Student Senate Goals: Accomplished

By: Megan Rinkmahn
Staff Writer

Student Senate Officers are excited about the upcoming legislative year.

The Student Senate is one of the most active clubs on campus, with over 1,000 members. The Senate meets every Monday evening at 7 PM in the Student Center. They discuss a variety of topics, including budget, events, and policies.

The Senate has several goals for the upcoming year, and they are currently working on implementing them.

One of the main goals is to increase student participation in Senate meetings. They want to make sure that all students have the opportunity to contribute to the decision-making process. To achieve this goal, they are planning to hold more open forums and encourage students to attend meetings.

Another goal is to improve the communication between the Senate and the rest of the student body. They want to make sure that students are aware of the Senate's activities and are able to provide feedback. To achieve this goal, they are planning to use social media and email to keep students informed.

Finally, the Senate is working on developing a new budget for the upcoming year. They want to make sure that the budget is fair and meets the needs of the student body.

Overall, the Student Senate is determined to make the campus a better place for students. They are excited about the upcoming legislative year and look forward to working hard to achieve their goals.
National News

U.S. considers sending more troops to Iraq

By Philip Doren
St Louis Post-Dispatch (KRT)

The recent spread of violence in Iraq threatens the United States with a situation in which such danger is difficult and one that military planners want to avoid quickly and get out of as soon as possible.

Security experts are considering a number of strategies to bring more American troops into the country, a senior official with the U.S. Central Command told reporters at the Pentagon Monday.

"Given the events of this weekend and the obvious potential for more demonstrations or more violence, we have asked the staff to sit down and look at what forces are available and if there is a specific response to the event that they should be needed," the official said, according to a transcript provided by the Pentagon. The official spoke on condition of anonymity.

What is particularly worrisome is that violence against the American occupation is now coming from not just from elements within the Sunni triangle, including Fallujah, but also from followers in the western Iraq of radical Shiite cleric Moqtada al-Sadr who is looking toward a broader civil war.

"It's extremely serious. It's not one situation but several situations going on at the same time," said Rep. Ike Skelton, D-Mo., ranking member of the House Armed Services Committee.

Military commanders consider whether to send more American troops to Iraq.

"We are going to be able to turn over sovereignty on June 30. If we don't handle much of that, we are going to have a very big problem," Bush said.

Bush said the United States is "determined" in Iraq by forces that want U.S. policy and Iraqi democracy to fail. But "the Iraqis and terrorists will not deter the administration from the goal of a free and democratic Iraq," Bush said.

Still, continued violence could complicate the handover, said Daniel Coats, a former Senate Department attorney and National Security Council official, who directs the post-conflict reconstruction project of the Center for Strategic and International Studies.

"The security situation is not as positive as one might have assumed," he said. "The government and police are not as effective as we had assumed, and that is the tough part of the mission," he said. "In fact, U.S. forces have to show "demonstrating firepower" but one in a "belligerent" fashion, McNerney said.

While there is a possibility of lifting some of the U.S. and Iraqi sanctions, which many analysts said could happen, the more likely prospect is that success by either group in striking coalition targets in conjunction with the forces could serve to embolden the other. The White House believe it is unlikely written off in Fallujah as a major force, believing he has "little support from the wider population."

But his 3,000-member militia and the appeal of his hard-line religious message, the occupation are speaking concerns.

"This is a frighteningly disturbing thing to me in Iraq is the possibility that Saturn might be a stronger force than we had anticipated." Doing so, he said, "was the worst predictable outcome in Iraq," said Daniel Benjamin, Middle East and terrorism expert at the Center for Strategic and International Studies, and a former National Security Council official.

