

# Quakers quash feeble foes

By Stephen Hunter

The Guilford College Quakers started off what promises to be a great season with two wins. The first game of the Guilford College Football season pitted the Quakers against Bluefield State of West Virginia. There was an air of anticipation surrounding the game partly because of its three hour delay, but mainly because everyone was anxious to see how the new Quakers would look.

As it turned out, there was no stopping the Quakers, led by Manny Fernandez; the partisan Quaker fans found the game well worth the wait.

In the first quarter the Quakers took the opening kick-off and marched 80 yards for the first touchdown of the day. Bluefield, in hopes of surprising the Quakers, started the game in a sporadic 4-4 defense.

While the Guilford coaches were busy deciphering Bluefield's defense, Fernandez was busy directing an almost flawless assault upon it. The drive ended with Fernandez running for nine yards for the T.D. Kicking specialist Marty

10 yard gallop by fullback Gary Merrill. Of special mention is tremendous effort by the entire defensive unit, led by Quinton Hanson, Morris McCarthur and John Wrape.

The final score: Guilford 24 - Bluefield 7.

## Football



Block provided the extra point. In the second quarter the Quakers drove almost the length of the field only to be stopped by penalties. Marty Block's 23 yard field goal capped the drive.

Other Quaker scores came on an 11 yard pass from Fernandez to tight end Jamie Newton and a

The second game of the 1979 football season produced another victory for the Quakers. The game carried special meaning because none of the present Quaker players had ever had the pleasure of beating a Randolph-Macon football squad. Manny Fernandez, who pass-

ed for 172 yards for the day, again directed the Quaker offense. Guilford, playing without the services of tailback Chris Scissom, got outstanding efforts from running backs Rick Brady, Greg Burnest, Gary Merrill, and split end Jerry Bryant.

The first half scoring began with a Marty Block field goal. In the second quarter Fernandez directed a drive that ended with Merrill going over from the four.

Moments later Jon Houts blocked a Yellow-Jacket punt, and Jeff Smith recovered it for a touchdown. Brady provided the 2 point conversion run.

Block kicked a 31 yard field goal after a Steve Wilmot interception. After an onside kick recovery, Fernandez found

Mike Craft in the end zone for a 34 yard completion as time ran out. The halftime Guilford 26 - Randolph - Macon 3.

The second half was marked by a great attempt by Randolph-Macon to come back. With the score 26-24 in favor of Guilford, the Quaker defense, led by Quinton Hanson (20 tackles), stopped what was to be the Yellow-Jackets final scoring threat. With the outcome of the game uncertain, Fernandez again went into his bag of tricks. This time he hit the lightning quick Bryant. (receptions for 80 yards), for a 37 yard touchdown, thus putting the game out of reach. The final score: Guilford 33 - Randolph-Macon 24.

## V-ball team maintains streak

The women's volleyball team has successfully succeeded in maintaining a six game winning streak. Last week, the Lady Quakers defeated Atlantic Christian College (15-3, 15-4) and Saint Augustine (15-5, 15-10) on the road last Tuesday.

On Thursday night the Lady Quakers hosted their first home match with Catawba College and A&T State University as their guests. The Quakers upped their record to 4-2 after

defeating Catawba (15-10, 15-11) and A&T (15-5, 15-5) before an enthusiastic crowd.

The Lady Quakers traveled to Pembroke State University on Friday night to face Wingate College along with the host team Pembroke. The Quakers whipped Wingate College (15-2, 15-0).

The second match placed Pembroke against the Quakers.

The Lady Braves defeated the Lady Quakers in the first game (15-7) after the Quaker's offense broke down. The second game of the match was taken by the Quakers (16-14). The final game of the match was also taken by the Quakers (15-9).

The Volleyball team will travel to North Carolina Central on Tuesday to play Shaw and Central. The next home match will be Oct. 2 against High Point College and UNC-Wilmington.



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## Sign up now

By Marge Komacek

Intramurals for 1978-1979 have begun and the year already looks exciting. The big questions still remain: 'Who will be the overall champs?' and 'Will Shore and Milner First South defend their titles?'

New this year are flag football and women's soccer, which are both sure to be challenging. According to Mrs. Clark, director of Intramurals, the fall season has had the greatest number of individuals to sign up in Guilford history.

Nevertheless, don't worry if you missed registration; sign-ups continue up until 24 hours before a scheduled event. Forfeits will be declared ten minutes after a scheduled time unless notified 24 hours in advance.

To sign up or to reschedule a game because of a conflict in game time, contact Mrs. Clark (ext. 160) in the gym. Please see posted schedules, contact your unit representative, or read the Guilfordian for a weekly update of schedules.



Intramurals? Try kicking the idea around!

### Intramural information

Sept. 25 (Tuesday)  
**FLAG FOOTBALL**  
3:30 Binford III vs Dana/Bryan  
4:30 Milner 1S vs Day Hops  
5:30 Dixie Chickens vs Frazier

Sept. 26 (Wednesday)  
**MEN'S TEAM TENNIS**  
9:00 Faculty vs Milner 3S  
10:00 Milner 2S vs. Bryan 1N  
11:00 Milner 1S vs Frazier  
12:00 English vs Milner 2N  
1:00 Milner 1S vs Day Hops

**SOCCER**  
1:00 Hobbits vs Dana, Bryan 3N  
2:00 Milner 1S & 2S vs Bryan 1 & 2S  
3:00 Binford I vs Shore, Day Hops  
4:00 Day Hops vs Rangers-Goldbros  
5:00 English vs Frazier

Sept. 27 (Thursday)  
**KICKBALL**  
3:30 Binford I vs Shore  
4:30 Binford II, III, Dana, Bryan, Day Hops vs Hobbits

Oct. 1 (Monday)  
**FLAG FOOTBALL**  
3:30 Dana, Bryan vs Binford II  
4:30 Binford III vs Hobbits  
5:30 Milner 1S vs Nads

Oct. 2 (Tuesday)  
**FLAG FOOTBALL**  
3:30 English vs Bryan 1S & 2  
4:30 Bryan 1N vs Milner 1N  
5:30 Milner 3N vs Milner 2S

Any questions? Please contact: Brad Forrest (tennis), Mary Ellen Coforth (Kickball), Lon Reeves (Soccer), or Jeff Campbell (Flag Football).