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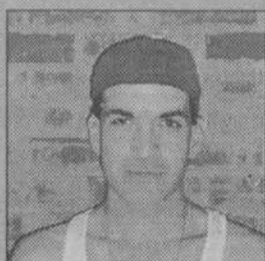
THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 10, 2001

What would you do with a purple polka dotted cow.



Aleah Wren

I'd make a bad pair of boots with a matching purse.



Joshua Costa

I'd eat it.



Breiana Walls

I'd sell it to a ZOO for nothing less than a million.



Deon

I'd make purple beef and stew.



Meiby Huddleston

I'd have purple milk with cookies.

PCETV

Parkland College Educational TV

by Blane McClellan
Staff Writer

Parkland College has its very own TV channel. Did you know that? You've probably flipped past it on your way to ABC; there was something different on every time you clicked by, a credit to the channel's variety of programming. PCETV isn't just the bulletin board, it isn't just performance art, and it isn't just talking heads. But, because a few seconds in between flips isn't a very efficient way to get to know PCETV, I'm going to tell you a little bit about everything the channel encompasses.

For starters, PCETV comes in on channel 9 in Champaign, Savoy, and Urbana, through Insight Communications. In Gifford, Ludlow, Paxton, Rantoul, and Thomasboro, the channel is no. 10, through Mediacom Cable. Also, if you have Heartland Wireless Cable, you can check it out on channel 50. In the future, those in St. Joe and Philo will, hopefully, also be able to tune in.

PCETV has been around for 15 years; originally it was shared with the school district, and was used strictly for teleconferences. In 1994, however, PCETV got its own channel, and has used it to support Parkland's mission ever since (if you're not familiar with Parkland's mission, check your catalog). A very dedicated staff works very hard to make things happen, a staff that includes Mike Colter, Drew Renick, a student crew, several interns, and last but not least, Station Manager Barbara Gladney, with whom I had the pleasure of interviewing for this article.

As I said before, PCETV has a very wide variety of programming. Some of the things you're likely to find on the channel are studio shows (filmed in Parkland's very own studio), student productions, imported programming (which has a very wide variety unto itself), telecourses, and of course, the bulletin board. An installment of a show (particularly studio shows) will run for about a month or two, to ensure that people have a chance to catch each episode. This means you can typically expect a new installment of each show about every two months.

There are currently four studio shows running on PCETV, with a fifth in the works. The newest show, "Job Story," is hosted by Margot Williams, and deals with everything job-related. If having a job is part of your future plans, you might want to check this show out. The next episode focuses on childcare/early child education.

While "Job Story" is still relatively new, "Parkland Report" is on its 80th episode, as we speak. "Parkland Report", hosted by Tom McDonnell, is a half-hour long, and deals with happenings at Parkland College. The show has an interview format; this month Tom will be talking to Marsh Jones and Kathy Lewis about virtual learning. "Parkland Report" has covered and will cover a wide array of topics, and Barbara Gladney assures me, "We're always looking for ideas."

Another studio show centered around Parkland and its community is the aptly titled "Parkland Community Forum." This program is all about community outreach. Host Louise Allen (who just did her 50th show) lords over content that deals with human society, Parish Nurse Programming, poison prevention control, and the interviewing of new judges, to name a few topics.

The fourth studio show is called "Live and Learn." This program is a supplement to the Live and Learn magazine you've seen around Parkland College. Topics are selected from the magazine and then expanded on, to create a half-hour program. This month's installment covers the 20th anniversary of the Parkland Art Gallery, and features Denise Seif, Jamie Kruidenier, Chair of Fine Arts Dave Jones, Don Lake, the founder of the art gallery, and David Leake as host.

The new studio show in development is called "Surrounded by Science." David Leake and Heidi Lusler will come together to form a co-hosting tandem, and the first show will be about evolution. Science certainly isn't new to PCETV, however, as there is also a science hour at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays. This is an hour of imported programming that deals with (duh) science, so if you're majoring in science or just like to play with chemicals, check it out.

