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A good time

Kudos to Student Programming Board for bringing the Bostones on campus last Saturday, John Hartwell, and the SPB concert committee. It was a wild, well-organized and running the event. The concert was a blast, and I am sure the majority of us had a great time. The event brought the best out of Bryant. It represented what Bryant really could be. Think about it, when we put our efforts together, we can make Bryant a happening place. As long as students continue to make an honest effort to attend events that SPB puts on, Bryant can be a fun time on weekends. I hope this is the beginning of a renaissance in school spirit.

However, there were two incidences that bothered many of us this weekend. For the most part, everyone enjoyed the concert in a mature manner, yet, it just takes one or two people to damage the college's image. I am referring to the incident that took place toward the end of the concert. I am not quite sure what happened, but to have the Bostones walk off the stage was a complete embarrassment to Bryant. What type of person would unhook a girl's bra? Does it take a genius to know that that is wrong? I don't know where you grew up, but in today's society, the act is called sexual harassment. Now even if the girl took her shirt off, there's no need to take her bra off. You crossed the line, and if you had any integrity, you would apologize to the girl and the college. There are no excuses for your senseless irresponsibility.

That was not the only incident that occurred this weekend. Following the concert, a senior decided it would be cool to tear down not one, but two lamp posts. Now I do not know what he was thinking—or drinking for that matter—but the end result was that his actions disgraced the senior class. As a senior, it is expected that you act in a mature and responsible manner. After all, aren't we the ones underclassmen look up to? By now, most seniors know how to have a good time without destroying something. But in this case, maybe there are some of us who still have some growing up to do. However, I will say this: It took courage to confess. But that in no way makes you less accountable for your actions. This is a wonderful opportunity for the College to show to the rest of the campus what type of sanctions will be enforced when people destroy college property.

It is unfortunate that these acts took place. The possible consequences for these types of actions could have been much worst. Imagine if the Rhode Island media was actually here. We can see the headlines now: "Girl gets stripped during Bostones Concert: Bostones said they have never seen this type of act before." Think how damaging that would be to our image and recruitment.

Hopefully, we can learn and grow from this past weekend. Events like this can bring the school together, and that's what Bryant needs. However, Bryant does not need the incidents like those to represent themselves. By the end of it, it was great to see and hear that the majority of the campus had a good time at the concert. Thank you, SPB.

On a final note, this weekend is Parents' Weekend, a great opportunity for parents and other family members to come and visit our darling sons and daughters at college. Being so far away from home, I know I had the opportunity to spend a day with my family here at Bryant. Take advantage of this weekend to thank your parents for sending you to this college; I know I would if my parents could come up for a visit.

Thank you!

Dear Editor,

On Saturday, the Student Programming Board (SPB) held its biggest ever concert in over ten years, The Mighty Mighty Bostones, along with three other bands, performed in the Gym to a crowd of over 2,000 people.

Much time and effort over the month was spent selling tickets and preparing for this event. I would like to thank John Hartwell, the Co-Chair of the Bostones, and Melissa Frank for driving the event. We had a lot of fun working in contact with agents, assigning job responsibilities, and keeping up with every detail possible for the smooth running of the show. Thanks also go out to Melisa Frank, Hospitalist, and for supplying the bands with all their needs; to Chris Grogan and Chris Black for a great job with security, and to Jessica Zeppa and Chaitine Hayden for their marketing and publicity about the Bostones. Also, I really would like to show appreciation to all the SPB members and Bryant students who helped load-in and load-out, worked the door, guarded the stage, and guided the spotlights. Kudos go out to all of you!

All the help from DPS, Physical Plant, ARAMARK, Residence Life, Athletics, the administration, and Todd Nelson, from Conferences and Special Events, were truly appreciated. More than ever before, we were organized and prepared for this event. Following the concert, we wanted everyone to feel that they had done their best and appreciated. Last but not least, I would like show SPB's gratitude to our advisor, Tanya McGinn, for a job well done in organizing policy meetings and keeping up to date with all the deadlines to help run the show.

I encourage everyone to take part in SPB events and enjoy them because it was a complete success. We had an exciting activities coming up, major comedians Paula Poundstone on November 14th, and our fall semi-formal on the Odyssey Cruise Line on November 15th.

SPB meets on Mondays at 4:30 p.m. in Papitto! Come get involved and make a difference at Bryant, because we want to hear what you want to see happen on campus.

Thanks Again,

Steven Lazarus
President, Student Programming Board

Big Band hits campus

To the Editor,

There have been many letters published in the Archway since the start of the semester dealing with the issue of "nothing to do on campus during the weekends." This past weekend, the Student Programming Board brought the Mighty Mighty Bostones and several other bands to campus. This event took an enormous amount of time and effort to plan and run. Many students, as well as some of the co-programmers and officials, not infrequently to discuss the execution of this event. We were told that this was the "biggest event that Bryant has seen in many years" and were very proud to be a part of such a great event.

An incident occurred Saturday night, during the Bostones performance, that displayed a lack of maturity and integrity of our patrons. A young girl, not a member of the Bryant Community, was violated by other members of the audience. Dicky Barrett, the lead singer of the Bostones, saw this young girl and was appalled. He threw down his microphone and ran off stage in search of an officer. He then reappeared on stage and asked the culprit to come forward calling them names such as "coward" and expressing his disappointment. In this case, maybe there are some of us who still have some growing up to do. However, I will say this: It took courage to confess. But in no way makes you less accountable for your actions. This is a wonderful opportunity for the College to show to the rest of the campus what type of sanctions will be enforced when people destroy college property.

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Melissa Frank and Erica Nadeau
Student Programming Board
This past weekend, the gym was action-packed with three exciting bands. They were The Amazing Royal Crowns, Bin Skala Bin, and The Mighty Mighty Bosstones. It was an evenfall night; people from all over came to attend the concert. Before the Bosstones took the stage, everyone was introduced to two other bands that kept the audiences flowing. Students showed their appreciation by their cheering and dancing. Some daring students were stage diving and crowd surfing.

Several ticket holders missed some of the opening acts because people came and went all night long during the show. The turnout was great, and only a small amount of tickets did not sell. SBR did a wonderful job organizing the show. Applause goes out to all the people who made the show possible. If you were there, you probably forgot that you were in the gym and at a gathering of the masses.

Throughout the night everyone was anxiously awaiting to see the Bosstones. When the Bosstones opened their act, the gym was packed with everyone ready to see their performance. The Bosstones played great, showing as the great band that they are. We showed them that we could get down and party just as good as them.

All and all the concert was great; it made several people's weekend. People will be talking about the show for a long time. The show will impact many people for the weeks to come. Hopefully the next show sponsored by SBR will be just as great and even more students will come. Well, that's just another Saturday night here at Bryant. Hope you were there.
Crowd surfing, mosh pits, and The Mighty, Mighty Bosstones

Gayle Zaboke
Columnist

Bryant College and the Student Programming Board did a terrific job of recruiting The Mighty, Mighty Bosstones to our campus. As a well-known alternative band, they are so popular that hundreds of Bryant students got their lazy behinds up as early as 6 a.m., on the last Sunday in September for concert wristbands. Many alternative music lovers rolled on campus early, and the fans were dressed for things that happened before I was born. I think I have seen far more Dunny's Donuts' and McDonald's coffees and breakfasts, nor have I before seen President Machtely helping with garlic and onion toys at the 104fest. Perhaps she lost her sweater and then someone undid her bra, but she was hal-naked. Not cool.

