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# The BG News TUESDAY, Oct. 27. 1998 A daily independent student press 

The BG hockey team remains confident despite the weekend splif.

- The women's soccer team prepares for the final games before MAC playoffs start.
- Tabacco companies try to boost image in media buyout plan.
- Discovery shuttle crewmembers arrive at countdown site.
e8-year-old attempted murder charges
dismissed.
- Forecasters are predicting Hurricane Mitch may be the worst in Central America in 10 years


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## QUOTE

"A government that is big enough to give you all you want, is big enough to take it all away."

Barry Goldwater


## WEBSITE

Look for more dialogue on the topic of homosexuality on the updated BG News website. Check it out at:

## www.

## bgnews.com

STORY IDEA?
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Bloodmobile visits BGSU this week
a Students are encouraged to donate blo Union this week.

\section*{By CAROLYN STECE} | The BG News |
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| If dressing as a drop of blood | \(\begin{aligned} \& day <br>

\& said. <br>
\& She said that college drives <br>
\& help their supply\end{aligned}\) is goingsing to help to to recruit blood help their supply tremendously.
"We would like to get any
donors donors, then the American Red where from 200 to 250 bags per
Cross (ARC) Cross (ARC) has got it covered. day," Duffy said. "Depending That droplet of blood will help drum up some donors 100 to 200 bags per day."
today through today through Friday The ARC will be holding a blood drive in According to Duffy, the Uniwill be holding a blood drive in
the Lenhart Grend the Lenhart Grand Ballroom in the Union.
According to Ann Duffy, "The donating process itself is registered nurse who is helping about an hour and may cause at the drive, donating blood is a little irritation. It is relatively good way for students to give pain free."


## Football scores with general fees

- Part 2: I'm Taking my football and I'm going home.
$\qquad$ NCAA) Athletic Association percent of the 230 Division 40
colleges with
football teams
make money on
the sport. Divi-
sion I includes
the biggest and
most well-
known college
sports programs
in the country.
Because the
money is pulled
in by a relatively
small number of
big-time football
programs, how-
ever, Division
football is, over-
all, a profitable
enterprise.
In the $1995-96$
school year, the
-ELECTIONO ‘98
Race for open house senate seat
$\square$ Voinovich and Boyle compete for the seat in the Ohio
House Senate left open by John Glenn.


## By AMYJO L. BROWN

$\frac{\text { The BG News }}{\text { As John Glenn prepares for }}$
As John Glenn prepares for
his flight into space, he leaves his flight into space, he leaves
behind the seat he held for the behind the seat he held for the
Ohio House Senate. Fighting to Ohio House Senate. Fighting to
sit in his place are Democrat Mary Boyle and Republican Governor George Voinovich. Boyle is a former member of the Ohio House of Representatives where she served as majority whip. She also served
three terms as County Commisthree terms ay County
soner in Cuyahoga.
Voner in Cuyahoga.
Vish currently the state governor, but before reaching that position he was assistant attorney general for Ohio, served in the Ohio House of Representatives, and was lieu-
tanant govemor. He was elected tanant governor. He was elected
governor in 1990 and re-elected governor in
in 199.
"Voinovich will make a good senator because of his experience as governor," said Zachary
Bernardo, University president Bernardo, University president
of the College Republicans. "He of the College Republicans. "He
will be more focused on our wili be more focused on our
needs. I know that under his needs. 1 know that under dramatically funding for schools."
Boyle is running her cam-
paign on the idea that paign on the idea that much more needs to be done for edu-
cation. She wants to expand grants that students can receive grants that students can receis to create lower interest rates for federal loans.
"Ohio is one of the most
expensive states to expensive states to go to college
in," she said. in," she said.
Refuting Boyle's claim, Voinovich said, "We (Ohio)
were 45 th in supporting education, and now we're 41st." Both candidates emphasize
higher education and creating a higher education and creating a
better life for low-income famibetter life for low-income fami-
lies. While increasing state support for programs that help chil-
dren and families, Voinovich dren and families, Voinovich
kept Ohio's budget at its lowest rate in 40 years.
Asserting her support of the family unit, Boyle said if elected to Senate she would fight for families rather than businesses. In addition, Boyle supports
increasing health care and miniincreasing health care and mini-
mum wage. However, she does mum wage. However, she does
feel that the social security system is in no need of any radical changes, and should therefore continue operating as is.
The debates over the issues will continue until next Tuesday night when the people will important to them.

## United Way Penny Drive working for change

$\qquad$ sadors sponsor many events to help less fortunate.

## By BRANDI BARHITE

She volunteered at local soup
kitchens, worked with homeless kitchens, worked with homeless
people and helped low income

