

Shannon Heights Wins First Annual



Dal Women's hockey team... consolation winners

by Joel Fournier

The recently completed Women's Invitational Hockey Tournament proved to be a great success. From the hosts' point of view the only thing that could have improved the whole affair would have been winning the championships. This honour went to the dark-horse entry from Shannon Heights. The Shannon girls skated and checked their way to a hard earned win at the expense of the Studley squad, who wound up with the consolation prize.

Competition was fierce throughout the event as the five teams involved struggled for the coveted championship. Those fortunate spectators who witnessed the contest were

more than pleased with the calibre of play and the keenness of the competition. Many of the male viewers found it quite difficult to concentrate on the technical aspects of the game, but this in no way detracted from their overall enjoyment.

This meet which was another Dalhousie first, is destined to become an annual event. The girls are already planning and looking forward to next year's competition and based on this year's results it should be worth waiting for.

The coach and team have asked me to pass on sincere thanks to all those who participated, and especially to those who worked so hard to ensure this year's success.

Swimmers set records

by Nigel Kemp

In their concluding Atlantic Intercollegiate dual swim meet of the 1972-73 season against Acadia, Dal swimmers established two Nova Scotia records and five new Dalhousie team records (bringing to 22 the number of new Dal records set during the season).

Peter Guilford set a new Nova Scotia mark in the men's 200 yard freestyle with a time of 1:54.6 — 1.4 seconds under his old mark. Guilford also set a Conference best and Dal team record with 5:16.0 in the men's 500 yard freestyle.

Another third year Dal student, John March, improved on his own N.S. mark in the men's 200 yard Individual Medley event, recording 2:09.0.

In the men's meet, Dal was taken to the last relay, the 400 Freestyle, when they were edged out by the Acadia squad by 3/10 of a second to take the match 60-52. The Dal relay squad of Robin Brickendon, Peter March, Stephen Cann, and Peter Guilford set a new Dal team record of 3:33.8. This left both teams at 6-2 for the season.

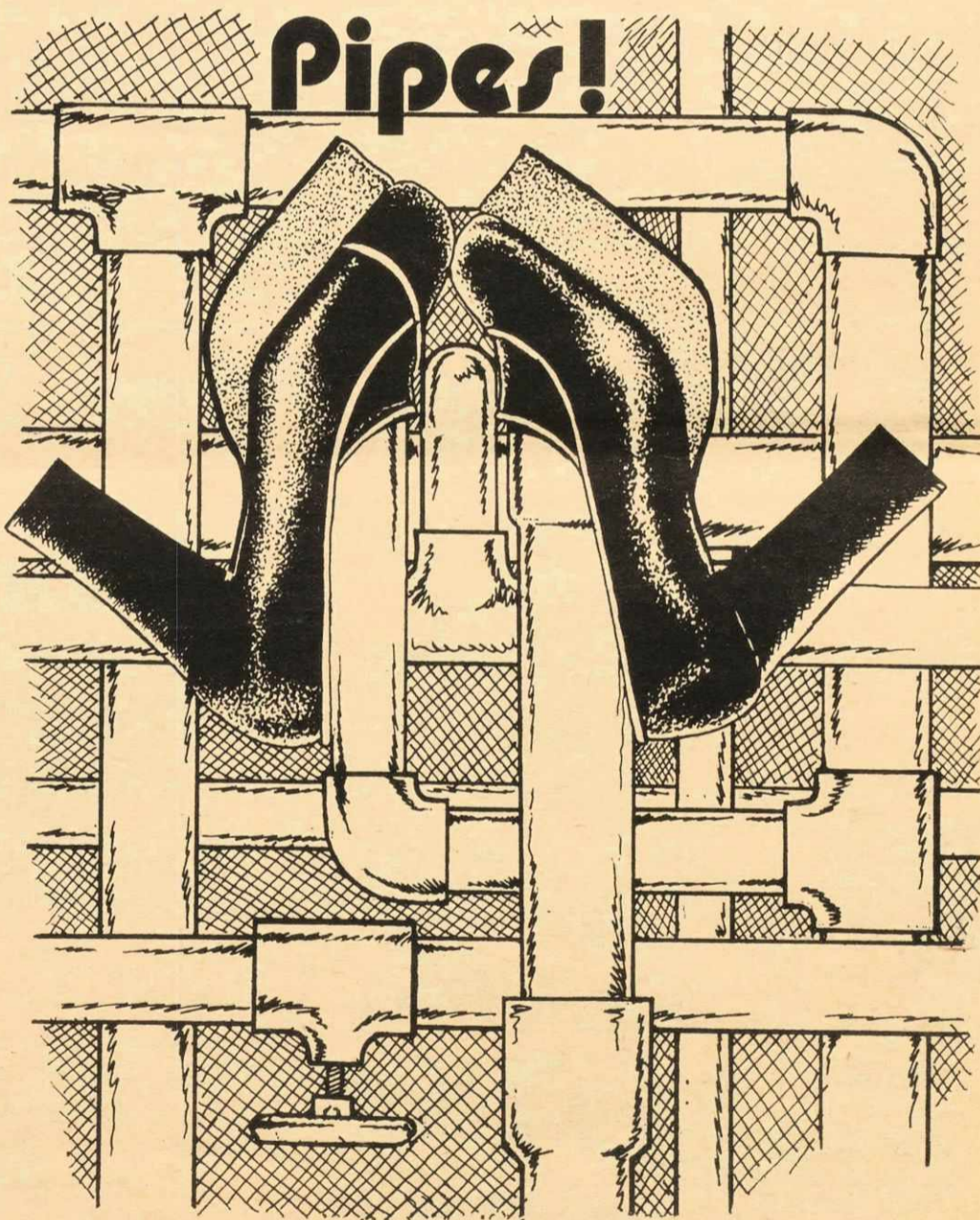
The Dal women were downed by the Acadia University Axettes 69-39 in a meet which saw a new Dal team record set by second year swimmer Gail McFall in the women's 200 yard breaststroke. She won in 2:50.8.

Dal's Anne Gass, a fourth year Nursing student, took two second place finishes in the women's 200 and 500 yard freestyle events. Fourth year Physical Education student, Donna Sutcliffe won both the 1 metre and 3 metre spring board diving events to contribute 10 points to the Dal women's points tally. Dal's Kathy Armstrong again showed well in the 200 yard breaststroke by placing second to teammate Gail McFall.

Robin Brickenden again snapped up first place in the men's 200 yard breaststroke event with a personal best time of 2:28.2. Brickenden also took second place in the men's 50 yard freestyle event. First year Dal student Steve Cann was another first place finisher, taking the men's 200 yard butterfly event. Dal's Howie Gorman dove to second place in the men's three metre springboard diving event with 117.05 points.

By the time this appears in print, the swimmers will have competed in the A.I.A.A. Swimming and Diving Championships, held at Mt. Allison University. From the results of this meet swimmers will be selected to compete in the National Collegiate Swimming and Diving Championships to be held in Calgary on March 2 and 3.

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