays showed much more precision. Shooting became more accurate as well, as few of those 12 points were on field goals. The Dal guards worked well together throwing up a wall of opposition that the Mariners' forwards found difficult to penetrate. They were held to 4 points.

By the time the last stanza rolled around, Dal were flying.



GOT IT! — Dal's Gill Rowan-Legg looks on as Donna MacRae reaches up and snatches a rebound in the exhibition match against the Mariners. (Photo by Bissett)

The ball went up the floor fast and the forwards worked the ball in well. Shooting was inaccurate, but despite this, Dal swished 14 points through the twines. The Mariners were held to 5 digits, to make the final count 42-20.

Two newcomers to the Dal basketball scene, freshettes Gill Rowan-Legg, a forward, and Judy Shakespeare, a guard, worked in well with the other players on the team, as Gill scored 4 points and passed well, while Judy filled the centre guard position nicely. Ann Dunnigan, another newcomer to the Varsity, also did well. Jane Williams played a good game on the forward line, swishing 8 points and cutting through seemingly nonexistent holes.

DAL: MacRae 16, Mason 14, Rowan-Legg 4, Williams 8, Hebb, Wood, Dunnigan, Shakespeare. — 42.
MARINERS: Atkinson 6, Drover 6, Bliss 5, McGough, Tate, Davis, Ritcey, Scammell, Sinclair, Coulstring. — 20

Rowan-Legg Top Scorer

The two teams seemed to tire a bit in the last quarter. The Mount scored 4 points on the home team, while Linda Ramsey was the lone marksman for Dal. At the final buzzer the scoreboard read 25-14 in favor of the Intermediates. High scorer for Mount St. Vincent was Sandy Renner, with Gill Rowan-Legg taking the scoring honors for Dal.

DAL LINEUP:
Forwards—J. Ash, H. Grant, J. Rowan-Legg, L. Ramsey, H. Stokerson.
Guards—E. Bainbridge, L. Stoker, A. Dunnigan, C. Sawyer.
MOUNT ST. VINCENT LINEUP
Forwards—J. Dughay, K. Taylor, M. Brimble, G. Gagnon, A. Blackmore, S. Renner, M. Fury.
Guards—M. Seagliola, A. Zebryzchi, C. Levesque, N. Brennan, N. Payzant, S. Mullane.

Dixon leads Dal to 63-56 win

by Gerry Levitz

Blair Dixon led Dalhousie Tigers to a 63-56 win over Clodhoppers in a Halifax Senior "B" Basketball League game Thursday night at the Dal gym. Dixon was high scorer for the Bengals with 19 points, 13 of them in the second half.

Dal started strongly controlling their own backboard with effective rebounding and held an eight point edge at half time. Hank Newman and Bruce Stewart led the Tigers for the first twenty minutes on both offense and defense. Bob Forbes topped the opposition scorers in the first half with nine points.

Tiger Defence Tightens

By tightening their defense and controlling both backboards, Dal held the Hoppers to an almost pointless last eight minutes. Dixon cleared both boards and tipped in rebound after rebound to pace the Dal surge.

Clodhoppers played a consistent game while Dalhousie performed

erratically. Coach, Harry Wilson of the Tigers used his bench frequently in an effort to come up with a combination that clicked and most of the team played well. One standout was Lorne Fisher, who, although scoreless, set up baskets time and again with some fine ball-handling. Dalhousie shot 36 per cent from the field as opposed to Clodhoppers' 33 per cent. Dal-Blagney, Brown 6, Dixon-19 Fisher, Fraser, Al MacDonald 5, Dave MacDonald 2, Newman 9, Nicholson, Parker 12, Stewart 10 —63.

Clodhoppers—King 5, McNeil 7, Gilbert 20, Champion 6, Forbes 15, Davidson 2, Kane, McKelvie, Nickerson—56.

PINE HILL "A" AND NURSING TAKE TITLES AT BOWLATHON

The first annual University Bowlathon was held Saturday at Fenwick Bowl. This Bowlathon proved very successful with Pine Hill capturing the boys' trophy and the Nursing team winning the girls' trophy.

The bowling got underway about 5:45 p.m. with the first twenty-four teams playing. Results from this section were: Girls: 1. Alpha Gamma Delta; 2. Nursing; Boys: 1. St. Mary's A; 2. Dal Men's Residence; 3. Tau Epsilon Phi A; 4. Dal Science; 5. N.S. Tech A; 6. Pine Hill A; 7. St. Mary's A; 8. Phi Chi A.

The last twenty-four teams completed their first game (of three strings). The second group proved not to be as good bowlers or maybe it just wasn't their night; however, the result was that there was little change in the above standings for teams entering the finals. No girls' team bowling in the second group succeeded in bringing their total points above Alpha Gamma Delta or Nursing. Nurses beat the Alpha Gams in the final.

