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Students support higher education by writing letters

By TODD O. ROSS

News Editor

Approximately 400 students wrote letters to state legislators Thursday expressing their con-cern about Gov. Wallace Wilkinson's proposed budget for higher education.

The letter-writing campaign was part of the activities during the SAFE Rally (State Aid for Higher Education) in the Curris

"We had a really good tur-nout," said Lisa Chaney, special projects chairman for the Student Government Association. "I'm really glad that the students are interested and are turning out.

Chaney said she thought the prize giveaways helped to attract students into the Curris Center. "We had more than \$300 worth of things to give away," she said.

"Most everybody has been real courteous about it (writing letters)," said Rusty Shoulta, a senior from Paducah who was working at one of the booths. "Lots of times on things like this people will walk right on by, but I would say that upwards of 80 to 90 percent of the people stopped.

Students had different opinions about the governor's proposed budget, but all agreed that it would hurt them in some

Frankfort Rally itinerary (All times are Eastern Standard Time) 1:30 p.m. Assembly for march Second street east of Capital Avenue March begins (Proceed south on Capital Avenue to 3:30 p.m. Rally at Capital Plaza Dudgeon Civic Center

"I wrote a letter to Sen. William Quinlan in reference to my being able to go away to college because of the low tuition." said Julie Leachman, a freshman from Louisville.

"Student showcase"

5:30 p.m. "Higher Education speaks"

"As a student I have a concern that if the budget is enacted as written now, we'll be losing or cutting back progams that Murray State has worked very hard in the last few years to implement," said Vince Medlock, a senior from Paris, Tenn. "I just have a concern that several of the good, draw-

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Photo by ROBIN CONOVER

STUDENT AMBASSADOR Jerry Roberts of Cadiz announces prize winners at the SAFE rally in the Curris Center Thursday. Students wrote more than 350 letters to legislators to show their support

McKenney will speak for students at rally in Frankfort on Tuesday

By LISA JACKSON

Editor in Chief

A Murray State student will speak on behalf of all students who attend Kentucky colleges and universities at the rally for higher education in Frankfort

Sally McKenney, a senior from Marion, will remind the thousands of people in attendance, including state legislators, of the value of higher education and of the need for funding that is threatened, she said.

"Symbolically I will be speaking on their (students') behalf about something that will affect



Sally McKenney

them all," McKenney said. She was chosen as the student speaker as a result of an in-

troductory speech she gave for Dr. Forrest Pogue in October 1987 when he was awarded an Outstanding Alumnus of Kentucky award at ceremonies in Frankfort.

President Kala M. Stroup said schools with award winners were asked to choose an honor student who was a good public speaker. "She fit in that category," Stroup said. After McKenney's speech,

"there wasn't a sound in that room," Stroup said. "She (McKenney) did a superb job. She stole the show.'

See McKENNEY



PRESIDENT KALA M. STROUP addresses about 300 faculty and staff members Tuesday about the proposed budget in a meeting in the Curris Center Theater. John Taylor, president of Faculty Senate, and Donna Herndon, president of Staff Congress, also

Faculty, staff concerned about budget

By ALLYSON HOBBIE

Staff Writer

The Faculty Senate and Staff Congress met in a joint session Wednesday to discuss concerns about Gov. Wallace Wilkinson's proposed budget for the 1988-90 biennium.

Wilkinson's budget could cause serious financial problems for the University if it is not changed to include additional funding for education, said John Taylor, president of Faculty Senate.

Murray State has had to tighten its belt over and over again, said President Kala M. Stroup. "There has been no operating budget increase since

"We now have a 90-day freeze policy on all vacated positions,' she said. "This is done to generate operating dollars so

See FACULTY/STAFF



DIANE POTTS (above), a sophomore from Gilbertsville, passes out balloons to volunteers who get a pledge at this years phonothon. Amy Anderson, a freshman from Greenville (left), and Nancy Glover, a freshman from Hawsville (right), make phone calls to alumni.

Photos by ROBERT CALDWELL



Funds raised through Phonothon

By CATHY COPE

Staff Writer

Volunteers for Phonothon '88 began calling alumni Feb. 1 and will continue through next

"Around \$10,500 has been pledged so far," said Jeff Fulcher, phonothon coor-dinator. "For five nights that is

Fulcher said that the goal for this year is set for over \$26,000.

"The money goes into a general fund for the University," Fulcher said. "Someone can restrict funds to a certain

Donators can request that their money go to a certain department or college, he said. If no request is made, the money goes to the general fund.

"It's a good way to help sup-port the school," said John Hayden, a junior marketing major from Owensboro. Hayden was working for Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

"Some of the people are rude and some are supportive,' Hayden said. He said he ended up with seven pledges.

Molly Poehlein, a sophomore exercise science major from Lafayette, Ind., said her job was to prepare thank-you letters to contributors.

Mike Quinn, a senior finance major from Owensboro, said he was helping with the phonothon because it is a good cause for the University.

"It keeps alumni in touch with the University," Quinn

Quinn said his job was to total the pledges taken, to find out who took the pledges and who made the pledge.

To help keep the spirits up of those students making phone calls, there were morale boosters, Fulcher said. Each time a person received a pledge, a booster would come by and tie a balloon on the back of the person's chair.

"Usually the people are friendly," said Eric Brumback, a freshman engineering physics major from Frankfort. "Every once in a while there is someone

"They (the alumni) are giving and usually are willing to listen to you," Brumback said.

"I haven't had anybody hang up on me yet," he said.

Brumback, who was working for the Student Alumni Association received two \$100 pledges - two of the highest pledges.

Carol Julian, director of the Annual Fund said that when the Phonothon was first organized in 1986 it was the first year for an organized development program on

"Eddie Allen, man-power chairman, contacted all of the organizations on campus,' Julian said.

"We're going an extra three days this year in hopes of contacting more alums in those ex-

Selective Service bill to create 'burden' for students, paperwork for financial aid

By LISA JACKSON

Editor in Chief

A piece of legislation proposed in the Kentucky General Assembly could add another layer of paperwork to employees in the financial aid office and affect about 2,000 Murray State students.

Senate Bill 170 and a similar proposal introduced in the House of Representatives, House Joint Resolution 71, would prohibit students who fail to register with the Selective Service from receiving state financial aid.

Scholarships, loans and University student employment are all included in state financial aid, said Johnny McDougal, financial aid

Students would have to certify that they had registered, if eligible, for the Selective Service. The federal government has required this certification for several years, McDougal said.

During this time "we have

or tried to secure funds that Kentucky Higher Education was not eligible," McDougal Assistance Authority.

The legislation, which has been assigned to the education committee in the Senate, would be a "tremendous burden as far as students are concerned," McDougal said. "It's just not needed."

A further problem that will be created if the bill passes is complying with the re-quirements. Personnel and resources are not available to handle the work load, McDougal said.

Two related bills which cern financial aid loans.

House Bill 76 would change definitions in the Higher Education Assistance Authority concerning insured student loans. It would delete the requirement that a person had to be a Kentucky resident or attending an eligible Kentucky university to obtain a

The bill would help banks, not had one case where a per- especially on borders of the

Anyone who qualified under the federal act could get a

The related bill would make similar changes in the Student Loan Corporation which purchases student loans from

The bill would permit more flexibility in that any insured student loan guaranteed under the federal higher education act could be purchased. Only those loans guaranteed by the Assistance Authority can now be purchased.

Both bills have been assigned to the education committee in the House.

House Bill 38 would affect institutions of higher education by combining two programs. The \$2,500 per year math/science incentive and the \$5,000 a year teacher's scholarship programs would be merged. If the bill becomes law, all scholarships would be for \$5,000.

The bill is in the House education committee.

Student aid deadline nears for summer term

financial aid for the 1988 summer term are available now in the Office of Student Financial

"Students must complete an application separate from the one they filed for the regular school year," said financial aid director Johnny McDougal. "Even students currently receiving loans or grants or who are working under the student employment programs need to complete a separate summer term application.'

grams are available for the summer term, McDougal said, and students are urged to file the necessary forms before the March 1 deadline.

Assistance programs offered for the 1988 summer term

Guaranteed Student Loan (GSL) - Eligible students who have not already borrowed the maximum amount for the 1987-88 academic year (\$2,625 for freshmen and sophomores, \$4,000 for juniors and seniors and \$7,500 for graduate students) may apply for GSLs. The interest rate varies from 7 to 9 percent and repayment begins approximately six mon-

Applications for student the after the borrower leaves school

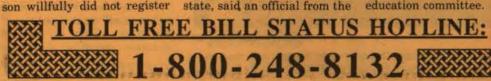
> Perkins Loan - Available only to eligible seniors who have completed eight semesters of school and who will graduate after completing the 1988 summer term. Repayable at 5 percent interest over a 10-year period after the borrower leaves

> Pell Grant - Non-repayable federal grants available to eligible students who have not received the grant during the 1987-88 academic year.

University Student Employ-A variety of financial aid pro- ment - On-campus employment opportunities of up to 15 hours per week. The rate of pay is \$3.35 per hour.

> Financial assistance programs that will not be available for the 1988 summer term are the Norris Student Loan (shortterm), Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG), Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Agency (KHEAA) grants and employment under the Federal Work-Study Program.

> Applications for summer term assistance may be obtained in the Office of Student Financial Aid in the basement of Sparks Hall. For information, call (502)



Student outcome affects University SACS evaluation

By MARK COOPER
Staff Writer

University accreditation in 1993 will depend on the evaluation of the results of education or student ''outcome assessment."

Plans for the University's accreditation were presented by Dr. Anita Lawson, coordinator of the accreditation planning, at a faculty meeting Wednesday in Wrather Auditorium.

Starting with the next freshman class, the University must evaluate the effectiveness of its education by comparing the school's educational processes with the academic achievement of its students before and after graduation, Lawson said.

The student outcome evaluation is part of new requirements for University accreditation instigated this year by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS).

According to a resource manual published by SACS, "the primary focus is upon the educational program and services provided for students and the critical question of whether and to what extent colleges and universities are producing more competent students."