Today marks the second of a three-part series investigating athletic funding at the University, The first story looked into the break-up of the general fee dollars. Today, the story looks into the funding of individual sports. Wednesday the series will end with a story examining gender equity.
scholarships - football takes are the main athletic money up 85 scholarships versus 12 makers. for the basketball team. MAC "We are dependent on spec $\begin{array}{cc}\text { (Mid-American Conference) } & \text { tator sports," Whipple said. } \\ \text { schools don't make much rev- } \\ \text { The } \$ 700,000 \text { brought in by }\end{array}$ Theos on football." $\$ 700,000$ brought in by
enue rev-
the football team in 1996-97 Ed Whipple, dean of stu- was about half of the total revdent affairs, said that besides enue generated by all men's student fees, sports such as sports.
basketball and football - The athletic department's where ticket sales are signifi- major revenue source is stucant, and larger crowds pro- dent General Fees, which
vide a draw for advertisers - See ATHIETICS, page six.
difference a said she saw the The University is also striving $\begin{array}{ll}\text { donation could make. } & \begin{array}{l}\text { to make a difference as the Unit- } \\ \text { ed Way Penny Drive kicks into }\end{array} \\ \text { ditt }\end{array}$ "I think whatever anyone can full gear this week. do, can make a differeoce. Just being there and having resources
available helps," said Sara Bishavaluable helps, "said Sara Bish
op, St. Thomas More Church outreach coordinator. Bishop said she saw the difference donations can make in people's lives when she worked at a homeless shelter/soup kitchen.
make a difference as the Unil-Ambassador's community serfull gay Penny Drive kicks into vice chair said that besides the $\begin{array}{lll}\text { doll gear this week. } & \text { donation table in the Union } \\ \text { The penny drive sponsored by } & \text { foyer, several dorms, sororities }\end{array}$ the University Ambassadors is a University wide effort to raise money for the various charities United Way supports. The drive is in the Union Foyer today, Nov. 2 and Nov, 310 a.m. -2 p.m. The final collection will be Nov. 6 on
the Education building steps. the Education building steps.
foyer, several dorms, sororities
and fraternities, and the Honors and fraternities, and the Honors
Student Association have set up areas to collect money. He also said University Ambassadors is selling food donated by Easy Street Cafe every Monday night at Easy
Street upstairs. He said they plan
to continue to sell chicken wings raise money for United Way United Wor United Way. 69 agencies. They depend upon the donations collected during heir annual drive to provide a variety of services for northwest
Grime said the University Ambassadors has set a goal to

# Opinion 

## Donate a pint of blood, help others

The blood warmed me. I Iflt it
beating in my veins.. I felt strong beating in my veins., Itels strong
beyond all imaginimg." The Vampire Lestat by Anne Rice
1 love vampites. Maybe thats why blood fasciciatess maybe Maybe
that's why rich deep, dark red is that's why rich, deep. dark red is
my favorte color. But that's not my Gaonte color. But that's not
the point of this column. as timely as it would be with. Halloween
approaching and all well hats appraching and all. Well. thaten a
apalf truth; blood. not vamples. is my point. The Red Cromss Blood-
mobile is on
that mondid is on campus this we
Monday through Thursday, 1 in the Lenhar Grand Balliroom in the Student Union,
I have had I have had a tendency to con-
demn people who have never demn people who have never
donated blood before, never even
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Wimps Whats wrong with your?
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very nervouss. And 1 know that there are people who can't donate.
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an athlete and youre not sup an athlete. and yourece not sups-
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exercise for a few days aftewards. 1 know some people who dont
weigh 110 pounds the minimum weight you have to be to donatec). had worse pain inflicted on me

## "True Collegiates"


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such a wimp affer that firt itme.
supt didn such a wimp after that first time,
that didnt tstop me from bringing a
stufted animal stufted animal (Aladdin's monkey
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next year. next year.
Now. nine Now, nine pints later. 1 don't need
stuffed animals and I can almost watch them put the needie in.
(Almost). Fve had people tell me Uhmost tine inger prick fort the heme-
thatoin test is the worst part and globin test is the worst part, and
Ive had people tell me that the Tve had people tell me that the
anticipation is what's neve-wrack.
ing for the amateurs. ing for the amateurs. III agree
with the anticipation thing, but I with the anticipation thing, but
kind of like the finger prick (i) know. I'm a very weird person).
But the volunteers at the But the volunteers at the blood
drives that Ive been to were all drives that Ive been to were all
wonderful. They'listand there and wonderful. They 11 stand there and
talk to you and keep your mind off tak to you and keep your mind off
of whats going on: theyll even
acs. people undergoing major
surgeries. et cetera. The Re surgeries, et cetera. The Red infectious diseases. Including ADS. hepatitis. syphllis and leukemia. All blood donation needies are sterile and thrown away after they're used.
If you don't go donate, whatever your reason (and It trust It's a legit one.) I don't want you to feel bad or
defensive. That's not what Im defensive. Thats not what Im going for. But Ive gone to the
bloodmobiles at the end of the week to donate before, and their turnouts haven't been all that great. I mean, a campus doesn't even get one-tenth of its students willing to donatel It think it's sad that people miss this opportunity to do something for other people. And if you choose not to donate.
you miss a rare opportunity to let you miss a rare opportunity to len you did. like helping to save the life of a little girl or a parent of three little boys.
Happy Halloween, all! Hope you Happy Halloween, all Hope
found some great costumest
may be directed to flohrbebgne

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A hands on approach to understanding homosexuality


problem that has plagued me
over the past few days. As most over the past few days. As most
of you are aware, there has been of you are aware, there has been
a raging debate in the recent past
about a certain topic: homosexuabout a certain topic: homosexu-
ality. 1 must admit that in the past I
have not been the most sympa-
thetic person where the plight of theticperson where the plight of
the American Homosexual is concerned, It could even be said
that I was homophobic. That is not to say that I wasis. afraid of
homosexuals or homosexuality homosexuals or homosexuality
as the word might imply. Howas the word might imply. How-
ever, as the word has come to
mean a person that does not ever, as the word has come to
mean a person that does not
approve of homosexuality, I fit the bill.
Being the contemplative soul that I am, I have in the last few
days taken to the habit of medidays taken to the habit of medi-
tating on a solution to the "prob-
lem" of homosexuality in our tating on a solution to the "prob-
lem of homosexuality in our
society. After days of introspecsociety. After days of introspec-
tion, Thave come up with a solution which I will, using this
forum, propose to you with the forum, propesty.
I believe that the reason peo-
ple such as myself are so intoler ple such as myself are so intolerant of homosexuality irstand it.
simply do not understan

