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## Congress: CORD meets to discuss Alcohol abuse problem in R.I.

By Joyce Simard

At the Student Congress meeting held on Sunday, February 24, a resolution was passed to recommend a new proposal to the General Assembly, regarding the possible raise of the drinking age to twenty in R.I. This proposal would support an 18-20 plan, which means that eighteen year olds would be able to drink at bars and other such establishments, but the legal age to buy liquor at a package store would be twenty. As the movement of raising the drinking age stems from a concern over the many accidents occurring from driving under the influence of alcohol, "this act would alleviate much of the problem by

prohibiting those under eighteen from drinking while driving," stated Bill Pearson, Student Congress president.

Student Congress is working on this recommendation in conjunction with the Committee on Responsible Drinking (C.O.R.D.), an organization consisting of representatives from area colleges. At a meeting this week, C.O.R.D. will finalize the details of the above proposal, concentrating upon such things as driver education pertaining to alcohol, licensing laws, and stricter penalties and enforcement of laws relating to liquor consumption and the supplying of alcohol to minors.

Chairpersons for Congress committees were also announced and these appointments are as follows:

Academic Research: Laura Foley  
Legislative: Rob Giovino  
Ethics: MaryEllen Gilroy  
Lifestyles: Cheryl Morrissey  
Finance: Ken McGunagle  
Faculty Survey: Mary Ellen Butke  
Ways and Means: Mitch Vogel  
Food Committee: Jim McGuire

Elections for Resident Board and the new Off-Campus Organization will be held on Thursday, February 28. All students are urged to vote.



Ed Flynn



Steve Kinney

## New "OCRO" to elect executive board

The Off-Campus Resident's Organization will see the elections of its officers this Thursday, February 28.

Of the all six candidates for the Board, all but one are members of the Class of '81. Dan Flynn and Steve Kinney are the two opponents for the presidency. Dennis Gallagher and John Leary are each running unopposed for the offices of vice-president and secretary, respectively.

Owing for the position of treasurer are Cathy Goulet and Marybeth Holland, the only sophomore nominee.

Ed Flynn, commenting on his

campaign, said, "I feel that I can represent the sentiments of a large section of the off-campus population. I've been involved in numerous Congress activities and the experience has provided me with the organizational ability necessary to set up this board, which will exclusively deal with the concerns of apartment dwellers. The objectives of the OCRO are aligned with mine and I hope the student body gives me this opportunity to carry through with my plans."

Steve Kinney could not be reached for comment.

The elections will be held Thursday, February 28.



Tim West



Steve Ferreira

## West, Ferreira seek top post on Resident Board

Thursday, February 28, will be election day for the six officers of the Resident Board.

There are a total of six nominees running for the four positions on the board. The nominees, who are all sophomores, turned in their papers, complete with fifty signatures, by 4:00 p.m. last Friday.

Running unopposed for the office of treasurer is Kate Grant. For the office of secretary, Lynn Abbott and Maura Conway will be on the ballot. Patrick Leyden is running for vice-president, also unopposed.

The two presidential candidates are Steven Ferreira and Arthur "lim" West.

Ferreira, a business marketing

major, commented, "I've had two semesters of Congress already and I'd like to continue the quality of work the previous Resident Boards have put in. I think my previous experiences will prove a valuable asset in asserting myself as the Resident Board president."

West, a marketing major, said in regard to the elections, "My first objective is to keep the Resident Board active. Secondly, I'd like to look into the feasibility of some sort of residence plan."

Students can vote from 9:30-3:30 in Slavin Center and from 4:30-6:30 in Raymond Cafeteria. Students must live on-campus to vote for the officers of this organization.

problems in raising funds. In Committee reports, the Concert Committee reported a successful J. Geils Concert, and announced that ticket sales for the March 21st Jonathan Edwards Concert will go on sale next week.

The Lectures Committee commented on the success of the Rape Forum held last week. Also, a wine tasting event will be held in the Last Resort this Friday from 5-7. The cost will be \$1.00. The Fine Arts Committee noted how well Rose Weaver performed last Wednesday. The Travel Committee is organizing a bus trip to NYC for Saint Patrick's Day. The date of the trip has not been determined. Also, should the PC hockey team make it to the E.C.A.C. finals in Boston, a trip may be in store. The Social Committee announced a somewhat successful comedy site on Saturday. Lastly, the Films Committee will be showing "Hooper" this Sunday at the Last Resort.

In other news, the BOG posted their nominating committee dates. Nominations are the 12-14 of March, speeches will be held the 18th, and elections will be the 20th. See members of the Board for further details.

**REMEMBER**  
The deadline for filing Providence College Financial Aid forms is March 15, 1980. Late applications will be considered only after all others have been reviewed.

By Karen Ryder

The Providence College Republican Club, in conjunction with the Rhode Island Young Republicans, sponsored a forum about the proposal to raise the drinking age. The forum, which was coordinated by Allen J. Houghland and Frank V. Tori, Jr., consisted of eight panel members, four in favor of the proposed bill and four against.

At the opening of the debate, each panel member was allowed to give a two minute dissertation on their views in relation to the bill. The panel members were then allowed to respond to any comments that had been made, before discussion was opened up to the audience.

Speaking in favor of the hike were Councilman Steven R. Deuth, (R-East Greenwich); Rev. Paul Maguire, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, Portsmouth; Loretta Young Silvia, chairperson of the RI Association of Alcohol Directors and director of C.H.I.C. Alcohol Program; and State Representative Ernest C. Torres, (R-East Greenwich).

Expressing opposing views were: Frank Addeci, alcoholism counselor; State Representative Paul R. Durfee, (R-Cranston); Rev. Joseph Protano, chairman of the RI Advisory and Coordinating Committee on Alcoholism; and David Rinaldi, member of the PC Class of 1982.

Allen J. Houghland, '81, moderator of the program, kicked off the debate by introducing Councilman Deutch. The Councilman's main argument for raising the age was the fact that seven teenagers were killed in automobile accidents in East

Greenwich within a six month period. All the deaths were alcohol related. Deutch further stated, "There is hardly a school system in the state of RI that is not having monthly, sometimes weekly problems with drunken students."

