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Here Comes Floyd and His Friends

By Max Dittelman

The same strange weather pattern that brought Rhode Island a drought this summer, severe enough to make Rhode Island a Federal Disaster Area, is rearing its ugly head again. This time it is the antithesis of drought and yes, you can blame La Nina.

As seen all over campus, grass is sun burnt and for the first couple of weeks the pond was lower than usual. All summer long the La Nina weather phenomenon created a firm weather pattern that kept some areas of North America in rain all summer and others, like the American Northeast, dry. That same nasty little weather pattern is now pushing one tropical storm after the other across the Atlantic, just north of the Equator. As the storms near the United States the La Nina impacted weather pattern has been steering the storms toward the eastern seaboard. Unfortunately, this pattern is not showing any signs of changing.

Hurricane Floyd is on his way, and we need to get ready. This is not a question of whether or not it will hit. It is only a question now of the intensity when the effects get here. The storm intensity varies depending on where you are in relation to the center of the storm. The route that the storms take is normally quite variable, like a top spinning on a table. This time the rivers of air that move around our planet are steering it like there was a groove in that table.

In the best case scenario for us, Floyd will move well to our west. This will produce winds in our area in the 20-30 mph range and 4-8 inches of rain. Basically just a really lousy, wet day. The worst scenario has the eye very close to us. While Floyd is currently a Class 3 (out of 5) hurricane meaning winds exceed 115 mph, it will not be able to sustain those winds in our colder water. It is possible that winds could, however, gust up to 120-130 mph (about as fast as some of us drive down Rt. 7) and provide rain to be measured in feet. This must be taken seriously. This is no drill.

No matter the outcome, the school has been preparing and so should you. If Floyd does hit at hurricane intensity, first, plan on a day or two without being able to go out and shop. This is not just because of the weather, some stores will close, secure and send their people home. You should also be aware that Rhode Island is the "Bread and Milk" Capitol of The World. The convenience stores will be cleaned out. In the worst case scenario, if Floyd is full out hurricane the school has set policies that were used four years ago in another hurricane situation. All students with houses or residence within 2-4 hours of the school will be able to leave and other students can check themselves out. All other students will be moved to the MAC. These procedures will only occur if there is a hurricane or severe tropical storm. At this point we cannot predict (continued on page 8)

Above: Pond is Drained in Preparation for Hurricane

Wet 'N Wild Weekend

By Kyle Kadish

The rain on Friday, September 10th surely came down. With it came fun and excitement to some Bryant Students, while other community members were furious and frustrated. THE FRUSTRATION

The campus received approximately 6" of rain in three hours Friday. This amount was hard to handle as some buildings incurred flooding. The greatest flood on campus occurred in the MAC. Puddles formed on the north side of the building between the MAC and tennis courts. The puddles were so deep, that water began flowing under the doors in the MAC and next to the racquetball courts. As the rain kept falling the water kept coming in. By 7:00 pm, the water had covered the MAC floor, the corridor by the racquetball courts, and the corridor connecting the MAC and gym. Simultaneously, the gym was full of fans cheering on the Volleyball team at their tournament.

All Physical Plant staff could do was hold the water back from the gym until more manpower arrived. Help consisting of coaches, students, and more housekeeping staff arrived by 7:30 pm. They all grabbed squeegees, brooms, wet vacs, and mops. Much of the water was pushed into the locker rooms and then down the drains in the floor.

The water left a lot of dirt all over the MAC, which was later cleaned. With the cleaning complete, the damage could be assessed. Water got into and under the racquetball and squash courts. The floors are now slightly warped, but with some work, they can be sanded down and refinished.

Much concern was given to the MAC floor. The floor was installed last week.

Brian Britton, Director of Physical Plant, said "The floor should be okay." He continued saying, "The floor (continued on page 8)
Gradually Losing Focus
By Julie Bethke
Copy Editor

I would like to take a detour from my normally optimistic perspective of life at Bryant College to highlight a particularly disturbing trend. I am concerned that one of the philosophical pillars of Bryant College is becoming an empty phrase that sounds nice and attracts prospective students, but is playing a diminished role in the reality of life at Bryant. Certainly, Bryant's tradition of academic excellence is not in question, in fact, it is the main reason why people choose to come here. However, education is not the only thing to consider. The type of community that supports the institution, and what types of resources are available, as well as the overall attitude displayed towards students is very important.

On every tour, in every publication, and at every Bryant event the phrase "student-centered" is tossed around, painting an idyllic setting for learning and living. However, the longer one stays here, the more distorted the ideal becomes and one begins to wonder if life at Bryant College was ever as perfect as it is conveyed to be.

I can only speak to my personal experiences and the experiences of my friends, however, more and more frequently, the topic of our discussions turn to the frustration that comprises a number of things that come along with being a student here. It is not uncommon to be treated as if like a burden to someone's day when we have to request information or as an annoyance when we have to ask what the appropriate procedures are for getting something accomplished. And it is even more frustrating that even after the correct procedures are followed, things do not get done anyway. I will avoid providing a specific example because it is not important who causes this to happen, but the fact that it is happening and is happening more frequently to a number of students. I am sure most students could identity a time where getting the assistance they needed required more effort on their part than should have been necessary. This, of course, is not always the case. There are people at Bryant who consistently go out of their way to help students in any way that they can. They think nothing of it and always do it with a smile. To those people (you know who you are)—thank you for making Bryant a great place to be. You may not hear it everyday, but you are appreciated and you do me a difference.

Hanging in the offices of a handful of Bryant employees is the following simple set of statements:

The student is...

• the most important person on the campus.
• without students there would be no need for the institution.
• not a cold enrollment statistic but a flesh and blood human being with feelings and emotions like our own not someone to be tolerated so that we can do our thing. They ARE our thing.

Not dependent on us. Rather, we are dependent on them.

• for a reason our work, but the purpose of it.
• not doing them a favor by serving them. They are doing us a favor by giving us the opportunity to do so.

Students are an integral part of the Bryant community, yet sometimes, as a result of the way we are treated in certain cases, one gets the feeling that maybe students are not as important as we are told we are. A prime example of this happened just last week with the Community Forums scheduled for that Thursday morning. Carson wrote a letter to anyone that a large majority of students would find themselves irrelevant to the future of the Bryant community to attend. My question is why would arrangements not have been made to accommodate the whole community? In response to this, President Macdaddy did state that it was an oversight and that another meeting in the evening is to be scheduled sometime during the upcoming weeks to allow students to attend. Perhaps in the future, the college should put a delay on the opening schedule so as to allow all members of the community to participate in this important event.

A community cannot be exclusive and more importantly it cannot exist without communication.

