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# Ursinus College The Grizzly

Where immorality runs into many editions.

- Anonymous

Next Week - Special  
Homecoming  
issue!

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## GIRLS' PLEDGING RETURNS FULL-FORCE!



BY JENNIFER DIAMOND  
*Editor In Chief*

Once again girls' pledging activities resume at Ursinus. The first week of pledging is already over, but three weeks still remain. The campus is enjoying the thrice daily line-ups of each sorority's pledgeclass and anxiously awaiting the next day's events.

It seems that every member of the Ursinus community has different feelings regarding pledging activities and pledging in general.

Some are anti-greek all the way and would like to see greek life on Ursinus' campus terminated and there are others who are greek all the way and claim that the greeks are here to stay. But, a vast majority of others are caught somewhere in the middle of the two.

However, at this moment in time, the greek system is here and looks as if it will remain.

To those of you who are pledging at this moment, I would like to wish you luck. Hang in there and you'll be done before you know it!

Pictured above: Members of Tau Sigma Gamma's 1993 pledge class line up for a little lunch-time entertainment.

## Acting PA Governor Will Hold TV "Town Meeting" at Ursinus

*Courtesy of  
College Communications*

Acting Pennsylvania Governor Mark Singel will hold a televised "Town Meeting" from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Olin Auditorium on Monday, October 11. A total of 120 tickets to this event are available to Ursinus students on a first-come, first-served basis. Half of the tickets are available through the department of politics in Fetterolf, 554 Main St. The other half are available in

the Student Activities Office, Wismer Hall.

Jay Silver, Collegeville borough councilman and special assistant for communications to Singel, is organizing the Town Meeting, which will be broadcast on Suburban Cable-TV channels 8 and 11, as well as other public access channels in the surrounding area. A number of tickets also will be available to the public through Suburban Cable.

Viewers will be invited to telephone Singel on special 1-800

numbers during the broadcast, to ask questions and discuss issues with him. Singel, the democratic lieutenant governor of Pennsylvania, has been acting governor of the commonwealth since last spring, when Governor Robert Casey underwent heart and liver transplants in Pittsburgh. Casey is recovering, but is not expected to resume his duties as governor until January.

## India Shattered by Earthquakes

BY MARK LEISER  
*Of the Grizzly*

The most devastating earthquake to strike India in fifty years rocked a remote region in the central portion of the country on Friday, killing thousands. An additional 12,000 people are feared to be trapped in the rubble resulting from the disaster.

While the estimates of the dead vary, the government controlled Press Trust of India reported more than 6500 people had died. But because of an inability to access many villages to survey damage, suggested figures are anything but final. Reports on Indian state television report as many as 10,000 people dead.

Most people in the region of small towns and villages were sleeping in their unstable mud-brick houses when the quake struck at 3:56 a.m.

Thousands of police officers and

relief workers spent the day pulling the dead and injured from the rubble. Ceremonies for mass cremation for the dead began within hours of the quake, and survivors were flocking to other regions for shelter and water supplies.

It was reported that 80% of the houses in the town of Killari and twenty-one other neighboring villages with a population of 40,000 people were destroyed.

The disaster comprised of five tremors, the largest of which measured 6.4 on the Richter scale. While there have been much larger earthquakes without such horrible results, the houses and buildings of such poor construction could not handle the severe conditions.

Officials hope that an attempt to restore order will begin soon. Hopes are high because, although India is one of the poorest countries in the world, their disaster relief system is one of the best in developing countries.

BY HARLEY DAVID RUBIN  
*Sports Editor*

Ursinus freshman Andrew Stankus is one of six men selected by the USA Karate Federation to represent the United States in Karate Competition at the World Cup which is to be held in Algiers, Algeria from October 7-9. The competition is sanctioned by WUKO (World Union of Karate Do Organizations), which is comprised of 150 countries

throughout the world.

A graduate of North Penn High School and resident of Lansdale, Pa., Stankus has been training at the Bushi Karate Club in Hatfield, Pa. for the past 6 1/2 years under the instruction of Patrick Byrnes. Over the past two years, he has competed as a junior at three international events: Budapest, Hungary; Vancouver, Canada; and Salinas, Puerto Rico, garnering five medals for the U.S.--3 gold, 1 silver, and 1 bronze.

## Freshman To Compete in Karate's World Cup

In Algiers, he will be participating in individual 75 kilo and team Kumite (fighting) in this, his first Adult International Competition. Stankus hopes to continue his career at the Pan-Am Games in 1995 and maybe even the Olympics in 1996.

Stankus is currently third in the national standings, and is looking forward to the World Cup in Algeria. "I want to dominate the division, but if I don't, I won't let it set me back in achieving my ultimate goals."