Rev. Durfee, the next speaker on the podium, stated, "We all have drinking problem. I think we, as adults, are casting the blame on anyone but ourselves." Durfee believes that 18 and 19 year olds are just as entitled to the rights and privileges all other adults enjoy. He feels that the way to curb our youths' drinking problem is to "use enforcement, not discrimination."

Silvia, defending the hike to age 20, said, "Adolescent drinking is a small part of the problem. No law I know of can solve all of the problem." Silvia also claimed that "psychological and physiologically, the younger a person is, the harder it (alcohol consumption) is to control."

David Rinaldi expressed his opposition to the proposed bill by citing the fact that since Massachusetts has raised its drinking age to 20, there has been an increase in the highway fatality rate, the very statistic which the bill is supposed to reduce.

Rep. Ernest Torres described the problem as two-fold. First, he claims, there is the issue of the availability of alcohol to minors, which is followed by the inevitable situation of teens drinking and driving. Torres was quoted as saying, "I'm not suggesting that all people under the age of 21 are irresponsible drinkers. I'm saying that the increase of the drinking age will reduce the problem and it will not hurt those in that 18-20 age bracket."

Father Maguire believes that the age should be raised because "it is a moral problem—a matter of self-denial."

On the other hand, Father Pearson believes that by passage of the bill "You're being denied your moral right." He went on to say, "There's nothing wrong with booze—there is something wrong with a drunk."

Silvia, in response to the cited statistics on the large number of young people who are currently undergoing treatment for alcoholism, said, "I don't believe that 18 and 19 year olds have nearly as much respect for the law and authority as they claim to have."

When the forum was opened to the audience, a woman asked the panel why something wasn't being done in the way of alcohol education.

Silvia explained that such attempts have been made in dealing with the alcohol problem, but until something is found to be conclusively effective in dealing with the situation, she feels that raising the drinking age to 20 is the best move to make.

The woman then inquired how you can teach anyone anything by just denying something and not giving them a reason for doing so.

Silvia drew a mixed reaction from the audience when she replied, "I don't think you have to give people a reason."

The forum closed, after running for approximately an hour and a half. While leaving, one student was heard commenting on the fact that there were no more than 30 to 40 students at the meeting, an amazing expression of apathy considering it concerned a subject that involves so many students.

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## News from the BOG

By Brian Olivio

The BOG held their weekly meeting on Monday. General discussion included the newly revised by-laws of the Board. These by-laws, which are the lifeblood of the Board, were supposedly in need of revision. Unfortunately, the press was excluded for this portion of the meeting.

Of other concern was the adventures of Nancy Tuttle, Dan Connor and L.J. Manning at the National Convention in Washington, D.C. The three commented on how beneficial the convention was, and added many interesting ideas on alcohol awareness, leadership development, promotions, publicity, video, films, and lectures. These seminars were conducted by the various Boards of Governors around the nation, and basically the main objective was how to raise money using non-alcoholic events. The Board feels the raise of the drinking age will pose many



# News

## Frosh update:

### "Southern rock and southern comfort"

On Wednesday, February 21, the freshman class held their first meeting since the recent election of their officers and student representatives. On the agenda for the evening were the class' future events and the formation of class committees.

Upcoming events for the class included a yet to be finalized social event on March 15 and a "Southern Rock Night," featuring Hanging Women Creek and Southern Comfort on Friday, March 28. The officers expressed their enthusiasm toward the Southern Rock Night. "I think the combination of southern rock and Southern Comfort will make for a great night," commented President Greg Pigeon, "I hope we get a lot of support, especially from our class."

At the meeting, the officers also provided the class with an opportunity to get involved with class affairs. Five committees, each headed by a representative, were established to assist in some area of the class. The class officers stressed that membership in these committees is open to all students, and the more involved, the better.

The first committee, chaired by Alicia Lynch, is the publicity committee, whose duty is to publicize class events by several means, including a monthly newsletter which they will publish. The committee for events, led by chairperson Marybeth Carter, will be responsible for assigning work details, when they are needed at mixer and class events. Jean

Ludwig, the chairperson of the Alternative Ideas Committee, will be concerned with finding a feasible solution to class fundraising should the proposed drinking age bill be passed. The



Greg Pigeon, president, Class of '84

### Aristotle: Try it backwards!

Dr. Mortimer Adler, the nationally famous philosopher and author, gave a lecture Tuesday, February 19, in Aquinas Lounge. The lecture, which was sponsored by Phi Sigma Tau, the Philosophy honor society and the Thomistic Doctor's Guild, was attended by approximately 200 people. Rev. John Kenny, O.P., chairman of the philosophy department, introduced Dr. Adler. The lecture was entitled "Reading Aristotle Backwards: Search for the Meaningful Life." A spirited question period followed.

Current Issues Committee, chaired by Mary Ellen Burke, will be responsible for investigating and acting upon issues concerning freshmen. Right now, the committee is involved with the Congress effort to block the proposed drinking age hike.

Finally, the officers set up the commuter-resident relations committee. Headed by Chris Falino and Mike DiChiro, the committee will try to bring commuter and resident students into a more unified group.

The freshmen officers believe that with the continued help and enthusiasm of the 60 people that turned out at Wednesday's meeting, as well as the rest of the class, the committees and the class can function in an effective and efficient manner.

Adler, it has been said, has made the great ideas and the great thinkers of the ages accessible to the average reading public. He is currently director of the Institute for Philosophical Research, chairman of Encyclopedia Britannica's Board of Editors, and associate editor of *Great Books of the Western World*.

He taught at Columbia from 1923 until 1930, when he went to the University of Chicago at the invitation of Robert M. Hutchins. With President Hutchins, he developed the Great Books program, helped to establish the Great Books Foundation and was instrumental in instigating many education reforms.

Adler's most recent book is *How to Think About God: A Guide for the 20th Century Pagan*. It is described as a contemporary man's proof of the existence of God.