However, there is no way possible that the Bosstones have not seen worse. The crowd was about ten times the size of Bryant's, causing madness being tossed around with the hat, beach balls, and stuffed animals of SPB Student Activities; the taft, and the entire Bryant community were not, or were not, familiar with their music style or their fans' behavior. The Bosstones show was an excellent, energetic Bryant event. I am pleased to see Bryant show some definite character away from the business suits and ties and let the Bosstones' show off their professional style instead. Finally, I felt that Bryant could be like a liberal arts college, in the sense that we could let loose and have fun enjoying the dumb things young people do today like moshing and crowd surfing. But, unfortunately, someone in the audience ruined it for the rest of us.

In the middle of a song, Dicky stopped everything, yelled at some punk because he "took off" a woman's bra, threw his microphone in frustration, and walked off. Minutes later, he returned, claiming he has never seen a display like that at one of his shows, and played a couple more songs for the rest of us. The concert ended shortly after with no encore and tossed around, it was a fun and crazy time. Understanding all of this, I questioned Bryant's ability to handle a show of this nature.

At approximately 10:50 p.m., with a huge Bosstone bulldog banner and a few fire props, the eight-member Bosstones band debuted at Bryant. The crowd jumped and danced around while singing all the lyrics we know and love. Public Safety and the concert staff had to control their guests to be passed around and to dance on the stage with Dicky Barrett and Company. Sweat was pouring and smiles were flowing as the band "played through" various songs and "I'm not afraid, I'm just an idiot." I was pleased to see Bryant show some definite character away from the business suits and ties and let the Bosstones' show off their professional style instead. Finally, I felt that Bryant could be like a liberal arts college, in the sense that we could let loose and have fun enjoying the dumb things young people do today like moshing and crowd surfing. But, unfortunately, someone in the audience ruined it for the rest of us.

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I walked towards the door assigned to me. Professor Rubinstein caught up with me and said, "I had to come in and try to get away with something. I know you won't let me down." I know you will rise to the occasion when needed. Use your body as a weapon if you have to, but be emphasized before going and give the same sermon to other graduate students who were going to be guarding the other three doors.

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One time when I was shooting the breeze with him (our offices were in close proximity), a student came to complain about his grade. Professor Rubinstein listened intently with respect and politely declined to change the grade. "But it was not my fault," said the student. "I know it was," said Professor Rubinstein with the utmost sincerity. He continued, "It is all really my fault. If I was a better teacher, I am sure you would have learned more and gotten a higher grade. I wish I was as good a teacher as you are a student! If I had any decency at all, I would change your grade, but I don't see any reason. There are 500 other students waiting in the wings."

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Harsh K. Luthar, Ph.D.

Harsh K. Luthar is an Assistant Professor of Management at Bryant College. With the belief that our education should not only be inside the classroom, Professor Luthar surfs this column as an anatomy. Typically the discussions in the column center on the psychology of love, non-violence, enlightenment, holistic education, and other things of interest to the academic and the general community.
**CHAPLAIN'S CORNER**

Rev. Philip Devere
Protestant Chaplain

Sponsored by the Protestant Chaplaincy of Campus Ministry, the Weekly Informal Forums with “Rev. Des” will continue Sundays at 7 p.m., in the Bryant Center Chapel. Please join me for these informal discussions, with topics centered on students’ concerns, religious issues, etc. Refreshments will be served.

Hope to see you there.

**Company Research Using the Internet**

Colleen Anderson
Reference Librarian

Any researcher undertaking research on a particular company will benefit from thinking through the particular kinds of information he/she will need to find to conduct a thorough search. The “total picture” of a company consists of directory information (the who, what, where and when on the company), a history of the company including how it started and how it has changed its strategy/image over the years, the corporate filings/annual report, investment information, and current news articles on the company. A researcher can now access much, though not all, of this information using a page and web browser. The following internet sites contain valuable company information.

- For directory information on a company, try: Companies on the Web http://www.sescapes.com/worldlibrary/business/companies/index.html
- Provides lists of links for small and large companies.

- Provides a comprehensive list of web sites of publicly held companies.

- This plastic directory of American manufacturers is now available on the web.

- ...the best place to start the search for a corporate home page.

- WWW Business Yellow Pages http://www.cha.ecdyишow/youpages.html
- ...listing of companies arranged alphabetically by business type.

Remember that what you won’t find on the web is the glossy annual report produced each year by publicly-held companies. The annual report is a company’s primary public relations tool and an important publication for researchers to review. The pictures, text and numbers contained in the annual report give researchers a valuable insight on how the company perceives itself and what their officers believe to be their strength. The library carries annual reports for the Fortune 500 companies, the Fortune 50 retail companies, and the larger Rhode Island publicly held companies. (Inquire at the Reference Assistance desk.)

Also, don’t count on finding the mission statement of a company on the web. The mission statement provides a succinct summary of how the company views itself and its product. The library carries 2 books with reproductions of mission statements from public and private companies and some nonprofit corporations. The Missions Statement Book: 101 Corporate Mission Statements From America’s Top Companies by Jeffrey Abrahams (Ref HD30.258 A27) and Mission Statements: A Guide to the Corporate and Nonprofit Sectors by John W. Gardner and Wolcott (Ref HD30.258 G697). For a company history, take a look at The International Directory of Company Histories published by St. James Press (Ref HD2721 D36). This publication provides a 2-3 page company history on over 2500 companies.

The web is a very good source of financial information on publicly-held companies. Publicly-held companies must file quarterly financial reports with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Until a few years ago these reports were only available through commercial providers or by going direct to the SEC. Now there are 2 sites on the web which provide filings for a majority of publicly held-companies.

- New York University EDGAR Project http://edgar.stern.nyu.edu/
  - Enhanced viewing of EDGAR (the Electronic Data Gathering and Retrieval Project) providing corporate filings and forms publicly held companies have sent to the Securities & Exchange Commission. This site also includes links to company profiles, to the Alternate Edgar site at the SEC, the R.R. Donnelley Library of SEC materials, and an introduction entitled “What is EDGAR?”

- SEC (Securities and Exchange Commission) EDGAR Archives http://www.sec.gov/edgar.htm
  - Corporate filings and forms from nearly three-quarters of U.S. publicly traded companies. If you are using the database for the first time, click on “How to” to see a page of instructions.

Investment information on particular companies is also available on the internet to a limited degree. Readily available information includes 15-minute delayed stock quotes and charts and limited comparative financial data (ratios, earnings estimates, etc.). Don’t expect to find extensive evaluative brokerage reports such as those found through Investext. For such evaluative information, see Value Line (available at the reference assistance desk) or Standard & Poor’s Stock Reports (REF Tafle 2 H4905. 3445). The following sites will provide a 15-minute delayed stock quote for a company.

- The Stockmaster http://www.ai.mit.edu/stocks.html
  - ...supplies stock charts (updated daily), mutual fund charts, top stocks, stock quotes, lists of companies sorted by symbol, and lists of ticker symbols sorted by company.

- PCQuote/Spacemom Systems Stock Quote Server http://www.spacemom.com/800/participants/pcquote/master.html
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For comprehensive fundamental research on a company, try the following:

- Wall Street Research Network (WSRN) http://www.wsrn.com
  - One of the best sources for investment information available through a website. WSRN consists of “...over 250,000 links to company quotes, SEC filings, fundamental research on actively-traded companies, news, earnings estimates and research summaries.” To retrieve a consensus of brokerage recommendations on buying or selling a particular stock, click on the Yahoo! Company Profile link and go into “Research Reports.”

The internet is an extremely valuable tool for company research if one has realistic expectations of what is and what isn’t available from it for free, understands that sites change and may be gone or demand payment at short notice, and pays attention to the credentials of the person/organization posting the information.