The outcome assessment, or "institutional effectiveness" assessment, is part of a nation-wide trend by institution accreditation associations, said President Kala M. Stroup.

"There is a wide-growing fectiveness." Other group of individuals who feel will address the to that higher education needs to be focusing a little bit more on ment, Lawson said.

measuring the learning that takes place," Stroup said.

In the past, SACS has been more concerned with institutional resources and processes, which include the quality of buildings, faculty, lab equipment, course curriculums, general education requirements, faculty hiring procedures, etc., Lawson saîd.

"The assumption has been that if you have the resources and processes," she said, "then you are fulfilling your (educational) mission.

"But now (SACS) is asking, 'What are the results? How can you show that with those resources and processes you are educating your graduates to the extent that they should be educated?"

Compliance with the new change includes five steps which University department heads will help plan before next fall, Lawson said.

The steps include writing a statement of the University's purpose or goals, making expectations of results, designing assessment procedures, administering those procedures and finding ways to use the assessment findings to improve the University educational program.

Several faculty workshops are planned for this semester to help departments meet the new requirements. One workshop is scheduled Wednesday and Thursday and is titled "Introduction to Institutional Effectiveness." Other workshops will address the topics of campus resources and goal attainment, Lawson said.

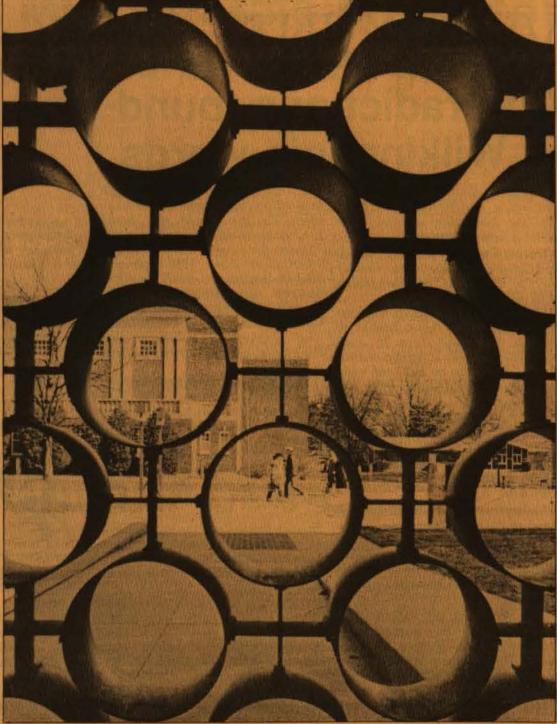


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Walking in circles

THE ARCHITECTURE in front of the Applied Science Building makes for an interesting photo of students walking to class.

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 - 1. scholarship
 - 2. athletics
 - 3. social service and religious activities and campus government
 - 4. journalism, speech, and the mass media
 - 5. creative and performing arts

Applications are available in the office of Dr. Buddy Krizan, 203
Business Building and the information desk of the Curris Center. In
order to be considered, applications must be received no later
than Friday, Feb. 19, 1988

Contradictions found in Wilkinson's words

"Political double-talk" is not an uncommon or new term...but Gov. Wallace Wilkinson certainly has given it a new meaning.

During a meeting with the Council on Higher Education last September (at the height of his campaign), Wilkinson said:

"I think higher education has done a marvelous job, a commendable job in the last few years in good management, in tough economic times. I think the fat has been trimmed out of higher education.'

But the governor seems to have forgotten his own words of wisdom Feb. 4 when he lambasted university presidents for misleading faculty and staff about having inadequate funds in their budgets for salary increases.

"What they (university presidents) need to do is get busy and buckle down and reorder their priorities and use their money wisely and stop crying so much," Wilkinson said during an impromptu news conference.

And that's not the only time he has sounded a little contradictory.

According to Budget Director Kevin Hable, higher education was a priority to Wilkinson during budget planning, but it was not as

Quality higher education lays the foundation for economic development. The two cannot, and should not, be separated. One does not exist without the other.

For example, a 1987 economic study estimates the direct benefit of-Murray State University to the economy of Murray and Calloway County at more than \$45 million. The University attracts new businesses, as well as students from other states.

If, because of inadequate funding, the state universities suffer, the quality of higher education in Kentucky will suffer...the economy will

We might look to the example set by North Carolina, where a series of strong educational governors laid the basis for remarkable economic development. Strong state universities in North Carolina have provided services and research bases that have attracted industry, as well as a cultural environment that is attractive to business.

University of Louisville President Donald Swain made a profound statement when he said, "We're uncoupling higher education from highly qualified teachers...trained economic development in Kentucky; we're making a colossal mistake.'

Wilkinson also ranks elementary important as economic development. and secondary education as a high ing for these schools.

WALLACE! FIRST YOU COMMEND US ON GOOD ECONOMIC MANAGEMENT. NOW YOU'RE YELLING AT US TO USE OUR MONEY WISELY AND STOP CRYING? !! MAKE UP YOUR MIND! WAY TO GO, WALLY! SAID IT BETTER

priority in his budget. Doesn't higher education demand equal attention?

After all, what we need most in elementary and secondary schools is at highly qualified universities. And let's not forget that universities provide leadership in curriculum plann-

Furthermore, the budget recommendation includes a 2 percent salary increase for all other public employees in 1989. Who could be more important than those who educate our future leaders?

Obviously, the governor has a way of quickly changing his opinion and contradicting himself when it's in his best political interest to do so.

Faculty, staff urged to do their part to preserve quality of teaching by joining higher education advocates at march, rally in Frankfort one that is comparable to similar institu-

The Kentucky Advocates for Higher Education are staunchly supporting increased funding for higher education. Our goals are to move the level of higher education funding for your institution to

tions in surrounding states; to see centers of excellence and endowed chairs retained and expanded; and to increase state support for student financial aid programs. These goals, if achieved, provide the opportunity for fair and just faculty and staff salaries, adequate classroom support, better working conditions and equitable student access.

If you have been following events in Frankfort, you know that the executive budget recommendation, for the two years beginning next July 1, treats higher education harshly, yes, even

As a former member of the Council on Higher Education, and through my role as chairman of the "Advocates," I have had a singular opportunity to be exposed to the realities of higher education's financial condition in this state. In my opinion, beginning July 1, 1988, there will be essentially no increase in state funds to meet increased operating expenses or to provide any kind of significant increase in faculty salaries overall.

The Kentucky Advocates are convinced of the value of teaching and research efforts, and we are pushing as hard as we can for an increase in higher education funding. If you want to join us in this effort, there are several meaningful and important things you can do.

First, identify your state representative and your state senator in the General Assembly. If you are uncertain, call the county clerk's office in your county of residence, give your name and address and ask them to help you identify your representative and senator.

Second, you can take a moment to make two calls: one to your senator and one to your representative at 800-372-7181 and leave a message that you are calling in support of increased funding for higher education. It is a tollfree call which is very, very important that you make.

Third, you can write your senator and representative a brief letter indicating your support for increased funding for higher education. If you have an example of how funding problems are limiting your effectiveness, or if you have taken on extraordinary duties such as assisting with economic development efforts or with supporting the public schools, you can state that effort. Simply address the letters to your senator and representative, by name, co Kentucky General Assembly, State Capitol, Frankfort, Ky., 40601.

Fourth, you can address another letter to the governor with your concerns. Address the letter to Governor Wallace Wilkinson, State Capitol, Frankfort, Ky., 40601. You can also write Lt. Gov. Brereton C. Jones, same address.

Personal letters can be effective. They should be objective, concise, to the point, but not personally critical. Otherwise, they will be counterproductive. It would be most helpful if you would provide copies to the Advocates of letters you write, but, of course, that is up to you.

I hope you have heard by now that the Advocates are having a statewide rally for quality higher education Tuesday in the state of the

Frankfort, beginning at 3:30 p.m. EST. The rally will be preceded by a march to the Capitol beginning at 1:30 p.m. and sponsored by Student Advocates for Higher Education. You can join us for the march and rally.

The Student Advocates are inviting all friends of higher education to participate in their march. I will be marching with the students and urge you to join them and, also, to join us for the rally at the Dudgeon Civic Center Arena. For more information about these events, contact your campus public information office.

For as long as we have been a nation, citizens have engaged in marches and demonstrations in order to petition their government. In the last two decades. academicians and scholars have been at the forefront of efforts to address and resolve some of the most searing public problems. Should we do any less in the interest of quality higher education? Isn't this a noble cause for the late 80s.

We are at a critical juncture for Kentucky higher education. You and your work is important to the future of Kentucky. The students and young minds you are nurturing offer the most hope that we have for a better Kentucky. You must make your voices heard if you are to have the tools necessary to accomplish the honorable work in which you are engaged.

> Sincerely, Róbert D. Bell, chairman Kentucky Advocates for Higher Education

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WORLD VIEW

Dole, Gephart win in Iowa

DES MOINES- Kansas Sen. Robert Dole and Missouri Rep. Richard Gephart were the winners Monday night in the Iowa caucuses, but Pat Robertson stunned the experts with a second place finish in the Republican race.

Dole won 38 percent of the vote, Robertson ran second with 24, followed by Vice President George Bush with 19 percent. New York Rep. Jack Kemp finished fourth with 11 percent, with Delaware Gov. Pete DuPont finishing fifth and receiving 7 percent of the vote. Former Secretary of State Alexander Haig, who pulled out of Iowa in December, received a scattering of support.

On the Democratic side Gephart won a close three-way race with

27 percent, Illinois Sen. Paul Simon finished second with 24 percent, followed by Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis with 21 percent. Jesse Jackson captured 11 percent, former Arizona Gov. Bruce Babbit finished with 9 percent. Former Sen. Gary Hart, New York Gov. Mario Cuomo(who has not entered the race), and Tennessee Sen. Albert Gore each received a small scattering of votes.

The candidates now turn their attention to the New Hampshire primary on Tuesday. Story courtesy of the Associated Press.

Testimony blasts Panamanians

WASHINGTON - According to testimony from former ranking Panamanian officials, Gen. Manuel Antonio Noreiga, at the request of former National Security Adviser Lt. Col. Oliver North, secretly trained the U.S. backed Contra rebels while serving as Panama's military leader.