## Global Perspectives

BY MARK LEISER  
*Of the Grizzly*

### International:

- The United States has decided to change their goal in Somalia from capturing faction leader Mohammed Farah Aidid to isolating him and creating a stable political structure without him.

- U.S. President Bill Clinton addressed the United Nations giving specific conditions for sending peacekeeping troops to Bosnia. He requested that the U.N. be more selective in choosing where the troops are sent. He said the U.S. can no longer afford to subsidize open-ended missions.

- An earthquake struck a remote region in India on Friday killing thousands and trapping thousands more in the rubble of their destroyed homes. It was the most devastating earthquake to strike India in over 50 years.

### National:

- Texas Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison was indicted on charges that she abused her position as Texas State Treasurer during preparations for her recent Senate campaign. The indictment charges Hutchison, along with two top aides, of using state workers, computers and supplies for personal benefit.

- In a move that they say reflects the interests of their patients, the American Medical Association is urging doctors to oppose key elements of President Clinton's recently unveiled health plan. The A.M.A. is unhappy with proposals to cut growths in Medicare and Medicaid.

### Local:

- The Philadelphia Phillies clinched their first National League East crown in ten years last Tuesday. They will begin play in the National League Championship Series against either Atlanta or San Francisco on Wednesday night.

## Attention

**Juniors:** If you are service oriented, have leadership experience, maintain a 3.0 GPA, and are planning a career in public service, you are eligible for the Harry S. Truman Scholarship.

Approximately 85 awards of up to \$30,000 each will be given to students from each of the fifty states. Applicants must be continuing their education in graduate school.

Candidates are nominated by the college. Interested students should contact Dr. Nicholas Berry in the Politics Department, 202 Fetterolf, to be considered as a candidate. The deadline for nominations is October 15.

**Attention:** All students who are interested in or thinking about pursuing a career in law, politics, government or international relations. There will be a Career Workshop sponsored by the politics department on Tuesday, October 5, at 12:30 PM in Fetterolf 102. Underclassmen as well as seniors are encouraged to attend.

## Roving Reporter

BY CYNTHIA BABCOCK & BARB LAMPE  
*Of the Grizzly*

Last weekend, an undisclosed sorority was suspected of performing illegal pledging activities. As a result, assigned faculty and staff are allowed to visit all pledging activities for all sororities unannounced. In the past, fraternities have been caught performing these same illegal activities without these severe repercussions. Do you feel that there is a double standard here? Do you have any other feelings on this issue?

**Dave Miller - Senior**

Although I am or was unaware of the fraternal infringements against the rule of pledging and initiation, I do feel that both sorority and fraternity pledging should be viewed as equal and there should not be any favoritism in one way or another.

**Rebecca Strawbridge - Junior**

I do feel that a double standard exists. Sorority pledging should be treated with the same discretion as fraternity pledging. Faculty has no or little right to infringe, without proof, upon the activities of students at Ursinus.

**Bill Bluett - Junior**

I do not feel that a double standard exists on this issue. I believe that the administration is engineering a crackdown on all social activities that have the potential to harm the academic well-being of the student body. Both male and female students have been subjected to new stringent rules for partying, and I think that they will continue to monitor pledging, in an attempt to limit social activity on campus.

**Marc Hapward - Sophomore**

I do believe that there is a double standard and I believe that the administration does not have the right to monitor pledging of sororities just like they do not have the right to monitor my personal activities. Just because there was a bad rumor doesn't mean that the administration has to become tyrannical! Sometimes this school has to loosen up and be more like other institutions. Hey, administration, calm down!

**Amy Landis - Junior**

At this school, I think girls are thought of less and more unfairly in a lot of different aspects. Plus, I don't think all of the sororities should pay for one specific group's mistake or activity.

**Anonymous**

I think this is ridiculous. To begin with, guys have been accused of and caught doing illegal activities, not only by the school, but by the police! Yet, nothing has happened. Now just because there are rumors flying about girls, they are being harassed by their teachers and other faculty members. They are adults who know what they are doing. It is their choice, therefore I think administration should mind its own business.

**Jennifer Simmons - Senior**

I'm not surprised by the reaction of this school's administration to this situation. In the core curriculum, in athletics, and now in pledging, this college is perpetuating the gender bias so prevalent in our society.

**Erika Compton - Senior**

I feel that a double standard is definitely being set. While I realize that it is administrations job to make sure no illegal activities take place during pledging, I think that the administration tends to look the other way when it comes to fraternity pledging. If the guys are not going to be scrutinized, then neither should the girls.

## U.S.G.A. Minutes

The second meeting of the USGA was called to order at 7 PM, Tuesday, September 28, by President Janene Paist.