Rev. Thomas R. Peterson hosted a dinner for Adler prior to his lecture. In 1973, Adler was awarded the honorary degree of doctor of Humanities by Providence College.

## Around the campus

### Faculty Senate

The Faculty Senate, Academic Affairs Committee will hold an open meeting on Wednesday, February 27, at 2:30 p.m. in Slavin 203. Discussion topics will be a four course curriculum and suggestions for new general degree requirements. Everyone is welcome.

### Test Anxiety

The Counseling Center will hold a test anxiety workshop at 7:00 p.m. in Slavin 110 on Wednesday, February 27.

### Women's Hockey

The Lady Friars hockey team will meet BU at 7:00 p.m. in Schneider Arena tonight, Wednesday, February 27, at 8:00 p.m. in Aquinas Lounge.

### Fiction Reading

The English department, as part of the Poetry and Fiction Series, will present fiction readings by Lissa McLoughlin tonight, Wednesday, February 27, at 8:00 p.m. in Aquinas Lounge.

### Music Program

The music program will present "Four Centuries of Zupsmusik"

tonight, Wednesday, February 27, at 8:00 p.m. in '64 Hall.

### Planning Committee

The College Planning Committee will meet with the history department on Thursday, February 28, at 2:00 p.m. in Slavin 203.

### Parents' Weekend

Upperclassmen's Parents' Weekend will commence on Friday, February 29.

### Happy Hour

The BOG is holding a Wine-Tasting Happy Hour on Friday, February 29, from 5-7:00 p.m. in The Last Resort.

### Theatre Arts

The theatre arts program will present *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* on Friday and Saturday, February 29 and March 1. Both performances will be in Harkins Auditorium. Curtain is at 8:00 p.m.

### BOG Fine Arts

The BOG Fine Arts Committee will present the Poor House Puppets in a puppet show on Wednesday, March 5, at 8:00 p.m. in '64 Hall.

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## Draft lottery replacement

By Lori Evangelos

A system of mandatory national service should be developed as rapidly as possible to replace the draft lottery, which was "uneven in its distribution and unfair as a result," according to Brigadier General John N. Kieley, Assistant Adjutant General of the Rhode Island Army National Guard and alumnus of Providence College.

The General spoke to not only the ROTC cadets and officers, but also to priests and civilians who

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## Evening of jazz

By Ann Spasato

Last Wednesday evening, February 20, the Board of Governors Fine Arts Committee presented an evening of Jazz featuring Rose Weaver and the Greg Wardson Trio. This Providence-based group is well-known at various New England jazz clubs.

"Once you leave PC, then you realize what a great school this is. I've never met any professors who were as helpful to me as when I was here." These comments were made by Brian Burke, '77, last Thursday, in a discussion during a "Career Night," which was held by the History Club.

Burke, who is a third year law school student at Harvard, said that he was lucky to get into Harvard, and while the studying is

They presented a medley of Jazz and Blues from the 1920's to the present, including such favorites as George Gershwin and Cole Porter. The audience was enthusiastic about Miss Weaver's performance and demanded an encore.

Next Wednesday, March 5, the Fine Arts Committee will present The Poor House Puppets in '64 Hall at 8:00 P.M.

## Burke, Brady speak at Career Night

By Ned Cumiskey

demanding, it is time well spent. He added that even if he did not want to continue in the field of law, "there are other areas one can go into if one has a law degree. Law firms offer good benefits and are a great spring board to other careers," said Burke.

Many of the 50 students who attended the Career Night had questions regarding how to apply to law school, which law schools are the best, and who should one ask for advice. Burke thinks that a person should attend the best law school that he can get accepted into, even if the school is far away.

He added that competition for good grades is tough at Harvard, but that some students take it too seriously. He also thinks that women have a better chance of getting into law school and finding a good job than do men, because many companies are trying to balance the male/female ratio of employees. "A girl in my class with my grades will get a better chance than I will in getting a job," said Burke.

Burke thinks that his first year at law school was much harder than his second. He advised not having a job during the first year because of the demands on one's time. He thinks the key to the first year at law school is to cut down on the time by using outline notes that the bookstore will sell, which condense the cases that you study.

"You almost have to try to flunk out of law school. There's no way that will happen if you keep up with the work," said Burke.

He concluded by saying that one advantage to being a lawyer is that one can practice wherever he wants and it can be a very rewarding career.

The other speaker at the Career Night was David Brady, a special agent for the FBI's Boston office. A '58 graduate of Boston College, with an economics degree, recalled that he was not sure what he wanted to do after graduation, so he enlisted with the Marines. After three years in the service he returned to Boston and had trouble finding a job. "I ended up being an insurance adjuster for two and a half years and hated it, but it taught me an awful lot. Then I applied to the FBI and got in," said Brady.

He stated that in his 17 years with the FBI, he has seen little danger. "I've never been shot at, nor have I ever had to fire at anyone," said Brady. He added that he had been to many places in

the country and the world in his work for the FBI. He recalled the time in 1964 when he was then assigned to the New Orleans office. "At that time racial tension was high in the South and the FBI wasn't that popular in the region," said Brady. "I saw a lot of civil rights marches and a lot of violence."

He has been at the Boston office for the past seven years and was recently responsible for "Operation Lobster," which uncovered the interstate stolen goods ring. To Brady, working for the FBI is rewarding because "maybe there was an accomplishment somewhere along the line where an investigation has helped to end some criminal activity."

He said that the Bureau would hire 430 agents this year at a starting salary of \$23,450.00 per year. After seven years with the FBI, an agent can make up to \$34,000. "An applicant with a law degree, fluency in a foreign language, or with accounting experience, has a good chance of being hired," added Brady.

"Any work experience for three years is a good prerequisite for the FBI. Women aren't given any special duties if they are hired. They have to pass the same tests and physical requirements as the men."

Jim Healy, '80, president of the History Club, said the program was held, "to show history majors the limitless possibilities open to them after graduation."