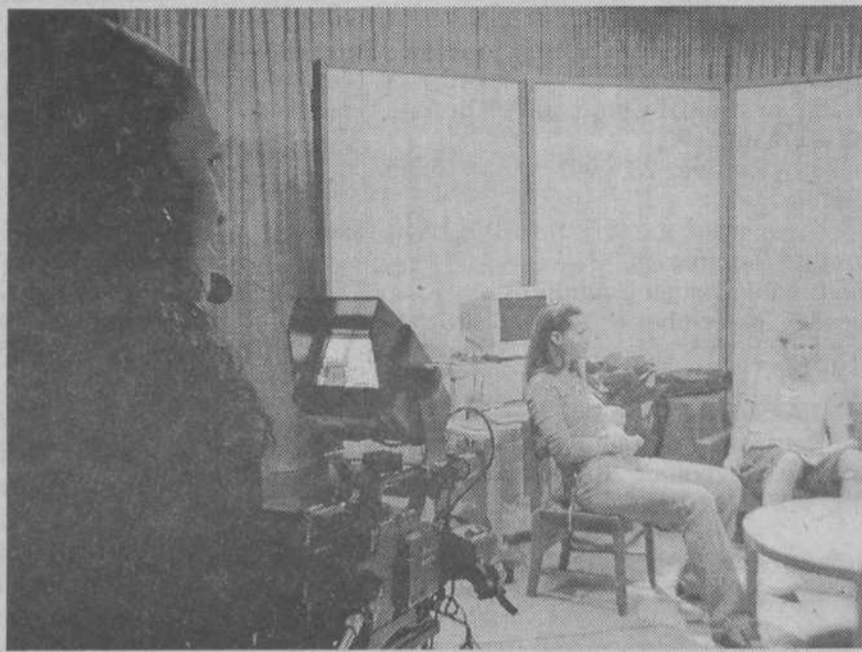


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From left to right: Darlene Tulua, Lauren Huber and Mike McCray. Students from the class COM 144, Introduction to Studio TV Production.

If science isn't your bag, then PCETV offers international fare on Tuesday nights, with "Germany Live" and "Prismo". "Germany Live" takes the audience on a tour of Germany with each installment, and it's shown in both English and German. Watch the English version, and then find out how much German you've forgotten; the two versions air back-to-back. "Prismo" is another show dealing with foreign countries, and it comes in German, English, Spanish, and French.

Are you scared? Aching for some familiarity? Try "Cultural Arts Showcase," another important show which Barbara Gladney describes as "...a cultural Mtv." You'll see familiar text blocks introducing each scene/video/performance; things you might see are scenes from classic movies, scenes from ballets, and other assorted visual arts performances. "Cultural Arts Showcase" runs Sunday morning and Sunday afternoons.

The imported programming introduces viewers to many different topics; there is a lot of programming to choose from. "We try to run things that PBS might air, that meet Parkland's mission," says Program Manager Gladney. Everyone loves PBS. Imported programming is sometimes requested by faculty members; occasionally lectures and honors conventions will air, and sometimes plays, though most are copyrighted.

In addition to studio shows and imported shows, PCETV also features student programming, such as Parkland basketball games (on delayed tape), a program called "Parkland Magazine", and "Sham Jam", a musical show. My eyes lit up when Mrs. Gladney told me about the basketball. If you're a sports fan, your eyes should light up as well.

Another PCETV studio show is "For Art's Sake", which has run 47 installments thus far. This show, hosted by Denise Seif, contains videotapes of art programs at the Parkland Art Gallery, amongst other things.

The most familiar aspect of PCETV is probably the bulletin board, which runs in hour segments time to time, where space needs to be filled. Announcements, promotions, and press releases are displayed on the bulletin board, and if looking at stationary text doesn't ding your bell, the audio behind the bulletin board is provided by WPCE, Parkland's very own radio station.

"We're always trying to improve our programming," says Program Manager Gladney. She stresses an attempt to become more and more professional. The station has just invested in a teleprompter, though they're still in the "playing around with it" stage. But seriously folks, is there anything more professional than a teleprompter? I've seen it, and it's neat-o.

