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## Mother recalls son's fatal 21st birthday celebration

By ANNE MARIE MATTINGLY  
News Editor

American college students do not take the danger of alcohol abuse seriously enough and repeatedly put themselves at serious risk, said Cindy McCue Tuesday. McCue's son Bradley died on Nov. 5, 1998, after drinking 24 shots to celebrate his 21st birthday. After his death, she and other family members founded an organization called "Be Responsible About Drinking," also known as BRAD, which seeks to educate parents and students about the dangers of excessive drinking.

"Alcohol is a drug. It's a legal drug," she said. "It demands that you make educated, responsible choices for yourself."

Alcohol causes a series of physiological effects based on the number and types of drinks ingested. Early effects range from a loss in decision-making ability to exaggerated emotions to poor coordination each time a person abuses alcohol. If a person continues drinking, he or she may suffer from alcohol poisoning, which results in a loss of consciousness and, in some cases, death. McCue emphasized that once a person loses consciousness from alcohol poisoning, that person is in serious danger and needs help.

"Passing out and sleeping it off are not the same thing," she said. "Passing out means your body is shutting down. Sleeping it off

means you've had something to drink, you're tired and you fall asleep."

When Bradley passed out, his friends did not recognize the serious nature of his condition and did not seek medical help, explained McCue.

"They didn't understand that even though he had passed out, the alcohol still in his stomach was continuing to increase his blood alcohol," she said. After checking on him for an hour, they put him to bed. He died two hours later from alcohol poisoning.

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**Cindy McCue**  
activist

Instead of being left alone, people who appear to fall asleep after consuming large amounts of alcohol should be awakened repeatedly, said McCue. If the person cannot be awakened, one should seek emergency help immediately. Other warning signs of alcohol poisoning include cold, clammy or blue skin or a breathing rate of less

than 12 breaths per minute. A heart rate of 50 or fewer beats per minute, down from the normal range of 70 to 80, also indicates that the body is shutting down, McCue explained.

There is also a danger of asphyxiation while intoxicated because muscular reflexes responsible for vomiting are depressed by alcohol, resulting in incomplete ejection of stomach contents. This may cause liquid or food to enter the lungs.

"Lay them on their side and prop them up so that if they do vomit, the gravity can help,"

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LISA VELTE/The Observer

Cindy McCue discusses the need for increased awareness of the danger of alcohol poisoning.

### CAMPAIGN 2000

## Gore, Bush clash over social security, taxes

Associated Press

BOSTON

Al Gore and George Bush clashed over tax cuts Tuesday night in campaign debate, the Texas governor declaring that all taxpayers deserve a break in a time of budget surpluses, and the vice president saying he wanted to target middle class families for relief.

In the opening moments of their first debate of the fall campaign, Gore said Bush's plan would "spend more money on tax cuts for the wealthiest one percent than all of the new spending he proposes for education, health care, prescription drugs and national defense all combined. I think those are the wrong priorities."

But Bush, standing a few feet away on a debate stage, said Gore's economic plan would lead

to "dramatically" bigger government with 200 "new or expanded programs" and 20,000 new bureaucrats.

"It empowers Washington," added the governor, who hastened to tell a national viewing audience he was from West Texas - not the nation's capital.

Gore and Bush met for the first of three presidential debates over the next two weeks, pivot points in a close race for the presidency. Poll after poll has the two men separated by only a point or two in the battle to succeed President Clinton. Their vice presidential candidates, Democrat Joseph Lieberman and Republican Dick Cheney, debate Thursday in Kentucky.

Jim Lehrer of PBS was moderator, operating under strict rules negotiated in advance by the Gore and Bush camps. It was, he said at the outset, the first of three 90-minute debates between the two men - a format that excluded Ralph Nader and Pat Buchanan, running as

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## Malloy foresees budget crunches

By JASON McFARLEY  
Assistant News Editor

Despite the recent success of fundraising efforts, Notre Dame could end up in a financial bind one to two years from now, University President Edward Malloy told faculty members Tuesday.

That announcement, part of his 45-minute annual address to the faculty, was news Malloy called both "inspiring" and "sobering."

"There's inspiring news about resources, but there's also sobering news about budgeting problems," Malloy said to a nearly-full DeBartolo Hall auditorium.

What's promising is that current figures indicate increased support of fundraisers and rapid growth of University assets. Perhaps, the most notable of the University's financial achievements is the Generations campaign, which recently surpassed the \$1 billion mark.

"What a sign of confidence in this place. There's not a single Catholic institution that has received this kind of generosity," Malloy said of the three-and-a-half-year effort that wraps up in December.

In addition, Malloy said Notre Dame's endowment performance last year placed it among the nation's best. The endowment currently stands at \$3.1 billion, up from \$606 million in 1990.

The University's internal scholarship fund presently tops \$850 million and some 3,000 undergraduate students received \$34 million in scholarships this year. Annual tuition increases are frozen at a level of five percent, as mandated by the Board of Trustees.

But the difficulties that possibly loom ahead complicate the financial picture and may place the University in a crunch in coming years.

Most of the concern to the faculty audience concentrated on salary and benefits problems that could spring up as early as next year. Malloy said tight budgeting will mandate a 15 percent increase in health care costs next fall. He also said that paying competitive salaries could present difficulties in the near future.

"It may be hard keeping up with wages and salaries paid at other universities," Malloy said. Faculty and staff salaries and benefits currently account for roughly half of the

University's operating budget.

Officials are also paying close attention to the overall operating budget. The budget more than doubled from \$234 billion in 1990 to \$535 billion this year.

Presently, the University is in the process of hiring 150 new faculty members, a goal made possible by funding from the Generations campaign - a move that adds to concerns about for office and laboratory space.

Malloy expects building initiatives to increase stress on the operating budget. He said that spending for facilities operations would increase by about \$800,000 once the Coleman-Morse and philosophy-theology buildings are running next fall, and by \$3.5 million when the Marie P. DeBartolo Performing Arts Center opens.

### Other topics addressed:

♦ Malloy said there is an "intense demand" for sophisticated information technologies on Notre Dame's campus. He called the current resources and facilities "inadequate" and said that he's looking into the matter with representatives in

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INSIDE COLUMN

Smoking.

The word alone irritates me — but not nearly as much as it irritates me to see people partaking in such a nasty habit. My life has been greatly affected by smokers who died of smoking-related illnesses and also people who died of smoking-related diseases who were not smokers. My parents both know how opposed to smoking I am, and yet, the power of addiction still compelled them to smoke. Even my father, in spite of daily harassing from me, still continued to smoke at least a pack a day. Until one year ago.

Kelly Hager

Copy Editor

He began smoking at an early age with the doctors believing it had little to no affect on his current health. And then one day, it happened. He went in for minor outpatient surgery and didn't recover from the anesthesia. His elective surgery became complicated and was no longer a matter of being routine — it was life threatening. My father was in acute respiratory distress and on life support.

I was flown home from college and was met at the hospital by my tearful 16-year-old brother. Together, we made our way to the hospital, and I found out all the details that had remained untold to me during the previous week. The story unfolded in the car, and ended with the synopsis through the doors of the ICU. This briefing was my preparation for what laid ahead.

However, nothing prepared me for the sight of my father. Nothing could have. Less than one month before, I had seen him laughing and smiling; only two weeks before I had talked to him on the phone and told him about my poor study habits. Now, there he was, attached to tubes and dependent on a respirator. I watched the monitors closely as I held his hands and brushed his forehead. How could this be, I thought to myself. Why? Why my dad? He had never done anything to deserve this. As healthy as he appeared, my father was being immobilized by a habit. A habit that had grown out of control. A habit that almost took his life.

Many months later, my father has recovered but continues to struggle. I am so proud of his ability to continue on with life, and more so, his ability to discontinue smoking.

I always thought a life-changing event like this would make people realize how beautiful life was and make them realize how disgusting smoking really is. But even after all this, my mother continues to smoke. And, although she claims she doesn't really inhale, watching her "not inhale" irritates me even more.

At a young age, people are shown the deadly effect tobacco has on their bodies, but they still find the need to experiment. Harsh reality: kids are trying it at younger ages. On top of that, the legal buying age seems to have no relevance to consumers anymore. Today alone, I witnessed a freshman giving an upperclassman friend money to purchase cigarettes for her. Later on that evening, I watched another freshman beg a cigarette off someone else and attempt to smoke for the first time.

To those who are thinking of trying it — don't. Think about the gross taste of kissing a smoker, think about the nasty smell that lingers on the skin of smokers. Think of how smoking affects people's teeth and gums. Now think about what your lungs will look like.

To those that find themselves smoking more and more consider how much money could be accumulated without the need to spend \$3 on a pack of cigarettes. Trust me, it adds up.

And if you are addicted, please get help soon. Please. Think of how your life may be affected; think of how your life choices may affect your family.

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OUTSIDE THE DOME

Campus school uses race as admission factor

LOS ANGELES

The U.S. Supreme Court let stand a lower court's ruling Monday that Corinne Seeds University Elementary School, located on the UCLA campus, can continue using race as a factor in admission.

The lower court ruled in *Hunter v. Regents of University of California* that because the school has a justifiable reason for considering race, it does not violate the rights of students not admitted.

UCLA's Graduate School of Education & Information Science uses the elementary school to study racial groups' learning skills and recommend new teaching methods.

As a "laboratory school," school officials consider applicants' ethnicity, sex, family income and dominant

language to create an environment that can be studied for its diversity.

The lawsuit was filed by James Hunter after his 4-year-old daughter Keely Tatsuyo was not admitted to the school in 1995.

Deborah Stipek, director of the school was pleased with the court's decision.

"The ruling frees the school to continue to function as a laboratory, as it was intended to function," Stipek said. "The ruling gives our group control over scientific research."

The appeal argued against the affirmative action-style police by saying, "Once the downhill slide has started, there is no delineated stopping point until the slide bottoms out in race-based preferences in all sectors of society."

But Stipek said the "narrow tailored ruling," would have "no broad implications."

University of California lawyers could not be immediately reached for comment.

UCLA

CARNEGIE MELLON

Alumni club grants affinity cards

PITTSBURGH

Students aren't the only ones receiving freebies from credit card companies for signing up for a card. Carnegie Mellon University's Alumni Association established an affinity card program with Maryland Bank of North America in 1993, whereby MBNA was able to market a card with a CMU identity to the school's 55,000 alumni and 8,000 students. In return, Carnegie Mellon's Alumni Association receives royalties on purchases made by affinity cardholders. In July 1999, CMU negotiated a five-year contract extension with MBNA to continue the affinity card program. The Alumni Association accepted an advance on royalties in addition to the future considerations. However, terms of such advance were undisclosed. "Credit card companies don't want colleges comparing their advances, so they keep that information confidential," said Jennifer Neubauer, director of Alumni Relations. Carnegie Mellon is not alone in connecting with the credit card industry.

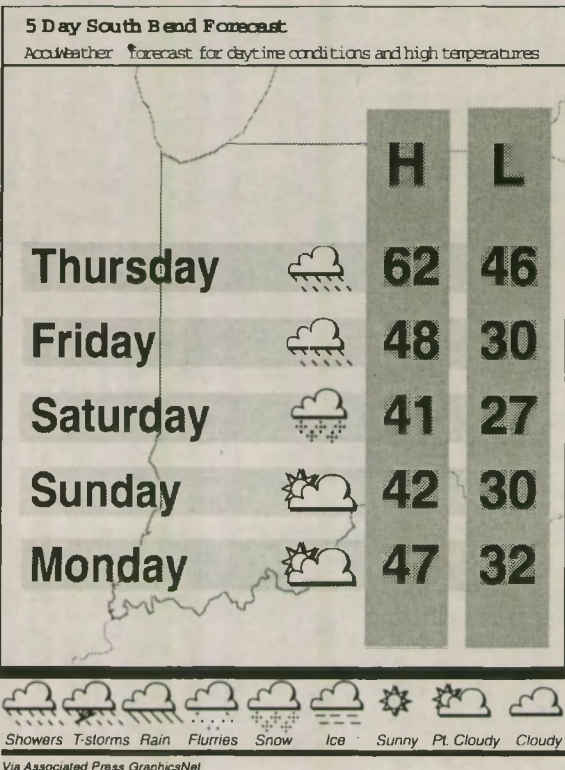
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FDA forum discusses illegal drugs

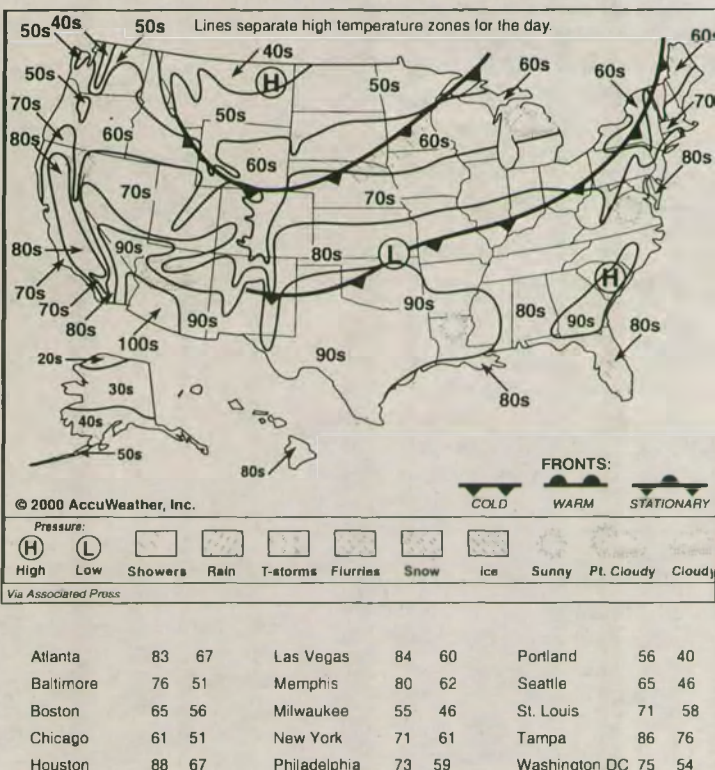
PHILADELPHIA

Got Viagra? If not, you may be surprised to find that you can purchase it on the Internet with the completion of a simple electronic questionnaire. Food and Drug Administration Commissioner Jane Henney addressed the online accessibility of prescription drugs and other public health issues in her lecture entitled "e-Regulation and Public Health: FDA in the Information Age" at the University of Pennsylvania on Friday. The seminar, held in the Clinical Research Building, was the first in a year-long Health Policy Seminar series, "From e-Commerce to e-Healthcare" sponsored by the Leonard Davis Institute of Health Economics. On its Web site, the FDA estimates that there may be as many as 1,000 sites that sell prescription drugs. Many of these sites are legitimate pharmacies licensed at the state level, but others offer prescriptions for FDA-approved drugs without a face-to-face physician consultation. Drugs not approved in the United States — or anywhere, for that matter — are also available.

LOCAL WEATHER



NATIONAL WEATHER





## Faculty, students unite for research projects

By BECKY REGALADO  
News Writer

Saint Mary's College held the Student Independent Study and Research (SISTAR) in conjunction with Saint Mary's Pride Week to incorporate academic pride into the week. The program provides student and faculty members with the opportunity to work with one another on research projects during the summer.

"Not only did it give me the opportunity to work on a project of my own desire and my own design, but it allowed me to work closely with a faculty member whose project benefited and aided my own," said Nora Byrne, who worked with philosophy professor Patti Sayre.

At the heart of the SISTAR program is the interaction between student and the faculty members.

"We share a lot of stories, we have some history together now," said mathematics professor Joanne Snow of her collaboration with Angela Finke. "I got to relive some old joys

by watching her discover things that I thought were really neat."

"It's a wonderful opportunity to not only get to know a student, but to see a first rate mind at work," said music professor Clayton Henderson, who worked with Rebecca Klest.

Amy Dooms worked with Christopher Dunlap chemistry department worked on variables affecting the phosphate levels in soils, and both student and teacher found positive results outside the lab table.

"To be able to talk to someone who was interested in the same things in science was a wonderful experience for the summer," Dunlap said.

"The best part was that the SISTAR grant gave me a lot of confidence as a chemist," Dooms said.

Many of the participants in the SISTAR program echo the same sentiment, that the program is fun and enriching for all of those who are involved.

"If you have a passion for any topic, grab a faculty member," Snow said.