To conclude, I would like to make a plea to the entire Bryant Community. Please remember that no part of the community is separate from any other. The task might be different, but the goal is the same. Faculty, staff and students all must work together, be respectful of one another, and make efforts to communicate with each other effectively. We all are a part of the Bryant Community and each of us has the responsibility to make it an inviting and comfortable place to be for everyone.
Academic Center for Excellence
“A change in name, an enhancement of services”
By Rhode Milord

Which do you think is the ideal student— an individual with a 4.0 grade point average, or a person who engages in positive practices that help enhance their academic performance? I believe both characteristics make up a good student. From a scholastic perspective, we are evaluated and ranked according to our grades; these grades are often a result of what we do and do not do. Some people are natural born geniuses. They can see or hear something only once and be able to retain and apply the principles with no problem. For others, it is not that simple. Many of us need to study and practice the lessons taught in the classroom on a regular basis. The goal of the Academic Center for Excellence (ACE) is to help students earn and maintain high GPA through programs and services that will lead to academic success.

The Academic Center for Excellence was The Learning Center. The name has been changed because it is “old-fashioned for the services that are provided,” says new ACE director, Dr. Laurie L. Hazard. She added, “If you look around, there are ‘learning centers’ found in many institutions. Even childcare services such as daycare and kindergarten are often called early childhood learning centers.” The new title describes what the center is, a place where excellence is taught, encouraged, and maintained. The philosophy of ACE is that good study skills are the path that should be taken to become “self-reliant, independent, and confident learners.”

While the original tutoring and learning disability services continue to be provided, ACE has added many new features to achieve its goal of helping students receive superior grade point averages. A seven-week study strategy course is being offered September 13 through October 29. Each topic will be repeated four times a week, with a new topic every week. The subjects include Time Management and Combating Procrastination, Active Learning, Listening and Note-Taking, and How to Study for Multiple Choice Short Essay Exams. This year, the College Reading and Learning Association (CRLA) will certify all peer tutors through tutor training. Peer Tutors will be trained in many areas such as providing instructional support for existing curriculum, assisting in the development of study skills, and helping students find and evaluate their strengths.

Also, the new director, Dr. Hazard will get together with students to help meet their academic needs. Her personal goal for ACE is that, “it functions as a place where a community of learners can come together and develop the habits of a scholar.”

The programs offered at the Academic Center for Excellence are not limited to those in academic jeopardy, but are for everyone. You should not wait until you are failing a class in order to ask for help. The Academic Center for Excellence is here to give you strategies to effectively take on the workload and hopefully motivate you to “think of yourself not as a student, but a scholar.”

The Academic Center for Excellence is located in Hall 6 on the 3rd Floor. Hours are Monday through Thursday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday 1 p.m. to 10 p.m.

You’ve heard it over and over again. “Welcome back for another school year.” Another year of classes, exams, Salamander food, late mornings and even later nights. This year is sure to entail all the normal college traditions that every campus enjoys. But there is another tradition that takes place at Bryant and other colleges year after year that has begun to change. If you haven’t noticed the buzzword at Bryant this year is “weekend programming.” The Student Activities office along with other offices on campus put forth a semester long calendar, filled with weekend events. This calendar of events (just look for the Star Wars poster) along with the weekends the Students Programming Board will put on, promises to leave a mark on the fall semester.

Some of the weekend themes include Olympic weekend, MTV weekend and Back to the 80’s weekend. Each weekend promises free food, prizes and entertainment ranging from carnival events to comedians. The festivities will also include an array of music starting with 80’s Enough Band and continuing later in the semester with a Swing Band and DJ on Swing Weekend.

These newly planned events will accompany those that the Student Programming Board (SPB) has planned. The traditional Fall Weekend will take place November 19-21 with a variety of new events, and a newly introduced Halloween Weekend will take place October 29-31. Every other weekend this semester will be accompanied by a blockbuster movie being shown in Jenkins auditorium. The movies being shown this semester include: The General’s Daughter, Big Daddy, Rocky Horror Picture Show, Tarzan, American Pie and Austin Powers II, which happens to be the next blockbuster being shown on September 16, 18 and 19.

With all these events planned and underway, it seems impossible that any student at Bryant could argue, “There’s nothing to do.” I encourage you to take part in the traditional campus events and those a little less traditional by supporting all campus programming this year. Let’s face it, it’s your money and your college experience at stake.

Student Activities
By John Drew

New Faces - Going New Places
By Kevin Hearne

The start to the 1999-00 academic year has brought about progressive and aggressive changes in the Office of Residence Life. Four new professional staff members, twenty new RA members, and a soon-to-be appointed office coordinator have worked to restructure the Office to suit the ever-changing needs of our campus community.

New staff include: Scott Rattigan - alum, past RA and son of Assistant Director of Public Safety John Rattigan, Van Pham - graduate of John Carroll University and recently a resident director at UNH, and Hank Parkinson - graduate of Sacred Heart University who shares his time between Hall 14 and Student Activities where he also works as their Program Advisor. Coupled with returning staff and the energy and talents of the 52 members of the RA Staff, the Office of Residence Life strives to be the center of the student experience by providing various resources and offering diverse programming to the residential populations.

To better accomplish these aims, the Office has re-structured its weekly training series to incorporate four focus areas identified to further develop and enhance its staff’s ability to function as resources within the College Community. These focus areas include both community service and professional leadership projects that the Office hopes will evolve into a leadership development series which may be offered to interested students in the spring. Look for opportunities throughout the campus to see the changes the Office is making to meet the needs in the new millennium.
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**Blood-Drive Set to Kick off a BIG year for the Bryant Marketing Association**

*By Jerry Titus*

The Bryant Marketing Association (BMA) had its first meeting on Tuesday September 7th, and was attended by over 25 students, which included many new faces. Jennifer Plourde, the BMA president, welcomed everyone back to school, and along with faculty advisor Frank Bingham, discussed many of the exciting events that are in the works. In addition to the many speakers, dinners, and national and local marketing competitions that have already been planned, the BMA hopes to break new ground for the 1999-2000 school year, by encompassing a larger population of the student body here at Bryant. Students of all grades and majors are encouraged to join, and meetings will be held bi-weekly in room 2A of the Bryant Center. The next meeting is Tuesday September 21 at 3:30, and we welcome you to come see what the BMA is all about.

We are very excited that this year, the BMA will be taking the reigns in sponsoring the 101st Blood Drive at Bryant College. It will be held on Monday, September 20th from 11-5 in the Rotunda, there will be free pizza available courtesy of Pizza Hut as well as cookies from Subway. Our goal is to get 101 donors to give blood on that day, and with the help of the students, faculty, and staff here at Bryant, that goal can be accomplished.

If you have any questions regarding the blood drive, or would like information on joining the BMA, please contact Jennifer at jpt1@bryant.edu or Professor Frank Bingham in faculty suite K.