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### Get Your Picture in the Yearbook

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### ELECT Steve Ferreira

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# The Cowl

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## Tenure committee Student representation would be valuable

Tenure. That's a powerful word, and most members of the Providence College faculty would agree. What it spells for the faculty is guaranteed job security.

The Editorial Board of **The Cowl** agrees with the basic purpose, and idea behind granting tenure; we do, however, question certain aspects of the tenuring procedure and its possible outcomes. First, an explanation of exactly what tenure involves is in order. To quote from PC's faculty handbook, All members of the Ordinary Faculty who have completed a probationary period of seven years are given permanent or continuous tenure. Their services may not be terminated by the College except for adequate cause, retirement for age, or under extraordinary circumstances because of a financial emergency, which must be demonstrably bona fide." Thus, after an employment period of five years with the College, the names of eligible faculty are submitted to the vice-president for Academic Affairs, along with the recommendation of the respective department chairperson and the tenured members of that department. These recommendations are in turn forwarded to the Committee on Academic Rank and Tenure for a review, and ultimately a vote. If the vote is favorable, the President of the College would "send a letter of intention, stating that the College intends to offer the faculty member a contract for the seventh year which, when completed, would result in the faculty member being tenured." And that, in a nutshell, is how tenure operates.

The Rank and Tenure Committee, which has the final say in this matter, is composed of 13 tenured members of the faculty and administration. Herein lies the problem. The Editorial Board of **The Cowl** feels that student representation on this committee is essential in order to insure a complete and fair profile of each professor in question.

Since the Tenure Committee judges the instructor's ability to teach, it is ironic that a member of the student body, whose views would presumably be an accurate indication of teaching effectiveness, are not being considered. The student observes the professor in the classroom, thus he sees how the teacher performs in his role as educator, a perspective which the faculty members on the committee do not have. Granting tenure only on the basis of the opinions of these committee members is like judging the ability of a vocalist by merely reading the lyrics of his song. One must be present for the actual performance in order to evaluate its worth.

Each year, the student congress conducts a Faculty Survey in which students rate the effectiveness of their professors and courses. This Survey represents another vehicle which could be helpful to the Rank and Tenure Committee in considering teachers for tenure. Again, a review of these documents is important in that it would insure that the views of the student body are being represented.

Unfortunately, some instructors have abused the concept of tenure. For a few, the tendency to "slack off" in course preparation, or their own studying is a by-product of the tenure contract.

We would like to think that this occurrence is the exception rather than the rule. The committee should realize however, that this is an easy trap to fall into, and should take measures to guard against it. Perhaps the professors involved should be reviewed periodically after being granted tenure.

In the past, tenure proceedings have been kept out of the realm of students. The Editorial Board of **The Cowl** urges the committee on Rank and Tenure to reconsider this policy. Students are paying dues for their education. They should have some input regarding the quality of it.

## BOG coffeehouse, A success

It is important to give credit where credit is due. Lately there has been a growing concern on campus regarding the issue of alcohol abuse. "All social events at PC are centered around drinking" has been the common cry. The Board of Governors is one of the organizations which resolved to do something about this, and has in fact been successful.

The recently opened "Last Resort" hosts a coffeehouse one night per week, which offers an excellent alternative to the usual forms of entertainment. Entertainment has included vocalists and guitarists, and there is also a great variety of snack foods from which to choose. The candle light and red clothed tables provide a calm, relaxing atmosphere, which to many is a welcomed change.

Best of all, the price of admission is free.

The Editorial Board of **The Cowl** applauds the BOG for their ingenuity and success in this venture. It is reassuring to realize that an event without alcohol can succeed at PC. It is obvious that the student body is both receptive to, and appreciative to these efforts.

### College Planning Committee

On Thursday, at 2:00 pm the Planning Committee will meet to evaluate the History Department. Student input is important. All interested urged to attend.



## Budget revisions necessary for college payroll

Determining the College budget is not an easy job. In fact, it is a complicated and arduous task which seven members of the faculty and administration, and one student have been grappling with since January 30. Allocations will be finalized in early March, when the budget for 1980-81 will be announced. The College Editorial Board recognizes the difficulty of this chore, but urges the committee to maintain an open mind when evaluating the needs of all programs, especially those of the College payroll.

In years past a number of students were employed by the College, with their wages being drawn directly from the College payroll. These individuals were distinct and separate from the College Work Study Program (CWSP). Various departments employed them due to their prior work experience or expertise in a particular field. Upon returning to school in the fall of 1979, many of these students found themselves without jobs. The College payroll budget had been cut to accommodate the greater number of CWSP students, thus these students were left high and dry, and unemployed.

Not only did this budget cut create problems for the students involved, but it also left their former employers in a jam. Many departments had come to rely on these students, especially those of security and the sciences. In some

cases, even after advancing to positions of responsibility, people had to be "let go"; the budget simply would not accommodate any additional employment.

The Editorial Board of The

Cowl believes that last year's cut of the College payroll budget was an error in judgement. We urge the committee to reconsider their allocations for this area, and not to make the same mistake twice.

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### Support The Lady Friars

The women's basketball team meets in Syracuse in Alumni Gym at 8:00 on Saturday. Be There!







# Features

## J. Giles Best concert yet, at PC

By Tim Ahearn

The bad boys from Boston took over Alumni Hall at about 9:15 last Friday night and held it captive for just over two hours. The mostly non-PC crowd (although PC was better represented than at the Southside, Santana, or Cars concerts of last year) took offense at the idea of a back up band as they gave the 3-D's a rather unwelcoming response. The 3-D's weren't, however, as bad as the crowd indicated. They were energetic and new-wavish, but certainly not the band for this Providence audience.

As expected, Love Stinks, J. Giles' new album, was heard in between the funky Geils classics like "Southside Shuffle." "Give it to me," "Detroit Breakdown" and others. "Wooboo Gooboo" Peter Wolf, lead singer, still dances up the same storm that he's been dancing up for some 12 years. A clean shaven Wolf kept the sell-out crowd on their feet and the communication between band and audience was quite evident.