## Founder's Day to feature rides

By LAURA ROMPF  
Assistant News Editor

Walking through the quad in front of Rolfs Recreation Center Thursday night, people might fear they have been transported to a county fair miles away. However the carnival rides, including the Gravitron, the Rock'n'Roll and the Sizzler, are all part of the Founder's Day festivities sponsored by the Student Union.

"Founder's Day is the celebration of all that Notre Dame is for us and all those who have gone before us," said vice president Brooke Norton. "It recognizes Saint Edward's Day, and what better way can we show our appreciation for Notre Dame than for us to honor those who founded our University," she said.

The festival will be from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. and will include 17 game booths, two of which are moonwalks, and a carnival-themed dining hall picnic. There will also be a concession trailer, serving hot dogs and popcorn.

Founder's Day used to be a week-long celebration hosted by St. Edward's Hall, said Andrew Nerlinger, the

Founder's Day commissioner for St. Edward's.

"Founder's Day was a campus-wide and well-recognized holiday with many festivities.

St. Ed's always hosted a campus-wide charity carnival along with many other dorm events during Founder's Week," he said. "However, in recent memory Founder's week has fallen out of campus-wide knowledge and has become simply a small event where St. Ed's residents would dress up in honor of their namesake."

Norton said large donors for the festival include the Class of 2003, the Class of 2002, Class of 2001, Student Government, Student Activities Office, St. Edward's Hall, Coca-Cola and Food Services. She also said that over 30 clubs, including NAACP, NASAND, College Democrats, Student Alumni Relations Group, Rodeo Club, Troop ND, The Bagpipers, Habitat for Humanity and the Rodeo Club, have also helped

sponsor the event.

"With so many groups involved, I think that the night will be a lot of fun and a time to remember," she said.

*"I never thought it would be possible to actually get full scale thrill rides to [Notre Dame]."*

Brooke Norton  
student body vice-president

If the festival is well attended and goes smoothly, the Student Union hopes to make an annual event, Nerlinger and Norton said.

"In the future, we would like to expand the event to be a full weekend event, perhaps including a dance," Norton said. "St. Ed's hopes to move this in subsequent years to be our own signature campus-wide event," Nerlinger said.

Norton said she is excited about the rides and hopes students will come out and support the festival.

"I am excited for the rides. I never thought it would be possible to actually get full scale thrill rides to [Notre Dame]," she said. "Come out because of the rides. The games will be awesome. It is a landmark event for Notre Dame, and it's the place to be."

## \$5M grant to explore Latino life in Chicago

By LINDSAY FRANK  
News Writer

The Institute for Latino Studies will use a \$5 million grant from MacNeal Health Foundation to fund a five-year research initiative that will study and aid Latino communities in the Chicago area.

"We're interested in research in the area through a series of studies, needs assessments, surveys of families, and case studies. We might also study sub-populations like youth," said Gilberto Cardenas, director of the program. "We plan to work with community lead-

ers to determine how they define their community and the obstacles they face.

The aim of the study entitled "The Berwyn-Cicero Hispanic Community Initiative in Education, Health, and Family" is to profile communities in the poorer areas of Chicago, principally the Berwyn-Cicero, Little Village, and Pilsen neighborhoods.

These obstacles include those to education, employment, and medical care.

"We want to provide groups with information so they will be better informed about the communities' needs," he said.

Due to the Institute's focus on the Latino experience in the US, Cardenas said Chicago was the best site in the area for such a study.

"Chicago has the single largest concentration of Latinos in the Midwest. It behooves us to do a study in Chicago," he said.

Currently those involved in the project work within the Institute but there are plans to include people outside as well.

"We want to approach other units on campus and to conduct internships for undergrads and work for graduate students. We also plan to have partners in Chicago," Cardenas said.

Recruiting for student internships will begin later this fall with opportunities for summer positions.

Although still in the initial design phases for the needs assessment, Cardenas plans to have numerous reports and briefings on their web site as well as books authored by faculty members which will help in developing a protocol.

"Hopefully our project will persuade other centers to do similar studies," he said.


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## Shots

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said McCue. Still, she cautioned against the popular notion that if a someone has had to much to drink, a friend should cause that person to throw up by reaching down the person's throat.

"If the gag reflex isn't working on its own, you don't want to increase their chance of choking," she explained.

The effects of drinking are not limited solely to physiological consequences, and alcohol abuse can result in serious harm even if a person does not consume enough to cause alcohol poisoning.

People under the influence of alcohol are at greater risk for serious injury, said McCue, who noted that one third of all fatal accidents involve alcohol use.

In addition, instances of sexual assault occur much more frequently when one or both people involved have been drinking, said McCue.

Seventy-seven percent of all reported campus rapes involve alcohol, and one in 12 college males admit that they have participated in activity that fits the definition of rape after drinking.

"Alcohol is the date rape drug," she said, noting that drinking is involved in many more unwanted sexual encounters than GHB or rohypnol. In addition, the use of other drugs, even over-the-counter medications, will increase the impact of each

drink.

McCue explained that key differences in the physiology of men and women, such as women's smaller body size, greater amount of body fat, higher estrogen levels and lower levels of the molecules that break down alcohol means that women ultimately are more affected than men who have consumed similar amounts of alcohol. This is one major factor in the reported sexual assaults.

"A woman's going to get drunk faster and sober up slower," she McCue.

Legal consequences also exist for those who choose to drink underage, she explained.

"All 50 states make their own

laws. ... One thing they have in common is that you must be 21 to purchase, to possess, or to consume alcohol," she said. McCue said she supports the drinking age because she does not consider people younger than 21 to have the necessary mental, emotional or physical capacities to responsibly handle all situations involving drinking.

But despite the law, 80 percent of young people have experimented with alcohol before reaching college, and 50 percent had consumed alcoholic beverages within 30 days of being surveyed.

One third said they engaged in binge drinking, which is defined as five or more drinks in one sitting for men and four or more for women.

Those four or five drinks can be 12 ounces of beer, five ounces of wine or a one to 1.5 ounce shot, depending on the

alcohol content of the liquor.

Each drink adds 0.02 to 0.025 grams of alcohol per 100 milliliters of blood. A blood alcohol level of 0.1 is considered legally intoxicated in most states, and a person is at risk for death with a blood alcohol level of 0.35 or greater. Bradley's blood alcohol at the time of his death was 0.44.

"They are drinking without understanding what it does to them," said McCue of the younger drinkers.

One other common misconception is that one can only get alcohol poisoning from drinking hard liquor.

Cases of the disease caused by other, less potent alcoholic beverages are less common because the alcohol cannot be consumed as quickly, but they are still possible, explained McCue.

"You can get alcohol poisoning from beer or wine. It just takes a larger quantity," she said, noting that with larger quantities the body is more likely to expel the beverage sooner.

McCue also noted that until recently, educational institutions have failed to recognize that alcohol abuse is a major problem among college students.

"Many universities are realizing they need to be more realistic about education ... instead of just saying, 'It doesn't happen here,'" she said. "Being a school full of good students doesn't mean you don't have problems."

She concluded by challenging the audience to make responsible choices.

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can cause change," she said, quoting American anthropologist Margaret Mead. "Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has."

## Eldred discusses faith in women's education

By KATE DOOLEY  
News Writer

As part of the annual "Women and Religion" luncheon, Marilou Eldred, president of Saint Mary's College, spoke on the benefits of a women's education based in faith.

The lecture, "Understanding Our Daughters: Faith and Learning" explained that this sort of education prepares women for achievement not only the workforce but in society as well.

"A woman should give as much as she receives," Eldred said of a woman after college.

She stated that a faith-based education is advantageous in three basic ways. The first is having the ability to interpret, analyze and make sense of problems utilizing your spirituality.

She quoted Mother Theresa, "God doesn't require us to succeed, but only to try."

The spirituality from a faith-based education will give students the ability to what Eldred called "adult problems" faced during the college years.

Spirituality leads to the second advantage, Eldred said. This advantage is the ability to explore and deepen that faith in an encouraging environment.

"[Exploring your spirituality] provides more preparation for life than any career could," Eldred said.

The last advantage, which she focused on the most, was that at a faith-based institution, one learns the importance of service.

"Education alone does not

give you success or a career," Dr. Eldred said. "We need to get out into the world and help our community, not just to analyze them as an object, but as a fellow citizen, to meet them and learn from them."

In order to fully understand the world, students need to participate in it firsthand. Saint Mary's and institutions like it give students many opportunities to do service in the surrounding communities, at places like Saint Margaret's House and homeless shelters, she said.

"Service gives us many new experiences in which to test our beliefs and faith opinions," Eldred said, adding that utilizing the advantages of a faith-based institution gives students "grounding for life after graduation."

A well-rounded experience is necessary for success, not just academics, Eldred explained.

In reference to this, Eldred quoted Walter Cursey, "You can get all A's and still flunk life."

"You must practice balance, besides school you should pray, meditate...you must work and play," said Dr. Eldred.

Overall, Eldred emphasized the importance of role-models and mentors in college.

"Look for mentors everywhere for spiritual, intellectual, and emotional guidance."

Regardless of the type of education, Eldred stressed the importance of such an education. A college education is not something to be taken for granted, she said.

"Higher-earning education is a gift and a privilege."

## Malloy

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the Office of Information Technologies.

"Right now we're searching for new senior leadership," Malloy said.

◆ Responding to the University's No. 19 rank this year in U.S. News & World Report, Malloy said, "It puts us in good company. Instead of looking at who's ahead of us, look at who's behind us."

◆ Malloy called it a "tough last year" in the athletic department. However, he commended new athletic director Kevin White and his staff for their experience.

"We now have an athletic administration that reflects the campus like never before, on racial and gender grounds," he said.

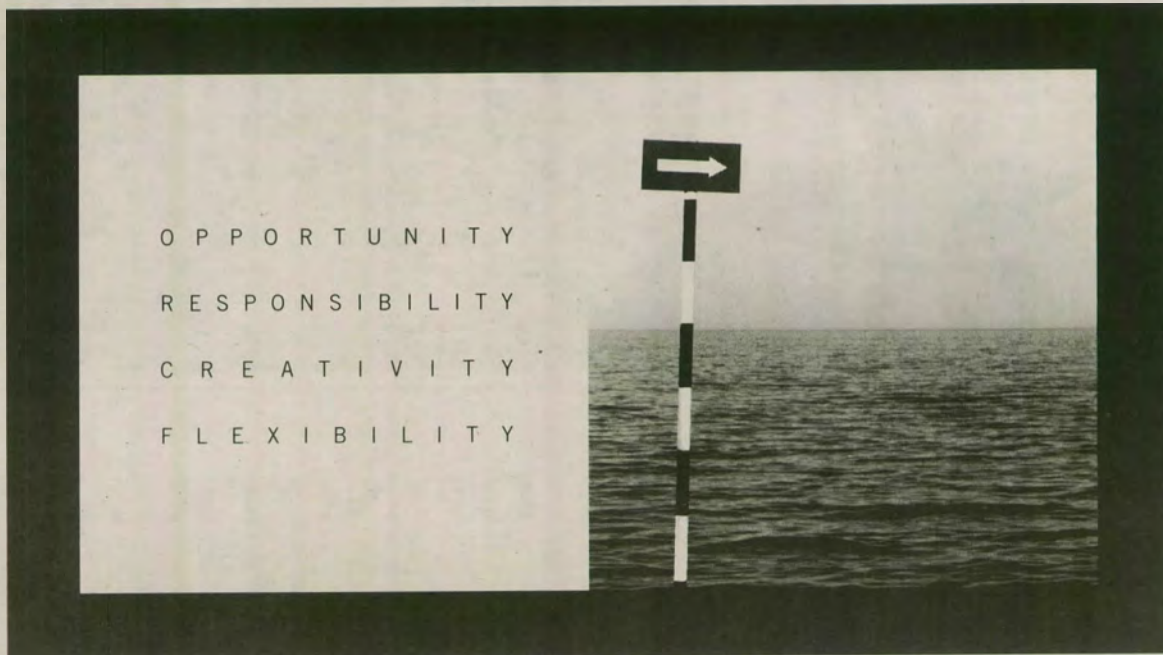
The University president also announced the athletic budget would be integrated into the overall budget. In addition, three compliance officers are in

place to oversee the athletic department's adherence to National Collegiate Athletic Association standards.

◆ Malloy said that a recent survey ranked collections in the Hesburgh Library No. 53 among all national universities and No. 17 among private institutions. He said the University continues to search for endowed collections and to respond to space needs in the facility.

◆ The University will continue to be a strong force in the local community and on the national scene, according to Malloy. He told faculty members that the University is currently supporting activities at the Community Learning Center and the Northeast Neighborhood Center, both in South Bend.

"We're also working hard on lobbying in Congress in Washington. We're expecting some excellent rewards," said Malloy, who added that the University is may establish a center for its political activity in the nation's capital.



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## WORLD NEWS BRIEFS

### Father asks to avenge boy's death:

The father of a 12-year-old boy whose on-camera death in an Israeli-Palestinian gun battle shocked the world said Tuesday he begged the Israelis to stop firing, and he urged the international community to avenge his son's death. Jamal Aldura, 37, said he and his son, Mohammed Jamal Aldura, were returning home Saturday when they were caught in the battle. "They started shooting at the taxi we were in and we got out to seek better shelter," he told The Associated Press.

### Dominica welcomes new leader:

Former schoolteacher Pierre Charles was sworn in as prime minister of the small Caribbean island of Dominica on Tuesday, replacing Roosevelt Douglas, who died of an apparent heart attack.

## NATIONAL NEWS BRIEFS

### Teacher assigns murder for work:

A high school English teacher is out of a job after assigning his students the mock task of picking an assassination victim and planning the killing without getting caught. School officials on Monday refused to say if Andrew Phillips resigned or was fired after giving the assignment to students reading Edgar Allan Poe's "The Pit and the Pendulum." "The first thing that hit me was Columbine, and what if he has a loose end in the classroom that wants to make a name for himself and the teacher is supporting this type of action? It could be (my son) that's shot or bombed or whatever," parent Joyce Jarvis said.

### Congress sets drunk driving law:

Congress agreed to a tough national standard for drunken driving with penalties for states that don't abide. President Clinton called it a "common sense nationwide limit" that will save an estimated 500 lives a year.

## INDIANA NEWS BRIEFS

### Camm faces murder charges:

A former state trooper accused of killing his wife and two children told a priest Monday night that he did not commit the murders. David Ray Camm was allowed to leave his jail cell briefly so he could view the bodies of his wife, Kimberly, 36, and the couple's two children, 5-year-old Jill and 7-year-old Bradley. The three were found dead in the family's garage Thursday. Police said it appeared the young girl had been molested recently. A funeral for the victims was scheduled Tuesday at Graceland Baptist Church in New Albany.

## CANADA



Royal Canadian police carry the flag-draped coffin of former Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau as they leave the Notre Dame Basilica in Montreal during Trudeau's funeral Tuesday. Trudeau died at age 80.

# Thousands weep for Trudeau

Associated Press

## MONTREAL

Thousands of Canadians wept and applauded at former Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau's funeral Tuesday as his son remembered his father's love of country, told the nation to carry on his work — and then buried his tearstained face in the flag draping his father's coffin.

"The woods are lovely, dark and deep. He has kept his promises, and earned his sleep," Justin Trudeau said, near tears as he paraphrased the American poet Robert Frost to close his eulogy.

"Je t'aime (I love you) Papa."

Inside and outside Montreal's ornate Notre-Dame Basilica, dignitaries including Jimmy Carter and Fidel Castro and thousands of ordinary Canadians gathered to pay their respects to Trudeau, the dashing former prime minister who boosted a nation's pride with his charisma, his willingness to buck the United States and his dedication to Canadian unity. Five days of nationwide mourning culminated at the two-hour state funeral here. Solemn prayers mixed easily with tears and applause

from the 2,700 mourners inside during the service, conducted in French and English.

Justin, Trudeau's eldest son and a Vancouver teacher, delivered the final eulogy in a voice eerily like his father's and cracking with emotion. He spoke movingly of his father's abiding love of his country and family and of his admonition never to speak harsh words about any individual.

"This simple tolerance and (recognition of) the real and profound dimensions of each human being, regardless of beliefs, origins, or values — that's

what he expected of his children and that's what he expected of our country," Justin said.

Trudeau, who died last Thursday of prostate cancer at the age of 80, served as prime minister from 1968 to 1984 with a short interruption. Justin Trudeau challenged Canadians to keep his father's dream of a united, tolerant, bilingual and multicultural nation alive, saying: "It's all up to us, all of us now."

