

Sports

Dorrance takes new title

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It's out with the old and in with the new in the North Carolina soccer program.

In a move that has been in the blueprint stage for several years, soccer head coach Anson Dorrance officially handed down the reins of the men's program in a press conference Thursday.

"It is a very perfect time for me, because both programs are in such good shape," Dorrance said. "It allows me to retire with great dignity."

"I think that most coaching changes are made in a crisis, and it's nice to be involved in an athletic department where coaching changes are made . . . (to) allow me to go out gracefully."

Former full-time assistant Elmar Bolowich will make the move to head coach, and former UNC All-American Dave Smyth has agreed to work with Bolowich as a part-time assistant coach.

"My intentions are to keep the

men's program at the same level where it is right now," Bolowich said. "I will now have the responsibility of winning and losing."

Bolowich will have some big shoes to step into, however.

For the last 31 years the Tar Heels have not had a losing season, and their 14-9-1 record in the 1988 season was a disappointment considering the quality of the freshman class.

"I think it's going to be positive for the program," said junior forward John Cocking, "because instead of all the attention being focused on Anson, Elmar can take charge."

"We won't have to answer any questions about who the coach is."

Senior goalkeeper Darren Royer said that the move was a long time coming.

"Anson's been wanting to just coach one team for a while," Royer said.

Sophomore forward Derek Missimo had only good things to say about the move.

"If we come together as a team with Elmar as a leader, we should win it all," Royer said. "Every practice with Elmar is like the World Cup."

"(Anson) does better with the women because he can assert himself more," Royer said. "He was tentative around the men, because he feels self-conscious or doesn't think the men really respect him."

As far as recruiting goes, the future will tell if Bolowich can get the quality players that Dorrance has been able to get in the past.

"I came here because of Anson," Missimo said.

Dorrance will remain as the women's head coach and will assume the capacity of Director of Soccer. The newly established position will entail coordinating conflicts and resolving any differences within the soccer program.

"Elmar has proven he can do the job in this league," Dorrance said. "All of us are very confident he'll be an outstanding men's coach."

Frustrated fan speaks out

Does anyone out there get the FNN/Score network? Anyone? . . . Bueller?

I do. Only when I'm home. So what, you ask? Relax, I'm getting there.

There's a show called "The Fan Speaks Out." That's what's so special. It's a sports talk show on cable. So what again?

Todd Donahoe is the host. He's insulting but knowledgeable and he runs the show with an air of dignity. Unusual? Maybe, since dignity and talk show rarely belong in the same sentence. They do here.

It's taking me a long time to get to the point. Sorry. Here it is so no one misses it.

I can't get on that show. Week after week, month after month, I call and I call and I can't get on. I've tried their 1-800 number, their you-have-to-pay number and even the number for California residents only. Nope. No luck.

I want to get on that show. "The Fan Speaks Out" isn't just your ordinary show where you call in and say, "Hey, I want to talk about Bobby Cremins' incompetence." You get to call in, call Todd "Mr. Commissioner" and tell all of those sports people or teams that you don't like, "TAKE A HIKE!"

But I can't get on. So I've come up with an alternative. I'll give you my "take-a-hikes." It's not

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national, but I don't care (too much).

I've wanted to give my top five "take-a-hike" list for some time, so some of it may be outdated now. Here's the original list:

Take a Hike:

1. **Don Denkinger** — You cost the Cardinals the 1985 World Series with your ineptitude. Get some glasses, big guy.
2. **Ray Meyer** — Your Blue Demon teams choked on the air they breathed. Get out of coaching.
3. **Omar Moreno** — Get out of baseball. You stink. You can run. So what? So can a leopard and it can probably throw farther and do less cocaine.
4. **Ted Stepien** — You call yourself an owner. The fans of Cleveland deserve a team, not those goofballs that couldn't beat Coastal Carolina on a good day.
5. **Roberto Duran** — For \$3 million, you could have at least finished your bout with Sugar Ray instead of crying "No Mas!"

Like I said, a little outdated. But wait, I have a new one. I know you're excited.

Take a Hike (Updated)

1. **Bobby Cremins** — You call yourself a coach. Ha! You have as much discipline on your team as a well-organized lynching. And wait, I'm not done. You need a map for any court-knowledge.
2. **A. Bartlett Giamatti** — You're the commissioner. Someone save baseball, please. He'll suspend anyone who questions him. A dictator out of control. Poor Pete (Rose). He'll get suspended for spitting on the field.
3. **To the person who invented Astroturf** — Hey, the athletes and the fans hate you. You've ruined several sports and people with that green stuff. I'm glad basketball and hockey aren't on your list.
4. **Al McGuire** — Can't you enunciate? It's *Hersey*, not *Hershey* Hawkins. And you analyze like it's still 1978. The bellbottoms are out and so are the slow big guys you like so much. Remember how you liked Butch Lee and Jon Koncak?
5. **Dennis Scott** — Anyone with as much talent as you who does as little as you do should hit the showers.

