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Waiting to inhale

Tom Pforr, associate professor of respiratory therapy, waits to take a breath as Linda Yborra clinical director of pulmonary services at St. Mary's Hospital in Decatur, demonstrates the use of a plethysmograph and spirometer which were donated to Parkland's Respiratory Care program.

Learning from the justice system

by Ann Ward Prospectus Staff Writer

"I got interested in reading, and my light came on." — Robert Gayton.

"I have my cap on right. I know where I'm going." Allfonzo The.

"The work release program allowed me to try to put my best foot forward." Jeff Jackson.

The three men quoted above told Parkland students Monday about their experiences in the criminal justice system and its effect on their families. It was part of the discussion, the impact of the criminal justice system on the black family, held in the X200 lounge as part of Parkland's celebration of Black History Month.

Gayton said he was in an out of trouble, doing three and four-month sentences while trying to get rich quick. Then he was sentenced to 10 years.

The hardest thing for his family to deal with, he said, was not knowing if he was safe. "After I established to them that I was safe, that brought a little sentence in eight months. security to their minds."

Children are our most precious resource. 99

Gayton said his time in the Illinois Department of Corrections has changed him because there he has been turned on to educa-

The story of Malcom X, Gayton said, has given him hope and inspired him to

learn all he can. He plans to come to Parkland after he has completed his sentence and earned his

The, who will finish his said his jail time has been hard on his three children, especially on his son.

He said it hurts to talk with his children because "they want to be with me. and I want to be with them."

Jackson said that his jail sentence was hard on his family and that his brother seemed to grow up overnight.

"The work release program allowed me to try to put my best foot forward," he said. He has a better support system now with his new wife and stepdaughter, he said, and that helps to keep him from going back to jail.

Dorothy Randall, direc-LEARNING cont'd. pg. 2

Boneyard Creek fate soon to be decided

by Michael Sherwood Prospectus Staff Writer

Champaign City Council members will make a decision concerning the Boneyard Creek detention facility within two months, according to the city's top official.

"It's time to fish or cut bait," Champaign Mayor Dan McCollum told Parkland's Community Newswriting class last

McCollum said the city established the Boneyard Improvement Fund in 1988 and has been setting aside funds ever since.

In addition, the city's contract with an engineering firm developing the Boneyard plan has reached its second year and is too expensive to warrant further delay, said McCollum.

Scott Park is still the most likely site for the deep detention facility.

McCollum said the facility must accommodate 100 acre-feet of water (four acres in size and 25 feet deep), which would provide 25-year protection for campustown.

Scott Park encompasses approximately four acres.

If there were a facility developed in the Scott Park area, McCollum said, it would involve the intersection of Third and Healey as well.

"The whole area would be close to eight acres," McCollum said. The consensus, he added, is that it not be deeper than 30 feet.

The detention facility would possess a grass bottom similar to the city's other detention area on Eureka St.

Costs will range from \$10 million to \$12 million during the first five years to up to \$36 million for a "very extended period."

The University of Illi-

nois will rework the channel from Wright St. to Lincoln Ave. with funds acquired from the state. Costs of their project are estimated at \$6.7 million.

McCollum said the University has "built themselves into the problem" because of their encroachments on the creek over the years.

However, he labeled the Boneyard situation as ba-



sically Champaign's prob-

"It's water generated in the city of Champaign and we're responsible for it,"

Champaign will be responsible for a portion of Amtrak if Governor Jim Edgar has his way.

McCollum indicated that Edgar expects \$400,000 in station support from the cities Amtrak serves.

He said Edgar recently invited mayors from the cities involved to Springfield to describe options available. However, Edgar had already devised a plan.

McCollum likened the trip to the capitol as "bringing the sheep in to tell them what the shearing schedule would be."

He added that he's "very disturbed at the whole direction the state is taking. I don't think it has a surface transportation plan."

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News Briefs

PC hosts Farm Toy Show

Parkland College will host its 12th annual Farm Toy Show on Sat., Mar. 9, from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

The event, sponsored by PC's Agricultural Club, will feature the selling and trading of farm toys, a show contest, miniature farm displays, door prizes and refreshments.

