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President's Welcome

I am pleased to welcome you to participate in Athletics and Recreation at Thompson Rivers University where we're very proud of our facilities, varsity athletes and coaches.

Last year we celebrated a provincial and national silver medal for our women's soccer team, and the university's first-time Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) league playoff appearance by our men's volleyball team. For our volleyball and basketball teams it is our third year in the Canada West Conference of CIS.

All exhibition and regular season play takes place in the newly completed Tournament Capital Centre, the tremendous multisport venue where our athletes train and compete on a daily basis. We are appreciative and enthusiastic that the City of Kamloops chose to locate the Tournament Capital Centre on our Kamloops campus.

Athletics and recreation is not just for the elite student athlete. Our campus offers a number of recreation programs for students at all levels of athletic abilities, and for those who just want to meet new friends and have fun there are free activities such as ice skating, badminton, floor hockey and more. There is a way that everyone, whether from the campus or broader community, can participate in athletics and recreation at TRU. Our game schedules and results are posted on our website and I invite you to attend as many games as possible and enjoy and contribute to campus life. Please join me in howling for the 'Pack!

Sincerely,

Roger H. Barnsley President & Vice-Chancellor

Athletic Director's Message



Welcome to varsity athletics at Thompson Rivers University. We're looking forward to our third year in the Canadian Interuniversity Sports league, with some exciting action at home as our volleyball and basketball teams move forward in university sport with the experience from the first two years and some very fine recruits that hail from as far away as Europe and as close as Sahali.

On January 3 to 5 we'll be hosting the inaugural Little Caesar's Invitational Men's Volleyball tournament and in February we'll host the BCCAA Badminton provincial championships. All of our games and events this year will be hosted in the new City of Kamloops Tournament Capital Centre located on our campus. It takes dedication to be a good student or a good athlete, and it takes extra devotion and hard work to be a successful student athlete. Each student athlete has made many sacrifices to be part of the WolfPack. Win or lose, they are all champions.

I would like to thank the many coaches, team managers, event organizers, referees, officials and others who have given much time and talent to varsity athletics, and to those campus and community members who support our athletics teams by coming to games, buying season's passes, or volunteering their time and talents with the TRU Sports Task Force. Thank you for your interest and support of TRU varsity athletics. Once again, I extend to you on behalf of all of us at TRU Athletics and Recreation a very warm welcome, and heartfelt thanks for supporting our teams.

Sincerely,

Kenneth M. Olynyk Director, TRU Athletics & Recreation



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Tracking the WolfPack

The Thompson Rivers University WolfPack has now completed its second year in the Canada West conference of Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS), and, as predicted, our CIS performance was better than last year's, and will keep improving as the years go by.

Next year, with more experience, all teams hope to turn some of this season's narrow losses into decisive wins, thanks to some extremely talented players, some of whom won recognition on both the campus and conference levels.

Top scorer on the men's team was 1st-year outside hitter from Beausoleil, France, Robin Schoebel, who finished in the top ten in three Canada West conference play categories. He was nominated from Canada West for 2007 Rookie of the Year, was named to the CIS all-rookie team, and was TRU's 2007 Male Athlete of the Year. Troy Jaggard of Calgary received the coaches' vote for Player of the Year, while Tim Flannigan of Prince George, 2006 TRU men's volleyball MVP and top scholar athlete, received the players' vote for Player of the Year. Rookie Patrick Johnston of Whitby, Ontario, was named TRU Sports Task Force Male Athlete of the Year.

Robyn Devlin of Revelstoke, who led the women's volleyball team into its inaugural CIS season last year, helped it to provincial gold and the fair play award in its last year of play in the CCAA, and helped to keep the team in the running for a playoff spot until the final weekend of conference play, finished in the top ten in three Canada West conference play categories. She was named 2007 TRU Female Athlete of the Year. Also receiving TRU awards were Lauren Stockstad of Surrey, who received the team award, and Laura Battison of Langley, voted women's volleyball Rookie of the Year.

Canada West men's basketball stats at the end of the regular season showed Kamar Burke, who double-doubled



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in eight of the 21 conference games he played in this season, ranked in the top ten in five categories, while teammate Charlie Spurr finished the regular season in the top ten in four categories. Kamar was named 2007 TRU Rookie of the Year, while Charlie was TRU men's basketball MVP. Voted most inspirational player was Brian Smith of Maple Ridge, who helped the team to national gold in its final year of CCAA play, and has been a mainstay of the program since.

Kelley O'Grady of Campbell River was named TRU women's basketball's Most Dedicated Player after finishing the Canada West regular season in the top ten in two categories, while rookie forward Danika Maartman of Kamloops was named the team's Most Improved Player. 2007 TRU Sports Task Force Athlete of the Year is Kristi Spelay of Sorrento, a women's basketball team forward, while Alix Stupich of Ladysmith was named 2007 TRU Scholar Athlete of the Year.

"These are only the award winners who play on CIS teams. TRU salutes all of its scholar athletes who have dedicated so much extracurricular time to the WolfPack while managing to keep up their academic performance," said TRU athletics director Ken Olynyk.

In addition to winning national silver last fall, TRU's women's soccer team picked up the Kamloops Sports Council team of the year award this spring, and coach Eric Schweizer was named coach of the year. Also this spring, the WolfPack baseball club won the Canadian College Baseball Conference title after winning 18 of its last 20 games.

Meet the Staff



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TRU WolfPack Cheerleading Squad



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TRU WolfPack HOME GAMES 2007 08

Date		Visiting Team	Womens	Mens	Sport
NOVEMBER					
Fri	Nov 2	Alberta	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Nov 3	Saskatchewan	5:00	7:00	BBALL
Fri	Nov 9	Simon Fraser	6:00	Х	VBALL
Fri	Nov 9	Trinity Western	Х	7:30	VBALL
Sat	Nov 10	Simon Fraser	5:00	Х	VBALL
Sat	Nov 10	Trinity Western	Х	6:30	VBALL
Fri	Nov 16	Trinity Western	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Nov 17	Trinity Western	5:00	7:00	BBALL
Fri	Nov 23	Trinity Western	6:00	Х	VBALL
Fri	Nov 23	Regina	Х	7:30	VBALL
Sat	Nov 24	Trinity Western	5:00	Х	VBALL
Sat	Nov 24	Regina	Х	6:30	VBALL
Fri	Nov 30	Simon Fraser	6:00	8:00	BBALL
DECEMBER					
Sat	Dec 1	Simon Fraser	5:00	7:00	BBALL
JANUARY					
Wed	Jan 2	Winnipeg	Х	7:00	VBALL
Thurs	Jan 3	Winnipeg	Х	7:00	VBALL
Fri	Jan 4	TWU	Х	1:00	VBALL
Fri	Jan 4	Winnipeg	6:00	Х	VBALL
Fri	Jan 4	Laval	Х	7:30	VBALL
Sat	Jan 5	Winnipeg	6:00	Х	VBALL
Sat	Jan 5	Pepperdine	Х	7:30	VBALL
Fri	Jan 18	Manitoba	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Jan 19	Winnipeg	5:00	7:00	BBALL
Fri	Jan 25	Manitoba	6:00	7:30	VBALL
Sat	Jan 26	Manitoba	5:00	6:30	VBALL
FEBRUARY					
Sat	Feb 2	Fraser Valley	5:00	7:00	BBALL
Fri	Feb 8	UBC	2:00	4:00	BBALL
Fri	Feb 8	Calgary	7:00	8:30	VBALL
Sat	Feb 9	Victoria	12:00	2:00	BBALL
Sat	Feb 9	Calgary	5:30	7:00	VBALL
Sat-Sun	Feb 15-16	BCCAA Badminton Provincials @ TRU			BAD



