



"ONE AN' DA TWO"—As part of Slavic week Antonia Ezzo and Dolores DePietro demonstrate a variety of Slovenian folk art in Kilcawley Center. (Photo by Jeff Showman)

Area businessmen discuss job prospects with students

Business students will have the opportunity to discuss future career possibilities with experts in the field in Kilcawley Center on Friday, May 30.

The event is a Business Careers for the 80s seminar being co-sponsored by the School of Business and YSU Career Services.

Topics to be discussed during the one and two hour morning sessions include accounting, advertising and public relations, finance, industrial and utility

management, insurance, marketing, retail management, transportation and physical distribution and minorities and women in business.

Students will hear from representatives of Republic Steel, Hill, Barth and King, Blue Cross, WHOT, Mutual of New York, Dow Chemical, IBM, Ohio Bell and General Motors.

The event is free and open to all YSU students. For more information, contact Charles Whitman in Career Services, ext. 3315.

Desires to improve faculty contract

Shipka elected president for 1980-81 YSU-OEA

by Linda M. Dohar

Dr. Thomas Shipka, Philosophy, the newly elected president of the YSU Ohio Education Association (OEA) said that his primary objective during his term in office is "to negotiate an improved master contract."

The present contract will expire at the end of the next academic year. He outlined four specific points to be included in the contract.

First and foremost, Shipka said that faculty members must be "protected against the impact of inflation...which would require substantial increases in salary."

He said that faculty increases in the past three years were 5 per cent, 5 per cent and 9 1/4 per cent. Next year, the raise will again be 9 1/4 per cent.

Because of inflation, Shipka explained, "the faculty has suffered a decline in real income." Therefore, he said he will seek "a significant economic package to restore lost income and to provide protection against further decline in real income."

Shipka's second goal is to expand the faculty's fringe benefits. He characterized the overall fringe benefit plan as "sound" but he said it lacks

several key protections such as dental and vision insurance plans and a prescription plan.

"These are increasingly common in both the public and private sector and it is high-time that we provide these benefits for our faculty here."

Third on the list is what Shipka calls "isolated problem areas." He said that faculty members of the College of Applied Sciences had Technology have "appallingly low starting salaries and have difficulty in acquiring tenure and promotions." Shipka describes these faculty members as

frustrated and often ineffective in the classroom. His objective is to improve their working environment.

The fourth area of concern is starting rank and starting salary. Shipka said that in the past few years the administration has been appointing new people at the rank of instructor even though they have a doctorate. Shipka said that the faculty feel that this practice is "inappropriate and is a move by the administration to capitalize on an over-supply of faculty in the market."

These four objectives may mean hikes in students' tuition and fees.

Then from 7 to 9 p.m., also in the Ohio Room, a "Dance Concert" will take place, featuring a Ukrainian dance group from Youngstown and a Russian dance group from Akron. The Dance Concert will be free and open to the public.

According to an informational pamphlet, the ZIVILI Company has "toured South Florida, and has given performances in Chicago and all over Ohio." They have been invited to participate at "Smotra Folklor," one of the largest festivals in Europe, during an up-coming tour of Yugoslavia July 10 to July 24.

ZIVILI is comprised of over 30 professional members, headed by Artistic Director/Choreographer, Pamela Lacko Kelly, graduate of St. Joseph's Calumet College; Drucilla Badurina Roussell, Music Director and Arranger; and Melissa Pintar Obenauf, Manager/Ballet Director, Ohio State University graduate.

Tickets for this Sunday's performance, at Bliss Hall, can be obtained at the International Institute, 661 Wick Ave. (next to the IBM building) or can be purchased at the door.

the jambor

Slavic week to be highlighted by the Zivili dancers this Sunday

by George Denney

Youngstown area residents and YSU students will be given a rare opportunity to enjoy the artistic talents of ZIVILI, a professional dance group from Columbus, Ohio, who will perform songs and dances of Yugoslavia this Sunday, June 1, at 2:30 p.m. in Ford Auditorium, Bliss Hall.

The performance is the final event of a week-long presentation of Slavic heritage in the form of folk music and artistic ability of area residents. It is sponsored by the International Institute of Youngstown and the YSU Slavic Club, with assistance from the Cooperative Campus Ministry and the Ohio Arts Council/Ohio program in the Humanities.

Joseph Rudjak, assistant director of the International Institute said, "The program was arranged in order to preserve the folk-art tradition that is a part of at least 110,000 area residents whose common ancestral ties are from the Slavic and East European countries."

The program is the first of its kind at YSU Rudjak added, "and plans to make it an annual event are already in progress."

The activities this week have included thus far, a lecture by Dr. Luba Barna, Foreign language, and Dr. John Cadzow, of Kent State, on "The Importance of America's Ethnic Community Experience;" efforts of area folk artist, including Slovenian music by Dolores DePietro; Bonnin Lace by Antonia Ezzo; "Drotar" or tin art, by John Javorsky; Romanian and Russian folk art by Robert Vandalov, President of the Slavic Club, and Terry Bilas.

Also to be included is a paper and straw art display by the Polish Arts Club of Youngstown; Romanian folk art by Anne Nann; and Yugoslavian folk music by Libby Fill.

All of the artists have made presentations in Kilcawley this week in addition to being at four area schools.

Members of the ZIVILI touring company, in addition to Sunday's performance, will "demonstrate, teach and discuss (at no cost to participants)" folk music and dance with all interested persons, tomorrow in the Ohio Room, Kilcawley, from 2 to 4 p.m.

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Senior Recitals

String trios, a madrigal, brass ensemble and woodwind quintet will be some of the groups featured in Cheryl Anne Pyles' senior composition recital to be held at 8:30 p.m., Friday, May 30, in Bliss Recital Hall.

A reception will follow the recital in Pollock House. All are invited.
Mark Izzo will present his senior voice recital at 7:45 p.m., Friday, May 30, in Bliss Recital Hall. He is a student of Dr. Donald E. Vogel. It is a recital of art songs and arias. The recital is free and open to the public.

Faculty Cocktail Party

YSU faculty and guests are reminded of the YSU-OEA Annual Cocktail Party to be held from 3 to 5:30 p.m., Friday, May 30, at Butler Art Institute.

Black United Students

Black United Students are having a B.U.S. dance, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., Friday, May 30, in the Chestnut Room, Kilcawley Center. The first 25 there to jam get in free of charge!! Admission is 75 cents.

The Science Fiction and Fantasy Club

Imaginations Unlimited, the YSU Science Fiction and Fantasy Club, will hold its last meeting of 79-80 and a party at 6 p.m., Saturday, May 31 in Rooms 216 and 217, Kilcawley Center. SF&F films and games will be featured, with discussion and refreshments. A small contribution is requested of non-members.

Jubilee Christian Fellowship

Jubilee Christian Fellowship will elect new officers for next year at noon, Wednesday, June 4, in Room 240, Kilcawley Center. If interested in becoming an officer, but unable to attend this meeting, please contact Karen Bosko at 757-3856.

