

Road Tough on Cagers

By Jay Schonhaler
Sports Editor

Behrend's basketball team took to the road last week for a pair of games but got a less than receptive welcome both times, dropping a 70-66 decision to Grove City and being subdued by Frostburg, 91-75.

In both contests the Cubs hit a dry spell that had a definite bearing on the outcome. Against Grove City they went scoreless for five minutes in the latter part of the second half and watched a ten point lead disappear. At Frostburg, they were outscored by ten points in the final three minutes of the first half as their opponent moved to a comfortable lead.

Behrend led Grove City by as many as ten points throughout the first half before the Grovers brought it to within two at the midway mark. However, Behrend again pushed the margin to ten, holding a 50-40 edge with 11:00 remaining. The action continued for the next three minutes with neither team able to improve their position.

With 8 minutes showing, Grove City put on a surge, for the most part via the foul line. Five minutes later they were on top by four and stayed there for good. The Cubs were held without a point during this stretch while their foe staged a comeback by continually marching to the free throw line.

In the second half Grove City shot 13 free throws to Behrend's one. Four of the five Cub starters did not shoot a free throw the entire game. The Cubs inability to pick up fouls in that contest is shown by the fact that a Grove City player with a five point average went to the foul line 13 times in the game while the entire Behrend team shot only 12.

Despite the outcome, head coach Roger Sweeting had praise for his team. "I don't think you get ahead of anybody by ten on the road unless you're playing well."

He also pointed out, however, that his squad has been lacking in some areas as of late. "It seems early in the season we were playing with a great deal more confidence."

He went on to say that confidence results in aggressive play. "With a little more aggressiveness we could have won a few more games in January."

The Cubs appeared to have this confidence at Frostburg—at least in their shooting ability. They shot 17 for 31 in the first half for 55 per cent field goal chart and trailed by only four points with approximately three minutes left in opening half. In those three

minutes, though, Frostburg considerably damaged Behrend's prospects for a win.

Frostburg's inside players took command at that time quickly dropping in one offensive rebound after another to push the difference to 53-39 at the half. This was accomplished by their deceptive-looking front line; deceptive because it is made up of two players standing only 6'4" and the other, 6'5".

"They were just too strong for us on the boards" Sweeting admitted. "Most people who see them say they're a bunch of leapers."

They just dominated the boards and got the inside shots that we didn't get.

Behrend experienced no such slump in the second half and, in fact, repeated their hot shooting by again tossing in 17 of 31 shots. However, they were still unable to gain any ground and Frostburg coasted to their sixth win against eight losses.

Frostburg tested the Cubs early by throwing a full-court press at them but were forced out of it when they got into early foul trouble. "By and large, I thought our guards did a good job of handling the press," Sweeting said.

However, the Cubs were hampered by the ineffective shooting of Jon Kennedy, who managed only two points. Sweeting said that Kennedy will need to score more if the Cubs are to make a run of it against some of the better teams. Sweeting also stated that he will continue to see action because of his excellent defensive play, and added "I feel he has too much size and potential to be sitting on the bench."

In the scoring department, Larry McAleer paced the Cubs with 14, Pat Gahr and Jim Davis each had 12, Eddie Evans, 11, Mark Chesko, 10 and Jeff Gillette, nine.

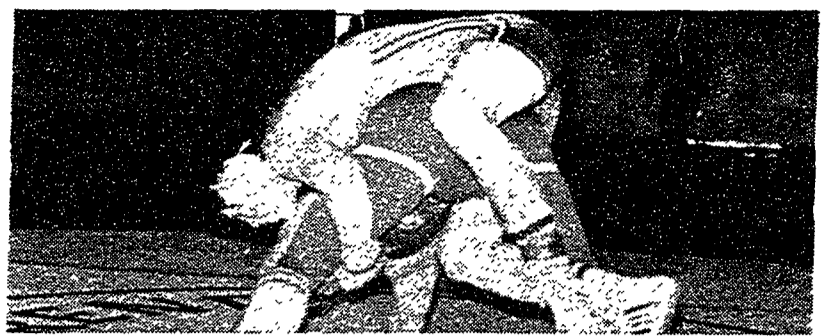
Intramural bowlers continue to showcase outstanding talent as play enters the final stages. Zelda III holds a comfortable lead in the standings over Aces Wild, their closest competitor for the title.

Gary Bakock recently rolled a 533 series to establish a new season high.

| BOWLING | | |
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| Zelda III | 12-4 | .750 |
| Aces Wild | 9-3 | .750 |
| The Hobbits | 6-6 | .500 |
| Beady Zee Bees | 6-6 | .500 |
| M&M And The Pickups | | |
| | 7-9 | .438 |
| The Cougars | 5-7 | .417 |
| Subadooba Doos | 3-13 | .188 |

Looking on the bright side of things, Sweeting concluded, "I thought we had some good passing. We hit the open man and as a result, shot the best percentage we've shot all year. To that extent, I'm pleased."

Saturday night, Behrend is at home against Houghton. Hello, Stebs.