Geils played something from almost every album, blending in Love Stinks selections throughout the show, and proving that it is certainly not a step down for them. Although the cuts from the new album sounded just fine, a couple of Geils oldies from Full House: "First I look at the Purse," and "Pack Fair and Square" closed the show in roaring style.

This was the J. Geils first concert in what will be their "Tour of the 80's." If you haven't seen these guys in a couple of years, then they're worth checking out, for sure. J. Geils over the hill? You wouldn't convince the 4,000 at Providence College on Friday last.



Cowl photo by Steve Deringo



Cowl photo by Steve Deringo



Sophomore Maura Conway

## Maura Conway: PC in DC

By Ken Dagesse

Maura Conway, PC sophomore, was awarded an internship with Rhode Island Senator Claiborne Pell, February 3-9. A Humanities major, led by an interest in government and international relations, Maura became involved in the practical operations of the legislative branch of the federal government.

During her internship, Maura found the application of political ideology to real-life situations to be the most fascinating aspect of her experience. Seeing how a senatorial office works with forever-arising problems, she gained an unforgettable experi-

ence in government. Maura also participated in congressional debates on the possible Olympic boycott, and on women's future role in the draft.

Together with four Brown University students, Maura was part of the five-member Rhode Island team serving internships in DC. According to the PC sophomore, the eight day stay was highlighted by free-time activities, especially those during the night time, offered by the nation's capital.

At times frustrating, Maura considered her job to be a small, but necessary part of the overall bureaucratic process of the government.

## Brahmsien beat

By Candelmas

Program:  
Brahms: Academic Festival Overture  
Strauss: Four Lost Songs  
Brahms: A German Requiem  
Title: A Brahmsien Beat

Where is it written that a snowy evening and "only" the resident conductor must combine to guarantee a sparsely attended concert of the Philharmonic? True to form, this latest in the season's programs played to a less than jam-packed house, most unusual in this first year at the Ocean State. Listeners were polite—a condemnatory term which any conductor worth his salt would never admit into his curriculum vitae. George Kent has guided this orchestra for many years now, notably in the Pops concerts, when on one occasion at least he created more fine music in a short period of time that the musical director often produced in almost the entire season. I am referring here to his presentation of the Star Wars theme two year ago, roof-raising and musically fine.

So it is disappointing to learn that Rhode Island audiences apparently still hearken, to some degree anyway, to the label of the leader morose than his substance. Especially sad this fact, when Kent created such a complete

evening of fine music, from the rousing Academic Festival Overture to the massive Deutsches Requiem.

The inclusion of the program of this latter piece may have attributed to the sparse numbers. The Requiem's reputation conjures up the effort of "girding one's loins"

—a siege of sound, an endurance of turgid thought set to Teutonic tunes. Not so, of course. Even such a critic as Wallace Brockway, who once lamented that the Requiem's "total effect is one of noble dreariness," errs in this case. It is a wonderful choral symphony, not to be listened to as a great religious treatise, which Brahms himself disclaimed initially by titling it a German Requiem, i.e. a national, Volk piece not intended to directly pursue a Christian spiritual quest.

Instead, each section can be enjoyed in itself as a complex, lyrical song blending with musical forces on either side to well up, subside, and rise yet again until one joint into this rhythm in anticipation of the stunning, tensioned climax of part 6 and the assertive, positive ease of *diminuendo* with the cathartic conclusion of the last section. The assertion of human expectation, the mood of the 19th century, runs rampant through the piece—it could not have been created in any other era.

I must lament, then, an absence of climactic quality in Kent's

—See Brahms page 7

## Special Olympics basketball

By Anne Santora

On March 15 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., the Circle K Club is sponsoring a Special Olympics Basketball Tournament. Approximately one hundred children representing teams from Cranston, Bristol, Blackstone Valley, Ladd School, The

Trudeau Center, South County, and Newport will participate in this event. There will be two cheerleading squads who will be judged by PC's own cheerleading squad.

The Friars will also be on hand to display some of their talents and to hold a clinic. Trophies will be distributed to the winning teams.

To finance this event, a collec-

tion will be held Thursday, February 28 and Friday, February 29, in Alumni Cafeteria and Raymond Cafeteria. Anyone interested in volunteering for organization is asked to call Cecilia at 865-3475 or Marlene at 942-0365. A box will be placed at the Slavin Information Desk for anyone who would like to leave his name and number to be contacted. Thank you.

## When is a bargain a bargain?

Off campus students are forever seeking bargains. But, the question arises: when is a bargain a bargain?

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# Jack White to bring more than pool to PC



Pool shark, Jack White

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White has received a large following as a billiards champion and trick shot artist. In addition, he has received praise as a stand-up comic. White has been the only billiards expert ever to be invited to the White House and was the first to initiate a pocket billiard clinic. Admitting to be the best "next to only maybe God," White has a high run in pocket billiards of 319, a high run in snooker of 147 points, and a high run in 3-cushion billiards of 12.

White's performance is a popular one and it is advisable to get there early. The event is sponsored by the College's Office of Programming.



## Brahms

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interpretation. He had before him a 200-voice chorus, some 80 instrumentalists, 2 soloists, and an enormous hall just waiting to be filled by bursting sound. But it never happened. Instead, a modulated, rational musicality prevailed, quite fine in tonal beauty and almost flawless in execution. But if Brahms bespoke the 19th century, Kent was re-introducing him to the 18th, where moderation and restraint

take precedence. Certainly the conductor must place his mark on a piece, but I am not convinced that the structure, the sheer size of the Requiem can successfully accommodate this stance.

Too, the issue of acoustics may be involved. With such a large chorus, the orchestra was forced to move forward onto the podium, producing a sense of imbalance between the two musical forces. At times the vocal quality lapsed into muffled accompaniment and never did it issue forth with a sharply commanding statement. Can this be the fault of the shell? This is not a question my non-

engineering brain can handle. But audio instinct tells me the fault lay more with artistic intention than with the laws of physics.