Therefore, the university could
institute a few programs that
would facilitate better underwould facilitate better under-
standing between homosexuals and students such as myself:

1) Campus Cunnilingus Day. straight and homosexual, would be encouraged to find another
female with which they are comfemale with which they are com-
fortable and perform oral sex on tortable and periorm oral sex on
that person.
2) Fellatio for Friends Day. On this day, mare students, both
homo- and heterosexual, could gather a friend or two and then gather a friend or two and then
they could perform oral sex on
each other. 3) Toys for Tenants Day. The Hall staifs for the various dorms
could distribute sex toys to their residents and instruct them in
their use on other people. Resi their use on other people. Resito form groups of the same sex and practice their newfound
skills with their sex toys. skills with their sex toys.
3) Sodomy for Students Day.
On this day, students would be encouraged, to find a momber of the same sex and practice any
sexual act that is, by definition sodomy. All of these programs and
more could be useful for people more could be useful for people
in my situation. Homosexuals in my situation. Homosexuals
must realize that people in my position are not just cruel haters. We just do not understand.
These programs would facilitate These programs would facilitate
our better understanding of Fur petter understanding of
Furthermore, I the shink it would be a great thing for the Universi-
our students would be assured of a diverse experience. The Uni versity would finally fulfill its goal of forcing diversity on the students. By use of these mandalory programs we could all be a little more politically correct, and apparently that is what we all relay want. Isn't it?
On the other hand, there is nother solution. We could just llow people to have their ow opinions and not be hypocritical and attack them for their unique ideas. It was not too long ago that homosexuality was a unique idea that was attacked by the majority. Now that being openly opposed to homosexuality is marginalized idea, it has become shunned. If those of us that are y our mere being, politically ncorrect continue to be pushed the side, one can only expect for us to push back.
After all, we were born this way.

John Haynik is a Guest Colum nist. He can be reached Thaynik@bgnet.bgsu.edu.

## PEOPLE ON THE STREET

Have you ever donated blood before? Why or why not?


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## Tuesday October 27, 1998

## Did Youk Khow

Folklore has it that BGSU has a ghost on campus, "Amanda the Ghost" haunts the Chi Omega house

## TUESOAY ~' <br> -To candy corn and apple

 cider.- To this beautiful weather.
- To Kent states defensethanks for the yardage.
- To anybody kind enough to send
Hallowee care packages

-To teachers who assign work due the same day. - To crazed bikers.
- To brain atrophy. -To leaf collecting crews they don't leave any leaves to shuffle through on the way to class.

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## Upcoming

## Events

## Tuesday, 10/27/98

## Last day -5 p.m.) Office <br> Office of Registration and Records.

MS Word ' 97 Intermediate ( 9 a.m. 4 p.m.)
Arrowhead Park, Maumee. Learn special techniques on Word to make
your documents stand out. Fee $\$ 99$ your documents stand out. Fee $\$ 99$.
For more information or to register call CTC Customer Service at $419 / 372-8181$ or $\quad$ e-mail carl@bgnet.bgsu.edu.
Kappa Phi Fundraiser ( 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.)
Union

Union Foyer. Cookies will be sold for $\$ .50$ each for a later delivery 2 p.m.)
2 p.n.) Union Foyer. Sponsored by University Ambassadors.
$\underset{\text { a.m. }-2 \text { p.m.). }}{\text { Econt }}$ ( Education Building. The Econom ics Club will be holding a sale of winter clothing, such as gloves and sweaters
BGSU Blood Drive ( 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.)
Lenhart Grand Ballroom, Student Union. Just one hour out of your day can save somebody's life. The American Red Cross asks that you please donate during the blood drive. Walk-ins are welcome, but scheduled appointments help ensure prompt service. To schedule an appointment please call 1-800
GIVE LIFE, ext. 132 . GIVE LIFE, ext. 13

Yearbook Distribution (1-4 p.m.) 28 West Hall Anyone who pre ordered a 1998 Key or would like to purchase one now can stop by 28 purchase one now can stop by 28
West Hall (basement.) Mon. -Thur.,

1-4 p.m. Call 372-8086 for more information.

Women's Soccer at Detroit (3:30 petroit, Mich.

Basic Yoga (6-7:30 p.m.) Offenhauer $\mathrm{W}, \mathrm{Rm} 1104 \mathrm{~A} \& B$.
Relax, improve flexibility Relax, improve flexibility and
strengthen muscles with strengthen muscles with Hatha
yoga techniques. Class meets through December 1. Fee. For more information or to register, call Continuing Education, International \& Summer Programs at 419/372-8181. Student Jazz Combos (8 p.m.) Bryan Recital Hall, Moore Musical Arts Center.

In Search of Planets with Life (8 Planetarium. \$1 donation suggested.

