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Campus activism: Then and now

'Notre Dame 10' to return to campus to honor 40th anniversary of Dow-CIA demonstration

By MADELINE BUCKLEY News Editor

Editor's note: This is the first of a four-part series commemorating the 40th anniversary of the Notre Dame 10 and exploring the history of student activism on campus.

The number 10 had a special ring to it in November of 1969.

On Nov. 18, 1969, 10 students were suspended for a protest related to the Vietnam War, and the group was quickly dubbed the "Notre Dame 10" as they fought their suspension — an issue that generated national media attention at the

For Mark Mahoney, one of the suspended students, that number 10 has influenced him for a lifetime.

On the 40th anniversary of the protest and suspension, Mahoney, class of 1971, is returning to Notre Dame Wednesday with other mem-

bers of the Notre Dame 10 to explore campus activism now and then with a panel discussion, a dinner and a Mass presided by University President Emeritus Fr. Theodore Hesburgh and Fr. Emmanuel Charles McCarthy.

"We are not returning to campus because of nostalgia. There's nothing to be nostalgic about during this period," he said. "There were horrific things being done and we were anguishing over that."

About 1 p.m. on that Tuesday afternoon, Mahoney said about 100 students gathered in the Main Building to protest oncampus recruitment efforts by the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) and The Dow Chemical Co. The students involved in the demonstration, known as the Dow-CIA protest, objected to Dow's production of napalm, a chemical used by the military in the Vietnam War, often on civilians.

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Students stage a sit-in in the Main Building on Nov. 18, 1969 to protest on-campus recruitment by the Dow Chemical Co. and the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA).

'Mayor of Hell' works to improve Braddock



Mayor John Fetterman talks about his dedication to Braddock, Pa. Rolling Stone calls him the 'Mayor of Hell.

By MEGAN HEMLER News Writer

A Rolling Stone profile called him the "Mayor of Hell," and Braddock, Pa. "maybe the worst town in America," but that doesn't seem to have diminished Mayor John Fetterman's energy or dedication to the historic steel town.

"Our challenge in the town ... is abandonment.

Since I've taken over we've saved over two dozen structures, and not one of them was occupied," Fetterman said in an interview Monday morning.

Fetterman was on campus to deliver a lecture Monday at 8 p.m. The event was sponsored by the Center for Social Concerns.

Now the poorest town in Allegheny County,

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Students aid school newspaper

Volunteers collaborate with local Catholic school on student publication

By NORA KENNEY News Writer

Notre Dame student volunteers are giving elementary students at St. Adalbert's Catholic school the chance to collaborate with their classmates on a school newspaper.

The project was the idea of Juliet Joly, a senior Psychology major and Catholic Social Tradition minor.

Joly said her older sister, Joanna, who went to Brown University, inspired her.

'I thought it was a really good idea," Joly said. She contacted Notre Dame's Institute for Educational Initiatives — a program in Brownson Hall that sponsors the Alliance for Catholic Education (ACE) — and the Institute responded positive-

From there, Joly said she contacted the principal of St. Adalbert's, as well as the school's after-school care facilitator, who were both just as excited about the idea.

Joly said both she and Joanna were passionate about helping under-resourced Catholic schools, specifically. Their younger sister, Janine, a sophomore at Notre Dame, also volunteers with the program.

St. Adalbert's is one of the

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SMC students share abroad stories

By CAITLIN HOUSLEY News Writer

Saint Mary's College kicked off their International Education and Modern Language Week yesterday with an intercultural showcase. The event consisted of music, photos, videos and personal stories of study abroad experiences.

The showcase gave former study abroad students the

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Andrea Sasgen shares her story of studying in Innsbruck, Austria during the Intercultural Showcase at Saint Mary's Monday.

INSIDE COLUMN

Sparkle motion

I am just as excited for the new "Twilight" movie as the next 21-year-old female. "New Moon" actually looks pretty darn entertaining. Everyone's hair looks better and the action sequences feature Dakota Fanning

and the guy who plays Colossus in the X-Men movies. If the clips in the TV spots are any indication, this thing might be a legitimately "good" movie, as far as an adaptation of a clichéd and derivative publishing phenomenon can be.

In fact, it looks so

good that I am totally

going to see it this



Jordan Gamble

AssociateScene Editor

Thursday at midnight. My friends and I got these tickets a month

Despite this seeming devotion, I was on the edge of really hating the whole enterprise a year ago. See, I read the first three books and loved them despite their grammatical mistakes and portrayals of emotionally abusive relationships. Then I read the fourth installment, "Breaking Dawn," when it came out in summer 2008. This is when I had the first inkling that author Stephenie Meyer was really stupid.

Spoiler: Bella's one-time werewolf crush Jacob falls in love with Bella's demon baby and then there's all this build-up for an epic battle with the crinkly, ancient Italian vampire police and nothing. They talk it out, it's okay that there's a demon baby, Bella's okay that her one-time crush will marry her demon-baby, and everyone lives happily ever after, because they are all vampires and werewolves and they can't die. The end. Fade to black. And I paid \$24.99, preordered from Amazon, for this?

Thank heavens the movies didn't disappoint. "Twilight" was seriously the best comedy of 2008. My friends and I had no idea it would be so "LOL" worthy when we ventured out in a blizzard for the midnight Mishawaka premiere — we were expecting a dutifully angsty paranormal teenage romance. Nothing outrageous about that hope, right?

Instead, we spent half the movie with our scarves shoved in our mouths to keep from giggling at inappropriate moments. Kristen Stewart's Bella just wouldn't stop blinking! Robert Pattinson's Edward scares off drunken frat boys by galloping in with a Volvo and then growling. There is a baseball game choreographed to Muse! Oh, and don't even try to tell me you didn't cry tears of mirth when Edward reveals his sparkly six-pack with the explanation of "This is the skin of killer, Bella!"

But, really, I liked "Twilight." Don't doubt my commitment to Sparkle Motion: I can appreciate what things "Twilight" does well: Angst and more angst. Awkward humanvampire interaction. Pretty pine trees.

So, naturally, I am excited for "New Moon." Now there is awkward human-vampire-werewolf interaction. Taylor Lautner's Jacob, the shirtless werewolf wonder, joins Bella's collection of emotionally abusive and codependent relationships. And, there is more of those sparkly six-pack abs, only this time they're revealed in Italy.

But I can't back out now. I'm committed — I've got the print-out receipt from my pre-order tacked up on my loft. I'll just have to make sure I bring a scarf to muffle my giggles this time, too.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer. Contact Jordan Gamble at jgamble@nd.edu

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QUESTION OF THE DAY: DO YOU HAVE ANY TIPS FOR WINNING THE DORM ENERGY COMPETITION?





seniorSiegfried

"Turn off video games. Your score doesn't get higher when you're not playing."



Dan Reid



"Take group showers to save hot water."



Jackie Mirandola Mullen Lauren Demeter



"Turn on a compactinstead of the overhead light."

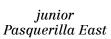




"Wash your clothes in florescent lamp another dorm ... Walsh did."



Meehan Lenzen



"Give people who ride the elevator dirty looks. It's the ride of shame."



Patrick McCormick

sophomore Keough

"Unplug your vending machine and you will win."

Have an idea for Question of the Day? E-mail observer.questions@gmail.com



PAT COVENEY/The Observer

The all-female acapella group "Harmonia" performs during halftime of the Notre Dame-St. Francis men's basketball game on Monday at the Purcell Pavilion. Notre Dame won the game, 95-72.

OFFBEAT

Rings stolen from jeweler worth 25 cents a piece

TOLEDO, Ohio — An Ohio jeweler says thieves who smashed their way into his store and got away with rings are in for a surprise when they try to sell them. Henry Triplett of Henry's Jewelers in Toledo says what appeared to be thousands of dollars in gold rings in his display cases were actually rings made of brass and worth barely 25 cents

They were dealers' samples in the style of genuine gold rings that Triplett had safely locked away, out of

He says the real cost of Friday's break-in will come from replacing the front window on his shop and the shattered glass on 13 display

Boy shoots black bear on family's front porch

DRIGGS, Idaho — An 11year-old boy shot a black bear on his family's front porch after he said it wouldn't leave. The boy was at his home near Driggs, just west of the Idaho-Wyoming border, with his younger sisters last Wednesday when the bear showed up. The youngster said he couldn't shoo it away, so he went and got his gun and shot it.

Black bears in the area have prompted multiple complaint calls, largely because they've been hanging around a transfer sta-

It wasn't clear if the bear shot by the boy was also attracted by the transfer

Idaho Department of Fish and Game Officer Lauren Wendt said, "we got multiple complaint calls. We don't like to see them down this low. But it's not uncommon.'

Information compiled from the Associated Press.

IN BRIEF

"The Rise of Ethnic Politics in Latin America" will be held at 12:30 p.m. today. The lecture will be held in C-103 in the **Hesburg Center.**

Mike Huckabee will be signing "A Simple Christmas: Twelve Stories That Celebrate the True Holiday Spirit" at 2 p.m. today. The booksigning will be held in th Hammes Café in the Hammes Notre Dame Bookstore.

A seminar titled "The Role of Catalysis and Reaction Reaction Engineering in the Energy Arena" will be held in 129 DeBartolo Hall today. The seminar will begin at 3:30 p.m.

A Catholic Common Ground Conversation will be held in the Earley Conference Rooms in the Student Center at Saint Mary's College today. The discussion will begin at 4 p.m.

"Fall Harvest: 10 New Plays" will be presented in the Philbin Studio Theatre in DebBarto Performing Arts Center at 7:30 p.m. today. The event is free, but tickets are needed to enter. To order tickets, call 574-631performingarts.nd.edu.

The International Week Recital will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Haggar Parlor at Saint Mary's College.

A fictionalized dialogue will be held at 8 p.m. in 100, 102, and 105 in Jordan Hall of Science. The dialogue is titled "Darwin and Owen at Notre Dame: A conversation after 150 years."

To submit information to be included in this section of The Observer, e-mail detailed information about an event to obsnews@nd.edu

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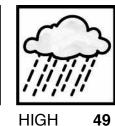
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Project presents on sex ed

By SAM STRYKER News Writer

Americans live in a media world that believes sex is without consequences, Vicki Thorn, founder of Project Rachel, said Monday.

Thorn visited campus to lecture on topics in sex education that aren't taught in the average American classroom.

Thorn spoke first about the common bond shared by all those attending her speech.

"Everyone in this room only has the mitochondria of their mothers," she said.

Thorn stated that research has proven that these mitochondria have been traced back to seven distinct lines of women, leading to the scientific possibility of an Eve figure in human evolution.

"In a society where we are such rugged individuals, in reality there is this interconnection," Thorn said. Thorn shifted from the sub-

Thorn shifted from the subject of interconnectedness to the problem of selective abortion. Thorn spoke of how in some Asian nations — particularly China, India and North Korea — selective abortions have led to more males being born in the population.

This has led warfare, based on the rising levels of testosterone and search for female companionship in those societies

"When a society tips to male, they are more likely to go to war," Thorn said.

Thorn also focused on the

difference between male and female brains, showing a display of a female brain much like a circle and the male brain like a series of boxes. She said males think linearly while women think in a multitasking manner. According to Thorn, these shapes are important to the way human society works.

"There's this innate difference between being male and female. It's about being complementary" she said

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Thorn said the importance of pheromones in communications between males and females. Thorn said pheromones can be perceived in 80 percent of humans, and women with this ability are able to detect a potential mate.

"Women have the ability to meet a male and using pheromones determine whether he is a strong possibility for fertility," she said.

Thorn said men perceive pheromones in a different way by detecting whether a woman is fertile, infertile or pregnant. She said when women ovulate, they send out the strongest signals to males and trigger a response in testosterone.

"This is why women get date raped and then pregnant," Thorn said. "This is a time when we're conditionable and arousable."

Thorn said the introduction of birth control has some complications in society in regards to male and female relations.

"We know that male fertility

has dropped 50 percent since the advent of the pill," she said.

Thorn also said the chemicals in birth control pills have become a waste management issue as they have began to collect in the world's water systems. She described "the scent of infertile women" as possibly causing problems in society such as pornography and violent rape.

Thorn said pheromones do have important positive purposes as well.

"Men can perceive when their partner is pregnant and are changed forever," she said.

Thorn also highlighted the importance of this chemistry between men and woman is lifelong. She brought up the topic of addictive substances. She said amphetamines in our brain dominate the period in which we are infatuated with someone, lasting eight months to four years.

Longer lasting love, another type of addiction — which is more stable than infatuation — is linked to oxytocin, an opiate.

"We need to recognize that we're changed by every act of intimacy," Thorn said.

Thorne closed her lecture with an important word of advice for audience members.

"Our society has made love cheap without really speaking about the changes that occur," she said.

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CAMPUS LIFE COUNCIL

Task forces meet, update group on recent progress

By LIZ O'DONNELL News Writer

The Campus Life Council (CLC) met Monday afternoon to give updates on the progress of the three task forces.

Student body president Grant Schmidt said Monday's meeting was most likely the second to last one of the semester, with the final meeting coming in December.

First to present was student body vice president Cynthia Weber, the chairman of the Task Force on Evaluation of Student Disciplinary Records, who said her group recently altered their direction.

Previously, the task force was looking into the possible elimination of first time minor offenses from a student's disciplinary record.

"The committee will focus more on incidents referred to by external bodies," she said.

Weber said the task force met with Bill Kirk, assistant vice president of the Office of Residence Life and Housing (ORLH), to discuss the matter. She said he and other members of the ORLH staff receive individual inquiries from law schools, medical schools and employment agencies asking about the disciplinary history of a student.

"If we ask them to remove the offense from the record ... there would be a disparity between what's on file and what people actually know," Weber said.

Weber said they will look into the differences in the way off-campus issues are handled versus dorm to

The group is looking into the possibility of asking the University to refer the incident to the student's rector instead of being sent straight to ORLH.

Chairman of Student Legal Services John Delanco said they are almost at the stage of drafting a resolution, but would like to complete the framework of the database of area attorneys before they do so.

Delanco said the group is trying to find a way to monitor the hits the database receives without making students feel they are being watched. He also said the group needs to work with attorneys to see how much public access they want allowed to the site.

