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MIDDLE RIVER, Md. - Nine families who live in the area where a stealth fighter crashed Sunday have not yet been allowed to return to their homes. Military police, citing national security, are keeping people away from the area as investigators try to recover pieces of the F-117A jet. "It is a secret aircraft, obviously we want to protect it the best way we can," said Capt. Drew Sullins, a Maryland National Guard spokesman. The plane was participating in an air show Sunday when it went down in the suburban Baltimore area and crashed into a house. Six people on the ground were injured; the pilot ejected safely.

WASHINGTON - A new study on hunger in the USA shows as many as 11 million people don't have enough food to eat on a daily basis. The Agriculture Department study, based on census data and obtained by USA TODAY, shows 4.2 million households with hungry people in them. It includes parents who sometimes skip meals so others in the house have enough to eat, but does not include an estimated 600,000 homeless people. The Agriculture Department released the study to coincide with a summit on how to save some of the 96 billion pounds of food that's wasted each year.

AUSTIN, Texas - Top officials at the University of Texas are denouncing as abhorrent a law school professor's claim that black and Hispanic students can't compete with whites and have cultures in which failure "is not looked upon with disgrace." 67-year-old Lino Graglia's comments came last week, during the announcement of a student organization that supports a recent federal court ruling outlawing race-based admissions policies in Texas, He is the group's faculty adviser. The Rev. Jesse Jackson is leading a demonstration on campus objecting to the comments on Tuesday.

AIKEN, S.C. - Authorities say a man who had been fired two months ago from his job at the parts plant shot seven people there Monday, killing four of them. Arthur Hastings Wise, 43, was captured by a SWAT team about 2 1/2 hours after the afternoon shooting spree. He was hospitalized in critical condition. A hospital spokeswoman said it appeared Wise had taken some type of drug. He faces four counts of murder and three counts of assault and battery with intent to kill, Aiken County sheriff's Lt. Michael Frank said.

WASHINGTON - Two popular diet drugs - Redux and one half of the fen-phen combination - were pulled off the market Monday after being linked to serious heart damage. The Food and Drug Administration recommended that anyone now using Redux, known chemically as dexfenfluramine, or Pondimin, known chemically as fenfluramine, stop taking the drugs and contact their doctors. Fenfluramine is half of the popular diet drug combination called fen-phen. The other half, phentermine, is not affected by Monday's withdrawal, but patients could no longer use the combination.

Recent figures from 1996 indicate that AIDS is no longer the top killer of young adults (ages 25-44). According to the government, deaths from AIDS fell 26% last year. "The investments we have made in education and prevention programs are pay real dividends," says David Satcher of the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

PASADENA, Calif. - NASA hopes the Mars Global Surveyor will give a bird's-eye view of the red planet to go along with the worm's-eye continued on page 3

The Writing Center is Now Open

Le Tien Editor-in-chief

The Writing Center officially opened its doors with a Grand Opening Ceremony on Wednesday, September 17, 1997. Located on the fourth floor in Hall 6, the Writing Center is a place where students can receive assistance with their writing assignments in all subject matters.

Headed by Jean-Paul Nadeau, assistant director of the Learning Center, the Writing Center's philosophy is to educate its clients. As Mr. Nadeau puts it, "We want students to learn here. We want students to come away as independent writers and thinkers because they will have to write without the Writing Center later on. We want to give students the skills to be a successful writer."

The Writing Center, a spin-off of the Learning Center, came about because of a tremendous need for help in writing. Mr. Nadeau worked as a writing specialist last year, and found that his appointments filled up with regularity. According to Mr. Nadeau, "There is a definite demand for help in writing, and faculty were crying out for this type of support."

Some programs offer by the Writing Center includes individualized or one-on-one conferencing, on-site writing workshops, and small group writing workshop. Assistance is available by appointment Sunday through Friday, with walk-in hours from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday. Students can make appointments for 30 minutes to an hour with either a writing consultant or a specialist.

Bryant students serve as writing consultants because of their excellent writing skills. They were recommended by the Writing Center Advisory Board for these positions. Currently, there are ten consultants, all of which trained during the first week of school. Their job is to assist students with writing papers by proofreading, and providing suggestions on grammar and subject content.

Writing Specialists are professionals with teaching experience. The Writing Center is staffed by two writing specialists (Tom Grady and Mia Ruscetta) and English as a Second Language (ESL) Specialist (Saiyeda Khatun). Their primary function is to consult with the Bryant community about writing.

Mr. Nadeau emphasizes that the Center will not write the paper for the student, but teach them how to write effectively. "The pen is really in the student's hand," he said. "We only point them in the right direction."

Writing Center's Hours

Monday – Thursday
Friday
Sunday
Walk-in hours
Monday – Thursday

11 a.m. – 10 p.m.
11 a.m. – 4 p.m.
1 p.m. – 10 p.m.
3 p.m. – 6 p.m.

Writing Consultants

Aubry Bettencourt, Chevonne Collins, Jessica Dodge, Shushanik Faryan, Irina Goman, Daniel Pepin, Lauren Satterlee, Melissa Strenko, Brendan Walsh. Jessica Wocel

Writing Specialists

Thomas Grady—has a M.A. in English from the University of San Diego. Mr. Grady is an award-winning playwright and is currently an Associate Professor at Bristol Community College.

Mia Ruscetta—has a M.A. in Philosophy from the University of Rhode Island. Mrs. Ruscetta has 6 years experience teaching English and philosophy.

Saiyeda Khatun (ESL Specialist)—has a M.A. in English from Northeastern University and is currently completing her dissertation for a Ph.D. in English at the University of Rhode Island.



Take advantage of the Writing Center's services!

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ARCHWAY EDICT:

 Archway writers' meetings take place at 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays in *The Archway* office. All are welcome to attend.

2. Editorial board meetings are held Sunday's at

3. All submissions must be received by 4:00 p.m. on the Tuesday before publication. Copy received after this may or may not be printed, depending on space limitations. *Archway* Office Hours are 2:00-4:00 p.m., Mondays and Tuesdays.

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 Advertisements are due no later than 4:00 p.m. on the Tuesday before publication. Rate sheets can be obtained by calling *The Archway* Ad Department at 232-6028.

6. Letters to the Editor must be signed and include the writer's telephone number. Names may be withheld upon request.

The Wrong Image

Where is this college headed? I have been here for three years, and although some things have changed, others have remained the same. As a freshman in the fall of 1994, I was in awe at Bryant and its people. Now, I am disappointed at the way some of us act.

Have we, as students, forgotten why we are here? Ask yourself these two questions. Did your parents work hard to pay for you to obtain a higher eduction from this fine institution? or Did your parents fork over their money for you to make fools out of yourselves? I never had any negative image of the Greek system here at Bryant during my freshmen year. However, after last week's episode in Hall 2, I have a true disdain for those individuals involved.

For those of you who unaware of what I am referring too, here's a quick overview: On Thursday night, a few fraternity brothers decided it would be cool to hang off of the sprinkler pipes in Hall 2. Thanks to their behavior, floors 1 and 2 of the hall were flooded, and those living there had to find another place to sleep for the night.

My questions to those guys is: Was it worth it, boys? You have made complete fools out of yourselves, and for what—a few cheers from your brothers? Sure, you'll have stories to tell to the brothers, or the girls that you try so hard to impress. Wow, it must have been a great feeling to flood Hall 2! If only we all had the cajones to do something like that.

But this type of behavior has been going on for a very long time. Every year there seems to be countless stories about how fraternities and sororities behave in a manner that gives the Greek System a negative image. For example, remember the time when a fraternity decided it would be cool to destroy all of the furniture in their suite. Or the time another fraternity decided to tear down their walls and break all the windows and doors to Hall 3. I guess mommy and daddy have a big wallet.

This type of irresponsible behavior has only reinforced my disdain for Greek members who destroy college property. True, there are members of Greek organizations who are great people and model citizens. In fact, I have friendships with many of them. However, it just takes an irresponsible act like last Thursday to cast a negative image on the Greek system; which leads me to question the leadership of each fraternity and sorority.

Isn't there more to college life than drinking? Every week, in every issue of *The Archway*, I see Greeks talking about how they got "wasted" this past weekend. It's like, if you read one Greek column, you've read them all. I guess businesses are right (to a certain extent) when they say that Bryant students cannot write.

I have a question for the leaders of these Greek organizations: Is that the image you want or think the Greeks should portray? Do you think you can promote a healthy and positive atmosphere by talking about how you got so drunk that you couldn't remember anything the next day? If this is the representation that you want, then continue to do what you have been doing. My only hope is that you realize what type of image you are casting—on yourself and the rest of the college.

Senate Update

Welcome back everyone. I would like to start off by letting everyone know "The Chronicle" is off and running. It will be presented to the campus by the third week in October. Molly and I would like to thank all those who have helped us through the tedious process of putting it together. A special thanks to Brian Willinsky and Steve Lazarus for the help with the mass mailing.

Bob Fressola did an excellent job with elections this year. All went well, and I would like to congratulate the six new Freshman Senators on their great campaigns. We wish you the best of

luck throughout the year.

Julie and Molly having been working extremely hard on Parents' and Family Weekend, and we hope the entire Bryant community participates in the fun events planned. Don't forget that this year the Senate moved Parents' and Family Weekend ahead one weekend. It will be held on the weekend of October 24, 25, and 26.

The Student Senate meetings are held every Wednesday at 4:00 p.m., in Papitto.

All are welcome to attend. Please bring any ideas, concerns, or issues about the campus to us.

Barbara Walsh Student Senate Secretary

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NEWS

Apple names Jobs interim CEO

The Associated Press

Apple Computer said Tuesday it hopes to have a new chief executive by year's end and disclosed its new board has formally named cofounder Steve Jobs interim CEO.

Jobs, the de facto chief of the struggling computer maker since the old board ousted chief executive Gil Amelio on July 9. has refused to take over permanently. A reshuffling at Cupertino, Califbased Apple led to the replacement of most of the board of directors last month.

The new board gathered last week for its first regularly scheduled meeting and named Jobs interim CEO, the company said Tuesday. The board also reviewed the search for a chief executive with its recruiter and said it expects an appointment before the end of the vear.

Apple has been beset by financial losses, disappointing sales and eroding market share.

Jobs, who co-founded Apple with his friend, Steve Wozniak, in 1976, left the company in 1985. But he returned in December as an adviser when Apple bought NeXT Software, the company Jobs founded after leaving Apple. Jobs remains the head of Pixar Animation Studios.

Since Amelio's ouster, Jobs has cut off executive bonuses, reduced severance pay and eliminated sabbaticals. The company now is paying only for coach air fares for employees on trips shorter than 10 hours

In addition, Apple under Jobs has foughtcompetition by limitinglicensing on clones of its Macintosh personal computers and has formed an alliance with long-time rival Microsoft.