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**Delta Zeta**

*By Brenda Lane*

Welcome back Delta Zeta! Hope that everyone's semester started off ok. We would just like to remind everyone of the Rachel's Hope Walk-a-thon that we are sponsoring. It is this Saturday, September 18th at 10 am. If you can not attend the walk, donations can be given to any sister and will be greatly appreciated. An early 21st birthday wish for Conor, on September 21st! Congratulations to everyone who made Dean's List – Arista, Dewayn, Avery, Truvvy, & McGuire – way to go girls! Thanks to all my sisters for being so good to me this weekend, I appreciate everything – Love, Bailey. Oh Arista, next time you go to watch someone play the piano, just be on the lookout for grill covers. – Love, Bailey. Dylan, I heard that Cosmo called and wants you to be on the cover cuz they love your keen fashion sense-Vogue girl! – Love, Avery. Koral, I want to remind you to shake 'em if you got 'em. – Dylan Bailey, you are a superstar and do not worry DZ girl will save your day – Dylan. To my Pit's, together again and always partners in crime –dilly Hey Arista, wanna come to the sales office with me? – McGuire. Hey Bailey. It's Hammer time!!! L&S, Arista. Congratulations to everyone who didn't fall on the dance floor at the Greek Ball. Koral, Thank you for the late night message. Sorry I did not call but I love you too – Dylan Bailey, shake what your mama gave ya! L&S, Koral. Dewayn- Thanks for grilling up some great grub for us! L&S. Graci. Arista- What did your chicken say to you Friday night? Thank you for being my late night workout buddy, without that we'd never get in shape. L&S, Koral. Professor Resano- Nice purse. Is it European? Arista & Koral. McGuire- Thanks for your beautiful drawings. They brighten up the room! L&S, Avery. Bailey- the countdown to NCPD begins again! – Avery. Kitt & Garrett- At least one of us knows our way around campus! L&S, Graci. Avery. Thanks for eating my ghetto popcorn! – Graci Dylan, Gyrso, and Renolds- Thanks for making the Jimmy Buffet concert such a great night! Maybe next time Dylan will actually be able to watch the concert! Love, Graci. Kitt- do you know where our room is any more? L&S, Graci. Garrett, why did you have my lighter? L&S. Arista Kitt & Gracie- You guys are the most exciting people I've ever met at 2:30am. L&S, Garrett. Last, but not least thanks to Phi Kap and Beta for a wonderful funfilled weekend. We will do it again soon, boys. That's all the news this week in Turtle Town!

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Tau Kappa Epsilon

*By Greg Montesano*

All of us here at TKE would like to welcome back all of the students here at Bryant College. We would also like to wish the new class of 2003 good luck and have fun. Many of the brothers had great summers this year. Adam worked as a taste tester for Natural Lager, Inc. Coleman was a journalist for Cosmopolitan and Better Homes and Gardens magazines, and Mov has...
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Currently been acting in the sequel to Varsity Blues, “Dirtbikes, Thule Ski Racks, and Parties In Westfield”.

Ladies, PJ is using a new gel this year, Mobil 10W-40. It gives his hair that touch of ambience and gloss. Make sure you let him know you like it.

This past weekend at the Kid Rock show, Joci was injured and brothers Hitch and Jim stepped in as stunt doubles. They were the only ones in the area who fit the height requirements.

Jamaoulis still has yet to be on campus for 48 hours consistently. Either C Bass has been trying to make a couple of cheap passes, or he has got some sort of friend he wants to keep under wraps.

This past Friday, TKE attended the Greek Ball and cleaned up in the hardware department. We had close to 10 brothers on Dean’s List and our chapter had the Highest GPA for the spring’99 semester. Also, Brother Sean Fenney, RA, received the most prestigious award in all the land. He had the highest GPA out of all the male Greeks for the spring ’99 semester. Congrats!

C-Bass and Dr. Stress (George Platt) along with representatives from all of the Greek organizations spread 35 30 yards of mulch in a community service project on Saturday morning. C-Bass got to demo the new John Deere 69ERW3 tractor. It was a great sight, however, because he was up so high, he managed to create an eclipse and the crew had to turn in early.

Brothers Dan Keefe and Derek Smith are now members of this year’s Bryant College Lacrosse Team. Good work guys and we will look forward to seeing you all wave the wands out on the field this year. Captain Justin Stein will be leading the tennis team to their 40th straight championship this season. And last but not least, AJ Boyardee will be defending his 1998-99 Bryant Chess club championship this year. If anyone wants a game, call 4177.

Up and coming senator Matt Baran will have a seat on the house this year. Give ’em hell Matt.

To all of our seniors Dice, Nerno, Swandex, D Rock, Adam, and Coleman, we wish you guys the best of luck this year and good luck with the job searches.

Until next time - Pipes

Bryant Karate Club
By Rhode Milord

Welcome to another year with the Bryant Karate Club. It is my pleasure as secretary to keep the members and Bryant community informed on what is happening during the course of the semester.

Last week membership was reopened for anyone who wanted to step into the exhilarating world of Tae Kwon Do. Many people showed up and have joined the club, impressively increasing our present numbers. Past experience has shown that the club starts off very strong. New members are excited about doing something different, while old participants look forward to learning new techniques and advancing in rank. Things go great — classes are full, everyone is pumped, and skills & coordination rapidly improves. After a couple of months, members start to fade away.

Motivation and enthusiasm begins to dwindle as a result; attendance begins to decline. I do not want that to happen this year. Members, look around (next time you in class...but not during line drills, would not want you to get hurt). There are a lot of different people who you can learn a lot from and teach something to. I know as the semester progresses, projects, papers, and exams will come up but I encourage you to keep coming to Karate. The club is not only a place where you learn martial arts, but a place where you meet up with friends, get away from the hectic ordeals of everyday campus life, and blow off a little steam (all in due respect of course). There is a lot of potential in the Bryant Karate Club. We can have a fantastic semester filled with high-spirited classes, tournaments, trips, and a lot more. In order for this semester to be all it can be, we need you (past and present members) to come and participate.

This semester, we have a new vice president and treasurer, along with our re-elected efficient president, and returning secretary. We as your club officers are planning many things so that you may enjoy all that the club has to offer and hopefully come to love it as we do. If you have any ideas about activities, fundraisers, or just class stuff, feel free to come to any of the officers or the upper belts and we will try to work at implementing
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WJFM To Be Back On The Air
By Brendan Shannon

Welcome back from all of us at 88.7. If you have not noticed already the station is un-operational at the present moment. Rumors that we were struck by lightening hold about as much water as the pond these days. To clear the cloud of uncertainty for all of those anxiously awaiting WJFM's return here are the facts: "Due to technical difficulties we are unable to broadcast at this time." Seriously though, our high-tech equipment from the 1960's decided to visit with the heirloom tables in the trash compactor down at the physical plant. So with a fully functioning antenna, and a newly assembled board of directors the station will hopefully open with a bang Homecoming weekend! Andrew Gardner, Amanda Lirange, Mike Siwicki, Randy Rossi, Tom Batters, Max Dietelman, Pat Daly, Miquel, and Brendan Shannon have set the tone for the station this year as they have worked hard to set up a fully functioning structure by which the station will be run this year. With Randy Rossi taking care of our technical difficulties, new equipment arriving daily, the rest of the management team is concentrating in their areas of expertise to bring the station up to par. Get ready for a semester of your favorite dance, hip-hop, rock, alternative and for the first time in a long time... Bulldog Sports Casts! With support from many different areas on campus it is our intent that you will come to rely on the station to fulfill your every need... well maybe not every need. So now that you are as appreciative as the rest of us are to hear all of the new programs we hope to execute we need a little help! If you were a DJ last year memos will be sent out shortly to update you on our first meeting. If you signed up at the organizational fair you too will receive a memo soon. If you want to become a part of the station you are in luck. Andrew Gardner is available for any questions you might have e-mail him at arg2@bryant.edu. Until next time, keep your ears open and your hand off that dial, we will be back before you know it!!!