There are things I've left uncovered due to time and space restraints, but hopefully I've given you an idea of just what PCETV has to offer. The crew is working very hard to bring the Parkland community a medium that it can benefit from, and Barbara Gladney will tell you, from the studio shows to the student programming and fulfilling Parkland's mission, "It really is Parkland's channel."

campus news

Community by Satellite

The Alpha Psi Eta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa and the Parkland Honors Program are pleased to bring you a very timely satellite series: Customs, Traditions and Celebrations: The Human Drive for Community.

We welcome you, your students, your friends, and your families to this interactive teleconference, which will help us to understand better and to think more deeply about community.

Satellite Seminar #3

An Exploration of Community Through the Arts and Humanities

Tuesday, October 23, 2001 6:30-7:30 p.m. in C118

Satellite Seminar #4

The Livable Urban Community

Tuesday, November 6, 2001 6:30-7:30 p.m. in C118

Satellite Seminar #5

The Future of Community

Tuesday, November 20, 2001 6:30-7:30 p.m. in C 118

For more information on this satellite conference contact:

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Coming Out Day

On October 11 ColOURS is holding a National Coming Out Day, and will celebrate with a read-in at the Gallery Lounge from 11-1 PM.

Pumkin Carving

Office of Student Life sponsors Annual Pumkin Carving Contest

Parkland's Annual Pumkin Carving Contest has become known for revealing the creativity in many a closeted sculptor. From 10 am - 2 pm in the Flag Lounge, on Wednesday, October 31, the Office of Student Life will provide free Halloween treat while the "carved" pumpkin creations are on display.

The contest is open to all Parkland students, staff, faculty, departments, units, clubs, and organizations. Prizes will be awarded based on popular vote tallies. Anyone wishing to enter the competition may contact the Activities Program Manager at ext. 2627 or by e-mail at jeby@parkland.cc.il.us.j

Gallery to feature local artist

Press release

From November 1 through December 7, 2001, the Parkland Art Gallery will present the "Lewis and Clark Trail Project." The exhibit will feature Bloomington artist Kenneth Holder. During the last five years he documented the landscape of the Lewis and Clark trail on canvas, painting more than five hundred pictures in that time.

During his travels Holder painted what he saw: the vast prairies and the rugged mountains, as well as the cultivated fields, bridges, and dams that reflect the changes that have occurred since Lewis and Clark made their expedition some two hundred years ago. Holder's goal of documenting what he saw was not unlike what Lewis was called upon to do for Thomas Jefferson, when he accepted the challenge of exploring the new territory of the Louisiana Purchase. Holder though, is not documenting unknown territory but the passage of time and history of this land. His selection of subject matter, vantage points, and the use of canvas shapes give his images a contemporary interpretation of these historical locations.

Kenneth Holder is a professor emeritus

at Illinois State University. He received his Bachelor of Fine Arts at Texas Christian University and his Master of Fine Arts from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago. Through exhibiting this series of works Holder hopes to keep alive the recent interest in the story of the two explorers and the enduring value of the lands they documented.

Kenneth Holder will provide a gallery talk at 7 p.m. on the evening of the reception, Thursday, November 15, 2001.

Reminder: Gallery hours are Monday -Friday 10 a.m.-3p.m. Monday through Thursday, 6-8 p.m., and Saturday, noon-2 p.m.

For more information call the art gallery office at (217) 351-2485

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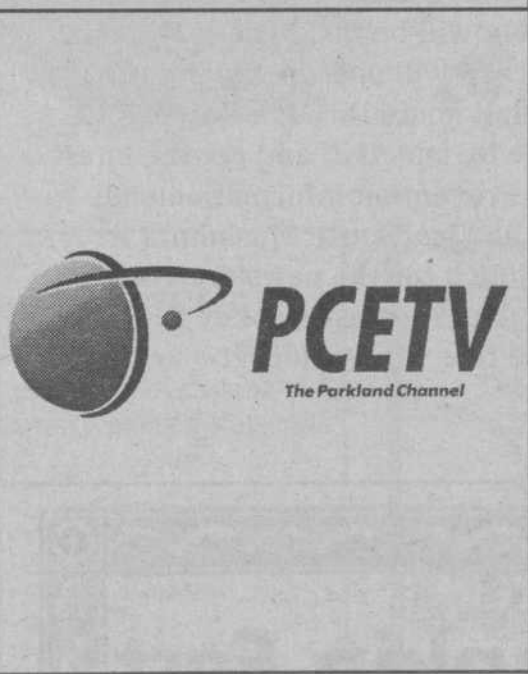
Crime Stoppers Press release

On September 30 at 1:05 AM, the victim was approached in the alley between 1111 and 1113 Arbor by two black males. One of the suspects pointed a black semi-automatic handgun at the victim and the other suspect struck him in the head from behind knocking him unconscious. Money was stolen from his wallet.