"Even with the problem that the occupation is in all part of the evolution of democracy in Iraq," he said. "We've been too busy writing history, being written."
Campus News

Greeks to Host Several Campus Events during Greek Week April 12-18

April 9, 2004 Page 3

By Elizabeth Milh-Robertson

Greek Life is celebrating its annual "Greek Week." This week-long celebration will take place from April 12 to April 18. According to Austin Rice, Head of Greek Week celebrations and Vassant, Rohillard, Secretary and Public Relations Chair of Greek Life, the purpose of this week is to promote the spirit and unity of Greek Life. It is an attempt to get rid of the stereotype of who a Greek is, and Rice believes the participating organizations include the 15 sororities and 6 fraternities on Bryant Campus. They are Sigma Sigma Sigma, Phi Sigma Sigma, Delta Zeta, Delta Chi, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Phi Kappa Tau, Tau Epsilon Phi and Tau Kappa Epsilon. All the fraternities and sororities started out as local chapters. However, according to Rice, the school wanted a structured program and as such, most kappa off on Monday, April 12 with a hypnotist, Frank Sontu. Other activities planned include the Greek Olympics, Texas Hold 'Em Poker competition and Movie Night. Other than the luncheon with faculty on Thursday, most of the events are open to the Bryant student body.

Greek organizations will host and participate in many events during the upcoming week.

Laptops could be from page 1

AM. "People also worry, "Any students that are studying abroad next semester must turn their laptops in before they leave for their top or risk being charged full price for the computer." Students are also responsible for their laptop being returned in good working condition.

Students can find more details on the "Greek" page 1, since there are some problems with the available service, which is susceptible to viruses.

Freshman Dave Santerre put together the building survey regarding the building logo and what students think of it. A senior class gift celebration will take place at a way to get seniors together. In previous years, there was only a senior class gift chair and gift committee.

Many changes have been made to the Student Senate that are not always obvious to the student body. These improvements show how this year's senior's aren't afraid to give their hands dirty on a variety of different issues.

Overall, this year, no matter what came up, Rich Harley said "Senators took the year seriously, they were not afraid to take that next step and get things done."

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Ability to maintain the office in the absence of the coordinator.

Please see Harriet Farr, Coordinator of Faculty A, Ext. 6099.

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Relay can't feed page 1 very important part of the relay because they remind participants of who they are walking for. Senior Kim Berg believed the relay was a great experience because so many people could relate to the disease of having relatives with cancer. She said, "It was great to see everyone come out and support such a worthy cause and have so much fun doing it."

Following the luminaries ceremony, which contained outstanding acts and activities throughout the night, DJ 3 will be present at the event throughout the night and at 7 p.m. there will be "Midnight Pizza" where local pizza partners will provide pizza for the participants," states Chapline.

"The relay is basically a celebration of people's will to fight cancer and a memorial ceremony for those who fought and lost," according to Senior Staci Casarez. "The relay was a great experience to walk, get together with your friends, and perform great deeds.

"The ceremony will conclude with an announcement of all the money raised and an award for the most spirited team," says Chapline. On Saturday morning, everyone will get off the track and the cancer survivors will go out and do a lap alone.

"Relay for Life" is the American Cancer Society's largest event. Two time-walker and Senior Nicole Menashe walked for the Bryant Cheerleaders and thought, "It was awesome. Not only was it fun for the group you went with, but we raised so much money." Not only is the relay an exciting and meaningful experience for all the participants and survivors, it is a celebration of hope that friends and family lost to cancer will never be forgotten and that the victims will always have love and support.

FYI
Did You Know...

-Attention all students, by using your Bryant One Card to purchase Coca-cola products from the residence hall vending machines, you are automatically entered to win a free trip. The promotion begins April 5 and ends April 30. Look for more information around campus!

-Archway Staff and Bryant Community, Heartfelt thanks for all your kindness, during my recent loss. Especially students and Alumni for all your love and support. You made a difficult time easier to deal with. Love, Deanna Themmen

-The International Student Organization will be having a formal gala on Saturday, April 24, 2004 at the Westin in Providence. Ticket prices will be $35 per person or $25 per couple. Men are required to wear suits or ties and the women are to wear dresses. There will be free transportation, please look out for ticket sales in the upcoming weeks.

-Come to the workshop "Building Your Financial Future", presented by Fidelity Investments, Tuesday, April 13, 2004 at 4:00 PM in the Papitto Dining Room. Please RSVP by April 12, 2004 to RSVPRCF@bryant.edu or by calling 223-6167. Sponsored by Academic Affairs.

