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The sports year in review

by Juan Kincaid Sports Editor

The Year In Review

This year in sports was an unforgettable one. Literally every eye-catching moment had the spectator on the edge of his chair. Just in case you missed it:

National Football League

As I pulled in an earlier Clarion article, the San Francisco 49ers were victories in the Super Bowl, winning easily over the Cincinnati Bengals. For all of the doubters out there, I guess next time you'll take my

NCAA Men's Basketball

Who would of think it? Michigan and Seton Hall in the NCAA finals! Well that's just how it ended up, with upsets throughout the tournament. Seton Hall and Michigan survived to meet in the finals where the Wolverines put the Hall in its place and disposed of the Pirates in one of the most thrilling final games in NCAA history

Major League Baseball

Because the season is just underway, I'll just say that the New York Yankees are going to win the World Series. Hey

National Basketball Association

Athletes are moving on up

by Scott Holmes Clarion Reporter

The end of the 1988-89 school year is here, and it has been an exciting year at BC with the athletes being one reason why.

The sophomore athletes are exporting their talents all over the country with many going to major universities.

The sophomore members of the cross country team, coach by Dave Rinker, are heading in many different regions of the South. Ted Fort, of Riverdale Ga., will go to the University of South Carolina-Columbia, while teammate Brad Dodson, of Brevard, is heading toward Appalachian State University. Orange Park, Fla. native Scott Dvorak will attend North Carolina State University. Jeff Pajak, of Annandale, Va., is going to South Alabama University, and Geoff Moore and Chet Reid are off to Clemson University and South Florida University, respectively.

National Junior College Women's Cross Country Champion Alice Gaines is heading home to Blacksburg, Va. to attend Virginia Tech University with All-American Marjorie Hawk, of Daytona Beach, Fla joining Gaines at VPI

With the men's soccer team, many sophomores are transferring as are two freshmen. Sophomore Juan "Peanut" Kincaid is headed to Lenoir Rhyne College, and classmate Rusty Rogers will attend Coastal Carolina University. Goalkeeper Phil Marks is uncertain, but will most like-

ly attend Florida Southern University. Bill Stevenson is also uncertain, but will most likely head to Stetson University. Matt Blue is heading to ASU and will try out for the soccer team. Sophomore Billy Koontz is returning to BC for a fifth semester. Freshman Greg Carter is going to the University of Florida to play football, while freshman Fico Lopez will attend the College of Charleston.

The men's basketball team's leading scorer Darren Lawler is heading to the University of Tennessee-Martin. Leading rebounder Mike Cole and teammate Jason Williams are choosing from Greensboro College and Lake Erie College in Painesville, Ohio. Ron Connor will attend either the University of North Carolina-Greensboro or Greensboro College, but will not play basketball as is Doug Webb, who is planning to attend Georgia Southern University

The women's basketball team has two sophomores. Tonja Barksdale is heading to Clark University on a full scholarship, while Stephanie Hoback is choosing from several colleges such as Mars Hill and

The women's tennis team has three sophomores leaving. Michelle Morton will decide between the University of South Florida or Florida State University. Satina Waites will attend UNC-Asheville, and Kim Sowell is headed to the University of South Carolina.

The lone sophomore on the men's golf team, Chip York, is planning to attend Greensboro College to play golf.

BC Tennis team ends season

by Lorrie A. Diaz Clarion Reporter

To wrap up the year in women's tennis the Lady Tornadoes' team record was 2-3.

"The Lady Netters have gradually improved over the season and have been very competitive," said Coach Tom Radford. This year's team consisted of 6 key players. Seeds numbers 1-6 are as follows: Joely White. Kim Sowell, Kazumi Egusa, Michelle 'Mimo' Morton, Satina Waites, and Crystal Dalton.

Western Carolina, a university of higher rank and division, was among Brevard's According to Coach Radford, competing against a school like Western Carolina gave the Tornado players a good workout because BC had "no business playing them." Said a proud coach Radford, "They're working on it and that's all you can ask."

