

SPORTS

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The Hazleton Campus Condors soccer team ended their 1978 season with a 4-6-1 record this year. They had a small team this year with only 3 subs on the side-line. Injuries paid their price on the team, putting a lot of stress on the players this year.

Bob Scalse, the goalie this year, was injured in the Ogontz game when he was kicked in the kidney. Bob Wood then finished the season for the Condors as goalie.

In a game against Scranton the Condors won 5-3 in overtime in a very important game. One of the highlights of the season was Jeff Carson scoring 5 goals in one game. Al Haddad was one of the top defensive players for the team, and Gene Schultz and Gary Wydock were a very dependable part of the team's success.

The men's basketball team started its season on Dec. 2 with a game against the Alumni. It was a very good game with the score being 74-73 Alumni winning.

In a high scoring game the Condors then came back to beat Baptist College 114-59. A few days later the Condors received another win by getting past Keystone Jr. College by a score of 75-74.

Keeping their streak going the Condors then beat Scranton on Dec. 9 by a score of 96-55. Their next two games did not fare too well for the Condors with loses of 66-61 to Williamsport Comm. College, and a 95-82 lose to Schuylkill Campus.

On Dec. 19-20 will be the Highacres Holiday Classic, and everyone is urged to go out and see it, and help the Condors along.

Men's Volleyball Begins

Twenty-one students participated in tryouts for the Hazleton Campus Men's Volleyball team on December 4th and 5th. After two nights of tryouts, the following nine men were selected for the team: Bob Chulock, Dale Garges, Mike Good, Al Haddad, Ron Kokinda, Wes Lewis, Jackson Teed, Doug Wright, and John Zawataky. Bob, Dale, and Doug are veterans from last year's team, while the remainder are all first year players.

The team, coached by Mr. Bruce Young, began regular practice sessions on Dec. 11, in preparation for the upcoming season. The team is setting their sights on the Commonwealth Campus Tournament held at

University Park in late April, where last year's team performed well enough to capture 4th place. All indications point toward an even better showing this year.

Prior to the tournament, the team will play some of the other PSU campuses in dual meets. In addition, the team will have matches with other regional colleges and semi-pro teams.

All students and faculty are invited to attend the matches, which will begin sometime in late February or early March. Adequate notice will be given, so that you may all come out and see this highly competitive sport. The team promises to provide you with exciting matches, and a level of volleyball competition that you may not have expected. So come out and support this year's spunky and feisty Men's Volleyball Team.

Penn State, ranked first in both wire service polls, concluded its regular season with a 17-10 victory over Pittsburgh on Nov. 22. It was Paterno's 12th win over Pitt in 13 tries, but the Lions had to come from behind in the closing minutes for the victory.

Defense, a Lion strong suit all season, led to the win over Pittsburgh in a game that was played in cold, blustery winds. The Lions limited Pitt to 83 yards rushing and 181 yards total offense.

Penn State won national titles in rushing defense and total defense, allowing only 54.5 yards rushing and 203.9 yards per game total offense per game. The Lions also ranked third in scoring defense, permitting only 8.8 points per contest.

The Lions also boasted individual national leaders in placekicker Matt Bahr, who set four National Collegiate Athletic Association records, and safetyman Pete Harris, who led the nation with 10 interceptions.

Bahr set NCAA marks for field goals in one season (22). Field goals per game (2.0), points by kicking in one season (97) and percentage of field goal attempts made in one season (81.5 per cent on 22 of 27).

Lion quarterback Chuck Fusina, the runnerup in the 1978 Heisman Trophy balloting, finished with 17 Penn State passing and total offense records. He has completed 371 passes in 665 attempts for 5,382 yards and 37 touchdowns in his brilliant career at Penn State and led the Lions to a 28-3 record as their starting quarterback, including 19 wins in a row over the last two seasons.

Bowl game statistics are not included in official NCAA records or in Penn State's season and career records.



Four Penn State football players have been named first team All-America.

Nittany Lion defensive tackle Bruce Clark has been picked on the first team by the Football Writers Association of America (FWAA), the Football News and the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA).

Quarterback Chuck Fusina and offensive tackle Keith Dorney also were selected by the FWAA and the AFCA. Record-setting placekicker Matt Bahr joined Clark on the Football News team.

Fusina, who holds 17 Penn State passing and total offensive records, was runnerup to Oklahoma's Billy Sims in the balloting for the Heisman Trophy, despite receiving more first place votes than Sims.

Clark was second to the Sooners' Greg Roberts in the voting for the Outland Award, presented by the FWAA to the nation's outstanding interior lineman.

The Lions should be congratulated for a very fine season this year and wished best of luck in their bowl game against Alabama.

Penn State's top-ranked football team has been named the winner of the 1978 Lambert Trophy and the East Indies Cup.

The Nittany Lions won the Lambert Trophy for the 10th time in Joe Paterno's 13 years as head coach for "outstanding performance by a major college team in the East." The East Indies Cup is awarded to the outstanding major Eastern independent.



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