**Features**

**ARMY ROTC CORNER**

SFC Brad O. Sudd

Well, I'm just getting back to work after enjoying a well-deserved week's leave. New England is unbelievable this time of the year, if you just take the time to look. On Wednesday, October 22, the 2nd Battalion held its first call of duty run of the year. Cadets from northern Rhode Island colleges participated. Approximately 80 cadets ran the 2.7 mile course at Bryant, beginning at dawn. There's nothing like starting out your day by sounding off to some old Cadet push-ups. Sorry if we woke you up. It's getting to be that time of the year again. If you're possibly interested in applying for an ROTC scholarship, or just finding out what ROTC is all about, contact us at X6276 or X6275. The application period is just around the corner.

I can imagine everyone is looking forward to the Superbowl rematch between the PACKERS and the Patriots on Monday night. Because I'm a Wisconsin native and a die-hard PACKER fan, you know who I'll be pulling for. S.O.F.T.

**LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLE OF THE WEEK:** Know Your Subordinates and Look Out For Their Well-Being. You must know and care for your subordinates. And it is not enough to just know their names and工作岗位. You need to understand what makes them “tick” and learn what is important to them in life. You need to commit time and effort to listening to and learning about your subordinates. When you show genuine concern for your subordinates, they will trust and respect you as a leader. Telling your subordinates you care about them has no meaning unless they see you demonstrating care. They assume that if you fail to care for them in training, you put little value on their lives in combat. Although slow to build, trust and respect can be destroyed quickly.

If your subordinates trust you, they will willing to work to help you accomplish your missions. They will never want to let you down. You must care for them by training them for the rigors of combat, taking care of their physical and safety needs, when possible, and disciplining and rewarding fairly. The bonding that comes from caring for your subordinates will sustain you during the stress and chaos of combat.

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**Success**

by: Melissa Stenska

Success is a concept within each person's mind. The goals and characteristics are individually defined. Some people believe that success if finding true love; while others consider success as finding out who they truly are; while others classify success as buying a brand new car. Others characterize success by having a degree; while some measure success as being president of a company. To me, “my success” is making ends meet: Having a well-paying job and raising a family. Living in comfort, not desperate for pay day; and in a safe neighborhood for my children to play. With my Accounting Degree, I hope to get far financially, set with a “Beamer” for a car. These ideas in which I classify as success; but these can only be achieved if I try my absolute best. So, “to each his own”, eventually you'll see what exactly is in store for your destiny. Each person's dream will soon become known. It will take time, work, maybe even "slave to the bone." But just keep in mind, whatever you decide; all of the goals you must definitely abide. Never get discouraged, stay positive; you'll get what you want, successfully you will live. So follow your dreams, whatever they may be; and you will have a successful destiny.
CATHOLIC MASS
WILL BE CELEBRATED
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS
12:05 - 12:25 P.M.
IN THE CHAPEL

2ND FLOOR - BRYANT CENTER
BEGINNING
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28

DPS Crime Prevention Tips

DPS encourages the use of its "TIPS" line (X-6555) to report information about any crime or offense listed above. You may remain anonymous.

Staying Safe in Your Residence Halls

- Lock the windows and door when you are sleeping and anytime you leave.
- Keep your room locked at all times, even if you are just going down the hall.
- Do not prop open the outside door to your residence hall.
- Do not open and close them at night or when you are not there.
- Make sure emergency numbers are adhered to the phone.

Contact Ginnie Bowry at the DPS Office to obtain free emergency number stickers or campus safety crime prevention information. She can be reached at X-6001.

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Applications for Special Olympic Core-Directors are available in the student senate office.

Applications are due back by October 27 at 4:00. Please sign up for an interview time on October 27, 28, & 29.

WEEKLY INFORMAL FORUMS
WITH "REV.DEV"
CONTINUE
SUNDAYS @ 7 P.M.

THE ARCHWAY
Saturday, October 22, 1997

Week of:
11/10 - 11/16

FRIDAY
*Sundried Tomatoes
Mozzarella Cheese
Fresh Mozzarella

SATURDAY
*Hot Beef Sandwich
Lettuce
Tomato

SUNDAY
*Hot Beef Sandwich
Deli/Grill

MONDAY
*Hot Beef Sandwich
Deli/Grill

TUESDAY
*Hot Beef Sandwich
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Would you be interested in studying on an island off the coast of Central America? . . . .

Dr. Doug Levin is offering a special topics course for the spring 1998 semester. In the class room it will include designing experiments using computers and electronic sensors to answer a variety of scientific questions. The traditional students will embark to Belize for their Spring Break to examine the environment around a tiny tropical island. For more information see spring registration packet (SCI 369A: Applied Scientific Methodology) or call Doug at x6432.

Campus Safety Walkthrough

Wednesday, October 29, Public Safety will be conducting a campus walkthrough to increase awareness of campus safety issues from us in becoming aware of the potential dangers in our surroundings and learn how to avoid them. The walkthrough will begin in the evening at the function and will also conclude at the function, where refreshments will be served and entertainment will be provided. Look for signs in the Rotunda announcing start time of the walkthrough. The event is sponsored by Public Safety and AWA. Anyone with questions may contact Cheryl or X 8329.
DOUBLE CHEESEBURGER PIZZA!!
AN AMERICAN CLASSIC IS NOW ON A PIZZA!
TRADITIONAL HAND-TOSSED PIZZA TOPPED WITH
REAL GRADE A LEAN GROUND BEEF, CHOPPED
ONIONS, AND TWO LAYERS OF CHEESES!!
Med. $9.95 Lrg. $9.95
Don't miss this one!

PIZZA SODA DEAL!!
1 MEDIUM 12"
1-TOPPING PIZZA
& 2 COKES
ONLY $6.00
BRYANT'S BEST
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THE JUNI-O-N
Saturday, October 25
10 PM - 1 AM
Jazz & Latin

Scotti Duo

CD Jukebox!!
Pinball Machine!!
Playing Cards!!
Board Games!!
FREE Newspapers!!

NEW Pizzas!!!
NEW Sandwiches!!!
NEW Desserts!!!
NEW Coupons!!!

STUDENT SENATE:
Setting The Standard For YOU!
Stephen Tully
Senior Senator

Recently, Student Senate set out on a mission. At the voice of "YOU," the students, we felt a strong need to connect with your concerns and ideas. We did not feel that 28 senators should be the only voice heard. With this thought in mind, our mission began.

At our annual retreat, we decided that it would be best to go out and face, face to face, with as many students as we could. Our campaign ran the week of October 5, 1997, and the response was tremendous. We visited ten residence halls and 8 classrooms! We owe thanks to all the students who gave us their input; it makes our job a lot easier. With your concerns and ideas, we have established and COMMITTED LO

With this thought in mind, our mission began,

These goals were not our ideas or what we want accomplished; they are a collaboration of your voices.

GOAL 1:
Total Evaluation of Food Services
If successful, we will have established a long-term plan for Senate to fully evaluate customer satisfaction. We will also establish a complete analysis of present food operations and policies.

GOAL 2:
Examine the Allocation Process of the Student Activity Fee
If successful, Students will feel that the student activity fee is adequate and appropriately allocated.

GOAL 3:
To Develop a Faculty Advising System
If successful. Starting with the class of 2002, every student will be given a full-time faculty advisor upon choosing a major.

Unity Monday
Geoffrey Toth

This past Monday in the Rotunda there was day honoring the Spanish heritage. The day was known as Unity Day. All day long, members of the Bryant community could have learned a great deal about Hispanic and Spanish culture. The event was sponsored by MSU and directed by Amy Malave. One main point that Amy made was to "promote Diversity" to give students, faculty, and staff a chance to see how different cultures can help each other learn about each other. All throughout the day, people conversed over Spanish language and culture, and ate Spanish food. The idea of unity was present all throughout the day, bringing people together.

