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# Friends bark but don't bite

## Part one of four in "High noon with the artist" series

#### By TIFFANY SQUARE Contributing Writer

To get inside the mind of an artist is a mystery. The words are invisible until you understand the story behind the picture. One must acquire the skill to look beyond what the eyes can see, but can't hear. Art is a form of passion, life, and inspiration through colors, brush strokes, and patterns. In a sense, painting is a deaf art-you cannot hear the story, but visualize it. Art is attractive, because it is a mirror for not only the artist, but also the seeker who may see a reflection in their own embodiment. Such feeling I had for Joan Stolz, an amazing art teacher who has been teaching at Parkland College for five

#### years and running.

A graduate of the Maryland Institute of Fine Arts, Stolz grew up Catholic, and incorporates faith and many gothic cathedrals in her artwork. My first impression of Stolz was of her enlightening character. Many people tend to think of artists as melodramatic and always in a fuzz, but Stolz is a hilarious and comical woman. She keeps the attention of the masses by being herself.

I most particularly enjoyed Stolz's love—back in the day of painting ugly kids. Yes, ugly kids. Her paintings, for the most part, are reflections on how she feels. She has what I like to call a "peanut butter and chocolate" mix of art, except her peanut butter is pain, and chocolate is her faith.

"I let the paint give me ideas," said Stolz, who finds it very challenging to work in tight spaces. She likes bigger paintings. Big, as in paintings taller than she. "I thought people would be more impressed with bigger paintings." She is probably right, seeing how in America, 'Bigger is Better'.

Perhaps Stolz's biggest love is for dogs, or animals in general. Stolz loves the shapes of animals—how they are strong in their muscular form. Even what she calls her "PG-rated lust" is full of nature and small animals. In her own way there is a message that she can see through the beauty of rabbits and trees. She is very fond of her personal animals. When her cat died she drew a picture of it asleep, which appeared to symbolize a crossing-over and vision of peace. She also drew a picture of her naughty black poodle—an animal I am sure she loved dearly.

Stolz is an animal lover all of the way; she loves the beauty of the animal's anatomy, and they way they move. Friends cannot only be people, but animals too. When the day is over, when we go home and kick off our shoes, there is a hint of artistry in all of us. Whether we demonstrate that artistry through our style of hair, clothes, or colors, we all have the color of paint-bloodand we express ourselves everyday. Some people are just more talented and can see more that meets the eve.



English Painting, by Stolz John Eby/Prospectus Advisor

# State Parks (and ticks) of the Midwest Take the back road sometime

#### By AARON GEIGER Prospectus Editor

I'm thankful for ticks. The little bloodsuckers opened up an avenue of adventure for me. Employed by the University of Illinois this summer, I embarked on a three-month tour of the greater Midwest in search of the parasites as a field researcher in lieu of *lyme borreliosis* research.

#### Yes. Lyme disease.

I've only been in the Midwest for a couple of years. Until this summer, I've been relatively unfamiliar with the intricacies of the surrounding area.

To be quite honest, I've groaned and complained alongside many others about the endless fields of corn and soybeans. I've sniped off comments regarding how the locks have frozen over on my pickup. The lack of original cuisine astonishes me. But I will never again make snide comments upon the beauty of such states as Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, Iowa, and Missouri.

I figured out the original problem: I've been driving on major roads. Passing by the Amish on their carriages and buggies, I was able to witness the vast non-interstate veins of each state without having to stare blankly at chain restaurants, gas

stations, and truckers that feel like they have to stare at the passenger occupants of *every* passing car.