Bad roads costly to Americans

The Associated Press

Americans spend four times as much fixing damage to their cars caused by bad roads than state highway departments spend on repairing those roads, according to a study released Tuesday by two public interest groups.

More than one-fourth of the nation's most heavily traveled urban roads are in poor or mediocre condition, meaning they need immediate repair, said the study by Surface Transportation Policy Project and the Environmental Working Group.

ers spend \$4.77 billion annually on car repairs resulting from poor road conditions.

Their report said drivers are urban fighways rated poor or mediocre.

They also looked at the percentage of flexible federal funds that

At the same time, state highway departments spend \$1.3 billion fixing those same roads, the groups said. The groups studied the 38 states with more than 100 miles of urban highways.

"Failure to fix urban highways adds nearly \$2,000 in maintenance costs over the life of a car in some metropoliintended for repairs to building new roads.

Congress is currently debating a renewal of the multibillion-dollar road program. The groups urged that the new law require states to certify that they have adequate maintenance funds available and that at least 90% of existing urban highways are in good condition before allowing new construction.

The report found that Iowa has the largest share of urban roads in poor or mediocre repair - 56% - with Illinois, Florida, Oklahoma and Arkansas also finishing poorly.

ranking, with none of its urban highways

They also looked at the percentage of flexible federal funds that could be used for road repair that go to that use in each state studied. Minnesota spent the biggest share, 96% of that available, while South Carolina used just 7% of available money for urban road repair, the study said.

Overall, less than half of the money available for urban highway repair was actually spent on repair by state transportation departments, the report found.

Weld gives up battle for envoy post

The Associated Press

William F. Weld, the moderate Republican nominated by President Clinton to be U.S. ambassador to Mexico, abandoned his fight against conservative Sen. Jesse Helms Monday and told the White House to withdraw his nomination. Clinton agreed to do so.

In a White House news conference, the former Massachusetts governor said, "I asked President Clinton to withdraw my name ... so I can go back to New England, where no one has to approach the government on bended knee to ask it to do its duty."

He said he would have been nominated if a confirmation hearing had not been blocked by Helms - the conservative North Carolina senator he derisively called "that man."

He praised Clinton for fighting on his behalf, "The president has stood treetops tall on this entire matter," Weld said. Clinton did not appear with Weld, but "the man has a day job," he said.

Though the nomination was not made official until July 23, Clinton let it be known weeks earlier that he would cross party lines to tap the popular Republican governor for the post. The nomination sparked an

explosive debate in the Republican ranks, with moderates lining upbehind Weld and conservatives siding with the prickly Helms.

The White House's support of the nominee wavered from time to time, though Clinton's political aides immediately recognized the benefits of challenging Helms.

"To the extent that people look at Jesse Helms as the face of the Republican Party, I think that carries a certain amount of freight with it," Weld said.

Weld made his announcement in the White House briefing room, a setting normally used by presidents and their press secretaries – not failed ambassadorial nominees.

Weld said he will remain active in politics, though he's returning to the private sector for now. "I've had enough of Washington for the next little while," he said.

Perhaps positioning himself as an independent-minded moderate, Weld lashed out at Washington and Helms.

He called Washington "a funny town" and accused Helms of criticizing him "as though shot from guns."

"It's evident that for some reason he was laying in wait for me," Weld said.

Asked about Senate Majority Trent Lott, who called the nomination "dead" Sunday, Lott said, "He was carrying water for his chairman" -Helms.

And he offered advice to Clinton's next nominee: "Stand up for your rights. If not, they'll run right over you."

Aides said Monday the president had no ready candidate to replace Weld. Gov. Bob Miller, a Democrat from Nevada, has been mentioned as a possibility, but aides note that the state's lieutenant governor,

Lonnie Hammargren, is a Republican.

Weld said he was afraid Helms and conservative Republicans would attack other Clinton initiatives - such as "fast track" authority for trade agreements - if he continued to fight.

Press secretary Mike McCurry said a new nominee would not be named soon. The selection process "is back at the starting point now," he said.

Helms, R-N.C., is chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. He refused to grant his fellow Republican a hearing, saying that Weld was "a little loose with his lips."

He also said Weld, a moderate on many issues, including his backing of the medical use of marijuana, was the incorrect choice for a posting in Mexico, which has long struggled to fight drug traffickers.

Weld said Helms disliked his political philosophy, not his drug record. He resigned as governor on July 29 to head to Capitol Hill to make his case personally.

As recently as Sunday, Weld said public opinion could force the Senate to at least vote on his stalled nomination.

"I'd anticipated he'd at one point see the wisdom of withdrawing his nomination because it wasn't going to be confirmed," Lott told a group of reporters today, adding that Weld "conducted himself outrageously" by personally attacking Helms. "The nominee didn't handle himself well."

Even after Clinton and scores of senators called on Helms to grant Weld a hearing, and fellow Republican Richard Lugar called Helms "dictatorial," the senator refused. That forced an extraordinary meeting of the Foreign Relations Committee on Friday in which Helms asserted his right to block a nomination.

Helms did nearly all the talking and said that Weld had threatened to "begin a war within the Republican Party. Well, let him try, let him try."

Weld, whose stance in favor of abortion rights also distanced him from the conservative wing of his party, was in the room for the meeting but was given no opportunity to speak.

Weld, who was more than halfway through his second term as governor, was replaced by Lt. Gov. Paul Cellucci, who holds the title of acting governor.

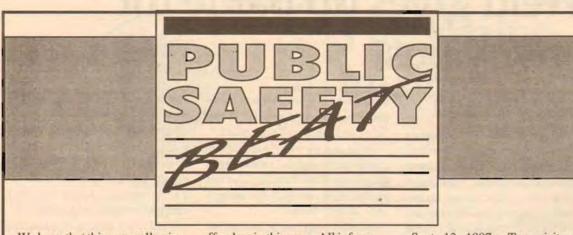
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view that Pathfinder has been providing. The Surveyor began orbiting Mars on Thursday in preparation for making the first complete, high-resolution map of Mars. Surveyor completed its 10-month, 435 million-mile journey Wednesday night. Data collected by Surveyor is expected to create the foundation for an extended program of Mars exploration.

Good news for people who hate broccoli: A study shows there is up to 50 times more anti-cancer chemical in broccoli sprouts than in the mature vegetable - and the sprouts don't taste like broccoli. Three-day-old broccoli sprouts, which are tender shoots topped with two baby leaves, are loaded with a concentrated form of sulforaphane, a powerful cancer fighter, say researchers at Johns Hopkins University.

Burt Wheeler and Sharon Sussman, the creators of MTV's new game show for kids, Peer Pressure, have added an educational spin to the fun. Peer Pressure is a syndicated "game of life" for teens that asks "What would you do in this situation?" The show was designed to fulfill the new Federal Communications Commission requirement to air three hours of educational programming a week. Newcomer Nick Spano and Valarie Miller (Gladiators 2000) are hosts of the game, which takes place on a life-size game board where the contestants (ages 13-16) attempt to survive teenage life.

BRYANTNEWS



We hope that things are all going well for the people among the Bryant Community. Another week has gone by, so read below if you want to know what occurrences have taken place at Bryant's campus.

By Lauren Gular Students For-A-Safer Campus

Drug Violation

Sept. 11, 1997 - During a fire alarm at one of the halls, residence life made an inspection of hall rooms. Two bongs were discovered in plain view in one of the rooms and DPS was notified. The bongs were confiscated, photographed and destroyed by DPS.

Vandalism

Sept. 12, 1997 - A student reported that two toilets were broken and two shower heads were stolen from the bathroom of one of the halls.

Informational

Sept. 12, 1997 - A student notified DPS that their hall door would not lock. Since the Locksmith was not on Campus, a temporary "Security Lock" was placed on the door until it could be fixed.

Fire Alarm

Sept. 11, 1997 - A sprinkler fire alarm system was possibly vandalized in a residence hall causing severe flooding. Residents of this hall were moved to another location for several days. SFD along with DPS, Physical Plant Personnel and Residence Life worked several hours cleaning up and investigating this incident. Much damage was caused and

many were inconvenienced by this incident. SPD and DPS will continue investigating and would appreciate hearing from anyone with information about possible offenders in this case. All information will be kept strickly confidential. Call DPS Fire Safety Coordinator, John Rattigan at 232-6001 or use the DPS TIPS LINE by dialing 232-6555.

Fire Alarm

Sept. 12, 1997 - DPS officers responded to a townhouse for a reported fire alarm. A student was taking a shower and the steam caused the alarm to activate.

Theft

Sept. 12 1997 - A student reported to DPS that when they returned to their room after class, they found a subject in their room. After being asked what they were doing, they left the area and DPS was contacted to investigate the incident. The student later noticed some money missing from the room. DPS will continue an investigation

Vehicle Tow

Sept. 12, 1997 - While on mobile patrol, a DPS officer observed a vehicle parked on the grass at the rear of one of the halls. A check of the vehicle did not reveal a parking pass nor a college decal. A ticket was issued and the vehicle was towed off campus.

REMINDER: All students, faculty and staff may obtain Bryant College vehicle decals at the DPS office which is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Remember to bring along your state vehicle registra-

Alcohol Violation

Sept. 12, 1997 - While investigating a fire alarm, DPS officers discovered a tap and a keg in a residence hall room. Charges are being filed with the College.

Simple Assault

Sept. 13, 1997 - Two visitors were escorted off campus after being involved in a fight by the townhouses. The subjects were advised to leave campus and not return. Several minutes after their vehicle left, they attempted to enter the campus again. A DPS officer asked the visitors to pull over. While backing up their car, they managed to hit another DPS officer. Other DPS officers arrived on the scene to block the car in place. SPD was notified. Both were charged and arrested.

Theft/Vandalism

Sept. 14, 1997 - A visitor stopped at the ECS to advise DPS that their vehicle had been damaged and several items taken from it overnight. A radio, speaker system, and assorted clothing items were taken from the vehicle.

Theft

Sept. 14, 1997 - Several CD's and Cassette tapes were reported stolen from a residence hall. The matter is being investigated further.

Vandalism

Sept. 14, 1997 - A college Employee reported to DPS that a townhouse air conditioning unit had been damaged when it was flipped over. The AC unit is in the process of being repaired by Physical Plant.

Summary of Events:
EMT Calls - 4
Fire Alarms - 2
Drug Violation - 1
Vandalism - 4
Alcohol Violation - 2
Theft - 4
Informational - 1
Towed Vehicle - 1
Simple Assault - 1
Disorderly Conduct - 1





Patrick Combs spoke to students in Janikies Auditorium, last week.

