

Lady Cubs First Home Game Foul Play!

By Cyndi Warwick

The Behrend Lady Cubs, coached by Ms. Ellen Johns, opened their first home game December 7th against a tough Grove City College team. The final score showed a 66-49 loss.

Grove City, the W.K.C. title holder for the last three years, came out onto the court with a bang, causing the Behrend defenders to foul. By the end of the game, two Behrend players had fouled out, three had four fouls and two had three fouls. Behrend was in the game, trailing by only four points at the 6:30 mark, but couldn't get their offense together. What really topped it off was that Grove City had 28 points from the foul line with Behrend having only seven.

The scoring leaders for Behrend were Diane Metzger with 20 and Mindy Stasenko with 14. The "triplets" were the leading rebounders with Mindy Stasenko having 10, and Missy Stasenko and Kathy Ott each having seven.

Behrend, now 1-2 is a young team with only two juniors and four sophomores. The starting lineup consists of two freshmen, a junior, and two sophomores. Mindy Stasenko, a 5'9" freshman from Pittsburgh; Diane Metzger, a 5'5" freshman from Erie; Molly Heidecker, a 5'8" junior from Waterford; Anne Wallace, a 5'5" sophomore from Pittsburgh; and Barb Schroeck, a 5'8" transfer from Thiel College. Filling in are Missy Stasenko, (yes, Mindy's twin), from Pittsburgh; Natalie Kuhn from Waterford; Kathy Ott from Erie; Cyndi Warwick from New Jersey; and M.C. Miller, Karen Bittner, and Meg Ross, all from Pittsburgh.

Behrend is away at Ohio, the 18th and 19th of December for a Christmas tournament against Baldwin-Wallace, Muskingum and Findlay. Their next home game is against P.S.U.-Shenango on January 7th. Hope to see all of you there to help cheer on the Lady Cubs.

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Behrend College opened its 1981-82 schedule over term break with five hard-fought losses to fierce opponents. The Cubs record now stands at 1-5, with the latest loss coming at the hands of the Fighting Scots of Edinboro on Thursday.

VAUGHN PACES CUBS ON LOSS
Behrend dropped its "home" opener at the Gannon Audi last week, 58-60. Center Don Vaughn paced his teammates with 21 points to lead all scorers. The Cubs also got 16 tallies from forward Tom Blythe. Still, the cageman couldn't hold onto any advantage as the Scots came on the better end.

Cubs' Coach Jim Sims reflected on the loss last Thursday. "We played well enough to win," the mentor pointed out, "but we made big mistakes at critical times."

Despite using only six players for the game, Sims felt his team benefitted. "When we used only six players for the game, we slowed the pace of the game a lot. It was a slow game from the start, and we didn't need to work players in and out of the lineup."

Land Battle of the Scots proved to be Behrend's nemesis, having scored 16 markers. The Cubs' also had difficulty in containing Edwin Wright, who helped his cause with 11 points of his own.

Down by three at the half, the Cubs fought back and were forced to play catch-up ball throughout the game. The lead changed hands several times in the see-saw contest. Any lead Behrend had was salvaged, since the Scots reciprocated with productive scoring from the bench.

At one point, Behrend fell behind as many as seven points in the second half. But Edinboro's lead was whittled away to one as Ty Vaughn and Blythe scored in pressure situations. Blythe then fouled the Scots' Brian Simmons connected on both free throw attempts to put 'Boro back-up by three with 13 seconds remaining.

Ty Vaughn scored one 15-foot jumper to cut the disadvantage to one second time. Brother Don (Vaughn) then fouled out, giving Wright a chance at the charity stripe.

Missing one, the Cubs got the ball and Ty Vaughn scored again as time ran out.

Willie Lee of Boro added two free throws at game's end.

Besides the 21 points from Don Vaughn, brother Ty Vaughn added 13, Bob Maxan 6, and Shawn Thamert 2 for Behrend scoring.

Don Vaughn also gathered nine rebounds and Blythe collected four for the game.

CUBS DOWNED BY CLARION

Earlier last week, the Cubs travelled to Tiffin Stadium at Clarion St. College to face a tough Golden Eagle club. Unbeaten in four contests, the Eagles continued their win skein with a convincing 92-69 thrashing of the Cubs. Despite a 23-point performance from Don Vaughn, Cubs could't contain the powerful Clarion club.

SALEM 85, BEHREND 68
That same week, Behrend

travelled to Salem College in Ohio and dropped a 85-68 decision. The brothers Vaughn were in the spotlight in the game, while each gathering 17 points to lead the Cubs' scoring attack. Don also contributed the effort with an 18-rebound performance.

CUBS WIN AT GENEVA
Behrend finally got the win column with victory on the first of December at Geneva College. The Golden Tornadoes, winless in two previous games, fell victim to the Cubs, 77-59. Don Vaughn was leading scorer once again with 24 tallies and also had his best rebounding effort with 19.

BEHREND FOURTH IN URBANA TOURNAMENT

The Cubs opened their season in the Urbana, Ohio tournament for the first losses this year. In the opening round, the Cubs were victim to Rio Grande College, 61-79. Despite 25 points from Don Vaughn, the Cubs couldn't hold back Rio, who had played seven games at the time of the tourney.

In the consolation game, Behrend dropped to the hosts of the tournament 48-49. Winless in two efforts, the Cubs finished fourth in the tournament. Ty Vaughn led Behrend scores with 12, while brother Don followed 14 rebounds.

