Special Report

By LOUIS HARVEY

Because we've been having such warm weather lately (must be all that hot air blowing over from Iran) you may not have realized that winter will soon be upon us. Now although some of us mark the advent of winter by simply doubling our alchohol intake, those more hardy among us (French Canadians and Maritimers particularly) head for the slopes. As yes, skiing....what a great wintertime experience! The thought of propelling oneself down the side of a mountain on two pieces of fiberglass or wood at speeds of up to 60 mph does not appeal to the faint hearted. That is why the faint hearted usually consume massive amounts of drugsoralchohol before attempting this feat. They can usually be singled out as the skiers who go straight down the slopes with grins on their faces; without turning, stopping or slowing down. Reaching speeds exceeding 80 mph (121 kph) most of them crash through the hay bales at the bottom, are propelled into the woods and never seen or heard from again. They are commonly called Kamakazie or Runaway style skiers.

Of course the more experienced skier lives for deep powder. Skiing powder is like floating on air. Unfortunately the fluffy stuff sometimes hides rocks, bumps and ice. These tend to propel and contort the skier into rather ungraceful and sometimes unnatural positions resulting however in more or less permanent damage to the body and ego. Personally however, I believe the scare of leg injury to skiers has been much over-rated. Much more alarming is the high incidence of "skiers elbow". Medical experts have linked this strange phenomena to "apres ski" activities; most skiers now carry straws with them to prevent wear and tear counteracting the high incidence of skiers wrist among gay skiers.

Skiing offers something for everyone. It allows neo-facist Brunswickan editors to work out their frustrations without having to censor topical and interesting sports columns. Engineers can do it without their calculators; it brings Foresters and trees together(literally); it gives business students an excuse to cross the border in Maine and party for a week; it creates jobs for nurses; phys-eders can get credit for it and it gives arts students something to do.

I think all ofyoushould try skiing at least once this year. If you survive you should try it again. It'll help you keep in shape so that 60 year old swedes won't go tearing by you when you start joggin again next summer. In fact it may be the only wholesome activity you'll be able to indulge in while you're here at UNB (unless you're in education) and if you don't try it you're a wimp. Now you can't argue with that!



There will be a Karate demonstration at 2:00 in the South Gym on Sunday January 20. For further information phone Ray Butler at 454 0336 or Glenn Love at 454 JEAN-LOUIS TREMBLAY Photo

Red Devils on the road

Devils - 7 Acadia - 4

Outstanding defense and relentess forechecking provided the Red Devils with a big 7-4 win over Acadia on Friday night. It was the first road win over Acadia in five

Defensive pairings of Claude Grenier-Dave Bluteau, Dave Wright-Mike Goodfellow and Rod Pike-Kevin Daley put in one of their best performances of the season. They controlled play in their own end and never allowed

George Wood

John Kinch

Offensively the Red Devils got goals from seven different players Rick Doucette, John Kinch, Bob Toner, Dave Bluteau, Gordie Burns, Ed Pinder and Gary Agnew. Centers Brian Craig and Craig Crawford added 2 and 3 assists

respectively to spark their lines. The game showed a well balanced attack and team effort all the way. Ken MacLean in goal

A strong performance by Darren the Acadia offense any room to Pickrem (5 pts) Steve Axford (4 play with in the UNB end of the pts) and Tom O'Donnell (4 pts)

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was too much for the Red Deviis last Saturday in Halifax. The Devils never quit working with period scores of 1-1, 4-1, and 7-3. Gary Agnew led the way with two goals with Gordie Bruns adding the third. Dave Bluteau added assists on both of Agnew's goals. The St. Mary's game was a good example of a much improved Red Devil's team. Characterized by hard work and team play they don't sit back and watch but force the opposition to earn everything they get.

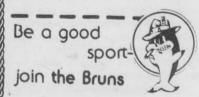
Intramural News

Swim meet

The Men's and Women's Intramural Swim Meet will be held on Saturday, Jan. 26 in the Sir Max Aitken Pool beginning at 12:30 p.m. Unit and Indivdual Championships will be declared with points being awarded to the top six finishers in each event. Free Style Crescendo Relay, 25 m and 50 m backstroke, 25 m and 50 m breaststroke, 50 m and 100 m freestyle, 100 m individual medley and 200 m team medley. In addition to these regular events a number of novelty co-ed relay events will be included. Teams for these relays must consist of 2 guys and 2 gals. An Awards reception for all participants will be held

mmediatly following the meet. We need lots of help to make this a successful event. If you would like to assist in the organization and/or administration of this meet, contact the Intramural

Office Interested teams and indivduals should register in the Intramural Office, Room 120, LB. Gym before Thursday Jan. 24. Post registrations will be accepted if there is room beginning at 12:00 p.m. in Room A116, LB Gym. For further information contact the Intramural Office, 453-4579.



Athletes of the week

Niki de Vries

Gary Agnew

Niki was a standout in the 7-4 win over Acadia and 2 against Mermaids swim meet against Mt. St. Mary's on the weekend gives Allison on the weekend. She won Gary the Athlete of the week all three of her events for a major honors. Transferring from Acadia contribution to UNB's 58-36 victory. Included was Niki's 800 Gary has been a valuable addition meter freestyle win, qualifying her for CIAU Nationals. Niki is an Oromocto High graduate enrolled Gary has been a valuable dutility to the varsity hockey program. The 6', 185 lb left winger is a native of Point Claire, Quebec.

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The Men of Neill are proud to present an escort service to the ladies of the Women's Residences. The Men of Neill are volunteering their service 5 days a week, Sunday through Thursday, from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. We will walk you to and from various spots on campus. This service was brought about by the increasing awareness of

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Dave Bluteau 12 Gary Agnew 12 Vaughn Porter Craig Crawford 10 **Brian Craig** 10 **Ed Pinder** Rick Doucette **Kevin Daley Bob Toner Dave Wright** Mike Goodfellow Rod Pike Philip Handrahan **Dave Kent** Claude Grenier Gordie Burns Ken Maclean Scott Brogan

Red Devil scoring stats

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