Initiation/Mock Rock

**Students bribed to move off-campus**

CHRISTINE HOLMAN  
Staff Writer

With 96 students in need of housing and classes a month and a half away, Whitworth student housing offered many seniors, juniors and some sophomores $500 to move off-campus in order to make room for a large new student enrollment.

According to Dick Mandeville, Associate Dean of Students, the projection made in the spring for fall enrollment was that there were less transfers than Junior Nate Carson was offered $500 to move off-campus. After speaking to his roommate about the possibility, Carson figured out how much he would save living off-campus. "We spent a day or two running figures and learned we would be saving about $2,000 a semester by taking the offer, so we did." Students can move back on campus in the spring, provided rooms open up. "We'd love to have the students move back on. We're aware that it is more difficult to stay involved when you live off-campus." Junior Emily Angulo, who also took the offer, feels like it was a good solution for one year, but that if it continues, the college should think of a more permanent way to handle the problem. "This is going to become a trend. Whitworth should do all they can to build a new residence hall or find some other kind of alternate solution."

Mandeville says the college knows there is a problem, and there are discussions about how to deal with the situation in the future. He says a new residence hall is certainly a possibility. Also, moving the study tours to fall is a possible solution to the problem. "If there are not the possibilities close to campus and in clumps so students could still be with students. "Students were responsible for finding roommates, signing leases, and everything else," said Mandeville.

**Bryant leaves Whitworth**

AIMEE MOISO  
Staff Writer

Whitworth Athletic Director Kevin Bryant gave up his Pitino crimson and black this summer for the Vikings of Portland State University. As of August, Bryant left the Whitworth Athletic department to take the position of Associate Athletic Director for External Affairs at PSU.

Bryant decided to take the position after he was approached by a colleague who asked him if he was interested. "A friend of mine from college was up for the Athletic Director position at PSU and asked if I would like to come on his staff as the AD for External Affairs," Bryant said, "It was a great opportunity for me professionally and I wanted to explore that." A Portland native, Bryant also has family in the Portland area, and considers the area his home.

According to Bryant, the new job was an advancement from his work at Whitworth. "PSU is going to be a Division I school in the Big Sky Conference next year and Whitworth is a Division II school," he said, "so the job at PSU is a step up from the athletic director position at Whitworth." At PSU, Bryant is in charge of athletic promotions and fundraising, including tickets, marketing, major gifts, and sports information.

In Bryant's absence, Wagstaff, Whitworth women's tennis coach and interim athletic director agreed that the move was a step up professionally. "Here he was the head honcho—he oversaw everything for our 13 sports, treatment center, aquatic center, and all employees," she said, "Even though his responsibility (at PSU) is more focused on fundraising, it's a school which emphasizes athletics more. It seems like a smaller job, but it's actually a move up for him."

In Bryant's absence, Wagstaff has assumed the responsibilities of the athletic director, which include overseeing 12 coaches, fundraising, booster club, and Whitworth Athletic Association. 

**Whitworth investor goes bankrupt**

AIMEE MOISO  
Staff Writer

On May 19, 1995, The Wall Street Journal reported Whitworth College as one of "hundreds of not-for-profit organizations (that) were defrauded out of possibly hundreds of millions of dollars" by the Foundation for New Era Philanthropy, New Era, which had supposedly been giving matching grants through anonymous donors to schools, churches, and charities across the country was revealed as a "variation on the Ponzi or pyramid scheme."

"In such arrangements," The Wall Street Journal reported, "victims are promised huge returns and are repaid for a period of time from other victims' principal until no one can be found to turn over the huge sums needed to allow payoffs to continue."

John G. (Jack) Bennett, Jr., New Era's chief executive, revealed to his staff on May 13 that the anonymous donors, said to be matching the grants, did not exist. New Era declared bankruptcy two days later.

At the time of the declaration, Whitworth College had deposited $3.5 million with New Era and were expecting the matching gift of $3.5 million, according to President Bill Robinson. Although the college will not be receiving the $7 million it was anticipating, Robinson emphasized Whitworth was not in positive with New Era because of previous earnings in the past two and a half years. Tom Johnson, See New Era, Page 3

**Opinion**

Wen Whitworth smart in its dealings with New Era?

Christopher R. Walker  
Staff Writer

Whitworth was smart in its dealings with New Era.
Hooking up and logging on

LIONA TANNISEN
Guest Writer

Cheap keyboard conversations with people in other states and fresh daily information are only two of the reasons why Whitworth students are preparing to hook up to the internet on September twenty-first.

Every student has been assigned his/her own account number. In order to have internet access in your dorm room, students must buy the ethernet card at the bookstore, fill out a form and a computer lab employee will install the card in your computer.

Computer lab employees are presently hooking up computers. Installation involves connecting the cable that comes into every room, connecting wiring which is a closed circuit to the active cable in the room, and loading the software.

One of the best things about the Whitworth network is that after buying the ethernet card there is no per use charge. The ethernet card is $99.00 for a PC and it ranges from $90.00 to $250.00 for a Macintosh. Most ethernet cards cost between $45.00 and $150.00, but according to Ken Pecka, the Director of Instructional Resources, after "extensive testing" Whitworth standardized on a card which they feel secure using. There are sections of the internet which have a fee, but most of it is "open and not feed service," said Pecka.

The internet is a "wealth of real valuable information," but it can also be a "real time sink," Pecka said. The internet is a network of networks. Pecka describes the internet as a train track. The tracks spread out everywhere, but what is on top varies greatly. Software, commercials, people, E-mail and information about almost everything can be found on the network, but it is necessary to be selective. There are highly publicized negatives, but as Pecka believes, "the positives are what people make it."

Pirate Night II

President Bill Robinson and speaker college basketball great Steve Alford at Pirate Night II which raised money for Whitworth's collegiate athletic program.

Bryant

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getting, and troubleshooting, as Wagstaff put it.

Whitworth is in the process of beginning a search for a replacement for Bryant. Provost Ken Shipp said Wagstaff is serving as athletic director on a month-to-month basis until someone is hired.

"At this point, I think the president (Bill Robinson) has decided to conduct an internal search," Shipp said, "which means that a committee will be appointed to check candidates within the department and make a recommendation for hiring." Shipp also said the job description for the athletic director changed slightly, adding fundraising to the functions of the athletic director, and giving that person the choice of either coaching or teaching in addition to the other responsibilities.

Although Bryant misses working at Whitworth, he said, "I'm thrilled with my job at PSU. It's sad and difficult because of the people I left at Whitworth. I respect (the department) and Dr. Robinson has become a good friend."

"He was just a great person to have, even for only two years," Wagstaff said. "I knew the research committee that hired him, and one of the things we said to each other was that he's so good, if he doesn't stay very long. And we decided it would be better for him to have a few years and let him do a lot of stuff for us. We feel really good about what he did and we're excited for him, for the opportunity he has."

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New Era
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vice president for Business Af-
fairs said that overall, Whitworth ended up with a net gain of ap-
proximately $350,000 through its dealings with New Era.
Robinson also emphasized that Whitworth did not spend any New Era money on current op-
erations, although a portion of the $3.5 million was to be used for Phase II of the Campus Center and the renovation of the Cowles Memorial and the science auditoriums. “We never budgeted a penny of New Era money for operations,” he said, “that’s just not a smart thing to do. We’re disappointed that some of these new programs have to be delayed. But there are other institutions that are in crisis because they were relying on New Era funds for their operations.”
“It’s disappointing because we thought we had the money,” he said, “but we’re going to try the best we can to raise the money to begin Phase II as soon as possible.”
Whitworth first became aware of New Era in 1992 at a Templeton Institute seminar about fundraising, management and grant writing for non-profit orga-
nizations, funded in part by New Era. “Jack Bennett introduced the seminar; kicked it off,” said Jim Ferguson, vice president for De-
velopment, who attended the seminar, “and that’s where we first found out about Jack Bennett and New Era.”
At the same time, Whitworth was receiving gifts from Marvin Hepa, a trustee of the college and a close friend of Bennett. Hepa had been giving gifts to Whitworth through the matching program of New Era and said he was contacted by Whitworth about the program. “New Era started matching grants through beneficiary donors,” said Hepa, “and then in 1994 or 1995, it be-
gan to match institution gifts.”
A gift would be given to a school or another organization, he said, and the organization would tell the donor about the matching opportunity through New Era. With the donor’s permission, the organization would deposit the gift in New Era’s accounts for six months, with the interest on the account being used to pay New Era’s operating expenses. At the end of six months, the organiza-
tion received its original gift, plus the matching gift and were told that the money had been matched through anonymous donors.
In actuality, however, no anonymous donors existed, and the gifts were being held for six months as collateral for a huge New Era loan in order to pay off matched gifts to other organiza-
tions.
The Wall Street Journal reported on May 16 that 300 unsecured creditors are listed in the New Era bankruptcy court filing, and they may be owed up to $551 million through the matching pro-
gram. Some other participants in the program include Lancaster Bible and Wheaton Colleges, Young Life International Service Center, The Philadelphia Orches-

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Whitworth's wisdom proven during New Era's collapse

Jeremy Nelson

"It may sound too good to be true, but it is true." So said John C. Whitehead, the former head of Goldman, Sachs & Co., and an investor in the Foundation for New Era Philanthropy, in an interview with the Wall Street Journal prior to the demise of New Era on May 15. The evidence compiled since then seems to point to an ironic confirmation, "If it is going to be true, it probably is." The claim Whitworth has undergone financial turmoil as a result of New Era's bankruptcy is largely erroneous. The College has acted with prudence in dealings with New Era. From the beginning, the college's administrators and the Board of Trustees have exercised caution and discretion in all decisions concerning funds given to New Era. The pyramid scheme devised and implemented by John Bennett of New Era (Philanthropy) caught hundreds of investors, and organizations in its trap. It is secret that this financial scandal affects Whitworth College. According to the May 19 issue of the Wall Street Journal, the victims include such financial giants as the former Treasury Secretary William E. Simon, Laurence S. Rockefeller, and Whitehead, along with scores of nonprofit Christian organizations and colleges, which places Whitworth in the midst of a powerful company.

Whitworth was careful in exercising its rights as an investor to access New Era's tax records and financial reports prior to New Era's going under. Tom Johnson, vice president of Business Affairs, and the business office performed "due diligence" evaluations which included checking New Era's history and references, as well as financial information. But what may have sealed their trust in New Era was the combination of C. Davis Weyerhaeuser and Marvin D. Haugen, who used New Era to match donations given to the college. These trustees, most notably Haupp, provided valuable information to the Board and Whitworth's interim President, Pat Eaton, concerning the reliability of New Era in delivering on their promise to match funds. The initial concern was that an institution could have its money "matched." In actuality, the matching process is quite common within charitable circles which donate funds. The questions surrounding New Era's requirement that investors deposit the money in an account with Prudential Securities for six months before they could retrieve it, along with the matching funds, New Era claimed the interest from these funds would be used to pay the administrative costs incurred by the process. Whitworth was wary of this catch, because it required them to turn over control of donors' funds to New Era, whereas most matching opportunities allow the organization to hold these funds independently.

Whitworth pursued this venture due to rumors circulating throughout the financial world that a John Templeton, Sr. was the "anonymous donor" providing the funds for New Era's matching program. A wealthy mutual fund manager, Templeton, garner respect in both financial and Christian communities, and is well known as a benefactor of many Presbyterian schools. He also was known to have recently sold his company for nearly $1 billion. Many believed he was using New Era to disburse funds to Christian organizations. The belief that Templeton was the donor was not proved false until he stated in the May 15 issue of the Wall Street Journal that he had never put money into New Era's bank account.

Whitworth continued to exercise caution with New Era. The college routinely checked their account to ensure the funds had been deposited. They also insisted that New Era issue a check to Whitworth at the close of each matching period. This ensured Whitworth was receiving actual money rather than accumulating money only on paper. Whitworth acted prudently by not using any New Era funds to pay for the operating-costs of the college. Many other organizations were tricked by New Era because they were relying on New Era funds to cover payroll expenses. Whitworth was careful to use New Era funds to cover only capital expansion projects such as Phase II of the new Whitworth Campus Center, and the "New Era Barn." Whitworth was saved following the collapse because it was able to pull the plug and back some of these projects.

Whitworth came on top of this, not being a part of other institutions affected by New Era, because they were diligent in their precautionary measures prior to investing; wise in their use of funds; and they decided New Era was not a match for them. Modern trustees are warier of trustees that keep their money on paper. However, there is another lesson to be learned from the Whitworth experience: never place your trust in others...
Twentysomethings Take More Sick Days, Poll Finds

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New York- As if Generation X doesn't get enough bad press, it is, now comes word that twenty-something employees take more hogs days off work. A Gallup poll of 671 adults indicates that nearly 25 percent of employees between the ages of 18-29 abuse their sick days. The study, commissioned by Accountants on Call, an accounting placement firm in New Jersey, found that Gen Xers take illness twice as many times as employees between 30 and 49 years old, and four times as much as workers 50 and older.

Gallup officials point out that the results may not be dramatic as they seem, since workers grow more loyal and responsible toward their companies as they grow older. Still, the numbers aren't going to stop some from shaking their heads and saying "Kids today..."

Twenty-five percent of workers between the ages of 18 and 29 said they put on their best sore-throat voice and call in sick two times a year. Only 14 percent of the 30- to 59-year-old workers admit doing the same, as did 13 percent of those 40 to 49 years old. Proving integrity advances with age, only 6 percent of employees 40 and older admit to coming down with the "blue flu."

The study also found that employees closer to the coast took more days off work. Employees

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Pirates on Parade

The Whitworth Mockrock took center court on Tuesday, Sept. 5, 1995. Attending the event were not only numerous freshmen, but a crowd full of anxious Whitworth students and Alumni.

Sara Beck said, "It [the Mockrock] was a lot of fun and the people involved showed a lot of community. This is an event people put on their calendars to go see." Beck served as one of five judges for this year's event.

Mockrock involves the freshmen and those students who change dorms that volunteer for dorm initiation. The different dorm groups then make up a skit to go along with some rock music and it is judged. Freshman Jennifer Magart of Stewart Hall said her favorite acts were, "When Ryland Carter played John Travolta and when the Warren women mooned the crowd with big happy faces." Those happy faces symbolize a McMillan Hall tradition. The eventual winner of this contest was the Warren women, acting and singing to an old favorite, "You're Never Fully Dressed Without a Smile."

Sophomore Jake Balyeat thought last year's Mockrock was better. "Some groups still did a wonderful job, but some songs used were hard to plan skits to. Last year was a bit more entertaining," he said.

Beck found judging hard because of the different sizes of groups. He asked, "How do you judge a group of ten compared to thirty?"

But even with these minor differences, Magart still thinks freshmen should try to get involved with initiation. She said, "It helps formulate bonds between residents in the dorm."

Initiation 1995

Baldwin boys stop, drop, and roll for their "froshroll" during the Yell-off.

Warren freshmen Eric Devries, Cory McEachran, Erin Rhodes, and Nathan Utich danced and gyrated for this year's crowd.

Freshman Josh Moore flips before an awed crowd while performing with his fellow Baldwin brothers.

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Local opera displays Whitworth talent in 'Tales of Hoffman'

RACHEL HORNOR
Guest Writer

Whitworth College was well-represented in Uptown Opera's latest production, "Tales of Hoffman," by Jacques Offenbach. Seniors Heather Steckler and Jessica Bowers starred in leading roles for the silver cast, a newly developed opportunity for local musicians and Whitworth students to understand roles and perform for the community. Other students, such as Juniors Wade Baker and David Collins, played smaller roles and sang in the chorus. Although the gold cast, made up mainly of professional voices, received warm reviews for an outstanding show, the silver cast was not to be thought of as second-best. "Tales of Hoffman" is a series of stories about the loves of Hoffman, a young poet. The opera's lyrical and romantic music, conducted by Whitworth's own Dr. Randi Ellenson, boasted melodies that found their way into your head long after the curtain closed.

Maryjay Halverson, one of the founders and artistic directors for Uptown, is a music professor and voice instructor at Whitworth. She is able to plug her capable students into various productions, for the benefit of both the students and the opera company. Music students from Whitworth have been able to participate in a variety of productions at Uptown before, including "Cinderella," last spring.

But never before have they been given the opportunity to legitimately perform the roles they have previously just understudied. "Tales of Hoffman" was a success, not just because it was masterfully performed, but because it was masterfully performed by students as well as professionals. It was truly a delightful evening.

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Volleyball faces serious team renovations

A New Year, A new Coach, A new Team, A New Setter

TOO D PARSONS
Sports Editor

There are a lot of new faces on Whitworth's volleyball squad this year. The team is facing some serious hardships with a new coach, losing four possible returnees, and having to do some major rotation changes.

Hiram Naipo is the new head coach replacing Steve Gillis who is coaching volleyball at Gonzaga Prep. Naipo has long roots in the sport. He graduated from the University of Washington in 1972, where he competed on the men's volleyball team. He coached the women's team at UW for four years from 1973-76. The Pirates finished 10-19 overall and 4-8 in NCIC last year, and will have an even harder time this year.

To make matters worse four possible starters didn't return. Senior Beth Wright is now the assistant coach at Shadle Park High School. Sophomore Jill Hertel transferred to Pacific University. Junior Mandy Decious is out with a chronic elbow injury and wants to rest it this year, but expects to return next year. Sophomore Amy Hagstrom, who would have taken Heili Chaudhadi's position at setter, decided to devote more time to Young Life.

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**X-COUNTRY STRUGGLES IN FIRST MEET**

The Whitworth Cross Country team began their season at the University of Idaho Invitational Sept. 9.

The men finished last (8thh) despite a great performance by Andy Martin. He placed third overall with a time of 21:32. Coach Andy Sonneland commented, "Andy Martin ran an excellent race, beating a number of very good NCAA Division 1 runners."

Senior Brian Lynch, who finished fifth in the league last year, was noticeably absent from the lineup due to an injured left knee. Lynch is now healthy, and has been practicing.

Dale Macomber (22:45.6), Alan King (22:47.9), and Chris Cooper (23:45.6) round out the team's top five spots.

"When we have our full team back, we'll have a strong men's team," said Sonneland.

Led by three freshmen the women finished seventh out of eight teams. Libby Lowe (20:59.4), Dana Ryan (21:139.3), Meagan Waldrin (21:29.5) finished 27th, 30th and 34th respectively.

Rounding out the rest of the team finishers were Miranda Surrell (29th), Lesley Williams (54th), and Amanda Bjur (59th).

The team's next meet is at home on the campus course this Saturday at 11 a.m.

**Football With New Crew**

Ryan Defense
Staff writer

As the buzz of students heading to class and the distant sound of falling pine cones signal us that summer is transforming into autumn it can only mean one thing. Football is back.

"The offense is excited about the upcoming season," said Andy Martin. "As the seniors and returning players to play well this year."

"The defense is anchored at the linebacker position with all-conference honorable mention Eric Bird and second team all-conference linebacker Jeff Baxter and Shay Smith."

The secondary includes Casey Clark, Travis Torco, Cody McCanna and B.J. Kealakilani. This should be an exciting year for Whitworth football.

**Men's Soccer Rebuilds**

Shana Olsey
Staff writer

The 1995 men's soccer team is looking to build on the strengths of Joe Gibbs' glory days for the Washington Redskins. The Pirate offense gets many different books combining motion plays with a multitude of set formations. Look for an onslaught of running plays. This style of play should control the clock, and open up the passing lanes for the Pirate air attack.

The pirate defense has a strong veteran core. At defensive end is Jeff Addin and Josh Van Horn. The tackles are Terry Borders and Lokupa Francisco. The Bur's defense is anchored at the linbacker position with all-conference honorable mention Eric Bird and second team all-conference linebacker Jeff Baxter and Shay Smith.

The secondary includes Casey Clark, Travis Torco, Cody McCanna and B.J. Kealakilani. This should be an exciting year for Whitworth football. The offense is young, especially on the line, but with the veterans they have leading the younger players, they show excellent potential.

"We do not have really any top stand out polayers. The team is well rounded and we are really solid through the middle," said Slind.

As a team, the Pirates have already played in a tournament in Olympia, where they tied Evergreen State 2-2 and lost to Western Washington 0-3. Upon their return to Whitworth, the Pirates hosted Oregon State University last week where they were defeated 0-2.

"We are taking each game one at a time. Players are developing and adapting skills which will help us finish off plays and win some games as we look and move toward conference play," said Slind.

According to Slind, the coaching staff and players feel they can place within the top four in conference and move on to the play-offs.

This week the team will engage in two tough matches. First they will challenge Concordia College and then they will take on George Fox. Both teams are in the top 20 in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics.

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Student awareness necessary to decrease crime on campus

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Staff Writer

Due to a rise in criminal offenses on campus last year and a high number of thefts, Student Life and Campus Security are educating students on ways to prevent these crimes. Although many students see it as the role of security officers to remove the crimes and thefts do not take place, both Student Life and Campus Security say it is the responsibility of students to take preventative steps needed to cut the number of these incidents down.

The 1994-95 school year saw a rise in the number of criminal offenses from the past two years. Whereas there was one burglary in 1992-93, one burglary and one motor vehicle theft in 1993-94, the 1994-95 school year reported one rape, four burglaries and one motor vehicle theft. This is a major increase which Karen Albrecht, assistant director of the physical plant says is because more students are not taking the time to be cautious and lock up their belongings, as well as be cautious when walking alone. "Just leaving your door open while you go down the hall gives an opportunity for things to be stolen. Students need to take the extra time to lock up their stuff," she said.

Thefts on campus stayed the same as the 1993-94 school year, with seven thefts from vehicles, 15 bicycle thefts, and seven thefts from other sources such as an unlocked room. "Students can prevent thefts from happening by keeping their bike locked, keeping valuables out of sight in cars, and locking up every time they leave," said Dick Mandeville, assistant dean of students. He added students should not prop building doors open, because it opens those doors to everyone.

Statistics presented are based on crimes and thefts reported to security as of the end of last year. All students, faculty, and staff are urged to report any suspected or actual crime activity as soon as it happens to the Student Life office as well as to the director of Campus Security. Upon the report of criminal activity, investigation into the cases will begin and be kept confidential, unless required by law to be published. The Spokane County Sheriff's Department will be a part of investigations as it is appropriate.

Mandeville said, "We are trying to create an awareness that this is the student's community. Responsibility is the key to safety." The 1994-95 campus crime report is available to all students interested in becoming more aware of campus safety. Copies are available in Student Life, in the Physical Plant, and in Admissions.

New building, new format, new management for KWRS

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Staff Writer

Whitworth's Pirate radio station, KWRS 90.3, is making a late start this year, but is due to air in the next two weeks, according to KWRS adviser, Scott Dethlefs. The station has new management with some controversy over ASWC's hiring of the new general manager.

According to Dethlefs, KWRS is not up on air due to the move into the new facility; "The engineer uncovered some problems in the old station," said Dethlefs, referring to some wiring problems that needed to be corrected before moving into the new facility. He added the delay is necessary in order to "start with a solid beginning."

With a roosted start under foot, the station was actually hoping to make some changes on the air waves this year. Dethlefs is working closely with Music Director Bret Stephenson and other staff members in order to get a definite plan going.

"The first month will be strictly informing the audience of what's going on around campus and to 'please annoy people as we can (musically).""

After the first month, the management plans to air a potpourri of specialty shows; however, according to Dethlefs, these shows may be a little different from last year's.

One of the top priorities for the station this year is professionalism. "Some DJs were put off with past management. It is inordinately top on our concerns," voiced Dethlefs.

New General Manager Tisha Leslie, who was offered the position by Director of Student Activities, Dayna Coleman, is expected to be on board at KWRS despite her inexperience in the radio broadcast field.

It is that inexperience that has prompted some former KWRS employees to oppose ASWC's decision to hire outside of last year's staff, said Bret Stephenson, last year's music director.

Stephenson added college stations have a lot of potential andKWRS hasn't been reaching that potential. According to Stephenson, part of the plan to get the station up to par will be

Forum finds new home as result of construction

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Forum began a new year with a change in location, requirements, and new responsibilities for forum credit.

Construction in the audible forum forced to find a temporary home. The first forum, however, is unaffected by the weather and grading on a pass/no credit basis.

In addition, credit for forums can now be earned in "very alternative" to the Monday and Friday 11:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. periods. Alternative forums may include a variety of lectures and activities which will be advertised as forums events in the Flash. Forums will be held at least once a week, ahead of time.
New building causes minor setbacks for campus mail

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With a new building comes a new problem: mail. According to Diane Zimmerman, post office supervisor, the new building is causing some issues with regard to mailing. "It's a lot easier for us to get things to the students," she said. "But it's a lot harder for them to get things to us." The main problem is that the new building has eliminated the post office, and the students have found it to be a major inconvenience. "A lot of students are not happy with the change," Zimmerman said. "They're used to being able to walk in and pick up their mail, but now they have to wait for it to be delivered to their dorms." The new building is the Whitworth Student Center, and it is located adjacent to the old post office. According to Zimmerman, the post office was located in the old Student Center, and it was decided to move it to the new building in order to make it more accessible to students. However, the change has caused some issues with students who are used to being able to walk into the post office and pick up their mail. Zimmerman said that the post office is doing its best to accommodate the students, but it is a difficult task. "We're trying to make it as easy as possible for the students," she said. "But it's not ideal right now." Despite the challenges, Zimmerman remains optimistic about the future of the post office. "We're working hard to make it as convenient as possible for the students," she said. "And we're looking forward to seeing how the new building affects us in the long run."
manager; however, he said he never had the chance to apply. "There was no effort by ASWC to contact the number of people who were already involved with the station," he said. According to Berntson, he repeatedly checked the Flash for advertisements concerning the positions, but to no avail.

However, according to Coleman, ASWC did make an effort to advertise the position. "We advertised in The Whitworthian and the Flash, as well as posters around campus," said Coleman. She added that she spoke to then KWRS adviser Leonard Oakland, professor of English, about possible candidates. Specifically asked Leonard if there was anyone on staff who wanted this position. His answer was no," Coleman said.

Coleman said Oakland was not notified that Leslie had been offered the GM position. "Leonard was informed of Tisha's hiring after the fact," she said.

Coleman stated the reason she offered Leslie the position was for "her ability to carry out a project from beginning to end, and that she wanted the challenge." Coleman added, "At that point we didn't have anyone else [interested] in the position."

According to Leslie, the role of general manager is to be a middle man between her staff and ASWC. "I am the contact person between faculty, staff, ASWC, and the greater community," Leslie said. She added, "and her ties with ASWC are a benefit."

Leslie said she is gaining experience through some training. "I sat down with Dayna Coleman and went through some paperwork to get an understanding of the job consists of," Leslie said.

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Poverty: American issue that starts with middle class

The woman’s clothes were tattered. She had sores and looked as if she was abused. It looked as if she was living out of her car. They began to talk.

At the end of an intense conversation, the woman asked this question: “When you look at me, do you see my sores and dirty clothes? Or do you bother to look beyond what you’ve been told?”

Poverty is not just a governmental issue. It’s about rebuilding a sense of dignity in America’s poor.

While welfare reform was a key component of the Republican “Contract with America,” and continues to be discussed and debated, government has not addressed the relational aspects of poverty.

It is not a mere absence of material possessions or money. Poverty forces humans to live in subhuman conditions which cause many to lose sight of what it means to be created in the image of God. This results in a loss of identity and of hope.

It is no wonder that our current welfare system is failing. The true causes of poverty are not material, and no material solution can solve the problem. Our current approach to welfare is a no strings attached deal; if poverty was that simple it would have been eliminated years ago. But after spending five trillion dollars on welfare since 1960, we are no better off than before.

The recovery of human dignity is essential in overcoming poverty. The only true way to do this is to show those in conditions of poverty the empowerment Jesus Christ can give.

Each person needs to know the dignity of being created in the image of God. When responsible Christians mirror the love of Christ, lives will be changed. This may not mean a jump to middle class America, but it does mean people can live with dignity and hope, as all humans deserve to.

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Nontraditional student stereotype dissolved

- Melinda Spohn
Bachelor of Liberal Studies

Most nontraditional students (age 26 and over) arrive at Whitworth with all the concerns and anxieties of entering freshmen. We have often been out of the educational environment for years, or even decades. We are apprehensive and worried about classes and homework, and wonder if we will be able to cut it. We wonder if we will be accepted by the younger students as we walk into classes and are confronted with a sea of young faces.

Many nontraditional students are at Whitworth because they are trying to advance themselves in the job market or change careers, and this is often accomplished while maintaining jobs, and raising families. Some gave up careers 20 years ago for husbands and families and have been thrust back to college due to divorce. Others worked all their lives, never got the degree they promised themselves so many years ago.

There is often a misconception that the returning adult is only in college for personal enrichment. There is fear she/he will ruin the grading scale with excellent grades because she/he has more time to study than the traditional student. In your dreams! We juggie class work with jobs, kids, cooking, dirty dishes, laundry, soccer practice and dentist appointments.

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I finished classes at 12:10 p.m. and immediately left for work. I put in three hours at my job, picked the children up from school and dashed to the store to get something for dinner. As I turned into my driveway I sighed. Here we go again.

The next few hours were spent straightening up the house, starting a load of laundry, and washing the breakfast dishes. As the kids started homework, I sorted through the mail. I tried to think about a topic for the research paper I had to write but was interrupted every 10 minutes. "I'm hungry," said one voice. "Will you throw the football around with me," said another. "I don't understand this homework problem," said a third. "Mom, I need help with my homework," pleaded one. "Mom, remember I have football practice tomorrow," said another. "School is out for my school fees tomorrow." After tucking the kids into bed, giving kisses and telling them I loved them, I glanced at the clock. 10 p.m. I tried to read but by 11 p.m. I was drooping. I turned on the TV.

After reading for an hour and a half, I turned off the TV. I heard. I was reading. I still don't understand this homework problem. I knew I had to finish classes before summer vacation. There is often a misconception that the returning adult is only in college for personal enrichment. There is fear he/she will ruin the grading scale with excellent grades because he/she has more time to study than the traditional student. In your dreams! We juggie class work with jobs, kids, cooking, dirty dishes, laundry, soccer practice and dentist appointments.

Insight/Opinion

What do you like best about the new Campus Center?

"I like the ATM machine because my dinner is easily accessible there."
- Penney Slack
Freshman

"I like those automatic doors that you just hit that button and it goes 'vroom' and you go right in."
- Troy Miller
Junior

"I like the Mr. Spock cut-out in the ASWC chambers."
- Jeff Davis
Sophomore

"What I like best about the new Campus Center is the idea of bouncy jumping off the balcony into the hot tub."
- Ryan Hawk
Junior

"I just like all those bricks."
- Mark Bowker
Freshman

"I like how new it is."
- Dave Elulister
Sophomore

Standard tests unfair to females

Both SAT and ACT biased against young women, according to National Group, Fair Test

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(NSNS)-Scores on standardized tests continued to unfairly favor males this year, according to reports from the National Center for Fair and Open Testing or FairTest, a nonprofit organization based in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

College-bound males who graduated from high school in 1995 scored 43 points higher than college-bound females on the newly-revised Scholastic Assessment Test (SAT), despite the fact that younger women scored normally higher grades than younger men in both high school and college when matched for identical courses.

"The Educational Testing Service has been told by its own researchers that the SAT exam consistently underpredicts the abilities of young women," said Dr. Pamela Zappardino, executive director of FairTest.

"This year's report gives no indication that there's anything new about the new SAT in terms of this bias. At this rate, it will be more than two decades before the gender gap is eliminated." Also, a new report from the American College Testing Program (ACT)-the nation's second largest college entrance exam, after the SAT-shows that male test-takers scored three-tenths of a point higher than females on the ACT's 36 point scale. That is one-tenth of a point higher than the gender gap recorded in 1994.

"Research shows that a tuned, multiple-choice format, like that of the ACT, favors males over females," said Bob Schaefer, FairTest's public education director. "Males are also more willing to take risks, which is rewarded on the test. Glazing over the gender gap will not make it go away. The testing of bias is among the reasons that 235 four-year college admissions are no longer require standardized test scores for admission."
Leasing provides attractive alternate to buying a car

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While many students believe having a car is a necessity, few of them can afford purchasing a new vehicle. In cases like these, leasing can be an affordable option. Most car dealerships offer a leasing policy of some sort. According to the College Press Service, about 28 out of 100 new car deals every year involve a lease. This is because automobile prices have been skyrocketing each year. In 1994, the average cost of a new car totaled about $18,200. The biggest problem is that cars are a depreciating asset and can lose about 50 percent of their worth simply by being driven off the lot.

Mark Waltermire of Dishman Dodge said one could lease a car from 1-4 years with a 12,000-15,000 mile limit. Similarly, Roy Elder of Downtown Toyota had a 3 year deal with a 15,000 mile limit. Both Elder and Waltermire said their policies varied depending on the vehicle. They involved a security deposit and the first month’s payment. Also, both policies allowed the car to be driven anywhere in the world. Trade-ins also apply to the amount of the down payment of the lease. When the lease has expired, the residual payment (wholesale value of a vehicle) is due. This payment then can be used towards purchasing a car being leased, figured in the price of a trade-in, or simply paid off in full.

According to Waltermire and Elder, the most attractive quality of leases is that they make monthly payments lower than payments for buying a car.

Junior Amanda Smith knows the advantages to leasing a car. Her parents leased a 1995 Geo Prizm for her and she said it is a better option than purchasing a vehicle.

“I think the biggest thing about leasing is that you can trade in your car without having it cost more. I think most people get tired of having the same car for more than four years. And, it makes good economic sense”, said Smith.

Smith enjoys leasing so much that she said she plans to lease a car in her own name in the future. In fact, this past weekend, she traded in her 1993 Geo Prizm for a 1995 model. For more information about leasing a car write to: P.O. Box 7648, Atlanta, GA 30357.

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Grade school teachers ask the question every September. What did you do over summer vacation? Of course, they expect the responses in the form of an essay. Children will respond with varied answers. Their responses can be categorized into two areas. The first is the “I went on vacation to see my great Aunt Mildred in Oklahoma and had my tonsils removed and the hospital let me keep them and I’ll bring them for show and sell” variety. And second is the “my mom made me take piano lessons and I had to go to summer school and my brother made me mow the lawn and he paid me 50 cents for it” variety. Either way, the kids had fun over summer.

The same is true of college students, only the answers are a bit more grown up. But only a little.

Most answers fall into the "I worked to make money to pay for Whitworth’s category."

Senior Liza Rachetto poses with a traditional farmer during her three month stay in Korea.

Summer 1995: Break included traveling, working, and weddings

I got married to the man of my dreams.

For incoming freshman, Pamela McNamer, all she could do was "gather my wishes before coming to school". This falls into the category of "It took me all summer to say goodbye to all my friends and family. It wasn't easy, she said, "but I had a lot of fun in the process." Other students got to spend the summer going on excursions. Senior Liza Rachetto traveled to Korea.

Rachetto, who worked as a coach for a military based swim team during three months, answered the question given by a few Whittworth students was "I got married to the person of my dreams." A dreamy look on her face and a grin, that completes her response.

Senior Christy Johnson (Monk) and junior Troy Johnson got married over the summer. (just three months after Christy had her tonsils removed.) "They had to come out," she said. "She let the hospital keep the tonsils.

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Maturity needed for upcoming Central America Tour

Senior Dave Lee, who traveled on the tour in 1993, remembers the first month of the highlights. "We would have one on one Spanish tutoring during the day and in the afternoons go on field trips. We would go out and do different stuff on weekends too," said Lee.

Lee encourages students who are going on the upcoming tour to use this time to practice the Spanish language. "Don't be afraid to try to communicate with the local people," said Lee. "It is difficult, but most people will gain a lot more from the experience if they do make the attempt."

After the month of language school comes "the plunge," according to Amy Clark, a junior who will be going on the tour in 1993, and one Spanish tutoring during the day. "They match you up with two other students with the same language skill that you have and let you loose in Guatemala. You have to get to the next place on the trip, and figure out how to communicate with people," said Lee.

Lee is found this to be the most difficult part of the trip and a time when they learn the most because they are interacting so closely with the culture, said Lee. "The hardest part of being on my own for a month was communicating... taking the initiative to talk to people was hard for me," said Lee.

The trip will continue through Costa Rica, Nicaragua, and El Salvador. Students will be performing service in many of their locations along with learning.
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about the political, economic and social situations of the countries they are in, according to Hunt. The tour will conclude with a period of debriefing where students will deal with issues of their experience and ask what it all means. They will process the tough stuff and figure out what is true. They will prepare for re-entry into American culture and look at the differences in culture and use of wealth," said Hunt.

The trip can be life changing. According to Lee, "A lot of people on my trip found it difficult to deal with the poverty and social problems, especially when learning about U.S. involvement in the situation. It hit some of them pretty hard and they reacted pretty emotionally."

Many people who went on the trip in 1993 are back in that part of the world doing service, said Lee. They like the spirit in the U.S. doing social service. "It is definitely not a tourist trip. It's not laid back like other study tours. It's the third world and service is part of the trip. You learn about people's situations and what you might be able to do to help," said Lee.

Simoa Iata, a sophomore who went on the trip, anticipates learning a lot from the experience. "Right now when I think of Central America, I know they are poor, but hardworking, and I can't understand why they can't get out of their situation and be more like America. We are bordering countries and yet we are so different," said Iata.

"I want to learn about being more passionate and more concerned about people as a whole," said Iata.

Clark also desires to learn from the people of Central America. "People will encounter there will be a simplicity of lifestyle and faith that I want to learn from. I think I will be taught by seeing people who live with the basics of life and aren't so clouded by materialism. I'll have to figure out how to apply that to my own life as I come back here," said Clark.

Hunt says there can be some loss of innocence on the trip, but there is also an increased awareness of our privileges as Americans. His hope for students at the conclusion of the tour is that "they would seize life with new energy and commitment."

Cultural idiocy

1. What famous movie star played Eliza's school principal in "My Fair Lady?"

Answer given next week.

Trim mane without flattening wallet at local salons

JAMIE FORINO
Guest Writer

If being called "Shaggy" or "Crazy" by your friends has been getting to you, there is a way to change your image quickly and inexpensively. There are several salons near Whitworth that specialize in trimming the craziest hair at an affordable price.

When senior Wendi Story was a freshman, she asked around for a good hair salon and found New Image Hair Design. "It's incredible," said Story. "I am an upperclassman told me about it and I've been going for three years."

Junior Dan Kepper goes to what he refers to as "Stupid Cuts" (the actual name is SuperCuts). "It's cheap and they do an okay job," said Kepper. SuperCuts, located across from Rosauers at the Y, charges a basic cut.

A Whitworth fan next to Safeway offers a 10 percent discount to students, which makes a basic cut cheap—$10.99. It's customers a haircut is free.

Angel Wilcox of whom looks for a new style, it's best to ask a lot of questions. "Find out how long they've been in the business, and communicate with them what kind of style you want," said Wilcox.

Kim Smith of Regis Hair Salon in the Northtown Mall agreed. "Being in a picture of the cut you want and then ask your stylist if the cut would look good on you, how long would it take to style this cut, what kind of products to use."

"Always communicate with your stylist, especially if you go to a new stylist." Regis Hair Salon offers a 20 percent discount to students Monday through Wednesday. Some students, like sophomore Rebecca Wood, don't go to stylists or salons. She asks her friend Kristen Brigham to make her hair. "If it's her, she's my stylist, and I don't want to pay to go off campus and get half an inch cut off my hair," said Wood.

Freshman Jeff Zagelow doesn't have haircutting problems. "My cut is short enough to "use electric shears" so either I ask mom or a friend, he said."
Rough second half costs game
Pirates give up 259 yards, 20 points, and the lead in second half

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The Whitworth Invitational last Saturday, spotlighted the top runner in the league on his home turf, and he didn't let anyone's expectations down. While helping the team to a fourth place finish, Andy Martin placed first out of the 74 other men. His time of 24:53 was a minute faster than his closest competitor.

Coach Andy Sonneland said, "Andy was outstanding. He beat out the second place runner, who was in the top 15 at nationals last year, by a whole minute." Martin, who was 53rd at nationals last year, expects to improve greatly this year. "I wasn't really prepared for nationals, and they say the first five are always the toughest, so I want to be in the top ten this year," said Martin.

Right now Martin's main goal is to compete well against NCAA Division I runners. He'll get his chance on October 7 at the University of Washington Invitational.

Sonneland looks forward for the U.W meet and said, "It gives some of the guys a chance to compete at a higher level." As for the rest of the team, Martin and Sonneland said that it is strong, but the two through the points the Pirates would put on the board.

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WHAT’S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

By Shailesh Ghimire

Remnants of dinosaur found in Argentina

Remnants of a dinosaur 42 feet long, six tons in weight, which lived more than 90 million years ago, were discovered in Argentina. After its bones were first discovered in 1993 by Reuben Cordero, an amateur fossil hunter, the dinosaur’s skull, back bone, pelvis and leg bones were subsequently discovered.

Thursday’s edition of the journal Nature, Argentine paleontologists disagree as to what creature could have been like, adding it’s the "largest theorectically recorded from the southern hemisphere and is probably the world’s biggest predator ever found.

Scientists pointed out that the rear parts of which are missing, make it difficult to compare it to a similar species. However, they did mention the two giant meat-eaters, giganotosaurus and the megalosaurus which are dependent on each other.

College Press Service

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A number of cuts to higher education, including the elimination of the six-month grace period for the Sloan loan, and the in-school interest subsidy for graduate students.

President Clinton has also targeted Clinton’s Direct Student Loan Program for elimination as a move which Republicans say will help balance the budget and one Clinton has criticized.

"The direct loan program gets rid of the red tape, by middlemen, and sends the students directly to the school where it’s a hurry," he said. "The program is better for the students, better for the schools and it taxed students.

In an address broadcast nationally to college campuses nationwide, Clinton repeated the Republican efforts to slash funding for education.

"Two million Americans would face roadblocks on the road to college between now and the end of the year," he said. "That’s penny-wise and pound-foolish. We shouldn’t cut education to balance the budget.

Administration officials said their balanced-budget plan would increase funding for education, training and aid to students by $40 billion. They said the seven-year GOP-balanced budget plan would cut such programs by $36 billion.

In reaction, Clinton’s SSI address, House Economic and Educational Opportunities Committee Chairman Bill Goodling criticized the President, chastising him for misleading students and using scare tactics to preserve the direct loan program.

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Minority representation an uphill battle for Whitworth

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Unlike the University of California’s Board of Regents deciding to scrap their policy of recruiting minority students last July, Whitworth continues to seek out minority students. Although it is an uphill battle.

Where California’s UC system just ended their affirmative action policy, Whitworth’s vice president for Business Affairs, Tom Johnson, acknowledges Whitworth has never had such a policy.

"We'd really like to increase the diversity [at Whitworth]. It’s a principle of enrichment," added Yoder. Whitworth has a diversity task force that implements ethnic diversity. According to Fred Pfursich, dean of Enrollment Services, the program has long range goals to create a student mix on campus. Pfursich said, it is difficult to attract minority students for three main reasons. These reasons include the high cost of attending Whitworth, the limited recognition of Whitworth’s own ethnic origins to enroll at Whitworth because it is a big sacrifice. Students from urban areas, many times, find it more difficult," said Pfursich.

In order to create an ethnic mix on campus, Whitworth offers some resources for minority students in a program called Whitworth Access Grant. "The program is designed for students who want to come to Whitworth, who have the ability to succeed, but money is a huge obstacle," commented Pfursich. The grant is offered to students who possess a combination of achievement and promise. See Diversity, Page 3

Community Building Day gets a new look

AIMEE MUNRO
Staff Writer

Community Building Day, Whitworth’s long-time tradition of recruiting minority students, is breaking with tradition this year and hitting the streets. With a new set of aims, goals and sponsorship money from Student Life, the ASWC office and administration, Whitworth Access Grant.

"The only (minorities) attending Whitworth are those who apply on their own." "We'd really like to increase the diversity [at Whitworth]. It’s a principle of enrichment." - Janet Yoder, director English Language Program

Pfursich, dean of Enrollment Services, the program has long range goals to create a student mix on campus. Pfursich said, it is difficult to attract minority students for three main reasons. These reasons include the high cost of attending Whitworth, the limited recognition of Whitworth’s own ethnic origins to enroll at Whitworth because it is a big sacrifice. Students from urban areas, many times, find it more difficult," said Pfursich.

In order to create an ethnic mix on campus, Whitworth offers some resources for minority students in a program called Whitworth Access Grant. "The program is designed for students who want to come to Whitworth, who have the ability to succeed, but money is a huge obstacle," commented Pfursich. The grant is offered to students who possess a combination of achievement and promise. See Diversity, Page 3

The Weekend: 'Even better than the real thing'

CHRISTINE HOLMAN
Staff Writer

"The Weekend," Whitworth’s annual fall retreat put on by the chaplain’s office, was held last weekend at Camp Spalding. Tony Basell, the director of Calvin Crest Conferences in Oakland, Cali­fornia, was the key speaker and addressed the theme of the retreat, "Even Better than the Real Thing."

The two days were full of getting to know people, spending time in reflection, listening to speakers, and discussing the topic in small groups.

"The intention of The Weekend is to get students to really focus on their relationship with Christ early in the year, setting the pace for the rest of the year," said Terry McGonigal, dean of the chapel.

McConigal felt that one of the most important aspects of the retreat is that it gives students a chance to know others and be known — to make new friends.

This year’s theme, developed by junior Paul Di Rocco, student organizer of the retreat, focused students on the person of Christ, not necessarily focusing on the miracles he performed in his life, but even bigger than the miracles, a personal relationship with Him. Through focusing on this theme, both McGonigal and Di Rocco hoped to meet the needs of the students.

Di Rocco chose Tony Basell as the key speaker because he knew he would connect with the students. "He’s a different kind of speaker. He’s a very heart felt feeling kind of speaker," said Di Rocco. Bessel also knows a lot of Whitworth students who have worked at Calvin Crest. He was extremely excited to be asked, according to Bessel.

The Weekend included one hour seminars by several different faculty and staff members such as Rick Hanner, Dale Soben, Mike Ingram, and Dan Carlson. Other key aspects of the retreat included a time for worship led by some members of the Hosanna band and the sharing of communions Sunday morning.

For freshman Amy Rachel, who stood out the most was, "the Saturday night worship. Everyone was crying and it really renewed a lot of feelings." "I hope that students would walk away from Saturday evening that they were unsure of their faith would walk away committed," said Di Rocco. "And that everyone had a good time and a great fellowship."
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tion of academic ability, a dem-onstrative financial need and ethnic minority background. "This year we have 15 students who are recipients of this grant, helping them bridge the [financial] gap," said Pfursich.

Even with the Whitworth Access Grant, the college has a limit of resources available to compete with other schools who are recruiting minority students. "As Whitworth has become more selective, in terms of the [academic] student profile, the ethnic minority students who are highly qualified, many times are receiving significant offers from other institutions that we can't match [in terms of financial aid and scholarship awards]," Pfursich said. "That student has a world of options because every other school wants the student to attend their institution," Pfursich replied.

With only a 3 percent minority population in Spokane county, Whitworth finds it difficult to attract underrepresented students. "We have found that minority students who are looking at the college experience are concerned with where they go, not only the school but the area. The fact that we don't have a large representation of minority faculty members can be a factor in their decision [to come to Whitworth]," said Pfursich. "Those things are very important to them."

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Affirmative action more hurtful than helpful to society

Affirmative action breaks barriers, grants equality

The consequences of land theft and slavery are real, and a history of death and discrimination does not just disappear. Neither does the responsibility of restitution just go away. To abolish affirmative action would assume U.S. government, business, and education has been restructured along lines of justice and equality. They have not. Some legislative form of affirmative action is necessary, to provide both a forum for public discussion outside of regulatory or lawsuit based action, and to continue the goals of integration and equality.

U.S. culture is bound and governed by awareness of difference. Programs, such as affirmative action, which try to redistribute power have faced extreme backlash from those who would keep different perspectives out of the corporate and public sphere. It is important to assume that the majority of Americans in positions of power would act in good faith and actively, creatively recruit minority voices if some form of affirmative action didn’t require it.

The gap between upper-class white America and the rest of the country effective diminishes the ability to trade and exclude groups. Indeed, one look through a list of female or minority CEOs will show the glass ceiling does exist. For many qualified individuals and groups, this ceiling will act as the first in a long line of barriers. Between a lack of respect from the power structure and a lack of access to established networks, these individuals must work harder than many employees to obtain advancement and economic equality.

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Allowing any government to classify people, even in the name of restitution, enumerates the differences between people, and does not lead to equality.

Student responds to poverty editorial

Dear editor,

The Sept. 26 editorial on African American poverty reeks of the 'post-racial' commentaries that have been written by politicians eager for re-election. As the lead half of America, we women and children live at or below the poverty line. According to your editorial, the government and its policies have no effect on us.

I must ask you a question that I think the government also needs to ask. If the government can't find the $18 billion a year that they spend on military expenses, how can they afford to help the millions of women and children who are in poverty? The problem is that they have, "lost sight of what it means to be created in the image of God." And as a result they have, "lost identity and hope." When these women are exhausted from a 40 hour work week, juggling work and family care bill is due, and they failed to receive child support, again, rear them in good faith and dignity, remain their right to recover of human dignity is essential in overcoming poverty. When the food runs out three payday you can show them the "empowerment of Jesus Christ," but that's not going to put food in their stomachs.

Melinda Spohn
senior
B.A., Liberal Arts

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Coping with stress:
Campus Health Center offers help to frazzled students

CARYN SOBRAU
Staff Writer

Stress! Stress is a feeling of constant panic that everyone deals with at Whitworth. When you have to get a paper done in an hour because practice went over time, work was five hours long, and you had three meetings today, everything leads to stress and high blood pressure, that isn't a result of Saga food. To escape high levels of stress in our lives it's important to know how to manage stress in order to keep our sanity.

Stress is a result of pressure coming from all directions, whether it be from school, parents, family, work, money, or friends. However, life doesn't have to be a constant battle against stress. Stress is evident all over campus, and the staff at the Health Center works to help students manage it.

According to Jan Murray, director of the Health Center, "stress affects all of us, so we must work to prevent any physical illness that can be caused by stress." Murray encourages those who need help or advice on stress management to come to the Health Center to pick up a brochure on dealing with stress management or be referred to a counselor.

Health coordinators in all dorms are helpful and knowledgeable on stress management. There are often presentations in dorms which discuss methods of handling stress.

The new resident director for Stewart Hall and The Village, Catherine Phelan, who has a master's degree in counseling, helps students try to manage their stress each day. Phelan says students are coming to her feeling "overwhelmed with the pressures of school, of life, relationships, and job responsibilities."

The freshmen on campus are especially stressed out about trying to find their place, where they fit in, what they want to do with their lives, and who their friends will be," said Phelan. Her advice to freshmen and everyone is to help manage stress by "exercising, taking time for yourself, getting off campus, talking to a friend, and working to prioritize your life."

Phelan also encourages students to "check out duty activities which give students a chance to get away from their studies, and just have some chill time."

Phelan said dealing with stress often leads some students to use drugs, tobacco, and alcohol. It is essential for students to relieve stress using only productive methods, rather than negative diversions or tactics. There are ways to relieve stress that are easily accessible, and can be as simple as playing a sport, listening to music, playing an instrument, sleeping, or going out with some friends.

Stress shouldn't control your life, so Phelan suggests you learn to manage it rather than allowing it to manage you.

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**WHITWORTH SPEAKS OUT**

What is your definition of affirmative action?

"A way to bring equality to all races and sexes."

-Marshall Ochi
freshman

"I think affirmative action is a failed attempt to make up for all our failures in the past regarding race and equality."

-Dan Straw
sophomore

"Affirmative action was set up to provide an opportunity for minority groups. It's supposed to give them the chance to maybe go into a college setting on equal footing, although I think now it is being abused."

-Alisa Tong
sophomore

"Affirmative action is the requirement of businesses or schools to have a certain number of people from each race and sex."

-Amy Zimmers
freshman

"I think affirmative action is still judging people by the color of their skin instead of their ability."

-Noah Hard
freshman

"Affirmative action is when white people try to smooth things over and try to make equality for minorities. I feel as a result of this, instead of taking two steps forward, they have taken three steps back."

-Becky Rieckels
junior

"Affirmative action is the granting of special rights to a minority in order for that minority to gain equality, employment and political standing."

-Brian Boyle
freshman
Diligent students juggle jobs with school work

KATHRYN SCHRIEYER.
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As many may already know, more and more college students these days have full-time jobs as well as being in school. May it be because tuition needs to be paid or there just isn't enough spending cash, having a job on top of school work seems to be inevitable. Whittier students have no exception to the rule.

According to Gordon Jacobson in Student Life, 978 Whittier students were employed in the '94-95 school year. The majority of those students, 650 to be exact, were employed off-campus. These numbers, however, do not reflect the amount of students who found jobs without going through campus employment. Statistics for this year are not published as of yet, said Jacobson.

Many students with as many as 16-35 credits, if net more, are employed full-time. For instance senior Prasoon Khandal, an international student from Nepal, works 17 hours per week in the Audio Visual Services in the library. "There is always time for everything," Khandal said. "It is a matter of making a schedule to manage your time and then following that efficiently." Khandal works in order to pay for his tuition.

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Many students, however, also have full school schedules and full-time jobs. For instance sophomore Christi Gutierrez is on the track team, holds down a job at an insurance company of about 15 hours per week, and also balances a pre-med curriculum of 16-35 credits. Gutierrez works in order to have spending money.

"During track season I don't work as much but I still go to work. I just get off a little earlier in order to go to practice. Not working as much can hurt because I may have a little in the fall and I work a lot during Jan Term," Gutierrez also plans to volunteer at Holy Family Hospital in order to gain experience for graduate school.

Junior Louise Vargas is also a working athlete, but on the basketball team. Vargas holds a work study job in the library where she works 12-14 hours a week. According to Vargas, during basketball season time tends to get a little tight. "I pretty much cram everything in together. There is no time to mess around. Every free moment I'm either studying or eating. My social life kind of falls up for a while.

Having a social life is another difficult aspect of having a job and a school load, but sophomore Janet Stellingwerf is lucky enough to have a job of high visibility where she can see her friends often. Stellingwerf, who also manages 16-35 credits along with a job, works in the Business Office at the Student Accounts window.

"Friends can visit me at the Business Office and I can talk to them through the window," said Stellingwerf. As if one job wasn't enough, Stellingwerf is also managing editor of the yearbook. "I got a second job with the yearbook because I felt it would be a really good experience for me. I think it would be a good experience for everybody to get some sort of job because it teaches responsibility for when you get out of school," she said.

Gutierrez also offered some wise words of advice for any student who has a job or may be looking for one. "A student needs to realize that if they have a job and it begins to be too much, then they need to quit school work in more cases than one. Of course that is directed to those students who may not be paying tuition with their paychecks."

Sophomore Janet Stellingwerf peaks out of the Student Accounts window during a rare quiet time in her shift.

A Movie Review

Unstrung Heroes

DAVE KOHLER.
Staff Writer

Almost every action/adventure film out there meant to dazzle and awe one's mind, comes a film that simply speaks to the heart. "Unstrung Heroes" is a good old-fashioned slice of life on celluloid.

Set in the 1960s, a young boy is learning to cope with the fact that his mother, played by Andie MacDowell, is dying of lung cancer. The mother's condition wreaks emotional havoc on her family, especially upon her husband and her son. Her husband, an inventor played by Michael Tuturro, must face that nothing created by his hands can save her.

At the same time, he loses touch with his son.

In a fit of despair, the son runs away and joins the household of his two slightly eccentric uncles. Faro of "Seinfeld" may be pleased to see Michael Richards (Kramer) portraying one of the wacky uncles who believes America is run by fascists out to take away all of his liberties. With their own influence, soon their nephew is transformed into a Jewish political activist, which highlights some of the film's most entertaining moments.

The film's parents are about as happy as a lobster in hot water when they hear about their son's latest involvements.

The rest of the film centers around how a father and son must realize that even without a loved one, a home must be preserved.

Critics have described this as "touching, yet funny." Well doggone it, they're right! Many scenes just touch the heart, and one can't help but feel some empathy for their situation. Some of the characters are so obviously funny they may make you realize your odd relatives aren't so odd after all.

However, it must be said that if it's just comedy you are looking for, you may be disappointed. The film has its laughs, but most of them are just within the first hour.

In simplicity there is often reality. Here lies the film's strengths, because the believability provides most of the charm. The only thing lacking here would be the ending. It seems a bit too abrupt, when one may expect a more climactic closing. But for down to earth entertainment, go check it out.
Tully finally stops at Whitworth

After coaching many teams over 20 years, Tully has found a home as the Pirate's new football coach.

GROWING up in Southern California, John Tully's favorite football team was the Los Angeles Rams. Football has been a part of his life ever since, and he said that it will continue throughout his life, and it has. He said there wasn't a specific time or date when he decided football was going to be his life, he just moved into it.

Tully came to Whitworth from Eureka College in Eureka, Ill., where he was head coach for five seasons. During his five years in Eureka, Tully accomplished many things. His Eureka team had the most wins of any team in the Illinois-Badger Conference the past three seasons. He coached the team to the first undefeated season in the school's history in 1991, and in the end his 1991 Eureka team was ranked third in the nation. Tully was twice named the Illinois-Badger Conference Coach of the Year in 1991 and 1994, and in 1994 he was also a finalist for the American Football Coaches Association's National Coach of the Year.

Tully began coaching after receiving his bachelor's degree from Azusa Pacific University in Southern California in 1975. While attending Azusa, Tully was a four-year starting quarterback, and was twice named Most Valuable Player. His first coaching job was at Los Molinos High School in 1975. A year later he became the offensive coordinator for the University of San Diego. Tully coached at two different Oregon high schools from 1979 to 1983. From 1984 to 1989, Tully served as an assistant coach at Southern Oregon State College in Ashland. From there he went to Eureka, and finally landing here, at Whitworth College.

He "always enjoyed athletics" and when asked what he likes about the game of football Tully replied, "It's an opportunity for people to work together as a team. I believe the carry over of athletics are tremendous. You've got people working together, going through the good times and the bad times. Events that happen in athletics carry over into what happens in life." Tully said every year provides him with memorable moments.

FOOTBALL
1 - 2 overall
vs. Western Washington 7 - 36

Volleyball
1 - 14 overall
0 - 6 NCIC
vs. George Fox 5-15, 5-15, 10-15

Stat Sheet

MEN'S SOCCER
6 - 4 - 1 overall
vs. Whitman
4 - 3 (OT)
vs. Williamette
1 - 0
vs. Linfield
2 - 0

WOMEN'S SOCCER
6-4-1 overall
vs. PLU
2 - 2
vs. Pacific
1 - 0

FOOTBALL
vs. Western Washington
Passing
Josh Farbon 7-15 102 yards 1 TD 2 INTs
Rushing
Caleb Arceneaux 13 att 40 yards
Receiving
Scott Sund 1 catch 45 yards
Defense
Jeff Baxter 15 tackles

Volleyball
vs. Pacific
Kills
Mandy Decious 18
Blocks
Meghan Binger 2
Digs
Kim Steinbruecker 18

Assists
Kim Steinbruecker 31
Aces
Mandy Decious 1
Meghan Binger 1

WOMEN'S SOCCER
6-4-1 overall
vs. PLU
2 - 2
vs. Pacific
1 - 0

Assists
Kim Steinbruecker 11
Aces
Kristi Nepi 10
Meghan Binger 3

Mon's COACo
v. Whitman
Goals
Joon Kang 2
Craig Ito 1
Matt Kinder 1

vs. Linfield
Goals
John Andonian 1
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Shelly Maak receives $10,000 scholarship

CAMILLE COOKE
Staff Writer

For her excellence in service and academics, junior Shelly Maak was awarded the JCPenny Who's Arizona scholarship of $10,000.

Eight scholarships were awarded to four females and four males from a pool of over 20,000 applicants. Maak applied for the highly competitive scholarship last April and was judged on the basis of volunteer activities, scholastic achievement, school and community involvement, and an essay.

The award was made last June at the JCPenny store in Northtown Mall. Pictures were taken and a phone call received from one of JCPenny's top managers asking Maak if she could use an extra $10,000 to help with her education. Also, a video camera was rolling as they took the pictures of all of the management and customeers from the store on.

This last August Maak and her mother, Barbara, were flown to Dallas to the JCPenny company headquarters to receive the scholarship from the CEO and top 100 executives of JCPenny, with the other seven winners. While there, Maak and the other winners were put up in excellent accommodations and as Maak put it, "They spared no expense." Maak believes that her volunteer work plays an important role in building a strong community. "As the future of the next generation, young adults today have the responsibility to be involved in the world. This involvement needs to extend past the personal level of sports and friends, to the community level," said Maak.

Activities of Maak include involvement in the Spokane Police Explorers which is a group of 15-21 year-old youth who volunteer their time to the Spokane Police Department. Duties include providing security and traffic control for local events, working with CPR's in the summer program for kids at risk, the D.A.R.E. program and the Chaplains Christian program which provides food to needy people around Spokane.

Activities on campus include being a college crew leader, intern, and currently serving as Ballard dorm president.

Recent awards include the "United Way volunteer of the Year," the JCPenny Golden Rule award, "Explorer of the Year" award for Washington State, and the "Explorer of the Year" for the Spokane Police Department.

Maak's academic schedule is incredibly full with 11.5 credits and is majoring in accounting, international business, and political science.

"I would like to work on the international level in either business, law enforcement, but I'm not sure," she said.

Maak's motivation comes from the need to build a better community. "As the future of the next generation, I believe that through volunteerism and one's own individual efforts, it is important to model and teach morals and ethics in such a way that it will give the next generation a strong foundation to build a better world on," said Maak.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Shailiesh Ghimire

Local News

Man kills brother, wounds sister, before taking his own life

Richard Ross ended his life inside his burning home after killing his brother and critically wounding his sister. Minutes before he killed himself, he said he was tired of taking care of his elderly mother, and tired of life.

People who witnessed the killing said Ross had taken care of his nearly blind mother with Ross, for the past seven years.

Deputies believe Ross entered to his brother and sister's home. Ross drove over, shot and killed his brother. The body of the brother was later found in the house. The body of the sister was later found in her home.

Ross was found dead inside the house. He was later found to have been dead for almost two years.

After the news of Ross's death, people expressed their feelings of sympathy and pain.

National News

Rep. Mel Reynolds sentenced to five years

Democratic Representative Mel Reynolds was sentenced to five years in prison for having sexual relations with a 16-year-old campaign worker, and obstructing the investigation.

Before the sentencing, Reynolds, an African American, pleaded guilty to a 40 minute denunciation of the prosecution and the media, accusing Republicans of being racist.

Bevahly Heard, a former campaign worker who is also black, complained to police about Reynolds. When she finally did take the stand, she acknowledged to having under-age sexual relations with the congressman. Secretly recorded phone conversations of Reynolds with Heard revealed Reynolds appetite for sex and pornography. Even though Heard admitted to having phone sex, he did not think that he did anything wrong.

Arafat, Rabin sign peace accord

After signing a peace accord almost two years ago Yitzak Rabin, the prime minister of Israel, and Yasser Arafat, Chairman of the PLO, came to the White House last week to sign an accord to transform their reconciliation into a concrete plan. This new plan will transfer ownership of the West Bank from the Israelis to the Arab residents.

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O.J. verdict divides opinions on campus

CINDY BRETT
KAREN DUBERKE
Editors

It has been heralded as the murder trial of the century, but after Oct. 3, it was history. Following nine months of testimony, O.J. Simpson was found not guilty by a Los Angeles jury. Although, the assumptions started long before any testimony began, people around the world developed opinions about the case, and Whitworth was not excluded... It began when Simpson's ex-wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman, were found murdered at Brown's Brentwood, Calif. town house on June 12, 1994. After five days of police investigation, Simpson was booked for the murders. The closure came 16 months later with TV sets tuned to the live coverage of the verdict.

Whitworth's view of the trial and the verdict were as divided as the battle between the prosecution and the defense. Issues of race, media coverage, Simpson's social status, and the jury's decision all are a factor in the various perspectives voiced across campus.

Some were surprised by the verdict, "I was really shocked," said junior Julie Taylor. Others were satisfied with the outcome, "I believed he was innocent from the beginning," said sophomore Kaelie Bissell.

Many students expressed their concern that Simpson received special treatment throughout the trial because of who he is. "I think money had a lot to do with getting him off ... and who he is, his prestige," said John Porter, a panier for Physical Plant.

Carrie Eagle agrees, "We wouldn't waste that much money and time on a normal person."

Others said that despite his social status, Simpson deserves respect as an innocent man.

"It's important that people... let him go on with life. People are being very insensitive," said transfer student Makeba Andrews. "I feel sorry for the victims' families but he's a victim too."

According to Andrews, this verdict has brought about racial issues. "I [heard] negative things on campus [as a result of the verdict]. It is definitely a race thing."

Julia Storons, professor of political studies, also said racial issues played a role in the courtroom because the trial was sensationalized by the media. "Race is overplayed in the media," said Storons, adding: "The Simpson case will have a short term effect in raising racial awareness in the court room."

Freshman Ryan Bowers said the televised coverage of the trial taught him a lot about the judicial system.

However, Storons said the Simpson case is not reflective of the American judicial system. She added, "TV cameras in the court room changed the dynamics of the trial." Senior Erik Sundet agrees: "TV has made a mockery of the U.S. justice system."

As a result of the trial's TV coverage many have found themselves questioning the manner in which cases are tried.

Senior Ben Brueggeheimer doesn't know whether the system is flawed. However, he said, "I think the prosecution didn't prove beyond a reasonable doubt that [Simpson was guilty]."

Sophomore Jon Peryeg said "We need to redo the justice system, no case is suppose to take a year." Ron Pyle, professor of communications, added "I'm not saying that the verdict was good or bad, but that the verdict is what you get under our system. The defense did what the defense is supposed to do. If you don't like it, then change the system."
Students save money on long distance calls

ANNA TOLLENAAR  
Staff Writer

Cheaper phone bills for students this year are a result of a change in phone companies. This past August, Whitworth changed its long distance company from AT&T to Frontier.

According to Greg Kross, director of human resources, the change was made for financial reasons. "Long distance companies are willing to bargain with a college," said Kross. It was surprising that allowed Whitworth to find better rates for the college through Frontier.

Although many students choose to use telephone credit cards hoping to get better rates than their school long distance service, Kross said Frontier is "better than cell phones where you can get phone credit cards because there is no added charge.

Many long distance phone companies charge a connecting fee in addition to the rates, for example, both Sprint and AT&T charge 40 cents for the connecting fee alone.

With the new phone company, there is a flat rate with changes differing only from institute to institute calls. Hamilton remarked that Whitworth wants to continue looking for the least expensive long distance rates for students, and the school will continue to pass on the "break rate" to students.

**CAMPUS BEAT**

Security Report

There was no ASWC meeting Wed., Oct. 4 due to Community Building Day.

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SERVE is going on their first year in the Campus Center between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. which will showcase many organizations instead of volunteer help throughout the Spokane community. To become involved with SERVE, contact Kross at his office located in the Whitworth Campus Center, or call x 4555.

In the next two weeks, ASWC supported the projects of Campus and the SERVE Coordinators are to find a variety of non-profit organizations in the Spokane community.

Kross is the SERVE Coordinator for the 95-96 school year. Helping him in the new Service Learning Coordinator positions are Resident Directors, Jim Page and Katherine Phelan.

The three SERVE leaders help recruit volunteers for work sites, such as Habitat for Humanity, Hawthorne Manor and various Spokane Community Centers. ASWC and the SERVE Coordinators are excited about the future growth of SERVE.

Kros said he is "thinking about future SERVE Coordinators" and is "laying the foundation for them this year so things will go smoothly for the program in upcoming years."

The new Service Learning Coordinators bring a new element to SERVE. Page and Phelan plan to help students process their experiences at the volunteer.

Kros said he "wants to challenge the student volunteers this year and encourage them to become involved with the national aspects of their volunteer work." He added, "I want people to know they are sharing their personal gifts with others by volunteering." He also expressed his desire to "create a support network at Whitworth for the volunteers."

Kross, Page and Phelan work to find a variety of non-profit organizations that need volunteers, then match those organizations with students who will provide the help needed. Phelan said she wants students to learn and be stretched from their volunteer work.

SERVE is heading to volunteer on life-changing Spring Break service trips to locations such as Native American reservations, Mexico or Costa Rica. There will be a SERVE fair going on today in the Campus Center between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. which will showcase many organizations instead of volunteer help throughout the Spokane community. To become involved with SERVE, contact Kross at his office located in the Whitworth Campus Center, or call x 4555.

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President Clinton encourages students to fight against cuts

Clinton's new budget plan grants school funding for those in need

Dear Student,

There is a moment in time for you. While you are choosing classes and making the decisions that will help you build a good life for yourself, the Congressional majority is working to make drastic cuts in education—in your student loans, in national service, and in your future opportunities. And the cuts will jeopardize the future you and your generation are working toward.

I want you to know that I oppose these cuts. I will do everything in my power to fight them and to see to it that the dream of higher education remains real for all Americans. It will do this not only by defending the opportunities of those of your generation who are ready to give, but by opening the doors further to make sure that even more Americans have the chance to stand where you stand today.

For too long in a long time, leaders from both parties are resolved that we must balance the federal budget. And the day I took office, I've been committed to this goal—to getting rid of the budget deficit that quadrupled our national debt in the 12 years before I entered the White House. So far, we have made great progress. In three years, we have cut the deficit by $219 billion, and that's a $160 billion cut.

Now we are working to eliminate the deficit entirely. On this, the Congressional majority and I see eye to eye.

But just how we get rid of the deficit is another matter. The majority's proposal already wants to balance the budget in seven years, and do it while giving an unprec edented cut to education. I'm going to do things, the Congressional majority is not: cut enormous cuts in education.

My balanced budget plan would take more than seven years. It's about our values and our future. Education has always been the currency of the American Dream. When I was your age, it was assumed—based on our long history—that each generation would have a better life than the last. More than anything else, a good education is the way we pass this vision on to you, the generation who come after us. The facts speak for themselves. Earnings for those with no post-secondary education have fallen dramatically in the last 15 years. The only people for whom earnings have increased steadily are people exactly like you—those Americans with more education. The years of higher education increases your earnings by six to 12 percent. Those years also mean stronger overall economy and richer lives for those who have them. Just think over what the Congressional majority says. If it went through, it would have to do you, your classmates, and any of the other 400,000 college students who receive federal aid. It would:

- Raise the cost of student loans by $24 billion over seven years by charging you interest on your loan while you are in school. This would increase the cost of a college education by as much as $5,000 for undergraduate and $9,400 for graduate students.
- Deny up to 360,000 low-income students who desperately needed Pell Grants in 1996.
- Shut down Americorps, the national service initiative, which gives thousands of young people the chance to earn and save money for college while serving their country.

By contrast, my balanced budget plan builds on the national consensus that we must help people help themselves through the power of education. It eliminates both of our deficits: our budget deficit and our education deficit. My plan cuts wasteful spending by more than $1 trillion, but it also increases investments in education by $80 billion over the next seven years.

Think over how my balanced budget plan would not only guarantee your future and all the hard work you've been to put into it. It will:

- Increase funding; for Pell Grants by $3.4 billion. Almost one million more students would benefit from increased Pell Grants; we would raise the top award to $3,128 by the year 2000.
- Expand Americorps to let even more young Americans serve their communities and go to college.
- Protect our direct lending program, which makes student loans more affordable, with more reparation options, and saves taxpayers, parents, and students billions of dollars.
- Just as Jack Spohn from Pearl Harbor, where I took part in ceremonies marking the 50th anniversary of the Second World War, in the late-1940s, when the veterans we honored left behind ones to go off and serve their country, they were the age most of you are now. We are your generation's home, the country recognized their service and their sacrifice. Why would we refuse the sacrifice of the service and potential of the students who aren't given a handout, and opportunity they need to take the responsibility for their lives.

Your generation has its own battles to wage. You face the choice of doing something right or doing something easy and wrong.

In taking on the responsibility of education you've chosen the right and difficult path.

You did the work you had to do and choose the right path to get into college. You may be working now to pay your way. And if you're like most, you may have earned long hours and made great sacrifices to help you get where you are.

You deserve the nation's support. And your future success will likely repay our common investment. I do not accept the arguments of those who would cut education. I do not want to risk America's future.

I hope you'll support my efforts to protect education and balance the budget. The fight for education is the fight for your future. In my life—and in the lives of countless Americans—education has meant the difference between the impossible and the possible. It should be true in your lives, too. With your help, we'll keep it that way.

Sincerely,

Jed Rivers

Spohn's 'Perspective' right on target

Dear editor,

The article in the Sept. 26 issue, "A Different Perspective," by Melinda Spohn brought tears to my eyes. I, too, am a full-time Whitworth student, a 41-year-old single mother of five children and a part-time job.