After speaking, he walked to his father's coffin, kissed the Canadian flag draping it and buried his face in it as he sobbed.

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MICROSOFT CORP (MSFT)	-4.34	-2.56	56.56

# Test-tube baby may save sibling

Associated Press

## MINNEAPOLIS

In the first known case of its kind, a Colorado couple created a test-tube baby who was genetically screened and selected in the hope he could save the life of his 6-year-old sister.

The sister, Molly Nash, has a rare genetic disease, Fanconi anemia, that prevents her body from making bone marrow. But last week, doctors gave her an infusion of umbilical-cord blood from her newborn little brother, Adam, to try to correct the disease.

Doctors should know in a couple of weeks whether the infusion is helping Molly develop healthy marrow cells.

Screening laboratory-created embryos for genetic diseases before implanting them in a woman is not new. But this is the first known instance in which parents screened and selected an embryo in order to find a suitable tissue donor for an ailing sibling.

"People have babies for lots of reasons: to save a failing marriage, to work the family farm," said Dr. Charles Strom, director of medical

genetics at the Reproductive Genetics Institute in Chicago, where Adam was conceived. "I have absolutely no ethical problems with this whatsoever."

Molly was just beginning to show signs of leukemia, which is frequently associated with the disease, when she had the transplant, said Dr. John Wagner, her physician at the University of Minnesota. The infusion procedure between siblings has a 90 percent success rate.

"Molly's doing very well," Wagner said Tuesday, although she had a slight cold.



## Debate

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minor party candidates but locked out of the proceedings.

In addition to tax cuts, Bush and Gore clashed over prescription drugs for the elderly, an issue that ranks high in importance with voters, particularly in the key battleground states of the Midwest.

Bush blamed Washington for failing to pass legislation, and touted his own plan to have states offer benefits. "You've had your chance, Mr. Vice President," the governor said.

But Gore, who favors a prescription drug benefit available to all Medicare recipients, said that under Bush's plan only the low-income would receive immediate help. Everyone else would have to wait up to four years, he said. In addition, he added, seniors could be forced into HMOs to get a prescription drug benefit.

"I cannot let this go by, the old-style Washington politics, trying to scare you with phony numbers," Bush swiftly replied. He accused Gore of "Mediscare."

"This is a man who has great numbers," he said of the vice president. "I'm beginning to think not only did he invent the Internet, he invented the calculator."

Asked about energy policy, Gore attacked Bush for proposing oil drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Area.

Bush said such domestic oil exploration was preferable to continuing to import a million barrels of oil a day from Iraq's Saddam Hussein.

To keep the candidates cool, university officials turned the thermostat inside the Clark Athletic Center gym well below 65 degrees. That's the show-time temperature, once the lights were flipped on and seats filled, that was required under contract by the Commission on Presidential Debates.

The bipartisan group is sponsoring all four debates with the idea that they will be shown on as many TV networks as possible. Most were carrying the first one, but NBC gave its affiliates a choice between the baseball playoffs and the debate, while FOX went with its series premiere of "Dark Angel."

Veteran PBS newsman Jim

Lehrer was moderator.

A New York Times/CBS News poll underscored the depth of at least one stereotype that Bush was hoping to erase through the prime-time debate: that he is too green for the job.

In the survey, 71 percent of respondents said Gore, a former congressman and senator, had "prepared himself well enough for the job of president." Just 49 percent associated that quality with Bush, the former oil company executive and managing partner of baseball's Texas Rangers who has served nearly six years as Texas governor.

On issues, Bush held a clear advantage over Gore when respondents were asked who would lower taxes and keep the nation's military defenses strong. Gore was overwhelmingly favored on questions of making health care more affordable and being able to negotiate effectively with world leaders.

Early on debate day, Gore had stayed inside the Florida beach bungalow he used for "debate camp," while Bush indulged in a run and a nap in West Virginia. The 9 p.m. debate start was just half an hour before Bush's usual 9:30 p.m. bedtime.

"Ready to go," Bush told reporters as he made his way to Boston from a campaign stop in heavily Democratic West Virginia.

He joked about turning up in "early Regis wear," a reference to game-show host Regis Philbin's monochromatic attire.

Just kidding, Bush hastened to add. "Tonight's not the night for gimmicks. Tonight's the night to talk about hard, compassionate issues." He blew kisses to office workers watching him leave his Huntington, W.Va., hotel.

Gore, by contrast, uttered no public words as his motorcade pulled out of Florida's Longboat Key resort Tuesday morning. Supporters greeted him with a bedsheet spraypainted: "It's game day, go get 'em!"

Both Bush and Gore hoped to ride fresh momentum into key battleground states on Wednesday, with Gore headed to Ohio and Bush to Pennsylvania and Ohio.

Preparing for the next debates, Lieberman joked, "We've gone through training camp. I feel as if I'm a boxer this week. We do a little 'Rocky.' We, you know, run up and down the stairs."

## Nader denied entrance to debate

Associated Press

BOSTON

Green Party presidential candidate Ralph Nader, shunned by the presidential debate commission, scored a ticket to Tuesday night's debate but was turned away at the door.

"It's already been decided that whether or not you have a ticket you are not welcome in the debate," John Bezeris, a representative of the debate commission, told Nader. The commission had excluded all but Democratic and Republican candidates.

"I didn't expect they would be so crude and so stupid," Nader said after being turned away. "This is the kind of creeping tyranny that has turned away so many voters from the elec-

toral process."

Nader, who took the subway to the debate site, had received the ticket as a gift from Todd Tavares, a 21-year-old Northeastern University student who said he got it from a roommate.

When he arrived at the site of the debate at the University of Massachusetts-Boston, Bezeris, surrounded by several police officers, told Nader he could not enter because he was not an invited guest.

Nader was among a trio of third-party candidates who did their best Tuesday to keep the Republican and Democratic nominees from stealing the show.

Hours before the debate, a judge threw out a court challenge filed earlier in the day by

Massachusetts Libertarians to try to force organizers to include their candidate, Harry Browne.

"The plaintiffs have slept on their rights by waiting until the last minute to seek relief," Suffolk Superior Court Judge Gordon Doerfer ruled. He said intervening in the debates would deprive the public of information it needs about the candidates.

The lawsuit claimed Browne should be included because Massachusetts, which officially recognizes the party, spent \$900,000 to help pay for the debate.

Nader also criticized the commission's decision to limit the debate to candidates with more than 15 percent support in national polls.

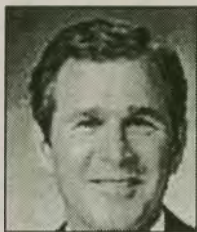
## Wheelchairs block GOP entrance

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Dozens of handicapped people in wheelchairs blocked entrances to the Republican Party's headquarters for five hours Tuesday demanding a meeting with George W. Bush, the GOP presidential nominee.

The protest,



Bush

which started at 4 p.m., forced the cancellation of a fund-raiser and kept party employees from leaving the building, although some climbed out of first-floor windows.

The protesters began dispersing after police prepared to make arrests by moving buses up to the building.

"We accomplished as much as we could here," said Michael Auberger of Denver, a spokesman for Adapt, a loosely organized group that organized the protest.

The protesters said they want Bush to sign a pledge supporting the 10-year-old

Americans With Disabilities Act, a law barring discrimination and requiring wheelchair ramps and other accommodations for the disabled. Bush's father signed the legislation into law.

Republican officials did not immediately return a phone call seeking comment on the protest.

"A letter would have been sufficient but we will convey their request" for a meeting with Bush, said GOP spokesman Cliff May. "We asked them to take a look at the governor's record on disabilities issues."

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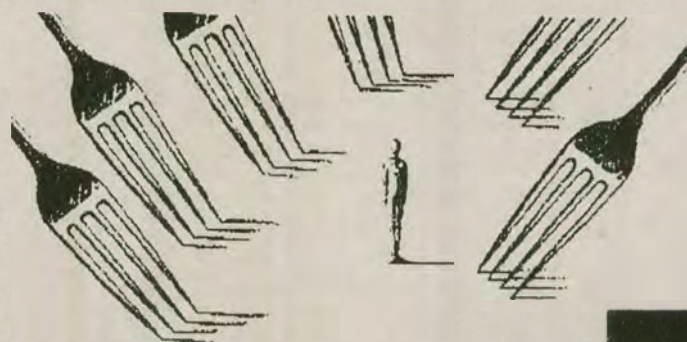
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# Congress approves high-tech visas

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WASHINGTON

High-tech companies could bring in almost 600,000 additional skilled foreign workers over the next three years and also hire thousands more foreign students from U.S. graduate programs under a bill that sped through Congress on Tuesday.

The Senate passed the bill on a 96-1 vote, and the House followed with voice vote passage several hours later, abandoning a version of its own that met serious opposition from the technology industry.

The quick congressional action after nine months of jockeying fulfills an election-year promise by both Democratic and Republican leaders to a high-tech sector that is increasingly flexing its political muscle through lobbying and campaign donations to both parties. President Clinton has said he will sign it.

"We should pass the bill just as it is, so we don't have to conference it," said Rep. Zoe Lofgren, D-Calif., "It's the best bill that's been considered yet."

Lofgren had cosponsored a similar bill with Rep. David Dreier, R-Calif., that had stalled in the House in favor of a version that had more protections for American high-tech workers.

With U.S. unemployment rates holding steady near a 30-year low, companies in California's Silicon Valley and along other booming high-tech corridors say they need the additional workers with six-year H-1B visas to fuel their continuing rapid growth.

"The short-term problem is how to fill the key positions immediately so that we don't lose opportunities to foreign

competitors or so that we don't force American businesses to move offshore to where skilled workers might live," said Sen. Spencer Abraham, R-Mich.

A bill by Rep. Lamar Smith, R-Texas, that was approved by the House Judiciary Committee would have required companies using visas to increase the median pay of their U.S. workers and establish job projections for them. The industry opposed Smith's bill.

Dreier, who chairs the House Rules Committee, called the Senate version "dynamite" and had said earlier that House leaders would find a way to get it passed.

Industry advocates — including Microsoft and Sun Microsystems, the U.S. Chamber of Commerce and the National Association of Manufacturers — praised the Senate vote and called for the House to follow suit.

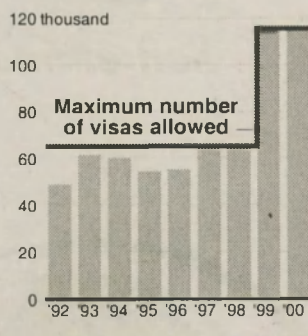
"If we want the United States to maintain its technological advantage, employers must be allowed to hire the professionals they need," said Paula Collins, director of government relations for Texas Instruments.

Technology businesses have more than doubled their political contributions during the past two years, according to the independent Center for Responsive Politics. The companies have given candidates \$22.1 million since the start of last year, with Democrats getting a little more than half of that.

Computer software and other high-tech companies contend that 300,000 jobs are going unfilled for a lack of qualified workers. Labor unions, however, argue that the companies want more immigrants to put keep down wages of Americans holding the same

## Filling the labor pool

The Senate passed a bill Tuesday that could increase the number of skilled foreign workers allowed to enter the United States under six-year H-1B visas. Here are the number of H-1B visas approved each year.



Source: U.S. Immigration and Naturalization AP

jobs.

While lifting the ceiling entirely on the H-1B visas, Smith's bill requires employers to pay the immigrants at least \$40,000 a year and not use them to replace Americans on their payrolls. Companies would also have to document that they have at least \$250,000 in capital to participate in the program.

Sen. Ernest F. Hollings, D-S.C., cast the lone vote against the bill. Sens. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif.; Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass.; and Joseph Lieberman, D-Conn., did not vote.

The Senate bill would allow the Immigration and Naturalization Service to issue up to 195,000 new H-1B visas annually for the next three years to skilled foreign workers. The bill also would exempt from the cap foreign graduates of U.S. master's or doctoral programs or foreign workers at U.S. colleges, providing another source of labor to high-tech companies.

# Fed leaves interest rates at same level

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Federal Reserve policy-makers decided Tuesday for a third straight time to leave interest rates unchanged but signaled that further rate increases are possible because of rising energy prices.

The central bank said soaring crude oil costs have had only a "limited effect" on underlying price pressures so far, but it added that higher energy costs posed the risk of "raising inflation expectations" down the road.

That revelation disappointed Wall Street, which had hoped the central bank would sound a definite all-clear as far as future rate increases were concerned.

The Dow Jones industrial average, which had been up more than 140 points before the Fed's midafternoon announcement, shed those gains as traders focused on the new inflation worries. The Dow finished the day up just 19.61 at 10,719.74.

"The markets shouldn't have been surprised," said Allen Sinai, chief global economist at Decision Economics in New York. "For a central bank to declare victory on inflation before these energy questions get settled would have been a big mistake."

The decision to leave rates alone followed similar standpat decisions at the Aug. 22 and June 28 meetings of the central bank's Federal Open Market Committee, composed of Federal Reserve Chairman Alan Greenspan and colleagues who meet eight times a year to set interest rates.

The last rate change occurred on May 16 when the

Fed boosted its federal funds rate, the interest that banks charge each other, a half-point to 6.5 percent.

In a brief statement explaining Tuesday's decision, the Fed said the demand for goods and services had moderated to a pace closer to the economy's potential to produce, helped by continued strong advances in the productivity of American workers.

But the Fed cautioned that labor markets remain exceptionally tight.

For the first time, the central bank said an increase in energy prices "poses a risk of raising inflation expectations."

Going forward, the Fed said it

viewed the balance of risks as weighted toward higher inflation. Wall Street had hoped the Fed would switch to a neutral stance at this meeting, indicating a view that future risks were equally balanced between the threat of inflation and the threat of weaker growth.

The inclusion of rising energy prices as an inflation threat, analysts said, was meant to put markets on notice that future interest rate increases remain a distinct possibility.

"Not only is inflation still a concern, but oil prices have been added to [tight] labor markets as a threat," said Joel Naroff of Naroff Economic Advisers. "We will have to see not only growth slow and labor market pressures ease, but also oil prices fall before we can feel confident that the Fed is done."

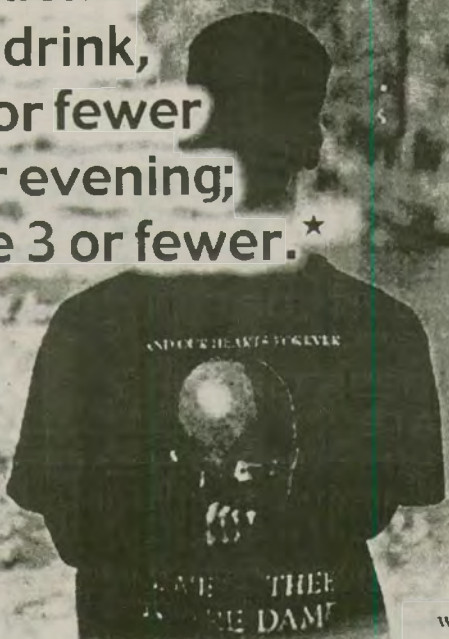
Jerry Jasinowski, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, said he still detected a change of tone in the Fed's announcement from earlier in the year.