Cooperative Campus Ministry

Apostolic Christian Fellowship and Intra-Varsity Campus Ministry will hold a song testimony meeting Wednesday, June 4, outside Kilcawley on the hill.

Football Team Photos

Pictures of all members of the 1980 Penguin football team, to be used in next season's press guides, will be taken at 2 p.m., Thursday, June 5, at the University Relations Office, Room 119, Tod Hall. Players are urged to wear suits, with tie or open collar. Beards and sideburns long than ear lobe length are not permitted. Well groomed moustaches are allowed.

Extension of Library Hours

Maag library is expanding its hours during finals week, June 8, to the following times: Sunday-1 p.m.-11 p.m.; Monday thru Thursday-7:30 a.m.-11 p.m. and Friday-7:30 a.m.-10 p.m. (regular hours).

Cheerleading Tryouts

Cheerleading tryouts will be held from 3 to 5 p.m., June 16-20, in Beeghly Center. Anyone interested should register now in Room 302 of Beeghly. Tryouts will also be held for anyone wishing to be the 1980-81 mascot.

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Art show to run June 4 - June 13 in Kilcawley

Chairperson of the Art Department at Westminster College Nelson E. Oestreich will serve as the judge for the 1980 Senior and Graduate Student Show in Kilcawley Center Art Gallery.

The show runs Wednesday, June 4 through Friday, June 13, with an opening reception at 4 p.m. on June 4.

Oestreich has earned both a BS and an MFA from Bowling Green State University and an MA from Kent State. He works primarily in sculpture, painting, woodcut, printing and

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CAMPUS SHORTS

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Channel 45/49 Volunteers

Channels 45/49 are expanding their volunteer organization. Volunteers are needed to operate video tape library, help with the preparation of instructional TV workshops; staff public information booths at malls and county fairs, assist with clerical work, prepare direct mailings, build stage sets for TV shows, conduct surveys, keep historical records current, carry out photographic assignments, assist with proof reading, and assist with their speakers' bureau.

If interested in any of these assignments call 678-1656.

MS Volunteers

The Multiple Sclerosis Society needs full-time or part-time volunteers beginning fall quarter to promote the MS READ-a-thon in area schools. Communication and education majors are desired. If interested, contact the VIRS by calling 742-3399 or stop in Room 324 Jones Hall for further details.

Metzenbaum Aide

Senator Howard M. Metzenbaum's Office has an opening in its Youngstown District for an Administrative Aide Intern. The position's responsibilities include handling casework and major area issues. Pre-law majors are preferred, but students strongly interested in law and government may also apply.

Interested students may contact Michelle Petro (Administrative Aide) at 746-1133.

Vehicles to be Towed

The Contractors are having difficulty with persons parking on the stadium site. The entire north area of Beeghly, between Fifth Avenue and Elm Street, temporarily belongs to the contractor and is not a parking lot. Contractors are going to tow, at the owner's expense, any vehicles parked anywhere in the area.

Kilcawley Art Gallery

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illustrations. Oestreich's works are included in several galleries' collections, including the Butler Institute of American Art in Youngstown.

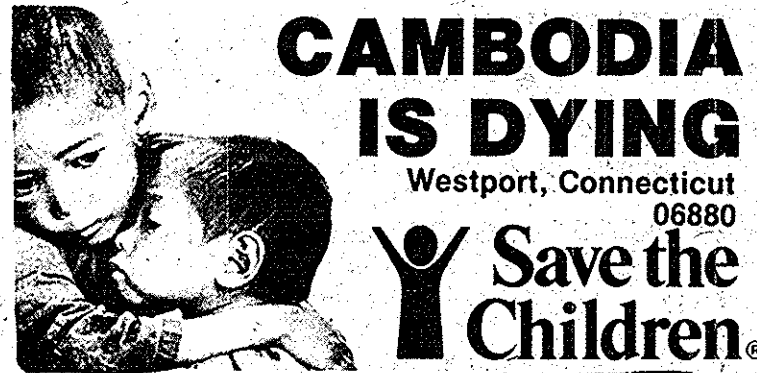
The art show is open to all YSU seniors and graduate students. The show will be

juried and those works accepted for exhibition will be judged and prizes awarded. All media will be accepted and Gallery officials estimate 30 students' works will be exhibited.

For further details, contact David Johnson at 742-3575.



ZIVILI DANCERS—Slavic heritage week will conclude this Sunday with the Zivili dancers' performance in Ford Auditorium.



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Editorial**Evaluate**

Complaints are often leveled against the currently used student-evaluation-of-faculty forms, primarily because of their inadequacy in allowing students to assess instructors' teaching performances. Thus, compilation of the data on the forms, does little to improve the quality of education provided at YSU.

Students, however, do have alternative means to use to more elaborately critique instructors' teaching performances. These means, perhaps more effective than the evaluation forms, are rarely used by students.

Should a student have a complaint, he or she can always confront the instructor. However, fearing that a grade may be adversely affected, rarely does a student utilize this means.

Students can also register comments or complaints about an instructor with department chairpersons and academic deans. Action taken by these individuals varies, but if several complaints are filed, they are a strong indication that something is radically wrong, and as such, cannot be totally ignored.

Perhaps, however, one of the more positive actions a student can take regarding faculty evaluations, is to "reward" instructors who have demonstrated good teaching abilities with personal comments, positively assessing them. Often, students are quick to criticize, yet slow to commend. Yet, such favorable recognition, can do much to improve and promote the overall quality of education at the University.

Take time. Write letters lauding the deserving and send copies to the appropriate department chairpersons, academic deans, and to the personnel office in Tod Hall. Not only will such action encourage continuation of good teaching, but your comments may benefit the instructor when he or she is considered for promotion or tenure.

Often students forget that they, too, have a responsibility to improve and maintain a standard of quality education at YSU. Accept your responsibility—make your comments heard.

All letters must be typed, double-spaced, and signed, and must list a telephone number where the contributor can be reached. Letters may not exceed 250 words and should concern campus related issues. The editor reserves the right to edit and/or reject letters for publication.

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Lauds student's handling of election

To the Editor of the Jambar: I would like to commend John Lynch for his fine handling of the latest Student Government elections, which were held last Tuesday.