There is an admission charge. Children ages six and under are admitted free of charge.

For more information or show space, call Bruce Henrikson at 217/351-2435.

Prairienet at Planetarium

Prairienet founder Dr. Gregory Newby will be the next speaker in the World of Science lecture series at the William M. Staerkel Planetarium at Parkland.

Prairienet and the Internet will be given on Fri., Mar. 1, at 7 p.m. There is an admission charge. Members of the Friends of the Staerkel Planetarium will be admitted free of charge.

Tickets will be available at the door. For more information: 217/351-2446.

PC Preview set for March 12

Residents of District 505 will have an opportunity to tour the campus and learn about the College's programs and resources during the next Parkland Preview Tues., Mar. 12.

The program is free and requires no registration. Participants should meet at the Welcome Center desk in the College Center at 10 a.m. or 6 p.m. for the 11/2 hour program.

Parkland Preview features brief presentations on career, transfer and special programs, as well as specifics on support services and financial aid. The program also includes a campus tour and a questionand-answer session.

For more information: 217/351-2509.

Nows and public affairs series

Lifelong learners are invited to attend a four-session program on current affairs, sponsored by Parkland's Lifelong Learning Institute.

Insights: News and Public Affairs will discuss special media sources, media bias and accuracy Mar. 7 and 21 and Apr. 11 and 25 from 10 a.m.-noon at the Anita Purves Nature Center, Urbana.

The series is free for Lifelong Learning Institute members and advance registration is required.

For more information: 217/351-2544.

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Ag-ers win honors at state conference

Three Parkland students received first-place rankings during a competition at the Illinois Post-Secondary Agriculture Student Organization (PAS) state conference in Peoria Feb. 9-10.

Tim Baker, Clinton, won first place in Ag Equipment, Noah Freeman, Lincoln, won first place in Plant Technology, and Staci Spencer, DeWitt, won first place in Animal Health during the Career Progress and Career Planning programs competition.

The three will go on to compete against contestants from 12 other states third highest individual

at the national PAS conference at Sioux Falls, S.D., in March.

Baker, Freeman and Spencer were three of 16 Parkland agriculture students who attended the conference, which also included a College Bowl competition, Agriculture Discussion Meet, prepared and impromptu speaking contests, and an ag computer contest.

During the Ag Discussion Meet, contestants displayed their abilities in an open forum discussion on the topic, "Handling Livestock Waste and Odor."

Freeman received the

score, and Aaron Nettleton. Foosland, placed fifth.

In team competitions, Parkland's agriculture computer team places second, with Jason Little. Rantoul, having the fourth highest individual score and Baker placing fifth.

Parkland's College Bowl team came in third.

Mike Kidd, Mansfield, and Matt McGrew, Fisher, acted as Parkland's official voting delegates during the Illinois PAS business activ-

Staci Spencer, a freshman agriculture student, was elected as Illinois PAS State Reporter.

Women from history come to PC Mar. 6

Parkland College continues a tradition by asking students, faculty, staff and the public to dress up as their favorite woman from history and come in character to a Woman's History Month reception Wed., Mar. 6, from 2-4 p.m. in the X220 Lounge.

Last year, Indira Ghamndi, Eleanor Roosevelt, Georgia O'Keefe, Margaret Mead, and Susan B. Anthony were among those who joined in the celebration and helped educate others about their lives and work.

This year, the Peggy Harris Memorial Recognition Award, honoring one or more career women from the community, will be presented for the first time.

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Thein receives Ryoti memorial scholarship

Minn Thein has been awarded the Jayne Ryoti Memorial Scholarship.

The scholarship is offered in memory of Jayne Rvoti, a former Parkland mathematics instructor.

To be eligible for the award, a student must have a GPA of 3.5 or above and be enrolled in a mathematics-related transfer pro-

Thein, of Champaign, is currently studying engineering science at Park-

He plans to transfer to the University of Illinois and is considering attending medical school.



Thein

Donations to the Jayne Ryoti Memorial Scholarship may be made in care of the Parkland College Foundation.

