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Bisons finish



Cuttrell, Dennis Quinn, Gary Benton; Knealing: Coach Mike Saylors, Jay Polk, Doug Hilton, Scott Pender, Scott Adams, Bruce Bowden. Photo: Randal C. Turley

By Randal C. Turley

WCC sweeps double header

The WCC softball team began its 1989 season by pounding Carteret Technical Community College in both games of the opening double header, 22-4, and 11-1. The team was led by Tracy Bissette who had six hits at seven at bats. WCC combined for 35 hits overall while holding the opposition to just 10.

WCC wins 3-4 from Coastal

At Peacock Park, WCC's home field, WCC split a two-game series with Coastal Carolina Community College. The first game went in WCC's favor by a score of 11-6, but Coastal rebounded in the second game to hand WCC its first defeat 6-4.

WCC edges Cape Fear

The Bisons travelled to Wilmington to play Cape Fear Community College on April 25. WCC won the first game with ease 10-3. The second game Cape Fear took the Bisons to the limit but came up a run short. WCC came out on top once again with an 8-7 victory, extending the record to 7-1.

BISONS enter tournament on a tear

WCC finished up the regular softball seaon with a 9-1 record overall and a 6-0 record in the conference. The team scored 108 runs and had a batting average of .438 for the season.

The top three batting averages were held by Tracy Bissette, Doug Hilton, and Dennis Quinn. Bissette led the team with a season average of .666. Hilton finished at .575, followed closely by Quinn who ended the season batting .566. The Bisons will enter the Eastern Carolina Community College Athletic Conference as the team to beat. Coach Mike Saylors said, "If we play like we've been playing, we should win it all." Good luck guys!

BISONS whip Carteret again

WCC finished up its regular season with a sweep of Carteret Community College at Peacock Park. The scores were 17–5 and 8-6 respectively. The Bisons had a team batting average of .507 and 34 hits overall while holding Carteret to an average of .296 and 16 hits.

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Memorial

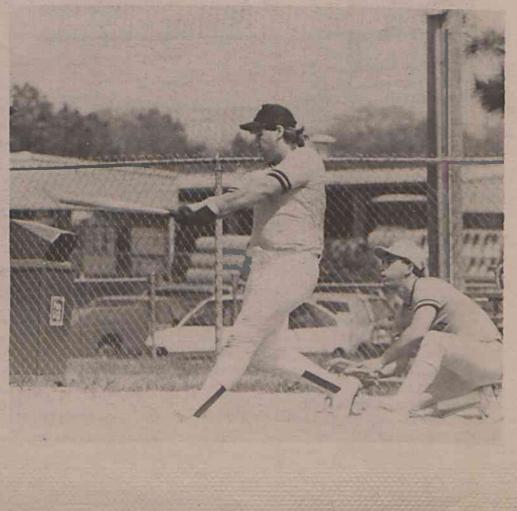
By De Elliott

On February 21, 1989, the "Campus Voice" lost one of its own. John Reaves, soorts editor, was taken from us when he was killed in an auto accident. John was much loved, respected, and admired by those who knew him. An active sports enthusiast and basketball player, as well as sports editor for this newspaper, John was known around the campus as a friendly person, always willing to lend a hand to those in need.

Death is always tragic, but it is even more so when the life lost is a young life, full of hopes and potential: hopes that will never be realized. potential that will never be fulfilled. John was very much loved for the wonderful person he was.

He is sorely missed now that he is gone.

Bill Sears slaps a double to center against Coastal Carolina. Photo: Randal C. Turley



The next two games were played in Jacksonville, Coastal Carolina's home town, with WCC squeezing out two very close and exciting, over-time victories.

| | | SCORE | BOARD | | |
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| WCC | OPPONENT | | WCC | OPPONENT | |
| 11 | 10 | Coastal | 22 | 4 | Carteret |
| 10 | 3 | Cape Fear | 11 | 1 | Carteret |
| 8 | 7 | Cape Fear | 11 | 6 | Coastal |
| 17 | 5 | Carteret | - 4 | 6 | Coastal |
| 8 | 6 | Carteret | 5 | 3 | Coastal |