On October 4 at 12:35 AM two people were robbed in the stairwell of an apartment building in the 300 block of East Armory. Two black males approached the victims from behind and pointed gray or black semi-automatic handguns at them. One of the victims was hit or kicked in the head. Money was taken from both victims.

The suspects are described as black males in their late teens or early twenties, 5'10" to six feet tall, with medium build, wearing dark color hooded sweatshirts and pants.

If you have any information call Crimestoppers at 3-7-3-T-I-P-S. Crimestopper will pay you a reward if your information leads to the arrest of the persons responsible for these crimes.



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Wow what a difference!

by Mike Bush
editor

There are many things in life that you can say are the same between men and women. When you really look at men and women, well, viva la difference. I mean physically there are the obvious things. Women have this physical aura about them that just ...

One of the areas that I appreciate most about women is that they really seem to care. I'm not saying that guys don't care. It's just that we don't want you to know we care. Men look at things differently. Everything is "Give us something to solve and get out of the way." For example, your girlfriend has a problem that she is trying to work through, and she comes to you. What she

wants is someone to listen her, but what you hear is that she has a problem that needs to be solved.

There are areas in which men and women are equal. When it comes to intelligence, it is an even field. Truth is, this is an area where women very often surpass their male counterparts. My wife, for example, is a very technical person who never really seems to miss anything. I, on the other hand, am a person who can see the big picture, but the details are not on my scope.

When all is said and done, men and women are different but also the same. We can each bring something unique to life no matter who we are, what we do or why we choose the things we do. If men and women were exactly the same, how boring life would be.

PCETV Program Guide October, 2001

MONDAY, OCT. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

6:00 pm, COLLEGE FOR KIDS 2001:
Harry Potter on Stage; Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets; and Fractured Fairy Tales. Performances by students in the College For Kids drama classes.

7:30 pm, COLLEGE FOR KIDS
An overview of fun and learning in summer 2000

8:00 pm, CROSSROADS CAFE:
No Vacancy, Turning Points
An entertaining and educational program for those learning English as a foreign language or wanting to improve their literacy skills.

9:00 pm, MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES & JUVENILE JUSTICE, A conference on the prevalence of mental health disorders among youth in the juvenile justice system and emerging strategies that promise to meet the needs of those youth and their families. Office of Juvenile Justice.

11:00 pm, BULLETIN BD / WPCD

TUESDAY, OCT. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

6:00 pm, PRISMA:
Embryo Research and Ethical Concerns; Germany's "Younger" Older Generation In English, German, Spanish, and French.

8:00 pm, GERMANY LIVE:
Coburg and the Surrounding Region
In German and English

9:00 pm, GERMAN SCENE:
German Trade Unions,
German Environmental Foundation's 10th Anniversary, and other features in English and German.

10:00 pm, BULLETIN BD / WPCD

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

8:00 am, BULLETIN BD / WPCD

6:00 pm, TEMPO:
Grants From Corporations to Support Local Music and Arts Programs and Benefits of Experiencing Music Performances Live.

7:00 pm, DESTINATION TOMORROW:
Bring the Future Into Focus
Bringing the trip to space a little closer; New light weight composite materials stronger than steel; The father of modern hang gliding; Wind tunnel testing. Produced by NASA.

7:30 pm, SCIENCE MAGAZINE: Preventing mass panic stampedes; Cameras against cancer; Reducing noise pollution in the sky; Underwater predictions for shrimp catches.

8:00 pm, PARKLAND REPORT:
State of the College, host Tom McDonnell talks with Dr. Zelema Harris.

8:30 pm, FOR ARTS SAKE:
Watercolor art, State of the Art 2001, International Biennial Watercolor Invitational, Gallery Director Denise Seif talks with guest Curator Ellen Murray about this diverse exhibit.

