Neves excels in Boston track

By John DeRubris
MIT's defending 1981 Division III outdoor track team traveled to Boston University this past weekend to compete in the Greater Boston Championships, where Tech placed fifth overall.

Despite the 75-degree heat, MIT turned in a number of standout performances. Dave-Kyle '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fourth in the 3000-meter run with a time of 8:12 after placing 12th in the 1500. Paul Neves '83, who was featured in this week's Sports Illustrated, won the 800-meter run in 1:58.8. Neves then anchored the 4 x 400-meter relay to a third place finish and a new MIT record with a time of 3:19.2, his own split being 47.4. Dave McMullen '83 also had an outstanding leg with a split of 49.2.

Although MIT only scored twelve points in the meet, three athletes who didn't place still qualified for the New England and turned in personal best performances. Jeff Lucas '82 in the 1000-meter run with a time of 2:53.8, Lance Parker '84 in the 600 meters with a time of 1:24.9, and likewise Lyman Taylor '85 with a time of 22.1 in the 200-meter dash.

Coach Gordon Kelley was pleased with the team's showing in the meet. The last meet before the championships will be in Steinbrenner Stadium tomorrow at 4:00 against Westfield State, a favorite for the Division III title.

Softball - At 7-2, MIT's softball team is having one of its best years ever. Further evidence of this was provided on Friday, as MIT won the Massachusetts AIAW Class C softball title. The Engineers breezed through their two games, blanking Curry 4-0 in semifinal, and reducing her ERA to a stingy 2.05, with three earned runs in the WNEC title game, sophomore gave up no earned runs in the game against Curry, fanning a record 12 batters in the victory. Robinson fired a four-hitter with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches. Colin Kerwin '82 placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 175 feet, two inches.