Through his dedicated efforts, the elections went off extremely smooth. But, a few glory-seekers could not leave it at that. Because their candidate did not win, they felt compelled to protest the counting of the

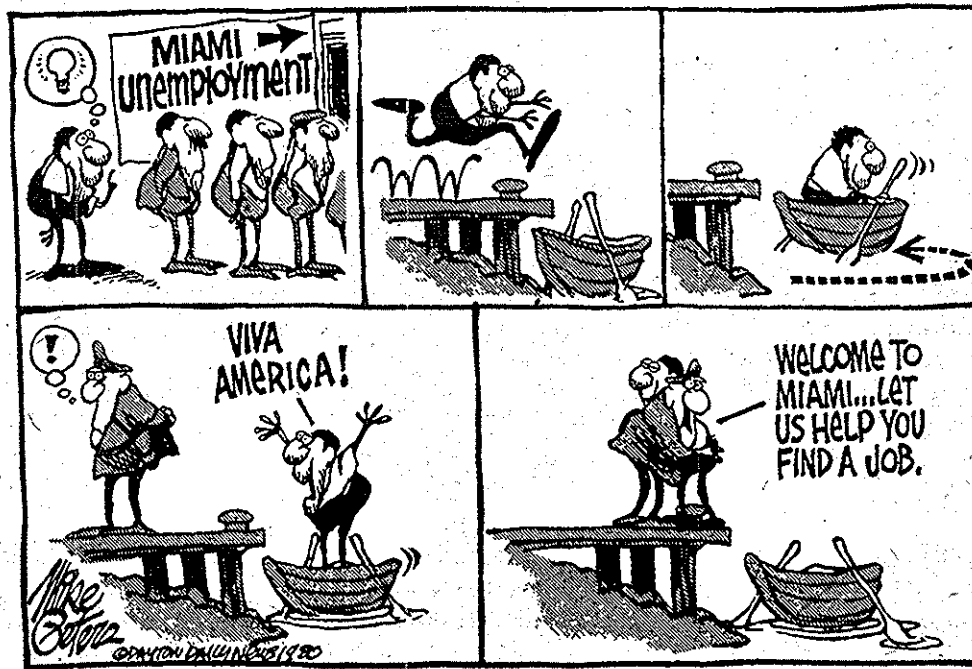
votes. They believe that those votes which were disallowed because they were not legal should have been counted as being valid.

I disagree, for I believe that the instructions on the ballots were more than adequate for a first-grader to understand, and that if anyone still could not understand the instructions, they could have easily questioned the poll workers, as many people took the

time to do.

So, I believe that those glory-seekers should lick their wounds, choke back their tears, and if they really want their friend to be president, take the time to get his name on the ballot next time, instead of worrying whether he will be running against another one of their friends.

Tony Ranalli
Sophomore
A&S

**Defends preacher's character, word**

To the Editor of the Jambar: After reading the personal opinions directed toward Evangelist Tom Short in Friday's Jambar, I became somewhat disheartened with the people's thoughts and later felt compelled to write about the three things bothered me most.

First of all, I couldn't believe Father Thomas had made a statement regarding Short's use of scripture out of context. Here was this Christian Priest, chastening this Christian man by implying that he used scripture out of context while speaking out against YSU sin.

To say the least, I was confused, so I went to talk with Father Thomas and asked him to cite me some examples of ill-used scriptural references. He couldn't, and explained that he wasn't referring specifically to anything Mr. Short had said, as the paper seemed to imply,

but was just making a broad generalization.

Next in line was the statement concerning the character of Mr. Short. To begin with, Mr. Short did not come here because of a desire to be someone, he already is. Short came here because he cares about people and the mistakes they are making. Now about the time limit that student places upon a person's discussion, I think that maybe he was a little too hasty with his words and should reconsider the absurdity of his statement.

Let me end my comments on this man's opinion by saying that what Mr. Short is doing is the will of God, Rom. 10:14, and is not the selfish lifestyle most people, me included, are often caught up in.

Finally, the third statement that bothered me was the one which questioned Mr. Short's lecture and his answers to ques-

tions asked. While I don't agree 100% with all of Short's statements and answers, I do believe he did as well a job as could be expected when you take into account the complexity of the subject, the various viewpoints involved, and the confusion of the students yelling and screaming caused.

I'd like to end this letter with a quote directed toward those students who think they can continue in this sexual and drug-related sins and still love God. "No servant can serve two masters for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon." Luke 16:13.

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Urges equitable taxing for park funds

To the Editor of the *Jambar*:

Your May 23 issue carried a letter from Charles Wedekind seeking support for additional funds in order to have Mill Creek Park meet ever increasing needs. He cites its value to YSU students as well as to the community at large while making points about how small the increase needed is and its value in comparison to other expenditures citizens make.

I would use the same superlatives in describing Mill Creek Park as the supporters of its levies. This park is one of the area's most positive attributes.

However, Mill Creek Park also represents an injustice to the taxpayers who are presently supporting its operation. The

park is not governed or operated by the City of Youngstown. Much of the park is located in Boardman township.

It is utilized by people far beyond Youngstown and Boardman, yet only citizens of old Youngstown township, which does not include all the city of Youngstown, are required to provide the taxes for its support. As long as these people, who provide the money needed, keep voting for levies there will never be a real effort to change the tax base.

Therefore, I, a taxpayer who enjoys this park as much as most, will be voting NO on any tax levy supporting this facility. I look on the present taxing meth-

od, used to support Mill Creek Park, as being totally unjust in the light of who runs it and who uses it.

I urge levies for the operation of this park be defeated until

a more equitable way to raise money is established.

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Says preacher nuisance

To the editor of the *Jambar*:

On May 22, if by any chance you were walking through campus, you would have noticed a large gallery of people surrounding a man who was pacing the grounds while preaching "the Word of God."

I myself believe in God, but I feel that there should be a separation between church and state.

I do not feel that on the nicest day in 1980, while people are sunning themselves and

playing frisbee in the center of campus, that this man has the right to interrupt these people and push his beliefs on them.

What I'm trying to say is that I'm sick and tired of "born again" Christians pressuring me to conform to their beliefs.

I believe there's a time and place for everything, and that the preaching of religion should be kept outside of government institutions.

Mike Hahlen
Freshman, A&S

Angered by students

To the Editor of the *Jambar*:

"Hey! Where are the brown corduroys you wore yesterday?" "I'm gonna play Frisbee here because I'm trying to hit him."

These are just two of the various "intelligent" comments, made by certain YSU students, directed toward Tom Short, the evangelist who spoke on campus last week.

As two students who were trying to listen to Mr. Short, we were disgusted at the behavior of those who displayed such a show of immaturity and ignorance.

Anyone who did not want to listen with common courtesy had the freedom to walk away, just as Mr. Short had the freedom to speak. The rude and irrelevant comments were unnecessary.

We were embarrassed to think that these were actually college students, supposedly above-average in intelligence, who showed such a lack of respect.

Amy Alexander
Sophomore
Education

Karen Terlesky
Sophomore
Education

Lauds musical cast, crew

To the Editor of the *Jambar*:

This is an open letter to the entire cast and crew, all the musicians and the directors of the Dana School of Music's production of "H.M.S. Pinafore."

Thank you for a superb production of the challenging

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Complains about lack of lighting

To the Editor of the Jambar:

The campus at YSU during the day has certainly become one of pleasant surroundings and convenience. It has evolved into an area of nice rolling lawns, and beautiful trees, shrubs, and planters filled with flowers, and convenient walk ways by day. However, at night it becomes a whole different setting. After dark the campus transforms into an area of difficult and dangerous obstacles. The lighting, or more directly, the lack of lighting of the campus walkways makes walking about the campus at night very difficult.

