Cagers beat Bowdoin in overtime

By John Kopolow

Tech's varsity basketball team was sent into overtime Wednesday night before it finally defeated a tough Bowdoin squad by the score of 74-71. The victory enables the Beavers to take on Dartmouth tomorrow afternoon with an undefeated 5-0 record.

Game close throughout.

The game was very tight throughout regulation. Dave Jansson '68 broke a 65-65 tie with a field goal with only 36 seconds remaining in the second half. But the hot Celtics lofted the score again at 67-67 on a bucket by their leading scorer, Bob Patterson. With 16.9 seconds remaining, the Beavers played for one shot but failed to connect, sending the game into overtime.

MIT broke the game open in the extra period, controlling the backcourt and getting a fine defensive effort from reserve guard Ray Taka '69, who twice stole the ball as well as adding two key free throws. With only 36 seconds remaining, the Beavers played for one shot but failed to connect, sending the game into overtime.

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