Cup of Culture (8-9 p.m.) Off-Campus Student Center, Culture presents culture from Cup of ria. Speaker Val Ononye from Nige ria will share Nigeria culture with everyone. Please join us. Snacks and beverages provided. Spontion.
Black Student Union Meeting (9
p.m.)
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Business Administration. ALL active members must attend! New members are always welcomed.
Student Council for Exceptional Children (SCEC) meeting (9 p.m.) 115 Education Bldg.. Deborah Pirolli, the Staff Development Coordinator for the NW Ohio Special ducation Regional Resource Cen ter (SERRC), and BGSU alumna,
will discuss services SCERRCs offer
special ed teachers.

Wednesday, 10/28/98
MS Windows' $98 / 95$ - Intermediate (9 a.m. - 4 p.m.) Institute for Great Lakes Research, Perrysburg. Learn ways to organize
and customize your destop tings. Class meets again on October 28. Fee $\$ 99$. For more information or to register, call CTC Customer Service at $419 / 372.8181$ or e-mail carl@bgnet.bgsu.edu.
What is it Like to be a Member of a Religious Minority in America? Pallister Confer
Pallister Conference Room, Jerome eral members of religious minorities relating their personal past and current experiences. A brief person al overview of the religious doctrines, philosophy, and practices will be given, as well as how they are impacted by diversity and discord. Part of the Issues in Cultural Diversity series: "All in the Name of Religion: Diversity and Discord. Sponsored by the Libraries and
Learning Resources Multicultur Affairs Commithee Affairs Committee. a.m.)

Educa
Marathotion Bldg. steps. Dance Marathon 1999 is 150 days away $150 \%$ to raise over $\$ 150,000.00$ for the kids. Shirts on sale

Sexual Harassment Workshops (10:30 a.m. - Noon)
1 College Park. These workshops tion on the University's informacreate a learning and work environment free from sexual harassment. Participants will learn the Univesidures and acquire skills in identify ing inappropriate behavior.

## TUESDAY OCTOBER 27, 1998

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6 DEATHS
3 killed in apparent homicide-suicide
SIDNEY, Ohio (AP) - Three people were shot and killed Monday In what police called an apparent double homicidesulicide.
Police identified the viptimm as Henry Wisson, 61 , Marior orie Wilson,
57, and Patick Barber 45, allof of sidney. They were shot ina house on the west side of the city about 3 mides north of Dayton.
Police Chief Steven Wearly said a person inside the home called Police Chief Steven Wearly said a person inside the home called police at $4: 04 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. and reported a shooting. Police recovered a
revolver. revolver.
Wearly
Wearly said investigators had not determined who shot whom or
He said the Wilsons had been divorced for several years, and Ms. Wilson was living in the home with Barber. Henry Wilson lived a few slocks from the home

日 POISONING 8 year-old Great-grandmother poisoned by 8 year-old against an 8 -year-old girl accused of trying to kill her great-grandmother by poisoning the woman's soft drink
Franklin County Juvenile Court Judge Yvette McGee Brown said psychiatrists had concluded Karen Martocchio of Columbus was no competent to stand trial and could not adequately assist in her defense because of her age.
"She doesn't understand the nature of the charges or the serious-
ess of them," she said.
The girl was charged in February with a delinquency charge of attempted murder. A delinquency count of felonious assault was later
dded.
Police said the girl and her great-grandmother, Virginia Dozier did not get along
Ms. Dozier wa lass of Mountain Dew that authorities say contained wintergreen ${ }^{\text {oil. }}$ Ms. Dozier was watching television at their home Feb. 18 when aren brought her the drink, police said.
Wintergreen oil is commonly used in small amounts as flavoring in foods. It is primarily made of methyl salicylate, which is highly poisonous.

No case after fraternity disbanded itself
BOSTON (AP) - The manslaughter case against an MIT fraternibecause the frat has disbanded and there is no one to answer the harges.
Last month, prosecutors took the extraordinary step of bringing manslaughter charges against Phi Gamma Delta - the organization, not its members - in the case of 18 -year-old
drank himself into a coma at a party and died.
Since no individual members were named in the
ase quickly unraveled when the fratemity disbanded.
On Monday, the Superior Court magistrate who had issued a war ant against Phi Gamma Delta filed it away in case the fraternity tries o reorganize at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Pamela Wechsler, assistant district attomey, conceded the case is over for now but said it wasn't all for naught: The charges drove the fraternity off campus and prompted MIT to change its alcohol and disciplinary policies.
"A lot of things have happened as a result of the investigation and
dictment," she said.

Glenn arrives at launch site
John Glenn will return to space Thursday.

The Associated Press CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla John Glenn, Payload Specialist No. 2, arrived for his launch countdown Monday - about an hour late because of airplane problems that leff one crewmate temporarily stranded across the state. He and his six fellow astronauts left Houston earlier in the day in five T-38 training jets and
stopped for refueling at Tyndall Air Force Base in the Florid Panhandle. A battery problem with one of the jets left astronaut Scott Parazynski waiting for a lift at Tyndall.
The rest of the crew took off for Kennedy Space Center and a televised gala welcome without him.
At the Cape, Commander Curtis Brown Jr. thanked the waiting and then invited for astronaut to make brief remarks. astronaut to make brief remarks.
When Glenn's turn came, When Glenn's turn came, he
introduced himself as "PS2 on introduced himself as "PS on
this flight," a reference to his position as the bottom man on Discovery's crew, and said he was "very glad to be here." thing." word on this whole Glenn, from New Concord, Ohio "I have been pleasantly surprised at the outpouring of inter-
est in this flight, and it's really


Ohio Senator, John Glenn puts on his oxygen mask in the cockpit of a NASA jet as he prepares to take off for Cape Canaveral from Houston's Ellington Field on Monday
gratifying to see people get so was over, Glenn strode straight lems," Cohen said. "To the crew fired up about the space program to his wife, Annie, and hugged let me say: Godspeed, Discoyagain." her hard.
It is Glenn's participation in Thursday's launch that has created a level of media ar has creatseen at the Cape in attention not decade. About in more than a have been accredited for the launch.

