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Tuition increase won't stall layoffs, Wendler says

Wendler gaining feedback from parents, students, legislators

Molly Parker
Daily Egyptian

Chancellor Walter Wendler made a commitment Friday to clean up waste at all levels of the University to coincide with his proposal to raise tuition by 20 percent.

He said the tuition money would not necessarily prevent additional layoffs or be used to plug the budget shortfall.

Thirty Physical Plant employees have already been cut from the funding line and others have taken major pay reductions. At the college level, deans have proposed cutting employees and graduate assistantships to cough up their portion of the budget shortfall next year.

"I will be the first to admit to you that there is waste at the top of this organization," Wendler said at a press conference. "Layoffs are still a possibility because we need to tighten the belt."

The University will likely be down \$9.5 million in state appropriations next year. The tuition increase Wendler has proposed would generate about \$10 million. But he promised to give half of that back to students in the form of financial aid, scholarships and graduate assistantships. And \$1.5 million of the tuition increase would be earmarked for Illinois Board of Higher Education initiatives.

Wendler was adamant in saying his intent to increase tuition was not prompted by state cutbacks and said he would not balance the budget on the backs of students. In fact, the tuition increase would not generate enough money to cover the entire budget shortfall, Wendler said.

"If we had no budget cuts this year, I would be making a plan quite similar to this anyway," he said. "This is not a solution to all the budget problems."

A reduction in spending will likely come through additional layoffs and by not replacing retiring employees. He said the point of the increase was to allow SIUC more control over spending.

He also stressed again that it would be a mistake to cut any graduate assistantships. The deans proposed a plan to cut 100 graduate assistantships next year if funds stay stagnant.

Wendler said he wants to make tuition at SIUC more comparable to research institutions in Illinois, where it is currently at the bottom of the price list.

"Southern was the second jewel in the crown of the higher education constellation in the state of Illinois," Wendler said. "We can't say that anymore. I'm the chancellor of this University and I can say it, but the fact of the matter is I don't think we're there. And I don't like it."

While SIUC has a long-standing tradition of being affordable, Wendler said low tuition must not be a big attraction given the tuition drop this fall that was 954 students deep.

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Members of the Kappa Tetartion Colony of Phi Sigma Kappa (clockwise from top left) Bill Archer, Rob Saylor, Walter Verdict and Jon Windish pick up garbage March 25 at their Adopt-A-Spot on the Strip. The fraternity is re-seeking its charter after it was released in 1998.

Phi Sigma Kappa seeking its charter

Fraternity's mission: overhaul greek life

Ginny Skalski
Daily Egyptian

The men of the Kappa Tetartion Colony of Phi Sigma Kappa strive to live by the Golden Rule.

Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

They're a band of brothers looking to extinguish many of the fraternity stereotypes made famous by Hollywood and other fraternities.

So the 19-member colony is in the process of re-establishing Phi Sigma Kappa on the SIUC campus. Their goal is to create a fraternity that doesn't encompass the stereotypes of beer-guzzling, womanizing parties. Sure, they want to have fun, but having faith and a purpose, in many ways, outweighs that desire.

The colony was ordained in December and since then it has taken all the steps it

needs to return to the SIUC campus after a rocky departure in 1998. With Registered Student Organization status and colony papers in hand, Phi Sigma Kappa President Bill Archer and the other members are working to get the Kappa Tetartion Colony chartered.

"As far as I know we don't fall in any of the stereotypes of a fraternity," Archer said. "Some day we hope to compete for sports trophies and biggest house on campus but right now we're just working on recruiting good guys."

By December the organization hopes to receive its charter and with that begin an overhaul of SIUC's greek system. As the University's greek population percentage hangs in the single digits, Phi Sigma Kappa hopes its emphasis of academics and community improvement encourages more men to get involved.

"We are trying to attract people who put school first," said Rob Saylor, director of media relations for the fraternity. "We all maintain a great sense of closeness and we all have common goal to change greek life."

During the spring semester last year,

"As far as I know, we don't fall in any of the stereotypes of a fraternity."

Bill Archer
president, Phi Sigma Kappa

Archer was exposed to different aspects of greek life as the Undergraduate Student Government president. He took his plan to help re-establish Phi Sigma Kappa to Director of Student Development Katie Semersheim. Semersheim put him in contact with an alumnus from the fraternity.

Archer found other students interested in bringing back the fraternity, which released its charter with the University after suffering declining membership and debt in 1998. Together they worked through the summer out of Archer's living room rewriting the fraternity's constitution and by-laws and seeking RSO status.

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Plans for recreation trail south of Carbondale still up and running

Businesses, recreation enthusiasts say they would enjoy using the trail currently being planned

Ben Botkin
Daily Egyptian

Regardless of whether area residents are running for exercise or running a business, both groups are welcoming plans for a recreation trail in Jackson County.

The trail, which could be used for hiking, jogging and bicycle riding, would have economical and community benefits, said Loren Easter, a greenways and trails coordinator who works with the SIUC Office of Economic and Regional Development.

The SIUC office was contracted to work with a task force and conduct the trail's planning, which currently includes about 43 miles of trails connecting Carbondale, Murphysboro and Makanda. The communities would draw more business and tourism as well as bring community members together through recreation, Easter said.

Southern Illinois business owners and SIUC students alike are positive about the proposed trail.

Doug McDonald, the owner of Phoenix Cycles, said many of his cus-

tomers enjoy riding a nearby trail south of Carbondale that runs between Vienna and Tunnel Hill.

"Look at trails they've built anywhere," McDonald said. "They've brought nothing but money to the community. The trails are beneficial to everybody."

Bill Watts, who owns the Bike Surgeon Supercenter, said the addition of the proposed trail would be a benefit for his store.

"It would be a great improvement for local biking businesses," Watts said. "It would be a shame for it not to happen."

Bill Atkinson, a professor of physics, said he saw the benefits of trails when he lived in Florida. The

trails connected communities and improved safety, he said.

"I'm a big fan of bike trails," Atkinson said. "Biking on roads around here is really not safe. I'd be happy if there was a bike trail here."

Some landowners have expressed concern that the trail's path will cut through their property, but Easter said the task force is currently reviewing suggestions from landowners for alternate routes that avoid private grounds.

One SIUC student said she would be glad to see a trail, provided that the trail's path doesn't force private landowners to sell their property.

"If it doesn't interfere, I'll be all for it," said Robin Lewis, a junior in busi-

ness management from Auburn.

Chad Sussen, a senior in accounting from Champaign, said the trail would be a positive for Carbondale because it could be used for community events such as walks to raise money for cancer research.

"Trails have a way of improving communities by connecting schools and cities, Easter said.

"One of the ideals that's missing is something that can't be accounted for in dollars," he said. "Trails bring community members out to recreate and doing that helps bring the community together."

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Oprah declines Bush invite to Afghanistan

CHICAGO, Illinois - Oprah Winfrey turned down an invitation from President Bush to join a U.S. delegation to tour Afghanistan's schools, a spokeswoman for her company, Harpo Productions, said Friday.

The spokeswoman said the talk-show host respectfully declined because, "given her responsibilities to her show, she's not adding anything to her calendar."

The Chicago Tribune reported that, after Winfrey declined, the White House postponed the trip, which was to include such prominent women in the Bush administration as advisers Karen Hughes and Condoleezza Rice. But a senior administration official said the trip was postponed for security reasons, not because Winfrey declined.



Tornadoes tear through central Texas

THORNTON, Texas - At least five people were injured when tornadoes swept through central Texas Saturday evening, ripping roofs off homes and downing trees and power lines, officials said.

The National Weather Service said at least three tornadoes hit the area south of Fort Worth, part of a fast-moving storm system that was already gone hours later. In the small town of Thornton, about 35 miles east of Waco, 20 homes were totaled and other farm-related structures were destroyed, said Limestone County Sheriff Dennis D. Wilson.

The twister took down six towers of a high-line power line, causing at least \$1 million in damage and knocking out power to a number of homes, he said. Elsewhere, tractors and cattle trailers were turned over, he said.

Tornadoes also caused damage to Hico, about 60 miles southwest of Fort Worth, said Vescio. A tornado touched down in Ballinger, south of Abilene, destroying a house as it cut a mile-long swath through the town, said Sgt. Joe Stokes of the Runnels County Sheriff's Office.

"There were no injuries, just a lot of damage," he said, adding the storm took down power poles and trees before it cleared out. "A few stars were out a while ago," two tornadoes were sighted in Callahan County, just east of Abilene, but caused little damage, a county sheriff's dispatcher said.

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Four die in Taiwan earthquake

TAIPEI, Taiwan - A powerful earthquake rattled Taiwan on Sunday, starting fires, cracking walls and sending two high-rise construction cranes crashing to the ground, authorities said. Four people were killed and more than 200 others injured, most lightly.

The 6.8 magnitude quake was centered near Hualien, 108 miles east of Taipei, and lasted for nearly a minute, the Central Weather Bureau said.

In Taipei, buildings rocked back and forth, cracks appeared in walls and startled people ran from homes and churches. Sixteen reported several small fires. Four people were killed when two cranes fell from the 60th floor of a high-rise building under construction, police said. Police did not identify the four, but state radio said a crane operator and three other construction workers were killed. About 10 others were hurt by steel rods and other objects that rained down from the building site. One woman's hand was severed when part of a crane came crashing down on her car. Several other cars were wrecked by falling debris.

The building - the Taipei Financial Center - will be Taipei's tallest when completed, towering over 100 stories high. Rescue workers pulled out seven people, including three children, from an old four-story building in downtown Taipei that partially collapsed, tilting toward the street.

The government's Disaster Control Center said that some 213 people were injured across the island, but most of the injuries reported were minor.

Seismologists said the quake was relatively shallow com-



pared with most that hit Taiwan. It was felt throughout the island and was centered about six miles below ground.

More than 60 aftershocks were registered following the quake, including one with a magnitude of 4.7, seismologists said.

Commission guarantees 160 seats to women in Afghan assembly

A grand council on Afghanistan's future will have at least 160 women among its more than 1,500 members. The organizing commission says only six seats are guaranteed for Islamic scholars. The commission chairman says the country's former king, Mohammed Zahir Shah, will return from exile on April 16 to call the assembly into session. The organizing commission for the loya jirga announced procedures for the indirect election of selection of members of the assembly, and the guaranteed allocation of some seats among special groups - including women, Afghan refugees and academic and other institutions.

The loya jirga was envisioned under the agreement negotiated among Afghan factions in Bonn last December that established an interim government to succeed the Taliban. The six-month interim regime, under Hamid Karzai, is to give way to an 18-month transitional government appointed by the loya jirga. The loya jirga will then reconvene after 18 months to adopt a new Afghan constitution and procedures for electing a permanent government.

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Calendar

TODAY

Only public events affiliated with SIU are printed in the Daily Egyptian Calendar. The editors reserve the right not to print any submitted item. RSO and departmental events will be printed in the Daily Egyptian Online Calendar at www.dailyegyptian.com.

Calendar item deadline is two publication days before the event. The item must include time, date, place, admission and sponsor of the event and the name and phone of the person submitting the item.

Items should be delivered to Communications Building, Room 1247, or faxed to 453-6244. No calendar information will be taken over the phone.

Police Blotter

Carbondale

- Benjamin A. Powell, of Frankfort, was arrested and charged with underage possession of alcohol at 1:55 a.m. Friday on the 100 block of E. College St.
- An automobile was burglarized between 12:40 a.m. and 2 a.m. Saturday on the 700 block of E. Grand Ave. A backpack, textbook, cell phone, wallet, two sets of keys, credit cards and debit cards were reported stolen. Police have no suspects.