Men's Rugby
By Jonathan Spiegel

Welcome back for another exciting semester of rugby. I would like to welcome back all our veterans and our new rookies. Especially our seniors and officers: Snoop, Zombie, Spider, Scrappy, Forrest, Shaun, Twinkle, Bones, and Chip. Our team has already been hit by the injury bug so we wish speedy recoveries to Rhino and Mad Dog. I would like to thank all the ruggers for ratifying our agreement. We all are looking towards a renewed relationship with Larry and Dean Eakins. We would like to thank everyone for showing up at the informational meeting.

We would like to thank Tri Sig for the social gathering on Saturday we look forward to doing it again. I would like to thank Ice, McCarthy, and Phil for all they did to make Saturday a success. We would like to thank Coffey, Red Beard, and Timmy for stopping by and saying hello. Everyone thanks Zombie for organizing the team meeting last Saturday.

We all give our prayers and condolences to Catherine and her family for their terrible loss. God Bless.

View from the Junction
By Jonathan Spiegel

Welcome back... everyone to another great year at the Junction. Especially the new faces working this semester. I would like to recognize all the Junction managers Vicki, Ryan, Nate, and Brian. They are the backbone of the Junction staff. We would like to thank everyone for their patients this weekend. It was very busy and we made your orders as quickly as we could.

Notes: Brian is currently enrolled in an EMT course and he needs help studying, so any one who wishes to volunteer can call him at 1-900-BBB-KISS. Rich, if Twinkle works any more hours he is going to
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have to start paying rent... Ken please come back we miss you, keep on smiling.
That's all for this week look around for coupons and Byers. We will be performing again in a couple of weeks hopefully there will be more to discuss.

Junction Poll: We ask that you come to the Junction and give us your response.

1. Who is the most popular Junction employee?
2. What is your favorite item on the menu?
3. Is there anything you would like to see added to our menu?

All answers will be posted in the next article.

Finally we all give our prayers and condolences to Catherine and the Grindlay family for their terrible loss. Gerald was a friend to many and loved by many more and will be missed greatly. God bless.

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. By Rhoda Milford

Sweet Zeta, sweet Zeta, sweet Zeta. Who are these ladies with their confident calls of "ZPB" and their bold colors of royal blue and pure white? Why, we are the women of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, of course.

Zeta Phi Beta was founded on January 16, 1920 at Howard University in Washington, D.C. and is under the regulation and by laws of the National Pan Hellenic Council. This Council is comprised of eight affiliate organizations: Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, Omega Psi Phi, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, and Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority.

The ideals of Sisterhood, Scholarship, Community Service, and Love that we have enjoyed Zeta Phi Beta Sorority to continue strong over the decades. The love, loyalty, and pride of this sorority have spread far and wide, leading to chapters in North America, Europe, and Africa. Our organization was also the first sorority to form youth auxiliary groups and to be constitutionally bound to a brother fraternity, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated.

We have numerous national projects across the nation, which promote literacy, education, economic empowerment, political awareness, and Health and Human Services.

Though Zeta Phi Beta has been around for over seventy-five years, it has only been on the Bryant campus since 1993. Since then, we have had several Bryant Alumni. This year we have one senior. We have participated in several campus events including blood drives, Special Olympics, and step shows. Many may not have heard of us due to our modest nature but we are definitely here.

We participated in Greek Week and had a good time. We will be joining other sororities and fraternities at Bryant College for Rachel's Hope Walk-a-thon on September 18, 1999 on Campus. This project is to help find a cure for Cancer. Disease. We are taking pledges where all proceeds will go to the Rachel's Hope Fund. In the future, we will be hosting fundraisers, projects, and a lot more.

We look forward to your support.


Bryant Players By Scott Marks

Welcome back! Hope everybody had a great summer. The powers that be have cornered me into doing the Archway articles for another year, so here goes nothing first off, it looks like we have an exciting group of new freshmen to carry the torch in the Bryant Players! Even if you missed the first meeting, anybody is welcome to attend future meetings held every Tuesday at 5 PM in the Bryant Center Room 2A.

Auditions took place last Wednesday for all fall production. Don't feel bad if everybody who tried out there is a tremendous amount of talent out there this year and the rest of the year looks promising. Tamir Luna is the director and Josh Griffin is assistant director for the play.

We will be performing the play during the weekend of October 23rd, otherwise known as Teacher's Weekend. More information will be provided as to the times and dates of the performance. Admission is free, so come on down! The cast is: Erik Sumpf as Seward, Jacob Horine as Renfield, Ken Wakefield as Butterworth, Michael Boyden as Harker, Scott Marks as Van Helsing, Steve Abozoed as Dracula, Suzanne Treanor as Lucy, and Tenley Peterson as the Maid. On a closing note, I'd like to dedicate this article to a former Bryant Player and recent graduate of Bryant College, Gerald Grindlay. Gerald passed away earlier this month and will be sorely missed by the Bryant Players. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Gerald's family.

ISO International Student Organization Welcomes New and Old Bryant Students By Aracelis Torres

For those of you who do not know what ISO is, we are an organization that aims at making intercultural students known on campus, but also as interested in this phenomenon as members. We welcome everyone that is interested in hanging out and having fun with people of all backgrounds. ISO hosts its meetings every Tuesday at 4:00 p.m. in the Bryant Center Room 1.

ISO has a very big year planned for all its members and the student body. This year there will be a movie night held every other Tuesday. On September 24th, ISO will be hosting its annual Intercultural Weekend. This weekend involves several activities, such as a potluck dinner and dance. Other upcoming events include a fundraiser during Parent's Family Weekend and the International Semi-Final on the 29th of October. Events for later in the semester include the ISO Slam Jam, a Thanksgiving dinner with MSU, and the Stress Free weekend before finals begin in December.

ISO extends an invitation to the whole student body to attend its meetings and become a member for your own benefit and enjoyment. If anyone is unable to attend the weekly meetings due to schedule restraints feel free to speak to any E-Board member. We wish everyone a great school year!

BOAC
By Bri Martin

Once again, the most exciting club on campus is off to a great start! The Bryant Outdoor Activities Club is the only club at Bryant College where YOU get to decide what happens. Currently, there are options to ski, white water raft, fish, hike, bike, play golf, and play paintball. But, if you are looking for a weekend excursion, there are many other opportunities for fun...

The Bryant Outdoor Activities Club is looking for new members. If you have a passion for outdoor activities or would like to try something new, come on down to the first meeting on Thursday, September 17th at 6:00 pm. All are welcome to attend.