-The BPA and the Dept of Applied Psychology presents Dr. Jonathan Dudek, "It's Not Just Serial Killers: A Day in the Life of a Forensic Psychologist" Wednesday, April 14 at 4 p.m. in Johnson. Dr. Dudek is a licensed clinical psychologist trained in the field of forensic psychology.

Department of Public Safety Log

VANDALISM (RES) MAR 29 2004 at 11:06
Report of the electrical closet being vandalized on 5th floor of a residence hall.

BURGLARY/BRA (NON-RES) MAR 29 2004 14:37
Reported theft of a laptop from room in a townhouse (non college issue)

VANDALISM (AUTO) MAR 29 2004 17:20
Student came down to Public Safety to report that someone keyed his vehicle while it was parked in the commuter lot.

THEFT (STOLEN PROP) MAR 29 2004 19:45
A Nextel Cell phone was reported stolen from a Sudesho employee locker in the administration hall.

ACCIDENT MAR 29 2004 17:55
A worker from Sudesho came into DPS to report that her vehicle had been struck, while it was parked on John Mowery Road.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT MAR 30 2004 19:45
A report of sexual harassment in the townhouses.

ASSAULT MAR 31 2004 01:10

DPS Dispatch was called by a student who reported that he was punched in the face by someone that he did not know ever by the Beello Center in the Bryant Center lot.

VANDALISM (RES) MAR 31 2004 09:30
Locksmith advises DPS that both front and back entry doors to hall 3 have been vandalized.

SUSPICIOUS MAR 31 2004 14:29
DPS was informed of prank calls to the Health Services office.

DISORDERLY (DISPUTE) APR 1 2004 02:55
As RA called DPS stating that there was a fight outside TH-A.

FRAUD (CARS OVR 500) APR 1 2004 11:30
DPS received a report of a bounced check and requested a report.

DRUG (PARAPH POS) APR 2 2004 11:29
Residence Life reported finding paraphernalia in a student's room.

FRAUD (FRAUD CHECKS) APR 2 2004 16:29
A report of a bounced check was received by DPS.

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THE ARCHWAY
Young Blood Pumps the Heart of Women's Lacrosse

By Meghan Lowell

Sports Editor

The women's lacrosse team has been on a roll this season. The team has won four straight games, including a 19-3 victory over Temple. The team's next game is against Northeastern University on Wednesday, March 28.

Samantha Libby is the veteran goalie-keeper for the Bulldogs this season. The team is 4-4 this season and is looking for another bid to tournament.

Last week, the team had three games. On Friday, the team defeated Marist, 20-14, and St. Anselm, 20-9, in the same week, but fell to Adelphi, 19-2. The team has gotten off to a strong start in each of their games so far this season. No opponent has yet to shut them out.

Freshman Shara Levy has consistently scored goals for the Bulldogs this season. Last week, she had 2 goals against Marist and 1 goal against St. Anselm. Levy is a future star for the team and has been a key player in the team's success so far this season.

The team will play their next game against Northeastern University on Wednesday, March 28, at 7:30 PM. The game is expected to be a tough one, but the team is ready to take on the challenge.

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Simon Says: A Lot of "Firsts"

By Toby Simon Columnist

The Archway

Thoughts on the Steroid Scandal

By Steven Probst

Editor

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The Archway
Great Bands You (Probably) Haven’t Heard Of Yet: #15: Raisinhill

By Christian Coello

Together for less than three years, Raisinhill has a per¬
dium for no-holds-barred playing. It’s Raisinhill’s empir¬
ical indebtedness, spoken within their, well-worn instruments that are the pillar during original numbers like “The Ringo,” a piece that moves with one stylist¬
ically and effectiveness of a flame of smoke diffusing into the air. This number returned on “Make ’em March.”

Another standout from “Make ’em March” is “No Time To Be Young,” which I had heard from their recent singles. The band’s seven-part album is available as “Raisinhill” and on tape. In addition, the band is performing in New Orleans and playing drums in a “mister free” ensemble.” called Also Stiff. At face value, it had to be true. Raisinhill had had their own share of highs.