9:10 pm, ROLE OF RAILROADS IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS

11:00 pm, BULLETIN BD / WPCD

THURSDAY, OCT. 4, 11, 18, 25

10:00 am, CLASSIC ARTS SHOWCASE

1:00 pm, TELECOURSES

5:00 pm, BULLETIN BD / WPCD

6:00 pm, COLLEGE FOR KIDS 2001:
LIGHTS! CAMERA! ACTION! Student projects.

7:00 pm, RIGHT ON THE MONEY:
Insuring Your Home; Selling Your Home,
Host Chris Farrell.

8:00 pm, JOB STORY:
Thriving in the 21st Century.
Host Margot Williams talks with Minor Jackson, Parkland Business Development Center; Donita Jacobsen, The Pavilion; and Sharon Sims, Cunningham Children's Home, about why successful businesses keep professional development and training high on their agendas. Job tip by Ed Scharlau, Busey Bank.

9:00 pm, PARKLAND REPORT:
The Hospitality Industry, Host Tom McDonnell with Marshall Huffman, director of Parkland's Hospitality Industry Program.

9:30 pm, BUILDING A CAREER WITH A SOLID FOUNDATION:
Choosing a Trade in Construction

10:00 pm, BULLETIN BD / WPCD

FRIDAY, OCT. 5, 12, 19, 26

9-11:45 pm, CLASSIC ARTS SHOWCASE

SATURDAY, OCT. 6, 13, 20, 27
1 - 11:45 pm, CLASSIC ARTS SHOWCASE

SUNDAY, OCT. 7, 14, 21, 28

8:00 am, CLASSIC ARTS SHOWCASE

5:00 pm, BULLETIN BOARD/WPCD

6:00 pm, PARKLAND CHALLENGE:
High School Quiz Bowls,
Ridgeview v. Unity, Monticello v. Unity

7:00 pm, PARKLAND COMMUNITY FORUM:
Community Parish Nurse Program - Ministry of Hope & Healing, Learn about this successful faith-based program which makes a difference in the lives of area residents. Host Louise Allen with Faith Roberts, coordinator of the Program, and parish nurses Joanne Huff, and Joyce Williamson.

8:00 pm, LIVE & LEARN:
Parkland Art Gallery, 20 YEARS,
What is the role of the gallery in the college and in the community? How did the Gallery get started? How are the exhibits chosen? On the occasion of the Parkland Art Gallery's twentieth anniversary, David Leake talks with gallery director Denise Seif, gallery founder Don Lake, Fine and Arts department chair David Jones, and advisory board member Jamie Kruidenier.

9:00 pm, LEADERSHIP STRATEGIES:
Guidance Counselors Share Strategies for Encouraging Girls in Science, Math, Engineering, and Technology in Their Schools, Host, David Sadker.

10:00 pm, BULLETIN BD/WPCD

local/regional

Prairie Festival Arts & Crafts Show Change of Location

Due to heightened national security, this event is not being held in the National Guard Armory as the previous release stated.

Prairie Festival Arts and Crafts show will take place Saturday, October 27, 2001 at the old Menard's building in Champaign, 602 West Anthony Drive.

The festival is a show and sale of the highest quality handcrafted items. This year's featured artist is Pin n' Palette. The show is 9 - 4 and admission is three dollars.

Prairie festival is hosted by the Champaign-Urbana Junior Woman's Club, a non-profit organization. All proceeds are contributed back to the community.

For more information, please contact Catherine Somers, 217-355-3847

Parkland College Department of Public Safety Daily Media Log

Selected entries

Tues. 9/4/01
Reprographics - Theft of wallet sometime today.

Wed. 9/5/01
Circle Drive
Theft \$300 and under
MTS dispatch: theft occurred on bus #9656 parked at Circle Drive.

Thurs. 9/6/01
MTD driver advised a female passenger spat on the driver.

Fri. 9/7/01
Accident at Mattis Ave. and Parkland Way Road. No injuries.

Tues. 9/11/01
Student reported downloading licensed material from L - 246.

Mon. 9/17/01
Took information via phone regarding vandalism in M-1 parking lot.