### Treasurer's Report

USGA \$2055.00  
AFAC \$28,047.00

### Old Business

The second floor of Myrin Library should be designated (by signs) as the group study floor. The third floor remains quiet study.

Freshman class officers were inducted. They are as follows:

President-Heather Kerlin, Vice President-Karen Tyson, Treasurer-Chris Deussing, Recording Secretary-Julie Melusley, Corresponding Secretary-Wendy Sands, Class Representatives-NickBildzukewicz and Rocco Iacullo.

Will Davies and Craig Overpeck have been appointed to the positions of junior and senior representatives,

respectively.

President Paist noted that clubs and class councils requesting mailing labels (for fundraisers) must first notify the USGA. Greek organizations must "OK" requests for labels with the IFC or ISC. Requests must be okayed if the labels you are requesting are addresses of parents of current students.

### New Business

The EMT club came to USGA to request a donation or funding. Their request was rerouted to AFAC.

Next, the Martial Arts Club Constitution was proposed by Bhavesh Vaidya. It was suggested that an article pertaining to the advisor be added. Vic Gil motioned that the club be passed. Brian Riordan seconded the motion. The club was passed unanimously.

Homecoming queen elections will be handled by the USGA this year.

Ashok Paramewasan suggested that the steps and general areas outside the

Myrin Library should be better lit at night. This suggestion will be referred to the Buildings and Grounds Committee.

Committees that met this week were J-Board, Campus Life and Wellness. The J-Board discussed the serious consequences of individuals who become intoxicated and inflict injury on other students. The J-Board also discussed an issue pertaining to serious damage done to a residential suite. Campus life is working out the details of the campus alcohol policy. Wellness Committee needs students to attend a Food Service meeting.

Chairpersons are reminded to turn in minutes to Robin Baker, Vice-President.

The next meeting is Tuesday October 12, at 7 PM, in the USGA office.

Respectfully submitted,

Alina Morawski  
Recording Secretary



# HENRY MOORE EXHIBIT OPENS TODAY



"Animals in the Zoo" by Henry Moore exhibit to be displayed this week in Berman.

*Courtesy of College Communications*

A wide selection of rarely seen dramatic graphic work by English artist Henry Moore (1898-1986) will be on view in the Berman Museum of Art starting October 5.

Exhibited together for the first time will be drawings, prints and sculptures from Philip and Muriel Berman's private collection. The Bermans, well known collectors and advocates of the arts, have assembled an extensive collection of Moore graphics, the result of 30 years of acquisitions. The exhibition will be enhanced by Moore's verbal reflections shared with the Bermans during their visits to the artist's studio in England.

Although Moore is best known for his monumental sculpture, the artist spent over 50 years developing a unique body of graphic work. The exhibition will comprise over 200 images drawn from Moore's extensive exploration of works on paper. Among the works will be examples from the "Hands," "Trees," "Animals in the

Zoo," "Stonehenge," and "Sheep" series. Interpretive illustrations include "The Seven Ages of Man" (Shakespeare) and the Bible; the well-known "Mother and Child," "Reclining Figures," and "Ideas for Sculpture" series.

Lisa Tremper Barnes, director of the Berman Museum, believes the show will offer a balanced perspective on Moore's graphic work from 1928 through 1986. "It will shed light on the depth and diversity of Moore's favorite subjects," said Barnes. "This is a unique opportunity for museumgoers to experience the creative energy of one of the world's most widely acclaimed artists."

The exhibition, called

**"HENRY MOORE: RELATIONSHIPS -- DRAWINGS, PRINTS AND SCULPTURE FROM THE PHILIP AND MURIEL BERMAN COLLECTION,"** will explore graphic compositions created by Moore as an independent body of work as well as drawings related to his sculptural themes. Also included is work on loan from the Henry Moore Foundation, Much Hadam, England.

Many of the seldom-seen Henry Moore drawings provide an important clue to the artist's work. They represent not only his method of choosing points of view, but also his means of focusing on precisely that aspect of a subject which interests him.

## Charles Fambrough Quintet to Play Ursinus

BY MATT CORDES  
*Arts and Entertainment Editor*

The Charles Fambrough Quintet will present a jazz concert in the Bomberger Auditorium at 8 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 13.

Fambrough, the band leader and bassist, became interested in music as a child; he studied classical piano through elementary and high school, adding the bass at age 13. He studied for ten years with Neil Courtney of the Philadelphia orchestra, all the while developing an interest in the city's jazz scene.

Fambrough began his professional career in theater pit bands and as a member of the house band for the Mike Douglas show. A summer of playing in the Catskill mountains netted him connections with other musicians and led to recording sessions with such jazz luminaries as Grover Washington, Art Blakely and the first Wynton Marsalis quintet.