Students were extremely impressed with how the event set the tone for the day. Some students thought of it as a step in learning about all the members of our community. Other participants of the day thought of it as bringing people together to not just share one culture, but to discuss questions or comments they had about each other.

This is just another typical school day at Bryant. The event may seem small on paper, but it had a positive impact on our community as a whole. Our campus is always flowing with events like this, making our experience come alive. It is events like this that do bring our community together and help us continue our learning process outside the classroom. Unity Day brought us up to date with people inside our own little world and the people outside of it.

Efforts appreciated by United Way
Joe Pratt
Corporate Relations

Bryant College has been expanding the world of opportunity since 1863. We expand opportunity through education. We also expand opportunity through our involvement in our community. Currently, the Bryant community is involved in an annual campaign for the United Way and the Fund for Community Progress.

Why participate in this effort? We all have different motives for participating. Some of the reasons to give follow:

* It's easy - Through one time gifts or payroll deduction giving;
* 100% to services - When you give to "through" the United Way, 100% of your gift goes to your selected agencies;
* Choice - It's your money and your choice on where to direct your giving; and
* Impact - Your contributions are having an impact today. (If you gave to your local Boys and Girls Club last year, your gift is working today offering programs for at-risk youths).

The choice is yours. There are issues and causes for everyone. Literally, from birth to death you can support programs making a difference. Whether you choose child care, health issues, education, environmental causes, or hospice programs, you decide.

Here at Bryant, we have chosen to celebrate giving to celebrate our community involvement. By giving, we invest in improving the quality of life for ourselves and our neighbors. Giving can consist of time, treasure or talent. We all contribute to our communities in different ways. In support of our celebration of giving, prizes for those participating in the United Way and Fund for Community Progress campaign are available. On behalf of all who will benefit from your participation, Thank you!
Welcome to
Family Traditions at Bryant College
Parents' and Family Weekend

1997 Schedule of Events

Friday, October 24, 1997

4:00 pm - 9:00 pm  Parents' and Family Weekend Registration
Bryant Center Commons

7:00 pm  Bryant Players Performance of "You the Jury" Courtroom drama - audience decides the verdict Janikie Auditorium

8:00 pm - 9:30 pm  Comedy Showcase '97 - featuring the talented New York comedians, Robert Kelly and Keith Robinson - Salmanross Dining Hall, Unistructure

9 pm - 12 midnight  Great food and live entertainment at Bryant's Junction Coffee House

8:00 pm - 12 am  "We Are Family" Get ready to twirl and boogie the night away to the Rhode Island musical sensations of Cover to Cover - Gym

Saturday, October 25, 1997

9:00 am - 3:00 pm  Registration Bryant Center Commons

9:30 am - 11:00 am  Dean's List Reception Come to this formal ceremony in the Rotunda where Dean's List recipients for the Spring semester '97 will be congratulated by both the Bryant community as well as their proud families. - Rotunda, Unistructure

10:30 am  Continental Breakfast South Dining Room sponsored by the Student Senate

11:00 am  State of the College Address Presented by President Ronald K. Machtey in South Dining Room

10:00 am - 4:00 pm  Family Shopper's Fair and Craft Festival sponsored by Bryant's Radio Station - Multipurpose Activities Center (Gym)

10:00 am - 4:00 pm  United Nations Festival sponsored by Bryant's International Student Organization - Gym

11:00 am - 2:00 pm  Archway Family Photos sponsored by the Student Programming Board. Don't miss out on this family picture moment!

11:00 am  Women's Rugby vs. Central Connecticut Athletic Fields

11:00 am - 3:00 pm  Family Fun Factory featuring caricature artists. "Picture Perfect" family photo buttons, Antique Photos, and a Balloon Artist - Bryant Center Commons

11:30 am  Academic Sessions - "The Liberal Arts Freshman Seminar: The American Dream" presented by Judy McDonnell, William Graves, and Joseph Urso, M40 Unistructure

12 noon - 2 pm  Homestyle BBQ featuring the Cape Cod All-Stars - Bryant Center Lawn

12:00 noon  Cow Chip Raffle - sponsored by the Student Alumni Association to benefit Special Olympics, Outside Koffier

1:00 pm - 2pm  Book signing Richard Manning Smith "How to Be a Great Math Student," Robert E. Burns "Positive Visualiation for Speech Anxiety" - Meet two of Bryant's Professors and pick up a copy of their latest works, Bryant College Bookstore

1:00 pm  Women's Soccer vs. Bentley College Athletic Fields

1:00 pm and 4:00 pm  "You the Jury" performed by the Bryant Players, Janikie Auditorium

1:30 pm  Karate Club Demonstration Rotunda, Unistructure

2:30 pm  4th Annual Duck Race - adopt a duck and cheer it on to the finish line at the pond sponsored by the Senior class

3:00 pm  Protestant Worship Service - Chapel, Bryant Center

4:00 pm  Men's Rugby vs. North Adams State Athletic fields

4:30 pm  Catholic Mass - Rotunda, Unistructure

9:00 pm  The Main Attraction - Greetings from Ronald K. Machtey, President of Bryant College; Molly Devaney and Janine Piccirillo, Parents' and Family Weekend Chairpersons, Gymnasium. Followed by "Mark Nizer, the bad boy of juggling and the hilarious chemical competitions of Comedy Sportz

Sunday, October 26, 1997

9:00 am - 12 noon  Jazz Breakfast - enjoy a festive Mardi Gras buffet while listening to the sounds of Brad Hatfield's New Flight - South Dining Hall. Advanced reservations required

12:30 pm  Catholic Mass - Rotunda

1:00 pm - 3 pm  Class Receptions - It is time and relax and enjoy the company of the Class of 1998, 1999, 2000, or 2001 with their families as we look back on this memorable weekend!

Class of 1998 - The Cornerstone
Class of 1999 - The Junction
Class of 2000 - Bryant Center Room 2A/B
Class of 2001 - Papito
So it's Parent's Weekend and your folks are coming down to spend the weekend with you. Where are you going to take them for dinner? You can either munch on some pizzas by the pond or you can try Charley's Saloon located just fifteen minutes away at Emerald Square Mall.

The atmosphere at Charley's is quite nice. The decor was an interesting mix of wood and brass with some New Orleans type of paintings as well as several marble sculptures here and there. I'm not sure what kind of theme they were trying to represent here, but the overall setting was very warm and relaxing. Our cheerful and bouncy waitress was Kim who was quite attentive to our needs. She listed the daily specials and desserts with expertise and was quite knowledgeable about the items on the menu.

After thoroughly scrutinizing the menu, I settled on the Chicken Barbecue Saloon Nachos ($6.50) for appetizers. These nachos were delicious! The best I've ever tasted! I'm actually craving for some right now. The nachos were crisp and delicate (note that Tostitos style) layered with a sun-ripened sweet barbecue sauce that mingled just right with the nachos. On top of that were pieces of chicken and chunks of mashed corn that got cut straight from the cob. The whole dish was perfectly balanced by a layer of warm cheesy cheddar cheese. Let me tell you, the whole combination was a delight to the senses. And this was just an appetizer!

My meal soon after I got over my nacho euphoria. I had a New York Sirloin Steak Kabob for ($10.99). The kabob came with mushrooms, onions, and peppers that were cooked to perfection that brought out its best flavors. The side on the other hand was another story. I ordered it medium, which it was on the inside, but the outside was a bit charred and tough and the overall taste was average. The entree also came with fresh cut fries which were a bit limp and some soggy on topings. The foods were all fresh, but they just don't seem to have been cooked right. Charley's should look into bumping the appetizer cook up to be head chef.

