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Election 2002: Absent-Minded with Absentee Ballots

Dean Edwards Grizzly Staff Writer

This past Tuesday, Nov. 5, elections were held, but many Ursinus students' unfamiliarity with the Pennsylvania voting system prevented them from casting their decision at the polls.

Because most students live outside of Montgomery County, an absentee ballot was required in order to vote in Collegeville.

According to the Pennsylvania League of Women Voters website, all Pennsylvania residents who plan on being outside of their municipality on Election Day must make arrangements to vote by way of an absentee ballot.

This system, however, is not just exclusive to Pennsylvania; it occurs nationwide.

Of the numerous reasons why people choose to vote by this method, the website lists being away at a college or university as

a top reason. Most students, however, are unaware of the process that must be completed before they can vote, and many miss the deadlines.

Junior Kate Juliano commented, "I'm in the dark about the voting process. I thought you needed to do something special in order to vote while away at college, but I wasn't sure what to do."

Applications for absentee ballots must be received by the Department of Elections no earlier than 50 days prior to the election, and no later than seven days before the election.

According to director of college communications and web information Sally Widman, the original Pennsylvania legislature regarding absentee ballot voting stated that even though people must vote at their own municipality voting center, they had to be

outside of their county of residence on Election Day in order to receive permission to vote by way of an absentee ballot.

Widman also told the story of an Ursinus college alumnus Amy Brown, a graduate of the class of 1998, who was instrumental in changing the poli-

Brown, who lived in Horsham Township, Montgomery County, wished to cast her vote in Collegeville. However, because she was still inside Montgomery County, she would have had to make arrangements to drive to Horsham on Election Day in order to vote.

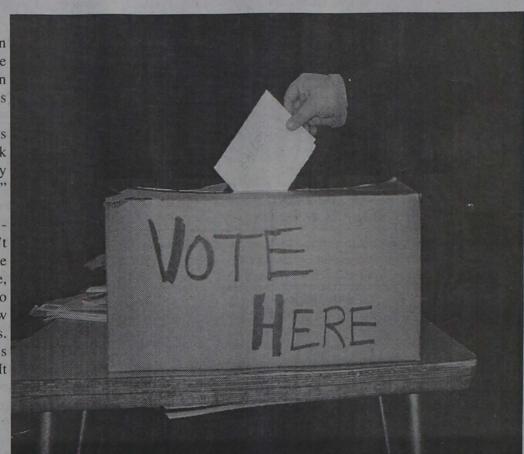
Because getting back to her hometown was an impossible task, Brown decided to contact Pennsylvania State Senator Stewart Greenleaf, who sponsored an amendment to the state

constitution.

Brown was quoted in the 1998 winter edition of the "Ursinus Magazine."

"It was pretty cool to think that I could actually change something," Brown said.

"Everybody says it doesn't matter and college students don't care, but I'm trying to do my part to show how wrong that is. It's every person's right to vote. It does matter."



Redhat Makes Computer Connection at Ursinus

Christina Abreu

Grizzly Guest Writer

Techie. Computer geek.

Computer nerd. Whatever you call the guy that fixes your computer, if you were looking for him on Saturday night chances are he wasn't home. The Redhat Linux stop at Ursinus. Road Tour came to Ursinus.

coming a more popular alternative to Windows.

Redhat users prefer it over Windows, because of its stability and price. Linux is free and you can share it with your friends.

So when the Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Lorenzo and member Bradley Molnar heard that four top Linux 32-foot RV.

engineers would be traveling the country in a red RV answering questions and giving away free stuff, they immediately started working on plans to have them others waited for the Redhat crew

After weeks of planning and Redhat is the number one world- hard work, on Saturday, Novemwide distributor of the operating ber 2, the Ursinus chapter of the system, Linux. It is quickly be- ACM welcomed four top Redhat Linux engineers, students from Temple, and members of local user groups from as far away as Philadelphia and Lancaster to campus.

The event started at seven in the evening with a Half-Life Counterstrike Tournament in Pfahler Lab. Dozens of students vice-president Christopher and outside community members arrived early in anticipation of the Lorenzo

said, "We were surprised to have such a large turnout so early in the evening."

While some played Half-Life, trip. to arrive in Pfahler Auditorium, where ACM members had The Matrix playing on the big screen.

At around nine in the evening, the Redhat crew finally arrived. Many of the attendees greeted the engineers in the Reimert parking lot, hoping to catch a glimpse of the inside of the RV or snag a red fedora, Redhat's official logo.

Bensalem resident and long-time Linux user Gordon Lewis said, "I drove all that way. There's no way I was going home without a red fedora."

After brief introductions, the to make sure that the Redhat

Redhat engineers gave a demonstration of Redhat 8.0 and shared some stories from their road

Jonathan Opp, one of the Redhat engineers and marketing directors, joked that they were all still getting along, if by getting along you meant the fake smiles plastered to their faces.

After the demo, the discussion was opened to questions from the audience. While many of the newbies (new Linux users) seemed a little confused, the Redhat aficionados asked questions for nearly 45 minutes, much to the joy of Lorenzo.

He said, "I was glad to see everyone asking questions. I wanted crew knew that we were very familiar with their system."

Before the event ended, the ACM sponsored a computer tshirt contest. The Redhat crew winner with the prize being, of course, a red fedora.

not fix your computer" and "Got geek sporting a red fedora.

By midnight the pleased crowd of over 90 starting leaving with

free t-shirts, hats, fedoras, key chains, and posters.

Lorenzo said; "Overall, Ithink everyone was happy and the event was a success. We got the was given the task of choosing the word out about the ACM and hopefully made an impact."

Whether there will be more James Widman's t-shirt "Got Linux users on campus is milk. Need p." beat out t-shirts unclear, but you can count on with slogan's reading "No, I will seeing your friendly computer

> For more information on Linux, go to http://www.redhat.com/roadtour/



Reimert Robbers

Cara Nageli Grizzly Staff Writer

Students who leave their doors unlocked may return to find some of their belongings missing. This has happened to several students already this year.

Students in Reimert suites have reported several thefts to Residence Life this

semester. According to Corinthian Ridgeway, Residence Director for Reimert and North Hall, some items that were stolen include a 19-inch television, a laptop, and sorority banners. Most of the thefts occurred within the past two

Kelly Gray, junior, lives in the suite from which the television was stolen from the common room last week.

"I'm furious that someone stole our TV," she said. "Now all of the girls in the suite have to pitch n and buy and new one."

Adam Potulski had \$160 stolen from his room in Reimert in Sepember. He said that when \$70 disappeared he thought he misplaced it. The next day \$90 was aken out of his wallet in his desk

Stephanie McNulty, Director of stolen, and has not had any

Residence Life, said that Residence Life and Campus Safety are not sure whether the thieves were students or people from off

it could be pranks students are playing on each other," she said, "but usually the pranks involve minor things that are stolen."

More expensive items, like TV's and laptops, normally are not stolen in fun.

According to McNulty, thefts occur every year. Thus far, there have not been significantly more incidences this year than in past

Residence Life feels that many students do not lock their doors, and they strongly encourage students to do so. There have been no major thefts and, according to McNulty, "rooms are rarely broken into."

It has been relatively easy for people to steal because they can walk into rooms through unlocked doors. Potulski has locked his door since his money was

further problems.

Most students said that they usually leave their doors unlocked.

"When I lived in Reimert our "There have been rumors that suite door was always left open," a senior student said.

"You just never think that anyone is going to come in and take anything, and we never had any problems with that."

Another student said, "I always leave my room and suite unlocked, and I never worry that anyone is going to come in and take anything."

