

## DEACON NOTES

## ■ Roof makes cut at tourney

Junior golfer Justin Roof made the cut but lost in the first round of match play this weekend in the U.S. Amateur Championships held in Newport, R.I. Defending champion Tiger Woods won the tournament.

Roof, who tied for medalist honors after the first round of stroke play, shot a 72 on the second day for a total of 139.

Junior Raymond Floyd, Jr. shot a 150 and did not make the cut.

## ■ Women's hoops moves out

Starting this season the women's basketball team will play all of its home games in Joel Coliseum. Previously, the team only played its conference games at that location, and all others at Reynolds Gymnasium.

The move to Joel Coliseum is intended to bring the team more exposure as well as help out with recruiting.

Many of the top high school players take into consideration the size of the arena the team plays in when picking a college. All of the other ACC women's teams currently play in large facilities.

## ■ Pigskin changes to 100.3FM

Fans will have to tune to a new station to hear Deacon football games on the radio this season. The team's games will now be broadcast on 100.3 FM, "The Fox." Mac McDonald, the voice of the Deacons, will be back doing the play-by-play.

More fans will be able to hear the Deacons on their new network, whose 100,000-watt signal stretches from Boone to Goldsboro. This is the most powerful flagship station in the ACC.

## Experienced men's tennis team looks toward future

By SCOTT PLUMRIDGE  
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With only one senior on their roster last year, the Demon Deacon men's tennis team was virtually guaranteed to be younger and less experienced than the opposition. At the time, this lack of experience plagued the team by contributing to close losses and mental errors.

Because of last year's youth movement,

## Men's Tennis

Sept. 16	SCRIMMAGE BLACK/GOLD
Sept. 28-31	at ITA Clay Court Championships
Oct. 5-9	at Southern Intercollegiate
Oct. 13-15	at UNC Invitational
Oct. 19-22	at ITA All American
Oct. 27-29	at South Carolina Invitational
Nov. 3-5	at Clemson Invitational
Nov. 9-13	at Rolex Region 2 Qualifier

one can expect many of the key returnees to have increased court presence and therefore contribute greatly to the 1995-96 campaign.

Expected to spearhead an improved effort are four seniors.

Suraj Betheja, James Hosie, Chris Solomon and Michael Stump each have played an important role in the success of the team during their previous years and will continue to contribute through their veteran leadership.

Also returning are the freshmen sensa-

tions of last year, sophomores Jimmy Chou and Matt Guyaux. The tandem, both highly touted coming out of high school, played major roles in both singles and doubles for the 1994-95 Demon Deacons.

Guyaux, who suffered from mononucleosis last year, has again fallen prey to health problems. Due to recent knee surgery, Guyaux will miss this fall's play but will return for spring match play.

Other key figures returning this year are juniors Jeff Landau and Josh Osswald.

Both Demon Deacons played especially well at the end of the 1995 spring season and will most likely feed off of their sophomore success to continue to improve their results this season.

This year's recruiting class is also expected to contribute immediately.

Two freshmen who should have an immediate impact are Daniel Merkert and Kupal Premnarayan.

Merkert, who hails from Germany, is an international player who is ranked in the top-600 in the ATP rankings.