TRU WolfPack AWAY GAMES 2007 08

Date		TRU WolfPack at	Womens	Mens	Sport
NOVEMBER					
Fri	Nov 2	Saskatchewan	6:00	8:00	VBALL
Sat	Nov 3	Saskatchewan	5:00	7:00	VBALL
Sat-Sun	Nov 3-4	Badminton Tournament #1 @ Malaspina			BAD
Wed-Sat	Nov 7-10	CCAA Nationals @ Mount St. Vincent, Nova Scotia			SCCR
Fri	Nov 9	Victoria	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Nov 10	Victoria	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Fri	Nov 16	Brandon	6:00	8:00	VBALL
Sat	Nov 17	Brandon	6:00	8:00	VBALL
Sat-Sun	Nov 17-18	Badminton Tournament #2 @ Douglas			BAD
Fri	Nov 23	UBC	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Nov 24	UBC	6:00	8:00	BBALL
DECEMBER					
Sat	Dec 1	Regina	2:00	Х	VBALL
Sun	Dec 2	Regina	2:00	Х	VBALL
Fri	Dec 28	Lewis Clark State	Х	7:00	BBALL
Sat	Dec 29	Lewis Clark State	X	2:00	BBALL
Sun	Dec 30	Whitman College	X	2:00	BBALL
JANUARY					
Fri	Jan 4	Regina	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Jan 5	Brandon	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Fri	Jan 11	Simon Fraser	6:15	8:15	BBALL
Sat	Jan 12	Trinity Western	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Fri	Jan 18	UBC	6:00	8:00	VBALL
Sat	Jan 19	UBC	6:00	8:00	VBALL
Sat-Sun	Jan 19-20	Badminton Tournament #3 @ Capilano/Langara			BAD
Fri	Jan 25	Lethbridge	6:00	8:00	BBALL
Sat	Jan 26	Calgary	6:00	8:00	BBALL
FEBRUARY	,				
Fri	Feb 1	Alberta	6:30	8:00	VBALL
Sat	Feb 2	Alberta	8:00	6:30	VBALL
Fri - Sun	Feb 15-17	CW Men and Women's Playoff			VBALL
Fri - Sun	Feb 22-24	CW Men and Women's Playoff			VBALL
Thu - Sun	Feb 29 - Mar 2	CIS Women's Championships @ TBA			VBALL
Thu - Sun	Feb 29 - Mar 2	CIS Men's Championships @ TBA			VBALL
Fr i- Sun	Feb 15-17	CW Men and Women's Playoffs			BBALL
Fri - Sun	Feb 22-24	CW Men and Women's Playoffs			BBALL
Fri - Sun	Feb 29 - Mar 2	CW Men and Women's Final Four			BBALL
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Thu - Sun	Mar 7-9	CIS Women's Championship @ TBA			BBALL
Thu - Sun	Mar. 14-16	CIS Men's Championship @ TBA			BBALL



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Brent Traxel Cochrane AB



Head Coach

Nevin Gleddie

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Connor Agnew 15 Clearwater, BC G

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Alex Roth

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Thompson Rivers University WolfPack Men's Basketball

Entering its third season of CIS competition the men's basketball team is focused on its game and is excited about the progress they have made as a program. Returning to the 'Pack this year is last year's rookie sensation Kamar Burke (the CIS Rookie 2007 of the year nominee from the Canada West's Pacific Division), Connor Agnew, Chris Vanderwiede and Lucian Sauciuc alongside veterans Brian Smith and Brent Traxel who are looking strong in their fifth and final year. Expectations are high.

In addition to the familiar faces are college transfers Simon Doty (King's University College) and Drew Bleth (Clark College), and rookies Matthew Pierce, Kyle McMurray, George Aramide (UK), and Geoff Matthews who will all add significantly to the depth and talent of the team.

"We are not overly big inside but are big overall and have improved athletically. We will be a very fast and entertaining team to watch and from what I have

seen so far will be drastically improved defensively which I am very excited about. In the last couple years we have been very competitive at the offensive end but have not got it done on the defensive end. This will be the year where the program turns back around."

- Coach Nevin Gleddie





George Aramide London, UK

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Head Coach Scott Reeves

Asst Coach Chuck Ferguson



Sarah Darlev

Gabriola Island, BC

Thompson Rivers University WolfPack Women's Basketball

The TRU WolfPack women's basketball team had a rough season record wise but laid the groundwork for what it is going to take to compete in the tough Canada West conference. The conference has produced the last 15 National Champions in a row. There was a stretch of 10 games in a row last season where TRU played nationally ranked Top Ten teams.



This year, Scott has done very well recruiting new student athletes who will bring more depth to the team's play. Kelsie Baker, a transfer from Bishop's University has already lit up the court with aggressive play and fast moves and was named MVP at the BDO Dunwoody Classic in late Sept. at the new Tournament Capital Centre. Kaitlyn Widsten, a 4.0 student, from South Delta is an explosive guard who sees the floor very well. She can also extend defenses with her 3-point shooting. Michelle Dimond was part of Coach Alex Devlin's high school team in Port Moody. Devlin is a former member of the Canadian National team. Jessica Mulock, North Vancouver is 6'0" and is going to be counted on for her 3-point shooting and toughness inside. Kailey Colonna is very athletic, 6'2" and she will help with an inside presence, much needed in the tough Canada West conference. Kelley O'Grady, point guard Sarah Cameron and Kali Ellis are all back with the Pack and they are Scott's veterans as they enter their fourth year.

"This year's recruiting class is my first chance to go and get my type of student athletes. I am ecstatic about the character and abilities of these individuals. We are turning the corner as a CIS institution and our women's basketball program is turning the corner in terms of building a championship program."

- Coach Scott Reeves



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Tim Flannigan Ś Prince George, BC



Martin Stenderup 14 **RS** Denmark

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Robin Schoebel Head Coach Pat Hennelly OH Monaco, Monaco

Thompson Rivers University WolfPack Men's Volleyball

The WolfPack men's volleyball team has six returning starters from last year's team that secured the last play-off spot in the Canada West Conference.

Fresh to the playoffs the 'Pack fought for an upset bid against the eventual CIS Champions, the University of Winnipeg Wesmen, by taking the first of three matches. The sets were close, but the Wesmen prevailed.

"We gained valuable experience last year clinching the last play-off spot and pushing the CIS champions. This experience



will serve us well entering our third season in the CIS and I hope to improve on last year's results," said Coach Patrick Hennelly.

Sara Dawood

Key players to the WolfPack's continual success are Canada West Rookie of the Year Robin Schoebel (Beausoleil, France), setter Colin Jaggard (played for Team Canada at the World Youth Championships in 2005), his brother Troy Jaggard (won the CCAA nationals with Red Deer twice) and Behlul Yavasgel who has played volleyball on the Turkish National team.