After the Task Force on Advertising was dissolved in favor of holding off until agenda.nd.edu debuts, Bridget Bredemann said its members have embarked on the new task of creating a stronger link between alumni and current Notre Dame students.

The group will be looking into the level of involvement students on campus wish to see from alumni, as well as the possible creation of some form of "exit poll" to gauge what types of student groups' alumni wish to remain involved in.

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THE NOTRE DAME 10

November 18,1969 - November 18, 2009

"Being a Christian in a Catholic University in Times of War: Has 40 Years Changed the Conversation?"

Tomorrow is the anniversary of a student demonstration in the Main Building to protest Notre Dame's involvement with the CIA and Dow Chemical, makers of Napalm used in the Vietnam War. As a result (and for the first time) students were suspended for a moral protest. The case was historic and raises questions still present today. Some of the 10 are returning to talk...

Tomorrow, 7:30 pm in the Geddes Hall (Center for Social Concerns)

Coffee House. All are invite



The famous photo of 9 year-old Kim Phuc after Napalm attack

"The Administration seems to believe that the life-blood of Notre Dame flows only with the political subjection of the University to military, governmental and industrial organizations. It seems to value this higher than fidelity to the teachings of Jesus Christ in Whom it lives and moves and has its being—and Who is the *raison d'etre* for its very existence."

— "Defense Brief of The Notre Dame 10"

Protest

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The students rallied under the Dome, blocking Dow and CIA recruiters from entering or leaving the building.

'We were staging a sit in, and at the time, that form of protest well known in the anti-war movement and the Civil Rights movement.

Mahoney said.

But months e a r l i e r, Hesburgh, then-University president, had enacted the 15-minute rule to address the rising number of campus protests. The rule stated that demonstratorswere allowed 15 minutes protest. If they

did not stop in that period, the students would face conse-

"Anyone or any group that substitutes force for rational persuasion, be it violent or non-violent, will be given 15 minutes of meditation to cease and desist," Hesburgh wrote in a letter to Notre Dame faculty and students dated Feb. 17,

"If they do not within that time period cease and desist,

they will be asked for their identity card,' the letter said.

The Notre Dame 10 was the first and only group of students punished through the 15-minute rule.

James Riehle, dean of students at the time, took the identification cards of 10 stu-

dents after the 15 minutes had passed.

Mahoney said the students banded together that night and eventually appealed their suspensions. Originally, five students were expelled and five were suspended.

Riehle downgraded the expulsion of the five students to a suspension, but did not remove the suspension of the 10 students, Mahoney said.

"The proceedings were very court-like and the procedures and rules of evidence and thing were quite technical," Mahoney said. "But the technicality of that wasn't our concern. It was that the issues we were raising were moral issues, not legal

John Eckenrode was one of the 10 suspended that day along with Mahoney, and he graduated a semester late because of the suspension. But he said he does not regret his involvement in the demonstration.

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student protester

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John Eckenrode

student protester

made a decision that it was a time to take a stand on this issue aware there might be some consequences involved,' Eckenrode said.

Eckenrode will return to c a m p u s Wednesday for the anniversary of the protest,

along with Mahoney.

"I think it's important for us as a university to commemorate what has really been a long and interesting history of social activism at Notre Dame,' Eckenrode said. "For me, this is keeping alive a part of Notre Dame history.'

Mahoney said it is important to him to keep the dialogue

"So many students at Notre Dame are socially conscious

and concerned with issues of morality, institutions and life and death issues," he said. "We need to continually question what the role is of a Catholic university is in times of war."

When visiting campus Wednesday, Eckenrode said he hopes to

learn about activism on campus now.

"As an alum, I what to know what the issues of concern are for students," he said. "I want to see what is the same and what has changed from 40

The second installment of this series will look back on the events of 40 years ago and examine possibilities for the future of student activism. It will run in Wednesday's edi-

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South Bend riot police wait outside the Main Building for the call to enter on Nov. 18, 1969.

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Fifteen minute rule enacted for the first time

Protestors meet, plan to continue demonstration against Dow-CIA

by Dave Fromm

Close to 200 students met in he LaFortune Ballroom last night to discuss yesterday's demonstration against recruiters from Dow Chemical Company and the Central Intelligence Agency and to plan today's

Brian McInerney, organizer of the demonstration, said that students would receive the Administration Building this norsing at 9:00 to continue the

out in the foyers and the

out in the toyers and the hallways," McInerney said.

Those who block the entrances will be in violation of a court injunction prohibiting student interference with the intervieus. The injunction was requested by the University and Joseph Superior Court, It takes the matter out of the University's hands and places it in those of the St. Joseph County Sheeff

County Sheriff. Thomas L. Schaeffer,

read and post the injunction tomorrow morning outside the Placement Bureau Ofice.

Students who violate the injunction will be in contempt of court and as a result may, or may not, be arrested, be said. Professor Schaeffer suggested that students should submit to afoliant opposition.

The injunction reads, in part. The University of Notre Dame



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Whether it's your first year or senior year, now's the time to make plans for your future...



"What's Next?" Week

continues

6:30 - 8:30 pm, LaFortune Ballroom

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Contributions of Arts and Letters Majors to Society, Business, and Global Relations

WEDNESDAY **NOVEMBER 18**

Finding Internships, Fellowships, Research, and Funding

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Landing Your Job or Internship: Employer Presentations and Mini Career Fair



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International News

Mussolini's mistress' diary published ROME — Benito Mussolini was a fierce anti-Semite, who proudly said that his hatred for Jews preceded Adolf Hitler's and vowed to "destroy them all," according to previously unpublished diaries by the Fascist dictator's longtime mistress.

According to the diaries, Mussolini also talked about the warm reception he received from Hitler at the 1938 Munich conference — he called the German leader a "softy" — and attacked Pope Pius XI for his criticism of Nazism and Fascism.

On a more intimate note, Mussolini was explicit about his sexual appetites for his mistress and said he regretted having affairs with several other

The dairies kept by Claretta Petacci, Mussolini's mistress, between 1932 and 1938 are the subject of a book coming out this week entitled "Secret

Australia apologizes to Brit kids

CANBERRA, Australia — When John Hennessey was 10 years old, he was sent from a war-weary Britain to an orphanage in Australia, where he was told food was plentiful and children rode kangaroos to school.

Instead, he was beaten and sexually abused, leaving him emotionally scarred and with a stutter that persists 60 years later.

"There's no other country in the world that has deported their children to the other side of the world and then abandoned them," the 72-yearold said before an emotional ceremony Monday in Australia, where Prime Minister Kevin Rudd apologized for his country's role in a shameful episode in British colonial history.

NATIONAL NEWS

Woman to plead guilty in Smart case

SALT LAKE CITY — The wrenching saga of Elizabeth Smart's abduction and improbable recovery is showing the first signs of resolution seven years after it began.

On Tuesday, Wanda Eileen Barzee — one of two people charged in the case — will plead guilty to charges of kidnapping and unlawful transportation of a minor in U.S. District Court in Salt Lake City, attorney Scott Williams told The Associated Press.

Barzee's alleged role in the abduction has garnered less attention than that of her estranged husband, Brian David Mitchell, but her expected plea to the federal charges marks a major step forward in the separate cases that stalled when both defendants were ruled incompetent for trial.

Smart's abduction at knifepoint from the bedroom of her Salt Lake City home in 2002 riveted the nation as hundreds of people helped search for the blonde-haired, blue-eyed girl who loved to play the harp.

Ohio police chief's trial begins

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, Ohio — A police chief on trial in Ohio acknowledges that he joked with paparazzi about working with them to snoop on the woman who carried twins for celebrity couple Sarah Jessica Parker and Matthew Broderick.

The lawyer representing suspended Chief Barry Carpenter said during opening arguments Monday that Carpenter was "foolish," but that he never stole anything from the woman's home.

A state prosecutor told jurors that Carpenter used his position as chief in Martins Ferry, the eastern Ohio town where surrogate Michelle Ross lived, to exploit someone's personal and intimate privacy.

Local News

Court weighs use of tests in sentencing

INDIANAPOLIS — A felon's friends and hobbies could influence how much time he spends behind bars if the Indiana Supreme Court upholds a lower-court ruling.

At issue is a type of psychological test commonly used by probation officers to assess whether an offender is likely to commit more crimes and determine the level of supervision and type of treatment needed. A Tippecanoe County judge cited Anthony Malenchik's high test score in sentencing him to six years out of a possible 7 1/2 for receiving stolen property and being a habitual offender.

CHINA

Obama meets with China's president

While Obama says the world is watching, Chinese censors block his message

Associated Press

BEIJING - President Barack Obama declared Monday the world is urgently watching for a "meeting of the minds" between the U.S. and China as he meets with President Hu Jintao on the globe's biggest issues — climate change, economic recession, nuclear proliferation

Obama also prodded China about Internet controls and free speech, but his message was not widely heard in the country because his words were drastically limited online and shown on just one regional television channel.

In his first visit here, Obama is strongly suggesting that China, now a giant in economic impact as well as territory, must take a bigger role on the world stage — part of the "burden of leadership" it shares with the United States.

"I will tell you, other countries around the world will be waiting for us,' Obama said in an American-style town-hall discussion with Chinese university students in Shanghai, where he spent a day before flying to China's capital for a state visit with President Hu.

The town hall meeting showed how difficult it is for the governments to work together. The U.S. initially requested a larger venue and a live broadcast on a major network. In the end, Chinese officials put the event on the eastern fringes of the city. Only local Shanghai TV carried it live, though it was streamed on two popular Internet portals and on the White House's Web site, which is not censored.

Eager to achieve a successful summit, the two leaders were likely to avoid public spats on economic issues. With America's budget deficit soaring to a yearly record of \$1.42 tril-



President Barack Obama greets audience members after he spoke and took questions at a town hall-style event with Chinese youth at a museum in Shanghai Monday.

lion, China is the No. 1 lender to Washington and has expressed concern that the falling price of the dollar threatens the value of its U.S. holdings.

In the U.S., American manufacturers blame China's own low currency value for contributing to the loss of 5.6 million manufacturing jobs over the past decade. During that time, America's trade gap with China has soared.

Obama was greeted at Beijing's airport by Vice President Xi Jinping, a red carpet lined by soldiers in dress uniforms and a dusting of snow on the grass. He had brief talks and a private dinner with Hu on the graceful grounds of the Diaoyutai State Guesthouse. In brief remarks before the initial talks, Hu noted

Obama's Shanghai meeting with students, calling the session "quite lively." Obama smiled broadly

throughout the welcoming remarks, then told Hu that the world recognizes the importance of the U.S.-Chinese relationship" in tackling global problems.

The two were meeting again more formally on Tuesday, complete with the military pomp of a welcome ceremony at the Great Hall of the People and a joint appearance reporters. With sightseeing in Beijing's Forbidden City sandwiched in between, the two leaders' day was to end at a lavish state dinner in Obama's honor. Obama was spending Wednesday in Beijing as well before completing his weeklong Asia travels in South Korea.

As is now becoming familiar, Obama was full of compliments for China during the town hall, lauding its scientific achievements, rich history and astounding economic rise.

As is also familiar, the president balanced the warm words with polite nudges in more sensitive territory, for instance on the need for Beijing to move toward a more consumer-driven economy and to improve human rights and freedoms for its peo-

KENYA

Kenyans recruited to fight in Somalia

Associated Press

DADAAB — The recruits assembled by moonlight at a watering hole. Hundreds of boys and young Kenyan men were herded onto trucks, which were covered with heavy canvas, and driven through the night.

It was so hot inside they could hardly breathe. One recruit, Salad Dahir, said they banged the sides of the truck for water but got none. Some had to urinate where they stood.

Their destination: a secluded training camp deep in the Kenyan bush.

Thousands of people, including children, are being secretly recruited and trained inside Kenya to battle Islamic

insurgents in neighboring Somalia, according to deserters, local officials, families of recruits and diplomats. Most recruits are Somalis living in crowded refugee camps and Kenyan nationals who are ethnic Somalis living nearby.

Spokesmen from the Kenyan government, police and military, as well as the Somali chief of military staff, have denied that the government is recruiting fighters within Kenya. But interviews showed that recruiting has been taking place for months and that different government agencies and military resources — including vehicles with government license plates — have been involved.

A U.N. official says there have been

rumors but no hard evidence of recruitment in refugee camps, which would violate the rights of the refugees.

Eight diplomats, citing internal reports and other sources, told The Associated Press that the recruits are being trained for a planned offensive on behalf of Somalia's weak, U.N.backed government to wrest control of parts of southern Somalia from the insurgents. The diplomats spoke on condition of anonymity to prevent damaging relations with Kenya over the sensitive subject. Two of the diplomats said the offensive is planned for the end of Somalia's rainy season around the end of the year.

Mayor

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Braddock's population has been on a downward slide for years. It's gone from over 20,000 residents to just 2,500 residents, according to the town's official Web site, www.15104.cc

The median home price is around \$6,000. Fetterman himself lives in a refurbished warehouse that he bought for \$2,000, according to a New York Times story pub-January.

Fetterman, who grew up in York, Pa., holds a number of degrees including a Masters in Public Policy from Harvard University. He first went to Braddock July 2001 at the request of the county to lead a service program for severely disenfranchised youth.

He ran for mayor in 2005 and won the primary by a single vote. Since then, he

has supported a number of initiatives aimed at bringing new residents to Braddock, while also creating new community spaces for current Braddock residents.

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ACE program's Magnificat

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One of the first buildings Fetterman refurbished himself was an abandoned church, which he lived in with no heat or electricity for eight months. The church now functions as a community center.

A new urban farm now operates in the town. And while Fetterman has been featured on a variety of media outlets, including The Colbert Report, he is quick to

point out that he is not pitching the idea of Braddock to anvone.

"There is no PR department. I don't sell anything. I'm continually working for the community and sharing their story ... for those interested in moving to Braddock, I tell them it's something you're in for the long haul, Fetterman said.

receiving news that the only hospital in town and a major employer for Braddock residents is closing its doors.

"Our hospital has been open since 1906. We have no restaurants, no stores. Soon, we won't even have an ATM. This has huge implications for us," he said.