Following a tour with Grover Washington Jr.'s band, Fambrough did a stint with Brazilian Airtro Moreira, and spent five years with Art Blakely, who helped hone his

songwriting and arranging skills.

The free show will feature selections from the band's three releases, and is open to the public.

### REMINDER:

The Literary Society continues to hold meetings in the Java Trench on Wednesday nights at 10 p.m. Anyone interested in sharing their work with the campus or just listening is invited to attend.

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## Protheatre Presents...

On October 7, 8, and 9, Protheater will present this year's fall production "In Other Words."

The show will consist of three one-act plays which include "Supreme Beings," "The Lesson" and "Hidden in This Picture."

This year's one-acts have been directed by Dr. Joyce Henry (Hidden in This Picture), and Mr. Keith Strunk (the Lesson) and also features the Ursinus directorial

debut of senior Abby Rosenbaum for her work with "Supreme Beings."

Performances start Thursday, Friday and Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$2 for students and \$3 for adults. Reservations can be made at the box office by calling 489-4117.

Please come out and support your friends and students in this fun and unique evening at the theater!



## Features

## Fitness Forum

BY ELAINE ZELLEY  
Of The Grizzly

Last week, I gave suggestions on how to take advantage of what the campus has to offer in terms of exercise and fitness. But, what if you hate the idea of Stairmasters and weightlifting equipment? What if you hate the thought of sweating and breathing heavy with a bunch of strangers? What if, after all of my suggestions, you still plead your eternal hatred of exercise?

Now don't get excited, I am not ready to let you off the hook yet. There must be some way to get or stay in shape without using the

more traditional and routine methods we have all come to either love or loathe. The solution: In-line skating!

Done alone, in pairs, with your dog (or whomever), all that is needed is a pair of roller-blades and a paved surface. The bicycle paths at Valley Forge are perfect, but even just around campus or in Collegeville would be great.

Practice is crucial, however. Do not put on a pair of skates for the first time and expect to get a great work-out; it may take a few times to feel really comfortable and balanced. Wearing a helmet, knee and wrist pads is also advisable.

Research has shown that once a person becomes accustomed to the side-to-side motion, and can skate for 20 to 30 minutes non-stop, fitness can be improved. Caloric expenditure for a half hour of roller-blading is about equivalent to the same amount of bike riding.

Not only that, skating is less jarring on the joints than aerobics or running, and can be used to maintain fitness during rehabilitation from joint injuries. It may also make for some needed variation for the person who already works out regularly and is in a rut.

## What's Up in Wellness

BY VICTOR GIL  
Of The Grizzly

This is the tenth anniversary of the introduction of National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week. This year, the Wellness Center at Ursinus is recognizing NCAAW the week of Oct. 11 through Oct. 17. The main goal of the week-long campaign at Ursinus is to increase student awareness of the physiological, psychological and general life effects that are the natural consequences of alcohol abuse.

Again this year, more than 3000 colleges and universities will participate in NCAAW, making it the largest educational effort serving students. NCAAW is a chance for Ursinus students to learn about the negative consequences of alcohol abuse and to begin developing responsible lifelong decision-making processes about alcohol use.

It is estimated that as many as 80 percent of college students in the country currently define themselves as drinkers. Most of these are moderate drinkers, but there is a substantial minority of students who misuse alcohol.

Statistics claim that 21 percent of all dropouts are alcohol related, either having to do with health issues or academic adjustment problems. Unfortunately, it has also been stated that the average college student spends more on alcohol over their college years than they do on books.

## HOROSCOPES

BY MADAME BOOTSY  
Grizzly Astrologer

**Libra**- This month, set aside a quiet night for yourself. You need it!

**Scorpio**- Talk to an old friend. An interesting piece of information could be shared.

**Sagittarius**- It's getting close to your birthday. Start being nice to people so you get gifts.

**Capricorn**- Things may seem confusing right now, but cosmic change will make your path clear.

**Aquarius**- Disregard others' actions against your goals. They are not personal attacks.

**Pisces**- Quit procrastinating--it's time to accept your responsibilities.

**Aries**- Don't give up in personal relationships; you will get luck lucky soon!

**Taurus**- Save your Camel Cash.

**Gemini**- Excuses don't always work. You'll have to do some fenagling.

**Cancer**- Quit worrying about others and have fun yourself.

**Leo**- Relax! Burn some incense and become absorbed in thought and reflection.

**Virgo**- The decreasing number of "Virgos" at Ursinus increases your mystic power.

"Dear Anton" is angered by your lack of support and participation! I must say that as Features Editor I sympathize. I try to make this section fun and interesting, but without campus input, I am left with nothing but articles about why you shouldn't drink, and accounts of events "referred to Residence Life." As punishment for your apathy, there will be no "Where's Helper," no Greek Notes, and of course, no "Dear Anton." Letters are needed so Anton can bless the troubled with FREE advice. PLEASE WRITE IN!!