Number one seed player Joely White said, "We've done the best with what we have."

they'll win it again this year. The Lakers disposed of a very talented, but young Detroit Pistons team in a tough seven game series. The two teams will meet again this year to decide the champion. And again, not to be redundant, the Lakers

National Hockey League

Although I'm a Wayne Gretsky and an Edmonton Oilers fan, their (the Oilers) string of championships will come to an end this year. The Calgary Flames will rise to the top of the league, and they'll defeat Mario Lemieux and the Pittsburgh Penguins to capture the crown.

BC Sports Bits

Men's Basketball

Head coach Doug Rogers produced his first ever 20 win season for Brevard. The Tornadoes, who lost in the semifinals of the Region X Tournament to North Greenville, ended the season with a 20-11 season.

Women's Basketball

Newly acquired head coach Tom Radford found his first season at the helm a very unpleasant one. Though it was a dismal season, the Lady Tornadoes provided the students with a good brand of basketball, and the students can be assured that the Lady Tornadoes will be in the thick of things next season.

Men's Soccer

In his first season as head coach of the men's soccer team, David Taylor led his Tornadoes to the finals of the Southeastern District in Deland, Florida. Also he and the: Tornadoes captured the Region X title for the 24th time in the last 26 attempts.

The L.A. Lakers won it last year, and will be victorious.

Taylor was not as fortunate with his women's team this year. Although it was a rebuilding year for the program, the Lady Tornadoes managed to make it to the Region X tournament before being ousted.

Women's Soccer

Men's and Women's Cross Country

To any other school, fourth in the nation in both men's and women's cross country would be a successful season, but not for Brevard, a school that's accustomed to winning National Championships. Congrats to the cross country team for a job well done and especially to Alice Gaines, who won the meet to become National Champion.

Women's Tennis

It's not the U.S. Open or Wimbledon. It's Brevard College tennis at its best. Coach Tom Radford pits his young and inexperienced team up against the rest of the region in hopes of turning some upsets. Don't expect a title of this year, but don't count them out in the near future.

Golfers finish second here

by Will Collins

Clarion Reporter

It's a hot spring day, the smell of freshly cut grass mixes with a feeling of excitement and the sweet taste of victory rivaled away with the agony of defeat

Five warriors armed only with a set of iron clubs a piece breath one last sign before they launched into attack at the Glen Cannon tournament on April 14 and 15 in Brevard.

Though they started off with a slow start "the second day was the best day for the team," said Coach Doug Rogers about the two day Glen Cannon Tournament. They came in closely on the heels of Anderson College, who had a score of 621 and came in first place. Brevard won a well deserved second place with a score of 634.

The golf program is in its first year here at Brevard College but Coach Rogers and his team are already blazing trails of vic-

They put a dent in North Greenville's pride on March 31 when they beat them by 21 strokes. Brevard's winning score of 314 gave them the strength and the skill to put an even bigger dent in North Greenville's pride when they lost to Brevard at Tryon.

"Our main goal all season has been to reach the regionals in Nebraska," said Coach Rogers, "but one way or the other I'm real pleased with the teams effort this year."

Trexler named to All-Region team

from BC News Bureau Katie Trexler of Brevard College has been named to the All-Region X women's basketball team.

Trexler, a Rockwell, N.C. native and East Rowan graduate, is the daughter of Peggy Trexler of 640 West Park Drive, Rockwell. At Brevard the outstanding freshman ended the season ranked first in the region in three-point field goals, shooting 54 out of 123 for 43.9 percent.

She was also the Lady Tornadoes leading scorer with 18.1 per game, making her 5th in the region in that category.

Her other stats in the region: ranked 10th in two point field goal percentage, shooting 84 out of 189 for 44.4 percent; ranked fourth in free throws with 70 out of 91 for 76.9 percent; ranked fourth in assists with 100 for 4.6 per game; and ranked sixth in steals with 64 and 2.8 per game.