



Behrend lions start season strong as tournament champs Mike Sharkey /THE BEHREND BEACON

Great Start For Behrend Hockey

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The Penn State Behrend hockey team kicked off its season with a tournament win at the Igloo Ice Arena. To start off the 2006-2007 Club Ice Hockey season, the Lions won all four of their games, making them the champions of the first annual second Harvest Food Drive tournament. The tournament trophy will soon be displayed inside the Junker Center for all of Behrend to see.

Penn State crushed Edinboro in the first game with a score of 9-1. Forward Josh Grumski scored two goals, with other players scoring one. Pat Laskey in goal held Edinboro to a single point.

The team had the night to rest before playing Alfred on Saturday morning. Once again, Penn State dominated the game, winning by a score of 9-1. Sean Bartlett scored a hat trick, and Brad Alayan had two goals for the Lions.

The third game of the tournament played Saturday night, was against Fredonia. This game was much closer than the first two, with a score of 4-3. Behrend pulled off this victory with D.J. Craven scoring two goals, and Brad Alayan and

Chris Simanic each scoring one.

The victory against Fredonia put Behrend in the championship game on Sunday afternoon. The Lions had to play Fredonia again, their toughest opponent from the tournament. The game started out with the teams neck-and-neck, finishing the first period with a score of 1-1. In the second period, Fredonia took the lead scoring two goals, holding Behrend to none. The Lions were down 3-1 going into the third and final period of the game. In the last period, Forward Brian Hammel scored the tying and winning goals, making Behrend the tournament champions.

Goalie Pat Laskey has a 2.00 goals against average in the tournament. The high scorers for Penn State were Brian Hammel with five goals and Brad Alayan with four.

The Behrend Club Hockey team, last years North Division champions, have started their season off strong. The boys say they hope to be just as successful this year and are looking forward to the season. The team is back in action on Sunday, October 8. The team plays Allegheny at 6:15 p.m. at the Igloo Ice Arena.

Top 10 worst mascots of all time

1) Franklin and Marshal, Diplomats.

2) University of Delaware, Fighting Blue Hens



The Fighting Blue Hen

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3) UC Santa Cruz, Banana slugs

4) Montgomery Alabama, (AA baseball team) The Biscuits

5) Gainesville High, Red Elephants

6) Texas Christian University, Horned Frogs

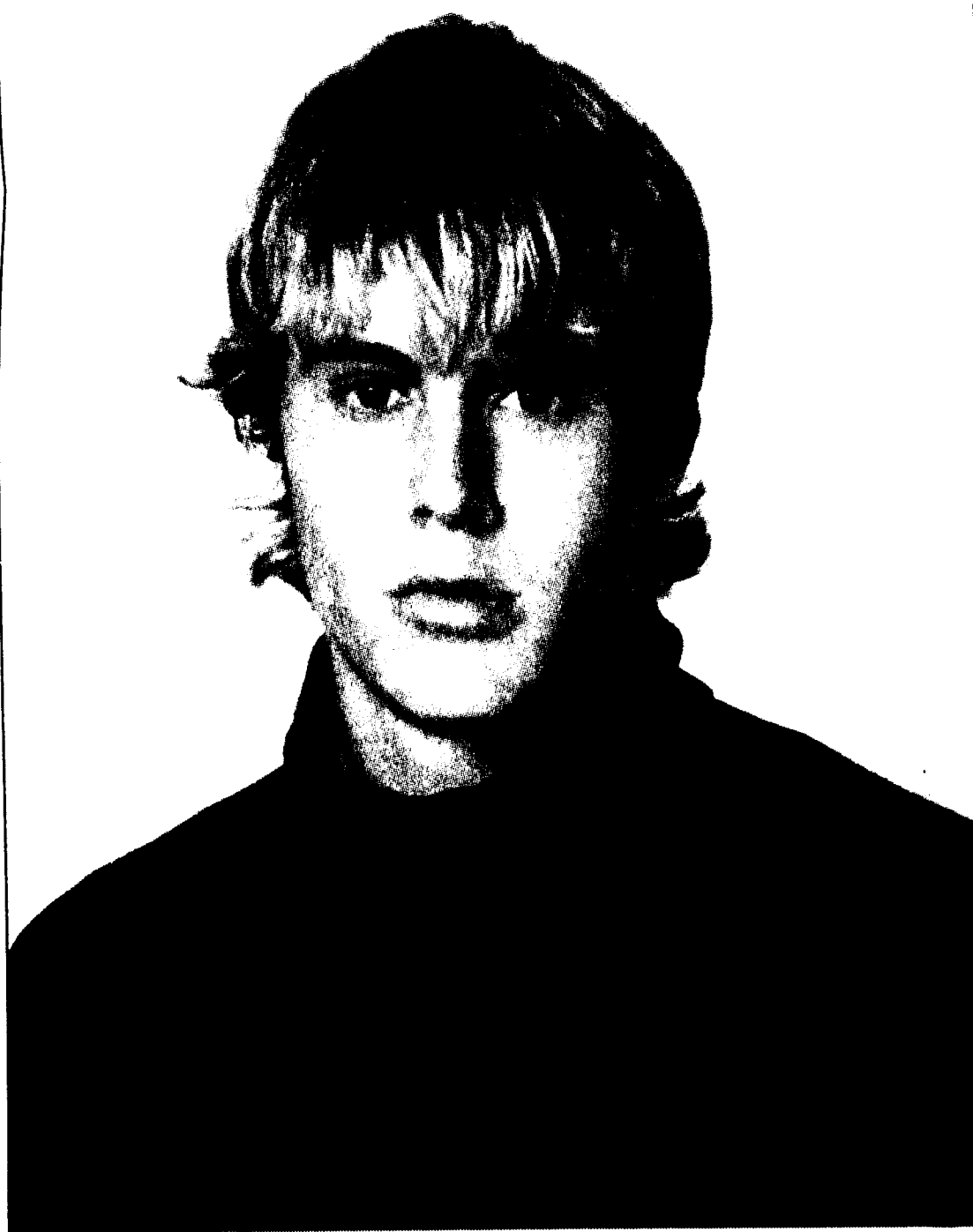
7) North East High, GrapePickers

8) University of Nebraska, Corn Huskers

9) Robstown High, CottonPickers

10) Williamsport High, Millionaires

HOUSING AND FOOD SERVICES ATHLETE OF THE WEEK



NAME: Dustin Walker

SPORT: Men's Soccer

CLASS: Freshman

DATE: October 2, 2006

Dustin Walker (Kiski/Kiski) has been named the Housing and Food Service Athlete of the Week.

Walker helped the Behrend Lions post a pair of shutout wins last week. Walker played 180 minutes in goal and made eight saves while not allowing a goal as Behrend defeated Thiel and La Roche in back-to-back contests 5-0. The blue and white improved to 4-6-1 on the season.

Behrend has six straight AMCC matches coming up with the next game at Lake Erie on October 4 at 4:00 p.m.

Housing and Food Services Athlete of the Week is selected by the Sports Information Staff.

Weekly Sports Trivia

Which teams in the big four sports (NBA, NFL, NHL, MLB) have nicknames that do not end in the letter "s"?

September 22 answer: Randy Johnson was the last pitcher to throw a no-hitter while pitching for the Arizona Diamondbacks. Answered correctly by Mark Allison.

E-mail your answers to Nick Underhill at nru100@psu.edu the correct answer will be posted in the next issue along with the name of the first person to answer correctly.