

PILOT SPORTS

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Golfers In Fall Practice

The Gardner-Webb College golf team has been quite busy in the past few weeks. The first few weeks of fall practice were devoted to practice and qualification. The fall qualification tournament ended with Mike Stewart in the number one position followed by Gary Dobbins, John Kyle, Jack Moore, Ben Balentine, Paul Staley, and Richard Schultz.

Mike Stewart was the team's number two man last year but managed to climb to the top of the roster with a 281.

Also participating in the fall practice are Zeb Bean, Bob Decker, Sam Madison, John Kirkham, Bob Florence, Kim Wauhbaum, Lee Suttie, and Jimmy Hunsicker.

The golf team, upon completion of qualification, traveled to Etoawah, North Carolina, for the Etoawah Collegiate Invitation Tournament where Gardner-Webb placed fifth. Mike Stewart placed sixth in the tournament. Gary Dobbins and Ben Balentine tied for tenth place.

Coach Allen seems confident that the team will be ready for the Spring for it's tough schedule.

The golf team had a very successful year in 1971. The golfers

defeated Lenoir Rhyne in the District 26 regionals and then climbed to fifth place in the NAIA Nationals in Rockford, Ill. The team is to be commended for their time and effort and for a job well done.

In the light of the team's performance, one particular individual stands out. This player is Terry Florence, Florence, a 1971 graduate, shot a 78-74-71-72 to rank him third in the NAIA competition. He was selected for the first team All-American, which makes him the second All-American for Gardner-Webb in its 70-71 sport season.

Terry gives his dad credit for teaching him the finer points of golf beginning at the age of eleven. Three years later he won the Charlotte City Junior Tournament. He later played for South Mecklenburg High School in Charlotte and has earned numerous scholarships, both large and small. Terry followed in his father's footsteps and entered the College of Charleston, in Charleston, South Carolina. He was not completely satisfied, however, and so he transferred to Gardner-Webb for his next three years.

Football Opens Intramural Season

MEN

The Day Veterans Decker, and Myers are the powerhouses in men's intramural football this fall. The Day-Vets composed of day students and Veterans have not lost a game at this writing, and gave up only six points in its first four games.

Myers managed by Randy Kirby, and Decker managed by Bob Loris are close behind with only one lost each.

The top four teams of the regular season standings will play for the championship. The deciding game will be played in Spangler Stadium.

Also offered for the fall semester is tennis, volleyball, and billiards. Ping pong may be scheduled if interest is great enough.

Men's tennis tournament, doubles and singles begin Monday, October 18. The single elimination tournament will be played in the free time after tennis practice. Trophies will be awarded.

Hal Elliott, a Physical Education major, is the Men's Intramural Director. Hal is a senior from Durham.

WOMEN

Women's Intramural Powder Puff Football started this year on September 9, with all games being played on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4:30. All three women's dormitories participated.

Happy beat Nanney in the stadium for the finals October 13, with both cheerleaders for each team and a mock Homecoming Queen. A trophy was given to the winning team.

The captain for Hal is Brenda Walker, with Charlie Gaskins as coach. Sharon Crawford is captain for Nanney and Jay Johnson is coach. Shou has Ella Harrison as captain and Dennis Coliseum as coach.

Carolyn Powers, a Physical Education major, is the Intramural Director for the girls this year.

Ongoing women's sports for this year are volleyball, basketball, badminton, bicycle riding, and softball. There has been much enthusiasm in the dorms, according to Carolyn, and day students are now urged to take part in the program, too.

Women's Intramurals



Stroup and Nanney coeds battle it out in Powder Puff football. Nanney won over Stroup in semi-finals and went on to beat Happy for the finals, October 15.

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1971-72 Gardner-Webb Cheerleaders



Pictured above are the G-W cheerleaders for 1971-72. From left to right are Carolyn Vinson, junior from Valdesa, N. C.; Eddie Sparks, sophomore, the Bulldog from Shelby; Ann Cline, chief, senior from Lincoln-ton; (2nd row) Gail Wazniscky, senior from Richmond; Linda Albright, freshman from Baltimore; Patti Epley, sophomore from Lakeland, Fla.; Myra Botta, junior from Shelby; (3rd row) Debbie Burns, freshman from Kings Mountain; Carolyn Powers, senior from Elkin; and Kay Abrams, sophomore from Bowling Springs.

Bulldogs Face Eagles In Homecoming Game

Gardner-Webb College's grid-ders will host the Carson Newman Eagles this Saturday afternoon at 2:00 for the annual Homecoming game. This is their sixth game of the season. The Bulldogs stood 2-2 after the Guilford game October 9.