Some highlights. Kathryn Bouleyn, the soprano soloist in both the Requiem and the Strauss' **Four Songs** was simply lovely. In the contemplative assurance of Strauss, the lyrical grace of her singing blended perfectly with some superb orchestral playing, never struggling to over-match or press beyond her own capacities. In particular, her diminuendo at the conclusion of Lied I was splendid; in the best sense the orchestra and she became one

voice. Her dynamics, vocal power, and projected excitement were more in evidence in the Brahms, as expected, but here also she controlled the voice, seeming to hear acutely what other musical elements were saying and making them the perfect response. A blue ribbon also to the oboist, Ellen Dunn, in a plaintive introduction to the concluding section of the Requiem sounding the best she has all year. It set the mood for some gracious acappella work by the chorus, lending an authenticity to its presence which really had been diminished for

most of the evening. Lastly, I must mention how the ensemble playing of the orchestra steadily improves. I was reminded of this again with the violin and horn duet in the 3rd Strauss Lied, where a mature and sensitive understanding was splendid.

All in all, a satisfying concert, if not energizing. Brahms, I think, would balk at Kent's reticence, but certainly not at his talent. Let's hope the locals don't miss this fact of his abilities, either.

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# Lottery replacement

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had attended the ROTC National Prayer Breakfast at Providence College, Thursday, February 7. The National Prayer Breakfast is sponsored by the United States' Senate and House Prayer Group in order to bring together the leadership of the United States in recognition of the moral and spiritual values upon which the nation is founded.

"The important thing right now, however is that the administration pursue mandatory registration for males and that it be accomplished as rapidly as possible," said General Kiehl. He stressed the vital importance of mandatory registration for males now, "not six months from now," as the signal we must send indicating our determination to "improve our capability to withstand encroachment upon our interests by any nation in the world, not the least of which is the Soviet Union."

Although the General recognized the fact that many view the possibility of mandatory service as a traumatic interruption of their lives, he said it would enhance the quality of life in our society when viewed for what it is—"a contribution to the strength and stability of the one nation in the world where opportunity is almost limitless."

Mandatory military service "would be applicable to all members of our society reaching the age of maturity, with the

chance of social or military service were possible, left to the individual.

In the General's view, "women in the military have earned their spurs, and they have every right to serve. There is no question that women can serve well. Whether they should be required to serve in combat formations on an involuntary basis, however, is another question. I personally do not believe they should."  
"Both women and men should be registered and be available for call of National Service, in areas of their choosing where possible, or in those areas where physical and mental capabilities are most needed. For those women who desire combat assignments, however, I see no logic in arbitrarily prohibiting them from such service."

Such a system would not only meet the immediate military needs of the United States, according to General Kiehl, but also would establish the public service as a norm for every individual. He contended that the larger benefit of such a concept would be: "the development of a sense of personal responsibility for national life, through individual involvement, by every capable citizen."

"Freedom to choose one's life direction, which young Americans enjoy, need not be inhibited by a brief period of service to the Nation—but that service may well be what makes the freedom of

choice possible in the future.  
"God and the soldier we adore in time of trouble but not before. But when the dangers past and things righted, God is forgotten and the soldier slighted," said the General as he quoted an old soldiers' ballad. "For all its simplicity," he added, "it is biting and accurate. It has been scrawled on every barracks and sentry box wall from Gibraltar to Korea."  
In speaking to the younger people, the ROTC cadets, he said that the "bit of doggerel" well

describes the situation we are in today, but that one must recognize it for what it is: a perceptive soldiers' reflection on the weakness of human nature. He concluded, "It does not have to be if we as individuals, and as a nation, have the moral courage to make the hard decisions and sacrifices necessary for our survival. If we continue to take the easy way out and leave sacrifice and responsibility to someone else, we will not survive."

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Councilman Deutsch, in his closing comments, made a statement that touched on this subject. Quoting Councilman Daniels, he said, "Lack of response means consent." That scared me. If you believe in something, get up there—take a stand and speak out for what you believe in."

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# Lady Friar hoopsters take 2 of 3, finish season 19-6

By Mary Gibbons

Mary Ann McCoy, connecting for 18 points, and Lynn Sheedy, with 16, paced the Lady Friars as they met Boston University at Alumni Hall on Wednesday, February 20.

The Terriers, ranked fourth in New England, upset first-ranked PC, 68-62. BU pulled ahead in the first half and PC was unable to catch them for the rest of the game. Madeline McCoy hit for 11 points to maintain the close contest. Linda Wage and Rita Fraser played key roles with excellent defensive and offensive plays.

At the half, BU led by three, 34-31. The action-packed second half saw the Lady Friars far behind for a short while. A rally in the final minutes of the game brought the score even closer. Although sustaining the loss, PC looked sharp in this, their last home game of the season. Joan Finneran and Peggy Egan both had fine showings for the Lady Friars. Their record, following this game is 17-6, one of their most successful seasons ever.

Sophomore Rita Fraser was honored in a post-game ceremony as she received the WDOM Sixth Player Award. This award is given to a player who performs above and beyond her regular duty. Although Fraser does not start every game, she gives her all for the team both on and off the

court. The effort she displays should be a model for any athlete.

On Thursday night Lynn Sheedy's field goal with 11 seconds remaining, combined with a Mary Ann McCoy free-throw in the final 10 seconds, gave the Lady Friars a 50-47 victory over Eastern Connecticut State College. McCoy did not miss a shot from the floor or from the line as she picked up 21 points. Lynn Sheedy contributed 14 points in the Lady Friar victory.

In their final regular season

game in New Britain, Connecticut, the Lady Friars downed Central Connecticut State College, 67-53.

Rita Fraser was high scorer for Providence with 14, and McCoy and Peggy Egan each added 12.

The Lady Friars finished their season at 19-6. They will face Syracuse in the first round of the EAIAW playoffs. The game is scheduled for 8:00 p.m. Saturday, March 1, in Alumni Gym.

Congratulations to Rita Fraser and all of the Lady Friar hoopsters for an outstanding season.

## Ladies rout Tigers

Continued from Page 12 broke down the right side for her only score of the game.