Specifically, one place is definitely not illuminated is at the back of the Engineering Science Building. When you come out of the back doors and head over towards Cushwa Hall, the walk is totally unlit. There are trees, shrubs, and planters there that you must "feel" your way past as if you were blind. In contrast, there is a nice bright light focused on the building, but it does not shed any light on the walk. Furthermore, where there are lights to be found illuminating the walk, you almost need a flashlight to see if they are on.

Thus, the campus at YSU is not a place that can now be easily traversed at night. Consequently, I think that the lighting of the campus walk ways at night should be examined for particular areas of poor or no lighting, such as the area mentioned behind the Engineering Science Building. After these areas are identified and the lighting is improved, then this campus will be as pleasant at night as it is during the day.

William Aston
Sophomore, CAST

Calls YSU advisement inadequate

To the Editor of the Jambar:

This letter is to warn incoming students and those presently attending YSU to beware of the poor advisement given to the students at this University. That is if you can get any advisement

at all. When you take your tentative schedule to you advisor, s/he looks at it and then signs it. They don't bother to check your student curriculum folder (which they are suppose to have) to see if you are taking your classes in proper sequence. Part of the problem could be that you don't always have the same advisor.

until next year. So there you are stuck at the University for one or two extra quarters. Shouldn't the advisor have warned you that the class was offered only once a year? I say yes, because that's what they are getting paid for. It should be their job to advise you how to take your classes so that you can graduate from a two year program in two years, not two and a half or three years. So students beware! Take it upon yourself to find these things out, and don't depend on the advisor at this University for anything except their signature on the advisement sheet you need to register.

Antonio Angilecchia
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The year in review



FAMILIAR SIGHT—Penguin tailback Robby Robson leaps over the line to score for YSU. (Photo by Tom Sheehan)

Amodio, Noe point out athletic program gains

by Ron Anderson

From an athletic standpoint the 1979-80 academic year has produced one of the finest all-around efforts from the YSU varsity teams.

YSU Athletic Director Paul Amodio and Assistant Athletic Director Pauline Noe explained that many different aspects influence the outcome of a successful program, and point with pride to the achievements of the YSU effort.

"I think that if you checked, this might have been the greatest year in the history of YSU sports," said Amodio.

"When you start off your season with a national championship caliber football team, and you end your season with a national championship caliber softball team, and fill in with

championship season in other sports and fine efforts by both the men's and women's basketball teams, then you have something to be proud of," Amodio stated.

Both Amodio and Noe point to the attitude of the athletes as a key factor in the program's rise to prominence.

"I think the attitude of the athletes has improved dramatically," related Amodio. "It began three years ago when we went on a 2.0 scale, meaning that all male athletes that are recruited on campus must have had a 2.0 grade average in high school. It has now improved to the point that with last quarter's grades, 38 per cent of our entire program is at 3.0 or better."

"You are also seeing a change in pride along with their

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Momentum key to season

Penguins win 2nd straight MCC football title

by Ron Anderson

While the 1979-80 school year provided YSU fans with more than their share of thrills in athletic competition, the exploits of the football team will probably be best remembered by both the hard core and casual sports fans.

What happened is now history as the Penguins posted their best record ever by compiling a 9-1 seasonal mark, and marching all the way to the final game of the NCAA Division II play-offs, finishing second to Delaware, who was the only team to defeat as YSU the Penguins rolled up a won-loss mark of 11-2 for the entire season.

YSU head coach Bill Narduzzi explained that he and his staff had set some early season goals that would tell just how good a team they were.

"We knew going in to the season that we had a good football team," stated Narduzzi. "Our objective was to get to Villanova (game 5) undefeated, and the Villanova game would then tell us just how good a football team we would be."

In their first four games the Penguins traveled first to Illinois State and came away with a 33-27 victory, and then returned for

three straight home games edging Central State 17-6, downing Ashland 24-3 and shutting out conference foe Northern Iowa 29-0.

The importance of the Villanova contest could be felt amongst every member of the squad when they traveled to Philadelphia for the game.

The Penguins traded touchdowns early with the Wildcats before Villanova moved out to a 22-14 halftime edge. YSU came roaring back both on offense and defense in the second half a holding Villanova scoreless, and moving in front for a 27-22 win.

"Momentum kind of grew on us from that point," explained Narduzzi, "and the kids realized just how good they could be if they would just keep their noses to the grindstone."

Momentum was the key word in the next three outings as the Penguins traveled to Northern Michigan for a 24-23 win, and to the home field of long-time arch rival Akron for 16-3 victory, and finally returned home to play host to Western Illinois in a 29-8 win in the annual Homecoming Game.

All of the previous three games

were against conference foes, giving YSU a perfect 4-0 mark in the league; and setting the stage for the next game in Charleston, Illinois, against Eastern Illinois which would decide the winner of the Mid-Continent Conference.

The Eastern game held special significance for YSU since only slightly less than a year earlier they had traveled to Eastern for a semi-final game in the national

play-offs, and had lost 26-22 to the Panthers.

The tables were turned by YSU this time. The Penguins put on their best show of domination both offensively and defensively en route to a 49-21 win that clinched a second straight MCC title for YSU.

"I think the highlight of the season for me, other than the obvious one of going to the play-

offs, was the victory we had over Eastern Illinois," recalled Narduzzi. "The first 17 minutes of that ballgame, from an offensive, defensive and kicking-game standpoint was about as perfect a display of football as I have ever been associated with. We just totally annihilated them."

The victory over Eastern left the Penguins with a 9-0 record

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Softball overcomes woes early

Penguins reign as state champs

by Tina Ketchum

When last year's softball coach Pauline Noe said, "I think these girls are going to find themselves giving the rest of the schools a good run for their money, and who knows? We might be there again," little did some people think that the Penguins could muster a third state championship.

The Penguins did find the going tough in the beginning of the season after coach Noe became ill and had to sit out the season, bringing in first year coach Bill Wolf. The team was also a bit apprehensive about the

new style of game, which many of them had never played. It has been said that "three's a charm" and after opening season woes, the Penguins ended the 1979-80 campaign, however, with much charm.

While trying to make the transition from the more familiar slow-pitch techniques to the new fast-pitch style, the defending state champion Penguins dropped the first two games in a doubleheader with Kent State University. They lost the first game 11-3 and the second 19-5.

The first win of the season, and the first fast-pitch win ever, came

by winning the nightcap of a doubleheader with Akron University with a 5-1 score. YSU lost the first game with a 2-1 margin.

The Penguins then won a twinbill at Bowling Green to chalk up two more wins with scores of 2-0 and 10-4.

The team experienced a five-game winning streak after taking another doubleheader against Wright State with scores of 2-1 and 4-1.