LEARNING.

cont'd. from front page

tor of the Urbana Commu- falls on the grandparents or nity Correctional Center, told the group that incarceration of the primary caregiver in a family can have a devastating effect on a child.

She also told the group that the number of women in jail has increased 53 percent in the past few years.

"Red, black, green, white, and brown children are our most precious resource," Randall said.

Care of the child of the

other relatives, causing the child to feel lost or abandoned, she said.

It is harder for grandparents to take a child in, according to Randall, because many older people are on fixed incomes.

Many families, Randall said, must resort to selling family heirlooms, taking out loans, and mortgaging their homes to keep their troubled children out of jail. And all this is someincarcerated person often times not enough, she said.

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Cups focus of Art Gallery show at Parkland

by Jessica Marksteiner Prospectus Staff Writer

Cups are a part of piece is Flora Cup, by everyday life, but a showing of cups in the Parkland Art Gallery is a long way from everyday.

Hands leaves and twigs furnish the motifs for a variety of cups.

One that seemed to attract the most attention was Ready-Made.

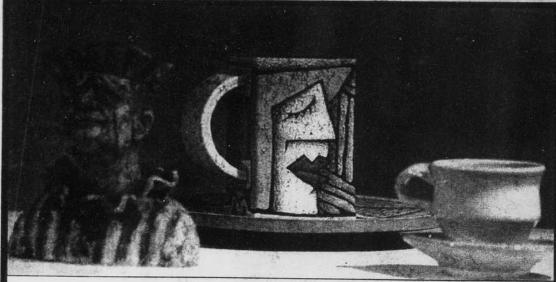
artist Ron Maazanowski, Ready-Made is a sculpture of two hands that form a cup. The piece seems so real, it's as if the hands are reaching out to the viewer.

Another interesting Katherine L. Ross, which looks as if it is comprised of sticks and leaves.

Point of View, by Bill Boysen, garners quite a few looks and second looks because shows two cups, both half-filled with

Created by Illinois what appears to be coffee but in reality is simply dried honey.

The show will continue through Mar. 29.



Tea Time

Above are a few of the many selected exhibitions now being presented in the Parkland Art Gallery's new show, "The Ceramic Cup". Left to Right: "Harlequin" by Marlene S. Miller made with earthenware, stain and oil paint; "Cup and Saucer with Designs" by Rimas VisGirda made with Ceramic; "Tea Dance" by Laura Barov made with Ceramic.

Senator of the Week

Name: Lea Hill Major: Education Where You Hail From:

Champaign

How Long Have You Been At Parkland: 2 years

Hobbies: Reading, talking on the phone, and

laughing.

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"Apollo 13"

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Best Actress:

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Best Supporting Actor: Ed Harris

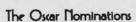
st Supporting Actress: Joan Allen

thony Hopkins

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Dest Picture: "Apollo 13," Babe, "Braveheart," "The Postman (Il Postino)," "Sense and Sensibility."

Actor: Micolas Cage, "Leaving Las Vegas"; Richard Dreyfuss, "Mr. Holland's Opus"; Anthony Mopkins, "Nixon"; Sean Penn, "Dead Man Walking"; Massimo Troisi, "The Postman (Il Postino)."

Actress: Susan Sarandon, "Dead Man Walking"; Elisabeth Shue, "Leaving Las Vegas"; Sharon Stone, "Casino"; Meryl Streep, "The Bridges of Madison County"; Emma Thompson, "Sense and Sensibility."

Supporting Actor: James (romwell, "Babe"; Ed Harris, "Apollo 15"; Brad Pitt, "12 Monkeys"; Tim Roth, "Rob Roy"; Kevin Spacey, "The Usual Suspects."

Supporting Actress: Joan Allen, "Nixon"; Kathleen Quinlan, "Apollo 13"; Mira Sorvino, "Mighty Aphrodite"; Mare Winningham, "Georgia"; Nate Winslet, "Sense and Sensibility."

Director: Chris Moonan, Babe": Mel Gibson, Braveheart": Tim Robbins, Dead Man Walking": Mike Figgis, Leaving Alan and Marilyn Bergman: "You've Got a friend" from "Toy Story," Randy Mewman. Las Vegas"; Michael Radford, "The Postman (Il Postino)."