The Lady Friars produced four more in the third period. Tiger players just couldn't keep up with the Friars' long strides and teamwork passing. Whenever the Princeton forward tried to break, they were sure to be forechecked. Spogbo got the first three scores of the period. One came in front, one came on a pass by her from the corner, hit off Stanton's skate and bounced into the net, and her fifth goal came on a two-on-one with Glyn. Riordan's third goal of the game made the final score 10-1.



Courtesy Photo by Margaret Twining

Kathy Lenahan (7) steals a cross ice pass from Elizabeth Madden (17) of Princeton.

## Intramural Rankings

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

<b>"A" League</b>	
Hungo's Boys	6-0
Cosmic Debris	6-0
Penetrators	5-0
Burning Embers	3-3
<b>"B" League</b>	
Eagles	5-0
Staffers	5-0
Wild Turkeys	5-0
M.O.N.K.	5-0
S.O.M.F.	5-0
Veazie St. Five	4-0
Flatbackers	4-1
Cellar Dwellers	4-1
H.B.S.B.	4-1
Rodents	4-1

**Girls' League**

Rink Rats	5-0
Adox Bar & Grill	4-0
3D's	4-1
Sinkers	3-1
Tiggers	2-2

**INTRAMURAL HOCKEY**

**"A" League**

S.P.L.	6-1
SMA	5-1
Fennell Finaglers	3-3
Sinners	3-3

**"B" League, Division I**

Dumpsters	6-0
Seamen Shooters	5-2-1
Fat Cambodians	3-3-1

**"B" League, Division II**

Schooners	5-0
Renegades	4-2

**Girls' League**

Rink Rats	6-0
Pink Panthers	3-3

## Pucksters take two at home

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the UNH squad for two and a half periods in a superb performance at Snively Arena eight days before.

The Friars suffered a similar lapse Tuesday night against the Tigers of Princeton, but luck is on the Friars side this year as they escaped with a win in that one, 6-5.

The Friars got on the board first as Paul Stasiuk, covering the point for Scot Kleinendorst, took a slapshot that was screened in front by Dan Miele. Princeton seemed to tie it up but the goal was called back on an offside. Steve Anderson made the score 2-0 with the help of Kurt Kleinendorst late in the first period.

With 1:25 gone in the second period, the Tigers cut the lead in half as Sean Sherman put a rebound past Fiske in the PC net. O'Neill brought the lead to 3-1 on a quick shot from the left wing. Dennis Martin and Jim Collucci both got assists. Sixteen seconds later Princeton scored to make it 3-2, as Ray Casey put the puck behind Fiske. Mike Toppazzini made it 4-2 on a shot from the right point. A shorthand goal by Stasiuk made it 5-2. Jeff Whisler blocked the shot at the point and Stasiuk was off to the races.

The game winner was scored by Whisler on a misfired shot by Martin after a pass from Dan Miele.

In the third period, the Friars played flat hockey. There were a lot of careless passes and mistakes. The comfortable lead of 6-2 deflated quickly as goals by Jim Farrell and Mack Curwin made it 6-4. Then when Princeton pulled their goalie a goal by Dave Tweedy with 58 seconds remaining got the Tigers within one. The Tigers kept the puck in the Friar zone for the last minute, but could not put the tying goal past Fiske.



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# Friars to get another shot at St. John's

SPORTS ON WDOM.

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 Meanwhile, St. John's was led by Frank Gilroy's 15, while a reportedly ill Reggie Carter and center Wayne McCoy each added 12.

The Friars will now compete in first round action of the Big East Tournament. They face this same St. John's team on Thursday, February 28, at 3:00 p.m. at the Providence Civic Center.

Earlier in the week, the Friars went into another game as underdogs but wound up on the losing end because of another second half surge by the opposition. After leading most of the way, the Friars were eventually wounded

St. Joe's, 54-52.

A Bryan Warrick 12-footer with seven seconds remaining in the contest stranded the Friars down at the Palestra last Tuesday. A Rick Tucker desperation attempt failed after a time-out and the Friars finished their seven game road schedule, 1-6.

The Hawks were red hot going into the contest. They had won ten of their last 11, one of which included a victory of the URI Rams.

Despite going against the hot team, the Friars came out storming in the first half. Their four point lead at intermission, 31-27, was not as high as the

Friars had pushed it before the half was over. Twice the Providence had forged eight point leads over the six-point favored Hawks.

The Friars' lead peaked at 10 before the Hawks started their comeback. St. Joe's took their first lead of the game, 45-49, on two free throws by Bryan Warrick. Jerry Scott put the Friars ahead again with 1:30 remaining, but St. Joe's tied, 52-52 on a free-throw by who else but Warrick.

The winning shot of the game was set up when John Smith grabbed the rebound of Warrick's second free throw attempt. The Hawks held on for a time out and

finally set up the winning shot.

Warrick had a game high 17 points for St. Joe's. Rebounding was the key to the Hawks' turnaround. Though out-rebounded in the first half, St. Joe's had a 34-27 advantage in rebounds overall.

Jerry Scott was high man for the Friars, netting 16. Rick Hunger had 13 while Rudy Williams contributed 8.

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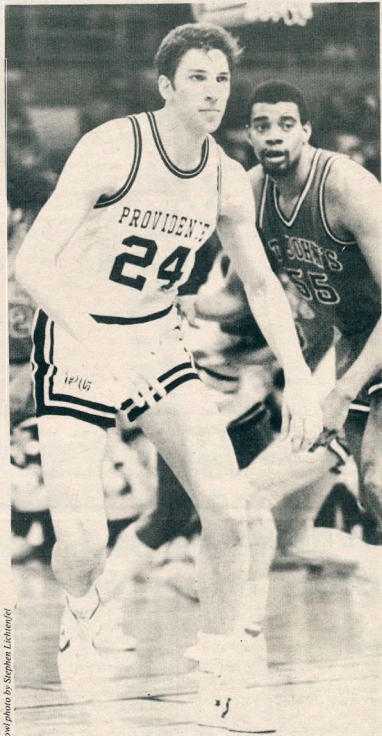
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**March 5: Friar Hockey**  
 PC at Cornell, 7:30 pm



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The zone defense of the Friars was highly successful against some of the highest scoring teams in the country.



