

BEHREND CAGERS OUTCLASS DYKE 80-75

Cub Courtmen Begin Second Half Play

The Behrend 1964-1965 cage season is at the halfway point. Eleven games have been played so far and 8 remain in the future. So far, the Cubs have posted a 3-8 mark which could have been much better if a few breaks and better officiating would have been prevalent.

At any rate, Coach Roger L. Sweeting can be lauded for doing an excellent job thus far. Facing teams such as Point Park and Robert Morris, which recruit their athletes, Coach Sweeting has held his own. With 10 games remaining against stiff competition, it is feasible that the team can better last year's mark of 5-14. Certainly we all hope so.

In addition to playing against such stiff competition, Coach Sweeting has had to assemble practically an entire new team for the second term. Seven players were lost to the team because of scholastic difficulties or for other reasons. These seven were: Lou Hoffman, high scorer on the team; Frank Ramsey, second high scorer; Ron Rose, Rick Maschgan, Ray May, Bob McBride, and Mike Powaznik. New members of the team are: Dave Schmidt, Bob Taylor, Chuck Janicki, Wladimir Eksarchow, and Pete Bliagous. Remaining members of the team

are: Dan Casane, Bob Arpin, Dan Chase, Chip Carnes, John Cardamone, and Dick Kennedy.

The coach certainly has optimism for the rest of the schedule. Therefore, the Nittany Cub wishes the team good luck for the rest of the year.

Grapplers Vie In Tournament

The Pennsylvania Junior College Athletic Association (PJCAA) Wrestling tournament will be held on February 19-20, at York Junior College. Under the able leadership of Mr. Preston Peightal, a former wrestler, the Behrend strongmen will feature the talents of Joe Di Bello and Rick Osiecki. Di Bello and Osiecki were standouts for East and Harborcreek high schools, respectively. This event will not only offer recognition toward Behrend Campus but individual prestige as well.

TENTATIVE WRESTLING ROSTER

WEIGHT	NAME
115	Mike Pelinsky
130	Rick Osiecki
	Jeff Vieyra
137	Joe DiBello
	Dick Klein
147	Duane Rose
	Reid Jackson
157	Daryll Collins
	Craig Burleigh
191	Daryll Wittenburg
	Al Skelly

SKIING, BEHREND SPORT

Skiing has become one of the most popular winter sports in America. Within the last few years statistics show that more people are learning to ski than ever before.

Skiing is not a new invention and did not originate as a sport but as a means of transportation. Skis date back to 1200 A.D. when they were used by the Norwegians.

Tastes in skis vary, but the average ski is about three inches wide. Wood skis are becoming popular. A good ski has a certain springiness or camber, which means that the middle part is raised about 1 1/2-2 inches when the skis are unoccupied and the skier's weight just allows the ski



Behrend cagers in action against Dyke.

CUB CAGERS HOST RIVALS

Erie Hall will be hopping with basketball action this weekend.

The Cubs, attempting to move into the thick of things in league action, will entertain Point Park Junior College on Friday at 8:00. On Saturday, Behrend will be host to rival DuBois campus. Game time is 3:00 P.M.

Point Park aims to be a tough foe for the Behrend "5". Park turned back the Cubs earlier in the season by a 90-71 count as their height was a major factor.

Behrend will open with Dan Casane—who leads the Cubs in scoring with over 160 points—Bob Arpin, John Cardamone, Dan Chase, and high-scoring newcomer Chuck Janicki.

Ready to move in will be 6-3 Walt Eksarchow—who will provide some badly needed board strength—and improving Chip Carnes and Dick Kennedy. Other newcomers who may see action are Bob Taylor, Bob Peterson, Dave Schmidt, Pete Bliagous.

The Saturday encounter promises to be a thriller, and personally, we think Behrend will win by its greatest margin when the students come out and vibrate Erie Hall with cheers!

The Cubs will travel to Altoona on January 29, and from there on to Jamestown (University of Pitt) January 30.

to touch the snow at all parts. When choosing skis a common "thumb" rule should be used. This means that the ski tip should come to the skier's palm when he stands the ski on the ground vertically and raises his arm.

A 54-point second half performance swept Behrend to its third win of the season, an 80-75 triumph over Dyke Community College, in Cleveland. Leaders in the Behrend attack were Dan Casane, with twenty-eight points, and Walt Eksarchow, with twenty rebounds and fifteen points.

After trailing by 38-31 at half-time, Behrend was ignited by the defensive play of Bob Arpin and the fast breaks led by Danny Chase and Casane. Arpin and Chase each scored in double figures. Also contributing heavily to the victory were Chuck Janicki, Chip Carnes, and Pete Bliagous.

The night following the Dyke victory saw Behrend lose a 46-41 halftime lead and, subsequently, a 90-73 decision to Ashtabula's Kent State campus. Casane and Bliagous were Behrend's scoring leaders in the losing cause. Behrend now has a 3-8 record, with six games remaining.

JANUARY EVENTS

- 21—Thursday—Common Hour—the movie, "Operation Abolition."
- 22—Friday — Basketball: Point Park Junior College—Away—(Pittsburgh)
- 23—Saturday—Basketball: DuBois Campus—Home—8 p.m.
- 29—Friday—Basketball: Altoona—Away—8 p.m. Winter Carnival
- 30—Saturday—Basketball: Johnstown—Away—8 p.m. Winter Carnival Dance, 9 p.m.
- 31—Sunday—Winter Carnival

WEIGHT LIFTING CLUB PLANNED

A weight training club is being newly organized. Need for such an organization has been voiced by students interested in both the security and availability of the weight training equipment, which is valued at several hundred dollars. Administrative liability for injury to non-students also makes such an organization desirable.

Beginning February 1, the weight training room will be available only to key-holding members. A key may be obtained from Mr. Sweeting, and will require a one dollar deposit. The money will be refunded when the key is turned in upon termination of membership. Any Behrend student is eligible for membership.

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