As soon as the phos her hard.
Glenn, who was the first
American to orbit the Earth back inca. to orbit the Earth back in 1962, was given a sendoff from Houston along with his crew mates by Defense Secretary William Cohen.
say with confidence
Glenn will be the oldest perin space by 16 years when Discovery takes off. Story Mus grave, who is no longer an astro naut, was 61 when he last flew two years ago.
Altogether, 8 Altogether, 83 experiments are
planned for the nine-day flight. planned for the nine-day flight.

Tobacco companies try to boost image through media
$\square$ Philip Morris discussed buying media outlet to boost tobacco's image.
The Associated Press
ST. PAUL, Minn. - The nation's largest cigarette maker considered buying a media outlet such as Knight Ridder or
United Press International to influence tobacco policy, a document shows.
The proposal is in a document private tong 33 million pages of private tobacco company papers
released during Minnesota's lawsuit against tobacco compaies. It was publicized today by deterioration of overall social
then answers, "Prevent furthe
Conference on Tobacco and mate, and ultimately actually Health, an event bringing improve the climate for the martogether various groups favoring stronger tobacco regulation. Minnesota's lawsuit was set-
tled May 8 for $\$ 6.6$ billion as the tled May 8 for $\$ 6.6$ billion as the State and Blue Cross and Blue to present their closing arguto pres
ment.
The March 20, 1990, internal document produced by Philip Morris was titled "Top Secret Operation Rainmaker."
The author, who was not idenified, posed the question, "Wh tified, posed the question, "What
are we trying to accomplish?" then answers, "Prevent further
deterioration of overall social,
improve the climate for the mar-
keting and use of tobacco products."
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The memo says if Philip Morris is to influence public policy and public information about part of it. The only way to do this part of it. The only way to do this
is to own a major media outlet. If is to own a major media outtet. If
we notling to take this we are not willing to take this
step, then we are not serious about really wanting to change the atmosphere.
Philip Morris spokeswoman
Peggy Roberts referred to the document as "some stray piece of paper" and noted that it had document as "some stray piece that magazine in the United States,"
of paper" and noted that it had mere meen implemented.
never been
the memo said.
wrote this, what it was written for, whether it was a joke or what," Roberts said. "Anybody would love to own AP (The Associated Press), but if 1 suggested such a thing I'd be laughed right out of this building."
The
The author also suggested the need to have a science publicany could control scientific issues ny could control scientific issues urrounding tobacco.
It is important to remember the memo said.

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BLOOD
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sons she donates blood.
"I was surprised to see how
much security they (ARC) have," much security they (ARC) have,"
Waligorski said. "They check Watigorski said. "They check
the identities of the donors and they follow procedures closely." they follow procedures closely""
According to Duffy, the blood According to Duffy, the blood
can be divided into four different parts and can be used in a number of ways.
The red blood cells are used to aid trauma victims, she said. The platelets are the part of the blood that helps clotting and are given
primarily to leukemia patients. primarily to leukemia patients.
In addition, the plasma conIn addition, the plasma con-
tains protein, vitamins and minerals that are used to fight disease and is used to aid burn and shock victims, Duffy said, She said the cryoprecipitate is also used in clotting and is given to hemophilia patients.

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According to Duffy, in addition to registered nurses and medical assistants helping in the blood drive, students are also taking part.
Vicki Cramer, freshman education major, and Emilie Carles, freshman social work major, are both volunteering by transporting the blood and escorting patients to the cantina, an area where donors are given food and liquid to boost their energy Both Cramer and Carles are using the experience to gain service hours for Kappa Phi and the 4-H club.
wanted to volunteer because I thought it would be fun," Cramer said. "I'm planning on donating blood today.

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raise $\$ 1000$ this year. They raised $\$ 800$ last year.
The response has been decent but a lot of students will just walk by the donation table Grime said. He said more students seem to participate through the organizations they are affiliated with.
Paul Pawlaczyk, University Ambassador advisor said students and faculty need to realize that a small donation can make big difference when everyone works together.
Pawlaczyk said if each organization raises $\$ 20$ the $\$ 1000$ goal

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will be met. He said the fundraising efforts are going pretty well, especially at Easy Street Cafe.
"A little penny and nickel can put clothes on a child's back and educate a battered woman, Pawlaczyk said.
He also said this is a easy way for students and faculty to donate to a good cause because everyone always has change. veryone always has change. donate to. Everyone always to donate to. Everyone always has change in their pocket collecting dust," Pawlaczyk said. "It is a small gesture that can go a long way."

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## Hurricane Mitch quickly swirls into Honduras

Forcasters are predicting the hurricane may be the worst in Central America in 10 years.

