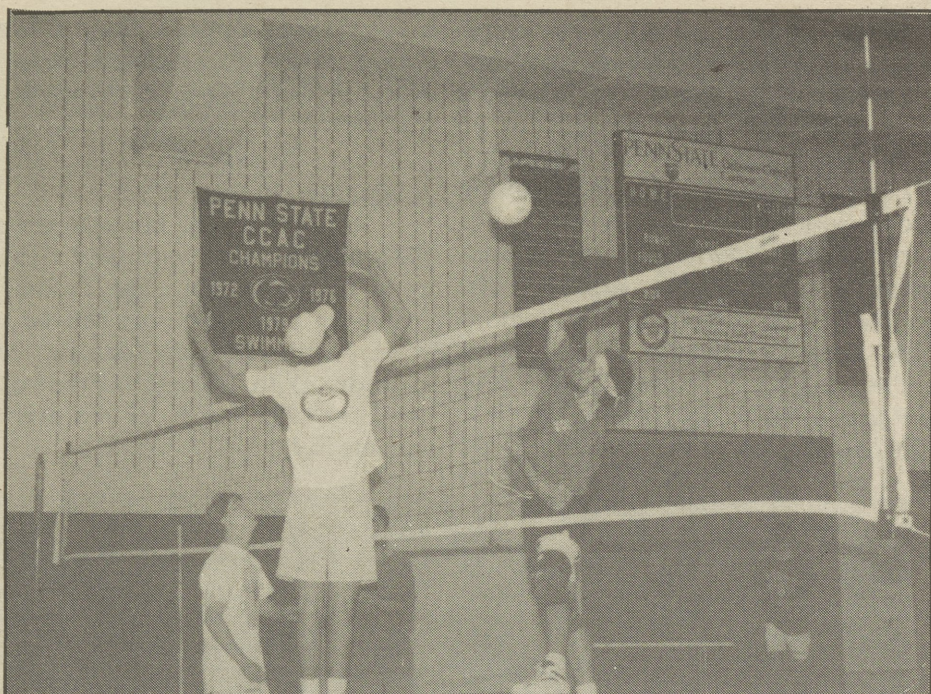


SPORTS



Matt Lyon (in the white), scores for his team during a recent volleyball game.

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Women's Basketball: High Hopes For Season

By Caroline Kalafut

The women's basketball team made an impressive start in their first game of the season, Tuesday, November 24, against Delaware County Community College. The PSU Lion's won with a final score of 66-43 points. High scorers were Leslie Dawson with 26 points, Julie Munch, 16 points, and Yolanda Capers, 10 points.

Coach Ce Ce Grimes is beginning her first year on campus with high hopes for a winning season. Her five starters are: Yolanda Capers, Leslie Dawson, Reanie Hassiepen, Marla Stambaugh, and Julie Munch. Waiting to play as needed are Karen Hamalak, Kathleen Donnelly, Karen Shull, and Maureen Glynn.

There is good news and bad news about this promising team. Bad news first. Capers, Munch, Hamalak, Glynn, and Stambaugh

will be transferring to Main Campus in mid-season. The good news is that a former player will be back in school by that time.

This still leaves the team with little, if any, depth, unless more players are recruited. If any female students have some talent in basketball, or know of someone who does, get in touch with Tiz Griffith or Ce Ce Grimes at the Athletic Building.

Coach Ce Ce Grimes is extremely optimistic about her team. "I feel good about our chances. We're improving daily. The girls are very excited and ready to go." She praised the entire team, calling them all good workers.

The Athletic Department wants all Penn State Delco students to attend as many games as possible. Constant encouragement can give this team and others the drive to embark on a winning season.

Literary Magazine To Start In Spring

By Artin Armani

The Silence Before a Storm

All is quiet.
Except for the rustle of a leaf or two.
The wind grows strong and cold, as
the sounds are few.

A storm is coming.

More and More the wind blows
hard.
Chimes in the wind sound out .

Definitely the warning of a storm
coming.

A sheet of newspaper, driven by the
wind,
rolls clumsily down a road, gets
caught on a fence
then breaks loose, and down the
road again.

The storm is near.

The reflection of light,
the sound of tapping on the ground,

the smell of steamed roads
cooling down ever so fast
from a hot summer's day.

The storm is here.
_A. Armani

The above poem is a sample of what is to come in the future of Penn State Delco publications. The Lion's Eye staff is looking for individuals who write poetry, short stories, and / or draw.

Enter this exciting new world of publishing and gain popularity and pride. Our experienced staff will be printing this publication in the spring so rush your samples of work in quick. Participation in this program will give students experience and exposure for their creative ability.

Anyone who is interested can submit samples of their work in the Lion's Eye mailbox in the lions den, Or stop by to one of our classes on tuesdays or thursdays during common hour in room 112.

Men's Basketball at Delco: A Slammin' Good Season?

