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SPORTS

Trivia title match to be televised

MTV is coming to Lincoln -- sort of.

Craig Christensen, the relations director at the Office of Campus Recreation, said his organization will conduct a replica of the MTV program Remote Control when the finals of the sports trivia competition is staged. He said the finals of the contest will resemble Remote Control because they will be televised and because they will use the same type of question-answer format.

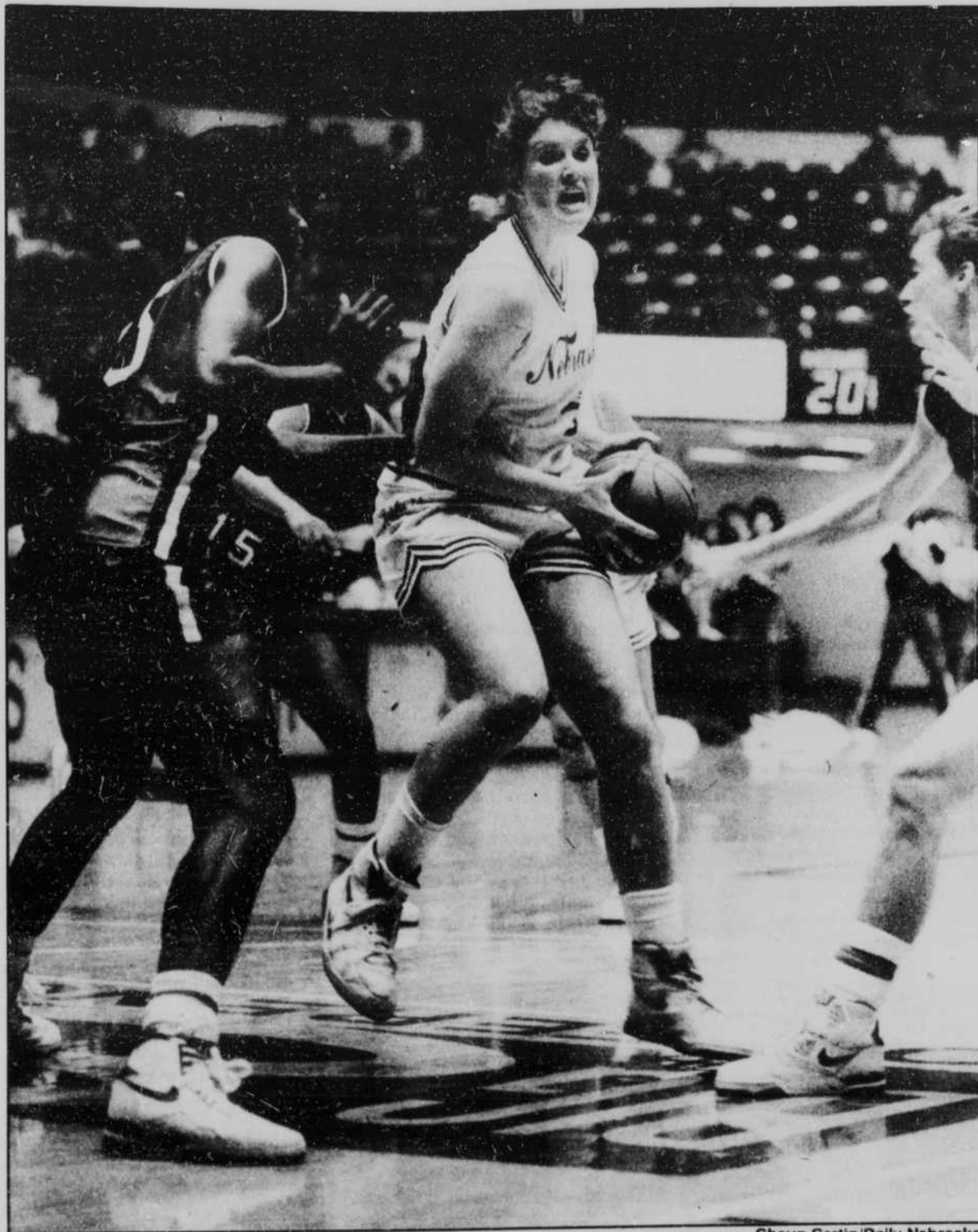
University of Nebraska-Lincoln students who are interested in earning a spot in the finals must attend a preliminary competition on Jan. 18 in the first floor of the student-recreation center. The top eight individuals from that competition will earn second-round berths, with the top four advancing to the finals.

Men's volleyball: UNL beats UNO

The UNL men's volleyball team claimed the state's bragging rights with a victory over the University of Nebraska at Omaha, while two intramural teams claimed their respective titles.

The UNL men's team combined steady baseline play and a powerful net game to dispose of UNO 15-8, 12-15, 15-2, 15-11 at Mable Lee Hall.

Freedom for Latvia used that same type of strategy against Phi Delta Theta, as it defeated the fraternity-based team two games to none to win the 80-team men's portion of the all-university playoffs. The Avengers claimed the 22-team women's title by defeating Bishops Babes two games to one.



Nebraska's Karen Jennings dives between a pair of Georgia defenders.

Shaun Sartin/Daily Nebraskan

Cornhusker teams to see competition over holiday break

A plethora of events awaits fans who want to spend Christmas break watching sports.

The Nebraska men's and women's basketball teams will be in action over the break, as will the women's swimming team and the Cornhusker football and wrestling squads.

The Christmas break action begins Dec. 28, with the Nebraska women's basketball team facing Northern Iowa at the Bob Devaney Sports Center. The team will travel to Des Moines, Iowa, to face Drake on Jan. 30, and also will square off against Creighton, Northern Illinois, Kansas and Missouri.

The Nebraska men's basketball team will be equally busy, playing four home games over the break. The action begins Dec. 30, with the Huskers facing Wagner.

Nebraska also will compete against Sam Houston State on Jan. 6, and will face USC on Jan. 13. The Missouri contest, which begins at 1:35 p.m., will be televised by the Raycom network.

The women's swimming team will travel to San Diego to compete in the UCSD Invitational on Dec. 30, and will face USC on Jan. 6. Nebraska's next HSC meet is Feb. 3, when the Huskers face Arkansas on senior appreciation and alumni recognition day.

The Nebraska wrestling team will hit the road over the break, traveling to Tempe, Ariz., to compete in the Sun Devil Duals on Jan. 3. The Huskers also will face Clemson, S.C. and will travel to Hampton, Va., to compete in the national wrestling team championships Jan. 12-13.

The biggest event over the break is the Nebraska football team's Fiesta Bowl matchup against Florida State. That game will take place Jan. 1 in Tempe, Ariz.

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