Melinda really hit the nail on the head. There isn't a day that goes by that I'm not in disadvantages. It is very hard to be a good mother, a good employee, and a good student at the same time. I'm trying to get my degree, and then drag myself out of bed at 5 a.m. to finish. It sure helps to know others out there share the same problems and concerns. Good luck!

Julia Woich
Junker, Education

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America, Christianity, Whitworth: beyond comfort zone for International students

- Shabish Chiniro
junior

The judicial system is taking too long on political cases and other cases that refer to actions. We should take less time and less money on those cases.

- Grant Rasmussen
senior

"Not particularly, because O.J. is a big figure, and if he was voted guilty then would be wise. So they probably figured they were saving more lives by saying he was innocent."

- Drew Tumhubh
freshman

Personally, my views of the judiciary system haven't changed much because even in the past, there have been people with a lot of money who had good lawyers and were set free. One lawyer bragged that if you gave him a million bucks, he could get you out of almost any crime.

- Jeremy Bruno
junior

"My opinions about the judiciary system haven't changed, but I feel this situation has brought to the spotlight the differences in treatment, especially for people who have the money. They can get out of anything."

- Laura McGuadey
senior

No, my views haven't changed. Everyone is still innocent until proven guilty, and there was enough evidence to produce a reasonable doubt. There were also enough inaccuracies in the way the evidence was collected.

- Trevor Wilson
sophomore

"Yes, I have less faith in the judicial system now. The O.J. trial revealed a lot of problems within the system."

- Heather Stark
sophomore

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David Schwimmer discusses 'Friends,' celeb life

"When I told my friends I was going to be on a sitcom, they said, why would they want to put you on a sitcom? You're not funny."

- David Schwimmer

**COLLEGE PRESS**

Montreal—Will they or won't they? The question has been asked before by TV viewers. Take, for example, Dave and Maddie in "Moonlighting," or Sam and Diane in "Cheers."

This season, it's Rach and Ross on "Friends." And what viewers really want to know is whether the sensitive paleontologist Ross (played by Jennifer Aniston) and waitress-buddy Rachel (played by Schwimmer) will finally become a couple.

"I tell my friends I was going to be on a sitcom, they said, why would they want to put you on a sitcom? You're not funny."

But he looks so worried on TV. "The character has a lot to worry about," he replies.

"I told my friends I was going to be on a sitcom, they said, why would they want to put you on a sitcom? You're not funny."

- David Schwimmer

**Attractions & Distractions**

**On Campus**

- **Oct. 10:** Expand Your Horizons-Hill House 6:30-8:30 p.m. 
- **Young Life Leadership Day—Young Life office 6:30-8 p.m.**
- **Hosanna-chapel 9:45 p.m.**
- **9:30 KWSR broadcasts from 1 p.m. to 11 p.m.**
- **Midweek worship-chapel 6:30 p.m.**
- **Oct. 11:** Forum: Allan November 11-15 a.m. 
- **DSC Bible study-Hill House 7 p.m.**
- **Compline-chapel 9:45 p.m.**
- **Oct. 12:** Faculty Development Day—no classes! 
- **Men's Soccer 4 p.m.**
- **Women's Soccer 1 p.m.**
- **Oct. 16:** Forum: Sharon Kay Stoll 11:15 a.m. 
- **Whitworth presents Shakespear—"Measure for Measure", 8 p.m. Tickets are $5 for adults and $4 for students with I.D.**
- **For reservations or more information, call the Whitworth College Box Office: 466-6225.**

**Off Campus**

- **Sept. 30:** Portland-based rockers, Trip 21, will be playing at Ichabod's. For more information call: 466-3710.
- **Oct. 14:** Guitarist Elvin Bishop will host the Hip Cats Blues Festival at 7 p.m. in Washington State University's Beasley Performing Arts Coliseum. Tickets are $10 and are available at Coliseum box office, 335-1514, and all G&B Select-a-Seat outlets.
- **The People For Christ Ministry presents, PPR and Jan of Clay.**
- **Two of Christian rock's most popular groups. The concert will be held at 6:30 p.m. at Shadle Park High School. Tickets are $10.50 in advance and $12.50 at the door. For more information call People For Christ: 326-4501.

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**ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT**

**WILFORD H. S.*
Sophomore, David Wakefield power washes the outside of the Full Gospel Mission. This was one of many sites Whitworth students attended Wednesday.

COMMUNITY BUILDING DAY

Students dragged themselves out of bed and deserted the Whitworth campus to help in the greater Spokane community for a brand-new type of Community Building Day. Whitworth students weeded, painted, cleaned, and lent a helping hand at seventeen different sites around Spokane including churches and shelters. Off-campus students helped spruce up the campus by blowing pine needles off the paths. Community Building Day ended with a sub-zero picnic in the Loop. —Liona Tannisen
Red gift-wrapped trees signaled the beginning of the Pirates of the Caribbean Homecoming week. The Pirate Picnic, Pirate Olympics, Community Building Day, Dorm decorating, Whitworth Spirit day, and finally the Homecoming football game and dance distracted students from their homework.

Dorm decorating was Beth Lockard's favorite part of homecoming because, "they don't have very much time, don't have very many resources, and so everybody pitches in and I am amazed at what spectacular results they come out with." Warren Hall branded the judges with black "W's" on their cheeks to protect them as they wound their way through the Peter Pan maze. Shivering Mac men appeared in bikinis as they acted out "Ray Watch." Beyond featured disco-dancing "Pirates of the Caribbean," Ballard acted out "Heck" with a pirate ship in the lounge. Tinkerbell appeared, and an invisible food fight downstairs. Fish swimming from the ceiling and rainbow bubbles transformed the Arend lounge into the scion city of Atlanta—with its famous fast food restaurant. In Bailey-Jenkins the judges ate, danced, and played with plastic party blowers as they toured the Love Boat. The judges imagined in the Village that they were on a "Floating couch." as they were led around different lounges with Caribbean TV shows like "Speakeasy" and "Gilligan's Island." The Redy Bunch burst into song as the judges approached the doors to Stewart and even brought the judges to Hawaii with them. Stewart and Warren Hall tied for first place, but Bailey-Jenkins was a close runner up.

On Saturday the Whitworth football team lost to Simon Fraser, but the Whitworth community still turned out to support them. Freshman Damien Clark's favorite part of homecoming was unequivocally, "The dance. Because it was really a lot of fun," he said. Homecoming week ended with pirates and witches dancing underneath black netting and flickering lights to live music by "Sharky and the Pos." -Lorna Tannen

The offensive line for the Red Team get ready to score in touchdown during the Powderpuff football game. The game was after the Homecoming football game Saturday.
FEATURES

Male/female friendships are beneficial, educational.

SARAH MARSH
Staff Writer

"Men and women can't be friends," or so said Billy Crystal in the film "When Harry Met Sally." However, in reality, they can be. Males and females learn about Sophomore Amanda Johnson, Freshman Corey McIachlan also said that "men and women can be good friends. It comes to being morally levelheaded and looking at a girl and not thinking of her as a sex object. Then you can be friends," he said.

Females and males learn about each other when they are young children, but in junior high and high school the romantic stuff makes friendships fuzzy. College is a good time to redefine relationships with the opposite sex, and to come back to a friendship level again, said Johnson.

"Men and women are very comfortable and enjoying being good friends, especially at the college level. This grows as we grow older," Waller said.

Freshman Corey McIachlan also said that "men and women can be good friends. It comes to being morally levelheaded and looking at a girl and not thinking of her as a sex object. Then you can be friends," he said.

Sophomore Kim Sage sees a lot of advantages to having friends that are guys. "I know them so well as people if I was going out with them. We don't have to impress each other. You are comfortable being yourself," said Sage.

McIachlan sometimes finds it easier to talk with girls about something that is "a lot of times it's easier for guys to open up to girls. It's hard to show a sensitive side to guys. So, guys seek a relationship where they can do that," he said.

Sophomore Sheldon Smith said, "Sometimes I feel I can trust (girls) more with." "You don't have to dress up, look nice, or try to impress a guy friend," said Johnson. Johnson said she learns a lot from her guy friends, including how to interpret signals from other guys and what type of qualities she would want in her future husband. Particularly important is the fact that, "Being friends with guys helps you see them as individuals rather than as a group. Not all guys are the same. Not all guys are into sports. Not all of them are into supermodels," said Johnson.

Eagle says being friends with the opposite sex gives you a good time to understand each other. "Girls and girls think differently, being friends with guys has taught me more about them and how they think and react to things. I could say the same thing to a girl and a guy and get two totally different reactions," said Eagle.

"In relationships with the opposite sex you learn how to relate with them and understand them because they think differently than you do. You learn to think differently than you did before," said Smith.

According to Pyle, cross-sex relationships, like any relationships with people different than you, allow you to see the world through someone else's eyes. "If we have responsive hearts and minds [cross-sex friendships] might teach us humility... and that we don't have the sole perspective on reality. If I embrace the differences, they might teach me something about the wonderful complexity of God's creation," said Pyle.

50 tips on having fun, avoiding fall burnout

COLLEGE PRESS SERVICE

Denis Gelfo/East

"We could never love the earth so well if we had no childhood in it." — John Muir

Celebrate the Class of 1989. Remember what you loved as a child. Celebrate the wonder of living as a child. Some ideas:

Name your bedspread.
Practice cartwheels and somersaults.
Get a group together and make a pilgrimage to the nearest mattress. Upon arrival, buy a Slurpee so big that you can polish it off in one sitting. Afterward have a contest to see whose tongue turns the coolest red.

Draw stick figures, flowers and animals with oversized crayons. Make your projects hang in their refrigerator when you go home to visit.
Eat a Popsicle.
Color on your driveway or sidewalk with chalk.
Read Dr. Seuss and Shel Silverstein out loud.
Sophisticated Summer bash: Use a CD or tape of oldies, with wide tracks and smash a few pennies.
Climb a tree.
Throw little pieces of paper at the person sitting in front of you in lecture and gaze at the ceiling, whistling when he looks around.

Skip rocks on a creek or lake.
Find one of those coasters that revolves and spins until you get sick.
Blow bubbles in your milk. (Or skip the milk altogether and blow spit bubbles.)
Chew three pieces of bubble gum.
Decorate your room with magazine clippings. Put playing cards in your spokes and make a wailing sound as you ride around campus.

Look at the stars.
Try to catch crawdads, or go fishing with a stick, some string and a piece of hot dog (for bait).
Watch ants work, and try not to get them all over you while your bugging them.
Wake up for Saturday morning cartoons, or find a station that still plays "The Duke of Hazelwood."

Play with a yo-yo.
Buy a pair of Aids with Scoopy on them.
Make a bird feeder out of a milk jug.
Play "Simon Says" and "Red Rover."
Put ladybugs in a huge pickle jar with holes punched in the top. Name them.
Set up a Slip 'n Slide on campus or put a Sesame Street wading pool in your front yard.
Buy all of your textbooks with pennies.
Lay on you back and figure out what the clouds look like.
Make a blanket fort in your living room and live in it for a week.

Dress up your pets.
Two words: Shrinky Dinks.
Wave at random cars as you pass them on the freeway.
Have a dinner of baked beans and hotdogs with vanilla ice cream and Magic Shell topping for dessert.
Swoon high on the swings that the chains start to rattle and then jump off. You just can't get enough of that soothing sound in your legs upon impact.
Raise Sea-Monkeys.
Spread $10 in a gunball machine trying to get the prize you want.
Hang on the velvet ropes at the bank or movie theater.
Put Elmer's School Glue on your hand and peel it off.
Spin around with arms as arms and then close your eyes and fall on the ground.
SHANNON MOORE
Features Editor

For many students at Whitworth, accepting a leadership position doesn’t usually happen during their first month of school. But for transfer student Makeba Andrews, assuming the office of the now-rechrist- ered Black Student Union, seemed perfectly natural.

Andrews, who transferred from Auburn University in Au­ burn, Alabama, said it was origi­ nally her resurrection to reestab­ lish the BSU which, according to her findings, has had a sporicidal exis­ tence for many years.

The BSU has been active off and on the last 10 years. However, it has not been thriving as it was in 1985, which was also a year where the ASWC's president and vice president were both black students.

ASWC’s current Financial Vice President, senior John Sedgwick, said Andrews approached him during the first week of school with the idea to recharter the club. After turn­ ing in the charter form, Andrews met with the assembly and they agreed to the charter.

Sedgwick said that Makeba was an ideal person for the job. “I think Makeba is highly spirited and enthusiastic. She has done a lot of research and consul­ tation, and several alumni who were former members of the BSU asking them for their support and suggestions,” he said.

So far, Andrews has come up with several ideas for the organiza­ tion, as well as some leadership for the BSU.

Sophomore Nicole Jenkins is the vice president, junior Keni Moumou is the treasurer, and freshman Daruny Pen is the act­ ing secretary until the official elections—now that haven’t been scheduled as of yet. The acting adviser for the BSU is Associate Professor of history, Airth Migh.

With three weeks of planning, Andrews has already thought of several activities the BSU will orga­ nize. These include a 70s disco, a rhythm and blues dance, a cookout in the Loop featuring red beans and Jumbalaya, a fac­ ulty carwash, an auction, activi­ ties in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day, and a cross-cul­ tural dating game to be held in the new Student Center.

While none of these events have been scheduled, Andrews’ date said Andrews the dating game will definitely be held before Thanksgiving break.

Andrews emphasized that the dating game does not necessarily have to be exclusively black students dating white students. "He encourages people of all cul­ tures to participate and said that the couples will have to do some­ thing neither of them normally participates in.

According to Andrews, in do- ing something neither of them are used to, they can learn to step out of their normal habits and perhaps discover a new interest. Currently, the BSU has had roughly 18 students attend the past two meetings.

Jenkins stressed involvement and assured everyone is welcome to join. "The BSU's open to everybody. You don’t have to be black to be in the club," she said.

Andrews agreed and said, "What we want to promote is unity and diversity."

The one thing Andrews did want to note dealing with non­ black members is a frustration regarding their holding offices.

Andrews said that the black members of the BSU have, in the past, hesitated to take on leadership roles and then have become upset when non-black students take on those positions.

"It is better for the BSU if it is represented by black leadership, but if black students don’t take on those roles, than it’s better to at least have a BSU," Andrews said.

The BSU meets every first and third Sunday at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Center. The meetings are held in conference room C. For more information contact Andrews, 468-9224.

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Ask Kevin Costner what $180 million buys these days

College Press Service

Detroit—Although studio executives won’t say exactly how much Kevin Costner’s “Waterworld” cost, most agree that the final tally was somewhere around $180 million.

And while most moviemakers probably don’t care about a film’s price tag (after all, they pay the same $7.75 for a ticket, no matter a movie’s cost), a University of Detroit Mercy professor recently made it his mission to find out just what $180 million can buy.

“I was just curious to see what you could get for that kind of money,” says Dr. Michael Bernacchi, a marketing professor at the Michigan school. “After all, that’s $180 million we’re talking about. That’s a lot of money.”

Bernacchi found that $180 million, the “Waterworld” budget, would cover:

• the Department of Education’s budget for public libraries;

• the entire budget for the National Endowment for the Arts;

• the entire budget for the National Endowment for the Humanities;

• total taxes paid in Washington, D.C.;

• the total farm value of U.S. sweet potatoes for one year;

• all property taxes paid to the city of Detroit;

• lottery revenue from both Nevada and Montanara;

• research and development outlays by Harvard University for one year;

• the Gross Domestic Product of the nation of Andorra;

• one year’s worth of sales of either Chicklets, Mylanta or Hot Wheels;

• Marlboro cigarettes and Coca Cola sales for six days;

• the annual advertising budget for Warner Brothers Pictures;

• Michael Eisner’s CEO salary from Disney for nine months.

Cultural Idiocy

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Soccer is just a part of life

SHARON OLNEY
Staff Writer

Some individuals like to read books, others write poetry, and then there are those who enjoy the peace and quiet part each day. However, for those who enjoy being in the outdoors, maybe a recreational activity would be better. For senior Joan Kang, soccer is just another part of the day.

"I have been playing for so long, it is just a part of me. It would be a missing link in my life if I were to ever quit," said Kang. Kang first played soccer as a recess activity in elementary school. Around the fourth grade, Kang began to play competitively for club soccer teams.

"For many years I have played on teams in which players were older. It is a type of competition that I have really enjoyed, for I had to work harder in order to get playing time," said Kang. His experience from childhood and high school years has led him to emerge as a leader not only on the playing field, but off the field as well.

"As a team leader, I find myself to be very competitive. I demand better play from myself as well as others on the team," said Kang. "The one aspect of my game I feel that I have really improved in is understanding the tactics that are involved in a game. I am able to think ahead and make decisions faster on the field," said Kang. Kang plays as the center midfielder on the men’s soccer team. According to Kang, disposition is similar to the point guard on the basketball team. His responsibilities include being a playmaker, directing the defense and looking for passing lanes on the field.

During the summer Kang was involved in playing for the United States Interregional Soccer League. He played center midfielder for the Spokane Shadow. Kang described this league as being competitive from the standpoint that the players are quicker to make plays and faster physically on the playing fields.

Throughout this experience he has said that his gain in the knowledge of the sport has taken him to a higher level of play. He also said that this experience has helped contribute to the survival of the men’s soccer team.

"We are a young team with lots of new players. During the summer we worked together at training camp and have really made the effort to know one another as the season has progressed," said Kang. "Going into the weekend the men’s team was 6-2 overall and 5-1 in conference. Our coaches have emphasized team unity this year. We push one another to the best of our abilities," said Kang.

FOOTBALL
1 - 0 overall vs. Simon Fraser 15 - 34

VOLLEYBALL
2 - 14 overall 0 - 6 NCIC vs. Northwest College 15-5, 15-5, 15-7

Score Sheet

MEN’S SOCCER
6 - 0 - 1 overall 3 - 3 NCIC vs. PLU 0 - 3 (OT) vs. Pacific 0 - 1

WOMEN’S SOCCER
8 - 4 - 1 overall 5 - 0 - 1 NCIC vs. Williamette 2 - 1 vs. Linfield 3 - 1

FOOTBALL
vs. Simon Fraser
Passing
J.J. Green 13-29 233 yds 0 TD 1 INT
Josh Parbon 3-10 36 yds 0 TD 1 INT

Rushing
Jon Olson 10 att 105 yds 1 TD
Receiving
David Glenn 4 catch 127 yds
Defense
Jeff Baxter 8 tackles
Cody McCauley 8 tackles

VOLLEYBALL
vs. Northwest College
Kills
Kim Steinbruecker 11
Bree Ziersch 8
Aces
Kim Steinbruecker 15
Ken Peet 3
Blocks
Rene Williams 6
Diggs
Mandy Decious 15

Cross Country
at Sundodger Invitational
Men’s Results
1. Dale Marcoux 21:37.96, (4th)
2. Alan King 21:37.40, (2nd)
3. Alan King 21:37.40, (3rd)
4. Rob Grenier 21:46.59, (9th)
5. Chris Cooper 21:48.36, (9th)

Women’s Results
1. Debbie Ryan 21:52.76, (2nd)
2. Brenda J_TCP 21:57.76, (4th)
3. Misty Ray 22:03.52, (6th)
4.
Anchor of the Pirate defense

Senior linebacker Jeff Baxter strikes fear into opposing team's offense each Saturday

BRYAN DU FresNE Staff Writer

Senior linebacker Jeff Baxter has a knack for finding the football and making the big play. In Whitworth's first game versus Eastern Oregon State, Baxter not only led the Pirates with 15 tackles but also came up with an interception in Whitworth territory to preserve the win. Against Central Washington, Baxter again led the team in tackles with 12 and also returned a fumble recovery to the Central 8-yard line to set up the Pirate's first score. Baxter's excellent play continued in game three with Western Washington where he led the team with 15 tackles. At Saturday's homecoming game versus Simon Fraser, Baxter proved his knack for the big play by sacking Simon Fraser's quarterback in the end zone for a safety.

Baxter, majoring in business management, came to Whitworth from Kettle Falls. At Kettle Falls Baxter played linebacker as well as running back and was three times named to the All-North-east A first team. His excellent play has continued at Whitworth at the collegiate level. Last year Baxter was named the Pirate's defensive most valuable player as well as being named second team all-conference. Baxter was also voted co-captain of the Pirates by the players for this season.

Baxter said the reason he loves football is "just having the ability to play." He enjoys "the challenge and the competition" that come with playing football. Baxter, who has done a superb job stepping up to "the challenge" of football in the past and has continued his tough play so far this year, said his most memorable game came last year when the Pirates upset a highly touted Central Washington team.

Jeff Baxter's next challenge comes at Pacific Lutheran University on Oct. 14. If you have a chance to see this game or any other games Baxter wears number six. If you still have trouble finding him, just look at the pile up at the end of a play. Someone around the football you will find Jeff Baxter.

Intramural Update

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Football

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Turnovers costly in Homecoming game

Despite more total yards and first downs than Simon Fraser, Pirates give up 14 points in second quarter off of turnovers while in scoring position

Mobrclo Boone (63) and William Kostakli (21) celebrate with Jeff Baxter in the end zone at the Homecoming football game Saturday against Simon Fraser after Baxter's sack for a safety.

Whitworth's Jeff Baxter, the two-time All-Conference Player of the Year (30 tackles for loss, 12 sacks last season), will be difficult for any team to stop. Baxter (6-0, 240) is known by his opponents as the TTackle' and the 'bane of quarterbacks'. He recorded a school-record 23 tackles in the season opener at Central Washington.

Bryan DuFresne

The Whitworth Pirate vessel ran into rough waters again this Saturday during the Homecoming game with Simon Fraser and was finally sunk 34-15. The Pirates saw the return of quarterback J.J. Green this week who has been sidelined due to mono-nucleosis. The Pirates outgain the Clanmen 449 yards to 305, but were hurt by three costly turnovers, two of which were returned for touchdowns.

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Campus waste: reduce, reuse, recycle

CHRIStINE HOLMAN
Staff Writer

There’s too much garbage being produced on campus. Or so many environmentalists said. “People consume goods at an incredibly high rate,” says Allen Lowender, a chemical engineer and Greenpeace activist from Salt Lake City. “Schools are some of the worst examples. You could probably cut half the waste produced on campus just by eliminating paper and food. And that’s just a start.”

The amount of waste produced by the Whitworth campus during the 1994-95 school year, not including yard waste and chemical waste, cost $15,000 to dispose of in Spokane county refuse facilities.

According to Keith Sullivan, director of the Physical Plant, this is an average amount of waste for a school the size of Whitworth.

Several different kinds of waste are created on this campus such as food waste, yard waste, chemical waste, paper and newpapir waste, as well as the waste created by students in their dorms. On average, nine 55-gallon trash bags are filled in the Whitworth Campus Center each day, said Larry Jones, supervisor for the custodial department.

“The grounds crew picks up the trash each night and takes it to the compactor before the Physical Plant.” All campus trash is taken to the compactor and then picked up by a Spokane disposal service and taken away.

The amount of chemical waste is being reduced from last year’s $25,000 disposal fee. This year’s goal is $15,000. The chemical waste comes from the chemistry labs and other science departments.

Food waste is more expensive to dispose of because it is much heavier than paper waste. Sullivan said that Whitworth students are average in the amount of food waste produced.

There are several ways in which Whitworth could reduce the waste on campus. Waste reduction efforts on campus can include cutting down on paper by turning in assignments on disk or by e-mail, adds Lowender. “By getting rid of a lot of what you use, you can’t help but reduce your garbage,” he said.

Sullivan agrees adding there is a lot of paper wasted on this campus. “If both students and staff could lower the consumption of paper it would be a start.” He also said being conscious of one’s need and only purchasing what is absolutely necessary is the key to cutting waste.

Administrative and academic buildings do not create much waste per day, partially because there are recycling programs for these areas. “Such materials as white and computer paper, newspapers, corrugated cardboard and aluminum cans are recycled,” said Sullivan.

Boeing employees have been encouraged to recycle bins until they were pulled last year due to students abusing them and using them as trash cans. “The recyclers wouldn’t take the items because they said they were contaminated,” said Jones.

Sullivan added that student recycling programs are frustrating. “It has to be a discipline: It is difficult for students to integrate recycling into their already busy schedules.”

He did say that students could be helpful by making sure that waste is disposed of properly. Jones said that student attitudes are reflective of waste disposed on campus. “It takes a cooperative effort and having pride in the campus. Students put more effort into things they take pride in.”

Colleges Press Service contributed to this story

WHAT’S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Shailesh Ghimire

Boeing workers approve strike

Spokane - Boeing Co. production workers voted Thursday, Oct. 5 to strike and reject what their leaders called an insulting contract offer.

The strike affects 293 machinists at Boeing Spokane, where air ducts and wing panels for Boeing jets are produced.

The strike is the first by machinists since the Spokane plant opened in 1991.

About 150 shop stewards greeted the news with a round of cheers and shouting. They immediately started stapling picket signs for the first round of picketing at 84 locations in the Inland Northwest area.

Company spokesman Russ Young said Boeing managers and any workers who crossed picket lines would be made to maintain as many operations as possible.

Business analysts said the strike might be helpful to the company.

WASHINGTON, D.C. - President Clinton eased U.S. restrictions on travel to Cuba last Friday and defended his policy towards Bosnia. U.S. news organizations will be allowed to open bureaus in Cuba, and travel restrictions will be eased for academics, students, clergy, human rights activists and Cuban Americans. His rationale for this decision has been that the flow of information through news organizations and through travel will eventually help in bringing about democratic change in Cuba.

In a wide-ranging foreign policy speech to a non-partisan foreign policy think tank, Clinton also defended his policy towards Bosnia and attempted to define U.S. foreign policy by saying that because of the end of the Cold War the United States will have to move ahead with cautious experimentation.

Bosnia closer to peace

WASHINGTON, D.C. - The warfare in the Balkans appeared to be an unfolding operation that will be conducted under the supervision of the United Nations. The cease fire would pave the way for new negotiations in the United States on the Bosnian war.

President Clinton announced the cease fire at the White House hours after Assistant Secretary of State Richard Holbrooke obtained the last signature in Sarajevo.

The United States, the cease fire would begin at 1:01 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 10, providing that full gas and electrical service has been restored to the city of Sarajevo.

While the warring factions are not barred from further fighting in the interim once the cease fire takes effect military commanders are to stop all offensive operations and mine laying. Prisoners of war are to be exchanged under the supervision of the United Nations.
Cyberspace leads Whitworth into new dimensions

CINDY BREIT
Editor In Chief

Pornographic pictures downloaded from the Internet onto one of Whitworth's computers in the Mac lab; a $45,000 settlement for three students at a California junior college for alleged on-line harassment; a Nebraska University sophomore's grades suffering after he became addicted to the Internet. These are just a few examples of how the Internet, a virtually unknown entity six years ago, is colliding with the real world or at least the virtual real world. With computers becoming more prevalent on campus, and campus life changing with every modern connection, it is leaving many people wondering just what's going on with the Internet.

According to Andrew Wright, a Harvard University student, the Internet has taken the place of the student center, a new place to hang out. This is something President Bill Robinson, who emphasizes the importance of building community, is concerned about. However, Robinson said using the Internet does not need to mean the breakdown of the community bonds.

"I think if the members of the community are actively looking for ways that we can support and uphold [the importance of community], then the threat of the Internet to draw us away from one another is much less likely than our social needs are not being met through our human interactions." However, if computers are becoming the new student center, it is often a profane and sometimes harassing place. Such harassment, varying from sexual and racial slurs to fraudulant e-mail, make up the bulk of on-line complaints.

Another problem is computer users are feeling off-line repercussions for their on-line actions.

AIMEE MOISO
Staff Writer

Despite financial setbacks due to the collapse of New Era Philanthropy, Cowles Memorial Auditorium received a face lift during the summer. But aesthetic changes of new academic hurdles such as new seating in school colors outweighed long-term structural and operational renovation plans, leaving the auditorium with a new look and old problems.

Tom Johnson, vice president for business affairs, said the $1.5 million renovation project was scaled back after funding for the project was cut short by the bankruptcy of New Era Philanthropy. New Era failed to match a Whitworth investment of $3.5 million, a portion of which was to be used for improvements in the auditorium.

"Three or four days after we started to tear into the building, New Era collapsed and we realized the funding was not going to be there," said Johnson, "we stopped working for almost a month to see what we could afford to do." The Board of Trustees decided to pursue renovation on a lesser scale, around $900,000, he said, adding, issues of presentation, comfort and functionality first. The board plans to finish additional renovation as soon as next summer, and is committed to raising necessary funds by the end of the year.

"We wanted to make a visible improvement and also do what was feasible according to how much we had and what would be the highest impact," said Johnson.

Between May and October, the auditorium received new floor covering, restroom, stage curtains, interior paint, and enhancements to the lighting, acoustics, and air handling systems in addition to 1,158 crimson and black seats.

"It seems like the money given was well spent, but there was not enough to execute significant changes in some areas." -Randi Von Ellefson, director of Choral Activities and Whitworth Choir

According to Greg Hamann, director of Human Resources and project administrator, the auditorium posed unique conflicts of interest. "The auditorium has a lot of people that use it," Hamann said. "Our first task was to prioritize the functions of the auditorium." The aesthetic changes of new paint and carpet were coupled with safety and presentation modifications as an expanded entry on the east side of the building, upgrades in the fire alarm and emergency lighting systems, and rest rooms that meet Americans with Disabilities Act regulations.

In addition, Hamann said, a sound engineer was brought in to suggest improvements to the acoustics and sound system. Large, square wall reflectors were added to help enhance a more lively sound that will travel to the back of the auditorium, rather than being absorbed by the walls and ceiling in the front. Three sets of new speakers, located in the front, middle, and back of the auditorium, are also time-delayed, so that from the back the sound comes out of all three speakers simultaneously. Although enhancements were made to many facets of the auditorium, the limited budget cut many major operational improvements such as the replacement of the heating and air conditioning system and of the electrical wiring. "We replaced some of the handling systems for the heating and air conditioning so that they would be quieter, but we need a new system entirely," Hamann said.

"Heating and air conditioning were not the only concerns left unresolved through the remodeling. Randi Von Ellefson, director of Choral Activities and Whitworth Choir, said, "I think the acoustics have not changed with any effective degree that would improve any choral performance. It's not the school's fault. It seems like the money given was well spent, but there was not enough money to execute significant changes in some areas."

"I think that a number of people are not happy, myself included," said Michael Young, associate professor of English and author of "Computer Ethics: A Primer for the Internet."
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music professor and the organ instructor. "The acoustics are nearly as wonderful as we had hoped they would be, and I was mostly upset that I wasn't consulted in terms of what was actually going to be done [to the organ]." Young added that the organ pipes are now completely behind a wall, a sight which significantly mutes the instrument.

The renovation also brought mixed opinions from the Theatre department. "It's a beautiful space; the seats and lighting make the area much more comfortable," said Rick Hornor, chair of the department. "The amplification is clearly better and there don't seem to be any dead spots. What was done improved it cosmetically, but it didn't improve it as a theater. We are very grateful to the donors who made the changes possible, and at the same time, we still need a theater." Hornor added that there was discussion about adding an orchestra pit, creating work space backstage for stage crew, and removing the organ, which currently blocks one corner of the stage. None of the changes were desired. We were just doing it to get a light board," Hornor said, but the wiring in the auditorium is still not adequate for the capabilities of the new board." Mike Harms, former director of the auditorium, declined to comment, saying "it looks great," said Forum Coordinator Sue Jackson. "I am a little disappointed in the box office. It's not as good as expected. But the auditorium itself looks wonderful.

Jackson, who has an office on the west side of the auditorium, said that she wished more could have been done with the rest of the building. "I am embarrassed to bring Forum guests to my office," she said. "It's so small and, it is shared by five adjuncts. It's just not adequate."

Both Johnson and Hamann were pleased with the changes. "I like what we've done," said Hamann, "it's a good compromise between all the different poles."

"It's a general purpose facility," Johnson said, "and every one to be flexible and accept possibly less than the perfect situation, but I am pleased that we were able to get it done. Theathrical community in Whitworth for the Spokane community, and the improvements will benefit all as we invite the community to campus.

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Regulation of Internet vital for community

Jeremy Nelson

The term World Wide Web is largely a misnomer. It assumes that the connectivity offered through on-line services and Internet connections will strengthen the fibers which hold the world together in one body, tearing down rational and ethnic barriers to create a solid worldwide community.

Many claim the Internet is a tool to disperse knowledge. And indeed it is a tool; not a hammer which binds together, but an ax which splits apart.

On the Internet one is completely alone. The people of the Internet are faceless, nameless, and independent of all moral obligation. There are no neighbors, no kinships, and no common human identity.

As a result, interpersonal communication is threatened and relationships are damaged. The meaning of life is felt through one's relationships. When they are destroyed, the fabric of our society is torn.

The Internet provides complete and total freedom: freedom from accountability to social values, freedom from shame of public disgrace, and freedom from responsibility. This newfound freedom is not progress, as some would argue, it is degeneration. When freedom is boundless, it destroys community.

The new frontier of the Internet is free of regulation, governance, and control, surpassing the Old West in its lack of social order. But in this world there is no Wyatt Earp to lay down the law. As in "Lord of the Flies," this lawlessness may lead to the downfall of the community. With its lack of common order, the Internet is a dangerous threat.

The Internet trusts the remnant of modern community to the whims of anonymity. Society must be more careful to hold dear the relationships which make humans more than just individuals, those which make them people. The Internet is a direct attack on these relationships and therefore must be treated with due caution and even abhorrence.

Regulation of Internet not necessary

Ryan Howard

The Internet has thousands of academic uses, unfortunately it has become more associated with pornography and bomb cookbooks than for the multitude of positive information available.

The current trend is pushing for censorship that would severely limit the content on the Internet and lead to overregulation. Instead the Internet should be protected by the First Amendment as it has been interpreted concerning print media, such as newspapers and books. The only way to provide for the Internet to grow and flourish is to leave it alone and unregulated.

The Internet has been blamed for causing addictive behavior. Therefore, many are calling for regulation. The only solution to this dilemma is personal responsibility. Students must balance their time on the Internet. This means, knowing when, how much, and what they look at. Neither Whitworth College nor the government should regulate this. Personal responsibility in our actions on the Internet is the only solution.

Already the Internet shows signs of self regulation. Programs such as Surf Watch and Net Nanny help parents control the information accessed by the computer on the Internet. These control the sites the computer can access, the files it can download, and even the content of e-mail. This way parents are able to control what their children can access without governmental regulation. However, legal adults should be allowed to access any site they want to. There are many problems with society dealing with sexuality and violence. The Internet should not be a scapegoat for societal problems.

The Internet is new and unfamiliar to society. There is a great deal of information flowing through it. This sets up for a potentially dangerous situation. The Internet forces society to look at its problems. People should be left to make decisions about the Internet on their own. The Internet is an intriguing place. People need to have this new tool available for exploring all that it has to offer.

Community Building Day 'thank you'

Dear editor,

Covenant United Methodist Church would like to express our sincere thanks to the 40 students from Stewart Hall, along with Dale Hammond and Dr. Arlin Migliozzi, who worked at our Church on the morning of Oct. 4 for Whitworth College's "Community Building Day." These gracious people spent their morning working around our community. Their efforts were greatly appreciated, and the work was done with a unifying and spreading a lot of goodwill.

This gathering was coordinated by Dale Hammond, a friend and regular attendee at Covenant. We truly appreciate all their efforts on our behalf.

Once again, we thank you for thinking of us and for all your help.

Sincerely,

Riva Walker

Church Secretary
Parent/professor same for some Whitworth students

KATHRYN SCHEYER
Staff Writer

Many college students come to school hoping to leave the nest for a while and enter a world with no parents. However, there are those students who still seem to run into them. Where? In the classroom of all places.

"It's not that big of a deal," said junior Tim Hornor whose dad Dr. Rick Hornor is his drama professor. "But I think I have a unique situation because everyone knows how laid back my dad is. I don't have to shift my behavior at all.

Tim is not a new student of his father's either. He has taken acting from him and is currently in two of his other classes, Improvisational Acting and Theater History.

He said there are advantages in having his father as a teacher. "There's nice things about being my professor and my dad. I can discuss things with him outside of class or finish a discussion with him whereas other students can't," he said.

Dr. Hornor has also had his daughter Rachel in his classes and agrees that having his children in class isn't that bad after all. "When kids are in highschool, parents tend to be left out a lot, so it's been really nice to see them excel and do well when they perform. In our case both our children, Rachel and Tim, and I are relatively successful and appreciated students. So it has been really exciting to hear colleagues or other students make comments that are very affirming of who they are," he said.

Sophomore Andrea Kendall is another Whitworth student who has taken a class from a parent. Last Jan Term, Andrea took an introductory International Business course in Hawaii with her dad, Jay Kendall, associate professor of Business and Economometrics.

"It was kind of different at first seeing him as a teacher and not just my dad, but after a couple of days I got used to it," said Andrea.

About his daughter Andrea, Jay Kendall said, "She did well and so I had to be careful and to think hard about favoritism issues so that I could be objective." Likewise, Dr. Hornor is aware that these tensions may present themselves. Luckily though, both Tim and Rachel have been confronted with them. "I have never sensed any peer pressure from Dr. Hornor" said Rachel. "He's always been there. Giving favors because my kids are favorites or that I'm even sensing hypocratism of them, which is the reverse, because they have always proved themselves. They have done well academically and Tim and Rachel both do well in theater, so they get a good grade even if they audition, and get a good part it is obvious they have earned it. They haven't gotten it simply because they are Dr. Hornor's kids," Hornor said.

One would think it would be awkward to be in a classroom environment with a parent, but those who have been students and others have managed very well. According to Joelene Thayer from counseling services, the roles of the individuals need to be clearly defined in order for this situation to work.

"It must be pretty clear on both the teacher and the student's part what their role is. The child needs to respectfully distance themselves from thinking of the teacher in parental terms and try to operate with them in a way that sees them as a professional," Thayer said.

The disadvantage of a student having their parent as their professor would be if there was not a clear structure as to what grades were given in the class. Thayer said structure is important in providing a comfortable environment for both individuals.

"There needs to be a system that provides neutrality. For example, a point system that the professor operates by. This way tests and the like can be graded very objectively and have very little to do with subjective analysis," Thayer said. Another thing that may be important in making this situation work, is if the relationship the individual has with one another is a good one.

Tim Hornor believes this to be true. "My dad and I have always had a really good relationship. He's a really fun guy to be around on the social level, on the family level, and in the classroom. He is very laid back, I think he sees me as his son," he said.

Similarly, junior Amy Clark finds her position very comfortable and positive. Clark, is auditing Social Reality with her dad, Robert Clark, and enjoys her time in the classroom with him.

"It has been really neat for me because I have been learning more about who he is and what he really cares about. I'm really glad I'm doing it," Amy said.

Robert Clark agrees that being in class with his daughter has been a good experience and feels natural having her in class. "I have found it very easy. Amy was the one who was concerned," he said. "I grew up with my dad being a pastor so I was used to the idea of being in church with him. So it has been a pretty familiar feeling having Amy in my class. I think it is a good way to get to know who I am. We have several people in our family who have graduated from Whitworth, so I guess we're kind of a Whitworth family," he said.

Seeley Mudd Chapel offers several ways to worship

CAMILLE COOKE
Staff Writer

Chapel is up and running this year with a variety of activities to serve all members of the Whitworth community, ranging from the ever popular Hosanna seminar and Student Sing to the more intimate Compline. McGonigal said, "Students in these groups benefit from being in a specific community of worship and learn together."

Two different bands take turns performing every other week to lead students in the service.

Song leader, sophomore Maria Colacurci said, "Hosanna gives me a chance to serve God through music and I believe that music is powerful, because it deals with the heart."

Wednesday morning at 11:15 a.m. is the midweek worship service.

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Compilne provides a more subdued atmosphere, which allows those who attend a chance to break away from the stress of their week and relax, with scripture readings and background music. McGonigal said, "It's (Compline) designed to be quiet, reflective, and to meditate." Compline is a weekly event on Thursday evenings at 9:45 p.m. Student Ministry Coordinators (MC's) make up a valuable part of the chapel staff, and there are a total of 13 this year. Most of the MC's work directly in the dorms organizing s-groups and other dorm-related activities, while the others provide leadership to the student body.

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"Measure for Measure" debuts Friday

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Feature Editor

Starting Friday, Oct. 19, Whitworth College will present a special treat for Parent's Weekend. Directed by Associate Professor of Theatre, Dana Trotter, the Theatre department will produce Shakespeare's "Measure for Measure" through Sunday, Oct. 22.

This is more than just an opportunity to see one of Whitworth's rare performances by the famous playwright, but also to witness a tasteful look at some very controversial and current issues.

Thomas, who is going on his second year at Whitworth, said the reason she chose this play was because "Of all Shakespeare's plays, this one is the most fascinating to me personally. It changes over time and is distinctively suited to the Whitworth community. There are a lot of parallels of the play with today's culture."

The only changes Thomas made to the script involved its length and an inclusion of a brief prologue. She said that the play's original length would make a performance last around four hours. Thomas condensed it to two hours and added the prologue so that a contemporary audience could understand its cultural background.

The play, set in Vienna, deals with the culture's obvious moral decline and people's concern over it. The government is blamed for this depravity while being led by the Duke, a kind but inadequate ruler. Realizing this, he surrenders his power to a conservative named Angelo who creates strict laws against immoral behavior in the hopes that it would cease. But while Angelo, played by junior Tim Hornor, is trying to be an upright leader, he is taken over by moral corruption himself and spends the rest of the play involving helpless innocents in his sins and struggling to keep it hidden at the same time.

One of the main victims in this play is the character of Isabella, performed by junior Heather Peterson. Peterson was drawn to this production because she had already played a part of Isabella in a scene at Shakespeare and Company in Lenox, Mass. two years ago. When she discovered that Whitworth was going to put on this production, she naturally jumped at the chance. "Isabella's journey is so amazing. It's hard to believe what she goes through and how she handles it," Peterson said.

Another of the central figures, the Duke, is played by senior Kevin Brady. Brady also likes his character because he's not exactly a born ruler. "The Duke is a genuine individual. He's a lover of the finer things in life, like poetry and music. He's not a very good king," he said.

Senior Rachel Hornor plays the role of the young and sensual Mariana. "I love my character. She is the first woman I've got to play and she's warm, emotional, and beautiful," she said.

While some members of the cast had many good things to say about their characters, they also admitted to having many faults as well.

"This play is frightening because it's so realistic and under the right conditions, we all could become like Angelo," Peterson said.

According to Thomas, this play is important to see because of its moral implications on humanity. "This play deals with moral corruption in an honest and compassionate way by showing both human weakness and goodness. It shows that there are no easy solutions in life and it's about trying to find grace in the midst of making mistakes."
New NCAA admission standards may make college admission tougher for Student athletes

The next couple of years may be rocky for high school athletes hoping to shoot hoops or go out for a long pass in college.

New freshman eligibility standards by the National Collegiate Athletic Association raise the academic standards for getting into a college program, and some college officials say high school coaches and administrators may not be preparing athletes well enough to meet them.

The new requirements, called Proposition 16, set a sliding scale for freshman athletes entering college next fall. The scale combines a minimum grade point average in 13 core courses and a SAT or ACT score and will replace Proposition 48, which current student-athletes met the eligibility requirements of when they signed on with a university.

The new standards are significantly tougher than the old ones, according to the NCAA.

"I would be foolhardy to think they weren't," said Donald Lemish, athletic director at James Madison University in Harrisonburg, Va.

The problem, opponents say, is that many high school seniors and even juniors are struggling to raise their grades and standards.

"If they can't put up their grades in order to qualify for athletic scholarships because of their school's academic standards, they do so without the proper advising by high school coaches and guidance counselors who may not be as informed on the changes, according to some college athletic officials.

A "lot of times many schools do not always have athletes go on to Division I," said Craig Angelos, assistant athletic director for compliance at the University of Miami.

"A lag time has passed on what's firmly understood in the high school world."

When the high school coaches and guidance counselors are not as informed of the changes, they cannot advise student-athletes properly. The NCAA, however, is trying to change that through better education of the high school administrators.

To complicate the issue even more, the Princeton, N.J.-based College Board has reconfigured, or "recentered," the SAT scores. What was once a 700 composite score now has to be an 820. A 900 on the SAT changed to a 1,010. A 21 ACT score is now an 86.

"And that confuses prospects even more," Angelos said.

Under Proposition 16, the number of core courses required has gone up to 13 and the minimum GPAs and minimum test scores have increased as well.

For instance, a 2.0 GPA will now require the equivalent of a 900 SAT. A student-athlete who scored 700 on the SAT last year will need a 2.5 GPA to be eligible for college play.

Compare this to Proposition 48, in which to play in Division I sports as a freshman, an athlete had to have only a 2.0 GPA in 13 core courses and a 700 on the SAT.

Some argue it is unfair to screen students, who are schooled differently, by standardized test scores. Lemish admitted that the SAT scoring is "discriminatory," but says the sliding scale will "level out the playing field."

Using SAT and ACT scores adds an element of consistency to an otherwise subjective process, said Lisa Hibbs, athletic academic coordinator at the University of North Carolina-Charlotte.

"It's a measuring stick that everyone uses," she said. "The only thing to get out there and compare with is a standardized test. No test is a fair test to use."

Lemish said the SAT score generally has been discriminatory. "I personally agree with that," he said. "The NCAA heard enough about that, and that's why they came along with Proposition 16."

Hibbs said her university advises high school student-athletes to take the ACT if they are having trouble with the SAT. Although two examinations test similar skills, studies have shown that women and members of minority groups score better on the ACT, Hibbs said.

In addition to scoring qualifications, high school seniors wishing to compete in Division I or II colleges or universities in the fall of 1996 now must register with the NCAA Initial-Eligibility Clearinghouse. They send the clearin­ghouse their transcripts and test scores, and it certifies if they qualify for college play.

College athletic departments are dealing with ever-changing numbers of Proposition 16 requirements, which have requirements even more stringent than those imposed by the NCAA.

"For us it's really the rest of the NCAA Accounting Department," she said. With the additional core course, Proposition 16 "pretty much mirrors the type of students admitted to UNC," she said.

When the NCAA enacted Proposition 48, some critics said the policy was racist because it would prevent a disproportionate number of poor and black high school athletes from going to the colleges they want to attend.

The NCAA replied that the requirements would strengthen the graduation rates for athletes, and it has been especially for black athletes.

And in many university athletic programs, including those at James Madison, the University of Miami and UNC, the overall student-athlete graduation rate is higher than that of the general student populations.

But critics are resurfacing the same racial arguments for Proposition 16. The U.S. Department of Education examined the GPAs and college board scores of current college athletes and has found that less than 70 percent of those currently in college sports programs would qualify under Proposition 16. The majority are minority students.

Angelos said he could not predict how the new standards would affect minority student-athletes. "At any time you raise the standards it makes it more difficult on everybody," he said.

The hardest hit will be the students who have based their high school academic game plans on the Proposition 48 and are not up-to-speed on the changes. But, just as students in the mid-1980s lived up to Proposition 48 standards, student-athletes in the class of 2000 "will rise to expectations" and meet the Proposition 16 changes, Angelos said.
Great team play breeds an offensive scoring machine

Junior forward Jennifer Tissue leads an offensively aggressive women's team to a 7-0-1 league record

SHARON OLNEY
Staff Writer

Soccer is not a sport where it is an individual effort on the field. It is a whole team working together to create scoring opportunities for each player. Most of those scoring opportunities for the women's soccer team are coming from junior forward Jennifer Tissue.

The Pirates are finding a lot of success this year. Their ability to stay composed in tough pressure situations has led the Pirate's to a 6-0-1 start in conference play. The high powered offense has been sparked by the aggressive play of Tissue. Thus far in the women's soccer season, Tissue has scored 18 goals for the Pirates.

"We have a very unselfish team. Every one of my goals this season have been off an assist from one of my teammates," said Tissue. According to Head Coach Daman Hagerott, Tissue has exceeded all expectations on the field this season.

"She is a classic forward. She has the ability to be tough as well as competitive. She is probably the best forward in the conference and possibly the region as well," said Hagerott.

A third year varsity member of the women's soccer team, Tissue said that the team is young, but plays with veteran experience. Out of the 18 players, six of them have played together on the Spokane Skyhawks, a local club soccer team. Out of those six players, five of them have been playing together for five years.

"Our team has matured from last season. The fact that many of us have played together before has helped. We communicate better with one another as well as not letting our opponents get to us," said Tissue.

"The Europeans are catching up with our level of play. However, as a young American team composed of high school and college students, we did beat a professional team from England," said Tissue.

Throughout the year, Tissue and her teammates have proven that they have the ability not only to be competitive within the conference, but also within the region.

"As a team we are improving every day. Conference, regionals, and nationals are all realistic goals for our team this season," said Tissue.

Jennifer Tissue is averaging one goal each game for the Pirates.
Whitworth gets taste of Africa

Opportunities to expand knowledge come through 'Africa Insights'

By CHRISTINE BISHOP
Staff Writer

Whitworth college is providing the opportunity for students and the Spokane community to discover the beauty of the African world and learn about issues facing the continent in a semester-long series called "Africa Insights: Its People, Problems, and Possibilities."

According to Elsa Distelhorst, executive director of the Lindaman Center, the idea for the series originated when she saw "The Sukhotai Marimba and Dance Ensemble from Zimbabwe in downtown Spokane."

"I realized how much I don't know about the African cultures and want to learn more," Whitworth's and Spokane's knowledge of and understanding of those cultures, Distelhorst said.

The series began Oct. 9 with "A Taste of Africa." The dinner in Leavitt Dining Hall included a variety of African foods and the sounds of African music.

According to John Yoder, professor of political studies, the series will continue throughout the semester in a collection of events including a panel discussion with the Rev. Sol Jacob, pastor of Ministry to Urban Poor.

Forum Coordinator Sue Jackson said Jacob's lecture is one to benefit from.

According to Jackson, the South African government would not issue a passport because he was outspoken against the South African government.

He was sent to prison and solitary confinement because he was found guilty of opposing the government, Jackson said.

"And that he lives in an area where the black on black violence is rampant."

One of the goals of the series is to shed some light on issues concerning Africans.

Senior Talisha Mutitu, an international student from Kenya who has been involved in some of the courses in the series, said one concern is the lack of education people have about the aid that is sent to those countries.

"A lot of people give aid to other nations, but they don't really know [how that aid is being used]. They only know what they have been told by their organizations, said Mutitu.

Part of our goal is to make people aware of African culture. [This series] may help to make people aware so they need to educate themselves before giving to causes, Mutitu said.

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"We want to connect students with the larger world community, to help them become leaders and servants," said Yoder.

The African Insights series is not only for students but the Spokane community as well, according to Distelhorst.

The series is in collaboration with the East Central Community Center and the First Presbyterian Church.

The Spokane community and Whitworth connection was pieced together when Distelhorst realized that the Presbyterian Church USA has a two-year focus on Africa.

According to Distelhorst, the Spokane community is invited to all the functions. We are sending out press information and a mailing listing the events of the series.

There was a small turn out [of the African dinner], Mutitu said.

The motivations for the African Insights series were to help us know and understand, to feel, think, and taste the cultures.

I want people to feel the joy and exhilaration that comes with learning something different from what we've grown up with, added Distelhorst.

For information on upcoming events of the Africa Insights series contact Tim Wolf, Director of Publications and Communications office x 4980.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Increase in sales tax on the ballot

Spokane—On Nov. 7, Spokane voters have the option to pass a 10th-of-a-penny sales tax increase to lock up more voters.

If passed $12 million would be raised for bigger adult and juvenile jails. According to Sheriff John Goldman, this money would provide resources to detain both youth and adult offenders who are presently on the streets due to overcrowded jails.

If passed, the average Spokane family of four would experience a yearly sales tax increase of $14 to $19.

Anti nuclear activists received Nobel Peace Prize

London—The Norwegian Nobel community is invited to the Nobel Peace Prize ceremony for physicist Joseph Rotblat of Poland this year with the million-dollar 1995 Nobel Peace Prize.

Rotblat was involved in the Manhattan project which developed the nuclear bomb.

But ever since, he has campaigned against the bomb. He was involved in international efforts to curb the spread and the use of nuclear weapons.

Rotblat fled to England in the second world war after losing his wife in the Holocaust.

He then worked with American scientists designing the nuclear bomb in Los Alamos. But his efforts were developed in his home country.

He was to say it had no regrets.

The Japanese government is as if the world after losing the war.

This statement is bound to raise a lot of bad feelings in the Asia Pacific Region where the relationship between Japan and its neighbors have not been as normal as should be because of Japan's behavior in the Second World War.

The North and South Korean government's were cautious in their response but were stern about condemning the Japanese government's remarks.
Security heightens in force with new officers

CARYN SOBRA

Staff Writer

Whitworth Security Staff has expanded to provide a safer community for Whitworth students. There are four full-time staff members, and between 7 and 8 floaters that fill shifts that are not covered. Also there are students who work daily with officers on duty, said Karen Albrecht, assistant director of security for the Physical Plant.

The main advancement and improvement security has made came through their newly appointed supervisor Bill Roberts, who started on Oct. 10. Roberts is a "community oriented person [and] he's looking forward to working with students. He's a strong educator, and he will have more programs related to security on campus," said Albrecht.

This increase in security will benefit students because there are more people on staff. Security has a stable routine when protecting Whitworth by having power shifts that involve two people on duty from 8 p.m. to 4 a.m. Two officers are more effective than one as they do building checks and parking lot checks, lock doors, fill any escort needs, and handle any emergency situations more rapidly, said Albrecht.

Although there haven't been many emergency situations lately, it's always an advantage to have as many officers on duty at once as possible, said Keith Sullivan, director of the Physical Plant.

Security Officer Tom Arnold added that with more back up people, there's better coverage, and less problems on campus.

According to Sullivan, campus security is a much larger issue than just the Physical Plant's involvement. He said security and safety is something that has to be enforced by the Whitworth community as well. "We cannot just depend on security for safety and protection. We can look to our R.A.'s, custodians, and fellow students, to keep an eye out for anything out of the ordinary. Everyone needs to be responsible for their own actions and look for Security," Page 2

Phase II plans delayed, not cancelled

CHRISTINE BISHOP

Staff Writer

Plans for phase II of the Campus Center, which include a new dining hall and new facilities for Student Life, are under way, according to Greg Hamann, director of Human Resources and administrative services. However, construction will not begin this fall as originally planned due to lack of funding, he said.

"Plans for building is all contingent on funding. We don't have enough money to proceed with it right now, so we'll have to continue to do fund raising. My understanding is that this is a first priority in terms of the next capital project for our campus," said Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs.

In part, building has been delayed due to the college not receiving grants from the New Era Foundation that recently filed bankruptcy. "The New Era Foundation was giving the college grants and we had anticipated we'd be able to move forward with this based upon grants from New Era, but that's no longer a possibility, so now we have to find other funding sources," Johnson said.

With a total cost of $4.5 million for phase II, Whitworth is looking at about $3.25 million in fund raising efforts, according to Johnson. "We actually have borrowed some money. The college issued some long-term bonds last year for dorm renovations and refinancing existing bonds. As part of that bond issued in the fall of 1994, we borrowed $1.25 million. That money is in a trust account at the moment waiting to be used on this project," Johnson said.

"It's pretty preliminary. But we're in the process of looking for funds now," said Jim Ferguson, vice president for Development. Ferguson said several grants will be necessary to obtain funds.

"Anytime you have a project of this size you have to receive several major gifts," said Ferguson, adding that they are looking for two of the gifts to be in the seven-figure range and four to five gifts in the six-figure range.

According to Ferguson, the prospective donors are friends of the college, alumni, foundations and businesses.

According to Hamann, the new dining area, which will be located on the first floor, will seat up to 500 people. The extra seats will aide with the current problem of limited space in Leavitt Dining Hall. Jim O'Brien, food service director for Marriot, said the combination seating area of Leavitt seats 340 people.

O'Brien said that one of the benefits of phase II is the location. "It's so close to the cafe that students can choose to eat at either if one is more crowded than the other (instead of walking across campus)," he said.

In addition to a location change, there will also be other changes in the dining area. The food will be served in an area called scramble serve, a triangular shaped area with stations of food, according to Johnson, adding that students won't have to wait in line anymore.

"There will also be more of a variety of food to choose from," O'Brien said. "We'll be getting away from the traditional three entrees. Instead, students will be able to choose from many different kinds of food like Mexican, vegetarian, or pizza (for example)," he said.

Phase II will be approximately the same size as phase I, about 26,000 square feet. The large window facing the parking lot will be removed to connect the new building with the campus center, Johnson said.

According to Hamann, the second floor of phase II will occupy the new Student Life facilities. Johnson said they haven't decided if the vacant buildings will be torn down or renovated for future use.
Security enhancement

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Everyone needs to be responsible for their own actions and education on security," said Sullivan. He added that students should lock up expensive items, lock dorm rooms, and lock cars. He also expects all to ask that the campus community support security by following traffic regulation.

Sullivan finds that security is a team effort to uphold. To do this, he has come up with the Four C's:

- Commitment: everyone needs to be committed to uphold security, management is essential. Everyone needs everyone's support to uphold. To do this, Sullivan has come up with the Four C's:
  - Communication: everyone needs to be made aware of what procedures to follow.
  - Cooperation: students need to cooperate with security issues.
  - Crisis: atmosphere needs to be maintained on campus. Then, communication is needed.
  - Controlling: atmosphere needs to be maintained on campus. Then, communication is needed.

According to Sullivan, everyone needs to understand the importance of maintaining a safe, secure environment.

CAMPUS BEAT

Security Report

Oct. 12 a.m.

Three male students reported playing hockey in the nude in front of Mac Hall.

2:35 p.m.

Stolen barricades from behind McKee Hall found lined up along Hasekone Ave.

10:35 p.m.

Reported vandalism to sewage canal including a cut flow meter and deposited waste of wood and pines needles. Vandalism resulted in $3,000 damage.

Oct. 17

Additional vandalism of wood and pines needles found in sewage canal.

1:10 p.m.

Broken window in Jenkins due to students shooting off water balloons with a launcher. Resident notified. A lacroration did not need stitches.

ASWC looks for new Rec Coordinator

ANNA TOLLENAAR

Staff Writer

ASWC is hiring a new Outdoor Recreation Coordinator. Aaron Hill, the Outdoor Recreation Coordinator for the 1995-96 school year, left Whitworth for personal reasons. ASWC will interview for the Outdoor Rec position from Oct. 23-27 and will announce the new coordinator Oct. 30.

The qualifications include knowledge and experience in outdoor and recreational programming, good time management skills, knowledge of local recreational areas, and the ability to work professionally within the Spokane community.

Dana Coleman, assistant dean of students and director of student activities said ASWC is looking for "someone who has experience leading trips, and who is confident and comfortable in the leadership role."

Wendy Story, ASWC president, said ASWC would like to find a rec coordinator "willing to explore many different recreational activities and reach a multitude of students."

Coleman said ASWC wants a person who is energetic and will intentionally build community.
Family values: issue important, not definition

Hanna Ganser

Twentieth century television and newspaper is full of buzz words like feminism, liberal, republican, pro-family, pro-life, and human rights. People like to define themselves using these terms and others that supposedly reflect their ideology. Unfortunately, these expressions often describe one thing to the speaker, and something entirely different to the listener. Reducing a political or moral position to a single catch phrase neglects a large portion of a person’s stance. This inevitably distorts the original intent which then skews the debate towards defining terms instead of discussing philosophies.

Take, for example, the term family values. Almost everyone has preconceived notions of what this phrase stands for. People determine a stance on the definition of this phrase despite its different meanings in different spheres. The definition according to the Washington Family Council, a private, nonprofit, special interest group, is to renew commitment to morality, virtue and truth; building solid communities; and reinforcing family and faith.

Hilary Clinton, in her address to thousands of feminists at the Fourth World Conference on Women in Beijing last month, asserted that the goal of the conference was to strengthen families and societies by empowering women to take greater control over their own destinies. The policies which the Fourth World Conference proposed include lesbian awareness and acceptance, declaration of more than two genders, and government funding for abortions.

These are diametrically opposed to the policies the Washington Family Council supports, such as traditional male-female marriages, and lack of government support for abortion. How can both groups say they stand for family values when they are on opposite ends of the spectrum? They should both drop the catch phrases and say what they are really about.

Politics shouldn’t be an ad campaign. People need to stop flashing political labels as if they were an I.D. card for a meal at Marriott. Issues are real and they are important, and as long as people continue to debate about irrelevant classifications, they will never reach the problem solving level.

Faculty Speaks Out

How would you define a pro-family stance, or the term traditional family values?

Dr. Steve Meyer

assistant professor of Philosophy

"Rather than debate whether ‘family values’ are well defined, let’s debate the real issue: the well-known and well-defined agenda of conservative pro-family groups, Theod t Jeff and Jack Kemp speak last week while they were in Spokane to promote Washington Family Council. They have a very clear agenda. It includes: (1) restructuring welfare to end the incentives that keep the poverty level, unwed teenagers to have children, and fathers to abandon them; (2) abstinence-based sex education in public schools; (3) legal protection for unborn children, especially those that are now being aborted late in pregnancy; and (4) tax relief for families, including flat-rate income tax that exempt the first $30,000 of income from federal tax for a family of four."
Parents weekend: Record numbers, varied participation

SARAH MARSH
Staff Writer

If you noticed the campus was consid­erably more crowded than usual this weekend, it should come as no surprise with over 400 parents registered to attend the event. This parents weekend not only had a record turn out, it also had a schedule packed full of events in which parents and students could participate.

Parents weekend was held on Oct. 20-22. According to Dayna Coleman, assistant dean of students and director of Student Activities, who worked on planning and coordinating the event, there is no real way to know exactly how many parents were here.

Besides the 400 parents who were registered, there were also others who came on Saturday morning. Even though there weren’t enough sack lunches or mugs for those parents, they were still able to go to the mini-colleges and the president’s convocation.

Coleman said, “This was the highest amount of parents we’ve ever had. They are excited and want to be here, so it’s a fun population to work with.”

The schedule for parents weekend was created with the idea of giving students an opportunity to meet their parents and share their college experience. The weekend included mini-colleges, the president’s convocation, and a football game. Parents also had the option of going to see “Measure for Measure” on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday, according to Coleman.

Faculty and staff provided a variety of mini-colleges which parents could attend, including Core 50 with Forrest Baird, professor of Philosophy, and Career Directions for the ’90s with Denise Georgioli, associate director of Career Advising.

Other courses included: Sugges­tions on How to Use Writing to Interact With Your Student in English; Workshop for Academic Advisers; The Faith Ex­perience of College Students with Dean of the chapel, Terry McGonigal and Vice President for Student Life, Kathy Storm, and The Origin of the Hall Angel with Associate Professor of Philosophy, Steve Meyer.

Susan Chickerling, mother of freshman Sarah Chickerling, said, “We attended the talk on Careers of the ’90s. It was very interesting. Even though it was crowded, we were able to sit in a chair in the hallway, but my husband got lost.”

She said she felt this session was very worthwhile.

Junior Lacey Hatch went to the mini-colleges because she wanted to spend as much time with her parents as possible. “There were only two other students in the class I went to. Forrest Baird was not there, but I didn’t care because I like to be with my parents,” she said.

Hatch added, “They [her parents] really loved the mini-col­leges and had a good time talking to Steve Meyer. They were im­pressed by Terry McGonigal, President Bill Robinson, and all the faculty here. I could talk about every­thing. My parents are abso­lutely in love with Whitworth, the faculty, the programs, and ev­erything about this place.”

Freshman Lillian Goodwin and her parents also participated in the activities which were orga­nized for parents weekend. Goodwin thought the lunch on Saturday was good and was con­vinced that her parents think she is lying about how hard the food is in the dining hall. But, since Goodwin wanted to avoid the dining hall as much as possible, she decided not to make her par­ents try another Marriott meal, but to let them take her out to eat instead.

Eating out was a big activity this weekend, along with shopping—especially for winter clothes. Senior Marci Krantz and her mom went to Greenbluff and got caramel apples and looked at crafts, visited the school where she is student teaching and then went shopping. “We would have gone to some of the more orga­nized activities, but since we had a short time together we wanted to take and spend time with each other,” Krantz said.

Marilyn Rhodes, mother of freshman Erin Rhodes, cited similar reasons for not participat­ing in the organized activities. Said Rhodes, “My whole purpose here was to spend a lot of time with my daughter, not to partic­ipate in classes without her. I came up here to see her.” When describ­ing the time with her daughter, Rhodes said, “It was wonderful.”

Junior Greenbluff and the campus is beautiful,” Susan Chickerling said, “With their daughter, Sarah Chickerling, just about to graduate.

Whether parents and students participated in organized activities or did their own thing, this weekend offered a wonderful op­portunity for parents and chil­dren to be together. Parents got a feel for what Whitworth is like.

Not only that, but parents got to take home their very own mugs commemorating the occasion. Said Susan Chickerling, “We love our parents mugs. Anyone in my neighborhood would tell me if they send their child to Whitworth, they can have one too.”

Comments? Story ideas? Let The Whitworthian know what you’re thinking. Call x3248.
**'Me and My Girl' offers light-hearted entertainment**

**KATHRYN SCHREYER**  
Staff Writer

Are you interested in an evening of mirth, happiness, beauty, romance, and, um, well...light-hearted entertainment? Then you want to get your tickets to *Me and My Girl*, playing at the WCC Music Office through Oct. 22. Ticket prices are $15 Fri/Sat; $20 Sun.

Set in the summer of England, the story of "Me And My Girl" begins with the death of the Earl of Hareford which leaves his family in a state of distress. The family solicitor, Herbert Parchester, played by Hollis Higgins, finds the heir in the living in a bad part of London called Lambeth. Bill Snibson, the Earl's son from a former marriage, is found in a tacky flat with a thick cockney accent and terrible manners.

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**World-renowned jazz trombonist, Carl Fontana, will play with the Whitworth College Jazz Ensemble in Cowles Memorial Auditorium on Oct. 28.**

"Most of these guys know each other so they'll go back every year and talk. So for me to get Carl Fontana, I had to say, 'call up Phil Woods, call up Gene Harris and see if they're available or not,' said Keberle. "They all recommend us too because we have such a great program." In addition to performing, Fontana also serves as a clinician and a master teacher at colleges and universities across the country. Since he only performs at those institutions that appeal to him, he has a diverse record of visits. Among these visits he has been to Harvard University, the University of Nevada in Las Vegas, Mississippi State University and Southwest Falls Community College. Currently Fontana is touring with Frank Sinatra Jr. as a featured soloist.

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**Legenderry great to play Auditorium**

**KATHRYN SCHREYER**  
Staff Writer

H e is a superstar! If it were sports, it would be someone like Joe Montana. That's what he's like, said Dan Keberle, associate professor of music and director of jazz studies, about trombonist Carl Fontana.

And, on Oct. 28, Whitworth students will have the rare opportunity to experience this trombonist's "trombonism" in Cowles Memorial Auditorium. The reason is as good as the rest: there are no papers to be written.

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Mariner's off-season full of riddles

Todd Parsons

Their most successful season in history, is history, and the Seattle Mariners have many off-season problems to work out.

With the dimming possibility of a new stadium, salaries rising, several holes to fill, and the team potentially disappearing from the Pacific Northwest forever, the Marinier front office will be busy.

The Kingdome is falling apart and they want a new stadium. There would be great green, real grass, and the weather will be better. Seattle would be real baseball. There would be a roof. The Kingdome is falling apart and they want a new stadium. On a sunny day in June, the top could be detracted and the sun would be on the field and for the first time in years, baseball will be played in Seattle as it was meant to be.

Unfortunately, with such a loaded team, salaries will be upwards of $300 million. Several million plus. Several millions. Seattle will have several million for the new stadium. Hopefully.

Sure, with a large payroll, the Mariners can payed less salary. With already a large payroll (somewhere between $30 and $35 million), Seattle will have several contract negotiations to work out. Eddied Martinez is getting paid less than Chris Basho, and Norm Chappell who are the only two dependable pitchers on the roster, and both could get a whole lot elsewhere. Many are hoping they can work it out and keep the team intact. Naturally, it would be beneficial to have three new pitchers (Basho, Andy Rene, and that Carlos guy), and pick up three new pitchers (anybody). Otherwise, their offense is solid, and you didn't sign them.

The team isn't saying "new stadium or the road." Rather, they will put the team on the ballot for $100 million plus. Several cities have shown interest, including Nashville and that Tampa Bay-St. Petersburg area.

With a new stadium coming soon and crucial spots filled on the team, the Mariners should look forward to next season, and maybe that will be the year.
Volleyball with first league win

After dwelling in the NCIC basement since the beginning of the season, the Bucs have their win

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— Renee Williams
junior
outside hitter

Todd Parsons
Sports editor

With their backs against the wall, the Pirates beat the Whitman Missionaries 11-15, 12-15, 15-9, 15-12, to pick up their first league victory.

Head Coach Hirrm Naipo was proud of the effort, and said, "The girls worked really hard. They just decided not to fold. I thought that was a big leap for us to emotionally decide that we weren't going to let down, we just keep plugging away." That was the Bucs third win in four games improving to 4-18 overall and 1-9 in league.

Although not a crucial win, with the Pirates well out of reach of league contention, it was definitely an emotional victory. "It's always good to get a league win," said Naipo.

Sophomore Mandy Decious racked up 14 kills and 19 digs to lead the team.

Naipo replied, "She came back into the huddle after we lost the third game, and we're down 2-1. She just said to everybody, 'This match is not over. We're going to win in five.' You could see in her eyes that she was fired up, and it was infectious."

Naipo said that the "consistency of our attack in the middle of the net was a major key to the win." Contributing to that was junior Renee Williams, who had nine kills and four blocks. "Renee Williams had some key hits right at the end," said Naipo.

Williams added, "[We] showed a commitment to winning. There were a lot of times that we could have just given up. The fact that we were determined to keep playing and finish the game showed a lot."


Despite their valiant effort, to "refuse to lose" against Whitman on Wednesday, they couldn't "tune it into the weekend. The Bucs lost to Pacific University and George Fox, both in three sets.

Defensively, freshman Brenda Clinesmith did well in all three games with 18, 17, and 11 respectively.

The Pirates have two non-league games this week. They will be at Eastern Washington Tuesday, Oct. 24, and face Lewis-Clark St. at home on Wed., Oct. 25.

Tark Accused of bending rules—again

College Press Service—The basketball season is still a month away, and Jerry Tarkanian is already making headlines.

Tarkanian, who agreed to coach at Fresno State last spring, found himself questioned by fans and critics alike after reports surfaced that he had witnessed pick-up games by his players throughout the summer.

One report had Tarkanian riding a stationary bicycle in front of a glass window at a health club while the members of the Fresno team practiced in the adjoining gymnasium.

NCAA rules prohibit coaches from running organized practice until a specified date in the fall.

In an interview with ESPN, Tarkanian, who had run into an NCAA bureaucracy in violations at both Long Beach State and the University of Nevada-Las Vegas, vehemently denied the charges.

"I don't need this," Tarkanian said. "I wouldn't have taken the job if I thought this was going to happen. I can't believe what's going on."

Fresno State interim Athletic Director Ben Quillian said he looked into the charges but found no evidence of wrongdoing on Tark's part.
Parking woes addressed

CHRISTINE HOLMAN
Staff Writer

As enrollment increases, so do the number of registered cars that need parking spots. With this increase comes a heightened frustration with finding parking and dealing with the Physical Plant.

From taking 10 minutes to run a two-minute errand because of having to park to campus, to receiving a parking violation for parking in a fire lane, students are generally frustrated with how the parking situation is being handled.

As of Oct. 17, 788 student cars and 389 faculty and staff cars were registered with the Physical Plant. With the number increasing daily, junior Tara Fiebick wants to know why available parking isn’t available.

“Sometimes I come to campus to drop something off and have to park 10 minutes away, so it takes twice as long as it should.”

Recently Fiebick has been stranded on campus and decided to park to wherever there was room. When she returned an hour and a half later, she found a ticket for being illegally parked. “There’s just not enough room for the increasing number of cars,” said Fiebick.

Karen Albrecht, assistant director of the Physical Plant, said that changes are being considered to provide better parking. Although parking may not be expanded, things like designated parking and spots for 10 minute parking are being considered. “There has been a real push lately for designated parking. There will be certain areas for resident students, commuters, and some for faculty and staff,” said Albrecht who added they are currently looking to hire an engineering firm to begin the process.

Concerning tickets, Albrecht said that they are not given to build the budget, and security officers do not have a quota they must meet each day for tickets given out. Tickets are given to students who are blocking available parking, especially fire lanes. “The parking lots are specially designed for fire trucks to get through. Tickets are only given out to protect Whitworth’s liability, and for safety reasons,” said Albrecht.