Three of the players are in their final year with the 'Pack. Libero Graham Allard (5'9" Prince George), middle Tony Zylstra (6'8" Edmonton, AB) a former CCAA All-Canadian with NAIT, and setter Tim Flannigan (6'3" Prince George) are all strong veterans who will help take the 'Pack into the playoffs as a final stand.

There are four new faces, all high profile recruits, on the court this year for the WolfPack.

With heights ranging from 6'5" to 6'11" the 'Pack has added a larger, physical presence to its roster. Gord Perrin (Creston, BC) is a 6'6" standout with the Canadian Youth National Team and fellow Youth National Team starter 6'7" Stefan Savoie (Winnipeg, MB) are both ready to compete physically in the CIS. Team BC members Taylor Verboom (Radium, BC) stands at 6'11" and Josh Boruck (Revelstoke, BC) at 6'5" also posses the physical attributes of a CIS athlete.

Joining fellow Danish player Martin Korsbak Madsen (who should be recovered from his shoulder surgery by the home opener) is setter Martin Stenderup (with National and Danish Elite League experience) but with changes to the CIS rules regarding international players, he has to red shirt this season in order to play for the 'Pack next year.



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Head Coach Carrie Barrett



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Thompson Rivers University WolfPack Women's Volleyball

This is the third season in the CIS for the WolfPack women's volleyball team and they have a lot of momentum to build on. Similar to men's basketball, the women's Sun

Demon team finished their BCCAA run on a high note by winning the provincial title. The following year proved to be a big learning curve as the program was renamed and moved to the CIS conference to face the highly competitive Canada West league.

Talented and determined the women bounced back in their second year of CIS to chase a play off spot and missed the opportunity by one loss.

It is with that same drive and focus that this year's young and talented team is looking to go even further into the season.

Veterans to the team include fifth year Lauren Stockstad and fourth years Richelle Walton and Laura Plouffe. There is plenty of inspiration and guidance to be learned from the vets, but the new recruits are no wallflowers and some came to TRU directly out of their competitive seasons.

New talent includes Sahali student Amanda Frayne who has completed her three year reign as a 5'10 power hitter with Team BC. Kelly Asleson, a 6'0 right side hitter from Richmond, a terrific athlete who competed this summer representing BC in Beach Volleyball at the National Championships. Amanda Loree, a 6'0 power hitter who also played Team BC joins the WolfPack from Armstrong, BC. One of our International additions, Stine Bleeg Christiansen, who has was the setter on the Denmark National Team edition to the team. Tanis Hoeltgen, a 5'10 power hitter from Langley BC, and Taylor Hall, a 5'9 setter from Burnaby BC, both have provincial team experience and are bringing their knowledge and passion for the game to the court.

Meet TRU WolfPack Head Coaches

Nevin Gleddie-Men's Basketball



Nevin Gleddie has been head coach of the men's basketball teams since the 1996/97 season. Entering his 12th year with the program, Nevin took his team right to the top as his team won the National Championships in their last year in the

CCAA. That year has been the highlight of his career thus far with the team posting a 27-1 record and winning Gold at the Provincial and National Championships in 2005.

The awards and accolades were plenty in 2005 for Nevin as he won the CCAA National Coaching Excellence (All Sports) Award, the CCAA Men's Basketball National Coach of the Year, the BCCAA Men's Basketball Coach of the Year, the Basketball BC's College Coach of the Year Award, and Kamloops Sport Council Coach of the Year honours.

Prior to Nevin's "dream team" run in 2005, he was named the BCCAA Men's Basketball Coach of the Year in 1997 and 2001 and was the recipient of the Kamloops Sports Council "Special Award of Excellence" in 2003.

The following year the UCC Sun Demons became the TRU WolfPack and started to compete in the CIS.

Nevin holds a MSc. in exercise physiology and NCCP Level IV full certification.

Scott Reeves-Women's Basketball



Entering his second year at the helm of the women's basketball team, Scott Reeves has only one goal in mind, to create a strong women's basketball program at Thompson Rivers University and he will do it one year at a time.

Hiring Scott last year to coach the women's team was a coup for TRU. In the final three years of coaching high school basketball he had a phenomenal 124-2 record with the Brookswood Secondary team in Langley, BC. Scott led his team to three straight Provincial AAA Championships titles.

His coaching experience doesn't stop at the high school level either. Scott has worked with elementary aged kids to National Team players. He has sent 17 student athletes on from high school to post secondary on athletic and/or academic scholarships. Six student athletes have gone onto National Team tryouts and four have made the Canadian National Teams at some level. Scott has also been an assistant coach at the CIS level prior to TRU with the Trinity Western University basketball program. He holds a Bachelor degree in Human Kinetics from Trinity Western University, a Bachelor degree in Education from the University of British Columbia and in a certified level III coach.

Patrick Hennelly-Men's Volleyball



Patrick Hennelly is in his third season at the helm of a strong WolfPack volleyball program. Aggressive and smart recruiting by Patrick has allowed him to build a towering team of giants who became the first TRU team to qualify for

Canada West playoffs, with a 6-12 regular season last year.

Patrick has an extensive coaching background from several different programs such as Northern Arizona (NCAA Division 1) and as an assistant coach with both the men's and women's programs at UBC.

Patrick played for five years with Team BC, including the 1989 Canada Games and was a CCAA Silver medal winner with the Langara Falcons and a Western Canadian Club Championship.

Patrick holds two Bachelor degrees from UBC, one in Human Kinetics and the other in Education as well as his level three NCCP coaching certificate.

"When I first took this job I wanted to build not just a team but a program. I think we have made big strides towards my vision of a program, with our Elementary School visits, hosting events such as Team Camp, Junior and Senior Tournaments and International Trips. We went to Europe this summer and that experience will be a lasting one for every member of our program. I hope to continue to have WolfPack Volleyball a presence in Kamloops and the province on and off the court." - Coach Pat Hennelly

Carrie Barrett-Women's Volleyball



For eight years now Carrie Barrett has been leader of the 'Pack. The change in competition from college to university hasn't changed Carrie's goal in having her team balance the books with volleyball.

Carrie demands excellence from her women on and off the court and it shows. Barrett coached

three Academic All-Canadians while the Sun Demons were in the Canadian College Athletics Association and has coached six Academic All-Canadians in the Canadian Interuniversity Sports conference.

Carrie has coached championship teams at the university, college and club levels and has been recognized for coaching excellence.

After being awarded the BCCAA Coaching Excellence Award in her second year (2002/03) as head coach at UCC, in (2003/04) she led her Sun Demons to a provincial bronze and then the provincial championships title the following year (2004/05). The Sun Demons took the title and the Fair Play Award, an award Barrett and her team won three times in five years.

Before joining the UCC Sun Demons in 2000, Carrie was part of the coaching staff for the University of Alberta Pandas. For six straight years (1994-2000) the Pandas won the CIAU National Championships. Carrie and the entire volleyball program at U of A have been inducted into the Alberta Sports Hall of Fame since 2002 for their amazing run.

