Beavers skate by Gordon

By Tom Sug lamo

Sophomores forwards Kevin Depert and Rich Bryant tallied four goals in four minutes to clinch a 6-2 hockey victory over Gordon in the last scoring MIT win. This scoring outburst came during the last eight minutes of the second period as the Gordon freshman goalkeeper had gloved, kicked, and overall dominated the offensive game, outskating and outmatching the Gordon players. MIT poured 46 shots on the Gordon net with single goals tallied by Ken Mortensen '78 and Jim Alward G. Sophomore center Dave Tohir dominated the MIT offensive zone, moving the puck well and setting up two scoring drives. Line assets were credited to Mortensen, Greg Cooks '77, Al Strong '78, Wally Corwin '78, Captain Evan Schwartz G, and Steve Michel '80. The Beaver defense played extremely well. The Tohir-Dopart-Mortensen line which has accumulated nine points in two games, and the Strong-Corwin defense which has tallied six points.

The Gordon team, sensing defeat, sent “shock troops” in during the third period. This resulted in two major penalties against Gordon as sticks went high and two Beaver players received facial cuts. Gordon was unable to recover, skating half of the third period a man down. The two Gordon players were allowed to control the slot. Beaver goalie Dave Tohir '78 maintained his respectable average of letting up only two goals even while being lulled into passivity in the cold evening air as his teammates dominated his Gordon counterparts.

Coach Wayne Pickford is enthusiastically looking ahead to games against Bunker Hill and Massachusetts College of Pharmacy leading into the Christmas Break. Pickford has molded a very respectable team relying on hustle and muscle, trying to grand opponents down rather than finesse the puck by them.

Roundup

Penn writes gymnasts defeat

By Tom Curtis

Although they won half the events, the Varsity Gymnastics team scored 123.825 to 122.45 to win over the University of Pennsylvania in its second meet of the season Sunday.

As a team, the Engineers captured rings, vaulting, and parallel bars. The only individual winner for the Engineers was Kin Ming Lam who dominated the MIT 11-8, Sat. 11-5, Sunday. Despite a 2-1 defeat, Penn did play well in the first half, building a seven-point lead at one stage. However, Tufts then began to execute its fast break. By halftime, Tufts held a two-point lead.

In the second half, Tufts’ first break along with superior rebounding and strong pressure on defense produced a nine-point lead with a little less than thirteen minutes remaining. The Engineers never recovered, although they did score the last five points.

Intramural basketball results

The women’s Varsity Swim Club lynch a 7-2 sabre victory, with the other eight bouts going in favor of the MIT women. Steve Thornquist ’79 contributed an excellent showing, winning two events. The MIT women dominated the J V Fencing team. (PAG;E 8)

Captain David Lee ’77 works on a 6-9 on the parallel bars for a second-place finish, leading MIT to victory in that event.