*"For a central bank to declare victory on inflation before these energy questions get settled would have been a big mistake."*

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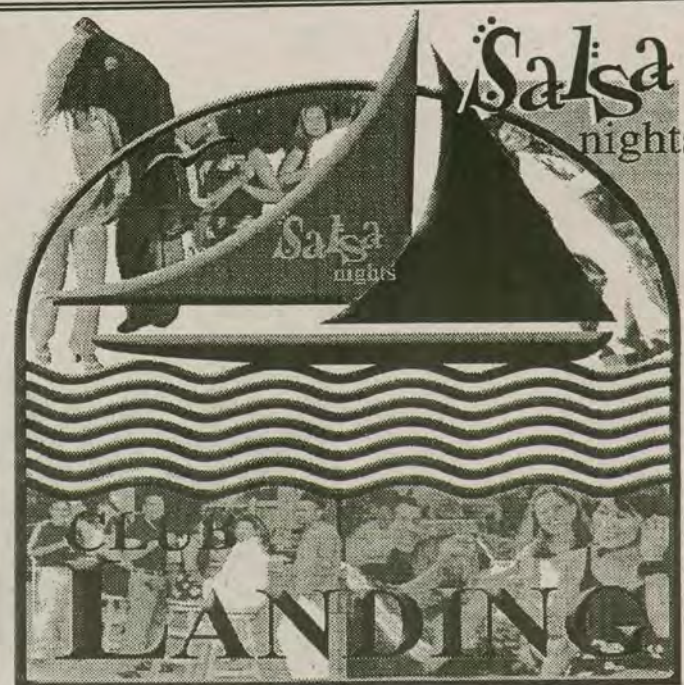
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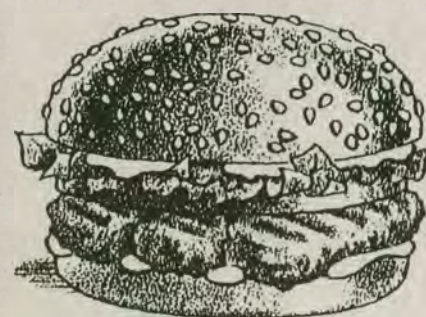
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GERMANY

# Firebombing disrupts celebration of reunification

Associated Press

## DRESDEN

Germany celebrated 10 years as one nation Tuesday in a city rebuilding symbols of its pre-World War II splendor, but the bombing of a synagogue darkened the festive mood.

Thousands of Germans joined dignitaries, including U.S. Secretary of State Madeleine Albright and French President Jacques Chirac, to mark reunification in Dresden, a once magnificent city whose devastation by wartime Allied bombers left a potent Nazi-era wound on the nation.

With Dresden landmarks enjoying a post-unification renaissance, the city was an ideal stage for reflecting on the good - and the bad - that followed the Oct. 3, 1990 union of communist east and capitalist west Germany.

During a ceremony at the gilt-columned Semper Opera,

Chirac honored the East German pro-democracy demonstrators who brought down the Berlin Wall in November 1989, paving the way for unification only 11 months later.

He and German leaders stressed their countries' commitment to completing the process by bringing the ex-communist nations of eastern Europe into the western fold.

"United Germany has found its place in this Europe," said Saxony governor Kurt Biedenkopf, whose state hosted the festivities. "We are thankful also for that on German Unity Day."

But after a summer marked by resurgent neo-Nazi violence, the firebombing of a

synagogue in Duesseldorf, nearly 500 miles to the west, lent new urgency to concerns about the ugly side of united Germany.

Police said unknown assailants tossed as many as three Molotov cocktails at the synagogue's front door just before midnight Monday. A prominent German Jewish leader

condemned the attack as a sign that far-right hate is not limited to the economically struggling east.

"The Nazis and their violence in both east and west are now also united," Michel Friedman said.

In Dresden, musicians dressed in folk costumes serenaded officials as they walked a route lined by thousands of

revelers from a church service to the main ceremony at the opera. Watches and mugs marking the unity anniversary were on sale.

Semper Opera is one of several historic buildings refurbished by the former communist regime.

Inside, President Johannes Rau warned fellow citizens to fight "all forms of anti-foreigner sentiment" and violence against other minorities.

"We must not allow that people are hunted in the middle of Germany," he said, a remark recalling 6 million Jews and many others who died under the Nazis.

Notably absent from the festivities was the main architect of German unity, former Chancellor Helmut Kohl. Kohl, 70, stayed away after being denied a chance to speak because of his central role in a financing scandal dogging his Christian Democratic party. But Chirac and Rau lavished praise on him for his historic achievement, drawing big rounds of applause.

The national holiday and the celebrations in various towns across the nation offered Germans on both sides of the former divide a chance to reflect on their common achievements - and on what still separates them emotionally and materially.

With its mix of new upscale stores, rotting factories and reviving cultural landmarks, Dresden is still in transition.

Though living standards

have largely equalized over the past decade, eastern Germans still earn less than their western counterparts and unemployment in the region is twice the national average.

Even within families, there are disparate views of the 1989-90 changes. Ralf Rudolf, 32, a Dresden native who works for an electronics company in a western city, said he still feels like an outsider.

"There are still borders," he said during the festivities. "Younger people say we are one society, but for older people there is a barrier."

His 27-year-old brother had a more optimistic view. "You can't simply speak of east and west," said Roland Rudolf, an out-of-work pharmaceutical engineer. "I think that's just too simple, 10 years after unification."



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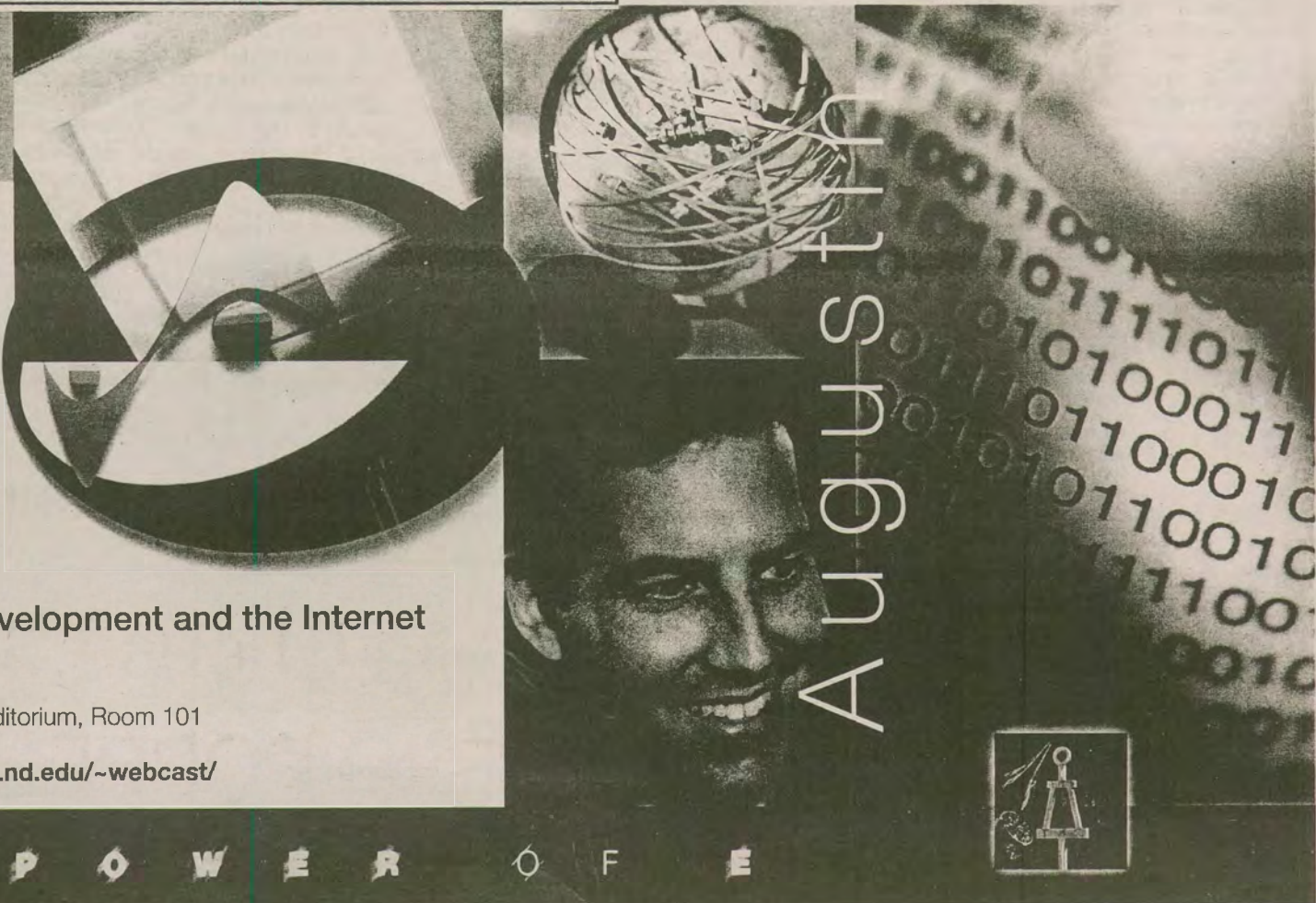
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## Money for all in the dancing and stripping business

I believe it was the cool Marsellus Wallace from that crazy film "Pulp Fiction" who once said, "I am going to go medieval on your ass." He was about to get down to some especially violent business, business too inappropriate to be considered modern. People are more sophisticated than they used to be, you know? Moderns, unlike medievals, don't heave their trash out of their windows anymore. And most (although not all) wash up after using the lavatory. We moderns have laws against indecent exposure, which is important around finals time on the ND campus.

Right, so we are not "medieval" anymore. Or are we still medieval at heart? We may bathe more often; we may not split people's heads open with flat swords anymore; but we do have what is known as World Championship Wrestling, which while not so refined, has enough viewers to challenge the sacred domain of Monday Night Football.

And we do have what is known as the "Gentlemen's Club." From coast to coast, from Canada to Mexico, from Babes in Maine to Club Love in Hawaii, from 4 Play (get it?) in California and The Boom Boom room in Oregon to Teasers in Louisiana and Secrets in Mississippi, with Kit 'N' Ka Boodle in Texas and Deja Vu in South Bend, every state has Gentlemen's Clubs; and most have Ladies' Clubs, like La Bare and Chip 'N' Dales (which for some reason, are much less advertised). How is it possible that a minimum of approximately 60 of these "night clubs" still exist in every state of America? Who patronizes these places and brings his business associates? Who works in these places? Does the existence of aforementioned clubs and the WCW prove the stagnation of the human condition?

Peering down I-35, blurry-eyed from a 1,100-mile drive away from the Golden Dome, I see a billboard advertising a scantily clad woman and the Venus Room. Looking away, my eyes rove over

the opposite side of the highway and what do you suppose I see again? Another semi-nude woman advertising fun at Obsession. What the heck? Fun? What kind of fun? So I get on the Internet for more information. And Obsession does have a site from which I learn that at certain "night clubs" one can, if so inclined, purchase five-star cuisine, be "entertained," rent a private room, buy high quality wine and liquor and have his Benz valet parked. Thus, gentlemen's clubs offer a complete evening of fun not only for the everyday rabble but also the richest in society.

Why have these clubs gotten such a sleazy, immoral connotation throughout the years? Is it bad that planes with trailing banners circle high above our Catholic university advertising some of these clubs during every home football game? Well, let us ponder. Could these "clubs" have gotten an unholy label because an individual, for monetary gain and before an audience, stripping one's clothes off in a gyrating manner, does a service that can be implicated in the oldest of professions — prostitution?

An article in the June issue of Honey magazine reports on the boom in the stripping business for both men and women. The article accounts for this burst of growth by the economic prosperity of the early '90s. The article describes strip-shows in New York seen by some 900 kicking, screaming, mobbing women.

Also, according to the article a strip-dancer can make \$150 to \$250 an hour working private parties. In the classifieds of most city newspapers, want ads overflow with promises of big money to inexperienced dancers. In the summer months, the South Bend Tribune advertised: "\$1,000+ cash/wk must be 18+" for night club dancers. At the same time, ads in the Boston Globe and the Arizona Republic respectively stated: "Dancer \$500 - \$5,000/wk" and "earn up to \$1,500 a week, 19 years." The Times-Picayune of New Orleans and the Chicago Tribune simultaneously advertised: "\$1,200/wk Exotic Dancers, \$75/hr plus tips," and "Dancers/Showgirls opportunity of a lifetime. \$300 -

\$500/day not uncommon. No exp nec. must be 18+." Memphis' The Commercial Appeal and Kansas' the Wichita Eagle also had: "Over 18, \$1,000 per week guaranteed commission" and "Dancers earn \$1000/wk." In New York's Newsday: "DANCERS exotic wanted for corporate and private parties." The Honolulu Advertiser/Star Bulletin: "Exotic dancers. Will train. \$\$\$ nightly! Make top pay."

Sifting through a mountain of exotic dancer want ads, I made a few connections. First and foremost, absolutely no experience is necessary. Secondly, every club offers big \$\$\$ (except the Show 'N' Tell bar in Philadelphia which offers \$10/hr). Thirdly, every club is upscale, exclusive and has good working conditions. Lastly, you must be eighteen to apply.

Maybe it's just me, but isn't it truly a tad old-fashioned and perhaps wildly strange that there still exists a job in every state where an inexperienced, teenage girl can make \$1,000 a week showing her body in an exotic fashion to men who may or may not be gathered for a corporate party?

As Neil Diamond says, "Money talks," and its got to be screaming at you when you can obtain it without much training and without being old enough to drink alcohol. Imagine working for minimum wage, imagine working for \$6.10 at the Huddle, or imagine working for \$75 an hour plus tips. I don't know, but economically one job does beat the other by a vast margin.

In the end, whether it's 1492, 1992 or 2492, times do not seem to be a-changin'. Wherever there's a dime to be made in the flesh peddling business, there's always going to be that exotic Spanky's or that X-rated Shagnasty's, right there, ready to let the rich and poor alike spend as many greenbacks as they desire.

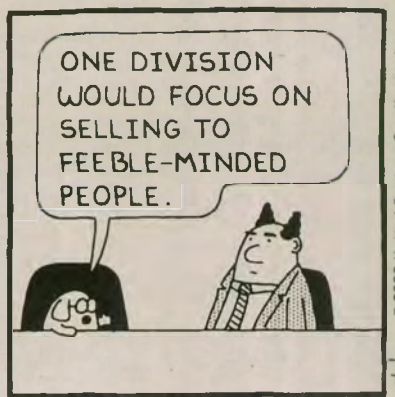
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Anna Barbour

Get A Life

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SCOTT ADAMS

### QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Mothers all want their sons to grow up to be President, but they don't want them to become politicians in the process."

John F. Kennedy  
former President of the United States



# VIEWPOINT

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## Multicultural groups invite all to participate

Recently, I have heard murmurs that Multicultural Student Programs and Services, and many of the ethnic organizations which fall under our direction, are an exclusive group or groups, that our programs and initiatives are separating us from the majority of Notre Dame students. Subtle as they might be, demands have surfaced in our staff meetings and student organization meetings asking us to reach out to the whole community and include the majority population in our activities. Segregation and exclusivity, they say, should not be perpetuated.

Well, I agree. We should not exclude anybody from attending our events. And we should not exclude anyone from joining our organizations. But I feel impelled to remind everyone that like the College Democrats or the Polo Club, or even the Pom Squad or the Judo Club, the Korean Student Association, La Alianza and the Black Cultural Arts Council all have a purpose for people who hold a specific interest and represent a specific population. Certainly, the

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*What's Your  
Shade?*

Water Polo Club members do not play chess at their practices. And I am quite certain the Recyclin' Irish do not perform hip-hop dance routines as a part of their programs.

My assumption is that the Gymnastics Club is for gymnasts, or at least people interested in becoming one. And members of the Pre-Law Society probably have a sincere interest in the law profession. Similarly, many of the Filipino American Student Organization members are Filipino or have an interest in learning about them. And the same can be said about the members of the Native American Student Association of Notre Dame, the Vietnamese Student Association and the Hawai'i Club. But unlike many other organizations, neither FASO, NASAND, VSA nor the Hawai'i Club are going to exclude a student who isn't Asian or Native American, Vietnamese or Hawai'ian. I can speak from experience.

These organizations and the members who make them up are excited to see others who don't necessarily represent the name within the title, get involved with their groups. To this day, the Filipino American Student Organization insists that "you don't have to be

Filipino to go to Fiestang." Fiestang Filipino, the cultural dinner show put on by FASO annually for the past four years, has had an extremely diverse attendance of nearly 300 people every year.

The Asian American Association makes it a point to diversify the representation of their models for their campus-wide production of Asian Allure, a fashion show put on in Washington Hall. And they do so while still allowing themselves a chance to celebrate the Asian culture and to educate the audience on Asian values.

La Alianza, the major Latino/Hispanic programming organization, has recently teamed up with WVFI in order to further their outreach to the Notre Dame community.

The Black Cultural Arts Council is presently advertising try-outs for their talent showcase, Blak Images, as an opportunity for anyone who wants to sing, dance, or show-off a talent (look for advertisements in The Observer!).

The bottom line is simple. You may see a poster that says the NAACP is putting on a formal dance, the Vietnamese Student Association is holding a cultural dinner or Multicultural

Student Programs and Services is celebrating Black History Month. But just because the words Vietnamese, Black, Hispanic or Multicultural are in a title on a poster doesn't mean you are not invited. I promise you that the word "only" will never follow any of these words, and that you won't be told to leave when you show up.