"Students feel comfortable here, which I'm happy about, but a little paranoia would be good too," McNulty commented.





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Over the past couple of weeks, many belongings have been stolen in Reimert. Read about what was stolen and what

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"In Praise of Music" Presented Last Weekend

Quinn Dinsmore Grizzly News Editor

"Here we will sit and let the sounds of music creep in our ears," sang the Ursinus College choir during a performance this past weekend. Their tribute to the power of music resonated with an attentive audience in Bomberger on Saturday.

The Ursinus College Choir and the Meistersingers, the college's vocal ensembles, presented a concert at 8 p.m. on November 2 entitled "In Praise of Music."

The program, presented to the community and campus free of charge, featured texts that refer to music as expression of human life, lyrics choir member Diane Miller described as "lush and rich."

Purcell's "Welcome to all the Pleasures," an ode to St. Cecilia, the patron saint of music, Vaughan Williams' "Serenade to Music" and Norman Dello Joio's "To Saint Cecilia" were among the selections performed.

John French, the William F. Heefner Professor of Music at Ursinus College, directed the program. French said performing pieces like the Purcell and Dello Joio pieces and the arrangement of "Oh, how can I keep from singing" for the first time was exciting.

Junior Kate Lobb, singing in her first concert, was also thrilled and impressed with the experience. "I didn't expect it to be this good or challenging. I get chills

and I think the people who came were blown away."

Another first year singer. Halley Darigan thought the music was very pretty. "The professional soloists are great and I hope the audience liked it," she commented.

Soloists for the performance included Edwina French, soprano; Kimberly Valde, alto; Robert O'Neil, countertenor; Matthew Smith, tenor, and Reginald Pindell, bass. Michael Stairs, organist for the Philadelphia Orchestra, provided organ accompaniment.

The music for this concert was selected on the basis of texts that reflected on the art of music and singing, and were somewhat inspired by the fact that November 22 is the Feast Day for the Patron Saint of Music - Saint Cecilia. Choir members enjoyed celebrating the richness of music and spreading the message that music is essential to human life.

The audience seemed to agree with the mood of the performance given by 70 choir members and 30 Meistersingers.

"I thought everyone sang really well," said audience member Nicole Schwendel. "It was something different to do on a Saturday night and if you weren't there, you missed good music."

French said, "I was pleased so many people stopped by after-

for the performance. I was England, Austria, and Germany, pleased with the performances of both groups."

choirs enhance the college campus. "The two choirs give students an opportunity to perform a wide music program at Ursinus, music variety of choral repertoire," he explained.

"The Meistersingers specializes in music for smaller ensembles and the College Choir performs larger choral works which require larger forces. The choir is expanded by a segment of community singers, many who have direct Ursinus connections such as faculty and staff as well as alumni singers," he said.

According to French, the two groups should not be perceived as one being better than the other, just different. He points out that Meistersingers gives perfor-College Choir does not. The Meistersingers have toured most

wards to offer congratulations of the Eastern United States. This year a group of Meistersingers will sing in Rome, French also believes both Florence and Venice during the semester break.

> For everyone involved in the is an important part of a liberal arts community. As the choir sang last weekend, "For sorrow and grief find from music relief and love its soft charms."

The Ursinus College Choir will present Handel's Messiah on Friday, December 6, and Saturday, Dec. 7 at 7:30 p.m. in Bomberger Auditorium. The 65th annual performances of Handel's masterpiece will be conducted by John French, professor of music. Soloists and an accompanying orchestra will be featured. Tickmances off campus while the ets can be purchased through the Music Department.

Boo from UC to You!

Grizzly Staff Writer

Ursinus College is rumored to be one the most haunted facilities in Montgomery County. Buildings such as Reimert, Hobson, and Shreiner in particular possess legendary stories.

However, other buildings on campus have also reported ghostly disturbances. The lingering air of Halloween evokes a duty to exhume these haunted ac-

In Reimert Hall, suite 301 tells the tale of a former pledge of Delta Mu Sigma. The young man allegedly died in a car accident after a night of pledging.

Supposedly, he taps on the window of room Cat night until someone wakes up and sees him. He then disappears.

Hobson Hall houses two friendly ghosts. The first is a young woman named Terri who died in her senior year at Ursinus. She allowed herself to be seen on several occasions. The other ghost, a little boy, does not. he is there thanks to a Oujia walking around to find an Board and rattling doors.

The third building whose story has withstood the test of time is unlocked, with no one insight. perhaps the scariest. Shreiner resided in the second floor bath-

At first, the female residents would claim to hear growling noises, resembling an angry dog, whenever they took a shower.

Eventually robes and towels would be thrown across the room. The growls grew loud enough to be distinguished as the words "Get out." The residents called in a priest to perform an exorcism. Since then, the bathroom disturbances seized.

Another possibly haunted building is Clamer Hall. A student who lived there last year claims that lights and cell phones

suspiciously turned on and off in the house. He remembers one morning being stuck outside of

Former residents claim to know Clamer without keys. After chimed in, "No, you're crazy." opening, he returned to the front

to find the once-locked door

Even students who have not possessed an angry ghost that agree that Ursinus could be Charles J. Adams. haunted. "Yeah, I believe there

Crazy or not, it has been noted that Ursinus College experiences mystery happenings. Full text of the aforementioned stories can be found in "Ghost Stories of Hall reports to have, at one time, experienced a ghost on campus Montgomery County," written by

> A class of students produced a are ghosts around here with un- video covering many of the ghost finished business," stated junior stories on campus last year in the Kate Lobb. However, another spring of 2002. The video has junior, Adam Slavin, quickly disappeared...



Some of Ursinus' own Ghouls from Trick-or-Treat night

Professors Killed during Student Rampage and Suicide

Lauren Springer Grizzly Staff Writer

you face as an Ursinus student? Do you have issues with a profes-Jr. did earlier this week, and settle those

accounts with a gun?

University of Arizona nursing school in Tucson, killed three of his teachers on

Tuesday before fatally shooting with a handgun. himself.

In a letter received by the Arizona Daily Star a day after the murders, Flores uses the problems approached instructor Cheryl plaguing him - poor health, a McGaffic, witness Laura Kelley problems surfaced over a year failed marriage, insults from other is reported in the Philadelphia In-

Are you feeling "tired, tired and students, financial difficulties - as quirer as explaining, Flores told according to the New York

Richard Miranda, just

a "settling of accounts"? If so, Flores entered the nursing school would you act as Robert S. Flores and, as reported in the New York she was on the ground. Times, "methodically sought out his victims."

Flores, 41, a failing student at the first victim. Miranda explained that Flores found and killed her in Rogers's second floor office. Rogers was shot several times

fourth-floor classroom. As he

weary" of life and the problems justification for his tragic behavior. the teacher "he was going to give According to Tucson police chief her a lesson in spirituality."

Other witnesses say Flores sor, and feel that there needs to be before 8:30 Tuesday morning, then shot McGaffic, 44, in the chest and two more times once

The New York Times states that students in an adjacent Robin E. Rogers, 50, was the classroom heard the gunshots

The authorities did not arrive, however, until after Flores had walked to the back of the classroom and shot another instructor, According to police reports, Barbara Monroe, 45. After

> room, Flores shot himself. Warning signs of Flores's

ago, when a school staff member,

Times, said Flores was "depressed and capable of violence."

Fellow students like Lori Schenkel say that, in life, Flores was "belligerent, angry and rude. He would blow up and call [instructors] names in class."

However, in the letter sent to and screams and called the police. the Arizona newspaper, Flores wrote of the murders: "It is not about anger because I don't feel anything right now."