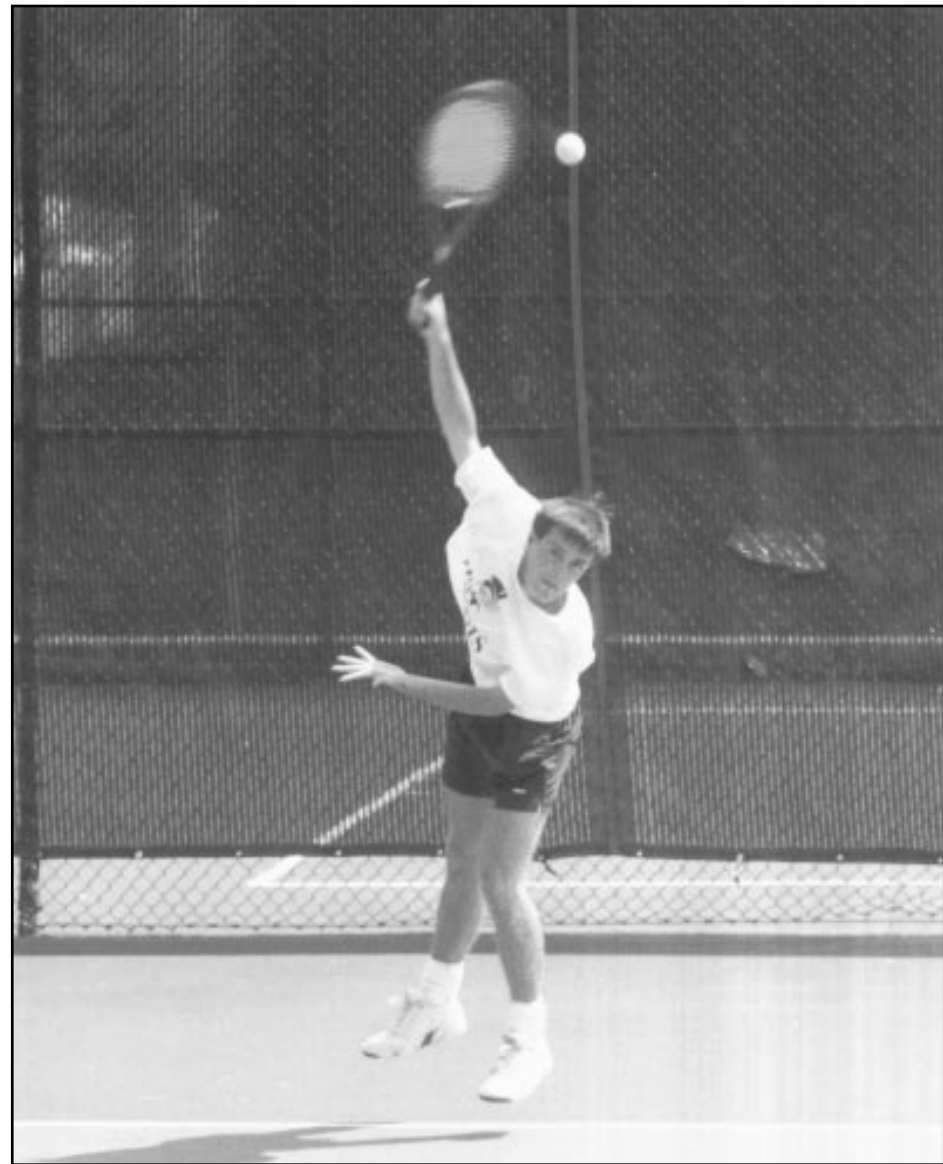
Demon Deacon Head Coach Ian Crookenden, now in his 12th season at the team's helm, will once again share his expertise as a former professional player to help guide the team through another successful season.

Crookenden is especially excited about this year's squad and the prospects of a highly competitive season.

"The men's tennis team has never looked brighter and better," he said.

The Demon Deacons can first be seen in action on Sept. 16 in the Black and Gold intrasquad scrimmage. The match will be played at Leighton Tennis Stadium at 1:30 p.m.

After that, the Demon Deacons will be on the road for the remainder of the season. Their first match play will be Sept. 28-31 at the ITA Clay Court Championships in Baltimore, Md.



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Senior Chris Solomon smashes home a serve last season. He is one of four seniors expected to lead the Demon Deacon squad to a successful fall campaign. The only chance to see the men's tennis team in action on campus this season is Sept. 16 at 1:30 p.m. in an intrasquad scrimmage at Leighton Tennis Stadium.

## Women's soccer begins second season with many new faces

By WILLIAM TYSON  
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The roster is correct — 13 freshmen, 11 sophomores, one junior and one senior.

But the women's soccer team is familiar with the word young. The squad will be entering its second year experienced, talented and optimistic.

"We are a lot more prepared this year," Head Coach Chris Turner said. "We've gained experience and the caliber of players is better."

With enormous interest from the freshman class, the players on the 1995 team worked diligently to obtain one of the 26 available spots.

"The upperclassmen realized early on that the freshmen would be coming in and they would have to compete for spots," Assistant Coach Dan Magner said.

"The competitiveness is healthy, it's good for them," Magner said.

Sophomore Sari Rose, who started 15 games in goal last season, also considers the freshmen to be important.

"The freshmen came in at a high skill level," she said.

"They were willing to work hard, so upperclassmen had to fight for positions," added Rose. "I'm certain there will be a lot of freshmen starting."

With the freshmen composing nearly half the team, they will be heavily relied upon.

Freshman Lisa Olinyk of Duluth, Ga. was a highly recruited high school player. Olinyk was named one of *Soccer America's* Super 11 Regional Recruits.

"I think we (the freshmen) came in really strong," Olinyk said. "As a result we've made the unit stronger."

The team will also find strength in the return of Meredith Lester, a red-shirted fresh-



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Sophomore Cheryl Zimmerman puts a move past a defender last season. Her scoring touch will be relied upon heavily this season.

man, due to a torn anterior cruciate ligament last season. Lester played nearly every position in high school but will see most of her collegiate action in midfield.