The Bryant Outdoor Activities Club meets Mondays at 4:30 p.m. in Papitto Dining Room, located in the Bryant Center. All are welcome to attend. If you have questions, please give us a call at X6118. Thanks as always!

Student Programming Board
By Lynne Morrison

Hello Bryant students! The Student Programming Board is off to a great start this year with the highly attended Welcome Week and "A Great Job" to Jessica Stetson, the chair for Major Weekends. For those of you attending a tremendous job... Other Upcoming Student Programming Board events:

- Thursday, September 16th
- Sunday, September 19th... "Austin Powers 2"

The Thursday showing is at 9:30 p.m., Saturday at 7:00 p.m., and Sunday at 7:00 and 9:30 p.m. All showings are in Janikies Auditorium at their respective times. The admission is $1.00 and refreshments are $0.50 each.

- Sunday, September 26th... "Trip to a Boston Red Sox game"

The price per ticket is $8 and this will include transportation and admission to the game. The bus will leave Bryant College at 11:30 a.m. for a 1:05 p.m. game, and will return at approximately 6:00 p.m. Tickets will be on sale starting September 15th outside Salaman on 5-7 p.m., Monday through Friday, or you can call the SPB office at X6118. There are only 25 tickets for this game so make sure to get yours early.

- Thursday, September 30th... "General's Daughter"

Movie

Thursday show is at 9:30 p.m. and Sunday at 7:00 and 9:30. There is no Saturday showing. Admission is $1.00 and refreshments are $0.50 each. All shows in Janikies Auditorium.

- Wednesday, October 6th... "Spin Art"

In the Bryant Center

This event will run from 11-1 p.m. Come out and design a t-shirt for FREE!

The Student Programming Board meets Mondays at 4:30 p.m. in Papitto Dining Room, located in the Bryant Center. All are welcome to attend. If you have questions, please give us a call at X6118. Thanks as always!

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Preparing for a Hurricane

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what the storm’s intensity will be, but “hope for the best and prepare for the worst” (a cruiser may be hiding behind Parente’s waiting to give a ticket).

On Tuesday night, when the “Ferris Beuller’s Day Off” cloudless skies turned gloomy, President Machley was asked what the school is doing in preparation for the storm. Machley reported that the school has been meeting every morning to keep a handle on all possible scenarios. The pond is being drained due to excessive rain from this past Friday and to prepare for more heavy rain toward the end of this week. Unfortunately this is not the end. There are more storms following Floyd starting with Gert, each less than a week behind the other and each following the same La Nina instigated track.

Bryant College will keep all students aware on any actions, so keep posted, so prepare for Floyd and crew. One last thing, if you are in a building and are caught in a bad part of the storm, resist the urge to go out, stay away from the windows. A single traveling at 80 mph hitting the window you are looking out of could be messy. Use your head, listen for instructions and please do not make somebody tell you to stop muddling in 80 mph winds, it looks bad on the news.

Fun Floods

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for the glue to dry.” Students may have noticed the hill by the entrance to campus. It’s all washed away! A contractor is putting in a plumbing system and has not finished the work. The contractor will fix the damage themselves because they were not finished.

What about the pond? The water level rose to the bottom of the bridge; the benches were halfway submerged. Rain water from the entire campus empties into the pond (parking lots, suite villages, etc.). Over time, the water drained. Physical Plant staff was out on the drain Monday morning ensuring that there were no blockages in the drain. Everything is running well. If you really want to know where the drain flows, here’s the answer. Water from the pond ends up in the Woonasquatucket River. Try to hold in the excitement.

Some Residence Halls incurred leaks and townhouses became flooded. Physical Plant staff was around all night extracting water from various rooms. In the suite village, many rooms on the first floor got wet. There were leaks in the walls, and the paint bubbled. In the townhouses, the only way water got in was through a door from excessive water in the puddles.

THE FUN

The rain made the ground a perfect condition for muddling and mountain climbing. Some students found a great spot to slide near the bell tower bringing them right into the pond. Others wanted a greater challenge. The challenge that I talk of is the huge mountain of dirt on the intramural fields that are being renovated. There are only five that I know who conquered the mountain. Congratulations!!

My advice to those who had fun in the rain: Next time, shower in Hall 14 or 15 rather than a friend’s clean townhouse.

* The 6” is only an approximation. I tried to get exact figures from the Science Department, but unfortunately their software which I learned to use in Meteorology with Dr. Pete Glanz expired. His class is a must if you need the Science credit.

** Physical plant purposely drained the pond in preparation of more rains.

Above: Fountain Is Clogged after Wet ‘N Wild Weekend

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FEATURES

A New Face in Student Affairs

By Melissa R. Frank

Those who travel to the third floor of the Bryant Center or are residents in Hall 14 have met him, but for those of you who have not, there is a new face in Student Affairs. Hank Parkinson holds a dual role on Bryant's campus. He serves as the Resident Director in Hall 14 as well as the Program Advisor in Student Activities. As the RD in Hall 14, Hank has been able to work closely with his Resident Assistant staff. This is a new experience for him and he has been enjoying it so far. In the Student Activities Office, Hank is advising the Student Programming Board, a position that he has many years of experience with.

A native of Long Island, New York, Hank spent his undergraduate years studying business management at Quinnipiac College. There, he was very active on campus. He held the position of Editor-in-chief of the yearbook for 3 consecutive years. Not only was Hank an active member in the programming board at Quinnipiac, but he also started a new chair position that focuses on fundraising and community service. He also served as the Special Events chair for the programming board.

Hank decided to further his education by getting his Master's of Art in Teaching (MAT) at Sacred Heart University. At Sacred Heart, Hank held a two-year graduate assistantship in the Office of Student Activities. In his first year, he was able to work closely with and advise the Finance Board, the Yearbook, the Class of 2000, the Council of Clubs & Organizations (CCO) and he acted as the liaison for AIDS Awareness Week. In his second year, Hank got a chance to work with the Programming Board, the Yearbook, the Class of 2001, and the Commuter Council.

Starting in August, Hank is only 6 weeks into his position here at Bryant College. He has been spending lots of time learning the culture and policies of the school. When I asked him if he liked it here thus far and how he has been spending his time, he answered saying that he has been "learning everyday about the students and community here."

Hank's two biggest goals here are Bryant are to be available and approachable by the students. He feels that it is extremely important in his position to be able to relate well with the students of Bryant College. In regards to the Student Programming Board, Hank's main goal is to try to provide consistency for the students involved. He feels that the students have been making some real "positive change" and that this year will be a building year for the board. As a Resident Director, his goal in Hall 14 is to get to know all of his 300 residents. He wants the students to know that although being a disciplinary figure is part of his job, it is not the only part. He is a resource that students should feel comfortable to approach.

