

SPORTS LINE

By Bobby Hayes

September. A hectic yet wonderful month for the sports fan as he or she chooses what to read and watch. Optimistic coaches prepare for the advent of the football wars while tension builds as the baseball pennant races move down the home stretch.

Now for my promised fearless pigskin prognostications. In the college ranks, there shall be two separate evaluations: the Top Ten and the Bottom Five. The Number One Team of 1979 season will be the Texas Longhorns. Why? They return nine defensive starters from the fine '78 team that demolished a good Maryland team 42-0 in last year's Sun Bowl. Also remaining intact is the entire Longhorn offensive line and the two Jones boys, Jam, their leading rusher, and Lam, their leading receiver of the year ago. Texas simply has too much experience to be stopped.

For the Bottom Five, the distinction of being the worst team in the country goes to Rice University. Their credentials are as follows: 2-9 worksheet in 1978, defeats of 66-7, 58-0, 49-25 and 34-0 in '78, never giving up less than 23 points in their nine losses, and scoring seven or less points in five games. To top it all off, most of last year's team returns for another fateful year. Awesome. The rest of my Top Ten and Bottom Five looks like this:

Top Ten	Bottom Five
1. Texas	1. Rice
2. Southern Cal	2. Vanderbilt
3. Alabama	3. Northwestern
4. Oklahoma	4. Virginia
5. Perdue	5. Wake Forest
6. Nebraska	
7. Notre Dame	
8. Michigan	
9. Penn State	
10. Tennessee	

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- 4) The winner shall receive one album of his choice (\$5.99 value). From L - M Records on North Main St.
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Home Team

Michigan.....	Notre Dame
Clemson.....	Maryland
Boston College ..	Tennessee
Lehigh.....	Slippery Rock
Seattle.....	Oakland
Atlanta.....	Denver
Washington.....	N.Y. Giants

Pick the total amount of points scored Pittsburgh vs. St. Louis

Don Scarborough: '100 percent Better'

By Debbie Willenborg

"The Brevard College Soccer Team has the potential of being the best team that we have had for years," says Coach Don Scarborough. The Torandos played in an exhibition game with the Varsity squad of Appalachian State, the 15th ranked team in the NCAA Division 1. The score remained 0 - 0 until the last 10 minutes of the half; however, in the last few minutes Appalachian scored twice. Hank Stenbrecker, Appalachian's soccer coach, spoke highly of the Torandos in saying that he feels Brevard is better than any four-year schools that they have played this year.

Coach Scarborough believes that this year's team is 100 percent better than last years and the reason for this is that the returning players have improved tremendously, along with obtaining the finest group of freshman recruits. For instance, Ed Pagan, from Miami, played on the 19 and under U.S. National Team, Teddy Winston, from Belgium, was voted All State for North Carolina, All South - All American in High School and is one of the best soccer payers that North Carolina has ever produced. Also, Victor Chee and Dale Ramnosky, from North Miami Beach are very good players and quite valuable to the team. The returning players are invaluable to the team.

Hassan Regimand was an All South selection for the NJCAA National Jr. College Athletics Association. Coach Scarborough said that last year Hassan was the key to the team. Others returning are Jeff Lofton, Freddie Kinnear, Mark Lee, Bobby Lougher, and Bobby Stinnett. Andy Dickinson has looked outstanding in the pre-season workouts and is just now "tapping his potentials". Sam Licata, Brevard's goal keeper, has improved so much that Don feels he may prove to be the best goalie that we have seen in years. With these credentials and with dedication of the team, the Tornados may climb to become number one.

This year's schedule has been upgraded and made more competitive. Brevard will be hosting its own invitational at the end of September with Erskine, Dekalb South, and Dekalb Central.

The Tornados' first game is today against Warren Wilson's B Team - at Warren Wilson. The opening home game is scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 13 against Presbyterian College. Both games are at 4:00.

Cross Country Prospects Great

By Ray Duckworth

Last year Brevard College's cross country squad was rated fourth in the nation. According to Norm Witek, cross country coach, this year's team is as good as last year's even though it is an inexperienced team with only two returning sophomores.

Those two runners are All-Americans Jeff Wentworth and John George. Last year Jeff was rated the fourteenth best runner in the nation's junior colleges. John was ranked seventeenth. Along with Wentworth and George eighteen freshmen have joined the squad, forming Brevard's largest Cross-Country team ever.

This year's squad includes Ronnie Treadway who as a high school senior was one of the top two milers in the nation. Keith Johnson, Michael Bachman, Richard Haymaker, and Greg Stotler who led their high school team in Virginia to a state title also join the team. Roger

Saulsman, an outstanding Tarheel thinclad, is another new addition to the team. His credentials include a third place finish in the state championships. Tim Stewart who hails from Florida also promises to put on a good showing. Joe Briscoe, another North Carolinian, is a promising runner. Briscoe placed eighth in N.C. last year. Two runners, Mark Hall and David Dietz are injured but might make it into the top seven. Rounding out the squad are Jay Baxter, Paul Bailey, Chuck Dogten, Nivalde Mason, Steven Phipps, Haime Ruiz, and Jeff Taylor. Donna McLain is running unofficially.

Right now it is impossible to name the top seven runners, but on September 1, Wentworth, George, Treadway and Stewart all tied for first in a ten mile time trial at 54:39.

The teams first match is today at 3:30 at the cross country track.

By Bobby Henson

Sam Lewis will take over the head coaching job of the men's varsity basketball which was vacated by John Meyeroff. Mr. Lewis attended Wake Forest University, where he received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science. While at Wake Forest, Lewis was active in student affairs. He was a member of the Honor Council, and was president of the council his senior year. He was named to the Dean's List his junior and senior years.

Mr. Lewis is from Burlington, North Carolina, where he attended Western Alamance High School. He enjoys all sports. He also likes to listen to country music. Before Mr. Lewis came to Brevard College he held high school teaching and coaching position in Winston-Salem, Raleigh, and Fayetteville, North Carolina. Mr. Lewis gave this as his most important reason for coming to Brevard: "I really like the faculty and the students here. I am convinced that there is not any faculty or student body that is as good as Brevard's in North Carolina." He also stated that he thought Brevard would be a good place to enter into college coaching. In addition to being the head basketball coach, Lewis will instruct Physical Education courses.

Intramural Program Swings Into Action

By Mike McFarland

The Brevard College Intramural Program is preparing to swing into action once again. Corky Maynor, Intramural Director, and his student assistants, Annette Miale and Stan Champion, have made many plans to offer Brevard College students a wide variety of intramural activities at both team and individual levels.

A men's and women's volleyball league is slated to kick off the intramural program this week. Each dormitory as well as the Day Students is expected to be represented in the competition with awards being given to the winning teams. Two matches remain scheduled for this week, on Wednesday and Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the courtyard between Jones and Beam dormitories. The schedules for later matches are posted in each dormitory.

Other events planned include softball, a swim meet, a free throw shooting contest, league basketball, and 1-on-1 basketball, and a cross country meet. Awards will be presented to the winners and runner-ups in individual activities and team members of winning teams in league competition. The dormitories will also be involved in the awards program because the dorm winning the most team events as well as the dorm exhibiting the best sportsmanship will be presented trophies.

All students are eligible to participate except for varsity athletes competing in the same event in which they play at the varsity level. Resident tutors and faculty are also permitted to compete if asked by a team.

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