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- An unidentified male exposed himself around 6 p.m. Wednesday at Evergreen Terrace and ran from the area. Police are continuing the investigation.
- Video tapes, prescription medication and a gold ring were stolen between Jan. 14 and Feb. 12 from Neely Hall. Police have identified a suspect and are continuing the investigation.

Corrections

- Friday's story "Flying on the ground with new simulator," should have stated that the \$47,000 for new simulator was paid for with student fees.
- Friday's article, "Observers unified to sing Hare Krishna at festival," should have stated Hindu religion not Hindi religion. The Daily Egyptian regrets this error.
- Readers who spot an error in a news article should contact the Daily Egyptian Accuracy Desk at 536-3311 ext. 252.

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Electrical problem leads to transit car fire

Sara Hooker
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A new transit service driver had a rough night Thursday when the vehicle she was driving caught on fire while parked outside an apartment complex.

The SIU transit vehicle driven by Kellin Jordan caught fire at about 8:20 p.m. while parked at the Fields Apartments, 700 S. Lewis Lane, police said. No one was injured in the fire.

Jordan, an undecided Junior from Lynwood, said she first noticed a funny smell after dropping some passengers off on Park Street.

"I smelled something and it did not smell tight," Jordan said.

Jordan said she radioed in to tell dispatchers about the smell, but neither she nor the dispatcher thought much of it until the smoke started coming.

By the time she rounded the cul-de-sac at the Fields Apartments to drop off another passenger, Jordan said she noticed the smoke coming from the driver's side dash area.

"I pulled over to the side of the road and within two to three minutes the car was filled with thick, black smoke," Jordan said.

Robert Eads, travel service shop foreman, said Jordan called dispatch to tell them about the smoke and another driver of a handicapped transit vehicle happened to be in the area and heard the dispatch call.

The driver of the handicapped vehicle attempted to put the fire out to no avail with the required fire extinguisher carried in handicapped transit vehicles, Eads said.

After seeing the first flames, Jordan said she radioed back and told headquarters to call the police. The other driver had initially opened the doors to the car in an attempt to locate the problem and air out the smoke, but Jordan said when the flames started, the open doors caused the fire to spread quickly.

"There was maybe two minutes between the time we saw the first flame until the entire car went up," Jordan said.



DAILY EGYPTIAN PHOTO — LISA SONNENSCHEIN

SIU transit vehicle, driven by Kellin Jordan, caught on fire while parked outside the Fields Apartments. Jordan parked the car and called dispatchers when she noticed smoke. No one was injured in the fire.

Jordan, who had just started with transit service, had only been working for about a week as a dispatcher and was driving for the first time Thursday evening.

Eads believes the fire to be electrical, stemming from a short in a headlight switch, which "is not a real uncommon thing," he said. A mechanic and firefighters on the scene also said the nature of the fire looked like an electrical problem, Eads said.

"An electrical fire, once they get started, they're pretty hard to control," Eads said.

As for the vehicle, Jordan said all that was left "was the frame and tires — maybe a back window."

Jordan said another transit service car was out of commission last week with headlight problems and she was disappointed that this situation ever occurred.

"Honestly, the idea that the car wasn't safe kind of bothered me," Jordan said.

Transit services was forced to run with only four cars during the weekend until the shop is able to replace the damaged car,

which is expected to happen today, Eads said.

Although no one was injured, Jordan said she doesn't plan on getting behind the wheel in the next few days.

"I won't be driving anytime soon — not in the next couple of weeks anyway," Jordan said.

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Fee discussion stuck in limbo

USG will revisit fees, GPSC won't

Jane Hub
Daily Egyptian

The commotion surrounding Chancellor Walter Wendler's 20 percent tuition hike proposal has caused the Undergraduate Student Government to temporarily halt discussions on fee increases.

The Graduate and Professional Student Council, however, has approved all seven fee increases and plans to stick by their decisions.

USG wants to wait and get a better glimpse of the tuition hike proposal before making any further decisions on fee increases. So far, USG has voted in favor of the \$20 Student Health Service fee increase and disapproved the \$5 Student Athletic fee. However, there is a possibility that USG will reverse their original votes on those fee increases, said USG President Michael Perry.

"We will revisit the already voted fees," he said adding that the tuition proposals has had a "serious impact" on USG's fee discussions.

In contrast, GPSC voted in favor of all seven fee increases and will stick with their decision.

GPSC President Scott Henne said the fees are important enough to stand on its own merits and should not be affected by the ongoing tuition proposals.

For example, Henne said the recent appearance of the SIU men's basketball team in the NCAA tournament has enriched the close-knit relationship between the campus and the community. Supporting the athletic fee will help the department improve upon the quality of SIU's sport teams and by extension, support the community of Carbondale.

"We got the impression that the [Athletic Department] explained where the fees would go toward and how it would benefit the students," Henne said.

On Wednesday, USG will review the tuition proposal further and address the progress of fee discussions.

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Lighter side of politics

Former Federal District Court Judge comes to Carbondale

Mark Lambird
Daily Egyptian

Public service is a way of life that calls for seriousness and dedication, but for Judge William L. Hungate, it was fun too.

The Public Policy Institute will bring Hungate to the SIU Lesar Law School Auditorium Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m. He will present a lecture on the lighter side of politics and public service.

Hungate is a former U.S. Representative from Missouri and also served as a Federal District Court Judge until he retired in 1992. He is well-known for serving on the U.S. House committee that investigated President Richard Nixon during the Watergate scandal.

Born in Benton during December 1922, Hungate moved to Bowling Green, Mo. when he was seven. He received his first bachelor's degree from the University of Missouri in 1943 and married his wife, Dorothy, a year later.

He prolonged his education and served in World War II as a rifleman in the Army's 95th Infantry Division in which he received a Bronze Star. He then continued his education at Harvard Law School and after graduation, formed a law firm in Troy, Mo. that lasted from 1948 to 1951.

He gained a nomination for prosecuting attorney in 1951 and ran unopposed. He served that position until 1956.

Two years later, he obtained the position of special assistant attorney general of

Missouri which he served until 1964 when he was elected as a representative of Missouri's ninth district from 1964 to 1977.

While in Congress, Hungate served on the House Judiciary Committee that examined the President Nixon scandal after individuals associated with the president broke into the Democratic National Headquarters located in the Watergate Hotel in Washington, D.C. Nixon resigned before the committee could make recommendations about whether he should be impeached.

Hungate then served as a visiting professor for University of Missouri St. Louis until he was appointed as a federal judge in 1979.

Hungate has also dabbled in publishing. He is the author of the books "It Wasn't Funny at the Time" and "Glimpse of Politics," both books tell tales of his time in Congress, on the bench and in the Army. Hungate uses humor in his discussions of politics and often pokes fun at himself.

Paul Simon, director of the Public Policy Institute and former U.S. Senator, said he met

Hungate in 1973 while in service as a U.S. Representative. He said Hungate was asked to present a lecture because of his outstanding record of service and his sense of humor.

"He was on Johnny Carson a few times," Simon said. "But along with the humor he can get across a message."

Simon said the message that Hungate has shows people that public service is more than something that has to be done.

"If people look at public service as something they have to do they will hate it," Simon said. "Hungate has a message that it is also enjoyable to serve."

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NEWS BRIEFS

ON CAMPUS

U.S. Patent and Trademark representative to visit Law School

John Love, who works with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, will be a guest lecturer on Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. at the Lesar Law Building auditorium.

Love oversees the office's division that deals with software and business methods patents. The lecture will address how SIUC can use its research programs to increase profits.

For more information, contact Peter Olson at 536-7711.

Sociology offers free pie

Students in the Department of Sociology can have free pizza today at 6:30 p.m. at Italian Village, 405 S. Washington St.

All undergraduates majoring in sociology are welcomed to attend. Door prizes will be available. Sociology faculty, graduate students and undergraduates from other majors will be in attendance.

For more information, the Department of Sociology can be reached at 453-2494.

More than just Easter eggs

Community experiences meaning of holiday at diversity dinner

Story by Samantha Edmondson

Photos by Alex Haglund



Friends of the Interfaith Center, students, and people just wanting to celebrate Easter with a warm meal sit down for a multi-ethnic feast on Sunday evening. The recipes came from all over the world, but the food was home cooked for the guests of the Interfaith Center's Easter dinner.

Nick Mann was five years old when he last rushed past a crowd of competitive children to find Easter eggs in the holiday tradition. But on Sunday evening, the sophomore in theater from Hazelcrest got to revisit his childhood while searching for plastic eggs filled with candy and thought provoking messages.

The cooperative Easter Egg hunt initiated the diversity dinner Sunday evening at the Interfaith Center. More than 30 local churches had Easter services Sunday discussing a variety of biblical stories of resurrection, new life and harmony. But the Interfaith Center wanted people of all religious faiths and ethnic backgrounds to experience the meaning of Easter together.

Hugh Muldoon, director of the Interfaith Center and University Christian Ministries, said Easter is about experiencing our unity.

He said the Interfaith Center had Easter services on group reflection of what it means to experience new life, in part of the celebration of the resurrection of Jesus. He said because there is so many services around Carbondale he does not have big services at the Interfaith Center.

"We want people to take full advantage of the music and symbols that are employed by these other church services; we can't replicate that here," Muldoon said. "We are not going to go into the theology or the meaning of resurrection, but we

are going to try and experience that around the table, around the meal," Muldoon said.

As the people gathered around the table with others of different backgrounds, the food for the dinner was equally as diverse. Demikkia Dixon, a senior in social work from Chicago, organized the menu for the diversity dinner. Creole, Vegan, Ethiopian, Italian and German dishes were just a few of the samples on the diversity dinner smorgasbord.

Dixon selected the food offered by the Interfaith Center from an ethnic dish website, allowing the guests to experience a variety of cultures.

"I hope the students gained some kind of appreciation for different ethnic groups by getting together," Dixon said. "Being that it is Easter Sunday, just adds on to it and makes it even better."

Dixon, a resident adviser in Allen Hall, turned her preparation for the Diversity Dinner into a program for her floor, asking students such as Mann to come to the event.

Of the about 45 people who came to the dinner, some international students came to learn about other religions as well as experience different ethnic foods.

Keao Apaibanditkul, a doctoral student in speech communication, has spent nearly three years working on her degree away from her home in Bangkok, Thailand. Even though she is Buddhist, she visited local

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director, Interfaith Center

Christian churches to experience their styles of faith.

She visited a local Lutheran church's Easter service Sunday morning, and said the event is important for international students to learn the culture from a natural side.

"In our own country, we may have Christian people there, but we do not know exactly how the American people celebrate," Apaibanditkul said. "So it is good for us to come and see it with our own eyes."

She said this event is important to her because it draws people from different cultures into an informal setting. Students typically just study and go to class, not knowing the people in their classes.

"But, here we come and learn about the lives of people here," Apaibanditkul said.

Apaibanditkul was excited to meet new people at the diversity dinner, fulfilling Muldoon's wishes of interaction among the guests. He hoped the guests at each table would introduce themselves, tell others what they did for Easter and talk about what the day means to them.

"If they are religious people and draw from power and vitality in religious symbols, more power to



The fruits of an Easter egg hunt in the garden of the Interfaith Center are displayed proudly. Forty eggs were hidden for the Easter celebration, and as part of the cooperative hunt, everyone got an egg in the end, each with a message and a piece of chocolate inside.

them," Muldoon said. "But if they are just natural folks, they can look around and see spring time coming and draw on that."

