MIT trounces Trinity; swim mark now 3-3
By Stephen Kraft
After losses to strong Williams and UMass squads, the MIT varsity swim team recorded its second of 3-3 Saturday, beating Trinity, 67-47, in the MIT Alumni Pool.
The Engineers placed first in nine of 13 events, each win being backed by a second or third-place finish. Team captains Peter Schulz ’75 was the first MIT winner, finishing the 1000-yard freestyle in 11:19.3. Freestyle in 1:57.2.
One of 1800-yard freestyle’s tough stroke-for-stroke race against Sanborn, Chemists 100-mark for the first time in 1000.
Other first-place winners were Steve Senne in the 50-yard freestyle, Tom Jacobs ’75 in the 100-yard backstroke, and Christine in the 100-yard freestyle, and Scott Foster ’75 in the 50-yard freestyle.
Divers Paul Snyder ’78 and Rich Christenson each took a first and a second-place performance in both one-meter diving events (required and optional) each taking a first and a second-place.
Behind for most of the meet, the Engineers erupted the score at 3:31:33, taking the final 11-11.
A second-place finisher was in theoptional diving event and the thrilling third place finish. Team captain Werner Haag was mediocre. This was a fairly good one, while the performance against Plymouth was surprisingly tough.
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Women fencers foil RIC, 7-2
By Patrice Desvigne
(Terrier Desigane ’76 is a member of the women’s fencing team — Editor.)
Led by its team captain, Debra Johnson ’76, the MIT women’s fencing team trounced Rhode Island College, 7-2, at duPont Saturday afternoon. The victory was the fourth in as many meets for the squad, which attained varsity status this year, and is a marked improvement over last season’s record.
Vigorous against the Engineers last year, the RIC fencers were quite formidable. As the MIT fencers got off to a slow start, losing the first bout, the confidence of the Rhode Island squad soared justified.
On the whole, the Engineers were backed by a second or third one of these matches, MIT wrestled to a third-place finish.

Gymnastics splits two meets
By Paul J. Bayer
The MIT women’s gymnastics team splits its two meets last week, easily beating Plymouth State University and falling to the Coast Guard Academy.
In the closely-contested event, Gary Simpson ’78 and John Thain ’77 took first and second respectively to make the score 52-45.
We went on to take the optional diving event and the final 11-11.

Wrestlers even record with Williams upset
By Dion Curtis
In its final home matches of this season, the MIT varsity wrestling team upset its record to 2-7 with two wins on Saturday. The Engineers hosted a tri-meet with Williams and Bowdoin and emerged victorious by scores of 18-13 and 27-6, respectively.
As eighth-ranked MIT met sixth-ranked Williams (New England Independent Wrestling Association rankings), each team’s strengths were matched against one another.
Senior co-captains Jack Fleischaker and Peter Haag in 167 and 190 by Darwin Fleischaker and Peter Haag in 167 and 190.
Against Bowdoin, MIT wrestled an exceptional match, winning eight of ten bouts and securing wins by pinned and major decisions.
Senior co-captains Jack Minsinger and Loren Desseville both picked up 106 defeats against their Williams opponents at 115 and 177. Heavyweight Erland van Lidth de Jeude ’77, the leading contender for the New England championship, was defeated 11-9.
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MIT’s Angela Chaney ’78 (right) scores a touch against her Rhode Island College opponent in Saturday’s 7-2 fencing win at duPont.

Mit’s Geraint Mortensen ’76 (right) tries to checkmate a Trinity player coming out of his end with John Noyes looking on. Mortensen’s victory from behind in the 220-lb varsity game at the crik. Trinity proved to be too strong for the Engineers, overwhelming them, 11-1.

Rodeo at MIT? Not exactly, but Engineer wrestler Dave Ziegfeld ’75 nonetheless tries to pick up some “riding time” against his SU opponent in last Monday’s Greater Boston wrestling championships.

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