"Meredith has been playing well," Magner

said. "We've been very pleased with her."

Lester looks forward to seeing action in the ACC and hopes to live up to her expectations.

"I feel some stress," she said. "I just hope

I can prove to myself that I can play in this league."

The coaching staff has not yet decided on the starting lineup. The freshmen's new talent and the upperclassmen's improvement has

## Women's Soccer

Sept. 2	at Duke
Sept. 5	at UNC-Wilmington
Sept. 9	UNC-ASHEVILLE
Sept. 12	GEORGIA SOUTHERN
Sept. 15	GEORGIA
Sept. 17	at Maryland
Sept. 20	at Appalachian State
Sept. 23	at N.C. State
Sept. 26	at North Carolina
Sept. 29	at Virginia Commonwealth
Oct. 1	at James Madison
Oct. 4	at East Carolina
Oct. 6	RUTGERS
Oct. 11	UNC-CHARLOTTE
Oct. 14	VIRGINIA
Oct. 18	DAVIDSON
Oct. 22	CLEMSON
Oct. 27	at Wofford
Oct. 28	at Furman
Oct. 31	FLORIDA STATE

placed uncertainties in the minds of the coaches.

"This year is a lot different than last because there are so many strong players with incredible talents," Magner said. "Things aren't as clear as last year."

Even though there is some uncertainty surrounding starters, one thing is certain. "The team has improved dramatically," senior Maura Carney said. "We know what to expect and we're ready to compete."

The team opens its season 7 p.m. Saturday at Duke.

## SCOREBOARD

## Final 1994-1995 Standings

## ■ Men's Tennis

## ACC Standings

Team	Conf.		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Duke	7	1	23	5
Florida State	7	1	18	8
Clemson	6	2	21	12
North Carolina	6	2	14	11
Georgia Tech	4	4	9	11
Wake Forest	3	5	15	15
Virginia	2	6	14	10
N.C. State	1	7	10	11
Maryland	0	8	2	12

## ■ Women's Tennis

## ACC Standings

Team	Conf.		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
Duke	8	0	22	6
Wake Forest	7	1	21	5

Florida State	6	2	11	10
Clemson	5	3	8	13
N.C. State	4	4	15	6
Virginia	3	5	7	10
North Carolina	2	6	10	13
Maryland	1	7	6	12
Georgia Tech	0	8	10	11

## ■ Field Hockey

## ACC Standings

Team	Conf.			Overall		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
North Carolina	8	0	0	21	2	0
Virginia	4	4	0	10	11	0
Maryland	3	4	1	10	9	2
Wake Forest	3	5	0	12	8	0
Duke	1	6	1	8	9	1

## ■ Men's Soccer

## ACC Standings

Team	Conf.			Overall		
	W	L	T	W	L	T

N.C. State	5	1	0	14	7	0
Virginia	4	2	0	22	3	1
Maryland	3	3	0	14	6	1
North Carolina	3	3	0	13	7	0
Duke	3	3	0	15	7	1
Clemson	2	4	0	13	7	1
Wake Forest	1	5	0	10	8	1

## ■ Football

## ACC Standings

Team	Conf.			Overall		
	W	L	T	W	L	T
Florida State	8	0	0	10	1	1
N.C. State	6	2	0	9	3	0
North Carolina	5	3	0	8	4	0
Virginia	5	3	0	9	3	0
Duke	5	3	0	8	4	0
Clemson	4	4	0	5	6	0
Maryland	2	6	0	4	7	0
Wake Forest	1	7	0	3	8	0
Georgia Tech	0	8	0	1	10	0

## ■ This Week

**Thursday:** Football vs. Appalachian State, 7:30 p.m., Groves Stadium

**Saturday:** Men's and Women's Track vs. ASU/Navy/North Carolina, at Blowing Rock

Women's Soccer at Duke, 7 p.m.

Field Hockey vs. California Berkeley at James Madison

Men's Soccer adidas/Wake Forest Soccer Classic

Davidson vs. Stanford, 2 p.m., Polo Field

Wake Forest vs. Charleston, 4 p.m., Polo Field

**Sunday:** Field Hockey at James Madison, 2 p.m.

**Monday:** Men's Soccer adidas/Wake Forest Soccer Classic

Davidson vs. Charleston, 2 p.m., Polo Field

Wake Forest vs. Stanford, 4 p.m., Polo Field

**Tuesday:** Women's Soccer at UNC-Wilmington, 7 p.m.