Muldoon said the meal is a symbol of renewal. After taking in the life giving energy in food, it is transformed in our lives for the world, each other and in the capacities to love and work for justice.

He said a lot of people get their experiences of feeling good and renewed around the holidays or special holy times in life. But he said this type of gathering at the Interfaith Center is what people need to do first.

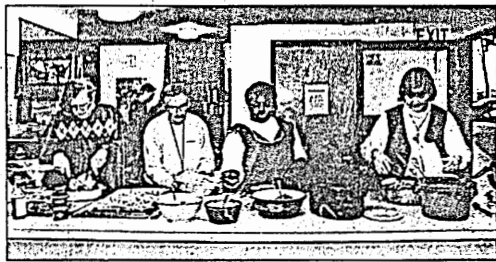
"I think you can experience that by sitting down across the table with someone from another culture or country and share your humanity, share the same food," Muldoon said.

"Then you get a sense of their hope for this new Easter, there is possibility, and we need to be reminded of that."

Mann said he always thought of Easter as a rebirth. He doesn't usually practice religion, because he said certain beliefs have their discriminations and prejudices against certain people and practices. But, he believes that religion is supposed to be about people coming together and receiving love.

"But here people are coming in, Christians, Catholics, Muslims, Hindu, Judaism, Buddhism, and it's bringing all those people together," Mann said.

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Volunteers prepare and bring out food during the Interfaith Center's Easter dinner and celebration. There was enough food for everyone present, and in addition to fairly typical Easter choices like a carved ham, there were also more international selections.



Not Again: A man was struck by a car when crossing on foot just west of the intersection of Main and Wall streets Saturday afternoon. Ambulance and police responded as witnesses stood close by. He was taken to Carbondale Memorial Hospital and his condition is unknown.

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OUR WORD

You go, students

Pick up a copy of the DAILY EGYPTIAN on any given day, and bad news will stare you in the eye with the latest tragedy or mishap. The police blotter daily reflects our students' worse moments: sexual assault, thefts, public urination. The paper even receives criticism on particularly heavy news weeks when it seems that bad is running rampant.

"Why can't you write more positive pieces?" some readers ask.

Well, the simple answer is that a newspaper reflects its community. The positive stories come from the positive things that community members and students are involved in.

We reporters may enjoy the thrill of hunting down corruption or jumping over yellow tape to report an accident. But we still grieve when the victims or the perpetrators are our fellow community members and SIUC students.

And the truth is that if you pick up the DAILY EGYPTIAN on any given day, you will find that the positive stories outweigh the negative. Certainly the shootings and the rapes, the scandals and administrative bickering, make for the splashy headlines.

But most days, you do not have to look further than page one to read about SIUC students such as Muslim pilot Omar Baig, undeterred in his dream of flight by the racial suspicion left over from Sept. 11.

Last week, our readers learned about students abandoning their comfy dorms to sleep in makeshift cardboard tents to better understand homelessness. Though temperatures dropped below freezing, 30 students stuck it out all night in "Shanty Town."

Those from the religious student organization the Wesley Foundation and other students livid by the homes of migrant farm workers at the Cobden migrant camp. The meager allowance provided by the state leaves little room for home improvements to the tiny, cement dwellings. Students' free labor often means that the families who live there for the season are guaranteed spring-cleaned apartments with fresh coats of paint.

Student activists are always busy in public affairs, such as Rob Taylor, who is lobbying to change the City Council election from at-large bids to a ward system. Taylor is also challenging the city's encroachment ordinance, which he believes infringes upon his and every other student's civil liberties.

Fraternity and sorority members are always participating by cleaning up highways, building homes for Habitat for Humanity or feeding the homeless through food drives.

Every semester, the Daily Egyptian reports on several outstanding students and faculty members who beat incredible odds to achieve incredible goals.

In nearly every paper, students and professors are seen sampling

and creating culture. From art shows to making music to performance in plays, they make us cry, laugh, learn and better understand our world and appreciate it.

On any given day, you will find that the positive stories outweigh the negative

There's an old journalistic saying that goes, "If it bleeds, it leads." This is true for every paper in every community. Of course, it is our duty to let you know all the bad stuff going down, because citizens in a democracy cannot change things for the better if they do not know what is going on.

However, another less glamorous, but just as important function of the newspaper is to illuminate the good that is happening and to inform others of events they can attend to make the community stronger or their lives better.

We encourage all to experience the fulfillment that community service and volunteerism bring to your life as a student.

As you explore your own unique ways to bridge culture, reach out to your fellow human, achieve academic excellence and participate in government in your college years, be sure to let us know about it.

The Daily Egyptian is proud of what you do, and prouder still that we can report it to the community so that it too can share in that pride.



GUEST COLUMNIST

America: We're only as great as the sum of our goods

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I enjoy reading the DAILY EGYPTIAN. It is an informative newspaper. But here lately, I have been reading in the Op-Ed section the same letters and columns about racism over and over again. Ladies and gentlemen, racism has been with us from the beginning of time. It will never be completely eliminated. Racism is a worldwide problem and it is still going on today all over the world. It is wrong and we can all agree to that, but we live in a country with many problems that must be worked on. Ultimately, it will take time to solve those problems, primarily through education which is the best tool.

People from all over the world have problems. We have problems in our personal life, but we learn to cope with it. People must learn to teach future generations how not to repeat past issues. We live in a country where people come here for one reason or another, such as the Jewish people who came to America to avoid total genocide because of prejudice. Cuban refugees came to America to better themselves and to escape a dictatorial government. We have a democracy that other countries try to imitate, and we have a constitution which I am glad our country has. There are those people who would like to destroy our country because they are jealous of what we have. Many people worldwide live in societies where they do not have the freedoms that we have.

But in all free societies, if certain attitudes do not change, the society as a whole

will fall. America may be on its way down. So people, the statement: "United we stand. Divided we fall," I think speaks for itself. We must learn how to work together. Things have happened to other cultures; the Europeans who had to leave England because of religious persecution; the American Indians whose land was taken away from them; blacks who were enslaved when the practice was brought to the New World before America came to be (though when the United States was finally established, slavery should have been abolished sooner than it was).

How about the Japanese who were put in concentration camps right here in America during World War II? Much of the western states at one time belonged to Mexico. Have the Mexican people, and for that matter other Hispanic groups, suffered great injustices? Women and people with disabilities have also had to fight for their equality. Yet, despite our problems, this country is truly a "melting pot," one of the factors that makes us a great superpower. So when you receive your college degree, a good thing to do might be to join the Peace Corps and travel abroad. Much help is needed in other countries, of course. But you will also see what people in other countries do not have, and it may help you appreciate what you have in America.

(Racism) will never completely be eliminated.

David is a resident of Carbondale. His views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"You can have brilliant ideas, but if you can't get them across, your ideas won't get you anywhere."

Lee Iacocca

WORDS OVERHEARD

"If anything else, it raises awareness for homelessness."

one of the many participants of last Saturday's event for the homeless, when students spent the night outside of Mae Smith Tower in makeshift cardboard boxes

Karl Kinsall

COLUMNISTS

End segregated parking on campus

After circling through the double-decker parking lot adjacent to Faneer, I screamed. Here it was 12:40 p.m., I had been here since 12:30 p.m., and still no space. I had a 1:00 p.m. class with an instructor who doesn't tolerate students being one minute late. What would I do? Students were like vultures waiting for someone to exit their parking spaces. Yet, below us in the lower deck there were empty spaces that were prohibited to students. In my frustration, I drove to the parking lot across from the Student Center, guess what I faced: the same crisis. Now it's 12:50 p.m. I'm starting to panic. There isn't a space and I can't get out. There is a long line of cars blocking me in a frantic search to find a space. We are nervously gazing at our watches since it's now 12:54 p.m.

All kinds of thoughts are entering my mind; should I skip class? Should I risk getting a ticket? Maybe I should've taken the bus, but no I can't. I've got 10 things to do after class, the bus would've taken me forever. I finally get out of the lot, but it's now 12:57 p.m. I know I won't make it. I glance across the street — everything is filled. I decided to skip class. I don't want to face

It's not just a parking issue, it's a second-class citizenship issue

the humiliation of being reprimanded and forced to leave class for arriving at 1:02 p.m. As I pass the lower deck to go home, I notice those empty spaces — the privileged blue spaces — that I'm not permitted to park in. Later, I learn there was a pop quiz in class and there isn't a chance for a make-up. SIUC students who drive have all experienced this scenario. There is a parking problem at SIUC.

I discussed my frustrations with Brian Mager, administrator of parking enforcement. I found Mr. Mager to be sensitive to the parking problems on campus and willing to discuss them. Mr. Mager admitted there wasn't ever going to be a perfect solution that would make everyone happy. He acknowledged that there is a parking problem here on campus. He calls it a "convenient parking problem." I think it's more of the students being treated as second-class citizens. Students are not allowed to purchase blue decals, therefore the parking remains segregated. It is true that staff and faculty pay twice the amount students pay for red decals, however, students are not given an opportunity to purchase blue decals at the higher cost.

Next, the real issue is with the University's effort to retain students at SIUC. It would seem there would be a serious effort made to make parking friendlier and less punitive. It is impera-

Raising Eyebrows

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tive that those who are in positions of authority making key decisions regarding parking to rethink their policies.

Some measures Mr. Mager and I discussed would be helpful, such as employing a shuttle service to transport students, and spreading some class out to after 4 p.m. when parking availability is more accessible. Additionally, we as students also have options. There is the Saluki Express — which by the way we are already paying for, whether we use it or not.

As students, you have rights and a voice. There are avenues in which you can be heard, such as through the Graduate Association or Undergraduate Student Association. There are meetings with various committees that handle these matters. The current parking policies were approved by the Traffic and Parking Committee and forwarded to the vice chancellor for approval. If you are disturbed about parking here on campus: get involved. Attend the next Traffic and Parking Committee, state your grievances and make suggestions.

We are not merely spectators here, this is our University too. We need to ask questions, such as what is done with all the revenue that is generated from parking tickets? How many tickets are issued to faculty and visitors? Payment of parking tickets is almost guaranteed if you're a student. If you haven't paid them and you receive financial aid, that money will be deducted or you will be denied your transcripts. Since we are all being encouraged to be critical thinkers by our instructors, we should analyze the real reason why more parking spaces are unavailable. Is it to compel students to park illegally and therefore generate revenue for the University?

Additionally, if you are given a ticket, you can and should appeal if you feel that it was given without cause. As a student, I resent not being able to park in blue spaces while faculty can park in red or blue spaces. Color-coded signs may seem insignificant or trivial but when a grade is contingent upon whether you are tardy or punctual, those things can be crucial. Again, it's not just a parking issue, it's a second-class citizenship issue.

Raising Eyebrows appears on Monday. Lenie is a sophomore in social work. Her views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.

Racial profiling is not a supportable answer



Tales From Oz

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My 18-year-old niece got her tongue pierced this past week. I guess it's the thing to do for young people, personally I think it's silly. She told me ahead of time she was having it done, and she planned it so she would be back on solid food before Friday night — pizza and movie night at la casa del Oz. I had honestly forgotten about her plans, and fixed pork adobo for dinner the evening she got spiked. Adobo is a big hit at our house, and my niece was unhappy I chose that night to prepare it. I think she thought I did it to torment her. Absurd; pork adobo is one of my wife's favorites, and I was in the mood for some myself. OK, fixing taco salads the next night was deliberately onerous on my part.