Gardner-Webb spectacularly started out the season with a 24-6 upset of Lenoir Rhyne. Newberry got their revenge from last year, whipping the Bulldogs 20-0. After an open date, Gardner-Webb traveled to Elon, where they lost to the Fighting Christians 33-14. At Guilford, they stomped the Quakers 42-15, where Johnny Phillips punted for a 43-8 aver-

age. There was good pass defense for Tommy Way and Richard Wolford.

Carson Newman lost to Sanford 7-0, but beat East Tennessee 17-10. They also won over Emory-Henry 13-10 and Mars Hill 27-10. The run by Catawba 31-0 Twenty-nine of 38 Carson-Newman letters from last year returned this year.

The Bulldogs have lost two fine linemen, Split End Ken Reid and Defensive Line man, Coleman Hunt. Both are lost for the season and have already undergone knee surgery.

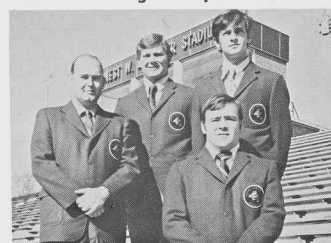
In commenting on this Baptist school that GW will play for the

first time, Coach Litton stated that he "expects them to be a real fine team with a good passing attack." NAIA Honorable Mention All-American, Rodney Wampler, is expected to be a good rusher against the Bulldogs, according to Coach Litton. And Billy Wilson, an NAIA Honorable Mention All-American also, and Co-captain, will lead the Eagles defensively, proving to be tough center.

October 30, the Bulldogs will travel to Mars Hill to play the Lions. Mars Hill will be seeking revenge from the 18-13 victory of the Bulldogs last year at GW's Homecoming. This will be the Lion's Homecoming, adding even more to the Lion's revenge motif against the Bulldogs.

The next game Nov. 6 will see the Bulldogs in combat with Presbyterian college at home, and the next week, Nov. 15, the Bulldogs will meet Georgetown, also a home game.

Bulldog Tri-Captains



Leading the Bulldogs this season in football are the tri-captain Tommy Way, Lee Thompson, and Ray Hanson. Coach Litton, far left, led the Bulldogs to a 2-2 record up to the Sanford game.

RIP 'EM UP TEAR 'EM UP DOGS!

'71-'72 G-W Basketball Schedule

Nov. 23—Piedmont—Home	Jan. 6—Allen University—Home
Nov. 26-27—Asheville Tip-Off Tournament—Asheville	Jan. 8—Lenoir Rhyne—Hickory
Gardner-Webb, UNC-A, High Point, Yorknes	Jan. 13—Barber Scotia—Concord
Dec. 14—Kings Mountain Invitational—Kings Mountain	Jan. 15—Mars Hill—Canton
Gardner-Webb, Elon, Barber-Scotia, St. Augustine	Jan. 18—Piedmont—Demorest,
Dec. 9—Lenoir Rhyne—Home	Jan. 21—Florida Memorial—Home
Dec. 11—Coppin State—Home	Jan. 22—Baptist College of Charleston—Home
Dec. 18—UNC-Asheville—Charlotte Coliseum	Jan. 27—Voorhes—Home
Dec. 27-28—GWC Holiday Tournament—Home	Jan. 29—U. S. Philant—Home
Lenoir Rhyne, Mars Hill, Belmont, Gardner-Webb	Feb. 5—Barber Scotia—Home
Dec. 31—Cumberland—Kings Min.	Feb. 10, 11, 12—University of Mexico Tournament—Mexico City
	Feb. 18—Guilford—Greensboro College
	Feb. 23—Western Carolina—Charlotte Coliseum

Gardner-Webb Basketball

Seventeen games, plus three tournaments and a four-day trip to Mexico City will all be included in the 1971-72 Gardner-Webb College basketball season.

The cagers will open the season November 23 with a home game against Piedmont College of Demorest, Georgia.

The Bulldogs lost only one man from the 1970-71 team which won 20 games and lost four. The lone loss was Jack McGillif from Statesville, N. C.

Gardner-Webb's cagers for 1971-72 have received top rating nationally as Street and Smith's Basketball Annual selects the Bulldogs for a fifth place finish in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.

Four other cage powers have been selected in this order to finish the season above the Bulldogs: Eau Claire State (Wis.); University of Michigan; Kentucky State, and Fairmont State, (W. Va.).

The magazine also names Bulldog star George Adams to a berth on the NAIA All-American Team. Adams made the All-American Team last year as a junior when he pumped in 30 plus points per game and tied for fourth in 15 rebounds per outing.

Returning this year for another year are the NAIA All-Americans, Terry junior; Tony Spagnola, 6-4 Patterson, N. J.; senior; Dennis DeSanctis, 5-10 Trenton, N. J.; senior; Leo Dugger, 6-2 Hampton, Tenn. junior; Henry Boyd, 6-11 Winnsboro, S. C. sophomore, and Rich and Thomas, 6-2 Chicago Ill., III.