So there you have it, as Casey Kasem would say. I've finally voiced my take-a-hike list. I like that. Maybe, after I've been shunned by the FNN/Score telephone lines some more, I'll give you another list.

Maybe.

Baseball sets for home opener

By BOBBY McCROSKEY
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The UNC baseball team will host the Seton Hall Pirates in its 1989 home opener, looking to shake off the inconsistency that has plagued them in recent outings. Only four games into this young season, the Tar Heels find themselves with a 2-2 record that could easily be 4-0.

The Tar Heels dropped a 6-5 decision to The Citadel and all but gave the game away to Coastal Carolina. UNC took a 7-3 lead into the bottom of the seventh inning Wednesday afternoon at Coastal

Carolina but gave up 11 runs in the frame and wound up losing, 14-10.

Coach Mike Roberts hopes that this behavior will not be a sign of things to come. In its 100th season of competition, the North Carolina baseball team is expected to challenge for its eighth ACC championship and a trip to the NCAA College World Series.

The nucleus for a good team is present. Twenty-two lettermen return from last year's 34-27 team. More importantly, nine of the returnees are the pitchers responsible for 32 of the 34 wins.

Leading this stellar group is junior right-handed pitcher John Thoden. He has picked up both Tar Heel wins this season, scattering eight hits over 13 innings. He has eight strikeouts, one walk and a 0.69 ERA.

Undoubtedly, the strength of this team lies with the talent and experience that runs through the middle of the defense. Behind the plate, Jesse Levis anchors the Tar Heels. On the offensive side, the junior catcher is hitting .429 on 6-of-14 hitting so far this season, with one home run and two runs batted in.

Continuing up the middle, junior Dave Arendas provides steady play at second base. This year, he has five hits in 14 at-bats for a .357 batting average. His partner at shortstop is junior Ron Mauer. This duo provides one of the better double-play combinations in the conference.

Center fielder Tom Nevin leads a talented group of outfielders that includes fellow starters Todd Nichols and Brad Woodall. Nevin led the Tar Heels in virtually every offensive category last year and provides the senior leadership this team needs.

Nichols, a consistent hitter, has been a bright spot for the Tar Heels so far this season. The junior left-fielder is hitting .286 with two home runs. In right field, Woodall has been a steady performer who also provides UNC with another good bat.

Today's contest is scheduled for a 3 p.m. start at Boshamer Stadium. The teams will go at it again Saturday and Sunday at 1 p.m.

Coach says steroids needed to compete

From staff and wire reports

TORONTO — Ben Johnson's track coach said Wednesday he helped the Canadian sprinter decide to take steroids in 1981 because of their pervasive use in top-level competition.

"If he wanted to compete, it's pretty clear that steroids are worth a meter at the highest level of sports," Charlie Francis told a federal inquiry into drugs and sports.

"I think he understood that his competitors were on them," Francis said.

Johnson has maintained that he never knowingly used drugs to enhance his performance, and Francis' only previous statement since the

Seoul Olympics was that the sprinter's urine test may have been sabotaged.

Because that urine sample tested positive, Johnson lost his 100-meter gold medal and his world record, and was barred from international competition.

Francis said Johnson began taking steroids in 1981 and the drugs were later administered by his personal physician, Dr. Jamie Astaphan.

Astaphan, who has promised to travel to Toronto from his home in the Caribbean to testify, has denied he gave the drug to Johnson.

Francis said that top-level international competition is virtually impossible without steroids.

Campus Calendar

The DTH Campus Calendar is a daily listing of University-related activities sponsored by academic departments, student services and student organizations officially recognized by the Division of Student Affairs. To appear in Campus Calendar, announcements must be submitted on the Campus Calendar form by NOON one business day before the announcement is to run. Saturday and Sunday events are printed in Friday's calendar and must be submitted on the Wednesday before the announcement is to run. Forms and a drop box are located outside the DTH office, 104 Union. Items of interest lists ongoing events from the same campus organizations and follows the same deadline schedule as Campus Calendar. Please use the same form.

- Friday**
- 2:30 p.m. **UNC Soviet Exchange program** invites the public to attend an open forum, "The Media: U.S. and the U.S.S.R.," in 205 Union.
 - Fine Arts Festival 1989** will present Ron Bayes, poet, lecturing on North Carolina's Black Mountain School in Gerrard Hall.
 - 3:30 p.m. **UNC Graduate English Club** will sponsor George Watson, senior lecturer at

the University of Aberdeen, speaking on "Joyce and Contemporary Irish Poets," in 224 Greenlaw.