In earlier testimony the Central Intelligence Agency was accused of supplying Noreiga with reports of the personal lives of U.S. senators, including Sen. Jesse Helms of North Carolina and Edward Kennedy of Massachusetts. The CIA denied the accusations.

Vice President George Bush was accused of using Noreiga to notify Cuban leader Fidel Castro of the attack on Grenada in 1983.

The testimony against Noreiga come after his indictment for drug trafficking and reportingly being a major figure in the illegal drug industry. Story courtesy of the Courier Journal.

State passes reform laws

FRANKFORT - The Kentucky General Assembly passed two campaign reform bills Wednesday aimed at limiting campaign abuses and corruption.

Both bills were sponsored by Sen. John "Eck" Rose of Winchester. Senate Bill 47, which passed 93-4, prohibits the solicitation of campaign contributions after the election.

Senate Bill 53 limits the amount of donations to and from political action committees (PAC's). PACs can only donate \$4,000 to a particular candiates, while individuals can only contribute \$2,000 to a PAC. Story courtesy of The Courier Journal.

Wilkinson announces for Gore

WASHINGTON - Kentucky Gov. Wallace Wilkinson announced his support Monday for Tennessee Sen. Albert Gore in his bid for the Democratic nomination for President.

Wilkinson had been leaning between Gore and Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis.

The Kentucky primary is part of the Super Tuesday election day in the South. The primary is set for March 8. Story courtesy of the Associated Press.

Murray State professor dies after short illness

Dr. Dardy Hassell, professor of biological sciences at Murray State, died Saturday at Murray-Calloway County Hospital after a short illness.

Hassell, 52, served as a faculrepresentative on the University Board of Regents from 1971-1974.

Before his death, Hassell worked on the use of videos and computers in the classroom and on a data base system for the department, said Dr. Joe King, chairman and professor of biological sciences.

Hassell, an ecologist, received

his master's degree at Memphis State University and his doctorate of philosophy in biology from the University of Kentucky. He was also a Korean

Born Aug. 11, 1935, in Searcy, Ark., he was the son of Mary Jeffett Hassell Martin and the late Marion Hassell.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Betty Wood Hassell, and one son, John Hassell, Murray; his mother, Mrs. Mary Martin, and one sister, Mrs. Mary Ayers, Knoxville, Tenn.

Funeral services were Tues-

day at 11 a.m. in the chapel of J.H. Churchill Funeral Home. Dr. Greg Earwood officiated.

Pallbearers were Dr. Ronnie Babb, Dr. Grady Cantrell, Dr. Joe Rose, Larry Contri, Dr. Harold Eversmeyer and Dr. Joe King, Burial followed in Murray Memorial Gardens.

"Dr. Hassell was just a good person. He had a lot of concern for his students," King said.

The family requests that expressions of sympathy be in the form of donations to the department of biological sciences scholarship fund.

Regents to discuss proposed budget at Wednesday's meeting in Frankfort

Kentucky's proposed biennial budget and its meaning to the University will be discussed at the Board of Regents meeting Wednesday in Frankfort.

Board members will have an opportunity to have a luncheon with some West Kentucky legislators and to discuss concerns with them.

In other business, a recommendation will be made to adopt policies on "educational business activities." President Kala M. Stroup said some concern has developed nationally over universities unfairly competing with local businesses.

The distinction can be small between being a service to students and being competition to businesses, Stroup said. For summary from OVC and tion was questioned in Richmond over an Eastern Kentucky University pizza operation, she said.

Although no similar problems have developed here, "we thought we needed a policy," Stroup said.

The proposed policy states that "the profit motive shall not be the primary consideration in a decision to engage in an educational business activity."

Other items on the Board's agenda include a:

discussion on a possible earnings tax in Murray. recommendation for some departmental name changes.

example, the level of competi- NCAA meetings and a report on athletic expenditures

report on desegregation

recommendation that Sandra M. Rogers be appointed executive secretary to the president.

recommendation to approve an expenditure of \$139,300 from the University's Consolidated Education Repair and Renovation Fund to work on priority projects before the end of fiscal 1988.

The Board will meet in the Capital Plaza Hotel in Assembly Ballroom B at 8:30

Coverage of minority issues topic of forum

Two minority staff members from The Nashville Banner will speak at an open forum on the media's coverage of minority

Rickey Hampton, sports writer, and Renee Hampton, community affairs director, will speak Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the Ohio Room of the Curris

The forum, sponsored by the Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi, is in conjunction with the American Society of Newspaper Editors,

Minority Professionals-in-Residence program.

"This forum not only meets our requirements as a chapter of Sigma Delta Chi," said Todd Ross, chapter president, "but also allows an important issue to be discussed before the entire campus. This is not aimed just at journalists.'

Ross said that the subject of the speech tends to lean toward journalism majors and minorities, but the underlying issues are applicable to all

Ann Landini, faculty adviser

for SDX, said the Hamptons will speak to journalism classes on Wednesday and Thursday but that the open forum allowed students who were not in journalism classes an opportunity to hear the two minority professional journalists.

"We know our journalism students will benefit from being a part of the ASNE's Minority Professionals-in-Residence program, and we wanted to provide an opportunity for other MSU students to meet with the Hamptons," Landini said.

The Murray State News

encourages students, faculty and staff to show their support for higher education by attending the rally in Frankfort on Tuesday.

Join thousands of other voices from across the state to express your concern for the future of higher education.

2 p.m. (EST) March up Capital Avenue sponsored by Student Advocates for Higher Education.

3:30 p.m. (EST) Rally at Capital Plaza Dudgeon Civic Center Arena

Rally sponsored by Kentucky Advocates for Higher Education

seek Chinese exchange

By LEIGH ANN AKIN

Staff Writer

Eight Murray State faculty members have applied for the faculty exchange program with the Yunnan Normal University in Kunming, China.

Coy Harmon, dean of libraries, said that Yunnan Normal University is seeking people who teach English, British and American literature and American history

"A lady from the United States, who was teaching at Yunnan Normal University, picked up a higher education journal," Harmon said. "In this journal was an article on Murray State University's international exchange."

The woman contacted Tracy Harrington about the faculty exchange program with Yun-nan Normal University, Harmon said. Harrington is the director of the Faculty Resource

Harmon said the two universities kept in touch by mail for about a year. He said he and Charlotte Beahan went to Kunming in the summer of 1987 to see about an exchange program.

During the first week of November, Wu Jicai, the president of Yunnan Normal University, came to Murray State University, Harmon said. At that time, an agreement was reached and the University Board of Regents aprroved it.

Harmon said the two universities have a very similar background. He said that both schools began as teaching colleges.

Yunnan Normal University

has a population of about 5,000 students and serves the rural population of Kunming, Harmon said.

Each faculty member participating in the program will receive their salary from their university, Harmon said, and the school receiving the faculty member will pay the air fare, small monthly expenses and room and board for the semester.

Peter Whaley, professor of geoscience, said he was interested in going to Kunming because China contains onefourth of the world's population. He said that the United States needs answers to some ques-tions they might very well find in China.

"China has many geological problems that need investigation," Whaley said.

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Student need convinces counselors to initiate eating disorder program

By JENNIFER MCKIRCHY Staff Writer

An eating disorders group has been started on campus because of the number of people affected by such disorders.

"We are getting more and more calls from people on campus with eating disorders," said Eilleen Portner, a counselor at the Counseing and Testing

The group is being started by Portner and Connie Boltz, another counselor at the center. Portner said there are one million people in the United States with eating disorders.

Boltz said that the group's goal is to offer therapeutic support for individuals experiencing difficulties with food. "We are a support group - no set agendas," Boltz said.

Portner said that problems with food can range from being severely underweight (selfstarving or anorexia) to being severely overweight. She said this also includes bulimia or an abnormal craving for food.

"Our approach is to welcome all individuals who are experiencing difficulty in their lives concerning food and issues of control," Portner said. "It is not our intention to label individuals but to provide a therapeutic atmosphere where they can discuss their problems and concerns with their peers."

Portner and Boltz said that members of last semester's group expressed the desire for the group to continue meeting. They said they have also heard requests from individuals with eating disorders to start a

The group meets Thursdays at 3 p.m. at the Counseling and Testing Center in Ordway Hall.

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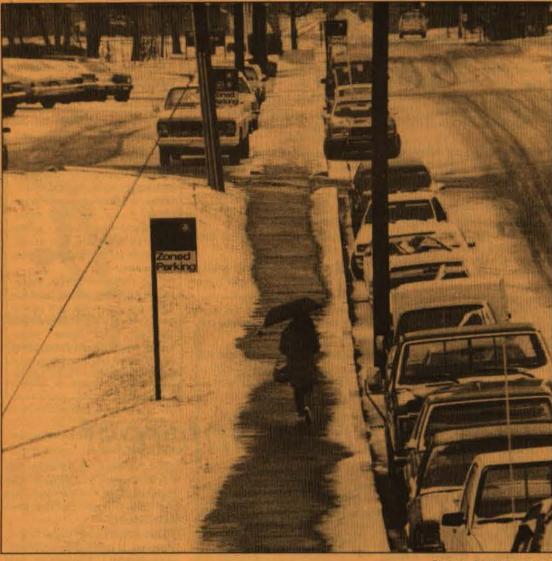


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A LONE STUDENT walks toward Regents Hall during the snowstorm that hit Murray Thursday.

TKEs expand, look for new house; Phi Taus have charter suspended

By JOHN R. WATSON Staff Writer

One Greek fraternity's future has brightened during the 1987-88 school year while another fraternity's future has

Tau Kappa Epsilon's Zeta Chi chapter saw their numbers grow as spring rush added five new associate members to the chapter, said Shannon

Chambers, TKE president. Phi Kappa Tau's Delta Pi chapter, however, had its charter suspended by the na-tional fraternity during the first week of December.

David Grady, former Phi Tau chaplin and vice president of alumni relations, said that most of the Delta Pi chapter's pro-blems stemmed from financial situations because of the chapter's house payment.