I couldn't finish the meal without dessert. After Charley's word of mouth, I ordered the Chicken Pie ($4.95) instead of the Apple Pie. It took quite a while to come out (maybe they were catching the early crowd). My Chicken Pie was good. It had layers of a '01 rib steak and a thick minty green layering of cream which had another layer of gooey chocolate ludge on top. The whole creation was topped off with a purify dollop of whipped cream and two thin chocolate mint sticks which I think were supposed to represent the chicken's antennae. Can I say about this is YUMMY! I complemented my dessert with a nice warm cup of coffee which was pleasantly strong and aromatic.

Overall, Charley's is well worth going to. It is located at Emerald Square Mall in North Attleboro, MA. They're open during mall hours and they can be reached at 508-643-0800.

Eating Out: Parente's

Recently my roommate and I decided it was time to go off campus for some "real food". Since neither of us wanted to go very far, we decided to head down to Parente's. Parente's is a local bar and grill located at the foot of the entrance into Bryant College. It is a restaurant that can be compared to Ninety-Nines and Applebees.

The menu is of a great variety ranging from a common cheeseburger to more gourmet dishes like chicken marsala. It offers food for every type of person. Parente's also has a new section to their menu which allows one to order smaller portions of a dish. This is a great idea especially for parents that only have a limited budget and let's face it, sometimes people just aren't that hungry. With this new section of the menu, they are allowed to order something good and nutritious opposed to a greasy appetizer.

Usually, getting seated at Parente's is not a problem because you're seated upon arrival. This is not the case at Charley's. There, we were seated again with this one. My Crispie Pie ($4.95) took quite a while to come out (maybe they were catching the early crowd). It was well worth the wait. I got this huge slice of pie that had an Oreo crust, a thick minty green layering of cream which had another layer of gooey chocolate ludge on top. The whole creation was topped off with a purify dollop of whipped cream and two thin chocolate mint sticks which I think were supposed to represent the strawberry's antennae. Can I say about this is YUMMY! I complemented my dessert with a nice warm cup of coffee which was pleasantly strong and aromatic.

Overall, Parente's is well worth going to. It is located at Emerald Square Mall in North Attleboro, MA. They're open during mall hours and they can be reached at 508-643-0800.

Stuffy's Bar & Grill

Stuffy's Bar & Grill offers the family and avid sports fans a quality time. Located about 15 minutes from Bryant, Stuffy's is a sports pub featuring 12 television sets, to the delight of many sports fans. The board opens at 11 a.m. on weekends.

The food is simply great. Their prices are reasonable, ranging from $4.95 to $13 a plate. I recommend trying the M&B Baby Back Rib or any of their sandwiches. For appetizers, try the homemade buffalo wings—ranging from mild to suicidal. For drinks, Stuffy's offers a wide variety of choices to accommodate everyone's needs. Service is an important factor, and at Stuffy's, the service was good. Servers were polite and friendly and would occasionally check to see if everything was fine with the meal. The service was also fast. After ordering, it took 15 minutes for our orders to come out. Overall, Stuffy's received an ***/12.

If you are looking for a great Italian meal, with atmosphere and service that are superb, look no further than East Side Marios in Warwick, RI. When you walk in you feel like you are stepping into a block in New York City. When you first enter you walk under the Brooklyn Bridge to get to your table and are alarmed to be waited on by people jumping from the bridge to join you for dinner. When you are seated you feel like you are in an apartment. The walls are crackled and there are shelves with everything you need to make your favorite Italian dishes. The service is wonderful. Before you can finish your salad and garlic bread the waiter is bringing you more. This is a definite bonus for salad lovers (right Sharon). The waiter was always right around the corner and checking to see if we needed anything else.

Now for the main course. East Side Marios offers everything on Italian cuisine lover could ask for. They have many chicken, pasta, and seafood dinners, and pizza. They also have a childrens menu for people with little ones. Everything we had was delicious. The chicken fettucine alfredo was very rich, and their seafood linguine was excellent. The pieces are very reasonable and the portions are more than generous. Almost everyone leaves with leftovers. They even give you salad to bring home!

If you do have room left after dinner they have a very inventive dessert menu. They give you viewmasters to see the desserts. One of the favorites is Skywraper cake which is 7 layers of chocolate cake and frosting. They also have cheesecake, gelato, Italian ice, and tiramisus. All of the choices look wonderful through the viewmaster.

Overall, East Side Marios is an excellent restaurant that has a little something for everyone. No reservations are required, but it fills up quickly on the weekends. It is definitely a good choice and you will not be disappointed with your dining experience.
Bet a Theta Pi
AJ Canto

This week was a good one, as we would like to start off by thanking DZ for such a good time on Friday night. Everyone had great costumes. Thanks to Theta for all of our invites to Heaven and Hell on Friday. Parents' Weekend is here, and we will be selling candles in the Mac from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday. Anyone interested, please stop by our table. The Brothers would like to congratulate Sledge for being initiated into the Beta Theta Pi fraternity this past Thurs.

day. This Saturday, Bryant held the Beta Theta Pi Northeast Regional Training Conference, in which we were very successful, as many members attended. The Beta football team is looking forward to getting back into action, as we defend our undefeated record against DKE and TEP. Good luck to them.

A generous donation by Mrs. Zinberg is well appreciated and thanked by all of the brothers. Congratulations to Smithers and Ren, who both survived their 23rd birthdays last week. This week, Merlot found himself a new life in the woods on Saturday. Thank you, Smitty, for providing us with entertainment at Ren's by performing "Runaway Train." We were all a little disappointed that Peter couldn't make it up here this week.

Monte was the masked man on Thursday. This was very proud of his outfit. Who else besides Smithers enjoyed his birthday weekend Demo. Which, for anyone who wants to see us in action, is on Saturday, October 25, at 1:30 p.m. in the Rotunda. We hope you and your parents can all make it.

We'd also like to congratulate Keith, Nick, and Ryan on their performance in the past couple of tournaments. We will have plenty more this semester, if others are interested.

Mauie hopes that Pepper and "Gizmo" Hatch on Saturday Night Fever with his Parente's and Touch of Class. Please remember that this shuttle in no way advocates drinking, but rather provides a service to reduce driving while under the influence of alcohol. This service is very important to us especially this weekend, because the sisters will be celebrating the memory of Kristen "Gizmo" Hatch on Saturday. Gizmo, you will never be forgotten.

Congratulations to all the sisters who got jobs. Good job, girls! Thanks to Beta for helping us celebrate through the decades! Cobb showed all of DZ that he will "live dancing and die dancing." We hope Smithers enjoyed his birthday fieldtrip to the bridge... Pflacht was very proud of his outfit. Who else can get an entire outfit for only $2.35??!! Congratulations to Cleo for her encounter Saturday night. Now just one abduction, and your life will be complete. Nikali and Pepper would like to thank Phi Kap for their hospitality on Swan Day.

Lots Happy Birthday to us! Nikali, Thanks to Darbi, who makes the best PB&J sandwich around. Lave, Meridian, Silva, if we stick together, I'm sure we will make it through this! Make sure that you save "some for me.

Delta Zeta

Sandi DiGianvittorio

Hi everyone! Delta Zeta's national founder's day is Friday, October 24. We also would like to remind everyone to be responsible and safe by taking the shuttle to

Women's Soccer

Bryant vs. AIC
Saturday, November 1st
1 Pm

Philly Sigma Sigma

Valerie Arlott

Hello! I hope everyone had a good week. First off, we would like to thank everyone who helped Phi Sig support the National Kidney Foundation at our Annual Jail N Bail. Congratulations to Sunny D on her internship. Congratulations and good luck to all those who have interview seminars. Sexy, Sinha, Gumby, and Babs. We are looking forward to seeing everyone's family this weekend.