If you or someone you know is showing similar signs of Flores then walked upstairs to a asking the students to leave the depression, seek help or advice now, before such a tragedy becomes reality once again.

admits that, "if it wasn't for 20th. their emails, I wouldn't have gotten the internship I had this trembles at the term summer." When asking other students what they thought sound of that word less

full advantage of.

in the program

of the program, there seemed frightening for you. And to be the similar consensus even if you are a freshman, that it is useful, but not taken it is never too early to get

designed to help the students click the "careers" button get on the right path before and it provides you with they graduate. The depart- useful information such as, ment holds many activities its location on campus throughout the year such as (Bomberger), who to

through the UC web page. It

Information on Career

contact, helpful links, and upcoming events.

Career Services is impressive resumes, and will holding three events this even help prep you for a job month. The first one is "Careers in Real Estate" to get started in the job search, and it is being held on and it will also help you Thursday, November 7th. On practice for the GRE's if you Tuesday, November 19th are looking to go to graduate there will be a seminar on "Careers in Public Service".

Both will be held at 4:30 known for its assistance with pm in Olin 107. The last internships. While Junior event, "Working a Job Fair", Brian Brooke claims he will be held in the Parents hasn't gotten involved with Lounge in Wismer at 12:30 Career Services much, he on Wednesday, November

> So if you are a senior who "graduation", Career

Services might make the involved in the program. So Senior Laura McCann stop deleting those emails states, "I wish I got involved and get out to these events.

Students on Campus

Did you get all of your classes for Spring Semester?

Cassie & Beens Grizzly Staff Writers



Meghan Quinn '04 "Yeah. No one wants to take the classes I sign up for."



Nathan Uber '04 "No. Of course not. I'm wait- "No, I was pretty mad. I got the listed and need those classes to graduate."



Karen Guardian '06 leftovers."



Adam Keagy '04 "Make sure you always wear a condom . . . wait, what was the question?"



Brice Shirbach '04 "Classes, no classes, at least we got condiment trays on the tables now!"



Katie Higgins '04 "No, I got wait-listed for an education class. I need to student teach next year."

To Vote or Not to Vote?

Grizzly Staff Writer

Sure, we've all heard the same story, "you should appreciate voting and get out there and vote", but it's true. We truly don't comprehend the magnitude of the power we have in deciding our leaders. While our voice may be small, and one vote may not seem like much of a big deal, collectively, we can be powerful.

Voting is a lot like rain. Each of us represents a raindrop, and even though one raindrop may make a small splatter on the ground or on the windshield, a storm can flood a town. The only problem is that there are already two large pools of water that have control, the

liberals and the conservatives. The of the two places.

themes for the moment, the point is that when we vote, our voice is heard, maybe in a small way, but it is being heard. There are the people who say that it makes no difference. It does. If a person feels very strongly about a person or an issue, then instead of shouting about it at the bar with friends, that person should join the campaign effort, and get others involved. Chances are others will feel strongly about the issue too, and vote for it.

A grim reason to vote is that by people who vote usually fall in one our lack of voting, we could essentially be allowing dictators to come Moving away from aquatic to power easily. While it may seem far fetched, just remember that it was not too long ago Congress granted Bush the power to do as he pleases in regards to Iraq.

And besides, there's no reason why we shouldn't vote. While some people ask "why," I ask "why not?" What is there to lose? Europeans have massive voter turnout, so why shouldn't we have similar

As the Nike commercial goes, "Just do it."

Sound Off!

Want to be heard? Send your thoughts and opinions to Grizzly@ursinus.edu by noon on Friday.

Sniper Caught: Will Peace be Restored?

Brooks Reuter Grizzly Staff Writer

D.C. area can now rest a little bit. blue Chevy Caprice. Life can now return to normal, schools will allow recess; parents will let their children play outside, and high school sports can now resume. For the last three weeks the people of Washington D.C. have been living in fear, because of the sniper who believed he was God. No one thought the police would ever catch the crazy sniper who had thirteen shootings over a twenty-three day span. People believed the sniper was a man who worked alone, and drove a white van or box truck. When the police and the SWAT team raided the truck stop where they believed the at least ten occasions the police reign of terror is over, and it is now sniper was they found two men, John A. Muhammad, a 41-yearold Army veteran, and his 17-year-

People of the Washington old cohort, John Lee Malvo, in a

When the Police approached the car Malvo, and the front seat, and in the back seat the police found the civilian model of the M16 army rifle. The gun has already been linked to eleven of the thirteen shootings. Last week in Maryland both Muhammad and Malvo were charged with six counts of first degree murder, and it is expected that the death penalty will be sought. It is also expected that other murder charges occur in Virginia and Washington D.C. It has been reported that on encountered the suspects car and did nothing, as they were searching for the white van.

Many people can now rest a little bit easier at night, and Parents are no longer going to have to worry about their children every Muhammad were both asleep in time they leave for school. Life will soon return to normal, but the memory of what John A. Muhammad and John Lee Malvo have done will remain for a long time. "I am so glad that the police finally found that guy, I can't believe that someone could do that," said Ursinus senior Chris Lina. Senior Tim McDonald added "I am happy Muhammad has finally been caught, I hope he never gets let out of jail."

Finally a twenty-three day time for John A. Muhammad and John Lee Malvo to face the consequences for their actions.

Write in and Tell us if you voted! We want to know if you did and what you think!

Grizzly@ursinus.edu

Sexual Harassment: A Problem for Ursinus Students

Noelle Bolletino Grizzly Staff Writer

Does sexual harassment happen on the Ursinus campus? Do students report cases of sexual harassment? Better yet, what is sexual harassment?

Junior Marie DiFeliciantonio explains, "Sexual harassment is unwanted sexual advances, gestures, or comments". Terri Wehnert, also a junior further explains, "It can almost be anything unwanted; a touch, a look, or even a glance". These students as well as many other students seem to get the definition right.

According to Sexual Harassment.com the exact definition of sexual harassment is unwelcomed sexual advances, favors or other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature, frequently involving persons of unequal power, or influence.

Many students on campus are educated on sexual harassment, and they know the correct definition. However, what is dents also state that it happens a lot on campus. What? Yes that's right; most of the students interviewed stated that sexual harassment happens a lot on campus. So of course things are done about it. Wrong. In fact students say that hardly anything is ever done about sexual harassment because they don't know its happening. Despite what students said previously about knowing what sexual harassment is, they stated that most students don't know when it's happening to them. How is that possible?

Sophomore Amanda Morello states "Alcohol can be a major influence in sexual harassment." Molly Albert's explains, "People don't say anything because they are drunk and can't tell the difference." Wehnert adds, "When people are drinking, they tend to take things differently." It seems that alcohol is a way of justifying sexual harassment. Because

shocking to me is that most stu- people cant tell the difference or don't know that it is happening to them, they feel that it is justifiable. They feel that they can just let it go or that it is not a big deal. Sophomore Alison Rainey states "Sometimes people just don't want to take it that far, they can't prove it so they figure why bring it up."

Most of the students on campus feel this way. They feel they don't they have a way out. However, according to the student handbook Sexual Harassment is prohibited at the College. This means that action will be taken if a complaint of sexual harassment arises and students should also be reminded that sexual harassment is illegal.

It is clear that on the Ursinus campus sexual harassment is no myth, it happens, and people know about it, the mystery here is why sexual harassment is allowed to take place.

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"The last thing you see is ..."

The Grizzly reviews The Ring

Grizzly Editor-in-Chief

Have you ever watched a video niece's death. Keller decides to

tape, did you want to forget everything about it? In the new movie, The Ring, the characters have such a problem. However, their situation is worse than the average person's: the particular vid-

eotape they've seen is deadly.