"The house payment was \$1,050 a month and then we had liability insurance on top of that," he said. "With our low numbers we simply couldn't afford it.

At the time the charter was suspended, there were approximately 20 active members.

"If we had gotten out of the house the year before (1986) we probably would have been able to stay together," Grady said.

During the first week of December advisers from the national office visited the chapter and informed them of the decision to suspend the chapter's charter, Grady said.

"They tried to make it appear as something we could vote on, but in truth the decision had already been made," he said. 'We had a change in national directors and I've been told that when that happens it is usual for one or two of the weaker chapters to be suspended."

Grady said the advisers told them that by simply suspending the charter and not revoking it would allow the fraternity to try and return to the campus in about two to three years.

Scott Kunau, director of publications for the national fraternity, and John Green, executive director, would not comment on the decision other than that the charter had been, 'suspened and not revoked or pulled.

The TKE's are in the process of rebuilding their chapter. "What we are trying to do now is to establish more chapter unisaid Shannon Chambers, TKE president.

Tau Kappa Epsilon is the largest fraternity in North America with over 305 chapters located in the United States and Canada, Chambers said.

"We took five associates this semester and hope to have about 20 brothers active for the fall 1988 semester," Chambers said. "This spring, and over the summer, we will be looking at houses to rent for the chapter."

Chambers said national advisers visted Murray last fall and noted that the chapter's rush program was finally headed in the right direction and believed numbers would

In addition two TKE members won national awards for their academic work last fall, national advisers said.

David Dwayne Black was named a recipient of the Top Chapter Scholar Award and Michael Lowell Turner was named the winner of the Top Associate Member Award by the TKE Educational Foundation, Inc. Black is from Lafayette and Turner is from Carthage, Tenn.

The foundation recognizes those members of the fraternity who achieve outstanding scholastic accomplishments. The recognition is part of the SOAR campaign, an acronym for success, organization, resources and attitude.

Chambers said their chapter was contacted by the Phi Tau national office about the possibility of the TKE's renting the Phi Tau's house at 917 N.

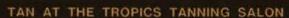
"We were not willing to pay the amount of rent per month that their organization was requesting," Chambers said. Right now we are wanting to rent a house, but the size and length of time we would be at that location would depend on our numbers.

Chambers said the fraternity is planning its sixth annual Keg Roll to benefit St. Jude's Children Research Hospital in Memphis, Tenn. Last year the activity raised over \$4,000 through pledges per mile, from Murray to Memphis, for the hospital.

One factor that Chambers at. tributed to the rise in TKE members locally is support from alumni.

"Two people that stand out are Jesus Menendez, a 1959 charter member of the Murray chapter, and Matt Kooney," he

"Menendez donates money to the university each year and has a son, Mark, also a TKE alumni, working toward a master's degree in biology," Chambers said. "Kooney was selected Greek Man of the Year while at Murray State and is working for NASA in Huntsville, Ala."









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Out in the fog

TWO STUDENTS stand outside the Carr Health Building while morning fog blankets the campus.

'Volatile atmosphere' leaves three hurt, no charges filed

Three people suffered minor injuries as a result of several fights that erupted outside Racer Arena Saturday night, said Capt. Carl Martin of Public Safety.

The fights began after the men's basketball game between Murray State and Austin Peay State University.

A Murray resident and a Clarksville, Tenn., resident, neither Murray State students, were treated and released at Murray-Calloway County Hospital, Martin said. One Murray State student was also injured, he said.

The confrontations developed because of the "rivalry between Murray State and Austin Peay in that both of them were real close to being OVC (Ohio Valley Conference) champions," Martin said. "The atmosphere inside the arena was volatile."

He said one argument that developed into a fight inside the arena just before halftime resulted in two people being escorted outside.

Six uniformed Public Safety officers, three Racer Patrolmen and two Murray police department officers were on hand to calm the crowd and break up fights, Martin said.

"It could've been a real bad situation," he said.

The incidents are still under investigation. No charges have been filed.

One officer reported the theft of his radio while trying to break up a fight.

Martin said more officers will be at upcoming home games. "We're going to be geared up now," he said.

Phones die

Murray State has had a communication problem this week.

A power surge Jan. 11 caused power supplies to be weakened, including the one operating the campus telephone system, said Jim DeBoer, director of computer and information services.

The weakened power supplies have caused some telephone problems since then, DeBoer said, but not to the extent of the problems this week.

The contractor who maintains the telephone system does not have enough spare parts to fix the problems, DeBoer said. Some parts came in Thursday morning and efforts are being made to keep telephones running, he said.

WPHD silenced by lack of funds, interest

By MARK COOPER Staff Writer

WPHD, the student radio station, has been off the air since last year and will likely remain that way, said Mike Young, coordinator of student activities.

The station, traditionally operated by students, has broadcasted to the dormitories since 1982 but has met with some problems of late, Young said.

"I don't see the station going back on the air this semester unless there are some major changes," he said.

Several pieces of station equipment have broken down, including one of the two turntables, a tape deck and several electronic switches, Young said.

A lack of student interest stems from an "identity prosince the beginning, said Jimmy Carter, director of the Curris Center.

"No one knew who WPHD was," Carter said. "There was no format at the station, so people came in and played what they wanted to play. From 1-3 p.m., we had Christian contemporary music and from 3-6 p.m. we had heavy metal."

Ron Ruggles, a freshman from Paducah and sound and lights chairman for the University Center Board, has been trying to repair the equipment this semester without much success, Young said.

WPHD originally broadcast from the first floor of the Curris Center to the dormitories at about 20 watts per channel.

The station, which cost \$25,000 to build, was donated

by former University president Constantine Curris at the urging of the Student Government Association president, Carter

The radio station was to provide students a creative outlet along with practical working experience in the field of broadcasting that WKMS, the other University radio station, could not offer, Carter said.

"President Curris liked the idea of a student-run radio station because WKMS has never really been for the student," Carter said. "Students can listen to it (WKMS) but very few students get to work there. The station has a different mission than a student station would have."

The biggest problem the station suffers is a lack of operating funds, Carter said. Since its beginnings, WPHD has relied on funds from advertising to cover operating expenses, he said, but those funds are no longer available because of stiffer competition from outside radio stations and the student's lack of interest in the station.

"When you do a record giveaway and the first six calls come from the game room, then you know that you're not getting it," Carter said.

Efforts to turn the station over to the department of journalism/radio-TV for use as a "laboratory" have not been successful, although that would be the easiest way for the station to reach its potential, he said.

"The way I see it, the department's audio classes could run the boards while the sales classes could sell ads," Carter said. "If they could come up with enough money for maintenance, office supplies and little things like that, they could run it."

The journalism department, however, is just too undermanned to commit to the project, said Dr. Robert McGaughey, chairman of the department.

"I am planning to sit down with Jimmy and talk about it," McGaughey said, "but we are understaffed as it is. There's no way we can do it right now."

Despite this, Carter said he believes the station has a chance to be an asset for the University with some organized backing and funding for operational expenses.

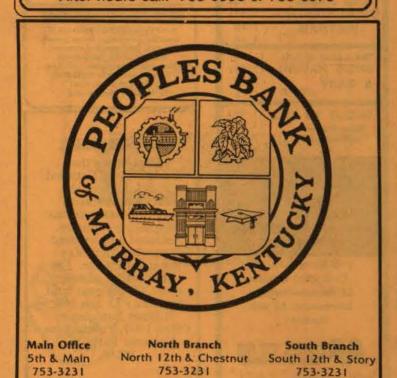
"It's not going to be another WAAW or Z-100," Carter said, "but there's got to be something that the station can provide to Murray State students."

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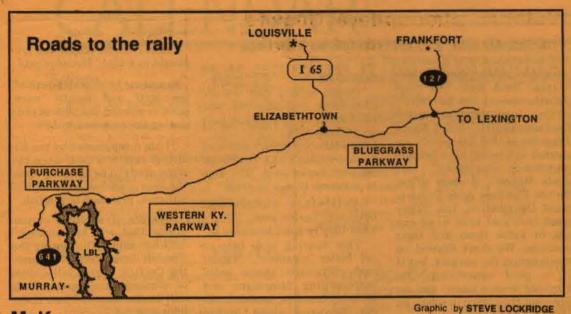
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McKenney-

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When it was time to choose a student to speak at the rally, organizers "didn't spend a minute (deciding) on who it was going to be," Stroup said. "They remembered her (McKenney)."

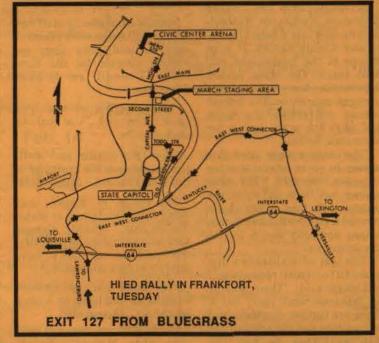
McKenney said the factor that makes her speech most challenging is that everyone will probably already have an idea of what she will say. "I've got to say it in such a way that it won't sound trite and boring to them," she said.

In high school, McKenney competed on the speech team. She also competed on the University's team where she qualified for national competition one year.

However, experience will not totally alleviate nervousness. "I probably will be scared the day I give the speech," McKenney

She said she has revised her speech four times and has spent about 20 hours preparing.

"The hardest thing about it in practical terms is waiting to get it done...the way your stomach



turns while you're waiting to speak," she said.

Stan Chauvin, a Louisville attorney, will speak on behalf of alumni and parents. Dr. Beverly Davenport Sypher, an associate professor at the University of Kentucky, will speak for faculty, instructors and researchers. McKenney's speech will follow theirs. All are scheduled between 5:30 and 6 p.m. EST at the Dudgeon Civic Center Arena in Frankfort

The rally is sponsored by the Kentucky Advocates for Higher

Applications due soon for staff awards

Staff Excellence Awards is Tuesday.

Awards will be given to eight outstanding staff members. This includes all non-faculty employees in the categories of secretarial/clerical, general, physical plant and ex-

sional. The nominees must have been employed for at least three years with Murray State.