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Working with the students from St. Adalbert's is a learning experience as well as a source of humor, especially when the students are able to tap into their

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> be a superhero or a little boy like himself, but either Scarfman has some very exciting adventures. The same student has turned out numerous mazes, polls, and comics, includcomic stop enti-'The tled Dangers of Eating Fruit.' These kids are hilarious," Joly

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structive to do because they are full of a lot of energy. It's a good chance for them to channel that."

Further, the newspaper allows the students to express themselves in their own unique ways, Joly said.

We have kids who like poetry, fiction, polls, sports — there are all sorts of ways for them to carry out the mission of the newspaper," she said.

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John Fetterman

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Braddock, Pa.

Fetterman now faces a new challenge, recently

full creative potentials, Joly said.

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Joly said her experiences with this program are conducive to her career plans. Next year, she

hopes to teach in the ACE program. She said she is inspired by the joy it brings her "to see the faces of the kids when we come in with a new newspaper they finished.'

Joly's program is looking for volunteers. To volunteer, contact Joly at julietjoly@gmail.com

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opportunity to share their experiences.

"We send our students to other countries and now [they] have brought back the world to us. That is very exciting," Dr. Alice Yang, the director of global education at Saint Mary's, said.

Students study all around the world, including the countries of Rome, China, India, Ireland, Austria and many

Krista Jones, a Saint Mary's senior who studied in Uganda, said of her experience: "It was an experience unlike any I could imagine."

In Uganda, children followed Jones wherever she

went.
"They had never seen a white person before," Jones said. "They just wanted to touch my skin.

Mariam Masri, a Saint Mary's senior who traveled to Lebanon, said her time abroad allowed her to meet relatives.

It was time for me to meet my dad's side of the family," she said.

Masri also said being half Lebanese is quite unusual in

America, but it was not so in Lebanon. She met many other 'halfies," she said.

"There's somebody else like me," Masri said. "[It was] the experience of my life.'

Other students talked about the cultural differences of countries compared to America.

Others shared their hopes and desires for their host countries regarding health care, education, housing and other issues.

In addition, the night was a time to honor the study abroad video, photo and essay contest winners.

Junior Chelsea Crane won the video contest.

In the host country category of the photo contest, first place went to Allison Russell, a senior, second to Anne Maguire, a junior, and third to junior Caitlin Gorman.

In the reflections of Saint Mary's experience photo category, Russell won first place while Megan McClowry, a senior, won both second and third place.

In the interactions with people in the host country category, junior Christina Grasso took first and second place and Jones took third.

Megan Aldrup, a junior, and junior Caroline Arness won first and second prize respec-

tively in the essay contest.

The event also helped educate future study abroad applicants about the various grants available to students that can aid in covering study abroad costs.

Yang said there are three possible grants for which students may apply. Two grants are funded by the Center for InterCultural Women's Leadership (CWIL) and the Department of Humanistic Studies offers the third.

The CWIL grants break down into one grant specifically for the Saint Mary's study abroad programs. However, this grant only applies to summer programs or the Rome program. The other grant is for independent study, and not affiliated with any study abroad program.

The deadline for this year's grant application is Feb. 1. Yang said students should visit the CWIL Web site for additional information.

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In Brief

Vonage to settle 32-state investigationNEW YORK — Internet phone service provider Vonage Holdings Corp. has agreed to pay \$3 million to 32 states to settle an investigation into some of its business practices.

In a filing Monday with the Securities Exchange Commission, the company said it also agreed to provide refunds to affected cus-

Idaho Attorney General Lawrence Wasden said his office received complaints from consumers who said they found it difficult to cancel their service with Vonage amid pressure from the company to keep their accounts.

Texas officials said that Vonage also failed to clearly tell potential customers that they needed to have high-speed Internet service to use Vonage, which offers cheaper calls by sending voice data over the Internet just like e-mail and Web pages. Officials said those unable to use the service had to pay cancellation and other fees.

Maine's attorney general, Janet Mills, said Vonage will revise what it discloses regarding offers of "free" services, money-back guarantees and trial periods.

Holmdel, N.J.-based Vonage said there was no finding of any wrongdoing or violation by the company. In the SEC filing, Vonage said it agreed to make unspecified changes to its business practices, some of which the company had already implemented.

Judge rejects global warming trial

SALT LAKE CITY — A federal judge said Monday he won't allow global warming to be put on trial in the case of a college student charged with disrupting an auction of oil and gas drilling leases.

U.S. District Judge Dee Benson denied a motion by lawyers for Tim DeChristopher, who wanted to mount a defense that he acted in the interest of the greater good by bidding up parcels near some of Utah's national

The University of Utah student won 13 leases at the Bureau of Land Management auction last December while acknowledging he had no intention or capacity to pay the \$1.7 million for his winning bids. He also drove up prices by hundreds of thousands of dollars on parcels won by others.

Coca-Cola targets emerging markets

The world's largest soft drink maker seeks to double business with new middle class

Associated Press

ATLANTA — Coca-Cola Co. seeks to double its business in the next decade as it caters to the expected billion people worldwide who will join the middle class by

The world's largest soft drink maker told analysts and investors at a meeting Monday that its systemwide revenue will reach \$200 billion by 2020. The company hopes to make more money off those sales as it sells more soft drinks in emerging markets and reduces costs.

CEO Muhtar Kent said that sales have doubled in the decade since 1997, and they'll do so again because of growth in India, China and other countries.

The company hopes global growth can make up for weak U.S. sales, which have been slipping as consumers limit their spending in the recession and switch to juices and teas.

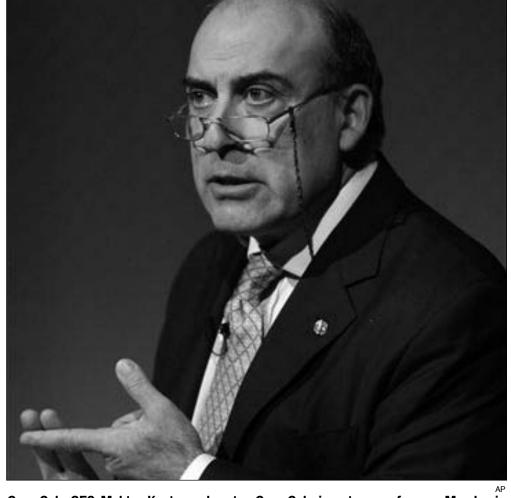
Kent said the company must pay attention and react to changes in the world, which it didn't do from 2000 to 2004.

"We were too busy looking at the dashboard in front of us and not sufficiently paying attention to the world outside our windshield," he

The company believes that the world will be a different place in the next decade, with more consumers in the middle class and more living in urban areas. Coke said people — many of them young consumers the company will target — will also want their brands to show that they have values, such as being environmentally responsible, Kent said.

"Consumers now value and are defining themselves more and more by their identity, their values and their beliefs and they are insisting that companies do the same," said chief marketing and commercial officer Joe Tripodi.

For example, the company plans to highlight its envi-



Coca-Cola CEO Muhtar Kent speaks at a Coca-Cola investors conference Monday in Atlanta. He said that his company's systemwide revenue will reach \$200 billion by 2020.

ronmental efforts, he said, such as the PlantBottle. Earlier Monday the company said it is using the new bottle, which is partially made out of plants, in some markets like Denmark and the western U.S. Coca-Cola plans to have 2 billion of the bottles in production by the end of next year.

Coca-Cola plans to focus on its namesake brand, which Kent calls the "oxygen" of the company. Key markets like China and Russia have low consumption rates, meaning there will be room for Coca-Cola to grow. But it also plans to have more big brands.

It currently has about a dozen brands worth \$1 billion each, such as Coke Zero and Fanta, which both grew to that size in the last decade. In the next decade, Coca-Cola expects to have 30 brands worth that much as it sells more of its brands to the rising middle class around the world.

The company said because it operates in more than 200 countries, it will be better able to grow in these new markets while still keeping its costs down. It eyes annual savings of \$500 million from general and administrative costs by 2011.

Coca-Cola's comments come as the company faces a rapidly changing industry, as its main rival — PepsiCo Inc. — buys up its two largest bottlers.

PepsiCo announced the \$7.8 billion deal to buy its bottlers over the summer, saying the move will allow it to react more quickly to

changing consumer tastes by being faster to market with new products because it will control distribution. The move also means PepsiCo, based in Purchase, N.Y., can save on costs.

But Kent said Coca-Cola remains committed to its franchise system, which sells concentrate to bottlers who make and distribute Coca-Cola products, rather than the company selling them itself. Kent said the system allows the company to focus on its brands while also giving it the benefits of scale.

The company will be able to keep growing if the emerging markets it's targeting do keep growing and people have more disposable income, said John Sicher, editor of trade publication Beverage Digest.

Administration seeks seatbelts in buses

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Obama administration said Monday it will propose long-sought safety requirements for long-distance buses, including seatbelts and stronger roof standards.

A motorcoach safety plan released by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration calls for developing performance requirements for bus roofs before the end of this year and issuing a rule by early next year on installation of seatbelts.

Safety advocates have for years urged seatbelts and stronger roofs to prevent passengers from being ejected in

Motorcoaches are buses with elevated passenger decks over a baggage compartment. They are widely used for service between cities and by the tour indus-

Other elements of the plan include:

- ◆ Requiring devices that record when a bus is turned on or off, in an effort to prevent drivers from operating a bus longer than is allowed. Driver fatigue was cited as a factor in some fatal accidents.
- ◆ Prohibiting drivers from texting, and limiting their use of cell phones while behind the wheel. Federally-sponsored research found drivers were 23 times more likely to be involved in a crash if they were texting and nearly six times more likely if there they were dialing a cellphone.
- ◆ Cracking down on bus operators who try to evade safety rules, so-called chameleon carriers who shut down operations under one name and reopen

under another.

"We are committed to making sure that bus travelers reach their destinations safely," Transportation Secretary Ray LaHood said in a statement. "These improvements will not only help reduce the number of motorcoach crashes, it will also help save lives and reduce injuries.

Pete Pantuso, president and CEO of the American Bus Association, said bus operators welcome the plan as a "holistic approach" to safety, although he objected to some of its elements.

He said that on board devices to monitor drivers' hours are unnecessary because fatigue isn't an issue in most accidents. He also said the government should issue all of its new requirements for bus design changes at once, rather than parcel them out over time.

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Taking terrorists at their word

In August of 1996, Osama bin Laden issued a fatwa to fellow Islamist supporters across the globe, declaring war against the United States.

Five years later, Americans watched frozen in horror as

frozen in horror as the Twin Towers erupted in flames before crumbling into a heap of iron and ashes, an explosion ripped a hole in the side of the Pentagon and a hijacked passenger plane headed toward Washington, D.C. crashed into a field in Pennsylvania.



Christie Pesavento

Right Winging It

It is now November of 2009, eight years since that tragic day in September when 2,976 innocent lives perished at the hands of nineteen Islamic fundamentalists bent upon carrying out bin Laden's call for the indiscriminate slaughter of Americans everywhere. Little more than a week ago, an Islamic extremist opened fire at Fort Hood in Texas, killing thirteen and wounding over two dozen others. This occurred despite the fact that the killer, Major Nidal Malik Hasan, had spoken out against the wars being fought in Afghanistan and Iraq to his colleagues, expressed sympathy for suicide bombing, called for infidels to be beheaded and have "burning oil poured down their throats" during what was supposed to be a medical presentation, and had even attempted to contact al-Qaeda prior to committing the massacre.

Red flags, anyone? Hindsight may be 20/20, but in certain situations, foresight is far from legally blind.

Of course the immediate reaction by the media, along with some military officials, was not to forcefully condemn the attack, but to hastily explain that no connection had been established between Hasan's actions and his Muslim faith, and that the incident was likely due to job-related "stress." In this day and age, political correctness must always take precedent over

concern for the dead and dying, and the perpetrator is the real victim of the situation. Only Senator Joe Lieberman had the guts to call a spade a spade, labeling Hasan a "self-radicalized, home-grown terrorist."

Then last Friday, Attorney General Eric Holder announced that the administration has decided to hold self-confessed 9/11 mastermind Khalid Sheikh Mohammed, along with four of his fellow plotters, on trial in the United States, where they will be afforded the same constitutional rights as U.S. citizens. Yes, these terrorists will have the very same rights as citizens of a system they wish to destroy.

Oh, but the trial will not be held in just any old courtroom; Mohammed and co's trial will take place in New York's southern district, just a halfmile away from Ground Zero.

"We're going to go back into New York City, the scene of the tragedy on 9/11. We're now going to rip that wound wide open," said an exasperated Pete Hoekstra, ranking Republican on the House Armed Services Committee, on CBS News. "And it's going to stay open for, what, two, three, four years as we go through the circus of a trial ..."

Sen. Lieberman also criticized Holder's announcement, citing the views of over 140 family members of 9/11 victims. "It is inconceivable that we would bring these alleged terrorists back to New York for trial, to the scene of the carnage they created eight years ago, and give them a platform to mock the suffering of their victims and the victims' families, and rally their followers to continue waging jihad against America."

It is as if some in our country, including the president and attorney general, are experiencing a collective onset of amnesia. If there was one lesson to be learned from 9/11, it was that international terrorism cannot be fought as though it were a crime. Treating it as such facilitated the security failures that enabled the attacks to occur. And yet the Obama administration insists upon slapping every individual who lost someone dear on September 11th in the face by treating the perpetrators as common criminals.

The terrorists who attacked us on 9/11 and continue to plot further attacks are not citizens of this country; they are enemies of it. Moreover, their attacks are an act of war, as noted by bin Laden's 1996 fatwa. Al-Qaeda may not wear uniforms or swear an oath of allegiance to a state, but to classify them as something closer to American citizens than to war criminals that should be tried in military tribunals is patently absurd.

The president, for all his talk of treating people of all faiths, including Muslims, with respect, refuses to take them at their word. If bin Laden had issued his "Declaration of War Against Americans Occupying the Land of the Two Holy Places" today, Obama would probably give him a condescending pat on the head before continuing the real war against those anti-American, racist, tea-party Nazis and other rightwing extremist groups here at home. His administration sees more reason to fear alarmist threats of global warming than the real enemy at our deepsten.