Japanese novel for DreamWorks says, "Seven days." Pictures, Naomi Watts (Mulholland Drive) plays Rachel Keller, a single mom who works for a Seattle newspaper. After the death of her niece, Katie, Keller killer, so she learns that she viewed a videotape shows the tape to seven days prior to her death. When she talks to Katie's friends, Keller discovers that the tape contains disturbing images and, after Noah, watches the the tape is finished, the phone rings and a person on the other end says, "Seven days." One week later, whoever viewed the videotape dies suddenly.

tape, Keller investigates her die.

before that you wished you had not watch the tape (at this point, the seen at all? After watching the audience is actually able to see



what's on it). When the video In a new adaptation from the finishes the phone rings and a voice

> Keller is not completely convinced that the tape is the real a friend who is videotape technician. After her friend, tape, once again the phone rings. Over the next

out the hidden meaning behind the

As she investigates the tape, Keller encounters dead horses, a lighthouse, a mental hospital, and a property on an island. All of these things lead Keller closer to discovering what really happened on the video tape and what happens to the people who watch it.

After watching The Ring you may not want to watch a videotape ever again: it successfully scares you. Junior Seth Ratajski said, "The Ring is an intense movie that not only has an interesting and original storyline, but also left chills running down my spine." Many scary movies I have viewed do not have a decent plot that keeps your attention. Finally, The Ring has come along to show audiences



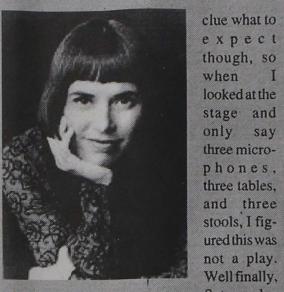
seven days, Keller tries to figure that scary movies can have a good script—and freak you out enough After learning of this bizarre tape and how it causes a person to so that you're scared for the whole ride home from the theater.

Calling All Females: If your vagina could talk, what would it say?

Cassie Stuart Grizzly Staff Writer

If your vagina could talk what would it say? Oh, you'd be surprised of all the answers there actually are. I got to read them in a book entitled "The Vagina Monologues" by Eve Ensler. This book is comprised of transcribed stories about vaginal ex-

periences told by people from all walks of life as well as facts about the vagina. The book has then been made into a stage performance. One of the stops on the tour happened to come to the Forrest Theatere in Philadelphia, I reluctantly accepted an invitation to go with some friends because they feel the need to culture me. As we made our way to the balcony, I glanced around first at the fabulous theater, it is amazing. Ihad no



Starla Benford, Kristen Lee Kelly, and Kelly McGillis took the stage. They first broke the stiff audience with some icebreakers, just making jokes and introducing themselves. I now felt a little more at ease with the whole idea of watching what I thought was going to be "talking vaginas." The three ladies began to recite the monologues from the to watch and listen to something that I read, but never would have guessed the monologues to have that much energy and soul. The women would laugh at each other's

portrayals and joke with the audience, especially when they caught a man blushing. Oh yeah, let me tell you Meg Ryan's character in "When Harry met Sally" has nothing on these women, if you know what I mean. All in all the show was entertaining, enriching, as well as enlightening. The night and three did not turn out as awkward as



I first anticipated, but I still have a long way to go before I am fully cultured.

Third Annual Poempalooza a Success

Kate Juliano Grizzly Opinions Editor

Poem-Palooza, a night of poetry read by poets both alive and "dead," was held Wednesday, October 30. The evening provided students and faculty an opportunity to share poetry with each other and the

English at Ursinus and organizer of Poem-Palooza, said that the evening is important to have because "it celebrates poetry in all its forms—from poems written by individuals to collaborative/commu-

Valerie Martinez, a professor of nity poem-making, to poetry as it where students could compete called, "I was really nervous berelates to art, performance, song, etc." Martinez added, "It allows students to really mingle and perform with faculty members. How often do students and faculty get to create and socialize together out-

side of class and office hours?" dead poets were the highlight of the evening for many students. Professors Keita and Florka T.S. Eliot, respectively, yet their readings still received favorable responses. Professor Volkmer onstage in front of an audience donned a flowing shirt, baggy jeans, and a long, gray-haired wig to

Schroeder dressed in a brown dress and brown wig to perform as Emily Dickinson. And Dominick Scudera, accompanied by his dog, Penny, wore a black beret, gray beard, and wig to play Walt Whitman. All received much support from the audience which numbered approximately 115 attendees.

As far as competition goes, there were two areas

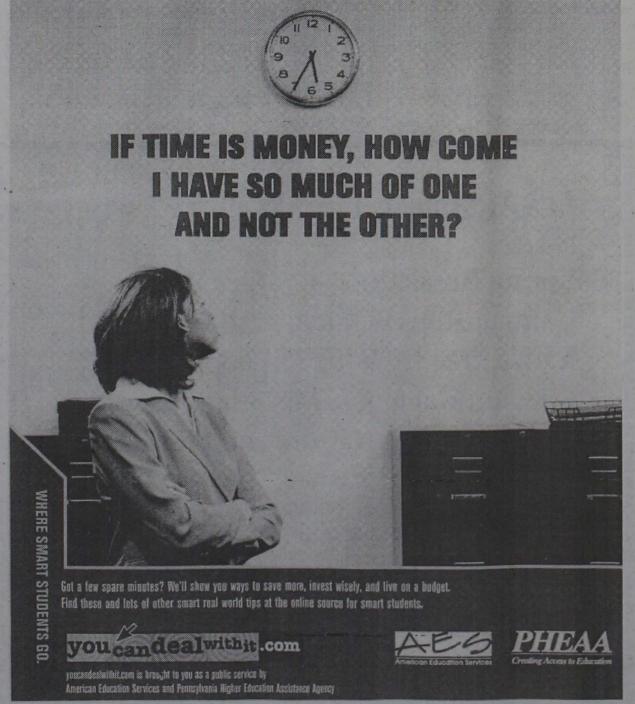
against each other. In the Individual Student Slam, four students have three minutes each to recite their original work. The Student Team Slams are groups composed of two or three students who recite and perform an original poem. The The faculty who dressed up as teams' performances are also timed in front of the audience. After these sections and the Dead Poets Slam, the audience votes on their dressed down as June Jordan and first choice in each of the three categories.

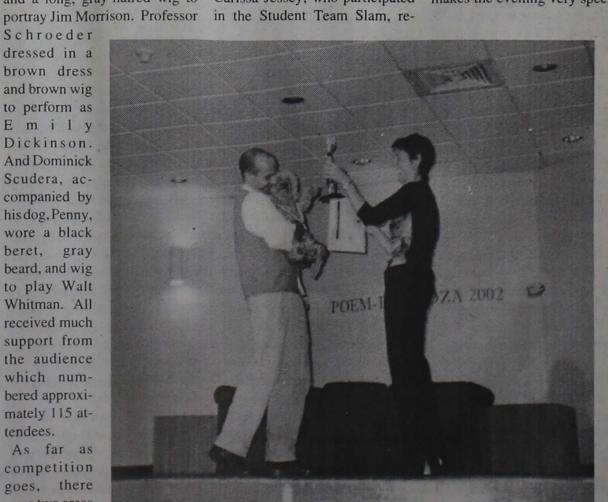
For some participants, getting was something new. Sophomore Carissa Jessey, who participated

cause it was my first time reading anything I wrote in public, but everything went well."