Fire & Safety Information

John Rattigan Fire & Safety Coordinator

The safety aspect of each student is of paramount concern to the College, and we have formulated specific rules and regulations pertaining to fire and safety issues. Please be advised that tampering with any fire alarm or fire protection system will result in your being held financially responsible for any damages to College property. Along with financial responsibility, you may be fined or put on disciplinary probation, and should the circumstances warrant it at the time, you could be placed under arrest for tampering with life safety systems.

The following fine structure and information is designed to discourage the misuse of fire & safety equipment. Further elaboration may be found in your student handbook:

\$1,000 reward for information leading to the apprehension and conviction of any person causing a malicious fire alarm.

The Rhode Island Fire Law section entitled "Interference with Fire Alarm Apparatus" states that: "Every person who unlawfully and without just cause willfully or knowingly, tampers with, interferes with, or in any way impairs any public fire alarm apparatus, wire or associate equipment, shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine or not less that \$1,000 nor more than \$5,000 or shall be imprisoned for not less that 1 nor more than 5 years, or both."

Tampering with fire extinguishers: \$75 fine; Missing fire extinguishers: \$150 fine; Tampering with heat or smoke detectors: \$300 fine; and Unsafe living areas: \$50 fine.

Individuals will be held responsible for any of this equipment that may be located in their living areas. Additionally, any damage that is caused to equipment that is located in common areas of the resident halls will be billed to each student. This is figured out by dividing the total cost of the equipment by the number of students in the resident hall to arrive at a per student rate.

That means it is especially important for those who may witness any vandalism taking place to this equipment to report it to the Department of Public Safety (DPS) so that the vandals will be assessed the full value of the equipment.

All living areas must be kept in a clean and safe condition. The fire and safety coordinator has the authority to issue citations to any person(s) who fail to keep their living area in accordance with accepted sanitary and fire/safety regulations. It is imperative for students to evacuate during an alarm. Citations will be given for violating this policy.

Your cooperation in this matter will ensure the safety of all in the Bryant community. Let's work together to make this a safe and trouble free year. Congratulation to all incoming students for your admission into Bryant College, and good luck to all continuing students in you endeavors this year.

Combs is a Success at Bryant!

By Jamie Calantropio

Patrick Combs, an internationally known motivational speaker, spoke to a crowd of 70 Bryant College students on Tuesday, September 9 about how they should begin to prepare for their dream job. Incorporating true stories, jokes, and a slide show into his presentation, Combs informed students of how they should begin preparing themselves for the hunt of their dream job.

Out of college Patrick Combs was offered a job as video conferencing manager for Levi Strauss and Co., at a starting salary of \$80,000 a year. Since then he has served as a TV personality on the hit shows Hard Copy and Real TV. Combs has also appeared on several talk shows such as Donahue and Good Morning America, as well as having his success story covered by The New York Times and The Wall Street Journal. His book, Major in Success: Make College Easier, Beat the System, & Get A Very Cool Job, has recently become a best seller.

As Patrick Combs swiftly paced back and forth along the isles in Janikies Auditorium, he enlightened students about how his success started when he was in college. According to Combs, "The most important homework you do in college is not assigned!" Instead internships, campus activities, computer experience, a college mentor, and enthusiasm are the five success factors that employers search for in a college graduate.

Students that attended this event listened intently as Patrick Combs proclaimed what he believed to be the most helpful things a college student could do to get their dream job. "The best decision I made in college was joining a campus club", Combs said. Chris LeGoullen, a junior at Bryant said, "I was surprised by the number of internships that he said a student should have. I would have assumed one internship would have been sufficient but he suggested an ideal student should have three or four to be marketable in the workforce."

This lecture was co-sponsored by the Office of Public Relations and the Student Programming Board. "Combs had some very good points to his program. He made the audience laugh and I think it will help juniors and seniors become aware of what to expect in the real world," said SPB president Steven Lazarus.

FEATURES

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

By Rev. Philip Devens Protestant Chaplain

Since his inauguration, President Ronald Machtley has been an impetus for change in our strategic planning for the spiritual life on campus. Working with him, Kati Machtley, F.J. Talley, Charlene Davis, as well as the other chaplains, we have developed a new Mission Statement and set new goals. I want to thank everyone because this process has required a great expenditure of time. As it stands now, our Mission Statement reads:

The Campus Ministry serves to develop the spiritual and moral dimensions of students so they can achieve their personal and professional best.

We developed two goals with eight objectives. The Campus Ministry chaplains seek to develop the integral relationship between the life of the spirit and the life of the mind. To accomplish this, they plan, implement, and evaluate a series of educational programs, workshops, and worship experiences designed to develop the spiritual dimensions. Therefore, a major goal is that the chaplains minister to the needs of the campus community and are both visible and available to provide for community spiritual needs. Providing pastoral counseling, spiritual direction, visitation to the sick and bereaved, and spiritual programming, are objectives that we hope to accomplish. We ask for your prayers.

The chaplains take a leadership role in bringing students and other members of the campus community together to build a sense of shared purpose, connect community members to God, their faith and the institution, and to build positive campus spirit. Many programs sponsored or coordinated by the chaplains, such as the Festival of Lights, the Festival of Unity in Community, and the Prayer Breakfast address this concern. We will participate actively in the life of the campus community through our attendance at events, and provide interfaith services, special programs, and alternative activities. We want to address ethical and moral issues through forums and formal and informal discussions with faculty members, administrators, and students. We want to participate in planning and policy development affecting the quality of campus life. Finally, we pledge to provide worship experiences for students, staff, and faculty, particularly those which mark significant spiritual events.

We pray that the campus community will support our efforts as we will endeavor to support your lives. We want to thank you for your care and GOD BLESS YOU.

Women, money and power

John Drew & Geoffrey Toth

Sue Hereras' keynote at the women's summit was women, money and power. Ms. Herera is known as a well-respected journalist with CNBC. She anchors "Business Tonight" and co-anchors "The Money Wheel" and "Market Wrap." Ms. Herera obtained her bachelors degree in journalism at a California State University. For the past seventeen years, she has worked with Wall Street business.

One key point Ms. Herera made was the way women and men approach the world of finance. The basic differences Ms. Herera gave were that: "men see money as power and influence, and women see it as housepayments, childcare and other responsibilities." Another point that she made clear was that her speech came from her "heart."

At the Women's Summit, Ms. Herera pleaded with women to become involved with their own future planning. Some alarming statistics were that "eighty percent of all women have no retirement plan" and yet "ninety percent are responsible for not only their own but someone else's future." She encouraged women to take a step forward and to better prepare for the future.

A key theme that Ms. Herera used in her speech was "upping the anti and thinking about what great financial resources women are." She encouraged women to become investors in their community and country. A key aspiration of hers was getting young women and men investing into their future. She acquired a "passion" for this cause. Next September in Fort Lee, New Jersey, she will be running a program to help kids learn how to finance themselves. With this project she hopes to "nourish the next generation of men and women."

Ms. Herera said that "fulfilling" one's career is more important than the money you make. So in her speech, she stressed for women to "get on the money wheel." Just last year, 70% of new businesses were started by women. This proves what Ms. Herera focused on throughout her speech.

Ms. Herera ended her speech by returning to her original heading of women, money and power. She stressed that women must make this heading "not exclusive but inclusive." Her speech will affect not only the women in the room this past Monday, but businesswomen all over the world.

"Off the Shelf"

by Colleen Anderson Reference Librarian

FINDING INFORMATION ON CORPORATE BONDS

When an investor purchases a corporate bond he/she is lending a company money, and the company in return promises to pay the amount back at a certain date with periodic interest payments at specified intervals. Corporate bonds are a riskier investment than federal, state or municipal bonds because corporations are operating within the uncertainty of business environment. Though rare, companies have gone out of business and defaulted on their bonds. Because corporate bonds carry this element of risk, they are higher yielding then their government counterparts. The general rule often quoted on bonds is a reminder of the bond markets inverse relationship to interest rates: when interest rates rise, bond prices fall; when interest rates fall, bond prices rise. This inverse relationship exists because bonds are fixed-rate instruments with a value determined by the rise and fall of interest rates. Interest rates in turn are tied to economic indicators such as inflation, expansion or contraction of the economy, and the federal deficit.

A corporation's particular financial condition determines how an investor evaluates that company's bonds. Investors will purchase bonds with lower interest rates from companies they feel assured can repay their principal and interest on time. Investors look to three well-known investment services—Moody's, Standard & Poor's or Fitch—to help them evaluate the financial strength of a particular company. Because these services are highly valued for their information, an actual or perceived change in rating can greatly affect the price and interest rate of a bond. The library carries the following services useful for conducting research on a bond: Standard & Poor's Bond Guide (monthly, REF Table 1), Moody's Bond Record (monthly, REF Table 1), Moody's Industrial Manuals (REF Table 1 HG4961 M67), and Standard & Poor's Credit Week (weekly, REF 4905 F59).

The coupon rate, or the interest the bond pays, will change as it is influenced by the current market price of the bond. This new yield, termed the current yield, is easy to figure by dividing the annual interest payment of the bond by the current market price. The easier way to find current yield, however, is to look on the bond pages of the market section of The Wall Street Journal or the Investor's Business Daily. The first column of the tables will list the issuer of the corporate bond, the coupon rate of the bond the and the final two numbers of the year the bond is scheduled to mature. In the next column you will find the current yield, or the yield you will get if you purchase the bond at its current price. The remaining entries for a particular bond will show the volume, or the number of trades made on the bond in yesterday's trading; the close, or the closing price for the bond in yesterday's trading; and the net change showing how the bond's price rose or fell from the previous day's closing price. I

For a bond bought in the secondary market, an investor will be interested in knowing its yield to maturity, or the total return one realizes considering interest payments made on a bond and the payment for the value of the bond when it matures. Aside from asking a broker or calculating the figure yourself, yield to maturity on corporate bonds can be easily found in both the Standard & Poor's Guide and in Moody's Bond Record. Remember that these services also give their well-respected ratings on the bond and also information on the call price and call date. One of the risks of investing in bonds is that some bonds are issued with a "call provision" meaning the issuer can call the bonds and pay them off before their due date to take advantage of a lower interest rate.

An investor risks losing money if he/she has bonds called and must reinvest at a lower rate of return.² The Wall Street Journal publishes a list of redemption notices every Tuesday. Lastly, both Moody's and S&P publish sections in each of their bond services with information on convertible bonds, i.e., bonds which offer the investor an option to convert the bond into common stock at a predetermined price.