Tues. 9/18/01
Reporting Person advised someone was in her office unauthorized and downloaded a virus on her computer.

Suspect, a black male 6-1, 200 pounds wearing a white hat, no other clothing description, left the area via the turn-styles without paying for the food product.
Searched the area.

Wed. 9/19/01
Laptop stolen.

Accident without injuries in B-2 parking lot

Thurs. 9/20/01
Person left bookbag unattended, later noticed his check card and approximately \$15 missing from bag.

Mon. 9/4/01
Theft of gym bag from main gym floor.

Tues. 9/25/01
Accident without injuries in M-5 parking lot.

Thurs. 9/27/01
Took information on theft of bookbag.

Mon. 10/1/01
Person advised his vehicle was hit in M-5 parking lot. Other party did not leave any information.

Wed. 10/3/01
Took information on a student that was followed home.

Wed. 10.3.01
Took information on disorderly conduct.

Reporting person: daughter's vehicle hit on campus today.

Reporting person's vehicle damaged in a hit and run accident earlier today.

Recognition Award

On Thursday, October 4, 2001, Eastern Illinois University presented a plaque signed by Interim President, Lou Hencken, in honor of the strong collaboration between Eastern Illinois University and Parkland College to provide higher education opportunities for citizens in District 505.

Parkland College is the largest off-campus site for Eastern Illinois University programs with over 800 enrollments in EIU classes on the Parkland College campus. Eastern Illinois University's Bachelors of Science of Business degree, Board of Trustees Bachelor of Arts degree and the Career and Organizational Studies Bachelor of Science degrees are offered entirely at Parkland and there are ongoing discussions on a variety of fronts of establishing new 2 + 2 cooperative programs initiatives. EIU's

School of Adult and Continuing Education has had a long and positive relationship with Parkland College. Presidents of Eastern Illinois University and Parkland College recently signed a revised cooperative agreement. Pat Hufmeyer, The School of Adult and Continuing Education full-time staff member, is stationed at Parkland College to facilitate this excellent relationship. William C. Hine, EIU Dean of the School of Adult and Continuing Education, stated that "We have always had a strong positive relationship with Parkland College administrators and faculty and EIU looks forward to even more extensive collaboration into the future. Eastern Illinois University greatly appreciate the strong cooperation that they receive from Parkland College administration and faculty."

Fire safety week

Fire Prevention Week October 6, 2001

"Cover the Bases and Strike Out Fire," is the theme for Fire Prevention Week 2001. A focus on home fire safety is encouraged for the whole community. Fire Prevention Week begins in Champaign on Saturday October 6 at the Illini home football game. Firefighters will be at the Street Fest at 8:00 am to showcase the department's Fire Safety House and many other displays. Come by and help us "Smoke the Gophers."

On Sunday October 7 we will move Fire Prevention Week activities to Market Place Mall. The Safety House will be located outside on the west side of the mall near the food court and the main display will be inside near Famous Barr. We will operate during regular mall hours through October 12. Come by and visit and get the latest Fire Prevention information and see the Fire House Museum. I'll buy lunch for the news crew that exercises the best smokey fire drill in the fire Safety House!



Pumpkin Fest

October 27th!