The winners were announced at the evening's conclusion. Dennis Kearney took home the prize for Individual Student Slam; Ella Lazo, Melanie Scriptunas and Michelle Beadle won the Student Team Slam; and Domenick Scudera won the Dead Poets Slam.

Martinez remarked, "To hear [students] read their own poetry, to see them perform it, to see the engagement and participation of everyone in the audience—that makes the evening very special."



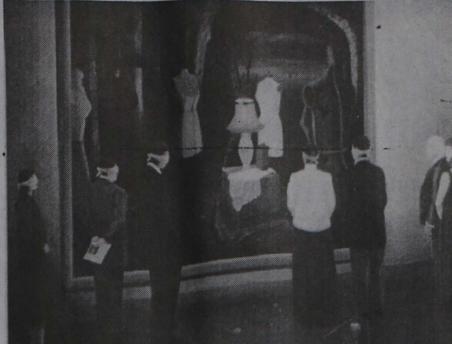


Berman: "Social Surrealism"

Abbey Sangmeister Grizzly Guest Writer

All are welcome to attend an Opening Reception at the Berman Museum for Clifford W. Lamoree. The event will take place on November 10, 2002, from 3-5 p.m. At the opening you will get a chance to speak with the artist. You can use this opportunity to ask Clifford W. Lamoree about the significance of his work as well as the source of his inspiration. The exhibit will run until January 12, 2003 in the upper gallery.

Lamoree defines his art as "Social Surrealism" because it is "a social statement and surreal in context." Surrealist works tend to combine realistic images or ideas with dreamlike, fantasy images. Like other Surrealists, Lamoree uses symbolism to represent ideas or figures in his works. The most ubiquitous figure you will find in his works is a headless, umbrella carrying figure. According to the artist, this figure represents the non-thinking segment of society, while the umbrella symbolizes its security blanket. He expresses his ideas of society using a range of media, including oil and graphite paintings,



pencil drawings, and sculpture.

Politics, industrialization, and the fall of the family unit are some of the topics Lamoree addresses in his work. His art is concerned with the lack of sympathy people have towards others and general disinterest in their surroundings. According to Lamoree, he wants his art to possess loneliness, pointlessness, and death of the spirit. In his art; he wants to present the image of a person's moral, psychological, and spiritual self-destruction. His thoughts and feelings on personal image come about from his own fears, frustrations,

and loneliness.

Lamoree has won several awards as a result of crafting paintings containing powerful, witty, and thought provoking images. In Europe and the United States his works can be seen in both private and public collections. Lamoree's goal is to use his art as a tool to open the eyes and minds of the public. The exhibit has wondrous appeal for students in any area of study for the reason that it deals with life and society. Furthermore, the Lamoree show is yet another exhibit that enables people to see how art can be representative of life.

This message is brought to you by the International Association of Fire Fighters. Harold A. Schaltberger, General President Winona: From Limelight to Handcuffs

Before last weekend, the only thing he'd ever burned was a CD.

Although fire fighters do everything they can to prevent burns, more

than 2.5 million burn injuries occur in North America each year. Most

could be prevented. To learn more about our "Don't Get Burned"

campaign, please visit www.IAFFBumFund.org.

Fallon Szarko Grizzly Staff Writer

Opening arguments began on October 29, 2002 in the trial of Winona Ryder who was caught stealing merchandise from a Saks Fifth Avenue in Beverly Hills and arrested on December 12, 2001.

According to CNN.com, Ryder is charged with felony grand theft, burglary, and vandalism. She faces a sentence of up to three years in prison on each count if convicted. The total worth of the merchandise she is accused of stealing is \$5,560.40. Ryder, 30, is featured in "Girl, Interrupted" and "Little Women."

Los Angeles Deputy District Attorney Ann Rundle accused the actress of entering Saks Fifth Avenue to steal. Ryder's attorney, Mark Geragos, responded that security targeted the actress.

The first two days of testimony featured Kenneth Evans, chief security officer at Saks. He said Ryder apologized after being caught and said was told to shoplift in preparation for a film. Neither the director's name nor the film title was mentioned.

Evans was suspicious of Ryder after watching a closed-circuit camera and seeing her carry an unusual amount of merchandise. Next, a security guard followed Ryder to a fitting room, where he looked through the slats in the door and saw the actress removing sen-

handbags, socks, dresses, and hair accessories which the put in a shopping bag.

veillance camera for 40 minutes and then she was

taken for questioning by a security guard. The jurors watched the security camera tape on Tuesday. Ryder was observed leaving the

the items. However, according to the defense, the tape does not show Ryder removing tags, put-Evans watched Ryder on a sur-ting merchandise in a bag, or hiding sensors in a coat pocket.

Junior Kristin Servent says, "I stopped in a store parking lot and don't see why celebrities in particular have to steal from expensive department stores considering they're the only people who can afford the shop there."

Alpha Sigma Nu & Beta Sigma Lambda **Open Rush Dated**

November 9 7:30 p.m.

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Radio Talk Show comes to Ursinius

Johanna Nash Grizzly Staff Writer

DJ Jazzy Mondog and Special K are spinning the records and spreading the gossip every Sunday night at 7 p.m. on the Ursinus radio station.

Ursinus sophomores Monica Delaney and Kyle Kauffman want to be heard. They are both very outspoken girls who know just how to talk the talk. Sit in a room with them for five minutes and the conversation will have you rolling on the floor laughing. There is no holding back when it comes to these two; they say it as it is.

I am sure you all saw the flyers around campus picturing Monica and Kyle as the wild and crazy pair they are. They were created by the girls' own "public relations" manager, Ursinus junior Denise Cook, who wanted to make sure the campus was ready for the duo's free speech. Denise commented, "I decided to help Kyle and Monica because I thought they would let me perform on their show and I would be discovered as a talented singer/songwriter, not to mention that I wanted everyone on

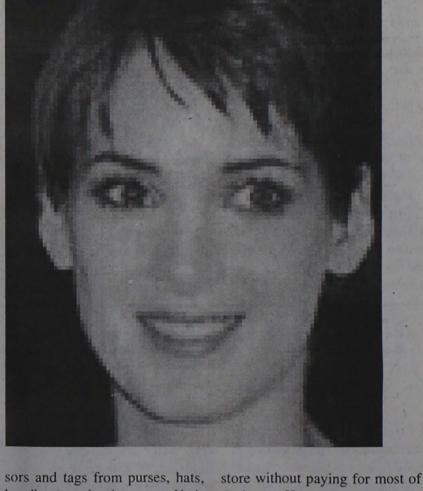
campus to enjoy their bizarre sense of humor as much as I do."

rocky start, Monica and Kyle have learned how to deal with small technical difficulties—and know to keep their mouths from getting too close to the microphone. The girls will talk about anything and everything that comes to mind, whether it be the drunken mess that is Ursinus College on weekends, or why they disagree with some of the opinion articles printed in the Grizzly. DJ Jazzy Mondog and Special K have no problem complaining about the half naked freshman who ran around in front of their suite last weekend. They also offered congratulations to junior Dennis Stanton for winning the January slot in the 2003 Men of Ursinus calendar, and cheered his excellent freestyle abilities too.

In between topics of conversation, Monica and Kyle throw on the tunes ranging from Dave Matthews Band, to Tom Petty, to Michelle Branch. In a one hour

time slot these two girls tear up the airwaves-or should I say televi-After getting off to a somewhat sion waves? After all, the show airs on channel four of the Ursinus cable network. "We wanted to make a show that everyone could listen to on a Sunday night after the partying is over. We are also looking for more campus involvement, starting with helping us pick out a name for the show and calling in requests for songs. If you are listening and you want to be on the air, be sure to give us a call at extension 3777 during the show," said Monica, sharing her excite-

> The girls are both very eager about the progression of their show and would like the rest of the campus to join in on the laughs and the jams. It is a little different to watch a blank screen while listening to a radio show, but if enough people become interested the radio station will look into broadcasting on the internet. So, show you're support this Sunday and get ready to laugh with Monica and Kyle as they tell it like it is.



