

SPORTS

Basketball team plays tough in tourney

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The men's basketball team ended the season with two very hard-played games in our own hosted regional tournament. In the first game, the Tornados had to play North Greenville

to see who would advance to play the number one ranked Anderson. The BC team jumped off to an early lead in the first half. Headed by Adrian Phifer's 22 points and Bobby Britt's 19, they won the game 105 - 85.

In the next game, the Tornados had to face the number one team ranked in

the nation, Anderson. At the end of the first half it was only a seven point lead for Anderson. In the second half, Anderson just seemed to be too big and strong to contain. Joe Chavis and Bobby Britt both ended with 12 points, finishing their careers here at Brevard. This was also the last game for Keith Wallington, Derek Owen, and John

Laughter here at Brevard College.

The school is very proud and key players returning and they plan to work hard in the off season to get prepared for next year.

thankful for the work and commitment of the five sophomores. The team ended at just under .500, but have got many

Men's indoor soccer team reaches finals once again

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The Brevard College mens indoor soccer team was once again successful in reaching the finals of the tournament.

The BC indoor soccer team won their qualifying group by beating some pretty big schools. The first big test for the team was Sue Bennett College and they won. The Tornados then went on to win two more, beating Coker College and Lenoir Rhyne, all of which are four year colleges.

Entering the quarter finals, the team once again found themselves playing four-year schools. Again, the Tornados pulled through, beating Coker College and Lenoir Rhyne which is traditionally a Division II power.

The BC indoor soccer team, playing

as impressive as ever, reached the final game for the second straight year. The team played aggressive, tough, and physical soccer but were no match for Sparkle United, who won the tournament for the third straight year. The BC indoor soccer team played impressively well against Sparkle United which is made up of players from Tennessee Wesleyan and Lindsey Wilson College. Both schools are traditional NAIA powers.

Coach Schaefer stated that "It was an excellent showing since the team was made up of all freshmen and one sophomore."

John Sola, who played exceptionally well, made the All-Tournament team and Tom Shahlshimidt was again called on to play in goal in the finals.



Bobby Britt, No. 22, drives for the basket during the Region X Tournament.

Women's soccer team impressive in tourney

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This year's BC Indoor Soccer Tournament also consisted of a women's tournament. The women's tournament consisted of 24 teams, and along with the men the BC women reached the finals.

The BC girls team started strong as usual. They beat a well organized U.T.-Chattanooga team. Then they went on to beat Coker College, and a combined team consisting of Lenoir Rhyne and Gardner Webb.

With these three impressive wins, the team rolled into the playoffs. The next game for them would probably be the biggest test of the tournament. The team had to go up against North Carolina Wesleyan, a team which was a

Division III school, and ranked fifth nationally. Once again the girls played exceptionally well and came out with an impressive win.

Moving on to the finals, the team probably played one of the more stranger games in the tourney. The team was now going to have to go up against their own alumni. The team played one of their best games, but lost 3-2.

The women's coach stated that, "I have been really impressed with the play of the women. They have been to four tournaments, and have only lost twice." The two losses were in the finals at Brevard and Warren Wilson. The two victories came at U.T.-Chattanooga and Maryville.

The Brevard College women's team put two players on the All-tournament team, Dawn Haessig and Stacy Kuhr.

Women's basketball team fall in tournament heartbreaker

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As the Region X Tournament came to an end, the Brevard College Lady Tornados finished off a strong year at 14 and 14 overall.

Going into the tournament, held at Spartanburg Methodist, Brevard's chances of winning it all looked good. In their first game of the tournament, Brevard was pitted against North Greenville. Both teams came out ready to play in what was probably the closest and most exciting game of the tournament, as the score remained close the entire game. Unfortunately it was

North Greenville holding onto a one-point lead as the clock ran down, sending the Brevard Lady Tornados to a heartbreak loss, 81-80, and a first round exit from the tournament.

Brevard's Makisha Gary was named to the all-tournament team. Christy Shaw and Keeta Robinson, who led Brevard in most of the offense categories throughout the year, were named to the all-region team.

With seven returning players and some new prospects moving in, the 1994-1995 Lady Tornado season looks promising. Experience should lead the Tornados to a Region X tournament championship next year.