Foreign Film: "All Things Fair," Sweden; "Antonia's Line," The Metherlands; "Dust of Life," Algeria, "O Quatrilho," Documentary Feature: "Anne Frank Remembered," "The Battle over Citizen Kane," "Fiddlefest," "Hank Aaron: Chas-Brazil; "The Star Maker," Italy.

Screenplay (written for screen): Randall Wallace, "Braveheart"; Woody Allen, "Mighty Aphrodite"; Stephen J. Rivele, Documentary Short Subject "Jim Dine: A Self Portrait on the Walls," "The Living Sea," "Thever Give Up: The 20th Christopher-Wilkinson and Oliver Stone, "Mixon"; Joss Whendon, Andrew Stanton, Joel Cohen and Alec Century Odyssey of Herbert Zipper, "One Survivor Remembers," The Shadow of Mate." Sokolow, story by John Laseter, Peter Docter, Andrew Stanton and Joe Ranft, "Toy Story"; Christopher. McQuarrie, Film Editing: "Apollo 13," "Babe," Braveheart, "Crimson Tide, "Seven." 'The Usual Suspects."

Screenplay (based on previous work): William Broyles Jr. and Reinert, "Apollo 13; George Miller and Chris Moo- Animated Short Films: "The Chicken from Outerspace," "A Close Shave," "The End, "Gargarin," Runaway Brain."

The V ow the top Oscar not ninees have done at the

Apollo 13," nine nominations, \$172.1 million.

ense and Sensibility," seven nominations,

labe," seven nominations, \$58.1 million. The Postman," five no minations, \$10.7 million. - Associated Press

Scarpelli and Massimo Troisi, 'The Postman (Il Postino)'; Emma Thompson, Sense and Sensibility."

Art Direction: "Apollo 15," "Babe, "A Little Princess," Restoration, "Richard Braveheart," 10 Osca r nominations, \$67 mil- (inematography: Batman Forever, Braveheart, A Little Princess, Sense

and Sensibility, "Shanghai Triad." Sound: "Apollo 13," "Batman Forever," "Braveheart," "Crimson Tide," "Water-

Sound Effects Editing: "Batman Forever," Braveheart, "Crimson Tide."

Original Song: "Colors of the Wind" from "Pocahontas," Alan Menken and Stephen Schwartz; Dead Man Walking from Dead Man Walking Bruce Springsteen; "Have You Ever Really Loved a Woman" from "Don Juan De

Marco, Michael Kamen, Bryan Adams-and Robert John Lange; "Moonlight" from "Sabrina," John Williams and

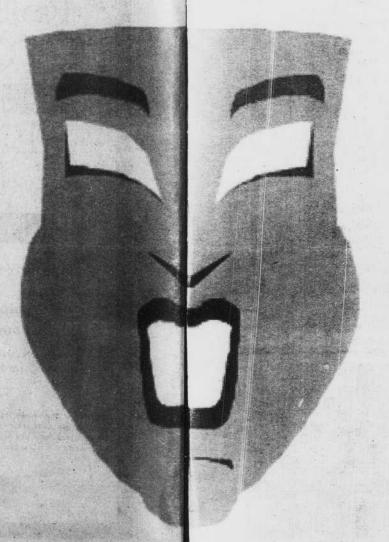
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ing the Dream," Troublesome (reek: A Midwestern."

Makeup: "Braveheart," "Restoration," "Richard III," "Sense and Sensibility," "12 Monkeys."

nan, "Babe"; Mike figgis, "Leaving Las Vegas"; Anna Pavignano, , Michael Radford, Turio Scarpelli, Giacomo Live Action Short Film: "Brooms," Duke of Groove, "Lieberman in Love, "Little Surprises," Tuesday Morning Ride."