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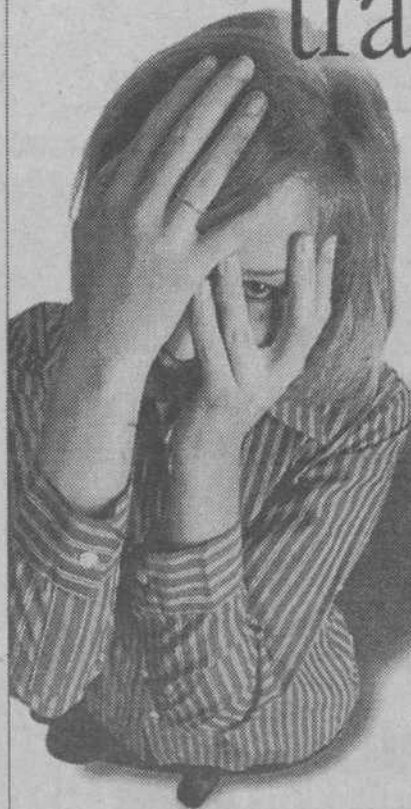
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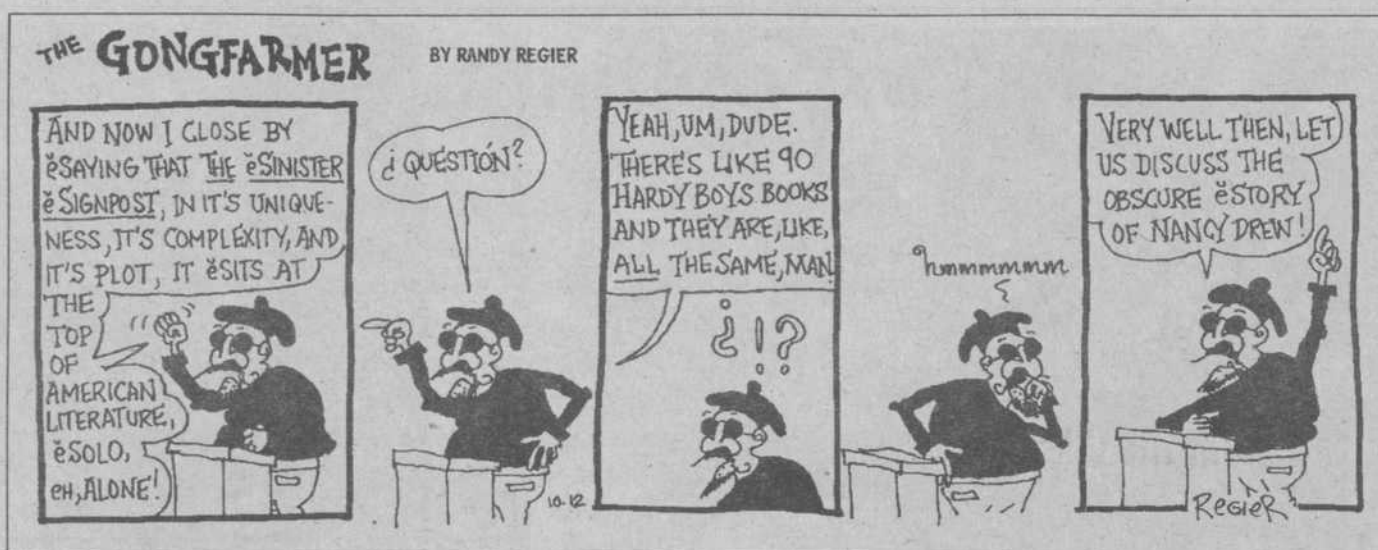
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- 11. Last year's \$1600 Beanie Baby collection is nowhere to be found.
- 10. You find a My Little Pony head in his bed.
- 9. She refers to the neighbor kids as "those dirty, Pikachu-hoarding bas'ards."
- 8. Little Timothy now insists on being called "Montana Tim."
- 7. Has taken to calling you "Daddyion" and "Mommozar."


- 6. Claims her kneecaps were broken in a freak hopscotch accident.
- 5. Christmas list includes Legos, in-line skates and \$30,000 to pay back "Vinnie the Shark."
- 4. From behind the garage, you hear: "Come on, Baby! Pikachu needs a new pair of shoes!"
- 3. Pete Rose keeps calling to ask if little Johnny can come out and play.
- 2. You receive a package from summer camp containing Billy's ear and a note asking for Charizard.

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- 5 Island off Venezuela
- 10 Slight
- 14 Day division
- 15 Involving punishment
- 16 First-class
- 17 Twist together
- 19 Cincinnati nine
- 20 Small flute
- 21 Silcom sample
- 22 Mazes
- 26 Mineral springs resorts
- 28 Bleak, poetically
- 29 Easy as ...
- 32 Share top billing
- 35 ... mater
- 36 Pigeon sound
- 37 CIA's predecessor
- 38 Blotches of color
- 40 Pro's opposite
- 41 Half a fly?
- 42 "A Death in the Family" author
- 43 Repair again
- 45 Knight or Turner
- 46 Eager desires
- 48 Exxon, once
- 49 Early spring bloomers
- 52 Type of fever?
- 55 Public sale
- 58 Slightly open
- 59 Unconquerable
- 62 Chums
- 63 Fencer's thrust
- 64 Yale students
- 65 Way out
- 66 Holiest of cheeses?
- 67 Tear