## Sgt. Grizz... "Nothing But The Bear Facts."

9/23/93 at 11:35 P.M.: An altercation between two students occurred in one of the residence halls. The incident has been referred to the Office of Residence Life for disciplinary action.

LOCKED YOUR KEYS INSIDE YOUR CAR? YOUR CAR BATTERY IS DEAD? IT IS LATE AND YOU ARE AFRAID TO WALK TO YOUR RESIDENCE HALL? THE SECURITY DEPARTMENT IS HERE TO ASSIST YOU. SIMPLY DIAL 489-2737 AND AN OFFICER WILL ASSIST YOU. SECURITY IS ON CAMPUS 365 DAYS A YEAR, 24 HOURS A DAY.

9/24/93 at 9:49 P.M.: A student attempts to enter Reimert Hall with an identification belonging to another student. The student has been referred to the Office of Residence Life for disciplinary action...

9/24/93 at 11:05 P.M.: Security Officers respond to a residence after being advised of a party being held at this location. All in attendance were advised that parties are not permitted in this residence and a search of the room was conducted. Security confiscated a "beer ball" from the room. The incident has been referred to the Office of Residence Life for violations of College Rules and Regulations.

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9/26/93 AT 1:15 A.M.: Security responds to a suite in reimert after being advised of damage done to the Common area. The incident has been referred to the Office of Residence Life.

ANYONE FOUND TAMPERING WITH DOOR ALARMS OR FIRE/SMOKE DETECTORS WILL BE REFERRED TO THE OFFICE OF RESIDENCE LIFE...

9/28/93 at 2:00 P.M.: A student's wallet is missing...If you have found a brown leather wallet, please contact Brian McCullough at Ext. 2482.

H-O-M-E-C-O-M-I-N-G IS ON OCTOBER 16TH 1993...RESERVE A TENT NOW WITH MARY ELLEN DEWANE--TENTS WILL BE FURNISHED BY THE ALUMNI OFFICE. IF YOU HAVE ANY SPECIAL REQUESTS REGARDING HOMECOMING, CONTACT BRIAN McCULLOUGH AT SECURITY, EXT. 2737 OR 2482.

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9/29/93 at 1:30 P.M.: A resident in Collegeville reports losing a wallet on campus. The wallet contains a PA license along with other important cards. If located, please call Brian McCullough at Security.

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# Classifieds

The next S.T.A.R. (Students and Teachers Against Rape) meeting will take place this Wednesday, October 6 at 6:00 p.m. in Wismer Lower Lounge. We will be discussing upcoming plans for this semester, as well as plans for Rape Awareness Week. Anyone interested in joining is welcome. If you have any questions, please contact Kim Schaninger (454-0416), Vidya Setty (454-1030), or Kenneth Chen (489-9884) for additional information.

## Speech Exemption Exam

The date for the fall semester speech exemption examination has been set for Monday, October 25, at three o'clock in Ritter Center. On that date those wishing to be exempted from Communication Arts 100 are required to present a seven to eight minute speech on a particular topic before the Communication Arts faculty.

Students should register for the exam as soon as possible in the Dean's office in Corson, where they will receive a list of topics and further instructions.

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BY JENNIFER DIAMOND  
 Editor In Chief

## My Two Cents

### Pledging

Pledging is a peculiar activity, isn't it? Why would anyone in their right mind put themselves in the position of taking orders from a group of their peers. The taking of orders, in itself, is not even the strangest part about pledging. The strangest part is that the position of subordination that pledges put themselves in lasts for a set period of time and then they are raised to the supreme status of brother/sisterhood and all is forgotten.

What? All is forgotten? How can that be? How can anyone forgive their pledgemasters/mistresses for treating them like scum unfit to grow on their toilet? I can't believe that people volunteer to participate in such activities. I can't believe that I volunteered to participate in such activities.

I experienced quite a range of mixed emotions during pledging. At first I hated my

pledgemistresses, I even hated some of the sisters who would occasionally throw their two-cents worth in to make my pledgeclass and myself feel undeserving. Undeserving what? Who did they think they were telling me what to do. And worse than that, why did I let them?

The feelings of contempt which I experienced throughout the duration of pledging have since subsided and I find myself feeling a bizarre love for my pledgemistresses. Can you believe that? I bet most of you who are currently pledges can't. I couldn't imagine it during my first week of pledging either. And I only pledged for two weeks. That's another point I wanted to bring up.