Jenn-Lee, get moving on finding a formal date! Congratulations to all those sisters who found Fall Harvest dates this weekend. Have a great weekend! Till next time.

PHI KAPPA SIGMA

By Kevin Megraith
and Aaron Prunier

We'd like to welcome Aaron back to the creative staff of the article. Due to some political upsets, he had gone on strike. He has agreed to return at the request of the brotherhood.

A lot went down this weekend, so let's get right to it. Labone, referring to last week's article, we're always right. Dudek, for once, was on the receiving end of some bed-bopping. Goldsmith added another stunt to his repertoire; it wasn't any fun, but hey, it's something to talk about. Forgive me, however, that you stop trying to include Public Safety in all Phi Sig activities, especially when it includes a rope. Lancia was heard complaining about his roommates' morning activities; our response was that you should practice what you preach. There are other ways to study, by the way. Same goes for you, Fogarty. Byrne had a great time at Foxboro on Monday. I guess your mom is too far away to dress and feed you these days.

Horseback are better when it's light out, by the way. Divorce proceedings are under way; Martone is looking for alimony, but Dascilo has a good lawyer. Hurley let the spirit of National Swain Day carry him away, as McDonnell added another notch to his belt. Turkey has made a lot of friends at Foxboro, but he spends an awful lot of time in their trailers. Pranedogg had the pleasure of going to Alamo's. He states, however, that there are better accommodations at roach motels. BW is the closest to the kitchen, who would have guessed.

We're pretty sure last weekend wasn't Alumni weekend, but the Alumni organized their own. So we should at least recognize a few of their numerous escapades. Daniels managed to find some way onto campus besides his only authorized vehicle, a BMX. Dascilo was happy to show him around campus. McDonnell set a land-speed record for entering and leaving the MAC but needed a lot of courage, and Karinski didn't want to see the show anyway. Shame was adorned once again; find a job already. Dubhenedo-enough said. Everyone should be happy to hear that Gabbo has retired and is living comfortably with people his own age at a retirement community in Florida. We hear Einmes was around but have yet to confirm that with Theta; we're pretty sure she's dead.

Well, we're on a strict time schedule, so we'll have to end the article here. This weekend marks Parents' Weekend. As usual, we will be having our annual Parents' brunch on Saturday; we invite any and all freshmen to come up with their parents for this extravagant event. If you would like details or scheduling of our events for the weekend, or if there's just something on your mind, please contact our Parental Coordinator, Scott Byrne, at 4034.
Hello everyone. Well, the time is upon us... it's time to perform! This weekend is Parents' Weekend, and the cast is frantically putting the finishing touches on the play to make sure we're ready for the huge crowds on Friday night and Saturday afternoon (now that we're all broke). As with every year, milk and cookies will be served following each performance in Dorm 4, 320 (I hope you don't mind, guys!). Can you believe five weeks are up already (5 weeks?! I thought it was 5 months!)? I hope the alumni can make it back again this weekend to see us perform for real. Just in case you've been living in a vacuum for the past five weeks, the show times are as follows: Friday, October 24, 7:00 p.m., and Saturday, October 25, 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. All performances are held in Junkties Auditorium. I suggest you get there early to ensure you get a good seat... they fill up fast. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone there, and be sure to leave a donation at the door (the social committee needs it). And on that note, I leave you.

Overheard: "Where is Rick Beles?"

**Theta Phi Alpha**

*by Martina*

Hey Theta! First off we'd like to congratulate all our new pledge sisters: Julia, Tanya, Melissa, Tessa, Kate, Jackie, Marlene, Maureen, Crystal, and Jessica. We're so proud of you all; we love cupcakes too! We're doing our annual "Adopt a Highway" philanthropy this Tuesday and Thursday.

The Junction was perfect after our bonding 902 J0 night; we're pretty excited about this week, considering the intense previews. Thanks Beta for a great time on Thursday; it's always a good experience. "Oh brotherly love..." Friday we experienced "Heaven on Earth." No one can pass five weeks, like show times are as follow: Friday, October 24, 7:00 p.m., and Saturday, October 25, 1:00 and 4:00 p.m. All performances are held in Junkties Auditorium. I suggest you get there early to ensure you get a good seat... they fill up fast. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone there, and be sure to leave a donation at the door (the social committee needs it). And on that note, I leave you.

**Tau Kappa Epsilon**

*Sean Smits*

How's everyone doing? Sorry about last week's absences, but things have been pretty busy lately. Congratulations to our new Associate Members. I'll list all their names, but it would take up too much room, and God forbid those funny comics get left out of this week's issue.

Let's see, what have we done lately? Oh yeah, thanks to Theta for inviting some of us to your bash last weekend. Once again, Braccia and I were not-invited-daddies. Don't mind nobody havin a crush on us!

The football season should be over sometime in March the way we keep reshuffling games. Considering the chances of us winning it are about as good as Adam attending a Gamma meeting. I say foregoing and taking naps in the afternoon is the way to go.

Happy two-one goes out to T-Rose. I'm sure this will come in handy for events on the floor. Reminder: If anyone needs scratch tickets or tobacco products, I'll be eighteen in a few months!

I'd like to invite everyone to our newest philanthropy: Help Philly get to class! We will be raising money to buy Philly an alarm clock with the TKE, DZ, Swing-A-Thon Sponsor us on how many DZ sisters we can get to know a little better, and you'll be entered into a spend a day with Enzo and Michelle contest. You'll witness PDA like you never dreamed of and quite possibly witness Enzo's proposal (which should be happening any day now).

We'd like to thank Longo and the rest of the Phi Sig sister for the lovely Halloween cards! I'm sure the sisters put a lot of hard work and effort into them. Oh yeah, Jen K, I'm available for tutoring on history papers. My office hours are between midnight and two in the morning at my place. (Don't be surprised; I always study with candlelight and Luther Vandross music in the background).

Congratulations to Foley and Reeves for receiving such an honored position this month. Don't feel left out. Castell, you finished a close third.

Well, that's it for me. I'm gonna go bench about 250 at Jarvis cause I'm so jacked (just thought I'd throw that in). It's Today now, but this should come out 3 days from now. I think Crazy Eddy would agree that this article is INSANE!

Later,

Me

**WJMF**

*Chris Gregory*

The theme of WJMF's next meeting on Tuesday, October 29, will be like that of an elite country club because it will be for DJ's and staff only. And it will be a mandatory meeting, well, so if you are a WJMF DJ and plan on enjoying Thanksgiving dinner, make every effort to make this meeting. Shockingly, there is plenty to discuss. At this meeting, we hope to elect a new Chief Engineer and a Business Director.

Believe it or not, we have an event coming up this weekend. It is WJMF's Annual Craft Fair which will be held this Saturday in the MAC from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Although our planet has a vendor selling O.J. Simpson approved gloves felt through, we will have plenty of vendors selling really good Christmas gifts to give to that family member you could really care less about. But still check it out though; with the variety of stuff the vendors will be selling, there is bound to be something that you will like.

Since this latest issue of the Archway should have the schedule of DJ's, you now have a reason not to tune in to 88.7, where the hits come faster than the time it took for the Mighty Mighty Bosstones to forgive the Bryant crowd after the bone-ripping incident (If they really care about the bra-incident, they wouldn't have come back).

Well, that's about it for now. Sorry for the lack of humor on this one; "creativity" an "Koffer" do not mix. Hopefully, the sports department will find another place to get their jocks for the next issue of the Archway.

**Quote of the Week:** "I don't get angry, I only pity the braindead." - Les Claypool, lead singer of Primus after a fan threw something at him.
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Hey Ruggers! We hope everyone is having a great week. We would like to apologize for not having an article the past couple of weeks. Our article seems to have mysteriously disappeared and never made it to print.