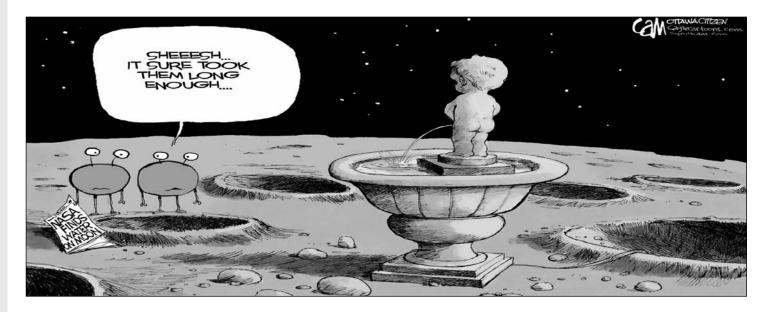
What will it take for this nation, and particularly our leaders, to wake up and realize that we are still facing an existential threat from terrorists and should take their words and actions seriously? Apparently 3,000 dead Americans was not enough. We still insist upon shielding home-grown terrorists because we fear accusations of racism and religious insensitivity more than the loss of innocent life, and we bring terrorist masterminds to the United States for trial in civilian court because we care more for their alleged rights than the rights of the people they have killed and plan to

It is time we set our priorities straight and take the threat of terrorism seriously, if not for the honor of the victims, than for the lives of all future generations of Americans.

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"The trees that are slow to grow bear the best fruit."

Moliere French actor & comic dramatist

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A Notre Dame short story

Part 8 by Rosemary Kelly

Frederick gasped aloud and then stifled his reaction quickly. He could see the mountain clearly, but it was imperative this councilman remain unaware, that he did not discover his secret. For, Frederick had seen the Other World. He had spoken to an Undesirable, and was now convinced that his entire Mieux Training had been based in untruths. The council had hidden this from all of them, and it was still hiding things...

The man suddenly spoke. "Why don't we stop for the night, lad? Right, then I'll gather some kindle and you get the water." He left the clearing quickly, his jacket flapping behind him.

After a minute Frederick tore his gaze from the heavenly peak and wandered from the clearing, following the sounds of water nearby. A river suddenly opened itself up before him and he sat on the bank, tossing stones into the water while he mused. He didn't noticed anything strange until a small clattering sound drew

his attention downward, and he saw the very stone that he had thrown moments before suddenly sitting again at his feet. Confused, he held it in his palm. It was indeed the same stone. Hurriedly, he rose, just as a second stone was deposited gently near him. Another followed, then another. He looked out over the water and was shocked to see the stones he had tossed reappearing on the water and being borne back towards him. What was happening? The river looked normal; did he dare touch it? He crept forward, intrigued, fearful, and met the water with the edge of his bare toe. Nothing, and yet ... without warning he was totally consumed by a fierce joy, a raging passion for life. He desired to plunge directly into the river, to express his rapture, to expend himself completely without cause. Frederick raised his arms, poised to vault from the bank, but suddenly out of the brush behind burst the councilman with a contingent of soldiers. "Seize the boy!" the man yelled. "He has Disobeyed!" Frederick dived.

Part 9 by Douglas Schuda

Bewildered and exhausted, Frederick washed ashore. To his astonishment, he found himself at the feet of the Undesirable he had met so long ago, whose kind eyes now burned with fear. "Come, Frederick! We must go! We're running out of time!" As he ran, Frederick soon found that the river had mysteriously given him a renewed vigor, and as he bounded after the Undesirable, he learned that his déjà vu had not merely been fanta-

The Undesirable proclaimed that Frederick was in the mythical region known as Imaginationland, and it was in grave peril! The walls he broke through must have been its sacred gate! Frederick learned of the Stone of Imaginationing, and how the councilman planned to use it to invade Notre Dame through the secret tunnels. Aragorn McCloud was not merely a dream: he was the only Creator to enter Imaginationland before Frederick, and he had been eliminated by the councilman.

They were soon at the base of the mountain, where Frederick knew he must gain possession of the Stone. Just before his climb, the Undesirable warned him of the great beast within. As he climbed, Frederick remembered everything. He knew what he had to do: he had to conquer the great beast, ManBearPig, and take the stone far away from the councilman. The survival of Imaginationland, Notre Dame, and Al Gore depended on it!

Want to write the next paragraph to the story? Submit your paragraph to NDLFshortstory@gmail.com before 4 p.m. Limit of 200 words. Title it Part Eight. This story will continue until Nov. 16. If your paragraph is selected, it will be published in Viewpoint and you will get to read it at the NDLF panel discussion Nov. 19. The visiting authors will write the ending paragraphs. Take advantage of the opportunity to write a story along with three New York Times bestselling authors!

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Long-term approach

Once again, talk in the ND community is replete with the question: "Do we fire Devine, Faust, Davie, Willingham or Weis?" What has often prevailed in the past is the short-term "Blame the coach and find the next Rockne" solution, often carried out in a way that comes across to the general public as panic.

My standpoint is as an alum who has lived out East for 25 years, and who has known parents whose children were recruited by Notre Dame but chose to play at other colleges.

The high school seniors of today can't remember the 1993 run for the title. More importantly, they tend to want to play in a BCS conference.

I doubt that Notre Dame will improve in the long-term by firing Coach Weis. The University's decision should not be "Weis or Coach X." It should be "Big Ten or Big East."

Brian Reimer alum class of 1982 Nov. 16

Stay classy, ND

This past weekend I attended the Notre Dame-Pitt game at Heinz Field. Despite the loss and the relatively poor performance that our team exhibited on the field, I came out of that game prouder than ever to be a member of the Notre Dame community. I don't think I have ever heard that many four letter words in my life, especially those directed to people who were quite obviously not Notre Dame students. The worst part is the Pitt insults were not even creative; their student section had only two chants throughout the entire game — "Let's go Pitt" and (more often) "F**k the Irish."

As the Connecticut game comes around we have a team coming in that has dealt with a major tragedy this season. Normally

I think that articles like this, chastising students for saying things like "suck" and "kill" are dumb (especially when many of us have been to games in places like Michigan, Michigan State, Purdue, or Pitt where you're more likely to hear someone say "F**k you" than anything else), but due to the circumstances, I think it would be inappropriate to do the kill chant. We have the best fans in the country; we ought to show that we will not sink to the levels of our rivals. We are ND!

Jonathan Jasinski junior Stanford Nov. 16

Slumbering echoes

More importantly, be loud

ment for our opponents.

don't have to be saying anything.

After Notre Dame's recent losses to Navy and Pitt, I have done a lot of thinking. I then came to the realization that something is terribly wrong with the Irish football team. However, since everybody has his or her own opinion on what needs to be changed, I will be as vague as humanly possible so nobody can tell me that I'm wrong. In fact, I'm going to format my rant as a mad-lib. Okay, here it goes:

Insert major flaw of Notre Dame football here has been an issue for far too long and I am livid! It cost us games at *Insert recent heartbreaking loss that shouldn't have happened* and at *Insert other recent heartbreaking loss that shouldn't have happened.* People of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's, I think

In response to Lizzie Laughman ("Be

make my own request of all Notre Dame

Jasper Howard, and I guarantee that the

UConn players, should they even hear the

Howard's death was tragic, but considering

the context of the chant, that we are fans

shouting "kill" would dishonor his memory.

However, though I disagree with the selfimportant, politically correct, "We are ND;

we're better than everyone else," attitude that seems to motivate Lizzie's call to not

perform the chant, I see a way to reconcile

Dame Stadium a more intimidating environ-

her motives with a desire to make Notre

chant, wouldn't make that connection.

cheering on our team, I don't see how

classy, respectful," Nov. 14), I would like to

fans. I'll start with the following disclaimer. In no way is the "kill" chant related to it is time to show that we have had enough! I propose that we *insert random, and most likely detrimental, change to football team* and we need to fire *Insert random person affiliated with football team* and *other random person affiliated with football team* immediately!

There you go, my rant on Notre Dame football. If you want to do your own rant, just fill out this viewpoint letter as a mad-lib. Try it with your friends!

Instead of chanting "kill," just yell. You

Continuous and intense noise flowing from

your pie-hole from the time our opponents

begin to huddle until the ball is snapped is

quiet our stadium is. Sure, "be classy," show

our opponents respect, but recognize that

ating a hostile atmosphere for our oppo-

these ideals are not incompatible with cre-

nents and a competitive advantage for our

sufficient. Having spent two years at the

University of Florida, I can't stand how

Kevin Eller sophomore Stanford Nov. 16

The facts

You cannot be pro-life and pro-choice at the same time. I understand that abortion is a difficult issue, but you stand on one side of the fence or the other. While women do not take abortion lightly, easy access to abortion has caused the rate of repeat abortions to sky rocket.

"According to the APS, 48 percent of women in 2000-2001 were obtaining repeat abortions, including 29 percent who were seeking their second abortion, 12 percent seeking their third abortion and 7 percent seeking their fourth or higher order abortion."

In addition, children are expensive, but abortions are as well. "In 2001, the average charge for a surgical abortion at 10 weeks' gestation was \$468; but since most abortions in the United States are performed at low-cost clinics, women on average paid \$372 for the procedure."

"Some 74 percent of women pay for abortions with their own money; 13 percent of abortions are covered by Medicaid, and 13 percent are billed directly to private insurance. Some women who pay for the procedure themselves may receive insurance reimbursement later."

All of these quotes are from the Guttmacher Institute, Planned Parenthood's research group.

A woman who decides to keep her child has several resources available to her free. The Women's Care Center in South Bend has several free services, as do many other groups around the nation. Care Net and Birthright are just two of many groups that offer free pregnancy tests, counseling and other services.

The desire to adopt a healthy infant in the U.S. has exceeded the number of available infants. If a woman does not want to kill her child, she has options. There are free services to support her during pregnancy, and people desperate for children.

Unplanned pregnancy is difficult in every situation, however abortion is not the only way out if one is not financially stable. Adoption is a beautiful option and free care for women during pregnancy is readily available.

Adoption is the pro-life option, the pro-choice is abortion. Once it's a baby, there cannot be a choice.

Brandon Lewis
junior
Morrissey

Nov. 16

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Anne Christine Barbera

senior off campus Nov. 15

THE OBSERVER CENE

By DECLAN SULLIVAN and MIKE BARTLETT

Two weeks ago, a pair of Scene writers interviewed the music duo Shwayze in promotion of their new album "Let It Beat." The half of the interview involving producer Cisco Adler appeared last week. This is the (printable) portion of the conversation that transpired between Scene writers Mike Bartlett and Declan Sullivan and rapper Aaron Smith, a.k.a. Shwayze.

Mike Bartlett: So, do you have a favorite song to perform or a favorite place to perform at?

Shwayze: "Get U Home" is really fun now 'cause it's a crazy, upbeat track that gets everyone hyped up. You know, like a rock 'n' roll show where everyone is jumping up and down.

MB: Yeah, definitely. I've listened to the whole new album and I like it a lot. I like "Daze Like This" a lot. That's a good song.

S: Ah, good, man. Yeah, we were just at home for two months, and we knocked [the album] out. But yeah, "Daze Like This" is dope.

MB: Yeah man, but living in Malibu — that's the

S: Oh yeah, exactly. Have you guys ever been out to Malibu?

MB: Yeah, I went out and visited Pepperdine for a week. It's heaven; it can't get any better.

S: Yeah, it's a good spot.

Declan Sullivan: Did you grow up in Malibu, or did you move there?

S: I moved there when I was 5, so I basically grew up there. I was born in Santa Monica, and I lived in Florida for a year or two when I was a little baby.

MB: Do you think growing up in Malibu has had a big effect on your music? Does it inspire you to write what you do?

S: Yeah, of course — you're a product of your environment. The first record really only showed one of our sides, but in this new record we really show all of our sides. It all kind of got thrown in the pot, you know what I mean?

DS: Yeah, definitely.

MB: How was working with Snoop Dogg on "Livin' It Up?" Was it insane?

S: I mean, it was definitely a dream come true. I've always imagined working with Snoop, so the fact that we actually got to do it was dope. Unfortunately, the way we did it was that we sent him the track, and he sent it back, so we didn't actually get to work with

A Conversation with



him in the studio. But he's a homie, he loved being on the track, and he killed it. He took it to the next level.

MB: Yeah, definitely, that's awesome. But I bet when you actually work with people in the studio, you get to build a lot off of them and learn new stuff.

S: Yeah. But that song was already done, and then we were like, "Dude, let's get Snoop on this!" But yeah, we definitely have to work with him in the

DS: Is there anyone you really want to work with that you haven't yet?

S: Definitely. There are a lot of people I'd like to work with.

DS: Well, if you could pick one person or group to collaborate with, who would it be?

S: Living or dead?

DS and MB: Living or dead.

S: Well, I just saw "This Is It" this week, so I'd have to say Michael Jackson. I mean, he has all that great music, and he wrote all his own [music]. I'd love to work with him.

MB: Okay, here's your chance to be a movie critic: Is it worth going to see?

S: I think so. If you love Michael Jackson, you'll like the movie. It's a go.

DS: You're doing that Party Rock Tour right now; what's it like being on stage with LMFAO?

S: They're dope. They're our friends from way before. Sky Blu and I went to high school together. We used to rap together all the time, and then just five, six years fast forward and we're both on tour together. It's very surreal.

MB: When I'm hanging out with my friends sometimes we try to rap, all in good fun.

S: Rapping just changes the way you look at things. MB: Yeah. Actually, when we talked to Cisco, he told us to look up Chris Young the Rapper, whose

freestyles are pretty ill. Is he fun to work with? S: Yeah — actually, just the other day, we were in the car rolling around, freestyling. I love that. He's a genius freestyler. Download some of his stuff. He's going to blow up.

MB: Anybody else who's coming up?

S: Beardo is coming up, everyone on Banana Beat .. oh, and LMFAO. This tour we're about to do is going to be out of control. Are we coming to your

MB: No! We talked to Cisco about this. You're going to Des Moines, Iowa, but not to South Bend.