Two awards of at least \$500 will be presented to each of these groups.

Staff members, faculty and

The deadline for University ecutive/managerial/profes- students can nominate staff members. Nomination forms are available in the offices of the vice presidents, deans and Student Government Association. Forms may also be obtained at the Curris Center information desk and from any Staff Congress member.



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ing card programs Murray State uses to recruit students are going to suffer as a result of the budget cuts."

Medlock said he thought the journalism and safety, health and engineering departments' accreditations could be hurt by the cuts. "Foreign languages, where my major is, are already hurting," he said.

Departmental programs are not all that will be hurt by the budget if it is passed. Johnny McDougal, director of student financial aid, said that some financial aid will be hurt indirectly by the budget and some will be hurt directly.

"Student financial aid from the state comes from the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA)," McDougal said. "They administer grants, loans and work-study programs that help college students. Their operating funds affect what we get

"The money in the state grant program would not be detrimental to students at Murray State," McDougal said. "There may be even more money there and more students in the program. Private schools, however, may have their Kentucky tuition grants plus the KHEAA grants reduced."

"The Kentucky Distinguished Scholar Program has zero in its budget," McDougal said. "This program recognizes the academically elite students. There are currently five students at the University at \$7,000. There is no longer money for that."

"The largest, most disturbing effect on students is the elimination of the Commonwealth Work-Study Program," McDougal said.

The Commonwealth program is run out of the Placement Service Office in Ordway Hall and involved 92 students during 1987-88 school year at \$122,887.

The Commonwealth system is a financial aid program that was started in 1984 by the KHEAA, said Lynn Richard, director of the Cooperative Education Program and Placement Services.

"It (the Commonwealth program) is a state-funded program for state residents," said Jan Kind, director of the program. "We use our funding to reimburse employers in the business community."

Kind said they reimburse the employers \$1.50 for every hour worked by students. She said employers can be anywhere off campus, but the jobs have to be career related for the students.

Kind also said the program is structured so that students work in businesses that are within commuting distance of school or home if they work during the summer.

"We have had students who had very good summer jobs and their employers have stated that they were selected for that position because they were able to receive that \$1.50 per hour reimbursement," Kind said.

Employers have even created positions for students in the summer when they would not normally have those positions open because of the reimbursement.

The students made \$122,887 and out of that total it cost the state \$56,700 to generate those wages, Kind said. The wage reimbursement was \$46,869.

"One good thing about the Commonwealth Work-Study Program is that the people we started out using have become permanent employees," said Andy Bennett, finance officer for the Purchase Area Development Distribution, Inc. "They work here part time so we can get to know them and their abilities. We don't depend on the program for workers, but it is a good opportunity for students to earn money and apply what they learn in school on the job."

McDougal said the Higher Education Assistance Authority is divided into a federal agency and a state agency. It is in charge of the guaranteed student loans. The state agency determines how many loans they can guarantee. The federal agency guarantees the loans and pays the state agency an allowance, he said.

"The state agency uses this money to cover administrative expenses," he said. "The state agency has been self-sufficient because of this. They have created a reserve fund with this money and they use it to run the programs.

"The last administration dipped into that reserve," McDougal said. "There will be no problems next year, but if there are further shortfalls and budget cuts and the administration continues to tap the reserves, then it could impact the whole state agency operation."

Faculty/staff-

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we can continue as an institution.

"People believe that we are

"People believe that we are prosperous and that we just need to cut back. This just isn't so," Stroup said.

"It's time for faculty and staff to say we don't like what's going on," Taylor said. "It's time to put some things in place."

Legislators understand numbers, Taylor said. "That's what they're most sensitive to.

"This meeting is to help us get better organized," Taylor said. "Through phone calls, letter-writing campaigns and personal contacts, we can make our concerns about higher education known."

Specific examples by staff and faculty will make more effective appeals, said Gary Cox, executive director for the Kentucky Council on Higher Education.

"Make appeals on what you know," Cox said. "Use real-life examples."

"You (the faculty and staff) can put faces on the examples of this that I cannot," Stroup said.

The issue is deeper than money — education is at stake, Taylor said. "Quality elementary and secondary education is worthless if we don't have quality higher education."

"The state can't go forward without an emphasis on higher education," Stroup said.

The budget cut comes at at a time when Murray residents face a possible earnings tax, said Donna Herndon, president of Staff Congress.

"Murray State employees are caught in a vice," Herndon said.

Reactions by the members of the staff and faculty were positive toward the plan of protesting the proposed budget.

"I am disappointed by the notion of cuts at a time when the state needs to be catching up in the area of education," said Bill Lalicker, professor of English.

"I know of a couple of programs that will be canceled," Lalicker said. "This spring the English department is sponsoring the first annual colloquium of scholars in composition. It will be the first and last if the budget is cut."

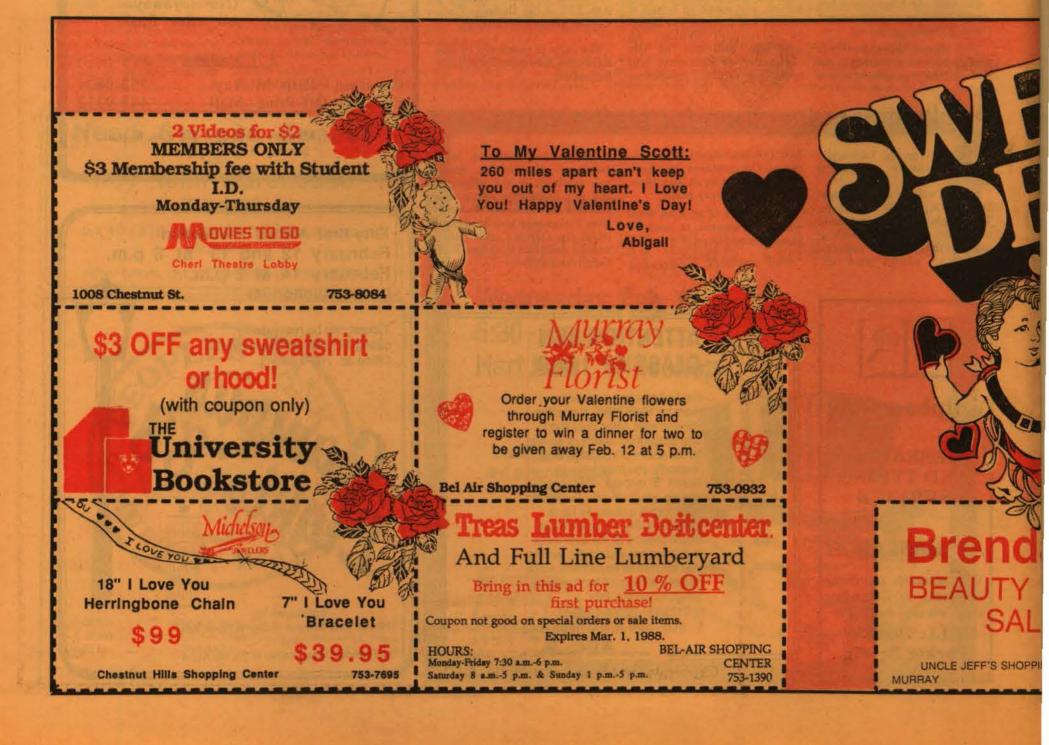
The budget cuts could lead to personnel cuts or extended freezes, said Linda Schumer, in charge of resident hall programming.

"When there is a freeze on a job position, the people who stay behind have to work twice as hard to cover the position." Schumer said. "This affects morale."

"I think that action is needed because you have to let people know that you care," Schumer said.

"It is extremely important that the legislators and Wilkinson understand the urgent need for a higher level of funding for higher education," said Jetta Culpepper, associate professor of libraries.

"The library has not had a budget increase since 1980," Culpepper said. "Inflation has taken over \$100,000 out of that."



LENDAR

Friday

Feb. 12

African Art Exhibit. Ordway Hall Lobby, 9

"Sportsman's Expo and Sale '88." Expo Center, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. \$3. 762-5442 for information.

Drug Awareness Week Sportsnighter. Carr

Health, 7-11 p.m. Dinner Theater. "The Farce that Takes Place when the Lights Go Out." Boston Tea Party, Holiday Inn, 7 p.m. Performance will begin at 8 p.m. 759-1752 for reservations.

Campus Lights. Lovett Auditorium, 8 p.m.

Saturday

Comprehensive Test of Basic Skills. Curris

FCC Amateur Radio License Examinations. Room 208 N Applied Science Building, 9 a.m. \$4.55, 762-6897 or 753-7870 for information. Showtime. Bowling Party. Sign up in Curris Center at 1:30 p.m. by calling 762-4458. Parent's Night Out. Carr Health, 6:11 p.m. For

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Campus Lights. Lovett Auditorium, 8 p.m.
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"Sportsman's Expo and Sale '88." Continued.

Sunday

Feb. 14

Campus Lights. Lovett Auditorium, 2 p.m. Annual Fund Phonothon. Feb. 14-18. 6-9 p.m. Residence Hall Basketball. Carr Health, 6:30-10:30 p.m. Dinner Theater, Continued.

Monday

Feb. 15

Sweat 30 Aerobics. Carr Health, 12:30 and

Rehabilitation Club meeting. 420 Wells Hall, Lady Racer Basketball. Youngstown State

Racer Arena, 5:15 p.m. Student Aerobics, Carr Health, 6:30 p.m. Intramural Basketball, Carr Health,

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ONCOLOGY PROGRAM

The West Kentucky Oncology Nursing Society will meet at 7 p.m. on Feb. 15 in Classroom 2 of Lourdes Hospital. The program, presented by Roger Perry, attorney, will be on "Legal Issues for Oncology Nurses." Two contact hours of continuing education will be awarded to R.N.'s who attend. Call 442-1310 for information.

RESEARCH GRANTS

Guidelines for the Committee on Institutional Studies and Research's regular research grants and MSU presidential research fellowships for MSU faculty and staff are available from the Chair of CISR in Room 104 or 205 Wilson Hall or by calling 762-2591 or 762-2408. The deadline for application is Feb. 24 at 4:30 p.m.