Anyone and everyone are welcome. As a matter of fact, my guess is that if those who feel like they are being excluded start showing up, people are going to stop thinking any of the above mentioned are exclusive groups. Show up. Please come. You'll see. We want you to become involved no matter who you are or what you look like.

And maybe then I can avoid using the words you and us in my articles.

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### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## Campaign against excessive U.S. military spending

In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus emphasized the loving care of God by comparing it to the care we give our own children. "Is there anyone among you, who if your child asks for bread, will give a stone?" (Matthew 7:9)

Congress recently approved a military budget for 2001 of \$310 billion, which is \$4 billion more than Clinton requested and \$20 billion more than military funding for 2000. This includes \$60 billion dollars on new weapons despite the vast superiority of U.S. weapons systems. For \$60 billion, we could fully fund Head Start for six years and provide health insurance for all 11 million uninsured children in the U.S.

The U.S. presently spends 18 times as much on military spending as it does on foreign diplomacy, international assistance and support for international institutions. If the budgets for foreign policy and diplomacy were more in balance with the military budget, there would be a better chance of preventing conflict, avoiding military intervention and working toward a more secure world.

The real threat to U.S. national security is the number of people who continue to live in poverty. In the U.S., 35 million people live in poverty, including 19 percent of all U.S. children. Forty-four million people are uninsured, including eleven million children. This is a consequence of federal budget priorities that spend 4 cents on health care and 6 cents on education for every 50 cents spent on the military.

If this reality, a reality in total contradiction to Catholic Social Teaching, not to mention the teachings of Jesus, bothers you, it should! We are giving our children the stones of war when they need the bread of life. To learn more and to get involved in an effort to change this reality, please come to the Bread Not Stones National Catholic Campaign to redirect excessive military spending. Thursday on the South Quad from 4 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

**Ben Peters**  
graduate student  
off-campus  
October 3, 2000

## Give Clinton a break

I have had enough of Notre Dame students attacking every little thing that Bill Clinton has done in past months. The latest issue is the release of strategic oil reserves in an effort to lower prices. I was unimpressed by Sean Vinck's comments which seemed to mirror comments by other people in the news. He said it was "too little, too late" and that Clinton released the oil with the upcoming elections in mind and that his lack of an energy policy caused this sudden problem. Gee, I've heard Clinton critics on television saying that too.

When will everybody just let Clinton's presidency ride out? When can we all just let him slip into history and stop complaining about everything he has done, hasn't done or may have done? Did it ever occur to anyone that Clinton might have released the reserve with the well-being of the American people in mind? Can't we just stop thinking politically for a minute? Why does everything that Clinton does in his

last few months in office have to benefit Al Gore's campaign in some way? When will everybody realize that Clinton has done nothing to put this country in worse standing than it was when he took office?

Vinck's statement that Clinton's incoherent energy policy is to blame for the sudden crisis is not easily backed up. If his lack of an energy policy was such a problem, why did it take until the very end of his presidency for a crisis like this to occur? Crises like these do not take this long to develop.

I think it is time for everyone to stop complaining about Clinton and focus more on the upcoming election. Please everyone, I ask that you just leave Bill Clinton alone for a few more months. Then you won't have to worry about him anymore.

**Patrick Depew**  
sophomore  
Stanford Hall  
October 2, 2000



## Classes could bring smiles, reduce stress on campus

College is when we are really supposed to get to study about what we are most interested in in life. Hopefully we will like what we are studying more and more and then be able to make a living doing what we love to do. For me, I often feel too busy to enjoy what I am studying.

I think there is some room for classes at Notre Dame that enrich lives just by being there, and not contributing to our stress levels in any way, just fun and simple.

**Hypnotism Class-** In almost every situation hypnotism could come in handy. The final exam could be that each student has get the professor to do something really ridiculous. If you could hypnotize anyone, you could always get whatever you want.

**Why isn't this a mandatory core class already?** We could learn how to hypnotize our future bosses into giving us raises, our future spouses into doing the dishes and our future dogs into dancing.

**Practical Joke Class:** I remember seeing some list of the 15 strongest desires in humans. Vengeance was one of them. And so was humor. This wouldn't just be stink bombs and itching powder. This would be rats in the cafeteria and missing statues. The students that took this class would be masters at giving people just what they deserve.

**Energy Class:** This class would be for all the hippies on campus. They would be chained to big wheels and then walk around in a circle generating energy for the University. Although not a lot of learning would be going on, they would be helping the environment and ND would be teaching them the all important value of standing up for what you believe in.

**Monkey Business Class:** This class would be a big room about the size of Debartolo 101, and it would be a room full of wild monkeys. Students would go in for an hour every other day and copy what the monkeys do and try to become friends with the monkeys. This class would probably be in the Anthropology department. I think it would help us learn a little bit more about who we are because we are physiologically so close to monkeys anyway.

**Thrill Seekers Class:** This class would be sky diving, bungee jumping, hot air balloon rides, sleeping with snakes and stuff like that. Again, this is not education in a traditional sense, but I think it would help students to build their characters, something that ND is already known for. With this new class we would be unsurpassable.

**Messy Fun Class:** This class would be different ways to make a mess, and then you do it. It would help engage the creative parts of students' minds.

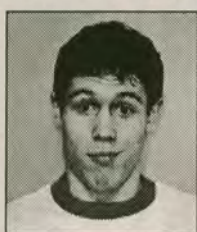
**Carnival Studies:** Students taking this course would learn the history of carnivals and circuses, the development of amusement parks and fairs. There would be a lot of guest speakers, and for a final project, students would have their own carnival and invite everyone on campus!

**Animal Riding Class:** This class would have a different animal every class period and then students would write papers about which animal was there favorite ride. This would help students to learn about the world of animals and ergonomics.

**Massage & Tickle Class:** Tickling other people has helped me with some of my greatest personal successes in life. I think the art of tickling should be explored more, and what a great time to learn. It would be a great way to meet people, and a good time is guaranteed. The massage part would help everyone relax more on campus.

**Stain Removal Class:** This would be for chemists and anyone else. There are a lot of chemicals that go into stain removal. Students would learn how to take the stains out of all fabrics, no matter what the stain agent was.

Classes like this would make us all smiley-er and it would put us up even higher apart from other college grads.



Scott Little

## 'Paid to surf' Web sites -

*Learn the ups and downs of earning free*

By MERIDETH PIERCE  
Scene Writer

If you are like most Saint Mary's and Notre Dame students, you spend at least 10 hours online a week. This online time counts the Internet, writing and receiving e-mails, or talking on the ever-addictive Instant Messenger.

Wouldn't you like to be paid to do exactly that — be online at your computer and get money to do whatever you would normally do? That "too good to be true" idea is behind many of the growing "paid to surf" Web sites. You might ask, what is a "paid to surf" Web site? Where are they? Which are worth while?

"Paid to surf" Web sites range in organization, methods of payment, requirements and rules. Yet there are a few underlying ground rules for all of them. The basic idea is that you allow a "paid to surf" program to run a small ad window at the bottom or top of your screen.

This ad window has required software that must be downloaded from the Web site. Ads are then displayed on the window as you are online. But this window is usually less than an inch tall and can be turned off at any time.

The "paid to surf" program gets paid for running these ads and in turn pays you to view them.

Most Web sites recommend that you occasionally click on the ads that interest you and see what they have to offer, claiming you will find great deals by doing this.

Besides picking up a few bucks by being online, you can also multiply your earnings by referring others to sign up. You then earn a set amount for all the time your friends spend online, as well as money for the time their own referrals are online.

PaidtoSurf.com is a site that explains and reviews the trend of earning money while surfing the Internet. The Web site claims that "many people are making hundreds, and some are making thousands of dollars every month" through these sites. But claims like these may leave you skeptical.

Many questions arise about "paid to surf" Web sites. Does this gimmick cost anything to set up? The answer for all sites is no. All you have to do to sign up is download software for the ad window, and then share some information with the site.

In general these programs do not share personal information, but they do share broad demographic information with outside advertisers. If this causes concern, you can refer to each program's privacy statement, easily found before you ever have to fill anything out. And if you cannot find their privacy statement, the site is not worth it.

Now to the bottom line: How much MONEY can you get? It all depends on the Web site. Some pay by the hour, some by a percentage, and some even pay through sweepstake chances.

Hourly rates range from between 20 and 70 cents for each hour you surf, from eight to ten cents for the time your referrals surf, and two to five cents for your indirect referrals.

Although this may not sound like much, suppose you are getting paid the average



Courtesy of Jotter.com

*Got a favorite band?  
A favorite song?*

*Scene is looking for music  
reviewers.*

*Call 1-4540  
or visit the basement of SDH.*



## too good to be true or too good to pass up?

money online from sites like DesktopDollars, ClickDough and AllAdvantage

amount for all payments. If you refer five people to the Web site and they in turn refer only three, your check will be over \$330 a month for spending only six hours a week online!

By far the best "paid to surf" site is DesktopDollars.com. Although the homepage is chock-full of links and information, it is still easy to follow and provides all the essential information. To start earning money on DesktopDollars.com, you must join and download their ad banner — the "PROFITzone."

Then your payment begins. The amount you earn on DesktopDollars.com depends on the amount of ads you view while connected to the Internet.

**ClickDough**  
Personal Profit Network

Courtesy of ClickDough.com

Internet. With DesktopDollars.com you can be working on a paper and get paid as long as you are online and the ads are running in your sight.

The payment rate for DesktopDollars.com is 45% of the amount the Web site earns to run the ad in the first place. But with extra referrals you can earn up to 70% the amount DesktopDollars.com receives. Other perks for this site include monthly giveaways of \$25,000 and a \$250 bonus each week for the top earners.

The payment plan for DesktopDollars.com is one of the best available. Payment that depends on the company's revenue is a better deal than a fixed rate for the subscribers.

When Web sites with fixed rates increase their revenue, you still only receive the same amount of money. But when sites like DesktopDollars.com increase their revenue, so do you.

Many other programs have stricter referral restrictions. On some Web sites, if you viewed 1000 ads and your referral viewed 5000 ads, you would only be paid for the 1000 ads you saw. For DesktopDollars.com, however, you are paid for any amount.

Still sound too good to be true? In some cases, it just might be. All sites range in their perks, their agreements, their payments, and above all their definition of "being online". Discrepancies and loopholes can leave much room for scamming.

The top rival for DesktopDollars.com is Jotter.com, according to AboutPaidtoSurf.com.

**Grab Your Friends  
Surf the Web  
Stuff Your Wallet**

Courtesy of ClickDough.com

Despite the high ranking, Jotter.com is confusing for new visitors. Information about payment rates and the benefits of Jotter.com over other sites is hard to find.

The Jotter.com site offers an overwhelming amount of information on its ad banner. Virtually everything on the banner can be tailored to your tastes, including the bar's skin. The bar is equipped with search engine, reminder service, storage for your favorite places, a media player, quick e-mail access, stock update ticker, news service, and — of course — a large, continually-changing ad banner.

For as much information that Jotter.com gives on its ad banner, there is absolutely no information on the site about how you are paid. Despite Yahoo.com declaring it the "Swiss Army Knife of the Internet,"

Jotter.com earns a big zero for lack of information on the site's purpose — paying you.

Another problem with "paid to surf" sites arise when you are required to give all your personal information before you can even access the homepage. One site with this problem is highly-ranked ClickDough.com.

ClickDough.com pays in a percentage like DesktopDollars.com, but its percentage of payment is considerably lower. ClickDough's advantage is that it allows for eight generations of referrals. This means that if you are online for two hours a week, and refer two people who in turn refer two more

— and this continues for eight generations of referrals — then your monthly check will be \$150 a month.

Unlike DesktopDollars, you have to be online for ClickDough's payment to be in effect. However you need not download anything to earn money because

ClickDough.com is one site that is run right through the Internet.

Completely different from percentagely paid sites is AllAdvantage.com. Founded in 1999, AllAdvantage gained over five million customers in less than eleven months. Originally a pay-by-the-hour site, AllAdvantage.com now pays with chances to win large amounts of money.

Like most sites, you must provide personal information which is "never sold" and then you can download the ad banner, called the AllAdvantage Viewbar.

The AllAdvantage Viewbar is larger than other ad banners — about 2 inches high across the length of the screen — but it offers a variety of perks besides continual ads.

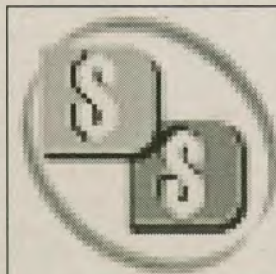
There is a direct search page condensed on the bar, in addition to a menu option that stores links to your favorite sites. Before you even download the Viewbar you can view a "Viewbar demo" which is linked to the homepage.

Unlike the rest of the reviewed sites, AllAdvantage does not pay you by the hour. Instead it gives out one daily prize of about \$50,000. All you have to do is surf the Web for at least five minutes a day and one entry is automatically filled out for you. You receive another entry for each additional five minutes online.

Referrals work slightly different for AllAdvantage as well. If one of your referrals wins the grand prize for the day, you will win a portion of that amount. There are also random monthly prizes that run from \$10 to \$1,000.

With dozens of services out there, the "paid to surf" idea will not fade away any time soon. The promises of large amounts of money for little to no work are enticing and worthwhile to investigate.

Some other sites of interest are AllCommunity.com, GetPaid4.com, PaidforSurf.com, SurfAd.com and UtopiAD.com. Each Web site offers a variety of different features and options, and all it takes is a little time to find the one that suits you. So for all those online junkies, check it out — it just might be too good to pass up.



**Desktop  
Dollars**  
*paid attention*

Courtesy of DesktopDollars.com

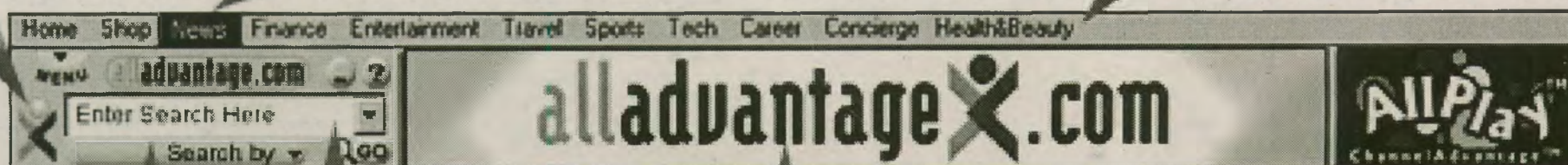


Courtesy of Jotter.com

**Earning Indicator  
(green = surfing  
and earning)**

**QuickLinks give you  
one-click access to  
information you want**

**Navigation menu helps  
untangle the Web for you**



**Choose from leading  
search engines and**

**Enter a URL or conduct a  
keyword search without**

**Member offers and  
advertisements**

Courtesy of AllAdvantage.com



AMERICAN LEAGUE PLAYOFFS

White Sox give game away to Mariners

Associated Press

CHICAGO

After making the most of their chances during the regular season, the White Sox fell victim to wasted opportunities in their playoff opener.

Chicago let its best chance to win slip away in the ninth. With the winning run on second and one out, Jose Valentin and Magglio Ordonez flied out, leaving the door open for Seattle to break through in the 10th to win 7-4 Tuesday.

Four times, the White Sox advanced a runner to third with less than two outs. All four times, the major league's highest-scoring team failed to drive those runners in.

As a result, Chicago is still in search of its first postseason victory at home since 1959 and needs a win Wednesday to avoid ahead to Seattle down 2-0 in the best-of-five series.

"We had the opportunities early to knock them out and we didn't," said Frank Thomas, who left the bases loaded in the fourth and stranded four runners.

"A lot of young guys made mistakes. Guys were keyed up. ... I tried to do too much — trying to hit home runs when all you needed were singles."

Thomas, who led the White Sox with a .328 average, 43 homers and 143 RBIs this season, finished 0-for-3 with two walks.

In the ninth, a bloop single by Charles Johnson leading off brought a rare sellout crowd of 45,290 at Comiskey Park to its feet. Ray Durham advanced him to second with a sacrifice bunt.

But Valentin flied to left and Mesa walked Thomas intentionally after going 2-0 to the potential AL MVP.

With the chance to end it, Ordonez hit the first pitch for a routine flyout to right.

Moments later, Keith Foulke gave up back-to-back homers to Edgar Martinez and John Olerud in the decisive 10th.