DS: Yeah, talk about a slap in the face!

S: Oh, wow. (Laughs.) How far of a drive is it?

MB: From Malibu to ND?

DS: It might be a bit. (Laughs.)

S: No, from you guys to Des Moines. I think we're going to Chicago, too. DS: Yeah, on Nov. 22. We'll definitely try to get out

there and see you. One last question before you go. Who is your favorite band or singer alive right now? S: I love Andre 3000 from Outkast. Also the Red Hot

Chili Peppers. They're my favorite band.

DS and MB: Well, thanks for talking to us.

S: No problem; it's been great talking to you guys. Maybe I'll see you in Chicago.

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By SZYMON RYZNER

Scene Writer

After selling more than four million copies of her first album "The Fame," Lady Gaga will release an additional eight tracks on a re-release of the extremely successful album. The newly expanded album, entitled "The Fame Monster," will be available tomorrow.

Lady Gaga, who received much critical acclaim for her first effort, has quickly become one of the more interesting celebrities to watch. Her outfits range from plastic bubbles to a molecule-like silver gyroscope to a lacy red crown that entirely covers her face to a "dress" made of quite a few Kermit the Frogs sown together. As far as insane (or, perhaps, insanely entertaining) behavior goes, Lady Gaga received some attention for her bloody performance at the MTV Video Music Awards, but Kanye West's interruption of the young Taylor Swift topped the Twitter

Lady Gaga claims inspiration from David Bowie, and like Bowie, she has blurred the gender line. Rumors that she is a hermaphrodite abound,

although her scantily clad outings seem to prove otherwise. The singer actually takes her name from the song

"Radio Ga Ga," by another of her idols, Queen. Beyond her catchy dance music, Lady Gaga nas an opportunity to become as big as some of her pop predecessors.

In addition to putting on spectacular live performanc-Ladv es. Gaga has moved into crafting amazingly absurd and visually stun-

ning music videos. Each of her videos seems to be deliberately more ridiculous and more impressive than the last. The most For those seeking an almost disturbing

recent, "Bad Romance," makes puns out of Hitchcock, sets a gold-chinned man on fire and, on occasion, makes Gaga look normal.

> The Fame Monster" will be an album about Gaga's greatest fears and a depiction of fame from one who has experienced an extreme surge of it. Through all of the craziness, though, Lady Gaga claims that she never forgets her fans. 'The Fame

Monster" will be affordable, least according to Gaga, and it should bе considered a standalone album. Nevertheless,

it will be sold along

with the original "The Fame" in order to provide maximum access to Gaga. amount of interaction with the star, the deluxe version will apparently contain a lock of hair from one of her many wigs.

Lady Gaga wrote "The Fame Monster" while watching fashion shows on mute, and she believes that it will be an ideal soundtrack for such events. Inis, in fact, is one of the greatest things about Gaga: despite all the madness surrounding her and her behavior, she writes her own music. By the age of four, she was playing the piano by ear. and her entire life to this point seems to have been influenced by and lived through music. Working in various burlesque shows after attending both a Catholic school and the Tisch School of Arts, she doggedly pursued a career in music. She ended up writing for many well-known artists, including Fergie, Britney Spears and Akon, who ultimately signed her.

For her entire life, Lady Gaga has pursued this musical career, and now that she has found success her voice will finally be heard. Let's hope she has something worthwhile to say.

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MYSTERY ABOUNDS IN 'THE PRISONER'

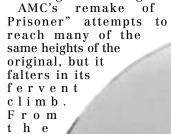
By NICK ANDERSON

Scene Writer

In its original form, "The Prisoner" was one of the most ambitious, revolutionary and compelling series ever aired on television. It acquired a dedicated cult following, and its influence has trickled into "The Simpsons," "The Truman Show" and even a few Slayer songs. The show was strange, beautiful, intriguing and heavy.

AMC has proven itself a fertile network for brilliantly dark dramas, riding high on the critical success of "Breaking Bad" and "Mad Men" while proving there is a devoted niche audience who will find these shows. Its latest project is a remake of "The Prisoner" for modern audiences. The first episode premiered on Sunday.

The casting of Jim Caviezel as the iconic protagonist Number 6 and Sir Ian McKellen as Number 2 generated much-needed buzz for the project in its infancy. Weeks before the premiere, AMC promoted the show heavily while maintaining the air of mystery and confusion that was integral to the original.



beginning, it presents the scenes to differentiate itself without disassociating itself from the original. In the first episode, Number 6 wakes up abandoned in the desert. There he encounters Number 93, an old man who is purposefully dressed in the costume of the original Number 6 and is running from armed guards. Within minutes, Number 93 is dead and Number 6 has stumbled into the village.

From this point on, the remake loses track of many of the elements that made the original so remarkable. The unmistakable streak of individu-

> ran through the original was dropped somewhere in the past 40 years, only to be replaced to with choppy, schizophrenic editing and vague symbolism.

ality, intensity and freedom that



The Prisoner **AMC**

Starring: James Caviezel, Ian McKellen, Ruth Wilson, Lennie James and Jamie Campbell Bower **Show Time:** Sunday, 8 p.m.



urbanity. Each scene is shot with careful consideration and a respectful attitude of homage to the original, artfully recreating several direct images.

Caviezel's portrayal of Number 6 is frustrating at his best moments and dull at his worst. It is clear that he studied the source material, but compared to the original actor, Patrick McGoohan, Caviezel is unable to bring the same emotional weight to the simple close-ups and timely glances. While he hasn't quite dropped to Keanu Reeves levels of boredom, he has yet to master a fourth facial expression to add to his résumé.

Caviezel additionally suffers from being paired with one of the elder statesmen of British acting, McKellen. A chance to play Number 2 would be a crowning achievement for most actors, but for McKellan, Number 2 merely joins Gandalf and Magneto as roles he plays as if he was born to do so. Chillingly self-assured, he maintains a stiff upper lip and a dry sense of

humor unseen on this side of the pond. McKellen takes on another interesting character as no other actor could, with fascinating results.

Several striking symbols have been introduced into the show, none more notable than the clear allusion to the Twin Towers on the outskirts of the village. The intrigue and mystery of the show is heavy-handed and deliberate, with none of the campiness and humor of the original. What is missing is a clear plot: Why was Number 6 kidnapped? No one, including Number 2, seems to know the answer to this question. Without that, it's hard even to tell whose side we're on.

The art and excellence of "The Prisoner" is lost in a post-9/11 world. Questions of personal liberty and freedom have become muddled with paranoia about both the government and society at large. Instead of focusing on this conflict, "The Prisoner" has moved on to relationships and pseudo-meaningful statements. In a world already confused enough by "Lost," "The Prisoner" will struggle to find an audience. It is too symbolic and confusing to be a straight drama, but it is not written well enough to stand as a mystery.

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Dining Hall Dish

By ELIZABETH CHATEN

Welsh Family Hall recently opened a homemade baked goods store to rival the male dorm's pizza shops. Although this innovative idea begins to tackle the problem of unappetizing dinning hall desserts, I contend that with a little creativity, anyone can create saccharine sweets in our dining halls. This week's dish presents a few ideas for some decadent desserts. Channel your inner Paula Dean and start cooking!

Strawberry-Banana Crepe

Crepes were first created in Brittany, a region in the northwest of France. This dish attempts to recreate the elegance of this sophisticated dessert in our dining halls. It may seem like a lot of steps, but it's entirely worth the effort. After tasting this one, I encourage you to try out different fillings, particularly the various fruits in the waffle section.

Start with a white or honey wheat wrap. Optional: brush honey butter all over the wrap, for added

Spread a bit of cream cheese, strawberry jam, and a light layer of pudding (chocolate or vanilla) on the

Drizzle half of the wrap with strawberry sauce, located by the ice cream. Attempt to get as many chunks of strawberries as you can!

Grab a banana and cut into slices. Place on the same half as the strawberry sauce.

Fold crepe in half and grill lightly on the panini maker for about 10 seconds — just enough to warm

it up a bit, but not so much that it's charred. Top with a dusting of powdered sugar and a drizzle of chocolate sauce. Serve with whipped cream or ice cream, if desired.

Puppy Chow

This nostalgic sweet is surprisingly simple to make in the dining hall! Fun and whimsical, your friends will be stealing this sweet off of your tray.

If you are in SDH, pour peanut butter sauce and chocolate syrup in a bowl. If you are in NDH, add mini chocolate chips, a scoop of peanut butter, and a dab of butter to a bowl. Microwave until melted and

Add a scoop or two of rice Chex cereal. Grab another bowl and place on top. Shake, just as you would toss a salad, till coated evenly.

Sprinkle on powdered sugar and toss to coat.

Bananas Foster

Paul Blangé, the chef at Brennan's, a famous French Quarter New Orleans restaurant, created this dessert in 1951. The name Foster was added to the dessert in reference to Stephen Foster, a local business owner and a frequent patron at Brennan's restaurant.

If in SDH, add about a tablespoon or so of melted butter into a bowl. If in NDH, melt some butter in the microwave.

Add sliced bananas to the bowl. Stir to coat.

Shake a generous portion of cinnamon sugar on top. Microwave for about 20 to 30 seconds.

Serve over a scoop of vanilla ice cream. Top with caramel or nuts, if desired.

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MLB

Coghlan, Bailey named Rookies of the Year

Marlins' left fielder hit .321 and scored 84 times; Athletics' closer named to All-Star team, finished with 26 saves

Associated Press

NEW YORK — Florida Marlins left fielder Chris Coghlan won the National League Rookie of the Year award in a close vote Monday, and Oakland Athletics closer Andrew Bailey took the AL honor.

Coghlan edged Philadelphia Phillies pitcher J.A. Happ, receiving 17 first-place votes and 105 points in balloting by the Baseball Writers' Association of America. Happ, the only player picked on all 32 ballots, had 10 first-place votes and 94 points.

"It's very exciting," Coghlan said.
"I couldn't have written it better."

Bailey, a surprise All-Star this season, was selected first on 13 of 28 ballots and finished with 88 points. Texas shortstop Elvis Andrus was the runner-up with 65 points, one more than Detroit pitcher Rick Porcello.

Bailey, who had 26 saves and a 1.84 ERA, was driving when he got word on his cell phone that he

"At first I thought it was a prank call. Which one of my friends is playing a prank on me?" he said. "I didn't want to take my eyes off the road."

Once he realized the news was legit, Bailey passed it along to his family.

"My mom was crying and my dad was stoked," he said.

Coghlan dug himself out of an early slump and had a superb second half. Emerging as pesky lead-off hitter for the Marlins, he batted .321 with nine homers and 31 doubles in 128 games. He scored 84 runs and drove in 47.

Called up from the minors in May, the 24-year-old Coghlan

topped NL rookies in batting average, runs, hits (162), total bases (232) and on-base percentage (.390). He became the third Florida player to win the award, joining shortstop Hanley Ramirez (2006) and pitcher Dontrelle Willis (2003).

"At the end of the year I knew that I put myself in a good position to win," Coghlan said.

A second baseman in the minors, Coghlan was with Triple-A New Orleans this year when the Marlins told him they wanted to try him in the outfield.

He played one minor league game in left — without getting a fly ball — and then was brought up to the majors. He finished the season with five errors.

"A lot of people think I'm pretty bad out there. But I think it's an adjustment," Coghlan said. "I have confidence playing the outfield. It was a situation I embraced to get me to the big leagues the quickest and to help the team win games."

Happ's versatility was a huge plus for the Phillies, who won their second consecutive NL pennant before losing to the New York Yankees in the World Series.

The left-hander went 12-4 with a 2.93 ERA in 35 games, including 23 starts. He led NL rookies in innings (166), strikeouts (119) and complete games (three).

Atlanta pitcher Tommy Hanson finished third in a competitive field with two first-place votes and 37 points. Pittsburgh outfielder Andrew McCutchen, who came in fourth, also was chosen first on a pair of ballots. Milwaukee infielder Casey McGehee received the other first-place vote.

"When you get up there's so many different aspects to the game. ... It takes a while to get



AP

NL Rookie of the Year Chris Coghlan slides in Florida's game against Cincinnati on Sept. 18. Coghlan and Oakland closer Andrew Bailey were honored Monday.

comfortable in a routine," Coghlan said. "In the second half, things turned around and it all ended well. In the beginning it wasn't as easy as it was at the end of the year."

Bailey went 6-3 and had 24 more saves than any other AL rookie. He also led the league's rookie pitchers in ERA.

He is the eighth A's player to win the award, tying the New York Yankees for most in the AL.

"I can't feel disappointed," Andrus said. "Andrew Bailey is a great player, He had a great season, too."

Bailey was struggling as a starter in Double-A last year when the A's moved him to the bullpen. Turned out to be a terrific decision.

In his first big league camp, Bailey made the Oakland roster and soon got an opportunity to close partly due to injuries. He took advantage of it, earning a trip to the All-Star game in July as the team's lone representative.

The 25-year-old right-hander struck out 91 and walked 24 in 83

1-3 innings. He yielded only 47 hits, holding opponents to a .167 batting average.

"Certainly the first credit goes to Andrew. It's also a credit to our staff and the people who saw the change to the bullpen being a good step," general manager Billy Beane said. "He had always been a prospect, but as a starter he hit a wall. There was a suggestion to move him to the bullpen and he hasn't looked back. Since he made the switch to the 'pen he's been dominant."

NBA

Jackson dealt to Charlotte for Bell, Radmonovic

Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — The Golden State Warriors found a home for the disgruntled swingman Stephen Jackson on Monday, sending him to the Charlotte Bobcats in a fourplayer deal that pairs him with coach Larry Brown.

The Bobcats sent shooting guard Raja Bell and forward Vladimir Radmanovic to the Warriors for Jackson and guard Acie Law.

The deal gave Jackson his wish: a ticket out of town after his difficult relationship with Warriors coach Don Nelson, who acknowledged since the season began the team would try to trade him.

"We can get back to playing basketball," Larry Riley said after his first major move since becoming the Warriors' general manager. "Our players had done a great job doing everything they could to play through this and not let it be a major distraction. We felt we needed to do this and move on."

Now Brown, the Hall of Famer who has coached numerous difficult players, including Allen Iverson, will get a crack at the talented and polarizing Jackson.