ASWC Vice President Phil Shahbazi does not have the same frustrations with parking that Fiebick has. Although it may be difficult at times to find the parking spot one wants, Shahbazi said there is always a spot to be found. “It is a small campus, you can always find somewhere to park.”

Albrecht asked students to be cooperative when they receive a parking violation. Most of the time, the consequences will be lessened or eliminated when they are responded to quickly. She also said that, although there are budget factors to consider, more is being done to increase and better the parking available on campus. She does not see a huge problem in people finding a lack of parking. “Perception isn’t reality. Our worst-case scenario is better than other schools. Even if you live in Warren and have to park, at the Student Center II isn’t that far.” She added that it would not be a problem if students were to allow more time to find a spot. “It is just a matter of allowing yourself enough time to get to your class or event.”

WHAT’S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Stanlles Ghimire

Local News

Rallying against domestic violence

Spokane – More than 100 people who showed up at Northtown mall literally blew the whistle on domestic violence, attracting attention from shoppers and shoe keepers.

They talked about healing, alternatives to abuse and sending batterers to jail. The speakers urged the group to fight the one crime that leads to more than 30 percent of all homicides in Washington. Last year, more than 3,000 domestic violence incidents were reported in Spokane County according to Sheriff Goldman.

The rally victims, their relatives and supporters of the fight against domestic violence.

Parents upset over Gay History Month

Twin Falls, Idaho – Concerned parents are calling public schools to ask whether their children are watching pro-gay and lesbian videos. Parents were prompted to act after their 16-year-old sons sent out national conservative activists.

Teachers, administrators and Idaho Education Association

cation leaders say no. The issue came about after last summer’s National Education Association (NEA) meeting called for inclusion of the Lesbian and Gay History Month as a means of acknowledging the contributions of lesbians, gays and bisexuals throughout history.

A handful of teachers have resigned from the Idaho Education Association in protest.

National News

House passes sweeping Medicare bill

Washington, D.C. – With plans to balance the government budget within the next 7 years the GOP majority in the House of Representatives passed a Medicare bill last Thursday that would vastly reshape the 30-year-old health insurance program for older Americans.

The complex legislation would be funded by $170 billion in savings by 2020, largely by curtailing payments to doctors and hospitals, increasing out-of-pocket payments for beneficiaries and channeling senior citizen savings into more expensive managed care systems.

The debate will now shift to the Senate, where it will run up against powerful special interest groups who have made it their mission to fight such legislation. The plan also faces a veto threat by President Clinton.

Clinton proposed $124 billion in Medicare cuts over seven years. Republican Reps. George Nethercutt of Washington and Helen Chenoweth of Idaho both voted with their party Thursday to reign in Medicare spending.

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Mystery Man keeps giving

AIMEE MOISO
Staff Writer

It all began as a joke
A grateful alumnus with a good sense of humor decided to thank a former professor for contributing to his education with a creative "joke"—an anonymous, all-expenses-paid vacation in Hawaii. The professor, who had always appreciated a good prank, didn't believe it.

"I thought I was being put on," said Bob Bocksch, who retired from the Chemistry department in May 1993. "I thought it was a prank. Even after we were there, I wondered whether the return ticket would be good."

But since that first gift in 1988, an estimated 50 Whitworth faculty and staff have received similar "thank-you's" from an anonymous donor, Bocksch said. Anonymity has been the only request of this "Mystery Man," who signs his notes and cards "M.M."

Mystery Man gained national recognition in recent years through articles about his giving in publications such as Reader's Digest and The Los Angeles Times. And in 1990, Mystery Man received the Alumni Devotion to Whitworth Award, given annually for service and dedication which has made a significant impact in the college community.

For the first time, the alumnus will personally escort his guests on this year's trip, President Journalism Professor Alfred Gray, former Chemistry Professor Hugh Johnston, and former Geology Professor Ed Olson and their wives will accompany Mystery Man on an 11-day tour of China.

And, for the first time, Mystery Man gave an interview to tell a little about himself. But he asked to remain safely anonymous.

"I wanted to express my thanks to the people who had given so much to my life when I was a student," Mystery Man said. "They all taught me something, and the best product was me."

Mystery Man wanted his giving to be seen as representing the next generation of alumni, so he was good, he was very, very much kept to himself this last several months of his life, said Robinson. He had a difficult time in his personal life, so I think that's why he relied on the relationships and friends that he had at Whitworth. And even though Gene was a person who very much kept himself to himself, this was a very important community for him, he added.

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Board of Trustees visit campus

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A new residence hall, Phase II of the Campus Center, and increased enrollment were the buzzwords of the semi-annual meeting of the Whitworth Board of Trustees. Held Oct. 27 and 28 to coincide with the dedication of the Campus Center, trustees met for their fall meeting of 1995, spending time on campus mingling with students in the dining hall and exchanging thoughts on the future of Whitworth.

According to President Bill Robinson, the meeting was not one of major action, but of major discussion. Some issues were brought to a close, like Whitworth's involvement with New Era Philanthropy, which declared bankruptcy in May and failed to match a Whitworth investment of $3.5 million, causing setbacks to campus projects.

The board also brought up new issues of higher enrollment and fund raising as key topics for the next few months. Board Chair Chuck Boppell said, "We are looking at the next generation of fund raising. The endowment. In the last few years, we have worked on other aspects of the college, including educational needs like the library, and campus community through the new track and the Campus Center. And the focus will be shifted to raise the endowment. Although the endowment has been significantly improved in recent years," he said, "it's not where it needs to be yet."

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Memorial services held for Gene Schumacher

CINDY BRETT
Editor in Chief

Memorial services were held Thurs., Oct. 26 for Gene Schumacher, a Whitworth College employee of 9 years.

Schumacher, the mailing services operator, died unexpectedly at his home on Oct. 17.

This is a bitter-sweet moment in the life of Whitworth College, said President Bill Robinson at the service held in the Seeley Mudd Chapel. Bitter because of our own sense of loss over Gene's departure, and sweet because he did touch each one of our lives.

Whitworth was a very important place for Gene during the last several months of his life, said Robinson. He had a difficult time in his personal life, so I think he relied on the relationships and friends that he had at Whitworth. And even though Gene was a person who very much kept himself to himself, this was a very important community for him, he added.

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any Whitworth alum. "If I re-
main anonymous, instead of
thanking one person, whoever
receives a gift will feel the stu-
dent body as a whole." 
Charlotte Kroeker, a director of
development, said, "It is his
sensitivity to the needs of the
college, his generous, giving
nature, his style of giving
that makes all who know him
feel that the giving is for him,
not the other way around."

Mystery Man's motivation
to give grows out of an appre-
ciation for generosity. He grew
up poor, and from that perspec-
tive he was able to observe a
great deal of want, and how
human beings interact with
each other. "When I was at
Whitworth," he said, "I re-
ceived a great deal of help and
kindness from professors and
departments. I was always so
grateful. I wanted to thank
those who helped me, and show
my appreciation to people who
have helped me, so I started
the tradition of giving gifts
to people who have spent
time [teaching] in a way that
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variety of gifts, from
Christmas hams to art, to home
and spending money. "It has
been a time of details and
little notes," he said, "that
cover a great deal of distance.
Art Professor Spike
Grovernewen was given two
trip to Europe, to a stained
glass of old cathedrals, an
experience that impressed his
teaching and changed his attitude
about travel. But the most
meaningful gift he received came
when in 1989, Mystery Man flew
his son Dan to England to see
the tour and therefore reveal his
identity to the participants,
excursions, but this one has a
dimension."

"I've only been to China once
before," he said, "and things
have changed a lot. It's like a
new country, and I thought it
would be a nice place to visit." 
Owen, one of the tour partici-
pants, had another free trip
to the destination of his choice
in January of 1990, and he
chose New Zealand. "It was the
greatest gift I received," he said,
adding that all the details were
taken care of, including a rental
motor home and spending money.
Mystery Man has also sent him
little bonuses over the years,
including video tapes of giga-
ous excursions, but this one has a
twist. Mystery Man, who is flu-
ent in Chinese, decided to join
the tour and therefore reveal his
identity to the participants,
ex-
plaining that he felt he could
enhance their experience. "If
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Students with high GPAs,
top academic dishonesty list

The student said aside form the occasional glance at a fellow student's test, they never cheated. Brian Gomez, a psychology junior, said while he does not cheat, he has seen others use their feet and their brains to get the work done. "One at the scoreboard had [the cheat sheet] taped to the bottom of his shoe," Gomez said.

Academic dishonesty is considered by a variety of penalties, depending on the severity of the infraction. Price said. Penalties range from the student's having to retake the test or assignment in question to suspension from the university.

Gender, race and nationality also played a role in academic dishonesty, according to the study. Cases involving male students occurred with more than three times the frequency of female student cases, according to the report.

Casino students accounted for 29 percent of all academic violations, while American students were next with 21.5 percent. Hispanic students accounted for 10.3 percent of the office cases and African-American students comprised 6.9 percent of all al academic violations. Foreign students had the largest number of academic violations, 11.5 percent. Price stressed that the figures are for the 1993-94 school year.

"I think everybody "the history of the culture" should be. a biology journal," said one student who wished to remain anonymous.

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Baird. "He was hard to get to know at first," said a student worker for Schumacher. "But when you got to know him he realized that he was a neat person. He had so much love and passion, and he was such a special man." "His good natured grouchiness showed," said John Whalen, printer and area man

Students off to Holy Lands in January

Seventeen Whitworth students will have the opportunity to "see and touch" biblical sites in a Jan Term course that will take them to the Middle East in 1996. These students will spend four weeks touring the Holy Land, while learning about the culture and the people.

Raj Tanas, professor of sociology, will lead the trip. He wants the historical sites of the Bible to come alive for the participants. He also wants to expose the group to the culture of Christian Arabs living in Israel.

The Religion department chose Tanas to lead this trip, the first in 10 years, because he is a Christian Arab and grew up in Bethelhem. Tanas is not only familiar with the geography and culture of the area, but also has connections with people there. As a native born Palestinian, he can help prepare the students for what to expect along the way.

The group departs for Tel Aviv on Dec. 30, and will spend three weeks in an official program led by the Holy Land Institute. This program will introduce them to the history and geography of the area. During this portion of the trip, they will tour such sites as the Dead Sea, the Jordan River, Nazareth, Caesarea, Hebron, Solomon's Pool and the Holy Land Institute. From Jan. 21 to 27, Tanas and the students will stay in a hotel in Bethelhem. Here they will learn about the daily life and faith of Christian Arabs.

Tanas also had planned meetings with the Bishop of the Lutheran Church, the President of Bethelhem Bible College, the Mayor of Bethelhem and various pastures. Because the Israeli presence will continue until spring in many of the areas the group will visit, Tanas does not expect to have much culture shock, although they will find the customs, food, gender attitudes, religious practices and environment very different.

Tanas said he expects the participants to experience life-changing perspectives from the first-hand contacts. "They will be overwhelmed with information, which hopefully will help them see through current stereotypes about the Middle East," said Tanas.

According to Tanas, such an experience is important for students at a Christian college like Whitworth to have. "Those who have a connection to the Bible, also need to have a connection to the Holy Land," he said.

Molly Sartor, a sophomore participating in the trip said, "I am looking forward to experiencing the places where Jesus walked, as well learning about the Christian Palestinians and the current church." She does not expect to have much culture shock, because she has traveled to other countries prior to this.

Paris and the others going to the Holy Lands are currently preparing for the trip by taking a one-credit course covering the geography, politics, history and culture to familiarize themselves with the Middle East.

Wolf takes charge of publications

New Director of Publications Tim Wolf, offers former Director Pat Sturko a farewell gift.

CAMILLE CROOKE

Staff Writer

Change has been evident in campus publications this year, not only a new name, but also a new director. Tim Wolf is the new director of campus publications in the Publications and News Service Office.

Wolf has been at Whitworth since 1992 and has a B.A. in journalism and political science. He is the former assistant director of Publications, and his new position also makes him the editor of Whitworth Today, the school's magazine.

"We're trying to maintain and build on the success Pat started," said Mr. Woods.

"I think Tim Wolf is the most deserving of this role, because of his abilities and background in journalism, which will elevate the quality of Whitworth Today and other publications." One of the other changes from last year is the Annual Report of Disciplinary Cases.

"I think it's really encouraging for those of us who have been here a long time, because it's so hard to advance from staff positions."

Although no sweeping changes will be made, there is the ongoing effort to turn out a quality product at all times.

"We're feeling enthusiastic and challenged, and are looking forward to joining the campus," said Wolf.
Forum behavior unacceptable, needs solution

Jeremy Nelson

Originally designed as an opportunity for spiritual and academic growth, the Forum program has become an embarrassment to the entire Whitworth College community. Student behavior in recent Forums has been rude, unruly, and all too reminiscent of high school study halls. The blame for this blight on the school's name rests squarely on the backs of the students who, as a whole, have acted inappropriately.

By napping, studying, and chatting during Forum, students have violated social norms that are apparent even to most grade school children. Forum is the only contact many speakers have with Whitworth. They assess the college not only by the beauty of campus or attractions, but on its academic reputation and superfluous faculty, but on the childish behavior of the student body two hours a week. This kind of student conduct can no longer be tolerated.

While the burden of guilt is wholly on the students, there are some real and practical changes which the Forum Committee can make to curb the problem.

The Forum Committee, made up of students and faculty and related to the Chaplain's Office, must begin to demand respectful behavior from students. By following through on their threats to withhold Forum credits, they can add a bite to their historically ineffective bark. They may also eliminate studying in Forum by cutting the house lights which create an all too pleasant study environment.

Then, too, there are more creative options. The speaker should be given 45 minutes regardless of the start time. Students should be informed that any delay in start due to their behavior will extend Forum past noon. Then, if students choose to leave before the speaker is finished, they will not receive credit for that Forum. This will encourage students to seat themselves quietly and quietly. The committee should also implement a bag checking policy which would effectively eliminate the rude and disrespectful tradition of doing homework during Forum. Student conduct in Forum is truly an embarrassment to the college. Unless students improve their behavior independently, measures must be taken to punish it. Their lack of respect must be dealt with or the Forum program should be discontinued. These are the options.

Editorial

Congressional assault on student financial aid

-Patty Murray

U.S. Senator (D-Wash.)

If your currently receiving financial aid, start considering your other options.

The United States Congress is currently considering legislation that could become the largest setback to education in America's history. While Congress continues to impose record Defense budgets by $7 billion, both the House and the Senate are cutting education programs up to $10 billion over the next seven years.

Non-education programs escape this ax, especially federal financial aid. Congressional proposals could substantially increase financial aid costs to many college students; in doing so, they would eliminate post-secondary education schools throughout the State of Washington.

Student borrowers would feel the pinch of federal and state cuts from the time they started their loan payments following graduation. First, the House bill proposes that the Pell Grant program would be slashed by $500 million, abandoning 209,000 current student participants. The direct loan program which disburses students federal financial aid directly from the government, speed-up the loan process and saving students money, would also be cut. In the Senate bill, the six month interest-free grace period recent graduates currently enjoy, would be eliminated; this would add an additional $700 to $2,500 to the balances of those who receive federal student loans.

Parents of students and even the universities themselves would not be exempt from these cuts. The parents of dependent undergraduates who must put additional loans to support their children's education would see their interest rates increase from nine percent to 11 percent. And universities participation in the federal loan program would have to pay a fee based on the number of students receiving federal financial aid at their institution.

Supporters of these massive cuts claim they are trying to balance the federal budget for future generations. I know we need to work toward a balanced budget, but I question how this future generation will support our country tomorrow without investing in their education and training. The education is the backbone of this country; and without a doubt, the United States would not be the world power it is today without the educational opportunities and high standards we supported throughout the years.

But today, our national priorities have become confused. In the 1970's, education accounted for over 12 percent of the federal budget; but today less than five percent is spent on education. I'm writing to the Love of Your Life Forum does not apply to all

Dear editor,

I'm writing in response to the Forum on Fri., Oct. 20. Les Parrott spoke on "Finding the Love of Your Life." The title sounded like an article in Seventeen magazine, and the speech that followed did too. Parrott started with a few cute anecdotes about dating in college and then he listed seven things which he should be looking for in "the One."

The whole concept of this Forum troubles me. Although I totally agree with the listed Biblical characteristics we should consider in a future mate, I do not remember reading anywhere in the Bible that we need to be "searching for the Love of Our Lives," or occupying our time worrying about it.

Don't get me wrong. I have no problem with the topic of the opposite sex, getting to know them, and having a good time. I think that's great. But bothers me is being forced to commit to dating one person while getting to know them. This seems to be the concept of dating most people adhere to and the one I am against. First, it doesn't make sense, and second, it isn't Biblical.

Dating doesn't make sense because if you don't know a person well, how do you know if he or she is worth all the time, money, and affection you are spending on him or her? When you commit yourself to dating only one person, the potential "Love of Your Life" could come along and you will miss her because you are busy spending all your time with someone who isn't right for you. Why take your house off the market if you are only going to sell it to the first person who comes along and you are the only one person to love, how can we serve our brothers and sisters we aren't romantically interested in?

When one puts his/her life in God's hands, it's the whole life (I Cor. 19), including the romantic life. If God is calling you to get married He'll provide the right mate. You don't need to search (Genesis 23:14-15; Matt. 5:28). In recent years we should be worrying about Jesus, instead of searching for it (Matt. 5:28). As Christians we have love perfected; His name is Jesus Christ.

-Sarah L. Bade

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Feminism has been a powerful economic, political, and societal impetus for women over the past 35 years. Women are stealing jobs from men. We can be career women, working moms, stay-at-home moms, or choose not to be moms at all. Feminism is not a bad word, it stands for thousands of women suffragettes who 75 years ago, put down their shoes that they don't miss, and went to jail for the rights of all women to vote. In stands for Margaret Sanger who broke "morality" laws, and risked jail in order to bring birth control to the United States. Prior to that, women's lives were often short lived. Death was a common occurrence during the reproductive years, as women typically gave birth to 12 children, one after another. Feminism stands for the power of orators and writers like Mary Wollstonecraft, and Sojourner Truth. It stands for women like Betty Friedan who have a voice to millions of unhappy, unfulfilled women in the early 60's with the publishing of the "Feminine Mystique." Feminism also stands for women such as Deena Hanson, the secretary of Social Ministries for the Roman Catholic Diocese of Spokane, who spoke at Whitworth last month, after returning from the United Nations Conference on Women in Beijing. She educated and enlightened the standing room only crowd to the changes, challenges and struggles encountered by women in other nations around the globe. While women in the United States strive for comparable pay, and a work place free from harassment, other women around the globe are striving for access to higher education, equality, and even the basic human right to exist as female.

Due to the dedication, persistence and hard work of feminists in the past, today my daughter has the opportunity to participate in higher education as well as organized sports. As an adult, she can have her own credit, aspire to any career choice, and receive equal pay in the job market. There is a saying, "Use It or Lose It." The triumphs of feminism have become like old shoes that you don't miss, until they're gone. As I grew up, I watched feminism emerge and grow into a powerful voice which I embraced and resisted as I washed through various stages in my life. Today I view feminism as a living, breathing entity that must be fed and nurtured so she can grow, gain strength, and wisdom, much like ourselves. But in order to continue, she will need a new crop of women to nurture, guide her, and learn from her as we move into the 21st century.
College Press Service

one doubts college can be a scary place. Just ask the freshmen before their first final exam.

But few college students would say their fears have anything to do with monsters under the bed or goblins in the closet.

Maybe they should. National, ghostly legends thrive on campuses.

"There's just so much going on in college buildings when you think about their history, not to mention some of the high emotions that people have when they're in school," says Richard Crowe, a supernormal phenomenon expert who's based in Chicago.

"Ghosts can thrive on those emotions. They can tap into the anxieties that people have."

Still, Crowe says most ghosts just want to be noticed. "If people pay attention to them and let them exist, they usually fine, he says. "The problems sometimes start when people try to deny that they exist."

For many students across the nation, the question about whether ghosts exist has been answered by their campus experiences. For example:

For years, students at Mansfield University in Mansfield, Pa., have maintained that North Hall is haunted by Sarah, Sarah, according to campus legend, is the ghost of a student who committed suicide by leaping over a railing through an open atrium in the building. She allegedly killed herself because of love gone wrong.

The building, which was built in 1874, has been vacant for many years, giving Sarah plenty of room to roam. Mansfield students say they sometimes see Sarah in the windows of the building's top floor, looking for her former lover.

But Sarah's days of soliloquy are over. Last fall, the university began extensive renovations on North Hall and plans to turn the old building into a state-of-the-art dorm.

If the ghost liked the peace and quiet of her abandoned building, it soon will be bustling with students.

Students at Stonehill College in North Easton, Mass., have reported seeing the ghost of Prudence Ames roaming the campus.

Ames, the original owner of the property, died in a plane crash in the 1930s. According to legend, Ames instructed his servant to light the runway, the pilot crashed to his death. Now whenever there is a blue mist hanging over the campus, it is believed that Ames is looking for his forgotten airplane.

At the University of Illinois, students tell their own colorful tales about "The Blue Man." The Blue Man is supposed to be the ghost of a man who allegedly hung himself from a tree in a cemetery just outside of campus. Students swear on nights with a full moon, they often see a ghost emitting an eerie blue light.

Back on campus, the English building is supposedly haunted by the ghost of a former student who committed suicide. The Blue Man has it the girl succumbed to the pressures of academics and spent her days haunting select professors as an act of retaliation.

Several students living in North Spencer residence hall at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro say they've had the opportunity to meet Annabelle—whether they wanted to or not.

Legend has it that Annabelle is the ghost of a student who committed suicide in one of the building's bell towers. And while they don't know what she's looking for, students say they sometimes hear her walking the halls of the dorm.

Dorm residents have reported spotting a blue haze passing through the hall at times and have witnessed objects flung across different rooms. The ghost also has been reported to recently appear through a window directly behind the building.

A few months later, students in the dorm often hear a voice singing in the middle of the night, and the students say that the song's origin may lie directly behind the building.

A few days later, students saw a long-limbed, billowing figure walking toward the building while ignoring. Ever since, similar sightings have taken place in and around the building.

Members of the Delta Sigma Phi house on the Kansan State campus often get a sample of "the final frontier" from their Star Trek ghost.

The building, which was a hospital before the fraternity took over, is home to the ghost of an elderly patient who died after falling off his bed. He suffocated while wedged between the bed and the wall.

George was a big "Star Trek" fan, a fondness that obviously continues even after his death, say fraternity members. In 1973, an ice storm knocked out power on the entire KSU campus for several days. But at the Delta Sigma Phi house, electricity was mysteriously restored the very next day from 4-5 p.m., just long enough for George and the men of Delta Sigma Phi to take their "Star Trek" rerun on the local station.

Students aren't the only ones who have had unusual late-night visits, according to David Paechall, former president of the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va.

Paechall says he was visited by Rev. James Blair, the first president of the university's oldest school, one night in 1992. "He wanted me to have heard string quartets practicing at 2 a.m.

No one is there."

For years, students at Kenyon College in Gambier, Ohio, have reported seeing books floating near their shelves. The books were never catalogued, and the students have since reported seeing books from the collection floating near their shelves.

A 1949 dormitory fire at Kenyon College in Gambier, Ohio, resulted in the death of four men. The fire took place in the middle of the night, and the students who were trapped the next morning were reported to be walking in time to escape. Since that time, students in the dormitory's eight suites have reported seeing legless tomes floating through the air. Also, students are occasionally woke up in the middle of the night by a shadowy figure who shakes them, yelling "Wake me up! Wake me up!"

The circumstances were forgotten until the 1970s, when a visiting Japanese scholar stayed in the same room. Without any prior knowledge of the previous resident, Noriyuki Tokuda told others that he was visited by a ghost the first night and said that an older man was sitting on a chair quietly watching him. The next night, Tokuda said he and Tammen was never found.

The ghost is supposedly Florence Lee, a former professor who committed suicide in 1946.

In 1909, members of the Delta Sigma Phi house on the Kansan State campus often get a sample of "the final frontier" from their Star Trek ghost.
Singer/songwriter Erin Corday returns to Spokane

SARAH MARSH
Staff Writer

"When I am 90 years old I imagine being an old lady and having my guitar and playing the heck out of it," said singer, songwriter and musician Erin Corday, laughing at the image. Corday, who will be performing the concert on Nov. 4, is not unfamiliar to Whitworth students, who may remember her concert which was held at Whitworth last year.

According to senior Alysa Geil, who was involved in bringing Corday to Whitworth, the concert was popular. When describing why she brought Corday to Whitworth, Geil said, "Since Erin is an artist, musician, and poet, I wanted Whitworth to see what God can work through those mediums in order to deliver his word.

Geil added, "Corday is really eclectic and her own music, poetry, and label you just have to listen to her. Her lyrics are thought provoking and the music really make you think," said Geil.

When describing last year's concert, sophomore, Julie Correll, said, "I totally loved it. She was so passionate and sincere, it was like she was a caring person; you were a part of the performance." Correll plans to attend the upcoming concert and to purchase Corday's new CD, "Secret About The World" and about working with Waterbug Records. She said they gave her complete artistic freedom when working on the album, which is basically rare. "What's exciting for me about this album is we followed our hearts and recorded live. I played guitar and sang live instead of laying down different tracks. Most of the time [Joel her percussionist] played along with his drum machine," said Corday.

The upcoming concert will feature songs from "Secret About The World". Corday will be accompanied by Joel Litwin who she has been working with for five years. "He is an incredible accompanist he is not trying to show off his scales but is sensitive and really tries to play the song. He is an exceptionally creative person," said Meeker. "My big dream is to have great lyrics, good singing, and great music too. I want to have it all, so I work my butt off. I write things that are just beyond my ability so I constantly push myself," said Corday. She described practicing one song five hours a day on her guitar until she could finally get it right.

Being a strong guitarist is important to Corday, who said that a lot of women are excellent singers, but are not necessarily strong musicians. "This helps is why the image of herself at 90 with her guitar brings a chuckle, because it's probably not too far from the way things will actually be," said Drumheller, concert promoter.

This concert is going to bring some talent into Spokane that it doesn't usually get it's a rare opportunity to see that quality of music at this low a price," he said.

You can experience Corday playing the heck out of her guitar, playing keyboards and piano. It's going to be an energetic, exciting and emotional concert. I for one am excited to go to it," said Geil.

The current single from the album, which was released this year by Waterbug Records, is "I'll Be Waiting."

SARAH MARSH

Westminster House provides additional services

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Staff Writer

While it may seem like a peaceful and comforting atmosphere at Westminster House, there are any places that exist in Spokane that can be the very opposite. The neighborhood of West Central Spokane falls into this category, and there most likely feel that the rest of Spokane lives in a different world. The children of West Central come from families with low incomes. Crime and violence are regular part of their lives.

These threats to their emotional well-being have touched the hearts of certain Whitworth graduates, who have taken up residence in West Central to bring much-needed ministry to these kids and families of the Westminster House.

The graduates moved into a house the Presbyterian church bought and was renovated by volunteers. This house's former inhabitants included Sudan war- ships. The building was adorned with paintings of symbols, and was found in some of the rooms. It seemed like the ideal place because it was the most needed to transform into a house of ministry. The house is supported and sponsored by the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Meeker spoke about some of the past and present goals for the Westminster House. "The main goal all along has been to be a place of refuge and a getaway for the youth in the area," she said. Kids can come over any time of the day until 10 p.m. These kids are mostly ones who have dropped out of school, and now have few or no goals, said Meeker.

These kids represent several different cultures and usually come from chaotic backgrounds. They enjoy the easy-going atmosphere established by the residents.

Meeker said there were some new goals set up for this year. "We are keeping up with our Logos program which includes kindergarten through senior high kids. That's our strongest program so far," she said.

McKinley agreed with Meeker that the Logos program is important and also noted that there were changes in it as well. "This year it Logos has a detective theme. Right now we're doing 'The Case of the Broken Friendship' and the children are given clues and have to use the Bible and their imagination to solve the mystery," he said.

In addition to the Logos program, McKinley and the rest of the leaders are pursuing an outreach to the elderly and disabled by bringing an adult to the Westminster House.

Meeker agrees that the Logos program is the one that he is most proud about. "Since we've been given an opportunity to combine the two age groups, and get some young blood into the older folks. Ultimately, we want to reach the whole age span to expand the sense of community," said Meeker.

Sharing a house with five people has also taught Meeker about living in a community. This is her first month in the house, and she said she loves it. "Having a group of people who come to Westminster have Bible studies together, eat meals together, and form strong relationships with one another. The best thing in Meeker's opinion, though, is "just being with the kids."

McKinley agrees that spending time with the children was what he liked best about the ministry. "Watching them, I see the help from years past surface in their behavior. This makes a difference and it's very encouraging," said McKinley.

Meeker and McKinley agree that living in the house has its challenges. Making time for all the activities as well for each other has meant serious time budgeting, according to McKinley. Ministering to the children has required some adjustment as well. For example, a couple of weekends ago, McKinley took the kids on a 30 mile bike ride to a ranch, and said it wore him out. In addition to being physically exhausted, McKinley said his job often gets confusing when he has to decide whether he should be tough or yielding when disciplining a child. But even though it is difficult at times, McKinley said that learning how to minister to them is a very rewarding experience in itself and makes up for any hardships along the way.

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West Central: Where the Past and Present Meet

WEST CENTRAL SHAKES AFTER EMERGENCY SITUATION

The west side of west central Spokane was severely shaken, recently, after an emergency situation occurred.

On Thursday, Aug. 9, 1995, at 12:30 p.m., a car rammed into the west side of a building that was formerly a house for the elderly. The car hit the building, causing it to collapse and send debris all over the street. The car hit the building, causing it to collapse and send debris all over the street. The car hit the building, causing it to collapse and send debris all over the street.

The driver of the car was arrested and charged with vehicular assault and reckless driving. According to the police report, the driver was under the influence of drugs at the time of the accident.

The building was a residence for the elderly, and was built in the 1920's. The building was renovated and turned into a home for the elderly in the 1980's. The building was owned by a local real estate company.

The accident caused extensive damage to the building, and forced the elderly residents to evacuate. The residents were evacuated to a nearby shelter, and were provided with food and shelter.

The accident also caused traffic congestion in the area, and caused the closure of several streets. The police department was on the scene for several hours, and investigated the accident.

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The new Campus Center was dedicated to the Whitworth Community Friday, Oct. 27, 1995 with praise and thanks to trustees and honored guests. The celebration held in honor of the Center, had self-guided tours, entertainment from the Whitworth Jazz Ensemble, and refreshments from noon to 5 p.m. The dedication program began at 5 p.m. and continued throughout the evening.

The program began with a rousing speech of gratitude and appreciation of the trustees’ generous donations to the new Campus Center from President Bill Robinson. He praised the beautifully designed building, but said that “the best part of our college is the people, not the buildings. This college is focused on the growth of our students and this building is symbolic of that growth.”

Robinson recognized all the honored guests and asked specific members of the audience to stand and receive our appreciation through applause. ASWC President Wendi Story also spoke, and made a special dedication of the building “to God, Whitworth students, and all the students in the future,” who will grace this campus.

Story gave a short history of the significance of this building, and recognized its invaluable importance to the Whitworth community. This building has always been the center of campus life, and within these walls we get an education, we play, we handle money, and we discuss policy,” said Story, adding that it has always been a place where students can come together as a whole student body. The new building stands “as a daily reminder of the commitment made to each other in heart, mind, and faith. Every day extraordinary things will happen here,” said Story.

The ceremony was attended by honored guests, trustees, professors, ASWC representatives, and a few students, although the entire student body was cordially invited. Following the dedication program was a dinner for the trustees and guests at the Whitworth Presbyterian Church. Then, to close the evening, a coffee house was held in the Campus Center for both guests and students, offering entertainment from our multi-talented students, and a free dessert buffet at 8 p.m. The dedication of the Campus Center symbolized a welcomed new era to the Whitworth community.
Assassins
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Staff Writer

For those who thirst for action, high-speed chases, multiple guns and shoot-outs, the film with Sylvester Stallone would have at least that.

Enter the world of Robert Rath, played by Stallone. Rath is a regular character; he's wild, ruthless and out of control.

The actions scenes are good, though the non-action scenes are continuous. One can probably guess the outcome, but can't tell if they're lying or not.

A recent study done by University of Virginia researchers validates Ng's experiences. College students throughout the nation lie in half of the conversations they have with their mothers, the study says.

Surveyed students did not talk with their fathers often enough for the researchers to obtain that data.

The study also reported that students lied in 28 percent of the conversations they had with close friends and in 60 percent of the discussions they had with acquaintances.

With talking with strangers, the study participants lied 77 percent of the time.

University of Virginia researchers speculated that lying to strangers is easier than lying to one's parents.

But University students said lying to their parents about small issues was not difficult at all.

UP freshman Nancy Holt said she has not had to lie to her parents yet, but could see herself doing it when "little things" arose.

"If they asked me what time I got in, I would probably say it was earlier than it was," she said.

UP Psychology Professor David Bersoff, who is doing research on morality, noted that "it's very easy to tell a story and know it's unlikely that you'll get caught."

"Parents are far away, and they can't check up on you," Bersoff added.

Holt made a distinction between lying about less important issues and not telling the truth regarding more significant topics, such as money or grades.

"If I find it disturbing when it gets to bigger things, she said; "When it's little, it's not right, but it's not like you're harming anyone."

The lies described in the University of Virginia study varied tremendously in nature. Some told their parents a required book cost more than it did so they would send them more money.

Others claimed to be studying when they were really going out.

But Bersoff said the study's results were "alarming," no matter what types of lies were being told.

He added, however, that college students' lying patterns were probably not much different from adults.

"It's easy to think college students are particularly bad, but from my research I don't think that's true," Bersoff said.

And some students said they were not sure how accurate the study was because the results did not portray their behavior.

"I think I'm a lot more honest than most people," UP freshman Tara Pellegrino said.

Attractive Distractions
On Campus

Oct. 31: Expand Your Horizons, Hill House 6:30-8 p.m.
Nov. 1: Young Life Leadership Development, Young Life Office 6:30-8 p.m.
Nov. 3: Forum: John Fischer 11:15 a.m.
Swimming: Whitworth vs. Pacific Lutheran University 6 p.m.
Volleyball: Whitworth vs. Pacific Lutheran University 6 p.m.
Prevention Day: Come to WCC for updates on fitness, nutrition, illness prevention, and flu shots! Shots are $7 and will be given in 2nd floor conference room from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Nov. 4: Cross Country: Northwest Championship at Whitworth 6 p.m.
Volleyball: Whitworth vs. Lewis and Clark College 1 p.m.
Nov. 7: Spokane County Elections, auditorium 6:30-9 p.m.

Off Campus

Oct. 31: The Valley Repertory Theatre presents its 3rd Annual Haunted House located at the Southwest Corner of Pines and Spokane behind Walgreens Xpress. The Haunted House opens at 7 p.m. and closes at 11 p.m. or midnight depending on what evening. For more information call: 927-6878.

Nov. 4: Acoustic singer and songwriter Erin Corday will be performing at The Met at 8 p.m. Advance tickets are $6 for students, $8 for general. Tickets are available from all G & B outlets or by calling 325-SEAT.

Nov. 12: People For Christ Ministry presents the popular contemporary Christian group, "Out of the Grey" in concert at Boswell Hall Auditorium in Coeur d' Alene, Idaho. The concert begins at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are $12 in advance, $14 at the door and are available at all area Christian bookstores or by calling: (909) 326-4501.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT
Men's Swim Team moving in a new direction

According to Dodd, three overall goals are set. They work hard like the others and don't question them.

Along with this additional assistance, the swim team is maintaining its morning workout routine, which begins at 5:30 a.m., and now has two workout periods offered in the afternoon, rather than the usual one. Dodd has also designated a new training program aimed at personal accountability.

This new program was initiated because of the different climate the men's swim team possesses this year. Dodd said that last year's team was more focused on winning, while this year the goal is created by each individual swimmer and is aimed at giving the athlete choice and responsibility. Depending on how hard they want to train and improve, there have been three levels of illness set up for them to strive for, the third being the most rigorous and designed to go beyond what the competition does in order to succeed.

According to Dodd, this program is advantageous because it allows the swimmers to take the initiative as well as the responsibility. "I want the drive to come from them this year. The level system reflects that the reward is more in the process than in the placing," Dodd said.

Sieg, said, "This system allows swimmers to go where they feel comfortable. And if they are giving 100 percent every time they practice, the process will take care of itself."
What Went Wrong

A frustrating Pirate football season with a new coach and new game plan has been riddled with injuries and costly turnovers, and has resulted in a 1-6 record, a spot in the league basement and being completely blown out of the majority of their games.

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Staff Writer

After a week one win over Eastern Oregon State the Whitworth Pirates have gone on a five game losing slide and fans are starting to wonder what is wrong with the team. Granted in the case of the Pirates it is a rebuilding year with new Head Coach John Tully. Yet with returning stars veterans and exciting young players coming in one would have guessed that the opposition would have outscored the Pirates 207 to 78, an average of a little over 21 points per game in the first six games. The Pirates stand at 1 - 5 last in their conference this season. As more rushes than their opponents, 262 to 256 and averaging 2.7 yards per carry. The Pirates have also coughed up the ball 22 times this year losing 13 of them. The Pirates are averaging around 43 rushing attempts per game gaining only an average of 197 yards. Rushing the ball 43 times in a game and still trailing throughout the first down to hold up. For example in a loss to Western Oregon the Pirates ran the ball 40 times for 60 yards and only attempted 15 passes. Against Pacific Lutheran the Pirates attempted 34 rushes gaining 39 yards and threw the ball 18 times. Considering the Pirates trailed throughout these games there seems to be reason to be frustrated.

To compound the problem the Pirates have been playing football much better over the season. After an opening day win the games have witnessed a series of hopes of obtaining sole ownership. The Pirate losses have been the scores 10-27, 21-36, 15-34, 7-36, 6-36, 0-37, and 37-21. However in the case in all sports especially football the final score does not tell the whole tale. While the impatient fans will find nothing but disturbing, resulting in this season so far it important to look at the entire picture.

As defensive coordinator Chris Casey said, "You can't turn around a program over night. In football it becomes especially difficult to obtain quick results due to volume and specialization. Each side of the ball, offense, defense, and special teams, has components. " Casey continued, "The team has made great strides with the new system in techniques, assignments, etc. " Casey believes that attitude is the first and foremost component of importance in developing a new system and he said the Pirates have maintained a great attitude all season. As pointed out in their game against Willamette they went into the locker room down 36 - 0 and everything that could have gone wrong did. Willamette had turned three Pirate fumbles for touchdowns and the team could have very well given up. They didn't. The Pirates came out and out played Willamette it the second half and scored 18 points in the second quarter to represent the play of the Pirates.

If one looked at the statistics it would be hard to argue with Coach Casey. In a game that the Pirates lost 50 - 18 they amassed over 500 yards of total offense gaining 243 on the ground against a team that has been tough defense. Willamette held the edge in first downs, total offense, and total yards of offense which are key components in a successful football team. The most important category they didn't lead in was turnovers, and that was their down fall. Three Pirate turnovers were returned for touchdowns against the Pirates. The final score in no way reflected the play of the Pirates in this game.

Another game when of note was the turn over of turn around Pirates played the Pirates defense giving up a large number of points, but that is far from the truth. In reality the Pirates have given up less points this year on defense to each team they have played than they gave up last year, with the exception of Simon Fraser.

The problems that stand out are turnovers and injuries. The Pirates so far have turned the ball over 21 times as compared to their opponents 12. Turnovers have played an instrumental role in the Pirates losses this year. The other key factor in the Pirates struggles seems to be injuries. Casey said injuries played a big role in the Pirates woes. On offense they lost their number one running back and 4 quarters for the season and have played without their starting quarterback for.

Women's Soccer settle for a share of conference title

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This weekend, the women's soccer team had a chance to clinch the conference title by winning their final two matches of the season. The Pirates provided lots of excitement for the Whitworth fans. Coming off of an impressive victory against Pacific Lutheran last Friday, everyone was excited to see if the Pirates could complete their dream for the season.

The Pirates played double overtime, but despite the extra 30 minutes, the game ended in a 1-1 draw. Both teams had opportunities to score, but failed to capitalize on both. The game was kept close, keeping the deciding score out of the net.

As a result, the Pirates now share the conference title with the Willamette Bearcats.

The Pirates finished their season posting an overall record of 12-2-1, and a conference record of 7-1-1.

"We knew the game was going to be tough. Ourselves and Pacific were the only teams to defeat the Bearcats this season. Even though we did not lose to Pacific, the tie still felt like a loss for our team," said Head Coach Danan Hagerott. Home field advantage will be decided on the numbers of goals for and against both teams.

The Pirates will not know until today whether they or Willamette will receive home field advantage for the play-offs. Home field advantage will be decided on the numbers of goals for and against both teams.

In Sunday's game against the Bearcats, the Pirates only goal was scored by junior Haley Nichols. "As a team we were disappointed. The fact that they scored on us with less than two minutes remaining in the game," said senior Tampa Young. "We are going to put this game behind us and prepare for our play-off games," said freshman Amber Young.

On Saturday, Whitworth faced off against Pacific Lutheran University. In their first meeting the Pirates tied the Lutes 2-2. However, this weekend, the Pirates went on for more than just a tie. The Pirate defense did a good job of not only protecting senior goal keeper Jen Peterson, but keeping the ball out of the Lute offensive side of the field for the majority of the game.

"Jen Peterson had a great weekend as goal keeper and made some nice saves," said Young. The Pirate offense bailed out the Lutes. Spreading the offensive attack out and around the field, the Pirates took advantage of the holes in the Lute defense. By the end of the game the Lutes were 4 different Pirate women who scored two goals. Junior Jennifer Tissiau and Mollie Byrnes, and freshman Joy Cullen each added a goal of their own.

The first round of the play-offs will take place on Saturday Nov.

4 with the championships to follow Nov. 8.

"I am optimistic about our team's chances in the play-offs. Willamette, PLU, Pacific and ourselves are all quality teams. We get through the conference championships, we as a team can play well against any team in the region," said Hagerott. According to Hagerott, the team had a tremendous season. Despite the loss last week against Willamette, and the tie against Pacific, the team played like a big train that rolled through conference with lots of maturity and pride and was reflected in our conference as well as overall record.

"We played real well throughout the season and especially in conference. It was a team effort. In all our matches it came down to who had the stronger desire to win," said freshman Joy Cullen.
NEW CAMPUS CENTER HAS MANY NAMES

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Staff Writer

Is it the Whitworth Campus Center? Is it the "new HUB"? There has been a lot of discussion recently about the naming of the newest building on campus, and as of this writing, it is being called the Whitworth Campus Center.

"It's our hope to name it with a donor who gives over half the cost of the building. Although there was one such donor for Phase I, Ferguson said the donor wanted to remain anonymous," Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs, said that hopefully a name will be chosen as more funds are given. "In terms of naming the whole building it really depends on further fundraising." As of now, the building remains the Whitworth Campus Center.

During their FEsf 1994 meeting, Whitworth College Board of Trustees passed the names of different parts of the building. The ASWSU Offices are officially named the "Hardwick Center for Student Government," after Dr. Frances T. Hardwick, former professor, dean, and president of the school. Since the new building replaced the Hardwick Union Building, named after him, they saw it fitting to name a portion of the new building in his honor while keeping it distinct from the old building. Other areas of the Campus Center are officially named the "Parr Conference Center" after Dr. and Mrs. Russell C. Parr, generous donors to the campus. "Lied Square" is in honor and memory of Ernest F. Lied, another donor. If more funds become available from his trust, the Campus Center will be named the "Ernest F. Lied Campus Center."

Senators John Sedgwick and Richie Lane see the current name as being too general. They both felt it should at least be named the "Whitworth Student Center." Lane, who participated in the naming process last year, said, "It is important that Whitworth makes the statement that they affirm they built the building for students to come together and fellowship." Lane continued, saying that it naming it the student center would assign ownership to the students. "We live here nine months out of the year. The center is like our living room." Sedgwick agreed with Lane.

"There really is no other place on campus for students to go," although he does not want to alienate the faculty/staff and visitors, he said that since it replaced the Hardwick Union Building, a student-centered building, not giving some ownership to students creates some frustration. He does feel, however, that the naming of the building is not the key issue. "The critical issue is that we have this building and that is more important than the naming of it, because we love this building."

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Shailesh Ghimire

Local News

Gregoire says she won't challenge Lowery

Olympia - Attorney General Christine Gregoire, saying that she is not different from any other working mom, said Friday she has decided to forgo a race for governor next year because of her family. The State's first female attorney general has been under heavy pressure from some democrats, particularly women's groups to take on fellow Democratic Gov. Mike Lowry.

Democratic State Chairman Paul Derenell said Lowery hasn't decided to run again, but that Gregoire's decision clears the field for his governor's obstacles. Lowery has bencher fire since his former spokesman and other sides accused him of sexual harassment.

National News

Seven high school students

Chicago - Seven high school students were killed as their school bus was hit by a train in the morning of Wed., Oct. 25 in Fox River Grove, III.

The bus was stopped at a red light and the train was extended onto the railroad tracks. An automatic warning system was activated when the train got within 21 seconds of the crossing, red lights flashed, bells sounded and the gate lowered, as the train hit the side of the bus.

Balanced budget passed by Congress

Washington, D.C. - With votes along party lines, the Republican Congress passed a balanced budget. The bill that was passed would balance the federal budget in 7 years, cut the taxes of most families and significantly diminish the place of the federal government in the lives of Americans.

It was decided on Medicare would be strictly limited. The 60-year-old commitment to provide free in hospital care to Medicare beneficiaries would be ended, less money has been set aside for Aid to Families With Dependent Children, the federal welfare program, and Medicaid.

President Clinton vetoed the legislation, so it will be weeks before it is known which of the many elements will become law.

The sweeping legislation called a budget reconciliation bill was passed with 227 members voting for it and 263 against, four democrats crossed party lines to vote with the republicans.

Russian President Yeltsin falls ill

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Yeltsin, Prime Minister Viktor S. Chernomyrdin, 57, would be expected to return to work within three months. Psychiatrists say Yeltsin is at risk of another heart attack.

Thousands demonstrate against Quebec session

Montreal - In an impassioned show of affections for Quebec, tens of thousands of Canadians descended on the heart of downtown Montreal Friday as the leaders turned from the United States largest this week in a succession of meetings. The celebrations were marked by a show of affection for Quebec, tens of thousands of Canadian students and townspeople.

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United Nations celebrate its 50th birthday

New York - The United Nations celebrated its 50th birthday this week as world leaders from the 185 member states gathered in New York to make speeches and reaffirm their commitment to the world body.

The celebrations were marked with three days of speeches and meetings between the world leaders.

President Clinton reaffirmed the support of the United States for the world body and said that the world body is a product of faith and knowledge, a faith that different people can work together for tolerance, decency and peace, and a knowledge that this faith will be forever tested by the forces of intolerance. He also met with the presidents of China and Russia to mend relations which have been deteriorating in the past few months.

The leaders of all the 185 countries were each given five minutes to address the general assembly.
Computer availability on campus limited

CHRISTINE HOLMAN  
Staff Writer

With Whitworth's new access to the information superhighway through Netscape, Gopher, and electronic mail, students are having difficulty finding an open computer among the 87 available in the campus labs. This overcrowding is due to limited hours of operation, a limited staff and student demand.

Freshman Jodi Carlson had an experience with a lack of computer availability. "It was really frustrating for me when I had a paper due and I couldn't print it out because there was a class going on. I missed my due date..." she said.

According to Martin Gang, computer user support, another problem is the budget for lab assistants has no room to allow for longer hours. "There is only a limited budget for lab assistants each year, and this has an impact on the number of hours the labs can be open," said Gang. Even if the budget was increased, the money would go toward getting more assistants working during the hours the labs are already open.

"We try to have the labs open whenever there isn't a class," said Ken Pecka, director of instructional resources. Currently the labs are open 60 hours a week, and would be open more if the library had longer hours. "Once the library is open 24 hours, we can consider," said Pecka.

If the labs were in another building, longer hours could be considered, said Pecka. "A problem with being open longer hours is that it would be difficult to get student workers to work later than 11 p.m. "When we rely on student labor, it is difficult to ask them to work all night," said Pecka, referring to the idea of having labs open 24 hours a day.

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Plans are currently being made to add "mail stations," where students could check their e-mail and send messages. Possible locations are Dixon Hall, the Campus Center, and Pecka.

New course catalog now available

CARYN SOKAL  
Staff Writer

The new course catalog was released in mid-October, and brings change for both incoming and returning students. The catalog includes information on new courses, deleted courses, departmental changes and added majors.

"Every single department had a change of some kind," according to Mindy Shiggal of the Registrar's Office.

For example, the School of Education has new requirements in the new catalog, as it is now required that education students become certified through the state.

Students must stay current on the catalog, especially the School of Education, which has an outside agency that dictates the changes. All students in education must comply with changes if they want to teach in Washington," said Shiggal.

There are several changes in requirements that should be taken note of. For example, students can now take two semesters of American Sign Language in place of a foreign language, so they can fulfill the language requirement.

Another change is the grading structure of courses. Incoming students at fall 1995 will be graded on a pass or fail basis, while continuing students will continue to be given a mark of pass or no credit. In both instances, attendance at 75 percent is still required to obtain full credit.

Incoming students, whether freshmen or transfer, must fulfill the requirements in the new catalog, while all other continuing students remain under the old catalog's standards.

Copies of the catalog are available at the window of the Registrar's Office in McLean Hall.

Study in Japan: Intercultural opportunity for recent grads

MICHYO SOTODA  
Guest Writer

If you are expecting to get a college diploma in May 1996, it is time to start thinking about a job or how to pay back college loans. And, the Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Program might be an answer. With this program, 4,618 college and university graduates have participated as assistants of Japanese local governments or English teachers in Japan.

According to Lynn Miyaucli, JET program coordinator at the Consulate General of Japan in Seattle, the program is based on intensifying foreign language education in Japan, and on promoting international exchange between Japan and 15 participating countries, including the United States. The program offers graduates the opportunity to serve in local governments as well as in public and private junior and senior high schools in Japan. The duties of the participants are to assist with international activities carried out by the local governments, or to assist with English classes at schools. Contracts are for one year with the possibility of a renewal.

"This is a good opportunity to learn more about Japanese culture. Participants are put directly into Japan at a local level, so they can see more inside of the country than tourists can," said Miyaucli.

She said the opportunity is open to all majors, and everyone has an equal chance to apply providing he or she meets the qualifications. The eligibility criteria are that applicants must have citizenship in their countries, be motivated, interested in Japan, friendly, and flexible.

Senior Deborah Jones is thinking of applying for the program. "I don't know a lot about Japan, it is bothering me. The best way to learn is to go to the country and experience it," she said. Although Jones has never learned Japanese, she believes her experience at Whitworth College has equipped her for the program. "I am preparing to live in Japan by being with Japanese students on campus, living with a Japanese friend, and working through different people," said Jones. Dr. John Noder, professor of Political Studies, who represented Whitworth when Miyaucli attended the September meeting on campus for those interested in the program, thinks it is an excellent program. "It is excellent because it pays a lot. It is hard for students to go to foreign countries after graduating because they have to pay college loans. But in this program, they are able to go to Japan and also able to pay the bill."

According to Miyaucli, participants are paid about $36,000 a year, in monthly payments. Participants pay their own accommodations, which is approximately $300 to $600 per month. Application deadline is Dec. 6. Additional applications and information can be obtained by calling 1-800-INF-JET (1-800-465-6538) or calling Miyaucli (206) 682-9107.
Campanile rings again

ANNA TOLLENAAR  Staff Writer

The Whitworth Campanile was recently repaired and is now operating. About three weeks ago the repairs were finished and the Campanile began to ring again. The bells are scheduled to ring daily from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. on the half hour and the hour.

According to Keith Sullivan, director of Physical Plant and project coordinator, underground fiber optic lines were severed when ditches were dug in the path, causing the Campanile to stop functioning. These lines had to be repaired for the Campanile to operate.

Sullivan said there have been “discussions about redesigning the area around the Campanile to provide a more attractive space.” He said this renovation would update the Campanile area to better match the new Whitworth Campus Center.

The Campanile was first constructed in 1956. According to Dale Soden, associate professor of History, funds for the Campanile were provided partly by a Spokane architect, E.W. Molander, who also designed Whitworth’s science building. Along with Molander, Whitworth students contributed to the construction of the Campanile in 1956.

Campanile increases in size

CARRIE MILLER  Staff Writer

Western Civilization II, the Rationale of Tradition, which is commonly called Core250 will increase in size from approximately 120 students to about 350 students this spring, although its content will remain the same.

According to Forrest Baird, professor of Philosophy, one objective of the Core program is to build community through its large class size. With 500 spaces open in Core 250, the class will contain about one-fifth of the undergraduate population.

Baird explained, “We readmitted larger classes and have a backlog of students to which we are trying to deal with the issue of the most positive way possible.” Though there will be a few additional students to the Core team, Baird stressed that there will be no change in the course or requirements.

New discussion group leaders will be added to the Core team for additional support. The new leaders are: Michael Ingram, associate professor of Communication Studies; Ken Shipps, provost and dean of faculty; Gary Whisenhunt, registrar; and Cheryl Vawter, assistant director of Continuing Studies. According to Baird, each new member has a background in either history or philosophy.

With the increase in class size Core 250 will be held in the Cowles Memorial Auditorium instead of the usual recital hall where it has been in the past. Baird said this was the result of student demands because music can be integrated into the Core 250 work due to the music capabilities available in the auditorium.

Baird encouraged all sophomores, juniors and seniors who still need to take the class to take advantage of the unusually large class size.

Students will almost be guaranteed a spot and this will only occur once every three or four years.

Computers

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At Whitworth, computers are available in dorms, although it is not realistic for students to have their own computer labs for student use. Pecka said there is a possibility that two or three computers could be placed within each dorm at a relatively low cost, which could be a way to meet student needs.

“We are looking at the possibility of placing some computers in the dorms, possibly in the study areas, although it is not realistic for this year,” he said. “This would give students access to computers 24 hours a day and there would be no need for lab assistants.”

There has also been discussion on extending library hours, but Pecka said students have not shown interest for extended hours. “There has been no real student pursuit for later hours. We may find that students could use it and it would work.”

Albino, however, has not seen any official student request for more extended hours.

Pecka suggests that if students are frustrated with the lack of computer availability they should voice their frustrations and make him aware of any suggestions they have on solving their frustration.

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ASWC Minutes

Wednesday, Nov. 1, 1995

• The new Outdoor Recreation Coordinator is freshman Dave Saugen, X4561.

• Tickets for the Nutcracker go on sale Thursday, Nov. 9 and will be $16.

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ATHLETICS

Fall Sports are Here!

Sophomore soccer player was transported by ambulance to Holy Family Hospital and was released with no injuries.

Nov. 2

1 p.m.

Bird sculpture was moved from the Fine Arts Building by four to five white male students. Upon arrival of Security the students had left. The sculpture was returned.
EDITORIAL

American companies must speak out against exploiting child labor

Ryan Howard

The clothes Americans wear have come along way. They may have come from Bangladesh, Myanmar, China, India, or Jamaica. American companies like Dole, The Gap, and Wal-Mart produce their goods in these countries at low cost and then market them in the U.S. To keep prices down, these companies encourage sweat-shop conditions. These include workers living in locked barracks, 16-hour days, extreme safety hazards, low wages, and little job security. These conditions are appalling.

According to Franklin Research & Development, a Boston-based ethical-investment firm, fewer than five percent of American retailers and branded-goods companies are now tackling human rights issues. Recently, at the instigation of Senator Tom Harkin (D-Iowa), the Labor Department investigated 19 countries. What they found was atrocious and embarrassing. In these countries, 46 million children work to make goods for American imports.

Most companies will not change their business practices out of the goodness of their own heart. Only consumer demand can stop them. Companies listen best when their profit margin is at risk. In an effort to stop the exploitation, Americans should refuse to buy products from companies that continue to operate under such dreadful conditions. Companies that have known to abuse labor should be boycotted.

Since the study, Harkin has introduced a bill to the Senate to ban imports of goods made by anyone under the age of 14. Because of powerful business interests, this bill will only be passed if U.S. citizens urge their representatives to support it.

By wearing clothes, eating food, and sitting on furniture made in such wretched conditions, Americans are supporting the denial of human rights. Consumers must use their economic vote and refuse to buy products that were made in countries with a history of civil rights violations. Then they must use their political voice to gain passage of Harkin’s bill. Only by actively speaking out and acting against this exploitation can it be stopped.

Concerned citizen questions atom bomb

Dear editor,

It has been 50 years since the dropping of the atomic bombs on Japanese cities. Earlier this year, there was much controversy about the Enola Gay exhibit at the Smithsonian. Their reason for the controversy is that documentation has been discovered by historians that indicated the United States bombed Hiroshima and Nagasaki after knowing that the Japanese were willing to surrender.

Further evidence is that this was done to intimidate the Russians and show them the terrible destruction wrought by nuclear weapons.

There is nothing surprising about the truth. It corresponds nicely with the fact that the U.S. and every other capitalist nation on earth invaded Russia after the Bolshevik revolution to destroy the incipient rise of socialism and the threat to their wealth and power of the ruling class in every capitalist country.

Also, it corresponds with the atrocities committed by the U.S., either directly or through proxies, in Vietnam, Guatemala, El Salvador, Angola, Mozambique, Chile, Indonesia, and East Timor.

This tremendous carnage, involving the violent deaths of millions of people and the starvation deaths of millions more, was done to stop the spread of socialism and ensure corporations could sell cheap labor and natural resources.

The idea of several hundred thousand Japanese dying, and thousands of others suffering from radiation poisoning, for the same reason is very consistent with history both before and after World War II.

This letter should in no way be seen as a condemnation of the sacrifices of American soldiers who fought against fascism in World War II. I have the greatest respect and admiration for them.

The same is true for those forgotten American soldiers who fought against fascism with the International Brigades in Spain. They are heroes to me. This letter simply questions the morality and the reasons for the use of the atom bomb.

Sincerely,

Gary Sudborough Bellflower, Calif.

EDITORIAL

Responsibility of U.S. necessary to stop moral atrocities in Bosnia

Ed Kruss

Civil war has been raging in the former Yugoslavia. News reports tell of victims dead or dismembered by viscous artillery attacks on civilians targets. Serbian soldiers have begun an ethnic cleansing program which, with its prison camps and mass graves, is reminiscent of the Holocaust. Despite this horror, the world has been reluctant to intervene. Therefore, the U.S. must send in troops to enforce the peace, using military force if and when necessary.

The Bosnian conflict is not something which pertains only to Europe. The world has been aptly termed a global village, where one nation’s problems affect the world as a whole. Other nations have seen the atrocities committed in this civil war.

As one of the leaders of the free world, the U.S. cannot turn a blind eye to these war crimes and towards the innocent victims trapped in a war zone. The U.S. has a moral responsibility to ensure that peace is established.

The United Nations has been a toothless wonder in Bosnia. With no ability to respond to Serbian aggression, the U.N. has been useless in enforcing cease-fires. With no accountability peace agreements have come and gone. Only the U.S. and other NATO forces have the ability to act decisively. They are the greatest hope Bosnia has for peace.

As the U.S. debates the issue of troop deployment to Bosnia, it is important that objectives and motives are clear. The purpose of troop deployment should not be to begin an offensive against the Serbs, but to ensure peace is established. If these accords are not followed, the U.S. should respond with appropriate military action. The U.S. must not be the only ones to bear the burden and the U.S. should be the only ones to bear the burden.

Given the inability of U.N. forces to respond to Serb aggression in Bosnia, U.S. and NATO forces need to respond to the moral atrocities being committed. Peace must be brought to Bosnia, and the U.S. has the ability and moral obligation to do so.
Culture shock: Bambi at the bullfight

College Press Service

Madrid, Spain. - Let me first say that I'm not crazy about the whole idea of bullfighting. In the second grade I accidentally killed a squirrel when I hit it with my bicycle. I was in mourning for a week. I'm now a grown older and watched roughly six billion acts of violence on television, my urge to avoid watching a bull get killed was overcome by my eagerness to see what this part of Spanish culture is all about.

I'm sure there's a lot more to a bullfight than just watching guys in Baroque spandeks suits with Mouseteaker hats putting fondue skewers into a bull that looks as lost and confused as a German tourist in Spain. This, I figured, "Death in the Afternoon," so I can't explain all the finer points. I can just tell you what happened at this bullfight.

The first thing I had to do was find a "bunch of guys" to go with, because, like baseball, I felt it was more entertaining than the action on the field. So that done, we all went to a movie and then to the Reina Sofia Museum a few years ago. Not much later we found the rest of our buddy group at a cafe, eating one of Spain's traditional dishes: ham, fried-orange things dipped in a thick sauce, and a bottle of Coke not much bigger than a shot glass. There sat a, lawyer, a former doctor, and George, a little known Australian television personality.

After an hour of drinking beer (the Superstake to instant friendship), they decided to join us. We took the metro for 10 minutes to the Plaza de las Ventas. George, in his booming Australian voice, told us (and the entire subway car full of silent coming Spaniards) several humorous stories, all of which he began, "I know, in Australia..."

There were no tailgating parties in front of the bullring. Bullfight is a lot of action, mostly in the form of people selling souvenirs: bullfighting hats, expenses, mineral water, and custom-made shirts that list your name as matador. Robert brought his pretzel, while I picked up some mineral water with an 'I am an idiot' (shock). They paid $3 for four rows in the 6th row, plus $1 each for a coffee mug, because all the Spanish people seemed to love them and, as Ian pointed out, "You must know you're doing it.

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Study, travel, grow on British Isles tour

**KATHRYN SCHREYER**
**Staff Writer**

Have you ever dreamed of taking a trip to the British Isles and spending your time hopping from one bed and breakfast to another, all the while exploring historic castles and museums? If so, then next fall your dream could come true.

In September 1996, Whitworth is offering a British Isles study tour lead by a team of professors who will be teaching English, Art and History. The tour lasts three months and each month is led by a different professor. September is kicked off with associate professor of History and medieval historian, Corliis Slack, who will be going on his third tour. "I'm a medieval historian, so all I want out of life is to stand in an actual castle instead of reading about it," said Slack. Her tour begins in London where they will visit the Tower of London and the British Museum, and then to Wales where they will explore numerous castles and then to Northern England and Scotland. In Scotland, students will meet up with assistant professor of History, Barbara Filo, to continue their study tour on to Eastern England where they will gain a greater appreciation for art and architecture. This will be Filo's fourth time to take students on the tour. Finally in November, students will travel to London where they will meet up with assistant professor of English, Michael Bowen, who specializes in literary England and will take them to actual places found in literature. His tour consists of London, Bath and a trip to Cambridge. "A student can go to British school for a semester and be living in Britain, which is a great experience, but this is different because you get a taste of the whole British Isles," said Slack.

Not only is this experience geographically exciting, but the curriculum is as well. "We try to make the assignments different from those one would find on campus," said Slack. "There is a fair amount of reading but less writing in the traditional way so that people can spend more time experiencing the culture instead of in their room studying. For an assignment I may say, 'I need you to see five castles in seven days and here are some of the transportation problems. Let's work on how we're going to get there.'" A student may even be sent to an art gallery with a worksheet to be filled out about a certain piece of art or to an Irish library to do some research.

"One of the greatest teaching experiences I had was when we discussed The Tempest in Shakespeare's own classroom."

—Michael Bowen
Assistant Professor of English

The main point of the tour is to study literature, art and history in the place in which it happened. "We are doing a lot of literature that was either written at or is about the places we visit," said Bowen. "I plan to have the students meet in the morning for an hour to discuss and then later in the afternoon we will go see the place we are studying. One of the greatest teaching experiences I have ever had was when we discussed the Tempest in Shakespeare's own classroom and then the next night we saw the play." All professors involved agree this is an experience that should not be missed. "There will be life changing experiences because of the associations with other students on the tour and because they will have to require a lot of stamina to be on their own and away from family for three months in a new environment," said Filo. In addition to adjusting to being in a new atmosphere, students will have to adapt to the different culture. "For the first time our students are in the minority. Not only with our accent but our manners, our clothing, our loudness, our need to always take showers and even our eating habits," said Bowen. "All of that makes us different, but I think it is healthy to experience that." High energy levels must also be maintained as the group will be continually moving every couple of nights to a different bed and breakfast. Bowen said that a study tour is an experience that could transform one's life. "The single biggest regret of my graduate years is not having gone overseas. I was always worried about getting in all the right classes for graduate school," said Bowen. However, he said that if a student has reasonable enough goals, a study tour is quite workable with their schedule. The three classes students will be taking on the tour, English, Art and History, are four credit classes. The cost of the study tour in regular tuition excluding room and board plus approximately $3500. Also the student is responsible for covering the price of their airline ticket. "I think if students are interested in travel and want to see these places, they will think, while sitting in their dorm rooms, for about $3500 they could actually be there," said Bowen. "If you are interested in the study tour, contact Bowen at 466-1000 ext. 4224.

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Versatile Basset: from rock star to chauffer to vampire

College Press Service

What's love got to do with it?

If you're Angela Bassett, the answer is everything. After years of playing the silver screen small-town girl on TV ("Cosby Show") and in movies ("Boyz 'n the Hood", "Malcolm X"), Bassett finally got to strut her stuff as Tina Turner in "What's Love Got To Do With It?" Her stirring portrayal of the rock diva and legendary survivor earned her an Oscar nomination and set the stage for a succession of films soon to arrive in theaters.

On the big screen now is "Strange Days," an apocalyptic cautionary tale that turns a new eye on Los Angeles. A film version of "Waiting to Exhale," in which she shares the screen with Whitney Houston.

"It was a matter of looking around for something good after "Macy" and "Love,"" says the friendly, talkative actress during a conversation at a Manhattan hotel. "People think, O.K., that was good. What are you going to do next? Can anything even come close or was "What's Love" just a fluke?" I got scripts about single women's autonomy that were too little, too obvious. Somebody sent a script about Harriet Tubman, but I thought "That's my life." So for brilliantly years ago.

What to do?

Little time passed before Bassett had her answer. "Strange Days," written by her ex-husband, James Baldwin. And Bigelow, she says, was the most satisfied with the film's message, which is that it is getting smaller and more volatile and the only way to achieve a brighter future is for people to become more understanding and racially tolerant. "The future of "Strange Days" will be upon us very soon if we don't learn to live together," says Baldwin.

As much as Bassett ultimately enjoyed working with Snipes and Bigelow, she is the most satisfied with the film's message, which is that it is getting smaller and more volatile and the only way to achieve a brighter future is for people to become more understanding and racially tolerant. "The future of "Strange Days" will be upon us very soon if we don't learn to live together," says Baldwin.

"I'm dressed, waiting to celebrate New Year's," she notes, "my husband comes in. I'm dressed, waiting to celebrate New Year's, and hang out until our children turn 18, enjoy the finery, the money and the nice house. But I know, maybe I could have gotten ten out first and then I might not have been so devastated. So for Brendan, it's about trying to get her life, her sense of joy back.

"There's nothing to do in the way of Bassett's ascent to superstardom. Even racism, while it has affected her, hasn't impeded the actress, who first fell in love with acting when, at age 15, and on a class trip to Washington, D.C. theater, she saw James Earl Jones in a stage of "Of Mice and Men." Bassett watched intently as such African-American actresses as Cicely Tyson and later, Whoopi Goldberg, broke racial barriers in the process of succeeding at their craft. Now, as her own star rises, Bassett hopes she might one day inspire some young aspirateur somewhere.

"I want to do good work and encourage others to do good work," she says. "I just want to stay on the path and keep clear of the way those who came before me have cleared it."
Rugby 'Scum Bucs' are undefeated
Without ASWC funding and every game on the road, rugby has fielded a great team

BRYAN DUFRESNE
Staff Writer

With a lack of fan support, an absence of ASWC money, and a season in which every game has been played on the road, Whitworth's rugby team, the Scum Bues, have managed to put together a 2-0-1 season.

For a while the Scum Bues were unsure if they would have a team at all. Last spring ASWC voted to cut their funding due to liability of sponsoring the team. Without funding, the Scum Bues would have to pay for everything out of their own pocket. In addition, the Scum Bues also found out they were no longer allowed to play games at home because of these liability struggles.

When the season looked bleak, the Scum Bues pulled together and decided to play regardless of the ASWC cut and that they would not be allowed to play on campus. Using money out of their own pockets and only playing games on the road, the penniless and homeless Scum Bues set out to turn a bad start into the new season into something positive.

In the first game the Scum Bues beat Gonzaga 5-2 with freshman Erik Hilliard accounting for the scoring. This was an impressive win considering the Gonzaga team ended the season 4-1, the only loss coming at home.

"We were always out sized, but would come together at game time and back each other up."

-Kerby Ward
Rugby player

football season coming to an end the Scum Bucs bolster their line up as some of the football players will join the rugby team.

In discussing the early success of the Scum Bucs, Ward said, "We were always out sized, but would come together at game time and back each other up."

Along with the disadvantages of losing funding the players have found that playing only away games has hurt their fan support a great deal.

Ward said, "We used to get a lot of fan support at our home games. We still have a few people who show up for our away games but it isn't at all like it was when we were able to play on campus. The support is way down."

In addition, the Scum Bues also

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Football
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Football
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Goalies
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J.J. Green
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NCIC Championships
at Whitworth
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Football
Volleyball
vs. Lewis & Clark
College
NA

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CARLEY BURRELL
Copy Editor

Imagine spiraling part of your summer to Ashland, Ore., a town of gourmet restaurants, bookstores, specialty shops and creative people. Imagine seeing some of Shakespeare’s plays performed live, outdoors, under the stars, by what English Professor Michael Bowen describes as the largest regional, professional theater company in the United States. Now imagine earning three upper-division credits for taking part in this experience.

For the second year in a row, students can take part in this opportunity through a summer class called “Shakespeare in Ashland,” taught by Bowen. Students who enroll in the class will study four of Shakespeare’s plays in five weeks. During the sixth week, the class will travel to Ashland to see live performances of the plays. In addition, the class will see plays by other playwrights. The Shakespeare plays include “Love’s Labors Lost,” an early comedy; “The Winter’s Tale,” a late play; and “Romeo and Juliet.” In teaching the class, Bowen tries to keep it from being purely lecture. “We approach each play with a different creative assignment,” he said.

The class was very intense, Bowen plans to order tickets for the class to see a professional performance of “As You Like It.” Bowen estimates the cost of the class will be around $800. This figure covers everything including tuition, tickets, gas and food. The cost will be brought down from last year because Bowen plans to have students stay in people’s homes rather than in hotels, as last summer’s class did. Bowen plans to order tickets in May 28 and end July 3.

Senior Shannon Keesaw and juniors Tricia Sullivan and David Collins enjoyed a day on the town in Ashland, Ore. last summer.

“[Going to Ashland] was the culmination, the reward of the whole class ... since plays are meant to be seen, not read.”
—Tricia Sullivan

Jr.

To work against Colin Powell if he were to run for the presidential nomination. The conservatives decided to unleash an anti-Powell drive because they believe him to be too liberal on issues from taxes to abortion. They said that Powell’s popularity has grown so much that he could divide the party if he got into the race. Powell recently completed his book tour and said he will make a decision about whether to run for the presidency in the next few weeks.

Prime Minister of Israel assassinated

Jerusalem- The Prime Minister of Israel Yitzhak Rabin was assassinated Saturday, Nov. 4th while he was addressing a gathering to celebrate the Middle East peace process. He was gunned down and rushed to the nearest hospital where he died an hour later. Israeli authorities have arrested a 27-year-old male law student with ties to a militant right-wing Jewish group. He was reported to have publicly confessed and said he did the will of God. At the time of the assassination Israel was relinquishing some authority over to the Palestinian and the peace process was relatively on schedule. Rabin won the Nobel Peace Prize in 1994 for his leadership in the peace process.

Prime Minister of Israel assassinated

Kigali, Rwanda - More than 250 Hutus in northern Burundi were killed in a raid last weekend which appears to have been the work of soldiers of the country’s government, a senior Burundian official said. The attackers were said to have struck on Tangara Hill near the northern town of Ngari. Most of the people killed were villagers. In recent months extremist militias from both sides have threatened to torpedo the uneasy reconciliation between the Hutu led government and the army. Despite moves toward pluralist politics, the army has refused to open its ranks to the Hutus which may be part of the reason for the recent violence.
Whitworth students, faculty observeooms when a fire alarm off. The study, which based on a college level examination of 500,000 Pennsylvania residents, says that employees with college degrees saw their incomes rise five percent during the 1980s, while those with high school degrees enjoyed a 20 percent rise in annual salaries. High school graduates, on the other hand, had their earnings decline by 13 percent while high school dropouts found their incomes dropped by 11 percent.