By Mike Jamison

Yes, winter has once again laid its icy grip on the campus of Penn State Delco. As we bustle forth through gusts of wind and patches of ice, a slight bouncing sound can be heard from somewhere on the campus. The sound of the budget dropping? No, couldn't be. Dom Deluise jogging around the Learning Center? Unthinkable! No, that low sound of dribbling can be traced to the Athletics Building, where the men's basketball team is preparing for its upcoming season.

After a fall season of soccer and volleyball disappointments, sentiments around the campus tended to be in agreement: "Please, let the basketball season begin!!!" It's no small wonder; ever since the semester started, the excitement has been building and the rumors have been flying: will the team be as good as last year?

Will the team exceed all expectations and go undefeated? Will these predictions never end?

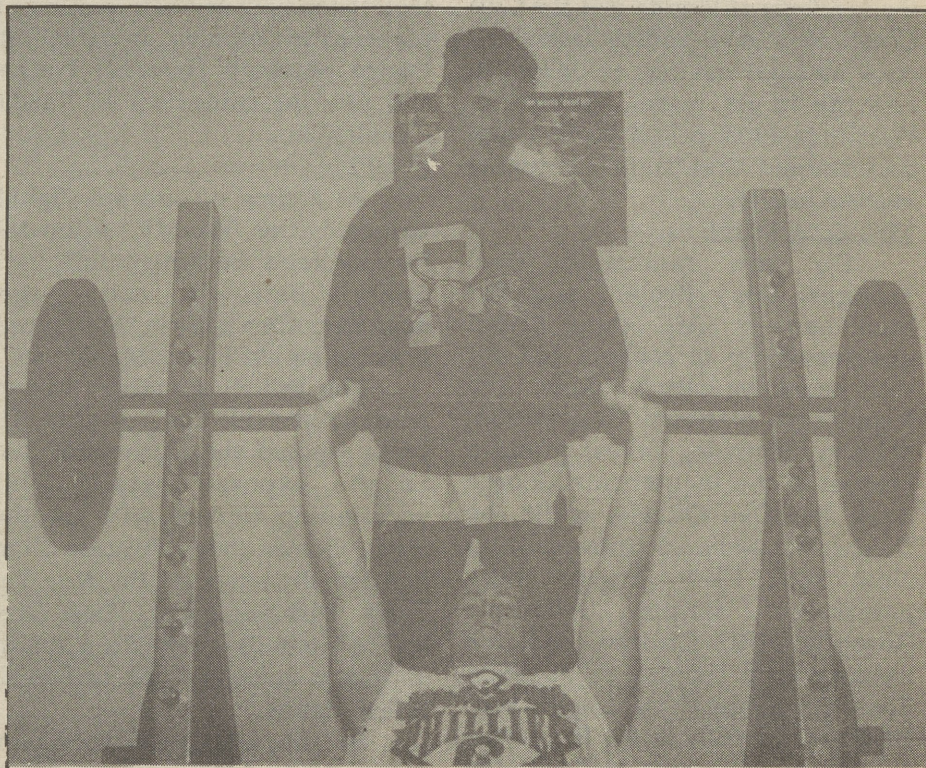
There are many unanswered questions, but the upcoming season will see the men's b-ball team answering most of them.

Led by coaches Bill Wiley and Lou Tosi, the team, which includes captains Breyon Justice, Mike Koperna, David Meyer and Andy Strizinger, and players Greg Richard, Jeff Danzi, Rob Duffy, Mark Lindsay, Brian McTouge, Craig Perry, Mike Seal, Bran Shia and Fred Warden, hopes to provide Penn State Delco with a season of exciting and entertaining basketball games.

The determination is there; just watch them at practice. The fast break is crisp, the passing is sharp, and the defense is impenetrable. This team is dedicated to its goal to be the best there is, the best of the best. As I said before, there are many unanswered questions surrounding this basketball team. Come game time, these questions will definitely be answered, and the results, I think, will be favorable. Good luck guys, and happy dunking.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Nov. 24	Delaware CCC	Home	7:00
Nov. 30	Manor College	Away	7:00
Dec. 5	Northampton CC	Away	6:00
Dec. 9	Swarthmore College	Home	7:00
Dec. 11	Bucks CCC	Away	6:00
Jan. 5	Philadelphia CCC	Home	4:00
Jan. 9	Luzerne CCC	Away	1:00
Jan. 12	Delaware CCC	Away	6:00
Jan. 16	PSU Ogontz	Away	1:00
Jan. 20	Northampton CC	Home	6:00
Jan. 23	Philadelphia CC	Away	Tentative
Jan. 25	PSU Schuylkill	Home	6:00
Jan. 27	Bucks CC	Home	6:00
Jan. 30	PSU Mont Alto	Away	1:00
Feb. 2	Luzerne CCC	Home	6:00
Feb. 6	PSU Ogontz	Home	1:00
Feb. 8	PSU Schuylkill	Away	Tentative
Feb. 17	PSU Mont Alto	Home	6:00
Feb. 15	EPCC Tournament		



Work those muscles! Brook Bowden bench presses 90 lbs. as Adrian Caiazzo spots him.

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