"No matter what Stephen might say to me when I take him out, I've heard it before," Brown said. "As long as they care and as long as they want to get better and are good teammates, I'm OK."

With managing partner Michael Jordan signing off on the deal, Charlotte takes on Jackson's contract, which has three years and \$28 million left after this season. Golden State inherits Radmanovic's deal, worth about \$13.5 million over this season and next. Bell and Law are in the final year of their contracts.

Jackson was en route to

Orlando on Monday, where the Bobcats were to play the Magic.

The 6-foot-8 Jackson gives Charlotte, the NBA's lowest-scoring team at 82.4 points a game, an immediate offensive boost. He's averaging 16.6 points in nine games this season, after averaging 20.7 points and 6.5 assists last season.

"He can create a shot for himself, which is something that we desperately need," Brown said.

But the 31-year-old Jackson also brings plenty of baggage, dating to when he was suspended for going into the stands in Auburn Hills, Mich., in the infamous Pacers-Pistons brawl in 2004.

He's been upset with the Warriors since their decline after he helped lead them to the second round of the 2007 playoffs. The NBA fined him \$25,000 when he went public with his trade demands in August. He then got into a spat with Nelson during an exhibition game last month, leading to a two-game suspension that cost him about \$139,000 in salary. He also relinquished his captain title.

"People's past are indeed that," Bobcats GM Rod Higgins said. "Our relationship with him is going to start today."

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Personal

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NCAA Football Associated Press Top 25

	team	previous
1	Florida	1
2	Alabama	3
3	Texas	2
4	TCU	4
5	Cincinnati	5
6	Boise State	6
7	Georgia Tech	7
8	Pittsburgh	8
9	Ohio State	10
10	LSU	9
11	Oregon	14
12	Oklahoma State	17
13	Penn State	19
14	Stanford	25
15	lowa	15
16	Virginia Tech	20
17	Wisconsin	21
18	Clemson	24
19	Brigham Young	22
20	Oregon State	NR
21	Miami (Fla.)	12
22	USC	11
23	Utah	16
24	Houston	13
25	Rutgers	NR

NCAA Men's Football USA **Today Coaches' Top 25**

	team	previous
1	Florida	1
2	Texas	2
3	Alabama	3
4	TCU	4
5	Cincinnati	5
6	Boise State	6
7	Georgia Tech	7
8	Ohio State	8
9	Pittsburgh	9
10	Louisiana State	11
11	Oregon	16
12	Penn State	17
13	Oklahoma State	18
14	Wisconsin	20
15	lowa	13
16	Virginia Tech	21
17	Stanford	NR
18	Brigham Young	22
19	Clemson	NR
20	Oregon State	NR
21	Southern California	10
22	Houston	12
23	Utah	14
24	Miami (Fla.)	15
25	Nebraska	NR

NCAA Men's Hockey Division I USA Today Rankings

	team	previous
1	Miami (Ohio)	1
2	North Dakota	2
3	Denver	3
4	MassLowell	5
5	Cornell	4
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7	Colorado College	13
8	Bemidji State	7
9	Yale	11
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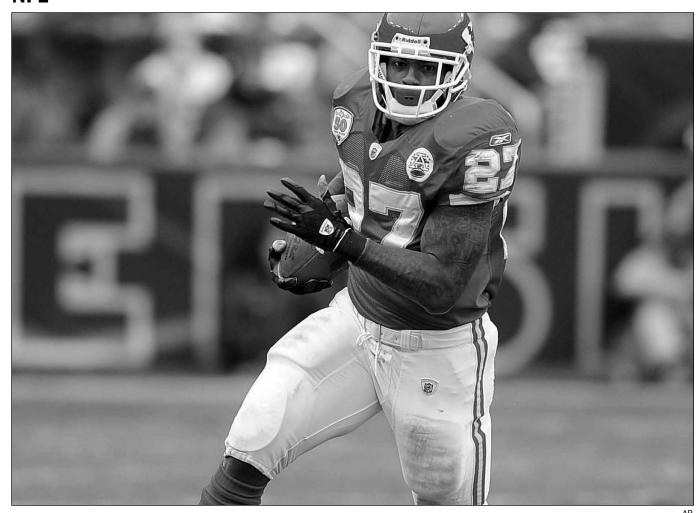
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Larry Johnson runs for the Kansas City Chiefs in this file photo. The Chiefs released Johnson last week due to repeated offthe-field issues and controversies.

Bengals interested in Larry Johnson

Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Larry Johnson might get to revive his troubled career with a team known for giving second chances.

Bengals coach Marvin Lewis said on Monday that Johnson would be in Cincinnati to discuss a limited role — fourth-string running back, essentially an insurance policy in case Cedric Benson's hip injury gets worse or another running back gets hurt.

It's a very low-profile role.

"That's what his role would be, it would be as a fourth running back and an opportunity as a backup player on this football team doing all the things backup players do,

and that's work their tails off in the kicking game and showing looks (on the scout team) and so forth that way," Lewis said. "And then he would be an insurance policy if something would happen down the line to one of our guys where he'd have a chance to be active.

"But I couldn't foresee him being active when he was initially here, if this is what happens. And that's what I've told him."

Lewis said the interest in Johnson is unrelated to Benson's injury. Benson, who is one of the NFL's top running backs, strained a hip muscle and couldn't finish an 18-12 win in Pittsburgh on Sunday that left the Bengals (7-2) in control of the AFC North.

Benson is expected to practice on a limited basis this week. Lewis said there's a chance he could play Sunday in Oakland.

Johnson turns 30 on Thursday and is coming off several years of decline. He also created controversies while with the Kansas City Chiefs, who released him last week on the day he was due back from his second suspension in the last 12 months.

The Bengals have a history of giving extra chances to troubled players. Owner Mike Brown brought Chris Henry back to the team before the 2008 season over Lewis' disagreement and the receiver has stayed out of trouble since then. Henry is out for the rest of the season with a broken left

Benson was signed last year after the Bears let him go because of his off-field problems. He had two alcohol-related arrests in Texas, but the cases were dropped when grand juries declined to indict. Benson has revitalized his career in Cincinnati - he ranks sixth in the league in rushing with 859 yards and leads the NFL with 205 carries.

Lewis assured Benson that the interest in Johnson would have no effect on his status as the primary runner. Lewis said he first spoke with Johnson by phone last Thursday, before Benson's injury.

IN BRIEF

Gruden signs contract Kiffin dismisses players Allen Iverson parts extension with ESPN charged in robbery ways with Grizzlies

BRISTOL, Conn. — Jon Gruden has agreed to a multiyear contract to stay at ESPN, suggesting he won't be returning to coaching anytime soon.

The Super Bowl-winning coach's name was bound to come up about any job openings after this season. He was fired by the Buccaneers in January, then joined ESPN as a 'Monday Night Football" analyst.

The network said Monday that Gruden has "made a commitment to remain with ESPN.

Gruden led Tampa Bay to a Super Bowl title after the 2002 season.

Under the new deal, he will appear on ESPN's NFL Draft and Super Bowl week coverage and will call the 2010 Pro Bowl. Gruden will serve as an analyst for ESPN Radio's 2010 Rose Bowl and BCS title game broadcasts.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — Two of three Tennessee freshmen football players charged last week in an attempted armed robbery have been dismissed from the team.

"Clearly, their actions have no place in our program," coach Lane Kiffin said Monday.

Kiffin said wide receiver Nu'Keese Richardson, 18, and defensive back Mike Edwards, 18, were permanently dismissed from the team, while former starting safety Janzen Jackson, 18, will continue to be barred from team activities while Kiffin awaits more information in his

Richardson was the player whose recruitment first got Kiffin in trouble with the Southeastern Conference. Kiffin joked in February that Florida coach Urban Meyer cheated in trying to keep Richardson as a Gator, earning Kiffin a reprimand from the SEC.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — The Allen Iverson experiment with the Memphis Grizzlies is

Memphis announced Monday that the team has ended its one-year contract with the 10-time All-Star and former league MVP in what it called a mutual agreement. Iverson began an indefinite leave of absence on Nov. 7 to deal with a personal issue after playing only three games with the Grizzlies, all in California.

"Because of personal matters that forced him to leave the team on November 7, Allen will step away from the game at this time, allowing him to focus on those matters," general manager Chris Wallace said in a statement. "As a result, we will be ending our contractual agreement with Allen, which will allow both parties to move forward. We wish Allen the best.

The Grizzlies will waive Iverson but the team had not done that as of Monday night.

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Westbrook, running backs suffer injuries

Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA — Brian Westbrook has always come back from a long list of injuries throughout his career. Now another concussion

could stop him cold.

Westbrook's status is uncertain after the former All-Pro running back sustained his second concussion in three weeks in Philadelphia's 31-23 loss at San Diego on Sunday.

Westbrook was playing his first game after sitting out two because of a concussion suffered Oct. 26. He was injured in the third quarter on a screen play in which he was caught between a block by Eagles receiver Jason Avant and Chargers safety Eric Weddle.

Eagles coach Andy Reid said the team will take precautions with Westbrook and it's too early to tell when Westbrook will return, if at all.

"Football right now for Brian Westbrook is not the important thing," Reid said Monday. "It's making sure that we get him analyzed, tested and taken care of and then we'll go from there. Not that we didn't do that before.

"We took every precautionary measure that we could before and it happened again. Obviously we're going to check with experts and make sure that we listen to them like we did before. The No. 1 thing is Brian's health. You can put football aside and make sure that he's taken care of here."

Westbrook wasn't available to reporters on Monday. His agent, Todd France, didn't immediately return a phone message.

The 30-year-old Westbrook sustained his first career concussion when he hit his head on a defender's knee during a Monday night win at Washington last month. Westbrook briefly lost consciousness but walked off the field under his own power.

He sat out Philadelphia's victory against the New York Giants on Nov. 1 and was cleared to play against Dallas last week, but was held out for precautionary reasons after experiencing headaches. Westbrook had no problems leading up to the game against the Chargers.

"We left it up to the doctors," Reid said. "There's a chance he could have played the week before and we held him out of that one according to tests and symptoms. He was symptomfree and tests came back normal and so on, so I did what the experts said. They felt comfortable with it and we went with it."

Reid wasn't sure if a second concussion is more serious. Westbrook didn't lose consciousness on this one.

"I've heard a couple different things on that," he said.
"Obviously it's not a good thing for a second one to happen. I don't know the medical terms of it. I've heard them determine it by if it was a mild hit as compared to a severe hit. It wasn't a mild hit I would say."

The eight-year veteran has been limited this season by ankle and knee injuries and the concussions. Westbrook

has carried the ball 47 times for 225 yards, an average of 4.8 yards per carry, and has scored one touchdown. He has also caught 19 passes for 156 yards and a TD.

Westbrook has never played a full season, having missed 16 games for a variety of injuries to his knees, ankles, ribs and triceps.

Before last season, Westbrook signed a three-year contract worth \$21 million, including \$13 million guaranteed the first two years. The Eagles have the option of not renewing his contract for 2010.

Seahawks' Jones likely out

Seahawks running back Julius Jones is likely to miss at least Sunday's game at Minnesota because of a bruised lung.

Coach Jim Mora said Monday that what was thought to be a cracked rib sustained in the first quarter of Seattle's loss at Arizona on Sunday is a bruised lung — "and potentially, possibly a cracked rib."

Doctors had Jones stay behind overnight in an Arizona hospital as a precaution. Jones flew back to Seattle on Monday.

"He's OK," Mora said, after speaking to Jones while Seattle's lead runner was at the airport in Phoenix. "They just took the proper precautions in not having him travel with that injury.

"At this point, I would say it would be unlikely that he would be cleared to play on Sunday."

Jones had only two carries before getting hurt, apparently while pass blocking against Arizona's blitzing Karlos Dansby. Justin Forsett replaced him and ran for 123 yards on just 17 carries.

Mora said Forsett and thirdstringer Louis Rankin will be getting more carries over the next few weeks, if not the final

seven games.

It may be that time of year for Seattle to try out young players, for the second season.

The Seahawks are 3-6 and essentially four games out of the NFC West lead with seven games remaining since the Cardinals own the first tiebreaker.

Dolphins' Brown should miss Thursday

Ronnie Brown remains on crutches 24 hours after hurting his right foot.

The Miami Dolphins' running back was hurt Sunday during his team's 25-23 win over Tampa Bay. He's unlikely to play Thursday at Charlotte, and he could be sidelined much longer.

Brown would be replaced in the starting lineup by Ricky Williams, who came off the bench for his first 100-yard rushing game this season against the Buccaneers.

Brown is the Dolphins' leading rusher with 648 yards and eight touchdowns, and he has been the triggerman on most of the team's wildcat plays.

Williams ran for 102 yards against the Bucs, extending his franchise record of 21 games with at least 100 yards.

SMC BASKETBALL

Belles open with Anderson

By MEAGHAN VESELIK

Saint Mary's tips off its basketball season with a home opener tonight as it takes on Anderson University at 7:30 p.m.

"I am expecting our team to control the tempo in Tuesday's opening game," Belles coach Jenn Henley said. "We want to establish very early our inside game on offense. Transition defense will be a big key for us with Anderson."

The Belles finished 17-10 (13-3 MIAA) last season, and ranked third in the conference in the MIAA Coaches Pre-Season poll that was released last Thursday. Defending-league champion and No. 2 Hope College leads the conference as the top team, followed closely in the poll by Calvin.

Saint Mary's is coming off one of its most successful seasons in recent memory, finishing in second place after losing 77-47 to Hope in the MIAA Championship. Returning for the Belles are junior guard Liz Wade — the reigning MIAA Defensive Player of the Year — sophomore forward Kelley Murphy, sophomore guard

Patsy Mahoney and senior forward Anna Kammrath.

Wade had 128 points last season and led the Belles in rebounds with 96. Murphy was second only to graduated senior Erin Newsom in points with 238 in her rookie season, including hitting 74-percent from the free-throw line. Mahoney averaged 9.8 points

per game. Kammrath, the team's lone senior, had 218 points last season and 47 rebounds.