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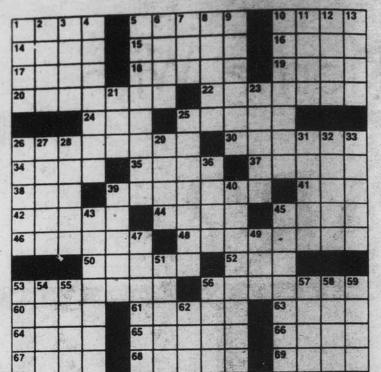
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- 17. Of the ear
- 18. Upper crust
- 19. French river
- 20. Tire type
- 22. Beinut's land
- 24. Sup
- 25. Old world finch
- 26. Regard with suspicion
- 30. Russian plan
- 34. Singles
- 35. Wander
- Courtroom drama
- 38. Convert into leather
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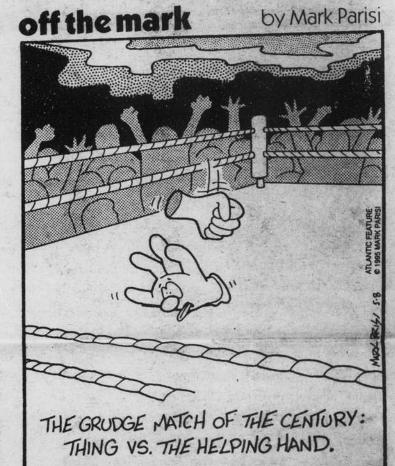
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- 60. Finished
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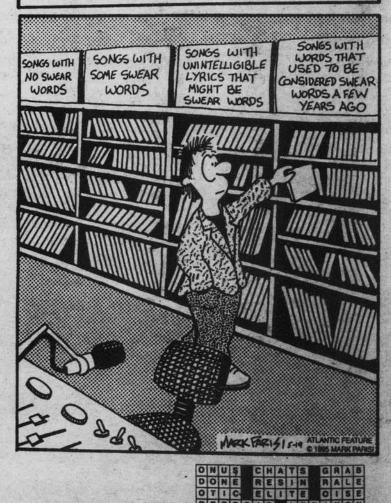
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- 2. Short letter
- 3. Distinct entity
- 4. Hidden things
- 5. Human being
- 6. Kept
- 7. "__ was going..."
- 8. Name
- 9. Villanous expressions
- 10. One expressing pain
- 11. Weather word
- 12. In addition
- 13. Auxiliary verb

- 21. Hearing organ
- 23. Posts on a ship's deck
- 25. colored, in a way
- 26. Engine
- 27. Silly
- 28. Logic 29. Shore bird
- 31. Michelangelo Statue
- 32. Peeled
- 33. Make happy
- 36. Small rugs
- 39. Filch
- 40. One granted permission
- 43. Along in years
- 45. Uesd an atomizer
- 47. Most arid
- 49. Exist
- 51. Follow after
- 53. Funny story
- 54. Sts.
- 55. Gore, e.g.
- 56. Paris
- 57. Knockout
- 58. Fundamental: abbr.
- 59. Impolite
- 62. Metal







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McCollum said inter-city transportation has always been the responsibility of the state and federal governments. He said it is "not what cities do."

Instead of the state building new roads, McCollum would like to see state revenue directed towards maintaining the existing transportation infrastructure such as Amtrak.

So at the Springfield meeting, McCollum proposed apportioning some of the revenue from the state fuel tax for support of public transportation. Kirk Brown, the Secretary of Transportation, dismissed it out-of-hand.

Champaign will delay construction of the proposed MTD bus terminal near the Amtrak tracks until it becomes clear exactly what burden Edgar's Amtrak plan will put on the

"I think the scale of the terminal will need to be reexamined," McCollum said.

While speaking of revenue, McCollum said he does not believe the new development on North Prospect Ave. is making the city any richer. The city's property tax base has gone up, he said, but sales tax "pays the freight."

He said the sales tax might take a jump but that the jump wouldn't be commensurate with the amount of development that has oc-

McCollum believes Champaign approached its market share saturation point after the development Market Place. If there we any room for growth afte wards, Walmart and San achieved it.

McCollum said it cost t city \$6 million to bui roads to service Nor Prospect, and now it nee to build a fire station to p: vide protection, at a co approaching \$2 million f the first year.