Guys, Have you ever wanted to learn social dances, like the Samba, Tango, Waltz or Lindy?

Here's your chance!

Escape Velocity will be learning social dances this semester and all of next semester and they need your help!

If you're interested, attend a class! Classes are on Tuesday evenings from 5 - 6:30 pm in the New Dance Studio!

CROSS COUNTRY 2002 Centennial **Conference Championships**

WOMEN'S TEAM RESULTS

Dickinson 35, Haverford 45, Gettysburg 111, Swarthmore 115, Johns Hopkins 160, McDaniel 187, Bryn Mawr 202, Muhlenberg 208, F&M 210, Ursinus 264

MEN'S TEAM RESULTS

Haverford 24, Muhlenberg 35, Dickinson 88, Johns Hopkins 112, Swarthmore 132, Gettysburg 151, F&M 191, McDaniel 235, Ursinus 272





Women's Soccer Season Better than **Record Shows**

Amy Beyer Grizzly SportsWriter

The Ursinus women's soccer team called it a season on Nov. 2 against Dickinson.

The 2002 season started out looking positive for the team when they won their first two games against Wilkes and Mt. Saint Mary's in the Ursinus Invitational.

However, the team's season did but were also dedicated. not go as well as was expected in in the season their record was 6-12.

states, "We had a lot of talent Deborah Jensen states. although our record did not show it. We only won one league game, but we played in six overtimes."

Sophomore teammate Jennifer Cohen states, "According to our statistics, our season was less successful than last year, but I feel that our game plan contained more structure than last year."

each bringing their own unique when they played their last game talent to the team it can be difficult to put it all together.

> team worked together very well, especially in the last few games, despite the numbers. Not only did everyone work together as a team

"I think as a team we played best the beginning. With one game left against Franklin and Marshall, even huge senior class, they are already though we lost because that was when we really came together as Nine players on the roster were Junior teammate Cara Goldberg a team," freshman teammate seniors. Losing almost half of their

> ultimate goal is to make it into the for next season. playoffs, the team placed second to last in the Centennial Confer-

into the post season and have a to work hard and ready to win," winning season, and it is so frustrating when you have the talent

With twenty-three individuals but you don't win," states freshman teammate Jamie McCormick.

"We did not achieve our goal for the season but we did progress in Many teammates agree that the skill and unity, and I think that is important," states Cohen.

> Although the team's season did not go as planned, many teammates have faith that next season they will do much better.

While the team is losing such a looking forward to next season. team means that they are going to Although every sports team's have to recruit a lot of freshman

"Next season will be so different because we will have lots of freshman instead of a mostly senior "Every team's goal is to make it squad. Hopefully they'll be willing McCormick states.

Field Hockey Finishes at the Top of **Division III**

Blake Forrest Grizzly Sports Writer

The UC Women's Field lockey team has had a transiional, yet successful 2002 sea-

It was the first season that the ield hockey team competed at he Division III level, after makng the drop from Division I at the nd of last season.

"Our first season in Division III has been interesting. We are learnng the ropes. When you look at our record you can see we have byiously had success," Coach aura Moliken said.

The UC Bears had a record of 2-3. Their only losses were to The College of New Jersey, Rowan University, and Eastern 1ennonite.

This year has given the team a reat opportunity to see where ney fit in amongst Division III. What they found was that they re capable of competing with the best. With their continued hard work, they are sure to improve their skills and knowledge, and will look to win the Conference and do well in the NCAA Tournament next season.

The team will lose three seniors: Amy Transue, Nicole Monatesti, and Sandy Fetterman.

Junior Jess Shellaway commented that the seniors have been great leaders and role models for the team and will surely be missed.

Moliken agreed with Jess's comment, "Our seniors have played an integral part in the team's success this year and over the course of their four years. If not for their love of Ursinus College and our field hockey program this year would certainly have been more difficult. They remained positive throughout the entire course of this transition."

Senior Sandy Fetterman stated, 'Coming into the season I didn't know what to expect. We came out and proved ourselves to be at the top of Division III. I've never been more proud to be a member of any other team more than this one."

Next season looks promising for the Bears. They will continue to recruit incoming freshmen who will continue the Ursinus tradition. Big performances are expected from the returning members next year.

According to coach Moliken, "I am proud of the work ethic of our current team, and I am excited about our possibilities for next year. Ursinus is a very special place and it shows when the athletes play, they love Ursinus and all that it stands for."

Congratulations on a great season Bears! We are all looking forward to seeing even more success next year.

Eagles Remain Unstoppable

Joe Davido Grizzly Sports Writer

The defense in the second half was remarkable, but the kicking of David Akers was just nothing short of a masterpiece, leading the Eagles (6-2) over the Chicago Bears (2-6) by a score of 19-13.

The Eagles have won three consecutive games and remain two games ahead of the New York. Giants (4-4) in the NFC East.

The defense struggled in the first half by allowing the Bears to have 207 total yards and a 13-7 lead over the Eagles. But the Eagles defense smothered the Bears in the second half by forcing a turnover and allowing them only nine

very well," Eagles coach Andy Reid said. "We played better in the second half and the coaches made some changes that worked out

"We just calmed down and played, football," Eagles defensive end Hugh Douglas said. "The biggest thing that happened is they kept us off-balance and got some good runs. But, we stayed calm and played our defense.'

While the Eagles defense kept would show no mercy and their the Bears offense in check, David Akers kicked field goals of 23, 36, 27 and 22 yards in the second half to lead the Eagles to a 19-13 lead



LB Levon Kirkland

total yards on their first five pos- that they would never give back.

The Bears attempted to rally in "I thought our defense played the game's final minute, reaching the Philadelphia 25 with a first down. But Jim Miller threw three incomplete passes around a sack. Miller's final incompletion into the end zone capped a frustrating afternoon for the Bears, who were penalized 12 times for 121 yards as they suffered their sixth straight

> Philadelphia was flagged six times for 54 yards.

Staley, who rushed for a combined 288 yards in the last two weeks in wins over Tampa Bay and the New York Giants, managed just 39 yards on 19 attempts.

"You have to give credit to them," Staley said. "They are a good defense. They play hard and were giving us different looks in the red zone that we didn't adjust to. But, a win is a win."

McNabb went 18-of-33 for 209 yards and an interception, while rushing for 46 yards on nine attempts. He ran five yards for a touchdown in the second quarter which would be the only touchdown that the Eagles could man-

The Eagles are due to play the Indianapolis Colts (4-4) on November 10th at 1:00pm at Veterans Stadium.

Eagles- 23, Colts 16

Roller Hockey Opens Season

Lindsey Fund Grizzly Sports Editor

The Ursinus Roller Hockey team recently began playing in the Philadelphia Collegiate Roller Hockey League, and although are standing with a 0-3 record, are having what seems to be a positive experience.

"I think the first game really showed us what it was like, and we saw that we had to pick it up both offensively and defensively out there, which we're doing," said junior captain Sam Chamelin.

The game he is talking about is the heart-breaking 7-6 loss to St. Joe's 2. Down 7-5 with two minutes left in the game, the Ursinus Bears were able to get one goal back, but couldn't quite score the last one to tie up the game.

"Many families and friends came out to watch the game, so it made that first game really special for us. For a lot of these guys, this is their first game ever in a league anywhere," stated Chamelin.

