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## Red Blazers off to Maine tourney

by Brad Travers

The UNB Red Blazers women's ice hockey team will be participating in their first tournament of the year this weekend, when they travel to Waterville, Maine for the annual Colby Tournament. The team has been working hard since October preparing for the season and are anxious to get some games under their belts.

Coach Mike Power decided this year not to enter the team in any league because of the number of girls that showed up for early season practices. "We had 40 or so girls show up and with that number it is best to set up an inter squad league. This way we don't travel as much yet the girls get as much or even more playing experience as they would if we were in a league."

Heading to the tournament Power and his assistant Frank Denis believe their team has a good chance of winning. "We're a solid team with

lots of strength upfront and defensively we're also well rounded. On paper we have a strong team so it will be interesting to see how they perform in a game situation", says Denis.

Tonight the Red Blazers open the Consolation tournament with a game against the hosts, Colby University. The other game has Rice University taking on Bowdoin University to round out the four participating teams. If the Blazers should win tonight, they will face the winner of the other game tomorrow at 3 p.m. in the tournament final. A loss tonight would relegate UNB to the consolation final at 1 p.m. on Saturday.

The Red Blazers will be hosting a tournament of their own in the middle of January at the Aitken Centre and hope to have lots of home town support for that weekend.

## Beavers at Mt.A

Men finish first at Mount Allison

by Kelly Craig

It seems that as the term goes on, the Beavers swim team improves with every meet. This past weekend the Beavers were in Mount Allison for an invitational tournament. Although the men's team had a better standing than the women, they both put forth a good effort overall. UNB was joined at the tournament by Dalhousie, Acadia, and Memorial. However, the men's team did not have a representative from Mount Allison.

UNB came out the victor on the men's side as they handily defeated Dalhousie. This is the first time that UNB has beat Dal all season. It is looking very good for the men's team this year. They finished with a total of 158 points as apposed to Dal's 116 points. Acadia came in third with 48 points as Memorial brought up the rear with 28 points.

Sean Penney of UNB finished in the top spot in the 400m Individual medley with a time of 5:05.09. Jacques Chamberlain made his mark this term for the Beavers with a first place finish

with a time of 2:29.01. Derek Smith came in first in the 200m breaststroke for UNB in a time of 2:40.38. Paul Halmazna is turning out to be the top guy for UNB as he won the 50m freestyle in a time of 25.50. Jeff Roach came up with a first in the 100m breaststroke with a time of 1:13.97. The UNB relay squad also managed a victory in the 4\* 100m freestyle relay.

The women did not have as much success as the men as they placed third overall. Dalhousie was clearly the dominant team winning with a total 202 points. Acadia just edged out UNB for second place with 57 points and UNB came up third with 48 points. It was a good weekend overall for the Beavers as they now know where their toughest competition will be. The Beavers will be heading for a training camp over the holidays which should help them a great deal with the next term.

Although none of the UNB women placed in the top spot, as the top spot was clearly dominated by the Dal tigers, they did make a solid effort in the third place finish.

## Varsity Mania Report

by Boner Dabone

Yes, once again Varsity-Mania has been successful in cheering on another Varsity team here at UNB. Last Saturday, the Red Bloomers crushed the St Mary's Huskies. What a game it was, with plenty of "on the edge of-the-seat" basketball action. While the Huskies were doing it puppy style, we were doing it Bloomer style, especially the Men from Aitken; by far the rowdiest fans in the modestly sized crowd. Another highlight of the day was the Half-time Free-throw Contest. Prizes from Greco and Coca-Cola were awarded to the contestants. The winner of the contest was Kirk McDonald (a Forester no less), with the most points overall. On the game, Moosehead representative Carl Burgess commented: "This is the best B-Ball I've seen in a long time, those Bloomers sure can dribble and shoot that ball!", whilst his female companion exclaimed: "Who is the fabulous announcer, he should work at the Forum, or even better, Maple Leaf Gardens!" Special thanks to Gord for announcing, all our sponsors, and of course you, the fans. See you next time at the Aitken Centre: tomorrow night that is, at 8:00 pm, as the Red Devils raise Hell with the Acadia Axemen.

## Intramural

As the end of term approaches the intramurals office is busy planning for the winter term. We would like to take this time to inform everyone of the sign up deadline for leagues starting in January.

The first week back at classes there will be sign up for the ladies winter volleyball league, the entry deadline for that is Thursday, January 10, 1991. In the co-ed program the sign up deadlines for the volleyball league and hockey league are both on Tuesday, January 15, 1991. The men's indoor soccer entry deadline is also on the 15th of January 1991.

Take advantage of this reminder and start to organize your team(s) now for some fun and exercise in the second term. Good luck to all in your exams and have a pleasant holiday.

## Athletic Standings

### Amateur Hockey Atlantic Universities

	MacAdam Division			Pts
	W	L	T	
UNB	6	2	3	15
St. Thomas	5	5	1	11
UPEI	4	7	0	8
U of M	3	6	1	7
Mount A	3	6	1	7

  

Kelly Division				
	W	L	T	Pts
Dalhousie	7	2	2	16
Cape Breton	7	4	0	14
Acadia	6	5	0	12
St. Francis	4	5	2	10
St. Mary's	4	7	0	8

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