"You have to take in a of property tax to pay f all of that," McCollum sai

McCollum planned avoid yet another depleti of resources when he ask Urbana mayor Tod Satter waite to join him in aski the library boards of bo cities to consider alterr tives to the proposed co struction of new libraries

"Two new libraries in o metropolitan area does: make sense to me," McC lum said.

He declined to say he w in favor of merging braries but would say or that now is the time to co sider it.

McCollum said he alwa has been a proponent inter-governmental coop ation, up to and includi merger of the two cities.

There are numero inter-governmental agre ments that try to make t two-city system work no he said. He gave as exa ples: METCAD, which d patches for both cities fre one central location and t soon-to-be-completed sat lite jail, which will hance all booking operations f the twin cities and county

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Sports

Cobras reaching end to poor season

Hawthorne

by Brandon Lewis Sports Editor

The Cobra women continue their downward spiral losing two of their last three

71-43 to Kankakee Feb. 13, and 79-65 to Lakeland Feb. 15 before finally winning one 77-31 in a blow out over Lincoln Land Feb. 17

In action against the 23-2 Kankakee Cavaliers, the Cobras couldn't get any-

thing to go their way. The team made only 14 of 48 from the field while getting killed on the glass 37-22.

Only two players scored more than three points in the whole game,

Hawthorne with 14 and Stacy Terneus with 12.

The team overall was almost completely shut down in the second half only 18 scoring points.

Against Lake-Smith land, the Cobras played a much better game half. leading at the half 35-31. But the Cobras failed to put together a solid second half,

getting outscored by Lakeland 48-30 and ending up with their 18th loss of the season 79-65.

The Cobras once again were killed on the glass

pulling down only 40 boards to Lakeland's

This time Stephanie Poshard led the team's scoring attack with 22 points while Stephanie Huelsing chipped in with 12. The Cobras finally

got a chance to stop their losing streak with a trip to Springfield to face the rather young Lincoln Land squad which boasts only two sophomores, and they took full advantage of the oppor-

tunity.

Loggers Parkland's defense allowed Lincoln Land to make only nine shots from the field the entire game and only ten

points in the first The Cobras also cleaned up on the glass holding a 56-

With only eight games left on the schedule for Parkland's 11-11 men's

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basketball team, it was sink or swim when they hosted the 17-9 Kankakee Cavaliers. The Cobras elected to

swim, upsetting Kankakee

The greatly-outsized Cobras had to count on their outside game on both ends of the court, hitting 11 0f 28 from three-point-

land and allowing zero

three point shots from

their opponents. Jeremy Pettit led the

Liberty Pettit

long-range attack for the Cobras sinking five of his twelve three point attempts.

Sophomore Demetrious Liberty also played well on the offensive end, leading his team in scoring with 20 points as well as in assists with six.

Despite the great size disadvantage, the Cobras still managed to hold a 39-

Cobras conquer Kankakee Cavs 28 rebounding advantage by out hustling the Cava-

> The Cobras did a solid job of shutting down the Cavaliers on offense by keeping them off balance. The one player that gave Parkland problems was freshmen forward Elmer Harrison who led all scorers with 22 points and was unconscious from the field hitting 11 of 15.

The win should help vault the Cobras in the right direction for the stretch run coming up to end the regular season. It lifted the Cobras record back over the .500 mark to 12-11 on the season.

over the Lady Loggers.

Stacy Terneus once The Cobras again played well for the routed the Lady Cobras scoring 18 while 77-31. making 4 of 7 from the three point arc.

> Rantoul High product Tashia Smith also had a big game recording a doubledouble scoring 16 while grabbing 13 rebounds.

The blowout win raised the Cobras record to 9-18 on the season.

With only two games left 24 rebounding advantage this season before the Re-

gion 24 tournament, Feb. 23 at Vincennes College and at home Feb. 24 against Rend Lake, the Cobras will need some solid play from their bench as well as a balanced scoring attack if they want to end the season on a high note.



Oops...

Last week we mistakenly printed the Region 24 pre-season baseball poll before all votes had been cast by the coaches. We regret the error.

Due to mistaken information, Parkland was listed as fifth in the poll when in fact, they ranked third.

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