Eric Schweizer-Women's Soccer



Eric Schweizer has been involved with the UCC/ TRU coaching staff since 1995 when he served as assistant coach to the women's team until 2003 when he assumed the position of head coach. His involvement with the sport at the high school and community

level has been since 1974.

Since joining the UCC Sun Demons coaching staff, Eric has helped lead the women to three national silvers in 1995, 1996 and 1998 before winning provincial and national gold in 1999. In 2002, the Sun Demons won BCCAA provincial gold and CCAA national silver. In his first year as the head coach, 2003, Eric led the Sun Demons to another provincial and national silver medal. Last season the TRU WolfPack won provincial and national silver yet again. Eric has consistently put out a strong team and the future looks bright for the program as a move to the CIS is in the near future.

A retired high school teacher, Eric also coaches a ladies city soccer team here in Kamloops. In 2006, Eric was awarded Kamloops Sports Council Coach of the Year honors.

Sean Wallace-Men's Soccer



For over 25 years Sean Wallace has been involved with the college soccer program here in Kamloops; a time span that has covered his days as a player to his current position as head coach. When Sean was playing back in 1982 the team was called the Cariboo College Chiefs. Then he became an assistant under Ralph Tedder for the University College of the Cariboo Sun Demons. And now, for the past eight seasons, Sean has been head coach

for a soccer program that has again changed name but not competition level.

Sean has led his team to five out of seven BCCAA playoffs reaching a Provincial Silver Medal in the 2002/03 season. He was also named the BCCAA Coach of the Year in his second year as head coach for the 2001/02 season.

This year Sean has an exciting co-coach at his side. John Antulov brings an impressive level of knowledge from his playing days with the Simon Fraser University Clan, Vancouver 86'ers and Vancouver Croatia of the Premier League. He was also an assistant coach for the SFU Clan and is currently the co-head coach of the Kamloops Youth Soccer Association.

Another addition to Sean's coaching staff is former player Brent Dodge as assistant coach. Brent played three seasons for the UCC Sun Demons before moving to the University of British Columbia Thunderbirds team to play two seasons at the CIS level. During his time with the Thunderbirds, Brent was part of the 2005 CIS National Championship team. Brent brings a winning attitude and lots of playing experience at the CIS level, an asset for the WolfPack who are looking to move their soccer program into the CIS in 2009.

Ray Chadwick - Baseball



Ray Chadwick has been coach of the UCC Sun Demons and now TRU WolfPack since 2003. He has a very strong reputation in North America as the coach to play for and his players have had continual success under his tutelage. From 1983 to 1994 Ray was involved with five major league teams; the Angels, the White Sox, the Red Sox, the Royals and the Marlins. Ray isn't only concerned with the athleticism of his players but their academics as well. He has

set a high G.P.A. standard for his players and gets results both on and off the diamond.

Brad Pape - Badminton



Having coached the badminton team at TRU since inception in the mid 1980s, Brad has seen his share of college badminton.

In the past the team has earned many medals in both team and individual competition at the provincials. Several TRU badminton players have been to the CCAA national championships and managed to win individual silver and bronze medals on four occasions.

For Brad the most enjoyable about coaching

badminton is the camaraderie between players from many of the other teams. Many times players from our team and other teams will be in a close fought battle for a big win for their school and those very same players could be playing together in an open competition the next weekend and be best friends off the court. BMO Nesbitt Burns is pleased to support the

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Back (L-R): Sean Garvey (Assistant Coach), Jesse Brown, Matt Perry, Kyle McMurray, Simon Doty, Chris Vanderweide, Brent Traxel, Brian Smith, Kamar Burke, Lucian Sauciuc, Alex Roth, Daniel Struthers and Nevin Gleddie (Head Coach)

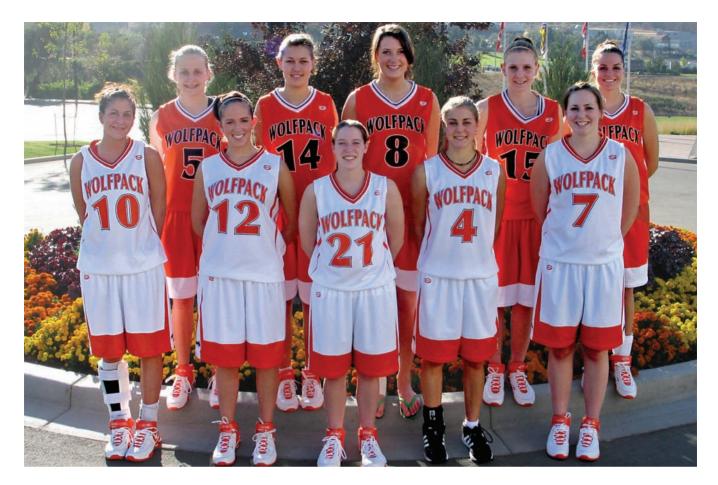
Front (L-R): Connor Agnew, Geoff Matthews, Lee Johnson, George Aramide, Drew Bleth and Matt Pierce

#	Name	Position	Height	Weight	Elig. Yr	DOB	Course	Yr	Hometown	Last Team
4	Lee Johnson	G	5' 10"	185	3	29-May-86	Science	3	Terrace, BC	Caledonia
5	Simon Doty	F	6 ' 4"	185	3	20-May-86	Economics	3	Okotoks, AB	King's University College
6	Geoff Matthews	G	5' 10"	175	1	20-0ct-86	Arts	1	Kamloops, BC	Brocklehurst
7	Lucian Sauciuc	G	6' 3 "	190	2	24-Feb-88	Arts	2	Coquitlam, BC	Centennial
8	Chris Vanderweide	G	6 ' 4"	193	2	20-Mar-88	Arts	2	Ladysmith, BC	Ladysmith
10	Matt Pierce	G	6' 1"	185	1	16-Sep-89	Business	1	Winnipeg, MB	Silver Heights Collegiate
11	George Aramide	F	6' 5"	230	1	31-Mar-86	Arts	1	London, UK	Lafayette High
12	Brent Traxel	F	6' 7 "	190	5	11-Nov-79	Arts	4	Cochrane, AB	Cochrane
14	Brian Smith	F	6' 5"	210	5	10-May-85	Business	4	Maple Ridge, BC	Maple Ridge
15	Connor Agnew	G	6 ' 4"	205	2	13-Apr-88	Business	2	Clearwater, BC	Prince Rupert
20	Drew Bleth	G	5'11"	185	3	22-Jun-87	Business	3	Ridgefield, WA	Ridgefield
33	Kamar Burke	G	6 ' 5"	220	2	25-Aug-86	Arts	1	Mississauga, ON	T.L. Kennedy
RS	Alex Roth	G	6'0"	190	RS	14-0ct-88	Business	1	Saskatoon, SK	Riverside
RS	Daniel Struthers	G	5' 10"	165	RS	18-Dec-88	Science	1	Nanaimo, BC	Woodlands
RS	Matt Perry	F	6' 5"	200	RS	27-May-88	Science	2	Smithers, BC	Smithers
RS	Jesse Brown	G	5' 11"	160	RS	11-0ct-88	Arts	2	Vernon, BC	Clarence Fulton

Coach Nevin Gleddie

Assistant Coach Sean Garvey

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Back (L-R): Alix Stupich, Michelle Dimond, Kailey Colonna, Kelsie Baker and Jessica Mulock

