

# Redskins claim crown two weeks early

Mike Givler  
Capital Times Staff

THE NFC RECENTLY CROWNED another Super Bowl champion when the Redskins beat the Lions in the conference championship. Sure, the Skins had to play Buffalo in the actual Super Bowl, but it turned out to be another "Super Bore" as the NFC won for the eighth consecutive time.

Well, there's always the Pro Bowl to look forward to if you're an AFC fan. Oh, that's right, the NFC won that game too. Maybe the AFC should think about joining the World Football League.

SCOTTIE PIPPEN SAID there was no reason to panic when teammate Michael Jordan was suspended after an altercation during the Bulls six-game road trip. The Bulls lost four of the games they played on the trip out west, proving that Chicago

is human, especially without Jordan. If I were Scottie, I'd worry a lot if "Da' Bulls"

## GIVLER'S TRAVELS

have to do without the services of Jordan for a stretch.

SIXER HERSEY HAWKINS recently scored more points from the free-throw line than New Jersey's entire team. In Philadelphia's 115-94 win over the Nets, Hawkins had 12 points from the charity stripe, including four technical foul shots. The Nets were 11-22 from the line. Is it any wonder why the Nets were so thankful for the expansion teams?

WHEN INDIANA BEAT DENVER 128-122, the two teams ended the game with identical statistics in four categories. Both teams had 43 field goals, 31 total fouls, 18 turnovers, and were 5-8 from

three-point land. The only difference in the game was at the line, where the Pacers were 37-42 and the Nuggets were 31-41. Who says history doesn't repeat itself?

THE QUEBEC NORDIQUES' road winless streak recently reached 25 games. I guess they figured they'll be able to beat the Sacramento Kings' road losing streak since there are ties in hockey.

LET ME "GIV" YA A TRIVIA. Name the only player to shoot 50 percent from the field and 90 percent from the line in one year. Can you also name the only player to shoot 60 percent from the floor and 80 percent from the stripe? (HINT: The players did it in the same year for the same team.)

CONNIE HAWKINS WAS ELECTED into the NBA Hall of Fame last week, despite the fact that he was banned from the game 30 years ago for illegal gambling. Oh, Commissioner Fay

Vincent, did you catch this?

CHARLES BARKLEY SAID he thinks Earvin Johnson shouldn't play in the All-Star game because he'll overshadow some of the players who have had great first halves, like Barkley himself. Don't worry, I'm sure Charles will find a way to steal the spotlight once again, possibly by punching someone in the Orlando parking lot.

THE MOTHER OF THE WOMAN MIKE TYSON allegedly raped testified that her daughter was having horrible nightmares about the incident. I bet she's not the first person to have nightmares about Tyson.

THE ANSWER TO THE TRIVIA QUESTION is Larry Bird (50-90) and Kevin McHale (60-80), both of the Boston Celtics and during the 1989-90 season.

UNTIL NEXT ISSUE...May all your heroes test HIV-negative.

## PSH explores possible NAIA to NCAA move

Mike Givler  
Capital Times Staff

Penn State Harrisburg has been looking into the possibility of leaving the NAIA and moving into the NCAA Division III ranks. However, Athletic Director Duane Crider said that due to a rule change this may not be the wisest thing to do.

Crider said that the NCAA is discussing a transfer rule that would require all junior college transfers (i.e. community college or commonwealth campus) to sit out one year of eligibility when they come here. Crider added that this wouldn't be a wise move for the

college.

"I don't want to propose a move that would wipe out our program," Crider said. He added that because of this rule, the college would have to play all second-year athletes which are mostly seniors.

Crider said the reason for the move would be to stay in-step with the other teams in the district. Crider cited Misericordia, Alvernia and Beaver as examples who have gone this route.

Crider is still looking into the possibility of moving to the NCAA.

"I am still in contact with them to sort out what future plans are underway for the NCAA, and I will see what is the best for our athletic program," Crider said.

### Coach, from page 15

during spring break. While there, the team played other commonwealth campuses, as well as NCAA Division II St. Joseph's, Ind.

The baseball team was almost canceled in 1990 after the team ended the season with only eight healthy players. However, last year the participation increased and the college decided to field a team.

The team did show some signs of life last season, despite their lack of pitching and a porous defense.

The first official baseball meeting will be held at 9 p.m. on Feb. 12 in the Capital Union Building (CUB).

The team is still looking for players, and anyone interested in playing should attend the meeting. Anyone who can not be at the meeting should contact the recreation/athletic office in the CUB.



Photo by Mike Starkey

Recreation Specialist Denise Keary, front, leads the rhythmic karate aerobics class in the Capital Union Building as she keeps an eye on the rest of the class in the mirror. Rhythmic karate is one of four aerobic classes held each week at Penn State Harrisburg.

## Dugout

## Doodles

The following are the answers to the Jan. 20 contest:

1. Yankee and Shea Stadium were the home parks for the Yankees since 1925.
2. The first domed stadium was the Houston Astrodome.
3. Mickey Mantle hit the first homerun in the Astrodome.
4. Tommy Aaron hit the first homerun in Fulton County Stadium.
5. The Metrodome was the first domed stadium to host a World Series game in 1987.
6. The Memorial Coliseum was the first west coast stadium to host a world series game.
7. Fenway Park has the lowest seating capacity.
8. Cleveland Municipal Stadium has the largest seating capacity.
9. Crosley Field hosted the first night game.

Extra Inning: Comiskey Park hosted the first All-Star Game.

The winner of the Jan. 20 contest was Steve Preston, an accounting major from Camp Hill.

Give the uniform numbers for the following players:

- |                           |                             |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Hank Aaron _____       | 6. Babe Ruth _____          |
| 2. Lou Gehrig _____       | 7. Nolan Ryan _____         |
| 3. Harmon Killebrew _____ | 8. Casey Stengel _____      |
| 4. Willie Mays _____      | 9. Ted Williams _____       |
| 5. Jim Palmer _____       | Extra Inning: Ty Cobb _____ |

SubMITT answers to the CAPITAL TIMES office in W-341 by Feb. 26. Please include your name, address, phone number and major. This issue's winner will receive a pack of 1991 Leaf baseball cards and a pack of 1991 Pacific Plus football cards donated by Birmingham Baseball Cards.