Searching for ticks in state parks isn't a job for the complacent population. It isn't glamorous, but makes for interesting conversation, and adds a touch of spice to the curriculum vitae. My colleague and I would drive between one hour and eight, depending on the location of the park. We then would gather our gear, and tromp off along hiking trails, and then suddenly veer off

into a creek, steep slope, or impassable briar patch, all the while toting a long corduroy drape that would sweep across the forest floor, snapping up the little pests—which range in dimensions from eraser-cap sizes to 'I can hardly make out what this is' proportions. The small-



Sarah Murphy gets ready for her research. Aaron Geiger/Prospectus

est ones can't be collected with forceps; they have to be pulled off by lint-rolling tape. Imagine this in 85% humidity, 107 degrees (yes, it reached 107 degrees this summer in Minnesota), and in the presence of buffalo gnats, mosquitoes, ticks, chigger larvae, weird weather, and towns that aren't even listed in Rand McNally.

My point is: the job was great, in spite of the trashing of my clothes, the destruction of two pairs of shoes, and the spider webs I picked out of my hair. I was able to visit the most beautiful areas belonging to the collective entity of the Department of Natural Resources. From the sweeping grandeur of Pike's Peak (named after the same explorer to whom the more famously known Pike's Peak is dedicated), to the riverside picturesque hills of Pierre Marquette, the beauty of the heartland enraptured me.

Almost all of the parks were located off the beaten path, and deservedly so. Even the towns that were nearby featured such small-town anecdotes as *the* gas station that has a table in the middle with three farmers smoking and drinking whiskey. What about the post office that features one mail carrier and one office worker—which used to be a gas station? Cell service? Hah.

The best way to learn about the area is to visit these parks, complete with wildlife—ticks and all. Forget the highway, and plunge into the woods.

# **Parkland Theatre announces its** 2006-2007 season



From the English countryside to a Gotham-like city full of corruption, Parkland The-atre's 2006-2007 season takes audiences both to faraway places and to familiar, wellloved locales and offers up funfilled and outrageously comedic shows that will delight.

Campus

The season starts September

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 The rules of correspondence: all sub-missions must be signed with a phone number and address. The *Prospectus* staff must verify the identity of let-ter writers. Correspondence may be edited to accommodate the space requirements of the paper. The dead-line for all submissions is 12 norm of line for all submissions is 12 p.m. of the Thursday immediately before the upcoming issue.

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27 with the crowd-pleaser comedy, "Wonder of theWorld" by David Lindsy-Abaire, directed by David N. Morgan. Nothing willprepare audiences for the strange little secret Cass discovers in herhusband's sweater drawer.

It is so shocking that this heroine has no choicebut to flee to the honeymoon capital of the world in a frantic search for thelife she thinks she missed out on.

It's a wild ride over Niagara Falls in abarrel of laughs as Cass embarks on a journey of self-discovery that has her

By DONNA MAYER

Prospectus Staff Writer

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crossing paths with a blithely suicidal alcoholic, a lonely tourboatcaptain, a pair of bickering private detectives and a strange caper involvinga gargantuan jar of peanut butter, all of which pushes her perilously closeto the water's edge. This show runs through October 8.

Just a few weeks later is "Urinetown," the Tony Award-winning musical by MarkHollmann, based on the book and lyrics of Greg Kotis. Director Dallas Streetand musical director Ron Attreau lead a superb cast in this hilarious tale ofgreed, corruption, love, and revolution in a time when water is worth itsweight in gold.

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Amid the people, a hero decides he's had enough, and plans a revolution tolead them all to freedom! No one is safe from scrutiny in this satire whichruns (pardon the pun) from November 8 to 19.

January brings another Christie Agatha mystery, "Black Coffee," directed byJ. W. Morrissette. This mystery is the perfect brew of suspense, excitementand intrigue! Join the world famous detective Hercule Poirot and his lovalaide-decamp Captain Hastings as they are summoned to the English countrysideto protect the world from potential destruction.

Scientist Sir Claud Amoryhas discovered a secret formula that, if used for evil purposes,

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The Watch is a monthly feature to raise awareness of crime and emergencies that occur at Parkland College. The Police Officers of the Public Safety department provide this information to remind students, faculty and staff that anyone can be a victim of a crime anywhere, at any time.

Our office is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. There is always a Police Officer on duty. If you witness a crime, contact Public Safety immediately at 351-2369. In case of emergency dial 911 on any office phone or use the emergency call boxes throughout campus.