Front (L-R): Kali Ellis, Kelley O'Grady, Sarah Cameron, Kaitlyn Widsten and Kayla Forsyth



#	Name	Position	Height	Weight	Elig. Yr	DOB	Course	Yr	Hometown	High School
4	Kaitlyn Widsten	G	5' 7 "	131	1	25-Oct-89	Science	1	Tsawwassen, BC	South Delta
5	Alix Stupich	F	5' 10"	158	3	18-Jun-87	Arts	3	Ladysmith, BC	Cedar Secondary
6	Jessica Mulock	F	6' 0"	170	1	1-May-89	Arts	1	North Vancouver, BC	Sutherland
7	Kayla Forsyth	F	5 ' 10"	167	2	18-Jun-88	Science	2	Vernon, BC	Vernon
8	Kailey Colonna	F	6' 2"	185	1	31-Dec-89	Arts	1	Invermere, BC	David Thompson
10	Kali Ellis	G	5 ' 10"	152	4	17-Jun-86	Nursing	2	Campbell River, BC	Mount Douglas
12	Kelley O'Grady	G	5 ' 8"	145	4	19-Jun-86	Journalism	3	Gabriola Island, BC	NDSS
14	Michelle Dimond	F	6 ' 0"	162	1	12-0ct-89	Arts	1	Port Moody, BC	Port Moody
15	Kelsie Baker	G	5'11"	154	2	20-Jan-87	Arts	2	Kamloops, BC	Bishop's University
21	Sarah Cameron	G	5 ' 4"	130	4	22-Jul-86	Arts	4	Langley, BC	Brookswood

Coach Scott Reeves

Assistant Coach Chuck Ferguson

Manager Sarah Darley



Men's Volleyball

Back (L-R): Pat Hennelly (Head Coach), Troy Jaggard, Josh Boruck, Robin Schoebel, Martin Korsbak, Taylor Verboom, Tony Zylstra, Stefan Savoie, Gord Perrin and Chad Grimm (Assistant Coach)

Front (L-R): Sara Dawood (Manager), Andy Haley, Martin Stenderup (red shirt), Brent Hall, Kyle Donen, Graham Allard, Tim Flannigan, Colin Jaggard, Behlul Yavasgel and Jessica Baskerville (Assistant Coach)

#	Name	Position	Height	Weight	Elig. Yr	DOB	Course	Yr	Hometown	Last Team
1	Kyle Donen	L	5' 10"	155	2	2-Jan-88	Business	2	White Rock, BC	Team BC
2	Graham Allard	L	5' 9 "	150	5	7-Nov-85	Geography	4	Prince George, BC	CNC
3	Colin Jaggard	S	6' 3"	190	3	29-Sep-87	Arts	2	Calgary, AB	Mount Royal College
4	Martin Korsbak	м	6' 9"	206	2	5-Jan-85	Science	2	Nyborg, Denmark	Middelfart
5	Brent Hall	OH	6' 1"	156	3	24-Mar-87	Physical Education	2	Red Deer, BC	Lindsey Thurber
6	Josh Boruck	ОН	6' 6"	180	1	6-Apr-89	Science	1	Revelstoke, BC	Team BC
7	Tim Flannigan	S	6' 3"	180	5	3-Feb-85	Economics	4	Prince George, BC	Grande Prairie RC
8	Gord Perrin	ОН	6' 6"	190	1	17-Aug-89	Arts	1	Creston, BC	Youth National Team
9	Stefan Savoie	М	6' 7 "	210	1	3-Mar-89	Arts	1	Winnipeg, MB	Youth National Team
10	Tony Zylstra	М	6' 8"	205	5	10-Sep-84	Business	4	Edmonton, AB	NAIT
11	Andy Haley	OH	6' 5 "	190	4	23-Sep-85	Arts	4	Stony Plain, AB	NAIT
12	Taylor Verboom	М	6' 11"	170	1	12-Mar-89	Arts	1	Radium, BC	Team BC
13	Troy Jaggard	ОН	6' 5"	185	4	5-Nov-85	CSOM	2	Calgary, AB	Red Deer College
15	Behlul Yavasgel	ОН	6' 4"	190	3	25-Jan-87	CSOM	1	Aydin, Turkey	Arcelik
16	Robin Schoebel	OH	6' 7"	205	2	10-Dec-86	Arts	2	Monaco, Monaco	Cannes

Coach Pat Hennelly

Assistant Coach Chad Grimm

Assistant Coach Jessica Baskerville

Manager Sara Dawood

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Back (L-R): Lauren Stockstad, Amanda Loree, Vanessa Wiebe, Kim Olness, Laura Battison, Kelly Asleson and Amanda Frayne

Front (L-R): Daniela Bercelli (Assistant Coach), Marilia Vasconcellos, Stine Christiansen, Tanis Hoeltgen, Laura Plouffe, Taylor Hall, Richelle Walton, Tiffany Chung, Carrie Barrett



#	Name	Position	Height	Elig. Yr	DOB	Course	Yr	Hometown	Last Team/School
1	Vanessa Wiebe	М	6' 3"	2	20-Feb-88	Science	2	Surrey, BC	Earl Marriott
4	Amanda Frayne	ОН	5 ' 10"	1	16-Feb-89	Science	1	Kamloops, BC	Team BC
5	Stine Christiansen	S	5 ' 9"	1	12-May-85	Arts	1	Ribe, Denmark	Denmark National Team
6	Taylor Hall	S	5 ' 7"	1	7-Sep-89	Arts	1	Burnaby, BC	Burnaby Mountain
7	Tanis Hoeltgen	OH	5' 10"	1	19-Feb-89	Business	1	Langley, BC	DW Poppy
8	Kelly Asleson	RS	6' 0"	1	25-Jul-89	Arts	1	Richmond, BC	Team BC Beach
9	Laura Plouffe	L	5' 10"	4	7-Mar-86	Science	3	Sherwood Park, AB	Grant MacEwan CC
10	Marilia Vasconcellos	L	5' 7"	2	6-Dec-80	Tourism	2	Jundiai, Brazil	Escola Leonardo Da Vinci
11	Lauren Stockstad	М	5' 11"	5	30-Sep-85	Arts	4	Surrey, BC	Douglas College
12	Amanda Loree	ОН	6 ' 0"	1	31-Oct-89	Arts	1	Armstrong, BC	Pleasant Valley
14	Richelle Walton	OH	5' 8"	4	29-Aug-86	Arts	3	Langley, BC	Malaspina UC
15	Kim Olness	RS	6' 3"	2	12-0ct-88	Arts	2	Calgary, AB	St. Mary's
16	Laura Battison	М	6' 2"	2	19-May-88	Arts	2	Langley, BC	Walnut Grove

Coach Carrie Barrett

Assistant Coach Daniela Bercelli

Assistant Coach Wai Ma





Back (L-R): Brent Dodge (Assistant Coach), Errol Wild (Manager), Hee-Young Chung, Stu Jameson, Luke Smit, James Byra, Conor Doherty, Adam Dodgson, James Burrows, Tim Unaegbu, Conner Korberg, Darren Rezeli, Kyle Conner and Sean Wallace (Coach)