TAX ASSISTANCE

A Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program is being offered free to students that need help in filing their Federal and State income tax returns. Sessions are being held in room 307 of the Business Building from noon-4 p.m. every Friday from Feb. 12-April 15. Sponsored by the Department of Accounting, Beta Alpha Psi, and Murray State Accounting students.

DINNER THEATER

The Playhouse in the Park will present "The Farce that Takes Place when the Lights Go Out" as its dinner theater production at the Boston Tea Party, located in the Holiday Inn at 8 p.m. on Feb. 12-14. The buffet dinner will be available at 7 p.m. Call 759-1752 for reservations.

Tuesday

Feb. 16

Staff Excellence Award Deadline. Submit by West Kentucky Market Hog Show. Expo

Modern Mission of the Safety Profession Seminar, Curris Center, 1 p.m. \$20, 762-2488

Epsilon Phi Tau, Education & Technology Honor Society, general meeting, 203 S Ap-plied Science Building, 4:30 p.m. Persons in-terested in joining are encouraged to attend. Circle K meeting. Ohio Room, Curris Center, 6

Intramural Basketball. Carr Health.

Coffeehouse. Singer/Comedian Chris Brady

Faculty Recital, Farrell Recital Hall, Doyle Fine Arts Center, 8 p.m.

Wednesday

Feb. 17

Resume Deadline. For pre-screening of Ac-

counting majors by Equicor for Audit Assistant positions. Submit to Placement Office.

Kristina Burton and Cindy Simmons Exhibit, Clara M. Eagle Gallery, Feb. 17-March 11. Open Raquetball Tournament entry deadline, 107 Carr Health.

Sweat 30 Aerobics. Carr Health, 12:30 and

Hazardous Waste - Managing the Problem. Curris Center, 1 p.m.

Movie: "Star Trek IV." Curris Center Theater, \$1-3:30 p.m. and \$1.25-7 and 9:30 p.m. with student LD.

Murray State Chess Club meeting, Mississippi Room, Curris Center, 6-10 p.m. Every

Student Aerobics. Carr Health, 6:30 p.m.
Talent Auditions. Hart Hall Coffeehouse,

Intramural Basketball. Carr Health,

"The Media's Coverage of Minority Issues." Ricky and Renee Hampton of the Nashville Ban-ner. Ohio Room, Curris Center, 7-8:30 p.m.

Thursday

Feb. 18

Tremco, Inc. Interviews, Chemistry majors for Laboratory Supervisor and Production Supervisor positions. Times pre-scheduled in Place

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Intramural Basketball. Carr Health, Foosball Singles. Curris Center Gameroom, 7

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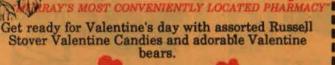
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Couples reflect on relationships

By RICK HUDSON

Staff Writer

Hearts, flowers and romance are on the agenda this weekend for many couples.

Valentine's Day gives couples the oppportunity to share their feelings about relationships.

One of the moments reflected upon by couples is the way that they first met.

"My friend Nikki was one of Kathy's pledge sisters and she introduced us," said Jim Ray, a freshman business major from Louisville.

Debbie Benningfield and Ben Taylor, both art majors from Louisville said, "We had an art class together but we never talked." "A friend of mine introduced us and Ben said 'Yea, she's in my art class," Benningfield said.

Some relationships are carried over from high school,

"Holly (his girlfriend) and I were friends during high school and then decided to start dating," said Kerry Evans, a pre-med/biology major from Rosiclaire, Ill.

Spending time together includes anything from sitting at home every night to games of skill.

"I guess we're basically couch potatos, but we'do go to concerts and movies," Ray said.

"I usually kick his (Ben's) butt at pool," Benningfield said.

"She occasionally wins at pool, only occasionally, rarely, maybe remotely would be a better word," Taylor said.

There seems to be more to these relationships than just dating. Romance plays an important part as well.

"She writes romantic poems and certain songs like Never Thought That I Could Love have special meaning to us," said Chuck Shockley, a freshman criminal justice major from Madisonville.

Jerry Wysocki, an art education major from Ypsilanti, Mich., and Kelly Greenway, an art major from Union City Tenn., have been dating for over a year.

"We're pretty romantic," Wysocki said. "We like going for walks at the

lakes and visiting the poor little animals at the humane society together," Greenway said.

What exactly is it that makes these relationships different or special?

"We have a lot of close times but we're still best friends," Ray said.

"I think that our relationship is a good one because we talk about the things that upset us about each other," Taylor said.

"The time that I've spent with Ben has been the most complete time I've ever spent with anyone in my life," Benningfield said.

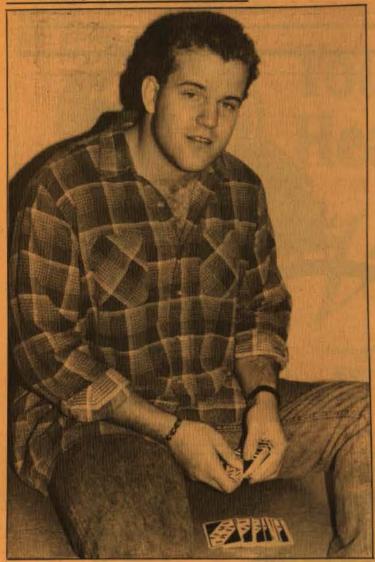


Photo by ALLEN HILL

PETE WHITMAN, a junior from Brandenburg, shows off his card game 'Chaos,' which he hopes to market nationwide.

Game whiz turns idea into 'Chaos'

By ALICE DOSS Staff Writer

Brandenburg, is a gambler.

in hobby shops and comic book novels, he said. stores in May, he said.

first game that I have invented games. that I felt good enough about to market," he said.

"I first came up with the idea cess of his card game. for this game during finals week of last semester," Whitman said. "It started out being a board game, but the cards got so good that I dropped the board

The marketing for the project started with lots of phone calls, Whitman said. "One month my phone bill was \$500.

The total marketing budget nationwide for the game will be \$20,000 to \$50,000 he said

Whitman is not one to sit back and let things happen. The art education major also began his own company, Whit Productions Inc., which is based in Bowling Green.

Based on how-to books and a \$3,500 boost from his parents, Whitman started his business. His future father-in-law gave him some office space to house his company, he said.

With the help of luck, Whitman met his financier and partner Harry Leff at Akiba, a summer camp that Whitman worked at in Readers, Pa.

The basic purpose of Whit

Productions is to incorporate small independent companies to keep competition down and to Pete Whitman, a junior from always have new and fresh ideas, he said.

The 20-year-old struggling en- Whitman's first addition to trepreneur is banking on his his Whitman Production staff card game called Chaos. If all will be a secretary and a woman goes well, the game will appear who writes science-fiction

Whitman said he is consider-He said he hopes to distribute ing producing a magazine that his game to larger chain stores would feature stories on like Wal-Mart. "Chaos is the science-fiction, role-playing and

But for now, Whitman seems to be concentrating on the suc-

"Chaos is the first card game of elimination where anything can happen," he said.

The game is designed to be played by two to six players, with partners or in tournaments.

Chaos is basically played like spades with the strategy of

Each player lays down a card within a certain suit or lays down a card to win the trick. The player with the lowest card in the trick loses a token unless the red card specifies otherwise.

The red cards have 16 different rules that change the play of each hand.

Chaos is not Whitman's first effort at inventing games. He started inventing games when he was in the ninth grade.

"My mind is constantly thinking and going over new ideas for games," he said. "I presently have four role-playing games that are 29 percent complete."

"I hope to one day be as big as Parker Brothers," he said.

Correction

A story in the Feb. 5 issue of The Murray State News reported that Rhonda Sullivan would enter medical school at the University of Tennessee at

Sullivan will enter the University of Tennessee Center for Health Sciences in Memphis.

The News regrets this error.



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WILLIE THOMAS, Tim Black, Faye Williams and Anne Randolph anchor during a practice session

MSU TV-11 changes format of spring news broadcasts

By MARK COOPER Staff Writer

The campus television station, MSU TV-11, selected news anchors for the season last week but students will not get to see any of them.

Not yet, anyway.

The new anchors will have to earn their spot on the air by first perfecting their show off the air, said Kim Underwood, a junior from Puryear, Tenn.

Under this year's system, the 19 news anchors are assigned to shows on either Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday. Underwood said the anchors are working on their broadcasting skills each week until the show is determined to be good enough for the public.

The exception to the rule is "TV-11 NewsWeekly," a comprehensive show that will cover important University events of the week and showcase the best news anchors at TV-11, she said.

Underwood said the additional practice time should really help this year's anchors.

"Last year, there was a problem with people who were just starting out not wanting to go on the air," she said. "This year, new people don't have to go right on the air."

The reason for the new system is a desire to upgrade the quality of the news programs from last year, said Michelle Babb, a senior from Sacramento.

The new system will also give the student anchors a goal to Anchors for the Wednesday work toward, Underwood said. newscast are Underwood as

'What we're trying to do is catch their attention. We want people to take us seriously '

-Babb

"This gives you an incentive in that if you really work hard, then you will go on the air," she said. "This new system will raise the level of quality of the department.

"This field is very competitive and you have to be very, very professional to be an anchor for any television station," Underwood said. "You really have to work hard."

"I have a lot of fun with the new system," said Willie Thomas, a senior from Detroit,

"Because you are not on the air, there is a lot less pressure. It allows you to learn how to relax on the air before you actually go on the air," Thomas

Anchors for the Monday show are Faye Williams, a junior news anchor from East Praire, Mo.; Tim Black, a freshman news anchor from Farmington; Anne Randolph, a sophomore weather anchor from Augusta, Mo.; and Thomas as sports

The new anchors for the Tuesday show include Alissa Pearson, a junior news anchor from Hopkinsville; Babb as news anchor; Mandy Murphy, a senior weather anchor from Paducah; and Anne Haynie, a sophomore sports anchor from Benton.

news anchor; Kelli Burkeen, a freshman news anchor from Murray; Harry Brubaker, a sophomore weather anchor from New Enterprise, Pa.; and Kim Twigg, a freshman sports anchor from Murray.

