Babson Hockey has proven to be one of the most successful hockey programs in Division III throughout the country. From this tradition of excellence, the Beavers began its 1991-1992 season full of great expectations. With the goal of capturing both the E.C.A.C. and N.C.A.A. titles, these goals seemed feasible.

The team was comprised of several seasoned veterans both on offense and defense. On offense the team was led by a number of people. Seniors Rob Tobin (captain) and Dave Doherty and junior Chris McGee led the team in scoring.

Junior blue chipper John Lasnar guided the defense. Junior Mark Kuryak provided the team with spectacular goal-tending that proved to be a key ingredient in the Beaver's successful season.

Finishing the season in fourth place in the E.C.A.C., Babson knew they would have to play sound hockey in the playoffs. In the first round, Babson disposed of Bowdoin College 7-3 in front of their home crowd. Babson's next opponent was tournament host Middlebury College. After last year's 1-0 loss to the Panthers in the finals, the Beavers were determined to change this year's outcome. Middlebury was riding a (school record) nineteen game winning streak and both teams engaged in an exciting and emotional game. After sixty minutes of play, Babson had prevailed with a 4-1 victory. The following evening the Beavers defeated the number one seed, University of Connecticut 4-1 in the finals. As a result of his spectacular play throughout the playoffs, Mark Kuryak was named Tournament MVP. This was the first E.C.A.C. championship Babson has won since 1984, the second in school history.

Due to Babson's E.C.A.C. East Championship, the Beavers earned an N.C.A.A. bid and was seeded second in the East Regional Tournament. Babson hosted first round against oppo-
It was ten years of fun and experiences that will never be forgotten by those who participated. Unfortunately the ski team will no longer be a varsity sport at Babson. The ski team was started by David Ellis ten years ago. For those ten years the ski team finished division champions eight times, had two national appearances and two All Americans. Every year there were different faces and names but we all had a love for skiing. Through the sub zero temperatures we always were smiling because we were doing the thing we loved. The team may be gone but the memories are still there for all who competed.

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