To recap our other article, we would like to thank KT for a good time a couple weeks ago. Sorry it had to end so quickly. Charles, we are impressed with your enthusiasm for the boot! You guys better practice your racing skills for next time. You made it way too easy.

We have played URI twice since the last article. Thanks for all those who came to our game last Wednesday. We hope we put on a good show. The sketchy girl was around, and we were all pretty scared. Of course, she seems to bother some of us more than others, right Jag? We cruised the green wave to URI and don’t think that the bus driver knew what he was in for. “He didn’t like us at first but then learned to love us.” We showed our singing talents all the way home. Sarah forgot all about the bus driver being there; sorry! Susie and Katy came home with more than they left with. Kim, Chrissy, Mary, and Margaret went a little crazy at Burger King. Relax, Chrisy!

We would like to thank TEP for a fun night last Thursday. We will have to do it again sometime.

We played CT College and won 10-0 this past Saturday. Thanks to everyone who came to cheer us on. Relax, Chrisy! Some of us got a little beaten up, bitten, and bared during the game, but we didn’t let it hinder the rest of the day. We would like to thank the guys’ team for a fun time on Saturday afternoon. Congratulations on your game; you guys played awesome. Sue, sorry that you were the only one there when the Cauliton boys came around. Girls, “We’ll be singing when we’re within!” Kim has the hat, and we don’t know why. Toni took on a new identity later in the night, and some people couldn’t even recognize her. Go Cobras! Don’t get mad, it’s funny!

For all those interested, our next game is on Saturday, Oct. 25 against Central CT. Please come support if you can. That’s all for this week, but we leave you with a question to ponder: “If you could be any animal, what would you be?” An armadillo?

Sigma Sigma Sigma
by Ivy May Kusler

Hello Everyone! I hope that all is well. I’m sure that you all had a great weekend as it was eventful. First, I would like to congratulate the pledges of all organizations! You have made the right choice! I would especially like to congratulate and introduce ours: Sarah, Meghan, Shannon, Kristen, Becky, Cheryl, Sue, Danielle, Sarah, Jen, Tara, and Sonja.

Well here we are once again: Parent’s Weekend. Clean your room and get all of your books out so it looks like you study. You might want to open up your books once or twice. That way they won’t crack too much if your Mom or Dad should happen to pick one up.

Last week was cool, I still cannot understand though why every band that comes here to play ends up hating us when they leave? We’re not that bad are we? Thursday night was fun. Thanks Nader for the shrub. I don’t think Applebee’s will be asking you back out any time soon though. Delta Chi was a good time when we visited. Christie, I had fun in our mini tournament. Thanks Phi Kaps for Friday, we had a great time. Saturday night was a great time on the floor.

I am sorry this is so short, but life is hectic right now! I hope everyone has a great time with their parents this weekend. That’s it for this week, have a great one!

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Athlete's Corner: Men's Soccer, Senior Co-Captain Scott Mann

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Assistant Sports Editor

Hometown: Fairfax, Virginia
High School: W.T. Woodson High School
Number of Years Played Soccer: 16
Position: Midfield

The NE-10 tournament is up and coming for the men's soccer team at Bryant. How are you preparing for them?

Our record is 5-5-2 overall. Since we are likely to be eliminated from conference play, we have set goals to finish out the season strong. From this point on, we want to win the rest of our road games and our last remaining home game.

What kind of team chemistry does it take to play soccer? It takes some powerful chemistry, since there are eleven guys on the field at one time. Our style of play requires that every single person plays a 100% role for the entire game. If one person fails to cooperate, the entire team suffers. As a whole, our team has a unique friendship off as well as on the field. This gives us a better understanding of each other and helps us understand each other's needs as an individual soccer player.

How do you feel about the development of the men's soccer program during your four years? My junior year, we had a first year coach, Seamus Purcell, who quickly made an impact on the attitude of Bryant's team. I feel that Seamus will develop the program in a way which will make Bryant men's soccer a force in the NE-10. Conference rivals will fear us as a powerhouse.

Do you have any regrets? No, I have absolutely no regrets about playing for the Bryant team. In fact, I am fortunate enough to have had a chance to play with these guys on a daily basis the past four years. All of the attitudes and personalities of my teammates have a distinct place in my memory. Although we have had to overcome many hardships over the years, we have certainly created a special bond between us.

Where do you see soccer in America down the road? Do you think it will ever compete with its popularity in Europe?

I believe that American soccer has a bright future. However, it can no way compete with European soccer. European soccer is tradition, much like baseball in America. Each and every year, the young American soccer players are becoming more skilled and, hopefully, in the near future, we will be able to better compete with the Europeans.

What will you miss the most about playing soccer at Bryant after you graduate? I will miss the desire to compete, the desire to win as a team. I will miss the friendships, the practices, the pre-game chats, the post-game emotions, and most of all, the off-the-field friendships, the bonds we worked so hard to achieve.

Do you have any rituals or things you do for inspiration? Well, Tony has this ritual he goes through the night before each game. He has this mental preparation routine where he visualizes his game and then snaps it.

What is something that you guys do for fun during your practices?

All of the weekend activities are discussed in our stretching circle, whether they included Goldwitzer's bad behavior or Wójcik's tasteless jokes. We have no secrets among the soccer team in the circle, although everything stays between the guys.

WOMEN'S SOCCER: BRYANT ROLLS TO THREE STRAIGHT VICTORIES

BRYANT 9, JOHNSON & WALES 0
(Smithfield, RI)-Junior Kathy Harrison's two first-half goals propelled Bryant College to a 9-0 win over Johnson & Wales University in a non-conference match this afternoon.

Freshman Danielle Poltas added two goals for the victory, and junior Christina Battista and sophomore Sarah Burke each chipped in with a goal and two assists. SAVES: B-Deb Kerr (2), Stephanie Smith (0); J-Erin Brown (3), Kim Gardiner (6)

WOMEN'S SOCCER

BRYANT 1, LE MOYNE 0
(Syracuse, NY)-Sophomore Andrea Hurley scored the first goal of her college career to lift Bryant College past Le Moyne College, 1-0, in a Northeast-10 Conference game this afternoon. Hurley's decisive goal came off a corner kick from sophomore Sarah Burke in the 73rd minute, snapping a scoreless deadlock. It's the Bulldogs third consecutive win-their longest winning streak since 1984. SAVES: B-Deb Kerr (3); L-Kim Matus (18)

MEN'S SOCCER

BRYANT 2, LE MOYNE 1
(Syracuse, NY)-Junior Ken Veretellis's goal with sixteen seconds remaining in regulation gave Bryant College a 2-1 tie with Le Moyne College in a Northeast-10 Conference game.

Veretellis converted a corner kick from senior forward Scott Mann to send the game into overtime. Mann scored Bryant's first goal-his team-high sixth of the season-early in the first half.

Saves: L-Paul Cremiak (13); B-Matt Wojak (5)

WOMEN'S TENNIS: BRYANT FINISHES SIXTH AT NE-10s
The women's tennis team finished sixth at the Northeast-10 Conference Championships held at Stonehill College last weekend. Pace University captured the crown in its first season in the conference.

Senior Yolanda Sorrell, who had not played at #5 singles all season, made an exciting run to the #5 singles final, but dropped a 6-4, 6-3 match to Patricia Thomas of Pace.

Junior Jennifer Kemper defeated Assumption's Carolyn McManus, 8-4, in the #3 singles consolation match.

In #2 doubles consolation action, Senior Gayle Zahnke and sophomore Jennifer Flaherty were beaten by Stonehill's Melissa L'Italien and Leslie Blanchard.