In the past two weeks, the games

haven't been as close for UC, but Chamelin believes that they are improving with every minute.

"We've really picked up our skating, and our play defensively. It was a little shaky in the beginning, but it's something we've spent a lot of time on in practice, and we're really improving.'

In the Bears most recent game against Drexel 2 this past Sunday, the Bears dropped the decision 8-3, but had a strong first and second period against the more experienced team.

In the first period, the Bears completely outplayed Drexel, but came up short, ending the period down 1-0.

Chamelin missed on a breakaway three minutes into the game to give them the early lead. Drexel then scored on a give-and-go with just a little over ten minutes left in the

second period as the Ursinus goaltender seemed to lose the puck in the confusion of the play, before Ursinus was able to get one on the board. With 5:16 left in the second period, Chamelin took a wrist shot from the blue line to cut Drexel's lead to 3-1.

Within the first two minutes of the third period, each team registered a goal to put the score at 5-

Ursinus' only other goal was scored with a little less than seven minutes remaining in the game when Chamelin put a nice slapshot into the top left corner of Drexel's

A week earlier, the Bears dropped an 11-3 decision to West

The Bears next game will be against Drexel 3 this coming Sunday at 5:00pm at the Marple Arena. For directions, check out www.marplesportsarena.com.

Winter Sports Open

Drexel got two early goals in the

Swimming, Wrestling Start their Winter Schedules. Check out the Urinus website for more info!

Greek Corner

Information about Rushing and the Greek **Organizations on Campus**

Alpha Sigma Nu

As the rushing season gets underway, the sisters of Alpha Sigma Nu has planned some events so all eligible girls can come out and meet the sisters. On Thursday, November 7, Alpha Sigma Nu & Delta Pi Sigma will be having a Winter Olympics at 942. This rush event opens up at 8 for all eligible freshmen, sophomore, and junior guys and girls. Make sure to come to this rush with your best winter clothing!

On Monday, November 11, the sisters of Alpha Sigma Nu will have their Shiproom Rush in Wismer Parents Lounge at 9 p.m. This rush is a great event for all eligible girls to meet the sisters and find out what the sorority is all about!

Phi Alpha Psi

The sisters of Phi Alpha Psi would like to welcome all eligible freshmen, sophomore, and junior girls torushing! Friday's rush was a success and we hope you all got a chance to learn some things about Phi Psi. Tickets for our rush dated (Nov 16th at Academy Hall in Pottstown) will be on sale in Wismer during lunch and dinner. Also, In support of breast cancer research, we will be accepting donations for a pink ribbon this week in Wismer so try to contribute to this great cause. We will be rushing more this weekend, so be on the look out for flyers.

Phi Kappa Sigma

The Brothers of Phi Kappa our new associate members, John Matthew, and Chris Long new membereducation program like to encourage any guys who about our brotherhood to come inquire with any brother. The end of this week, so keep any would also like to invite any



Sigmawould like to welcome Aziz Shaikh, Andrew Reber, who will be going throughour in February. We would also are interested in learning more out to our rush programs or Rushing season begins at the eye out for our events. We interested male to join us on

11/7 when will be going out to Rocco's for dinner. So if you want to come and meet the brothers and escape Wismer for a meal, we will be meeting at 6pm in the parking lot behind Wismer. In addition, we encourage, anyone who is interested to join us next Tuesday, 11/12 in BWC for Pizza & Poker. Come out for a good time and get to know the Skulls.

Once again, doughnut day was success this past week. All 5 dozen doughnuts and dozen bagels were gone in under 15 minutes. We hope all who received free food enjoyed it. The next free doughnut day will on 11/20.

Pi Omega Delta

So have you ever met Luca the Chicken? Have you ever danced with a Dirtman in the pale moonlight? Are you a fragile star on the brink of supernova? Have you ever woken up and wondered where your shoes are? Hove you ever wondered if Jesus can microwave a burrito so hot that even He Himself cannot eat it? Have you ever walked sideways through the side door of Wicks, or backwards through the front door? Have Mad Dogs or Angry Pirates ever made your vision "not so 20/20"? My friends have you ever stood in the livers of giants? Have you ever wondered who the loud, yelling, messy, foodthrowing, dashingly handsome gentlemen at the first table in Wismer are? All of these things and more we have done at least 310 times (Yes, even we have sometimes wondered who we are!). But, We are the Dirtmen of Pi Omega Delta. Don't let the name fool you, you can just fool yourself. Amen.

Sincerely,

Jimi Hendrix and Tony Danza AKA "The Florentine Connection"

Sigma Sigma Sigma

Join the sisters of Tri Sigma for a Mardi Gras event in Wicks on Thursday November 7 starting at 7 p.m. All are welcome to talk with the sisters and what Sigma is all about. Look for information next week for Tuesday, November 12's Sigmain the City night!

Meet the sisters and find out if a national sorority is right for you!

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Dealing with Death: How to Cope

Meghan Jarrett Grizzly Staff Writer

Death is an issue that everyone will deal with at some point in their life. It is almost inevitable that someone you know and love will pass away, leaving you feeling confused and saddened. Dealing with the death of a loved one can be especially traumatic for a college student.

Students who reside on campus that my grandmother had passed may feel that they are not able to be there for their family, or the family of the person who passed away. They may feel unable to manage school-work while dealing with the grieving process. For me, losing my grandmother just a few days ago has helped me to examine my own life, but has also made me struggle to balance my school life with my home life.

Just last week I learned that my grandmother had fallen very ill, something that I should keep to

and was not expected to live for much more then the next couple of days. My family wanted me to return home to be with them, but however much I wanted to be with my family, I could not risk falling behind in my class assignments. I did go home for one day weekend, and that was when I learned away. Being at home with my brothers and father helped me to deal with some of the pain that I was feeling, but the next day I had to return back to school, and all I could think about was how I was going to endure classes and homework while all the time thinking

At first I did not tell anyone about my grandmother's passing. For some reason it seemed like it was

about my grandmother.

myself. I was noticeably quiet, and my friends did ask if something was wrong with me, but I would just tell them that I was tired. Eventually I did have to tell my professors that I would be missing class, and after that it became easier to start telling my friends. Fortunately for me, I have a great boyfriend, great friends and great professors who were ready and willing to listen to me, or tell me funny stories to keep my mind off of my grandmother. Professors can be extremely sympathetic, and are usually willing to cut you some slack about late work if they know your situation. For me, I was able to deal with my grandmothers death with the love and support of my friends and family.

So You Wanna Be A Bartender?

Sean Brennan Grizzly Writer

Bartending schools are at a location near you. In fact, there are thousands of bartending schools across the country. They promise to teach you to make hundreds of drinks for a nominal fee. In addition, they promise job placement and refresher courses if you ever need to restore your mixology knowledge. Ideally, the reward for tender. The average fee for two weeks of bartending school is bartending school is around \$350. a well-known establishment. However, this wonderful perception is really that important to be a barnot reality.

Gary Shaw, a junior chemistry major, had attended an unidentified bartending school in central New Jersey. Gary completed the required hours and passed the test with flying colors. So why isn't Gary behind a bar making hundreds of dollars? The answer is server status. She prefers to train quite simple according to Gary. horrendous. After 3 months of job that are only available in our ressearching, I still found myself out taurants." So any training done at of a job and out of money."

Most bartending schools offer a 36 to 40 hour bartending/mixology course. They claim to teach you over 200 of the most popular drinks. Furthermore, they instruct you on the garnishing, fruit cutting, how to properly exchange money with a customer, plus other important characteristics of being a bartender?