May 3- Student Conduct report for obscene drawings student left on a teachers materials.

May 10- Disorderly Conduct for an intoxicated pedestrian.

May 17- Suspect banned from campus for viewing pornography in a computer lab.

May 17- Student Conduct report for a student harassing an instructor.

May 18- Student Conduct report for a student viewing pornography in a computer lab.

May 23- Student Conduct report for a student viewing pornography in a computer lab.

May 24- Student Conduct report for students planning to vandalize an instructors home.

Jun 8- Criminal Damage to Property report for graffiti left on Parkland property.

Jun 13- Disorderly Conduct for a visitor viewing pornography in a computer lab.

Jun 14- Criminal Damage to Property report for graffiti left in a men's restroom.

Jun 14- Theft report for a bicycle stolen on Parkland property. The bicycle was later recovered on Jun 19th at Centennial High School.

Jun 30- Motorist stopped for IVC violation and subsequently arrested on a warrant.

Jul 6 - Student Conduct report taken for a verbal argument.

Jul 19- Vandalism report taken for unknown suspect letting the air out of a vehicle's tires.



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More significantly, in the past hundreds of students have received their financial aid refund checks and then dropped one or more classes. This resulted in students start-

your life. Knowing what your financial situation is will help reduce stress, and allow you to give full attention to school. **IMPORTANT!** You must apply

cally important at all stages of

for financial aid once every school year. The Federal government opens up the application website January 1 of every year for the upcoming school year. As soon as you complete your Federal tax return for the previous year, keep going and complete your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) for the next school year.

The Parkland College Financial Aid staff wants you to be successful. We can be reached at finaid@parkland.edu, by phone at 217-351-2222, or at our office in Room A-170. Our advisors are available on a walk-in basis Monday through Friday from 8:00-11:30 A.M. and 1:00-4:00 P.M., unless otherwise posted.

The Financial Aid Office wishes you a very successful academic semester!

# Campus

## G. Love makes some Lemonade: An end-of-summer music review

**By AARON GEIGER** Prospectus Editor

I caught up with Garrett Dutton (G. Love) at the Canopy Club

at through any first somether -who would have sungered it

a little while back when the heat a connoisseur of the Phillyrelease that speaks urban

Are you ready for **your future?** 

was picking up, and got a taste made G. Love & Special Sauce of some Lemonade-the August for ten years. Back then there was a song-"Blues Music"front porch language. I've been that struck out the fusion-beat

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manifesto of musical icons that would echo in Dutton's music for years to come: Aretha Franklin, Booker T, Bob Dylan, James Brown, Silvertone guitars, vinyl rides, and lemonade on the front porch.

G. Love's professional edge may have picked up, but the message still says the same. Take a look at the guest list: the alternative hip-hop Blackalicious and Lateef, the surf-folksy Jack Johnson and Frankenreiter, and nouveau lady-lyricist Prettyman. Marc Broussard. Jasper. Most importantly, Special Sauce. Add harmonica skills, R&B old school roots, blues, and coast-to-coast beats and speaks, and out comes fusion music that brings out the best of our heroes of the music world.

"[The Canopy Club] is kinda dumpy, but I like dumpy," says Dutton, after sound-checking with Jimi "Jazz" Prescott and "Houseman" Jeffrey Clemens. Although seen at large venues with the likes of Jack Johnson, the Animal Liberation Orchestra, Ben Harper, and Coolio, G. Love frequents smaller clubs

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#### **Parkland Art Gallery**

August 30 - September 21: Annual Parkland Art & Gallery Design Faculty Exhibition

Thursday, September 7: 12:00 p.m.-Don Lake, watercolor

#### **Parkland Athletics**

Sunday, September 10: 1:00 p.m.--Women's Soccer vs. Uofl Club 1:00 p.m.-Women's Soft-

ball vs. Olney Wednesday, September

13:

3:00 p.m.-Women's Softball vs. Robert Morris 4:00 p.m. ---Women's Soccer vs. Illinois Central

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Wednesday, September 13: 12:00 - 12:50 p.m.-Rm. X-151

#### **Staerkel Planetarium**

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"Wish You Were Here"

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in order to recreate the intimate experience with the audience. In the four events I covered, three were of Canopy's size or smaller. The difference between attending a green-back Assembly Hall extravaganza (see: Fleetwood Mac), and a 'dumpy' and relatively inexpensive venue like Canopy Club, is immeasurable. G. Love's clout with other musicians means potential 'big business', but like the Americana music he brings all we're likely to see and hear is comfort music.

In addition to bringing music to the so-called 'small towns' of Champaign-Urbana, Dutton contributes to charities and special interests. Brendan Borek, a Cape May teenage surfer (1973-1991),

died from Ewing's Sarcoma. In his memory the High Tides Memorial Fund began, of which Dutton is a benefactor. Hawaii's Kokua Festival-supporting environmental organizations, teachers, artists, and musicians-has seen the support of G. Love and crew. You may not have watched "Curious George" the movie, but you'll find children singing to "Jun-

from "Rainbow" (featuring Jack Johnson) that premiered on the surfing movie "Thicker Than Water", the hot day mantra "Let the Music Play" (featuring Harper/Broussard), and rolling-rhymerich "Banger" (featuring Blackalicious/ Lateef). The album is suitable for picking and selecting songs from iTunes and/ or other online music stores, if not for the

"G. Love is a funk-and-blues magnet." - Aaron Geiger

gle Gym" on a soundtrack that preaches recycling, sharing, and friendship.

'Lemonade", although not the best album to shine on the shelf, showcases a solid 16-yes, 16-tracks that range

nuts-and-bolts Philadelphonic magic.

tion of "Rainbow", "Free", and "Can't Go Back to Jersey," says the tall-framed

Dutton-a black ballcap tilted to the side. "We're also working on a DVD-"A Year and a Day"-and a record release tour starting in Philly in November."

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"What about the fans? They've been great. I take advantage of them and put on a better show, you know, and I can use that after being on the road for a long time.'

#### **Useless Information:**

Who is the only author to have written a book in all ten Dewey-decimal categories?

**VOMIEA SOBEL** 

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could meanan end to the British Empire. Before Poirot's arrival, Sir Amory is murderedand now everyone is a suspect.

Fascinating characters, a persnicketydetective and an old fashion mystery - this Agatha Christie hit provides adeliciously tempting second cup for any mystery fan. Shows run January 31through February 11.

February ends with a delightful spe-cial event: "A Weekend of One Acts," fromFebruary 23 to 25. A variety of theatrical genre is guaranteed, from comedyto tragedy, musical to

mystery. wondrous A buffet of original short plays bylocal authors will be selected for these special performances. Tt includesone fun weekend with two

performances each of One-acts I and One-acts II.

April 4 brings on the devilishly clever classic musical, "Damn Yankees" byRichard Adler and Jerry Ross, based on the book by George Abbott and DouglassWallop.

Baseball fanatic Joe Boyd trades his soul to the Devil for a chanceto lead his favorite team to victory in the pennant race against the New YorkYankees. As the young baseball sensation, Joe Hardy, he transforms his teaminto winners, only to realize the true worth of the life he's left behind.

Popular favorites "You Gotta' Have Heart," "Two Lost Souls," and "ShoelessJoe from Hannibal, MO" along with rousing production numbers create a lightand fast-paced "grand slam" show! Randi Jennifer Collins Hard directs theplay, with musical direction by Tim Schirmer. The show runs through April 15. The 16th annual student show, which raises money for the Randall A. Millas-Theatre Scholarship, will be announced in October, with performancesscheduled December 6-10.

Tickets are \$10 for general admission, \$8 for students over 12 and

seniors,and \$6 for youth 12 and under. Wednesday preview shows are \$4.99, whiletickets for Thursday shows are half the regularly ticketed price.