The odds of achieving or retaining middle-class status without one or both spouses earning a bachelor's degree are declining," says the PIRCUC study which was funded by a group of 600 American universities. "Education is usually the determining factor in terms of income level."

The study also indicates that: In 1950, white men were 16 percent more likely to have a college degree than African American men, up from 12 percent more likely in 1960.

55 percent of all children 18 or younger have parents who have a college degree, while 15 percent have parents who have a college degree, while 15 percent have parents who have
not completed high school.

- Students from families with incomes less than $15,000 dropped out of high school four times as often as those students whose families earned $60,000.

- Children of college graduates are more likely to earn college degrees than children of high school graduates, although 60 percent of students from each group attend at least some college.

- Women with college degrees usually marry men with college degrees while high school dropouts usually marry other high school dropouts.

The Pennsylvania study con-

Results from the Nov. 3-4, 1995
Northwest College Forensics Tournament

**Whitworth takes THIRD place out of 19 schools**

Brian Boyle / Rebecca Ricard  1st Duo
Ryan Howard  4th Informative
Taylor Nisley  5th Prose
Lisa O'Donnell  1st Prose
Jennifer Reynolds  2nd Prose
Rebecca Ricard  3rd Informative
Joshie Uhler  1st Debatique Interp
Laura Walker  5th Extemporaneous

Results from the Nov. 5, 1995
Carroll College Forensics Tournament

**Whitworth takes FIRST place out of 13 schools**

**Whitworth takes SECOND place at the Yellowstone Swing**

Brian Boyle / Rebecca Ricard  1st Duo
Brian Boyle  4th Informative
Lisa O'Donnell  2nd Debatique Interp
Jennifer Reynolds  3rd Debatique Interp
Rebecca Ricard  3rd Informative
Laura Walker  4th Communication Analysis

Overall Individual Speaker Sweepstakes Awards:
Tied for 13th place out of 93 students:
Brian Boyle, Lisa O'Donnell, Jennifer Reynolds
Third place: Rebecca Ricard

**Fire safety**

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*Fire safety*

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$25. There is a $15 fine for prop-
ing down and unauthorized use of fire exits and escapes.

Responsibility for alarms falls heavily on the RA's and the resi-
dent director of the hall. None of the residence hall alarm systems are directly linked to security or the fire department. "Security has to be called when an alarm goes off. The RA or RD is in charge of the decision about calling the fire department," Albrecht said.

Once a security officer arrives at the residence hall, the officer and the RD walk through to check for fire, and when the building is secure, they turn off the alarm.

Several buildings on campus have alarm systems that are linked to a central reporting station, includ-
ing the health center, the Field House, the library, the Whitmore-

Campus Beat

Security Report

Nov. 5

Male found sleeping in pickup behind the Village. It was a tired commuter student who left upon request.

Nov. 7

2:12 p.m.

A four foot snowball was placed in the loop outside the WCC. Security had to remove the snowball in order for traf-

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24-hour visitation violates students' privacy, purity, safety

Hanna Ganser

By permitting a 24-hour visitation policy, Whitworth is effectively encouraging violations of privacy. This accommodates opportunities for sexual immorality, and endangers the safety of its own students. Students choose these policies through the Residence Area Policy meetings, at which they discuss and vote on several policy issues. There are two primary problems with this arrangement. First, if college-age people are given the option of more restriction, after recently escaping the curfew and rules of home, it is highly unlikely that they will vote for a restricted visiting policy. The second problem is that those students who do want to limit visitation must raise their hand in a crowded room and face the scoffs of their peers if they do not vote with the majority. Because the hallway lies in between a person's bedroom and the bathroom, it is a personal and private location between the time a person prepares for bed and the time he or she leaves for classes in the morning. There is no reason that students should have to bundle up to dodge members of their dorm community. However, some students do not. If a small number of residents can't handle their hormones during the evening hours, those who can should be willing to subject themselves to the discipline and inconvenience of visitation hours for the protection of the chastity of those who cannot.

The issue of safety must also be addressed. Whitworth is not immune to acquaintance and date rape. Allowing access to any person, at any time, allows the problem to decrease. If 24-hour visitation was not allowed, it would be easier to spot suspicious activity. But, because it is not unusual to see women in men's dorms and vice versa, it is more difficult to identify. There are three changes that might help to curb these problems. Some dorms on campus could be designated for having set visiting hours. In addition, R.A.P. meetings should be changed to a silent vote so that students who are intimidated by their peers can say what they really think. Lastly, visitation after certain hours could be restricted to the lounge or other public areas to facilitate those who would like to have late night discussions. It is time for responsible, self-controlled students to surrender some of their individual freedom for the accountability, purity, and safety of the community. True, not everyone is driving into a pool of sin as soon as the clock strikes midnight, but why be so afraid of minor precautionary action?

Letters to the Editor policy

The Whitworthian welcomes your views on issue of interest to the college community. Letters should be typed and must bear the writer's name, signature, class standing, major, and phone number (for verification only). Anonymous letters will not be published. We reserve the right to edit all letters. Letters should be sent to the editor c/o ASWC, or e-mail: chorcher@whitworth.edu. Letters must be received by 5 p.m., Wednesday Nov. 29 for publication in the Dec. 5 issue.

Minority students in Illinois protest newspaper's focus

College Press Service

DeKalb, Ill.—Northern Illinois University minority students who said they were upset about inadequate coverage in the student newspaper, recently stormed the school's cashier's office and demanded a refund of a portion of their student fees.

"We feel like we're not being represented by the staff," said NIU student Daryl Jones. "Instead of being a student paper for the students, the Northern Star has become a paper for the Northern Star staff.'

NIU students helped subsidize the Northern Star by paying six cents per credit hour for the publication, and any one student's total contribution does not exceed 72 cents. Officials from the cashier's office indicated that students who did not wish to allocate money toward the school paper would be credited on their next tuition bill.

One NIU student, however, has said he will pay for any fees the paper may lose. "I'd just really hate to see NIU without a newspaper," senior Jon Gilbertson told the Star. "Even with all its faults, it's better than nothing.

Jones, and other students said they are upset by the Star's editorial treatment of minorities. "When the stories are about African American or other minority students, the coverage is on one side of the issue," said Jones, who is also a member of the student government. "The reporters show a lack of sensitivity when they write. The stories don't reflect what really happens."

Jones pointed to a recent flap over the Homecoming king and queen as an example. "For years, photos of the king and queen ran on the front page," said Jones. "But for the past few years, there's been an African-American king and queen, their pictures aren't even in the paper."

But most frustrating of all, Jones said, is the lack of accountability from the paper's staff. "There isn't anyone who's willing to take final responsibility for what gets printed," said Jones.

But Leslie Rogers, the paper's editor-in-chief, said The Northern Star's stories reflect what occurs on campus. "We print what happens," Rogers said. "There's no misrepresentation or withholding of facts."

"Still, Rogers says she's willing to hear the concerns of the students. "The Northern Star is the student paper," she says. "It's our objective to represent the students."

Shortly after the protest, Rogers and her staff participated in a forum to hear the concerns of students, many of whom brought up the Homecoming photos.

Ralph Argueta, the paper's photo editor, told students that no photos were taken of the king and queen because of a shortage of photographers to cover the event. Argueta's answer did little to satisfy junior Michelle Ivey, who accused Star staffers of racism. "All I want is for nobody to put me down," Ivey said. "Everyone has their opinion. I'm entitled to my opinion as long as it doesn't offend or hurt anyone else.

Jones, who helped organize the forum, said the recent protest over the paper's content is not an issue of race or fairness. It's one of economics. "Contributing to the paper makes us consumers," Jones said. "As a consumer, I'm not satisfied with the product, and I want my money back."

At the forum, some NIU students said they were willing to stage a sit-in if their concerns were not addressed. Last spring, student protests at DeKalb University staged a 10-day sit-in at the school's student newspaper office to protest the paper's coverage of minority issues.

Jones said he hopes a similar scenario doesn't happen in DeKalb. "We're trying to work this out in a productive way," he said. "We're trying to make this work better for all of us."
"Holidays such as Thanksgiving Day are constructed and re-constructed in a way that tells us more about society than the symbolic significance of the original event," says Armelagos. Armelagos calls today's Thanksgiving holiday "a triumph of Yankee salaciousness." He explains that what had been a New England tradition gradually gained acceptance in all regions of the nation. Although U.S. presidents, beginning with George Washington in 1789, have issued proclamations for Thanksgiving observances, it was up to state governors to declare official holidays. Transplanted New Englanders, particularly newspaper editors, hounded governors for proclamations. The South initially resisted, defiantly holding Thanksgiving a week before the date President Ulysses Grant set for the rest of the nation.

According to Armelagos, industrialization, compulsory educa­tion and mass communications all played a role in passing Thanksgiving traditions and myths from generation to generation.

"Nowadays, we've created our own cultural patterns in celebrating the holiday," says Armelagos. "For example, instead of participating in sports activities, such as archery or turkey shoots, after the meal, we watch football games."

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**The origin of Thanksgiving**

*College Press Service*

Atlanta—The largely gathered at the dinner table. Dad poised over the turkey with a carving knife, a prayer of thanks— all Thanksgiving traditions passed down from the Pilgrims' first observance 300 years ago, right? Not quite.

According to Emory University anthropologist George Armelagos, version was the main course at the Pilgrims' three-day celebration and no mention was made of thanks.

In fact, Maine, Virginia, Texas, and Florida all claim they were the site of the first Thanksgiving not Massachusetts.

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**Calendar features 'Studmuffins of Science'**

*College Press Service*

New York—Karen Hopkins has been around scientists for most of her life. And despite what you may think, the biochemist says that most of them are fairly attractive people. "There's this geek stigma about us," Hopkins says. "But that's hardly the case."

To prove her point, Hopkins created the "Studmuffins of Science" calendar, a collection of 12 male scientists from universities across the nation who hardly fit the "taped-glass, pocket-protector" stereotype. In the calendar, the hunky scientists are pictured outside their classrooms and laborato ries, usually in poses that emphasize physical exercise over exercising "the brain.

"This is another attempt to dispel stereotypes," Hopkins says. "Young people can see that what they want to do is just as normal as someone else might want to do."

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**Nov. 15:** Midweek Worship • chapel • 11:15 a.m. Last day to drop a class and automatically receive a "W" Second Wind meeting • WCC room C. Dixon ASWC Assembly meeting • WCC • 5 p.m.

**Nov. 16:** Circle K meeting • WCC room • 8:30 p.m. DIG Bible Study • Hill House • 7 p.m. Compliance • chapel • 9:45 p.m. Amenity meeting • WCC game room • 10 p.m.

**Nov. 17:** Forum: Hugh Ross • 11:15 a.m.

**Nov. 18:** Women's Basketball: Montana Tech at Whitworth • 4 p.m.

**Dec. 5:** Whitworth College Choir presents its annual Christmas Festival concerts. The concerts, titled "Let Heaven and Earth Rejoice," will take place at First Presbyterian Church. On Dec. 5, the concert will begin at 7:30 p.m.; Dec. 8, 8 p.m.; and Dec. 9, 3 p.m. Tickets are $8 and are available through Cash Select-a-Seat (325-3EAT). No tickets are available at the door. For more information, contact Randi Van Elleison, professor of music at 666-3280.

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**Whitworth Speaks Out**

**What valuables would you save if there was a fire in your dorm room?**

"I would save my dog, and if my roommate did not get her pig, I would get the pig.

"—Sarah Rice sophomore"

"I would save my dog, and if my roommate did not get her pig, I would get the pig.

"—Brent Kaufman freshman"

"I would have to save my blanks because I take it everywhere. I still sleep with it.

"—Jaime Cantu freshman"

"If I had to jump out the second story of Stewart Hall, I would definitely take my e-mail disk. My entire last three months of correspondence with the outer world is on the disk. Maybe some textbooks and notes.

"—Charles Danny Rock sophomore"

"I would take my photo album. I don't have the negatives. They have lots of memories.

"—Anne Gallagher freshman"

"I would take my computer, it is the most expensive thing that I own. I guess that is kind of big thought.

"—Malia Dilworth freshman"

"I would grab my roommate because if I lost my roommate, I would not have a roommate. I love my roommate so much, and if I lost him I would not know what to do here at Whitworth. There are not too many roommates who would want to [live] with me.

"—Jay McArthur sophomore"

"I would save my dog, and if my roommate did not get her pig, I would get the pig.

"—Sarah Rice sophomore"

"My roommate because I love him.

"—Brent Kaufman freshman"
Strong ties return alumni to Whitworth

SARAH MARSH
Staff Writer

Have you ever imagined yourself working at Whitworth after you graduate? Does that idea seem impossible? Well, with over 90 alumni who work at Whitworth, I have chances of turning may not be as slim as they seem.

Gordon Watanabe, assistant professor of education and special assistant to the president, worked as a student at an institution that he would end up working at Whitworth. After graduating in 1975, Watanabe returned to work at Whitworth in 1983 as director of international student affairs. Returning in 1992 as a professor of education was again, not necessarily something he would have expected.

Perhaps the fact that he never caught a pine cone should have been a clue to Tad Wisner, assistant director of admissions and soon to be director of alumni relations, that his time at Whitworth would not be finished upon graduating.

After graduating from Whitworth in 1989, Wisner went to work in Seattle as a writer and editor for a marketing research firm. He said his time in Seattle gave him perspective on his Whitworth education and really made him think.

"It wasn't until I left that I realized just how unique this place is," said Wisner.

Though he was not looking for this job, when it opened up, he found that it really met the criteria he was looking for.

Working at Whitworth also came as a surprise to Dolly Jackson, director for annual giving, returned only four months after graduating in May of 1992. Lots of people didn't believe she would still be a student anywhere.

"I had always had a job at Whitworth since I was a high school freshman and had worked for the college in one way or another. To not be a student any longer and to be working here was strange," said Jackson.

Whitworth came as a surprise for many alumni, they are glad to be back and want to do all they can to support the college.

"It's so hard to work here. A lot of people who work here know that we could go other places that pay more, but there are a lot of benefits you can't put in the bank. You wish you could do more all the time because it means so much to you. I think the education of heart and mind. I think that's the amazing mission." It isn't hard for these folks to want to give back. According to Stephanie Halton, resident director of Warren Hall, who graduated from Whitworth in 1988, "It's a unique experience to be a part of a place that you believe in and you believe in the product."

For me this has become a job where I have a sense of ministry as such a sense of occupation. I think that Whitworth does as Christian institution is unique and very important in a world that often doesn't appreciate the balance between academic and intellectual curiosity and a strong Christian base and commitment to Jesus Christ."

"Being an alumna also adds to the way people do their job and the satisfaction they get out of it," Halton said. "I don't think you have to be an alum to be an effective member of the team, but there is a real love for this place. It means a lot to me, so that attachment is a little different for me."

Jackson said that being an alum makes it easier for him to work and try to raise money for Whitworth and enhance the relationship people have with the college because it literally changed my life. It brought me to Christ.

Jackson, associate dean for Academic Affairs, Class of 1960

"What Whitworth does as a Christian institution is unique and a very important program in a world that often doesn't appreciate the balance we achieve here between academic and intellectual curiosity and a strong Christian base and commitment to Jesus Christ."

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-Tad Wisner, assistant director of Admissions Class of 1989

"On my good days I feel like I'm carrying on the Whitworth tradition of investment in young people that I've known for 35 years. I feel like I'm part of that chain that is trying to promote that same quality experience." -Tammy Reid, associate dean for Academic Affairs Class of 1960

That's why a lot of people around here get so fired up," said Jackson.

Watanabe agreed, "I thought I was going to work hard as a student, but when you are working here as faculty or staff it's almost all consuming. Most of the time I like it because I'm committed to the college."

known it over a 35 year period. The institution has stayed very strong. The mission of the students and the commitment of the faculty take on new faces, but they feel very much the same. So, I don't get too upset when we have some kind of setback because I know that it's a short term setback and the long term impact and direction of the college is strong."

Watanabe also thinks being an alumnus helps him to understand students. "Whitworth is a unique place, probably every school is. Because the reason between a solid Christian faith and the ability to explore without a lot of 'you can't talk about those things,' or this isn't appropriate to talk about,' this is a wonderful place to be. There is a tension that goes along with all that. When students are working through that I understand it and can talk about it from my own experience here on this campus. I think that's helpful. It shouldn't be required, but it's a strength," Watanabe said.

Laura Blanchard is a professor of English who graduated from the college in 1969, thinks that employees who are alumni are an asset, but they must be balanced out by people who aren't alumni.

Blanchard said, "My perception is that people who are alumni work at the business end about the institution in ways that other people don't. That's probably why we need a balance of people who are alumni and people who aren't. We sometimes much easier to be objective if you're not an alumnus. There is less emotional attachment and I think that might be healthier in terms of having a life away from the college and making decision from those places."

Employees of the college, whether alumni or not, can feel like they are a part of the tradition of Whitworth.

Reid said, "On my good days I feel like I'm carrying on the Whitworth tradition of investment in young people that I've known for 35 years. I feel like I'm part of the tradition and a part of that."

Sometimes Reid said that she feels she is in a time warp back to the days when she was an undergraduate. "I walk across campus and it's so green and it's so deserted and I imagine the voices and people that would have been there when I was a student.

Whitworth continues to draw students and employees that enrich Reid's life. Reid said, "The people I meet are in the present time, whether as an undergraduate or as an employee of the college have shaped me in mysterious and wonderful ways."
INTRAMURAL UPDATE

5 on 5 Basketball

TUESDAY NOV. 7
Men's Results:
Southbound (2-1) d. The Hwy Hawaiians (0-1) 69-18
High Scorer: Sheldon Smith (SM) 26 pts.
Red Necks (1-0) d. Phi SLAMMA JAMMA (1-0) 45-37
High Scorer: Nate Harrison (RN) 16 pts.
Hoopshooler (0-1) d. McQuar (0-2) 62-44
High Scorer: Elijah Burks (H) 22 pts.

WEDNESDAY NOV. 8
Men's Results:
Southbound (3-0) d. The Nads (0-3) 66-44
High Scorer: Brian Ainsworth (N) 21 pts.
Moon and Stars (1-0) d. The Faculty (0-1) 57-48
High Scorer: Blc Three Stars (MS) 20 pts.

THURSDAY NOV. 9
Men's Results:
Southbound (2-1) d. Panum (0-1) 51-37
High Scorer: Sheldon Smith (SM) 26 pts.
Da Off Dirty Bastards (2-0) d. McQuar (0-2) 62-50
High Scorer: Hal Shabazz (MV) 21 pts.

FRIDAY NOV. 10
Men's Results:
The Boon Doggers (1-0) d. The Nads (0-2) 75-42
High Scorer: John Beckman (RB) 15 pts.

SATURDAY NOV. 11
Women's Results:
Hooligants (2-0) d. Pen Poppers (0-2) 49-11
High Scorer: Lyle Cochran (P) 18 pts.
Red Necks (1-0) d. Panum (0-2) by default
Phi SLAMMA JAMMA (1-1) d. The Hwy Hawaiians (0-2) 53-33
High Scorer: Ben Bruengsteiger (PS) 15 pts.

MONDAY NOV. 13
Game 1: Easy Riders vs. Panum
Game 2: Rich vs. Pen Poppers
Game 3: Panum vs. The Field Hawaiians

SATURDAY NOV. 18
Game 1: Moon and Stars vs. Phi SLAMMA JAMMA
Game 2: Country Pride vs. The Faculty
Game 3: The Boon Doggers vs. Hoopshoolers

SUNDAY NOV. 19
Game 1: Faculty vs. Red Necks
Game 2: Phi SLAMMA JAMMA vs. Southbound
Game 3: Mac vs. The Boon Doggers
Game 4: Phi SLAMMA JAMMA vs. Easy Riders
Game 5: The Boon Doggers vs. Arend Nuggards

Indoor Soccer

THURSDAY NOV. 2
The Bluecoat-Hippo Spinful Fluid Drinkers (0-0-0) tied The Champs (0-0-1)
Glacier Da'Ball (1-0-1) d. Sequoias (0-1)

SUNDAY NOV. 5
Mixed Plate (1-0-1) d. The Dopa (0-1)
Arend Avalanche (1-0-0) d. The Superfly Stationary Strikers (0-1)
No Body Special (1-0) d. The Booted Hippo Spinful Fluid Drinkers (0-0-2) tied Sequoias 1-1-1

MONDAY NOV. 6
Glimmer Da'Ball (2-0-1) d. The Champs (0-1-1)
Mixed Plate (2-0-1) d. Arend Avalanche (1-1-1)
No Body Special (1-0-1) d. The Mac (0-1)
The Superfly Stationary Strikers (1-1-1) d. The Dopa (0-2)

WEDNESDAY NOV. 8
The Champs (1-1-1) d. The Mac (0-2)

THURSDAY NOV. 9
No Body Special (2-0-1) d. The Booted Hippo Spinful Fluid Drinkers (0-2-1)

Men's Basketball team brings an up-tempo crew on a mission

RICHIE LANE

The 1995-96 men's basketball team is on a mission. They are seeking redemption for coming so close to winning the NCIC title and going to the NAIA nationals. They came up one game shy by losing to Northern State.

"This years competition for league title is going to be a dogfight" predicted Head Coach Warren Friedrichs while explaining the Bucs' outlook. Tough league games will be against Lewis and Clark, Central Washington, Whitworth, Pacific Lutheran University and league newcomer George Fox.

Friedrichs said his team is ready for this season's challenges.
The upperclassmen are strong leaders and influence the team by example. They are simply just-get-it-done type of guys. "We've never had a team this good," said Friedrichs, "The entire team is strong."

A goal Friedrichs has established for the team is indisciplined strong, consistent work ethic.

The Bucs' top returnees are seniors Nick Dunham, Roman Wickers and Jeff Artzlich. In addition, senior John Beckman and junior Gabriel Jones, Louis Vagas, sophomore Sean Weston and Jeff Mix return. New to the team is transfer junior forward Sean Vargas, and Whitworth walk-on sophomore Nate Fox brings some height to the team. Rounding out the roster is one of the best pack of freshmen recruits Friedrich said he has ever coached. Spokane natives Greg Jones, Tyler Jordan and Richard Wash. Import Doug Schulz are all new this year.

"I don't think fans realize how much they contribute by...cheering us on," Nate Dunham senior, power forward

The Bucs' have a unified goal of improving their team skills each game and team leadership is going to play a big part in this process.

Dunham, who earned First Team All-NCIC last year, said, "Their isn't one star, but rather we as a team are stronger this year," Dunham who scored a high of 31 points last season, "confident of the team's depth."

Wickers' last season accomplishments warranted a 2nd Team All-NCIC honor. His role will be as a court motivator this season. Wickers would also like to improve on his 15.3 points per game average from last year and assure that the team's game plan is running effectively. He will be the primary shooting guard in the Buc's lineup this season.

"Assistant Coach Rodney Wecker described this year's team as a better outside shooting team and more athletic than past teams. 'The games will be more up-tempo this year," Wecker added.

One common theme expressed by the team was the advantage of playing at home. Dunham said, "I don't think fans realize how much they contribute by coming out and cheering us on. It is the key to winning here."

Wickers said that everyone on the court can hear the cheering and must respond.

Friedrichs added, "The home crowd is crucial and fans were a big part of last year's success. The cheering and music totally psyche's the team up."

Assistant Coach John Adams explained one of the strengths of this year's team is that of a crucial, but hard-to-measure statistic. Adams explained, "this team not only has a strong desire to win, but also is bound by a solid unified team spirit."

Whitworth is ranked 38th in the NAIA Division II preseason poll. The Bucs tip-off their season Nov. 20th, at 7 p.m. in the Fieldhouse.

Football

1 - 8 overall
0 - 4 Conference

us. Linfield
Lost 23 - 6

Passing
J.J. Green
60 - 145
1-2 on Passe

Receiving
David Glenn
3 catches 52 yards

Women's Basketball
1 - 0 overall
0 - 0 NCIC

us. Mount Royal College
exhibition
Won 59 - 52

Top Performers
Rebecca Moore
16 pts. 9 reb.
5-13 FG. 3-4 FT. 1-3PT.
Sherrif Northington
13 pts. 9 reb.
5-13 FG. 3-10 FT.

US. Linfield
Won 124 - 81

Top Performers
Dorian Reese
won 1000 m. Freestyle
won 200 m. Butterfly
Carley Bush
won 200 m. Freestyle
won 100 m. Freestyle

Women's Swimming
2 - 0 overall
2 - 0 NCIC

us. Linfield
Won 124 - 81

Top Performers
Shannon Braun
won 200 m. Freestyle
won 100 m. Freestyle

Cross Country
Brian Lynch will be going to the NAIA National Meet this weekend at Kenosha, Wisconsin
McQuilkin named as athletic director

McQuilkin had five major points to his philosophy and goals for the athletic department. The first is competitiveness. He said coaches must be recruiters, "experts in their discipline," and must "create moral training grounds." Second, is creating gender equality. To reach this he said that Women's Softball would be added in the near future. Another issue he has to deal with is the possibility of cutting programs. He said that he didn't want anything cut, rather add proportionality to Whitworth athletics.

Third, he sees fund-raising as a playing a major. "In essence, we need to sell Whitworth," he said. McQuilkin will get his first major test with Pirate Night Ill as U.S. Bank cut their donation from $8000 to $5000 - $4000. He will also need to get a new speaker. (I) need to find someone to articulate Whitworth's goals," said McQuilkin.

The next is making major improvements to facilities. This starts with a new weight room that Pirate Night Ill made possible. It also includes creating more "green space." With 15 sports currently and many of the teams practicing side-by-side and many not even able to play on Whitworth's grounds, more fields need to be added.

Finally he expands on the importance of building community. To accomplish this, Whitworth must "center the north side of town." This includes getting in touch with all of the businesses and the people as well. He wants coaches and athletes to reach out. To accomplish this he suggests athletes going to the Shrine's and coloring with kids, or a team "adopting a classroom" by going into a junior high class and making themselves available, and maybe three or four line backers going to the homes of the elderly during the winter to shovel the snow off of driveways and walkways.

"McQuilkin" communicates the philosophy and mission of the athletic department well," said Schatz.

Women's hoops: game plan will remain the same

SHARON OLNEY
Staff Writer

Now that the fall has come and gone and winter has begun showing its winter coat on campus, it's time for sports to move indoors the hardcourt. After a successful 1994-95 season, the women and coaches of this year's varsity basketball team are ready to face the road and bring excitement to the Fieldhouse once again.

"Our fans were great and gave us lots of support last year. We would like to see that support again, for it gives us a home court advantage as well as encourages us as a team to play hard," said Head Coach Helen Higgs.

According to Higgs, in her second year as the varsity women's basketball coach, her game plan and coaching tactics will remain the same.

"I like to keep my expectations the same. As a team, the main goal is to play every game to win. If I have goals or expectations that the players don't agree with, we will change those goals and expectations," said Higgs.

The women return four players from last year's squad. These include juniors Jennifer Tissie, senior Sherri Northington, and sophomores Malia Elliot and Andrea Shaver. These returners bring a lot of talent and experience that will be combined with experience from two transfer students as well as seven newcomers.

"I feel that we have plenty of girls, as well as a talented freshman class. We should have a solid rotation out on the court," said Higgs.

With a solid backcourt and talent on the inside blocks, Higgs hopes to have a balanced inside as well as outside game. This offensive scheme will include set plays, lots of motion, individual decisions, and quick shots.

According to Higgs, the team is not big compared to some of the competition, but what they don't have in size they make up for it with speed.

I would like to see the team score quick baskets on offense as well as get points off the transition game with good defense creating the fast break opportunities," said Higgs.

On the defensive side of the court, the plan is to play man defense but also run zone defenses just to confuse the opposition a bit. The team is also working on a variety of press breaks to create turnovers in the backcourt.

With the switch that is taking place in athletics from NAIA to NCAA, the women will be facing a tougher preseason as opposed to years past. The number of games in the preseason has also been limited.

"This road may be a bit more difficult and we may take our lumps along the way, but it should be a positive experience and prepare us for conference play come January," said Higgs.

Play began on Nov. 12 in an exhibition game against Mount Royal College. The Pirate's won 59-52, with Northington and transfer Rebecca Moore leading the way. Moore had 16 points and nine rebounds and Northington racked up 13 points and nine boards. Their next home match will be played on Saturday, Nov. 18 against Montana Tech, University.
WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Spokane voters reject city-county merger

Spokane – The charter which would have erased Spokane city limits and eliminated the County Commissioners and City Council, replacing them with a city county council and an elected executive was defeated by Spokane voters.

Opponents had warned that the charter would cause tax increases. Charter backers answered the claim, producing a study showing the charter would save $5.5 million or more in management salaries.

The predictions of savings were impossible to prove because financial decisions would have been made by a council that would remain only if the charter were passed.

In other elections, Washington voters rejected a tribal gaming initiative which would have allowed tribal gambling on Indian reservations. Voters also turned down Referendum 48 canceling a law passed by the Legislature in the last session that would have required property owners for any loss in property value caused by regulations adjusted for the public benefit.

Alexandria, Va. – Gen. Colin Powell declined to compete in the 1996 presidential elections because he said he lacked a calling for political life.

At a packed news conference the 64-year-old general declined the prospect of a presidential bid for 1996. Powell did not rule out a possible run in the year 2000.

Powell admitted to anguish in reaching his decision, but also exultation that a black man was fully respected as a serious presidential prospect by both parties.

He publicly declared himself as a Republican and promised to work with the party and broaden its base and help the Party of Lincoln to once again embody the spirit of Lincoln.

Clinton collides with Republicans

Washington, D.C. – President Clinton and the Republican Congress collided over two stopgap budget bills which could shut down the federal government on Nov. 14. Clinton has vowed to veto both bills unless Congress strips them of all conditions while House Speaker Newt Gingrich and Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole refused to meet the demands.

The two pending bills are quite limited in themselves, but have come to symbolize the budgetary differences dividing Clinton from Republicans over the future role of the federal government. The budget war is already defining the politics of 1996, a new CNN-USA Today Gallop poll shows Clinton beating Dole 53-43, helped largely by voter discontent with GOP budget plans.

Conditions that the most recent budgetary proposals contain are that the two spending bills include, raising Medicare premiums, cutting Social Security, trimming health care for the elderly, military and veterans assistance, and reducing the amount of money going to the Coalition in the Persian Gulf, of which the president has said he will not approve.

The White House, European governments and human rights groups reacted with outrage. President Nelson Mandela of South Africa also expressed outrage at the hanging. The British Commonwealth has suspended relations with Pakistan. The United Nations Security Council has strongly condemned the action.

Islamic militants have been leading a battle for the secession of Kashmir, India's only Muslim state, from Hindu India. They are calling for tough international sanctions with neighboring Muslim countries.

Indian Prime Minister P.V. Narasimha Rao hopes to resolve his country's worst crisis by holding the first Kashmir state assembly polls since 1987.

With elections coming up next month, parties representing Kashmir's six Muslims vowed to boycott the polls and Islamic militants threaten to assassinate candidates and election officials.

Their contention is that the government's policies are to be a part of Hindu India. They also claim that 72 percent of Kashmiris favor independence.

nstitution making changes in the traditional educational system to Tommy Reid, associate dean for Academic Affairs, the dean line-up shifting with new faculty in October, and having classes in session the Wednesday before Thanksgiving.

There are a number of reasons why Whitworth is considering making changes in the traditional educational system. The first is to provide greater educational opportunities for students.

This year, the college is offering a wide range of courses, including courses in economics, business and management.

In addition, the college is offering a new program in finance and accounting, which will be offered in the fall of 1999.

According to Reid, the new curriculum has been designed to accommodate these changes in the educational system and provide greater educational opportunities for students.

The college has been working with students, faculty and the local community to develop the new curriculum and ensure its success.
Federal aid faces cuts

CHRISTINE HOLMAN  
Staff Writer

As Congress attempts to balance the national debt, and as the 1996-97 fiscal year budget is being formed, the future of federal student aid is in question.

According to Soden, the committee has taken certain measures to understand what is wanted in order to meet their needs. "We carefully evaluate the interests of women on campus. It is assumed that there is additional interest in women's collegiate sports and we need to respond to that," Soden said.

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Athletics under examination

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Whitworth's athletic program is currently under revision. President Bill Robinson assigned the Athletics Task Force, who met several times this semester, to review the current athletic program and its philosophy, and to develop a strategic plan for the foreseeable future, according to the November 1995 Athletics Task Force Report. According to Fred Pfursich, Dean of Enrollment Services and member of the Task Force, three major recommendations have been proposed and will be evaluated by the cabinet. The main purpose for the appointed task force was to create a plan that would implement changes in the athletic program.

"The principle force behind this was the development of the strategic plan," said Dale Soden, associate professor of history, director of continuing studies, and chair of the Task Force. According to Soden, the Task Force consists of 13 non-athletic people, a point Soden said is important because it will result in impartial decisions.

The report, which was written in a joint effort by the Task Force, states that the three recommendations include a new athletics philosophy statement, gender equity in athletics, and budgeting issues.

We wanted to look more seriously at gender equity in our athletic program. The idea is to create more opportunities for women, said Pfursich.

"The fee would have been an extra expense to Whitworth of $10,000 this year," said vice president for Business Affairs, Tom Johnson. All three student loan programs, Federal Subsidized Stafford Loans, Federal Unsubsidized Stafford Loans, and Federal Parental Loans for Undergraduate Students (PLUS), would be subject to the two percent tax.

The Direct Lending program that was at the backbone of Clinton's plan to make higher education more accessible to more students would be at least temporarily capped in a compromise between the House and Senate. Although Whitworth is not affected by this specific cut because the school is not one of approximately 1,350 schools that do offer it, Johnson said that students should remain aware of the cuts being made. "Students at Gonzaga had a demonstration back in March recently to show concern for what was being proposed in Washington, D.C. Our students did not join, probably, because they did not have enough information, " said Johnson. The compromise reached in November between the House and Senate cut the proposed plans in half. Rather than cutting the programs back by $10.1 billion, they have compromised to cut it back by $5.9 billion over the next seven years.

What does this mean to Whitworth student? "We are breathing a sigh of relief for this year," said Olson as she described the federal cuts. Although some scholarships have been cut, like Federal Aid. Page 2
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grams for women," Pfursich said. "There is a better way, according to Whitworth's second associate athletic director Karen Pfursich, who is pleased to announce that Whitworth's commitment to meet Whitworth's standards, Whitworth's philosophy and Whitworth's philosophy will foster equity and will enhance the strategic plan."

Pfursich said that "that constitutes success and how do we measure that success? We came down to some very specific things about how we feel success should be measured in terms of the athletic program," said Pfursich, in reference to the new athletic philosophy. The concern over how the move to NCAA was going to affect the athletic program aimed in impelling the new athletics philosophy statement. The statement, in part, states "Whitworth College expects athletes and teams to compete to the best of their ability, and supports athletes in their quest for excellence. Each athlete will measure his or her own effectiveness against personal standards of perseverance, skill, and continual improvement; team performance will be measured by these same standards, as well as by the community standard of competitive success. By the latter standard, Whitworth College expects its teams to post winning seasons in the conference on a regular basis. The college as a whole will seek to make this success possible.

One downfall for incoming freshmen who anticipate playing a sport that they will no longer receive financial aid based on athletic ability is, "One of the things about the move to NCAA means we can no longer have talent awards in athletics. That has a big effect on coaches," Pfursich said. "That's why the coaches want to take a look at all this and figure out how it will affect the whole program."

According to the report the last recommendation the Task Force proposed was, "to take steps to enlarge the Department of Athletics' operating and facilities budgets to levels that will allow the college's athletics programs to meet Whitworth's commitment to gender equity and will foster the attainment of the level of excellence called for in the strategic plan."

"We've got facilities problems. The field located behind the practice facilities, we don't have enough facilities for both men's and women's soccer and football. These sports happen in the fall and at the same time," said Pfursich. Because of the lack of facilities, the football team has to practice on the football field and both soccer teams have to play on it, which, said Pfursich, is one of the reasons the Pine Bowl is being renovated. One of the questions the committee addressed is what to do about the lack of facilities. The field located behind the Field House is in poor shape due to excessive use and has effectively eliminated any use for it this season. The committee, Pfursich said, is considering upgrading the facilities, or possibly creating additional facilities.

According to Soden, the report lays in the hands of the Provost Ken Shipps at this time, waiting for the final decision from the cabinet. "The report will go to the cabinet in the next few weeks," said Soden. He added that the cabinet meets a few times a week. The cabinet consists of Pfursich, Robinson, Skipp, Kathy Storm, Jim Ferguson, Greg Hamilton, Terry McGonigal, Gordon Watanabe, and Tammy Reid.

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the Paul Douglas Teacher Scholarship that was canceled on a moment's notice this past summer which supplied $5000 a year to five Whitworth education students, the federal student aid program is still intact and is still providing students a way to receive higher education.

Johnson wanted Whitworth students to know that the school is actively represented on both state and national levels by organizations which are communicating with legislators about higher education.

Ivan Pinkberg, of U.S. Public Interest Research Group, urges students to write to their congresspeople, the people and president (e-mail address is president@whitehouse.edu), to show concern for the future of student aid. "It is important now, to send a strong message to congressional leadership and members of the Conference committee, to support the Senate position on student aid cuts. Also, the president needs to stand strong behind Direct Lending," both the Budget Reconciliation and the labor, HHS, Education Appropriations Bills make cuts to student aid.

While pro-student aid efforts have been successful in reducing the scope of the cuts, several billion dollars in cuts would still be made if the legislation became law. Following the federal aid from schools in 45 states, including the University of Washington, signed a letter addressed to President Clinton on Nov. 17, addressing these issues and calling on the president to stand behind his programs and the student aid program. Although this process is already far along, students can still get involved by talking to their student leaders and forming committees and panels to discuss the future of the federal student aid program.

CAMPUS BEAT

CONTINUOUS

Security Report

Nov. 12

Bike was stolen excluding the first floor of Hill House. A front tire was stolen from another bike but the frame was left behind.

Nov. 18

The Music Building was broken into. CDs were taken from professors' offices. Congo drums were taken out of the instrument storage room.

Nov. 20

Custodian found clothing smoldering on a sidewalk heater in Kea.

Nov. 21

Male prowler has passed on camping with a fellow in Arrend, Stewart, Ballard and Shaaks.

Nov. 25

Two cars broken into in the Hill House parking lot. One car had all its stolen and the other car had CDs taken.

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FROM THE WHITWORTH STAFF

Do You Suffer From Asthma or Allergies?

Asthma and allergies can be treated with a variety of techniques. Some patients find relief using herbal remedies, while others find relief using prescription medications. It is important to consult with a healthcare professional to determine the best course of treatment for your specific condition. If you or someone you know is suffering from asthma or allergies, seek professional advice.
Ski team prepares for slopes

ANNA TOLLENAAR
Staff Writer

The ski team is ready to race this year, now all they need is some snow.

Senior Mike Stevendi, a member of the team, said, "The primary goal for the ski team is to make it to regionals, then get a couple people to nationals." Currently, the 50 member team practices three days a week. Dry land training includes running and drills to build muscle strength and endurance. Beginning in January, the team will practice at Mt. Spokane.

According to team captain, senior Tate Knowles, "ASWC has been helpful by providing funding so that the team can pay the fees involved in competitions." In addition to ASWC funding, the team has raised money on its own. Fundraising included selling Christmas wreaths, earning around $1300, and open-garage sales.

Knowles said that each ski team member buys a racing card from the United States Ski Association. "This enables the team member to travel around and race in any race, not just college races. Ski team's first collegiate competition was at Brundage Mountains in Idaho.

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Roberts: new head of Whitworth security

CARYN SOBRAL
Staff Writer

Whitworth security is in experienced hands. Bill Roberts, the new head of security came to Whitworth after retiring from Harbor College, Golden West College, and 15-20 other schools where he dealt with law enforcement. He retired from the Los Angeles Police Department with 25 years of experience. He worked in a special investigative unit, he was an instructor in the Los Angeles Police Academy, taught seminars for the Department of Justice in California, and he has had teaching and supervising experience.

After he retired, Roberts moved to Spokane two and a half years ago, and found he had a strong attraction to Whitworth College. He had met Whitworth students and employees at Northview Church, and was impressed by the people and Christian atmosphere that Whitworth produced. When he heard there was an opening for a new security advisor on campus, he applied for the position and got the job. 

Although he hasn't been here only a short time, his staff admires his efforts. Security Officer Tom Arnold said, "He's a good guy. He's doing his job and nobody has any trouble with him. He jumps right down on the job and does a hell of a job." Roberts has received praise from his staff, as he pursues new ways of contacting and training students. He has already begun to get involved with Student Life to form "educational programs for students so they can become more aware of crime prevention," Roberts said. He hopes to meet with students and discuss areas of education by giving them pertinent information on security.

Bill Roberts

Roberts says he's "here to give students a good, safe environment to learn in, and do so in the most positive way possible."

Roberts has goals which include trying to get better consistency in security work, becoming involved in establishing training programs on campus, and teaching students how to respond to emergencies. He wants to "improve and stabilize our environment through a service training program. With this program, we can improve in creating a stable work force," said Roberts.

Roberts has enjoyed being a leader in security, and finds the administration is effectively conscious of security efforts. Roberts said he enjoys "working with good people who are serious about their work." He realizes that there is always room for improvement and that he is in the position of making Whitworth's security better. Although security is doing everything it can, Roberts encourages students and faculty to be extra safe, and be "constantly aware of the outside community of Spokane, because it has the potential to have great effects on Whitworth."
**EDITORIAL**

**Sexual awareness must be discussed without judgement**

Stephanie Young

People at Whitworth have sex. People at Whitworth also get raped. But no one wants to talk about it, because Whitworth students are not supposed to have sex. An unfortunate by-product of the "no cohabitation" policy is a taboo concerning the discussion of sexuality, specifically informed, consensual sex outside of marriage. Consequently, many rape victims do not report their abuse at the hands of other students.

The 1995-96 student handbook, in its second behavioral policy, says that "the sexual relationship is best understood as an expression of oneness in marriage." This conviction is worthy of respect, but does not reflect what happens in dorm rooms, houses, and parties. The 1993-95 campus security report shows only one reported rape during those years. While it's difficult to present empirical evidence, whispered conversations in lounges and the library point to a lot of sex, a lot of unhealthy, and even violent, occurring on and off campus. The "no cohabitation" policy does not reflect all student behavior. But outside of gossip and heated, often judgmental classroom debates, the Whitworth student body does not foster an atmosphere where informed, premarital, consensual sex can be discussed.

This cloistering of sexual behavior gives it abnormal power over student's lives. Gossip turns premarital sex into a power issue: reputations and psyches can be destroyed with a bit of well manipulated information. Morality judgement essentially equates premarital sex and rape. The woman who comes from a conservative Christian home at 18 and decides to experiment at college feels isolated when an experiment turns violent.

Friends ask: what was she doing in a man's room? How far did she go? The implication is that the person who violated the Christian code of no sex until marriage got themselves into a situation that, face it, they might have deserved. So who helps that woman make her first call to the health center? The police? The hospital?

Making an informed decision to have sex with another person is not the same as having that choice taken away in the act of rape. Until Whitworth can discuss human sexuality without judgement and hypocrisy, the college community maintains an atmosphere that keeps rape victims silent.

**EDITORIAL**

**Christian values reflective of culture, not from heart**

Jeremy Nelson

All attitudes, ideas, and beliefs are shaped by culture. Faith, politics and economics are all controlled by it to some extent. Whitworth College is not immune. The students at Whitworth often believe in Americanism, which is the new religion of our culture. Big churches, apple pie, and health and wealth theology - all at the expense of those on the periphery. There are many names given to it: Christianity, capitalism, or right-wing politics. Regardless of the name, it remains the same.

Students at Whitworth use religion and grand ideologies to justify their cultural beliefs and taboos. They flock to a raised standard because they need to feel like part of an army. But few know what their cause is. The banner currently flying over Whitworth is that of Christian conservatism, but it could be many others. The issue at stake is not the truth or falsity of conservative claims, which have some validity, but rather the ignorant herd mentality of an entire community.

Many Whitworth students, along with much of modern America, have forfeited their right to think and have succumbed to the dominant idea of their society. They are simply accepting the current political and ethical trend of the culture. But truth is not found in the masses. In jumping on the bandwagon of the Christian Coalition and other conservative groups, many have put on their Christian badges. They have put fish on their cars and crosses around their necks, but their hearts have not changed. Much of Whitworth's Christianity has become synonymous with American culture, not because America has been transformed, but because Christianity has conformed. It is time for the Whitworth community to take a stand outside of the culture and to disassociate with the world’s values.

The American culture issues a call to conformity, but faith calls for rebellion. Faith at Whitworth is often conformist, full of unforgiving condemnation for others, and of uncritical tolerance of ourselves. The life of the Christian is not blind belief in culture, but wide-eyed thinking and simple love.

Dear Editor,

I am writing in response to Hanna Gamez's Nov. 14 editorial, "24-hour visitation violates students' privacy, purify, safety." Gamez said the policy present in Whitworth's dorms "accommodates opportunities for sexual immorality." I would have a major problem if this visitation right was banned. The absence of this policy would violate the opportunity to learn self-control and responsibility, two necessary virtues for young adults.

Many of us left home for the first time when we came to Whitworth. In high school, we may not have been allowed to have opposite-sex friends in our bedrooms because it was against house rules. As a result, many of us may be "pure" in part because we didn't have the opportunity or challenge to experiment with sex. For those of us who are Christians, it is only when our faith and self-control have been tested and then we obey, that we are worthy of God's approval. God gave us choice for a reason so that we could choose to obey or disobey Him. Without choice, purity is not a virtue, but an obligation.

After Whitworth, many of us will have strong interaction with our dates, telling them if they can come in at the end of the night or not. Personally, I wouldn't want to have to learn to be assertive for the first time as a 22-year-old. Whitworth already does its best to protect its students and encourage options as a Christian morality by discouraging sex outside marriage with the no cohabitation rule. The real is up to us.

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**The National College Magazine**

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Moments after the bomb exploded in Oklahoma City, an Arab man who had just landed in London from Oklahoma was arrested and sent back to Cairo. He had been suspected of terrorism, because he was Arabic and wealthy.

Later it turned out that he had nothing to do with the bombing. He had been suspected of having ties to the bomb-throwing because he was the American definition of a terrorist.

This highlights the stereotype which people, even at the highest levels of government, make about the rest of the world. Just because a handful of Arabs in the name of Islam choose to go cheap way of justice and blow away some building, a story spread around the globe of a whole population and religion was made. Islam has now become the most misunderstood religion of our time.

There are many reasons why such a thing is bound to happen. The first and foremost reason is the general ignorance of the common people. They simply are not informed and are not aware. The majority of students at Whitworth fall under this category. At Whitworth people seem to have no idea of what is happening in the world, they seem to be too caught up with their Bible and Bible study to pay attention to the world at large. This ignorance defeats the purpose of education. Students seem to have the idea that the world does not affect them, that they are too secure and distant from world events to pay attention.

As a student I still do not know that almost a million black men marched in a world march a few weeks ago. They do not realize the impact that march has had on the world atmosphere and will continue. As a student I cannot fathom the concert which the country which they are so proud of. People do not know that this past few weeks, the U.S. will have 25,000 troops in the Balkans, they are clueless as to what Congress has done.

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Yet the study, which uses data from the national Center for Education Statistics’ School and Staffing Survey and Bureau of Labor Statistics projections, found that of the more than 2.9 million elementary and secondary teachers who were employed in public and private schools in 1991, nearly three-quarters, or 73 percent, were women and 87 percent were white.

To prepare for an influx of education majors, college administrators at Whitworth and other institutions plan to make the right choices and affect the ultimate outcome. How many students voted in the 1994 Congressional elections that has changed the direction of America? Are Whitworth students going to let the Christian Coalition define what Christianity should be for America? Are they going to believe that the United Nations is on the verge of taking over the U.S.? Will Whitworth students boycott a product made in a country which abuses human rights and multinational corporations that condone child labor? And by doing this are they making a well thought out decision which can affect the final outcome? Are Whitworthians the type of people who will let the media define it or will they have a well informed discussion on current issues with the majority of students.

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Teachers need diversity training, study finds

College Press Service

A growth in elementary and secondary school enrollment likely will prompt a need for more education majors in colleges and universities in the next decade, says a new study by the American Council on Education.

While a larger share of elementary students are children of color, their teachers remain predominantly white women. However, the number of education graduates who plan to work in schools with students from a variety of ethnic backgrounds.

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Christmas traditions include indoor camping, homemade gifts

KATHRYN SCHREYER
Staff Writer

With only a week and a half of school to go, many Whitworth students are getting ready to head home for vacation so they can relax, enjoy the Christmas holiday with their families, and take part in all of those simple family rituals that have over the years become tradition.

Many people take part in family traditions every year with very little knowledge of where they came from. A practice that has become tradition to them is all of a sudden a delight to another who has never taken part in it.

For instance, junior Tim Scott has grown up putting colored sprinkles on his egg nog.

"In my family we all put cookie sprinkles on top of our egg nog because when I was young all the adults on the holidays would have hot buttered rum with nutmeg on top," said Scott. "This made me sad because I had nothing on top of my drink. So I went home and got to me to stop crying, my parents would put cookie sprinkles on top of my egg nog. Now, we've done it ever since," he said.

Not only is egg nog a holiday treat but so is a big waffle dinner. At least with freshman Abby Gilkey's family.

"On Christmas Eve we go to our church service and then we drive around and look at Christmas lights," she said. "After that, we all go home and have a big waffle dinner that my mom makes and it's real elaborate. Then we open presents and my brother dresses up at Santa."

Whether it be waffles or turkey, most families seem to take part in a lot of food over the holidays. Sophomore Scott Ochoa's family especially does. Ochoa said, "My family gets together at my oldest aunt's house and we invite all of the family and all of our friends and we have a big feast." He added, "With my mom's side of the family we will do it on Christmas Eve and with my dad's side we do it on Christmas Day. Everyone will cook and bring something to eat to make a big giant potluck."

Along with all the food during Christmas there are usually presents although many families decide to change on different times in which the presents will be opened.

For most family traditions, presents are opened bright and early on Christmas morning, but for other presents are sometimes ripped open on Christmas Eve.

Sophomore Matt Kristal's family opens presents on Christmas Eve, "When we were little we opened the most exciting one or the one my parents thought was the best the night before Christmas," said Kristal. "All of the presents are opened on the night before Christmas in my family," said freshman Brian Fritz. "This year I have my mom, so I'll have to make her something because we usually make gifts," said Fritz.

Freshman Jason Morgan would agree that making a Christmas present is very special and is treated like the rest of the presents. For his whole life he has received a homemade gift from his grandmother.

"My grandma, for 20 years has made me a hand made Christmas ornament," Morgan said. "This year she has spend about 40 hours making ornaments for six grand kids."

Sophomore Cary Van Schepen finds Christmas traditions vera different this year.

"Our grandmother made everyone in our family little mailboxes to hang on the Christmas tree, so while the tree is up we can write each other little notes. I海峡look forward to scanning everyday," she said.

During all of the festivities over Christmas, one cannot forget the real reason for the season.

Freshman Nicole Dornell's family is a nice way of always keeping this in mind during the hol­i­days. Just like my family does a special little advent calendar that helps us keep track of the days leading up to Christmas. Then on Christmas we go to the candle light church service.

Affordable winter fun available for students

DAVID KOHLER
Staff Writer

It's coming. It teased us once with a quick shower, but it will return. That's right, snow is on its way and it will hit us full force at 4600. Santa Claus makes his rounds.

Sure, snow is a hassle to drive in, but when we were kids snow meant one thing: fun! So why should it be any different now? Already one can hear those die-hard ski maniacs yodel for joy as they straddle their precision and pricey skis and head for that fine powder. They may spend a small fortune for a weekendend of the sacred white stuff flying in their faces. It may cost some, but some people just have to ski.

For $200, a season ticket can be purchased by the avid skier. But if you don't think you will make it up that often—more like a few a few times to try out those ski slopes—then you should only buy your ticket at the end of the season. If you are swamped during the week and do not mind shuffling out a few more bucks, you can head up to Mount Spokane on the weekends for $22 a day.

Mount Spokane also offers special programs like ladies’ day on the mountain, and snowboarding. For more information, contact the mountain office at 238-6281 or downtown at 2112702.

But if Mount Spokane seems too far for entertainment, one can go to downtown Spokane for fun. Riverfront Park knows how popular ice skating is. On Wednesdays, admission is free and skate rental is $4. Bring your own skates, and it’s free.

The Ice Palace is open from 11 a.m. -5 p.m., and later from 7:15 -10:30 p.m. For more information on the Ice Palace’s special rates and programs, call 625-6600.

Wonderland is open Sunday through Thursdays from 11 a.m. - 11 p.m., Fridays 11 a.m. -12:30 a.m., and on Saturdays from 9:30 a.m. -12:30 a.m. For more information, call 466-4396.

And if you use the do-it-yourself, independent type who likes to get out and explore nature on your own, just make a trip down to Whitworth's own Outdoor Recreation Office and visit with the coordinator, freshman David Saurg.

This year, the equipment available for rental ranges from cross-country skis to snow shoes, sleds, and snowboards. The prices differ for the day and the weekend, but prices for the weekend don't exceed $7, and the weekend rates don't go above $10.

Recreational-Ski area rates are $22 for a 3 day pass and $33 for a 7 day pass.

For more information, contact the Whitworth Outdoor Recreation Office at 666-3222.

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Multicultural students voice impressions of Whitworth

CHRISTINE BISHOP

"We're here to experience America, whether that be McDonald's or whatever piece of American culture you want to throw at us. But we can't do it without meeting Americans," said junior Kenyan Moses Pulei.

"In Aberdeen, you are not quite sure whether you know someone or if they are just someone you casually walk past them. Here, you feel like you have a little more of an identity. You might make friends and we'll see where that leads." He added, "It's very reassuring to know that people want to know you.

Junior Donny Bowen, from Kenya, agreed. "I don't think American students didn't care to know people of other cultures, but found just the opposite. "My perspective was (Amerian) culture is about their own business, they don't care about who you are. It was ready to come here and not have friends because of what I expected," he said.

"But for me, Whitworth College was a very welcoming place. As Japanese international student, senior Sachiho Nakai, said that although it is difficult to communicate, she does feel welcome at Whitworth. "Some people were interested in my culture, that made me feel good. What I like is that some people treat me like an American, not like a foreigner," she said, emphasizing that she wishes more people would talk to her the same way. Nakai also said that instead of pointing out the differences of the two cultures, the students just talk as friends that go to Whitworth College.

''It's good to know where a person is from, but instead of saying, "This is from Kenya," it's better to say this is my friend," Pulei said.

According to Pulei, the simple act of introducing someone by their nationality points out the differences and can create barriers resulting in conversations that don't get past the cultural differences or even the person's dialect.

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According to the English professor who has also been a student at Whitworth, the international students have been more involved in activities than before, "It's a way to draw. I don't think that one can only point an accusing finger at American students, saying, "You guys need to change," he said. "All we have to come to the conclusion that we all need to change. We both need to approach one another differently than we have in the past."

For Japanese junior, Nobuyuki Suga, his initial experience at Whitworth was a negative one, mainly because people were put off by his inability to speak fluent English.

"They didn't try to understand who I was," he said. "I experienced some racism, I was really offended because I was trying to make friends and I knocked on two of my neighbor's doors and didn't get a good response. One guy basically said, "get out of here," Suga said.

Things are very different for Suga now. By getting more involved in activities involving American students, he has been able to make many of the close American friends he now has.

"As previously mentioned, there are other students that participate in the play readings who do not take it for credit, including professors. Most recently, Loki Kieffaber from the English department participated in Henry Huang's "Family Devotions."

Kieffaber and junior Sandra Calbeath, an American student taking the course for credit, played the parts of two elderly Chinese women. The play centers around the cultural conflicts of Christians and non-Christians between the young and old. The two women bicker and judge people in funny ways and the play is said to be "hilariously funny," said Kieffaber. "It was a play that started out humorous, I was one of the main characters and I did not realize that it would end up turning out really ugly at the end. I had not read the play before it was on and I was playing the part but watching the story develop in front of my eyes while trying to dramatically render the character."

"Watching the play that afternoon was Dr. Donald Calbeath. He came from the Chemistry department. He commented on the similarity of the characters. "Anybody who enjoys drama, I think would enjoy this," Kieffaber said. "You can read a play but it is not the same as having the experience.""
Copy Cat

DAVID KOHLER
Staff Writer

I's everybody ready for the latest suspense thriller, complete with psychopathic killers and frustrated detectives? For those of you who absolutely adore this genre of film, you just might want to mark "Copy Cat" down for next Friday night.

Here we have a serial killer on the loose, and he is the "disciple" of a killer who's behind bars. That prison bound killer is McCullum, played by Harry Connick Jr. McCullum loves death so much that he encourages others to go out and kill, too. So this makes him a link to some of the murders occurring in the city of San Francisco.

The killer that's on the loose has a unique pattern: he uses the methods of famous serial killers, like Jack the Ripper, Jeffrey Dahmer, Ted Bundy, and others. The cops are stumped because there doesn't appear to be any pattern to the deaths.

Holly Hunter is one of these homicide detectives who just can't figure it out. Everyone else is clueless. The doctor, however, is far from being the strong, confident, unyielding hero type. Hunter is often seen outside, arguing is almost funny. The regular cops are idiots, falling through them. Hunter and Weaver are so figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being figure out what's happening when they can, but they can't stand being...
Catholic fellowship provides support, connection

SHERI ALLEN

Guest Writer

They are without a regular meeting time or a formal ASWC club charter at Whitworth, and they met at Whitworth do have a growing sense of identity. In October they formed the college's first Catholic fellowship.

According to Registrar Gary Whitcomb, 131 students designated themselves Catholic on their admission application, comprising 8 percent of the total Whitworth student population.

Approximately 80 people were present at the Catholic breakout group in Forum in last year where the idea for the fellowship emerged, according to Housing Coordinator Kathy Davis, who is herself Catholic.

During the breakout group most students wanted to be a part of something to form a Catholic-related fellowship. According to him, Catholics (at Whitworth), Catholics as Christians and that the situation for Catholics in Core 150. She explained, "That's the way it came across to me," she said.

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  Won 82 - 56

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**Women's Swimming**
4 - 1 overall
3 - 1 NCIC

- at Central Washington
  Invitational
  3rd of 5 teams

**Top Performers**
Shannon Brown
won 200 m. freestyle

- at Pacific
  Lutheran
  Invitational
  3rd of 10 teams

**Top Performers**
Jan Okada
won the Women's Swimmer of the Event
won 400 m. Indiv. Medley
won 200 m. Indiv. Medley
won 200 m. Backstroke

**Men's Swimming**
4 - 1 overall
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Basketball Re-caps: Both teams start seasons off heading in opposite
directions with the men at 3-1 and the women at 1-4

TOOY PARSONS
Sports Editor

Men

Whitworth 62, Northwest 56
Senior Nate Dunham's 24 points and 14 rebounds led the Bucs in a thrashing of Northwest College in the Pirate's season opener. Senior guard Roman Wickers struggled, shooting 1-for-14 from the field and 0-for-5 from 3pt. range. Sophomore Jeff Mix capped the onslaught with a last second dunk.

Carroll 79, Whitworth 67
Whitworth was ahead 54-51 with nine minutes left, but Carroll College star Guy Alphonso scored nine of his team's last 16 points, including two free throws with 15 seconds on the clock to ice the game and deal the Pirate's their first loss. Wickers continued his poor shooting going 4-for-16 from the field, but led the team in rebounds (7) and assists (2). Dunham had another solid performance with 20 points on 9-for-12 shooting. Whitworth 96, Okanagan 60
The Bucs were on fire in the Field House shooting 12-19 (63 percent) from three-point land in their victory over the Okanagan Lakers. They shot 38 percent from the field. For the third straight game, Dunham (75.8 percent) led the team in scoring with 19 points on 7-for-9, 3-for-4 from deep and a perfect 2-for-2 from the line to finish with 19 points and six assists.

Wickers added 15 points and seven boards. Wickers scored nine of his last 16 points.

Women

Seattle Univ. 58, Whitworth 50
The Pirates shot 24-for-64 from the field to lose to Seattle University and fall to 1-4 on the season. Junior Sherri Northington (8-15 FG) and Jennifer Tissue (11-19 FG) led the team with 17 and 23 points, respectively, and scored 41 of the team's 50 points. This couldn't make up for the rest of the team's poor 5-for-30 shooting. Rebecca Moore especially struggled going 0-for-10. Tissue is having a great year averaging 17.0 points ppg., 8.0 rpg., 3.5 apg. and a 56.6 FG percentage in the first four games. Northington is also excellent, dominating the post with 11.3 ppg., 8.0 rpg. and 2.0 bpg.

Intramural Men's Basketball Tournament

(1) Easy Riders
(2) Punani
(3) Faculty
(4) The Red Necks
(5) Scrappers
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'Oleanna' invited to Korea

Almei Moss

Two Whitworth theater students and their director may soon be sharing the hot seat of sexual harassment with college students in Korea.

Dr. Rick Hornor, chair of the theater department, has taken an alumnus Rachel Hornor and junior David Collins to perform "Oleanna," at a festival in Bosnia.

"Cross-cultural experience is one of the lasting goals of the Whitworth education," according to Whitworth's course catalog, the college advocates an understanding of other cultures within the nation and the world.

In agreement with this goal Whitworth has been invited to participate in an international play festival at a sister school, Keimyung University in Taegu, Korea.

The May 1996 festival is part of the 10th anniversary celebration of Keimyung.

"It's becoming a contemporary classic," said Dr. Hornor, "because it deals with such provocative issues like sexual harassment and it will be an interesting show for that culture to see.

"Oleanna" is the story of a female college student who accuses a male professor of sexual misconduct, and attempted rape.

"The thing about this play," said Collins, "is that we (the actors) felt that both characters are right and wrong, and each is the villain and the hero.

The play was performed for the Whitworth community on Nov. 8, and left audiences buzzing about the issues involved.

Dr. Hornor said that he chose the play for a variety of reasons including the small set and the small cast, but mostly because of its content.

The set is a desk and two chairs," he said, "so it will be an easy show to travel because it is so adaptable. But it was also an excellent production, brilliantly performed, and deals with important issues of our time.

Another actor was prepared for the opportunity to perform the show again, they said, especially not in another country like Korea. "To be able to perform something like a sex performance again is exciting," said Collins, "but to perform it across the world is dream.

But the details for the trip have not been defined. We're waiting to hear back on whether they want Oleanna, and whether we can go the week that we want. Dr. Hornor said. The festival will occur either the week prior to or directly following Whitworth's commencement ceremonies, and the official invitation is still being held.

Funding for the trip is another obstacle. Janet Yoder, program director for Whitworth's World Programs and Exchanges, who originally received the invitation to the festival, said although the Korean university will provide room and board, participants are responsible for round-trip expenses.

According to Dr. Hornor, round-trip flights are around $1,200.

"We do have possibilities for funding," said Dr. Hornor. "Some organizations have advertised prices for red-eye flights on rubber airlines, and a certain foundation that may provide matching funds. "We're sort of in an agreement with all of nothing right now while we wait to see what will happen," he said.

In the meantime, several sources are working to fund the trip, and Hornor is thinking positively. "I'm very excited," he said. "It will be wonderful exposure for the college, and it's a great opportunity for the students to get to see, like this in another culture.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Shailesh Ghimire

Local News

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American GIs and NATO take charge of Bosnia

Bosnia - The United States and its NATO allies gear up for a mission in Bosnia, a heritage unprecedented in military history: keeping rival armies apart long enough to allow the return of peace to a country driven by almost four years of ethnic war.

To accomplish that goal, the 60,000-member force the U.S.-led Implementation force, IFOR, will have to surmount a myriad of obstacles. Some of them are the ailing economy, the lack of a credible government, the continued activity of paramilitary forces and the potential for renewed ethnic conflict.

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Spokane celebrates World AIDS Day

Spokane - A 45 minute vigil was organized in Spokane last Friday, Dec. 1, to remember AIDS victims world wide, during the eighth annual World AIDS Day.

The observance was intended to draw attention to the AIDS epidemic, according vigil organizers.

For some, attending the vigil was a way to find a support group, for others it was a way to draw attention to local incidents of AIDS.

Still others came to show support for friends and family members with AIDS.

Speakers discussed the mourning and learning that comes from coping with AIDS.

At one point, organizers invited people to say the names of loved ones they've lost.

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New dorm may be in Whitworth's future

ANNEMARIE EKLUND
Staff Writer

A proposal for a new residence hall at Whitworth will be voted on by the Board of Trustees in April. If approved, the new 80-person residence hall, to be located east of Ayred Hall, across from the parking lot, would open in either February of 1997 or the following September.

The proposed building design is created to incorporate feedback attained from student focus groups put together by Whitworth resident directors in January. The focus groups determined the following to be of importance to them as students living on the Whitworth campus: a floor on which approximately 30 residents live, rooms in suite-style with a kitchenette, private bath shared by two sets of roommates, soundproof walls, and an attractive setup and design.

The current proposal for the new residence hall is designed with these needs in mind. Kathy Davis, assistant coordinator of Housing and Conferences, said, "We really value student input. We're trying to build what they want and what they need." Davis is a member of the task force on housing/residence life options. With a broad representation of Whitworth staff, architects, and student input, the task force has put together a proposal to bring before the board which meets budget standards, student expectations and needs.

Dick Mandeville, associate dean of students and director of Student Life, hopes that a new residence hall will be of strong architectural design. As of now the design is similar in style to McMillan and Ballard Halls. It also carries some of the stylistic accents of the library.

The new residence hall is being proposed in order to house a greater percentage of the Whitworth student body than currently lives on campus. Mandeville said student culture is the most powerful force on campus. "We don't want to become a campus that houses only freshmen and sophomores, because we value the leadership and direction that juniors and seniors provide," said Mandeville.

While Mandeville, Davis and others are excited about the possibility of a new residence hall on campus, they also realize that the proposal is at the board's discretion.

Davis said, "Nothing has been approved yet. This is just a proposal for the Board of Trustees."

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Career Week equips students for future

KELLY RODIMEL
Staff Writer

Ald in job search and resume writing, plus fashion and dining tips are only a part of the agenda for Whitworth's Career Week. Career Week, Feb. 19-27, is sponsored by Student Life and offers a chance for students to begin thinking about their futures and to develop career related skills.

The idea behind Career Week is to "expose students to the '90s marketplace and prepare them for their future in the workplace," said Denise Georgioff, director of Career Advisory. The week features activities designed to equip students with necessary skills for finding a career and working in that career.

A presentation by Nordstrom representatives on professional dress kicked off Career Week on Feb. 19. The next event is an etiquette dinner today at 5 p.m. Pre-registration with Student Life is required for this dinner, which will teach proper etiquette throughout a full course meal. The dinner will also teach skills useful for lunch or dinner interviews.

On Feb. 21 at 7 p.m. alumni from various careers will talk about, and give insight regarding the job search process. They will also discuss interviewing and networking. This event will take place in the C & P Center in Conference Room B and will also feature a resume critique. The winner of the contest will receive a free Southwest Airline ticket. Every student is encouraged to submit his or her resume and need not present to win.

A presentation on interview skills and how to get the most out of a career fair will be on Feb. 22 at 7 p.m. also in Conference Room B.

A session on cooperative education and internships will be offered on Feb. 25 at 7 p.m. in Conference Room B. How to find an internship and the benefits of having an internship are the focuses of this event.

According to Richie Lake, senior and Career Information Adviser, this week is crucial to career development because internships are often a "springboard into a career."

The last event of the week is the Career Fair: Expo '96 Partnership for Employment. This event is on Feb. 25 from 3 p.m. until 7 p.m. It will be held at Cavanaugh Inn at the Park in the ball room. A free shuttle will be running to and from the fair and the Whitworth Campus Center at 3:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Gordon Jacobson, director of Summer Employment/Institutional Research, is expecting about 75 employers to attend the fair. The employers will not only be from different areas of the country. The employers will also be looking for people who are interested in full-time, postgraduate work, but also for people looking for work during the summer, and for people interested in internships.

Lake encourages students to attend the fair even if they are not looking for employment. He attended the fair last year and was able to find out what employers are looking for. The information obtained from the Career Fair enabled him to map out the rest of his college career.

Georgioff recommends students dress professionally and take their resumes to the fair. "Job offers could happen there," he said.

Student Life can be contacted at X3271 with any questions about Career Week or any question relating to Career Services.
Left to right: Dr. Lois Kieffaber, professor of physics, Dr. Susan Bratton, associate professor of biology, Dr. Jean Pond, Core 350 instructor, and Dr. Glennna Schubert, professor of biology, make up the all female Core 350 team.

Student's life cut short by skiing accident

CINDY BRETT
Editor in Chief

She had plans and dreams just like every other college student. But freshman Karen Gallaway, 19, didn't have a chance to fulfill those dreams because she died Jan. 4 as a result of a skiing accident that occurred at 69 Degrees North Ski Resort near Sandpoint, Idaho.

"She did doing something she loved," said freshman Eric Fechter, Gallaway's boyfriend. "He added she had been a skier for three years. "She wasn't a racer, but she was good."

Gallaway was a business major, a Moor High School graduate, and worked part-time at Kaiser Mead, he said.

According to Fechter, he and Gallaway talked about getting engaged this spring and getting married in the next few years.

According to Fechter's brother, Kathy, secretary of psychology, communications, and theatre arts, she and her family have a trailer next to Gallaway's parent's, Ken and Kara, where they spend their summers. Kathy Fechter, who doesn't have any daughters, said that Karen was like a daughter to her.

Eric Fechter, who had known Gallaway for five years and dated her for almost three and a half, described her as young, adventurous, caring and sincere. "I don't think she had a mean bone in her body," he added.

Gallaway's death has given Fechter a new perspective on life. "(I realize) you can't hold back waiting for a ripe old age," he said and added that he looks at life with more fragility.

Memorial services were held at Fairmount Memorial Park Cemetery on Jan. 9 and on campus in the Cowles Memorial Auditorium on Jan. 10. Gallaway is buried at Fairmount Cemetery in Spokane.
Girls' violence must be heard in debate over youth violence

LESLIE R. WOLFE, PH.D.
President of the Center for Women Policy Studies

A 15-year-old girl stabs her boyfriend in the chest after he threatens to hit her. A high school sophomore who was harassed by girls at school vows to even the score and she does so a few days later, by beating one of the girls with a metal baton.

These are new stories reflecting a new reality. While girls increasingly are victims of violence, more also are becoming perpetra tors. But their experiences of violence rarely are depicted truthfully in our popular culture or taken seriously by policy makers and researchers concerned with youth violence. But consider this fact: the 1980s witnessed a 16.5 percent increase in the number of girls under age 14 who were charged with violent crimes, compared with a 4.5 percent increase for boys. Between 1985 and 1989, the increase for violence against girls doubled to 32.2 percent, according to Justice Department statistics.

Despite widespread concern about youth violence, we too often overlook the role that violence plays in girls' lives. Our failure to examine violent behavior among girls in the context of their experiences of abuse will have grave and long-lasting consequences for themselves and their families and our communities.

Girls find few safe havens from violence. They are victims at home, in their neighborhoods and at school. Sexual harassment, date rape, verbal abuse and sexual abuse by trusted adults contribute to a culture of violence against girls and young women. All too often, such violence becomes an ordinary part of a girl's environment: She watches it on TV and hears it on 'gangsta rap' songs. Boys and men harass and assault her. She witnesses abuse of her mother by husbands or boyfriends.

The Center for Women Policy Studies recently sought to learn more about girls and violence. The center's survey of nearly 500 girls, primarily between ages nine and 14, found that girls often face hostility, harassment and violence. The center's survey of nearly 500 girls, primarily between ages nine and 14, found that girls often face hostility, harassment and violence. The center's survey of nearly 500 girls, primarily between ages nine and 14, found that girls often face hostility, harassment and violence.

The voice of girls in the national debate about youth violence, and to shape our research agendas, violence prevention programs, and public policy discussions around the experiences. We must acknowledge the intersection between anti-women violence and girls' increasingly violent behavior if we are to find ways to stop both.

Girls' violence must be heard in our communities and in our schools. Girls' violence must be heard in debates about public policy and in research discussions about what we need to do to prevent violence in the future.
Last semester The Whitworth ran an editorial on child labor in the Third World. In the article the author criticized child labor and called on the Whitworth community to become informed on the issue and take proper action. This calling is basically a calling to people to do what makes them feel good rather than what is good for the child and the countries in which they work. This calling is even more common in the Western press where reports, opinion writers and activists are more concerned about them. selves having a clean conscience than actually making a positive impact on the welfare of the children and their countries.