Still the Penguins kept on winning. The YSU squad secured two more victories by taking a

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Team finishes 13-18

Rosselli cites problems as key to baseball season

by Ron Anderson

The recently completed YSU baseball season could be summarized under the words of Murphy's Law: "If anything can go wrong, it will." It seemed as though on the days the Penguins would offer

good pitching, the hitting would be lacking; on the days the key hits were falling, the pitching would falter; and on the days when both the pitching and hitting were meshed well, the defense would leave something to be desired.

Through it all, however, the Penguins managed to put together a 13-18 season when most other teams would have just folded up and quit, and this impressed head coach Dom Rosselli.

"It was a funny season in a way," related Rosselli. "When I look back there was only one game against Cleveland State (a 19-4 loss) that I could say we didn't belong in. They got six runs in the first inning, and no matter what we did they came out smelling like a rose.

"The thing I really admired about this team," continued Rosselli, "was that even if we were getting beaten, they would always come back to make a game out of it. We just had tough breaks at the wrong time, usually late in a game."

Rosselli also explained that two key factors over the length of the season were decided before the first game.

"At the beginning of the year we were trying to replace half of our infield, at the key areas of shortstop and secondbase," Rosselli stated. "That is one of the toughest areas to lose people in because you have to be strong up the middle of the field defensively. You just can't stress how

important that is."

The pitching problems were compounded by sore arms and loss of experience, even before the start of the season as Rosselli explained.

"Before the season started we lost a dependable senior starter in Joe Sekora due to ineligibility," explained Rosselli. "Combine that with the sore arm of another senior starter, Lee Rudibaugh, and it didn't help our pitching picture."

Rosselli did single out the efforts of some of his players as being important contributions to the efforts of the squad.

"The highlight of the season, and our most consistent aspect this year had to be the play of Scott Bass at thirdbase," said Rosselli. "Scott was our best defensive player, and to me was better than any played against."

"He made a lot of tough plays during the year that would take us and our pitchers out of a hole," continued Rosselli. "He became our defensive key and made good plays throughout the season. He is just a mentally tough player."

Rosselli also pointed to the hitting of Dave Zeigler and Mike Nittoli as bright spots in the season. "Nittoli and Zeigler did

a fine job of long-ball hitting for us," stated the mentor.

Zeigler led the team in homers with five and runs batted in with 26, while compiling a .318 batting average.

Nittoli led the team in hits with 38, doubles with 10, total bases with 62, and compiled a .364 batting average while cracking four homers and driving in 18 runs.

George Vuckovich's 1.72 earned run average led the pitchers, while a 4-1 record by Glenn Head (including the season's only shutout) and a 3-2 record by Bob Haseley topped the staff.

Rosselli also pointed to his three chief cheerleaders amongst his players, and the contribution they make to the team.

"John Hogan, Don Hawkins, and Mike Popio provide enthusiasm and spark to the team," explained Rosselli. "Whether they play or not, they give you 100 per cent loyalty and support."

Rosselli said he saw this past season as a learning experience, and looks forward to next year.

"We took our bumps," the coach said, "and we'll just have to keep our heads up and come back and fight harder next year."



SAFE!—YSU shortstop Dave Baker reaches firstbase safely as the throw pulls the Baldwin-Wallace fielder off of the bag. (Photo by Ron Anderson)

ATHLETE-OF-THE-YEAR

The criteria used in selecting someone to fill the Athlete-of-the-Year position on this campus is one simple question: Which of the athletes at YSU would have been missed the most during the past year, if removed from his or her respective team(s).

The answer, however, was not a simple one. More than a few names came to mind, but the choice was clear after reviewing all of the factors involved. The choice for Athlete-of-the-Year is Dave Zeigler.

Zeigler earned his third and fourth letters this year as he completed his second season with both the men's varsity basketball and baseball teams.

On the basketball court "Zeigler" has become a household word in the Youngstown area. "Z" (as he is known to his legions of fans) led the team in scoring for the second straight season, and in doing so established a new school record for sophomore scoring to go with the freshman scoring record he set a year ago.

To cap off the season Zeigler was named to his share of All-America lists for the second year in a row.

While Zeigler's basketball heroics are becoming greater common knowledge in the area, his contributions to the baseball squad receive less attention but are just as important.

Once again, for the second year in a row, Zeigler led the baseball squad in home runs and runs batted in, and improved his batting average to the tune of about 80 points while batting in the clean-up position.

It is easy to see the effect on the baseball and basketball teams if Zeigler had not been with them this year.

Honorable mention in this selection should go to Vicki Lawrence and Keith Snoddy.

Lawrence was also a two-sport competitor. She displayed talent as both the second-leading scorer on the women's basketball team, and was the top pitcher on the state-champion softball team.

Snoddy displayed his talents on the football field where he guided the team, from his quarterback position, to a runner-up position in NCAA Division II football.

Record shows 11-14 mark

Volleyball team improves in '79

It was a back-and-forth season for the YSU volleyball team as they totaled an 11-14 seasonal record.

By defeating the College of Wooster in the finals, YSU won the John J. Tokash Memorial trophy at the YSU Invitational Tournament. Holly Seimetz and Denise Dietz led the spikers to their first tourney victory with scores of 15-5, 15-5.

The team then lost four straight games at the Wright State invitational despite the sparked play of Evelyn Rohland after coming off the bench in aid of the Penguin cause. YSU lost to Illinois University at Chicago 4-15, 4-15; Xavier 12-15, 13-15; Morrehead 6-15, 2-15; and Marshall University 5-15, 8-15, 8-15.

A triangular meet was split at Wooster by beating Wooster 5-11, 11-15, and 15-8, but losing to Baldwin-Wallace with scores of 13-15, 15-5, and 15-9.

The Penguin team assured itself a place in the Ohio AISW State Tournament by sweeping three straight victories. Beating Toledo 15-8, 11-15, and 15-10, the Penguins then took the measure of Kent State 15-13, 11-15, and 15-7. YSU topped off the day with a follow-up

two game sweep of Muskingum College by identical scores of 16-14.

In the final meet of the season, a triangular against hosting team Akron and visiting Ohio

University, the Penguins spikers downed Akron 10-15, 15-11, and 15-9 with Valerie Kenney leading the way. Ohio University proved to be too much, however, in the second match as YSU fell by scores of 15-12, 7-15, and 9-15.

Lack of experience hinders Penguin field hockey squad

Under the coaching of Denise Vanaman, the YSU women's field hockey team compiled a 4-7 record.

The opening game was lost to Hiram College with a 4-0 score, which was deceiving since seven girls on the team had never played the sport before.

The Penguins then beat Oberlin 2-0 before falling victim to Toledo with a 2-0 score also, making their record 2-1.

YSU evened its record to 2-2 after shutting out Erie College 2-0 on the home field. Leslie Ingram and Kathy Quinn each scored one goal keeping them as the leaders in scoring.

Kent State was the next team to beat YSU, doing so with a 6-0 score. The following match found the Penguins coming up short to Toledo's 3-0 win.

The Penguins lost their last home game to Westminster College 1-0 making their record now 4-5. Ingram was the YSU standout in this game, where it was later announced that the squad had received an invitation to the Ohio AISW Tournament at Wooster.