Another valuable source for bond information is the Moody's Industrial Manuals. Moody's, an annual publication, provides a succinct history of the company and its product, financial information on the company, and at the end of the entry, a section entitled "Long Term Debt." Under this section each bond the company has issued is listed with detailed information on the issuance including the Moody's rating on the bond, the purpose for which the company issued the bonds, the security on the bond (a debenture is backed by the general credit of the corporation and an asset-back bond is back by specific corporate assets), the rights on default of the bonds, and whether and when they are callable. To find an analyst's written evaluation of a particular corporate bond the source to consult is Standard & Poor's CreditWeek. Each weekly issue of this journal contains a "corporates" section with an S&P's analyst discussing ratings on a newly issued corporate bond or changes in an earlier rating on an outstanding bond. The reasoning behind any changes in a rating is explained in detail. To see whether or not CreditWeek has published an analysis of a bond you are interested in, consult the yellow cumulative index.

The internet has become a valuable tool for investors; however, there currently exists little free information on corporate bonds. What investors can find on the internet is extensive information indicating the financial status of a company to help them decide on a bond's value. The exception to this paucity is an excellent site named Bonds Online (http://www.bonds-online.com/). Bonds Online offers the "Bond Professor" who will answer submitted frequently asked questions on corporate bonds. You can send your own questions in. This site also provides access to Capital Markets Commentary, a weekly fixed-income market review provided by Interactive Data Corp. and to Corporate Bond Search, a free secondary market bond search from Bondtrace, Inc.

To read more on the topic of corporate bonds, check out The New Corporate Bond Market: A Complete and Insightful Analysis of the Latest Rends, Issues and Advances (REF HG4963.W564 1990) by Richad S. Wilson and Frank J. Fabozzi. Fabozzi is a prolific writer on bonds and the bond market.

Bonds make money for investors who buy them when interest rates are high and sell them when rates fall and bond prices climb. A simple concept, yet bonds, as all securities, have become sophisticated investment instruments which both affect and are affected by the huge, fluctuating global financial market. Understanding their benefits and risks takes educating oneself, consulting knowledgeable analysts and rating sources, and listening to the voice of an experienced broker.

1 see pp. 216-217 of Everyone's Money Book by Jordan Goodman and Sonny Bloch for a very clear

and concise explanation "Reading the Bond Tables in Newspapers".

2 see pp. 136-141 of The Wall Street Journal Guide to Understanding Personal Finance (REF HG179 .M66 1997) for more information on the details of investing in bonds.



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FEATURES

A message from one to all

David Donnarummo

On Monday, September 15, Bryant hosted the Women's Summit, an event sponsored to help women learn how to deal with many of the issues that face them everyday in the work force. The Summit also hoped to reveal, to both men and women, the many barriers and obstacles that women have hurdled and will have to continue to hurdle in a society that is still slow to open up to the notion of equality of the sexes.

One such person who has overcome these hurdles is Dr. Joanna Lau, who served as the keynote speaker in Janikies Auditorium. Dr. Lau's oratory was not focused on the issues that currently embroil the work force and society, but rather concentrated on her own life and how she managed to succeed in a country and an environment that were completely foreign to her. Dr.

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rolled at Stonybrook
University and decided to major in computer science so that she would
be able to earn higher wages and enjoy a higher degree of mobility in her
life.

Dr. Lau amassed a great deal of knowledge during her academic career at Stonybrook and was rewarded when hired by General Electric right out of school. Yet, even with all this schooling, Dr. Lau was amazed to find out that there were many things that she did not know. For example, after a few months on the job, Dr. Lau was offered an opportunity to go back to school. However, the school she was asked to enroll in was not exactly the school she had envisioned herself attending; she was asked to go to a school where she would learn to dress for success in the business world. Upon completion of this "rigorous" three-day course, Dr. Lau was ready to take the world by storm, armed with an uncanny sense of style and an intelligence and wit surpassed by few and far between. Dr. Lau continued to work for GE for several more years and then made the switch over to Digital. Her stay at Digital was not very long and ended when she and twenty-four other employees completed a leveraged buyout of a small division of the company. Today, she still runs this business and has turned it into a multi-million dollar success story.

Dr. Lau did not only come to share her life story with us, but she also offered her wisdom of how women, and men, could succeed in the workplace. Dr. Lau stressed the idea that in order for a person to receive proper treatment, it is sometimes necessary to speak up and teach people how to treat us. We must make a stand for our individuality and ourselves. We must not be afraid to stand up for what we believe in and make sure that nobody treats us as a welcome mat. We must set our own agenda and should not let other people dictate where our lives are headed. Life is too short to not take chances, so don't be afraid to trust your gut feeling, even if your mind or others tell you otherwise. Dr. Lau's message was one that all people, both men and women, should live out. Perhaps that was what the Women's Summit was all about –

Women's Summit

By Duc Tien

Navigating the waters of change can be a hard thing, especially in this diverse world. But according to Beverly Ledbetter it doesn't have to be. And she's got five steps to make it easier.

Ledbetter, vice president and general counsel at Brown University, was the speaker in the Lessons in Diversity: Navigating the Waters of Change seminar held as part of the Women's Summit. The seminar, which was held in the MRC Lecture Hall, discussed the different ways that not only women, but also minorities can use to get ahead.

Ledbetter's five key ways to for growth in the workplace:

- 1. Be flexible. Go where the opportunities are.
- 2. Be enthusiastic. No one wants a person who doesn't want to be there.
- 3. Look for things that will unite. Find a commonalty between you and your co-workers.
- Seek advice. There are those who have been there already, so they should know what it are like.
- 5. Protect yourself. Always be prepared.

These five steps, according to Ledbetter, have gotten her where she is today.

Ledbetter's seminar also dealt with some of the laws that can help. Title VII, Age Discrimination Act, Equal Pay Act, and the Americans with Disabilities Act were cited as laws that could help women and minorities get jobs. Ledbetter also stressed the importance of access. "Access represents opportunities" she said. The more access a person can created for themselves in the workplace, the more opportunities will be created.

However, with the success there also can be pitfalls, she said. "We tend to ourselves," Ledbetter stated. Women tend to give women jobs while men tend to give men jobs. So all people are looking at is the end result that women have jobs. Instead of measuring the end result, the process must be looked at, she said. If not than everything looks well on the surface, but nothing has really changed.

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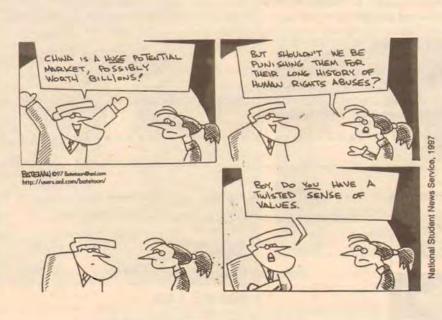
Hello everyone. Now that everybody has settled down and adjusted back to the academic world, let me bring you up to date on the current events in ROTC. The past two weeks have been pretty busy for all members of the Patriot Battalion. The Basic Course (MS I's and MS II's) are being introduced and familiarized rather quickly to the ROTC program. The MS III's (Juniors) are entering the most important year of the program. In this year, the crucial preparation is made for their attendance at next summer's Advanced Camp. The MS IV's (Seniors) are deciding what branch or specialty they wish to serve in, and whether they wish to serve on active duty or in the reserves. They are putting their applications together now. The physical fitness program on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, starting at 6:00 a.m., is back up and running (no pun intended), making for some very early mornings and long days.

The Ranger Challenge team is preparing for the upcoming competition at Camp Edwards, MA. The team of nine cadets will be competing against other colleges from New England. The team competes in a number of events that require mastery of technical, tactical and leadership skills.

LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLE OF THE WEEK: Set the example. Your subordinates want and need you to be a role model. This is a heavy responsibility, but you have no choice. No aspect of leadership is more powerful. If you expect courage, competence, candor, commitment, and integrity from your subordinates, you must demonstrate them. Your subordinates will imitate your behavior. You must set high, but attainable, standards, be willing to do what you require of your subordinates, and share dangers and hardships with them. Your personal example affects your subordinates more than any amount of instruction or form of discipline. You are their role model.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

92 PRO FM Softball Game Vs. Bryant Greeks to benefit the Smithfield YMCA UPDATE!

by Jill Lewis Panhellenic President

I would like to take the opportunity to thank those individuals and departments on Bryant's campus who donated money and time to the Smithfield YMCA. We raised a total of \$600 to benefit the Smithfield YMCA. The team from 92 PRO FM generously donated giveaway prizes such as: 6 ft. Subway subs, Gift Certificates to Bob's Stores and Hannoush Jewelers as well as box seats to this weekends Red Sox Game.

And although the team from PROFM beat the Greeks we all had a great time. Thanks!

Minority Scholars Awarded Fellowships

One hundred outstanding minority scholars have been awarded fellowships in the 1997 Ford Foundation fellowship programs. The programs, which are administered by the National Research Council, seek to increase the presence of underrepresented minority groups on the nation's college and university faculties.

Overall, the programs made awards to 50 beginning graduate students, 30 students writing their dissertations, and 20 recent Ph.D. recipients in national competitions held last spring. More than 170 renowned scholars in the sciences and humanities selected the award winners from about 1,000 applicants, based on merit and promise of future achievement. The evaluation panels are composed of faculty members from among the nation's institutions of higher education as well as from industry and private research institutions.

The competition marks the third year an additional award has been made at the dissertation level from a fund established by previous Ford Foundation awardees, supplemented this year with donations from IBM Corp. and the National Research Council.

This year's award pool includes 38 African Americans, 30 Mexican Americans, 16 Puerto Ricans, 24 are working in the social sciences, 15 are conducting research in the physical sciences, math, or engineering, 33 study the humanities, 15 are working in the life sciences, and 13 are studying in the behavioral sciences. A list of awardees and their specific fields of study follows.

Information on the upcoming competition can be obtained be contacting the Fellowship Office of the National Research Council at the letterhead address, via e-mail at <infofell@nas.edu>, or on the World Wide Web at <fellowships.nas.edu>. Contributions to the Ford Fellows' Fund can be mailed to the letterhead address to the attention of Ron Millar.

The National Research Council is the principal operating arm of the

National Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Engineering. It is a private, non-profit institution that provides independent advice on science and technology issues under a congressional charter.

Frankly, This Internship Cuts the Mustard!

Remember that song, "Oh I wish I were an Oscar Mayer Wiener"? Well, Oscar Mayer is actually looking for people who really want to wieners.

Each year recent college graduates get paid to travel all over North America. They attend exciting events like the Super Bowl and Mardi Gras, as well as, parades, fairs and charities. They are goodwill ambassadors for Oscar Mayer Foods.

Did I mention they travel in a 27-foot-long hot dog on wheels?

The Hotdoggers, pilots of the Wienermobiles, spend a full year traveling from border to border and coast to coast making promotional appearances. They are responsible for coordinating much of their fun and hectic schedules.

The year begins with training at Hot Dog High where they learn all about Oscar Mayer's history and products, planning special events and how to maneuver their buns in traffic. If they cut the mustard and graduate for Hot Dog High, they are given their wiener keys and they hit the hot dog highways.