Hanks' advice to students is to enjoy college and to be smart in what you do. In his Hall, he stresses the idea of a "safe and livable environment where students should respect each other, be aware, but still have fun. In ending my interview with Hank, I asked him how he sees himself and how he would like all of the Students, Faculty, Administration, and Staff to see him. He said that he would like to be thought of as "somebody who really does care and enjoys what I do." I think that if your get a chance to meet Hank you will be able to see how true that is. If you haven't met him already, I encourage you to stop by either his office in Student Activities or his office in Hall 14.
**FEATURES**

**DINING SERVICES**

Wilkommen, Bienvenu, Welcome!
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We’ve been very busy this all summer long, researching and testing recipes, and finalizing our menus for the new school year. We think you’ll be very pleased with the changes and improvements we have made, and will continue to make throughout the school year.

We’ve taken a good thing and made it better! Our “Pan Geos” concepts have become even better! In addition to the fresh tossed pasta, and made to order chicken Caesar salad that has proven to be so popular, we will be adding “Changing Scenes” at dinner, a varied menu featuring various ethnic foods, Omelets, waffles etc. all cooked as you watch.

The salad bar will be the location of our newest concept, “The Granary”, featuring vegetarian recipes using rice, beans, lentils, and other legumes.

Lunch will feature an expanded self service pasta and pizza station, and we will also be serving wraps at the salad bar. Also, check out the new Panini sandwiches at dinner on the deli line.

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**The Lessons of College Life - Part 1**

_by Sarah Stover_

August twenty-eighth was a day of great excitement and worry. The class of 2003 moved into what will be their “home” for the next four years. On that day, the biggest fear I had was that my roommate and I would not get along. As it turned out, Bryant could not have paired us better. However, for those of you out there who are not getting along, hang in there and I hope a switch solves the problem.

Another fear I had that first day was that all of my stuff would not fit. I started unpacking and about midway I had to say these dreaded words to my mom, “I think you will have to take some of this back.” Amazingly enough, nothing has happened since and I am off to Florida with my parents. The first day was a success! However, on the second day my roommate and I got locked out of our room when we left for the showers. The day before, the door did not lock when we shut it so we figured we would not need our keys. Big mistake! As we stood in the hallway, a lumped, I saw an RA open our door. Mark – we are forever grateful! I know you think we learned from our mistakes, right? Well, the next night we went to see Teaching Mrs. Tingle. My roommate was driving and when we got to her car, she realized the car keys, as well as our room keys, were on her key chain – lying on the desk in our room. As you can imagine, we have yet to live that one down. The first lesson of college life was learned. Now we are religious about taking our keys whenever we leave the room.

The second lesson I learned is that points go fast. It is so easy to just use the card for everything that it is easy to forget there is a limit. Already, I have nothing left on my card and it is not even near the end of the semester! Now I always try to carry a couple of dollars for that soda or snack.

The third lesson is that nothing is as good as home cooking. The food here is edible, but I really miss those meals with my family. How about the rest of you?

Another part of the freshmen experience is making new friends. The number of people I include as friends grows every day. However, as you make new friends, keep the old ones back home.

Another big part of college life is the homework load. I thought I had to read a lot in high school! My brain gets over-circulated every night.

Also, I have joined a lot of organizations. I do not even know how I am going to keep up with all of them but I am trying my hardest.

The best part about being so involved is meeting all the exciting people that make up the organizations that you are a part of.

So far it has been a rough beginning, but I am sure smooth waters lie ahead.

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**Minority Minute**

_by Kemaly Jacques_

Well, well, well... another year, another day, and my heart is still burdened by the whole cultural relations issue here at Bryant College. Now, I have a feeling that some of you may be saying to yourself “What cultural relations issue? We have issues!” Believe it or not, boys and girls, but we do have a cultural problem here at Bryant College. When I came here as a Freshman, I was quite blind to the fact that there was a serious lack of race relations on this campus. For me, life was the way it had always been for as long as I could remember, the Caucasian people associated with their kind, the African American people with associated their kind, the Asian people associated with their kind, and so on and so forth. Everyone was packed neatly into their own little comfort zones and everything was fine as long as those comfort zones were not trespassed by any outsiders. How can we expect to go on living like this? I do not know about the rest of you, but I cannot please do not start reading this with the preconceived notion that I want to start some Black Panther movement or sit here and recite Martin Luther King’s “I Have A Dream” speech. Actually, this has nothing to do with just black people. I want to address everyone from every cultural standpoint. I want to see how everyone feels in relation to everyone else surrounding them. I want to know if anyone else sees a problem with the major lack of cultural understanding, knowledge, and communication here. This is why I am writing this article right now. My plan is not to change the world or even half of it, and I am not looking for any changes overnight. I am in touch with reality, and I know things like that do not and will not happen. I just want to talk to the Bryant community in hopes that I can do some damage on people’s minds and hearts. I have a lot to learn myself. So there you have it, this is my mission. This is not the last you will hear from me.
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The second lesson I learned is that whatever goes fast. It is so easy to just use the card for everything that we need individuals to consult and make apparel recommendations. Another part of the freshman experience is making new friends. The number of people I include as friends grows every day. However, as you make new friends, keep the old ones back home.

Another big part of college life is the homework load. I thought I had to read a lot in high school! My brain gets over-circuitted every night. Also, I have joined a lot of organizations. I do not even know how I am going to keep up with all of them but I am trying my hardest. The best part about being so involved is meeting all the exciting people that make up the organizations that you are a part of. So far it has been a rough beginning, but I am sure smooth waters lie ahead.

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STUDENT OF THE WEEK
By: Marissa Malley

Name: Molly Devanny
Hometown: Manchester, CT
Major: Marketing/Communications
Hobbies: Sports
Activities: Student Senate, Bryant Marketing Association, Communication Society, Peer Ministry, and Rugby

What is your role in the Student Senate: I am the president
What would you like to accomplish through Student Senate: I would like to help all the senators reach their personal goals. I would also like to get more of the student's feel on things so we can do more for them.

What have you gained from being involved in so many clubs: When I was a freshman I never thought I would get so much accomplished or as involved as I have in my years here at Bryant. I have gained a lot of self-confidence. I am now able to talk to people I would never thought possible.

Chef's Corner
By Chef Brian

Greetings to one and all! Welcome back to those returning and to any new additions to The Campus Family. In The Chef's Corner, we explore all facets of the Culinary world. From tips to trivia, breaking news and book reviews, we will journey into that fascinating world we call eating.

On tap today... Hot off the wire news about McDonald's, Heinz and Japanese beef. Additionally, in the spirit of the Baseball season, we'll delve into the history of the Hot Dog, and we'll learn some not so conventional uses for food.

WAITER! There's a GENE in my soup. Dateline Japan... Early in September, cloned beef was officially unveiled in some Japanese restaurants.

An uproar was heard when it had actually been sold for the previous two years, unknown to Japanese consumers. The Agricultural Ministry insisted that the beef was safe, thereby negating any need to specify its origins. A demanding public thought otherwise.