For those of you out there who wish they would be finished in two weeks I have something to say to you. You may not believe this, but you are better off pledging for a

month. We (the pledges of 1992) had absolutely no time to eat, sleep, or go to the bathroom without permission from our almighty pledgemistresses for the entire duration of pledging. You may think you're busy - We did almost everything that you will be doing and had half the time to do it. Now, I'm not in any way suggesting that we were any better or stronger than you are, or that we handled pledging better than you are. I'm only telling you how it was.

Take advantage of the situation. Get to know the sisters of the sorority that you trying to join. More importantly, use this time to grow closer as a group, that's what it's all about after all. Isn't it?

And you'd better watch out, you may actually find out, as I did, that you really do love your pledgemistresses!

# The Grizzly



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## The Wellness Center

I know that the Wellness Center is doing a good job dealing with the many ailments that afflict Ursinus students every day, but I have noticed a problem and I feel that both the Wellness Center and the College may benefit if I tell you about it.

What happens if a student gets sick when the doctor at the Wellness center is unavailable? By sick I mean not sick enough to go to an area hospital, but in enough pain and scared enough to want to see a doctor. Well, the student can go to one of two of the Brookside Family

Practice offices. Right? Wrong! A student must be sent, rather, referred to a Brookside office by the campus doctor for treatment. So, you tell me, if the Wellness doctor is unavailable, and the student needs to see him/her before going to a Brookside office, what's the student supposed to do? Hang out until the doctor comes in at five? I guess it's just too bad for the person who gets sick on Wednesday when the doctor they need to see only comes in on Tuesday or Friday. And those students who become ill on the weekend are just out of luck. Of

course there's always the hospital. But isn't that the reason why we are supposed to have a local office to visit?

What's the purpose of this College telling us that we can go to a certain local doctor's office in case of emergencies if we have to be seen by the campus doctor first? Doesn't that defeat the purpose of having a local medical practice available to the students? Maybe the "new and improved" Wellness Center should rethink its policies.



## Opinions

## CAMPUS MEMO

BY RICHARD P. RICHTER  
President of the College

**PARENTS DAY:** It is hard to recall a Parents Day when the sun shone as brightly as it did on Saturday, October 2. We have elevated rain falling on Parents Day to the status of a virtual tradition; this year's event thus was a rare departure. The fair weather seemed to symbolize the favorable parental feedback that I received about the new academic year.

One parent couple told me how much they appreciated the "Ursinus in Community" experience of their freshman. They were referring to a mid-summer weekend retreat to nearby Mensch Mill camp by a group of entering students. With the liberal studies theme of "unity

and diversity" as a backdrop, they discussed issues of racial and social difference and the human qualities that make a campus community. According to the parent couple, friendships built that weekend across racial and ethnic lines have lasted into the fall semester and are growing as the "Ursinus in Community" participants remain engaged in purposeful discussion about diversity issues. It was encouraging to me to learn how interested parents were in our program and, of course, how favorably they viewed this new experience.

The parents of an upperclass student spoke approvingly to me

about the way student life staff members and resident assistants help students process social problems in residence halls. The parents of a sophomore expressed their thanks for the attention of their daughter's advisor to her academic and professional plans.

Another couple said they have become Ursinus missionaries in their upstate New York area, where the name of Ursinus is not well known. They have been so pleased with the Ursinus experience that they would like others from upstate New York to have it too.

I am sure that some of the conversations with faculty and staff members at Parents Day were not

all sunshine. We set up the day so that problems can be addressed forthrightly. Still, it was reassuring to hear many positive comments from parents on the academic and student life programs. I am hoping for more sunshine at next year's Parents Day.

**CENTENNIAL:** We owe a cheer not only to the football team for its victory over Swarthmore on Parents Day but also to the students who at halftime reenacted the first football game in Ursinus history, which took place a century ago against the Melrose Athletic Association. Ursinus won that one too.

**S P O R T S M A N S H I P :** Throughout our century of football,

the issue of sportsmanship—courtesy toward one's opponent—has been a priority. Indeed, one of the moving forces in the founding of the NCAA in the early part of the twentieth century was the need for better conduct on the playing field. Ursinus is taking a leading role in the Centennial Conference in the encouragement of sportsmanship. Dr. Davidson and colleagues will be hosting a conference-wide council of team captains to discuss sportsmanship and related issues. I hope it will be the start of an ongoing dialogue among students from the eleven colleges.