In order to understand the issue of child labor one has to delve further than the images portrayed in the media of five-year-olds in Bangladesh working frivolously under a demon-like master with a whip. The economic reality of the Third World is pretty dismal, especially when compared with the West. As an illustration, if there were only 10,000 people on earth, two would be American and they would control almost 60 percent of the world’s wealth. So you are left with the majority of the world’s population having to live and manage on the minority of the wealth. The subsequent results are the low education levels, ap­ palling working and living con­ ditions and an inhumane unhealthy population.

With this as a background it is obvious that families in these countries live on a subsistence level, meaning, they are all of what they earn for food and shelter. A child in such a family is a source of income. Sending the child to school is not an option and in many homes, doing so only puts more pressure on the remaining members of the family. The only option for such par­ ents is to find work for the child and thus add a source of income to the family. This is an illustration of what happens in most homes and cannot be taken to mean that no child goes to school but that conditions have to be different for one to go to school.

Where does the West fit into all of this one might ask. Well, the West fits in such a way that it can be described as a two edged sword. We can do a lot of good to the Third World if it chooses to. By opening up their markets to goods made in the Third World, irrespective of the working con­ ditions in factories, tremendous opportunities can be opened. This means lifting quotas and mini­ mizing tariff restrictions. The West can do a favor if its media quit demonizing the issue and starts putting forth sensible and reasonable solutions, so that people in the West can understand the facts as they are.

Bengaladesh children who used to work in carpet factories are instead roaming the streets of Dakkha collecting garbage and selling glue because German importers forced a boycott of their products forcing their closure. This occurred after an intense lob­ bying effort by an anti-child labor group in Germany. The German authorities apparently seem to believe that the streets of Dakkha have a better environment in which to grow than a carpet factory. At least while in the car­ pet factories they could earn some money and could feed their families. Maybe the issue is not as simple as it seems or maybe Third World capitalists are the sole benefici­ arians of child labor. And the West may mean all world boycotts of products made by child labor to force companies to change or close, but by doing this they are only choosing the lesser of evils.

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- Feb. 22: Swimming: NCIC Championship Meet **10 a.m.** • Finals 6 p.m.
- Feb. 23: Forum: Prejudice Across America Study Tour "The Muppet Movie" • Auditorium **8 p.m.**
- Feb. 24: Swimming: NCIC Championship Meet • Preliminaries: 9 a.m. • Finals: 5 p.m.
- Lesley Williams • Senior Theater Performance • "Sleeping Beauty: The Life of Jesus Christ", an original, one-woman piece exploring the life of Christ through the eyes of New Testament women • $2 admission • Stage II • 8 p.m.
- Circle K Dance • WCC • 10 p.m.
- Feb. 25: Campus Close-up • 12 p.m.-4:30 p.m.
- Feb. 26: Forum: Maria Pu • Hear about the experiences of a Guatemalan refugee.

**Off Campus**
- Feb. 24: KPFX FM 91 invites the public to its sixth annual Filmmakers and Video Sale • 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday • 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday • Cavanaugh's Fourth Avenue • Selection of CD's, tapes, videotapes, and records including: Jazz, Blues, Rock, Opera, Comedy, and Books on Tape.
- Feb. 26: Militia Movement Expert Ken Stern will speak out against paramilitary training • Room C1 of Gonzaga University School of Law • 7 p.m. • Admission is free.
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By Gabe Martin

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**Movie Review**

**Bed of Roses**

By Erica Brooks

**Staff Writer**

Is there such a thing as too much perfection? What happens after "happily ever after?" "Bed of Roses," a new romantic comedy starring Christian Slater and Mary Stuart Masterson, explores these questions with depth and intelligence.

The premise of the movie snags of fairy tales—a florist (Slater) on a nighttime stroll sees a woman (Masterson) through a lit window, sobbing uncontrollably. Touched, the man follows this woman to her workplace and anonymously delivers her an elegant floral arrangement. The two meet, and romance quickly blossoms. "Sound ideal? Well, this is the '90s, and nothing is quite as simple as that.

Masterson plays Lisa, a workaholic busily climbing the corporate ladder. In one day, she closes her first major deal as vice president of a corporation and finds out that her adoptive father has just passed away. Coming home to find her goldfish belly-up, she finally loses it and begins to cry. Hence, the scene in the window. Masterson's performance is sensitive and likable. She skillfully portrays a young woman whose deep emotional scars keep her hidden in a protective shell, refusing to believe that anyone could love her. Masterson hides her vulnerability beneath a professional veneer, only revealing her true self when she feels it is safe. Her gentle characterization makes Lisa believable and easy to relate to, although she can lapse into nervousness at times.

Slater's portrayal of Lewis, the florist, who sees the "lady in the tower" and comes to the rescue, is one of his finest to date. Lewis is a quiet man who leaves his corporate position after his wife dies in childbirth. He takes a job delivering flowers, and eventually owns a flower shop himself. Even so, he continues to deliver the flowers himself, enjoying the satisfaction of seeing the joy—and sorrow—on recipients' faces.

Slater delivers sensitivity into the many levels of Lewis' psyche, making the audience believe that this is the sort of man who would send flowers to a woman who was crying in a window. Far from his usual Nicholson-esque characterization, his performance shows a level of maturity balanced by a touch of Lewis' thoughtful earnestness carries the more implausible points in the movie.

Although "Bed of Roses" does show the tougher side of a seemingly idyllic romance, it is still a sentimental story. It has some predictable elements, such as Kim (Pamela Segall), Lisa's wisecracking best friend. Segal is perfect for the role, sporting a Brooklyn accent as she rattles off smart one-liners and friendly advice, but these "best friend" parts are getting a little tired. After "Sleepless in Seattle"... "Reality Bites," and various others, it's time Hollywood found a new foil for its leading women.

"Bed of Roses" is an intelligent, albeit sentimental, romance that looks at the baggage a person can bring into an unconventional relationship. Its sensitive characterizations and charming plot make it perfect for romantics who would like a little substance as well.
The Ecology Study Tour baskes in the sun in Baja, Calif., Mexico. (Courtesy of Dr. Dean Jacobson)

JAN TERM TRIPS

While most students stayed in Europe during Jan Term, taking typical classroom courses, many students and professors took their learning "on the road" and observed what most only see in textbooks.

Core 250 students took notes with mirrors on their heads on the steps of Voltaire's house. Biology majors on the Baja, Calif., Mexico, ecology trip studied plankton while camping on the ocean with dolphins as their guides. Another group toured the Holy Lands and witnessed religious and political struggles.

Still others on the Theatre tour in London attempted to break the world record for how many plays they could see in the span of three weeks.

For junior David Collins, one night on the town in London became a gig. He was called on stage in a crowded club and found himself singing backup and playing the African drum with touring American pop-cum-jazz Vista. Collins saw 24 plays, but was upstaged by his mentor, Associate Professor of Theatre Arts, Dr. Dick Howard, who saw 26.

Members of the Whitworth Jazz band were so favorably received that after playing three nights in one of Rome's most well-known jazz clubs, "Big Mama," they were invited by the mayor of Veroli, Italy, to a tour of an ancient monastery and treated to a seven-course meal before performing for the entire city. Senior Clark Bothum said that his highlights were the Italian restaurants and added, "It was not only to live in such an exciting and historically important city, with culture like this, and also play jazz every day; it just doesn't get any better."

Some members of the Core 250 class met up with other Whitworth students who were studying in Paris. Junior Mindy Moore was on the French tour and spent a day in Paris with Core 250 students. The two groups are lunch together at Planet Hollywood. "It was really cool to see other Whitworth students in Paris," said Moore.

Senior Erica Hampton travelled to San Francisco for the Multicultural Education course. While visiting close friends.

ABOVE LEFT: Senior Rachel Horner and junior Dave Collins, Dover, England

RIGHT: Junior Christenne Holman stands by the Garden Tomb in Jerusalem.

LEFT: Students on the Core 250 Study Tour visit the Leaning Tower of Pisa in Italy.

 Courtesy of Dave Collins

Courtesy of Christie Bowman
FEATURES

Students on the Prejudice Across America Study Tour enjoy a meal in the Cafe Du Monde in New Orleans.

Associate Professor of Psychology Jim Waller, also dealt with discrimination, but in the United States. His Prejudice Across America tour travelled via train to eight U.S. cities where specific acts of prejudice either occurred or were documented. Family Joe Schewler said that the most powerful site was the National Holocaust museum in Washington, D.C.

RIGHT: Ecology Study Tour, Baja, Calif., Mexico

BELOW RIGHT: Students on the Multicultural Education Study Tour experience the San Francisco night life.

BELOW LEFT: Juniors Mindy Moore, Heidi Huntley and Shannon Keesaw sit on the steps of a castle in France.
Studying abroad provides excitement, insight

"This is what travelers discover: that when you sever the links of normality and its claims ... it is the terrors that truly shock."

—Cynthia Ozick

I'm walking down a Kensington street—Queen's Gate, to be exact—toward Kensington Gardens. It seems a typical January morning in London. Gray. A thick layer of high clouds. It's warmer than it looks. Warm enough, in fact, for me to take my suede gloves off and feel the still wind on my hands. A wind they've never felt before.

Strolling through Kensington Gardens, searching for the Peter Pan statue, I look behind me into a grove of trees. Pouring through the trees and infused by a grayish white light is a small fog. Actually, it's something less of a fog, yet more than a mist. It's a scene that strikes me as peculiarly Londonish. What makes it even more Londonish is the addition of a woman in her 50s entering the grove with her two corgy and obstinate English bulldogs.

Now, I've seen fog and trees and buildings before. I'd felt wind and mist before. But being abroad—being in London—for three weeks in January gave all of these experiences a terrifically new flavor. I was tasting these flavors for the first time.

Travel heightens all of our senses. It makes our perceptions, no matter how apathetic or commonplace, perfectly full and robust. It fills our moments with vigor. As Cynthia Ozick (novelist and essayist) says in "The Shock of Teapots": "Travel returns us just in this way to the sharpness of notice ... to revisit the emotionally lit puppet-stage outlines of childhood."

We find our imaginations are replenished and suddenly we've overgrown kids on an immensity larger playground. We're almost in Never Never Land.
March 4-8, 1996, is the week set aside for campus wide discussion of gender issues. There is a debate, however, over whether this sort of week is a legitimate concern for this campus. Some argue that women continue to be discriminated against, so a week devoted to issues about women is necessary. Others say that problems related to gender are important to consider, but the focus should be on the way that gender is constructed. Still others say that the week is mere PC posturing. This space is for your comments. Where do you stand?

Gender cuts across class and socio-economic backgrounds to strike the heart of the Whitworth Community. Such a vital issue must be derived into, and discussed openly. — Laura Walker, Junior

Yes, it is legitimate. A vital issue must be delved into, and the debate will go beyond this week. The issues surrounding gender are just as important as the issues surrounding race, and the women's awareness week is just as important. As a student, if the purpose is to illuminate the often neglected roles, accomplishments and contributions of women, then it is a fantastic idea. As a student, I find it completely legitimate to dedicate a week of focus on particular issues surrounding gender individuality, as well as gender relations. However, this is only the first step in a long journey. Eventually, the concept of gender awareness should go beyond a week on the calendar, and become integrated into the Whitworth curriculum. By designing a particular time for these issues, we are saying they have importance. At the same time, however, we are also saying that this is something that we don't think about all the time, but should. — Brian Boyle, Freshman

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Women's softball: the next varsity sport?

SHARON OLNEY  
Staff Writer

What is WFS? WPS stands for Women's Fastpitch Softball. In Spring 1995 some women interested in playing competitive softball went to ASWC with a charter to request the starting of a softball club sport.

Sophomore softball player Andrea Smith said the main objective of this club is to prove to the Athletic department there is a desire for another varsity sport.

"We are just a group of women who want to participate as well as be competitive at the varsity level," said Smith.

During a year the club has grown from 25 to 30 women. According to Smith, the women are currently planning fundraisers so they can continue to build their program.

Athletic Director Scott McQuillen said, "A draft of my gender equity proposal is currently in the hands of the Provost. A decision needs to be made quickly if softball is to be a varsity sport next year. It'll give us time to set a schedule, buy equipment and find a facility. It will also allow us to notify players currently interested as well as recruit."

According to Associate Professor and Faculty Athletics Representative Rich Schatz, Whitworth has not added a varsity sport since Women's Soccer in 1969.

WFS Coach Cary Blake brings nine years of softball experience to the program and donates a couple of hours every week to help coach and create a successful program.

"I am impressed with the level of athleticism in this club. None of them were recruited to play, they are all here because they want to be," said Blake.

WPS began holding practices in the beginning of February. They usually practice two nights a week for two hours.

"With the team only being a club sport, it is difficult to get facility time. We practice from 6:30-10:30 p.m. because we have to work around other varsity sports, P.E. and night classes," Blake said.

Practices are geared toward improving skills as well as developing a competitive team.

Both Blake and Smith are working together to get some games for the spring. They plan to begin competing when they return from Spring Break.

"We hope to be able to compete with local universities, community colleges and local clubs," said Smith.

Women's softball: the next varsity sport?
Pirates in sole possession of first place

Whitworth men’s basketball wins big Friday with a 41 point blowout against Lewis and Clark, but it took three clutch three-pointers in the last 40 seconds to beat PLU Saturday.

TODD PARSONS
Sports Editor

Three words: shooting, defense, and passing. How about coaching, love and fans. The Whitworth men’s basketball team had all of those and some, too. Last weekend they were just plain incredible, incredible, and maybe, incredible.

The Pirates came into Friday night’s match-up against Lewis and Clark College, with the chance to wrap up first place in the conference. The Pioneers were in a two-way tie for second place and still had a shot at first place, and after beating Whitworth three weeks before by two points, they probably thought that they had a chance.

Lewis and Clark would have been better off not showing up. In fact it seemed as if they didn’t. The Bucs tore them up for 89 points, and beat them by 41. Whitworth jumped ahead early 5-4, before the Pioneers gave their last breath to get an 8-4 run. That was it. From there on, The Pirates led 17 at half, and the LC bus was warmed up.

Lewis and Clark finished shooting a horrid 17 for 66 (25.7 percent) from the field. Senior Roman Wickers’ parents, Jeff Arkllis, and John Beckman were in the stands watching their son play in college for the first bench. Jones hit another from the line. However, the story that night would involve another, lesser known player. Freshmen Doug Schulz, who is normally warming the bench, was searching the nets that night. He finished 6 for 10 on the night and had 18 points, but for a little over four minutes in the first half he was on fire. Schulz drilled two free-throws and hit three-shots from about 18 feet to establish his shooting range. In playing half of the team’s previous 22 games, the six-foot five-inch forward had only made one field goal. Schulz also led the team with seven rebounds.

The Saturday night game with Pacific Lutheran University would provide one of the most incredible finishes, possibly in Whitworth basketball history.

Head Coach Warren Friedrichs said, “It was probably as exciting a win as we’ve ever had in the 11 years I’ve been here.” The Pirates beat the Lutes 101-87, breaking a three-game losing streak against the league leaders. The Pioneers were ranked as high as 5th in the NAIA Division II polls as of Feb. 12.

The Pirates finished the regular season at 20-4, with the playoffs coming up Wednesday. The Pirates are coming off last year’s 18-10 season, in which they were ranked as high as 5th nationally and finished third in the conference due to losing their final two games on the road. Had they won those, they would have been in first. After losing starting point guard Greg Stem and 1st team all-NCIC forward Kevin Wright to graduation, it looked like an uphill climb this season.

The Bucs weren’t daunted, blazing an 8-2 record before the conference schedule kicked in. Now they’re standing on top of the league with sole possession of first place and a 13-4 conference record. The Pirates are also nationally ranked 5th in the NAIA Division II poll as of Feb. 12.

Whitworth will ‘give home court advantage throughout the playoffs. Assistant Coach Rodney Wecker emphasized the benefit and said, “When we’re playing at home you don’t need to give any motivational speeches to the guys, because of the crowd noise and just being in their familiar setting.”

They will face Linfield on Wednesday at 7 p.m. and then will play the winner of the Lewis and Clark/PLU game late the following night.

Whitworth barely won at Linfield, but crushed them by 30 points at home.

“Home court is definitely a big advantage for us...with the crowds we’ve had, and the excitement that’s been there,” said Dunham. “If I were on another team, I probably wouldn’t want to come and play us.”

The students set up couches to watch the game and the stands were packed for both games. After the PLU game Dunham thanked all of the fans for their support.

Friedrichs replied, “We have the best following fans of anybody in our league.”
Four students return from Central America

AIMEE MOISO
Staff Writer

For the students participating in the Central America Study Tour this spring, it seems some of "the best laid plans" have gone astray. Despite preparing for a semester-long trip through six countries, four participants have already returned home after just one month in Guatemala.

Juniors Amy Clark and Nicole Markovchick became ill during their home stays in Queszaltenango, Guatemala, and were sent back to the United States for spring semester.

Clark, the first to return, was given antibiotics in Guatemala after contracting strep throat. "They were antibiotics not available in the United States, but we were able to buy them at a drug store," said Clark. "The druggist said that they would take care of my strep throat, but they also destroyed my stomach lining."

According to Clark, after she became sick from the medication, doctors in Guatemala told her that the drug had been much more powerful than she had needed. She was put on a strict diet and instructed not to take any other medications until her stomach had a chance to heal.

A week later, however, Clark acquired anorexia, a common aliment in Guatemala, and was told that it was dangerous for her to remain on the tour. "Because I couldn't take any medication and had gotten sick so soon, doctors told me that it would be safer for me to recover in the United States," she said. Clark flew back to Spokane on Feb. 22, after only 20 days in Guatemala.

Markovchick flew back to the United States on Feb. 4 due to serious health concerns, although she said, doctors are still not completely sure what made her so sick. "The doctors in Guatemala think I had an E. coli infection that spread to my kidneys," Markovchick said. "I was very, very sick, and could have died. I also had giardia."

After her third stay in Guatemalan hospitals, local doc­tors told her that she needed to be seen by doctors in the United States. "The hospitals I went to were very poor and had almost no supplies or equipment," Markovchick said. "There was a bed, a microphone, a thermometer and not much else." Because the hospital's medical technology, specifically a kidney dialysis machine, was out of order, she was ad­vised to return home.

Two other students have temporarily returned to the United States. Larry Fritz, who had a mild the flu, returned to Spokane on Feb. 4 to attend the funeral of her brother, who died of AIDS. Fritz was killed in a shooting at Frontier Junior High in Moses Lake on Feb. 2. She will fly back to Hon­duras on Feb. 22.

Dan Wartman returned to Livermore, Calif., on Feb. 15, fol­lowing the death of his grandfat­her. Wartman continued the fu­neral and returned to Honduras on Feb. 18. Neither Wartman nor Fritz ever had a permanent contract.

Due to health reasons and the cost to fly back to Central America, neither Markovchick nor Clark will be rejoining the tour. Both were unhappy to have to leave the trip permanently.

"When I first learned I was going home, I was almost relieved because I just felt so sick." Clark said. "But when I flew back, my disappointment at not being able to finish the trip has grown every day. I wonder what I'm missing, and I am sad that I won't be able to have that experience."

Ron Prase, retired associate pro­fessor of sociology, who is part of the team of professors working on the tour, was in contact with the tour throughout January, and will join them in April to partici­pate in the last month of the trip. He stressed that many health pre­cautions were taken before the group left, and that sending stu­dents home because of health con­cerns was unusual.

"All the students have a series of shots and medications before and during the tour," he said. "Never had anyone come home for health reasons until three years ago when one student got a mild case of malaria. There has always been illness, people getting sick with diarrhea and such, but nothing like this."

According to Health Center staff, all the students on the trip were given shots or oral medica­tion for Hepatitis A and B, ma­laria, and typhoid, and were re­quired to update their vaccina­tion against tetanus, diphtheria, polio, MMR (measles, mumps, rouge), and the flu. Students were also asked to get a statement of physical health from a doctor.

Despite all the precautions Markovchick and Clark will be spending the spring in Spokane. "I am disappointed," said Markovchick, "but really believe that God had a reason for sending me home. Sometimes you plan the future as much as possible, but you're not in control. God's in control."
We are the champions ...

Men's varsity basketball team celebrates after winning the NCIC District Tournament over Lewis-Clark Saturday night. A packed Field House witnessed the excitement of the cutting of the nets.

Students experience prejudice through campus-wide simulation

SARAH BADE
Staff Writer

Whitworth's campus was reeked of segregation on Friday, Feb. 23. Signs separated students by eye color, telling those without brown eyes they must use the least convenient door, bathroom stall, or drinking fountain. Students were forced to sit in separate sections based on eye color in the auditorium for the Prejudice Across America Forum given by students on the study tour with Jim Waller, professor of Psychology. Propaganda blared from the Campus Center, the library, the dining hall, and the auditorium that "Brown is Best" and "Jesus Had Brown Eyes." Information sheets posted in the dining room explained how those with brown eyes are more intelligent and successful than non-brown-eyed people.

Some students responded by vandalizing the posted signs; others made signs of their own that said "Fight the Brown-Eyed Power!" Names like "blueberries" and "green-apples" referring to non-brown-eyed students floated around campus.

Shondra Dillon, coordinator for Cultural and Special Events, who organized the simulation. Dillon had heard about the Forum planned by Waller and his students and decided to organize a committee to make a prejudice simulation. The idea was not to create a police state and force students to cooperate in creating a real segregated campus. Instead, the idea was to make everyone more aware of the different kinds of prejudice that exist in the world and on campus such as gender, religion, age, class, and ethnicity, said Dillon. "Our goal was not to have this be a black-white racial thing, but to remind us of all the different kinds of prejudice that are happening in the world today," she said.

"The cool thing is that it's showing how we develop labels, call names, and make jokes based on appearances different from our own," explained sophomore Kendra Nickerson.

"Fight the brown-eyed power!

Signs posted across campus made usual conveniences more difficult for those with non-brown eyes.

Tuition increases

KELLY KODIMEL
Staff Writer

Students can expect to pay a little more to attend Whitworth next year. Tuition, room, board and ASWC fees have been increased for the 1996-97 school year.

Tuition will be raised $700, from $13,410 to $14,110. According to Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs, this raise corresponds with the increasing costs of running a college. The increase will go mostly toward enhancing the academic program. This includes adding faculty and increasing faculty salaries. The tuition increase is aimed at "providing the best academic program we can for students," said Johnson.

The room and board increase of $200, from $4,900 to $5,100, will mostly be spent on cleaning Whitworth to the county sewer system. Whitworth has had its own sewer system, but now the county has expanded its system and Whitworth is required to hook up to it. This will bring additional costs to Whitworth, said Johnson.

ASWC fees are going up $4 from $126 to $130. This increase will be used to possibly provide longer Campus Center hours Also, if a new dorm is built, the increase in funds would go toward adding a dorm president and additional programming. The fee increase would add up to a 4.9 percent overall increase from Fall 1995. This percentage increase is lower than the percentages of the past 11 years, said Johnson.

"Students should expect to be faced with an increase every year as the college faces increasing costs and the desire to add resources," said Fred Pfurich, dean of Enrollment Services.

Whitworth's tuition is less than the average of other private colleges in the Northwest. The average cost of tuition and fees at private Northwest colleges for the 1995-96 school year is $14,960. However, Whitworth's cost is

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30 hour famine develops awareness of world hunger

The famine, organized and led by McGladrey and junior Annemarie Ikundu, was also a time of reflection and discussion about hunger, suffering, and attitudes. During one of the two breaks, junior Trinity Sullivan said that she wasn't as conscious of the hunger itself as she was of how hunger affected her. "Not having food made me emotional and irritable. I kept thinking that I would be able to eat in a few hours and then I wouldn't be hungry anymore. Then I thought about how it would feel if I didn't have the choice to be hungry," Sophomore Jamie MacKenzie had a similar reaction. "People who are really hungry don't have the solace of 'Oh, I get food in 30 hours.'"

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-Jamie MacKenzie, Sophomore

That the half cup of rice they were served was all that some people had to eat for the next 30 hours. Students chose to be a part of the famine for a variety of reasons.

One participant, freshman Daniel Kullander, said, "Fasting is a good way to find God, and the chance to donate meals at the same time was great. I think the fact that a lot of us did it at once made it a more powerful statement."

Freshman Amy Holloway said, "I participated in the famine to gain a small awareness (into how it feels to be hungry), although I realize now how small my awareness is. I feel privileged and grateful for what I have. A lot of people don't have the simple things I have."

McGladrey, who helped with the famine last year, was inspired to work with the activities of World Vision partly because of a Jan Term study tour in South Africa she went on in 1996. It was there she got a first-hand look at poverty. "My heart was breaking for them," she said, "these people living in cardboard boxes. When I returned to the United States, I was overwhelmed by American life - it seems okay to spend money on things we don't need, and people are starving." McGladrey said that it is easy to forget about poverty when not faced with it daily. The famine was a chance to remember.

The 30 hour Famine, sponsored by the Christian non-profit organization World Vision, provided an opportunity for students in the United States to get a literal taste of what millions suffer daily - hunger. At the same time, participants raised money to donate to World Vision's mission against malnutrition and starvation in Mozambique, India, Guatemala and the United States.

Whitworth students who participated in the fast donated four Marriott meals each and Marriott Food Service then paid World Vision for the meals.

Each year, 15 to 20 million people die of hunger related causes. This weekend, 135 Whitworth students voluntarily gave up food for 30 hours.

From 1 p.m., Friday, Feb. 23 until 7 p.m. on Feb. 24, these participants in the World Vision 30 hour Famine consumed only liquids and donated their meals to help alleviate the suffering of people around the world.

But the Famine was not just a time to raise money, it was also a chance to raise awareness.

"The point of the Famine," said senior Laura McGladrey, one of the event's coordinators, "was that people are starving to death every day, but there are things we can do today to help."
For the orthodox Aberdeen University under graduate, the word "morning" is very subjective. Generally speaking, daybreak is defined as "those first three hours after you get out of bed." However, many departmental professors at Aberdeen have this particular student doctrine by holding lectures and tutorials. In this environment there is a desire to define your own way of living and many questions are conceived. Could Whitworth students learn anything from the Aberdeen adventure?

As a freshman English major I attended classes with 300 other students, for a weekly 12 to 15 hours of didactic monologue. Freshman lectures are a matter of commitment for students because, to rephrase the words of Bette Midler, "I'm a distance, a professor could be blue and green." Being 30 rows back you have the option of note taking or The London Times Crossword. Many students think the whole experience is impersonal. This detached relationship forces students at Aberdeen to seek information in the vast bibliographies they are given - to boldly go where they have not gone before.

The Whitworth experience is different, and I feel fortunate to be at Whitworth, regardless of whether or not any beliefs are shared. The core of religion is faith. Faith is a personal commitment to your beliefs. I believe the individualism that makes the student body, as one whole, so unique and different is its very subjective. Each belief is a personal way of life as we speak with a mature student who has attended classes with Bette Midler, a pagan the whole time. Only after he had discovered the many different religions are present in churches, but not in the classroom. In fact, shortly before I left Aberdeen there was a serious debate about the correctness of a pagan society. I think it is fair to say that every, it seems that the imaginations of American students have still been impaired despite all the help. I spoke with a mature student who had attended a class that refused to accept one of her ideas. In a scholarly atmosphere I find this state of affairs hard to believe. At Aberdeen the student's interests and beliefs can be seen in the very tangible activities of the many societies. The organizations promote diversity simply existing in harmony as part of the whole student body, but without sacrificing their own beliefs.

Societies and many different religions are present in churches, but not in the classroom. In fact, shortly before I left Aberdeen there was a serious debate about the correctness of a pagan society. I think it is fair to say that Aberdeen the student seeks to find God. This idea holds true for a friend of mine who stopped going to church after seven years of his mother conditioning him to go. Only after he had discovered his own desire to attend church did he feel ready to return. He is now a Christian in every sense, but importantly it is his own sense.

Aberdeen University is a leading scholastic institution, not just because of its size, history or professors, but also because the student body tries to help themselves to experience their own field of reference; whatever that means to them and that they have begun to experience the individualism that makes them a child of God, a Muslim, a scholar or just a human being.

Whitworth, I ask you, where are your debating chambers? How are you coming to terms with yourselves as individuals? What differences will you find on the other side? And what are you doing to dispel the ignorance that the statements like "Jewish, why go there? It's too far away?"

Totem pole sends mixed messages at Whitworth

The Totem pole on Whitworth's campus demonstrates an inadequate understanding of the symbolism associated with Native American culture. A different representation of this culture should be adopted if Whitworth wants to honor a violated culture.

The practice of Totemism entails the worship of specific animals which reflect the virtues of the animal characteristics. Like any polytheistic religion, this involves the worship of multiple gods. Totemism does not acknowledge the supremacy of any one god, thus rejecting the omnipotence of the Christian God, Yahweh. As a Christian Campus, this institution does not support the worship of multiple gods or symbols. To have this type of monument decorating the western edge of campus without recognizing the religious aspects of it is not honoring the culture from which it came, but actually undermining it.

Multicultural awareness involves a complete understanding of rituals and beliefs associated with specific cultures. If Whitworth completely accepts the significance of the totem pole, it will meet the requirements of multicultural awareness. However, if this is the case, then how can the institution place this type of symbolism on its campus? By doing so, Whitworth undermines its Christian commitment. A more appropriate symbol which doesn't theologize the Native American culture, should be constructed. This would publicly demonstrate respect without contradicting Christian doctrine.

Instead of sending a message of multicultural awareness, the totem pole demonstrates a lack of true respect and real understanding about Native American culture. By choosing a totem pole and assuming that it doesn't have religious implications, Whitworth is actually belittling Native American worship. Claiming that the totem pole has no real spiritual significance, is not recognizing the culture of Native Americans. Whitworth is placing a token symbol from a fleeting culture and by placing it on a Christian campus, denying its religious importance in Native American culture.

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Looking for adventure? Try camping in Banff

"Excuse me! Those are my ovaries!" This was the warning I woke to, a warning issued to Rudy, the German short-hair with soulful brown eyes and trembling paws. So far as I could tell, it came from a blonde somewhere in the depths of the upper bunk. Unwilling to unfold my 76 inches from the 60-inch bunk, like a plum pudding and a blanket of blackness, crowded to my chin and pondered the curtains of the camper. The natural question to ask at this point was, "How did I get myself talking into this?" but I did. Everyone had talked about the question, but I didn't apply. Fortunately, no one had done much talking at the border, particularly Rudy, since his registration papers were on the other side of the state. We waved. The second was so, and the curtain as the others showed their ID. The Canadian border guard stood there and said, "You have HOW many people in that thing?!?" for her to notice the dog's nose peeking through the curtains.

A three-day Jan Term weekend had seemed like the perfect time for a trip to Canada for the magnificent ski ing in Lake Louise, Alberta. Maybe we had been mistaken in assuming that five moderately tiny people, two ex-football players and a dog could fit comfortably in a pickup camper. I think I had neglected to do the math, which basically stated that, even with four people crammed in the top bunk, and two sleeping on the table, that still left one on the floor with the wandering dog. There was a small incident of two cars only woke for about 10 minutes as the truck started up and rolled out. Perhaps an hour later I woke to a sliding motion — a sliding motion that diminished into regular kicks and noise within seconds. I stayed awake. I really shouldn't have been thinking of the fact that I was a lot more experienced to fall in the mountains during the weekend. But I was, probably because of the semi-ancient camper and the little pickup it was towing. I just didn't trust that combination on the slippery, snow-covered roads.

We arrived in Lake Louise approximately five hours later. Granted, only two hours had been spent driving — the rest involved a small incident of two tow-truck drivers who had the rights to pull us out of the ditch. It was an instructional incident in the moral of the story being that the tiny letter "a" on the road sign, following the route number, meant "scenic route." This phrase, interpreted by the Canadian driver, as "make switchback road which is never known," was first read in 1995.

At Cornell, Whalen worked under the tutelage of A.R. Ammons, the Goldman Smith professor of poetry. Whalen's work has been published in such literary journals as The Virginia Quarterly, "Review," "Cutbank," and "Willow Springs." Next fall Whalen will become the poetry editor for "Willow Springs." He advisory students who want to publish their work to open, "not to worry about (publishing), but just to worry about the poem itself, what the poem is trying to do, not what you're trying to do to the poem.

Whalen lives in Spokane with Marie, and their two daughters, Virginia, 5, and Sally, 1.

Whalen encourages all students interested in the printing services arena to visit. The office is open Monday-Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

EUNJOO SOO Staff Writer

"Do you know that when you kiss someone, 50 million germs are exchanged, but they're all happy," (Rick Dees, Weekly Top 40 DJ). A first kiss tends to be lodged in memories as either a time of pure bliss, a rite of passage, or a complete terror. Some might have had their first kiss at a young age, while others were late bloomers. Freshman Andrea Rigdon received her first kiss as a third-grader in a game of truth or dare. "I got my first kiss and it blossomed into a summer romance, and then into a complete terror until the seventh-grade. The boy asked me, 'Will you be my, some-of-the-time-girlfriend and I was fine with that," she said.

So who makes the best first kiss? Who, the girl or the guy? It seems that either can make the first move or they really want to. "I got my first kiss the summer after my senior year of high school," said sophomore Barrett Guasco. "It was right after a football game and it took me by surprise. The girl made the move and I just felt weird." But not everyone has "weird" experiences. "I was in the seventh-grade and she was in the eighth-grade. After one of our junior high dances, we went outside and she grabbed me—but it just went on from there. I was excited. I felt like the man," said sophomore Carl Clark.

Some first kisses can even alter your outlook on life. "I was in the fifth-grade and we were on the monkey bars after school one day. We were talking when he just leaned over and kissed me. I felt warm and tingly—it opened my eyes to the idea of love and made me see the birds and the bees in a different light," said sophomore Hillary Carr.

First kisses can also take you by surprise. Freshman James Little said, "My first kiss was at an amusement park and I was 13 years old. This girl went for a little walk and she grabbed me and kissed me. I just got macked on." The ultimate question though, is your first kiss lead to true love? "I was in the fifth-grade and this guy and I were roller-skating to a slow song when he kissed me. I was really happy. This guy and I went out for a year," said freshman Amie Kimmery.

Whether exhilarating, weird, wonderful or disgusting, a first kiss will always remain in that special place in your heart, or perhaps just the place in your head where you can't forget it.

Features:

John Whalen: Whitworth's Printing Poet

CHRIS MARTIN Staff Writer

A Bachelor of English at Cornell University, a co-founder of the poetry society, and an accomplished poet published in more than 30 literary magazines, and father of two — a Forum speaker perhaps. No, it's Whitworth's own John Whalen.

Whalen, the co-manager of Printing Services, is responsible in some way for everything seen on campus. Located in the Printing Services building next to the Physical Plant, Whalen oversees the day to day workings of the Printing Services Division.

"Our basic mission is to serve the campus community with all its printing needs. From professors all the way to the president. That's what we try to do everyday, all day long," said Whalen.

With a work load like this, one might assume Whalen would have no time for outside interests. But, Whalen is an accomplished poet published in over 30 literary magazines and is currently working on his Master of Fine Arts degree at Eastern Washington University.

Whalen was born in Detroit in 1957, but spent most of his adolescence in Georgia and Tennessee. Whalen was in high school in Greer, S.C., when he was first introduced to poetry. His first influence was Rodney Jones, an award-winning poet. Following graduation from high school, Whalen enrolled at Cornell University in Ithaca, New York.

While volunteering at a soup kitchen in Ithaca, Whalen met his wife, Marie, who has been an accomplished poet in her own right. "We met while teaching at a department in Whitworth since Fall 1995."

At Cornell, Whalen worked under the tutelage of A.R. Ammons, the Goldman Smith professor of poetry. Whalen's work has been published in such literary journals as The Virginia Quarterly, "Review," "Cutbank," and "Willow Springs." Next fall Whalen will become the poetry editor for "Willow Springs." He advises students who want to publish their work to open, "not to worry about (publishing), but just to worry about the poem itself, what the poem is trying to do, not what you're trying to do to the poem.

Whalen lives in Spokane with Marie, and their two daughters, Virginia, 5, and Sally, 1.

Whalen encourages all students interested in the printing services arena to visit. The office is open Monday-Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

EUNJOO SOO Staff Writer

"Do you know that when you kiss someone, 50 million germs are exchanged, but they're all happy," (Rick Dees, Weekly Top 40 DJ). A first kiss tends to be lodged in memories as either a time of pure bliss, a rite of passage, or a complete terror. Some might have had their first kiss at a young age, while others were late bloomers. Freshman Andrea Rigdon received her first kiss as a third-grader in a game of truth or dare. "I got my first kiss and it blossomed into a summer romance, and then into a complete terror until the seventh-grade. The boy asked me, 'Will you be my, some-of-the-time-girlfriend and I was fine with that," she said.

So who makes the best first kiss? Who, the girl or the guy? It seems that either can make the first move or they really want to. "I got my first kiss the summer after my senior year of high school," said sophomore Barrett Guasco. "It was right after a football game and it took me by surprise. The girl made the move and I just felt weird." But not everyone has "weird" experiences. "I was in the seventh-grade and she was in the eighth-grade. After one of our junior high dances, we went outside and she grabbed me—but it just went on from there. I was excited. I felt like the man," said sophomore Carl Clark.

Some first kisses can even alter your outlook on life. "I was in the fifth-grade and we were on the monkey bars after school one day. We were talking when he just leaned over and kissed me. I felt warm and tingly—it opened my eyes to the idea of love and made me see the birds and the bees in a different light," said sophomore Hillary Carr.

First kisses can also take you by surprise. Freshman James Little said, "My first kiss was at an amusement park and I was 13 years old. This girl went for a little walk and she grabbed me and kissed me. I just got macked on." The ultimate question though, is your first kiss lead to true love? "I was in the fifth-grade and this guy and I were roller-skating to a slow song when he kissed me. I was really happy. This guy and I went out for a year," said freshman Amie Kimmery.

Whether exhilarating, weird, wonderful or disgusting, a first kiss will always remain in that special place in your heart, or perhaps just the place in your head where you can't forget it.

Mouth memoirs: Students recall first kisses
'As You Like It' lacks vitality

ERICA BROOKS
Staff Writer

Shakespeare gets a 20th century face-lift in the Spokane Civic Theatre’s new production of "As You Like It." The setting, sets and smart costumes, however, can’t save this production from getting bogged down in a slow pace and lack of momentum. While some lovely scenes make the show worth the $7 admission ($12 for non-students), the overall sluggishness keeps it from being a must-see.

"As You Like It," one of Shakespeare’s best-loved comedies, tells the tale of Rosalind (Elizabeth English) and Celia (Alison Letson), who flee to Arden Forest to escape the wrath of Celia’s father, Duke Frederick (Ron Ragone). Long ago, Frederick usurped the dukedom of his brother, Duke Senior (Brian Kitt), Rosalind’s father. To ensure a safe journey, Rosalind disguises herself as a man, fooling even Orlando de Boys (Adam J. Throop), a nobleman’s son who has fallen in love with her. And that’s only the first few scenes.

Much of the show’s liveliness can be attributed to Throop, who plays Orlando. Orlando is a classically passionate youth, madly in love with Rosalind and angry at his older brother for keeping him at home. Throop’s lackluster delivery sounds more like "Bill and Ted’s Excellent Adventure." He occasionally seems to be fumbling for lines, never fully comfortable with the language or the physicality of his character. As several key scenes rely heavily on his character, he drags down the pace and tone of the entire show. One wonders what Rosalind sees in him.

Some of the show’s more enjoyable moments come in the scenes between Rosalind and Celia. Letton is particularly captivating as Celia, a role which could easily be shrugged off as a supporting part. The language comes easily to her, and she uses it to her advantage, adding a good deal of charm and wit to her character. English also turns in a fine performance as Rosalind, although she tends to overplay some of the more ridiculous situations.

Several supporting roles give likeable performances as well. Paul Wilson plays the melancholy Jaques, one of Duke Senior’s band of banished courtiers. In an interesting twist, his "all the world’s a stage" monologue is delivered from the lighting booth directly to the audience, while the action freezes onstage. Wilson’s rich voice supports his characterization well.

In keeping with the modernized version of the play, Amiens (Michael R. Herzog), Duke Senior’s minstrel, sets Shakespeare’s songs to acoustic folk guitar. Herzog’s melodic plucking, accompanied by other cast members on tambourine and violin, creates some lovely moments—as long as the rest of the somewhat tone-deaf cast doesn’t join in.

Despite these fine performances, the show mires itself in a slow pace throughout. At one point during the second act, I overheard the woman next to me whisper to her companion, "This sure is a long show!" In a recent comedy such as "As You Like It," this sort of comment doesn’t speak well for the production.

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"I don’t watch that kind of smut. That is the dirtiest show I have ever seen." —Grant Geimsa, junior

"It got to be Chandler because he is the funniest, and he is going out with Julia Roberts in real life." —John Rasmusen, junior

"Chandler, because he is natural and funny, like myself." —Josh Dixon, junior

"I don’t like any of them. I like 'ER' better." —Maisy Hayes, freshman

"Marcel, because he is fun. The monkey is the one. NOT Chandler. Ross or Joey! Marcel is the most playful one." —Sarah Coleman, junior
Sharon Olney
Staff Writer

According to President Bill Robinson, Whitworth might have a difficult time in recruiting students who look at athletic aid as a factor in deciding whether or not to attend Whitworth. To solve this problem he stated that Whitworth will need to be aggressive in recruiting efforts and look for students who are not only athletes but are also academically well-rounded. Much of the financial support from Whitworth comes in the way of academic scholarships.

Women's Basketball Coach Helen Higgs said, "As coaches we have to change the perception of athletic aid and its importance to making a college choice decision."

Flursich said student athletes who are currently enrolled at Whitworth and are receiving talent based scholarships will not lose this money. It will just be packaged differently in their financial aid awards. As for incoming freshman athletes and non-athletes, financial aid will be weighed on the same scale. Students will be given financial aid awards based on leadership, academics and financial need. This system was created to see that student athletes were not being treated differently than other students.

"Everyone will go through the same financial aid process," said Pfursich. Because of the new rules "no money will be targeted directly toward student athletes."

The change was voted on by the presidents of the various colleges within the conference. Therefore it is not only affecting Whitworth, but all the other colleges.

"The NCAA is a more prestigious conference of athletes to be associated with and teams every year are leaving the NAIA to join this conference of competition," said Robinson.

Currently, Whitworth has to comply with the NCAA rules even though it will not be an official member until the 1998-99 school year. According to Pfursich, the NCAA is trying to change its athletic schedules to include at least 50 percent of their competition that has been offered to NCAA Division III schools and the other 50 percent from teams of their own conference.

According to Higgs, the effect of the change probably won't look too different in the athletic schedules because the whole conference is changing to the NCAA Division III. Therefore the competition will remain the same. The only difference will be playoffs when travel to the championships are further away and more teams will compete for fewer spots in the playoffs, making the competition greater.

In past years Whitworth's football program has been a member of the Columbia Football Association. The Faculty Athletic Representatives in the CFA voted to switch to the NAIA for the 1996 football season. Whitworth will play a CFA schedule next year due to prior commitments with Central Washington and Western Washington Universities. However, in 1997 Whitworth will play a NCIC schedule with five conference games. These games may include competition from Oregon as well as California schools.

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Men's Swim Team takes first; women a close second

Whitworth men win the NCIC championship in their home pool Saturday night

A stellar performance of 425.5 points by the Whitworth men's swim team led them to the 1996 Conference Championship podium over Pacific Lutheran University's 432. The Whitworth women's score of 424 placed them second to PLU's 471.

Individually, junior Jan Okada was named the NCIC Women's Swimmer of the Year, while senior Liza Rachetto won the Female Swimmer of the Meet for her victories in the women's 1650-meter freestyle, 200-meter and 400-meter individual medley relays. Joni Schacht and Brett Fordham placed first and second, respectively, in the men's 50- and 100-meter backstroke.

A male swimmer from another school was also named the Male Swimmer of the Meet. This is not the first time this has happened.

"The Northwest Conference of Independent Colleges Conference Swimming Championships were held at the Whitworth Aquatic Center this past weekend.

The Whitworth Swim Team dove into the NAIA conference championship meet last weekend. The men came out on top, while the women finished strong in second place behind PLU.

CHRIS MARTIN
Sports writer

Is it legitimate for Whitworth to have a week devoted to gender issues? Should this week be called Women's Awareness Week or Gender Awareness Week? Comments that came in were 100% in favor of this week and were overwhelmingly from the faculty. Are there no other voices? Posters will be set up in the Campus Center to include those responses that did not fit on this page, and to include any responses that come into Mail Stop 1101 during the coming week. Thank you for your participation.

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Whitworth should have a Women's Awareness Week because much of history, political science and other areas are told from a male perspective. It is important to me to have history told from the perspective of women, to hear about their lives and experiences. Male should also have the opportunity to hear a different perspective in history and other subjects.

- Mindy Moore, student

A whole week? My concern about designating one particular week to an issue like this is that people take the seven days to pay their respects, and then they forget about it. Equality is a full-time issue and merits year-round attention. Curriculum should be altered to include gender sensitive materials, schedules should be shifted to warrant conversation, and everyone should be willing to spend some hard core thought and prayer about how women and men manipulate and confuse each other. This is not something which can be accomplished in one week of superficial attention.

- female sophomore

Yes, I think it legitimate and appropriate for Whitworth to devote a week to issues of gender awareness. A) First of all, much of the mit of the academic world has enshrined itself in these issues and we should at least be aware of the larger conversation, some of the issues, the implications and the consequences. B) Gender issues have come to reshape our private choices as well as our public discourse and academic disciplines. C) Our Christian commitment to Truth in love also calls us to address issues of inequity (as felt by angry white Republican males as well as by females) especially as they impinge on our life together as a community.

- Dr. Leonard Oakland, Dept. of English

Gender Awareness Week -- any time we talk inclusively we develop a broader base.

- Linda Hunt, Dept. of English

Yes, most men are aware of women and vice versa (smile). But, they are not aware of the extent to which men operate from a base of unacknowledged privilege. I have not met many men who are truly interested about systemic, unearned male advantage -- and in the last two years I have been told not to recognize male privilege! In fact, some maintain this myth by actually claiming to be "underprivileged" due to "affirmative action.

- Lois Keiffaber, Dept. of Physics

Absolutely. Gender issues are covered in many classes and disciplines. A college week discussion can serve to integrate ideas from several different conversations. Gender Awareness Week is more inclusive and can address more issues.

- Mike Ingram, Dept. of Communications

I was not able to discuss these critical issues with our students and among ourselves at Whitworth. Where can they go? We expect to see what ought to be a respectful, thoughtful Christian perspective discussion and perspective-stretching examination of these issues. I think the climate on campus for such a discussion is potentially far healthier than other places I can think of.

- faculty

Gender Awareness Week is sponsored by the Women's Task Force in conjunction with the Justice for Women Committee of the Northwest Presidency.

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IBM lab gets 25 new computers

ANNEMARIE ELKUND  
Staff Writer

Twenty-five new Pentium 75 computers, five of which have multimedia capabilities, were purchased for the IBM computer lab in January. Ken Pecka, director of Instructional Resources, said the new computers were bought out of concern for the campus computer system.

Computing Services had hoped to upgrade both the PC lab and the IBM lab this winter. However, due to lack of funds, it will be summer before the 18 machines in the PC lab will be upgraded.

Mark Gang, user support specialist for Academic Computing, said there is a "standard move in colleges" to replace machines every two years and give the lab machines that were replaced to staff and faculty so their machines aren't more than four years old.

Pecka said that the mindset about upgrading is difficult because the computers do not wear out; instead, the technology goes beyond them. So while there may not be a need to replace broken or worn-out machines, upgrading every few years is essential in order for Whitworth to keep up with changes in technology.

For computers that were replaced in staff offices during the upgrade are currently being stored, said Computing Services decides how to make the best use of those machines.

Pecka hopes that some of those computers can be used possibly as "walk up e-mail terminals" in dorm study rooms and in the library. But for now nothing has been decided.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Karen DuBerke

Lowry out of 1996 gubernatorial race

OLYMPIA - Gov. Mike Lowry announced Thursday that he would not be running in the 1996 gubernatorial race.

Lowry, the state's top Democrat said he wants to focus on the last 11 months of his term and then spend time with his family.

When asked by the media whether or not the sexual harass- ment scandal in which he paid a former press aide, Suzanne Albright $97,500 to not sue, had any influence on his decision to run, he said no.

Lowry simply stated that he values his privacy and does not want to spend another five years in the public's eye.

High-tech driver's licenses for Washington

OLYMPIA - The state of Washing- ton may be turning to a new high-tech driver's license within the next four years, according to Ken Mark, the Licensing Department's deputy director for driver services.

The hope of a new driver's li- cense is to make it more difficult for lawless people to use false IDs to get a driver's license and drive away from stores and banks, and fraudulently obtain welfare and other government benefits.

Possibilities for the new license are the use of a computer chip containing personal information, a fingerprint, or other unique identifier.

Other Whitworth faculty recently received new comput- ers through a grant, so the ma- chines from the IBM lab went mainly to Whitworth staff members. Faculty and staff have their equipment replaced every five to six years.

Such an upgrade in machines "serves the whole commun- ity," said Pecka, adding that the students have access to the most current computer sys- tems.

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A student utilizes one of the 25 new computers in the IBM lab.
Gender Awareness Week generates campus-wide discussions, understanding

LESLEY ENGLES
Staff Writer

Gender Awareness Week, beginning March 4 and ending March 8, is a chance for issues which are often not discussed at Whitworth to be talked about.

In addition, this week will allow the opportunity for questions to be asked about how the issue of gender fits into a Christian community.

Diana Trotter, assistant professor of Theatre and a member of the Gender Awareness Week planning committee, said gender issues must be discussed in a Christian community because they are issues of social justice.

"As Christians, it's imperative [to discuss gender issues] because they hurt people," she said.

Member of the Gender Awareness Week planning committee and ASWC President Wendi Story said Gender Awareness Week is necessary because of Whitworth's claim to be a Christian community and the importance of love. "If we're called to love one another, loving means understanding, or at least trying to understand one another," Trotter said.

Julia Stromko, assistant professor of history and political studies and member of the planning committee explained why she thought gender issues needed to be discussed. "We are not going to get anywhere unless we talk publicly," she said.

One of the current controversies surrounding Gender Awareness Week is what it should be called.

Much discussion has been devoted to whether the week should be called Gender Awareness Week or Women's Awareness Week.

Story said she is torn on that issue. "I feel that women's issues need to be addressed; however, I want to be inclusive," she said.

Story added that she hopes students with a wide variety of views choose to participate in discussions during the week. "I want to see courageous and open students," said Story.

Events during the week include a wide variety of panel discussions, several theatre performances, and guest speakers in Mid-week worship on Wednesday.

With the exception of the Celebration of Women luncheon on Thursday, all scheduled events are gender-inclusive. Both male and female panelists will be in attendance.

Dialogues is the key word of the week. According to Trotter, all of the activities are planned toward generating discussion. "I just want us to increase our awareness of gender issues and be talking, one on one.

Agenda for Gender Awareness Week

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12 p.m.: Lecture in Sunset West, drop-in hall
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MEGAN EWART
Staff Writer

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Internet ban law on hold
"Indecent" and "patently offensive" are debatable

College Press Service
WASHINGTON, D.C. - The U.S. Justice Department has agreed not to prosecute anyone under a new controversial law that bans the transmission of "indecent" or "patently offensive" material on the Internet.

The Feb. 22 agreement stands until a three-judge panel considers a lawsuit in federal court in late March.

The American Civil Liberties Union, one of 19 groups to file the lawsuit in protest of the new law, negotiated the deal with the Justice Department.

Attorney Chris Hansen called deal "a victory" that extends protection for Internet users beyond the temporary restraining order that was granted earlier this month in a Philadelphia federal court.

U.S. District Judge Ronald L. Buckwalter ruled then that the restriction on "indecent" material was too vague to be enforceable. However, he let stand the ban on "patently offensive" material, such as words or pictures related to sexual or excretory activities. Educators were concerned that topics such as abortion or sex, and even many classical works, could not be discussed on the Internet because they would violate the "patently offensive" standard.

If the law is upheld, the government reserves the right to prosecute later for violations dating from the Feb. 8 passage of the law.
Everyone on campus is made to agree that Whitworth needs to have more diversity. The administration says it, the student representatives say it (at least they did when I was a dorm leader), and dorm leadership teams say it, and Whitworth students also say it. But what likelihood is there that Whitworth be a diverse institution as its members claim it not to be?

Diversity is agreeing to disagree. It is also having a different outlook on the basic questions of life: Who are you? Are you unique? How do you exist? How do you express your uniqueness? In the end, it is evident that to have true diversity it helps to have people of a different race and a different ethnic background. This form of diversity is more helpful, in the sense that it gives students a greater opportunity for learning, than a diversity which is more a result of individuals, who are all unique, with similar backgrounds. Whitworth is definitely a school which falls under the second category.

Why is it that Whitworth cannot change? There are a multitude of reasons, it seems that Whitworth and diversity is a problem inside the first place, and this fails to attract a diverse student population. One reason is precisely because the school is a strong, a clear way that student body Whitworth attracts more African Americans into its student body in their first year, with the opposite for the reason that lack of diversity on campus, the Whitworth community says, "it is not interested in attempting to challenge students with a different vision of humanity one. But the CDA program is a lackluster approach employed by the administration to showcase diversity to a community which can care. The CDA program is underfunded, and is built on a false assumption that one different looking person is the embodiment of diversity. It seems the school administration is not interested in attempting to challenge students with a different vision of humanity by making a stronger commitment to this program.

Why does Whitworth have such half-hearted approaches? Why can't it make a firmer commitment to the African-American community? Why can't Whitworth's Christian commitment be a turning point? Why can't we face the challenge of a non-Christian community and show the world what it has to the Hawaiian community? Why can't Whitworth be strong enough to face the understanding of life from a person who has faced a disagreement with the Christian Church? Again, the answer lies in the feeling of self-righteousness which Whitworth so desperately persists. The answer also lies in the student body that wants to feel comfortable amongst fellow Christians and not have to face the challenge of a non-Christian community. The fact is, because it seems in life Whitworth, one has to face these challenges at one point or another unless one wants to confine oneself to a room 24 hours a day.

The basic question still lingers: Does Whitworth really want diversity? And if it does, is it going to make life of an African-American professor an asset on campus or is it, in fact, can Whitworth even attract an African-American professor? How about a female professor? If Whitworth wants diversity will it ever have the courage to establish the CDA program and make it a truly functional system? If it doesn't, there is no need to address this article. If it does, like much of the Whitworth community says, then it should show the world what it has to the Hawaiian community.

Phrasing that Whitworth really want diversity is not an easy act. Rather it should find the answer lies which Whitworth so desperately seeks. The administration's answer lies is "Christian self-righteous, holier-than-thou approach conveyed to a person with a different "anything" by a predominately middle-class white community. The administration's struggle with the issue is seen clearly by some of the half hearted approach to achieving a diverse community.

The Cultural Diversity Advocate (CDA) program is where this program which Whitworth faces is most explicitly shown. CDA's are supposed to be the cultural link of dorm residents. There are approximately one CDA per dorm, Street Village has one, and the biggest dorm on campus, Warren Hall, has only one.

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Dear Editor,

Hanna Ganser's Feb. 27 editorial on the tolent pole sends mixed messages about Whitworth College. Whitworth did not choose to erect the totem pole to "honor a violated culture." The totem pole was erected by the Native American Club when it was in existence. Many people did not realize that the totem pole undermined the Native culture because its religious aspects were not recognized. The editorial assumed that it was randomly "plucked" and that no one understood the religious meaning. Isn't this an institution of higher education, completely with a library and inquiring minds? Furthermore why would the Native American Club have chosen to erect a symbol that was a mere "token" to them? Why would they voluntarily exploit their own culture when there are so many others who have already done so, and are still doing so?

The editorial said that if the spiritual meaning of the totem pole was recognized it should be removed because undermined Whitworth's Christian commitment. Ms. Ganser is it really not possible for Whitworth to recognize the significance of another culture's belief without jeopardizing its "Christian commitment? Perhaps this institution does not "support the worship of multiple gods," but would hope that it does support an open and inclusive world, and the acceptance of others that is not merely patronizing. The editorial reflects an unwelcoming, narrow-minded, judgemental attitude toward the other, and against Native Americans.

- Janet Osorio
senior

Frustration expressed over basketball coverage

Dear Editor,

In the Feb. 27 issue, there was a front page picture of the men's basketball team after they won the NAIA championship basketball game. However, there was no story that talked about the win and why it was so important. I realize that since the game was on Saturday night and the paper goes to press on Monday morning, that doesn't leave a great deal of time. However, I worked on a paper for four years and whenever there was a breaking story like this, we stayed late to make sure we had the story somewhere in the paper, usually on the front page or the story may be planned for the March 5 issue, but by that time the team will be on their way to Nationals in Idaho and it will be old news that we won the District game. Newspapers are supposed to be timely. I think the staff and especially the editor needed to do some adjusting when another event like this happens. Give credit to the people who deserve it, please, but don't let them die.

- Mary Kay Campbell
senior

Corrections

- Congratulations to Sarah Ewan who qualified to swim at the National Swimming Championships in San Antonio, Texas, March 7-9.
- In the Feb. 27 issue the name Josh Dickson was misspelled. The Whitworthian regrets these errors
Special gifts: student shares story of hope for children of Guatemala

CHRISTIE INGERSOLL
Guest Writer

Greetings from Quito, Ecuador! Although we have only been on the Central American tour for one month, I feel as though I have already experienced a lifetime of events. I spent the week-end at a refugee camp, visited the oldest church in Central America, climbed a volcano, and so much more.

My most rewarding experience came when I went to associations Hogar Nuevos Horizontes (New Horizons), a shelter for battered women and their children. New Horizons counsels the women and assists with child care while the women look for jobs so they can eventually learn to support themselves.

No matter how many times at school I read about how 80 percent of the Guatemalan population lives in poverty, I never imagined how I would feel once I stepped foot into this Third-World country and witnessed it with my own eyes. In addition to their impoverished living conditions, the kids at New Horizons crave affection. The minute a group of us walked through the front-door, the kids were stacked up against the wall, hugging and kissing us.

More than anything, they simply wanted someone to talk to, to play with, and open arms for the comfort of a loving touch. Despite these traumatic situations, almost all the kids had a joyful outlook on life and an incomprehensible hope that things may become better for them.

In Guatemala, I will always have a place in my heart. Jonathan’s mother abandoned him when he was an infant and he came close to dying from malnutrition. New Horizons adopted him and nursed him back to health. At 15 months, Jonathan was barely the size of a 6-month-old. It broke my heart to see his little face as he sat in his crib, not even able to pull himself up into standing position. Although Jonathan is the exception at New Horizons, most of the children have mothers and are growing and thriving in their own safe environment. Still, each child has special needs due to his or her background of abuse or neglect.

One afternoon, on my way to Spanish school, I stopped at a Christian bookstore. I found a bookmark which sums up my feelings for the children at New Horizons. Printed on it is a kiss from God which shines in glory.

Three weeks later, I went back to New Horizons for one lastvisit. This time, Jonathan was walking with the help of two older children. His cheeks were pinker and he even looked a bit fatter than the first time I saw him. It gave me so much joy to see how the Lord has blessed this child with the special gift of life. Jonathan will never remember who I am, but I will never forget how he made me appreciate all that God has given to me.
Movie Review

ERICA BROOKS
Staff Writer

What if someone you love was accused of murder? Whose side would you take? "Before and After" plays with this intriguing question, putting one boy's parents, and Edward Furlong plays Jacob Ryan, the son who is accused of murdering, his girlfriend in cold blood. The evidence is stacked against him, and Jacob is nowhere to be found. Despite this fact, and the discovery of a bloody murder weapon in the back of Jacob's car, his father decides to do whatever it takes to keep Jacob out of prison—even if it means destroying evidence.

Streep turns in a fairly convincing performance as Jacob's mother, although the script gives her little to work with. Her performance as Jacob's mother, although the individuality necessary to pull the story together, is hampered by the banal script. However, she does bring depth to the syrupy script, but she fails to make her character compelling.

Neeson plays a temperamental artist-father whose desperate attempts to cover his son's tracks lead to more trouble than he bargained for. His explosive temperament becomes more of a nuisance than a compelling character trait after the first few scenes. Neeson, too, gets bogged down in the emotional script, flying into one rage after another and displaying parental angst at all the appropriate moments. Frong hasn't grown much since "Terminator 2." His earlier performance, at least, was believable. His portrayal of Jacob's father, it's just not enough to give her theRent angst at all the appropriate moments. Unfortunately, those are the only intelligent lines given to her. For the most part, she is reduced to exclamations of, "Mommy! Mommy! Is Jake coming home?" and other such gushy phrases. "Before and After" has its moments, but they are few and far between. There is little difference between it and a made-for-television movie, complete with gawking neighbors throwing stones through living room windows. To its credit, the plot is unpredictable, keeping the audience guessing at the ending. A good thing, because this banal script needs all the help it can get.

University hires dating service

PROVIDENCE, R.I.—Ask students at Brown University, and many will say they just don't date. They'll tell you they're too busy studying. Or they find dating comes at the bottom of a long list of activities — after intramural sports, internships, part-time jobs and other resume-builders. Deciding that its Ivy Leaguers must be too wrapped up in academics and extracurricular activities to date, a Brown student government committee recently went so far as to hire a computer dating service to spice things up.

More than 1,500 students returned completed surveys, responding to such questions as:

"Do you believe God has only one perfect mate for everyone?"

"What type of taco sauce would you be: mild, medium or hot?"

"Would you consider dating a person if you were first-degree relatives?"

Of the 1,500 students, 1,377 responded. The committee decided to hire a computer dating service after reading "The New York Times" story, "Brown Students to Hire Computer Dating Service" on Jan. 27.

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"I'd have to say Aspen. I've always wanted to go skiing in Colorado because it's supposed to be really good." —Matthew Bates

"A week in New York." —Ben Brody

"Head to the mountains. That's kind of what we're doing." —Laura McGladrey

"I'm going to Colorado with the tennis team, and so that's ideally where I want to go." —Joelle Staudinger

"San Francisco — it's a cultural hub!" —Amber Johnson

"Going to the Bahamas. I'd lay out on the beach all day and tan." —Melissa Wong

"Missions, nothing but missions! We're going down to Costa Rica for nine days." —Ryland Carter

"What would be your ideal Spring Break trip?"
Whitworth baseball with many new faces

ROB LESLIE
Staff Writer

No labor disputes, contract negotiations, salary caps, player-union meetings, or salary arbitration, just fastballs, base hits and diving catches for members of the Whitworth baseball team.

Another season is at hand for Coach Rod Taylor and his "Arm and Hammer" boys. The Bucs are back from an 11-7 conference record (19-11-1 overall) and the loss of four starting seniors. One of those being Don O'Neal who led the Pirates in most offensive categories including batting average, runs-batted-in, and home runs (40, 43, 12). But Taylor isn't de- privepd of any sleep over the loss of his main power outlet, thanks to the many new faces on this year's team.

The Bucs have brought in seven transfers to help fill the gaps. In fact, this year's starting pitcher looks to be junior Sam Fleming, a transfer from Columbia Basin College.

"It's tremendous, extremely thrilling right now," Taylor said.

Also complementing Fleming's heater will be fellow right hander freshman James Holmes, a transfer from Las Vegas.

The Bucs lost three of their starting pitchers from last year's squad, but Taylor is pleased with the performance he is getting from his transfers and veterans. "Our pitching looks really good." The bullpen is another strong point for the Pirates as they will have senior Cam McCallaway back for long relief duty, junior Jeff Green as the closer, and junior Jeff Tygart who returns after orthoscopic surgery on his shoulder.

"Tygart is looking really good, he's getting back his knuckle-curveball," Taylor said.

Offensively, the Bucs will turn to senior Sean Peterson to fill the shoes of O'Neal. Last season he finished behind O'Neal with a .341 batting average, 24 runs-batted-in, and 4 home runs. Taylor hopes Peterson can continue to improve as O'Neal did for his senior year.

"Peterson is a lot like O'Neal," Taylor said. "He's a good quality hitter." This season the Pirates also bring back their successful three program.

The Bucs' hitting lineup looks to be junior Sam Taylor said. "I call them my Fab Five," said Taylor. He is talking about Josh Weitzman, Eric Brown, Jack Arthaud, Sam Chimienti, and Jay Wendt, five freshman who will see a good amount of playing time this season for the Bucs. Leading the way will be Wendt who is a soon-to-be sophomore's high school player of the year, and he's ready for the jump to college ball.

"I'm excited, but wouldn't be this. This is what you dream of coming right out of high school and playing with the big boys," Wendt said. The difference for Wendt will be the adjustment to the pitching.

"The pitchers at this level are a lot smarter, they know what to do to get you out," said Wendt. "We joke around with it." Wendt said with a laugh. "It's all in good fun."

Despite the new faces on the team, Taylor is pleased with how quickly the players have come together on and off the field.

"They all get along really well," said Taylor. "We have good team unity."

"The first test for the Bucs will be the weekend of March 6-10, as the Pirates will host Central Washington University for a three game series.

The Peninsula's single elimination tournament will begin March 12. Flag Football's tournament will begin March 10. Last day for 5-on-5 Basketball sign-up is March 6.

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Women's Tennis start the season on good note

By Sharon Olney

Sports Staff Writer

Around 5 o'clock every evening, the sun begins to disappear and the moon begins to shed light over Spokane. However, these shortened days have not affected the brilliance of play on the women's tennis team.

On Saturday afternoon, the women began a tough match against Willamette University. Due to darkness and no overhead lights, they had to move to Mead High School where the Pirates pushed out a 3-4 upset over the Bearcats.

The Pirates victory was secured by singles matches played by junior Jodi Baker and sophomore Holly Treadwell. "Both Baker and Treadwell split sets with their opponents and had to play a third set to determine the winner," said junior Tara Fiebeck.

In anticipation of a 9-0 victory over George Fox on Friday, the Pirates have improved their season record to 3-2 and 4-3 overall record.

The women's team began the season with a strong core of experienced players. Many have participated in the off season. Many have trained well over the summer and during the off season. Many have improved basic skills as well as taken their game to another level," said Jo Wastag, associate director of Athletics and Women's Tennis coach.

The Pirates began competing before the official season started. They are currently 2-3 overall and 1-1 in conference.

The women's team is led by senior Jodi Baker. According to Wastag, Baker has improved her net and service games during the preseason.

"Baker is an all-around solid player this year. She is in a good number one and is playing well," said Wastag.

Freshmen Joelle Staudinger and Lisa Peterson have added talent to this year's team. Currently Staudinger is number two behind Baker, and Peterson is sixth on the team. Also sophomore Holly Treadwell has improved from being number nine on last year's team to number three this year.

"Our top six are continuously changing with every practice. We have played numerous challenges matches which has prepared us physically as well as mentally for long matches against other opponents," said Fiebeck.

According to Wastag it has been difficult in the beginning due to weather and it has affected the team's training. As a team, they have been practicing at odd hours at North Park Recreational Athletic Club and spending little time on the outdoor courts.

The women will be spending their Spring Break in Denver completing a home and away double division and two schools. According to Wastag this trip was made possible by fundraisers and events and a donation to the program.

"It is nice when you can find a pocket of schools in the same area that are similar in size and that can provide competition for the team," said Wastag.

The women will play two more matches at home on March 14-15 against Eastern Montana University and Willamette University.

According to Wastag, the women are once again going to be contenders in conference play. Their toughest competition will come from Linfield College, Pacific Lutheran University and Willamette University.

The team said they became more physically better prepared this year. There is a lot of maturity and leadership among the members of the team. We are capable of placing within the top three in conference this year," said Wastag.

A Opening Day draws near many questions remain unanswered in the world of baseball. Can the Atlanta Braves repeat as champs? Did the Baltimore Orioles buy themselves a World Series ring? Can Greg Maddux continue his storybook success with an unlikely Cy Young award? Who will Seattle Mariners refuse to lose their AL playoff. The Kings of breakdown and predictions of the American and National League East divisions. The West and Central divisions of each league will be printed in the next two issues of The Whitworthian.

BALTIMORE: Peter Angelos did not hesitate to open up the wallet this off-season as he brought former all-stars Roberto Alomar, David Wells, and Andy Hawkins are not exactly household names. The Tigers will have to score 10 runs a game to win. Cecil Fielder needs to be traded but his contract and his wrist are entirely to blame. If he could ever hit his stock might be in demand. The future of the Tigers does not look good. Travis Fryman will have a big year and Phil放ion could find Tiger stad­ium to his liking. Overall they will be lucky to win 70 games.


ATLANTA: The defending champs still have the best pitcher in baseball and probably the best staff. They did not make any major acquisitions in the off season but they brought in some talent to keep the team that brought home the title. They resigned Fred Beek, Matt Stueden, and Ken Gravine. They also paved the way for youngsters Javy Lopez and Ryan Klesko to play everyday. Klesko is capable of putting up huge power numbers. I wouldn't be surprised to see him hit 30 HR's this year. Last year's Rookie of the Year award to Chipper Jones won't slow down his sophomore campaign. The Pirates could not have asked for a more perfect pickup. He will continue to improve and show everyone why he should have been the ROY. With the pitching staff, veterans, and improving youngsters these tona­ble chances may be on their way to a report.

FLORIDA: Quality Marlin turned in a very solid season last year. Having added Kevin Brown, Al Leiter, and Derek Jeter they turned from pretende­rs to contenders over night. The middle of their order is deadly with Gary Sheffield, Jeff Conine, Greg Colbourn, and Terry Pendleton wrap up the line-up. They will have plenty of oppor­tunities to drive in runs with White and NL stolen base champ Quilvio Veras hitting ahead of them. The combination of hitters the Phillies will be healthy of Triple Crown threat of Mike Piazza.

NY METS: The best young pitching staff in base­ball and the addition of Lenny Pajura give Mets fans something to cheer about. It has been a glimpse of what Jason Isringhausen and Bill Pulisicher can do on the mound but the best is yet to come. Throw Bobby Jones and Paul Wilson into the mix and the Mets may very well win the East. Johnny Burnett gives them a proven lead off hitter with speed and great defense. Other young stars primed for career years are Rico Brunna, Todd Hundley, Jeff Kent and Ryan Thompson.

MONTREAL: Remember the strike year? Montreal had the best record when the players de­cided to leave. The problem now is that the Expos best players have left the team. Ken Hill, Wetteland, Marquis Grissom, Larry Walker, Wil Cordero, Sean Berry have all shipped out over the last two years. Moises Alou, Lenny Pajura, and Darryl Strawberry are young stars in the game but to say they can fill the void left by the Expos is stretching it. Montreal over the hump. Although they might have the best management in baseball, the Expos have nothing to look forward to this year except empty seats in the stands.

PHILADELPHIA: It was just last year that the Philadelphia Mitch "Wild Thing" Williams give up the game winning HR to Joe Carter in game six of the World Series. It may be years before the Phils enjoy any kind of success again. The once solid core is no longer and the previously strong pitching staff has been depleted by injuries. Things arched when Darren Daulton, all-star catcher, along with Pete Rose left the fold at the beginning of season left fielder. Greg Jefferson, Todd Zeile, and Marcell Ozuna have been the recent pop in the line-up but Sid Fernandez is not the answer on the mound. Does the team that beat the Phillies will ultimately die. If the game ever gets to the eighth with the Phillies batting in the ninth it will come to a close. Rickett Ballon will nail down the save. The catch here is getting to the eighth with the lead.
International banquet gives cultural taste

CARYN SORRAL
Staff Writer

On March 2, the International Club represented 26 countries at its annual banquet. Each member had a responsibility to make the evening of food, fun, and tradition succeed. The 35 club members worked endlessly to bring the community of Spokane and Whitworth together for this special night. Junior and vice president of the club, Shiloh Chinte, from Nepal, said “The main goal for the evening was to have a visible opportunity for the international students to give back to the community.” Chinte also hoped that everyone would “have a good time and enjoy our differences, which is what the whole right is for.”

The evening began with a steady flow of friends and family coming into the Field House, where radio stations and entertainment were waiting. The various food provided represented each country. Committee member, Hsing-shin Kim was in charge of the food. He worked diligently to assure that preparation of the food was cared for properly.

The International Club spent a great deal of money on food which was “the reason for high ticket prices,” said Kim. The main dishes were developed by Korean, Chinese, and Japanese chefs, Nikoings, a Japanese chicken dish, and Pork and Chinese Dumplings. These dishes were topped off with a dessert of American desserts, an Al-Yuh Taiwanese Jeff-O Dessert.

The food was prepared by each country member by hand, with the help of about 50 club members. Although the preparation time was “full of great difficulty, it also had great success,” said Kim.