Making a name for themselves, playing in an indie record banner called Manx who opened for the first time in San Francisco. It wasn’t long after orig¬
inating because it was the last day of the show. The group’s next move was to get out and stay for a weekend of music and

Raisinhill are Jay Bond (drums), John Kasiewicz (guitar), and Brian Anderson (upright bass).

Video Vault: Scooby Doo 2: Monsters Unleashed

By Greg Sanchez Staff Columnist

The gang is back in the highest possible, tremendously funny case of Scooby and Classic Cartoon Comedy. Scaring Trouble Prison Jr, Sarah Michelle Gellar, Matthew Lillard, and Linda Cardellini, Scooby Doo 2 promises to pick up right where the first one left off.

The premise behind this installment is that in their bonfire they must save Mystery Inc. Inc. is being honored with a museum exhibit of all their old, early monster con¬
tours. The only problem is that a monster has escaped and brings them to life using a magical spell book.

From there, the normal family picks up. Shaggy and Scooby are their normal selves, and the rest of the gang has to pick up the slack as usual. The gang plays in a slide and all of Coolsville bring down Mystery Inc. Inc. does. So then the gang has it in them to once again solve the case, or will the mumblingcontinue in silence.

The movie’s premise and storyline are, overall, very good. The writers have been able to take many of the best cartoon episodes and monsters, and combine that with some of their more recent past cartoons including the “A Pup Named Scooby Doo” cartoon show. This provided a good view of the behind the character of the cast for all those who do not know or may be too young to remember.

The overall comedy of this movie is by far the best rea¬
son why one should go out to see this movie. It continues to have some adult humor in terms in the first installment, but add a new tone. Part of the movie is show through the humor of a bad guy or suspect. This has never been done before in a Scooby Doo cartoon, and defini¬
tely adds to the overall appeal of the movie.

The special effects of the monsters, and the ever-pres¬
ent green screened Scooby Doo were off the wall amazing. There is one scene in the film where Scooby has to dance through his way through a crowd of bad guys in order to not draw attention to himself. After the game over defeat, the gang has to once again solve the case, or will the mumblingcontinue in silence.

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OZZI O B S O U R N E : T H E E A R L I E S T Y E A R S

The Bryant Players to Perform the Little Shop of Horrors

By Gina Mannello

The Bryant Players, a student theater group at Bryant College, will perform the classic musical “Little Shop of Horrors” from April 23 through April 25. All performances will be held in Hancock Theatre on the Bryant campus.

In this dark but goofy and thoroughly musical show, directed by Howard Friedman and Alar Merken, the Seymour and Buch¬

hazardous duo of the show. They have a great chemistry and balance of the Seymour’s evil, clever, and discover¬

soon after a total eclipse of the sun.

Soon money pours in and Seymour becomes a minor celebrity, but behind the glamour

books band says the early CD is outdated and “every song sounds completely different. We all know what we’re doing now.”

The band’s soundtracks around small festivals, where they can play for groups of people who share an appreciation for new sounds. Rather than staying even a CD in a nook and designing a flashy press kit, Raisinhill keeps their sound relatively tight and loud enough to convert their fan base to fans. They will choose the closest venue from their sessions and turn the fans into something the veritable demo effort. They’ll be gathering an invaluable review in no time.

The surest check-out on www.raisinhill.com for sound¬

clips and more information.

Also, Raisinhill is in the area this month, so be sure to check them out. They’ll be playing the Iron Horse in Northampton, MA next Friday April 26 at 9:00 pm.

You are sure to enjoy the sound but you dearly like to get the Raisinhill experience. Next Saturday, April 17, Raisinhill will perform at the Williston School for the Arts in the University of Rhode Island: Hampstead. Their set will begin at 8:00 pm. The best way to get a band down for a good time that won’t cost you a dime!

Pier” by Charles Crowley, class of 2005

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on the

Sandburg Strait

While a fogging fog

Stands in wait

Home across the

Tajik sea

And crashes on the

Beach or Ocean

Floor

Atlantic is the

Distance, where

The city sleeps long

Gone hot or

Forgotten

From which deceivably

You back

Infuriated forth

To wreak havoc on

Her shores?
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