"I just threw a bad changeup (to Martinez) and it's one of those occasions where you pay for it," said Foulke, who had nine saves and a 0.75 ERA from Sept. 1 through the end of the regular season.

Chicago missed an early chance to blow open the game after it loaded the bases with one out in the fourth. Singles by Herbert Perry and Charles Johnson and a walk to Ray Durham helped knock out starter Freddy Garcia.

But Brett Tomko came in to squelch it, getting Valentin and Thomas to fly out.

In the sixth, with runners at first and third and one out after a walk to Perry and a Johnson single, Seattle shortstop Alex Rodriguez dived to his left to grab Durham's hard grounder up the middle, then flipped to Mark McLemore at second to start an inning-ending double play.

Chicago manager Jerry Manuel blamed playoff jitters in part for his young team's failure to deliver in the clutch.

"We had some opportunities to really put the ballgame away and basically we just didn't get the job done," he said. "They made the key pitches at the right time ... (and) we might have been little impatient in those situations. That's a part of the youth that we have."

"But I think for the most part that we played a decent ballgame for our first game being in an atmosphere such as this, and I think we'll be fine."

Chicago had 133 errors in the regular season — fourth-most in the AL — but got unexpected standout defense, including Ray Durham's sparkling over-the-shoulder grab of Joe Oliver's fly to short right in the fourth.

NCAA FOOTBALL

Brees, Randle El terrorize Big 10

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS

Purdue's Drew Brees and Indiana's Antwaan Randle El seem about as opposite as the two coasts while playing in the same state.

Brees has the record-setting numbers, the Heisman hype and thrives in the Boilermakers' pass-happy offense.



Brees

Randle El flashes the fleet feet, the spinning moves and is the most dangerous weapon in the Hoosiers' blue-collar option attack.

Both pose big concerns for opposing defenses. But which player creates more headaches?

"I couldn't choose between them because I think they're equally difficult to defend," Michigan coach Lloyd Carr said. "What would be ideal would be to have Indiana and Purdue off the schedule."

If only the Wolverines were so fortunate.

Instead, Michigan faces a worst-case dilemma — playing Brees on Saturday and Randle El next.

It's not a task Carr, or any other Big Ten coach, relishes.

"Oooohhh," Wisconsin coach Barry Alvarez said, wrinkling his nose as he explains who he'd rather face. "Both guys are very talented, but the schemes are totally different. Brees is so good, you hate to play against him, and Randle El is a combination guy. I really don't like to play either one."

Alvarez, whose teams have won the last two Rose Bowls, calls them the two toughest players to defend in the Big

Ten, period.

The statistics attest to that.

Brees, a 6-foot-1, 220-pound senior, has shattered school records for attempts, completions, touchdown passes and total offense during the past 2 1/2 years.

This weekend, against Michigan, Brees needs just 178 yards to surpass Mark Herrmann as the Boilermakers' career leader in passing yardage, giving him every major career record at a school that's produced such prominent quarterbacks as Bob Griese, Gary Danielson, Mike Phipps, Herrmann and Jim Everett.

He also holds Big Ten records for attempts and completions, and his next touchdown will break Chuck Long's conference record for touchdown passes (74).

But Brees' greatest attribute isn't measured in numbers.

"Drew is going to get the ball off real quick, and he makes smart decisions," Michigan State cornerback Renaldo Hill said. "He puts the ball in places you think you've got covered. Plus, he can run. If there's any breakdown, he makes you pay for it."

So does Randle El. The Hoosiers quarterback, a junior, stands just 5-foot-10 and weighs 194 pounds, tiny by Big Ten standards. But his contributions have been big time.

He has not missed a start in 2 1/2 seasons, and along with Brees, began the fall on the 30-player list for the Davey O'Brien Award, which honors the nation's top quarterback.

"You always have to be aware of where he is," Alvarez said. "He'll create problems.

Any time he has the ball in his hands, you have problems."

On Saturday, Randle El became the sixth player in NCAA history to rush for more than 2,000 yards and pass for more than 4,000.

He's also on pace to become only the second player in NCAA history to account for more than 200 points both rushing and passing.

"It lets you know you can't sleep," said Badger cornerback Jamar Fletcher, an All-American. "He can drop back and get out of the gates and hit you for a 20- or 30-yard play."

And, if dealing with a break-away threat at quarterback wasn't tough enough, Randle El has developed his passing game, too.

In the last nine-plus games, Randle El has thrown just two interceptions, compared with 15 touchdown passes.

"I'd definitely say Randle El

is tougher to defend because he does so much more," Fletcher said. "He's like a little jitterbug. He can run, he can throw, he can throw on the run, he can

*"I think it's really a matter of pick your poison."*

Lloyd Carr  
Michigan football coach

do it all." Fletcher and other defenders claim Brees is a surprisingly good runner himself, and that no matter what a defense devises or what conditions he encounters, Brees still somehow finds a way to beat you.

Carr believes the only good thing about facing either quarterback is the motivation it provides.

"Everybody that plays against them that week, the defenses get excited," Carr said, smiling. "They all know what they're playing against."

"I think it's really a matter of pick your poison."

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## NATIONAL LEAGUE PLAYOFFS

## La Russa defends pitching decision

Associated Press

ST. LOUIS

There were no apologies from Cardinals manager Tony La Russa, a day after his playoff ruse.

La Russa sent 20-game winner Darryl Kile, who will start Game 2, to the interview room on Monday so rookie Rick Ankiel could escape media attention.

The 21-year-old Ankiel made his first career post-season start in Game 1, becoming the first pitcher in 110 years to throw five wild pitches in one inning of a major league game. Still, the Cardinals won 7-5.

La Russa pointed out before the opener that Kile never mentioned that he'd be pitching in Game 1.

"We didn't lie," La Russa said. "He said he was going to pitch in the series."

It was worth taking a little heat for La Russa to keep the media glare off Ankiel.

"The biggest reason is there was enough on Rick Ankiel whether he pitches today or Thursday," La Russa said. "He doesn't need to sit up here and have to answer a lot of questions, stuff that's getting into the way of his pitching."

"So we wanted to avoid making it tough for him. This is a big enough challenge as it is."

La Russa said he decided to send Kile to the interview room because league rules

dictate he make a pitcher available.

He also said he scrupulously avoided announcing Kile as the Game 1 starter the last few weeks of the season.

"Every time I said we were

keeping our options open," La Russa said. "If you paid attention, you would have seen the signals that things were not settled."

The only reason the switch worked out was the fact there are off days after each of the first two games.

Without those breaks, La Russa said he'd have gone with Kile in Game 1.

The schedule allows the Cardinals to use Kile in Game 2 and 5, if needed, on three days' rest. La Russa said Kile is the only pitcher on his staff that he would use on short rest.

La Russa was still holding his options open regarding a Game 3 starter, with Garrett Stephenson (16-9), Andy Benes (12-9) and Pat Hentgen (15-12) all in the mix. Both Benes, who pitched the regular-season finale on Sunday, and Stephenson, who threw in the bullpen on Monday, were unavailable for bullpen duty Tuesday.

The Cardinals will go with 11 pitchers in the first round, adding rookie Britt Reames. Reliever Matt Morris, who had experienced shoulder discomfort his last few outings, also is on the roster.

Those moves mean the Cardinals will not have any left-handed batters on the bench, with both Thomas Howard and Larry Sutton not making the cut.

The Braves went with 10 pitchers instead of nine, adding reliever Scott Kamienicki and deleting rookie first baseman Tim Lincecum.

## MAJOR LEAGUE SOCCER PLAYOFFS

## Califf's goal sends Galaxy past Wizards

Associated Press

PASADENA, Calif.

Danny Califf scored in the third minute of sudden-death overtime to lead the Los Angeles Galaxy past the Kansas City Wizards 2-1 Tuesday night in the semifinals of the Major League Soccer playoffs.

More than 20,000 people at the Rose Bowl watched Los Angeles take a 4-1 lead in points as the team heads to the decisive third game, to be held Friday night in Kansas City's Arrowhead Stadium.

Each victory counts as three points, with ties worth one point. The first team to earn five points will go to MLS Cup 2000, the league final.

If Friday night's game is tied after regulation, both teams will play two five-minute halves of sudden-death overtime.

If neither team scores during the first set of overtime halves, Los Angeles advances to the final. If Kansas City wins, the Wizards tie the series and two 10-minute periods of sudden-death overtime will follow.

If the series remains tied, penalty kicks will determine the outcome.

Califf, who arrived in Los Angeles on Saturday after playing in the Olympics, scored off a corner kick from Cobi Jones. Califf beat Kansas City's Matt McKeon by converting a 7-yard header that bounced inside the left post.

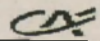
Jones gave Los Angeles a 1-0 lead in the 15th minute. The Galaxy's Ezra Hendrickson eluded Kansas City defender Brandon Prideaux near the right end line and passed to an unmarked Jones, who converted from seven yards inside the left post.

McKeon tied the score in the 29th minute with a 30-yard free kick into the upper-left corner of the net.

Kansas City's Mo Johnston had a chance to tie the score 10 minutes earlier, but Galaxy goalkeeper Kevin Hartman dived to his right to stop Johnston's 13-yard volley.

Hartman made another critical save in the 82nd minute by deflecting Miklos Molnar's 15-yard line drive with his right hand. Califf then cleared the ball.

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## NFL

# Panthers' offensive coordinator resigns

Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C.

Bill Musgrave resigned Tuesday as Carolina's offensive coordinator, ending a four-game stint in which the Panthers' offense slipped into an unexpected impotency under him.

Musgrave, 33, was in his first season as Carolina's offensive coordinator. He was the quarterbacks coach last year and helped 14-year veteran Steve Beuerlein to the best year of his career in that role.

Beuerlein threw for an NFL-best 4,436 passing yards and earned his first Pro Bowl berth while leading the Panthers to the second-best passing offense in the league.

But the Panthers have struggled on offense this season and dropped to 1-3 with a 16-13 overtime loss to Dallas on Sunday.

"Bill told me this morning that he felt like it was in the best interest of the team to resign," coach George Seifert said. "We met at length and I tried to convince him to stay, but I couldn't change his mind."

The Panthers also cut kicker Richie Cunningham, who — along with Musgrave — played a large role in their loss to Dallas.

Tied at 13 with 6:25 to play on Sunday, Carolina had a fourth-and-1 play at the Dallas 30.

Because Cunningham has been so inconsistent since taking over for the injured John Kasay — he's made 5-of-7 field goals — they decided not to let him try the 47-yard field goal and instead went for the first down.

Beuerlein was given two options by Musgrave. The first was a quarterback sneak, the second a short pass if Dallas' defense had jammed the line. Beuerlein called for the pass at the line of scrimmage, but his throw was incomplete and Dallas took over on downs.

Seifert took full responsibility for the play on Monday, saying he has the power to overrule any call.

"Second-guessing myself, I would have run a different play," Seifert said.

Carolina's offensive numbers are down this year. The Panthers averaged 26 points and 355 yards a game last year.

But aside from a 38-point performance they had in a win over San Francisco in Week 2, the Panthers have scored a combined 40 points in their three other games.

Musgrave joined the Panthers last year as quarterback coach after spending the last 10 games of the 1998 season as offensive coordinator of the Philadelphia Eagles. He was promoted in January when Gil Haskell left to take the same job in Seattle.

Assistant head coach Richard Williamson will take over Musgrave's duties.

Williamson has been with the Panthers since the team's inception in 1995 as receivers coach and has played an instrumental role in the development of Pro Bowl receiver Muhsin Muhammad, Patrick Jeffers, and Donald Hayes as well as Raghil Ismail of the Dallas Cowboys.

Meanwhile, the Panthers signed Joe Nedney to replace Cunningham. Nedney had been kicking for the Denver Broncos while Jason Elam was recovering from an injured back.

In another move, wide receiver Dialleo Burks was waived, clearing room for punt returner Iheanyi Uwaezuoke, expected to sign Wednesday.

Uwaezuoke went to training camp with the Panthers last season before being released and played 10 games for Detroit, where he returned 18 punts for 150 yards.

The Panthers need Uwaezuoke because punt returner Eric Davis broke his hand and needed a cast, making him unavailable to return punts.

# Chiefs change it up at quarterback

Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Mo.

Every week during Kansas City's three-game winning streak, a different receiver has come through for the Chiefs.

On Monday night in a 24-17 victory over Seattle, it was Derrick Alexander, who caught a momentum-turning 73-yard completion from Elvis Grbac in the third quarter and finished with five receptions for 153 yards and one touchdown.

The week before, in a 23-22 upset at Denver, it was tight end Tony Gonzalez, catching 10 passes for 127 yards and a touchdown.

The week before that, it was rookie wide receiver Sylvester Morris who had six catches for 112 yards and three touchdowns in a 42-10 rout of San Diego.

So who gets to have all the fun against Oakland in the Chiefs' next game?

"I guess it will be Sylvester's turn again," Gonzalez said.

People around the league have been talking about what a hot hand Grbac has had and how the Chiefs' passing attack has been uncharacteristically overshadowing the running game.

But the multitude of weapons now at Grbac's command must be especially troubling to every defensive unit on Kansas City's schedule.

"That's how it's got to work," said Gonzalez, who was voted to the Pro Bowl last season.

"In a successful offense, you've got to have players who are all capable of being big-play type guys," he said.

Morris, the Chiefs' first-round pick from Jackson State, has had a profound impact on the entire receiver corps. For one

thing, he seems to be inspiring an even greater effort from Alexander, an eight-year veteran who was always solid but is now making some of the finest catches of his career.

"Getting Sylvester Morris was really a shot in the arm for all of us, the receivers in particular," coach Gunther Cunningham said.

The fact that three different receivers have had big games in each of the past three weeks is probably not just a coincidence.

Alexander caught the game-winner against Denver, capping a last-minute, 80-yard drive, and followed his 73-yard catch Monday night with a leaping 17-yard touchdown catch between two defenders.

Holding it all together, in the meantime, is Grbac, the 30-year-old quarterback who was booed in the season opener but is now becoming a fan favorite. Monday night's 16-of-27 performance for 256 yards and two touchdowns and no interceptions lifted him to a 95.3 rating, fourth in the AFC.

*"Getting Sylvester Morris was really a shot in the arm for all of us."*

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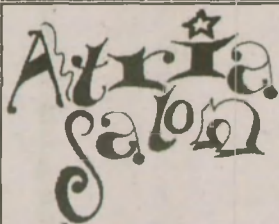


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## MLB PLAYOFFS

# Yankees continue slump against A's

Associated Press

OAKLAND, Calif.

Even the comfort of the postseason couldn't break the New York Yankees out of their deep funk.

Ramon Hernandez drove in two runs, including a go-ahead double in the sixth inning off Roger Clemens, and the Oakland Athletics defeated the struggling Yankees 5-3 Tuesday night in the opener of their playoff series.

In a matchup of near-opposites, a small-market A's club making its first playoff appearance since 1992 was patient enough to outlast Clemens and a mega-rich Yankees club trying to defend its two straight World Series titles.

Overpowered for the first four innings, the A's scored four times in the fifth and sixth off a tiring Clemens — he threw 111 pitches in his six innings — and then held on to take a 1-0 lead in the best-of-five AL division series.

The Yankees stumbled into the playoffs this year, ending the regular season with a seven-game losing streak — the worst skid ever for a team entering the postseason — and 15 losses in their final 18 games.

They hoped the postseason would provide a panacea — after all, they had won 18 of their previous 19 postseason games heading into this series, including a record-matching 12 straight World Series victories.

The slump prompted Yankees owner George Steinbrenner to issue a statement earlier in the day about his team.

"Tired? Yeah, maybe. Struggling? Yeah, maybe. But scared? ... That word ain't even in our vocabulary," he said.

The A's, on the other hand, won eight of their last 10 regular-season games to overtake Seattle for the AL West title, clinching the division title on the final day. Their 21-7 record in September was best in the major leagues.

Journeyman Gil Heredia, making the first postseason start

of his nine year major league career, allowed three runs on seven hits in six innings for the win.

Jeff Tam and Jim Mecir combined for two scoreless innings of relief and Jason Istringhausen got three outs for his first postseason save.

The Yankees had only three hits in the last seven innings.

Clemens, who now has a 3-4 record in 13 postseason starts, allowed four runs on seven hits in six innings.