The decorations committee was headed by senior Joy Chigg, who transformed the Field House into a festive party. Glow in the dark stars were in abundance, along with “lights, tables, chairs, tablecloths, and placemats which were all provided by the International Club,” said Chigg.

The club had little outside support, so they depended on their own resources to put the banquet together. The entertainment was headed by Boris Guillome, from France, who took extra care in providing music from every country. The evening had continuous music, along with live music performed by Whitworth students.

Some of the entertainment included Japanese comedy, Chinese Shadow Tooting, a Kenyan song, a Spanish dance, and an American country dance.

Guillome said he was impressed with how “everyone prepared something and it came together.”

International Club member and student, Keiko Asada helped in the entertainment and food preparation. She lead the lead a Japanese game with audience participation. The game was meant to “bring wealth and laughter for the coming year,” she said. “The game is usually played on New Year’s Day.”

Asada wore an intricately colored dress meant for a summer festival, and said she “had a lot of fun, but it was hard work, with meetings up to three times a week.”

Ana Franco, also a student and club member, did a Spanish dance as part of the entertainment. Franco said she “was a little nervous, but mostly excited to perform for the guests.”

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Stevie was one of the many students who benefited from the ideal couple ticket rate.

Freshman Angela Raynolds came to see the “different costumes. As an International Studies major I want to support the International Club in any way that I can,” she said.

President Bill Robinson was also supportive of the International Club. He addressed the guests and said Whitworth was “fortunate to have the club and the students. I am also thankful to the host families who made their being here possible.”

The evening and all the hard work and dedication of the club members, ended in gratitude. President Aimee Elliott thanked the guests and everyone who participated.

Elliott concluded by saying “Everything went well, and I encourage everyone to come to the International Banquet ‘97.”

Entertainment at the International Banquet Saturday night included a Korean fan dance.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Karen DuBerk

State seized money from children's bank accounts

DEER PARK — The state of Washington has filed a suit from the bank accounts of 11-year-old Dusty Brandon and his 8-year-old brother, Ben, to pay for debts incurred by their father, Phillip.

The state said they made a mistake and took the money because Phillip’s ex-wife’s name was on the accounts, thinking the boy was married. The Clark, was still responsible for the state debt.

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St. John-Endicott wins State B Basketball

SPOKANE — St. John-Endicott Eagles earned the championship title in Saturday’s girls State B Basketball game in the Spokane Arena.

St. John-Endicott defeated Sunnydale Christian 73-42.

The Eagles were 26-0 from the field and 12-14 from the line.

The Eagles, in the championship game, had a record of 47-10, and were the No. 1 team in the state. Following Saturday’s win, the team became official.

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Despite the implementation of the U.S. Military’s “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell” policy regarding homosexuals in the military, the number of discharges of gay service members has actually increased, according to Pentagon documents.


Defense network officials claimed Tuesday, Feb. 27, that all military officials still ask members about their sexual orientation.

The network confirmed 363 violations of the military’s policy in 1995.

Lt. Cmdr. Chris Boylan of the Department of Defense public affairs office responded to the issue of discharging gays by saying that the military does not go on with “whisperings” but when decisions are made, they are thoroughly investigated.

Twenty killed in Jerusalem bombing

JERUSALEM — A deadly bomb attack occurred on a bus falling from a center of Jerusalem Sunday, killing at least 20 people and wounding dozens.

This attack occurred on the same street in which was bombed exactly one week earlier. Reports to Israeli police indicate that the Arab service from an anonymous caller claimed responsibility for the Feb. 25 bombing, which was the first attack in six months.

Government leaders urged Prime Minister Shimon Peres to resign over the thinking that the Palestinians for the time being.
Men's basketball one game shy of national title

Whitworth loved their team so much they cancelled school Tuesday, March 12 and piled in six buses and countless cars to travel to the NAIA Tournament in Nampa, Idaho where they watched the Bucs play Albertson College of Idaho in the National Championship game. The Pirates gave it a valiant effort, but lost to the Coyotes in overtime, 81-72 to place second in the nation, in their first NAIA Tournament appearance.

Head Coach Warren Friedrichs said, "These guys have the heart of a lion."

President Bill Robinson announced Monday that if the Bucs won their Monday night game against William Jewell College, then all classes would be cancelled the next day.

"Playing in the National Championship is such a treat," said Robinson. "[We did] what we could to support the team."

The students were outside the Northwest Nazarene College's auditorium chanting and cheering two hours before tip-off. Friedrichs said, "Our crowd helped us and lifted us up."

Senior Nate Dunham said, "We had a lot of fans from Spokane. They've been doing it all year." He added, "We got the whole community excited for us."

The game was close throughout, with senior Roman Wickers and sophomore Nate Williams answering Albertson's threats to tie the game at 61 all at the end of regulation time.

As the last few seconds of regulation time wound down Coyote star, and the tournament's Most Valuable Player, Damon Archibald lost the ball out of bounds with 8.2 seconds remaining.

Williams drove the right side into a crowd for the last second shot, but it rimmed off, and the buzzer sounded.

"I got an OK, look at it, but not good enough," said Williams. The Bucs were out scored 20-11 in overtime play.

Friedrichs was named NAIA Coach of the Year and said, "We elevated our game when we got here. We did our best."

On Thursday, March 7 Whitworth entered the tournament as the nation's fourth-seeded team.

Their first match-up placed them against Howard Payne University from Texas. The Pirates announced their presence with a tournament high 103 points, defeating the Yellow Jackets 193-75.

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There in spirit...

Nampa game brought closer to Spokane fans

MARK JACKSON Advertising Manager

The score is tied at 58, then at 61. The game moves into overtime. Students are at the edge of their seats chanting "Defend Defense!"

A standing room-only Whitworth Campus Center was the scene of an estimated 250 students who cheered on the Whitworth Men's Basketball team as they competed against Albertson College for the NAIA national championship title. A large projection screen closed the 350-mile gap, displaying live coverage of the game as broadcast on Prime Sports Network Network from Nampa, Idaho's Northwest Nazarene College.

Stan Beck, owner of Espresso Delights, spent the evening working behind the projection television.

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BASKETBALL SPIRIT

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The audience must imagine the play's environment in the banquet room as it is in the audience active," said Rick Homer.

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Home performances of the show will be March 27-31 in Cowles Memorial Auditorium. Ticket prices are $5 for adults, $4 for students. Show times will be 7:30 p.m. March 27-30, with a 2 p.m. matinee on March 31.

SARAH RYDE
Staff Writer

Nine Whitworth students are preparing to tour their performance of "The Dawning of Chauntecleer," an allegory adapted from the novel entitled "The Book of the Dunk Cow." In addition to the nine actors, Rick Homer, associate professor of Theatre, and Rachel Henon, a senior performing original music, the play will be put on by Spokane on March 16. They will perform in seven cities in the San Francisco Bay area and return to Spokane on March 24.

The play will be performed chamber style, with the characters also acting as narrators throughout the play, referring to themselves in third person. Although all the characters are animals, costumes or mascot type figures will not be used. The theme is basically a struggle between good and evil, but deeper than that it is a struggle that everybody has within himself, how to be a better person," explained sophomore Kelly Simon, who plays Chaliedony.

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Home performances of the show will be March 27-31 in Cowles Memorial Auditorium. Ticket prices are $5 for adults, $4 for students. Show times will be 7:30 p.m. March 27-30, with a 2 p.m. matinee on March 31.
At the encouragement of the Department of Ecology and the Spokane County Utilities Department, Whitworth will be hooking up to the county sewer system by the end of May. By the end of May, said Physical Plant Director Keith Sullivan, Whitworth's sewer system will no longer be dumped into lagoons to dissipate over a series of years.

For the past 30 years, Whitworth has used two lagoons located in the Back River to dispose of its sewage. Waste water and sewage from Whitworth empties into the lagoons where it evaporates and dissipates over a series of years.

According to Roger Ray, a supervisor at the Department of Ecology, it is likely that the eventual sewage seepage into the ground is around one-tenth the amount that is not hazardous to the aquifer beneath.

With the lagoon system, however, is outdated, Ray said. "We did an analysis based on the conditions of the lagoons. With our waste treatment and engineering facilities determined that the lagoons are not constructed to adequate standards, he said. The lagoon system was up to the standards of the time it was built in the 1960s, not to present standards.

The Department of Ecology requested that Whitworth upgrade the lagoon system or connect to the county sewer system, said Dean Fowler, the project manager for the sewer design section of Spokane County Utilities Department. At the time, the county sewer system was not accessible for Whitworth, but a project had been planned to extend the system to the area. Whitworth received and extension from the Department of Ecology, said Fowler, and agreed to hook up to the county system as soon as it was available.

Hooking up to the county system is not as simple as it sounds, however. Not only will it require the construction of pipes from Whitworth's current system to the lift station located behind the school, but the use of the lagoon will be discontinued and they will need to be tested and sampled so that they dry and evaporate, said Sullivan.

The school will also have to pay around $30,000 a year in sewer service charges, said Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs. But the biggest cost of the one-time connection fee, somewhere between $100,000 and $250,000.

"It's a big expense," said Johnson. "The county recovers its costs by charging an impact fee to anyone who connects to the system." Johnson said it will cost a lot more to use the county system than the lagoons, which only cost the school a few thousand dollars a year in upkeep.

In order to pay for the new system, Johnson said, the school will absorb the costs through normal college operations such as tuition, gift income and the endowment. "We also increased the dorm charges (room and board) the end of May."

Working professional can earn Whitworth degree

MEGAN SWART
Staff Writer

Next Fall, 18-19 of Spokane's business professionals will embark on a 17-month journey on the Whitworth College campus. Their goal will be to complete a 36-semester-credit bachelor's degree in business management, in that span of time.

Whitworth's Economics and Business department and Continuing Studies have developed a B.A. targeted at the Spokane community's working professionals. The degree is offered to full-time employed, professionals over 25 years of age.

According to Dale Soden, associate professor of History and director of Continuing Studies, this program was developed for professionals who work locally and who are currently "stuck" in their jobs, due to lack of a college degree, said Soden.

The evening degree will be offered in a "learning by doing" style, which: Cheryl Vawter, assistant director of Continuing Studies, said, "may be the only difference for adult education. Courses will be taught in six-week sessions with one evening per week, and include eight-hour Saturday sessions for each class. The program will follow the "cohort model" which means a group of about 20 students will start the degree together, and take all the same classes, through course completion. As many as three classes will begin next fall, assuming that a new professor is hired by the end of April, said Anthony Vawter, assistant department chair.

The new professor will teach several of the classes, and manage the program. Classes include an introduction to Group Dynamics, and build on one another, up to Ethics in Management, and Applied Research. Adjunct professors, and professors from the Economics and Business department will aid in teaching the classes.

Soden anticipates that the addition of this night program will be beneficial to Whitworth. It avoids the hopelessness that many night students feel in trying to get a degree six or seven years to complete a degree. The program is "our best chance right now for increasing the student body - we're full during the day," said Soden. He hopes the efforts will only be positive for Whitworth's day school. Soden wants to proceed "carefully with real intentions to the college" when implementing this program. He wants to make sure the image of the school - the residential part of the school remains the focus.

Currently, this new program is not available to matriculated day students. Requirements: "Entrance are a minimum of 60 credits transferable to a two-year college work, two references, a writing sample, 25 years of age or older, or three years of documented full-time professional experience. Vawter projects that the skills learned will be "applied in natural setting that he teaches them," and use their current job sites as laboratories."

Alumni progress on New Era scandal

ALICE MOISIO
Staff Writer

Almost 10 months after the bankruptcy of New Era Philan- thropy, a settlement in the works that would release Whitworth from any further obligations to the organization.

According to Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs, the school is negotiating to refund the $350,000 net profit from a New Era proposal that was rejected at the time of the bankruptcy. With that refund, said Johnson, "we would like to be able to put that money into the endowment." Whitworth invested more than $3.5 million over the past three years in the Foundation for New Era Philanthropy, an organization that "in some cases" was used by "a few" non-profit organizations with gifts from "anonymously donors." On May 15, 1995, New Era declared bankruptcy, revealing that no donors existed, and that the New Era program was a fraud. Although Whitworth did not receive an anticipated amount of $1,500,000, it was advised at the time of the bankrupt­ cy, the school was not put in a "costly" position.

Because Whitworth profited through "funding, not the means," however, New Era could take legal action against the school, Johnson said. Since New Era's Board of Trustees received a $350,000 in a fraudulent manner, they have the right to sue New Era. The $350,000 is part of the $250,000 in which Whitworth had been trying to settle with the bankruptcy trustee and New Era. About a month ago, we heard that the trustee working for New Era was going to be able to recover the original money in collecting earnings," Johnson said. "We are just interested in getting the money back, not in reaching a settlement agreement that would release us from future responsibility or obligation by New Era." Whitworth is negotiating to settle the matter for $350,000. The funds would be used to settle the remaining matter with New Era. "If New Era would then take the remaining $350,000 and reredeem the money to other organizations," said Johnson, "that is not our intention. Some have said that it would be good for us, but we don't want to send the check until we have a check from New Era." Whitworth will not enter into or have any negotiations with New Era. If New Era will not play by the rules, "they would be liberated from further involvement with New Era," said Johnson.
Whitworth staff member speaks out on real meaning of totem poles

Dear Editor,

As a Native American, although not of the Northwest Coast peoples, I would like to respond to the editorial by Anna Ganser in the Feb. 27 issue of The Whitworthian, regarding the totem pole on Whitworth's campus.

Ganser's interpretation of totem poles being an object of pagan worship is a common, but inaccurate understanding. Many whites thought them to be objects of religious veneration. In reality, totem poles have nothing to do with religion and certainly were never worshiped.

Among the least understood aspects of Northwest Coast peoples' life are these poles with wooden figures carved in deep relief. The totemic representations are heraldic symbols, quite similar to those found on European coats of arms. Northwest Coast peoples thought their clan lineages to be connected with certain animals or represented by certain animals who were known for certain traits or characteristics.

Unfortunately many missionaries misinterpreted the meaning of the poles. Totem poles were carved to hold the ashes of the deceased, while others were carved and erected as shame poles, and others were carved to depict a special event in the life of a person or family.

Dante rose on his first morning in Heaven, and after an Egg McMuffin and a Breakfast Burrito, Beatrice joined him for the tour. They wandered through cathedrals, mansions and many impressive and incredible sculptures and then through which ran a high wall. Dante could hear a carnival going on the other side, so he asked, "Who is on the other side?" Beatrice replied, "They are the people that believe they are the only ones in Heaven!"

That story has a certain amount of truth for the experiences of Whitworth's spiritual life. In the heart of the religious spirit here. The particular nature of Christianity at Whitworth seems to tolerate a religious diversity rather than broadening student outreach. If that continues, we all do only risk strengthening the walls of schism, but we also risk the damaging effects of narrow-mindedness. So, does a college with a singular attitude towards religion have a role to play in today's society?

Students who organize their lives around the idea that their particular version of Christianity is the one and only faith a person can have is truly prevalent then why we continue to wall ourselves in by neglecting to include other faiths? Surely, the concept of ecumenicism in its widest sense would allow us to be open to all the members of the Whitworth community. Feel it is time for us to consider the active promotion of Whitworth as a multi-faith school, rather than one where students are encouraged to conform to a mold. This idea is not limited to college life—others have seen the light too.

In television interview, Prince Charles recognized the problems he will face in governing a multi-cultural society particularly when he is supposed to be the head of the Church of England. His suggestion was to consider having representatives of all faiths to advice him throughout his reign.

Whitworth needs to think seriously about the positive inclusion of other faiths so it can utilize the strengths held in each. For instance, the one faith is the fastest growing religion in the world today; how much could we learn from people who are witnessing in such a growth period? Students need to be prepared for the religious diversity that exists in the world today by experiencing it in a learning situation rather than spending four years building an immunity. Finally, Whitworth students need to see Christianity, if that is their chosen path, working along side other faiths so that they can realize its full potential.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

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Sen. Gorton addresses Farm Bill

Farmers need the federal government off their backs. That is why I supported the Farm Bill, also known as "Freedom to Farm." This important piece of legislation, which overwhelmingly passed the Senate on Feb. 7, stops the federal government from telling our farmers what crop to plant, when to plant, and how much to plant. These decisions belong to the farmer, not the federal government.

By Oct. 30 of last year, the current farm bill expired, which is why the new Farm Bill is so vital. Right now, farmers are meeting with their bankers, making plans for this year's crop, determining their financial situation, and evaluating their equipment needs. The Farm Bill, if President Clinton doesn't veto it, will be of great help.

Farmers in Washington state tell me they want less government, less red tape, and less paper work. Farm Bill gives them what they have asked for and provides for a seven-year transition to a market-oriented farming.

A free market farm program could not come at a better time. The trade agreement between the United States and many of our trading partners-known as the "General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade" (GATT)-has brought greater opportunities for farmers.

Agriculture reform. Farmers, the environment, and U.S. agriculture in general will benefit.

Farmers will be paid more generously in the early years of the program than they would under current law. Pre-set annual payments make it much easier for farmers to do their financial planning. Farmers can enter into a seven-year contract and in many cases will not need to visit their local USDA office again. New planting flexibility allows farmers to produce for the market, not according to the dictates of Washington, D.C. The same planting flexibility that's good for farmers is also good for the environment-it means that fewer fertilizer and pesticides will be used. Also, the Livestock Environmental Assistance Program will combat water pollution from animal manure.

Finally, the Farm Bill will free U.S. agriculture from many of Washington, D.C.'s onerous controls. Without federal bureaucrats ordering them around, farmers can make new heights of productivity. Farmers will be able to plant the mix of crop that best suits them. They no longer have to follow decades-old planting patterns that limit profits and are no longer appropriate.

Under the new Farm Bill, many of the countless rules and costly regulations of the current system will be eliminated. While farm income rises, productivity and exports will increase, thus paving the way for a more robust economy. This legislation will be of great benefit to our farmers in particular and agriculture in general; I am very glad that it passed, and hope President Clinton will sign it into law.

Dear Editor,

I was recently traveling through Europe, and as I studied all the key thinkers of Western Civilization, I came to realize that my thoughts, what were they really all about, and how much do we simply have to guess about how they lived, what they thought, and why they did what they did. I wrote all of that in my assigned journal, and then figured that would be the end of thinking about time. Wrong, this issue of the time kept piling up, and throughout the last month, I have pondered the question, "Is time our enemy?" As a Christian, one of the greatest hopes I have in Christ is that I will have eternal life, thus not being bound to this earthly concept of time. Reflecting on my life however, I have concluded that even though Christ has conquered time, I still live as if I am under its bondage.

Toad the Wet Sprocket is my favorite band, and in one of their old songs they say, "Funny how the days go by inversely, and faster than I realize, the things I think about. Strange to find the calendar my enemy, and scared that when I die, so will the things I think about." (Paleo-Think About) I have always lived with the expectation of tomorrow. I say, "Tomorrow I will write my history paper," or "Tomorrow I will apologize to my friend whose feelings I hurt," or "Tomorrow I will tell my family I love them." It is always tomorrow this or tomorrow that. Even worse, I often do this in my Christian walk. I think, "Tomorrow Lord, I'll spend some quality time in prayer," or "Tomorrow Lord, I'll talk to my non-Christian friend about Jesus," or "Tomorrow Lord, I'll be ready to give you complete control over my life, but not today." The problem occurs when the lyrics of the song become reality. When all my thoughts, my dreams, my hopes, my passions, and my loves fade into nothingness because I am dead.

I thought a lot about this issue of time when my friend Nyla lost her brother as a result of the tragic shooting in Mountlake, Wash. I made me think of another line from that same song, which says, "And my feet, firm upon a pathway, I am far too blind to see, leading me." It seems to me that we are all on a pathway in life, yet we are unaware of where it leads, which way it goes, and when it ends. I don't know why tragedies have to happen, I only know that people's pathways end at different times. This last week I lost my great-grandma, who was 83. Why she died peacefully at 83, and why Nyla's brother died tragically at 14, I don't know. What I do know is that time plays a crucial role in all of this, because I think we all live with an expectation of tomorrow. If I have learned anything, it's that time is so vast and that we are but specks of dust in the vast scheme of history. Why not live then as if today is our last day, making a difference for Christ's sake by reconciling broken relationships, reaching out to those in need, and loving the people around us. Why not strive to live with the sense of urgency, realizing that we don't know when our pathway in life will come to an end.

-Alex Diacer

"Why would Calvin of Calvin and Hobbes make a good president? Basically because he chooses not to live in a world of reality, and plays with his facade." -Christian Gunter sophomore

"Shaggy [from Scooby Doo], because he inhales." -Craig Hirt sophomore

"I say Principal Skinner [on The Simpsons] because he has the ability to control Bart Simpson." -Tito Morishita sophomore

"Wile E. Coyote. He'd have better luck than most politicians." -Beau Mhajak senior

"My cartoon character would be Bart Simpson, because he exhibits a higher standard of ethics than most politicians." -Tim Wolf director of Publications and News Services

"Bob and Fruiter Bunny, because they're cool, and they'd be able to change into anything you want them to be." -Kathy Jones senior

Comments?

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JABBERWOCKY
HEATHER PARISH
Columnist

Heather condemns Demi; Wannabes... look out!

Can I hate Demi Moore any more than I already do? I'm not convinced that it's possible. Please, if it is possible, let me know. You see, I'm still not over that whole "The Scarlet Letter" thing. No, this isn't an movie review, per se. That's why we have Erica Brooks a page over. No, this is an actress review. Demi Moore: I really don't like her. That's the headline.

What were they thinking with "The Scarlet Letter", anyway? Roland Joffe, the director, openly admitted that he believed his version to be "the story of Hawthorne wanted to tell, but didn't have the courage." Um... pardon me? I'm sorry, did I hear that right? Then, like the literary genius that she is, Demi backed up the director, openly. Demi being a actress and, basically, Demi showing off. I never once saw a guilt ridden Hester Prynne. This has been several months since I saw the film and I'm still upset. But generally lack of Prynne-ness is not the only reason that I hate Demi Moore. Oh, no. I also hate her general lack of talent and the fact that it's never acknowledged by the world. I hate that she was ever allowed to deliver the lines "If the Devil's here, then maybe he's in you men!" as though Hawthorne actually wrote them. I hate that all of her sexual posturing on screen and magazine covers gives her the title of "Strong Feminist." I hate that she lays it all up and then turns out even more ridiculous sexuality. And I hate that Sharon Stone and all of those chicks from "Showgirls" are following suit. I believe that this is at the root of my annoyances with anyone whose name rhymes with Shimee. Nick Nastaro, a film critic, points out in the latest issue of "Film Comment" that Demi's success as a "feminist actress" is "breathtakingly out of proportion to her moderate talents.

Film after film, Moore (and actresses wishing to achieve~)
and nobody can (and
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"I also learned a lot of languages, and when people at Whitworth tell me where they're from, I can often say I've lived there!" - Sophomore Amy Vazo had similar experiences. As the daughter of a U.S. Army Jag Corps officer, she moved about every three years, living in places such as Fort Lewis, Wash., Kansas, where her parents live now, Kentucky, Alabama, Virginia, and Germany.

"Lots of non-military children haven't seen so many cultures within the United States. It is actually very diverse," Varo said. Of course, all of these students agreed that not every experience is it all I've ever known. I like it," she said. "But I could never say that I grew up with a friend from kindergarten. By my third year some, I knew I'd be leaving, but by the end of high school, people had to leave me for a change, which I found was even harder."

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**FEATURES**

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'Army brats' share ups, downs of military childhood

AMY HAGSTROM
Staff Writer

I imagine being woken up at 4 a.m. each morning to the piercing sound of a cannon or the tune of "Dixie." Or hearing the sound of soldiers marching past your doorstep all day and your entire house shaking under the shell impacts of shot mortars. A handful of Whitworth students have experienced this lifestyle firsthand. No, they haven't been trapped between Iranian crossfire or caught in the middle of a Third-World dispute. They simply grew up as the children of military families — and experienced what that has given them a unique outlook on life.

Junior Daniel Petersen is one of several military children. As the son of a U.S. Army chaplain and in the Reserves now himself, Petersen has had many experiences which have shaped the way he sees life today. On a daily basis, Petersen's life differed from that of a non-military family.

"I've certainly seen a lot of places," he said, referring to the five areas of Germany, New Jersey, Maryland, Washington, and Oregon, in which he has lived. "I was immersed in different cultures, and I certainly knew what it was like to be a foreigner, even at a young age," he said.

More importantly, Petersen said he perceives the military differently than others because he has been so close to it. "People in the military are very supportive. They really come together and I think most people don't realize that," he said.

Within the military is a positive one, although it does lead to a time of mobility and learning. "Right before my senior year, we had to move to New Jersey," Petersen said. "But God was good to me. I was able to meet friends and had a great year. Moving helped me learn to adjust. I'm also convinced I joined the Army because my dad did. Even though it's not something I'm going to continue, I knew what I was jumping into because of my experiences growing up," Petersen said.

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**Attractions & Distractions**

Off Campus

Feb. 26: "A Show of Hands" * An exhibit of work by and about hands. * Spokane Art School Gallery

Mar. 20: The Mtc Theater presents Irish storytellers and musicians. * Gate B & Maura Burns * 7 p.m. * Tickets are $12 * Call 525-SMAT

Mar. 23: The Cheney Cowles Museum invites Whitworth students and faculty to a free showing of their current American Indian exhibitions. * 10 a.m. -5 p.m. * Davenport Hall

Mar. 26: Upcounty Opera presents Frank Harender, 1993 Whitworth graduate and winner of the prestigious Pavarotti Competition. * 7:30 p.m. * Davenport Hall

On Campus

Mar. 25: Wind and Jazz Ensembles Concert. * 7:30 p.m. * Foothill Hall, Music Building. * Admission is free.

Mar. 28: Spokane Opera Production. * "Chaussie" * 8 p.m. * Cowles Auditorium. * Tickets are $5 adults, $4 students.

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IT UP!

TOP: (The Final Game) Bucs' fans went to great extremes to show their boys just how proud they are.
LEFT: Roman Wickers(15) pulls and pushes them down for two.
BELOW LEFT: Whitworth Pirates unite prior to warm up.
BELOW RIGHT: Nathan Dunham(21) pulls the ball down on the inside. "Putting on his low-post clinic" said Head Coach Warren Friedrichs.
Men's Basketball

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Nate Williams went a perfect 7 for 7 from the field and hitting 5 from behind the arc, to finish with 20 points. Early foul trouble plagued Wickers, but he managed five steals in only 13 minutes. While the three were pumping in the first game, the second on Friday, March 8, against MidAmerica Nazarene, would depend upon great inside play, as the Bucs shot only 3-14 from behind the arc.

Whitworth players were in double figures, with Wickers, Dunham, and Jones scoring 16 points each. Whitworth won 81-71.

The Pirate's toughest victory would come the next night again at home, Northwest Nazarene College. The Bucs took it in the home team's face by crushing the Crusaders 88-70. Whitworth had a 45-22 rebounding advantage.

"We wanted to go in [in that game] with a cushion," said Friedman.

Whitworth had his best game of the tournament with 22 points on 9 of 15 shooting. He also grabbed nine boards.

Friedman added, "They were in the post for a long time."

The Bucs carried by Wickers' thoughts, who was on fire. The first half was all Wickers where he went 6 for 9 from the field and 3 for 4 from three-point range, for 15 points in only 18 minutes. He finished with 26 points.

Wickers replied, "I was feeling good, I was patient and took my time."

Friedrichs hit 8 for 8 from the free throw line, all in the second half. Wickers also stepped up after the half, hitting 6 of 6 from the floor, to finish with 21 points.

"We got down and I just thought that I had to shoot the ball," said Wickers.

The Bucs finished with a 26-5 record. This is the most wins in Whitworth basketball history. Four Pirates garnered All-Tournament honors: Wickers (most valuable player), Drew Goldis (coach's selection), Friedrichs (most improved), and Jones (most outstanding). The team's face off the court was crushing the Crusaders 88-70.

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Sports Commentary

Indians and Cubs to lead the AL and NL Central

By Alex Schuerman

Guest Writer

Harry Caray would say, "1,050 HOME RUNS!"

HOU~TON: Can Jeff Bagwell go an entire season without breaking his hand? If he does, he will put up numbers similar to those of his MVP campaign. The signing of Craig Biggio (the bestINF in the NL) was a must. Derek Bell is as solid as he comes in the outfield. He should hit over .300 giving the Astros three legitimate all-stars. The pitching staff needs a boost from veterans Doug Drabek and Greg Swindell. The Astrono just barely missed the wild card last year and should be fighting again for it.

CINCINNATI: A last year's great season will not be repeated. The loss of Ron Gant is huge and even bigger is the loss of manager Davey Johnson. Reggie Sanders is one of the best young players in the game but the loss of Gant's protection may hurt his production. The staff is OFF and Pete Shourek leading the way followed by John Smiley and Dave Burba.

ST. LOUIS: The newly re-vamped Sox could surprise the Central. They may have the best outfield in the game and will put up big numbers. The Cards could get a wild card but I don't think they have the pitching.

PITTSBURGH: The Pirates are not as good as advertised. Again, Jim Leyland is a great manager but the pitching staff is not. The Pirates are a last place team. Veterans Jeff King, Jay Bell, and Orlando Merced are consistent but not a legitimate threat. Jim Leyland will have to prove that his pitching is worthy of last year's all-star selection. After Nebraska the Pirates have no proven pitchers. Without a bona fide superstar the Pirates entertain any playoff opportunities.
A successful return to slopes for Alisun Knowles

SHARON OLNEY
Staff Writer

Three...two...one...breathe. Challenging yet another snow-covered mountain, the competitor leaves the start. The pressure mounts as she passes through each gate. With every passing second, her skis pick up speed as she descends down toward the finish. However, with each passing moment danger lurks around every turn. Finishing the race with a clean run is never guaranteed.

At the age of 7, freshman Alisun Knowles began her career as a ski racer. As a young racer, she experienced great success and provided challenges for all her competitors. However, by her sophomore year in high school, she realized that ski racing was no longer fun, but becoming more of a full-time commitment.

"I just finally got burned out with all the demands of ski competition," said Alisun. "I decided that getting into college had to be my number one priority," said Alisun.

After a three-year absence from the racing circuit, Knowles joined the Whitworth ski team. "I was excited to race again," said Alisun. "I never officially retired from the sport."

According to Nendel, the Whitworth ski team is currently skiing as a member of the United States Collegiate Skiing Association (USCSA). However, with a number of schools in the Northwest wanting to compete at the varsity level, many would like to see the NCCSC schools like Whitworth go to NCAA Division III.

According to Nendel, the late winter and lack of snow caused many training frustrations for the team. "The winter affected not only their training time, but it also caused the conference championships at Williamsport to be cancelled. "Even though the ski season was short and the conditions weren't ideal, I feel that both the men's and women's teams competed well and have built a foundation for a strong program," said Nendel.

According to Alisun, the best part of being a member of the Whitworth ski team was being able to train and race with her brother and team captain, senior Tayt Knowles.

"My sister was very helpful to me as well as the team. It brought back many memories prior to Whitworth when we raced together," said Tayt.

According to Nendel, Alisun possesses many of the same leadership qualities that Tayt brought to the Whitworth ski team.

"It is a rare gift to have someone who is willing to share her experiences and skills to help improve the skills of other team members," said Nendel. "Alison is a great skier. She never made anyone feel like their efforts were less important than her accomplishments," said Fligor.

The ski team is currently a club sport and is hoping to become a varsity sport next year. According to Nendel, the costs are expensive and it is hard to build a program when the students are expected to pay fees for every competition they enter. "It is hard to get a lot of recognition when your team is not a varsity sport and none of your competitions occur on campus," said Nendel.

According to Alisun, she plans to compete once again next year. "This year she was just knocking the rust off her skis. She has laid a foundation and the only place for her to go is up in the standings," said Tayt. Skiing offers many opportunities to challenge different mountains in Washington, Idaho and Oregon. "This season I learned how to deal with the ups and downs of competition. I was able to learn more about my life and how both success and failure can be used as building blocks in your own personal life," said Alisun.
AFTER: Women's swim team celebrate their fourth place finish.
RIGHT: Head Coach Tom Dodd (left) and Steve Flegel, sports information director, hold Dodd's plaque for the NAIA National Men's Coach of the Year.
BELOW: Men's swim team celebrate their second place team finish.

Photos courtesy of Liza Rachetto

SHARON OLNEY
Staff Writer

Well if you thought the men's basketball team was making noise this past weekend... just ask the folks at the National swimming competition in San Antonio, Texas what they think about Whitworth athletics.

When the three day swimming competition was over, the Pirates had two individual national champions, two national championship relays, eight All-Americans and three Academic All-Americans.

If this recognition were not enough, how about a second place team finish for the men's swim team and a fourth place finish for the women's swim team.

"This is the best group of athletes that I have coached in the last nine years," said Head Coach Tom Dodd.

According to Dodd, between the men's and women's teams, 20 new team records were set at the national championships.

On the men's side junior Jeff Rice was the national champion in the men's 200-meter individual medley with setting a new team record in the time of 1:54.54. The women also got a national championship performance from sophomore Dorian Reese in the women's 200 individual medley. She also set the team record at 2:10.83.

According to Dodd, Whitworth was considered an underdog going into the relays. However, the men's 400-meter freestyle relay consisting of juniors Guy Mikasa, Jeff Rice, Jerry Rice and sophomore Jeremiah Pappe finished with a championship time of 3:06.71. On the women's side in the women's 800 freestyle relay, Reese, sophomore Carly Bush and juniors Jan Okada and Shannon Braun swam to a first place finish with a time of 7:50.39.

For the men, there were a number of other outstanding performances. Senior Steve Schadt, finished fifth in the men's 500 freestyle and third in the mile.

"Steve swam a really good race in the mile. He dropped 10 seconds from his time and came in third. Last year he was sixth in the event," said Dodd.

Jerry Rice placed second in both the men's 200 individual medley and men's 400 individual medley. Junior John Rasmussen placed second in the men's 200-meter breast stroke and fourth in the men's 100 breast stroke. Junior Guy Mikasa placed second in the 50 freestyle and the 100 freestyle.

For the women senior Liza Rachetto finished third in the women's 200 breast stroke. Okada finished fifth behind Rachetto in the women's 200 breast stroke, third in the women's 400 individual medley and fourth in the women's 200 individual medley. Braun also turned in fine performances with a third place finish in the women's 50 freestyle, fourth in the 100 and 200 freestyle.

"This was a dream year. I couldn't ask for a better way to go out. It was nice to see the team come together and perform well," said Schadt.

Dodd was named the NAIA National Men's Coach of the Year at the championships.

"It was nice to see Dodd get the coach of the year and the men's team do so well," said Schadt. According to Schadt, Dodd focused on the team training process rather than the final goal of going to Nationals.

"The team as a whole will be stronger next year. I feel his level system worked and benefited many members of the team this year," said Rachetto.
Four Whitworth professors honored with research grant

KELLY RODMEL

Research grants have been awarded to four Whitworth professors. Dr. Dale Soden, associate professor of History, Dr. Jim Waller, chair of the Psychology department and associate professor of Psychology, Dr. Doug Sugano, chair of the English department and associate professor of English and Dr. Gordon Jackson, professor of Computer Science Studies have been selected to participate in the Pew-Gordon Summer Research Program. This program sponsors research that brings a Christian perspective to current academic issues. Each professor has been granted $2,500 each to complete 10 weeks of full-time research.

Soden will research the role religion plays in shaping public opinion. He has written a book on how ordinary people become capable of doing extraordinary evil. His research explores this from a Christian perspective. Eventually this subject will be part of a book about hatred and prejudice, Waller said.

Most of Waller’s research will be done in Spokane. He may do some research at a Holocaust foundation in Chicago. Waller will present the results of his research at a conference on the Holocaust at Notre Dame University in late October. Waller said the grant is a step forward for Whitworth. He is doing some research at a Holocaust foundation in Chicago.

“My main goal through the research is to get the manuscript in more complete form, to put the bits and pieces together,” said Soden. Eventually he hopes to incorporate all of his research into a book. He may travel to Portland, Ore., Boise, Idaho, and Seattle to fill in any gaps in his research.

Waller plans to study human nature and evil doing. He has written an article about how ordinary people become capable of doing extraordinary evil and will further explore this from a Christian perspective. Eventually this subject will be part of a book about hatred and prejudice, Waller said.

Sugano said the research will concentrate on the relationship between media ethics and the South African press.

Being a native South African, Jackson views the press as a key institution during South Africa’s move toward democracy. The Pew-Gordon program has also provided funds so that four more professors can study during the summer of 1998. These professors have yet to be chosen.

Left to right: Gordon Jackson, Doug Sugano, Dale Soden and Jim Waller will participate in the Pew-Gordon Summer Research Program.
Spring Performance...

Actors sophomore Kate Hancock (left) and junior Tim Horner (right) perform in the "Dawning of Chauntecleer" in the auditorium Saturday, March 30. In addition to the four Whitworth performances, the nine member cast toured the San Francisco Bay area during Spring Break.

Extra Support Program no longer active at Whitworth

ANNEMARIE EKLUND
Staff Writer

The Extra Support Program (ESP), a conditional admission program at Whitworth, has been dropped this school year because of the high demand for enrollment.

The ESP program, begun almost 40 years ago as the Provisional Admission Program, or PreAd, and was designed to admit students to the college who showed high potential but were unable to meet the required GPA and SAT scores.

Although in effect for the past 40 years, the program has gone in and out of existence based on the caliber of students enrolled at Whitworth each year. With so many applicants for the 1995-1996 school year possessing high grade point averages in high school, the gap between the majority of students applying to the college and those students who did not meet the requirements was greater than in years past.

Based on enrollment figures, the administration made the decision to discontinue the program for the school year.

Varying reactions have resulted from the decision to drop the program. Tammy Reid, associate dean of Academic Affairs, understands the reasoning behind dropping the program this year. She said it is unfair for Whitworth to accept students who come with grades reflecting a C or D average while at the same time turning away students with B averages because the college is filled to its potential. But Reid also strongly supports the program, having witnessed its "wonderful success stories."

Richard Schatz, associate professor of economics and former ESP adviser, believes that the college is "missing some very great Whitworth students because [it doesn't] have the ESP window."

He is in favor of reinstating the program on a limited basis, lowering numbers to 15 to 20 ESP students per year.

Senior Kevin Parker, who was accepted to Whitworth as an ESP student in 1992, believes the program discovers many "diamonds in the rough." He is disappointed to see the ESP program dropped because it gives students who, for some reason or another, are not academically strong in high school, a second chance at success.

Responsibilities of an ESP student included taking required courses and meeting weekly with an assigned adviser. Each adviser was responsible for meeting with no more than five students, so the interaction between student and adviser was highly personalized.

Profs and students at the college were aware of the presence of ESP students in class, but did not know specific names.

The students were required to pay a fee for the support services and were expected to achieve a GPA of 2.5 to remain at the college the following semester.

The program had a high success rate. According to Reid, the percentage of ESP students graduating from Whitworth was the same as that of traditional students.

Parker is certain that admittance to Whitworth not only raised his self-esteem, it drove him to work harder because he "had something to prove."

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Issues committee formed to address student concerns

MEGAN EWART
Staff Writer

Concerns on the Whitworth College campus now have a voice.

In fact, they have 20 voices committed to addressing current issues which affect students.

At the beginning of spring term 1996, senior and ASWC Executive Vice President Phil Shahbaz, established a group of volunteers to represent committees committed to trying the concerns of the student body at large.

According to Shahbaz, the Issues Committee began because ASWC tried to address some issues "we weren't like ASWC" were getting to the issues of the students."

To attract a good cross section of Whitworth's campus, Shahbaz asked every dorm president to supply two volunteer students to participate in the Issues Committee.

Freshman and Issues Committee member Jodi Carlson said the diversity of members draws from "different circles of input."

She said every person is connected with a separate group of people, which brings a better overall representation.

Sophomore Elizabeth Bothwell, another Issues Committee member said "There are a lot of things ASWC doesn't see."

According to Bothwell, ASWC does not have an adequate sense of all the students to deal effectively with campus concerns.

Shahbaz agreed. "There are needs here that are not being served."

At its first meeting, the Issues Committee discussed the lack of computing services, campus security and parking on the west side of campus.

Bothwell said possible discussions in the future include the lack of a ride board for students wishing to go home on breaks and the method by which parking tickets are given on campus.

So far, Shahbaz has been pleased with the success of the newly formed Issues Committee.

After the first meeting, Shahbaz wrote a letter to Ken Peck, director of Instructional Resources, stating the concerns addressed in the meeting. "The very next day computing services was in ASWC hooking it up and training someone," said Shahbaz.

Shahbaz has also seen results with Marriott, in an agreement to provide lower prices and a few more options.

While the Issues Committee is underway, Shahbaz, Bothwell, and Carlson all said student input is imperative.

Bothwell said, "We're going to try to put up an issue [in her dorm] two times each month."

Another way for student input, which will be implemented towards the middle of this week, will be a "list serve," which is a program on e-mail that will pose the question of the week and give students the opportunity to respond directly to ASWC.

According to Shahbaz, students not hooked up to e-mail should take their concerns to their dorm president. The concerns will be passed on to Shahbaz and discussed at the next Issues Committee meeting.

Carlson said "I am hoping the Issues Committee continues because it's hands on, straight from the students."

Shahbaz encouraged students not to just "sit and take it" but to go to their dorm presidents and bring important issues to the surface.

"Whitworth is a business. We are customers and should have the option to be satisfied, and to enjoy it fully," said Shahbaz.
Europe Study tour planned for fall

CARYN SOBRA Staff Writer

Interested in getting a minor in political studies quickly and efficiently? If so, a political studies tour to Europe will be available next fall. By traveling throughout Europe with the tour, then returning to Whitworth and taking only one political science course, students can obtain a minor in political studies.

The tour will lead students to discover the arts and culture of Europe. These sections of the trip will allow students to discover the foreign land for themselves. The trip will include western Europe in Holland and eastern Europe in Poland, Hungary and Prague. The final month will be spent in Berlin.

Julia Storons, assistant professor of political studies and an internationally recognized expert in political studies, has lived and studied in Europe. Their experiences abroad will aid them in leading the trip. Both are lawyers and political scientists, and as leaders they are heavily involved in and knowledgeable about the tour. "[With] all of Europe going through a process of becoming unified, the trip should be a learning experience," said Storons. Studies will include European politics, international relations, and reflections into German and Dutch culture.

Storons added that "the tour is important because western and eastern Europe is going through tremendous change, and it's interesting to look at federalism and democratization in Europe. The tour will emphasize the merger of politics and economics." The tour will provide political studies courses for students who will also receive multicultural, human, and social services credit.

The tour is designed for sophomores, but there is room for all students with or without a political science background. The trip is not specifically designed for majors. The cost is $4,000 plus airfare. To get applications for the tour contact Storons at x597 or Wilson at x4325. Students can also contact the off-campus studies office in Alder Hall for more information.

According to Wilson the tour "will be different in terms of a European field trip, as a result of the struggle and aftermath going on there, it will be a real eye opener; it will be interesting." Space is provided on both styles for graduation year, degree earned and a variety of sizes will be offered.

"In the past the company has come in with a selection of generic designs that are offered at every school," said Nancy Loomis, manager of the campus bookstore. "The cost of the rings this year will be less than in the past because there will be less samples required." The cost is not definite, but it's estimated to be between $200-$300. An ordering date has yet to be set, but the rings will be available before graduation. Questions regarding the rings should be directed to the bookstore.

Unique Whitworth design for class rings

SARAH BADE Staff Writer

From now on Whitworth students and graduates can be identified by rings representing their class rings. For the first time, Whitworth has a unique design only available to Whitworth students. The design created by an artist at Jewelry Plus, the ring company, combines the official Whitworth seal, signature flags, and pine trees which make Whitworth unique. A student panel assembled and met during fall semester to give input on the style and design of the Whitworth class ring.

"We talked about what styles everyone would like and we decided on two styles. That way people have a choice," said Bill Ramsey, a freshman on the panel. The cost of the rings this year will be less than in the past because there will be less samples required. The cost is not definite, but it's estimated to be between $200-$300. An ordering date has yet to be set, but the rings will be available before graduation. Questions regarding the rings should be directed to the bookstore.

Extra Support Program

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proved himself after his first semester with a 3.7 GPA, a huge improvement from the 2.0 GPA he had earned upon graduation from high school.

Part of Parker's disappoint- ment in seeing the program drop students from his philoso- phy that Whitworth is unique because it cares about individuals. Parker said the ESP program is one way that Whitworth can offer opportunities to students who might not be admitted otherwise.

It is unknown at this time whether or not the program has been dropped permanently. While Schatz believes there is some informal talk about re-in- stating the program, Reid said the projection for the fall depends on the scores and grades of incoming freshman. At this point, no decision has been made.

CAMPUS BEAT

Wednesday, March 27, 1996

• Psychology club Psi Chi asked for $3,680 to help sub- divide a convention in San Jose, Calif. The requisition was tabled until the next meeting.

• Logo for Springfest '96 is "Barefoot in the Park."

• Interested in being an initiator in the fall? Talk to your dorm president for more information.

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Dear Editor,

Please excuse me. I am compelled to disagree with Jan Wood's opinion in the Mar. 14 A Different Perspective column. Yes, I confess; I am insensibly intolerant when it comes to "religious diversity." Perhaps my disagreement with Mr. Wood stems from my history of political correctness. I fear that I am unhealthily "anti-choice" when it comes to the acceptance of religious and denominational violence. Without blinking an eye, I am more than willing to impose my subjective morality on others.

Or perhaps I have been disen­chanted by 12 glorious years of "religious diversity" in public schools. Supposedly my rights of free speech, press, and assembly were intrinsically protected, but this did not end up being the case. Though I was taught a variety of religious doctrines, I was not allowed to freely express my own: I had speeches censored, posters taken down, and a Bible study group denied access thanks to the "tolerant" administration. Needless to say, none of these activities were violations of the so-called "separation of church and state," as I am a private citizen and therefore could not infringe upon this catch-phrase.

Through Supreme Court rulings (such as the 1971 Miller and Margreeng cases) and the display of Christian-related posters, and the formation of Bible clubs in public school campuses are legally protected activities, change has been slow. Even after President Clinton announced that "nothing in the First Amendment converts our public schools into religious-free zones... the government's schools are not

EDITORIAL

Let's re-create ASWC
—Shalash Ghimiree
Junior

Students frustrated with issue of tolerance regarding religious diversity

Dear Editor,

I am outraged. I am frustrated. I am fed up. ASWC is not what it should be. It is not what it could be. It is no longer a representative student-made student organization. It is not a place where the student voice is heard, not a place where the students feel valued, not a place where the students can express their ideas.

Many students think of ASWC as an entity nowhere in the clouds, out to reach of the average student and too absorbed in its job to day to day operation to find the time to reach down. This feeling is reinforced when the student representatives, like dorm presidents, vote on decisions without consulting or even informing their constituents. An example is the manner in which the ASWC assembly, which is made up of elected dorm presidents, votes on unallocated funds. The白菜 to say, none of these requisitions made during the school year comes from. For ex­ample, a club during the school year asked for extra money to organize a trip, then the money would come from the unallocated account. If there is a requisition like this then it is put to a vote and the assembly votes on how to spend students' money. Sometimes the assembly is given a weeks notice before a requisition is voted on so that it may be consulted, other times there is no time for this and votes are cast on the spot. Even requisitions in which a weeks notice have been given, assembly mem­bers do not consistently ask stu­dents for their opinion.

Representing the students at a time when government demands that the representatives keep tabs on what the people are feeling and let the people decide — our representatives have cer­tainly failed to do so. Given this as a backdrop, the new president and the entire leadership have to focus on dispelling the notion that ASWC is an elite club of popular college students. Even though a lot remains to be done, some progress has been made this year and the out going president has always seemed to be a person groomed and designated by the out going ASWC leadership. This gives the issue credence, but the new leadership has some work to do. They have to realize that in order to make more more people inter­ested in ASWC they have to excite the students, excite them and make them enthusiastic about the unallocated account. If to do this they have to talk about issues with a wide spectrum of students, listen to their ideas and provide a vision incorporating these ideas. These goals were not achieved in the campaign which were run by most of the candi­dates. We have already lost the opportunity to build momentum for the coming year.

Student frustrated with issue of tolerance regarding religious diversity

I chose to attend Whitworth, in part, because I hoped I would no longer be subject to the selective rhetoric of school authorities. In the name of being religiously diverse, high school administra­tion had decided to censor my voice.

I imagine that you suspected you suspected the author of this column had some religious biases at a Presbyterian college, Mr. Wood, so I am unsure of why you enrolled here. Judging by the thrust of your article, I fear you may similarly want to limit or censor "Christian" voices on this campus in order for your voice to be heard.

Of course, advocating relativism is nothing new. In the 60s, the notion, "if it feels good, do it." Frank Peretti notes that the phrase could be changed to "if it feels good, believe it." By suggesting absolutes and backing for some reality that feels good, we enter dangerous territory. When man is the mea­sure of all things, what is true and what is knowable? We are all entitled to our own opinions, but it is possible to be wrong. (Incidentally, the Presbyterian church is notorious for being ob­servant to say that sin is sin or cer­tain behaviours are wrong, hence so many committees are started.)

We live in an opinion-oriented society, but our opinions can't just be imposed. Hiring full-time professors is the solution, unfortunately this costs money... this is the price that Whitworth needs to pay.}

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Spring Break allows for travel opportunities

DAVE KOHLER
Staff Writer

Spring Break. These words typically mean, for Whitworth students, "Get out of Spokane!" While many just go home, some feel the need to truly get out and explore. For an even smaller some, they need to do it far away and in a completely new environment.

Seniors Wendi Story and Tracy Stephenson made the exotic trip many dream of to Hawaii in the sun of Hawaii. With the opportunity for an inexpensive trip, they headed to Hawaii and stayed with some friends, cutting down on costs. They spent the whole trip at Kauai on the island Oahu, 15 miles from Honolulu. Story confessed their energy just hung out on the beach. It was just fun and relaxing, no worries for a week. We were able to just lie there and think for hours in the sun.

School didn’t drain them of all their energy, though. They took windsurfing lessons, hung out in dance clubs, and even paid a visit to Planet Hollywood. During one of their nights out, they met up with some other Whitworth students.

Story said there were a few things about the trip they weren’t expecting, such as being denied a car that was promised to them when they got there. They had to take a bus somewhere, which slowed down their trip. Perfect sunny days on the island changed fast; it seemed that rain followed the women everywhere. They didn’t see a whole lot of the island, but they did see the Toilet Bowl, an area on the beach where the water carved out a circular shape in the rock. The tide would rush in, fill the bowl with water, and then rush out as rapidly, causing the water to rise momentarily. Story and Stephenson sat and floated while the tide provided a ride.

Story said the impact of being with a college buddy on such a vacation was an excellent time for senior reflection. Everyone needs to go to Hawaii when they haven’t been there, she said.

Getting back to the mainland, seniors Janine Oshiro and Rachelle Van Dyke packed their bags for the opposite side of the states: The spirit of New York drove them on. Oshiro flew to the Big Apple with the intention of visiting her brother and his wife. Being both adventurese and an art major, she visited several museums. Oshiro recommended for students to bring a student ID card with them on trips because she got discounts in almost every museum using her ID card.

This was her second trip to New York, and this time she saw the Statue of Liberty, and went to Ellis Island. On the island, Oshiro visited a museum that contained a documented history of immigrants who passed through. In the city she said they found a street that they walked along for 100 blocks. It took them from one district to another, and, she said, she enjoyed seeing how the city changed along that street.

Oshiro said she is glad she took a second trip to New York. Her first trip to New York wasn’t that great, she added. She had a fear that it was a dangerous, huge city, and was actually relieved when it was time to leave. But this second trip she was more confident, and enjoyed herself. "I’m learning where things are now, there’s always something to do. It’s not that dangerous once you learn to stick to certain areas."

Back on the western side of the United States, senior Monica Pulei and Sharon Moore accompanied Athletic Recruiting Coordinator Jim Nendel, on a hiking trip to the Southwest. Along for the ride were freshmen Ellis Oshiro, Leilani Hay and Thai Vang. They hiked for a week, camping inside the canyons and hiking over 30 miles. Pulei said that one night the wind blew so hard they thought their tents would fly away.

For Pulei, hiking is not a new sport. "I’ve been hiking in Kenya and on Mt. Kilimanjaro before, but they were not as unique. It was amazing how beautiful the floor of the canyons were; so dry yet so beautiful," Pulei said. For Pulei seeing the canyons was a spiritual experience and the highlight of his trip. He said that seeing the few plants flourishing near desert streams made him think about how humans need their ‘living water’ to survive also.

Sophomore Amber Johnson sought to have an adventurous Spring Break as well. She took a trip to San Francisco by herself. Johnson joined a group of 30 people on a bus called the Green Tortoise. It had conventional seats, but also had beds in the back to sleep on. She used this mode of transportation to take her to San Francisco, joining the group for cookouts on the way.

In the city, she saved some money by staying in a youth hostel — which she recommends for everyone. She was located downtown, near China Town, and served free continental breakfasts. She was surprised one night when they served a huge dinner, complete with wine. A big party followed, lasting three hours. She described the hostel as liberal and free, and a great place for meeting people from other countries.

Johnson visited some of the main sights, such as the Aquarium of Modern Art, and saw the Golden Gate Bridge. But mostly she wandered around the city, feeling for it, and meeting people. Her feet were feeling worn out by the middle of the week, but she said the traveling mindset had an effect on her energy level. She just wanted to get out there and have fun, everyday.

Johnson said this trip was special because this was the first trip she had attempted alone. She advised everyone to take a big trip by themselves for their own discovery.

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Adjuncts outnumber faculty

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Staff Writers

With 60 academic majors and programs, an undergraduate student population of 1,504, the 87 Whitworth faculty members have their hands full teaching a plethora of classes. To provide an even more diverse selection of courses, Whitworth has enlisted the assistance of 111 adjunct faculty members this semester.

Adjuncts, according to the Whitworth faculty handbook, are hired to teach a specific course for which they are academically qualified, but who bear some of the responsibilities of regular faculty. "They [adjunct faculty] fulfill specific courses at a specific time," said John Yoder, professor of political studies and president of the faculty. "One example he said, is the hiring of an adjunct professor to teach a music course, such as private flute lessons. The demand for professors would probably not be sufficient to justify adding a full-time faculty member to teach the course, but an adjunct can provide the solution." Adjuncts, however, are not hired by or held to the same guidelines as regular faculty.

According to Tammy Reid, associate dean of Academic Affairs, adjunct faculty are hired and supervised by the department chairs and do not participate in a campus-wide interview process that is required in the hiring of regular faculty. Although adjuncts must be supportive of the mission of the college, they do not submit a statement of faith.

In addition, adjuncts do not participate in faculty assembly or advise students. But Reid described adjunct faculty as giving "a more focused contribution," rather than having a limited role in the teaching of the college. Sometimes, she said, an adjunct is hired to teach because he or she has more current or specific knowledge of a subject, such as broadcast journalism.

Students have had mixed reactions to being taught by adjunct professors. Sarah Marsh, a senior communications major, was not at all concerned about her freshman Writing I course, which was taught by an adjunct. Since then, however, she has had three courses in her major taught by adjunct faculty. "Now that it's in my major, it is a big deal," she said.

Some students have had positive opinions about their adjunct professors. "I liked both of the adjunct professors that I've had," said freshman Lillian Goodwin. "They were both qualified to teach their courses."
Baseball explodes with strong start
Whitworth Pirates with a 10-5 record behind a powerful offense, solid pitching staff

ROB LESLIE
Staff Writer

Arm and hammer; two forces that when combined can create a magnitude of strength and power. Not to mention a 10-5 overall record and a 2-1 league to jump out of the gates with in the early part of this 1996 season. The Bucs are off and running in conference play with two victories this past weekend over conference favorite, George Fox University.

Whitworth took the opening game of the double header on Saturday 7-5 as Jason McDougal improved his record to 2-0. However, George Fox was seeking its revenge in the second game and found it in a seven run second inning. George Fox went on to pound the Bucs for 7 runs, including two home runs, and left the Bucs wondering what went wrong.

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The Bucs' offense has also been on the other end of the stick when it comes to late inning comebacks. On March 20, against Concordia College, Whitworth was trailing 12-5 in the last inning. Then Eastern Oregon exploded on the Bucs for 7 runs, including two home runs, and left the Bucs wondering what went wrong.

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That win carried over to a match-up the same day against Lewis and Clark State College, a team that had previously beat up on the Bucs 19-4. But once again the Pirates rode the strong arm of Fleming to an upset over the NAIA number one ranked team in the nation, 7-2.

"That win gave us a lot of confidence, and showed we can play with anybody," said Schuerman. "We just dominated them from the first inning to the last," added Taylor.

The Pirates will travel next week to Linfield College for a weekend series. They will be back in Spokane for a game against Gonzaga, and will then host Willamette in a weekend series.

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The flag football champion was Old School.
The rollerblade hockey championship between The Dukes of Hazard and Take Off You Hoseros will be played this week.

Last day to sign up for ultimate frisbee and kickball is Wednesday, April 3.

5-on-5 basketball will start this week.
The second annual Fun Run will be Saturday, April 27.

Contact Sharon Olney or Danny Rock at x4554 with any questions.

SPORTS TRIVIA QUIZ

1. How many dunks did Houston's Phil Sama Jamma get in the 1983 Championship game?
2. In 1956, what rookie quarterback caught his own deflected pass for a one-yard gain?
3. What television show was football star Merlin Olsen a regular on in the late 70's?
4. Can a pitcher get a win if he doesn't throw a single pitch?
5. When hockey great Mario Lemieux was born in Brantford, Ontario, on January 26, 1961?
6. Who had a game-high 21 points for North Carolina State in its 1974 NCAA Championship ship victory over Marquette?
7. Who won the NBA's first Most Valuable Player award?
8. What's the career free-throw shooter once made 28 of 32 in a game?
9. Who was the second man in NFL history to rush for 10,000 yards?
10. What was pool shark Rudolph Wanderone Jr.'s nickname?

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How old was football player Brian Piccolo when he died?

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This week's answers will be posted in the next issue of The Whitworthian.

ASU ALPHANS Charged With Sex Assault

by Alex Schueneman

Guest Writer

College Press Service

Guest Writer

ASU Players Charged With Sex Assault by the Athletic department and will probably not return to the team, basketball coach Bill Frier said.

Gervis was charged with kidnapping and sexual assault.

Prince was charged with aggravated assault, threatening and intimidating, unlawful imprisonment, kidnapping and sexual assault.

Harris was charged with assault, unlawful imprisonment and threatening and intimidating.

Police said two 18-year-old women were sexually assaulted when they visited the players at the dormitory and were not allowed to leave. Area broadcast reports, however, said the women went to the police after they were denied a ride home by the players after they had sex with them.

"We are very concerned about the allegations," Frier said in a statement. "Please remember that I am a parent of a 17-year-old daughter as well as a coach, and I am very sensitive to everything that is involved in this case."

AL and NL West to be dominated by Mariners and the Dodgers.
Departmental scholarship money to be earned by outstanding students

SHAWNA REVAK
Guest Writer

The announcement of a tuition increase for the ’96-’97 school year has sent students searching for an additional $700 in scholarships or financial aid. The solution may be close at hand for a few select sophomores and juniors who may find the needed $700 by simply declaring a major.

Once a student declares his or her major, he or she becomes eligible for a departmental scholarship. The scholarship awards $750 to current sophomores and $1,000 to current juniors. This program is designed to house students who excel in their declared major.

Each department is allowed one scholarship for every 50 majors. For every scholarship one current sophomore and one current junior are awarded.

A student must have a 3.5 cumulative GPA, meet the criteria established by the Financial Aid office, and fulfill the individual requirements established by the department of his or her major. Only full-time students are eligible. Departmental scholarships are awarded annually and recipients are not guaranteed a renewal of their scholarship. Last year 69 total scholarships were awarded.

This year’s selection process began in February. Only two departments have selected their recipients thus far.

Remaining departments will make their selections by April 15. Recipients are selected by a vote of either the entire department faculty or by a selection committee within the department, said Marianne Hansen, associate director of Financial Aid.

Recipients are announced in forums on May 13. Before announcement, recipients must be cleared through the Financial Aid office to ensure they meet the eligibility requirements.

The Music, Art, Forensics, and Drama programs also present departmental scholarships to outstanding students. Talent awards are lump sum awards disbursed to students at the department’s discretion. According to Hansen, the Financial Aid office is currently expanding the talent award programs.

This expansion entails the addition of one department annually to the list of departments that grant talent awards. Hansen said, "Talent awards can be used as a recruitment tool and they help to keep students in a major.”

Off-campus living available to students through Whitworth sponsored theme houses

AMANDA PINIELLY
Guest Writer

Students now have the opportunity to handpick the kind of dorm in which they would like to live. All that is necessary is one off-campus theme house available through living housing, a creative idea and five people. Whitworth has developed a program for students who wish to live in unique, on-campus housing dedicated to educational or service oriented themes.

A student can get a group of friends, all in the same major, five same-gender friends and create any type of theme which would serve as a resource for the campus community. Possibilities include a Spanish house, opera house, study abroad house, poetry reading house, or a science house.

The possibilities are endless. But the theme must focus on a particular interest, language or culture that will coincide with the educational goals of Whitworth College, as stated in the Student Handbook.

Assistant Coordinator of Housing Kathy Davis said the theme housing program was created to meet the growing enrollment environment which offers an educational setting with creative themes.

Each of the four houses, recently purchased by Whitworth College, can house a maximum of five students. One house has three bedrooms, another has four, and the other two houses have five bedrooms. The buildings are all located on Hawthorne Road, between Whitworth’s main entrance and Division St.

Each theme house resident will be charged the double room rate, which is estimated at $2,716 for the 1996-97 school year. Where most on-campus students are required to have a meal plan, theme house students are exempt from this requirement.

In order to help build community and provide an additional educational environment, at least one student will work as a resident assistant for the theme houses. Davis said. A Whitworth staff member will act as the theme housing resident director.

Those living in the theme houses will host educational and social activities in relation to their particular theme.

They will be expected to do this through creative leadership involving the Whitworth community.

This is not the first time Whitworth has constructed a theme program. A few years ago, the Village buildings were used as an English as a second language test site and also to house people for whom English was a second language. Village theme houses did not continue, according to Davis, because they did not receive an interest to fill the entire Village. The only dorm similar to the new theme houses is the new Intercultural House, located in Whitworth’s Hill House.

Senior Nikki Segawa, a current resident of the Intercultural House, said she was eager to see the new theme houses. "Living in a theme house is a lot of fun, but it’s hard to get a lot of people from campus involved with our activities. I think it would be cool if we could have a theme house and build a theme community that would appeal to students. Applications can be picked up in Student Life and must be turned in to the Housing Office by April 5.

Theme programs will be chosen by April 10 in a program that will be explored by the theme houses. According to the policy, any resident could be evicted for being involved in a violent or drug-related crime. Also, the resident is responsible for the actions of his or her guests.

English-only measure to be explored by Supreme Court on April 21. The court will consider an Arizona vote initiative that would require English as the "official language" for all government functions and actions.

A group known as Arizonans for Official English sponsored the initiative in 1994 and if the court rules against it, Arizonans for Official English plans to appeal. The group's leaders said the government must not be "hijacked by English as the official language" but use it in all of its daily dealings with the public.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Karen DuBerk

WHEN KATHY DAVIS brought the theme housing idea to campus, it caught the interest of many students.

The idea was to create a living environment outside of the traditional dormitory setting with creative themes. There are currently 4 houses that are assigned to student living community in Whitworth. Each house has a theme and can house 5 students.

Each of the houses is different and has a unique theme. The Drama house is themed with English literature, the Music house is themed with music, the Art house is themed with art, and the Forensics house is themed with forensics.

Each house has a resident assistant who is responsible for the maintenance of the house and the activities that take place within the house. The resident assistant is also responsible for making sure that the students living in the house are following the rules and regulations of the house.

The houses are located on the west side of campus, near the theatre complex. The Drama house is located in the west corner of the complex, the Music house is located in the south corner, the Art house is located in the north corner, and the Forensics house is located in the east corner.

Each house has a living room, kitchen, and 5 bedrooms. The rooms are spacious and comfortable, with a bathtub and shower in each room. The living room is furnished with couches, chairs, and a television. The kitchen is equipped with a stove, refrigerator, and microwave.

The houses are also equipped with a laundry room and a study area. The study area is located on the second floor of each house and is equipped with tables and chairs.

The houses are open to all students, but they are mainly popular among students who are interested in the theme that is being offered. Students who are interested in living in a theme house can apply to live there during the current housing process.
Students elect Pulei president, DiRocco executive vice president, Maak financial vice president

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On April 1, Whitworth students chose their ASWC leaders for next year. Moses Pulei was elected president; Paul DiRocco, executive vice president; and Shelly Maak, financial vice president.

About 955 students voted, according to current ASWC President Wendi Story. She was happy with the number of students who turned out to vote, and how the election ran in general. She said that the candidates ran their campaigns well and she had expected to have seen two people run for the position.

Pulei, a junior, won the race for president with 64 percent of the vote, said Story. Pulei's campaign was based on the need to make ASWC more accessible to students. She said that the candidates ran their campaigns well and she had expected to have seen two people run for the position.

Pulei would like to see ASWC become more accessible to students

Pulei hopes to see ASWC reach out to students next year, and wants students to know who their leaders are and know what they can do for them. He wants to see students hold their leadership accountable if they do not like what is happening in ASWC.

DiRocco, a junior, ran unopposed for the position of executive vice president. He said he would have liked running against someone so students would have had a sense of choice when voting.

Dayna Coleman, assistant dean of students, also said she would have liked to have seen two people run for the position. She said throughout the years the position of executive vice president has run unopposed more than any other position. She attributed this to a lack of understanding about what the position does.

DiRocco based his campaign on the idea of making ASWC more accessible to students and by making sure students know what ASWC is.

The Associated Students of Whitworth College flexes and changes, so must its constitution. A committee has been formed to update ASWC's current constitution. Story added. "A constitution is a working body," not a set of constant rules, but a guideline to help decide how things should be run.

Story's main concern is to better clarify the rules for elections already in the ASWC Constitution. "We have a good constitution, but lot of things are missing," said Story. She spoke in reference to guidelines for dorm presidential elections, where more consistency is needed. Story said the current guidelines were not universal enough to cover both Warren and Beyond elections. "Our purpose is to make suggestions about how we can improve how we run our government," Story added. This includes a better process of holding officers accountable once elected into their positions.

Chair of the Constitution Update Committee, Amanda Smith, junior and Natashi editor, said her goal is to "revise and make suggestions" on the current constitution. Smith continued, "[ASWC's] constitution has 16 articles, plus amendments. The United States only has six." Smith broke the current constitution into eight to 10 smaller pieces. Those pieces were distributed to groups consisting of one ASWC leader coupled with two students at large.

They made suggestions that are being considered by a smaller sub-group of the Constitution Update Committee, responsible for making an outline to be brought back to the entire committee. Smith expects to see the outline finalized for approval by April 7, then accepted by the entire Constitution Update Committee.

Smith and Story agreed that ideally the revisions and updates would be completed, presented to the student body at large, and voted into acceptance by the end of this academic year. Story would like to see the suggestions presented to the students in a town hall meeting setting, before the whole campus is asked to vote on the changes.

Scholarships could be fraudulent

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Staff Writer

As scholarship application deadlines loom over the heads of Whitworth students, so do the possibilities of scholarship scams. According to an article in the Western Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators’ News, some thousand students and families fall into “fraudulent scholarship opportunities” every year. These stories are often hard to detect because they mimic legitimate foundations, organizations, private sponsors and scholarship search programs.

Mark Kantrowitz, author of the article and managing editor of the Financial Aid Information Page on the World Wide Web, said that many fraudulent organizations and programs use well-known names in their titles such as “National,” “Federal” and “Foundation.” He said that students and parents thinking they are government programs. When determining whether or not a scholarship is genuine, Kantrowitz suggests that students look for errors in typing and spelling, the use of a post office box as a return address, or the omission of a telephone number for questions.

Marjanie Hansen, associate director of Financial Aid, said that if a scholarship requires an application fee, then its possible a scam. Legitimate scholarships are almost always available to students without cost, said Hansen.

In the past, scholarship scams have not been highly prevalent among Whitworth students. Employees of the Office of Financial Aid are cautious to investigate all of the scholarships that come to their attention, and Hansen added. "We screen any outside scholarships we post, so students need not be concerned about anything," Hansen said.

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Donation allows for partnership between Whitworth, Uptown Opera

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Staff Writer

An anonymous donor has contributed $100,000 to establish a formal partnership between Up­
town Opera and Whitworth College. The vocal program will de­
velop, staffing, internships, and pro­
motion activities through this new partnership. The mys­
tery donor’s goal is for both Up­
town Opera and Whitworth to benefit from the gift.

The money “will be used to support both organizations,” said Dick Evans, professor of music and chair of the Music Depart­
ment. With four scholarship pos­
tions available, the vocal pro­
gram is looking for Uptown Op­
era scholars from Whitworth.

Applicants are being ac­
cepted and processed for posi­
tions given to Uptown scholars. These scholarships will be awarded to an accomplished, an active student and allow for the sup­
port of a student involved in scien­
tific and costume design, and a vocal scholarship.

Although anyone can apply for an internship or staff position, some scholarships have already been awarded.

The Music department at Whitworth College was awarded the vocal scholarship, and Tanja Stroehl, an exchange student from Germany, was the winner of the piano accompani­
ing internship. The remaining positions are still being evaluated.

Students protest federal aid cutbacks

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College Press Service

Students on dozens of camp­
uses nationwide recently kicked off two weeks of protests to resist cuts in education and restrictions on affir­
mative action.

At Cornell University, stu­
dents staged a “sleep-in” at the student union. In Washington, D.C., students from several area colleges banded together to march to Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich’s apartment. Students at the University of Colorado at Boulder traveled to Denver to protest on the steps of the Capitol Building.

In all, students at hundreds of campuses were expected to be involved in the rallies, which were aimed at protesting deep cuts in federal financial aid pro­
grams. Republican proposals to dismantle the Department of Educa­tion and attempts to scale back its national service program.

Similar grassroots pressure by students was credited with thwarting the March 14 passage of a Senate amendment that would reduce $3.1 billion in education funding. According to Laura McClintock, legislative director for the United States Student As­

sociation, pressure from students helped convince Senate Demo­

crats and Republicans to negoti­ate a compromise and restore funding to last year’s level for the Student In­

ternship Grant and Perkins Loan programs.

“We are one step closer to see­ing the fiscal year 1996 process close with no cuts to students,” McClintock said. The amendment, co-sponsored

by Sens. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., and Tom Harkin, D-Iowa, passed by a vote of 84-16. Fast version of the measure drew only about 50 votes and failed to pass the Senate.

But this time, several key Re­
publicans—including Specter—who had previously opposed the measure, rallied their support for education funding. David Medowkowitz, a spokesperson for the American Council of Education, said the vote was partly influenced by grassroots pressure from students. He called the Senate amendment “very significant.”

The amendment next goes to a conference committee with the House of Representatives. A version is expected to be in­
cluded in the final budget bill that will set spending levels through September.

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$6 billion in student aid go unclaimed every year. Such figures are based on an estimate of un­
tapped employee tuition benefits that was pub­
lished in a study more than 10 years ago. These funds were unclaimed because they couldn’t be used.

Kantrowitz’s Financial Aid Information Page on the web lets stu­
dents search several scholar­
ship databases on-line for free. To access this page, use the

address: http:// www.cs.cmu.edu/~finaid/finaid.html on Web browsers such as Netscape, Mosaic or Lynx.
A Different Perspective

America has been characterized as having an "inter-faithity" complex - a situation where there has been a blind belief in the value of diversity in the affairs of both its own people and the rest of the world. For this reason, I found it strange when I arrived at Whitworth to find so many people using the language of political correctness (P.C.), rather than engagement. This made me uneasy, because of the effect that this had in Britain.

At my high school, the classroom became a mindset of "do's and don'ts." Many common words and phrases became taboo, such as "anybody" and "nobody." Competitive sports were outlawed and there was a supposed lack of contact between members of both sexes were not played at all. Rugby and soccer were axed, so I was put into a team of men. These happenings were counterproductive, hindering the growth of business and society - creating a populace hypersensitive towards subjects like race or gender. Obvi­ously, P.C. eradicated a certain issue, but it didn't address the causes, leaving the people little better off the lack of debate. What began as an effort to express a real moralism has degenerated into an expression of aggression because it makes people say "No." This is a real totalitarian concept, making true feelings or intentions. I wit­nessed another example of this type of thought coming from the Whitworth Center for Awareness Forum. The "Gay Pride" week was not good. However, I was alarmed at people saying things in our mailed issue of The Whitworthian. I think the responsibility of the students in involve­ment and employment of their college is lacking. Perhaps some students, not solely the three stu­dent executives, dorm presidents or coordinators. Ghimire seems to join the mass­movement, non-understanding stude­nts, not a representative body of non-traditionalism.