They're also a family favorite, especially for my niece. While the rest of us were noshing on shells filled with meat, beans, lettuce, cheese, salsa and guacamole, she was enjoying a nice bowl of Jello and a cup of chicken broth. But she went into her little act of "body enhancement" with her eyes wide open. I think she figured two days on a clear liquid diet would be no problem. She was, to say the least, naïve. Naïveté is expected, and in some ways attractive in teenagers. The kind of puppy-cute thing that brings a smile to the face. It's a lot less attractive in the general manager of a television station, especially when he advocates racial profiling, however reluctantly. I don't have time to watch much television, but I do try to catch the 10 p.m. news and David Letterman on a regular basis.

Mike Smythe, general manager of KFSW 12, followed the news with an editorial Wednesday. He began by relating the experience of his elderly mother who was randomly selected for a thorough search at an airport. Her bag was unpacked and searched and she was frisked. Mr. Smythe was apparently unhappy his mother was subjected to this treatment, and told of a similar incident involving an infant. He contended 83-year-old women and infants were unlikely to be smuggling weapons or bombs. He suggested that racial profiling was needed when selecting passengers for thorough searches. He calls it "the next step with airline searches."

How naï-e! Such profiling might have stopped some of the hijackers on Sept. 11,

but what about Richard C. Reid? Reid was the Briton-turned-radical-Muslim who made headlines in December when he was caught trying to light fuses in his shoes during a flight from Paris to Miami. He looked purely European. And he knew that authorities ignored searching the shoes of passengers. And what about Kim Washington? Washington, 38, pled guilty in January to smuggling heroin from Panama on two separate occasions. According to the story in the Chicago Tribune, Washington admitted using her baby as a cover while smuggling. Washington is hardly an anomaly, either.

In the past year, there have been several reports in newspapers around the country about smugglers using babies as cover while smuggling drugs in cans of formula. In many cases, the babies were "rented" expressly for that purpose — the parents would receive money and/or drugs for the use of their child. It makes sense in a perverse way: people with babes in arms often receive deferential treatment. Racial profiling is an ugly, hateful practice. It only serves to harass the innocent based on artificial criteria. Moreover, it's not likely to work. The people who would commit such horrific acts are not stupid. They undoubtedly watch the news and read newspapers. They did their homework before Sept. 11, and they'll do it before the next time they strike.

To think that they might not recruit an elderly person or rent an infant as ploy to pass a security checkpoint is the height of naïveté. After all, it would be a logical next step for them.

Tales From Oz appears on Monday. David is a senior in journalism. His views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN. To read more of David's work, go to <http://www.talesfromoz.com>.

LETTERS

We're proud of our Salukis

DEAR EDITOR:
I am writing today to express my gratitude to a fine young group of gentlemen and their leader, Coach Bruce Weber. Your team has brought nothing but pride in every alumni and Saluki fan nationwide. Thanks, guys, on a great season!!!!

David Simmons
SIUC alumna, St. Louis

Whiny liberals just can't stand being wrong

DEAR EDITOR:
Finally, a strong conservative voice was invited to our campus, yet, Ann Coulter was quickly berated by "open minded" liberals on before she even spoke. I am not at all surprised that an "open minded" liberal like Andrew S. Jackson would call her a "bimbo husband" on the opinion page.

I love the double standards. I am sure if Ann Coulter were a liberal feminist she would be portrayed as a courageous champion of women's rights. However, she is a conservative. A conservative who opts not to limit herself to the narrow scope of women's rights, but rather the state of politics in this wonderful republic and. A conservative who served as an attorney for the U.S. Dept. of Justice, is a former practicing lawyer, a former clerk for the 8th district

court of appeals, a best-selling author and a nationally syndicated columnist.

And, if anyone would read Ann Coulter's columns, they would realize she writes on current political issues, which would not include Bill Clinton over the last 12 months. Hopefully, Ann Coulter's lecture will open the door for more conservative voices at SIUC, like Cal Thomas or Bill Crystal. I would encourage all so-called "open-minded" liberals to get together enough fortitude to hear a contrary opinion for once. God knows conservatives have to do this on a daily basis at SIUC.

Steven Best
junior, radio/television

Homosexuals can also make for good parents

DEAR EDITOR:
In response to the guest column, "Who will happen to Rosie's kids?" from the March 26 paper, the author, William Maier, stated that "fathers tend to stress competition, challenge, initiative and risk-taking; mothers stress emotional security and personal safety. By nature, same-sex couples are unable to provide one-half of this equation."

I am utterly insulted by this assumption that same-sex couples cannot provide both roles of parenting. As co-director of the Saluki Rainbow

Network, I assure you that I know all about competition, challenge, initiative and risk-taking, and at the same time, I am a very loving, caring person and would definitely be able to stress emotional security and personal safety.

Also, Mr. Maier's assertion that children who are raised by homosexuals are "at greater risk of losing a parent to AIDS, substance abuse or suicide." It is true that substance abuse and suicide are problems for some homosexuals, but they occur most often among people in their teens to mid-20s. Most likely these aren't the people trying to adopt children, and if they were, they would probably be filtered out of the extensive screening process the adopters must go through.

Finally, the belief that children raised by same-sex couples may end up "unfortunate victims of a failed social experiment" is completely outrageous. Same-sex couples can raise a child just as well as a straight couple. These couples must be fit to be parents if they are awarded an opportunity to raise a child, unlike straight couples who can accidentally get pregnant and raise an unwanted child in a bad environment.

Despite my beliefs, I would hope that anyone could see that a child having homosexual parents is better off than a child with no parents.

Mike Gary
junior, radio/television

Ann Coulter is certainly no

voice of reason

DEAR EDITOR:
It seems bizarre that a campus RSO would invite a blatant racist such as Ann Coulter to speak here. While I encourage constitutionally protected rights of assembly and free speech, it remains that an informed public will be the best judge of her character and politics. In her column on Sept. 13, 2001 published online by the National Review, she stated in regard to Muslim states, and I quote: "We should invade their countries, kill their leaders and convert them to Christianity. We weren't punctious about locating and punishing only Hitler and his top officers. We carpet-bombed German cities; we killed civilians. That's war. And this is war." Sound strange? Check it for yourself.

These are not the words of a tolerant and peace-loving person, but of a narrow-minded bigot seeking violent and simplistic solutions to complex global issues. Particularly where histories of domination and politics of oppression have as much of a bearing as do charges of fanaticism and anti-American sentiment. While she has the right to speak as she wishes, we also have the right to point out her own history of intolerance and prejudice.

Keith Pruffer
graduate student, anthropology

READER COMMENTARY

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Ready to dance



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From right to left, Megha Patel, Jaya Vishwanathan, Divya Kumar and Radha Jeyratnam pass time outside of the Carbondale Civic Center ballroom Saturday night during the Indian Student Association's annual India Night celebration. The four traditionally dressed girls performed the Indian folk dance "Mitwa" for a packed house that was also treated to authentic Indian food and live music.

U.N.-sponsored commission to include women in Afghan council of elders

Council to determine fate of Afghan interim chairman

By Michael Zielenziger
Knight Ridder Newspapers

KABUL, Afghanistan - In a major step toward fashioning a diverse and democratic government in a country torn by ethnic warfare, a U.N.-sponsored commission pledged Sunday to include at least 160 women in an emergency council of elders that will convene June 10 to choose Afghanistan's next leaders.

The loya jirga, or "grand assembly," a traditional Afghan congress, would decide whether interim chairman Hamid Karzai retains power for two more years or is replaced. The council is part of an agreement brokered by the United Nations last December to rebuild the country after the fall of the fundamentalist Taliban regime.

For five years under the Taliban's fundamentalist rule, women were not allowed to work, go to school or even appear in public without covering their faces. Government service was unthinkable.

But the 21-member committee writing the rules for the loya jirga demanded diverse representation. Some Afghans have complained that Karzai's government contained too many representatives of the Northern Alliance, which helped the United States oust the Taliban.

Local voters will choose 1,051 delegates in the weeks leading to the six-day council, which will choose leaders to serve a two-year term until national elections are held.

Some 400 additional seats will be allocated to women, nomads, clergymen and Afghan refugees living in Iran, Pakistan and other countries. Intellectuals, academics, artists, traders and journalists will also be assigned seats, as will representatives of the tiny Sikh and Indian communities.

"We intend to establish a government that would be really broad-based and fully representative," commission chairman Ismail Qasimyar said in a presentation that was recorded by giant, 1960s-era TV cameras for future broadcast on Afghan radio

and TV. "We have done it without fear and without feeling any pressure from anyone."

"Especially significant is the number of women who will be represented," he said.

The commission declared that anyone linked to terrorist groups, narcotics trafficking or human rights abuses would be barred from serving on the council, which will be called to order by the exiled king, Mohammed Zahir Shah. Commissioners said Taliban supporters who had not committed crimes were welcome to serve.

Officials said that after 29 years in exile, the former king would fly home April 16 from Rome, after a special security detail of Afghan troops is trained to protect him. His return to the capital of Kabul was delayed last month by fears of an assassination attempt.

While commissioners expressed optimism that the selection process would create a broad-based congress that might speed national reconciliation, they acknowledged that some local elections may have to be moved to safer environments because much of the nation remains lawless.

If a warlord bearing automatic weapons tries to intimidate voters in a local precinct, "first we'll try to move the election, but if we can't do that, we'll simply select the delegates ourselves," Qasimyar said.

"No, it wouldn't be 100 percent democratic," said the former Afghan Supreme Court judge, "but it will prevent pressure and coercion. What other choice do we have?"

Members of the commission, as well as U.N. advisers helping to coordinate its work, were disappointed last week when the U.N. Security Council refused to expand the scope of the 4,500-member international peacekeeping force that now operates only in Kabul.

The United States, in particular, has opposed deploying foreign troops to other cities, suggesting that Afghan's interim government might train its own national army.

But U.N. officials worry that continued lawlessness could derail the selection process and ultimately undermine the international community's financial support, which is aimed at creating a stable central government for the first time in 23 years.



DAILY EGYPTIAN PHOTO - ALEX HAGLUND

Young Saluki baseball fans have some fun playing around on the stage of the Carbondale Civic Center while their parents chow down on fish at Friday's SIU baseball fish fry and sports memorabilia auction.

TUITION

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Wendler proposed his tuition plan at Wednesday's Undergraduate Student Government meeting. It stands to increase tuition by 20 percent next year followed by 15 percent the following three years. It would replace a more modest plan already approved by the Board of Trustees.

The plan is flexible and Wendler said he took it to the students and the public because he wanted to receive feedback.

He said he would be looking at other options, but will definitely bring a proposal to the board much larger than the one already in place. The tuition increase will be an informational item at April's board meeting. The board will vote on an increase at its May meeting. The current tuition plan would raise tuition 5 percent in the fall, followed by a 6 and 7 percent increase the following two years.

"I think we're running on fumes," he said.

"I will be the first to admit that there is waste at the top of this organization"

Walter Wendler
chancellor, SIU

Several area legislators expressed concern that a large tuition increase could cripple SIUC's image of being an affordable school. Wendler said he plans to meet with local decision-makers in the near future to receive additional feedback. Besides first presenting the proposal to USG, Wendler said he has spent time in the Student Center gathering feedback from students. Wendler will revisit the tuition increase with USG at Wednesday's meeting. The Faculty Association is also expected to be present at this meeting.

"My approach to this is openness," he said.

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Eating out can be a healthy choice, too

By Lisa Liddane
The Orange County Register

You're at a restaurant perusing the menu. Oh, the mouthwatering choices. Is this a time to abandon healthy habits?

Not necessarily, say dietitians and some restaurateurs.

We have more healthy and delicious choices in restaurant food than in previous years, said Anita Jones, director of Healthy Dining, a Southern California team of nutrition professionals that works with restaurants to develop healthier items.

