Sports Update

Ice hockey ends best season

The men's hockey team concluded its winningest season ever by posting a 14-4-1 record. The .741 winning percentage marks the ninth consecutive year the Engineers finished with a record better than .500. Definitive Alex Jesman '88, the team's leading scorer, was named most valuable player.

Fencers qualify for NCAA Championships

Fencers Carl Williams '88 (foil) and Jeff Arendt G (epee) have qualified for the National Collegiate Athletic Association Championships. The two gained entrance on the basis of their regular season performances, plus fine finishes at last weekend's Intercollegiate Fencing Associate Championships at St. John's University. Jason Borsch '88 also made the final of the IFA tournament, but a sub-.500 regular season record disqualified him from the NCAA tournament, to be held at Notre Dame.

Squash team places 15th in nationals

The MIT varsity squash team placed 15th in a 37-team field at the National Intercollegiate Championships at St. Andrew's College. The Engineers' finish was the university's best ever.

Wrestling season ends in fifth place

The wrestling team ended its season with a 13-4 record and a fifth place finish in the New England Division III Tournament. The team, in its winningest season since 1986-87, posted the second highest number of wins in a single season by a wrestling team at MIT.

Track and field takes second at ECAC tournament

The indoor track team finished second at the East Coast Athletic Conference Division I Championships last weekend at Bates College. MIT was runner-up to Princeton (M) in the 1986 NCAA Division III indoor and outdoor championships. Four MIT trackmen have qualified for the NCAA Division III Championships to be held at the University of Chicago. Scott Jenning '89 will be the fourth seed in the 25-pound weight throw, Antonio Biercel '88 will be the ninth seed and in the 5000-meters, triple-jumper Jacob Kim '87 is seeded tenth, and Sean Walker '89 earned the 11th seed in the 800.

Track coach honored

MIT track coach Gordon Kelly was one of seven coaches honored at the IC4A Indoor Championships at St. John's University. Kelly, who has been at the helm for MIT since 1962-72, compiled a 137-47-3 (.741) record in his 14 years as an assistant coach. Two MIT fencers, qualified him from the NCAA championships. The two gained entrance on the basis of their regular season performances, plus fine finishes at last weekend's Intercollegiate Fencing Associate Championships at St. John's University. Jason Borsch '88 also made the final of the IFA tournament, but a sub-.500 regular season record disqualified him from the NCAA tournament, to be held at Notre Dame.

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Volleyball defeats BU, Dartmouth

The men's varsity volleyball team, which finished 30-0 in the nation last year, has continued its winning ways this year. The team improved its record to 1-3 with wins over Boston University and Dartmouth.

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