

# SPORTS

## Hoopsters' Winning Streak Is Hotter Than Hot!

By Artin Armani

With a record of 84 wins and 30 losses over four years, Penn State Delco men's basketball team looks as if they are in good hands with Bill Wiley as Head Coach.

This year the team has built up an impressive record of 14 wins and 0 losses. This can be accredited to the talented starters who are sophomores, Breyon Justice, Mark Lindsay, Dave Meyer, Andy Stritzinger, and freshman Jeff Danzi. All five have a scoring average in double figures.

The team has not had too many tough opponents this season with the exception of PSU Ogontz and PSU York. "The toughest teams to play were Ogontz and York. We beat them each at their campuses, but we still have to play them here," stated sophomore Mark Lindsay.

Penn State Delco has enjoyed a

prosperous season thus far but still has ten more games to go, most of which will be played on the road. Of the ten games remaining, only four will be played at home.

After the season ends, the playoffs will begin on February 23 with only four teams from the eastern conference competing. "The single elimination tournament will be held in late February and the championship game is on February 28. This is one of the best teams that I have coached and they are projected to win the conference," claimed Coach Wiley.

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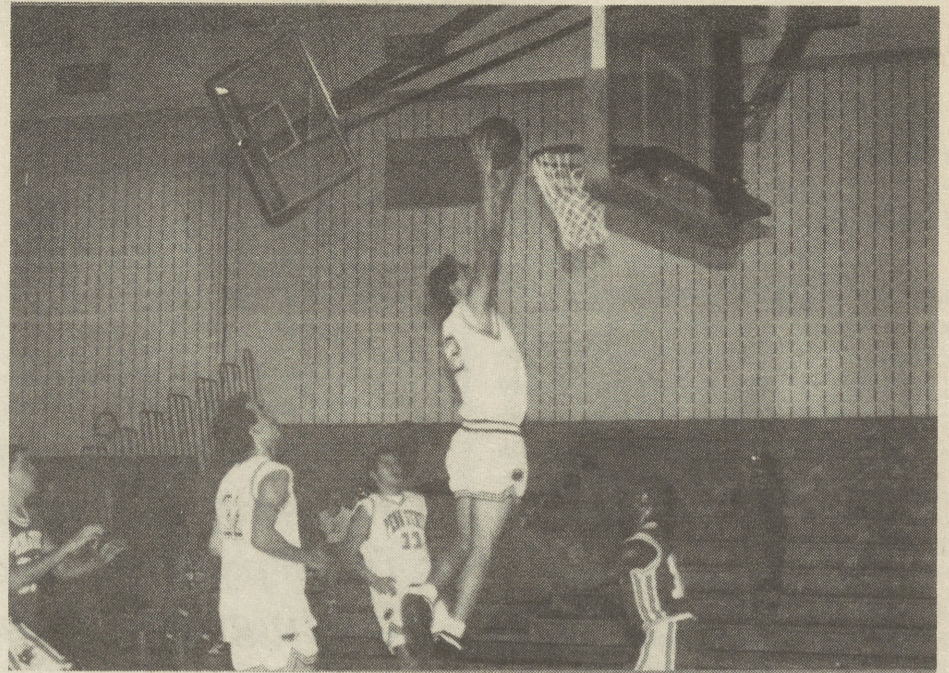
## Nothing Outlasts Female Basketball Team

By Kimberly Bartles

I had the pleasure of talking to the assistant coach of the Women's Basketball team, Ron Freeman. He works for Boeing and comes to coach the team when he's not working. He's very dedicated to the team, and I got the feeling he really enjoys coaching the fine players. Freeman told me that the head coach Cece Grimes really strives to get the most out of her players. Grimes fully supports the team.

Practice is held every day there isn't a game, although they may have as many as five games per week. It's tough to have a great practice with all the team members, because school comes first, as it should. Injuries also hamper the practices. When I spoke with Freeman, most of the players had injuries.