The tricky part is how to find them. It takes a combination of knowing what to look for and asking the right questions, said Gail Frank, spokeswoman for the American Dietetic Association in Orange County, Calif.

We're eating out more often than ever as a nation, according to the National Restaurant Association. The average adult eats out four times a week. On an average day, 21 percent of U.S. households use some form of takeout or delivery.

That's far from an insignificant chunk of our weekly nutrition. Here's a guide to making healthier decisions at restaurants:

— Know what portion sizes look like. The American Dietetic Association provides these visual clues: Three ounces of meat, poultry, or fish are about the size of a deck of playing cards or the palm of a woman's hand. A computer mouse is the size of one

serving of meat, fish or poultry. One-half cup of cut fruit or vegetables, pasta or rice is about the size of a small fist. One cup of milk, yogurt or chopped fresh greens is about the size of a small hand holding a tennis ball. One ounce of cheese is about the size of your thumb.

— Call a day or two ahead if you are eating at a moderately priced or expensive restaurant and ask to speak to the chef, said David Wilhelm, president of Culinary Adventures, a collection of upscale restaurants in Orange County.

— Explain your dietary needs. This gives the chef time to think about how to make a healthy alternative delicious. When the kitchen is busiest, such as Friday and Saturday nights, it can be difficult to be creative on the fly. Giving the chef time to prepare enables him or her to accept a culinary challenge.

— Know which ingredients are likely to be higher in fat: butter, cheese, oil and fatty cuts of meat.

— Don't automatically reach for the bread or chips. Choose your calories. If you eat bread, eat it dry or dip it lightly in balsamic vinegar and a little olive oil instead of butter.

— Get the portion that you will eat, put it on your plate and ask the server to take away the basket or plate to prevent you from mindless munching.

— Cut back on calorie-laden beverages such as regular soda and alcoholic drinks, especially if refills are free. These are empty calories.

— Ask your server for details on how the food is prepared. Is it sautéed in

butter? After steaming, is a coating of oil added? If the server does not know, ask him to find out from the chef.

— Select soups that are not cream-based. Soups with cream have higher calories than clear-broth-type of soups.

— Choose one or two appetizers and make these your meal. Order a small salad to get your serving of vegetables and combine this with an appetizer.

— Ask for food to be prepared dry, meaning no oil, butter, special dressing or sauce. This usually can be done with stir-fried and grilled dishes. Be prepared to find that sometimes, the food may not taste as flavorful or juicy as food prepared with these fat-laden ingredients.

— Ask for sauces and dressings on the side. This means in a separate container, not placed on the side of plate where it might flow into the food.

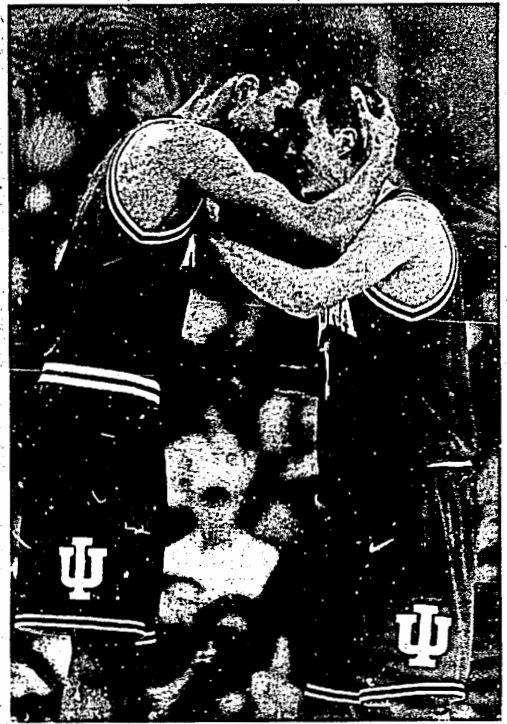
— Dip your food into the dressing or sauce so you can control the amount of dressing you're eating.

— Ask the server if low-fat, nonfat or low-calorie dressing is available, if it's not on the menu.

— Instead of french fries, order steamed veggies or fresh fruit or a baked potato with chives or salsa, but no butter.

— Choose tomato-based rather than cream-based pasta dishes. Tomato-based sauces are not only lower in fat, they also can serve as part of a vegetable serving.

— Split a large entree with your dining companion. This allows you to enjoy the dish without being tempted to eat the whole thing.



KRT PHOTO/CHARLOTTE OBSERVER - PATRICK SCHNEIDER
Indiana's Jared Jeffries, left, and Dane Fife celebrate the Hoosiers' 73-64 victory over the Sooners in the NCAA Championship semifinal game at the Georgia Dome in Atlanta Saturday.

CHARTER

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Archer said the initial interest in the fraternity was low so he and the other members began recruiting members more actively. They sought out men who shared their desire of establishing a fraternity that is academic and community oriented while still balancing fun.

The fraternity has a year-round rush so the members are constantly busy recruiting new students. Its goal is to have 40 members by Oct. 8, two months before the organization is expected to receive its charter.

In the meantime, the group is busy organizing a fund-raiser for a terminally ill cancer patient, maintaining its Adopt-A-Spot on the Strip and helping out the community in anyway it can.

"We want a good reputation,"

Archer said. "If our [fraternity] comes out as the gentleman of the campus then we've succeeded our goal."

The fraternity is in the process of renting a house on West Main Street, another step in establishing itself in the greek community. And as it seeks more members and a new reputation, Saylor hopes the fraternity is instrumental in changing the outlook of greek life at SIUC.

"We are out to do something different," Saylor said. "We're trying to break the mold of a fraternity, and I think so far, we're doing a good job of that," Saylor said.

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Suicide bombings signal escalation in Israel conflict

Martin Merzer & Warren P. Strobel
Knight Ridder Newspapers

JERUSALEM (KRT) - Two Palestinian suicide bombers killed 15 more people and wounded 40 others Sunday as leaders on both sides of a deepening abyss signaled another round of escalation in the Middle East.

In a televised address Sunday night, Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon lamented the attacks on the port city of Haifa and the West Bank settlement of Efrat, and he grimly told his nation what it already knew: "The state of Israel is in a war."

"Everything we received in return for our efforts (toward peace) was terrorism, terrorism and more terrorism,"

Sharon said in a speech that heralded an expansion of Israel's 3-day-old military offensive against Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat and his forces.

A few hours later, under cover of darkness, dozens of Israeli tanks rolled into the West Bank town of Qalqilya, according to Palestinian officials.

Israeli forces already have sealed the city of Ramallah, where Arafat remained under siege Sunday, and have massed troops outside the biblical city of Bethlehem and in neighboring Beit Jala.

Still restricted by Israel to a few rooms in his headquarters, Arafat pleaded for international assistance and called for continued Palestinian resistance to Israeli incursions.

"I am one of the martyrs of my people," Arafat told visitors.

And still, the death toll mounted and the destruction continued and no one could make it stop.

Sunday's suicide bombings rocked the crowded Matza restaurant in the Neve Shaanan neighborhood of Haifa and a paramedic station in Efrat, a Jewish settlement.

"Watching people on fire is just horrible," Shimon Sabag, who witnessed the attack in Haifa, told Israel Radio.

The blast was so powerful that it blew away the roof and virtually destroyed the building.

"It's more than horrifying," said another witness. "When it's far away, it hurts, but now it's right outside my window, not next to my house, but right outside the window."

The militant Islamic group Hamas claimed responsibility and identified the bomber as Shadi Tobassi, 18, from Jenin.

Later Sunday, the second blast reverberated through Efrat, injuring four.

Sharon and his government hold Arafat responsible for the wave of bloodshed that has left the nation completely on edge and thoroughly shaken.

In the past five days, five suicide bombings have slaughtered nearly 50 people in widely dispersed corners of Israel. If the same violence had struck the United States in the same proportion, 2,350 people would have been killed since Wednesday.

"This terrorism is being directed, promoted and initiated by one person, the chairman of the Palestinian Authority, Yasser Arafat," Sharon said. "Arafat is the enemy of Israel and the enemy of the free world. Yasser Arafat is a danger to the entire region."

Sharon said a cease-fire sought by U.S. envoy Anthony Zinni and others

would have to wait until Israel "uproots the infrastructure of terrorism directed by the Palestinian Authority."

But Sharon stopped short of revealing his plans for Arafat. Israeli officials repeatedly have said that the Palestinian leader would not be harmed, and the U.S. has urged Israel not to deport him.

Arafat denies responsibility for the terror attacks, though he has urged Palestinians to challenge Israel's military responses to them.

As Arafat searched for international allies, Israeli troops moved from house to house in Ramallah, searching for suspects. Occasional gunfire echoed through streets virtually devoid of life and in some places littered with the bodies of Palestinians killed in shootouts with Israeli troops.

Witnesses told Palestinian television that at least one Palestinian police officer was killed as he tried to surrender.

Outside Bethlehem, dozens of tanks, armored personnel carriers and other pieces of military equipment lined the roadsides. In Beit Jala, the Israeli military reinforced checkpoints, while tanks rumbled down back roads and a helicopter flew overhead.

Gen. Giora Eiland, head of planning for the Israel Defense Forces, said troops moved into the area after a Friday night mortar attack on the Jewish settlement of Gilo.

"Ramallah and Bethlehem are not going to be the only Palestinian cities where troops are going to be deployed in the next few days," he said.

Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres said Israel did not intend to permanently reoccupy areas of the West Bank and Gaza Strip ceded to Palestinian control under the 1993 Oslo accords.

"We intend to stay weeks, rather

than months," said Peres, who has expressed misgivings about Sharon's strategy.

Eiland said the operation was intended to block terrorists' access to Israel and capture suspects and weapons.

In Ramallah, "we have been quite successful," the general said, citing the capture of a Palestinian official who sent a suicide bomber to King George Street in Jerusalem almost two weeks ago. That blast killed three Israeli civilians, including a pregnant woman.

Palestinian sources have said those inside Arafat's compound include suspects wanted by Israel in the killing of its tourism minister and in a plot to smuggle arms from Iran.

In a bizarre incident Sunday, some 30 to 40 international supporters of Arafat, accompanied by journalists, calmly walked into the compound past surprised Israeli forces.

A military spokesman criticized the event, describing it as violent even though no confrontations were reported.

"By violently forcing their way into the compound and ignoring the IDF instructions, the group put themselves and the IDF soldiers in the area at great physical risk, while violating a legal order," the spokesman said.

In Washington, White House spokesman Gordon Johndroe said President Bush condemned the latest bombings and would not allow them to "deter him from the pursuit of peace."

And in his Easter message to the world, Pope John Paul called for an end to the "dramatic spiral of abuse of power and killings that bloody the Holy Land, plunged again in these very days into horror and despair."

Said the pope: "It seems that war has been declared on peace."

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Despite violence across the globe, students still study abroad

John Simerman
Knight Ridder Newspapers

WALNUT CREEK, Calif. (KRT) - Daily violence plagues the Middle East. Americans are killed in a church attack in Pakistan, and the State Department responds with a caution for U.S. citizens traveling anywhere in the world.

The message: Watch your back for suicidal extremists.

It's enough to give any globetrotter pause. But not University of California-Berkeley sophomore Yulisa Zulalica.

"It's upsetting, but I guess I have to deal with it," said Zulalica, who was shopping for an international program recently in Cal's study-abroad office. "I have lots of friends going abroad, and I don't think it's interrupted their plans (either)."

