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Cascade Check is in its fourth season on CIVL, covering all UFV Cascades Athletics programs including Men and Women's Golf, Rowing, Volleyball, Soccer, Basketball and now Wrestling. UFV boasts one of Canada's top 3 Women's University Basketball programs, a team made up of only one player from outside of the Fraser Valley, the number one ranked Collegiate level Men and Women's Golf Programs, as well as last year's Collegiate Champion Women's Volleyball team, and since Cascade Check began, has also finished third in Women's University Soccer and fourth in Men's Basketball. In addition to the two stories included with this submission, Cascade Check followed the Women's Basketball team, including sisters Nicole and Sarah Wierks, their high school team mates and career-long co-starters, Courtney Bartel and Alexa McCarthy, and All-Star Aiesha Luyken as they took their entire University careers to achieve podium status in Canadian Women's Basketball, defeating the team that beat them for Regional Gold in the Bronze medal game at Nationals, with the younger Wierks the only among them returning for next year. Though this story was significant and followed consistently throughout the season, the 5 minute limit to Sports submissions necessitated we focused on more issue based content.