The season concluded for the 1979-80 field hockey team after disappointing losses to Ashland College, 1-0; and Hiram College, 4-2.

Ingram was the all time leading scorer for YSU, backed by the consistent play of Quinn. YSU had ten first year players, but Vanaman said, "We make up in hustle what we lack in experience. Our leading scorers, Leslie Ingram and Kathy Quinn are two of the finest student athletes at YSU."

Baldwin, Saylor compete in nationals

Wrestling team stabilized by talented freshmen

by Tina Ketchum

In his second year at the job, head wrestling coach, Norm Palovscik took a very young, yet very talented team and turned the entire YSU mat program around.

When YSU won all ends of a quadrangular meet at Case Western Reserve, it exceeded, by one victory, the total earned victories of last season. Already the Penguins had compiled a 5-2 mark, compared to the past seasonal record of 4-13.

The Penguins, using 17 members of the 1979-80 team in three matches, 14 of who were freshmen, defeated West Liberty 30-15, Capital University 21-15, and Case 36-10.

The next two dual meets found YSU as a losing team, dropping a 22-16 match with Ashland and being given a 35-6 marginal setback at the hand of Slippery Rock State College.

In the Ashland meet, the Penguins were defeated despite losing only three individual matches. The three losses, however, came in

the form of pins and two matches ended in draws.

The Penguins were being led at this time by senior captain and All-American Mike Hardy sporting a 14-3-0 record in the 142-lb. division. Also leading the attack were freshmen Bob Donaldson in the 150-lb. weight class and Jeff Saylor competing in the 158-lb. slot.

Palovscik's Penguins now held a 6-4 record in dual meets along with a fourth place finish in both the Michigan Open Tournament and the Cleveland State Tournament. In the Michigan Open with 23 teams competing, YSU's matmen finished behind Central Michigan, Grand Valley College, and Western Michigan, but placed above host Michigan State.

Ranked eighteenth in Division II, the Penguin grapplers traveled to Johnstown for a triangular meet and downed Pitt/Johnstown 21-16 along with Washington & Jefferson in a close 20-18 bout.

Before returning home, the Penguins played in a tournament

at Shippensburg State and came out with a fourth place finish in a seven team field.

With 20 1/2 points, YSU then placed eleventh in the All-Ohio Collegiate Wrestling Tournament at Ohio State. The hosting Buckeyes won the event as the only two Penguin placers were Don Baldwin finishing fourth at 126 and Willsey placing sixth in the heavyweight class.

Rather than risking his chances at an All-American berth by seriously re-injuring himself, senior captain Hardy bowed out of competition after being plagued by injuries all year.

Now boasting an 11-5 ledger, the Penguin matmen crushed Baldwin-Wallace 36-5 before splitting a pair of wins in a triangular meet with Wright State and Tennessee-Chattanooga.

Coach Palovscik seemed quite pleased with his team at this point. He stated that his team's goal at the beginning of the season was to end with a .500 record.

"Our record's taken a big turn around from last year and I feel we've come a long way," stated Palovscik. "We're taking really big strides."

Central State was beaten on the Penguin's mat before YSU traveled to Bowling Green for another quadrangular meet.

The YSU team outwrestled Alma State with a 44-6 score but lost to Bowling Green 25-17 and Ball State 28-15.

Winning nine matches, four of which were pins, YSU then smashed Thiel College at home with a 46-6 scoreboard reading.

Although the team finished last in the MCC Championships held at Eastern Illinois with only 12 team points, the tournament did produce some bright spots.

Baldwin, sporting a 21-15 record in the 126-lb. weight class, and Saylor, holding a 17-12-2 mark at 158-lb., both qualified for the NCAA Division II Championships held at Nebraska/Omaha.

In a triangular meet, YSU then walked away with a 34-13 win

over Allegheny College and a 28-16 victory over Edinboro State.

The Penguins won two more after beating Marshall University 37-13 and the University of Akron 39-12 in a home triangular, and therefore ended its 1979-80 season with a record of 19-7, far better than the goal of 13-13.

As far as the draw was concerned, luck just was not a lady at the National meet for Baldwin and Saylor.

Baldwin, 126-lb., fell victim to the number seven seeded wrestler. The match went down to the wire with Baldwin wrestling a close meet until the final period, when he was caught on his back on two different occasions.

Saylor, another prey of the drawings, was faced with the number one seeded wrestler, and lost by a six-point spread.

Since most of the team members this year were freshmen who will be returning, the future looks nothing but bright for coach Palovscik and his young team.

Hilk, Shilliday, Williams lead squads

YSU swimmers compete in post-season meets

Men's

by Melinda Ropar

YSU freshman swimmer, Tim Hilk, led the Penguins all this season by shattering school

records in the distance freestyle events for another winning campaign.

He made his season complete by claiming All-American honors in the 1650-yard freestyle at the NCAA Division II Nationals which were hosted this year by YSU.

Coach Tucker DiEdwardo and his Penguin swimmers completed the year with a 6-4 mark.

The Penguins opened the season by defeating Edinboro State College by the score of 59-54 and went on to defeat Marshall University (58-55), Shippensburg

State College (67-46), Ashland College (by forfeit), Westminster College (64-49), and Grove City College (61-52).

Three time All-American and former National Champion Tom Bosse also featured for YSU by claiming numerous first in both the 100 and 200-yard freestyle.

In addition, four time All-American Doug Shilliday finished the season in fine form by finishing third nationally in the 200-yard butterfly.

Other notable Penguin performers include Lee Brown, Dov Nisman, Greg Stokes, Todd Spencer, Rich Ballard, Jeff Weller, Bob Pavlic, Greg Leecue, and Nadav Batscha.

valuable swimmer. Her times in both the 100-yard and 200-yard individual medley qualified her to participate in the State Championships where she finished seventeenth and eighteenth respectively.

Other top performers include backstrokeer Stephanie Ondich, and Tammy Swearingen who swims both the butterfly and freestyle events.

Golfers capture 2nd place in MCC championship play

by Bob Gugliotti

The YSU golf team compiled one of its most successful campaigns ever, capped by a second-place finish in the Mid-Continent Conference Championship at Mount Union tourney.

The Penguins were paced by the performances of Mike Kowalczyk the team's only senior, Rick Jones, Don Dean and Ron Sedlacko.

Kowalczyk, Jones and Dean captured medalist honors three times a piece. Sedlacko topped the squad twice.

Other impressive performances included second place finishes in the Ashland Invitational, and YSU's own Spring Invitational, and a third place finish in the ARMCO tourney at Slippery Rock.

Athletic chiefs

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attitudes," Noe said, "in that our athletes are becoming attuned to winning and what it means to win. When we travel to other campuses you now notice that our kids walk on with a great deal of pride, and walk off with that same pride, win or lose."

Noe and Amodio also point to the efforts of the coaching staffs to constantly strive for higher goals as having a positive effect on the YSU program.