Front (L-R): Kyle Bowman, Casey Cullen, Hatem Abdulghader, Seb Gardner, Allan Connor, Matt Loader, Brad Clark, Brynden Swint and Oliver Schwuchow (Missing: John Antulov (Coach)

Manager Errol Wild

#	Name	Position	Height	Year	Hometown	High School
2	Luke Smit	Defense	6'1"	1	Kamloops	St. Ann's
3	Brad Clark	Midfield	5'10"	5	Kamloops	Sahali
4	Adam Dodgson	Midfield	6'0"	2	Kamloops	Valleyview
5	Darren Rezeli	Midfield	5'9"	2	Kamloops	Kam High
6	James Byra	Defense	6'2"	4	Chilliwack	Sardis
7	Hee-Young Chung	Defense	5'6"	5	Kamloops	Sahali
8	Oliver Schwuchow	Midfield	6'0"	3	Smithers	Bulkley Valley
9	Hatem Abdulghader	Forward	5'10 "	1	Tripoli, LIBYA	7 of April
10	Conor Doherty	Midfield	6'2"	1	Kamloops	St. Ann's
11	Jason Burrows	Defense	6'0"	3	Kamloops	Sahali
12	Seb Gardner	Midfield	5'10"	1	Portsmouth	Fulton
13	Casey Cullen	Forward	6'0"	2	Kamloops	Valleyview
14	Kyle Bowman	Defense	6'1"	3	Kamloops	Sahali
15	Tim Unaegbu	Forward	5'11"	2	Port Coquitlam	Terry Fox
16	Matt Loader	Defense	6'0"	1	Kamloops	Sahali
19	Brynden Swint	Defense	5'11"	1	Kamloops	Valleyview
21	Stu Jameson	Forward	6'2"	1	Kamloops	St. Ann's
23	Allan Connor	Goalie	6'0"	2	Salmon Arm	NorKam
RS	Kyle Conner	Midfield	5'10"		Kamloops	Valleyview
RS	Conner Korberg	Goalie	6'0"		Vernon	Vernon
RS	Kuljit Sandhu	Midfield	5'10"		Terrace	New Caledonia

Coach Sean Wallace

Coach John Antulov

Assistant Coach Brent Dodge

Trainer Kevin Brechin



Back (L-R): Glen Archer (Assistant Coach), Chianne Smith (Manager), Kim Dodgson, Shantelle Cooper, Meghan Thompson, Katie Clark, Niki Thomson, Kerry Hill, Chelsea Larock, Shannon Meyer, Cassie Drummond, Kim Hogg and Taylor Shantz (Ball Girl)

Front (L-R): Eric Schweizer (Coach), Dori Sutcliffe, Val Godard, Cari Sutcliffe, Abbey McAuley, Shannon Kelly, Alex Muzzin, Heather Lloyd, Tamara Montgomery, Mary Ann McKee and Kelly Shantz (Assistant Coach).



#	Name	Position	Height	Yr	Hometown	High School
1	Shannon Kelly	Goalie	5'8"	4	Kamloops	Sahali
2	Kim Dodgson	Defense	5'6"	3	Kamloops	South Kam
3	Cari Sutcliffe	Defense	5'7"	1	Kamloops	Brocklehurst
4	Alexandra Muzzin	Defense	5'8"	1	Coquitlam	Centennial
5	Dori Sutcliffe	Midfield	5'6"	1	Kamloops	Brocklehurst
6	MaryAnn McKee	Midfield	5'6"	3	Kamloops	John Peterson
7	Shantelle Cooper	Midfield	5'8"	4	Nanaimo	Cedar
8	Abbey McAuley	Midfield	5'7"	1	Langley	Langley
9	Katie Clark	Forward	5'10"	4	Kamloops	NorKam
10	Val Godard	Forward	5'5"	2	Kamloops	Valleyview
11	Shannon Meyer	Midfield	5'6"	2	Kamloops	Westsyde
12	Chelsea Larock	Defense	5'9"	2	Ottawa, ON	St Pius X
13	Kim Hogg	Midfield	5'6"	4	Kamloops	NorKam
15	Cassie Drummond	Forward	5'8"	1	Kamloops	Westsyde
16	Kerry Hill	Forward	5'9"	1	Kamloops	Valleyview
17	Meghan Thompson	Midfield	5'9"	4	Calgary, AB	Sir Winston Churchill
18	Heather Lloyd	Defense	5'7"	1	Kamloops	Valleyview
19	Niki Thomson	Midfield	5'10"	1	Kamloops	South Kam
RS	Tamara Montgomery	Midfield	5'8"		Kamloops	Brocklehurst

Coach Eric Schweizer

Assistant Coach Glen Archer

Assistant Coach Kelly Shantz

Manager Chianne Smith

Trainer Kevin Brechin



Back (L-R): Trevor Heringer, Doug Clark, Lee Ingram, Rob Morrison, Kyle Dhanani, Chris Clark, Ben Bradford, Matt Walker, Alex Ponich and Travis Unsworth

Middle (L-R): Brock Stewart, Nic Miskin, Tanner Gainer, Dalas Janni, Yoshi Nakamura, Jordan Broatch, Greg Cros, Adam Halland, Bryan Mahon and Randall Narcise

Front (L-R): Scott Nevison, Pat Brown (Infield Coach), Dave Arthurs (Outfield Coach), Ray Chadwick (Coach), Tanner Brotzel (Assistant Coach), Frank Ingram (Pitching Coach)



and Bryan Burston. (Missing: Mike Tomlinson, Torrie Watters, Dillon Morgan, Greg Shillington, Anthony Cros, Matt Wild and Brandon Sherwood

Head Coach Ra Pitching Coach Fra Assistant Coach Ta Infield Coach Pa Outfield Coach Da

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Back (L-R): Brad Pape (coach), Ema Salja, Marlee Mertens, Veneta Coulton, Ming Wong, Ross Perkin (Asst. coach) Front (L-R): Bob Stanley (manager), Brennan Arduini, Noah Wood, Garrett Babichuk, Alex Perkin Missing: Andy Chu, Whitney Mackenny, Quinie Song

#	Name	Position
3	Scott Nevison	UTL
7	Adam Halland	INF
8	Dalas Janni	INF
9	Ben Bradford	UTL
10	Nic Miskin	RHP
12	Brock Stewart	С
14	Lee Ingram	RHP
15	Matt Wild	INF
16	Matt Walker	OF
17	Bryan Burston	С
18	Greg Cros	INF
19	Alex Ponich	OF
20	Brandon Sherwood	RHP
21	Torrie Watters	OF
25	Mike Tomlinson	OF
26	Chris Clark	OF
27	Doug Clark	OF
29	Yoshi Nakamura	INF
30	Trevor Heringer	INF
31	Kyle Dhanani	INF
34	Rob Morrison	INF
35	Randall Narcise	OF
40	Tanner Gainer	INF
41	Jordan Broatch	RHP
42	Travis Unsworth	RHP
43	Dillon Morgan	INF
44	Greg Shillington	RHP
48	Bryan Mahon	RHP
51	Anthony Cros	UTL



Scott Nevison LITI



15 Matt Wild INF



Mike Tomlinson 25



Randall Narcise 35

Major League Baseball draft.