Groups are given a discount, and preferential seating and special arrangements can

bemade for tours and director talks. For group information call 217/373-3874.

The Parkland Theatre is a communitybased theatre, and all are welcome toaudition for roles, work backstage, or join the audience.

For more information, visit the theatre website at www.parkland.edu/theatre, or toplace a reservation, call the theatre box office at 217/351-2528.

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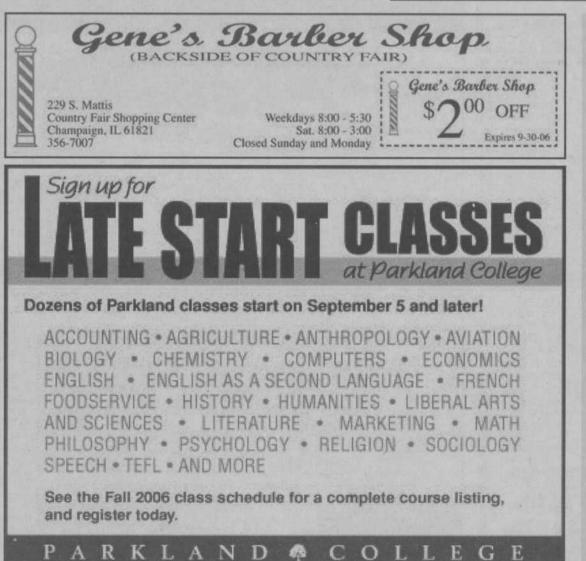
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Sunday Night: A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 56.

Monday: A chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 76.

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everyone's business?

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**Kishwaukee** College

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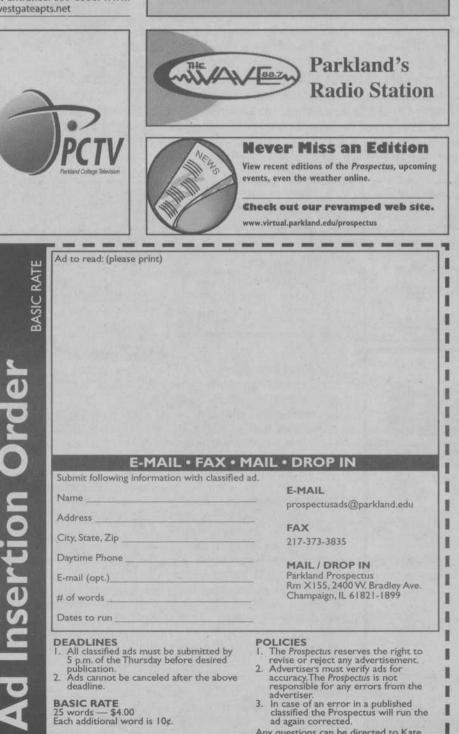
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### **CrimeStoppers seeks assistance**

This CrimeStoppers is seeking information on a homicide that occurred in Cham- cide. paign. February On

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fare call. When offi-

cers arrived, they

discovered Emman-

week, inside the residence. information leading Autopsy results showed that he was the victim of a homi-



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to the arrest of the responsipersons ble for this crime. If you have any information, please call CrimeStoppers at 373-TIPS. Callers do not have to give their names or appear in court. Rewards are also paid for information on other felony crimes of fugitives in the Champaign County area.