The Yankees took their first lead in a week when consecutive RBI doubles by Luis Sojo and Scott Brosius gave New York a 2-0 lead in the second inning. That broke New York's streak of 63 innings without a lead.

Clemens struck out five and allowed only one hit, an infield single by Terrence Long, in the first four innings. But the A's finally broke through in the fifth.

Hernandez and Randy Velarde had RBI singles and another run scored on a wild pitch by Clemens, giving the A's a 3-2 lead. A questionable play by New York second baseman Luis Sojo, a defensive replacement for Chuck Knoblauch, hurt the Yankees in the inning.

With runners on first and second and no outs, Long hit an easy grounder to Sojo. Instead of throwing to second for a force or tagging Hernandez on his way to second, Sojo threw to first and the return throw to second was too late to get Hernandez — who scored three batters later on the wild pitch.

The Yankees tied it at 3 in the sixth on a sacrifice fly by Tino Martinez.

Oakland regained the lead in its half of the inning on two-out singles by Eric Chavez and Jeremy Giambi and the RBI double by Hernandez. Giambi also tried to score on Hernandez's hit, but was thrown out at home.

Oakland made it 5-3 in the eighth when Miguel Tejada singled, moved up on a wild pitch by Mike Stanton and scored on a single by Chavez.

# Giants look to World Series

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO

Jeff Kent smiled and joked. He made fun of somebody's hat. When asked why he liked playing for Dusty Baker, he praised his manager's "really cool wristbands."

It was clear San Francisco's intense second baseman was in an unusually playful mood as the Giants prepared for Wednesday's start of their NL playoff series against the New York Mets, his former team.

That's why it was difficult to tell how serious Kent actually was when he talked about how much a championship would mean to him.

"I put so much effort into playing this game as a team, that if we win the dang World Series, you might not see me playing next year."

*"I put so much effort into playing this game as a team, that if we win the dang World Series, you might not see me playing next year."*

**Jeff Kent  
Giants' cleanup hitter**

said Kent, an NL MVP candidate and the Giants' cleanup hitter.

"That's how valuable winning the championship is for me. I'd trade just about all my valuable possessions just to be there. I would trade everything I have, because that's what you work for when you're an athlete is to be No. 1. ... I could be No. 1 with the championship ring and the championship trophy on my fireplace."

Whether Kent was kidding or not, the stakes in this series clearly are high. Game 1 on Wednesday features 1997 World Series hero Livan Hernandez pitching for the Giants against Mike Hampton. Both teams began the season expecting lengthy postseason runs, but one won't get there.

The Giants finished with baseball's best record and coasted into the postseason, while New York, making the playoffs in consecutive seasons for the first time, had a chance to catch its collective breath this fall.

Last season, the Mets were forced to win a wild card tiebreaker playoff in Cincinnati before advancing to playoffs against Arizona. They won, then were eliminated 4-2 by Atlanta in the NL championship series.

This year, the Mets clinched the wild card with four games to spare and got their top play-

ers as much rest as possible. Especially catcher Mike Piazza, who was injured last October.

The Mets' star is a career .210 hitter in the postseason, and many think it's because of the wear and tear he endures over a season of catching.

But manager Bobby Valentine judiciously rested Piazza this season with an eye toward the playoffs.

Piazza said he's fairly healthy this October, even though "my body actually looks like an old banana."

His .231 average in September notwithstanding, Piazza feels ready for the rigors of postseason play.

"All of us have worked hard and we've got some war wounds, but we're ready to go," he said. "We've had some time to recuperate, and it's all even from here on out."

Piazza and Barry Bonds, a career .200 postseason hitter, aren't the only players looking to shake October slumps. Hampton, who said he sees no significance in his 9-0 career record against the Giants, hasn't won in three previous playoff appearances.

New York manager Bobby Valentine said Hampton's success against San Francisco was a primary reason he got the first start over Al Leiter.

"I've never seen him in a fight, but he can compete," Valentine said of Hampton. "He does well in the battle."

It also helps that Hampton is a left-hander. San Francisco went just 19-20 against lefty starters, though neither team puts much stock in that statistic.

Baker isn't scared by the Mets' left-handed look with Hampton followed by Leiter in Game 2. Marvin Benard and J.T. Snow, two Giants who struggle against lefties, will be in Baker's starting lineup on Wednesday.

"I'm just going with the best team I think that we can field for the first game," Baker said.

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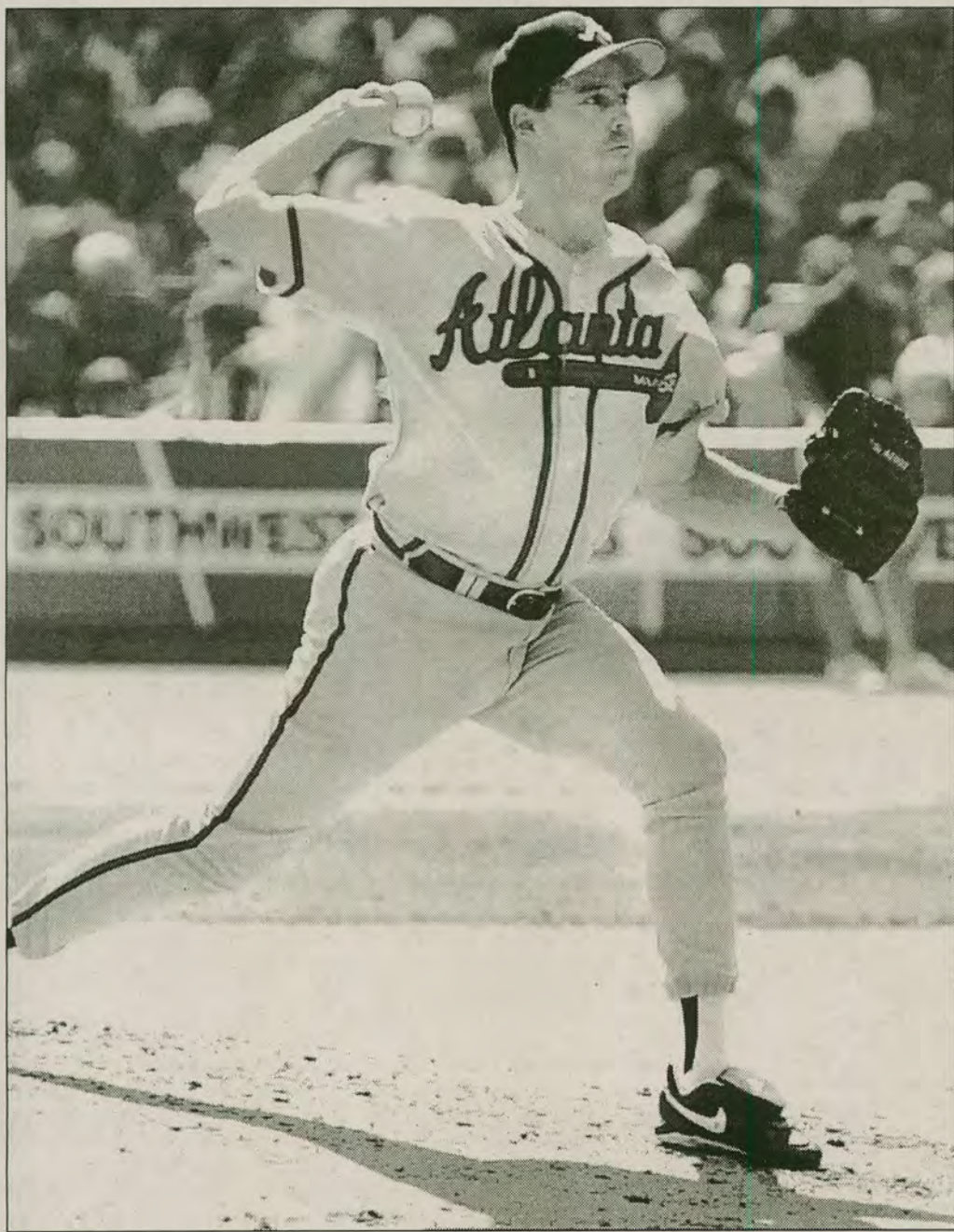
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## NATIONAL LEAGUE PLAYOFFS

## Cardinals cling to victory in postseason duel with Braves



Atlanta Braves pitcher Greg Maddux (above) took credit for his team's loss to the St. Louis Cardinals in Game One of the playoffs Tuesday.

Associated Press

## ST. LOUIS

The Cardinals opened the playoffs with a wild win, beating the bumbling Atlanta Braves despite the most out-of-control pitching in the major leagues in more than a century.

Rick Ankiel, a surprise Game 1 starter for St. Louis, became the first pitcher in 110 years to throw five wild pitches in one inning, but St. Louis held on to a six-run, first-inning lead and beat the Braves 7-5 Tuesday.

With the help of two errors and a fly ball center fielder Andruw Jones apparently lost in the sun, St. Louis got its first five batters on in the first against Greg Maddux, who dropped to 10-11 in postseason play.

Placido Polanco, who went 3-for-4, hit a two-run single as the Cardinals tied a postseason record for runs in the opening inning. Jim Edmonds added a home run in the fourth.

Atlanta made three errors in all, contributing to two unearned runs, just two days after Chipper Jones' ninth-inning error cost the defending NL champions home-field advantage in the first round.

Mike James relieved Ankiel and got the final out of the third, then pitched two more innings for the win. Dave Veres worked the ninth for the save, allowing an RBI single to Brian Jordan, who had three hits.

After a day off Wednesday, the series resumes with Darryl Kile pitching for St. Louis against Tom Glavine in a matchup of the NL's only 20-game winners, then travels to Atlanta for the weekend.

Ankiel, a 21-year-old rookie, originally was to pitch later in the series, but Cardinals manager Tony La Russa made the switch Monday.

Given the 6-0 lead, he stumbled in the third and became only the second pitcher in major league history to throw five wild pitches in an inning. On Sept. 15, 1890, Bert Cunningham did it for Buffalo of the Players League in the first inning of the second game of a doubleheader.

All but one of Ankiel's wild pitches were fastballs, most of them high over the head of catcher

Carlos Hernandez. The fifth was a curve that bounced about five feet in front of the plate.

Hernandez also made a leaping grab to prevent what would have been another.

Ankiel, scheduled to pitch again in Game 4 on Sunday, threw 12 wild pitches in 175 regular-season innings. More than half (34) of his 66 pitches Tuesday were balls.

Maddux lasted four innings, giving up seven runs — five earned — and nine hits.

Atlanta was just 3-for-13 with runners in scoring position, while St. Louis was 3-for-15.

Mark McGwire, limited to one plate appearance per game because of knee pain, pinch hit in the eighth and was intentionally walked by Kerry Ligtenberg.

St. Louis, which took a 3-1 lead against Atlanta in the 1996 NL championship series and then lost three straight, quickly got ahead.

Fernando Vina reached on an infield single leading off, J.D. Drew singled and Edmonds' fly ball dropped next to Andruw Jones as the game's first run scored.

Will Clark's single made it 2-0 and Ray Lankford reached when his grounder bounced off the glove of third baseman Chipper Jones, allowing another run to score.

After a sacrifice and an intentional walk, Placido Polanco hit a two-run single to center and advanced to second when Andruw Jones' throw home hit the mound.

Catcher Paul Bako allowed another run to score when he threw wildly to second, trying to catch Polanco going for the extra base.

The third was even wilder.

Ankiel opened the inning with a four-pitch walk to Maddux, then threw a fifth ball before getting a visit from pitching coach Dave Duncan.

La Russa didn't start warming up a reliever until Brian Jordan, the sixth batter of the inning, hit an RBI single.

Andruw Jones scored on the first wild pitch, Jordan hit an RBI single, and Walt Weiss had a two-run single.

Cardinals rookie Britt Reames, an unexpected member of the postseason staff, escaped a bases-loaded jam in the seventh when he got Reggie Sanders on a popout and pinch-hitter Bobby Bonilla on a groundout.

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## AMERICAN LEAGUE

## Twins sign manager Kelly to one-year contract extension

Associated Press

## MINNEAPOLIS

Tom Kelly agreed Tuesday to a one-year contract extension to return for a 15th season as manager of the Minnesota Twins.

Kelly, who has the longest tenure of any major league manager, led the Twins to World Series titles in 1987 and 1991, but in recent years has led Minnesota through eight straight losing seasons.

He met for nearly three hours Tuesday with Twins owner Carl Pohlad before the extension was announced.

"I said I wanted to manage at least one more year, maybe not more than that," Kelly said. "I've been managing a long time.

Some say too long, but I don't think so."

Kelly, 50, has guided the Twins since Sept. 12, 1986, when he replaced Ray Miller.

"He is without a doubt one of the finest managers in the game today and we are extremely pleased to have him leading our club," Pohlad said in a statement.

A native of Graceville, Minn., Kelly — nicknamed "TK" — began his relationship with the Twins as a minor league player in 1971.

Kelly has a 1,055-1,167 career record but is 529-709 during the past eight seasons.

The Twins' payroll this season was a major-league low \$15.8 million.

"We've made the team better one time, two times," Kelly said. "I'd like to make it better one more time. It's a challenge. Do you accept it or go somewhere where they give players \$80 million to play?"

Though few have questioned Kelly's ability to manage, some players raised doubts as to whether he was the right man to handle the youthful Twins.

Doug Mientkiewicz, a U.S. hero at the Olympic Games, said his stint with the Twins was like "walking on eggshells." Todd Walker, the Twins' top pick in 1996, struggled under Kelly and criticized the way he handled young players.

"I think Kelly can go to the extreme when he talks about what a guy can or can't do," Walker said after he was traded to Colorado in July. "Especially what he can't do. I think

ultimately I consider the source."

Kelly had said in recent days that he wanted to continue managing the Twins, though only if he had management's support. The team has a strong base of starting pitchers (Brad Radke, Eric Milton and Mark Redman) and some promising young players (shortstop Cristian Guzman and outfielders Matt Lawton, Torii Hunter and Jacque Jones).

Pohlad also initiated talks Tuesday with general manager Terry Ryan, who was at the

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expects Ryan to be retained, but the final decision is Pohlad's.



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tion to our athletes. Belles teams and Irish teams take abuse from both sides of the street. Now it's time to offer support from both side as well.

As a Saint Mary's student and a member of this community, I support my Irish teams. I was probably one of the first to lose my voice at the Nebraska game. The support of Saint Mary's athletics doesn't end at U.S. 31.

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It's time for another Notre Dame community pep rally. Only tonight the Leprechaun can sit back and relax as the Belle Heads take the helm. I encourage all of you, from Notre Dame and Saint Mary's alike, to come and support your school by supporting your community.

*The opinions expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.*

# Football

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and second down and then Gary Godsey comes in [to throw] on third down," Davie said. "I just don't think that you can win at this level doing that."

Uncertainty behind the line of scrimmage is not the only reason the Irish were looking forward to an off-week. Four highly-touted games against ranked opponents to open the season have left the Irish emotionally and physically exhausted. A last minute win against Purdue and losses on the final plays of the games to Nebraska and Michigan State have taken a toll on the Irish squad.

"Let's face it, losing that game on the last play of the game up there in East Lansing takes a lot of wind out of you," Davie said. "You're glad you don't have to come back and play the next week."

Physically, the Irish also benefited from the rest.

"We had five or six players last week that maybe could have played another week, but may not have been ready to play the following week," Davie said. "You know, there are some guys that pushed it pretty hard and have been playing nicked up."

While the Irish hope their performance on Saturday benefits from the open date, the Cardinal learned first hand that an off-week is not always a bonus.

After riding a 2-1 record and an upset over Texas into a free weekend mid-September, the Cardinal lost any momentum they had



ERNESTO LACAYO/The Observer

**Matt LoVecchio (above) could become Notre Dame's first freshman quarterback to start since 1987 this Saturday. Either LoVecchio or sophomore Gary Godsey will start.**

gained since their loss to San Jose State and performed poorly against Arizona, putting only nine points on the board.

The Irish that they have used their week off better and plan to show it on when they step on the field.

"These guys are hungry and they are excited, and that's the most important thing to me," Davie said. "You know, you sensed the energy yesterday. There was a genuine excitement at practice."

I think this team realizes that even though it has two losses, we have a chance to be really a good football team. So I think this team sees that there certainly is a lot to play for."

