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#### A time to kill

The undefeated North Carolina volleyball team (4-0) returns to Carmichael Auditorium for its 1996 home opener tonight against Washington. Amber Willey (left) led the Tar Heels to the title in the Virginia Tech Classic this weekend with 61 kills in

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# Depleted Tar Heels drop Duke in ACC kickoff

BY AARON BEARD

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With injuries taking a bite out of the starting lineup, North Carolina women's soccer coach Anson Dorrance had to look deep onto his bench. Tiffany Roberts was out. Cindy Parlow was avail-

able but banged up.
So Dorrance gave the nod to three freshmen: Laurie Schwoy, Lorrie Fair and Rebekah McDowell. And in front of a Fetzer Field crowd of 4,500 — a

record for a regular-sea-- they led the | Women's Soccer Tar Heel charge.

Soli gaine — lifey led the large.

Behind a key first-half goal by Schwoy, No. 1

UNC (1-0, 1-0 ACC) pushed ahead of sixth-ranked Duke and held on for a 2-1 victory.

"Obviously, first games of the season are where you're seeing 60,000 areas you want to improve in," Dorrance said. "I'm excited we beat Duke, who's one of the best teams we'll

play all season. So that's a

The Blue Devils (0-1, 0-1 ACC) joined UNC in playing the youth card, with five fresh-men seeing significant time in the 90-minute struggle.

39:24 mark of the first half when Schwoy streaked to the left of the penalty box and broke away from her defender. Once Duke goalie Dana Piper came out of goal, Schwoy chipped the ball over her and

dropped it in for a 2-1 lead and her first score as a Tar Heel.

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"I knew that the defender was on my inside and Ilooked up and saw the goalie coming out, "Schwoy said. "The only shot I really had was a chipper because I didn't have that great of an angle. I just hit

it up there and luckily it went in.
"Coming in here, I was really nervous. I wanted to contribute in any way I could. To have scored a goal like that ... it was, no doubt, the best goal of my

Dorrance called Schwoy's performance stunning. For me to be afraid to take out a freshman is unheard of," he said. "But when we started substituting our front, I really felt we could not afford to

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Junior forward Robin Confer (7) holds off a Duke player during UNC's 2-1 victory Sunday. Confer had one assist in the contest.

## New faces augment UNC lineup, offer depth to ailing team

BY PAUL STRELOW ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

North Carolina women's soccer coach Anson Dorrance sure didn't hesitate to throw his new recruiting class into the fire. However, the results indicate this group doesn't need any orientation to the level of play expected on a UNC squad.

Dorrance started three freshman in the season

opener against nemesis Duke on Sunday. Injuries to midfielder Tiffany Roberts and forward Cindy Parlow warranted this infusion of youth, but by day's end, six new Tar Heels had played prominent roles in UNC's 2-1 victory.

Leading the new crop was freshman forward Laurie Schwoy, who showed signs that she could join the long list of UNC greats. Schwoy entered the season tucked behind an impressive forward line of Parlow, Debbie Keller and Robin Confer.

But after her game-winning goal, she was the one receiving attention from media and fans.

"I was stunned at how well Schwoy played," said Dorrance. "She's as comfortable with her back to pressure as any player I've ever seen. I'm not talking about here at UNC. I'm talking about players that have played at a national and international level.

Another thing I liked about Schwoy is that she's a complete player. ... Most top high school front runners are purely attacking players and it takes them a year or two to become a defensive presence

Schwoy's talents were not the only ones on display Sunday. Midfielder Lorrie Fair competed all 90 minutes, and her relentless play led to several firsthalf attacks along the left flank. Senior forward Nicole Roberts, a transfer from Massachusetts, used her tremendous speed to help shut down Duke forward Sherrill Kester, drawing praise from

Three other first-year Tar Heels contributed solid performances. Gretchen Overgaard, a transfer from UCLA, started the second half in goal but didn't face a shot. Her most impressive moment came when she

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## Keldorf answers quarterback call



Junior quarterback Chris Keldorf found out last Thursday that he would start for the Tar Heels vs. Clemson.

Chris Keldorf, who started at QB on Saturday, threw for two touchdowns.

> BY JOSEPH ROLISON SPORTSATURDAY EDITOR

After weeks of guessing, The Oues-

tion was answered Saturday.

Before North Carolina's 45-0 thrashing of Clemson, no one was sure who would run things behind center in the Tar Heels' new offense. Chris Keldorf proved he could lead a pass-oriented scheme in junior college, but he had no Division I game experience.

Oscar Davenport had experience in a Tar Heel operated a high-

coaches Keldorf on Thursday that he was the starter.

Two days later, OSCAR DAVEN he answered the challenge by com-pleting 15 of 22

passes for 182 yards and two touchdowns with only one interception. Davenport, meanwhile, didn't enter the game the fourth quarter, long after the Tar Heels had the game wrapped up.

didn't play until the

"(Keldorf) threw some great balls, and they had some good catches," Clemson cornerback Peter Ford said.

"This was his first Division I game and he came out and showed he can play at this level." Keldorf's first game didn't begin on a

high note, however.

Although he began the game by com-

pleting his first four passes, the Tar Heel attack hardly scratched the Clemson defense. Then, on UNC's second posses sion, Tiger linebacker Rahim Abdullah snatched Keldorf's errant toss.