- 5 p.m. **Office of N.C. Fellows/Leadership Development** will accept applications to be a Peer Leadership Consultant in 19 Steele until this time. For more information, call 966-4041.
- 9 p.m. **Union Cabaret** will have a free 1970's dance, with a costume contest and beer with I.D.

Saturday

- 11 a.m. **N.C. Botanical Garden** will hold registration for plots in the community gardens until noon at the Totten Center at the N.C. Botanical Garden on Laurel Hill Road. For further information call 542-1068.
- 4 p.m. **Carolina Martial Arts Club** will show a martial arts film in room 206 of the Union.

The showing is open to all students.

Sunday

- 4:30 p.m. **Fine Arts Festival 1989** "Flashback: The Sixties" will present two films on influential artists of the 1960s in the Hanes Art Center auditorium. Films are "Jasper Johns: Decoy" and "Sam Francis." Free admission.
- 5:30 p.m. **Women's Lacrosse** will practice on the Astroturf.
- 6:30 p.m. **Fine Arts Festival 1989** "Flashback: The Sixties" will present art critic Clement Greenberg in the Hanes Art Center auditorium. A reception will follow his presentation.
- 7:00 p.m. **Szyzzy Performing Arts Group** will present "Leave It To Beaver Is Dead," an enthralling drama, at the Skylight Exchange. Free admission.

Items of Interest

Carolina Athletic Association is accepting applications for cabinet positions, including vice president, Homecoming, publicity, tickets, Carolina Fever, Fund raising and treasurer. Applications are available at the CAA office and are due today at 5 p.m.

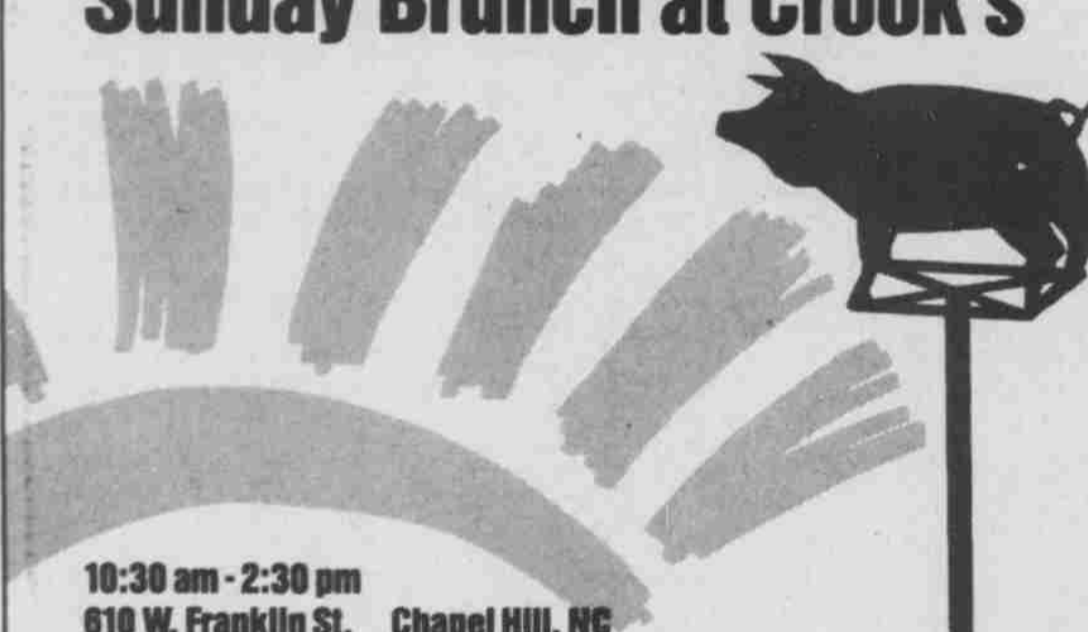
Office of North Carolina Fellows has applications for the Peer Leadership Consultant program at the Office of Leadership Development and the Union Desk. Applications are due today.

Fine Arts Festival 1989 - Flashback: the '60s will present "Then and Now: 1960s-1980s," an exhibit of works by regional artists. Contemporary art will be on display at the Horace Williams House, East Franklin Street, and the 1960s exhibition will be in the Carolina Union Gallery. The exhibits will be on display until April 2.

The Judicial System will begin to accept applications for the Undergraduate Student Court and the Attorney General's staff on March 3. Applications can be picked up starting then in Suite C and Suite D in the Union or at the Union Desk. Applications are due no later than noon, March 10, in Suite D.

Yackety Yack will be taking student portraits in 213 Union from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m. Today is the last day.

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