Aside from Newsom, who averaged 14.3 points per game and was named to the 2008-2009

All-MIAA First Team, the Belles lost three other seniors to graduation: Katie Rashid, Megan Conaty and Nicole Beier.

"Anytime you lose four seniors in your program, you have a lot to replace," Henley said. "Erin Newsom, Meghan Conaty, Nicole Beier and Katie Rashid provided a lot of depth for us last season. They each contributed in different ways that helped us be very successful."

Conaty, a guard, had 42

points and was second in rebounds with 67. Beier, who returned from an injury and played in only 18 of Saint Mary's' games, managed 184 points and 18 rebounds in her final season. Rashid scored 134 points and was third for rebounds with 61.

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opening game."

Jenn Henley

Belles coach

healthy in the preseason," Henley said. "Right now we are working on finding the right chemistry in our rotations as we prepare for three games this week."

Although they lost four seniors, the Belles did

bring in four freshmen this fall: Kayla Wolter, Annie Doyle, Amanda Stukel and Katelyn Kosinski. Also returning for Saint Mary's are Maggie Ronan, Katie Sullivan, Jessica Centa and Grace Sadowski.

The Belles open their season tonight at 7:30 p.m. as they the Ravens in a non-conference game.

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ND CLUB SPORTS

Squash squad loses two

Irish sailing team finishes 12th; Rugby eliminated from regionals

Special to The Observer

Squash

A short-handed Irish squad dropped a pair of matches to Indiana, 9-0, and Northwestern, 8-1, over the weekend.

Missing its No. 1 and No. 3 players due to ROTC obligations, Notre Dame suffered several close losses in its first competition on regulation-sized courts. Notre Dame was also awarded a forfeit over Western Michigan, which was unable to field an entire lineup.

The different playing conditions proved detrimental to the Irish, particularly in making adjustments in shot selection and court coverage. Because national competition will be held on regulation courts, however, the Irish hope to make the experience one for positive learning

Competing for the Irish, from No. 1 through 10, were freshmen Ryan Gisriel, Kevin Sandner, Mike Bennett Thomas Dore and Eric Huang, sophomores Dennis Grabowski and Kenny Schlax, junior Kyle Maierhofer and seniors Mark

Hincapie and Kristine So. Schlax posted Notre Dame's lone win of the weekend.

Sailing

Notre Dame placed 12th of 17 teams at Northwestern's Timme's Tune-up Regatta and gained experience, as several Irish competitors were making their collegiate debuts. The A boat finished sixth and the B boat finished 16th in their respective divisions.

Bowling

The men's squad traveled to Dayton, Ohio, for the Raider Classic, where the Irish started slow on Day 1 but rebounded for a top-25 finish on Day 2.

In the first day of competition, Notre Dame looked to build momentum but on three separate occasions was left with an unfortunate 7-10 split. The Irish claimed second-to-last place after Day 1.

The Irish rebounded on Sunday. Bowling with Saginaw, the No. 2 seed, the Irish looked like the favorite after bowling an impressive 826 four-game Baker series. This inspired the Irish to a

great day with four more solid series, resulting in a top 25 finish. Seniors CJ Kaltenbach, Chris Kieser and James Breen, sophomores Brian Frisch and Richard Skelton and freshman Armani Sutton contributed strong performances on Sunday to lead the comeback.

The men's and women's squads will next compete at the Western Illinois Leatherneck Classic on Dec.

Men's Rugby

The Irish concluded their first-semester competition by dropping the semifinal of the Midwest Regionals to Indiana, 37-27. The Hoosiers advanced to the finals take on Bowling Green, which beat Ohio State.

Men's Volleyball

Notre Dame opened its season on the road Saturday by winning three of four. The Irish took down Michigan, Michigan State and Cincinnati while falling to Northern Illinois. Notre Dame lost to Illinois Sunday to finish the tournament in ninth.

NFL

Titans' owner fined by league for lewd gesture

Associated Press

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — The NFL has fined Titans owner Bud Adams \$250,000 for making an obscene gesture at Buffalo fans while celebrating Tennessee's victory over the Rills

Commissioner Roger Goodell notified Adams of the fine Monday, and league spokesman Greg Aiello said it is for conduct detrimental to the NFL. Adams was seen making the gesture while in his luxury suite and again on the field after Sunday's 41-17 victory.

The 86-year-old Adams issued an apology a couple of hours later, saying he got caught up in the excitement of the moment.

Goodell was at the game, after having breakfast with Adams. The league said that Goodell left Adams' suite at the end of the third quarter and spent the fourth quarter sitting with fans in the end zone before leaving the stadium

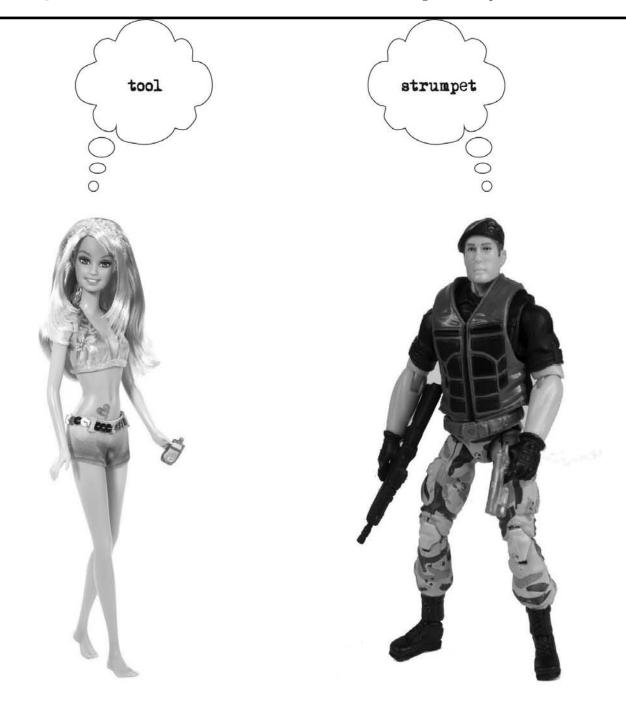
The Titans declined to comment after the fine was issued. But Adams said in his earlier statement that he expected league discipline for his actions and would accept any punishment.

"I do realize that those types of things shouldn't happen," Adams said in that statement. "I need to specifically apologize to the Bills, their fans, our fans and the NFL. I obviously have a great deal of respect for Ralph Wilson and the history we have shared."

Adams and Wilson were original owners in the American Football League, and Sunday's matchup was a legacy game with both teams wearing throwback uniforms. Wilson was inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame this year, and the two franchises have been involved in some emotional playoff games.

The Bills staged the greatest comeback in NFL history on Jan. 3, 1993, against what was then the Houston Oilers in a 41-38 overtime victory, while the Titans pulled off the Music City Miracle in 2000, a gamewinning kickoff return for a touchdown with 3 seconds remaining.

Titans coach Jeff Fisher said he knew that Adams had been excited for this game because of the 50th anniversary of the AFL and because Wilson was coming in for it.



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Siegfried senior fullback Dex Cure surges through the line during the Ramblers 14-7 defeat of Knott Sunday.

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amazing interception.

The team really fed

off of that."

Dex Cure

Siegfried senior captain

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the first half. Sophomore running back Houston Clarke ran into the end zone untouched on a counter play to give the Juggerknotts a 7-0 lead.

We felt good. We moved the ball," Knott senior captain and quarterback Aidan Fitzgerald said of the quick score. "We had momentum. We were opti-

Knott's defense shut down the Siegfried offense the first several possessions and continued to move the ball. Driving late in the second quarter, Knott looked to score again and maybe run away with the game before Siegfried

sophomore Michael Isaacs turned the tide with an inter-

ception.
"Isaacs made a really amazing interception," Cure said. "The team really fed off of that.'

Fitzgerald
dropped back and looked to
complete a 10-yard out pass. Isaacs jumped the route and made a spectacular diving interception keeping Knott from adding to their lead just before the half.

"I think we just became content and complacent (after the interception)," Fitzgerald said. "We weren't playing Knott football we had been playing all year long."

Siegfried came out in the second half looking like a new team. Led by freshmen David Whitmore and Matt Meinert and sophomores John Aversa and Will Geisecki, the Ramblers reeled off two impressive touchdown drives, taking the lead on an 18-yard run by quarterback Meinert.

"I just think the team was not ready to be done with football for the year," Cure said. "We all came out and played as one unit, and it just happened to work out for us.

The Ramblers can relish the win for now, but they know they have work to do yet if they want to defend their title.

"We know we are facing a really good team in St. Edward's," Cure said. "We lost to Morrissey, and they seemed to handle Morrissey just fine. It is going to be an incredible challenge.

St. Edward's 14, Morrissey 0

No. 8 St. Edward's upset another higher seeded team in Morrissey to advance to the championship game next weekend. The Gentlemen's defensive presence and strong

aerial attacked secured the 14-0 victory.

Both of St. Edward's touchdowns came in the second quarter and were converted after Manorite turnovers. The first score of the game was after sophomore Joey Ricioli recovered a fumble Morrissey's 32-yard line. The Gentlemen's drive to the end zone was led by the efforts of sophomore running back Jay Mathes and a crucial fourth down conversion by junior quarterback Matthew Abeling. Abeling passed to freshman Zachary Siefring from five vards out for a 6-0 lead. Following the touchdown, St. Edward's faked the extra point and instead completed an almost identical pass to Siefring to go up 8-0.

On the following Manorite drive, junior Dominick Fanelli recovered a bad snap on Morrissey's 18-yard line. Abeling executed another pass to the right corner of the end zone, this time

to senior Joe DeMott. This was the final time that either team would reach the end zone.

Gentlemen sophomore running back Jay Mathes spoke confidently about his team's success in the post season.

"We didn't really consider any of these games upsets, because we felt that we matched up well against both teams," he said. "We were happy to get a second chance as the wild card in the playoffs and show what we can do.'

Mathes said St. Edward's football has drastically changed over the past three

"We're really happy to be in the Stadium, especially for a team that didn't score for four straight years until the 2006 season," he said.

While the Morrissey defense struggled to stop Gentlemen's red zone offense, it was their offensive turnovers that prevented the team from gaining any momentum or successful drives. Morrissey senior quarterback Danny Deveny had trouble connecting with his targets and their running game was incapable of making up for any needed yardage.

The Gentlemen hope to carry their offensive and defensive dominance of this game into the Stadium next Sunday. They will face another unlikely championship team, No. 7 Siegfried.

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Pasquerilla West then punted, but a Pangborn returner fielded the punt off a bounce and sprinted down the sideline for an electrifying touchdown, giving the Phoxes a 7-0 lead.

'That rattled us early," Curley said. "We were in a hole, and that's not a position we've been in often this season."

Pasquerilla West seemed to be out of its element playing from behind, throwing an interception on the ensuing possession. The Phoxes turned the ball over, but the Purple Weasels threw an interception in the red zone and gave Pangborn the ball at their own 2-yard line. Though the Phoxes had to punt, Pasquerilla West could mount no offense before halftime and the teams went to halftime with Pangborn still leading 7-0.

"At halftime, we had to regroup and refocus," Curley

Partially through the second half, Pasquerilla West faced a fourth-and-five, and Bigi evaded a ferocious Phox rush and completed a long pass to the Pangborn 3-yard line. She ran it in for a touchdown, tying the score 7-7. Neither team could score for the remainder of the game, sending the game to overtime, with the energy and tension palpable on both sidelines.

"It was kind of scary," Pangborn junior quarterback Gabby Tate admitted. "It's all come down to these 10 yards.'

Pangborn got the ball first in overtime and was able to score on a touchdown run by Tate, but could not convert the pass for an extra point conversion. The Purple Weasels came onto the field with a confident but slightly nervous air, but Bigi quickly put that to rest with a run for touchdown, setting the stage for the

all-important point-after attempt. Bigi dropped back for a pass, slipped the Phox pass rush, and scrambled into the end zone to win the game for the Purple Weasels, as their sideline rushed the field in cele-

Curley credited her defensive line for holding Tate in check and the Purple Weasel receivers for stepping up when injuries called for them to do so. Pasquerilla West now turns its focus to Howard next week in the championship.

"We are thrilled to be playing Howard," Curley said. "There's a lot of hype around these teams, but when you get to the game, all of the hype melts away.

"Both teams are really going to want it. The better team is going to come out on top."

Howard 12, Walsh 7

After outlasting Walsh 12-7 Sunday, Howard will make its first trip to the Stadium in dorm history next week.

As the Wild Women mounted a potential game-winning drive with time running down, Howard's all-around athlete junior Kayla Bishop intercepted Walsh junior Amy Langnecker's pass to seal the victory for the

During the first half, both teams were unable to score in an even defensive battle. Several chances for both teams were negated by penalties. With five starters missing, Walsh expected the early going to be rough, but the Wild Women came up with two big fourth down stops when Howard was in scoring position.

"The defense was doing very well, but our offense just couldn't convert in the red zone early," Howard senior Mary Jenkins said.

In the second half, however, both teams offense's exploded into action. Howard got on the board first in a three-play drive, led by the legs and the arms of Bishop at quarterback.

Although they had not established much offense until this point, the Wild Women responded in convincing fashion, led by senior wide out Sarah Smith. Smith showed excellent running ability after the catch, moving Walsh into Howard territory. The play of the drive, however, was junior wide receiver Amy Schnazer's grab on a deep bomb by Langnecker. Schnazer jumped over Howard sophomore safety Caroline Walsh to make the catch and held on to the ball as the Howard defense tried to force the fumble. Langnecker then took the ball in for the score. The Wild Women converted the extra point to go

On the ensuing possession, the Howard offense drove down the field through a series of short passes and quarterback runs. Howard then resorted to some trickery, hitting Jenkins on the tackle screen. After a short completion, Bishop scored on a quarterback scramble to go up

"In the second half, Walsh started to pick it up, and we responded," Jenkins said. "Our offense started clicking. It was intense and exciting."