"It is difficult for people who are not in sports to understand how you can be elated at one time, but yet in the next feeling you are disappointed that you didn't do more," related Noe.

"One thing about athletics is that you are only as good as your next opponent, not the one you defeated," explained Amodio. "I don't know any coach, or any individual athlete, who is satisfied with past laurels that remains successful over a long period of time."

Both of the YSU athletic chiefs agree that the winning attitude which has developed in their department, has had a great deal to do with success.

"The winning attitude is important for the entire athletic program," explained Amodio. "It is an image we have been striving for as long as I have been here."

"It takes a total program involvement," Noe pointed out, "because it not only gives you that support and help, but it makes the coach's job a little more specific."

In the immediate future both Amodio and Noe see more student involvement and the completion of the sports complex as two positive steps toward further success with the YSU athletic department.

"This next year our goal will be to try to do a better job with the student body," Amodio said. "We don't want to become

a separate entity, because we are a part of the student body."

"We would like to get the students more involved, and share in the pride that our program has, not just for our sports but for the whole campus," Noe related.

In the area of the sports complex Amodio stated, "Nothing we can do will help us more than to have our own facility that will be competitive with our opposition."

"Facilities impress young people, I didn't make it that way, but I know academicians probably just cringe to think that a lot of people come to your campus because of green grass and pretty buildings, and because the kids are nice and it looks like a fun campus," he contended.

Amodio summed up the feelings of many of his co-workers when he stated: "We're not done with this program. Believe me, we still have a long way to go."

Women's

by Melinda Ropar

The 1979-80 swim season can best be described as one of marked improvement over last year, and the Penguins are looking forward to an even better season next year since none of their members are graduating seniors.

The Penguins finished the season 1-2 with their solo victory coming against Mount Union and their losses at the hands of Xavier and John Carroll.

Freshman swimmer Karen Williams, led the Penguins all season and was their most

Penguin basketball squads post winning seasons

Men's

by Ron Anderson

The 1979-80 season for the YSU men's basketball team was full of its ups and downs with the Penguins compiling a 17-10 record, including a 2-6 log in the Mid-Continent Conference.

"You are never completely happy with a season unless you reach the goal that you started out with," stated YSU head coach Dom Rosselli. "Our goal was to get into the play-offs on a regional basis."

The Penguins fell short of their play-off goal, but nevertheless provided YSU fans with a great deal to cheer about.

"We had some interesting moments during the season, and some bad ones too," said Rosselli, who marked his thirty-sixth season at the helm of the Penguins this year.

The season began in fine fashion for the Penguins. They won their first five in a row, capped-off with an 87-53 victory over Akron before 5,000 fans in Beeghly Center.

The next 12 games saw the Penguins run their record up to 15-2 as the ever present scoring of Zeigler and Bruce Alexander, and the rebounding of Atwood and Steve Miodrag worked both on the home hardwoods, where the Penguins were sporting a 9-0 mark, and on the road where they stood at 6-2.

It was then that the roof caved in on the Penguins. The breaks went the other way and the team was beset by nagging injuries causing them to drop eight of their final 10 games to finish at 17-10.

"It started with Rob Carter, and then the key injuries came to Dave Zeigler and Steve Miodrag," recalled Rosselli. "They were the kind of injuries that kept them out of the lineup for a little while, and that's when things started to turn around on us."

Despite all of the setbacks, the Penguins were able to regroup a healthy squad for the final game at Cleveland State and took the measure of the Vikings by a 77-72 margin.

Zeigler was the key to the offense by hitting for a 27.7 scoring average, and in the process set a new sophomore scoring record of 665 points to go with the freshman scoring record he set a year earlier.

"In Dave Zeigler you are expecting him to continue to be a good player," said Rosselli. "Dave got a lot stronger last year

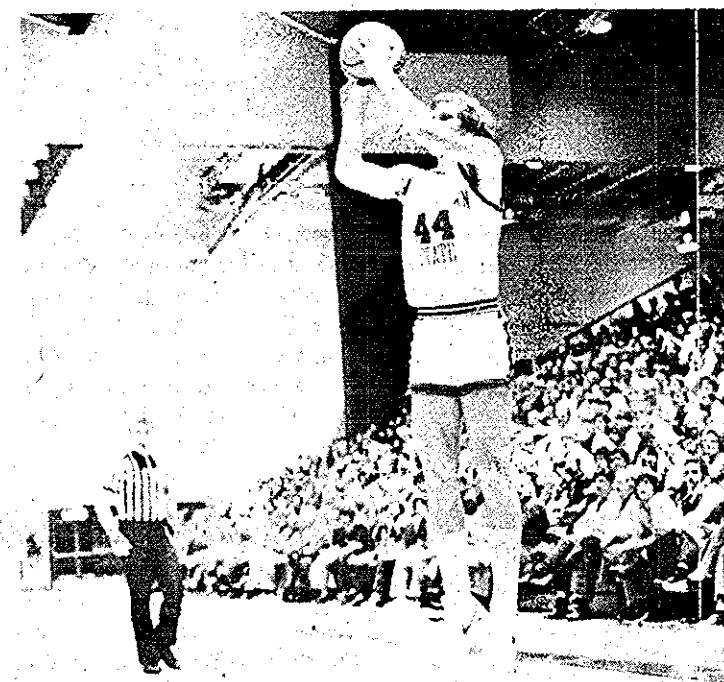
and developed a lot more confidence that goes with a maturing player.

Rosselli points to the play of senior forward Steve Miodrag as a key to any of the Penguins' success last season.

"Steve was our leader," remarked the YSU mentor. "He gave us more leadership in his senior year than in any other

year he has been here. But it wasn't only his good leadership that he provided, he just played good."

The 1979-80 basketball season served its purpose with the Penguins beginning a transition which will continue for the next couple of years as they prepare for NCAA Division I basketball in the Ohio Valley Conference.



PERFECT FORM—Dave Zeigler displays the style that helped him lead the Penguins in scoring. (Photo by Tom Sheehan)

Sefcik, Chepke compete in regionals

Gymnasts combine talent, skill in 1979-80

by Tina Ketchum

Talent, skill and hard work combined made for consistent performances by members of the YSU gymnastics team, coached by Pam Catheline.

The YSU squad finished the 1979-80 campaign with a 3-6 record after losing some very close calls.

The Penguins dropped the season opener to Miami University with a 107.5-105 score.

The Penguins got their first wins after traveling to Johnstown and defeating Pitt-Johnstown 108.9 to 110.2 and besting Lock Haven's 102.2 in the season's first triangular meet.

YSU then evened its record to 2-2 after losing at Indiana's University of Pennsylvania with a 124.3 to 114.3½ margin.

In their best performance of the season, the Penguins raised their record to 3-2 by smashing Edinboro State 108.5 to 59.2. YSU was led by Mari Anne

Sefcik and Beth Chepke, capturing the top three places in four events. The two combined to give the Penguins four firsts and two seconds.