Secondly, he mentions ASWC's lack of addressing issues. Did he even do any investigating (like coming to one of the open Wednesday night meetings) before he pointed the finger that is so easily pointed in our apathetic society? No, he did not.

Finally, he says that the dorm presidents have "failed to let people decide." To this I would like to say a few things. First, I elected and paid my dorm presi­dent to make tough decisions on my behalf. I do not want to have my dorm president knock on my door at 2 a.m. to tell me how I think money should be spent. Sec­ond, dorm presidents put together a periodic newsletter to inform students of current issues they feel are important. Therefore, they have taken on the role of an activist in their dorms. Over­all, the Whitworth faculty and administra­tion should pay close attention to the students' needs.

The Whitworthian, I think the student's letter is a manifestation of our apathy. Whitworth is afraid to make a reality. The college years should be a time of discovery, of expansion and defining one's ideas, view­points, critical thinking, and learn­ing about the beautiful diversity that radiates across the planet. All societies have driven these ideas through their beliefs, assimilating them into your own views and personal belief, not their own. The catalog also states, "Whitworth embraces freedom of inquiry and the un­hindered pursuit of truth." There are many views of the truth, not just your own.

The Whitworth faculty and ad­ministration should pay close atten­tion to Mr. Pommer's opinion. It is the kind of limited attitude you want to be hearing from a senior who is supposedly ready to move out into the real world? How can Mr. Pommer reach out to oth­ers, as a Christian, to understand every­one's beliefs? As a Whitworthian, I do not feel that we should be forced to subscribe to a certain view of what we believe. Whitworth needs a system of "do's and don'ts." We need to listen, not just hear. Language is a reality. Whitworth's campus.

Whitworth is making the same mistake that occurred in Britain: think­ing that because a subject has been made official it is therefore successfully dealt with. This reasoning is fur­thered by the use of place-names far too much emphasis on the rem­oval of problematic images rather than dealing with the underlying question.

The statement characterized a per­son as "second wind," does not get over the hatred expressed by a girl who says, "I hate nontraditional students," as she vents anger at them.She takes a high propor­tion of their votes. The ASWC is some possible avenue for these students to take place. By accepting the responsibility for these matters, they are exposing themselves to the ASWC to ask questions and learn, not condemning one particular ac­tion or person. If Whitworth's issue is the rejection of publishing Whitworth to an outside body, then this is the role of the Student Life, not the ASWC. The college seeks to do this against them from a distance and shouting, "You should be walking this way," and subjects can be voided of fear of recrimina­tion or alienation.

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Music professor, composer Mike Young takes mountain climbing

DAVE KOHLER
Staff Writer

One may think that a composer teaches music, and a professor of music is only interested in music. However, Mike Young is a professor of music who also enjoys other activities. He is known for his passion for music and is also a professional climber. His love for music and his passion for climbing are evident in his work and personal life.

Young describes his passion for music as "irrational". He believes that music is a form of expression that can be felt and understood by everyone, regardless of their background. He often uses his music to express his emotions and to communicate with others.

Similarly, his love for climbing is also a form of expression. He finds joy in climbing mountains and exploring the outdoors. "Climbing is a way to escape the everyday routine and to challenge oneself," he says. He believes that climbing is a form of meditation and a way to connect with nature.

Young takes climbing seriously and has climbed many peaks. He has climbed in the Canadian Rockies, the Coastal Range of Montana, and the Sierra Nevada. His highest achievement is probably climbing Mount Everest, which he accomplished in 1964.

Young also enjoys photography and writing. He often takes photos of his climbs and writes about his experiences. He believes that photography is a way to capture the beauty of nature and to share it with others.

Young is also known for his love of pets. He has a shar-pei and a pug, and he often takes them with him on his climbs. He believes that pets are a form of therapy and a way to connect with others.

Young's passion for music and his love of climbing are evident in his work. He often composes music inspired by his climbing experiences. His music is known for its emotional depth and intensity.

Young's passion for pet care is also evident in his work. He has written an essay about the importance of pet care and has also composed music to promote pet adoption.

Young is a true example of how passion can be expressed in different forms. His love for music, climbing, and pets is evident in his work and personal life. He is a true inspiration to others who are passionate about different forms of expression.
Olliver & Company

ERICA BROOKS
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Remember Disney before "The Little Mermaid"? No mass-marketing campaigns, no computer animation, and no pointed moral lessons—just a shamelessly cheesy plot and a generous dose of cute? "Olliver & Company," Disney's newly re-released adaptation of "Oliver Twist," harks back to those simpler days. What it lacks in glitter and polish, it makes up for in good old-fashioned fun.

"Olliver & Company" sets Dickens' classic novel in modern-day New York, replacing the Artful Dodger and his pickpockets with a personable group of dogs. Oliver himself is a stray kitten, laden during the opening credits. Sorry, Alan from the cute little girl to the loveable beggar to the rich bad guy with two enormous bulldogs, Disney's newly re-released adaptation for this New York tale of life on the street.

Cheech Marin provides some of the film's funniest moments as Tito, a tiny Chihuahua with a very big attitude. Lore like "man, if this is torture, chain me to the wall" delivered in Marin's trademark accent makes for some great laughs.

Other well-known voices heard in the movie include Richard Mulligan as an overly-dignified bulldog, Dom DeLuise as Pagin, and pre-pubescent Joey Lawrence as Oliver.

Don't look for any surprises in the plot—it's pretty run-of-the-mill storybook material. It includes all of the usual kids' fare, from the cute little girl to the loveable beggar and the rich bad guy with two enormous bulldogs. Plenty of pathos, plenty of obvious jokes, and a few telling references to the '80s, but it still emerges as a fun story for the young-at-heart. You may not leave the theater feeling enlightened or inspired, but there just may be a little extra bounce in your step.

Grade: A-

who walks with a pronounced beat in his step, as if dancing to a song in his head. His songs aren't as singable as, for instance, "Part of Your World" from "The Little Mermaid," but they evoke just the right mood for this New York tale of life on the street.

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Devil in a Blue Dress. April 2
To Die For. April 9
Vendetta in Brooklyn. April 9
Versus: The AfterShock. April 9
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Buried Alive. April 16
Hoffa. April 16
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PIRATE RADIO
Sam Fleming leads Pirate's pitching staff

ROB LESLIE
Staff Writer

The stare down begins as the batter stands in the box with the bat as his only form of defense. The flash of a number is followed by a quick nod, and the stare down continues. The tall right-hander proceeds with his rhythmic motion, and all the batter can do is wait. Then, with a quick burst of strength, the ball is sent rocketing toward its victim at the speed of 85 miles per hour. The victim becomes another casualty.

Junior Sam Fleming, the ace for the Whitworth Pirates, is nothing but business when it comes to baseball, and has the numbers to prove it.

"He's a real competitor and always works hard. He's definitely the best on the staff," said Bob Downs, assistant coach.

The transfer from Columbia Basin Community College, who last year at this time wasn't even playing baseball, has become a supreme force for the Bucs' pitching staff.

Fleming has compiled a 3-1 record, a 2.40 earned run average, and 22 strikeouts in five outings.

"I just want to do the best job I can and be ready to play when I go out," said Fleming.

While Fleming's performances on the mound have given opponents headaches, the coaching staff for the Bucs are reaping the benefits of their new transfer.

"He's been solid all year for us," said Head Coach Rod Taylor. "He provides that spark to get us back into games."

Not only does Fleming have an outstanding record, but out of his five starts, he has thrown four complete games.

"He's a big, big addition to our pitching staff," said Assistant Coach Bob Downs. "He's a real competitor and always works hard. He's definitely the best on the staff."

Fleming not only has the confidence of his coaches, but his teammates, as they are right behind their own version of "The Big Unit."

"We know we're going to win when he's on the mound," said senior third baseman Larry Turner. "He's a great pitcher."

Fleming uses a repertoire that includes a fastball, a slider, a change, and a split-finger fastball to baffle batters. But Fleming's best pitch may be his split-finger fastball to baffle batters. But Fleming's best pitch when he pitches." Fleming also displays a great amount of poise while on the mound and confidence in his ability.

"He's a great self-motivator. He doesn't get rattled too easily," added Schuerman.

One of Fleming's biggest tests came when he faced top ranked Lewis and Clark State College.

Fleming dominated batter after batter, as the Bucs cruised to an 8-2 upset victory and another mark in the win column for Fleming.

The only tarnish in his record came last Friday against Linfield.

Fleming gave up three runs, but only one was earned due to errors. He also struck out four and scattered eight hits. The offense for Whitworth struggled all weekend against Linfield pitching, as they were held to only one run in 25 innings.

As for the game Fleming pitched, the Bucs' offense mustered eight hits, but left six men stranded in scoring position and were shutout 3-0.

"It was a pitching showcase all weekend," said Fleming. "Obviously they were the better pitchers. Linfield swept the weekend series against the Bucs, which dropped their record to 2-4 in conference."

"It's too bad because he pitched well enough to win," said Coach Downs. "The offense couldn't give him any support."

Fleming looks at this temporary setback with the concept of a true competitor.

"There is always room for improvement. I know I could be better, said Fleming."

Fleming's next start will come either against Gonzaga University on Tuesday, or Willamette University this weekend.

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Whitworth in the summer—a great place to be!
Men's Tennis with new coach
Solid start behind coaching of former player Pat Dreves

SHARON OLNEY
Staff Writer

The 1996 Men's Tennis Team is a young team with a new coach, Pat Dreves, first-year head coach, bringing experience, as well as enthusiasm, to the team. Last year, Dreves was the Pirates' number one singles player, as well as an All-American in soccer.

According to sophomore Kanani Wong, Dreves' recent experience as a player with the team has helped develop a young team into a contender in conference play.

"Dreves has brought up our level of play. He has played with some of our opponents and knows where our strengths and weaknesses lie," said Wong.

Currently 5-4 overall and 3-1 in conference, the Pirates have shown strong play in different areas of the court.

This year's team is lead by returnees Yosef Duerr and Sean Weston, both sophomores. "Dreere is a solid ground game player and Weston likes to serve and volley against his opponents," said Wong.

Wong and junior Brad White also bring experience as the other returnees to the team.

The Pirates spent their Spring Break in Hawaii. According to Wong, they played against the number three team in the NAIA, BYU of Hawaii. Even though they lost both matches, the Pirates played well and even enjoyed some recreational time on the road trip.

The Pirates are currently preparing for a big weekend of conference matches. April 19-21 the Bucs will travel to the University of Puget Sound where they will take on UPS, Pacific Lutheran University and Willamette University.

"This will be some of our toughest competition of the year," said Wong.

SPORTS TRIVIA QUIZ

1. How many umpires are used in a World Series Game?
2. What iron-horse averaged 45.8 minutes a game in his 1,045-game NBA career?
3. What golfer, once hit by lightning, said, "Hold up a one-iron and walk. Even God can't hit a one-iron!"
4. What former NBA arena was found at 150 Causeway Street?
5. Who said in response to the New York Yankees' 1960 World Series loss to the Pittsburgh Pirates, "We made too many wrong mistakes?"
6. What former Minnesota Viking quarterback once starred for Athens High School of Athens, GA?
7. Who has been on Topps Baseball Cards' No. 1 card most frequently?
8. What team lost three straight NBA Finals starting in 1951?
9. What ball club asked Fidel Castro to play in its exhibition game in Cuba in 1977?
10. What does the Greek word "gymnos" mean, as in "gymnasium?"

TIE BREAKER:
(Closest to answer gets it.)

How much did it cost for a seat in the bleachers at Fenway Park in 1912?

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This week's answers will be posted in the next issue of The Whitworthian.

Last Week's Results

Winner: Congratulations to Andy Mitchell for answering eight questions correctly to win the The Whitworthian Sports Quiz for the week of 4/2-96.

Answers:
1.) One
2.) Johnny Unitas
3.) Little House on the Prairie
4.) Yes
5.) Wayne Gretzky
6.) David Thompson
7.) Bob Pettit
8.) Wilt Chamberlain
9.) O.J. Simpson
10.) Minnesota Fats

TIE BREAKER: 26 years old

Fun Run

The Second Annual Whitworth Fun Run will be taking place on Saturday, April 27th at 9:30 a.m. The Fun Run, a 3-kilometer race for the streets and neighborhoods of North Seattle, is free. Registration fees will be $7, including prize money from first, second, and third place finishers. The registration desk will be in front of the Whitworthian.

The winners of these events can be found posted in the WCC or mail to the Registration Desk. If you have any questions or suggestions, please feel free to contact Danny Rock at x4554 or Sharon 7-228.
ASWC election results

Continued From Page 1

of outreach leadership. He believes outreach leadership as the cohesive effort to reach out to the inter-workings of ASWC, such as the dorm presidents. In turn, they will reach out to the students in their dorms resulting in a higher quality of communication between ASWC and the students, he said.

The two main goals DiRocco has for next year are to implement outreach leadership and to link ASWC with Student Life. He said that student servers working in the same direction, so there should be some lines of communication between them so they can better serve the students. He is looking forward to working in ASWC next year, and said he wants students to see him as approachable.

McKay, a junior, said she ran for the office of financial vice president and hopes to continue serving the students of Whitworth and becoming involved.

Smaller, stronger incoming freshman class

AIMEE MOISO
Staff Writer

As of April 1, Whitworth College has accepted and confirmed 172 new freshmen for the fall of 1996, about 40 fewer than in the spring of April 1995.

"We are accepting fewer students this year than last," said Ken Moyer, director of Admissions, adding, "Last year we accepted about 1300 students and this year it will be closer to 1250." He said that Whitworth hopes to have a freshman class of about 350 for fall 1996, in comparison to the 400 new students enrolled in fall 1995.

The incoming class out-scored the current freshman class in SAT scores and grade-point average.

"We expect that this class will be the most academically qualified in Whitworth's history," said Moyer.

$25,000 offered for arrest of Spokane Valley bank-robbing bombers

SPOKANE - A $25,000 reward has been offered for the arrest of Spokane Valley bank-robbing bombers.

The FBI is investigating a robbery in which masked, armed men filled a large gym bag with at least $50,000, then placed a bomb on the counter of the vault teller. No one was injured, but the bomb caused significant damage.

Student dead, result of research project

CROCKETT, N.Y. - A 19-year-old student died following an ordinary examination which was part of human trials in a research project on effects of smoking and air pollution.

Officials said the student was given too much of a topical anesthetic during a bronchoscopy Friday at the University of Rochester Medical Center.

Two hours after the procedure, the student, complaining of chest pains, suffered a heart attack at her apartment.

The research project, currently halted, has been a yearly study at the medical center on about 200 patients and 50 healthy volunteers.

Kaczynski arrested, accused of having bomb components

HELENA, Mont. - Theodore Kaczynski was not charged with being the Unabomber on Thurs.

day, but was accused in U.S. Dis

trict Court of having a partially completed bomb wrapped and stored in the left of his Lincoln, Mont. mountain cabin.

Inside the cabin, federal agents found chemicals that could be used in bombs, lengths of pipe, batteries, electrical wire and aluminum sheet. Notes containing sketches, diagrams and instructions explaining how to make a bomb were also found in the cabin.

Federal officials suspect Kaczynski is the Unabomber, a terrorist who has sent bombs to universities, airlines, and business executives for the last 18 years, killing three people.

A note, Kaczynski will be held in jail until a federal grand jury can hear the evidence. The grand jury is scheduled to convene April 17 in Great Falls, Mont., to decide whether to hand down an indictment.

Ronald Brown, 32 others killed in plane crash

DUBROVNIK, Croatia - Thirty-two people, including U.S. Com

merce Secretary Ronald H. Brown, were killed when their U.S. military plane crashed into a hillside Wednesday, April 3, while trying to land in bad weather near Dubrovnik, Croatia.

The aircraft contained Commerce Department officials and a group of American business leaders looking into postwar reconstruction projects in the former Yugoslavia.

Russian forces bomb Chechen village

MOSCOW - Russian forces bombed a Chechen village Wednesday, April 3, just three days after President Boris Yeltsin announced his peace plan for the breakaway region of Chechnya.

According to the Interfax news agency, the four-hour airstrike on Shalazhi, 30 miles southwest of Grozny, the capital, killed two people and wounded 12. Fleeing residents said half the village was destroyed.

Chechen separatist leader Dzhokhar Dudayev said he would negotiate with Yeltsin when all Russian troops have pulled out of Chechnya.

Yeltsin ordered a cease-fire to negotiate with Dudayev, but said he would not grant rebels' demands.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Karen DuBerke

State Supreme Court said Loomis violated 'basic public policy'

SPOKANE - The Washington Supreme Court ruled Thursday that Loomis Armored, Inc. violated "basic public policy" when it fired a driver for leaving his truck to save a woman who was being held at knifepoint. He eventually subdued the assailant and held him for police.

Kevin Gardner, the Loomis driver, left his truck to help a woman who was being held at knifepoint. After being told his truck was eventually subdued the assailant and held him for police.

Loomis fired Gardner because, under company policy, he was required to remain in his truck and sounded his siren to alert police that something was wrong.

In an 8-1 decision, the court ruled in favor of Gardner, saying that society places the highest priority on the protection of human life.

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?
Longer library hours attempt to accommodate student concerns

ANNEMARIE EKLUND
Staff Writer

The Harriet Cheney Cowles Library has extended its hours until midnight on Sunday through Thursday nights until the end of spring semester.

The extended hours are a result of a proposal made by the ASWC Issues Committee, requesting the library be open longer at night to give students more access to its services.

Phil Shihb, ASWC executive vice president, said the change in hours came about because of a student-based concern requesting that Computing Services stay open later in the evening. The committee met with Ken Pecka, director of Instructional Resources, who said he was open to extending the hours, but was bound by the hours of the library as a whole.

The Issues Committee then met with Director of the Library Hans Bynagle, who responded with support.

"It wasn't a total surprise to us that our hours might be a concern," remarked Bynagle.

In response to the Issues Committee, Bynagle has agreed to lengthen the library hours until the end of the semester on an experimental basis.

Budgeting issues play a role in the decision as well as finding students willing to work the later hours. But according to Bynagle, finding student workers was not a problem. The outcome of the experiment will determine whether the hours remain changed for the 1996-97 school year.

Bynagle believes that the changes in hours are "well justified" and said that if the demand is there, they will work out the budget to meet the needs of students.

Extended library hours

Sun. 1:00 p.m.-12 a.m.
Mon. - Thurs. 7:45 a.m.-12 a.m.
Fri. 7:45 a.m.-9 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m.-9 p.m.

Demand for diverse faculty uphill battle

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Staff Writer

With a demand for diversity at Whitworth, the Employment Diversity Committee has implemented diversity training, a program to facilitate communication and understanding between ethnic, age and gender groups.

The demand is coming from students, staff, faculty and administration, said Ken Shipps, provost and dean of faculty.

According to Doug Sugano, chair of the English department and associate professor of English, the program will help develop a diverse population at Whitworth and in particular within the Whitworth faculty.

Gordon Watanabe, assistant professor of education and special assistant to the president and trainer of the diversity trainers, said Whitworth needs a more diverse population to better educate students by providing many perspectives.

Sugano agreed with Watanabe and said a diverse faculty is important "to ensure that multiculturalism can be taught by people with first hand experience."

Several reasons exist as to why Whitworth is lacking in minority representation within the faculty, said Sugano.

First, Whitworth's location plays a role in its ability to attract and retain a diverse group of professors.

Sugano said the small minority population at Whitworth needs to represent the whole community.

Second, according to Sugano, "in academics right now, professors of color are in demand and will get multiple job offers." Quite often, he said, a minority professor will take a job at a big university near an urban center with an easy transition for an ethnic minority.

Third, the lack of people who represent ethnic diversity can enhance Whitworth's appeal to minorities, said John Yoder, professor of history and political studies and president of the faculty.

Generally, Whitworth is moving toward diversity, said Watanabe. "Personally, I'd like it to move faster, but professionally I understand that it needs to work slowly, methodically and with great care," he said.

Shipps said hiring minority professors is a focused priority.

The Employment Diversity Committee has a representative on search committees for faculty, staff and administration positions. The representative helps identify candidates from underrepresented groups at Whitworth and makes sure fair hiring practices are followed, said Diana Trotter, assistant professor of theatre and member of the Employment Diversity Committee.

The Communication Studies department is currently addressing the issue of gender diversity its search for a new journalism professor.

According to Admissions and Human Resources, 60 percent of the student population is female, with only 33 percent female representation in faculty. Due to this, and the fact that the Communication Studies department currently consists of three male faculty members, the department is committed to looking for a qualified female candidate.

"We live in a culturally diverse world and it isn't fair to educate students in a community that doesn't reflect that," said Trotter.
Natsihi receives an Award of Excellence

KELLY RODIMEL
Staff Writer

The 1994-95 Natsihi received an Award of Excellence for Outstanding Achievement in College Design and was selected for inclusion in The 1996 Yearbook Yearbook. The award, given by Publishing Company was based on the overall quality of the yearbook, including design, photography, coverage and copy writing, said Ted Wisnor, director of alumni relations and yearbook adviser.

Only 11 college and university yearbooks were chosen for the Yearbook Yearbook-out of all the yearbooks Taylor Publishing Company publishes nationally, said Wisnor. The yearbooks were judged without regard to the size of the book or the school, putting Whitworth against some big schools with bigger budgets and bigger books, said Amanda Smith, junior and Natsihi editor.

In addition to the honors, 50 extra copies of the Natsihi were printed and sent to high schools and colleges as an example of a quality yearbook, said Smith. Winning this award has "been very helpful in boosting staff morale," said Smith. She also hopes that it will encourage further recognition of the Natsihi both on and off campus. Wisnor sees the award, and the 1994-95 Natsihi as stepping stones toward improving the quality of the yearbook every year. He also said the award is a testament to Smith's commitment and dedication to last year's book.

University Iowa Cigar Society Puff along

College Press Service

They might not be too choosy about the swing of the cigar on weekends, but there's one thing some University of Iowa students know how to enjoy: a good cigar.

About 40 members of the Iowa Cigar Society have been putting away their desks at monthly meetings against Iowa, when the group qualified for student-club status with the university's student government association. According to its membership materials, the club's founders were inspired to cultivate "an enjoyable and relaxing atmosphere in which connoisseurs may gather, share and further their knowledge on the essence of cigars." The group, one of Iowa's more unusual student clubs - has attracted local residents and at least one woman to its ranks.

But there is a catch: the group must hold its Sunday meetings at a local restaurant. Unfortunately, smoking is not allowed in campus meeting rooms.

Winning this award has "been very helpful in boosting staff morale," said Amanda Smith, junior and Natsihi editor.
A Different Perspective

Mom, find me a spouse, I am ready to get married!
--Shahid Chhina
junior

Whitworth shouldn't accept diversity, but tolerate it
--Ed Kroos

As an institution of higher education, Whitworth College has committed itself to the Christian faith. As the mission statement says, "Whitworth's mission is to provide its diverse student body an education of the mind and heart, equipping its graduates to honor God, follow Christ, and serve humanity.

Because of its Christian mission, Whitworth attracts many students who come to Whitworth to learn more about their faith and what it means to follow Christ. But more and more, the "diverse student body" at Whitworth is incorporating students who do not participate in the Christian faith.

Some of these students say Whitworth should be more tolerant and accepting of these diverse beliefs. By being more accepting of differing religious beliefs, Whitworth can begin to be a truly diverse school. Not so.

There is a difference between tolerance and acceptance. If people are to tolerate different beliefs, it means they really realize others have the right to believe what they will and that these different beliefs are not grounds for discrimination or prejudice. Students who are not Christians should not have to be looked down upon and should be shown the same respect all people deserve. Any lack of tolerance is a result of who the person is and not their beliefs.

Acceptance of different religious beliefs is another matter. While one should be tolerant towards another's beliefs, one does not have to accept them. To accept another's beliefs is to give them the same status as one's own belief. To accept religious beliefs other than those within the Christian tradition would erode the Christian character of Whitworth. To ask Whitworth to accept beliefs opposed to the Christian faith would be to ask Whitworth to step outside of the Christian tradition it has vowed to uphold.

Because Whitworth has chosen to call itself a Christian college it has a responsibility to set an example of what it is not. Claiming allegiance to Christ and the Christian faith means there are ideas Whitworth cannot accept because they are outside our tradition. In the area of religious diversity, Whitworth cannot be all things to all people.

LACK OF FEEL...
I divide amongst ourselves, the better off we'll be!

There are Englishmen filled with angst about their writing; support groups are established for people who find it difficult to string together an individual thought. The Whitworth House was built in 1923, and in 1942 its owner, George Pesh, sold it to Whitworth College through Whitworth College’s negotiación. The purchase price was $15,300.

Now, as far as religious and cultural diversity goes, Whitworth puts a lot of emphasis on these topics. But have we gone far enough? There are many religions in the world and the minority groups are particularly ignored on campus. Everyone must be acknowledged for their existence. In most, if not all, minority groups, students are daily required to protrude themselves before a tree in the Loop in acknowledgment of the Drakey and by extension the many other religious views which are ignored on campus. The trees are a significant part of the campus and should be recognized as such.

But the acknowledgment of groups on campus must have labels and definitions for them. We already have established labels, universally known, such as “ventrally challenged” and “gender nonconforming.” In some way or other, I propose more labels for groups and types of people. For instance, let’s call those who can’t see “aesthetically challenged” for those who don’t fit in with the Whitworth ideal of cuteness, and “identity challenged” for those who can’t fit in with the Whitworth ideal of identity. We have students who are “crossed and contorted” for those who are interested in another individual’s thought without added assistance from friends who are also identity challenged. These terms should immediately become inseparable from those who are associated with, so that people always have a label to live by and hide behind.

Of course any society attempting to openly accept and acknowledge different perspectives must organize support groups. Humyns must have a place where they can whine about the injustices they’re served and assert their own label without having it questioned or contradicted by another label. Support groups should be widely encouraged to form, regardless of the nature of the group. People have their own kind. All fractionalized and stereotyped people need acceptance and acknowledgment through support groups. I propose separating people into mandatory support groups and keeping them so busy that they don’t have time to do anything but think about themselves: support group for skateboarders in front of Whitworth; support group for athletes who read books; support group for California drivers; support group for Californians who have gotten lost in Portland, Ore.; supporting group for passengers in cars with California drivers; support group for isolated Englishmen filled with angst about their writing; support group for tennis players with bad game; support group for the people who have been through writing; support group for those who have always had a label to live by and hide behind.

CARMEN SOBOL

How does love last? Communication is the answer. Whether through phone lines, e-mail, or letters, Whitworth couples keep long distance relationships alive through communicating in several different ways.

Some of these long-distance couples, or even cross-continent couples, have seen each other for only a few weeks and have already crossed 20 minutes on the phone to catch up on the past three months they were without each other. How do these “hi, bye” relationships last? Senior Jennifer Earin said people can’t let distance come between them. Her boyfriend lives in Florida, yet she said their relationship survives because it’s based on honesty and trust.

Freshmen Tami Buxton and her boyfriend have been dating for 11 months, but the longest they have been together was three weeks. Her boyfriend doesn’t like to write so they have to call each other every four to five weeks and spend as much time as possible together. “We’re going to change our priority and spend more time together because our relationship has been through a rough time,” she said.

Senior Chris Johnson knows how time constraints can be a challenge to a relationship. He has been dating his girlfriend for about three years, yet for two of those years he has been at Whitworth, while she is in California. Their relationship has taken hard work to develop but has survived and they will marry this summer. They get to see each other every four to five weeks and spend as much time as possible together. He and his fiancée are currently working on a one-man play about their long-distance relationships and each week they read a chapter. Every Sunday, night they discuss the chapter and ask each other questions about it. “We help each other to see how we feel and this is a tangible way to hold each other accountable.”

Buxton added that the key to a long distance relationship is to make an effort to talk, no matter what it takes, because this relationship is meant to be, it will last despite the distance.

Freshman Heather Porter knows something about distance as well. Her boyfriend, junior Ryan McEachran, is a CIA agent in Central America on a study tour. They have been dating for the past six months and Porter has only been able to see him the past three months they have been without each other. How do they make it last? Porter said it’s due to someبريد, yet romantic encounters they have had recently.

Porter was in Costa Rica on a mission trip when Hawk surprised her by showing up where she was. For just 45 minutes together, Hawk rode a bus and hiked rides across the country to see her. “He didn’t even know exactly where I was, so God definitely led him to me,” Porter said. They were able to take a walk together and catch up on the months they spent apart.

Their key to communication has been through writing letters. Every letter Ryan sends me includes an apology for not writing sooner, Buxton said.

Whitworth is a white house where the pipes, they make a sound like a "sonic boom."

Whitworth College's presidents since 1942.

The Whitworth House has been home to Whitworth College's presidents since 1942.

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SHANNON MOORE
Features Editor

It's their 20th wedding anniversary, but Jack and Maggie are far from celebrating. Their marriage is a wreck because Jack, played by Ryan O'Neal, is a neglectful husband who has never been faithful to his wife. In fact, he is so busy chasing his blonde girlfriend around that he can't even make it home for their special occasion.

Chazz Palminteri plays Tony, the hired killer. Palminteri also wrote the screenplay and Robert DeNiro directed. After seeing this movie, however, it is clear that these two Mafia-style actors should stick to performing.

While they wait for the dreaded call, Maggie and Tony pass time by discussing adultery, Tony's childhood, and what it feels like to take someone's life (this part of adultery, Tony's childhood, and what it makes him is dear to him). When Maggie has the chance, a hitman ties her up in a chair and leaves her there. But before the hitman can carry out his deed himself, before Maggie can be killed, Tony appears and tells off Jack, takes the money he didn't earn, and leaves Maggie holding a gun on Jack.

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From here, a funny dialogue follows as the two discuss their horrible marriage. Maggie tells Jack that it's over and the audience discovers Maggie is responsible for the couple's wealth. Maggie threatens to leave Jack poor and his personality changes drastically. He goes from being a sheepish adulterer to someone easily capable of hiring a hitman. Tony appears and tells off Jack, takes the money he didn't "earn," and leaves Maggie holding a gun on Jack.

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While this movie was creative with its comedic insight into the life of a trained killer, it is weak in character development and lacks consistency. Throughout the movie there are sudden changes in the character's personalities which aren't explained. It must also be said that O'Neal and Cher have no chemistry together and whoever did the casting must have taken too many of Maggie's pills themselves.

Grade: C+

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Attractions & Distractions

**Off Campus**

April 5: The Spokane Civic Theatre presents "Tons of Money," an English comedy.
April 7: All shows 8 p.m. (except Sunday matinees 2 p.m.) Tickets are $12 Fridays and Saturdays, $10 Thursdays and Sundays, $9 seniors, and $7 students. Call 312-2507.
April 9: The Spokane Symphony will perform classics concert featuring clarinetist Sharon Kam *8 p.m.* Spokane Opera House *Tickets are $12, $17, $22, $27, and are available through call 312-SEAT.
April 10: REI and Mad River Canoe present the national YOU CAN CANOE DAY *Liberty Lake Public Beach *8-7 p.m.* For more information call REI 328-9900.

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**On Campus**

April 9: The Art department presents the Junior Art Exhibit *Koehler Gallery*.
April 25: Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-12 p.m., 1-4 p.m.
April 19: Mac Hall in Concert featuring "Mr. Jones & The Previous" *Auditorium* 7:30 p.m. *$1.50*.
April 20: "A Three Hour Tour" Spring Formal on Lake Coeur d'Alene *7-10 p.m.* Photos 5:30-7 p.m. *Boarding at 6:30 p.m.* Single tickets $8, group tickets (7 or more) $7 *Tickets available at the Information Desk, WCC*.

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Whitworth Speaks Out

What do you think about body piercing?

"Body piercing is a good thing, especially women with pierced ravels."
—Dave Pluister
sephomore

"I wouldn't do it, but if somebody else wants to it's not my problem."
—Greg Amund
junior

"I want to get a belly button ring because it looks cool, but my grandparents would kill me, so I guess I'm not."
—Kathi Wedemeyer
freshman

"I think it's cool and unique, and people are free to do whatever they want."
—Char Kasshili
freshman

"I think pierced ears look feminine, and I don't agree with stomach and nose piercing because I think it looks awkward."
—Heidi Whitleman
freshman

"Keep it hidden!"
—Heather Porter
freshman

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"Body piercing is evil because it hurts!"
—Danny Rock
sephomore
Men's and Women's Track teams both take second

Above: Lance Sinnema and Ben Vaday run the relay as the Men's Track team placed second. Above right: Christine Gutierrez and Heather McDonald pass the baton in the Women's relay. The Women also finished second.

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April 14, 1996

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Most Improved Player
Jeff Mix

Most Inspirational Player
John Beckman

Best Defensive Player
Jeff Arkills

Congratulations to the entire Men's Basketball program for a great season.
Home Sweet Home is bitter sweet for Bucs

ROB LESLIE
Staff Writer

Home (n.): An environment or haven of shelter, of happiness and love. That definition is not applicable if you belong to the Whitworth baseball team. This past weekend the "Arm and Hammer" boys were swept off their own yard by Willamette University, 4-0, 7-4, and 6-4. Three losses dropped the Bucs to 7-in league play, and 12-12 overall.

"We didn't play very good," said Head Coach Rod Taylor. "We didn't field the ball and we didn't hit with runners in scoring position."

"It's hard on everybody," said senior Larry Turner. "We can't seem to do anything right and everyone is kind of down." The Bucs were out-hit in the series 36-28, but the statistic that sticks out is the number of errors committed by the Pirates. Eight defensive miscues over the weekend gave Willamette many opportunities. Five of those errors came on Sunday's game.

"It has killed us without a doubt," said Taylor. "We need to make the routine plays."

The loss of Turner defensively has not helped the Bucs' woes in the field. Turner has been unable and Jove. That definition is not to play third base because of an injury to his foot, but expects to be back for this weekend.

Errors were not the only factor that caused trouble for the Bucs, but the missed opportunities offensively came back to haunt them.

"We had chances to win, but we are not playing well under pressure," said Taylor.

During Sunday's game, the Bucs had the bases loaded, with the score tied in the bottom half of the ninth inning, and proceeded to ground into a double play which sent the game into extra innings.

After giving up two runs in the top half of the 10th, the Bucs had another opportunity with the bases juiced, but a strike out ended the threat for Whitworth.

"It's a good challenge for our team," said Taylor. "We have nothing to lose and everything to gain."

SPORTS TRIVIA QUIZ

1. What Bonanza star once threw the javelin 193 feet, 4 inches in 1954 attending Collingwood High School?
2. What NBA team's home is the Nichols Sports Arena?
3. What slugger hit his 100th career home run on May 14, 1967?
4. What superstar was voted the NFL's top defensiveman eight straight seasons?
5. Who holds the NBA records for most consecutive seasons coaching the same team?
6. What quarterback threw the game-winning touchdown pass in the Houston Oilers in 1962?
7. Who appeared in the final game of the 1961 World Series?
8. What running back has the most career rushing touchdowns?
9. How many total Rửa of the Week all-star games are there?
10. What was the first place team in the NFL in the 1961 season?

TIE BREAKER (Closest to answer gets $5)

How many hits did the Pirates total in their last nine games?

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This week's answers will be printed in the next issue of The Whitworthian.

Last Week's Results

WILLIAMSON 6

Congratulations to Alan Schuurman for answering six questions correctly to win the The Whitworthian Sports Quiz for the week of 4/7/69.

Answers:
1) Joe DiMaggio 2) Elston Howard 3) Joe Garagiola 4) Elston Howard 5) Elston Howard

Next Week: The Tie Breaker: 25 teams.
Seven course meal, live music, dance at annual Luau

Tropical flowers once again filled the Field House where more than 700 people gathered for the Hawaiian Club's annual Luau on Saturday, April 13. Festivities included a nine course Hawaiian meal complete with fresh pineapple, live music played by a Polynesian band, and dance routines performed by Hawaiian Club members.

The authentic Hawaiian meal was prepared, frozen, and flown over by club members' friends and family in Hawaii. Parents also flew to Spokane to help in preparation for the Luau. Entertainment included junior Michele Solis and senior Celeste Montibon performing Maori, a New Zealand dance, sophomore Kanani Wong demonstrating the fire knife dance, and junior Brandi Barrett and her mother performing Waialua, a dance telling a story of love.

After showing the audience some basic steps, performers pulled audience members on stage and taught them how to hula. "This is the best Luau I've seen in four years," said Jay Colgan, a senior who was pulled on stage.

Students display artwork in Campus Center

Drawings, paintings line the walls of the cafe

Compiled by Karen DuBerke

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Student smoking policy altered for consistency with faculty's policy

AIMEE MOISO  
Staff Writer

Whitworth's policy on indoor smoking has been a bit cloudy in recent months, but starting next semester, the issue will be a lot clearer. As of fall 1996, students will no longer be able to vote on smoking policies in residence halls and all campus buildings will be smoke-free.

After a recent discovery of conflicting statements about smoking in public places, Dick Mandeville, associate dean of students and director of Residence Life, decided to remove smoking from the Residence Area Policy that governs residence halls. In past years, on-campus students have been able to vote to allow smoking in common areas, such as lounges and bathrooms, as part of RA's. Now smoking will no longer be allowed in any part of the residence halls.

The decision came after the Student Life and Human Resources realized they had published conflicting smoking policies for students and staff. In the Faculty/Staff Handbook, students are guaranteed a smoke-free workplace under recent clean air acts. At the same time, the Student Handbook gives students the right to vote during the residence hall agreement process. The conflict was that a smoke-free environment may not have been available to residence hall staff, such as custodians and residence directors.

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Spokane celebrates its fourth annual Japan Week, April 20-26, a week of broad-based educational events sponsored by a variety of community organizations. "Japan Week is a celebration of the Japanese culture," said Sierra Van Norman of the International Affairs office at Gonzaga University.

Japan Week creates an opportunity for people in the Spokane area to better understand and appreciate Japanese culture, in order to develop business trade, tourism, appreciation, education, understanding speakers, and a youth leadership conference for high school students.

Today, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., high school students are invited to Mukogawa Fort Wright Institute for workshops which will explain and teach Japanese language, customs, manners, games and songs. They will also listen to speakers from the international business community. "Our goal is to get students to think of themselves as global citizens and to think about their role in the international community," said Barbara Love, coordinator of the youth leadership conference.

Whitworth is also playing a major role in Japan Week activities. On Sunday, April 21, Japanese students from Whitworth joined students from Eastern Washington University and Spokane Falls Community College at the Northtown Mall for an afternoon of cultural activities, such as writing names in Japanese calligraphy and teaching origami. Tonight, from 5-6 p.m. in the lower dining hall, authentic Japanese cuisine will be served as part of RA's. Now smoking will no longer be allowed in any part of the residence hall.

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According to Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs, the Faculty/Staff Handbook is compiled in Human Resources and the policies in the Student Handbook are written by Student Life. A simple case of miscommunication caused the discrepancy, said Johnson.

"We just made an error," he said. "It was an honest mistake. The policy in the Faculty/Staff Handbook was what we believed to be an institutional policy."

The Student Handbook states, "Smoking may be permitted in public spaces (lounges, hallways and bathrooms) if the residents in the hall agree to allow it." The Faculty/Staff Handbook says smoking is permitted in "some resident students' rooms (contin­gent upon residents' approval), in a designated place in the HUB (presently the upper level of the snack bar) and the outdoors."

Mandeville said smoking has not been allowed in students' rooms for a few years and the HUB no longer exists. Therefore, since the removal of smoking policy from RA's, smoking is only allowed outdoors on the Whitworth campus. Johnson also said the Faculty/Staff Handbook is normally updated every year, and will reflect the changes, such as the demolition of the HUB.

During the time smoking in common areas had been a part of RA's, the issue of smoking varied, starting with smoking being allowed in public areas, said Mandeville. "Then we had a reversal from the smokers dominating the vote to non-smokers dominating. Eventually the policy shifted and no residence smoking policy. See Smoking policy, Page 2
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as the 1995-96 school year comes to a close, four monumental events are planned for seniors, which mark their departure from Whitworth.
The Senior Commissioning Service is Friday, May 17 at 8:00 p.m. in the chapel. This is a small service where seniors worship together, take communion and are commissioned by faculty and staff members.
Saturday, May 18 at 8:00 p.m. is Senior Reflections, conducted in the auditorium. This is a time for graduating seniors to muse on their four years at Whitworth. Senior Rebecca LeRoy, chair of the Senior Reflections committee, is putting together a memorable night filled with several musical acts, comedy, and other "surprise skits."
Senior Reflections will also showcase combined faculty/senior speeches. The four pairs of faculty and seniors for 1996 are as follows: Howard Gage, professor of mathematics and computer science; Darcy Blanchard; Rick Honer, associate professor of theatre; and Rachel Honer; Lois Kieffaber, professor of physics, and Sarah Force; and Warren Friedrichs, associate professor of mathematics and computer science; and Darcy Kieffaber, professor of English, who is one of the highlighted graduation speakers for the class of 1996.
Graduation weekend culminates on Sunday, May 19, at 10:00 a.m. at the Spokane Opera House with the graduation ceremony. Student graduation speakers, voted on by the senior class, are seniors Ed Kross and Janine Osbrio. Leonard Oakland, professor of English, was chosen as the highlighted graduation speaker for the class of 1996.

ANNEMARIE EKLUND
Staff Writer

Temple University Newspaper
switches to online publishing

Students use computer for latest news

Campus Beat

April 12
12:15 p.m.
Bike reported stolen from the Village

April 13
11 a.m.
Bike recovered in the bushes near Arend

April 13
4:20 p.m.
Bike reported stolen from Ballard

April 16
1:50 p.m.
A prowler outside of the Village was chased away by six students. The incident was not reported to Security until after the suspect had fled

8:10 p.m.
Three prank phone calls were made to a room in Warren Hall.

The security report is a place to get information on a recent prank or criminal activity on campus. The information is then used to create a safer environment.

College Press Service

Temple University students no longer will be able to flip through their daily newspaper without first turning on a computer. That's because Temple News is making the switch from newprint to e-press.

"The cost of newprint has put us well over budget," Temple News editor Dawn Williams told the Philadelphia Inquirer. "We can't afford to do our daily productions."

The newspaper has been unable to generate sufficient advertising revenues to cover its costs, so the editors decided to rely on its Internet version rather than ask the university for more funding.

By the end of the semester, a lengthier printed version will appear just once a week, and Williams hopes the change will attract advertisers.

Meanwhile, the online version of the rules and regulations will be updated daily, as it has been since 1994.

"We are going to lose the bathroom reader initially," Managing Editor Adam Butler said.

"But we'll get him back, either by bringing him closer to the technology or the technology closer to him."
A Different Perspective

Catholics and Protestants—can tolerance exist?

Jan Wood
junior

If I was offered communion, and I refused, would I be refusing Christ in His holy sacrifice? In this moment I saw tolerance and acceptance face each other in a realistic dilemma created by the different interpretations within the universal church.

The Roman Catholic Church maintains that the Eucharist only goes back to Christ who ordained the Apostles and consequently, the practice of receiving Communion by washers, or the priest, at the Communion rail holds the key to the Catholic understanding of the Eucharist because it states that in participating in the Eucharist, as a Catholic, the Church, Catholics share in Christ's sacrifice as he ordained it and that has been maintained through the generations of this line. The Protestant Church, however, is deemed to lack that spiritual bond contrived to the Apostles and consequently, to the church. Therefore, while the Roman Church accepts that all Christian denominations are held together by their common baptism, it does not accept the fullness of Christ's truth held in other churches. That explanation is Catechistic, yet I think it is right for me to express it that way because upon those principles I have built my faith. I do not seek dilution, but a common understanding between churches. How then was I to reconcile myself to the call made by the pastors at Whitworth to come forward and receive Christ's body?

I was reconciled, participating in the Eucharist through my prayers. I cannot resign my belief in the Roman Church as somehow false, but that the whole truth, because I would be undermining my faith in the unbreakable line between Christ and the present day priesthood of the Roman Church. Nevertheless, as a Catholic, I cannot actively seek to bring my faith closer to others if the goal of unity is to be sought about. The Pope admits, "This is an immense task which we cannot refuse. He encourages positive dialogue with our brethren." Whitworth should actively seek to live by this definition of acceptance.

It would be something that exists close to you, denying interaction and learning, accepting alienation unwillingness to receive new ideas, or metaphorically, a lack of thought of communion as a sacrament experienced outside of the Catholic Church. Therefore, those who believe that as something to think on while participating as fully as my faith allows, the Church is exhorted to respect tumultuous and the Eucharist is repugnant. The Church is the Body of Christ will be one, but nonetheless, if the separation that exists will remain as great as that between Christians and Humanists. Whitworth, do not continue tolerance with an opportunity to consider stagnant; rather, you must pursue new insights, exchange ideas through dialogue and participate in the life of all churches to the limit of your faith.

Boat dance reform needed: Yesterday

Dear Editor,

Wednesday, April 17: Do I have money in the bank? Yes, I am pumped to go to my senior year Spring Formal! Absolutely. Can I get a ticket? Not a chance (pardon me Whitworth) hell! Spring Formal is the one dance of the year that most of the student population seem to look forward to more than any other dance. It also happens to take place at the epicenter of the entire school year. Our usual spots of coffee shops, we head off into finals week, and for us seniors, before we leave Whitworth, either for summer school or graduate school.

We are so many seniors, and others, who are up that they cannot part in the last got out on this school year journey? Their last chance to dress up in their absolute best and attend Spring Formal? Absolutely. Can I get a ticket? Not a chance (pardon me Whitworth) hell! Spring Formal is the one dance of the year that most of the student population seem to look forward to more than any other dance. It also happens to take place at the epicenter of the entire school year. Our usual spots of coffee shops, we head off into finals week, and for us seniors, before we leave Whitworth, either for summer school or graduate school.

However, now that the population at Whitworth has grown, our thinking on events planning should be more open to directive in allocating money to clubs that the money donated be made available to all who wish to. Not to the point where the event or club is diluted down to where it has lost its meaning, but so that simultaneously all those who wish to participate can.

It is my contention that Spring Formal violates the latter part of the basic principle: keeping numerous people from being able to participate in the sponsored activities they so choose. I personally know of at least 50 people who are not going to the formal because they foresaw that the price was too high, due to the shortage of tickets. And there is a disturbing story behind each one of these unadorned positions.

It is past time to let the ship sail on for Jesus Christ and beyond. And time to establish a new spring tradition at Whitworth. There are numerous creative options that could easily remedy this problem. Now it is on the heads of those who charge too late to fix this compromising situation. They will have to deal with the fact that they foresaw on the dream of many Whitworth students to have that perfect last dance, before they could be realized.

—Chris McKinley
senior

Student responds to diversity issue

Dear Editor,

I was writing in response to Brian Lynch's April 16 response to Dave Pommers' April 2 response to Ian Wood's March 14 "A Different Perspective." Yes, it is true, religious diversity should not be undermined. Christians are a part of the universal church. However, Lynch's assertion that Christian spirituality is comparable to the worth Protestant is absolutely false. Christians have God as their spiritual parent. Not as a law, like ours where we as individual believers, we have Jesus Christ as our spiritual parent. It is hard for us to relate to anything else in this way, whether an animal image or a blessed union of souls or whatever, though spiritual, is also idolatry. Paul wrote in 2 Corinthians 6, "... for what do righteousness and wickedness have in common? Or what fellowship can light have with darkness? What harmony is there between Christ and Belial?" Or between Christ and the goddess Sophia? How about Allah, or Isra? True, religious diversity is not mere relativism. Religious diversity is the result of people seeking truth, and not finding it. Religious diversity is the natural state of humanity, even in societies like ours where the love of Christ is shared. (Jesus warned, "Many will be misled." ) It is my hope that Christians who want to accept the validity of all forms of spirituality will eventually get around to reading their Bibles. Sadly, Christians promoting Lynch's attitude about spirituality are leading others, as well as themselves, away from a true spiritual relationship with the only real God and from the salvation which that One offers.

—Greg Haley
senior

Students speak out about divisiveness

Dear Editor,

We are in no position to judge others for what we believe their personal convictions to be. We fail ourselves, other, and ultimately God, when we do so. Conversation about religiosity is a good thing, I believe it leads toward understanding. However, when our intent is to say, put down people who promote divisiveness. It is more important and from what I have learned about religion, appropriate to stress kindness and respect in our relationships. Why not leave it to God (or whatever higher power one may believe in) to decide the purity of our hearts? In the meantime, we should challenge ourselves to keep an open and penetrable mind.

People change and what is dramatic importance today will be forgotten a few years from now. Let us take this opportunity to feel ourselves and reflect on it. It is not what we are that comprises our spiritual makeup, but what we become. We all have these and more.
FEATURES

Spring Formal foresees definite change of venue, theme next year

EUNJOO SONG
Staff Writer

A three-hour boat cruise on Lake Coeur d'Alene with food, dancing, a date and friends — sound like a dream? Well, either that or it was Whitworth's Spring Formal sponsored by Warren Hall Saturday, April 29.

The theme this year was "A Three-Hour Tour" with a daw- hay, appetizers, beverages, and a professional photographer who took pictures outside the boat with a natural background. And of course, lots of dancing and having a good time, according to junior Shondra Dillon, ASWC cultural and special events coordinator.

Dillon said the formal last year was also a cruise, but dinner was served on the boat with the dance following. This year Warren Hall wanted to extend the hours of the dance because it lasted just two hours last year. "We thought a longer dance is better than dinner and a dance because people can't go on the cruise and then have fun dancing for three hours," said Dillon.

Junior Amanda Billo went on the cruise last year and said she had fun, but also said it was cold. "It was so cold (outside) that we went on the deck and made a barrier with the picnic tables...so the wind didn't hit us much, and then [we] just sat there for awhile.

Although this year's dance was a success, many students were unable to get tickets. "I was about 36 hours— all 350 tickets," Dillon said. "This is the first time we've sold it out so quickly. We didn't sell out last year, so we didn't expect this year." She added, "The boat only holds 400 people and we got a lot of feedback from students who went last year. They told us it was too crowded. So we tried to limit the number of tickets because we didn't overcrowd and also, if it rains, not everyone can fit in the boat (dancers)."

Some students were fortunate enough to get on the boat for free, waiting in line from the time the boat set sail before the dance. Freshman Jenna Barton, who was also on the dance's planning committee, helped decorate the boat and was let on for free.

Freshman Damon Clark and Gentry Aginat weren't so fortunate. "We wanted to go on the dance and planned on getting tickets the day they went on sale. I wrote a little note on a sign and a sign was posted that said they were sold-out and there was a waiting list. We really wanted tickets, so I put up a sign in the WCC saying I would pay $20 for a pair, but no one wanted to sell them. I guess. We already bought tickets and we listened to others, we didn't just make rash decisions on our own," she said.

As an alternative for those who were unable to get tickets, ASWC and Warren Hall arranged another event in Coeur d'Alene. From 7:10 p.m., there were two dinner rooms reserved at the Coeur d'Alene Resort Hotel for the first 900 junior/junior students who purchased tickets.

And for those who wanted more than a nice dinner on the lake, a dance lounge was open after 9 p.m. for students over 21. Because of the hotel's closeness to the boat, many of these students were able to have their pictures taken with those who attended the cruise.

For those who worry about the future of Spring Formal, there is a light at the end of the tunnel. Dillon said the dance coordinators are already working on a new plan for next year so more students can attend.

"Next year we might have dinner on a boat and then have the dance at a hotel afterward. We tried to do that this year, but we would've had it on the same day as the house and we didn't want to take away from that, so we couldn't do it this year."

While a change in certain for next year, Dillon said ideas for next year's formal are still open. Students can submit their ideas in the ASWC suggestion box at the WCC Information Desk.

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Professor moonlighting in films? 'Who is Leonard Oakland'

ANNA SMEED Guest Writer

All professors are paid for teaching and the average is $200 per word. Whitworth College Professor of English Leonard Oakland was one of the few, if not the only one, who has been paid that much to talk. However, it has not been for a class. It was for a movie.

Oakland began teaching English at Westminster College in Santa Barbara, Calif., where he had 18-year-old Ron Shelton in his class. Oakland quickly became good friends with Shelton and began helping with his acting career when he was a minor league baseball player.

In the fall of 1987, when he wrote and directed the movie "Bull Durham," Oakland was important because they may have open rooms over the summer, and sifting through the possibilities available (washer/dryer for $230, furnished or unfurnished, and a seance. Or a barbecue."

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"I love the world I'm in right now... I'm very satisfied with my current job — I did the two movies mostly for experience."

On a more personal note, Oakland's movie "Bull Durham" was filmed in the fall of 1987, in North Carolina, and it took eight grueling weeks.

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During the time of the filming, Oakland left the room, and the Whitworth and helped Shelton with filming the movie. "I asked him if he wanted to practice," he said. "That usually meant anything from making coffee for him, talking over ideas, driving everybody around, to even waking Shelton up on time."

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 contestant with the fewest points pick the next category for round two.

"Popes for 200 please," was Oakland's suggestion. Oakland's movie "Bull Durham" has one line. Although it was only one line, it took hours to film, and Oakland received $750 for a day's work. Not a bad deal for someone one who was originally on summer vacation.

Oakland claims that after helping his students plan and execute a film, and he offered advice regarding movie productions. He suggested asking questions before you clean the room, one must perform a seance. Or a barbecue."

Hence, the creation of bizarre candle-lit ceremonies and stu-

professor Laura Bloxham's South ern Literature course last semes-

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ANNASMEED

Lack of electricity on campus brings out creative, industrious sides of students

COURTNEY WALLIS Guest Writer

"Summer is almost here and it is time to decide what you'll plan and do before you leave. If you include staying in the Student Village as one of your plans, you'll need to begin making decisions about where you will like to live.

Many resources are available to assist you in finding a place to live, including the newspaper, bulletin boards, and the phone book. There are also apartment locations who will come to your apartment to assist you in finding a place to live. If you have been in the library for a few minutes, you may know who you and others prefer to talk to.

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Mac Hall in Concert

Mac Hall in Concert this year held true to its tradition of displaying new talent and zany humor. In fact, almost all acts were new this year. Musical acts dominated the concert, with everything from piano duets, to base solos, to rock and grunge. The "SAGA Police" returned again this year to great acclaim, altering songs by "Bon Jovi," "The Police," and Neil Diamond. "Mr. Jones and the Previous," this year's closing act, met with great reaction to their guitar-driven songs.

Other acts included dancing and various comics. They kept the audience laughing, whether it was some silly songs such as "All By Myself," performed by sophomore Dan Straw, or the antics of hosts: seniors Steve VerHoeven, Phil Shabaz, Kevin Brady, and junior Dan Kepper. Many were surprised, and even more relieved, when the hosts deviated from their tradition of eating live goldfish; opting rather for a fishwich from Marriott. Sometimes the most memorable is the most disgusting; the men demonstrated their loyalty to Mac Hall by chewing up Oreos and then spitting it into each other's mouths.

—Dave Kohler

Photos by Carrie Wass/Whitworthian
Primal Fear

ERICA BROOKS
Staff Writer

From O.J. Simpson to Susan Smith to the Menendez brothers, sensational court cases have become the last form of public entertainment. Too often, the defendants in these cases are condemned by the public even before they enter a plea. "Primal Fear," the new courtroom drama starring Richard Gere, addresses the pitfalls of a legal system where shock value, rather than truth, can so easily dictate the course of justice.

It looks like an open and shut case. When a popular archbishop is murdered in Chicago and a 29-year-old blood-soaked alter boy (Edward Norton) is caught fleeing the scene, nobody doubts the boy’s guilt.

Marty (Gere), a hot shot defense attorney who loves being front-page news, decides to take the case for free because of guilt. However, after speaking with Aaron, his shy, soft-spoken client, Marty becomes convinced of the boy’s innocence.

A challenging case becomes a fight for Aaron’s life against the sensational media and Marty’s ex-wife, Janet (Laura Linney), the prosecuting attorney. Soon, the plot begins a series of unpredictable twists and surprises that lead up to a shocking conclusion.

Gere is in his element. This role suits him perfectly, impeccably suave with an undercurrent of real emotions, which only surfaces when the veneer cracks. He plays a jerk without caricature, simply a man who loves his work. Marty plays the courtroom like a chessboard, thrilling in the challenge of playing with people’s lives, inventing the truth to suit the jury. With Aaron’s case, he finds himself switching roles, defending a truth distorted by appearances.

The film’s real strength lies in Norton’s astonishing performance as Aaron. A stuttering, ingenuous youth, Aaron steals the audience’s heart as he convinces Marty of his innocence. The compelling plot twists relying heavily on Norton’s performance and he races to the occasion, never slipping for a moment. Superb writing and a thoughtful, tricky plot keep the audience spellbound throughout the film. Truth and appearances collide evolving as each new piece of evidence surfaces. This film challenges definitions of courtroom ethics, never satisfied with a final verdict.

Grade: A

THE FEW. THE PROUD.
THE WHITWORTH AMBASSADORS.

The Admissions Office is looking for a few great leaders to serve as ambassadors for visiting students and their families. Ambassadors assist with campus visits through guided tours and overnight hosting prospective students.

The ambassador program provides a great way to be involved, have fun, and get paid! The time commitment varies from two to 12 hours weekly depending on individual schedules and the number of visitors to campus.

All enthusiastic students with a love for Whitworth College are encouraged to apply. Applications may be picked up at the Admissions Office in MacKay Hall. Deadline for applications is Monday, April 29.

"I'd probably go to a grocery store and have a picnic inside the store because then you don’t have to pay for any of the food, you just have to sweep the stuff under the bench. And then maybe go to the dollar movie, and that’s only two bucks." —Kevin Hyder junior

"A bunch of fruit and go fly fishing all day. We’d go camp, get 10 bucks worth of food, and fly fish." —Chris Lewis freshman

"A movie and butter pecan ice cream, just chillin’ on the couch." —Steve VerHoeven senior

"Go to a cheap movie." —Justin Robertson freshman

"Heck, it only costs $3 for two people to go downtown on the bus and come back, while having $7 left for cheapo food and plenty of time for talk." —Bryce Moniaon sophomore

"I guess I’d buy whatever I could from the store, cook it up, make it look nice, and set something up in the Pan Bowl for a starlight dinner." —Flynn Elario junior

"Laser Tag." —Molly Byrne junior
USC Football Team may have to forfeit Rose Bowl victory

Northwestern Coach Gary Barnett told reporters he didn't want to win the Rose Bowl through the back door. "We wouldn't take it anyway," he said. Such an event, however, would not be without precedent. Since 1985, 39 teams in all sports have had games forfeited or championships taken away due to NCAA rules violations.

The USC course in question was named Tutoring Elementary. Secondary or University Students. Thirty of the 40 students in the class were athletes, and one student told the Times they never had to show up until an adviser told them to go to the final.

The tenured USC professor who teaches the course, Donovan Broussard, said he announced on the first day of class that attendance is not required and that everyone can get an A. "It is virtually impossible to fail my class," according to reports.

Northwestern football player takes movie role

The NCAA has ruled that Darnell Autry, a star football player who helped lead Northwestern University to this year's Rose Bowl, can accept a role in a commercial movie.

Earlier, the NCAA had threatened to strip Autry, a sophomore theater major, of his remaining eligibility if he took the minor-speaking role in "The Eighteenth Angel." The NCAA prohibits student-athletes from receiving preferential treatment, such as starring in commercial films.

AS NCAA review panel decided April 5 to waive the rule because Autry, who has some acting experience, would not be paid. The panel also noted the role would help the aspiring actor gain professional experience. "The part is in the film is related to his participation or status as an athlete," the panel ruled.

Before gaining the NCAA's permission, however, Autry had to go to court. Despite three written requests to the NCAA by Northwestern officials on Autry's behalf, the panel ruled Feb. 23 that he could not take part in the film without jeopardizing his remaining athletic eligibility. Autry won a temporary restraining order from a Chicago judge, blocking the NCAA from taking action against him for appearing in "The Eighteenth Angel.

Autry's suit alleged the NCAA violated the NCAA Constitution, which states, "student-athletes participation in sports should be motivated primarily by education.

According to Autry's attorneys, the NCAA was not placing the running back's academic and athletic interests on equal footing. "Although the student-athlete is free to pursue his athletic interests, the NCAA has declared that he cannot pursue his academic interest," the lawsuit claims.

"The NCAA has repudiated the promise in its constitution to advance, not impede, the education of the students it supposedly protects," "The Eighteenth Angel," about a man who takes his grand-daughter to Italy, is scheduled to complete filming in June.

Comments? Story ideas? Let The Whitworthian know what you're thinking.
Call 466-3248, or e-mail whitworthian@ece.whitworth.edu.
Women's Fastpitch Softball Club takes the field

Whitworth’s Women Softball team, still not a varsity sport, starts year against local clubs

SHEARON OLNEY, Staff Writer

Adorned in Pirate crimson and black, the softball club, the women’s fastpitch softball team, spent Sunday afternoon swinging the bat and fielding balls. The Pirates took on a club team, representing Bruneau Sportswear, in a double header at Hamborg Park. Even though the Pirates lost both games, according to Coach Gary Blake, the women played tough, but were out-matched by the visiting team.

The Pirates began their season the previous weekend hosting the club team from Washington State University. Even though the Pirates lost the double header 8-11 and 10-13, according to Coach Blake they are looking forward to the rematch that will take place this weekend.

WSU is the only college with a club team in the area to play against. "We are evenly matched with the Cougars," said Blake.

According to sophomore catcher Andrea Sooth, the Pirates have about 15 regulars and eight solid players on the team, which practices three days a week.

According to Blake, there are a few players that are playing well offensively and defensively for the Pirates. Freshman Penny Pearson and sophomore Toni Bachman are swinging the bat well on offense for the Pirates. On defense junior Becky Morgan is doing a nice job in right field and sophomores Smith and Amy Thomsdott are doing a fine job of catching behind the plate.

"This year is an experimental season for us. As a team we are young. We are currently working on finding combinations that work for us. No one really plays a set position," said Blake.

According to Smith the team is still working with the athletic department to become a varsity team sport.

SPORTS TRIVIA QUIZ

1. What Abbott and Costello famous comedy routine is on display at Cooperstown?
   2. What current Eastern NBA arena was the site of the first indoor football game in 1902?
   3. What pitcher faced the Pirates in 1967 to break Sandy Koufax’s single-season record by one?
   4. What was the color of NFL official’s flags before 1965?
   5. What team had the previous National single-season record for foul shots made in one season with 69 wins in 1971-72 before the Chicago Bulls broke it with 70 this year?
   6. What sits at the heart of the basketball season?
   7. Who was the first basketball team to win 12 NCAA National Championships?
   8. Who in 1965-66 set the single player in NBA history record with 700 steals and 700 rebounds in one season?
   9. Who threw the first No Hitter in a World Series game?
   10. What Hall of Famer and member of the Original Celtics, was called "the North Shore basketball authority" and "the Whitworth Men’s Basketball Trinacris?"

TIE BREAKER: (Closest to answer gets it.)
What was the 1981-82 NBA Average attendance?

Prize is a free espresso or Italian soda from Espresso Delights.
Call x3839 with your answers.

This week’s answers will be posted in the next issue of The Whitworthian.

Last Weeks Results

Winner: Congratulations to Kyle Forsyth for answering seven questions correctly to win the The Whitworthian Sports Quiz for the week of 4/16/96.

Answers:
1) Michael Landon
2) Denver Nuggets
3) Mickey Mantle
4) Bobby Orr
5) Red Auerbach
6) George Blanda
7) John Havlicek
8) Gale Sayers
9) 16
10) Houston Astrodome

TIE BREAKER: 0

Intramural Update

5-on-5 Basketball

TUESDAY, APRIL 16
Clayton Kanes d. Second West Stallions 85-68
High Scorer: Seth Jensen (CK) 39 pts.
Wankers d. Get Some 67-54
High Scorer: Josh Parbon (W) 16 pts.
Straight Ballin’ d. Morning Wooders 92-70
High Scorer: Brion Williams (SB) 27 pts.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17
Straight Ballin’ d. Citizen Kanes 91-72
High Scorer: Seth Jenson (CK) 28 pts.
Morning Wooders d. Wankers 76-61
High Scorer: Ivan Gustafson (MW) 24 pts.
Scrappers d. Get Some 64-52
High Scorer: Billy Warly (S) 28 pts.

THURSDAY, APRIL 18
Wankers d. Scrappers 91-71
High Scorer: Josh Parbon 21 pts.
Second West Stallions d. Get Some 61-37
High Scorer: Ben Brueggemeier (GS) 33 pts.

SATURDAY, APRIL 20
Morning Wooders d. Second West Stallions 81-59
High Scorer: Ivan Gustafson (MW) 30 pts.

SUNDAY, APRIL 21
Second West Stallions d. Wankers 49-48
High Scorer: Josh Parbon (W) 21 pts.
Straight Ballin’ d. Scrappers 118-90
High Scorer: Joe Feider (SB) 37 pts.
Morning Wooders d. Citizen Kanes 87-82
High Scorer: Seth Jenson (CK) 29 pts.

Kick Ball

APRIL 19
Po’okaia d. Death by Methane 11-1
Elastic Collisions d. En Fiugo 8-5
Homicides d. Prussian Friends 20-15
Kick Ball d. Takiti Shooters 13-8
The Big Red Ball d. Elastic Collisions 7-4
Kick Ball d. Po’okaia
Homicides d. En Fiugo
Takiti Shooters d. Death by Methane

APRIL 20
Team Tissue d. Pretenders 1-0
That One Team & a Wan in 82
The Far Lightpost d. Team Turtle
Upcoming Games:
APRIL 23
That One Team vs. Pretenders
APRIL 24
Team Tissue vs. A White Cat

Note:
Information for these events can be found posted in the WCC or at the Information Desk. If you have any questions or suggestions please feel free to contact Randy Rock at x6554 or Sharon Cleary at x6227.
U. N. freshman sues to live off campus

College Press Service

Douglas Rader, a devout Christian, didn't think that his University of Nebraska at Kearney, didn't think that his university would be comfortable with other devout Christians. So Rader, a freshman at the University of Nebraska at Kearney, requested to live off campus with other devout students. Last summer he asked to be exempt from a university rule that freshmen under 19 must live on campus.

When the university refused to grant his request, he sued. According to his attorney, 'Doug Rader wants to be in a place that meshes with what he says goes on in a college dormitory — things like alcohol and drug use and casual sex.

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Academic honesty high at Whitworth

AIMEE MOSSO

Staff Writer

Few cases of academic dishonesty have ever been formally reported in the past two years, said Tammy Reid, associate dean of Academic Affairs. In comparison to larger state schools, Whitworth students appear to be generally trustworthy.

According to an article in The Daily Texan, for example, 70 percent of students at the University of Texas admit to some form of cheating, plagiarism or "dry-labbing." (Forcing lab results)

During the 1994-95 school year, the university had over 140 academic dishonesty accusations. At Whitworth, the academic honesty policy, published in the Student Handbook, defines rules and consequences of plagiarism and cheating, and students are expected to adhere to the rules when they enroll. "We tried to make a policy that emphasized the positive aspects, not the negative (dishonesty)," said Reid. If students of academic dishonesty do occur, the issue is first discussed between the professor and student, and reported to the student's advisor. If needed, it is also brought before Academic Affairs.

At Whitworth, honor codes, written obligations that are signed by students, dictate policies on academic honesty and students are responsible to not only adhere to the code, but to police the activities of their peers.

At Rice University in Texas, for example, students are required to sign a pledge at the end of all exams for all major projects that states, "On my honor, I have neither given nor received any aid on this examination, project or paper." Students are also required to sign a tracitation pledge upon enrollment that says he or she supports the honor system.

Most schools with honor codes also have an honor council, a group of students who are elected or selected to serve as a "jury" for their peers who are caught in violation of the code. While Whitworth students are held to standards of the college as defined in the handbook, they are not held to a specific honor code.

According to Ken Shipps, provost and dean of the faculty, Whitworth has never had a campus-wide honor code and creative solutions to our campus problems have never been an issue. "Very few places on campus that I know have honor-code names," said Shipps. "I think one of the reasons is that it puts a strain on students and to some extent, it violates individual freedom." Reid said Whitworth has not considered an honor code, mostly because there has never been a need.

"Changes in policy usually take place when there is a need," said Reid. "Our academic honesty policy has worked well for us."

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Timmy Reid, associate dean of Academic Affairs

WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?

Compiled by Karen DuBerke

Local News

Hearing to determine if Loukaitis will be tried as adult begins

ELPHURTHA, Wash. — A hearing to determine if Barry Loukaitis, 15, will be tried as an adult for the murders of two classmates and his teacher in the Moses Lake shootings, began Monday.

The trial continued Wednesday with the prosecution playing the 25-minute confession of Loukaitis, recorded two hours after the shootings.

The psychiatrist be sealed until the trial.

Loukaitis will stand trial for three counts of first-degree aggregated murder and one count of first-degree assault.

5-year-old boy attacked by pet cougar in Valley

SPOKANE — A pet cougar attacked a 5-year-old boy Thurs­

day in the Spokane Valley.

Kannon Langly was petting the 150-pound pet cougar, Charlie, through a cage when the cougar jumped up and bit Langly's hand, leaving it punctured and bruised.

Spokane County health officials ordered the cougar to be euthanized so it could be tested for sables.

After Thursday's attack, county commissioner, Steve Hasson, asked Nancy Sutlin, county ani­

mal control director, to consider drafting an ordinance that would ban exotic animals from the county.

Annuery of Oklahoma City bombing, victims remembered

Oklahoma City — In memory of the 168 people killed in the Oklahoma City bombing, thousands of Oklahomans gathered on Friday, April 19, for 168 seconds of silence — one second for each death.

Honour of the one-year anniversary, the name of each person killed in the bombing was called out in 10-second intervals, while family members came forward, laying bouquets and wreaths at the site of the former federal building.

Following the ceremony, Scot­

tish ballads, played by bagpip­

ers, led a long procession from blocks to the Myriad Convention Center for a public service where Vice President Al Gore, Oklah­
oma Gov. Frank Keating and Oklahoma City Mayor Ron Norick spoke.

Israel, Syria, Lebanon begin cease-fire plans

BEIRUT, Lebanon — Following nine days of rockets, bombs and artillery fire climaxing with the tragic shelling of a United Na­

tions compound, killing at least 75 people, the Israeli, Syrian and Lebanese governments began to respond to the U.S.'s call for a cease-fire, although exact de­

tails on the plan remain unclear.

The key to the truce may rest on the cooperation of the Hezbollah, the Iranian-backed Party of God.

In Israel, Prime Minister Shimon Peres, met with senior U.S. State Department representa­

tive Dennis Ross. Peres stated that there is a "strong possibility" for a truce, although he said he was not certain.

Syria's Foreign Minister Farouk al­

Kassem met with Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres at the United Nations compound in New York.

Syria's Foreign Minister Hassan al-Bachir said the meeting was "very positive." Of course, Syria's Foreign Minister Hassan al-Bachir said the meeting was "very positive." Although most students at Whitworth appeared to be generally trustworthy, professors report that occasionally students do get caught cheating.

Forrest Baird, professor of religion and philosophy and president of the Faculty Senate commented that while cheating does occur, especially in classes such as Core classes that are required for all students, it's infrequent.

"We usually have a case of someone cheating every semester, but I don't think it's a huge problem," said Baird. "When they are caught, I try to talk to them about what kind of a character they are building. If they are choosing lessor good over a greater good (by cheating), then are they developing a character of honesty or one that will take the easy way out? For the most part, though, I think most students are honest and trustworthy."
Competitive job market for 1.2 million graduating from college in 1996 class

SARAH RADE Staff Writer

As the school year draws to a close, graduating seniors start preparing to tackle the job market. Lisa Bartel, senior graduating in accounting, has little to worry about. "I'm planning on returning to a job in an accounting firm I've been working with since the summer after my freshman year," said Bartel. Her prior experience secures her employment for the future.

For others, such as senior communications major Christie Johnson, the job search isn't so easy. "I've started researching job openings, and sending out resumes, but I don't have any interviews set up yet," explained Johnson.

Graduates are entering a competitive job market, but the outlook for the 1.2 million students graduating seniors start planning on looking for new positions. According to the National Association of Colleges and Employers, a group that tracks the job search process, showed a significant increase in on-campus recruiting and in starting salaries. Computer related fields are especially on the rise as employees seek graduates with advanced technical skills. Social sciences and humanities related fields have not fared as well. Sociology graduates can expect a starting salary of $22,040, down 7.5 percent from last year.

