

Beekley voted most valuable

The University's football team voted Bruce Beekley as winner of the Vernon Hoffman Most Valuable Player Award in Monday's awards banquet.

Beekley was also named to the Pac-10's Challenge Bowl team (Pac-10 all-stars play Big-10 all-stars), along with teammate Bill Hoffman. Beekley set a school record this year with 190 tackles, and was named Pac-10 Player of the Week for his effort against Oregon State.

Hoffman shared the Solstrom Award with Willie Blasher. The award is given to the player(s) who best exemplify the ideal of the scholar-athlete-citizen.

Hoffman was the offensive captain against Colorado and Wisconsin, and was a starting tackle all year.

Linebacker Blasher was second on the team in tackles for the second year in a row and recovered two fumbles.

Blasher was also selected to play in the Can-Am Bowl.

The Clarke Award for the most improved player(s) went to fullback Vince Williams and defensive tackle Terry Dion.

Williams was the top sophomore rusher in Oregon history, gaining 842 yards on the season. After two years, he

is just 82 yards away from being one of the top 10 career rushers at Oregon, and his efforts this season were the fourth best in Oregon history.

Dion led the team in tackles for losses with 14 and was sixth in tackles. He caused four fumbles and recovered two.

The Bob Officer Award was given to Pete Laughlin for playing with pain. An offensive lineman, Laughlin underwent two knee operations in the last three years. He has also had torn thumb ligaments, a chipped lower leg bone, and a recurring groin injury.

The Len Casanova Award for best first year varsity player was given to Neil Elshire. The sophomore defensive lineman was injured and did not play last year, but was fifth in the team in tackles with 70 this year.

Elshire predicted at the banquet that "we'll be in the Rose Bowl soon, maybe next year," and the team vowed to win more than two games next year.

Senior defensive back Kenny Bryant was selected to participate in the East-West All Star game and senior running back Ed Radcliff was awarded a special citation from the Ohio Legislature for his achievements in football.

Running back Sims narrowly wins Heisman

NEW YORK (AP) — In the second closest vote in history, Billy Sims, Oklahoma's record-setting running back, won the 44th annual Heisman Trophy Tuesday although he received 12 fewer first-place votes than Penn State quarterback Chuck Fusina.

Sims, a 6-foot, 205-pound blend of power and speed, came to Oklahoma from Hooks, Tex., in 1975 as one of the most heavily recruited players ever but suffered a string of nagging injuries and was redshirted while missing almost all of the 1976 season.

This year, however, he is the nation's leading rusher and scorer and smashed the Oklahoma and Big Eight Conference single-season records by romping for 1,762 yards in 11 games and averaging 7.6 yards per carry while scoring 20 touchdowns. During the season, he tied a national record by rushing for 200 or more yards in three consecutive games.

"I never thought I would win it, but I thought I was going to be close," said Sims, only the sixth junior ever to win the Heisman.

Blazers dump Celtics, 102-97

PORTLAND (AP) — Consecutive steals by Dave Twardzik and Ron Brewer broke open a close game and ignited the Portland Trail Blazers in their 102-97 National Basketball Association victory over the Boston Celtics Tuesday night.

The Blazers won their second game in a row while the Celtics lost their second straight.

The Blazers led 96-91 when Twardzik stripped the ball from Billy Knight and drove the length of the floor for a layup, giving the Blazers a seven-point lead with 2:01 remaining.

Brewer followed with a deflection of a Jo Jo White pass. It resulted in two Brewer free throws and gave the Blazers a 100-91 lead with 1:51 left.

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