'This field is very competitive. You have to be very, very professional to be an anchor for any television station '

—Underwood

Backup anchors include Babb, Stacey Elgin, a senior news anchor from Hopkinsville and Elizabeth Fisher, a junior weather anchor from Mill Shoals, Ill.

The "NewsWeekly" show, which airs every Thursday at 6 p.m., is designed to offer "the very best that we have," Underwood said.

The show includes news, sports and weather segments and a "Perspective" segment narrated by Christina Howell, a junior from Hopkinsville.

The show also includes an interview segment with Dave Speelman, a graduate student from Oak Park, Ill.

The "NewsWeekly" show includes Murphy as news anchor; Amy Bryan, a junior news anchor from Murray; Jeff Turley, graduate weather anchor from Cadiz; and Dean Rowe, a senior sports anchor from Central City, Ky.

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THE DIUGUID HOUSE, located in downtown Murray, was one of the city's first brick buildings.

Landmark preserves part of Murray's early history

By JOHN K. MOORE

The history of the Diuguid House is one of tradition and mystery.

Completed between 1895 and 1899, the Diuguid House is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The house was the largest of the first brick first to be built with pressed brick and trimmed with stone.

It was designed by one of Paducah's most prominent ar-Whitehaven in Paducah, also listed on the Register

Edwin Diuguid and his family moved into the house in 1899. Diuguid was president of the Bank of Murray and the owner of Diuguid Furniture, located on the court square.

Helena and Lorene Celano, the current owners of the Diuguid House, said the last family member to live in the home was Diuguid's granddaughter. She was responsible for some major remodeling to the home about 20 years ago.

Some of the changes included enclosing the porches and modernizing the kitchen.

The most interesting change to the home was the addition of

closets. When the home was originally built, there was a tax imposed on the number of rooms in a home and closets were counted as rooms. That is who had died when he was why many older homes had free-standing wardrobes instead of closets.

Some of the original features of the home are still present tohomes in Murray and was the day, such as the hand-carved oak spiral staircase and the stained and etched glass window in the front hall. Much of the intricate oak woodwork and chitects, A. L. Lassiter. Lassiter rounded glass windows are also is also known for his work on original fixtures, as are many of the thick brick walls that make the home almost completely soundproof.

Diuguid's granddaughter sold the home to Edna Knight, who remained in the house until 1981. The house remained vacant for about six years until April 1987 when the Celanos came to Murray from Denver, Colo., and purchased it.

The Celanos opened the Diuguid House Bed and Breakfast in September 1987.

Upon moving into the house, the Celanos said strange things started to happen. Tools were misplaced, nails that had been removed from the wall were replaced overnight and shoes and brushes disappeared.

After hearing stories from neighbors about similar occurrences, the Celanos said they decided that Edwin Diuguid Jr., seven years old, was the "friendly ghost."

Perhaps, in some way, that friendly ghost has been a protector of the home.

After the Celanos began to renovate the home, they said they noticed that black soot covered many parts of the downstairs area.

Helena said she discovered that the black soot that had accumulated in the downstairs rooms was due to a malfunction in the ignition of the furnace.

The "ghost" must have been looking out for the home because the Celanos learned that the malfunction could have caused an explosion, she said.

After clearing up the furnace problem, the Celanos repaired the leaky roof and repainted and partially papered some of the walls.

Finally, the Celanos furnished the home with period furniture they purchased at auctions or had brought with them to Murray.

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Movie-goers can expect a variety of films in '88

By LISA CHAPPELL

The 1988 movie season has

Moviegoers can expect a wide variety of drama and comedy, studded with critically. acclaimed performances by such actors as Jack Nicholson, Cher and Meryl Streep.

Sunset, starring Bruce Willis and James Garner, is one such release. Willis appears as silent film star Tom Mix, opposite Garner as frontier marshall Wyatt Earp.

The action begins when Willis signs on to portray his hero, Earp, in the movies, and the real lawman is hired to act as the picture's adviser. They to track down a murderer stalking Hollywood.

World Gone Wild, starring Bruce Dern, Michael Pare and British rocker Adam Ant, takes a futuristic approach. Staged 100 years in the future, the story centers around a nuclear holocaust and the survival of a small community.

Cher's latest movie, Moonstruck, reveals the romantic entanglements of an eccentric Brooklyn family under the spell of a magical autumn moon. Nicolas Cage co-stars with Cher in the comedydrama.

Ironweed stars Jack become friends and join forces Nicholson as Francis Phelan, to track down a murderer stalk- an out-of-luck derelict, former ballplayer and gravedigger.

Phelan returns home to his family in October 1938, during Halloween and the Orson Welles' startling War of the Worlds broadcast.

Rent-A-Cop stars Burt Reynolds as an alleged crooked cop. He is kicked off the force and finds work as a "rent-aworking undercover as Santa Claus in a department store. Reynolds becomes involved in a scandalous murder case involving prostitutes (Liza Minnelli) and ex-cops.

Racers rebound to claim road win

By KEVIN PATTON

Sports Editor

When Austin Peay State University knocked the Racers out of sole possesion of first place in the Ohio Valley Conference Saturday, it looked as if the team's chances of a conference championship were in jeopardy.

Following their 74-71 loss to the Governors in Racer Arena, Murray State had to travel to Clarksville with their share of the OVC lead on the line.

Junior guard Don Mann said after Monday's game the team knew if they improved any from Saturday's game, their chances of a win would be good.

of a win would be good.

A combination of bench scoring, rebounding and defensive pressure helped the Racers improve enough to defeat the Governors 83-70.

Junior forward Linzie Foster led the bench attack with 11 points and 11 rebounds. The rest of the reserves scored 10 points and grabbed seven rebounds.

"We went from nearly zero help from the bench (in Saturday's game) to a significant turnaround," said head coach Steve Newton. "Linzie and Robert (McClatchey) had their best games of the year."

best games of the year."
Senior center McClatchey scored six points and had four rebounds, replacing senior center Carl Sias, who picked up four fouls.

The Racers out rebounded Austin Peay 41-37 despite the Governors size advantage with 6-foot-11-inch center Barry Sumpter. They managed to hold Sumpter to six rebounds and 13 points.

"We did a magnificent job on the boards," Newton said. "What do you do when you have a seven-footer in there. We just worked hard to contain the big fellow."

BASKETBALL

While shooting nearly 59 percent from the field, the Racers kept the Governors under 34 percent.

"Our defense enabled us to get offensive transition that we didn't have the other night," Newton said.

Junior forward Jeff Martin led the team in scoring with 29 points. Mann added 23 points and eight assists.

The lead seesawed throughout the first 11 minutes of the game. At that point Newton was called for a technical foul. For the remainder of the half, the Racers outscored the Governors 25-12 to give them a 42-27 halftime lead.

The Racers allowed Austin Peay to get back into the game in the second half and take a one-point lead with 12 minutes remaining.

"When you work as hard as



Photo by TIM NOLCOX

JUNIOR GUARD DON MANN, as he brings the ball down the floor, looks around Austin Peay guard Darrin Smith. Mann scored 31 points in the game and earned Ohio Valley Conference Player of the Week honors.

we did in the first half, you're bound to have a letdown," Newton said.

The rest of the game was controlled by the Racers, who built their lead up to 14 points with 34 seconds left.

Entering Saturday's game with a perfect record in the OVC, the Racers, who were unable to connect on critical free throws, were defeated by Austin Peay 74-71.

Murray State shot only 55 percent from the free throw line and only 47 percent in the second half.

"I think it was a game that could have gone either way," Newton said. "If we had it to do over, we wouldn't do anything different. We would just try to execute a little better in stress situations.

"We knew it was going to be a tough contest. It turned out to be just what we thought — their physical power inside versus our finesse," he said. "There was a lot of body on us on the perimeter. When the officials allow that kind of physical play out on the perimeter, it works to

the disadvantage of a finesse

Mann led the team in scoring with a career-high 31 points and in assists with seven. Martin added 23 points for the Racers.

The team failed to get another player in double figures.

The Governors jumped out to an early 8-0 lead. The Racers took their first lead with sixand-one-half minutes left in the first half.

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Racers hope to strengthen hold on OVC challengers

By MARSHALL SILLS

Sports Writer

With sole possession of first place in the Ohio Valley Conference, the Racers look to strenghthen its stranglehold on conference foes when they meet OVC newcomer Tennessee State University Saturday night in Nashville, and Youngstown State University Monday night in Racer Arena.

In their last meeting with the Tigers of Tennessee State in early January, the Racers won 99-84. However, the Tigers have since gained valuable conference experience and that has head coach Steve Newton concerned.

"They are a club with a lot of overall talent," Newton said. "They have played everyone well in the conference and they are a better team now."

One Tiger that must be tamed is 6-foot-8-inch guard-forward anthony Mason. He lends the OVC in scoring at 28.8 points per game.

"He plays anywhere on the court and is capable of having a good night," Newton said.

Although it is not customary for a team to look beyond its next contest, the Racers do have yet another tough test when the young but talented Penguins of Youngstown State come to town. This is Youngstown State's final season as a member of the conference.

The last time these two schools met was in late January. The Racers came away with a 87-62 win in Youngstown.

BASKETBALL

"It is their last time coming here, and they would like nothing better than to beat the conference leader on their last trip to Murray," Newton said. "They will make adjustments from the last game and we will have to be on the top of our game."

"Our road record is a real credit to the team," Newton said. "The fact that we have been able to go out on the road and win games says a lot about the maturity of our team."

The Racers possess the lead in the conference standings, but six conference games remain before there can be talk of a championship banner being hung in the rafters high above the court in Racer Arena.

"We want to get better and peak for the OVC tournament," Newton said. "We are keeping our eyes on our goals and we are keeping our minds on these goals, because getting to the top requires added and continual recommitment."

Photo by ROBIN CONOVER

LADY RACERS HEAD COACH Bud Childers looks to the scoreboard to check out the team's score. See the related story on page 18.