Jackie Ely

Ely turned in a fourth-place finish at Sunday's Stonehill College Invitational, finishing in 19:26. It was the second straight outstanding performance at the race for Ely, who won last year's event with a time of 19:36.

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Rivalry Lost

Pointless and random thoughts on the wide world of sports

Duc Ten

Sports Editor

Didn't I tell you that once the Pats played someone good they would lose? So how does losing to the Big Tuna feel? And losing to BACKUP quarterback Glenn Foley, too? A BACKUP.
The way he went through the Patriot defense made him look like an All-Pro. I wonder if Bill had a good night's sleep Sunday. Doesn't look like any team will go undefeated, because the Broncos lost to the Raiders.

So Patriot fans, how does it feel to know that Napoleon Kaufman was able run through the Broncos while your great Curtis Martin wasn't? I guess we know who the better running back is. Just when you thought Dallas had hit it, they went out and beat Jacksonville. Just when you thought the Redkins had made it, they went out and lost to the Oilers.

Hey, Emmitt Smith got over his fear of the end zone. Note to Mark Burgess: When throwing the ball away, do not throw to the other team; try throwing it out-of-bounds.

Chicago Bears fans rejoice. Your team didn't lose this week. But they also didn't play.

Hey, you're not the only wireless team in the league. The Colts are just bad.

If the Florida Marlins win the Series, then every owner next year will be pulling out the checkbook to buy a trophy. Give Jim Leyland credit for handling this team. Though.

Michael Jordan in six.

I was hoping for a sweep. Though, because now the game is going to be played on Thursday night and that means Newfield is off.

Six spots in the Top 25 this past weekend with one more almost there. Fact: Notre Dame lost again and will bench four-year starter Ron Powlos. Opinion: Notre Dame is terrible and Powlos should be cleaning someone's toilet.

The NCAAs start in one week.

The NFL season starts in one week. Let me go out on the limb right now and make some predictions.

San Antonio will win the West. They were going to win 55 games anyway, but with the addition of Tony Duncan, they will be stronger.

Chicago is the East. Some guy named Michael Jordan is still playing for them.

Basketball should be happy to know that Chucky Billups will not run the Rockets of the Year. I just don't see Duncan as a solid player yet.

The teams to look out for are the Washington Bullets, the Wizards and the Phoenix Suns.

The Wizards have that great front line and the Suns will be running with Jason Kidd and Antonio McDyess.

The world must be coming to an end because the Boston Bruins are winning. And what is up with the Skins and Capitals as well?

These three teams weren't supposed to be this good or even good. If you don't know how one player can take over a hockey game, I suggest you get a tape of the Colorado-Edmonton game and watch Peter Forsberg do his thing.

The worst part is that he looked like he wasn't really trying.

Add Joe Sakic to that, and you have the best one-two punch in all of hockey.

Well, Edmonton, Vancouver, Florida, and the New York Rangers have been huge disappointments so far. But hey, it's early.

The way the Colorado Rapids are making a Cinderella run in the MLS playoffs brings so much joy to my heart.

But hey, I hold asleep watching them two minutes into the game. Just so you know what I'm thinking.

Best and Worst of the Week

Duc Ten

Sports Editor

Best Performers

Troy Davis (New England Patriots)- Was about the only bright spot for the Pats.

Glenn Foley (New York Jets)- Looked like an All-Pro against the Patriots. Minnesota Gophers (Football)- Okay, so they lost, but they put Penn State in their place.

Herschel Walker (Dallas Cowboys)- Caught the game winning pass while subbing for the Moose.

Napoleon Kaufman (Oakland Raiders)- Single-handedly beat the Broncos with a big day. Jerome Bettis (Pittsburgh Steelers)- The Bus ran right through Cincy.

Bill Parcells (New York Jets)- Did the right thing by putting backup Foley into the game.

Joe Sakic (Colorado Avalanche)- His $17 million paycheck is really not slowing him down at all.

Peter Forsberg (Colorado Avalanche)- Put up big numbers while being strong teams.

St. Louis Blues (Hockey)- They are not supposed to be this good.

Worst Performers

New Orleans Saints (Football)- First team this year to be shutout. Indianapolis Colts (Football)- Until they win, they're going to be there.

Notre Dame (Football)- Hey, they lost so they're here.

Ron Powlos (Notre Dame Irish)- He has had four years to prove he can't play.

Michael Eisner (Disney)- Put up an offer that humiliated Paul Kariya, so now the mightiest of the Ducks won't sign.

Neil O'Donnell (New York Jets)- Couldn't beat the Pats when his backup could.

There are no more great rivalries anymore. It is that simple. The Boston Celtics and the Los Angeles Lakers? No more. The Dodgers and the Giants ended when both teams moved out west. The New England Patriots vs. the New York Jets is just a passing fancy. Neither team really hated the other, and they really don't now either. There are reasons no one really hates another team anymore.

There are no more great rivalries anymore. Free agency. It is that simple. It used to be that a player would stay with a team his whole career, thus keeping on the hatred for another team until he dies. Now all players have moved around so often that they do not know who they're supposed to hate anymore. One player can go from one rival to another and feel nothing but his or her wallet getting heavier.

Today, teams move around way too much. Think about the Giants and Dodgers. This was one of baseball's bloodiest rivalries, but now neither team really cares. Why? Because they moved away from the fans and away from each other. In New York, these team were right next to each other, but when they moved, the fans lost touch and the teams were too far away to really start anything. Too many teams are moving, therefore killing the rivalry. The Cincinnati Bengals and Cleveland Browns used to stage battles for Ohio all the time, but now that the Browns have left, the rivalry is dead.

Lack of talent or competition hurts as well. The Celtics used to be good, but now they can't even win enough to make the Lakers break a sweat. This rivalry was built on great players against great players, but who is great on either the Celtics or Lakers anymore? There is no more talent to compete. Even in college football this has become the norm. Florida State and Miami used to be a good game to watch. The score this year was 47-0 in favor of the Seminoles. Nebraska and Oklahoma also had epic battles, but now Oklahoma isn't a concern for the Huskers. There is no talent for those teams to compete with the big boys.

Granted, there are some rivalries left; the Chicago Bulls and New York Knicks always have great games during the regular season. The Colorado Avalanche and Detroit Red Wings have quickly become the most intense and heated rivalry in all of sports. No two teams try to hurt or kill each other better then the Avs and Wings. But besides these few examples, there are no great rivalries. That is what sports are lacking these days. A game between two teams that everyone would sit down and watch just to see two learn with a limb. But there are no great rivalries anymore. It is that simple.

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Second quarter GDP shows economy might be slowing down

Le Tien
Editor-in-Chief

The second quarter of 1997 showed signs of a slight downturn in the economy. Although the economy did grow, its increases were less than anticipated.

The real gross domestic product, or the output of goods and services produced by labor and property located in the United States, increased at an annual rate of 3.3 percent in the second quarter of 1997, according to revised estimates released by the Commerce Department's Bureau of Economic Analysis. In the first quarter, real GDP increased $58.0 billion in the first quarter, real GDP in the second quarter of 1997, according to the government, the lower increase as opposed to the first quarter is a result of lower personal consumption expenditures for goods and services produced by the labor and property supplied by U.S. residents, increased only 0.9 percent, which is a 1 percent decrease from its first quarter growth. The current dollar GDP, or the market value of the nation’s outputs and goods and services, increased 5.2 percent, which is a strong increase of $28.3 billion in the first quarter.

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The increase of 3.3 percent indicates a slow decline in the economy as the real GDP fell by 0.3 percent of the initial estimate of 3.6 percent. Reports indicate that the decline in the increase from the first quarter is a result of a downturn in personal consumption expenditures for goods and a decrease in inventory investment.

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