## The Associated Press

 LA CEIBA, Honduras - People fled their coastal homes and the Honduran govemment sent air force planes to pluck resi-dents off remote Caribbean dents off remote Caribbean islands Monday in the face of the nost powerful hurricane in
decade to threaten Central America.
Hurricane Mitch became Category 5 hurricane - the strongest category there is - on
Monday with winds of 180 mph. At7 p.m. EST, Mitch's center was over Honduras' Swan Island and was moving northwest at 8 mph .

Mitch is expected to remain very dangerous hurricane capable of causing catastrophic dam-
age," the U.S. National Weather Service said in a statement from its National Hurricane Center in Miami.
Hurricane Mitch posed no immediate threat to the United States. The storm was expected Caribbean for the next five days, the center said.
Jerry Jarrell, the center's direcor, said Mitch was the strongest hurricane to strike the Caribbean
since Gilbert in 1988. Gilbert killed more than 300 people and avaged Mexico, Jamaica, Haiti and the Dominican Republic when it blasted across the westem Caribbean and part of the Gulf of Mexico, including the Florida Keys, the Florida Straits

The government of Belize closed schools Monday and sent
its employees who work along the coast home early to prepare
for the storm. Mexico mobilized for the storm. Mexico mobilized
troops and emergency workers troops and emergency workers
on the Caribbean coast of the on the Caribbean

Honduran President Carlos Flores Facusse declared a state of alert and told coastal residents to leave their homes for safer ground farther inland
house? The government hasn't opened a single shelter,", asked Pedro Martinez, an electrician in the city of San Pedro Sula, 100 capital Tegucigalpa.
Authorities in San Pedro Sula said they might set up shelters in pablic schools.
In La Ceiba, on Honduras western coast, people stood in long lines at filling stations to buy gasoline under a steady rain. Maria Gonzalez said she needed the gas to cook with
case her firewood gets wet.
"I have six children, and we live in a riverbed," she said. "If it gets real bad, we'll go to the gets real bad, well go to the
church and see what the architect of the world has in store for us."
The president ordered all air force planes and helicopters to evacuate people from the Bay
islands, a string of small islands off the central coast.
Swinwick Jackson, a fisherman on one of the islands, said me had tied op his boats and was he had tied up his boats and was
planning to take his family to stay with a relative on higher ground. Speaking by telephone from Utila, 20 miles north of La Ceiba, he said most tourists had left the island Sunday but that some were stranded and that houses in the mountains. houses in the mountains.

## ATHLETICS

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tribute $\$ 5$ million to the total University athletic budget of just
The large amount of funds needed to support the football team presents particular prob-
lems because of Title IX, a federallaw which of Title IX, a federal law which provides for gender equity in education and athletic programs
with Title IX is proportion of male athletes to female athletes. Bob Holmes, assistant professor of law and a member of the Intercollegiate Athletics Committee, an advisory panel to athletics director Ron Zwierlein, noted that when compiling staboost the number of male ath-
letes, and thus put universities out of compliance with Title IX. is creating problems." Holmes said. "As long as there is a football program the numbers are totally out of whack." Holmes advocates a different method of determining compliance; such as comparing the percentage high school athletes who are female to the percentage of
college athletes who are female. college athletes who are female.
He also suggested adding a women's football team as a possible solution to Title DX compliance.
Nancy Spencer, an assistant professor of human movement, sports and leisure studies, said that some schools are adding
women's crew teams to balance the large numbers of male foot-
ball athletes.
At BGSU, women's soccer was added as a varsity sport last year, and in the Equity in Athlet-
ics report, the athletic departics report, the athletic depart-
ment cited this as one of several ways it is pursuing Title IX compliance.
Title IX has not only put pressure on universities to add women's sports, but has also
affected men's sports as well. affected men's sports as well. The focus is on keeping footare either eliminating other male sports or not complying." Jurkovac said. "Male nonrevenue programs are being cut, even if they
are successful." are successful."
"The only real solution for
Title IX compliance is to cut Title IX compliance is to cut
men's programs," Holmes said "That's not acceptable. It creates

## POLICE BLOTTER

Today's city police blotter includes items from the Saturday and Sunday.

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#### Abstract

backlash." Depite the mesusures alread aken, the University is still struggling to comply with Tite ix.

Last June, National Women" Law Center filed a complainn with the Department of Eucca bion, placing BGSU on is list o 25 universities nationwide that are in violation of Tite XX . Tod McCloskey contributed to this report.

Tomorow: Tite IX - Is the University in compliance with


 ederal law?