But Keldorf stayed confident, and behind a nearly impenetrable line, he got things rolling late in the first stanza.

"(UNC coach Mack Brown) was just telling me to relax, be patient, and things will come, and I did that," Keldorf said. "I'm able to do that with the protection that I have.

"I can't say enough about the (line). I'm perfectly clean — I don't have to Despite Keldorf's error, Davenport

didn't get the call. While Keldorf wasn't flashy, he settled in and led the Tar Heel offense on time-consuming drives. UNC went into the locker room up 10-0, thanks mainly to Leon Johnson's running.
"We planned on trying to get Oscar in

the game in the first quarter," Brown said. "But you're up 10-0, things are going good, and you don't want to slow things down at the time."

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## this weekend

#### Field hockey team rolls

The North Carolina field hockey team. ranked No. 1 in the nation by College Sports magazine, began its season with a 3-0 whipping of No. 6 Penn State in State College, Pa. on Sunday and a 6-0 annihilation of No. 4 James Madison in Harrisonburg, Va., on Monday.
Against the

Dukes Bridgeforth Stadium, sophomore Nancy Pelligreen paced the Tar Heels with her second career hat goal just 1:20 into the contest. Senior midfielder Ashley forwards Cindy Barber rounded out

netted a hat trick

the scoring, while junior goalie Jana Withrow capped off her second shutout in as many days with 10 saves. The Tar Heels finished strong in

Sunday's opener against Penn State, scor-ing al of their goals in the second half. Junior midfielder Joy Driscoll, senior

midfielder Susannah Schott and Werley each dented the Nittany Lions' twine, while Withrow turned back nine Penn State bids on the afternoon

#### Men's soccer manhandled

The North Carolina men's soccer team's 1996 campaign got off to a rocky start Saturday as William & Mary upset the 15th-ranked Tar Heels 4-0 at Busch

Field in Williamsburg, Va.
Senior Waughn Hughes struck first for the Tribe (1-0), beating UNC (0-1) goalie Dimitry Drouin with a shot off a throw-in just 2:27 into the first half.

In the 55th minute with the Tar Heels down 1-0 directer struck First Hells.

down 1-0, disaster struck. First, a UNC own goal slipped below the crossbar, giving William & Mary a 2-0 lead. Four minutes later, Tribe defenseman Michael Botta capitalized off a Tar Heel foul when his direct kick ricocheted off two UNC

players and into the goal.

Tribe midfielder Wade Barrett capped the scoring in the 82nd minute off a feed

#### **Volleyball blitzes Classic**

The North Carolina volleyball team rolled through this weekend's Virginia Tech Volleyball Classic, pasting four opponents in the minimum 12 games on its way to the tournament title.

On Saturday, the Tar Heels (4-0) notched sweeps over William & Mary and Virginia Tech to clinch the championship. Senior outside hitter Amber Willey notched 10 kills and sophomore Alicia Alford chipped in with seven dur-ing UNC's 15-2, 16-14, 16-14 morning victory over the Tribe. Against the Hokies, Willey again led the Tar Heels by burying 21 kills in a 15-12, 15-7, 15-12 win.

The Tar Heels started their season The Tar Heels started their season Friday with victories against Georgetown and American. Willey again led the charge, recording 18 kills in a 15-8, 15-12, 15-4 rout of the Hoyas and 12 in a 16-14, 15-13, 15-11 decision over the Eagles. FROM STAFF REPORTS

## Turnovers stifle Tigers, key defensive domination

BY ALEC MORRISON ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

Throughout the 1995 season one facet of defensive production seemed to elude North Carolina.

Time and time again, last year's Tar Heels couldn't create key turnovers. But on Saturday, amid the most thorough ination UNC has produced under coach Mack Brown, the Tar Heels forgot about the past as they harassed Clemson's offense

UNC kept the Tigers scrambling all

afternoon, forcing Clemson to make hurried decisions that often didn't work out.

And the main by-product of the defensive frenzy was a slew of turnovers that helped position the Tar Heel offense for quick scoring strikes. North Carolina forced and recovered two fumbles and snagged two intercep-tions during its 45-0 rout of the Tigers in

The turnovers helped set up several scoring opportunities for the Tar Heels, allowing North Carolina to boost its lead from 7-0 to 31-0 in a two-quarter span that demoralized the Clemson offensive

"They made some big plays," Clemson arterback Nealon Greene said. "They did some things that messed with us, and they executed. They capitalized on our

"Today, nothing worked for us. We've

got to come up with something else."
The Tar Heel defense forced Clemson to punt nine times, but most of UNC's quick offensive strikes came from forced

UNC linebacker Brian Simmons got

the ball rolling when he recovered a fumbled punt return deep in Clemson territory in the second quarter.

Simmons struck again in the third when he intercepted a pass from Greene to set the Tar Heels up at the Clemson 31-

The turnovers resulted in 10 points for the Tar Heels, and the Tigers never re-

"I don't know about a turning point, but that was a big play," Simmons said of SEE TURNOVERS, PAGE 9

### SPORTS SCHEDULE

Today Volleyball vs. Washington, Carmichael Auditorium, 7 p.m.

cer vs. Clemson, Fetz leybali vs. Colorado, Carmicha Auditorium, 6 p.m.

Sunday Men's Soccer at UNLV, Las Vegas,