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Rich Hunger, who came on strong in the second half of the season, played another strong game against St. Johns.

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# Sports

## Friars gain home ice playoff, first time since '64

By Ron Ploccone

The overall ECAC playoff picture becomes cloudier with each game, but PC's playoff picture becomes clearer. The Friars' victory over UNH last Friday night gave Providence a home-ice berth in the ECAC playoffs for the first time in 16 years. Earlier last week the Friars came back from a 4-0 deficit to beat the Wildcats, 5-4. The Friars pulled ahead by a similar 4-0 lead last Friday, only to watch it melt away in the face of a Wildcat goal explosion.

"We got too complacent," said coach Lamoriello. "We got involved in an individual game which played right into UNH's game."

At the 17:36 mark of the second period, the Friars pulled back out in front to stay. Jim Ruskin, in what Lamoriello termed "the biggest play of the game," hit Tom McCarthy at the left corner of the crease with a backhand pass and McCarthy flipped it into the cage. Mike Bolstad upped the Friar lead with a score one minute and twenty seconds later and the Friars coasted to their sixteenth ECAC win of the year.

Bruce Raboin opened the scoring for Providence at 1:59 of the opening period with a shot from the right point. Steve O'Neill gave the Friars a 2-0 lead when his shot from the right circle deflected in off a Wildcat defender's skate.

Kurt Kleinstadter kept the offense rolling when he scored

just 13 seconds into a Wildcat penalty. O'Neill scored his second goal of the period off a face for the four-goal Friar bulge.

It appeared that the Friars were well in control but the Wildcats refused to roll over and play dead. Matt Shramek broke the ice for UNH at the 18:24 mark and 19 seconds later Jay Miller scored on a breakaway.

At the 8:22 mark of the second period Mike Wagborne received a pass from Ross Yantzi. Wagborne moved in for a high slapshot that Nolin never saw. The UNH momentum continued to build with a shorthanded goal. Ron Reeve fed Dan Forget as they broke in on a 2-on-1 and Forget beat Nolin.

This was the last goal Nolin allowed the explosive Wildcats. Nolin did well in his first start in over a month. Nolin had shut out

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(Above) Greg Nolin had the Wildcats' number last week. Nolin got his first start in a month and turned in a fine performance against UNH. (Right) Randy Velischek raises his arms to celebrate the first Friar goal against Princeton. The Friars ended up on top in that one, 6-5.

## Redmen surge drops Friars, 68-62

By Ed Ruhli

The Providence College hoop season finished Saturday night in a game that typified the tough, scrappy season it has been. The PC forces showed signs of definite promise, but lack of depth and consistency, caught up with them in a 68-62 loss to St. John's.

The contest with the Redmen was yet another showing of Friar potential. Rudy Williams and Rick Hunger lead the disciplined PC offense, which overcame an early St. John's lead and jumped to a 26-23 advantage. Hunger was strong in going to the basket while Williams had the hot shooting hand.

After one half of play, Providence had a one point lead at 28-27. Although key man Jerry Scott was held scoreless, the combination of patient offense and an effective full-court press accounted for the PC lead. St. John's was guilty of 11 turnovers in those first 20 minutes.

The second half was when the nationally ranked Redmen played upon PC's depth problems to wear them down. Hunger was in dangerous foul trouble, forcing coach Gary Walters to use a smaller, speed oriented line-up. Meanwhile, Lou Carnesecca was shuffling seven fresh players on and off the court. Freshman David Russell came in and did an effective defensive job on Hunger while Ron Plair picked up the scoring duties.

After falling behind eight to the fast running St. John's offense, Providence made a move and, with four minutes left, had climbed back to within two baskets, 62-58. The score was the

same with 1:52 remaining when Hunger finally fouled out, leaving a big opening in the middle of PC's defense. Two quick drives by the visitors were answered by Providence scores, but in the final minute, they could not get any catch-up opportunities.

Playing impressively for the stingy Friars were Williams, with 19 points and 10 rebounds; Hunger, with 10 points; Ricky Tucker, with 12 points; and Jerry Scott, with 13 second-half points. See ST. JOHNS, Page 11



Jeffy Cowles (6) congratulates Lisa Glynn (12) after her goal against Princeton.



Goal photo by Maurcen Twigg

## Ivy squads wilt before Lady Friar offensive onslaught

By John Brandolino

With home ice advantage and a crowd on their side, the tough Lady Friar hockey players picked up a big victory against the Tigers of Princeton. Alexis Sgobbo racked up five goals as she and linemates Sue Duffy and Lisa Glynn combined for a total of 15 points to carry the squad to an easy 10-1 victory. This loss was Princeton's third in 14 games. The Lady Friars have only two losses in 18 games played.

The Lady Friars started the scoring early when Mary Ellen Riordan flipped the puck into the net while the game was only 30 seconds old. From there on it was all Providence as Sgobbo and linemates looked as if they had an eternal powerplay. The PC forwards and defense set up and worked well in the Tiger end, where most of the game was played. Twelve minutes into the period Lisa Glynn dug into a face-off to the right of the

Princeton goalie, that sent the puck right of the stick of Sgobbo who backhanded it in.

Later, Riordan tipped the rebound of a high shot for her second goal of the period. Good hustle by fast-skating Glynn enabled her to carry the puck around the net and slip a quick pass to Duffy, who increased the Friar advantage to 4-0.

Princeton goalie Kate Stanton gave her team a chance to come back when she stopped a few breakaways and allowed nothing to get by. She played with style for most of the period but the Tiger forwards couldn't capitalize. They managed to get one power-play goal on a pass by Sally Waitt to Julie Wallace, but that was all. With nine minutes left in the period, Sgobbo picked the corner for a power-play goal of her own, after taking a nice pass from Duffy. Late in the period, Sgobbo wheeled around two backcheckers to hit Glynn, who

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