Like Zulalica, college students across the country refuse to let violent unrest curb their wanderlust. A national survey taken months after Sept. 11 found that interest in educational exchange remained strong despite the attacks, and study-abroad leaders say it continues amid the violence overseas.

If anything, they say, the desire has grown.

"The one thing Sept. 11 proved is that no place is safe," said Peggy Blumenthal of the Institute for International Education in New York. "Students have become very aware that they need to know more about what's going on in the world. Whether their parents are excited about sending them to more dangerous places, I don't know."

A record number of students have applied this year to University of California study-abroad programs - about 4,500, compared to 3,500 last

year, officials said. Applications for the smaller California State University system have stayed level.

The numbers relieved University of California officials, who are pushing an ambitious expansion of study-abroad, hoping to shrink a massive embolism of enrollment growth on campus. The University of California system must absorb another 63,000 students in a strained system over the decade. Officials hope to thin the ranks by kicking thousands of student bodies overseas.

"That's where the brunt of the pressure lies - how are we going to deal with all these students?" said Linnea Soderlund, a study-abroad advisor at the University of California-Berkeley. "Ship them away."

By 2010, University of California officials want to triple the number of students they send abroad for credit, from 2,900 now to 10,000, said Associate Provost John Marcum, the University of California's head of international programs.

"The campuses can't handle it all," said Marcum. "But we also believe Californians ought to experience cultural sensitivities, to be out of the country to see what the world looks like."

The university has pushed ahead with new programs in the United Kingdom, Australia, Chile, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Japan, South Africa and the Philippines. It also markets overseas study to students like never before.

Posters splay across buses at the University of California-Berkeley, boasting of the cross-cultural appeal. And University of California officials hope to team up with community colleges and the University of Southern California to sell high-schoolers early on international study, so they come to

college prepared.

"We're trying to get in their faces more," Soderlund said. "Getting their attention is not easy."

Nationwide, the number of U.S. students who studied abroad for academic credit has increased more than 60 percent over five years, to a record 143,500 students in 2000.

The University of California and other institutions took a new look at security measures abroad last fall. Many revisited their far-flung programs, crafting contingency plans or limiting student travel. University of California officials said they made unannounced telephone calls to advisers overseas, testing their emergency responses. They also distributed cell phones to some study centers abroad.

But most of the work to improve student safety abroad came in 1998 with new national standards developed after high-profile troubles and liability concerns. Among the incidents were the 1998 rape of five American students during an armed roadside robbery in Guatemala; the rape of an American student in 1996 by her host father in Tokyo; and the deaths of four American students in a 1996 bus crash in India.

Since then, oversight of study-abroad programs has risen to a higher level in college administrations, said Gary Rhodes, director of a federally funded safety-information clearinghouse at the University of Southern California's Center for Global Education.

"Institutions are spending a lot more time and resources supporting their students," said Rhodes. "Sept. 11 raised the specter of kidnapping or terrorism happening, and so obviously it was another red flag to raise the consciousness."

Still, there is no central authority to

evaluate study-abroad programs; it's up to universities and other institutions to monitor them.

This month University of California officials grappled over whether to pull its programs from Israel amid the daily violence there, but chose to let the program stay under tight restrictions on student travel and a ban on taking public transportation.

Much of the responsibility remains on students to pay attention and follow guidelines, and many of the problems arise from those who don't, said Marlene Johnson, executive director of the Association of International Educators.

"We're all like that. We don't pay attention to the rules until we're in the thick of the mud," she said.

The safety concerns also relate to the fact that a greater portion of students are going to less traditional destinations. While Europe still dominates, taking more than 60 percent of American study-abroad students, regions such as the Middle East, Africa, Latin America and Asia all saw a rising share of American exchange students over the past 15 years.

Since Sept. 11, some programs have canceled, but most of those are short-term visits, such as professor-led trips during school breaks, said William Hoffa, study-abroad adviser at Amherst College and author of "Study Abroad: A Parent's Guide."

"What I've seen is increased reliance on the programs where people are on the ground with bailout plans," said Hoffa. "There's a lot more caution and concern."

Soderlund of the University of California-Berkeley said she has seen a heightened interest in an Arabic language program in Egypt, with students eager to learn and contribute to

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Peggy Blumenthal
Institute for International
Education in New York

peace in the Middle East. But many students are steering clear from perceived hot spots.

"I'd definitely be more concerned if I was going to Israel. The fear of going to a cafe and being blown up is real there," said Tahera Kapasi, a Cal sophomore who plans to study in Egypt next year.

More than terrorism, Kapasi said she fears a U.S. attack on Iraq would lead University of California officials to pull out of Egypt.

"My parents are extremely nervous just about me being abroad," said Kapasi. "I'm more nervous about not getting my chance to go."

Hoffa cautioned that the uptick in student interest could easily change with the next terrorist attack. The saving grace so far, he said, has been a break in random terrorism after Sept. 11.

"If someone had thrown a grenade into a German university dormitory, all bets would have been off," said Hoffa. "And all bets are still off. The next major incident in which students or tourists are attacked by terrorists, there's going to be a hunkering down. That hasn't happened yet."

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Your shoelace is untied - April Fool!

Gerald Enslay
Knight Ridder Newspapers

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (KRT) - The French started it. Great literary figures like Herman Melville embraced it. Radio stations live for it.

And right now, your shoelace is untied. Ha! April Fool!

Yep, it's today: April 1, known as April Fools' Day. The day you check the sugar bowl before you mistakenly sprinkle salt on your cereal. The day you check in the mirror for a "Kick Me" sign if someone pats you on the back. The day any story that seems too fantastic to be true probably isn't true.

The day when lame jokes, elaborate pranks and oddball events are not only expected but welcomed with childish glee. Even when the joke's on us.

"There is a human fascination with being tricked," said Florida State University English professor Bruce Bickley. "As long as we don't get hurt too badly, and as long as it's well done, we admire being tricked."

Some speculate today's observance may yield a bountiful harvest of tricking, pranking and jacking, as it is the first April Fool's Day since Sept. 11. More so than other recent national tragedies, the terrorist attack cast a somber pall over Americans. There has been an unofficial moratorium on gallows humor regarding the attack and a muting of many forms of frivolity.

But with the official sanction of April Fool's Day, the restraints may loosen. Which wouldn't be a bad thing.

"People need some sort of release from shock and sadness," said Jerrilyn McGregory, a professor of folklore at FSU. "When the Challenger crashed, jokes began circulating almost immediately. But we haven't had anything like that with 9-11, except for a few Osama bin Laden

jokes.

"Perhaps it's been too soon to interact on that level. But there may be a letting down of the hair (today)."

April Fool's Day is not so much a holiday as it is a custom - and no one is entirely sure how it got started.

The generally accepted explanation is it started in France in 1582, the year the Gregorian calendar was instituted to correspond more closely to the solar year and moved New Year's Day from April 1 to January 1.

Because communications were slow in the 1500s, it was years before many people found out or believed that the New Year had changed dates, and those people continued to hold traditional New Year's celebrations on April 1. That led others to ridicule them as "fools," send them on a "fool's errand" and try to make them believe something false was true.

Eventually, the ridicule evolved into a tradition of prank-playing on April 1, and by the 18th century the custom had spread to England, Scotland and the American colonies.

Scotland turned the observance into a two-day event, with the second day devoted to pranks involving the human posterior - which may credit for the "Kick Me" sign prank. In France, the day is known as Poisson d'Avril ("April Fish," which is the term yelled when a person is tricked), and a common prank is to tape a paper fish to a child's back.

In the United States, there are common April Fool's Day gags: Substituting salt for sugar, setting a friend's clock back so the friend is late and presenting tall tales as the truth - then yelling "April Fools!" when the person realizes he or she has been tricked.

McGregory said families and friends often have long-standing April Fool's gags: A colleague's mother calls every year to tell her daughter it's snowing, a gag that worked when the colleague was a child.

The media often participates in April Fool's Day. For many years, the FSU independent newspaper, Florida Flambeau, published an entire issue of fanciful stories on April 1. In 1985, Sports Illustrated published a cover story about Sidd Finch, a pitcher who could supposedly throw a baseball 168 mph. Tallahassee radio stations almost annually try to one-up each other with hoaxes and pranks: On April 1, 1994, a local station broadcast a story that Bobby Bowden was going to be replaced as FSU football coach by Jimmy Johnson.

Bickley sees April Fool's Day as part of the great literary tradition involving "trickster" characters, whose ability to dupe others is celebrated. He said the trickster tradition in literature can be found in Biblical stories, Buddhist teachings, Homeric verse and African, European and Asian literature.

He said notable American examples were fashioned by Mark Twain (the Duke and the King in "Huck Finn"), Joel Chandler Harris (Br'er Rabbit), cartoons ("Bugs Bunny is Br'er Rabbit reincarnated") - and Herman Melville. Though the 19th century author is known best for serious works such as "Moby Dick," Melville also wrote "The Confidence Man," a novel about a con man on a Mississippi River boat. The novel is set on a single day - April 1 - and was released by the publisher on April 1, 1857.

The popularity of April Fool's Day is part timing, said McGregory, as it comes at the end of winter and "allows people to get in a more joyful mood." But it persists as a custom, she said, because people need an official day to be silly.

"Our other lunatic time, Halloween, has been taken away by tricks that are more dangerous than the traditional tricks and treats," she said.

"But April Fool's is still centered around harmless fun and pranks. It's a release valve in our contemporary world."

Hot and sweaty: latest trend in exercise is high-temperature yoga

Rhoda Fukushima
Knight Ridder Newspapers

MINNEAPOLIS (KRT) - Bob Davis, host of KSTP radio's late-night show, had no idea what to expect when he began taking Bikram yoga last fall.

Students do the same 26 postures every class, in a room kept at 105 degrees Fahrenheit. Classes are 90 minutes long. Davis took to it immediately, despite the environmental challenges.

"It was hard," says Davis of Minneapolis. "It's just hard to get through it and not puke. But it gets easier."

Yoga in a sweatbox is making its way across the country. Bikram is a form of hatha yoga, which focuses on posture, movement and breath. It takes its name from its creator, Bikram Choudhury, a former yoga champion from India. The moist heat in the classroom's environment encourages deeper stretching and detoxification - i.e. sweating.

Yoga is an ancient tradition, but with the popularity of mind-body medicine, it has become an area of scientific study. In one small study last year, researchers at the University of California at Davis found that regular hatha yoga practice can improve physical fitness. They recruited 10 healthy, untrained people who attended at least two yoga classes a week for eight weeks. Researchers found that the subjects' muscular strength, muscular endurance and oxygen uptake improved.

A Bikram yoga class consists of 26 postures sandwiched between two breathing exercises. The poses are performed in the same order every time - twice.

"Most of my students are type A who think they can go in there and do everything," says Martha Williams, who runs a Bikram studio in Minneapolis. "It is sort of impossible."

The class isn't for everyone. Before signing up, students should get their doctors' blessing, says Mary Margaret Anderson, who runs a Bikram studio in Plymouth, Minn.

She does not recommend the class for pregnant women, people with heart conditions or young children. People with certain back conditions and/or joint replacements also should avoid or modify certain poses that could aggravate their conditions.



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STUDENT RENTALS AVAIL, now May, and Aug, 2 & 3 bdrm, for more info call 549-2833 or 549-3295.