The only changes in the boys' division from the first group was that Commerce and N.S. Tech B gained berths in the finals. This eliminated St. Mary's A and Phi Chi A who were seventh and eighth respectively before the second round started. Thus, Top A, N.S. Tech A, Dal Science, Pine Hill A, SMU A, Dal Men's Residence, N.S. Tech B and Commerce rolled off for the championship. The totals were sudden death with the final pinfall used to determine the winners of the competition. Pine Hill A led the finals with Dal Science second and Tau Ep. third.

Bob Covert, Science was the individual high bowler in the boys' division with a 321 triple,

the individual point score being judged on the high triple in the first game by each team. Sandra Greenleaf of Alpha Gamma Delta captured the individual girls' trophy with a score of 259.

Trophies were presented to Covert, Greenleaf, Pinehill A and Nursing at the end of the competition.

The Bowlathon was run smoothly and efficiently and was enjoyed by all. The proceeds of the Bowlathon will go to the Rehabilitation Centre and plans are now that this Bowlathon will be an annual event.

The members of the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation of Dalhousie are to be congratulated on the success of this worthwhile and enjoyable project.

- Interfac Hockey**
Thursday, Jan. 18, Law vs Kings 1:00
- Saturday, Jan. 20 Meds vs. Engineers 2:30**
- Monday, Jan. 22 P & E vs Comm 1:00**
- Tuesday, Jan. 23 Engineers vs King's 6:00**
- Varsity Basketball**
Thurs. Jan. 18 Schooners at Dal 8:30
- SAT. Jan. 20 Acadia at Dal 8:30**

Mimeographing, typing, Addressing Service
V. MORRIS,
5 Fairmount Rd., Armdale.
PHONE 454.3285

Intermediates Trounce Mt. St. Vincent 25-14

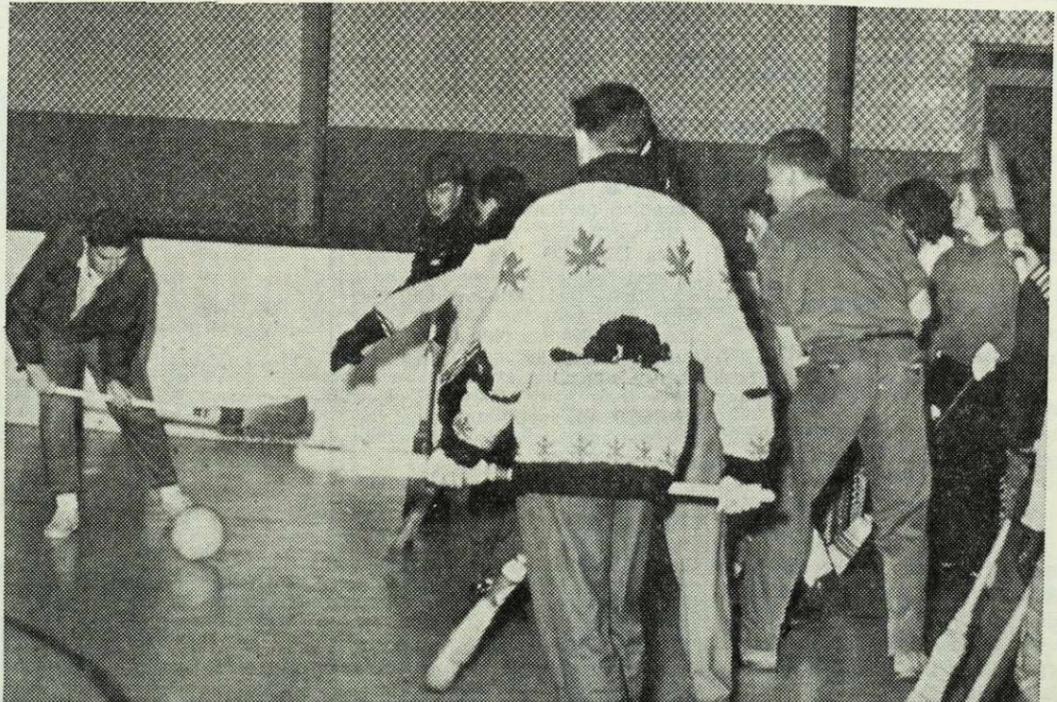
Dal Intermediates clashed with Mount St. Vincent last week in their first game in the City Basketball League, and came out on top with a 25-14 win.

Slow Start

Both teams got off to a slow start, although the play speeded up as the game progressed. Gill Rowan-Legg opened the scoring for Dal. This opener was followed up by several successful free shots



"EXPORT"
PLAIN
or **FILTER TIP**
CIGARETTES



FORE! — A member of Sigma Chi Fraternity gets ready to take a swipe at the ball in the Broomball game against the challenged Delta Gamma team. The exciting match took place before the Dal-SMU hockey game last week. (Photo by Bissett)