Pure (pronounced PF-ah), a Korean restaurant in the trendy Japanese Shibushishi district, became the Ministry's test tube. Reactions ranged from indifference to approval as patrons gobbled down chopsticks full of the grilled meat. While the outcome of the debate in Japan is uncertain, both sides acknowledge that the "steaks" are pretty high.

Now THAT'S a lot of tomatoes... Pittsburgh, PA... HJ Heinz Co reports an 8.3% increase in profits for the first quarter on increased sales of condiments, soups, beans and pasta meals. Separately, the condiment giant announced plans to introduce a new line of Boston Market Home Style meals later this year, which they hope will add $100 million in sales. They plan to use the proceeds of their sale of Weight Watchers to retire some of their debt and fund the new line of frozen products.

Overall, shares of Heinz fell 31.25 cents to $45.12 1/2 on the NYSE on the report that sales were down from $22.22 billion to $21.40 billion. When asked of plans to raise sales, top executives promised they would "ketchup." This time it wasn't that pesky Hamburger Paris, France... Facing violent protests, McDonald's is scrambling for ways to deal with the radical Farmer's Confederation. McDonald's has become a symbol of American "biggovernment," and economic globalization. The protests started with U.S. sanctions on a wide variety of products from cheese to fowl, but widened to include anything even remotely American. McDonald's insists that the anger directed towards them is unwarranted because 80% of their purchasing is done from farmers in France, and the rest is almost exclusively done in Europe with the exception of sesame seeds. The seeds are purchased from Guatemala, because no producer can be found in Europe.

Chain President, Dennis Hennequin, is quoted as saying, "It's not because you eat a Big Mac that you don't like Roughfort, and it's not because you appreciate red wine that you don't drink Coca-Cola." My sources can neither confirm nor deny reports of top officials saying, "Oui! We serve FRENCHFRIES, don't we??!!" Take me out to the Ballgame... German-speaking European mustard-making during the late Middle Ages, and it was in this rather loving region that the hot dog was born. Its creator, a German butcher named Johann Georg Lahner (1772-1845), developed prototypes in Frankfurt and in Vienna (hence the names Frankfurter and weiner). Lahner's franks were first brought to the New World by German immigrants in the middle of the 19th century.

There are two tales to tell about how the hot dog became a staple at Ballgames. According to The Oscar Meyer Company, the nation's leading hot dog manufacturer, both the name and association with baseball came about simultaneously on a cold April day in 1900. The place was New York City's Polo Grounds, home of the New York Giants. Concessionaire Harry Stevens, having no luck selling iced cream and soda, sent out for Lahner-style franks. Advertisements on the hot dogs were "dachshund sausages," he sold them "red hot" to the fans, one of whom was cartoonist Tad Dorgan. Dorgan sketched a dachshund in a roll, and the American hot dog was born!

The alternative story has the hot dog on a bun introduced at the 1904 St. Louis World's Fair by German concessionaire Anton Feuchtwerger. To permit his customers to handle the hot sausages without burning their fingers, he lent them gloves when he sold them the dog. When few of the loaned gloves were returned, Feuchtwerger switched to the idea of a roll. Luckily, his brother-in-law was a baker, and together they invented the hot dog bun. And now so many totally non-nutritious foods... Half a lemon dipped in salt will clean copper or brass, rinse in warm water and polish with a soft cloth.

Mayonnaise can be used to oil wood.

Peanut butter will remove gum from a person's hair (wish Mom knew that when I was six).

Eggs whites sponged on leather will revive its luster.

Thanks for joining us this week. If you have any questions else see a problem, or just want to drop a line to say hi, email me at CHEFBRI91@AOL.com

Be sure to put something eye-catching in the subject line, as in Bryant or ARAMARK, as I tend to quickly delete unfamiliar mail!

Until Next Time, Bon Apetit!
**ENTERTAINMENT**

**Horoscopes**

By your future-telling guru, Jason Panagiotes

* - bad week  
** - decent week  
*** - good week  
**** - excellent week

**AQUARIUS**  
(Jan 20 – Feb 18)  
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You are pretty determined not to let this week get away from you. You don't even need the push you may get from someone or who wants you to come something up. You are pushing yourself. It's not all business later in the week, however. You will grab your significant other or your new sweetie and gather with the regulars at a town house. Your conversation should sparkle, but don't let your overall determination make you dominate the scene.

**PISES**  
(Feb 19 – March 20)  
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You may be extremely sensitive this week to whatever environment you find yourself in. As you pick up the vibes, be sure to separate what's real from what is simply your imagination. What is definitely true is that your main person is eager to see you and should be in an excellent frame of mind. Give him or her your best, too. Don't harp on a small thing that may have given you a turn during the day. You two should take a step forward in the relationship. Tonight is an excellent night for closeness.

**ARIES**  
(March 21 – April 19)  
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You are geared up to plunge into a new project. You could quickly get all the background information you need. If it isn't work that occupies you, it may be a hunt for bargains. You have a project due and know the grade you want, but you are not going to find it without putting in some long hours of research. You may be a bit anxious about the thought of it, remembering what previous projects have come down to. With plenty of lead-time and advance planning, it shouldn't be the chore it appears to be right now.

**TAURUS**  
(April 20 – May 20)  
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This week is not likely to be a walk in the park for you. You may feel overworked and undervalued, and a team worker may perhaps also not come through on a promise of help. It is a pain, but don't overreact. What will save the day is the evening, when you and your partner can connect and tell each other your trials. Carry the connection over into private time, when you can enjoy each other to the fullest.

**GEMINI**  
(May 21 – June 20)  
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A small matter that you would normally pass off as "things happen" could set your teeth on edge. One cause may be recent, rather impractical moves on the part of your roommate's friend. Though you may be tempted to pick up the phone and tell him or her off, you are likely to be too far away to start World War III before class starts. Save your mouthing off for this evening. You must admit, however, that whatever he or she did was in both your interests, so don't stay mad.

**CANCER**  
(June 21 – July 22)  
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Your ambition is showing and someone higher up may notice. It is a point in your favor if you don't exaggerate your accomplishments. You need to get ahead by taking on more responsibility. Just be sure you are not taking over someone else's territory. A new offer may be made, either right where you are or from elsewhere. Talk it over with your advisor, because it might involve a class change or relocation.

**LEO**  
(July 23 – Aug 22)  
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It's not easy to put anything over on you, but soon someone may try to do just that. It may come in the form of a secret about someone close to you. Because you could be a bit gullible now, don't necessarily believe what you hear. After all, who knows him or her better than you do? Tonight, the two of you will work it all out. You may decide to have less to do with the person who put something over on you.

**VIRGO**  
(Aug 23 – Sept 22)  
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Your mood is has not been constant lately, it fluctuates according to the wind. You may find it difficult to concentrate. Changes may be afoot in the home scene, or perhaps family members need help. Do your best to stay on an even course, but plan to spend the evening putting certain problems to rights. In this situation, the best way to nurture yourself is to nurture others.

**LIBRA**  
(Sept 23 – Oct 22)  
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You may have a bit of a conflict over your various responsibilities. A big project for class could keep you up after hours and your friends may not be too pleased at a glitch in the normal schedule. Perhaps they are not so adaptable as you are.