"The best job prospects are for health professionals, engineers, computer scientists, business

Provost, dean of faculty
Dr. Ken Shipps resigns

KELLY KODIMEL Staff Writer

After serving as Whitworth's provost and dean of the faculty for four and a half years, Dr. Ken Shipps has resigned. He will leave Whitworth in mid-June to take the position of provost and dean of the faculty at John Brown University in Siloam Springs, Ark.

President Robinson has yet to make a decision as to who will replace Shipps. "My expectation is that there will be an interim dean and a small team of interim associate deans. It's my guess, at this point, that it will all be staffed internally," said Robinson.

Tammy Reid, associate dean for Academic Affairs, who served as interim dean before Shipps was hired, said she will play some role in the transition, although some of her duties are unclear. "I know I'll be doing more administration and have a role in the transition. The president simply hasn't firmed that up yet," she said.

Handbell Ensemble Concert...

'Financial aid cutbacks not end of world for students with loans,' says expert

ANNEMARIE EKLUND Staff Writer

A student could be as much as $20,125 in debt with combined Stafford and Perkins Loans at the time of graduation. The average monthly payment on a debt this size is about $242.66 a month for about 120 months. This is a rounded estimate," said Traci Sternsland, assistant director of Financial Aid.

Whitworth students may have reason to be concerned about accruing federal student debt. According to College Press Service, the national republican lawmakers have proposed a goal of cutting $10 billion from the Federal Family Education Loan Program. National republican lawmakers have proposed a goal of cutting $10 billion from the Federal Family Education Loan Program. The proposal includes, among other cuts, doing away with the six-month grace period for all borrowers, increasing the loan origination fee for students, and eliminating funding for Perkins Loans Capital Contributions, according to the press release.

While the American Council on Education (ACE) says the average college tuition has risen 48 percent in the past five years, the 6.7 million students who receive educational loans, nearly half of all current undergraduate and graduate students, will wind up being, colleges and universities around the country are being audited by the federal government. Scott said it is looking at past over-due loans and taking on collection of those loans owed to the federal budget, leaving colleges and universities to pick up the tab for missing funds. While cuts are being made at the federal level, there are measures students can take upon graduation or withdrawal from the college which may be helpful in paying back federal student loans.

Sternsland gave these hints and reminders for students graduating or withdrawing from Whitworth who have accrued student loans: • Attend Exit Loan Counselings. Students should contact the Financial Aid Office and/or the Perkins Loan Office for the next available session. • Be in contact with your lender. Let them know at all times. See Student Loans, Page 2
Fun Run prepares runners, benefits Caritas Center

MEGAN EWART
Staff Writer

Saturday morning 34 students and community members gathered to stretch out their legs before "Passing the Torch," Whitworth's annual Fun Run. The runners lined up at 8 a.m. and, with the warning of the sheriff, "Ladies and gentlemen don't run over the patrol car" they were off.

Starting at the Music Building, Bloomday runners-in-training took the same 3.2 mile route as last year, down to Second Ave. and back.

A patrol car guarded participants as they ran past the Fairview Center, through the residential area, and returned to Whitworth. The first to cross the finish line was Whitworth's Assistant Professor of English Michael Bowen, with a time of 21.37. Bowen said, "You underestimate how good you feel on the first part because it's downhill, and you underestimate how long the last part is.

Co-sponsored by Whitworth's radio station, KQRS, and ASWC intramural coordinators, the Fun Run had a dual purpose-it is a good practice run for Bloomday, and it is a fund-raiser to benefit the Caritas Center, a non-profit organization in northwest Spokane.

Junior and KQRS General Manager Christian Gunter said, "It is a great opportunity to get in shape and give a little money." Sophomore and Intramural Coordinator Danny Rock said another benefit is, "The run is a great event to bring Whitworth to the community."

The $7 entry fee will go mainly to the Christian outreach program at Whitworth, which provides for families in need, the disabled, and the elderly.

Fun Run participants and Caritas Center Board of Directors member Carolyn Adams said, "It is wonderful that [Whitworth] sponsors this event."

She said the Caritas Center wants to provide services five days a week, and expand its current outreach schedule of Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Given that the federal government has made cuts to aid for the less fortunate, Adams said, "Private church groups will have to pick up the ball."

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University of Nebraska Christian student can live off campus, judge rules

A devout Christian student at the University of Nebraska at Kearney will be allowed to live off-campus, despite a university rule that requires most freshmen to live in the dorms.

A federal judge has ruled in favor of Douglas Rader, a UNK freshman, who had sued to live off-campus because of his religious beliefs.

Before classes started at the University of Nebraska at Kearney, Rader asked to be excused from a university rule that says all freshman under 19 must live on campus.

The religious objections of alcoholics in the dormitories, the immoral atmosphere, and the intolerances toward those who profess to be Christians would severely hinder my free exercise of religion and be a definite hardship for me," Rader wrote in a petition.

When the university refused to grant his request to live in the off-campus Christian Student Fellowship house, Rader sued.

U.S. District Court Judge David Piester ruled April 7 that the UNK cannot force students to live on campus, if doing so would conflict with their religious beliefs.

Piester said the university had violated the First Amendment "selectively" allowing only certain groups of freshman to be exempt from the rule. Of approximately 2,500 full-time freshman attending classes, 1,600 reside on campus and 900 freshman live off.

"As you can see, most freshmen are excused," the judge said, "The exception is that Christians who are married, or are 19 years of age or older, or who are commuting from a home that is less than 20 miles away.

Job market

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Region leaders recommend drafting international students for entry-level work experience through co-oped/internships, research a prospective employer thoroughly, and prepare personalized cover letters and resumes. "Putting our mass resources behind them, but that just doesn't work anymore," explained Georgioff.

A more diverse group provides students with the problem-solving, writing, communication, and critical thinking skills necessary for job success, but the ability to effectively market those skills is another matter, Georgioff said.

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**A Different Perspective**

The truth about the world
Shailene Chimeire
Junior

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Student concerned with serious issues
Dear Editor,

As the Whitworth Community, including its student body, really rocked to its core regarding the fact that burning books cannot be purchased at the WCC? I think not. I would be more inclined to feel that this was more of a lightening moment. The free their minds from everyday reality and ignorance that we see this
dia and the struggles of a leader. While the Christianized Western world was busy alienating its people, this is not the way to be handled. A simple power and manifested God's glory. A simple man named Gandhi had a revolution against foreign domination in such a way that he used morality as his weapon, the human soul as his defense and God as his strength. Who was this man Gandhi and what did he do? Gandhi was born in India and chose Hinduism to be his life. In the process of being a complex Hindu, he not only shattered the world's

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Sexual harassment: serious issue for students and faculty

Kya Howard

Sexual harassment is a serious issue not only for Whitworth students but also for faculty and staff. While the sexual harassment policies of the University have been in place for quite some time, this is the first time we are bringing the issue to the forefront. There are still many issues that need to be addressed.

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Student comments on Forum behavior

Dear Editor,

The time: 11:15 a.m., Monday morning. The place: Cowles Auditorium. The activity: social club. No, I mean hush time. No, no, no, not just hush. It's a higher level of maturity, I think. Sometimes they succeed, and sometimes they do not. Regardless, students are required to attend all of the presentations a semester.

It seems to me, especially in recent months, that it is the only thing students are doing to atend. They are simply going to the meeting because they are required to go. It is not a matter of choice. They feel that they must attend to stay in good standing with their friends. It is the only way to ensure that they will not be excluded from the group. It is not a matter of choice, but a matter of necessity. It is not a matter of enjoyment, but a matter of obligation.

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**The truth about the world**

Shailene Chimeire
Junior

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People who see things as "adults." I always assumed that adults were polite to the Civil Rights groups. Two weeks ago I sat through a Forum where I could not easily hear the speaker because everyone was talking. I was surprised to hear that the speakers were not silenced. I think that it is important to show a higher level of maturity in our discussions and show a higher level of interest in the topics discussed.

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For more letters to the editor, see Page 2.
**Fun**

**ASWC executive apologizes for actions**

**Dear Editor,**

I am writing this letter in response to an event that occurred at Spring Formal on April 20. My date, two other friends, and I showed up to the dock where the Spring Formal boat was leaving. I came without tickets, and with absolutely no intentions of sneaking on the boat. I wanted to show up just in case others with tickets did not show up, and subsequently take their place. I stayed more than 10 feet from the boat at all times and laughed, joked, and took pictures of our friends on the boat. As the boat began to move away, I pulled down my pants and mooned the boat.

I want to sincerely apologize to all the students, faculty and staff of Whitworth College for what I did. The reasons for why I mooned the boat have been discussed with a conduct committee, and as of this point are of no concern to me.

What really matters is that I did something wrong. People worked hard to make the formal possible and my actions were no encouragement to their hours of commitment.

As the executive vice president of ASWC, I set a bad example for other students and portrayed the ASWC leaders in bad light. I hope that what I did will have absolutely no reflection on the other leaders in ASWC. I also hope that what I did will be seen as just a bad mistake on my part.

I have worked hard in ASWC for the past few years and will continue to do so as the year comes to a close.

Again, I sincerely apologize to all of Whitworth College for my actions at the dock. I did not mean to hurt anybody’s feelings, or discredit the hard work of anyone. I hope that as the year comes to a close, I will still be seen as a respected leader and servant of our institution.

—Philip Shabazz
Senior

**Alum comments students’ support**

**Dear Editor,**

This is a note to send my congratulations to the student body (the basketball team has had its glory) for its tremendous support of the Pirates in the finals of the NAIA game. As a former yell-leader (58-60) and living in Maryland you can guess how many athletic events I have seen of my alma mater.

To hear that there were buses full of fans at Nampa Idaho was awesome and to see the Pirate mascot, and even see the painted chests, was most fun.

I will not bore you on how I got to see the game via a “disguise.” Nor how I caressed a lovely lady at Prime to get the best parking space on the game. I even got some friends who have made my life miserable on where did you go to college... “what’s worse” college... but now baby, we are on the rap! The volume of sound and the enthusiasm, despite the bleak outlook in the second half, was impressive and, I am sure, helped bring the team back.

This was obviously one of the highlights of my time at Whitworth, as it was mine when the baseball team won the World Series (though it was during summer) and the football team getting to the semifinals. The important thing is that you gave it your all. I am so proud to be an alum, especially when the entire student body can take a bow.

Warmest regards and all the best during finals.

—Stuart Taylor
Class of 1961

**Former student gives congrats to writers**

**Dear Editor,**

There are two reasons behind my decision to write this letter. First, I wanted to take this opportunity to congratulate the Whitworth men’s basketball team and Coach Warren Friedrichs on their outstanding season and second place finish in the NAIA Division II National Championship game. It would have been more exciting to see the Pirates bring the school its first national title ever, but there is no shame in finishing second.

Whitworth athletics has long stressed academic performance over athletic success; and while I agree with this way of thinking, I must confess; I didn’t think I would see a Whitworth team compete for a national title in any sport during my lifetime. The Pirates made a believer out of me, and I couldn’t be happier about the fact.

The second reason for this letter is to pay compliments to two Whitworthian staff writers, Aimee Moiso and Christine Holman. During a visit to the campus last fall, I had the opportunity to pick up a copy of The Whitworthian, and in it were two well written stories, “Whitworth investor goes bankrupt” by Moiso, and “Students bribed to yell-leader (’58-’60) and living in

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Coffee lovers: tour Spokane's historical shops, cafés

SHAWNA REVK
Guest Writer

It's Friday night and once again you and your friends are sitting around a...)

The highlight -

and '50s
gestion of going out for coffee comes up. Everyone agrees, but

where? There are the regulars -

Eugene Pless, who always sits at the corner table and never budges.

You all want to break out and try something new. It's not

new, but then it is. Here are a few suggestions for the adventurous.

If you are looking for something close to home, The Milk Bottle restaurant on W. Garland may be the best bet. Before catch-

ing a flick at the Garland movie theatre, walk a few blocks east and you'll run across a small restaurant that claims to be the

"home of Spokane's finest sandwiches and burgers." Besides the best hamburgers and sandwich-

es, The Milk Bottle serves a blend of espresso and coffee from San Francisco and has the standard selections of syrup to add to your coffee or iced soda. For those in your company who may be

hungry, The Milk Bottle restaurant also boasts a diverse menu serving everything from Greek cuisine to flavors of ice

cream.

This unique restaurant has a '50s theme and also has black and white photos of Spokane and the surrounding area at the turn

of the century, decorating the walls. Prices are reasonable: $1.35 for a latte or $2.55 for a shake. According to owner Theo

Theodore, The Milk Bottle is a

must see if you are in the area. Theodore pronounced, "Everybody knows about this place, it's been here a long time.

If it's someone's birthday, you may want to venture out for coffee to the 4 Seasons for a free birthday
drink. Located a N. 222

Howard, 4 Seasons doubles as a gift shop and espresso bar. The gift shop portion sells coffee mugs and pots, whole bean coffee, loose

leaf tea, and an assortment of other knickknacks. The espresso bar, which was voted the third best coffee shop in Spokane in the

Inlander's best of

2000, serves its own blend of espresso. According to 4

Seasons' manager Jeremy, 4 Seas-

sons is the oldest roasting company in the area, having roasted its own blend since 1976.

The highlight of this coffee shop, with its wood floors, brick walls and background music, is the variety of drinks and good-

ties it carries, including employees.

That look out onto the street give it a familiar feeling. As you

money up to the "bar" expect to pay $1.25 for a single latte or $1.50 for a mocha with prices going up from there for more unusual

drinks.

Some of these out-of-the-ordinary drinks are the Daim Baca, which according to Jeremy is "a real hit for the one-

that nobody or-

ders," the Bibi Cafe, which consists of a shot of c

arbonated

expresso on an ice

rock, topped off with half and half.

And finally there is the Mad Honey. The espresso "jockey" who was working at the time, Dan, would not say what was in the

Mad Honey, but did say that "one sip of this intoxicating nectar could kill a horse, so

so senseless, and in-

spire the Delphi

oracle." So you might want to ask for the Mad Honey when you visit the 4 Seasons.

If you're looking for a cute neighborhood cafe, drive into Browne's Addition to the corner

of Cannon and Pacific and you'll find the Elk. Voted "the best neighborhood eatery" in The In-

lander, the Elk was originally

The Elk Drug Company until 1990. As you enter this friendly corner cafe you'll notice remnants of the old drug store: a medicine

bottle or two, the old bound volumes of prescriptions and pharma-

caceutical records, and original posters dating from the 1920s. Claiming to be the "oldest soda fountain in Spokane, The Elk has a fully restored soda fountain and a newly added espresso machine. Look at the menu and you find everything from pizzas to quiche all ranging around $7 to $9.

If you are just looking for an evening hang out, The Elk has coffee and dessert to offer too, but note it is only open until 9 p.m. on

Fridays and Saturdays. Expect to pay $1.60 for a latte and $.85 for a coffee, and then take it outside to the patio to enjoy the spring

weather. The Elk serves their "own special blend of Craven's coffee" according to Mitch, a

worker at The Elk. So, if you are looking for a place with an easy atmosphere where you can just walk up to the bar and ask for your

drink, this is the place.

Of course, there are always the old favorites to fall back on. Some people swear by all-nighters at Perkins or The Apple Barrel. If

all else fails, ask someone who has lived in Spokane longer than yourself, or look in the phone book under coffee for new ideas.
College pranks: rite of passage

BEAGAN WYHALLM
Guest Writer

I imagine entering your dorm room late one evening and falling down on your bed, exhausted. Within moments, you are sound asleep and headed off to dreamland. Then, from some distal corner of the room you hear an alarm go off. You look at your clock and confirm that you are already waking up for the second time, after only 15 minutes, yet you continue to hear a beeping. Upon further investigation, you find a stopwatch taped under your desk, set for the alarm to go off. For the rest of the evening, you are woken up by different alarm clocks sounding off every 15 minutes.

Practical jokes and pranks have been begrudgingly accepted as a part of college campuses. The college years are some of the last times that students can let loose in their lives, and do sometimes foolish things with little or no repercussions from the eyes of society. These pranks can range from the seemingly idiotic or pointless to the potentially dangerous. All over the United States, people fondly tell stories of jokes played during the college years on their peers. The stories are almost synonymous with college life, and Whitworth is no exception.

Some of the most popular jokes that hold the most affection for those involved are those played on good friends. Ballard sophomore Elizabeth Bothwell made copies of pictures of her friend, freshman Jodi Carlson, sitting on the toilet and posted them in all the men’s dorms as an advertisement for a date. While reminiscing upon last year, sophomore Sheri Allen recalled hearing about a girl who’s room was stuffed so full of toilet paper by her friends that she couldn’t open her door. Most jokes among friends are kept low key and are in honor of the friendship. However, feuding between dorms seems to hold the status of no holds barred. Dorm pride results in sometimes severe one-upmanship.

Locally, McMillan Hall gets the most credit for pranks this campus is what is most affectionately known as the ‘Bergerac message,’ but rather because it contains one of the most famous pranks played on the campus. Upon entering the bathroom, it was quite obvious that birds were not making the melodic noise. Apparently, some prankster, who remains at large, had left a grocery bag full of cats in the showers and the melody that came from the cats as they, too, woke for the day. According to senior sophomore Kevin Obayti it was reallyicky.

In most cases anonymity is a must if you don’t want to be the recipient of retaliation. Finding out who played the joke is crucial to the victim. Obayti said, in regards to pranksters, that “they look cool and the joke is on you. The fun begins.”

For example, in retaliation to the local ringing incident in Mac, some anonymous Mac residents set off an explosive on the cement outside the door. The faculty and students were kept low key and humorous in parently, the prank had been a success. Whether it’s between friends, a war between dorms, or completely anonymous, these jokes are a significant part of college life.

No one’s college career can be considered complete without having played part in the process.
James and the Giant Peach

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Who is your most influential professor, and why?

"Forrest Baird because he has that cool philosophy beard." - Ryan Walston, Junior

"Mark Biemann, who was a physics professor here last year, and Steve Meyer, who is a philosophy professor. Both of them have shown me how to put my faith together with science, and how those two interact and strengthen my faith and my knowledge." - Tanya Fedchun, Junior

"I would say Dr. [Jim] Hunt because he is such a nice guy, really intelligent, cares a lot about his students." - Kevin Naballa, Freshman

"Dr. Tony Mega because he's helped me do my education through Whitworth. He's gotten me into some internships and basically has given me an inspiration to pursue a degree in chemistry, and to continue education on to graduate school." - Kevin Kee, Senior

"I think that Steve Meyer has been really influential because he has gotten me interested in philosophy." - Christiane Lang, Freshman

"Dr. [Art] Migliazzo because he has made me work hard, and he has cool hair." - Elizabeth Robblee, Sophomore
Whitworth Water Polo Club for experienced swimmers only

SHARON CLINEY
Staff Writer

According to junior Lea Stenerson, the water polo club requires athletes who are interested in a sport that is incredibly vigorous and challenging for efficient swimmers.

In its third year, the water polo club has grown in interest on the Whitworth campus. According to Stenerson, the club has about 38 members this year. The team practices three days a week for a period of two hours.

"The team has been able to compete against other colleges within the Northwest region this spring," they started their competitive season on March 30 with a game against Gonzaga University. According to Stenerson, the team has also been to two tournaments during the month of April.

"We have gone to Whitman College and Washington State University to compete in their weekly tournaments. We play approximately four to five one hour games in these tournaments," said Stenerson.

Members of the team that are playing particularly well are sophomores Marlin Barnes and juniors Jerry Rice and Chris Adams. "Peloso has a good all-around understanding of the game and plays well in all areas. Rice has the right speed to our team. Adams is playing strong for our defense in the goal," said Stenerson.

According to Stenerson, the games in which the club participates are competitive as well as fun. There are even times when two teams join up together and play as one unit in some of these tournaments.

"Sometimes we, or another school, will not have enough players to play in a match, therefore we will play together against the biggest schools like the University of Washington and WSU," said Stenerson.

According to Stenerson, this has been the most progressive year for the club. The club is advised by Head Swim Coach Tom Dodd.

"Dodd has been very supportive of our efforts this year. He gives us suggestions as well as help us purchase the right equipment to help us be competitive," said Stenerson.

The club this year has been able to buy some equipment, compete in more games and tournaments, and prepare to host a tournament on campus.

"The water polo club will host a tournament in the Aquatic Center on May 4-5. According to Stenerson, they hope for at least six teams within the region, including UW, PLU and the University of Montana, to be here to compete."

According to Stenerson, it would be nice some day, in the future, for the sport to become a varsity sport within the conference, but due to the school size and a long swim season, there is not enough athletes nor facility time to do both sports.

U of Miami Player Murdered

As the University of Miami welcomes hundreds of prospective students to a weekend open house, police continued their search for whoever slashed two on-campus murder of a football player and his female friend.

Marlin Barnes, 22, a reserve linebacker for the Hurricanes, was discovered in Barnes' dormitory apartment at 7:30 a.m. on April 13 by roommate and teammate Earl Little after he returned from an all-night party.

Barnes, a reserve linebacker who hoped to become a starter this fall, lay in a pool of blood, blocking the door to the apartment, police said.

Police found the woman, identified as Timwanika Lumpkins, 22, barely alive in another room of the Miami dorms, who was not a Miami student but was later pronounced dead at an area hospital.

Doug Phillips, a staff person in the university's media relations office, said the victims were high school friends and had been out at a trendy South Beach nightclub the night before the slayings. Phillips said Barnes, a fourth-year senior at Miami, apparently was trying to help her, he added.

Police listed the cause of death as massive blunt trauma to both victims, but said no weapon had been found. Detectives had interviewed teammates, friends and classmates of Barnes, and also the boyfriend of Lumpkins. Investigators continued to search for whoever slashed two other Miami men.

The vehicle Barnes had borrowed the night before his death, "The timing could hardly be worse," UM President Edward "Ted" Foote told reporters, adding that the slayings were "an unprecedented tragedy.

Conchita Ruiz-Tiponka, a Miami spokesperson, said the open house on the day after the murders was successful and "not unlike any other year," despite the tragedy.

"We had a very good turnout," she said, adding that 1,200 students and parents came from 30 states to visit the campus over the weekend.

The students, who with their parents were informed of the murders upon arrival, have been accepted at Miami for the fall and will decide by May 1 if they plan to attend, she said.

The university has doubled its security and offered grief counseling to students.

Men's NCIC Tennis Championship Results:

SINGLES
Yosef Durr d. Bruce Chinen (Lin) 6-1, 6-4
Sean Weston d. Derek McCarthy (Wish) 6-2, 6-1
Mark Bradford d. Kollin Letson (Lin) 6-2, 6-3
Kurt Wolsburn d. Mike Arcidiacano (Lin) 6-3, 6-0
Mike Pitzen (PLU) d. Jon Wrighty 6-1, 6-0
Colin Arnold (PLU) d. Brad White 6-3, 6-1

DOUBLES
Weston-Wrigley d. Kajawa-Kikuchi (Pan) 6-4, 6-2
Durr-Wolsburn d. Dally-Van Poll (Wish) 6-4, 6-2
Pirate baseball sweeps Pacific College

The Bucs win the three-game series this weekend to keep their play-off hopes alive

ROB LESLIE
Staff Writer

The Pirates ride things easier on themselves with the three-game sweep. In Saturday’s first game, the Bucs played solid defense at first and left field. (Photo by Rod Taylor)

"These wins do a lot of good things as it gets us back on track...You just hope your players can come through, and ours did."

-Rod Taylor
head coach

"He stayed focused on the mound," said Schuerman. "He just went after the binner." This gets Stevens back on track, after a quiet start to the season.

The result was a one for the scrapbooks, as it went into extra innings. With the score tied 1-1 in the top of the 10th inning, Pacific scored four runs on two hits, but four walks and an error helped their cause.

With their backs against the wall, Whitworth fought back.

Senior Larry Turner scored on a sacrifice fly by Schuerman. Then with two outs and the bases loaded, freshman Eric Brown singled in a run to cut the deficit to 5-3.

The next two Bucs were hit by pitches, which brought in two more runs, and a tie score. Then Turner drew a walk, which gave the Bucs the win, and the series sweep.

"It's always a crap shoot," said Taylor. "You just hope your players can come through, and ours did."

SPORTS TRIVIA QUIZ

Special NBA Playoff’s Edition

1. Which team went from its inaugural season to the NBA Finals in the shortest time?
   (a) Lakers
   (b) Celtics
   (c) Bulls
   (d) Kings

2. Which player committed a record 11 turnovers in a single NBA playoff game?
   (a) Jerry West
   (b) Magic Johnson
   (c) Kareem Abdul-Jabbar
   (d) Mark Aguirre

3. Who was the first player to receive the NBA Finals Most Valuable Player Award?
   (a) Bill Russell
   (b) John Havlicek
   (c) Wilt Chamberlain
   (d) Elgin Baylor

4. Which team was the first eight-ranked seed in NBA history to make it to the NBA Finals in the first round of the playoffs?
   (a) Bulls
   (b) Celtics
   (c) Lakers
   (d) Knicks

5. Which player scored the most points as a rookie in an NBA Finals game?
   (a) Elgin Baylor
   (b) Joe Namath
   (c) Billy Cunningham
   (d) Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

6. Which player holds the record for most career points in the NBA Finals?
   (a) Kareem Abdul-Jabbar
   (b) Bill Russell
   (c) Wilt Chamberlain
   (d) Michael Jordan

7. What team has won the most NBA Finals games more times than any other team?
   (a) Lakers
   (b) Celtics
   (c) Bulls
   (d) Knicks

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Board of Trustees visit campus, annual meeting

**AMEE MOISO** Staff Writer

The Board of Trustees convened on campus last week for its annual spring meeting. Among the topics of discussion and evaluation were the continued renovations to the auditorium, the preparations and funding for Phase II of the Campus Center, and proposals for a faculty center and new residence hall.

At the trustee meetings, Thursday and Friday, the board and cabinet passed resolutions indicating that the priority project is the continued renovation of Cowles Memorial Auditorium, said Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs.

The auditorium received cosmetic changes and repairs during the summer of 1995, but more improvements to the structure, and maintenance are planned.

"We hope that financing and drawing of this new residence hall will begin immediately," said Johnson, "and construction could start by the end of this summer."

The board and cabinet also approved the concept of the Dorothy Dixon Faculty Center.

According to Faculty President John Yoder, professor of political studies, the faculty center would provide a setting for faculty and staff gatherings, and for formal and informal activities. Although the concept has been accepted, said Johnson, many questions remain about size, location, and funding for the center.

Although the trustees meet biannually, every spring and fall, this spring meeting was a break with tradition.

"Instead of only holding the committee and board meetings, members attended a board retreat for a day and a half before convening in the trustee meeting," said Johnson.

The retreat included sessions about the purpose and role of the Board of Trustees, group discussions, break-out groups, and strategic planning.

Board member John Carlson thought the retreat was worthwhile. "It has been exciting," he said. "We had a tremendous amount of interaction among board members, and discussed issues about the role of a trustee. As a trustee, we should be pretty passionate about Whitworth, and everyone seems passionate about the mission of the college."

**WHAT'S HAPPENING ELSEWHERE?**

Compiled by Karen DuBerke

**Local News**

Bookstore manager guilty, hired 16-year-old nude dancer

*SPokane* — An adult bookstore manager was found guilty Wednesday, April 24, of hiring a 16-year-old girl to dance nude in a glass booth.

Rob Walker, the manager of East Sprague Adult Bookstore, said he gave the teenager a job last year when she was 15 and ignored his cries for help. He has been charged with never drank or smoked. Alcohol was found in his bloodstream.

Walker was arrested on suspicion of solicitation of a minor to commit a lewd act. He was released on $5,000 bail.

**National News**

Stoke victim sues police, claiming violation of constitutional rights

BOSTON — Richard Kelley, 51, is suing the state of Massachusetts claiming that instead of helping him after a stroke, which caused him to lose control of his car, police dragged him out of his vehicle, picture of the accused officer, and ignored his cries for help. Police charged Kelley with driving under the influence. The charges were later dropped when Kelley was taken to the hospital where doctors determined he had suffered a stroke. A test didn’t find any alcohol or drugs in his bloodstream.

Kelley is seeking $500,000 from state police in a lawsuit filed in federal court last week, claiming the officers recklessly violated his constitutional rights.

**Cease-fire between Israel, Lebanon**

**HAMDEN, Conn.** — The oldest American, Mary Electa Bidwell, died of natural causes Thursday, April 25, at the age of 114.

Bidwell was born May 9, 1881, and was recognized last November by the Guinness Book of Records as the oldest-living American. At the time, Bidwell attributed her long life to having never drank or smoked.

Bidwell, a school teacher, said the greatest achievement during her lifetime was when women obtained "The vote!"

Israel and Lebanon have reached a cease-fire agreement, ending 16 days of rocketinging and raping attacks that drove hundreds of thousands of people from their homes and derailed the Middle East peace process.

On Thursday, the presidents of Israel and Lebanon said the agreement, which bars attacks on civilian targets or from civilians, is a "victory for democracy and a step forward for peace." U.S. Secretary of State Warren Christopher said the ceasefire was "an important step for the peace process."
Springfest...

Sexual harassment: Whitworth's policies, procedures, problems

CINDY BRETT  
Editor in Chief

If Whitworth is typical of other colleges and universities around the country, the majority of sexual harassment is between about half the women sitting in class with you today will have been sexually harassed on campus by the time they graduate. While the numbers may not be that high, sexual harassment is a reality on campus — one that students often don’t know how to act upon.

"[Sexual harassment has] taken all shapes and forms," said Tom Johnson, vice president for Business Affairs and interim Human Resources director. Referring to incidents of which he is aware, Johnson said: "We’ve had them and unfortunately, it’s part of our institutional life." Johnson said he is aware of an average of one sexual harassment case per year during his seven years at Whitworth. Because instances like these get reported to various offices on campus, the college has no centralized way of tracking the statistics; it’s impossible to know exactly how extensive sexual harassment is at Whitworth. For example, anyone reporting sexual harassment to the health center will have that information kept confidential, unless the student wants to take the issue further, said Janelle Thayer, director of counseling services. Because of confidentiality, Whitworth administrators could not provide specific examples of cases of sexual harassment on campus. As happens elsewhere, however, the overwhelming proportion of sexual harassment victims are women.

According to the American Psychological Association (APA), sexual harassment is extremely widespread and it touches the lives of 40 to 60 percent of working women; and similar proportions of female students at colleges and universities.

Policies have been written that outline the process a person would go through with a sexual harassment grievance. Sexual harassment, as defined by Title IX of the Education Amendment, can be found in the Whitworth College Student Handbook and Faculty Staff Handbook. It is described as "unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature." Examples might include offensive remarks, crude stories or jokes, and inappropriate contact which demean or degrade a person.

For students, violating this behavior policy is a Big Three, but before a complaint reaches Student Life, a victim of sexual harassment may go through a myriad of channels to discuss an encounter with sexual harassment. These channels could include the health center, resident assistants, professors, or friends.

"In order for any policies to work, you’re going to have to report it, we’re going to have to do a better job at it, and we’re going to get a better job at examining a complaint," said Tammy Reid, associate dean of Academic Affairs.

According to Dick Mandeville, associate dean of students and director of Residence Life, there is not a universal way for students to report sexual harassment at Whitworth, but he does not necessarily see that as a problem. "What we’re trying to do is to provide accessibility, and maybe we need to do a better job at it, and we’re going to do a better job at it, and we’re going to get a better job at it," he added. The moment we say if [sexual harassment] happens, this is the way you have to report it, we’re going to get a better job at it, and we’re going to get a better job at it."

According to the APA, sexual harassment is offensive, often frightening and confusing. In addition, research by APA has shown that physical contact which was not requested can be a trigger to leave school or jobs to avoid harassment, and they may exacerbate pre-existing psychological and health-related problems.

If the sexual harassment grievance involved a student, student complaints. Student Life would handle the complaint. However, if a complaint involves a student to-faculty to-staff were to have a sexual harassment grievance, those cases were transferred from Student Life to the human resources and should be in charge of the procedure, and it would be handled discreetly, according to Johnson.

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Gage receives Students' Choice Professor of the Year for 1996

ANNEMARIE EKLUND
Staff Writer

Dr. Howard Gage, professor of mathematics and computer science, was honored as the Students' Choice Professor of the Year for 1996. This award was presented at the Faculty Appreciation Day Forum on Monday, April 29.

Alisa Tongg, ASWC spirit coordinator, said she wanted the award to honor the Whitworth professor who goes "beyond the call of duty." Tongg finds it spectacular that so many Whitworth professors want to invest so much in the college community; she wants to start a tradition which affirms professors who exemplify giving, caring spirit.

Gage is humbled and honored by the award. "I think about the quality of teachers on campus — such fantastic people — but I think it's wonderful just to be selected from those of such high caliber. That's what makes it meaningful," said Gage.

Gage, who has Parkinson's disease, is traveling to Stockholm, Sweden on June 11 for neurosurgical surgery. He has spent fall and spring setting up the surgery and travel plans for himself and his wife, Judy. Judy Gage wanted their children, Julie and Brian, who are Whitworth students to accompany them during the surgery but they were unable to come up with the funding. Then, taking a leap of faith, Gage bought four airline tickets, believing in God's providence for his family.

On Friday, April 26, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees for Whitworth, President Bill Robinson sent around a proposal. The collection totaled enough to pay their way.

Howard Gage

Gage believes the financial gift from the board reflects not only the board's affirmation of him, but also their support for all the Whitworth faculty. "That money is not only a very kind gift to me, but also an expression of appreciation to the larger group of people," said Gage. He was overwhelmed and blessed by the board's support.

President Bill Robinson agrees that Whitworth is not adequately educating the community about sexual harassment. "I don't think we do a good enough job as a school, we should be doing in educating the Whitworth community in the whole area of sexual harassment." Robinson suggested utilizing freshman orientation, sessions for parents, and forums to increase awareness.

Robinson, Yoder, Johnson and Reid agree there is not enough sexual harassment education available to the Whitworth community, but they hope that will change with the hiring of the Human Resources Director, Alice Kellar, from Grinnell College in Iowa. "One of the new emphasis with a new director of Human Resources is that we will be doing more internal training of staff in relationship to a variety of issues, including sexual harassment," said Reid.

Yoder said she believes the view of sexual harassment at Whitworth needs to be changed. "I think we've relied on this false security that we're a Christian community and we can work everything out, and therefore everyone will be the best interpreters in what they do and how they do it." Yoder said Whitworth currently has a decent sexual harassment policy, but that the environment for using it is poor. "It isn't just the words on the paper, it's the commitment to understanding that sexual harassment is a power issue; it's a control issue. It's an issue of discrimination based on gender usually, and it has to do with who's in charge and who's not," Yoder added.

The males on campus, in my opinion, need to be sensitive to the fact that women may feel different about certain structures or certain behaviors than they do.

—Karen Dullerke contributed to this story.

CAMPUS BEAT

ASWC Minutes

Wednesday, April 24, 1996

• Groundbreaking for the new dorm could start as early as this May. The project should be completed in January 1998.

• Next year's ASWC budget was passed. Copies will be posted in dorm lounges.

• Turn in your address at the information booth in the WCC if you will not be here next fall and would like your yearbook mailed to you.

Security Report

May 1 5:30 p.m.
Lewd conduct at Library.

May 2 2:48 p.m.
Fire in trash can north of the Whitworth Campus Center.

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Abortion should not be issue when voting

—Jan Wood junior

Editorial

Knowledge is power: students should be more responsible

As the cliché says, knowledge is power. While this may be so, knowledge is also something else: responsibility. People can and should be held responsible for acting, or not acting, on the knowledge they have. For example, if a doctor diagnoses a patient with appendicitis and does nothing about it, this doctor will be responsible for the patient’s death. Each of us is like this doctor. We have knowledge of what happens in this world, whether it is knowledge of what is going on with friends, or knowing the destination of a man seen begging for food or money. It is this type of knowledge that forces people to act, and holds them accountable if they do not.

In a world of extensive media coverage and rapid communication, none of us can claim ignorance of the problems society faces. All of us are aware of these problems, either through the media or personal experience. Poverty, tribalism, and violence are all realities that threaten to tear society apart. Concerning these issues, the question to ask is not “Who will put an end to this?” but “What can I do about it?” Because we have knowledge of societal problems and human suffering, we are obliged to act. Sitting by the wayside and waiting for a hero is no longer an option; it is you and I who must act.

But this does not mean each of us has to become a great social crusader, jumping on the bandwagon of the next deparate cause. The needs of the world do not cry for heroes, but for normal people willing to give of themselves. We do not all have to become social workers, we just need to embrace our responsibility to look at the needs of others, as well as our own. This could translate into volunteering a few hours a week in a shelter for runaway teens, stocking shelves in a food bank, or talking to the person living on your floor who is going through hard times.

For far too long we have been shirking the responsibility that the knowledge of our world entails. Instead of waiting for others to take on this responsibility, we must embrace it.

Whitworth class rings will be sold on May 14, 15

Dear Editor,

The original Whitworth College ring reported about in the April issue will be available for purchase May 14 and 15 in the Whitworth Campus Center. We had hoped these rings could be available for this years graduating class and they have just been released by the company.

The best news is the price decrease from rings sold here in the past. When comparing 10 karat rings, which is what most students purchase, the savings range from $65 to almost $100. Ring prices start at about $265 and go to about $335. The ring design committee is excited about this opportunity for students to purchase a ring that is unique only to Whitworth College.

Nancy Lasin
bookstore manager
FEAT URES

Study tour acceptance based upon students' applications, preparation, cohesion with others

LIONA TANNESSEN
Guest Writer

Sitting on a plane. Someone is smoking behind you. International flights. The wheels left the runway three hours ago. The sun just finished setting and now the flight attendant says it is going to rise again in about two hours. Doesn't the sun realize it's 100° outside? It takes more than two hours until the plane touches down at the airport in England. Now you are wondering how you possibly made it from gawking at the lavatory pamphlet advertising the study tour to clutching the armrest on the plane.

Whether your plane is pointed toward the British Isles or someplace else, you cannot set foot in an international airport until you have completed a series of steps, beginning with an interest meeting. Applications, interviews, classes, and the first check also lead you toward the airport.

Students tour off the ground with the interest meeting, which is held about a year before the plane rolls down the runway.

- Students walk into the room and driftly glance from face to face. Maybe they will be on the plane next year with some of the same people.
- Slides with castles, camels, calendars, or tiny villages start off the meeting. The professors leading the tour click the slides across the screen and guide the students away from Whitworth. After the slide projector stops humming, and the lights are flicked back on, the professors show something different and the due dates for the applications.
- The hint for your next step is near the end of the meeting. If the professors tell students to pick up applications on the way out, then you may and put off your first visit to Alder Hall.

Otherwise, it is time to meet the Off-Campus Programs Assistant John Klapp. His office is tucked away in the corner of Alder Hall near the Field House, and he hands out application packages.

One of Klapp's recent tasks has been updating the application for the first time since 1987. He has been deleting "reprehensible grammatical errors," and creating "a "bare bones" application which suits trip leaders' curiosity about students. They want to know names, ages, addresses, telephone numbers, GPAs, majors, travel histories, interests, hobbies, and people to contact for emergencies. References allowable.

Klapp suggests:
- To be like eat, sleep, and travel with you for a month or a semester. Leaders can also create a tailor-made application.

After you drop off the neatly typed and proofread application at Klapp's office, you wait patiently, or not so patiently, for a reply.

Senior Jennifer Langlois, who has two study tours behind her, waited only a week, or two, but other students have been nail-biting agony for more than a month. The waiting period between the time when the application leaves your hands and the time you receive the notice of acceptance, or rejection, depends on the leader's efficiency, the number of students applying, and the length of the trip.

Cameron Brumbaugh, a freshman, before some semester long trips and some Jan Term classes. They fit in after the applications are turned in, and before the final check is signed. Sometimes the class even starts before acceptance notices are handed out.

The leaders use your application, and conduct interviews to help decide on who you and other students nameless students walking down the freeway from the plane. They are the registration office, the Business office, the health center, and Student Life to check you off.

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HINTS for procrastinating crammers

CARYN SOBOL
Staff Writer

How do students spell finals?

Most students spell it c-r-a-m-m-e-r-s. Of course, students know cramming isn't good for their health and their grades. They swear they'll never do it again, but then finals week is upon them and they relapse. And they do it everywhere.

Professors say "never wait until the last minute to study, just start early!" That's easy for them to say, but when students live according to each day's deadline, advanced preparation for finals is usually a near-impossible task. Students know what they should do, but they do it anyway. Sometimes what they do is often entirely different. Students who begin with good intentions may fall into a time crunch. However, students have creative ways to muddle through, even the most weary student, to seek the ultimate freedom of summer.

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**Movie Review**

**The Truth About Cats and Dogs**

**ERICA BROOKS**
Staff Writer

From "The Revenge of the Nerds" to TV's "The Single Guy," American pop culture packs the screen with beautiful-girl-loves-unattractive-boy-for-whoevery-reasons. As heartwarming as these tales are, they place high expectations on the women who ultimately become the final prize. While the skinny or balding men can rely on intelligent, disapproving personalities, the women must be beautiful. Intelligence is only the frosting on the cake. "The Truth About Cats and Dogs," starring Janeane Garofalo and Uma Thurman, turns the tables on Hollywood's norm.

Loco-bloc based on "Cyrano de Bergerac," Edmond Rostand's classic, this film also involves a tricky case of mistaken identity. Like Cyrano, Rostand's maladjusted hero, Abby Barnes (Garofalo) has had too much rejection to believe that anyone could love her despite her plain looks. A veterinarian, Abby hosts a radio call-in show called "The Truth About Cats and Dogs" (hence, the title): When an English photographer wants to thank her in person for her advice she gave him over the radio, she panics. After describing herself to him as a stunning blonde, Abby never shows up at their appointed meeting place, fearing yet another rejection.

It's about time a main-stream film spotlighted Garofalo's considerable talent. She accentuates Abby's creativity and artistry without being any of her way humor, creating a very believable character. Her personality never relies on wit to imply depth, nor does she try to invoke pity.

Thurman plays Noelle Slusarsky, a successful model and Abby's neighbor. When Brian, the photographer, tracks down Abby at the radio station, Abby convinces Noelle to take her place. Since Abby has already described herself to Brian as a tall blonde, he readily believes that Noelle is Abby, and soon falls head-over-heels.

Thurman effectively tackles the difficult task of shaping the slow-witted Noelle into a believable, empathetic character. At first glance, Noelle seems to be the typical empty-headed blonde. As a beautifully close relationship develops between the two women, however, we begin to see a sensitivity in her, and even intelligence.

Newcomer Ben Chaplin plays Brian, the object of Abby's affections. His down-to-earth portrayal keeps him from becoming the same kind of sex object that women have played within so many other films. The chemistry between him and Abby surfaces beautifully in several lovely moments, including a seven-hour phone call. Their relationship develops out of the sort of connection that moves easily from deeply-held philosophies to tuna-fish sandwiches.

Special mention must be made of Hank, the Great Dane mix, who brings Abby and Brian together in the first place. In some of his best scene-stealing moments, he roller-skates and demonstrates his doggy anguish by rolling over with a look of sheer angst writhing up his enormous face. He will, no doubt, soon be starring in a film of his own.

"The Truth About Cats and Dogs" moves beyond romantic comedy to a deeper examination of society and relationships. This film is as much about the relationship between two women as it is about the romantic element. It leaves stereotypical behind, dealing with believable characters and real issues.

Grade: A

**Movies available on video cassette:**

- Leaving Las Vegas... May 7
- The American President... May 14
- Bio-Dome... May 16
- Sabrina... May 14
- Golden Eye... May 21
- Two If by Sea... May 21
- Casino... May 21
- Get Shorty... May 28

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- The Single Guy... May 7
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**Brady's played many roles**

**AIMEE MCREA**
Staff Writer

He’s been a rabbi, a duke, an invalid, a monk, and a young romantic, all before the age of 22. But for senior theatre major Kevin Brady, this is just the beginning. Brady, who has played a myriad of roles in dramatic productions since the eighth grade, wants to pursue an acting career first in Seattle, then graduate school, then the world. "After graduation, I want to work in Seattle and audition for shows," he said. "Then next February I want to audition for graduate school, either University of Washington, American Conservatory of Theatre in San Francisco, or FSU in Florida.

After graduate school, Brady is open to the possibilities that may come his way. "My whole life I've been living for the next play, the next test," he said. "But my future is still up in the air. I've chosen that I want to enjoy everything in the now. I don't know about the long haul, but my goals with acting and living are to live five to six days. "

Kevin Brady

Even though Ricards regards Brady in the highest esteem now, her first impressions were quite different. "I was looking across campus and I saw this guy with a small, gray duffel bag who was wearing orange sweats," she said. "I thought, he looks like the biggest nerd. But I found that he's the dearest nerd I've ever met."

Ricards, a professor, describes Brady as a workhorse. "Brady is focused, conscientious, and committed to his art," she said. "He has director's dreams. Sometimes he oversees the whole show and I have to tell him to leave it alone. But as an actor, he is able to bring distinctiveness to both serious and comic characters, and he covers a whole scope of emotions very well.

"He puts us to shame with his hard work," seniors Rachel Heiser and senior Rebecca Ricards. "He's so anal about theatre, and yet he's so appreciative of the people involved with him for the rest of my life."

**Karns made many Whitworth memories**

**KELLY RODMILDE**
Staff Writer

Whether it's a hiking trip in the Grand Canyon or being smoked during initiation into Baldwin, Erik Karns will graduate from Whitworth with four years of memories. Karns came to Whitworth in 1992 from McMinnville, Ore. He majored in biology and has been very involved at Whitworth. His most distinct memory of his first year at Whitworth is being initiated into Baldwin-keens by having tubes of garbage dumped on him. He also remembers banding the Red 40 with friends and carrying now-senior Ed Kross back after he hurt his ankle.

During his sophomore year, Karns was a resident assistant in Baldwin-keens. One weekend, he took five other residents inebriated down the Spokane River.

The group was so inebriated they could barely chase after football and couldn’t get into a little bit of trouble, which held up laughs. During their sophomore year, then senior, Rick Hornor, a friend and Brady's biggest competition in tennis, said, "If you kick his butt," said Hornor, respects him not only as a person, but as a person. "Kevin is one of those genuinely kind people," said Tim Hornor. "He doesn't have any reason to be as nice as any other person he is.

Brady, who is also a philosophy minor, has his personal outlook on how to live life. "It's too much to juggle. You worry too much about the future, you try to be good. But I think it's all piled on my back. It feels like it's all piled on my shoulders."

"I'm growing up," said Hornor. "That's why he is excited at the College of William and Mary in Virginia — in Bryan's home state. President Robinson, who listened to Bryan when he asked if he would come to Whitworth. Robinson's goal was to help other people, said Bryan, "I try to give every day — someone something."

"I try to give every day — something. " Bryan, To Whitworth, I've given my time. As Bryan looks toward graduation and how he wants to be remembered, he said, "I hope they'd say, 'There's a guy who works hard, and know that enjoyment comes from Christ.'"
Sanders graduates, 'ready for kids'

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Senior Michelle Sanders is a woman with a vision. Graduating this spring with a degree in elementary education, Sanders is leaving the Whitworth community, well... "ready for kids," as she puts it.

DeSti Liebert, professor of education and director of student teaching, agrees. "She's going to make a difference with kids," Liebert said. Sanders has spent her spring student teaching, and during the past months Liebert has watched Sanders grow and develop as a teacher. "She has so many gifts," continued Liebert. "All of a sudden she caught hold of a vision as a teacher and now people affirm her right and left." With all her gifts, Sanders leaves Whitworth with much more than simply the skills to educate children in a classroom.

These four years for Sanders have been a time of challenge and growth, both personally and academically. She has experienced in the classroom, and in relationships with Whitworth friends and faculty. Sanders has developed for herself a model of strengths lie in the areas where children in a community get, "friends;" Bill and Mary Lou Converse, surrogate parents to Sanders, and Whitworth alumni, took the model of community they learned at Whitworth and shared it with her.

"They push me to ask hard questions of myself," said Sanders of the Converse family. "God continues to use them to remind me again and again of the things I have learned here."

Sonja Hokanson, assistant professor of Spanish and chair of the department of Modern Languages, sees Sanders' efforts for peaceful resolution in conflict as one of her most important character strengths. "I admire her for her ability to make peace," comments Hokanson. In the midst of a Christian community, where according to Hokanson, conflict resolution is often a hard process because failures are much more painful, Sanders brings gifts of peacemaking and the ability to look for common ground for the possibility of a resolution. She believes that "Michelle is always able to help others come to a fair, kind, just resolution." Sanders is a gift to the world because her "strength lies in the areas where most of us fall down," said Hokanson.

Douglas Haub, fellow senior and friend of Sanders, quotes Associate Dean of Students and Director of Residence Life Dick Bredewes's statement, "Michelle is the person most in need of being a teacher." He believes Sanders has been one of the most grounded residents he has known during his four years at Whitworth, and is inspired by her commitment to stay connected to the outside world, from first fully participating in the Whitworth community.

Even though Sanders is equipped to believe Whitworth and children gifted kids, she said she is still leaving this place in a lot of fear: fear that all of the things she has learned will be just part of her past. "Keeping the Whitworth ideal will be hard without support and accountability to that community from people," said Sanders. "I pray that God will provide people to hold me accountable."

Haub, who also grew up in Portland, laughs as Sanders said the he hopes Whitworth friends, who move back to Portland after graduation, will "have hain in her life. Clearly Haub is not willing to give up his friendship with Sanders, no matter where each of them ends up.

Senior Mike Larkin, Sanders' friend since their sophomore year, said he feels the same way. In reflecting on Sanders, Larkin believes the best word to use would be "real." He said there is never any question of her intentions as a friend. "Michelle's goals are clear and her friendship is true and 100 percent. She won't ever lie or mess with you."

All of these qualities bring strength to Sanders' skills as a teacher. "I would have really respected her as a teacher when I was a kid," remarks Larkin. "She's going to treat her students the same way she expects to be treated — with the respect that everyone deserves."

As she graduates from Whitworth, Sanders carries a host of friendships and skills with her. All of her experiences at Whitworth have equipped her to work as a teacher and bring her gifts to children who desperately need her.

Lieber is "not surprised at all" Sanders has become who she is. "Michelle is just going to be wonderful for kids," said Liebert with confidence. "She's an amazing woman and we all expect great things from her."
On Oct. 3, 1995, the "trial of the century" ended. O.J. Simpson was acquitted after being on trial for the murders of his wife, Nicole Brown Simpson, and her friend, Ronald Goldman.

The Dallas Cowboys clinched their third Super Bowl in four seasons on Jan. 18, 1996, beating the Pittsburgh Steelers 27-17. No team has gotten that many Super Bowl titles in such a short span.

At the White House, a Mideast Peace Accord was signed by Israel and the PLO on Sept. 28, 1995. Over a month later, Prime Minister of Israel Yitzhak Rabin was assassinated.

Hundreds of thousands of African-American men gathered at our Nation’s Capitol in response to the speeches at the fourth largest rally in Washington’s history included Rosa Parks, Dick Gregory, a...
April 19, 1996 marked the one-year anniversary of the Oklahoma City Bombing. Timothy McVeigh was picked up as a suspect two days after the bombing and was charged. His trial is pending.

First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton delivered a speech to the United Nations Fourth World Conference on Women during her first visit to China on Sept. 5, 1995. Her speech called for human rights and freedom of expression.

Despite continued NATO air-strikes and U.N. peace efforts, the conflict in the former Yugoslavia rages on. The former Yugoslavia has been the scene of a civil war since June 1991, and the fighting intensified in 1992 when independence was declared by Bosnia-Herzegovina.
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She came to Whitworth looking for answers. Instead, Janine Oshiro found a broader horizon—and she managed to brighten a few other lives in the process.

Ask anyone who knows about this remarkable English and art major, and a smile will be their first response. In her four years at Whitworth, Oshiro’s unyielding character has left a lasting impression on her friends and teachers alike. “Oshiro has been a very helpful, and I think, other students,” said Barbara Filo, chair of the Art department. “She is someone of stellar character—she is an ideal person.”

According to Filo, Oshiro has inspired her fellow art students to enhance creativity with discipline. “She does set a high standard, and people admire her,” Filo added. “She’s not interested in just drawing. It’s got to have meaning, it has to be good composition.”

Oshiro has been her English adviser since her freshman year, and in that time, a unique friendship has developed between the two of them. “I feel like [Filo] has done so much to be a friend to me,” said Oshiro. “I think of her as more of an adviser, and I feel so fortunate about that.”

Oshiro’s roommates recalled some of the more humorous aspects of living with her in the Hill House. Sophomore Charisse Andonian recounted the time when Oshiro moved in to her room to keep her company during Jan Term. “She has a hard time getting up,” said Andonian. “She would set her clock for 8 a.m., and she would hit the snooze button five times before she actually got up.”

Senior Nicole Segawa, Oshiro’s roommate, also laughed at her morning habits. “She’s the queen of the snooze button,” Segawa said. Oshiro recalled a time when she and a roommate discovered a echo in her room. “It was after 12 a.m.,” said Oshiro, “we both didn’t do too much homework, so we just started making random noises, and we did it, bark and forth for an hour, and it was so wonderful!”

Oshiro, a native of Oahu, Hawaii, came to Whitworth to research for answers to some deep spiritual questions. “When I was a freshman, I was really searching for absolute answers,” she said, “and I have realized that I can’t do that, because there just aren’t any for me.” She sees the process of life as more important than a final product. “That’s one thing that I’ve learned being an art major—that the process is so much more important than the result.”

Oshiro peppers her conversations with literary allusions and references to art. “She’s a poet,” said Filo, “and she sees the world from a poet’s perspective. Maybe it’s a bit romantic, but I think it’s very realistic.”

For Oshiro, relationships are of the utmost importance in life. “I guess what’s most important to me is that you can be open to other people, and to be receptive,” she said, “and I think that’s why I like to write and to paint because I feel like those are ways that I can communicate with other people.” Her friends agree that Oshiro is always ready to lend an ear, and they need it. “She can really empathize with other people and she’s very caring of other people,” Segawa said. “She’s always there to listen when I have problems. She’s a joy.”

After graduation, Oshiro hopes to write and illustrate children’s books. “So many children’s books treat kids like they’re not intelligent, when really they are so intelligent,” she said.

A novel may also be a possibility in the more distant future. She has no plans to sell her artwork, however. “It would be a lot easier to sell words,” Oshiro said. “With writing, I can have my own copy.”

With a touch of whimsy, Oshiro describes herself as a peach — soft on the outside, with a solid core. “There are basic things that I believe that are really strong,” she said.

“She has a very gentle spirit, but she always leads a life full of tremendous strength,” said Filo. “I see her as someone that can go out into the world and really making her presence known as an artist, as a writer, but also as a very well respected woman.”

Segawa said, “I feel like I don’t want to have any final word because there’s always room for change, and there’s always surprises. I was reading this poem by Alice Walker and she said something to the effect of, ‘live by surprise,’ which I think is so wonderful, because that’s all we can do.”

Tayt Knowles: Role model with wild side

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Senior Tayt Knowles has always led a life full of adventure. His adventures range from climbing down hills as a nationally ranked alpine downhill skier to meeting up and bonding with the girls he taught as a Club Med ski instructor. Knowles brought his love for skiing to Whitworth where he discovered his love for teaching. His leadership abilities have made Knowles a standout in the Whitworth community.

Looking back, Knowles said he began to college with a positive attitude. “Whitworth College is what you make it,” Knowles said, and he made it the best experience it could possibly be. Of course, “the professors also contributed to this tremendous experience I had here,” he said.

Knowles said, “Ron Pyle has always been very helpful, and he became a buddy outside the realm of being a teacher. Jim Nendel has also been a good friend.”

With his experience at Whitworth, Knowles plans to use his communication major and marketing minor in teaching at Club Med in the Caribbean this summer. He will be a water-skiing instructor there for six months before working in Colorado as a ski patrol and downhill instructor. But this is only the beginning.

After that, he plans to work at Big Mountain in Montana as a racing instructor in their masters program. After all this experience, Knowles said he hopes to continue working for Club Med to lead into the work force. Knowles got a good start preparing for the market place when he worked as a Water Recruiting Coordinator. Jim Nendel asked him to start a team and moni he had just graduated from Whitworth. Knowles took Jan Term off to teach students how to race downhill. The team competed against 24 other colleges in our conference.

During his senior year, Knowles continued to coach the team, and also raced with them. He ended up ranking in the top five in our region, and in the top 20 in the Washington, Oregon, Montana, California, and Colorado region among small colleges.

According to his sister, sophomore Alisan Knowles, Tayt has always been unique. When they were growing up she said that they raced together, and bonded while experiencing the ups and downs of ski racing. The two have always been close, and Alisan said he talked to her brother about her brother. “He will do anything for you because he always puts others before himself.”

Senior John Andonian considers Knowles a best and lifelong friend. Andonian admires him for being so adventurous and always willing to do anything. “He’s a great leader, he’s influential, he’s big on the hill,” and looks up to him, Andonian said. “I have great respect for him because he has success at everything he has ever done. He’s a good friend, a good athlete, and he works hard at everything he does.”

“It’s no wonder that skiing is a passion for Knowles. Senior Mike Stevens said he and Knowles ski about every day during the winter. “We also go camping and backpacking,” a good guy and he’s always willing to do anything,” Stevens said.

“Time Knowles heard the women’s downhill world cup was going to be up at Lake Louise, so a bunch of us jumped in Andonian’s suburban and we went. It was just us guys and a little money, and we slept in the car for three days. After a nine hour drive, it ended up being for nothing because the race was canel- led due to too much snow, but it was fun bonding time.”

According to senior Jeff Aden, Knowles is also a great storyteller. “One of the best things about Tayt is that he can tell a story like no one else because he adds things. He uses his hands, stands up and gets really into a story, and then you’ll ask him if it’s true, and he’ll say ‘well most of it.’”

Knowles graduated throughout college, junior Emily Andonian proudly knows Tayt the best out of his group of friends. “He makes people feel good, and he has good leadership qualities. We’re always laughing because he’s so funny,” Andonian said. Most of all, she is proud of Knowles due to his efforts and accomplishments. “He puts others ahead of himself to get them to succeed, and he is always conscious of others. He will be totally successful when he graduates, and I am 100 percent proud of him,” she said.

Knowles has lead an extraordinary life so far, and friends and family have confidence that he will continue to succeed. If life is what you make it, Knowles has made it quite an adventure. He said, “You have a choice to make life the best that you can, and that’s what I did at Whitworth because it’s a great school in this attitude, Knowles will have no problems continuing to find all the joy life has to offer.”
Globe trotting Khanal returns home to Katmandu, Nepal for summer

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For those who have had to find new homes during their years at Whitworth, senior Prasoon Khanal can relate. He has moved six or seven times since his sophomore year. But going from place to place is nothing new for this senior; Khanal is an international student who came to the states from Katmandu, Nepal.

Khanal became used to traveling early in his childhood because his father worked for the government. He spent four years living in Virginia, where he believes he finally mastered the English language. He's thankful for the opportunities to travel because now he feels he can adapt to just about anywhere.

His most current roommate, senior Attila Bogdan, has known Khanal for four years and describes him as, "an honest and unselfish guy." A double major in communication studies and business management, Khanal said his experience at Whitworth has been "unforgettable."

"Being a liberal arts student has been invaluable. It taught me to be a critical thinker, and to be more cynical about things, rather than just accepting ideas. I've learned how important it is to keep the potential for believing in something," he said.

Khanal admits that because he is from a different country, he expected to get a good job after college. However, he has observed that college prepares people for jobs, but doesn't guarantee them.

Khanal likes the small school atmosphere and getting the chance to know his professors. He's even been known to cook Nepalese food for his friends. Khanal is an active guy in his spare time. He can be found playing soccer, racquetball, and intramurals, as well as traveling. He also lives for social gatherings with his friends, be it sports or a party. The last two years he and some friends have run their own radio show, featuring classic and hard rock music.

He's made some solid friendships as well. He reminisced about the time when he and some buddies "borrowed" junior Johnny Potter's truck without permission, and drove up to Mt. Spokane to go sledding. While they were there, one of them lost the keys to the truck, and they had to drive back home with Prasoon's brother, Bhushan, who is also a senior. Prasoon laughed when he recalled how they had to break the news to Potter about his truck.

So what's in store for his future? Khanal is excited about being able to go home for the summer. He hasn't been to Katmandu for four and a half years. After spending a summer back home, he plans to return to the United States and spend a year of practical training in business management. He hopes to land a job in a bigger city such as Seattle or perhaps somewhere on the East Coast. In addition to pursuing business management, Khanal hopes to break into advertising, and believes his experience with radio will help him.

After working for the states in five or six years, he plans to return to Nepal and start his own business. For a seasoned traveler such as Khanal, it should be the ideal plan.

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Driven painter Saito seeks truth in artwork

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"Artists have a useless job. They can't heal the injured, and they can't feed the poor. They just paint. So why do we have art? I think it's something we only art can do, and I am determined to find its full potential," senior Masafumi Saito explained.

In the two years Saito has studied art at Whitworth, he has tried to find the latent reason for artistry. In the midst of his exposition, Saito has become somewhat of a local art legend. Senior Minett Grovener, professor of art, said Saito is an exceptional student. In Grovener's 28 years at Whitworth, he said Saito is in the top two percent of his students he has wanted to see continue to study art in graduate school.

Most students have been convinced of Saito's awesome artistic talent after one stroll around the Campus Center. Yes, this is the artist, along with senior Ken Studemaker, who had a number of his paintings on display in the Campus Center. Saito also has two of his paintings shown at Spokane City Hall this year for a local college student art show.

Saito wasn't always known for his artistry: Before his transfer to Whitworth College in 1994, he graduated from Taikaku University in Japan, with a Bachelor of agriculture degree in biochemistry. Saito tried to explain this dramatic switch from biochemistry to art. "I had to figure out my future when I was 21 years old and I decided to devote myself," he added. "I decided that art would give me what I really needed."

When I do artwork I feel like I'm really living. I am not like a lot of those professional artists out there, who are satisfied with "pretty art," their artwork is only good for decorating. Art is more than this," Grovener explained. Saito's reading term of communication, "Masafumi brings a more developed ability to conceptualize. I think this is because he is a little bit older [24] and very serious about his work. He has a message or meaning that is on a higher plain than most undergraduate students at this point."

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Basketball star who isn't afraid to do the dirty work
Senior Jeff Arkills uses tenacious defense and outright hustle to help lead Bucs to success

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With a quick release, the basketball is sent arching towards the cylinder only to be met by an opposing force, which overpower- ers and sends the sphere back to its original starting point. An- other day, another block for Whitworth's "Sultan of Sweat." Senior Jeff Arkills was the defensive specialist for the Whit- worth basketball team this past season. He was selected by his teammates as Defensive Player of the Year, and it was a role he was happy to take on in his final sea- son as a Buc.

"I didn't mind the role, I knew we needed it to help our team win," said Arkills. "Not everyone could be the scorer.

This was a distinct change in playing style from his high school days. At West Valley High School in Yakima, Wash., Arkills was the team's leading scorer, averaging 18.4 points per game. However, for the past two seasons it has been his play away from the ball that has turned heads.

"He is willing to do the dirty work," said Head Coach Warren Friedriehs. "He will do whatever it takes to make the team win. He's a bat- ter, a guy you can count on." Not only does Arkills have the atten- tion of his coaches for his defensive effort, but his teammates as well.

"He's always seen as our defensive stopper," said senior Nate Dunham. "He was a major part of our success." Arkills is also noted for his ability to knock down his free throws. He is quick to the floor with great quickness, but his vertical leap of 37 inches (Michael Jordan has a 40-inch vertical), helped him to the help the team win," said Arkills. "If we didn't accomplish our goals as a team, stats wouldn't matter.

"Jeff, is a great team player," said Dunham. "He got the ball to other players, he was good at working without the ball, and a ball team needs that as much as shooters and scorers." Arkills would say that it wasn't just him who was a team player, everyone, and that was the reason for success this past sea- son.

"We proved our whole team got us to nationals not just indi- viduals," said Arkills.

Whitworth advanced to the NAIA national playoffs and earned a spot in the champion- ship game. Unfortunately, the Bucs lost in overtime to Albionton College of Idaho 82-72, but according to Arkills, it took a team effort just to reach that point.

"We all had one thing on our minds, go to nationals," said Arkills. "Every person did their job and we did what it took to get them." But for Arkills his job varied from game to game. Arkills has a 6'4", 185-pound frame, but his ability to move and jump created a much needed ad- vantage for the Bucs on defense. "His overall athletic ability made him able to control a fast game of players," said Dunham.

Arkills could not only run the floor with great quickness, but his vertical leap of 37 inches (Michael Jordan has a 40-inch vertical), gave him the ability to be a shot blocking force down low. Arkills' greatest asset on the court may not have even been able to be measured his heart.

"Jeff, is tough. When guys didn't play hard in games or in practice, Jeff would show up with a lot of atti- tude," said Friedriehs. "He played through just about everything that was there. He was just a talker on the court. He proved himself by example." With graduation coming in the near future, the gap left by Arkills depart- ment will be tough to fill.

"You can't replace him. He was a big time valuable commodity for us," said Friedriehs. "You can't have enough guys like him. He was very valuable to us.

Arkills, aetus at this time, do not include basketball. He will graduate with a degree in sports medicine and will continue to work for a local day care center during the summer. After he gets his degree, he will start working at his field opens up. Next year, Arkills will apply to a physical therapy school to further his education on his selected field.

As the senior looks back at his college career he has no regrets about his choice in his choice of schools for bas- ketball.

"I wouldn't want to go any- where else," said Arkills. "I am proud to have been here."
The pool is not just another memory

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For some, swimming is a hobby. For others it is long workouts to prepare for competition. However, for senior Marcia Daligcon, it is not only a sport, it is a lifestyle.

"I enjoy just standing on the deck and listening to the sound of the water, as well as having the ability to workout in the summer, and to see my shadow follow me through the pool," said Schadt.

According to teammate junior Lea Stevanon, Schadt is one of the most dedicated swimmers she has ever met.

"He does two, sometimes three workouts each day. He pushes himself to complete and finish hard long sets at practice. He is a great leader by example and brings encouragement and support to all members of the team," said Stevanon.

Schadt is a year round sport. Due to the amount of time that a swimmer spends at the pool, according to Schadt, a lot of friendships are built there.

"When you spend four to five hours a day and 11 months out of the year, your teammates become some of your closest friends. We hang out together, as well as play practical jokes on one another. Most recently a number of us spent Spring Break together on a trip to Utah," said Schadt.

Schadt experienced success as a freshman and was looking to build upon last season's success as a sophomore. However, at the national level that year, Schadt ran into a road block that resulted in a disappointing finish.

"I will never forget that day, nor what my father, Richard Schadt, said to me after that race. It was that conversation that encouraged me to continue to strive for excellence and to continue to train to the best of my ability," said Schadt.

According to Head Coach Tom Dodd, Schadt never looked for short cuts. He worked hard to make himself a good athlete.

Schadt finished his competitive career by placing fifth in the men's 500 meter freestyle and just-not in the 1650 free, which was to be the last time the NCAA would reward its swimmers with such an event.

"Schadt had a lot of pride in his ability, as well as the team," said Dodd.

Schadt will be graduating from Whitworth with a degree in sports medicine.

"Steve is a funny guy. He will be missed by me as well as the team. In his four years here he only benefited the program," said Dodd.

After graduation he plans to return to California and continue to train with his club swim team.

"It will be nice to end my swimming career in the pool where it all began," said Schadt.

Swimming at Whitworth has provided me four years of great memories, as well as a rewarding experience. To end my senior season competing in the conference championships in front of the home crowd, going against Nationals in Texas and bringing home the second place team trophy and watching our coach Tom Dodd receive Men's Swim Coach of the Year. If I could find a way to get four more years of eligibility, I would continue to swim here at the college level," said Schadt.

Senior Steve Schadt in stride cutting through the water.

Daligcon triumphs over senior year injury

Senior Marcia Daligcon

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Marcia Daligcon overcame an injury before her senior volleyball season to cap off four quiet, productive years.

Daligcon was also a terrific athlete in high school. With three years in basketball and softball and another four in volleyball, she had a well rounded athletic experience. Daligcon was named to the All-Star tournament team, earned all-conference and was basketball co-captain her senior year.

However, she has had a chronic knee problem plaguing since her high school, which finally struck hard her senior year at Whitworth.

Head Coach Hiram Naipo said, "Her love of the game got her through."

Junior teammate Renee Williams added, "It would have been a hard adjustment, but after she was there like a week, it didn't even feel like she missed anything just because she'd been a member of the team before and she was really open and easy to work with."

Daligcon responded, "It was nice because the girls totally accepted me."

After fighting through the injury, she had to face a new coach, a lot of new teammates, a more backup role, and a grueling 5-2 season.

Naipo used her as well as he could.

"She was somebody we could count on to make the tough play or make the real good pass," said Naipo.

Daligcon rose to the occasion, and just wanted to play well for the coach, herself and the team.

She especially focused on teamwork and unity, though.

"If I just wanted to blend, just to bond, as a team, because it was so hard with so many new people this year," she said.

As backup defensive specialist, she made the most of her time. She played in every game of every match that she could.

"She worked hard, she came to practice, put in her time, and she did her job," said Naipo. "That's the thing about senior leadership that was exemplified in someone like her."

Daligcon, an education major, enjoyed her time at Whitworth, especially the community presented through the small size of the school.

She plans on, becoming a teacher for grades kindergarten through third grade! "At that age they want to learn a lot," said Daligcon. "They come to school with so much curiosity for everything. She wants to work in California or Washington, and has been looking in the Seattle and Spokane areas.

"I would like to coach volleyball eventually, too," she added.

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Track successful at NAIA championships

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Staff Writer

Track is a demanding sport that attracts athletes who possess different types of skills, which enables them to either specialize or excel in a variety of events. "Track is a unique sport. You have athletes that are big and strong, some who are quick and those who are skinny distance runners," said senior Brian Lynch.

This past weekend the young Whitworth Varsity Track and Field team travelled to Willamette University in Salem, Ore., where the men's team placed fourth and women's fifth in the NAIA conference championships.

Before the team left on Thursday, junior Dan Kepper competed in a two-day decathlon meet where he totaled 6487 points to qualify for Nationals in Atlanta at the end of May. For the men there were a number of good performances. In the field events junior Bob Gumm placed fifth in the hammer with a toss of 137'. Freshman Frank Moore performed to a fifth place Atlanta at the end of May.

For the women there were a number of good performances. In the field events senior Kara Kirkland finished third in the women's 100-meter high hurdles, while freshman Meagan Widhalm finished seventh in the women's 1500-meter run.

According to Widhalm, she felt that the philosophy of team unity that was built throughout the season was a positive building block for the Pirates this season. Lynch said, "Westre put a lot of effort into getting the different members of the team together to team more about one another. As a team we were involved in a few service projects in the Spokane community."

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SPORTS TRIVIA

QUIZ

1. Who was the first head coach to take two different teams to the NAIA Championships? 
2. Who was the first African American to play for the U.S. Davis Cup Team in 1963? 
3. What famous box that has been on the cartoon covers of cartoon Network's The Simpsons played its first game in Hickey Park? 
4. What was the second career of Frank B. Gore? 
5. Where was the first professional cooking show ever? 
6. What was the old time radio show that was the first driver to win a second Punchbowl Bowl? 
7. What John's rival lost his head in the second round of the 1937 Open? 
8. What did Jack Dempsey use as a warmer for his boxing gloves? 
9. What former L.A. Laker is the tallest American? 
10. Which country is home to many Americans or British? 

TIE BREAKER: 
(Closest to answer gets it)
How many laps were in a Roman chariot race?

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This week's answers will be posted in the next week's first issue of The Whitworthian. Stick around for it.

Last Week's Results

Winner:
Congratulations to Kyle Forsyth answering the questions correctly to win The Whitworthian Sports Quiz for the week of 4/30/96.

Answers:

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Senior

Westre the team was behind going into the final leg of the race, but Sinnema managed to pull the Pirates past the runner from Lewis and Clark to take sole possession of fourth place.

"It was a real exciting race to watch and to come from behind to take sole possession of fourth in conference," said Westre.

The women had a strong showing in the field events during the two day competition. Sophomore Trina Gumm, who like Kepper, has qualified for the national meet, won the shot put with a throw of 39'6 1/2. In the discus senior Kara Smith finished second with a throw of 121'4 followed by Gumm in fourth and 100 meter run with a time of 14 minutes and 53 seconds, only two seconds shy of the national qualifying standard.

Going into the final event 4 x 100-meter relay the Pirate men were tied with Lewis and Clark College for fourth place. According to Head Coach Kirk Widhalm finished seventh in the women's 1500-meter run.

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