*President Richter's perspective appears here weekly.*

Dear Editor,

I write to respond to the letter by Dr. Schroeder, Mr. Strunk and Dr. Henry which appeared last week. It is unfortunate that the writers, while admitting motives were most likely unintentional, seemed to think that the gay community was both ignored and devalued by less than adequate publicity for Mr. Everett. Mr. Everett was not the only gay speaker presented on campus and he was not ignored. Those responsible for his appearance on campus simply did not plan or organize his trip as well as should be expected - that is the only reason for the lack of advance publicity. The entire AIDS awareness program was the product of many months advance planning - discussion began two years ago that culminated in the AIDS quilt presentation last week. The letter unfortunately devalued the countless hours of cooperative effort made by many students, faculty, and staff. This effort produced one of the most effective programs I have witnessed in my fifteen years as a faculty member. Students in particular are to be commended for their ability to push for this program and to plan it with such careful attention and consideration. Events such as those held on campus during September can only be successful with diligent hard work, planning, and organization.

Sincerely,  
John French  
Chair  
Arts and Lecture Committee

Dear Editor,

Recently, there has been a lot of talk on campus about AIDS. With the AIDS Quilt coming to Ursinus, people are beginning to see AIDS as more of a threat. This reminded me of a speech that I did last year in Public Speaking entitled "Why Wait?" I felt that I should share some of the startling information I found with the campus.

Abstinence, unfortunately, has been given a bum wrap. Whenever AIDS or other STDs are discussed, people say, "Abstinence is the only 100% effective way but..." Let me show you why you should reconsider your stance on condoms and abstinence.

As I was researching for my speech, I came across an article from the American Journal of Public Health (November, 1992). It said specifically in the text, "[W]hile intact latex condoms have no holes (not even microscopic ones), simulation of [sexual intercourse] in one study produced leakage of particles the same size as HIV in 33% of the condoms tested." This says that even if you use the condom properly you are still at risk.

Unfortunately, that's not all. Not only can condoms break and tear, from improper use and manufacturing defects, they do not cover areas like the inner thigh which can also spread STDs like herpes.

Ladies, you are more at risk for all STDs (not just AIDS). Studies show that when using a condom, there is still a 66% risk for gonorrhea

and a 97% risk for chlamydia, both of which cause reproductive problems and sterility.

Now that I've spouted a bunch of facts and figures, let me put this in terms more understandable. Though condoms help, they still allow for a considerable possibility of getting an STD. There is still a 33-97% chance that you will walk away from a one night stand with a gift that keeps on giving.

I hate to pose a problem and not try to solve it. My solution? Abstinence. Since it is the only 100% effective method it should be considered. It only takes responsibility, maturity and self-control. Be responsible enough to take care of yourself; be mature enough to be able to say no; have enough self-control to not let your emotions dictate your actions.

Not many people consider abstinence seriously and I want to show everyone why it should be considered. STDs and AIDS lead to sterility and death. Isn't your life worth the wait?

Sincerely,  
Michelle Ryan  
Class of 1995

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## the closet observer

The closet observer also enjoyed Saturday's football match against Swarthmore. It was the type of day that those of us who tend to remember things fondly will remember Ursinus as being...crisp, autumnal, azure blue with an occasional puff of cotton white cloud.

However, he cannot help but admit that since the beginning of his days attending football games, his attention invariably turns to that ambulance which waits in the wings at all football games. One cannot help but feel a sense of guilt, enjoying a favorite team and knowing that they willingly engage in potentially deforming behavior for our entertainment. Good thing those medical people are close, though, for the inevitable broken and twisted bodies which result from aggressive traditions such as American football.

What other places could such

available emergency attention be of good use? Inside of Wismer? Instead of being armed with air splints and neck immobilizations, perhaps stomach pumps and saline, clot-busting heart medicines could be at the ready.

How about the deli miracles, though? Turkey...fit for royalty. Chicken salad...a little too much celery, but available much more often now. The observer has learned that Jeannie has been working overtime preparing a most commendable tuna salad over the past three weeks. Way to go, ladies. Eventually, Wismer may escape the perils of food poisoning jokes.

For now, the observer enjoys his favorite season, and the good sleep it ensures. Remember that when Piggy's got the conch, we all must listen, no matter how begrudgingly: we agreed to it in our societal contract.

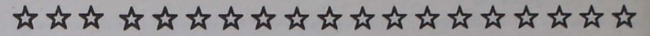
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## Bears Crush Garnet Into Pebbles

57-16 Romp Sets Single-Game Scoring Record

BY TOM MASTRANGELO  
Assistant Sports Editor

The defense was indestructible, the offense unstoppable, and the result was a 57-16 Ursinus victory over Swarthmore on Saturday, October 2. The Bears set the school's single-game scoring record and their 3-1 record (2-1 in the Centennial Conference) is their best start since 1953.

UC used a balanced rushing attack, comprised of Bill "Scooter" Sedgwick (19 rushes, 136 yards, 1 TD), Tom Mastrangelo (6 rushes, 66 yards, 1 TD), and Jack Clark (7 rushes, 45 yards, 1 TD).