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## Def <br> $\square$ Student loan default rate declines for the first time. <br> The Associated Press WASHINGTON - The default rate on student loans fell into single digits for the first time, the Education Department reported Monday, citing an agency and congressional crackdown as well as an improved economy. <br> drault rate to a 9.6 percen default rate for fiscal year 1996 in 1990 . Congress passed legislation in 1990 and 1992 to crack down on borrowers and trade schools such as beauty colleges and truck-driving schools that promised more job training than they delivered. And the country they delivered. And the country began to pull out of a recession in early 1991. <br> "The student loan program is now a shining example of government providing opportunity with accountability", Presiden Clinton said in a statement. Stricter government controls <br> have eliminated more than 1,000 schools from the program, while better economy means "there are jobs for those who finish colege, so they can pay off their loans," Clinton said. <br> The department noted that the default rate has declined even though the volume of loans has risen dramatically, from about risen dramatically, from about $\$ 14$ billion in 1992 to $\$ 38$ billion $\$ 14$ billion in 1992 to $\$ 38$ billion in the 1998 fiscal year. Because of the volume, actual dollar savings aren't as dramatic as they could have been. In 1991, for example, the department had to repay $\$ 3.6$ bil- <br> In fiscal 1998, the dep had to repay $\$ 2.8$ billion. The department was still compiling information on how much money it was able to collect from sudents who had defaulted, but preliminary estimates show an increase from $\$ 900$ million last year to $\$ 980$ million this year. A new higher education bill A new higher education bill approved by Congress will furapproved by Congress will further streamline the program and make it more accountable, said Rep. Bill Goodling, R-Pa., chairman of the Education and Workforce Committee. <br> Less time and money spent <br> percent. The lowest default rates were at four-year colleges and universities, at about 7 percent. Even though the rate was the Even though the rate was the highest at the 2,900 trade schools, highest at the 2,900 trade schools, it was lower than in previous years. Although critical of using default rates to judge schools, Omer E. Waddles, president of the Career College Association, the organization for trade schools, said "our schools are do everything they can to make sure that they reduce the default rates and provide the very best edu tion they can to the students.

## Hereye! Hereye!



Assoclated Press Photo
Quinten Pleiffer, 2, of East Dubuque, III., plays King Arthur on his "horse", Duncan, during the fourth annual Dog-O-Ween contest.

## Senator to hold hearings on CIA's new Middle East role <br> the committee's chairman, said ments ... in the region," Albright

CIA expands monitoring role for anti-terrorist measures.

The Associated PressWASHINGTON - The Senate intelligence committee will hold
hearings on the CIA's mediating and monitoring role in the Middle East land-for-security accord to determine the cost of tracking Palestinian anti-terror efforts and whether American agents are at risk.
Sen. Richard Shelby, R-Ala.,

Sunday he is troubled because the CIA, under the agreement, would play "a visible role." Is it to that is role of the CIA? Is arbitrator? a policy? Is it to be guards? ? think not" Shelby said on "Fox News Sunday", "I think we have to look at this." But Secretary of State
Madeleine Albright said agency is no stranger to providing on-the-ground intelligence support to diplomacy.
"The CIA has played roles
previously in terms of monitor-
ments ... in the region," Albright
said on CBS's "Face the Nation." She said the CIA has been fighting said terrorism there since the 1996 ing terrorism there since the 1996 Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt. Meanwhile, White House spokesman Barry Toiv said President Clinton telephoned King Hassan of Morocco, Egyptian
President Hosni Mubarak of President Hosni Mubarak of
Egypt and Crown Prince AbdulEgypt and Crown Prince Abdulwhile on a political fund-raising trip to California.
He said Clinton "explained the benefits of the agreement to

## Finding new ways to provide prenatal care

touring around poorer neighborhoods, offering prenatal care to women.

The Associated Press WASHINGTON - In a large truck parked in one of the
nation's poorer neighborhoods, nation's poorer neighborhoods,
Angel Brooks gazes ahead while Angel Brooks gazes ahead while
a nurse prods her belly in search a nurse prods her belly in search of tiny heartbeats.
The examining room is
cramped. Posters urging safe sex, cramped. Posters urging safe sex,
good nutrition and responsible good nutrition and responsible
parenting crowd the walls. On parenting crowd the walls. On
the other side of a folding door, other health workers are counseling a new mother. It's a "mom van," a prenatal care truck that visits communi-
ties with high infant mortality
rates to offer pregnant women rates to offer pregnant women
free basic health screenings, Iree basic health screenings,
counseling and encouragement. The people at Healthy Start, part of the federal government,
figured that if women weren't fagured that if women weren't
getting early prenatal care, then getting early prenatal care, then
prenatal care would come to prenatal
them.
them. The national infant mortality rate continues to drop, according
to preliminary 1997 statistics to preliminary 1997 statistics
from the Centers for Disease Comtrol and Prevention. It is now at 7.1 infant deaths per 1,000 live births, a 3 percent decline from
1996. 1996.

But the black infant mortality rate was almost twice that at
13.7, although still a 7 percent 13.7, although
drop from 1996 .

## And in the predominantly

 black neighborhood where Brooks lives, where poverty and teen-age pregnancy are common,Even that is an improvemen from 22.2 deaths per 1000 births in 1991, when Healthy Start first came to Washington and 14 other cities as an experimental new program to lower the infant mor-
tality rate where it was highest. tality rate where it was highest.
Healthy Start has now Healthy Start has now
expanded to include over 70 expal programs across the United States and has $\$ 105$ million in federal grants for 1999, administered by the Department of Health and Human Services. Local and private money als
help support the programs. help support the programs. tality rates are going down the tality rates are going down, the
disparity may suggest that we are not meeting the needs of certain members of our community," said Dr. Thurma McCann Goldman, national director of
Healthy Start. Healthy Start.

## agency can play "a constructive

 and on the partnership between agole in making sure that these the Israelis and the Palestinians role in making sure that thesetwo sides get along and live up by the Wye talks to create a new atmosphere not only between the two parties but also between Israel and the wider Arab
world." world."
The thre
The three Arab leaders were "overwhelmingly positive" in their support, the spokesman
said. Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, a member of the intelligence committee, disagreed with Shelby's apprehensions about expanding the CIA's role. On CNN's "Late Edition," Hatch said the spy disputes to a CIA arbiter.