Said Freeman, "The team consists of excellent people who want to be a part of something. They are very competitive; they practice hard and they play hard." The women on the team play because



Penn State player, Geoff Beaver, slam dunks the ball to put Delco in the lead.

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### Men's Basketball Schedule

Feb 4	Cabrini JV	A
Feb 6	PSU Ogontz	H
Feb 8	PSU Hazelton	A
Feb 10	PSU York	H
Feb 13	PSU Schuylkill	A
Feb 17	PSU Mont Alto	H
Feb 20	PSU Berks	H
Feb 23	Begin Playoffs	
Feb 27	Final Four Week	
Feb 28	Final Four Week	

Head Coach Bill Wiley  
Asst. Coach Lou Tosti

## Join A Sport! Sign Up For Intramurals

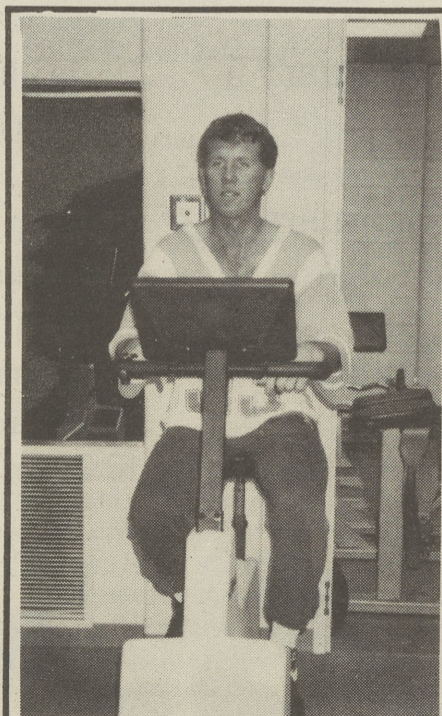
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After a relaxing winter break, students can get into the swing of things by signing up for winter intramurals. Basketball intramurals begin on February 10, and volleyball intramurals begin sometime in March.

Both intramurals will take place on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays during common hour (12:30-1:30) in the gymnasium.

Students who wish to sign up for one or both of these intramural sports can contact Melissa McConnell at her office in the lower section of the Commons Building or in the Lion's Den.

Both basketball and volleyball intramurals will last approximately eight weeks, and an undisclosed prize will be awarded to the winners at the end of competitions.



The stationary bike is just one of many exercise facilities in the fitness center.

Photo by: MARY MATUS

they want to, even though it makes them very busy. They play for the love of the game since a scholarship program isn't offered. In addition, most of the members of the team also have jobs.

Reanie Hassiepen, a guard, is said to be the heart of the team. She is a freshman from O'Hara High School who averages between twenty-two to twenty-five points per game. Hassiepen's number is eleven, so watch for her.

Other high scoring team members are Jackie Jackson, number fourteen, who is a sophomore from Elliston High School in Texas. Jackson scored twenty-two points against North Hampton College.

Leslie Dawson scored twelve points in that same game. Her number is thirty. Dawson is a freshman from Downingtown High School.

Number fifteen, Kristi Hollingsworth, is another high scorer. Hollingsworth is a sophomore from Chichester High School. Karen Hamalak, number thirteen, is a sophomore from Garnet

Valley High School. Kathleen Donnelly, a freshman from O'Hara High School, is number twenty. And number twenty-two, Marla Stambaugh, is a sophomore from Penncrest High School.

This semester four players from last semester were lost to Penn State's Main Campus, and two new players aren't able to play. This brings the team from eleven members down to seven. Two of the players who went on to Main Campus are Julie Munch, who was a forward guard, but could play any position, and Yolonda Capers, a defense player. They both will be missed this season.

Bucks County Community College and Schuylkill College will be the teams to beat this year. They are teams that have the advantage of recruits from the high schools in their areas.

It's going to be a challenging season for the Women's Basketball team, so come on out and support them. They play at 6:00 PM.

♥ EILEEN  
Love your new car, Sexy!  
GARY ♥

♥ BILL  
I'm still waiting for my ring!  
JEN ♥

♥ TIM  
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