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403 W. ELM #2
403 W. ELM #4
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509 1/2 S. HAYS
509 1/2 S. HAYS
406 1/2 E. HESTER
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703 S. ILLINOIS #102
703 S. ILLINOIS #103
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501 W. COLLEGE #6
503 S. COLLEGE #6
115 S. FOREST
718 S. FOREST #3
509 1/2 S. HAYS
406 1/2 E. HESTER
408 1/2 E. HESTER
410 E. HESTER

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612 S. OGAN
612 1/2 S. LOGAN
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507 W. MAIN #A
405 E. MILL
411 E. MILL
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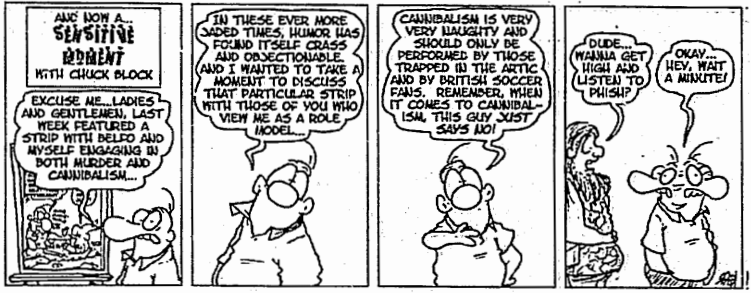
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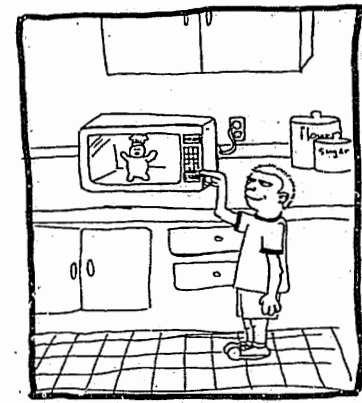
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No Dogs Allowed!

By Nick Day

I can't understand why people DON'T admire President Bush. I have to give credit to any "C" average student who has been arrested Three Times and got caught rigging a presidential election. I mean, the fact that he still goes out in public just shows the enormity of his Balls... or the general apathy of the voting public.

Let's Save Decatur by Seth Dewhirst



Daily Horoscopes

By Linda C. Black

Today's Birthday (April 1). You're interested in budgeting this year, with a specific goal in mind - a special vacation, another credential, or both. Learn a new language through total immersion. Make up your mind about what you want. You can make it happen.

To get the advantage, check the day's rating: 10 is the easiest day, 0 the most challenging.

Aries (March 21-April 19) - Today is an 8 - You should be done planning by now. Check once more to make sure you haven't forgotten anything. OK, time's up! Get going!

Taurus (April 20-May 20) - Today is a 6 - Venus, symbolizing love (and your ruling planet), is coming into your sign. This brings you luck, especially in love. Schedule a celebration that's appropriate for the occasion.

Gemini (May 21-June 21) - Today is a 7 - Cat got your tongue? You're usually pretty outspoken, but now, a very attractive person may find you charmingly shy. Let him or her do most of the talking. It's cute.

Cancer (June 22-July 22) - Today is a 5 - You try to be nice, but you don't like getting pushed around. You won't get far complaining. Work harder instead.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) - Today is an 8 - Remember to take care of business. Somebody important is watching. You're being reminded because you're apt to forget. You'd much rather be outside playing.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) - Today is a 7 - You'll be getting fidgety soon, eager to try something new. Take a class? Take a trip? Investigate a new lifestyle? That's Perfect!

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) - Today is an 8 - Stop being a spectator! You have a lot of brilliant ideas to contribute. Do you think that your more assertive friend will come up with better ideas than you will? Fat chance.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) - Today is a 7 - You're still trying to figure out how to get everything you want. It's not easy, but you love a challenge. Ask a housemate to help.

Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) - Today is a 7 - Do you work to love, or love to work? If it's more like the former than the latter, brace yourself, because you're about to undergo a change. For the next few weeks you may love to work, so hustle!

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) - Today is a 6 - Tidy up around your place. You could get the chance to entertain company soon. Not the kind you have to put up with, but the kind you love to be with.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) - Today is an 8 - You have a lot of interesting friends. How about having a fun of them over tonight? True, you can't stay up late, but dinner with the gang would sure be fun - and a good way to dissolve tension.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20) - Today is a 6 - Wornies about love will start to fade as you discover new security. Wornies about money dissolve, too, as you take on new responsibility.

JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
 by Henri Arnold and Mike Arginton

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

CLAWR
 [] [] [] [] [] []

CHUVO
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DESEEC
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WHERDS
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ANS: TO [] [] [] [] OR [] [] [] [] [] [] (Answers Monday)

Yesterday's Jumbles: AWOKED DAUNT. INDOOR AFLOAT
 Answer: Where the astronaut and the panhandler ended up - DOWN... AND OUT

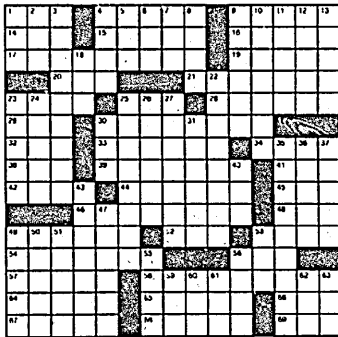
I want a piece of that - but on the other hand.

WHAT SHE HAD TO DECIDE WHEN SHE SPOTTED THE CHOCOLATE CAKE.

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

Crossword

- ACROSS**
 1 Ferocity
 4 Pipes
 9 Grand-slam man of tennis
 14 Red or White team
 15 Tessie or Milo
 16 Dwelling
 17 Photo album full
 18 Cacophony
 20 Picture border
 21 Lured
 23 Roasting device
 25 Beau Brummell
 28 Missing people
 29 Coop biddy
 30 Tennis stroke
 32 ... we there yet?
 33 Noah's peak
 34 Magpie and Mince
 38 "Sheila" singer
 39 Makes another attempt
 41 Nonsense!
 42 Very small
 44 Oddball
 45 Signal
 46 With obvious humility

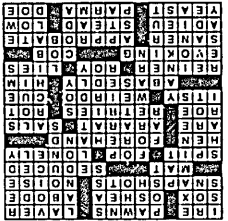


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- DOWN**
 1 NASA outpost
 2 Howard or Wood
 3 Test subjects
 4 Appointment
 5 Last of a cigar
 6 Which person?
 7 Bottom-line profit
 8 Back talk
 9 Presidential
 10 also-ran Ail
 11 Teams (win)
 12 Utterance
 13 Ford's lemon?
 14 Piping officially
 15 So long, to Solange
 16 With great joy
 17 Puppeteer
 18 One way to stand?
 19 H. Ross
 20 Predict disaster
 21 Uses a soapbox
 22 Water brand
 23 Away's partner?
 24 Shag or bob
 25 Feet MacLeish
 26 Comic Anderson
 27 Flower holder:
 28 Cover crop
 29 Hit head-on
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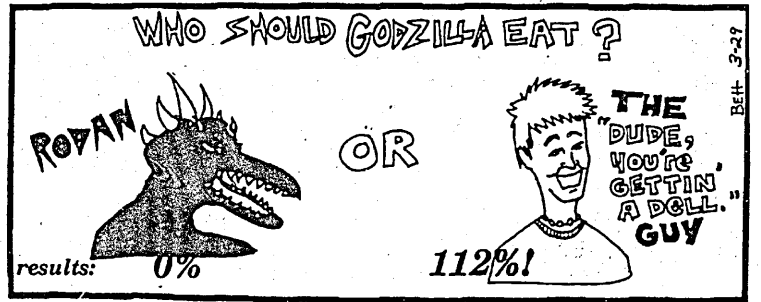
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- 32 Mediterranean
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No Apparent Reason

by Brian Eliot Holloway



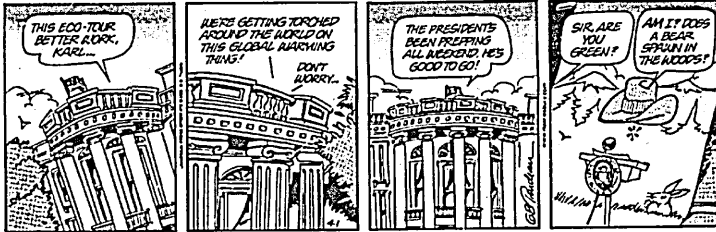
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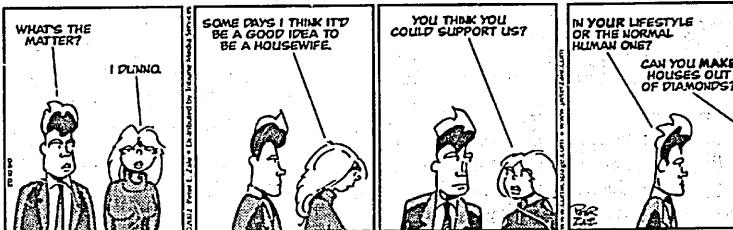
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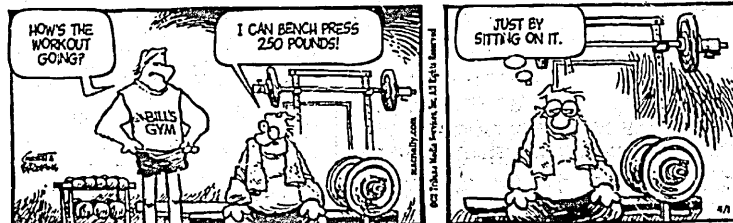
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BASEBALL

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"They pitched around Sal, which is pretty smart because he's got a lot of power," Hankey said. "I went up there looking for a pitch to just drive. He threw it right down the middle and I got a piece of it."

"I think that helped put us over the top, four more runs kinda broke their back."

SIU continued to pour on the runs during the seventh and eighth innings until it had amassed a 4-1 lead, thus ending the game.

The win gave the Salukis their second consecutive series split and helped them keep their heads above water in the MVC race.

"I feel fortunate to have gotten a split today just because we were so bad on defense," Callahan said. "This was by far our worst defensive day of the year."

"I've never been so happy to get a split."

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Suddenly, we have a Not-So-Fabulous Five

Andrew Bagnato Chicago Tribune

CHICAGO (KRT) - A basketball season ticket-holder since the Cazzie Russell era at Michigan, Wolverines athletic director Bill Martin remembers the first time he saw the Fab Five romping on the Crisler Arena floor, their jaws and shirts flapping.

"I was shocked," Martin said. "I saw these big shorts and I thought, 'The world is changing on me.'"

"It was a wonderful time, an exciting time for Michigan basketball," Martin said. "I think it was the name itself. The alliteration; and the uniqueness of five freshmen. And winning. You've got to hand it to (former coach) Steve Fisher at that time. He started them. He created them."

As he warmed to the subject, Martin dismissed a reporter's assertion that the university had distanced itself over the years from the players and from Fisher, who was dismissed in 1997 amid an NCAA investigation into improper booster conduct. Martin said he hoped the players and Fisher would always feel welcome in Ann Arbor.

"They did so much for Michigan basketball," he said.

A week or so later, Martin's nostalgia had waned dramatically. What prompted his change of heart was a federal indictment, unsealed in Detroit, charging former Michigan booster Ed Martin with running an illegal gambling scheme and laundering money. The indictment says Ed Martin loaned Fab Five center Chris Webber \$280,000 while Webber was in high school and college, and loaned another \$336,000 to three other Wolverines basketball players not with the Fab Five.

Suddenly the Fab Five era didn't seem quite so glorious.

"Obviously I should reconsider some of those comments," said Bill Martin, no relation to Ed Martin. "But I believe there has been only one Fab Five member mentioned, and these are allegations."

As Martin discussed those allegations, he was asked if he had any thoughts about cleaning up college basketball.

"There are a couple of things we could do that I support," he said. "One of them is I would have freshman ineligibility."

Freshman ineligibility?