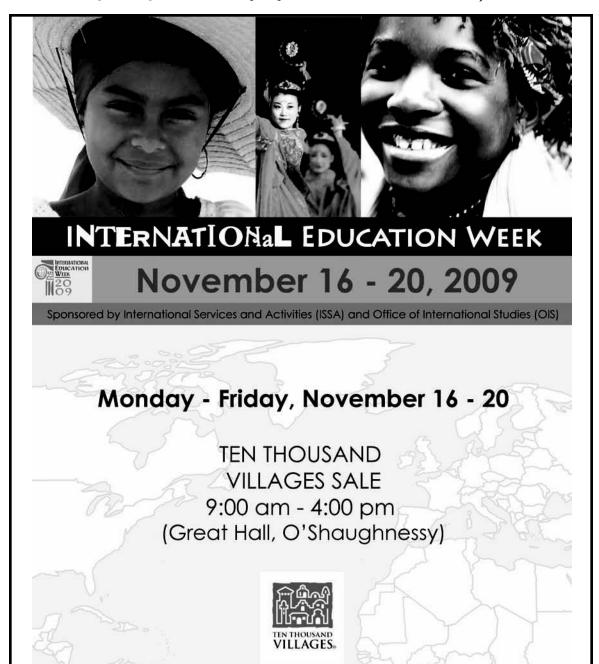
Walsh's chance to win evaporated with Bishop's interception and the Duck's were able to close out the game on a knee.

"We came out and played hard those last two drives," Smith said. "Unfortunately, it didn't work in our favor. Howard is a great team and we wish them the best of luck in the Stadium.'

With the victory, Howard will take on Pasquerilla West in a clash of unbeatens for the championship.

"We are just happy and excited to go to the stadium with the two best teams in both leagues facing each other," Jenkins said.

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[Big East] tournament and we're looking forward to the NCAA tournament, and we have to just take it one match at a time."

Notre Dame is only the second team in conference history to finish the regular season undefeated since the league expanded the schedule from 12 to 14 games. Brown acknowledges that her players' work ethic and determination have led to their success.

"The consistency that it takes to be able to do that throughout the season is pretty tremendous, so I'm just really proud of the team and the effort they put forth each time we took the court," Brown said. "We really brought out the best in the other teams. They really get up to play us, and the composure we had at times and the way we followed through was really good to see."

Heading into the season, many Irish fans expected the talented cast of seniors to pave the way toward a conference title. And while the senior class has led the squad through both performance and leadership, the exceptional play of the underclassmen has many fans turning their heads.

average. Junior middle blocker Kellie Sciacca

led the team at the net, racking

up 20 of her 83 total blocks

unassisted. And sophomore

libero Frenchy Silva rounded

out the defense with 268 digs

not find itself sitting atop the

Big East and in excellent posi-

tion for the NCAA Tournament

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Brown said the team would

265, good for a

3.27 kills per set

for a 3.44 average.

of the younger players.

Backing up her outstanding rookie campaign, sophomore outside hitter Kristen Dealy finished second on the team in total kills with "We have good backups at each of the positions, so it's been a total team effort."

Debbie Brown Irish coach

making each other better," Brown said. "Certainly the younger players that have had pretty important roles have stepped up and done a great

job. We have good backups at each of the positions, so it's been a total team effort."

Although the numbers point to the contrary, Brown is convinced her team needs to improve if the Irish hope to

secure tournament titles.

"We do know that there are still areas that we can get better, and going into the Big East Championship, the one thing that works in our favor is that we've played each of these teams one time now," Brown said. "We can go back and really study what we did last time, and make some adjustments. That part of it is really challenging and fun, and we're looking forward to it."

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drew 12 fouls in the first half, and went to the free throw line 13 times.

Early in the second half,

"I knew I could

post up and get

to the line."

Luke Harangody

Irish senior forward

"Tim Abromaitis gives

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out there, and

another guy that can

make some shots, get

after it offensively

and get some big

rebounds."

Ben Hansbrough

Irish senior guard

Notre Dame continued trying to pad its lead but the Red Flash responded to every Irish run. After another Harangody three made it 60-45, Saint Francis went on a small run

of its own, using two shots from distance from guard Umar Shannon to pull within

The see-saw game contin-

ued for the majority of the second half, with the Irish never establishing a lead greater than 15 points, but never allowing the Red Flash closer than five.

Junior forward Tyrone Nash was limited by foul trouble in the first

half, but had a strong return, scoring nine points in the second period.

Notre Dame finally pulled away with less than five minutes to play, building a lead up to 20 points at 85-65 on threes by Hansbrough and senior Tory Jackson and a layup by senior guard Jonathan Peoples.

Jackson finished with nine points, nine assists and seven rebounds, and junior Tim Abromaitis had another strong showing off the bench,

scoring 17 points and gathering five rebounds.

" T i m Abromaitis gives us another big guy out there, and another guy that can make some shots, get after it offen-

sively and get some big rebounds," Hansbrough said. "He's really helped us out coming off the bench, he played unbelievable."

Shannon led
Saint Francis
with 18 points
on 7-of-11
shooting, and
the Red
Flashes shot 68
percent from
3-point range
to keep the
Irish from
pulling away
until late.

The Irish will face their first real test of the year against

Long Beach State at home on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. The 49ers went 15-15 last season but were picked to finish first

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ference championship game should not temper the team's momentum going into the tournament.

"I think with three ties in a row we're looking forward to getting a straight win," he said. "As they say, shootout wins or losses get pretty old pretty quickly."

Notre Dame is one of five Big East teams to make the field of 48, with Connecticut, Louisville, South Florida and No. 13-seed St. John's all making the cut.

The University of Akron scored the top seed in the tournament after a perfect 20-0-0 season. The Irish may face the Zips in the quarterfinals if

both teams make it through the first three rounds.

However, Clark said the team does not want to look past Green Bay.

"I've heard reports on Green Bay and they're a very, very good team," he said. "This will be a challenge. The first round is always very difficult."

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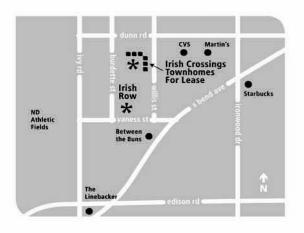
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Happy Birthday: You'll have plenty to deal with that will require hands-on applications. Don't leave any room for error. You have a lot to gain from the changes you face this year. Don't give false hope or be taken in by it when it comes to love, romance or dealing with friends or youngsters. Your numbers are 6,13,19,23,25,28,40

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Don't point the finger or nag when an empathetic point of view will bring better results. The more understanding you are, the more knowledge you will receive for making a sound judgment. ★★★

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Make the effort to deal with people in person. You will get a much better response and more accomplished if you can offer your ideas and plans directly. Your preparation will lead to success. ★★★★

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Don't do something stupid because you are all wrapped up in a personal matter. Separate your business and personal needs or mistakes will be made. Confusion is apparent and will require help from someone who knows and understands your situation. $\star\star$

CANCER (June 21-July 22): If you are the least bit indecisive, someone will try to talk you into doing something you don't want to do. A little aggression on your part will set the record straight. Good things are heading your way, so stay in control. ★★★

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You'll have trouble controlling your emotions, especially when dealing with personal matters, relationships and where money and love intertwine. There will be a fine line between buying and winning friendship. $\star\star\star$

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Not everything will be made available to you. You have to refrain from jumping into a situation too quickly or without proper information.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Asking for help may be daunting but, in doing so, you will connect with someone who can contribute something in return. Greater opportunities with someone who can contribute something in return. be made available if you are willing to give back and share your expertise. ★★★

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Don't find out things the hard way. Dig deep and you'll discover who is working with you and who isn't. Don't divulge your secrets or they will be used against you by someone you least expect. ★★

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): If you let an emotional matter distract you, you will lose sight of important matters. If someone wants to make changes, don't fight him or her but, if it isn't something you want to take part in, take a pass. ★★★★

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Look at all the different angles involving a financial or legal matter that you are facing. Someone will give you information that may cause you to make a costly mistake. Don't feel you have to act fast, even if someone is pressuring you.

AOUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your future will be influenced by the choices that are made by those close to you. Speak up and let your feelings be known. Love is in the picture and a relationship you are in will open up some new options that could help your cur-

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): If you are oblivious to what everyone around you is thinking and doing, you will not have a say in what's going on. You must understand the implications so you can protect your interests and perhaps even submit an offer that will benefit you. $\star \star \star$

Birthday Baby: You strive for perfection. You handle whatever comes your way with piz zazz and common sense. You are forceful and determined.

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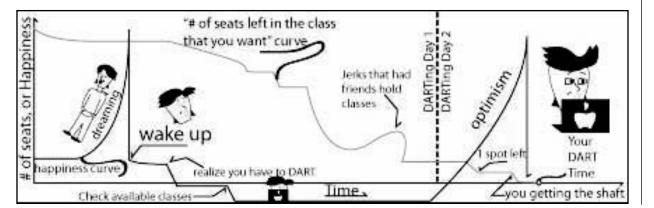
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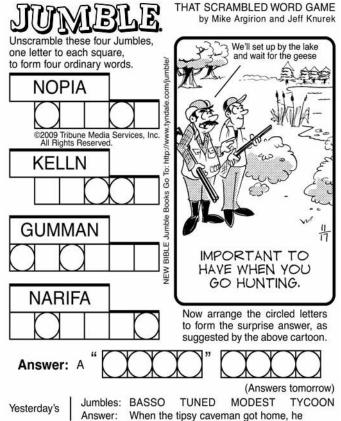
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MEN'S BASKETBALL

Notre Dame finishes off overmatched Red Flash squad

By MICHAEL BRYAN Associate Sports Editor

The Irish won their second game in less than 48 hours Tuesday, defeating Saint Francis 95-72 in a physical and hard-fought game by the Red

Saint Francis was called for 24 fouls and sent Notre Dame (2-0) to the free-throw line 22 times but played the Irish close most of the game. While the Red Flash never led past the opening minutes, they kept the home team from putting the game out of reach until the closing minutes of the second

"You have to give them credit, they made some tough shots,' Irish senior forward Luke Harangody said. "They were good practice for a good Long Beach State team coming in here Thursday."

Harangody led the team with 27 points and nine rebounds and showed off his shooting range with three 3-point buckets. Senior guard Ben Hansbrough knocked down four threes and was second on the Irish with 18 points.

After a back-and-forth opening five minutes, the Irish and Red Flash were knotted up at seven apiece. Notre Dame then went on a 12-0 run, fueled by two Harangody threes and one

by Hansbrough.

Saint Francis showed some resiliency after the run, cutting the Irish lead down to five at 33-28. The Red Flash then got into foul trouble, with Harangody's aggressiveness in the post paying off. The senior drew fouls on four straight Notre Dame possessions, and converted the penalties into six points at the free throw line.

Harangody said that in a game with so many whistles, he saw the opportunity to draw some fouls underneath.

"Definitely when they were in the bonus in the first half, I started calling for it down low, Harangody said. "I knew I could post up and get to the line."

Red Flash guard Anthony Ervin made two 3-pointers to close out the first half and keep the Red Flash within seven points, trailing 45-38. The Irish

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INTERHALL FOOTBALL

Stadium bound

Siegfried, St. Edward's set for title showdown

By JOHN HELMS and KAITLYN MURPHY

Sports Writers

No. 7 Siegfried beat its rival, No. 3 Knott, 14-7 to keep its back-to-back title hopes alive. The victory Sunday gave the Ramblers a chance to defend their 2008 title in the Stadium next weekend.

The two teams tied earlier in the season and were both considered title contenders throughout the year. The Mod Quad rivalry reached a new level with a Stadium berth on the line.

"It means a lot to beat a team like Knott," Siegfried senior captain Dex Cure said. "Knott is a great team, and we were happy to come away with a win. The fact that the win gets us into the Stadium means even more."

Knott did not let Siegfried win the contest easily, putting points on the board early in

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St. Edward's junior quarterback Matt Abeling throws a pass during his team's win Sunday.



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Howard junior Kaitlin Robinson runs after a catch during the Ducks' victory Sunday.

P-Dub. Howard make championship game

By ALLAN JOSEPH and BARRICK BOLLMAN

Sports Writers

Unbeaten Pasquerilla West topped Pangborn in overtime Sunday, 14-13, to earn a berth in the Stadium.

The two teams went into the overtime tied 7-7. A successful extra point conversion by the Purple Weasels won them the game after both teams scored touchdowns in the extra period. Junior quarterback Simone Bigi evaded the Phoxes rush and scrambled into the end zone for the winning point.

"[The win] was awesome, though we definitely had to grind it out," senior captain Cynthia Curley said.

The Phoxes came out on offense first to begin the game and drove the ball well until a sack and penalty forced a punt to Pasquerilla West, whose drive stalled after a seemingly serious injury to a Purple Weasel receiv-

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ND VOLLEYBALL

Much still ahead for Irish | ND will host Green

By CHRIS MASOUD Sports Writer

With wins over Georgetown and South Florida this weekend, the Irish accomplished two of their primary goals this season: an outright Big East regular-season title and an undefeated conference record.

But as Notre Dame heads into tournament play, its two biggest goals still loom ahead.

'It's not satisfying. Obviously we feel good about the things we've done, but we're not even close to being finished," Irish coach Debbie Brown said. "There's an urgency to still accomplish a lot more this year. We're looking forward to the



Senior outside hitter Serinity Phillips, left, and junior middle blocker Kellie Sciacca go for a block during an Oct. 31 Irish win.

Men's Soccer

Bay to open NCAAs

By LAURA MYERS Sports Writer

Notre Dame will host Green Bay Thursday in the first round of the NCAA tourna-

The teams and bracket were announced Monday, and the Irish received one of 27 at-large bids to the tournament.

"We're also very excited to be there," Irish coach Bobby Clark said. "If you'd ask me two or three weeks ago we weren't sure we'd make it. We put a very good run together. I think the team is hungry to do well."

If the Irish (10-7-4) defeat Green Bay (14-2-3), they will move on to face No. 9-seed Northwestern in Evanston on Nov. 22. The Wildcats knocked Notre Dame out of the NCAA tournament in a first-round game in 2008 and defeated the Irish 1-0 in a preseason scrimmage on Aug. 24.

The Irish have been hot in the past two weeks, defeating then-No. 5 Connecticut and tying No. 8 South Florida, No. 9 Louisville and No. 24 St. John's in each round of the Big East tournament. Clark said a shootout

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