**SCORPIO**  
(Oct 23 – Nov 21)  
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You are a force to be reckoned with, particularly in the job arena by the magnetism of your personality alone. You could make great headway, but you are also in a mood to improve. Your spur-of-the-moment creations really fill the bill. You'll feel like celebrating. Open that wallet and treat yourself to something special. Don't forget the other people who will be waiting to applaud you.

**SAGITTARIUS**  
(Nov 22 – Dec 21)  
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You may have to let go of something or someone this week. It will be clear to you, however, that the usefulness or viability of what you gave up has gone. You will be in the mood for romance, with someone new, someone old, or with that very special person who is always there for you. No tears or regrets. Just be glad that whatever it was is over.

**CAPRICORN**  
(Dec 22 – Jan 19)  
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You could form a strategic alliance with someone who may figure big in your future success. It may be a new romantic relationship, or perhaps it is business progress that is at issue. Whatever your situation, put some feeling into the encounter to show that this is not just another meeting. Be sure to follow up, whether the issue is personal or professional. You'll be glad you did.

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**The Innocent Ones**

By Jessica Stetson

Children laugh and children cry. But those tears they shed, They're not real tears. They're tears for material things that are unimportant. But when those children grow up, They shed real tears. Tears for those killed. Tears for those murdered. Tears for the good that didn't deserve to die. Those victims, They were children once. They laughed. They cried. And when they laughed, the room lit up. And when they cried, the room was sad. But what happens now? They're gone. And the room is empty!

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Santana’s “Supernatural” Ability Soars to New Heights

By Maggie Grace

For thirty years Carlos Santana has made Latin Pop accessible to the masses. From the man who brought us "Black Magic Woman" and "Oye Como Va", he has now released Supernatural. This is his first release since 1997's Blues for Salvador. He has combined his expertise with a group of talented artists and guest performers. Lauryn Hill, Dave Matthews, and Everlast are just a few of the guests that jam with Santana on the album.

By now, I am sure that all of you have heard the first release off of the album, a track entitled "Smooth" featuring Rob Thomas from Matchbox 20 on lead vocals. The two compliment each other nicely. Thomas's vocals are edgy, and a bit dark at times, and when combined with Santana's incredible talent, the song just explodes.

In addition to "Smooth," the song that features Lauryn Hill and Cee Lo is also a great example of teamwork in the studio. (Check out Cee Lo's dead-on impression of Otis Redding). All thirteen tracks on the album are quality, but I found that the album lacked fluidity. Since there are so many collaborations on the album, there is not one sound or theme that prevails throughout the entire record. It seemed to be a piecing together of sorts; which you tend to find with albums that have so many different performers involved.

If you are looking for classic Santana sound, I would have to say that you may be disappointed with the album. But if variety is what you like, I would highly recommend listening to this recording. Every song does provide at least one example of vintage "Santana Solo" so all is not lost. One last note about Supernatural-Overall I would have to say a very enjoyable listening experience. Have a listen.
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Bryant College Homecoming Leadership Awards were created to recognize the outstanding achievements of two campus leaders during the Homecoming celebration. One male and one female student will be selected.

All nominees must return the application form to the Office of Student Activities by Wednesday, September 22 at 4:30 p.m.

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## "Welcome Home"

### Schedule of Events

**Friday, October 1**

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| 3:00 - 7:00 p.m. | Bryant Bash - Bryant Center Lawn  
|             | — food, games and fun!                                                |
| 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. | Homecoming Barbecue - Bryant Center Patio  
|             | — meal exchange for students on the meal plan, $7 guests             |
| 8:30 p.m.   | Victoria Jackson, from "Saturday Night Live" — Salmanson              |
| 9:30 p.m.   | Bonfire, Pep Rally and Fireworks — behind Unistructure                |
|             | — free food!                                                          |

**Saturday, October 2**

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<td>Volleyball — Bryant vs. LeMoyne, Gym</td>
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<td>Field Hockey — Bryant vs. St. Michaels, Sutton Fields</td>
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<td>Men’s Lacrosse — Varsity vs. Alumni, Track Field</td>
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| 11 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. | Pre-Game Brunch, tent by the stadium  
|             | — enjoy music and food by the stadium. Meal exchange for students on the meal plan |
| 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. | Football vs. Mount Ida  
|             | — Homecoming Spirit Awards & Banner Contest winners announced at halftime |
| 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. | Fifth Quarter Party, tent by the stadium  
|             | — reception with President Machtley, Coach Miceli,                   |
|             | and members of the Bryant football team                              |
| 4:00 p.m.   | All-Greek Reunion, Cornerstone  
|             | — finger food, cash bar and chapter memorabilia on display.          |
|             | Open to all those of legal drinking age                               |
| 7:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. | Fun Flicks, Bryant Center Patio  
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(Dine-in or carry out only)
Road to the Super Bowl begins in Smithfield

By Mike Janicki,

Student Activities Office

As your sitting in class in the Unistructure, you may be in the same classroom that was used to design the defensive strategy (room 253) or where Drew Bledsoe held press conferences (room 261). Building a championship season begins with a conditioning camp in Foxboro, but the real work begins right here at Bryant College.

The New England Patriots reported for training camp on Friday, July 30 and were in full pads for practice the next day. It’s obvious that a lot of work goes into producing a Super Bowl Champion. However, months of work goes unseen to the general public. Most of that preparation takes place right here at Bryant College.

Kenny Deininger, Director of Football Operations for the Patriots, begins working on the next season in early January, as soon as the previous season is over. In planning mini camps and rookie orientation, Deininger is in contact between the NFL league offices and Bryant College representatives to work out dates and schedules for the upcoming summer training camp.

Sheila Guay, Director of Conferences and Special Events, is Deininger’s main contact here at Bryant, “Sheila puts it together and gets it done.” By the time that training camp is over, Deininger himself, or some member of the Patriot’s organization will have interacted with every single department at Bryant, from Public Safety to Residence Life to Physical Plant and beyond. While on campus members of the Patriot’s organization stay in Hall 15 (coaching staff in the townhouses) and eat in south dining hall. As one of the bigger challenges of bringing the Patriots to campus, Guay mentions the transforming classrooms into offices and back again.

Visitors to the open practice sessions also create specific issues for Public Safety. At an average attendance of almost 3000 people per day, by the time that training camp is over, more than 50,000 people will visit our campus. In addition to coordinating the safety of the team’s personnel itself, they also must coordinate the logistics of crowd management. A crowd that is full of kids ages five to fifty five looking for autographs anyway they can. Officer Vinnie Benoit coordinates the details of Public Safety officers from Bryant as well as other area colleges.

The Patriots beat the NY Jets this past weekend and some of the credit goes to the efforts put forth by many people here on campus. So if you see Sheila Guay or Vinnie Benoit or any number of other people, from Residence Life to Housekeeping, give them a high five and cheer them on this season as well.
## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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