In their first appearance at home, the Penguins met with what was considered to be the top team in Ohio: Kent State University. YSU evened its ledger again after a 133.8-115.6 setback while KSU's "B" team tallied 106.55 points.

Receiving an 8.25 allowed Sefcik to place third in the balance beam competition which proved to be the only top three finish for YSU.

Facing some stiff competition and hardships, particularly in the uneven bars and the balance beam, YSU lost to Slippery Rock 127.8 to 115.9, in the final dual meet of the year.

With 105 points, YSU finished fifth out of the five teams participating in the OASW gymnastics tournament held at

by Bob Gugliotti

A winning season, like the 13-5 mark posted by the YSU women's basketball team, would make most coaches happy but Penguin mentor Joyce Ramsey says she feels that there may be reason for concern.

"Sure it was a successful season by most coaches standards," Ramsey stated, "but deep down you can't help but feel that we could have done just a little bit better. The 9-2 start was great, but finishing the season on a 4-3 note showed that we tired a little."

The Penguins were paced all season long by Wanda Grant. Grant paced the team in every offensive category, scoring 416 points (26.0 avg.), pulling down 236 rebounds and shooting 51.4 per cent from the field.

Grant missed two games because of a shoulder injury, but still managed to score 30 or more points five times, being held under 20 only three times.

Grant was named to the OASW All-Tourney First Team after scoring 29 points despite YSU's first round elimination by Cincinnati.

Ramsey commended Grant by saying, "Wanda has been the vital cog in our team. She has contributed a great deal

both offensively and defensively despite being hampered by a nagging shoulder injury." Ramsey added, "Wanda did exactly what we expected of her to do this year. She's a tremendous talent and we're expecting bigger and better things in the future."

The team's playmaker, Vicki Lawrence, was the second leading scorer and was considered the team's catalyst. Ramsey emphasized, "Vicki played good ball for us, all year, and she and Wanda Grant complement each other very well." Lawrence led the team in foul shooting and assists.

Holly Seimetz was the other main cog averaging 13.9 points and 8.8 rebounds a contest. Seimetz was one of four Penguins to play in all 18 games this season.

As a team, YSU shot 44.8 per cent from the floor, and 57.3 per cent from the charity stripe and hauled down 691 rebounds. The Penguins established a team mark scoring 121 points against John Carroll.

"The things that we've been through this year have made us a lot stronger as a unit and because of that, you kind of wish that you were beginning next season now," Ramsey concluded.

Bowling Green.

Sefcik and Chepke were the most consistent performers all season and were invited to partici-

participate in the Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women Division II Regional Gymnastics meet at Marquette University.

YSU Soccer team improves as freshmen bolster team

by Tina Ketchum

Improved, improved, improved. That one word describes the 1979-80 YSU soccer team coached by George Hunter. The team chalked up a 2-7-1 record.

Tying the first match of the year with Alliance College, the Penguins' first loss of the year came at the hands of Malone College with a 7-0 score. The next two were dropped to Washington and Jefferson, 2-1, and despite their best effort of the season, the YSU squad lost in a hosting match to Mount Union with a 4-2 mark. Still trying to put it together, the Penguin boosters

were outscored 7-2 by Mercyhurst College.

When YSU got their first win of the season from West Liberty State College with a 3-1 score, a 16-game losing streak, including one tie, stretching from 1977, was snapped.

The Penguins then lost their final match to Kent State University with a scoreboard reading of 5-1, ending their season with an overall record of 2-7-1.

Tony Angilecchia, Eric Wilke, Paul, McFadden, Joe Cerminara, and Bill Oakley, who was injured at the end of the season, led the Penguins' attack.

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Softball

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doubleheader from Akron University by 9-2 and 3-2 scores.

The team's record stood at 8-4 after a split decision of a twinbill with Ohio Northern and Ohio University. YSU won the first game with a 5-2 score but an eight-game winning streak was snapped after losing to Ohio University 4-3 in the second match.

Both games were swept by YSU in the final twinbill against Cleveland State. The Penguins registered winning scores of 4-2 and 5-2. Lawrence tossed a three-hitter and was again the winning pitcher. The Penguins managed four runs on five hits with YSU standouts being Linda Barnett with a triple and two RBI's and a double hit by McIntyre.

In game two, a seventh inning tie was broken after Papagna cracked a three-run homer to raise the score 5-2 in favor of YSU. Lawrence claimed another win after coming in as relief to Harmon who was in as relief of Ingram.

The Penguins then found themselves facing Cleveland State in the first game of the OASW Division I state tournament and came from behind to win 11-10. In the second tourney game,

YSU was matched with number two seeded Miami University and came out on top with a close 2-1 finish. Lawrence picked up another pitching win by allowing only five scattered hits. Sikora paced YSU from the plate with three hits.

In the semi-final game, YSU downed Bowling Green 4-1 before facing them again in the championship game. The Penguins then declared themselves state champs for the third year in a row, by winning the final game against BGSU 4-3. Lawrence raised her mound record to 9-3 being the winner from the mound with standouts being Tinkey, Ceremuga, Sikora, Prince, and Schwab.

Lawrence, by pitching all four games of the series, was honored as the Most Valuable Player and Papagna was named to the All-Tournament Team for YSU.

YSU's softball season came to a close, ending with a 14-6 mark, after losing both games of the Mid-West Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women regional tournament at Western Illinois University.

Football

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going into their final regular season game with Delaware.

The beginning of the Delaware contest had all the makings of a 10-0 season for the Penguins when they ran up a 31-7 halftime bulge, but the picture turned bleak in the third quarter as YSU was out-scored 28-0 and went on to lose the game 51-45, finishing the regular season with a 9-1 mark.

The Penguins were invited to the NCAA Division II play-offs for the second straight year, and quickly showed that they belonged there by hosting the first two rounds and thrashing South Dakota State 50-7 in the first game and then by mauling Alabama A&M 52-0 in the semi-finals.

The one-sided victories set up a rematch with Delaware, who had been winning by similar margins, for the National Championship in the Zia Bowl game to be played in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Even though the setting was different this time, the results weren't. The Penguins went from a 21-21 tie at the half, to a 38-21 loss.

"Delaware would have had a terrible time trying to beat us

we hadn't beaten ourselves," indicated Narduzzi.

Narduzzi is also quick to point out that in relation to the coaching staff, the credit for the season should be well spread around.

"Our games were not won and lost on the field any more than they were won and lost right here in the bowels of Beeghly Center by a bunch of dedicated, hard-working coaches who got as emotionally wrapped up in winning football and doing things the way they are supposed to, just as much as the players," explained YSU's mentor.

"I give my staff right down to the trainers, secretaries, equipment managers and all of their assistants, all of the credit," said Narduzzi. "The hardest thing for me is to accept a coaching award for individual performance when it is a staff effort that produces a winner."

In his closing thoughts, Narduzzi may have expressed the feelings of not only the athletic department but also YSU fans in general when he said: "If we had to go back and say we would change something in order to be the National Champions, I wouldn't know what to change."