Another key to the Bears' offense was the steady passing game, in

which quarterback Brian Lafond threw to seven different receivers en route to a 147-yard passing day. None of this would have been possible without Ursinus' dominating offensive line, which opened holes and provided Lafond with time to pick apart the Garnet secondary.

On the other side of the ball, the UC defense was led by Wes Meyer, who had two sacks. A strong effort was turned in by the linebackers and secondary as well.

Next week, the Bears put their two-game winning streak on the line when they travel to Baltimore to take on the Johns Hopkins Blue Jays in more Centennial Conference action.



### Bears' Season At A Glance

GAME 1: UC beats WPI, 21-14

GAME 2: F & M beats UC, 20-9

GAME 3: UC beats Western Md., 42-33

GAME 4: UC beats Swarthmore, 57-16

GAME 5: Saturday at Johns Hopkins

**GO BEARS!!!**

Ursinus senior Drew Seibel is tackled by Chris Neary (FRONT) and Marty Paulina (BACK) during the re-enactment of Ursinus' first-ever football game. The staging of the September 30, 1893 game with the Melrose Athletic Association took place at halftime of the Bears' game with Swarthmore.

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## HARLEY'S HAVEN

BY HARLEY DAVID RUBIN  
*Con los deportes de la semana*

It seems like it was only a decade ago that Harry Kalas was yelling over the airwaves that the Phillies had won the pennant (the National League Championship). Just under a week ago, he was doing the same, but it was only for the division title. Have no fear--this columnist predicts that you'll be hearing Harry announce another pennant, and probably even a World Series.

Since Ursinus is concerned with its diversity, I'll throw in a few baseball notes for people who may not give a damn about the Phillies (whoever they are). I'll even put it in the form of a "Haven Seven":

7. BOSTON (RED SOX)--haven't won a World Series since Babe Ruth was a lanky pitcher.

6. SEATTLE (MARINERS)--great music, bad baseball.

5. TEXAS (RANGERS)--Nolan Ryan, big bats, not enough.

4. PITTSBURGH (PIRATES)--"We'll be back in it--next century."

3. CINCINNATI (REDS)--Racist owner, limping players (see: Kevin Mitchell, Barry Larkin).

2. ATLANTA (BRAVES)--Look out, world, Ted and Jane are doing it on TBS!

1. NEW YORK (METS)--They miss Mookie Wilson.

Well, I thought it was a funny idea. Anyway, let's get on to the Eagles, who played this past Sunday against the New York Jets. Since I'm writing this Saturday afternoon, I don't know how it came out. But I will tell you this--if Da Birds find a way to beat the Jets (whose team name sounds too much like "Mets"

to be good), I think that 4-0 is a helluva way to start for a team who lost 11 free agents and a lot of team spirit. If they lost to the Jets, I think they'd better seriously think about making Randall Cunningham wear that "Rocket" outfit in games.

The 76ers haven't been doing much lately. After the big trade with Charlotte, the team now consists of: Jeff Hornacek, Greg Graham, Johnny Dawkins, Dana Barros, Clarence Weatherspoon, Sidney Green, a couple others, and Shawn "Milton" Bradley. I heard from a reliable (?) source that one of the players practicing with Bradley says that after a year or two, Bradley could develop into the best player in history. Now I don't know about you, but I think it will be really hard to displace Michael Jordan from that throne

without some incredible statistics (not to mention highlight films).

For you hosers out there, rejoice! The Flyers' season begins soon, and I've got good news for you. No matter what the so-called experts might say (you all know I'm the only expert around here), the Flyers will make the playoffs. I just read some jerk's NHL preview, where he says that the Flyers will finish fourth or fifth in their weakened division (no Mario Lemieux to deal with). I say to that writer, "Poppycock!" Lindros, Recchi, and the rest of the Broad Street Bullies will easily prove him wrong.

And here's the host of last week's "Cheers" Answer, Jason "Rootin' Tootin'" Gootman! He was one of only two people to get the answer, which was that the moose-head on the wall was named "Dave." Only

Dave couldn't really talk, that was Woody. Here's this week's C.H.O.C.R./"Cheers" Trivia Question, brought to you by the Thursday Night Darts gang at Maples (Casey, Fang, and the Fos): What was the name of the famous heart surgeon that Sam pretended to be when he cancelled Diane's reservations at "The Cafe?" Well, kids, I've got to go, so go watch "Barney" or whatever it is you loonies do!

Harley David Rubin was recently released on his own recognizance after being arrested for public, temporary insanity. He's currently "relaxing" in the Montgomery County Sanitarium.