Above can be seen a masterful Behrend wrestler overpowering his struggling opponent.

Cub wrestling promising, wrestler breaks record

By John Roach

The Behrend matmen put on quite a show Saturday at Erie Hall. Even though they split the triangular meet 1-1 they showed the fans that they are a good wrestling team. "This is a team", as Coach Onorato puts it, "that enjoys wrestling and is out there to win. And also to make it an exciting sport to watch."

This year has been a pleasant surprise to many Behrend wrestling fans. Although they did drop a close 17-15 battle to California, they did upset 13th ranked Mt. Union 31-13. The most notable accomplishment among the grapplers came from Brian Vollant as he tied Ashley Swift's mark of 54 pts. in a single season and broke Julian Demarco's consecutive wins streak of 12 in a row by winning his 13th straight match. Brian also holds the career total pts. of 51 markers ahead of any other wrestler. Coach Onorato says that "if he keeps his head and doesn't make any mistakes he stands a chance at going undefeated this season."

The next encounter for the Behrend pin artists will be Ryerson Poly. Tech in Montreal, Canada on Wed. Feb. 5, where they will wrestle an exhibition match with Ryerson under collegiate rules. This is a rivalry that started last season when Ryerson came here and wrestled under freestyle rules.

After Ryerson, the Cubs will tangle with Grove City next Saturday at Grove City. And then

Area coaches schedule luncheon

The Roundball Luncheon, a weekly meeting of local college basketball coaches with sports-writers and the general public, is undergoing a change in format and Behrend will be the first to see how well it works.

On Monday the luncheon will be hosted by Behrend in a move that will hopefully stimulate interest in the affair. Holiday Inn had been the scene of the luncheon until last week when Behrend coach Roger Sweeting proposed that it be alternated between the area campuses.

The luncheon will begin at noon in the faculty section of the RUB cafeteria. Head coaches from Gannon, Mercyhurst, Edinboro and Behrend will be on hand to discuss their teams progress and to answer any related questions.

Students are invited to attend and are encouraged to ask questions of the coaches and local press. They need not buy the regular meal, which costs \$2.50, but may, if they wish, dine in the student section and then join in for the question-answer session.

comes the big match Feb. 15 with Edinboro. WQLN has informed Mr. Onorato that they will tape the match in Erie Hall on that Saturday night. "If we can stay healthy and win the next two",

remarked the head mentor, "we will give Edinboro a good battle. Some of the boys have been looking forward to this all season, but I hope we don't over look Ryerson and Grove City."

PR Jobs Viewed

Concerning the Women in Public Relations Program featured speakers were Judy Reed, who is in charge of Public Relations at Villa Maria College. Pat Cassidy works for The First National Bank, and Kate Shubat of WQLN radio. All the speakers emphasized that pre-job experience is not important. All the women thought that one of the best things to do while you're in college is to work on the school paper. Preparation through your major can help some. The women agreed that a Liberal Arts degree is best. One of them was a History major, another majored in English and the other who majored in Journalism said that she ended up taking a lot of useless courses.

Many of their duties were the same except for some work that Ms. Shubat does at WQLN. Besides her studies of advertising and publicity at the bank, Ms. Cassidy also serves on several boards for the bank. Ms. Reed's duties at Villa include hosting visiting newsmen, appointments, arrangements, advertising, publication of newspapers and magazines, writing articles of publicity for The Erie Times, and very recently, editing a promotional movie about Villa. Kate Shubat at a young 27 does research, script writing, interviewing, fund raising publicity and promos. She is now director of publicity. As she put it, she does the head work while subordinates do the hand work.

Some problems have arisen from their gender in their positions of authority. The women agreed that they have to work harder to hold their positions than men do. They all felt the need to "prove themselves and gain

credibility and respect." They refuse to answer phones or do their own typing because they feel that this detracts from the time they are getting paid for doing more important jobs. Pat felt that by going along with the men on "business" golf and tennis she was more easily accepted. Kate disagreed saying that a golf course was not a place of business. She refused to attend those outings. It was a disagreement of the standards they said they would set and supposedly set.

One woman said that you can use the law to your benefit but it won't change the attitudes. One boss illegally asked her if she were on the pill when he hired her. She pointed to some studies that proved that women are more stable and loyal once successfully established in a job. They all felt that women must give themselves credit for their accomplishments because no one else will and that its most important to be comfortable in the job.

Their advice for job seeking is to have a portfolio of your work. Don't settle for a secretarial job. Erie is wide open at the entry level at about \$8,000. The rest is up to you. Kate and Pat are available through the Career Development Centers Hotline for Questions. All suggested experience while in College. All of the women will be glad to have apprentice summer help. It is also possible to get credits through the college for interim work at The First National Bank. The Bank will pay for the tuition. Ask your advisor or call the Career Development Center. Experience counts!



Pictured above are the featured speakers of the Women in Public Relations program. From left to right: Maryanne Koschir; Career Development and Placement Center; Pat Cassidy; First National Bank. Judy Reed; Public Relations for Villa, and Kate Shubat; WQLN (director of publicity).

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