To date, Don Vaughn appears to be dominating every statistic category. Shooting from the field at a 53 per cent clip, Don is averaging more than 20 pints a game. While he was the third-best rebounder in the NAIA a year ago, he is performing even better in 1981: an average of 15 rebounds after six games.

Fellow co-captain Tom Blythe has provided a second scoring threat for the Cubs. Tom has averaged 15 markers a game and also has dished out 16 assists.

Leading the team in that category is Sophomore guard Shawn Thamert with 32, Ty and Don Vaughn are next with 12 each.

Despite the poor start, Sims feels playing away has hurt the Cubs' success.

"We've played all our games on the road, except one which was at a neutral site (Gannon Audi). All of our opponents except for Edinboro are playoff contenders.

"I'm concerned about the poor start, but I think the tough part of our schedule was in December. It will balance out in January and February and we will have more games in Erie Hall."

Sims isn't ruling playoff possibilities as yet.

"We're playing with a young, inexperienced team on the road. As we get better, our record will improve, too. Even with our record, we're fourth in our division (District 18 in NAIA) and 1-1 in the Big Five. Eight teams will go to the playoffs this year, and we still have a chance to go."

EDITOR'S NOTE:

The Cubs won Monday night at Alliance College, 75-59 behind "Skip" Robinson's 22 points and Don Vaughn's 19. Tom Blythe added 12 and Ty Vaughn 10 to help the cause.

About I.M.

By Jeff Lewis

Every year students complain, "There is nothing to do at Behrend College." They don't have to look too hard to find that Behrend's I.M. department offers a wide variety of activities that cover most students' interests.

Intramurals play an important role in the life of a college student. To many, it takes the place of a varsity sport. To others, it gives them a break from the hassle of school and a chance to do something they really enjoy. Intramurals are for commuters as well as dormers.

Duane Crider, I.M. Director, has been working to improve the I.M. program at Behrend. A survey was prepared and given to get student input to improve the general I.M. program. Six hundred surveys were distributed among dormers and commuters and only 40 were returned. Needless to say 40 opinions from a student body of almost 1,800 can hardly be used to show the general interests of the school.

Duane said, "Even though the returns were small, those who answered the survey showed an interest in improving the program for the future." The suggestions made have been recorded and will be taken into consideration in the future.

To get further student input in the I.M. program, an Intramural Council is being formed. It will be comprised of 10 student volunteers, four commuters and six dormers. Each dorm is to have two representatives, one

male and one female, who are recommended by the R.A.'s. Commuters will be represented by two males and two females who have an interest in improving the program for commuter participation.

The council will discuss the types of activities to be offered, the rules governing the sports, and the I.M. program itself. This council will give students a direct input into the intramural sports program. The council is slated to begin activity around January 15.

I.M. RESULTS FOR FALL

FLAG FOOTBALL - MEN - 15

- teams competed
- 1.) JOWAD - 7-0 record
 - 2.) Raiders
 - 3.) L.E.S. of Erie Wrecking Crew

FLAG FOOTBALL - WOMEN - 3

- teams competed
- 1.) Tres Posh - Niagara - 4-1 record
 - 2.) Behrend Bucco's - Perry
 - 3.) Rawhide - Lawrence

SOCCER - MEN - 9

- teams competed
- 1.) Pele's Pepe's 7-9 record
 - 2.) Under the Hill Gang
 - 3.) Special Forces Red Sleigh

CROSS COUNTRY RUN - 13

- entries
- 1.) Tom Kennard - time 19:33
 - 2.) Tom Mandl - time 19:34

GOLF - 6

- entries
- 1.) Dan Dweck - 82

WINTER I.M. SCHEDULE

SPORT	GROUP	SIGN-UPS	START
3 play Basketball	Men	Dec. 3-9	Dec. 10
	Women	Dec. 3-9	Dec. 10
Bowling	Co-ed	Dec. 3-15	After Christmas
	Men	Dec. 14-18	Jan. 6
5 play Basketball	Women	Jan. 4-5	Jan. 6
	Men	Jan. 4-8	TBA
Wrestling	Co-ed	Jan. 11-15	TBA
	Men		

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Search For Athletic Director Approaches Conclusion

By Ron Leonardi

It appears the process of filling the position of Athletic Director is entering its final stage, according to Behrend acting Athletic Director Herb Lauffer.

Mr. Lauffer, who's held the post since July 1st and is one of the remaining candidates vying for the position, expects a decision to be reached sometime over Christmas break.

The position of athletic director was advertised several months ago. The person applying for the position must be committed not only to fund raising but must also be willing to do one of the following things: teach physical education, teach in the health education program or assume the position of baseball coach.

It is conceivable that the person who assumes the position of athletic director may also assume the position of baseball coach.

Looking back on the past six months in which he has held the post, Mr. Lauffer reflected some of his thoughts and explained his philosophy concerning the Behrend athletic program. "The basic philosophy that I'm operating under is that we want to have a quality program for

men and women. I measure that quality by saying that we are going to continue to play the best competition that we possibly can in all our sports. We are going to continue to budget our sports program so that it can remain competitive with those institutions we must play."

On the other hand, the job has not been without its share of problems. "Certainly there have been problems," said Lauffer. "It's a position where there are decisions that have to be made on a regular basis. Many decisions have to be studied, because they affect a lot of people and it takes time to make them feel comfortable that you are making the right decision."

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