DOWN

- 1 Transport
- 2 Author Morrison
- 3 Defeated easily
- 4 Molded beforehand
- 5 In a proper way
- 6 Phrase anew
- 7 Sex or cycle lead-in
- 8 Prohibit
- 9 Pub choice
- 10 Bombay wraps
- 11 Christmas carol
- 12 Loosen, as a knot
- 13 Most advantageous
- 18 Hold up
- 21 Meaningful sequence of words
- 23 With a lot of anger
- 24 17th-century actress Gwyn
- 25 More docile
- 26 "Ivanhoe" author
- 27 Sheriff's band
- 29 Easily reached
- 30 Blessings-
- 31 Residential unit
- 33 Female warrior of myth
- 34 Mudd or Moore
- 39 Oolong and pekoe
- 44 More pithy
- 47 Blemishes
- 49 Top prize
- 50 Pursues prey
- 51 Gov't. trade reg. grp.
- 52 Cod or Coral
- 53 Warrior Athena made go mad
- 54 Indonesian island
- 56 Ken or Lena
- 57 Snug retreat
- 59 Contingencies
- 60 Fresh
- 61 Caesar's seven


Monday's Puzzle Solved

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Freshmen in learning phase

By Adam Soebbing
Sports Editor

Time and time again this season has come down to missed opportunities for the men's Cobra soccer team.

"We have played attractive soccer," said head coach Seamus Reilly. "But we haven't been able to capitalize on scoring opportunities."

Injuries have also played a key role in the Cobras' dismal 3-10-1 record thus far. The team has sorely missed the contributions of forward Jason Curtis, who has been sidelined with an injury since September 5th.

It has been frustrating at times for Reilly and the Cobras, but the team has shown no signs of giving up.

Led by defender Abraham Unzicker, midfielder Mariano Zuk, and forward Ryan Fonner, the Cobras played extremely well this weekend, but fell short in close contests with Lewis and Clark and Southwest Community College.

On a more positive note, Reilly has been very happy with the progress of his talented freshman class. Reilly has been known to use up to nine freshmen for his starting line-ups, virtually unheard of in junior college soccer.

Looking ahead, the Cobras wrap up their season this week with their final home game Wednesday Oct. 10 against Danville, and then they hit the road for their final game against Harper this Saturday.

Looking forward to Spring

By Adam Soebbing
Women's softball

The lady Cobra softball team, 13-5, wrapped up their fall schedule last Thursday with a split of a double header against Olney.

Parkland pitcher Kristina Kloth had a two-hit shutout going into the seventh inning of game one, but Olney managed three hits and two runs in their final at-bat to win 2-1.

In game 2, pitcher Emily Alsup struck out eight to lead the Cobras to a 10-5 victory.

Erin James and Rebecca Koets each recorded three hits for

Parkland. Becky Wheeler and Kristi Wontland led the Cobras with two RBI's a piece.

The Lady Cobras well exceeded the expectations of head coach Chuck Clutts. With sixteen out of twenty-one player's freshmen, coach Clutts used this fall season for evaluation. What he found out was that he has foundation for a great team this spring.

"We have some very talented freshman combined with great sophomore leadership," said coach Clutts.

The season may have just ended but the work does not stop for the Lady Cobras, winter workouts begin next week.

Lady Cobras win Invitational

Team to take act on the road

By Adam Soebbing
Sport Editor

Depending on whom you ask, defending your own tournament can be rather difficult. If you asked the Cobra Volleyball team, they would say it's a piece of cake.

The Cobras captured the Parkland Invitational title this weekend in impressive fashion, completing a 4-0 sweep of the competition with a 30-18, 30-13, 30-22, win against Kalamazoo Valley (Michigan) on Saturday.

Standing at 28-7 after Monday's victory over Springfield College 30-19, 30-13, 30-14, the Cobras have gone 21-2 since their 7-5 start.

The Cobras, ranked eighth by the NJCAA in division II, will take their act all the way to Thatcher, Arizona for eleven matches this weekend.