# Soccer

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half with an aggressive offense. At the 47:40 mark, sophomore Erich Braun drove the ball towards the goal before passing the ball off to the side to freshman Filippo Chillemi. Chellemi quickly found Detter dashing across the far right wing, where Detter took the pass and kicked the ball into the right side of the goal for his second score of the game.

"Fillipo Chelemi played me a great ball across the middle," said Detter. "I just struck it well and it went in."

The Irish continued to create chances throughout the second half. At the 57:00 mark, senior tri-captain Connor LaRose nearly put two headers in the goal, each of which was stopped by a diving Berlin.

Five minutes later, Rosso was fouled in the box, giving the Irish a free kick, which was taken by Braun.

Braun shot the ball to the far right side of the goal, only to see Berlin make another amazing stop.

"He stopped a very well-hit penalty," said Apple. Apple also noted that the Wildcats moved to a defensive focus during the second half. "They put 11 men in the box at times," said Apple. "When a team does that it's hard sometimes to break them down. It's hard to score."

Detter's goals give the freshman three on the season. After a strong start during exhibitions and the season-opening tournament in Las Vegas, Detter has struggled with his shot while shuffling between forward and his natural position in the midfield.

Tuesday night, everything seemed to go right for the spiked-haired blonde from White Lake, Michigan. Detter took eight shots, all of which had a real chance to go in the net. "Justin had a great game," said Apple. "He won every single air ball. He and Griffin [Howard] were great today in the air. He had two beautiful goals."

Detter credits his coach's offensive focus for the improved play. "One of our big focuses on training the last week or so has been having the discipline to put the shots on goal," said Detter.

Despite coming into the game with a winless record this season, Northwestern put forth an impressive effort. Apple has observed that most teams try a little bit harder against the Irish.

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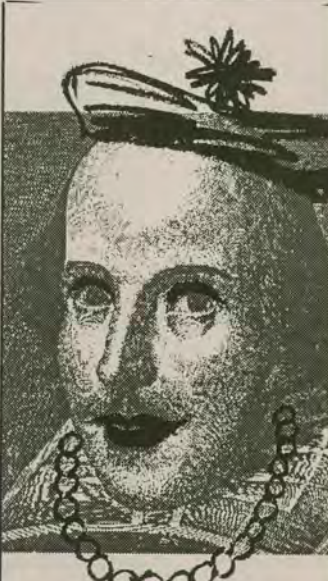
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# WOMEN'S SOCCER

## Belles bolster for tough road game against Hope



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Saint Mary's hopes to rebound from a shutout loss to Albion last weekend by defeating the Hope Flying Dutchmen today. The Belles are coming off a strong week of practices heading into the match with the Dutchmen.

By SARAH RYKOWSKI  
Sports Writer

The Belles hope to outgun the Flying Dutchmen in an away match today.

"Yesterday we had a really good, intensive practice," sophomore forward Shawna Jiannoni said. "If we play tomorrow like we practiced [this week], the game is ours. We just have to put the intensity and effort into it."

After the shutout loss to top-ranked Albion, the Belles spent Monday and Tuesday working on their shots and filling in holes in their lineup.

Saint Mary's soccer will face the Flying Dutchmen without two of their top defensemen, Alissa Brasseur and Jessica Klink. Brasseur is out for the season with a foot injury and Klink, Belles tri-captain, is out at least for this game. Both women play sweeper.

"Alissa [Brasseur] and Klink are both core defenders," Jiannoni said. "Whoever replaces them will have to do some moving to make up for what we've lost."

Saint Mary's feels that practice will fill in those gaps and turn

around the offensive problems.

"We've been practicing really well lately," sophomore Lynn Taylor said. "Hopefully our injuries will not hold us back. We'll be able to adjust but our offense will have to step it up."

The Flying Dutchmen are looking for their second win of the season, as they will enter Wednesday's contest with a 1-7-1 record overall and are 1-4-1 in the MIAA under first-year head coach Leigh Sears.

They defeated Adrian on September 12 in a 3-0 shutout victory, but otherwise have suffered defeats at the hands of Calvin, Albion, Kalamazoo, and Olivet, as well as non-league losses to Wheaton, and Aquinas.

The Flying Dutchmen opened the 2000 season facing their new coach's alma mater, Ohio Wesleyan, and were shut out 13-0.

"I think we can definitely compete against them," Taylor said. "I'm ready for a well-played game."

Unlike the Belles, the Dutchmen return most of their 1999 squad.

Although sophomore tri-captain Laura Splinter was given the starting job in goal at the start of

the season, freshman goaltender Lauren Hinkle has seen most of the action in the net this season, and has only allowed 20 goals since the first game against Ohio Wesleyan.

Junior Amy Dobb leads the Dutchmen with 3 goals this season, tied with Stephanie Artnak, who has scored 3 goals on penalty kicks for the Belles. Hope's 1999 All-MIAA players, Emilie Dirkse and Lindsey O'Dell, also return. Dirkse was also named All-MIAA in 1998.

"We need to build team chemistry," Jiannoni said. "We are working on it, and its coming on slowly but surely. That's flat out what we need to win tomorrow."

In the 1999 match-up between the Belles and the Dutchmen, the Belles fell 2-1, with the lone Saint Mary's goal coming from veteran scorer Heather Muth. The Dutchmen finished that season 8-9-1 overall and 5-3-0 in the MIAA to just beat out the Belles for fourth place in the final conference standings.

"We're working hard for this game," Kristin Priganc, junior forward, said. "We need to go in with a positive mental attitude and then we will walk away with a win."

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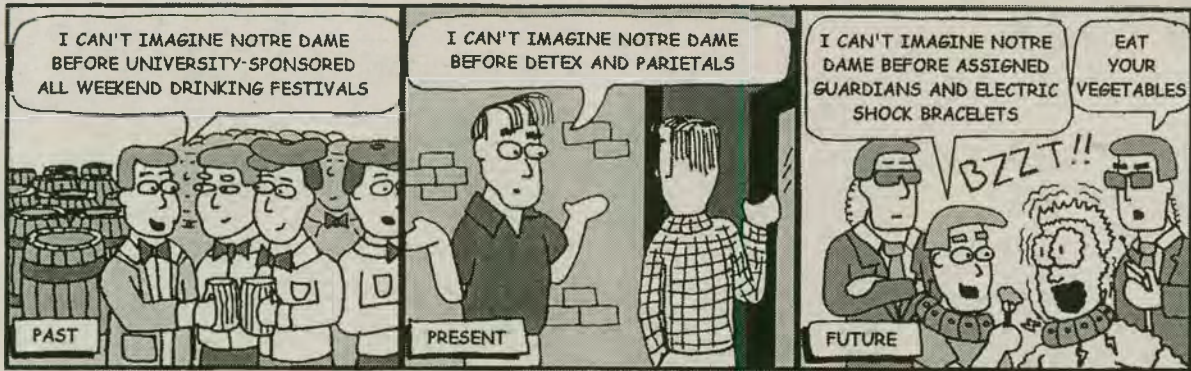
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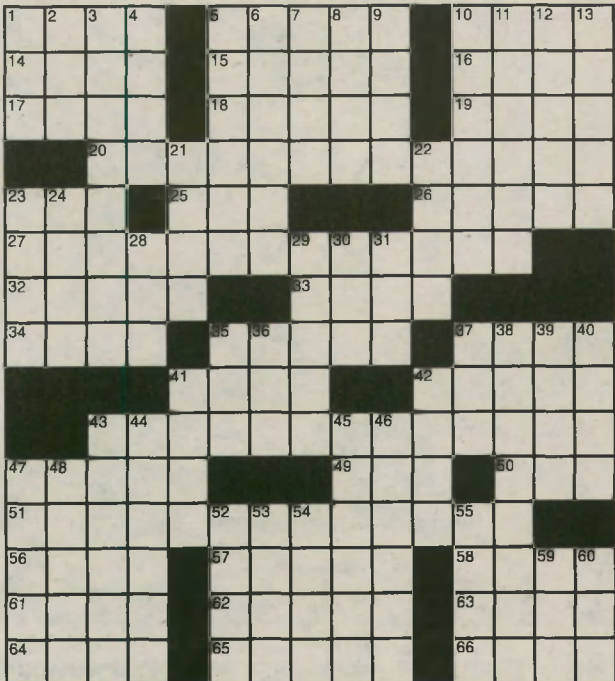
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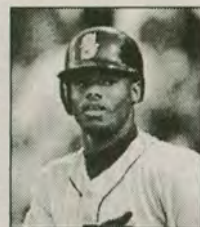


# SPORTS

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## Belles, Irish share athletic community

Proud fans sporting team apparel. The mascot riling up the crowd. Coaches and players promising wins.

Every Friday night before a home football game this is the scene at the JACC. How would I know? I'm a Saint Mary's student and as part of the Notre Dame community I head across the street on Friday night to support my teams.



Katie McVoy

Inside Saint Mary's Sports

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Coming from a family of alumni, I can't imagine a Notre Dame pep rally without the entire community, including Saint Mary's, being present.

It's time for Saint Mary's to take its turn as the host and invite the entire community to come and support its teams. This afternoon, Saint Mary's will be hosting a pep rally to show support for its athletic teams. We want to extend an invitation to our Notre Dame community members to come join us in supporting our women athletes.

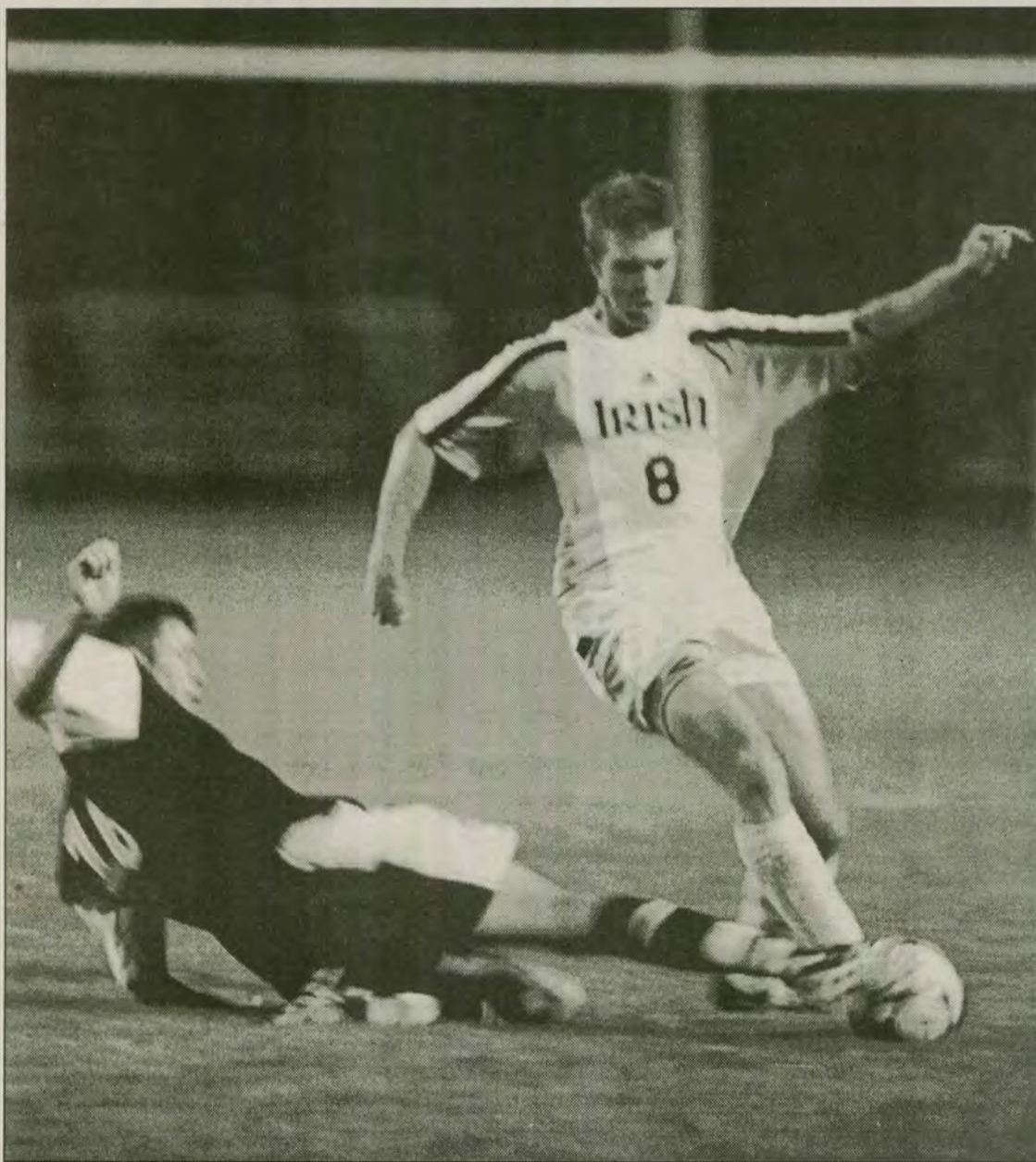
These teams that play on the Saint Mary's campus don't belong only to the women of Saint Mary's. They are part of the entire community. Students of Notre Dame — they are your teams too. Our athletes welcome our support.

We can't give you Division I play or promise a swarm of reporters, but that's not what it's all about. A sense of community is something that students on both campuses have been struggling for. Here is an opportunity to show ourselves and each other that we can come together through mutual respect and dedica-

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## MEN'S SOCCER

# Irish end slide in defeating Wildcats



LIZ LANG/The Observer

Senior midfielder Griffin Howard kicks the ball away from a Northwestern defender in Notre Dame's 2-1 victory.

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Assistant Sports Editor

Ending a three-game losing streak, the Irish men's soccer team literally shut the lights out on the Wildcats of Northwestern during their 2-1 win Tuesday night. The Irish put 25 shots on goal during the game which was delayed for 40 minutes in the second half when the lights went out due to a power outage.

"We had a lot of shots," said Irish head coach Chris Apple. "We shot the lights out, so to speak."

The Irish started out the scoring 13:37 into the game, as freshman Justin Dettler took a corner kick by junior Matt Rosso and headed into the lower left side of the box, past Wildcat goalkeeper Chris Berlin for the game's first score.

The lead would not last long, as the Wildcat offense soon came alive. Four minutes later, Northwestern senior Jun Kim took a pass from teammate Paul Elkins near the back of the box. Kim let the ball drop off of his chest, kicked the ball before it hit the ground, and watched as it sailed past Irish goalie Greg Tait into the upper-left end of the goal.

The Irish took four more shots in the first half, none of which they were able to get past Berlin's goal-keeping.

"Their defenders saved more balls off the line than I've ever seen," said Apple after the game. "Their goalkeeper made some great saves."

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## FOOTBALL

# Davie, team use bye week to advantage

By KERRY SMITH  
Sports Editor

Open dates on a football schedule can prove to be either a bane or a boon for teams trying to weigh in on the winning side of a score card.

Struggling teams cannot seem to find enough free weekends to regroup and teams on top of their games do not need the break to keep the juggernaut rolling.

For head coach Bob Davie and his struggling 2-2 Irish, last weekend's break was perfect timing.

"The open date came at a good time for us for obvious reasons," said Davie Tuesday in his weekly pregame press conference. "[Being in] somewhat of a transition right now offensively with young quarterbacks, I think certainly the more time that you have, the better you're able to put a plan in and all of the checks and things."

The uncertainty behind the line of scrimmage remains with four days until the Irish head back into Notre Dame Stadium to take on the Stanford Cardinal.

Davie pegged freshman Matt LoVecchio as the proba-

ble starter in Saturday's contest, but cautioned that the decision could come down to the wire.

"If I had to say right now it would probably be Matt LoVecchio, if I based it just on yesterday's practice," Davie said. "But I'm still not ready to say that [the starter] definitely is Matt LoVecchio. I don't know that there will be any dramatic changes between now and Friday or Saturday, but certainly there will be the opportunity for some changes if somebody comes out there and just does a tremendous job. But I think right now it is Matt LoVecchio

and then Gary Godsey and then Jared Clark."

Unable to run the option, Godsey struggled in his second start of his career at Michigan State and the Irish had to turn to LoVecchio, a more versatile player to take the helm of a struggling offensive attack.

"The situation that we got ourselves into when Gary was the quarterback against Purdue and Michigan State took a big chunk of our offense away and that's why I do not want to get into a situation where it's Matt on first

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Friday, 4 p.m.



at West Virginia  
Saturday, 11 a.m.



vs. Stanford  
Saturday, 1:30 p.m.