A major portion of the job is participating in television, newspaper and radio interviews. The Hotdoggers basically become celebrities for the year. Jason Clark, former East Coast Hotdogger said, "Driving a Wienermobile was the most chaotic and fun year of my life. I loved it!"

What really sets this internship apart from the others is the amount of creative freedom the Hotdoggers possess. "We give the youngest people in the company the most responsibility and the least supervision," says Russ Whitacre, Program Manager. So much freedom in fact, that Hotdoggers have hauled buns onto the Oprah Winfrey Show, a Rodney Dangerfield movie and have appeared on hundreds of local and national media outlets.

Hotdoggers also play a major role in our annual "Talent Search," where 30 Hotdoggers in 10 Wienermobiles spend the summer auditioning children across the nation for an Oscar Mayer television commercial. Not only do Hotdoggers execute the events, but they manage and promote each of their appearances and act as their own mobile marketing firm for Oscar Mayer.

The Wall Street Journal featured a front page article on the job stating that, "If you cut the mustard you will relish this job." Even Jay Leno mentioned the job in his monologue, "The Oscar Mayer Company is looking for recent college graduates to drive their Wienermobiles. Who says there are no good jobs for Liberal Arts majors?"

After gaining all of this valuable public relations, marketing and sales experience, Hotdoggers have gone onto some very successful careers. Hotdogger Alumni include: television anchors and producers, account executives at public relations firms and sales representatives for Oscar Mayer and parent company, Kraft.

In 1995 Oscar Mayer launched the latest model of the Wienermobile. This high-tech example of Wienermobile technology features televisions, VCR's and a condiment control panel. It truly is a meaner, keener, leaner wiener.

If you think this internship satisfies your appetite for fun, excitement and adventure, contact Oscar Mayer, Wienermobile Department, PO Box 7188, Madison, WI 53707.

Week of:

9/19-9/25



*Treat Yourself Right

FRIDAY

Breakfast
"Hot Cereal
Hard Cooked Eggs
Eggs To Order
Pancakes
Sausage Omelet
Home Fries
Donuts
"Bagels
"Fresh Fruit
Blueberry Coffee Cake

Corn Chowder
Manhattan Chowder

* Chicken Picasso
Macaroni & Cheese
Clam Cakes
*Deli/Grill
*On The Deli:Roast Beef
*Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza
*Salad Bar
*Parslied Potato
*Sliced Carrots
*Mixed Vegetables

Dinner
*Bake N'Broil Fish
*Baked Fish (To Order)
*Fried Chicken Sandwich
*Pasta & Tomato Sauce
*Spicy Noodles & Vegs.
French Fries
*Mexican Corn
*French Green Beans
*Dell/Grill

*Fresh Fruit

SATURDAY

Brunch *Hot Cereal Hard Cooked Eggs Eggs To Order French Toast Sausage Links Chicken Nuggets *Taco Bar/Vegetarian *Deli/Grill *Salad Bar *Scandinavian Mixed Vegetables *Spinach Potato Puffs *Chicken Rice Soup Tomato Soup *Bagels Assorted Desserts *Fresh Fruit

Dinner
Beef Stew in Bread
Bowl
Honey Mustard
Chicken
*Cheese Pizza
*Dell/Grill
*Cauliflower
*Capri Blend
Vegetables
*Poppy Seed Noodles
Assorted Desserts
*Fresh Fruit
*Wheat Rolls

SUNDAY

Brunch *Hot Cereal Hard Cooked Eggs Eggs To Order *Tomato Macaroni Casserole Bacon Pancakes Philly Cheese Steak With Onions *Salad Bar *Deli/Grill Home Fries *Peas & Mushrooms *Wax Beans Chicken Noodle Soup Assorted Desserts *Vegetable Soup *Bagels Donuts *Fresh Fruit

Dinner
*Roast Beef
*Turkey & Biscuits
*Stuffed Shells
*Deli/Grill
*Salad Bar
*Baked Potato
*Squash Medley
*Sliced Carrots
Assorted Desserts
*Fresh Fruit
*Italian Bread

MONDAY

Breakfast *Hot Cereal Hard Cooked Eggs Eggs To Order Breakfast Burrito French Toast Hash Browns *Bagels Donuts *Fresh Fruit Cinnamon Rolls Lunch *Chicken Vegetable *Minnestone Soup *Hot Turkey Sandwich *Shepard's Pie Tomato, Zucchini casserole Over Linguini *Deli/Grill *On The Deli: Corned Beef *Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza *Salad Bar *Rissole Potato *Whipped Squash *Broccoli Cuts Dinner Baked Ham With Raisin Sauce

*Meatball Sub

*Pasta Cheese Bake

*Pasta & Tomato Sauce

*Gingered Vegetables

*Green Beans

Candied Sweet Potat

TUESDAY

Breakfast

*Hot Cereal

Hard Cooked Eggs Eggs To Order Cheese Omelet Home Fries Pancakes *Bagels Donuts *Fresh Fruit Muffins Lunch *Vegetable Beef Soup *Lentil Soup Ham & Cheese Croissant *Curried Rice & Vegetables Chicken Fingers French Fries 'On The Deli: Roast Turkey Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza "Salad Bar *Cauliflower Assorted desserts *Fresh Fruit *Chicken Jambalaya *Baked Chicken *Broccoli Cauliflower Casserole

*Pasta & Tomato Sauce

*Broccoli

*Florentine Vegetables

*Fresh Fruit

Assorted Desserts

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast

*Hot Cereal

Hard Cooked Eggs Eggs To Order Bacon Omelet Potato Puffs French Toast *Bagels Donuts *Fresh Fruit Muffins Lunch Cheddar Cheese Soup *Beef Barley Soup Buffalo Chicken Wings Quarter Pound Burger *Fettucini Alfredo *Deli/Grill *On The Deli: Hot

Pastrami
*Cheese & Pepperoni
Pizza
*Salad Bar
*Rice Pilaf
*Sliced Carrots

Dinner
*Roast Turkey/Dressing
*Baked Fish Florentine

*Baked Fish Florentine
*BBQ Tempe Burger
*Pasta & Tomato Sauce
*Italian Green Beans
Corn
*Whipped Potato
Assorted Desserts

*Fresh Fruit

THURSDAY

Breakfast

*Hot Cereal Hard Cooked Eggs Eggs To Order Broccoli & Cheese Omele Pancakes Hash Browns *Bagels *Fresh Fruit Coffee Cake Lunch *Tomato Bisque *Chicken Vegetable Chicken Cutlet Sandwich *Sloppy Joe "Spinach/Sundried Pasta *Deli/Grill *Cheese & Pepperoni Pizza *On The Deli:Roast Beef *Green Beans Almondine Assorted Desserts Dinner *Roast Beef Cheese Lasagna/ MeatSauce Ham/Potato AuGratin *Pasta & Tornato Sauce *Salad Bar *Deli/Grill Lyonnaise Potatoes Mixed Vegetables *Broccoli Cuts Assorted Desserts *Fresh Fruit *Italian Bread

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GREEK AWARDS BANQUET Panhellenic Council, IFC and Order of Omega

On Monday, September 15, the Greek Community celebrated their excellence during the Greek Awards Banquet. After a sound welcome by Tanya McGinn, Assistant Director of Student Activities, and an Invocation given by Andrew Zinberg, Vice President of Interfraternity Council, the dinner was served. With special guests: President Ronald Machtely; Mark Furtardo, Interim Vice President of Student Affairs; Julie LeBlanc, Interim Director of Student Activities; and Deanne Therrian, Delta Zeta's Campus Advisor; as well as the Panhellenic Council, Interfraternity Council and Order of Omega, all began to recognize our achievements. We recognized the 25% Greek population on Dean's List along with the individual highest awards. Along with the academic awards, the Greek Week 97 winners were announced. After competing in a Banner Contest, Sports events, and Attendance events, TAU EPSILON PHI and PHI SIGMA SIGMA were named the fraternity and sorority champions respectively.

GREEK AWARDS ACADEMIC INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

Highest GPA Fraternity Michael Blasi

Highest GPA Sorority ΦΣΣ Cassie Grenier ΔZ Stacey Hughes PX* Jill Lewis Pam Smith ΔZ

Highest New Member GPA Trent Narrow ФКТ Jillian St. Martin ΘΦΑ

CHAPTER AWARDS

Highest Fraternity Chapter GPA Delta Chi

Highest Sorority Chapter GPA Delta Zeta

Highest New Member Class GPA Phi Kappa Tau

SPRING DEAN'S LIST RECIPIENTS

(Current Students Only)

Delta Zeta Stacey Burinskas Karen Fairbanks Denise Karyshyn Nancy Moreira Andrea Restaino Rebecca Robertson Christina Seigler Dipti Singh Pamela Smith Jennifer Vadney

Phi Sigma Sigma Ann Gittleman Cassie Grenier Barbara Walsh

Sigma Sigma Sigma Shila Fortier Karen Henderson Kristin Jones Sara Kaczynski Sherry Parsell Kelly Quebmen Jennifer Rancourt Shannon Rizzo Jamie Lynn Titus

Theta Phi Alpha Christine Fournier

Beta Theta Pi Bryant Ayles Matt Condos

Delta Chi **Ouentin Carmichael** Joel Slager Christopher Tringali

Kappa Delta Phi Bob Alesio Andy Cichon

Phi Kappa Sigma

Jason Shutt Zach Swain

Phi Kappa Tau Eric Chorney Brian Hurleigh Trent Narrow

David Azzolina Chris Young Tau Kappa Epsilon

Tau Epsilon Phi

Derek Chaves Chris DiMartino Rho Chi* Jamie Giglio

Jill Lewis

*Rho Chi is the group of women who disaffiliate from their own chapter to help women through All Sorority Rush.

Saxophone Featuring Christopher and Anne Kelton

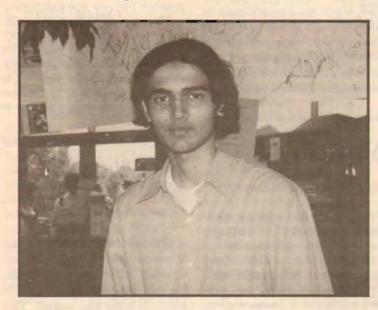
Saxophonist Mrs. Anne and Dr. Christopher Kelton will present a faculty recital at 4:00 pm on Sunday, September 21, 1997 in '64 Hall on the Providence College Campus. Music to be played will include works by Marilyn Currier, Fisher Tull, Carl Maria von Weber, Euguene Bozza, Walter Hartley and Rudy Wiedoeft. Marilyn Currier's American Overture (1997) will be given its American premiere. Dr. Kelton will be giving the international premiere of this piece at the 11th World Saxophone Congress in Valencia, Spain on September 30, 1997.

