



**START THE QUEEN** The Bears are the champions for the fourth time in school history.

## Mother inspires Kamdem's gold medal performance

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This was the fourth time Trinity Western and Alberta had met on the soccer pitch this season in an increasingly bitter rivalry between the interprovincial squads. The first two bouts ended up in 2-2 and 1-1 draws respectively, and in the third match the boys from Langley beat Alberta 2-0 in the Canada West playoffs. The rivalry came to a head Sunday as the game was littered with fouls—30 in total—and yellow cards (six) as Alberta looked to avenge the previous week's loss and take the national title.

"We didn't worry too much about losing the Canada West title," Bears head coach Len Vickery said. "In hindsight we ended up benefiting from the losses in the Canada West Championship because we came together as a team."

"We'd rather have beaten Trinity at Nationals than at the Canada West championship," Kamdem added. "It was good for us to have lost at the West level because we really wanted those games back going into Nationals."

While every Alberta player relished the victory, the game had special meaning for Kamdem, who dedicated this game to his mother who passed away on 14 July. After he scored the winning goal, he lifted his jersey to reveal an undershirt with a tribute to his mother printed in black lettering.

"I told my teammates before the game that I was dedicating this game to my mother and father, and hoped to score today," Kamdem said emotionally. "I couldn't think of a better way to end my CIS career and to remember my mother."

Earlier in the day, in a bronze medal matchup that played out like a repeat of the Québec Student Sport Federation final, Montréal defeated Laval 4-1 to take third place. The Carabins were led by Pascal Aoun's two goals and dominated play despite being a man down for 80 minutes after a red card. The game was plagued with rough play as three reds were handed out—two to Montréal and one the Laval—and five more yellows.

## SPORTS SHORTS

Written by Paul Owen

### Bears Hockey

After downing the Regina Cougars in a pair of games at Clare Drake this past weekend, the Bears (8-1-1) get to brave the bus ride to Saskatoon to face off against the Saskatchewan Huskies (6-5-1). It's the first meeting of the year between the leaders of the two Canada West divisions.

### Pandas Basketball

The female hoopsters will pay a visit to the East this weekend for games against the Regina Cougars and Brandon Bobcats. Alberta (3-1) will take on the two teams that sit at the bottom of the Great Plains division with 0-4 records. The Pandas are tied atop the Mountain division with Saskatchewan, who will play the same two teams this weekend, so the chance of gaining ground is very slim. The Pandas visit Regina on Friday and Brandon on Saturday.

### Bears Basketball

The Bears (3-1) will match the Pandas travelling

schedule, but their competition should be a little stiffer, as the Bobcats have started the season 3-1 and are traditionally a tough squad.

### Fantasy Hockey

Last week marked a shocking upset as I handed former league leader David Berry his first loss of the season. In an 8-2 drubbing that proved his goalless strategy to be completely useless, I gained possession of top spot, ending Berry's 31 week reign of terror dating back to last season. In celebration, my team name has been changed to the innuendo-filled Berry Beaters for my upcoming matchup against Ross "the ecliptic pre-Madonna" Prusakowski, who is currently only two points back in the standings.

### Shorts

Chloé and Natalie are going in opposite directions with their underwear today. Chloé's donning the lacy black thong, while Natalie is reliving her childhood through Care Bear underwear. I'm siding with Natalie today as I'm sporting some Scooby Doo themed boxers. Online Coordinator Mike Otto, disappointed about never being included, is continuing the sad tradition of male Gateway staffer sporting boxer-briefs by wearing a green pair with light and dark green stripes. He upsets me.



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