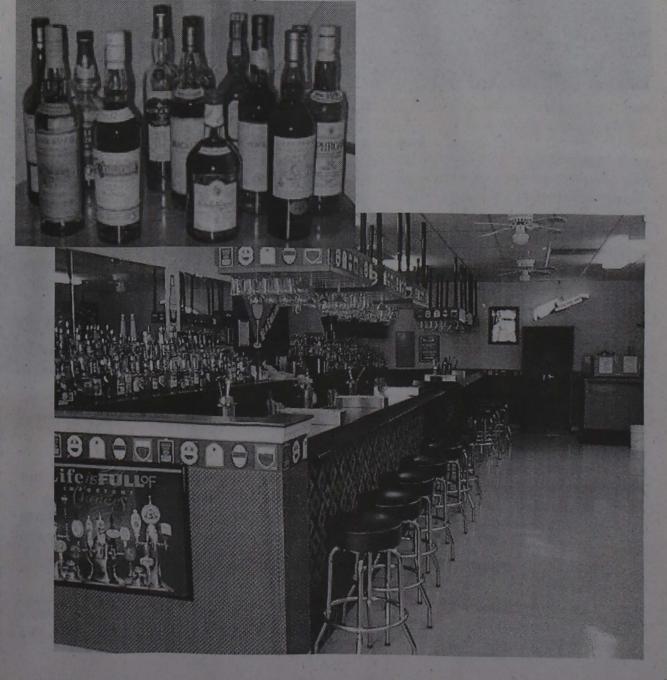
"We prefer to train our own bartenders," remarks Houlihan's bar manager

Kim Hancock on hiring students of bartending schools. Ms. Hancock her restaurant were promoted from her own bartenders because "we

any bartending school would have been a waste of time and money ... at least in a restaurant like Houlihan's.

Junior Andrew Spano was hired for a bartending position at "The Ocean Club" in Wildwood, New Jersey. However, he did not have any bartending experience. "I just walked in and asked to fill out an application for a bartender. Sure a glamorous job behind the bar of But is all this knowledge that is enough, I got the job," said Anlearned a local bartending school drew. "The Ocean Club" was willing to train Andrew and work with him as he got to know his alcoholic drinks. Andrew feels that he got his job with and a little luck and according to him, his "stellar good

Bartending school is not what continued that the bartenders in it's cracked up to be. Its time consuming and burns a deeper a hole in our already existing empty pockets. Personality and a willing-"Their job placement skills were have many unique alcoholic drinks ness to learn are the key components for a bartending position. Just look at Andrew Spano.



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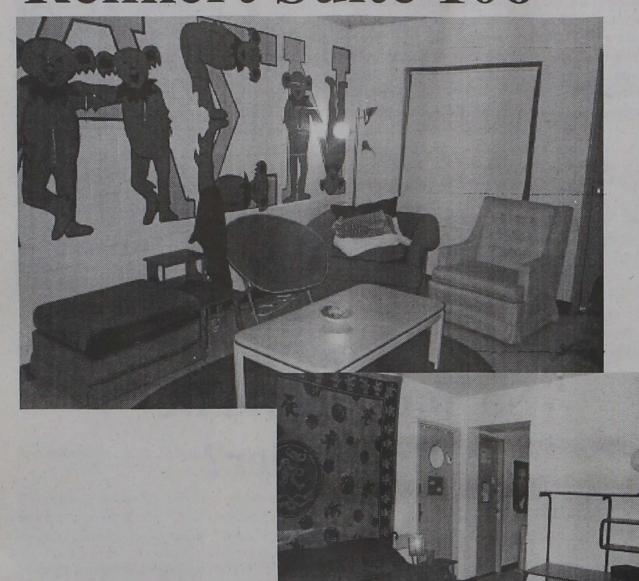
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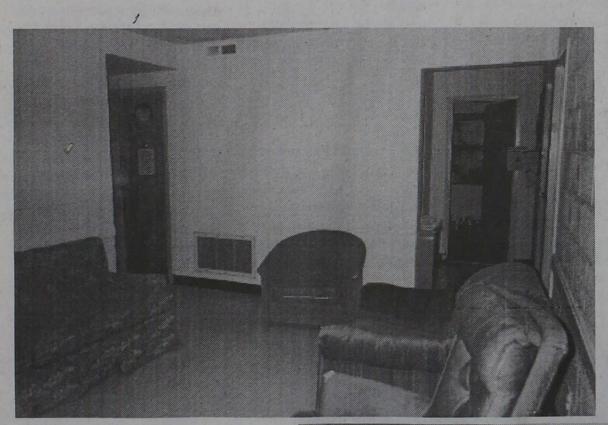
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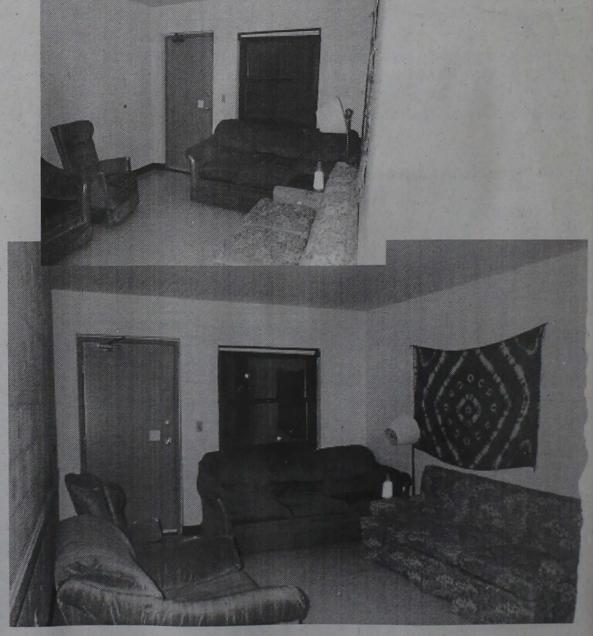




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Reimert Suite 204

What is Swappin' Suites?

It's the Ursinus College version of a popular television program that gives two sets of friends the chance to re-decorate each others' rooms with the help of two designers, a carpenter, and a miniscule budget.

How do I apply?

Swappers: Roommates from two different rooms fill out one of the applications in The Grizzly and send it in to Dr. Edwards (Ritter 107) or drop it off in the Swappin' Suites box in Wismer Lobby.

Carpenters and Designers: Fill out the application in The Grizzly and send it to Dr. Edwards (Ritter 107) or drop it off in the Swappin' Suites box in Wismer Lobby.

How are contestants chosen?

The campus will vote for the contestants they want to see swap suites.

What happens if I am not picked?

Don't sweat it! We will be doing this again next semester, based on reader response.

What's the deadline?

The deadline for applications is November 1st by noon. The

campus will vote on the following Thursday, September 26th. Contestants will be announced in the October 3rd Grizzly and the swap will take place during Fall Break, October 19-21.

What are the rules?

All roommates from both teams must agree to participate and will agree to follow all contest rules.

All contestants who are chosen to participate must agree

to remain on campus during the way on the walls, ceilings, or furentire Fall Break

All contestants agree to be photographed for and quoted

in The Grizzly during the contest. All contestants agree to abide by the housing contract:

· No halogen lamps.

equipment (i.e. space heaters).

· Nothing can be pasted, glued, nailed, tacked or secured in any

· No student shall (a) remove from the room any furniture, equipment or property belonging to the College, (b) remove furniture from lounges for room use, (c) alter or tamper with the installed heating or electrical systems, or (d) alter · No heat generating electrical the floor, walls, ceilings, or furni-

> · Pets, except for small fish in aquariums, are prohibited.