Booters anticipate Stonehill opener

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Tomorrow marks the beginning of the 1984 season for the MIT Football Club. The opening game will be held by the Stonehill Chieftains, the team to which the Engineers have lost each of the past three season openers.

Fans should not write Saturday's game off as a loss yet, however. MIT is, in a sense, a team to be reckoned with, having defeated Boston College, while Stonehill is listed on the roster as a.

This year's team will be without two of last year's strongest players, linebacker Jon Opalski and safety John Einhorn, both All-Americans. In their place, Einhorn has been named Lineman of the Year in 1983 by the National Collegiate Football Association, while Munroe was a member of the New England All-Star team. Scott Berceli '84, returning at the offensive guard position, was also selected to the New England All-Star team in 1983.

The team's strengths this season will be its defense and generally intelligent play under the guidance of head coach Dwight Smith. The ability to execute plays without mistakes is a tough standard for the squad to maintain in the new season. Still, Smith believes his team has a good chance of piling up a winning record for 1984.

MIT sailor second in solo contest

MIT sailing team representative Peter Quigley '83, who earlier this year finished 10th in the Finn class at the US Olympic trials, slipped into a second-place finish among six schools competing in the Spott Elimination "B" Championships at the US Coast Guard Academy last Sunday. As a result of Quigley's finish, MIT qualifies for the New England Championships October 20-21 that competition will also be held at Coast Guard.

Golf team opens season

The golf team opened its fall season at the Bean Bowl Country Club in Newton Tuesday, tying Northeastern University at 432, but trailing Merrimack's 423. The Engineers were led by Eric Arel '81, who shot an 83.

Baseball drops opener

The baseball team began its fall campaign on a down note last Saturday, dropping both ends of a double header to visiting Merrimack, 6-2 and 4-1.

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