The Keltons will be accompanied by pianist Brian Checket. Mr. Checket and Mrs. Kelton are members of the United States Air Force Band of Liberty, stationed at Hanscom Air Force Base in Bedford,

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Question of the Week: What did you think of the 1st week of the semester?



"It's the same as always, although classers do seem a little harder." -Aatman Ghatlia '99



"Seems good so far, but my accounting courses are demanding." -Chris Strand'98 "I am glad there was no hurricane this year." - Nathan Ballentine '98



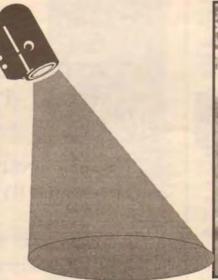
"It was alright. I'm an R.A. so I was around to welcome all the new students during orientation." - Carla Vega 2000



"I don't remember too much, but the gazebo was sure nice." John '99



"It was kind of weak. There aren't too many activities going on, and there seems to be less people." -Joel Johnson '98



"There's been a lot of changes at
Bryant like the new computers at
Koffler, the new faculty and
administration as well as the many
new students."
-Prasliant Sanghai 2000

CAMPUS SCENE

Accounting Association

Brad Weissman

Next Thursday, September 25, at 4:00 p.m., in the MRC Dining Hall in the Unistructure, the Accounting Association will be holding their first meeting of the 1997-98 year. The first order of business will be registering all members for the year. The registration fee is a one time fee, and you will be covered for the both the fall and spring semesters. After the registration process is complete, a presentation will be conducted on "Interviewing Skills" by a local accounting professional. Topics to be covered include the proper dress and preparation before going into an interview, as well as the appropriate procedures to follow after you have been granted your interview. All accounting majors are encouraged to attend this first informative meeting of the year. I hope to see everyone there, as we are looking forward to an exciting year, full of informative and beneficial meetings.

Commuter Connection

Christine Collard

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Bonjour Commuters! Before I enlighten everyone with my interesting article, I would just like to thank Pablo for meeting all of the commuters at the bowling alley on Saturday at 9:00, as he had instructed. The commuters that did go encountered many unpleasant and disturbing sights that evening. Let's see, we got cut off by a crazy guy on a motorcycle, a drunk driver almost ran us off the road, and we witnessed a strange man relieving himself on a Burger King sign off a main road. Thanks Pablo:)

Now to some serious business. I would like to invite everyone to Oxygen on Friday, September 19. for a free party. The fun-filled excitement starts at 5:00 p.m. and goes until 9:00 p.m. Anna, the vice president, won the free party and has been kind enough to invite all of the commuters to join her. After the party is over, everyone is welcome to stay and dance all night to the great dance vibes Oxygen has been known to play. For any of you ladies who have never gone to Oxygen, let me tell you, the place is nothing short of hot guys. My inside sources tell me that Pablo (the guy who stood us up at the bowling alley) is going, so ladies, if you want to see a hot guy, go to Oxygen on Friday night.

Well, that is all I have to say this week. Look for future information on Commuter events that will be published in later articles. (Just kidding Pablo, you know we all love

Delta Chi

Joel Gardosik

I would like to start off by thanking our alumni who stopped by this weekend, J.D. not included; we all know he never really received his diploma. And thanks to Gatt for keeping Baloo from going to Texas (close call). Speaking of visitors, Satan also paid the floor a visit. Also, after Homecoming Weekend, we will be holding our second an-

nual Swing-a-Thon with Delta Zeta, benefiting Perspectives and Gallaudet University for the Hearing Impaired. Please come out and support us.

In sports this week: During Sunday's softball game, Goose won the Gold Glove award. Good job, Goose. Also, our football team is starting to shape up for the upcoming season. Rumor has it that Schlager, Gatt, and Splatt are trying out for line.

In other news, Wolf was caught praying to the ceramic God, and JoBu received some anonymous autographs. It was one of the best nights that I'm sure they don't remember. Like Dutch, P-Nut no longer lives in New York, but for different reasons - like the right to remain silent, the right to an attorney... Schlager was actually caught drinking a barley beverage this weekend - maybe there's hope for him yet. Hey Broadway, you're next. Both Scrappy and Pumpkineater had their girlfriends up this weekend. Hey, if they add their ages together they just might be old enough to drive.

Even a barricade could not keep DPS away from B-6, but it served its purpose in the TV suite. Schlager earned twenty bucks the hard way. Too bad he lost it all Monday night.

For anyone interested in Greek Life, stop by our floor anytime: Hall 3, Floor 2.

Tip of the Week: Never follow Schlager's football advice.

Delta Zeta

Sandi DiGianvittorio

Hey everyone!! Congrats to the winners of Greek Week: Phi Sig and TEP. You guys are awesome!! We would like to thank our own Greek Week woman, Kasio, for all her spirit and our studious new members for getting highest new member GPA. McGee, put on another successful and fun-filled weekend for us. We would like to thank TKE for helping us rock on after our sister's bash on Friday. TEP helped us tear up G block on Saturday. We had a blast. We got to see our much missed alumni: Slater, Jetson, Ellis, Reggie, Harley, Phoenix, and (of course) Apollo. Even if I didn't mention that Apollo was up, I'm sure you would have SEEN HER anyways. G6 would like to welcome their newest member, Kasio-We love you!!!

Delta Zeta would like to let the brothers of Delta know that our mistake was an honest one and that our hearts go out to you.

Hey Valerie, we are E-diots. Thanx to Peeps for everything on Friday night. -Reece. Kenedy, I never knew you were such a "tough chick." -Jaycee. Silva (that's me), your rendition of the fire scene was perfect. -Nikali. Just you wait, NiColey McGeeÖ..!! Congrats to Monroe for starting the year off right; keep it up! Nikali gave a whole new meaning to 'kiss my grits" this weekend. Thanx to everyone in G6 and especially my new roomie for being there for me and making me feel so welcome. -Kasio. Nikali wants to thank the floor for supporting her in her traumatic (yet hilarious) weekend.

We're all looking forward to what

this weekend has to bring. Hook it up!! Cha-Cha Check ya!!

Phi Sigma Sigma

Valerie Arold

I hope everyone had a good week. We would like to start off this week by wishing Jerri-Lee a very happy birthday. We love you Kameo. Greek Week proved to be lots of fun. Thanks to Jill, Bart, and Tanya for making it a great week. Good job to all of our sisters for putting in the efforts that made us Greek Week Champions once again this year. Congrats to TEP for also winning Greek Week. Thanks to Suzom and Berger for their artistic talents. Congrats to Doodat and Gumby for their highest GPA awards.

DKE, we loved the party, sorry it got rained out. We saved Bugs, and that's all that matters. Don't worry, you won't be getting him back. Next time, we'll be sure to wear the proper attire. Hey TEP, I think our preseason volleyball games showed that Phi TEP is ready to kick butt this year. One sister in particular (Sunny D) thinks the Jets should have won Sunday night.

We would like to thank Phi Kap for an awesome time on Saturday night. We'll have to do it again sometime. Sahara and the rest of our sisters would like to thank Smitty of TKE for keeping the humor alive at the softball game. Divine wants to remind us how much she loves us and how much she'll miss us in the next couple of weeks. We love you

too, Divine! "I am one with nature."
-Sinala. Stinky is now ours; he doesn't miss you. -Babs. TKE and TEP, I hope you guys are ready for a fun weekend. I know we are. And the quote of the week comes straight from Divine: "Make sure you keep D'Angelos hot, but don't let it burn my mouth." Till next week.

Men's Rugby

Marc Caine and Todd Schmutz

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What it is? Although not documented by the school, we the Rugby team took part in last year's Special Olympics, and no mention of this by the Archway. We set up the fields, the fences, the mats, etc., and even took a vital part in the opening ceremonies. We did get a special thanks from Lauren and the rest of the group, but something officially from Bryant would have been nice.

Anyway, what a damn good weekend! I'll make a bold statement by saying it was the best weekend Bryant has seen in a long time, especially compared to last year. Friday - A special thanks goes out to Tri-Sig; sorry if you guys didn't like our choice of beverages, but you did make a good punch. We must hang together again, if you're not too scared. Then Saturday, what can we say about Saturday that hasn't been said already. We had the campus Rockin' and loved seeing the entire Bryant community there with us. We will do this again next month sometime. Thanks goes out to Nick "The Greek" for setting

up the DJ. Thanks to our good friends in Public Safety for letting us get down all night without a problem (we saw you dancing).

This week is it! Intense practicing for our season opener on 9/27. Rookies, stay with it! You'll catch on; we were all in your spot once. New members are still welcome to come to practice @ 4:00 p.m., behind the Unistructure. Call Eric @ 8218 for more info.

Student Alumni Association

Kerry A. Smith

Welcome back! I was delighted to see each new person and every returning member at our first meeting. New members are always welcome, so bring your friends! This year, our E-Board consists of Brad Weissman as President, Gregory Giacinto as Vice President, Melissa Criscuolo as Treasurer, and myself as Secretary. I would like to thank everyone who attended Convocation. This event was a great way to start the semester. The Student Alumni Association will be working on numerous events for the upcoming semester, so now is your chance to get involved. Such as Alumni Day, Festival of Lights, Survival Kits, and Junior Achievements. Freshman Balloons was an incredible success. Thank you Nicole & Liz for all your hardwork. Our meetings are held on Tuesdays at 5:00 p.m., in the Alumni House. Hope to see you there.

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Student Community **Action Team** (SCAT)

I sincerely hope that school pressures have not overtaken the fun that you have been having in college so far. I think that everybody can relieve some stress (procrastinate) by taking a couple hours to help out (do community service with) SCAT. You should have seen neon signs (flyers) up already for our next meeting (best 15 minutes of your life), which are usually in the lobby of 16 (zoo basement). At Bryant (the college next to Parente's), the administration supported community service by letting us use the Roto for the volunteer fair last Thursday, September 18. We will be doing a lot of volunteering for soup kitchens, Providence schools, and the Lions Club, as well as big NATIONAL events such as the Hunger Cleanup. Come to the next meeting to find out more (have some free soda and/or pizza) and support our cause, or just write us via e-mail at scat@bryant.edu in a couple of weeks. See you all at the meeting.

SPB

Anthony Strong

Hi everyone. It was nice to see another big turnout for our weekly Monday meeting in Papitto. Well, to settle any rumors flying around campus, the Mighty Mighty Bosstones are coming to our campus. They will be coming Saturday, October 18th. Keep an eye out for ticket information, or attend our Concerts & Mixers meeting Wednesday, September 17th at 3:30 p.m., in the SPB office on the third floor of the Bryant Center, where we will be discussing the show and

Don't forget to purchase your movie cards, which will be on sale before the movie. A movie card allows you to get in all of the movies for the semester for free, and

you'll also receive free popcorn and soda for each Sunday movie and be eligible for special prizes and gifts.