## Annual

Halloween celebration downsized
$\square$ Students plan to protest Halloween party restrictions.

The Associated Press ATHENS, Ohio - Ohio University students planned to rally Tuesday to protest university-
placed restrictions on the city'si placed restrictions on the city's
annual uptown Halloween bash annual uptown Halloween bash
Last Month, President Robert! Glidden announced at a meeting with student leaders that students living on campus will be allowed just one visitor and no
campus parking permits will be campus parking P
issued to visitors.
issued to visitors.
Last year, when visitation was Last year, when visitation was
unlimited, 30,000 unlimited, $\quad 30,000$ people
crammed streets and 199 were crammed
arrested.
The goal is to make Hal The goal is to make Hal
loween safer, not end the traditional street party, said Student Senate President Darien Moss. "The intention was never to get rid of Halloween, the intention was just to scale it down,"
Moss said. "The difference Moss said. "The difference
between one guest and two between one guest and two
guests can be 5,000 students. guests can be 5,000 students.
That makes a huge difference in residence halls."
Moss said students were upset that guests staying in dormitories have to be preregistered with Residence Life and present identification wristbands, she said.
They are also angry that less than half of the 26 students that met with Glidden lived on campus, she said.
Brian McNulty, assistant vice president for university relations, said the cutting the number of visitors would help even though most students live offcampus.
Ohio Un
Ohio University has an enrollment of 19,100 , with about 6,900

Shawnice Winslow, 19, of Washington, right, listens to her baby's heart beat with the help of Olu Ibironk, a case worker on the Mommy Van, Tuesday.


# Sports 

Tod McCloskey Sports Editor The BG News 372-2602

## Falcons content with split

- The Falcons forget about 7-1 loss to the Spartans.



Bowling Green sophomore defenseman Ashley Enser sprints toward the ball, hoping to reach it before her opponent does. The Falcons only have one Mid-American Conterence game will determine its spot in the MAC playofts.

In Michigan State the Falcons faced one of the nation's best teams. Even after tieing Onio State on Saturday, MSU
remained in fifth place in both the U.S. College Hockey On-lin oll and the USA Today/Ame an Hockey Magazine poll Powers chalked the game up ad breaks.
"Things just broke bad for The ( Timm )." Powers said. The game is on the line and we are on the power play. We score and it doesn't count and on the move on."

Savard continues to look
Savar
Although Powers has refused to name a starting goaltender yet, Senior Mike Savard is making a strong case for himself. Savard played solidly in the 21 win over Ferris. He made 24 aves on 25 shots.
The only goal scored against Savard was the product of a twoSophomore Shawn Timm and

bg News Photo/ JASON SUGGS
A Falcon icer tries to keep the puck in the Ferris State zone during Saturday's 2-1 win over the Bulldogs

Savard split the game against over the lead in scoring for the five. Michgan State. Timm started and Falcons.
was 11 for 15 . Savard was 11 for His goal in the Michigan State Four solid lines Savard's record is now 2-0 That includes a win again

## Valentine leads the scoring

In wek the scoring In a week where BG was held
to three goals. Sophomore for-
and Chris Bonvie centered by Ryan Murphy. Adam Edinger, Dennis Williams and Zach Ham make up the third line. Of the lines, the fourth line is the least certain. Against Ferris State, sophomore Stewart Nowosad and freshmen Austin DeLuis and Ryan Wetterberg accounted for the game winning goal.

## Playoffs are looming for BG

- The Bowling Green women's soccer team is looking to improve play and record with only two games remaining before the playoffs.


## By PETE STELLA

$\qquad$ With the playoff season less than a week away, the Bowling Green women's soccer team faces Detroit Tuesday and Mid Friday to end the regular seasonFriday to end che regular season.
The Falcons have already clinched a MAC playoff berth, but one or two wins this week would help them in the final standings. To finish in fourth place, BG needs to defeat Miami on Friday and hope that Kent earns no more than two points in
its final two its final two games
 season on a Tom Piccirillo despite the loss. The loss had no effect on the playofts and our hunt for a great finish," coach Iom Piccirillo said. and momentum up for these games because they are very important to us." Two wins would also give the
Falcons the confidence that it Falcons the confidence that it
showed at the beginning of the showed at the beginning of the
season. season. "We have had a great season and 1 hope we can finish it like
we began it," freshman forward we began it," tresh
Tracy Gleixner said.
Junior forward/goalkeeper Michelle Lisy made the start in goal against Michigan State and goal against Michigan for the Fal-
stopped nine shots for

The loss had no effect on the playoffs and our hunt for a great finish. We need to get our confidence and momentum up for these games because they are very important to us."

|  | Tom Piccirillo uomen's soccer coacb |
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| cons. Lisy should get the start in goal Tuesday and will continue to help out the struggling defense and goalkeeping. <br> "Lisy did a Ashley Enser great job for us in goal even though we lost," Piccirillo said. "If something is working well, why change it?" <br> However, the loss to MSU was only the beginning of the bad news. Sophomore defenseman | Ashley Enser and freshmen defenders Cari Combs and Leslie Hepfinger - all Falcon starters left the game due to injury and are questionable for this week's games. <br> "We definitely need those girls healthy for this week," Piccirillo said. "They are great playmakers for us and help bring the team around when we need it." <br> MAC tournament play begins Tues., Nov. 3 and the game sights will be decided after this week's play. |

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