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YOUNGSTOWN STATE	2	5	
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Women follow formula to win

By RICKY THOMPSON

Sports Writer

The Lady Racers followed head coach Bud Childer's guide to success and defeated the Austin Peay State University Lady Governors consecutively in almost identically played games.

Childers said there were three things that the Lady Racers had to do to win. "We had to play good full court defense, run the court well and rebound," he said.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

The Lady Racers followed that equation and picked up two conference wins.

The team shot 48 percent from the field Saturday night to defeat the Lady Governors 93-72 at Racer Arena. Their shooting percentage remained high Monday night in Clarksville, Tenn., as they shot 51 percent and were victorious 94-74.

Junior guard Shelia Smith led the way in both games. Smith scored 30 points and had six rebounds in Saturday's victory and scored 28 points and grabbed nine rebounds Monday.

Sophomore forward Karen Johnson contributed 20 points, 11 rebounds and six assists at home, and at Austin Peay, scored 12 points with six rebounds and three assists.

"I think our team showed a lot of spunk," Childers said after Saturday's win.

"It's difficult to play the same team twice in 72 hours,' he said.

The Lady Racers ran the fast

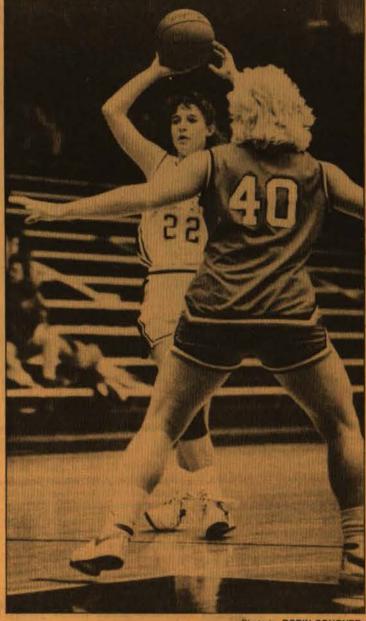


Photo by ROBIN CONOVER

JUNIOR GUARD RONA POE sets up the Lady Racers' offense in the team's game with Austin Peay State University Saturday.

break well in Monday's game. "This was the first time that we have run the break well on the road," Childers said.

"We are going to play for the second seed in the con-ference," he said. "We want to be 8-0 in February.'

Lady Racers set minds on second-place finish

By JEFF BURDGE

Sports Writer

The women's basketball team is getting prepared for a tough part of their schedule this week, traveling to Tennessee State University on Saturday, and then back home again Monday to face Youngstown State University.

WOMEN'S

"We really need to win at Tennessee State," assistant coach Sarah Evans said, "so we can get into a second place tie with Youngstown State before our game Monday."

Even though Tennessee State is 0-8 in Ohio Valley Conference play, the Lady Racers cannot take them lightly, Evans said.

Murray State will need to stop Katrina Pearson who is fifth in the conference in scoring, averaging 18.9 points a

"We can't afford to overlook

them (Tennessee State)," Evans said. "We'll just pressure the ball like we did last time and we should not have any problems.'

Junior guard Sheila Smith leads the Lady Racers in scoring and is fourth in the OVC with 23 points a game.

Freshman forward-center Michelle Wenning was named OVC Rookie of the Week and is third in field goal percentage.

"I think that we are one of the best teams in the conference," Evans said. "It's going to be hard to catch up with Middle (Middle Tennessee State University) since they have not lost yet, but by the time the tournament comes, we will be the team to beat.'

The Lady Racers have six more games to play before the tournament. Only the four teams with the best conference record will advance to the tournament.

"It's time for us to prove that we are the best team," Evans

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COMMENTARY

Kevin Patton



Sometimes the unexpected happens.

After a 74-71 homecourt loss to Austin Peay, the Racers chances of holding on to their Ohio Valley Conference lead were looking pretty dim, considering they were scheduled to travel to Clarksville to face the Governors again two days later.

I think a majority of students and Racer fans, although they may not have wanted to admit it, were skeptical about the team's chances in Clarkville. Even this writer, who is usually an optimist when it comes to Racer athletics, wasn't sure that the Racers could pull off the upset.

But there was one group of people who was confident, and that was the team itself. Before the game, I could sense that the Racers were ready for the battle, at least they were going to play better than they did Saturday night in Murray.

Saturday, the team got themselves in a hole, down 8-0. They made sure that didn't happen again and the teams played evenly for the first 11 minutes

of the game.

At that point head coach Steve Newton was charged with a technical foul. He said that he did not do it to fire the team up, but that's exactly what happened. With the Governor's center 6-foot-11-inch Barry Sumpter on the bench with three fouls, the Racers ignited for 25 points, while allowing 10 points for the remainder of the half.

With the start of the second half, Sumpter returned to the Austin Peay lineup and scored seven points before picking up his fourth foul and being taken out the game.

At that point the Racers' lead had been cut to three. I thought that in order for the team to win they needed to add to their lead while Sumpter was on the bench, but that didn't happen,

Four minutes after Sumpter had been sent to the bench the Governors were still in striking

The Racers began to increase their lead, but with about six minutes left Sumpter strolled back onto the floor.

I was afraid that the Racer lead was in jeopardy and perhaps the OVC lead as well.

As it turned out, Sumpter was not a factor in the final moments of the game. It was like the Racers weren't aware the big guy was out there. In fact, during his final appearance in the game, he failed to score a point.

Before the season started people around the OVC were talking about how good Austin Peay was going to be with their "transfer connection." They not only picked up Sumpter from the University of Louisville, but also Andre Harris from Indiana University and Javin Johnson from the University of Oklahoma.

Harris and Sumpter, it was predicted, would be able to dominate the league with their size and ability and again send the Governors into the NCAA tournament.

After two games between the Governors and the Racers, I'm sure that the duo is not the best in the league.

Sumpter scored 29 points and grabbed 17 rebounds in the two games, while Harris was held to 19 points and 12 rebounds in the games. Compared to the Racers' "dynamite duo", that was small change.

Jeff Martin scored 52 points and had 13 rebounds in the games. Teammate Don Mann scored 54 points and dished out 15 assists - that's like having another 30 points. The Racer duo scored 106 points, 21 rebounds and 17 assists.

There is no doubt in my mind which pair of players are better. Despite all of the hype and expectations concerning Harris and Sumpter's domination of the games, the best players on the floor, and probably in the conference, were the "M & M

Ummmm...Martin and Mann. You never know what to expect.

Solo efforts highlight indoor meet at Indiana

By STEVE PARKER

The men's track team traveled to the Indiana University Invitational last weekend to compete against some of the country's best athletes.

TRACK

The Racers faired well in the meet as four team members turned in fine performances.

in the triple jump with a mark University of Mississippi, Ohio of 49-1 3/4. Also, Greene reach- State University, the Universied the semi-finals in the ty of Kentucky and nationally-55-meter hurdles.

Calvin Turnley did well in their the invitational. Turnley made it to the semi- University Saturday.

finals in the 55-meter dash.

The Racers' top performance belonged to Leigh Golden. Golden placed eighth in the 55-meter hurdles, but ran a personal best in the semi-finals.

According to assistant coach Damon Geiger, Golden's performance was impressive because of the level of competition at the

Although the indoor meet was not a team competition, runners Rolando Greene finished fifth from Indiana University, ranked runners from indepen-The Racers' Todd Henson and dent track clubs competed in

respective events. Henson ran a The Racers next meet will be 4 minute 26 second mile and indoors at Arkansas State

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Las Vegas wins open season

the 1988 spring season in fine school, the University of fashion during a swing out Nevada-Las Vegas 6-3. West.

The team went 2-1, while playing matches in Las Vegas, Nev., last weekend.

The Racers opened play with a 5-4 loss to Texas Tech University, but rebounded to win their next two matches.

They defeated the University

The men's tennis team opened of Oregon 8-1 and the host

TENNIS

"It was a really good start for us to go out there and win two of three games," said head coach Bennie Purcell.

Two singles players went undefeated during the three match road trip. Freshmen Mathias Arrfelt and Tomas Hult went 3-0 at the two and three seeds, respectively.

The second-seeded doubles team of Jonas Bergrahm and Hans Wold also won all three of their matches.

The team's next action will be in an eight-team tournament at Western Kentucky University

NCAA sectionals next on riflers' list

The Murray State rifle team heads into this weekend's collegiate sectional with only one goal in mind: to qualify for the national championship.

The sectional, hosted by Murray State, is one of 20 taking place nationwide. The scores from Saturday and Sunday's match will be sent to the NCAA selection committee, who will

choose the top eight teams to compete for the national championship, a title the Racers have won two of the past three years.

RIFLE

Coach Elvis Green said he believes his team will be ready for the weekend qualifications.

"I think the team will buckle

down and will shoot well. This is the type of match that brings out the best in people," Green

The sectional will feature Tennessee Tech University, the University of South Florida, the University of Tennessee-Martin and Murray State, four of last year's top 10 teams.

Team records fall at indoor meet at Indiana

The women's track team broke several school records during competition at the Indiana University Invitational.

Amy Anderson set a record in the high jump with a leap of 5-8 1/2, which was good for third

WOMEN'S TRACK

Jackie Murzynowski set a school record in the mile run with a time of 5 minutes, 7.37 seconds. She also broke the

record for the 3,000 meters with a time of 10:6.2.

In other events, the two-mile relay team, consisting of Missy Kelton, Molly Poehlein, Paula Beard and Nina Funderburk. placed fifth overall with a time of 9:52.7

Peay-

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Murray State built a ninepoint lead near the end of the half, but Austin Peay scored the final points of the half, cutting the score to 36-31.

Despite an early second half comeback by the Governors, the Racers regained their nine-

point margin with less than six minutes left on the game clock. Austin Peay took the lead for

good with about two minutes remaining in the game.

The Racers cut the lead to one, but was called for a technical foul for calling a timeout after they had used all of their allotted timeouts.

"I wasn't aware we were out of timeouts," Newton said, "and I should have been.'

The team was again able to cut the margin to one on a three-pointer by Mann with seven seconds left, but Austin Peay's Tony Raye was fouled and hit both free throws to secure the victory.



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