Coming this week

Tonight! 9/18, Comedian Michael Dean Ester, 8 p.m., in South Dinning Hall

Friday 9/19, Redsox trip, playing the White Sox

Saturday 9/20, Movie "Liar Liar," staring Jim Carrey, 2:30 p.m.

Sunday 9/20, Movie "Liar Liar," 6:30 and 9:15 p.m.Coming attrac-

Homecoming Weekend September 26-28

Friday 9/26, Michael Winslow, star of "Police Academy"

Saturday 9/27, Movie "Con Air" Sunday 9/28, Movie "Con Air"

For more information on events, please call SPB at X6118. Our meetings are held every Monday at 4:30 p.m., in Papitto, and are open to everyone, so come and see what SPB is all about.

TKE

What's up everyone? Sorry I missed the first issue but after putting so much time and effort into our Greek Week poster, I was too burnt out to do an article. Welcome to the class of 2001. I hope you've made your way to Dorms 1, 2, and 3 to see what Greek Life is all about. Also, To meet your classmates Lush

Hmmm, Where to start? Congratulations to Deke for their new and innovative fund raising idea of converting Dorm 2 into a water park. Who says Greeks don't do anything good for the campus? There were however some drawbacks. Derek lost a case of Paul Mitchell gel during Construction of Water Wiz. For those of you who missed the announcement, we will be having a hair care product drive in front of dorm 2 on Friday. I know this is a tuff time but we're here for ya bro! There is also some sad news from the balcony. A 100lbs. Weight requirement has been imposed. Unfortunately Lancaster will have to carry all of his books at once, be soaking wet, and be hanging from Shobomb's jock (as he usually is) to be allowed on it.

What else We'd like to invite

everyone to watch TKE's first year of football this season. Unfortunately we lost our offensive line when Streaker decided not to come back. In a related story, Streaker has decided to Partake in the "Every other Semester Program" here at Bryant College. For any of you freshmen who are interested in pacing yourself through higher education, contact Richard Woodhull (Streaker) in Mattituck N.Y.

On a side note, I'm taking a poll for next week's column. Which number do you think is higher? Castanza's GPA or the number of times Longo apologizes to Christy for arguments on a good day? Please contact me by next Tues, so I can publish the results. (What would a good TKE article be without a few good shots at square head?)

Oh yeah, A couple of random notes from the summer. Philly had the party of the year but he forgot to tell anyone. Rocky and I demonstrated brotherly sharing when it came to M.C. Plymouth.

O.K. the usual thank yours to everyone we partied with: DS, Women's Soccer (Bracchia wished we had partied with the men's team) and who ever else graced our pres-

Now for the new section of the TKO article. The Ryan Jobbing a.k.a. Swandex, Inmate #000196, hicki, BlowÖ., Anyway this week

Ryan the walking Party Foul managed to knock over a Beirut table, inform a young lady that things had to change, and tell Bracia what a famous historical leader should have done. He also found time to provide numerous quotes of the week including: "I wanna dance too, Damm it!" "Chief Rocka don't Stoppa" and a prayer that would have brought Jim Baker to his knees.

And now about the Rock and Jock (strap) celebrity softball game. I'd like to thank Rho Chi for letting me publicly humiliate my peers for an entire afternoon. I think it was a great cause and if just one person left that field knowing not to run like Braccia, I think it was all worth

I'd like to also congratulate the most recent members of Tau Kappa Engaged: Swandex and Enzo. The presidents of this elite organization, T-Rose and Castanza, will brief you at the next meeting about girlfriend check in times, not drinking on weekends, and Olive Garden Meal

Well it's good to be back. Any freshmen guys interested in Greek Life please come up to Dorm 2 second floor (Across from Water Country). Any freshmen girls interested in me please come up to the third floor of hall 11.

Later, Smity

Sigma Sigma Sigma

Ivy May Kusler

Hello everyone! Congratulations to TEP and Phi Sig for winning Greek Week! Congratulations also to everyone who made Dean's List last semester. This week, we officially start all-sorority rush! It's great to see so many girls signed up!

Thanks Phi Kap for a great time on Thursday night. Too bad we had a few interruptions. At least the weather held out for the most part, though. Rugby, we had a great time Friday! Friday was just a crazy night all together, right Stacey, Jen and Deb! Deb, we bonded! Stace, drinks in an onion chopper? Christine, Ann, Jill, Jen, Gina and Sarah, What a trip! Shannon, I hope you like the bones we fed you Friday night. -Ann! Nader, how about those messages?

KT, how was your first M&M? Tommy, maybe next time I won't have to get you from your truck. You now know



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why we have them all the time. Next time we aren't playing any baseball, though, especially with a piece of metal. Tommy, you're bad luck! Darren and Russell, how are the wounds? Melissa, next time I go to hug you, I'll make sure you aren't sitting on a ledge. Thanks to those who picked us up. Danielle and Tara, will you guys ever do one again? Sorry everyone about the sisters' party. Ann, watch out for those cars!

Congratulations to Dallas Monday night, what a game, right Terps? KT was a good time as usual. Mel, what's your name? -Ivy. Rob, thanks for getting me prepped for pitch last week; 1 and 4! The TH welcomes our newest member; thanks Cin and Cobb!

Well, that's it for now. Delta and Beta, we're looking forward to a good weekend! Happy 21st, Susan! I hope it's a good one! Check ya later, Ivy May!





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Chuck's Tips For Freshmen

on studying:



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Presentations

Students must sign-up in the Office of Career Services. Business dress is required unless otherwise noted.

- Price Waterhouse Summer <u>Monday, September 22</u> *Juniors* Papitto - 6:30 p.m.
 Dress: Business Casual
- Columbia Healthcare Summer Wednesday, October 8
 Juniors
 Papitto - 6:30 p.m.
- Putnam Investments
 Spring/Summer
 Tuesday September 30
 Sophomores/Juniors
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Interviews

The following companies will interview oncampus this fall. <u>Check Internship Binder</u> for details. Submit resumes to Internship secretary by stated deadline.

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Pointless Thoughts

Duc Tein Sports Editor

*How about them Pats barely getting by the Jets? This just shows how the Patriots are not ready yet. They should have come into this game pumped up to play Bill Parcells, but instead they played very flat. I don't think they're ready yet. Say what you want about Bill, but the fact is that he built this team and made them what they are. Every Patriot fan should have bowed in honor of Parcells.

*The way the Denver Broncos are playing right now, that Monday Night game looks like it could have home field impact.

*In this crazy world of football, who would have thought that the one team leading the NFC Central with a perfect record right now would be Tampa Bay? Yes, Tampa not Green Bay. So when do you think you think the Packers will show up?

*For some reason, there are exciting games in the NFL these days. That insane ending to the Dallas-Philadelphia game just proves the point. Do you think that Deion Sanders was praying and received a little help for up above?

*Dumb jock of the week: Dennis Scott. He could take this award for the entire summer. Not only does he give a profanity-filled speech to kids at his basketball camp, but to have shootings at his birthday party is crazy.

*Fact: The Boston Celtics finally signed their two top

*Opinion: Only one of them is going to be a star, and it's not Ron Mercer.

*Mercer doesn't have the mentality to play pro ball yet. Chauncey Billups, on the other hand, is going to be a great player. I grew up playing against and watching Billups, and believe me when I say that he has all the tools to be a star. And when he does become a star, don't expect him to stay in Beantown. He'll be heading home to Denver in three years.

*Ken Griffey and Mark McGwire going head to head for the home run crown would have been nice to see.

*No matter what happens, Larry Walker of the Colorado Rockies should be the NL MVP. Not only is he a prime candidate for the triple crown, but his numbers have not been inflated by Coors Field.

*So Roger Clemens was washed up, wasn't he?

*Anyone seen Tiger Woods lately?

*Even though it was preseason, it was great to see the hockey fight of the year; it just gives me this warm feeling all over.

*The way Jeff Gordon is dominating Nascar is very much like the way Michael Jordan dominates basketball.

*So when do you think the Michael Jordan will come out with his own brand of appliances?

*World Cup Soccer fever; go to sleep and call me in the morning.

*Just so you know what I'm thinking...



Athlete's Corner: Shawn Nassaney Men's Cross Country

Gayle Zahnke Assistant Sports Editor

Hometown: Pawtucket, Rhode Island High School: St. Raphael Academy Number of Years Ran Cross Country: 8

What attracted you to cross country and running?

I started running in high school to get in shape for basketball but did well with cross country and decided to stay with that instead.

What do your practices consist of?

Practices consist of basically long distance running, 50-70 miles a week with two days of speed workouts. That is repeat quarters and trotting on the track. We do push-ups and sit-ups after practice as well. We had double sessions the first two weeks at 7 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

How does the balance between individual and team work?

The setting of goals differentiates between individual and team objectives. If you accomplish your personal goals then the team goals fall into place. The thing is not to get greedy. Even if you are having a bad race, you need to go on for the sake of the team and for the team's goals.

What is your goal for the season as an individual and as a team?

As an individual, I would like to be all-conference and Academic All American. As a team, we want to place in the top five in the conference and come in the top half in the region.

How do you work to improve your time?

For the first couple of races and early season, we focus on training and improving our time. Then, later in the season, our mileage will drop down to hit our peak times. The races are usually eight kilometers and ten at the NCAA regionals at the beginning of November. For that race and the conference races we want to have the best times.

How do you stay focused during a meet when it is just you and your opponents?

Before each meet, we go over the goals for the race against that team. Each meet has its own goals. The last meet's goal was to get the freshmen to run a five-mile race and to find out where our team stands at this point in the season.

Do you have a ritual or diet that you keep during season or before your

meets?

We try to have a team dinner with a lot of pasta and carbohydrates and tons of fluids.

Do you feel a lot of pressure? How do you handle it?

The hardest pressure is waiting at the line before the race starts. You could get crapped up or fall at the start. You are always wondering if you ate or drank enough. Usually once the race gets underway, the pressure goes out the window, and it is just a matter of doing it.

What are your future plans?

After I graduate, there is a possibility that I could go to graduate school and complete one more year of track eligibility. Upon eligibility completion I want to join the Greater Boston Track Club. Eventually, I would like to run the Boston Marathon—later in life.

I've heard that your team has a thing with nicknames. How did that start and what

It has been a tradition for as long as I have been here. My name is Sassy, then there is Rollo, Pork Chops, George, Nark, Ohio, New Wave, Captain Wiggin, and Allairetown.

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Dowling (NY) College swept the University at Stony Brook (NY), 3-0, in the championship of the 1997 Bryant College Volleyball Invitational last Saturday

The Golden Lions captured the crown for the second consecutive season.

Dowling reached the final be edging Bryant, 3-2. It was the second straight five-game defeat for Bryant, who fell to Stony Brook, 3-2, in a grueling three-hour match Friday night. In the match, senior Janet Rooney became only the second player in school history to record 30 kills in a match. Senior Jennifer Carvalho added 78 assists.