Matt Walker

Chris Clark

Tanner Gainer

The TRU WolfPack are the current Canadian College Baseball Conference Champions. In the May 2007 tournament, the team walked through it undefeated. To prove their reputation as the team to beat, TRU repeated the same winning performance during their Thanksgiving Fall Classic against

all the teams in the league. The bonus is that the WolfPack's newest roster

This year will be another big one for the team as players like Alex Ponich are

keen to show their strength and determination to make it to the Majors.

won the Fall Classic and it is not the same team that won in May. The men are now winter training in preparation for their Arizona trip in the early spring and the start of another successful season in the CCBC. In the spring season of 2007, Adam Arnold joined the WolfPack after playing two years of ball in Michigan. Sent to expand his game under Ray Chadwick's coaching, Arnold was drafted in the 41st round of the

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WolfPack Men's Baseball

Thompson Rivers University

OF



8 Dalas Janni INF



17 Bryan Burston



Ben Bradford LITI

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18 Greg Cros INF



Yoshi Nakamura 29 INF



42 Travis Unsworth RHP







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Lee Ingram

Torrie Watters

Rob Morrison

DHD

Nic Miskin



Alex Ponich OF





Trevor Heringer INF



RHP

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Ray Chadwick

Head Coach

Pat Brown

Infield Coach



48 Bryan Mahon RHP



Frank Ingram 22



Dave Arthurs 47 Outfield Coach

Pitching Coach







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Doug Clark

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Tanner Brotzel Asst. Coach













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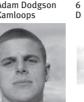




With the goal to compete at the CIS level in 2009, the WolfPack men's soccer team is in a three-year rebuilding plan. The first goal is to make the BCCAA playoffs this year, then play host to the CCAA National Championships in November 2008 and then play an inaugural season at the CIS level in 2009. The plan is geared to give the younger players a chance to get quality experience at the BCCAA level and then move with the program to the CIS conference where they will be used for their leadership skills and playing experience.

The WolfPack this year have two returning 5th years, Brad Clark and Hee-Young Chung who have been given another year on the playing field thanks to a change in the CCAA's eligibility limit. Both players and 4th year James Byra will be looked upon for direction as the team chases a playoff spot for the 2007 season.

Rookies Stu Jameson and Conor Doherty are two of the three highest scoring WolfPack players this year and both are from Kamloops. The third highest scorer is Hatem Abdulghader who has come to Canada to join the team from Tripoli, Libya.













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Thompson Rivers University WolfPack Women's Soccer

Heather Lloyd

Kamloops

The WolfPack women's soccer team has continued its tradition of excellence in 2006 with a third place finish in league play. With an exciting victory over Douglas in the semi-finals at the BCCAA provincials at Hillside Stadium, the WolfPack secured a place in the provincial final against the Langara Falcons.

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In the bitter cold, the hosts forced the final Langara game into overtime and lost by a score of 2 -1. As Langara was hosting the nationals, the BCCAA silver medalists were eligible to play at the national championship in Vancouver. There the WolfPack defeated FX Garneau from Quebec 1-0 in overtime and came from behind to win 4 - 3 over Northern Alberta

Institute of Technology and earned another gold medal game against B.C. rivals Langara. The Pack ended up behind Langara with a 3-1 loss, but took home its 6th national silver medal in the past 12 years.

Kamloops

Tamara Montgomery

Coach

Eric Schweizer

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At the time of publication this 2007 season, the women have finished the regular season with a 10-2-2 record and are again second to Langara heading into the BCCAA Provincial Championships. We hope history repeats itself except the outcome of the final.

The WolfPack will host the 2008 Canadian College Athletics Association National Championships next fall in their final season before stepping into CIS competition.









Cassie Drummond



Assistant Coach Glen Archer



Assistant Coach Kelly Shantz



Manager Chianne Smith



Mens & Womens Trainer Kevin Brechin









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Chia-hung (Andy) Chu





Noah Woods



Coach Brad Pape



Marlee Martens





Alex Perkin

Ema Salja

Thompson Rivers University WolfPack Badminton

Ming Wong

This year's badminton team is no different than those of the past with a great mix of personalities to keep things interesting on and off the court. However, the one difference this year is the strength and balance of our team. It now has the potential to win in several events against any of the other colleges. The team is young enough to be a medal contender for several years in a row its strength will continue with the local players that are coming up behind the ones we currently have on the team. The future for badminton at TRU is bright, expect to see them making headlines this year and in the years to come.

Bob Stanley

Returning this year is the most senior player, 4th year athlete Andy Chu from Taiwan. He is a strong force in college badminton after returning from a summer of training in Taiwan. He leads our young contingent of men including three from South Kamloops Secondary; Brennan Arduini 2nd year, Alex Perkin 1st year and Noah Woods 1st year. From Kelowna we have playing with us Garrett Babichuk a 1st year athlete who won many junior tournaments around BC, including the 2007 Kootenay Open last spring. Whitney Mackenny of Port Alberni and Ming Wong of Kamloops both 2nd year athletes will anchor a young women's contingent of Marlee Mertens and Jenna Angle (Salmon Arm) and Veneta Colton and Ema Salja of Kamloops, all 1st year athletes.



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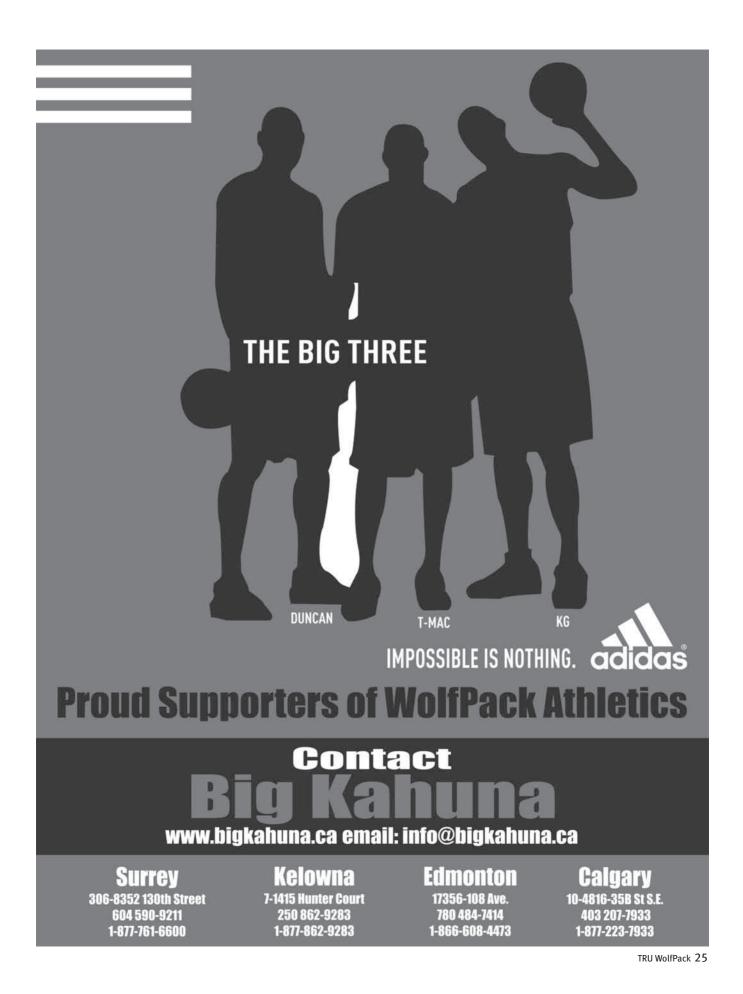
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Where are they now?