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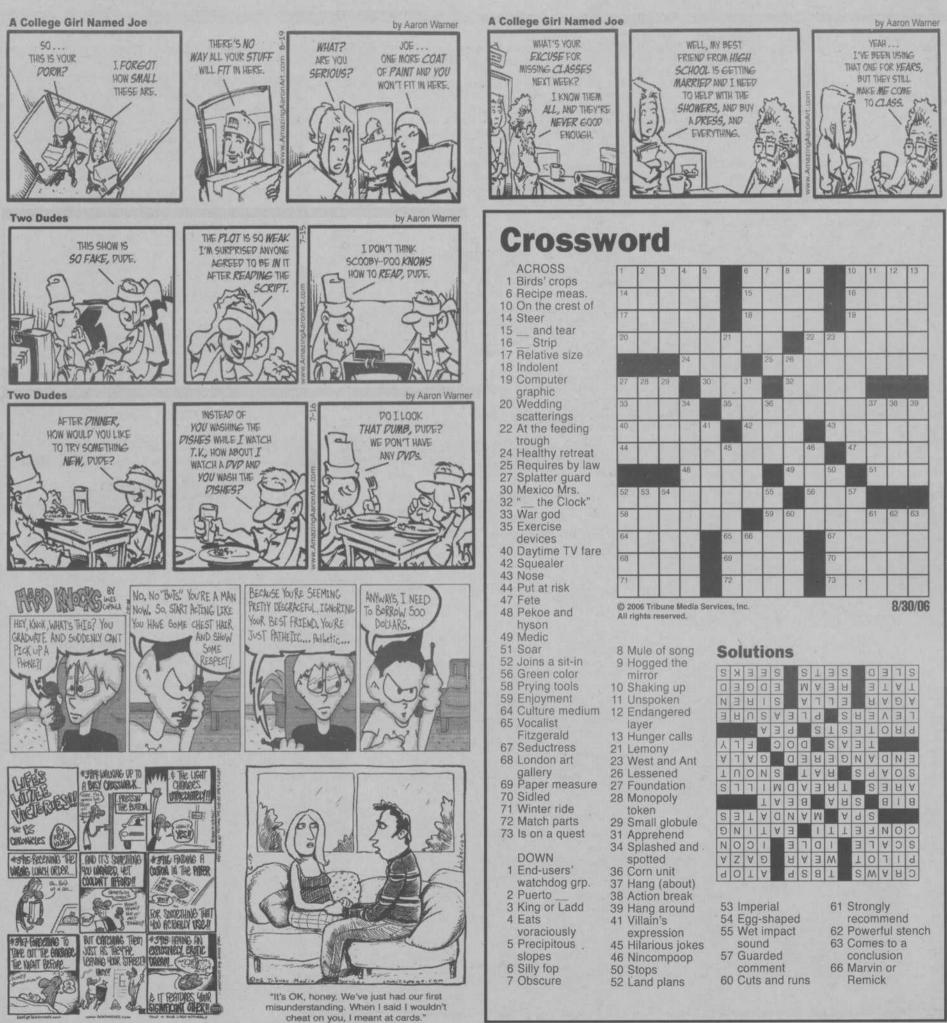
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# **Off Topic**

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# **Sports** Cobra Athletics

## Former Parkland athlete named pitching coach at Purdue University

#### **Parkland Athletics Press Release**

Jamie Sailors, a 1992 Parkland baseball player and coach, has been named pitching coach for Purdue. The Indiana native played at Parkland in 1992 before being drafted by the St. Louis Cardinals in the 13th round. Sailors played in the minor leagues for



four seasons before beginning his coaching career in 1996. After two years as a high school coach, Sailors returned to Parkland as the pitching coach for the 1998-1999 school year.

For the past five seasons he has been the head coach at the University of Wisconsin-Platteville, where he lead the Pioneers to their first back-to-back winning seasons in school history. He has also spent the last two summers as the head coach of the Danville Dans of the CICL, leading the Dans to the regular season title in both 2005 and 2006.

Sailors will replace Rob Smith at Purdue. Smith served as the pitching coach for the Boilermakers for the past five seasons before moving on to similar duties at Creighton this summer. Sailors is the second former Cobra Baseball coach to change jobs over the summer—former coach Dave Seifert was recently named the head coach at the University of Evansville. He replaced Dave Schrage, who moved on to Notre Dame.

### ATTENTION: STUDENT ATHLETES!

Tryouts are being held! For more information, please come to Room P-204, or call 351-2226.

Men's Basketball – Friday, September 22, 3pm in the Gym