Bryant opened the tournament by dispatching Southampton (NY) College, 3-0.

RESULTS:

FRIDAY'S MATCHES:

Bryant 3, Southampton (NY) 0, (15-6, 15-3, 15-4)

Bentley 3, NY Tech 0 (15-6, 15-8, 15-5)

Stony Brook (NY) 3, Bryant 2 (14-16, 7-17, 15-10, 15-12, 15-12)

Dowling (NY) 3, Bentley 1 (7-15, 15-12, 15-10, 15-7)

SATURDAY'S MATCHES

Stony Brook 3, Southampton 0 (15-5, 15-6, 15-1)

Dowling 3, NY Tech 0 (16-14, 15-5, 15-1)

Semi-finals:

Stony Brook 3, Bentley 0 (15-8, 15-8, 16-14)

Dowling 3, Bryant 2 (15-6, 12-15, 15-13, 12-15, 15-7)

Dowling 3, Stony Brook 0 (15-8, 15-9, 15-4) Consolation:

Southampton 3, NY Tech 2 (15-11, 10-15, 15-11, 10-15, 15-12)

All-tournament team: Ann-Marie Flynn, Bentley

Janet Rooney, Bryant

Kerri Lapkowski, NY Tech

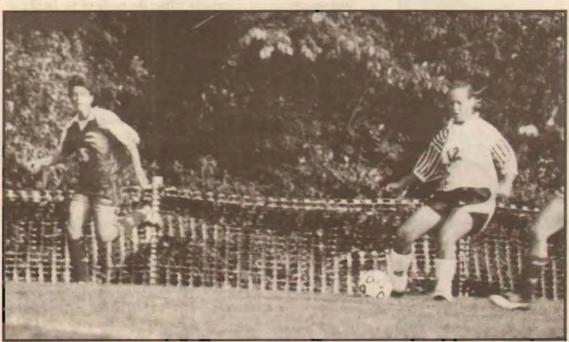
Elka Samuels, Stony Brook

Jolie Ward, Dowling

Sarah Boeckel, Stony Brook MVP: Raquel Saldanha, Dowling

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WOMEN'S SOCCER

NEW HAVEN 3, BRYANT 2

(Smithfield, RI)- Christine Huber scored three goals, two in the final fifteen minutes, to lead New Haven in a come-from-behind victory over Bryant, 3-2, in a non-conference match this afternoon.

Junior Kathy Harrison scored two goals for Bryant in the losing effort.

Bryant plays at home on Tuesday.

New Haven (1-2)

Bryant (1-2) Scoring:

1st Half:

B- Kathy Harrison (unassisted) 11:41 B- Harrison (Jaime Lannon) 34:27

NH- Christine Huber (Paula Uscilla) 36:55

2nd Half:

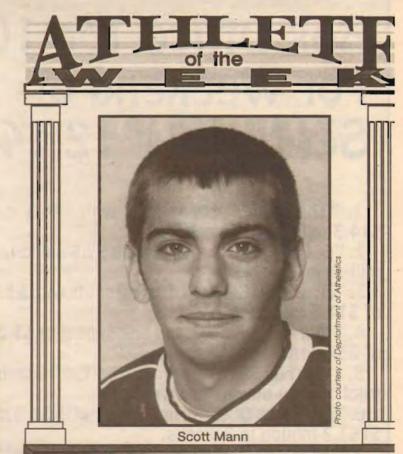
NH- Christine Huber (Stacy Wheeler) 33:48 NH- Christine Huber (Jessica Kmieczak) 36:38 Saves: (NH)-Beth Bailey 7, (B)-Deborah Kerr 5

TENNIS:

Bryant 9, AIC 0 Bryant 8, Franklin Pierce 1 Stonehill 5, Bryant 4







Men's socccer Scott Mann: the senior midfielder scored three goals in Bryant's 5-3 win over Mercy and tallied the Bulldogs' lone score in a 1-1 tie at Stonehill. Mann leads Bryant with nine points.

ENTERTAINMENT

Winners of the 49th Annual **Primetime Emmy Awards**

DRAMA SERIES: Law & Order, NBC.

COMEDY SERIES: Frasier, NBC.

MINISERIES: Prime Suspect 5: Errors of Judgement, PBS.

TELEVISION MOVIE: Miss Evers' Boys, HBO.

VARIETY, MUSIC OR COMEDY SPECIAL: Chris Rock: Bring The Pain, HBO.

VARIETY, MUSIC OR COMEDY SERIES: Tracey Takes On ..., HBO.

ACTOR, DRAMA SERIES: Dennis Franz, NYPD Blue, ABC

ACTRESS, DRAMA SERIES: Gillian Anderon, The X-Files, FOX.

ACTOR, COMEDY SERIES: John Lithgow, 3rd Rock From the Sun, NBC.

ACTRESS, COMEDY SERIES: Helen Hunt, Mad About You, NBC.

ACTOR, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Armand Assante, Gotti, HBO.

ACTRESS, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Alfre Woodard, Miss Evers' Boys, HBO

SUPPORTING ACTOR, COMEDY SERIES: Michael Richards, Seinfeld, NBC.

SUPPORTING ACTOR, DRAMA SERIES: Hector Elizondo, Chicago Hope, CBS.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, DRAMA SERIES: Kim Delaney, NYPD Blue, ABC.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, COMEDY SERIES: Kristen Johnston, 3rd Rock From the Sun, NBC.

SUPPORTING ACTOR, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Beau Bridges, The Second Civil War, HBO.

SUPPORTING ACTRESS, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: Dianna Rigg, Rebecca, PBS.

INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE, VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: Bette Midler, Bette Midler: Diva Las Vegas, HBO.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR A DRAMA SERIES: NYPD Blue: Where's Swaldo, ABC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR A COMEDY SERIES: David Lee, Frasier: To Kill a Talking Bird, NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHEIVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR A MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: The Odyssey, Part I & II, NBC.

INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT IN DIRECTING FOR VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: Centennial Olympic Games: Opening Ceremonies, NBC.

WRITING, DRAMA SERIES: NYPD Blue, ABC.

WRITING, COMEDY SERIES: Ellen: The Puppy Episode, ABC.

WRITING, MINISERIES OR SPECIAL: William Faulkner's Old Man (Hallmark Hall of Fame Presentation), CBS

WRITING, VARIETY OR MUSIC PROGRAM: Chris Rock: Bring the Pain, HBO.

PRESIDENT'S AWARD: Miss Evers' Boys, HBO.

Box Office Top 10 For Weekend of September 12-14, 1997

- 1. "The Game," opens at 1 with \$14.3 million. For a total of \$14.3 million in 1 week.
- 2. "G. I. Jane," stays at 2 with \$3.5 million. For a total of \$38.9 million in 4 weeks.
- 3. "Fire Down Below," drops 2 spots with \$3.3 million. For a total of \$11.3 million in 2 weeks.
- 4. "Money Talks," drops one spot with \$3.2 million. For a total of \$34.2 million in 4 weeks.
- 5. "The Full Monty," enters the Top 10 with \$2.9 million. For a total of \$6.0 million in 5 weeks.
- 6. "Air Force One," drops 1 spot with \$2.8 million. For a total of \$163.2 million in 8 weeks.
- 7. "Hoodlum" drops 3 spots with \$2.5 million. For a total of \$19.8 million in 3 weeks.
- 8. "Conspiracy Theory," drops 2 spots with \$2.3 million. For a total of \$70.7 million in 6 weeks.
- 9. "Excess Baggage," drops 2 spots with \$1.9 million. For a total of \$12.5 million in 3-weeks.
- 10. "George of the Jungle," comes in at 10 with \$1.8 million. For a total of \$98.6 million in 9 weeks.

Return to Nature

by Gary Higginson

One hot humid afternoon this past summer, it suddenly occurred to me that a quick trip to Point Judith might be the perfect ending to a long, sticky workday.

In fact it turned out to be more perfect than I could have imagined-well worth the hour or so drive from the Bryant Campus.

The winding shore road between Point Judith and Galilee is in itself relaxing. Humble, weather-beaten cottages sit amidst a few newer more modern seaside retreats. The waving dune grass is punctuated with bursts of color from wild roses and beach sweat pea. The whole scene tended to soothe and relax.

Although it was a hot July day, now by late afternoon the beach was almost deserted at Roger Whellan State Park. A refreshing dip and hour or so relaxing in the sun did me no harm.

A tasty seafood meal at the Sunflower, a laid back spot in Galilee was another plus. There are outdoor tables under an awning and you can talk with the caged parrots if you like.

Galilee is a refreshing change of pace, a funky, a little rough around the edges clutter of wholesale seafood distributors, bars, restaurants, fishing piers, and of course, the Block Island ferry.

Governor Almond is talking about a state plan to redevelop Galilee. That scares me. Visions of the pretentious, upscale Newport waterfront come to mind. I am afraid they mean development, big bucks, and driving out Mom and Pop. I hope they leave well enough alone.

Heading on towards Point Judith Lighthouse, I was drawn to pull into Camp Cronin State Fishing Area, an awesome little hide-away pocket beach, and a jetty that extends out into the ocean forever. It was the perfect summer setting. People here and there, some with their children, some catching a last swim of the day.

Fishermen were casting from the jetty. The sun, dropping in the west, the slight sea haze lingering in the air obscuring the cottages in the distance, all completed the scene. It was an intangible feeling of peace and well-being that simply made everything well with the world. At least for this special moment.

Walking out on the jetty, the slapping of the waves tended to confirm this feeling. The sun set, the brightly lit returning Block Island ferry passing in the gathering dusk all deepened this magical portrait.

Finally at the Point Judith lighthouse, the magic was completed; the steady reliable beam beckoning across water and land, the beams of its sister lights at Beavertail, Sakonnet and North Light winking in the distance. The steady, eerie light of Bretton Reef rears up high over the water and the twinkle of lights far away on the Block Island shore completed a perfect day.

You know, besides gloating to you over a great day I can't forget, I think I'm also trying to make a point.

No matter how busy or stressed you may be, take a breather now and then. A little escape to the arms of Mother Nature is always the right medicine, wherever she may present herself. It need not be any place specialperhaps just the neighborhood basketball court, the outer perimeter of the Bryant Campus. Whether in your own backyard or any of the dozens of Rhode Island and nearby Massachusetts state parks, Audubon sanctuaries, Blackstone Valley historic sites or whatever, we are surrounded by a wealth of open, unique places. Mother Nature extends us an open invitation, not only where we can leave our worries behind but where we can go when we feel good too.

You may say you don't have time. I say we don't have time not to renew ourselves. A little break usually renews our focus and ability to accomplish our tasks. I can almost guarantee you won't be disappointed.

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