Lisa Strachan —Women's Volleyball 2000–2005

Lisa Strachan is one of the most decorated volleyball players to wear the UCC Sun Demons uniform. During her volleyball career at the university-college (2000/05), the 6'0" setter was part of the provincial champions team in 2005 and has won countless other awards including both CCAA All-Canadian and CCAA Academic All-Canadian in the same year.

Born and raised here in Kamloops, Strachan is proud to still call the city 'home' as she is now the Sports Event Coordinator for Tourism Kamloops. Strachan is applying the same leadership skills, drive and creativity that she used on the volleyball court in her new career, marketing and advertising various sporting and entertainment events to the community and visiting tourists. As a high school student, Strachan excelled in all sports, but focused mainly on soccer, basketball, and volleyball. A triple-threat athlete, Strachan chose Carrie Barrett's UCC Sun Demons volleyball as her varsity sport when she entered college in 2000.

For five years, Strachan racked up the volleyball awards. Strachan took a break from her studies during her third year to travel Brazil and the other South American countries.

Back with the Sun Demons upon her return, Strachan was part of the provincial bronze then provincial gold title teams. Both years she was part of the BCCAA Provincial Tournament All-stars and in her final year she was named Tournament MVP. That same banner year, Strachan was made a 2nd team CCAA National Tournament All-star in Quebec City.

In 2005, Strachan graduated UCC with a diploma in Sports Events and Management and is now back at TRU

working on her Tourism Management Degree. Strachan is still part of the WolfPack family as she helps Barrett coach the women's team in their third season in the Canada West conference of Canadian Interuniversity Sport.

Lisa's Awards and Achievements:

- > CCAA All Canadian Award 2005
- CCAA Second Team All Star
 Volleyball Nationals 2005
- Provincial Champions for BCCAA Women's Volleyball 2004/2005
- MVP of Provincial Championships in the BCCAA League 2005
- > BCCAA First Team League All-Star
- > CCAA Academic All Canadian Award - 2004/2005
- > BCCAA Provincial All-Star 2003/2004



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WolfPack Men's volleyball in Europe

With three European players on the WolfPack men's volleyball team and another joining up, Pat Hennelly felt it was time to take his men across the ocean for a quick tour.

The team travelled 2800 kilometres, visited four countries, eight cities [Brussels, Mont St Guibert, Leuven (Belgium), Amsterdam (Holland), Ribe, Arhus, Odense (Denmark) and Frankfurt (Germany)] and played seven matches versus professional volleyball teams.

The travelling party consisted of 17 players, three coaches, one manager, one faculty member, one Athletic staff member and two guests. Together they visited some great cities and saw some amazing historical monuments.

Standout memories include visiting the towns of Ribe, Denmark,

which is the oldest city in Scandinavia and has many original buildings dating back to the 1500s, and Leuven, Belgium, home to one of the oldest universities in Europe. The group also had guite the experience driving down the autobahns with their long legs crammed into the small vans.

The different cultures and sites will make a lasting impression to the young team and their travelling companions. It was



the first trip overseas for 75 per cent of the team.

Head coach Patrick Hennelly wanted to give his team the traveling experience, but he also wanted to expose his players to the professional leagues in Europe and their coaches and managers. To showcase the calibre of players in the WolfPack roster could open playing opportunities for the men once they are finished playing with the WolfPack.

Tony Zylstra was offered a chance to play in Denmark after he completes his 5th year of eligibility. Also there was interest in Robin Schoebel, Troy Jaggard, and Colin Jaggard from teams in Belgium and Denmark. While playing in Holland a professional agent watched the team play and will be in contact with many of the players when they have completed their eligibility.

> This trip also enhances the WolfPack's chances of recruiting top athletes. Hennelly is looking to establish the volleyball program as a destination of choice and feels that trips like this one give potential players another reason to come to Kamloops and TRU.

The experience was a great success and the WolfPack volleyball men's team hope to make an international trip every four years.

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TRU Sports Task Force Athlete of the Year Male: Patrick Johnston, Men's Volleyball Female: Kristi Spelay, Women's Basketball

Scholar Athlete of the Year Male: Tanner Brotzel, Baseball Female: Alix Stupich, Women's Basketball

Athlete of the Year Male: Robin Schoebel Female: Robyn Devlin

Team Awards

Women's Basketball Most Improved Player: Danika Maartman Most Dedicated Player: Kelley O'Grady

Men's Basketball

Most Inspirational: Brian Smith Rookie of the Year: Kamar Burke MVP: Charlie Spurr

Women's Volleyball

Team Award: Lauren Stockstad Rookie of the Year: Laura Battison

Men's Volleyball

Player of the Year (Coaches' Vote): Troy Jaggard Player of the Year (Player's Vote): Tim Flannigan

Women's Soccer Leader of the Pack (MVP): Kelsi Butner Outstanding Performance: Shantelle Cooper Wolfpup Freshman Award: Shannon Meyer Clutch Performance Award: Katie Clark Alpha Wolf Award:

Stacy Bekkering

Men's Soccer Outstanding Performance: James Byra **Men's Soccer** Freshman of the Year: Tim Unaegbu

Badminton Male MVP: Andy Chu Female MVP: Whitney Mackenny Most Improved Male: Clark Chen Most Improved Female: Ming Wong

Baseball (last spring's awards) Rookie of the Year: Matt Bannister Top Pitcher: Frank Ingram Top Hitter: Alex Ponich Most Improved: Torrie Watters Golden Glove: Will Devick MVP: Alex Ponich

Cheerleading Squad

Most Improved: Alisa Miller Most Spirited: Sarah Ball Allstar: Alyssa Nuyens

Graduating Student-Athletes (4th year soccer and baseball, 5th year volleyball and basketball) Baseball Duaine Bowles, Baseball **Tanner Brotzel** Baseball Nathan French Baseball Geoff Fahlman **Basehall** Paul Wourms Baseball **Dwight Liburd** Baseball Frank Ingram Women's Soccer Kelsi Butner Women's Soccer **Theresa Marples** Women's Volleyball **Kristin Peters** Women's Volleyball **Robyn Devlin** Women's Volleyball Sandra-Joy Unaegbu Men's Soccer **Chris Monteleone** Men's Soccer Dan Cecchini Men's Soccer Travis Duncan Men's Soccer Hee Young Chung Men's Soccer Brad Clark Men's Soccer Shane Laye



Graduating Athletics, L-R (by head position): Nathan French, Paul Wourms, Duaine Bowles, Frank Ingram, Tanner Brotzel, Geoff Fahlman, Theresa Marples, Sandra-Joy Unaegbu, Robyn Devlin, Hee Young Chung, Kristin Peters, Brad Clark, Chris Monteleone, Dwight Liburd, Travis Duncan





Jesse Olynyk takes a break with a couple WolfPack pups during one of this summer's Sports Camps. photo Jennifer Robertson





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