There would have been no Fab Five.

Ten years after they made their historic run to the 1992 Final Four as true freshmen, Webber, Jalen Rose, Juwan Howard, Jimmy King and Ray Jackson remain as controversial as ever.

Their legacy generates as much debate as anything they did or said back in 1992.

Perhaps that's only fitting, because the Fab Five's legacy can't be measured in trophies. In two full seasons together, the Fab Five won only one championship of any kind—a holiday tournament in Lahaina, Hawaii, in December 1992.

They never won a national title, despite their bold predictions that they'd win four straight. They never even won a Big Ten title.

Were they, as TV analyst Bill Walton said in 1993, "one of the most overrated and underachieving teams of all time"?

Were they, as former Michigan athletic director Don Canham told the Detroit Free Press last week, "dirty ... a disgrace to the University of Michigan"?

Or were they, as Timberwolves

star Kevin Garnett once contended, a beacon of hope to hoop-dreaming kids on playgrounds across the country?

"Young kids from the neighborhood, from the block, wanting to be together, understanding each other, not just on the court but off," Garnett told the Minneapolis Star-Tribune. "That's what the Fab Five represented."

To some the Fab Five lives on as a stark example of the college game's excesses.

Charges that Webber received staggering amounts of money from a booster confirmed an image of an out-of-control program.

Only one of the Fab Five, Howard, received his degree, and in an era of heavily scrutinized NCAA graduation rates, that's another indictment of the team.

Jingling cash registers were a big part of the Fab Five experience as well. Although many at Michigan were uncomfortable with the team's image, it didn't stop the athletic department from reaping \$4.4 million in athletic royalties in the Fab Five's sophomore season—more than double the sum earned the year before the group arrived on campus.

SOFTBALL

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stepped it up that last inning. She even took it to another level. She just put them down and you're talking about the best hitting team in the conference."

Viefhaus said the way Harre bounced back from a tough first game is the reason the Salukis were able to take the second game of the double-header.

"Amy pitched a lot better," Viefhaus said. "She got off to a shaky start in the first game, but came out and dominated. They couldn't touch her."

In the rubber match of the series Sunday afternoon, the Salukis squandered a 3-0 lead and fell 5-3 to see their record drop to 19-10 and 6-2 in MVC play. Junior Renee Mueller started the game for the Salukis and pitched four scoreless innings before being replaced in the fifth by Harre because of back problems.

Harre threw the final three innings and gave up four runs, only one of which was earned, to take her second loss of the weekend, dropping her record to 10-6.

A key factor in SIU's demise Sunday was four errors, three of them by shortstop Adie Viefhaus, which helped contribute to four unearned runs for the Redbirds.

Despite their obvious impact in the outcome of the game, Blaylock downplayed the impact of the shoddy defense.

"I don't point fingers with errors," Blaylock said. "Yeah, we would've been in better shape and yeah that's three runs right there that we give them that they shouldn't have had, but that's going to happen sometimes and we're going to give up bombs sometimes so we just have to stick together."

Although the Salukis let a good opportunity slip away, Blaylock said she would come away from the weekend knowing her team could compete with the preseason pick to take the MVC title.

Her players also realize the Redbirds aren't too far out of their grasp.

"I think it should give us a lot of confidence," Harre said. "I know it's no fun to lose two games and knowing that we could have won at least the game [Sunday] and it just kind of slipped away from us. Things like that are going to happen and that's what's going to make us stick together and become stronger."

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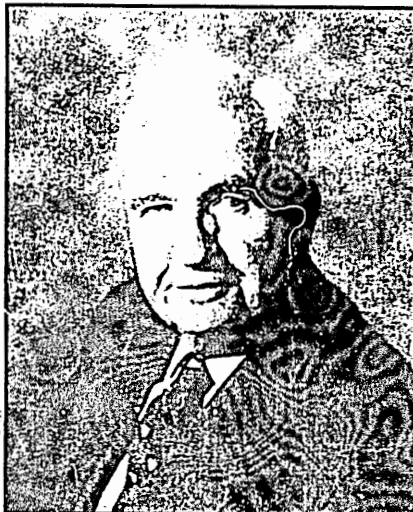
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Since then, he has authored such humorous books as "It Wasn't Funny at the Time" and "Glances of Politics," which tell about his entertaining experiences in Congress, on the court, in the Army and as a dance band musician! Today Judge Hungate enjoys traveling with his wife Dottie and lecturing.

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Men's tennis loses two of three

Win over UIC caps busy weekend

Michael Brenner
Daily Egyptian

Apparently, all that was needed for the Salukis to break their weekend losing streak was a trip back to their side of the Wabash River.

The SIU men's tennis team won their second match of the season Sunday, defeating the University of Illinois-Chicago 6-1 and improving its record to 2-5. The victory helped compensate for two weekend losses in the state of Indiana, where SIU suffered a close 4-3 setback at Evansville Friday and was nearly swept at Ball State Saturday, falling 6-1.

The Salukis dominated UIC Sunday afternoon, sweeping doubles play and recording straight-set victories in four of the five singles matches they won.

SIU's bottom five all won in singles, with freshman Richard Booth leading the way with an impressive 6-0, 6-2 victory over UIC's Wonde Clark. Julian

Botero, Lukasz Soswa and Gian Remigio also won in straight sets, and Alon Savidor went the distance with Ken Howrey, winning 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Team captain and No. 1 player Peter Bong nearly completed the sweep, but fell 6-4, 2-6 before losing in a 10-point, third set tiebreaker that was played to conserve time.

"UIC was a real good match for us," head coach Missy Jeffrey said. "We needed the win, and it just goes to show how strong we are when we're playing a program that isn't really solid."

The bottom of SIU's order shined at Evansville as well. Botero, Soswa and Remigio, the Nos. 4, 5 and 6 players, soundly defeated their opponents and were responsible for the Salukis' three points.

Botero defeated Derek Boland 3-6, 6-4, 10-3, Soswa beat Luis Arguello 6-4, 6-1 and Remigio flattened Derek Kincheloe 6-1, 6-0.

But it wasn't enough, as Bong, Savidor and Booth were defeated in singles play. Evansville won all three doubles matches as well, gaining the doubles point and clinching the win for the Purple Aces.

Saturday's matchup with Ball State was just plain ugly from an SIU perspective. Soswa was responsible for the Salukis' only point in Muncie, Ind., defeating Mike Heule 6-2, 6-4. The Cardinals swept the rest of the match, winning every set Soswa didn't play in except one. Remigio won his second set, though he fell 7-6, 1-6, 10-7 to Klint Knable.

Jeffrey is not concerned about the losses, though. She said Ball State is close to being ranked, and the defeat at Evansville was close, so she's not worried about the teams losing record and is still confident heading into this weekend's home matches against Southwest Missouri State and Wichita State.

"If we were losing matches badly, I'd be extremely disappointed, but nobody's killing us," Jeffrey said. "Obviously, we would all rather be having a winning record right now, but the matches have been so close, we could have easily won most of the matches we played in."

Reporter Michael Brenner can be reached at mbrenner@dailyegyptian.com

SPORTS BRIEFS

BASKETBALL

Roberts named "dunk king"

SIU men's basketball center Rolan Roberts was selected co-champion of the 14th annual College Slam Dunk Championship in Atlanta on Thursday as part of the week's Final Four festivities.

Roberts, who was among the eight participants in the nationally televised exhibition, shared the honor with Arkansas guard Brandon Dean.

TENNIS

Women rained out

The SIU women's tennis team (0-10) will have to wait a few more days for another shot at its first win.

Friday's 1 p.m. match against Evansville, which would have been the Salukis' first conference match of the season, was rained out.

The match will be made up Thursday at 4 p.m. at University Courts in Carbondale.



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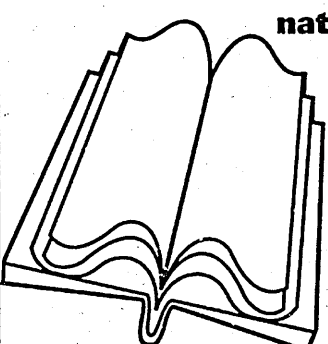
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SIU splits with Creighton

Todd Merchant
 Daily Egyptian

The weekend began with a drizzle and ended with a downpour for the SIU baseball team.

It was up and down throughout for the Salukis (15-8, 4-4 Missouri Valley Conference), who saw two of their top pitchers have their worst performances of the year while their backup catcher hit the first grand slam of his baseball career.

The opening game of SIU's four-game series with Creighton (10-11, 4-3) Friday at Abe Martin Field was postponed in the first inning because of rain, which forced the Salukis and Bluejays to square off in back-to-back doubleheaders on Saturday and Sunday.

While the first game appeared close on the scoreboard, Creighton starter Tom Oldham dominated the Salukis. SIU could only muster three runs as Oldham threw a complete game, striking out six batters while walking none in a 5-3 victory.

SIU starter Jake Alley (4-1) did not have his usual control as he allowed five runs on six hits in only five innings, his shortest start of the season.

"We didn't deserve to win the first game," head coach Dan Callahan said. "Oldham pitched very, very well. Jake just wasn't sharp. He didn't have it command-wise."

The finale of the twin bill was the complete opposite for the Salukis, as they cranked out 17 hits, including four home runs, to top Creighton 13-2 in only eight innings.

Freshmen Ryan Welch (2-1), Eric Haberer and Bryan Rueger combined to pitch eight innings of six-hit ball for SIU.

The star of the game, however, was first baseman Jeff Stanek. The senior went 4-for-5 from the plate with a double and three home runs. His final homer gave SIU an 11-run

lead, thus ending the game because of the 10-run rule.

"I was seeing the ball well, sitting back and smacking it hard," Stanek said. "It's a matter of not getting cheated. I wasn't swinging at balls in the dirt, chasing balls up in the zone. Just trying to see my pitch and hit it."

Stanek finished the weekend 12-for-16 at the plate, with two doubles, three home runs and 10 RBIs.

The roller coaster continued for the Salukis on Sunday as starter Luke Nelson (2-2) was rocked for 10 runs in only 3.2 innings of work.

Nelson's first two pitches of the game resulted in a single and a hit batsman, and everything continued to go downhill from there.

The senior righthander faced only 23 batters and allowed nine hits and walked two during the drubbing.

"He just didn't have a good day," Callahan said of Nelson.

"He was struggling with command, missed a lot of spots. He left a couple balls up that they hit hard, and before you know the game's out of hand."

It did not appear as though things were going to get any better in the series finale as the normally sure-handed Salukis committed four costly errors and went into the bottom of the seventh inning trailing 4-2.

SIU, however, jumped on Creighton starter Mike Perkins right away as six of the first seven Saluki hitters reached base safely. With runners on second and third, Perkins intentionally walked Sal Friscella to lead the bases for catcher Scott Hankey.

Hankey had already struck out twice in the game, but took the first pitch he saw and sent it over the left field wall for a grand slam.



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Freshman hurler, Andrew Weber, prepares to fire a pitch against Creighton Saturday afternoon. Weber did not allow a run in 4 innings of work, yet the Salukis still fell in the first game of Saturday's double header.

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Salukis softball unable to tame Illinois State's bats



DAILY EGYPTIAN PHOTO - PATRICK FIZL

The crowd at IAW Fields looks on as outfielder Katie Jordan slides into home for the Salukis' second run against Illinois State. The Salukis fell to the Redbirds 5-3 on Sunday, finishing the weekend's series losing 2 out of 3 games.

Jens Jezu
 Daily Egyptian

In a battle of the Missouri Valley Conference's second-best hitting team and its best pitching team with the conference lead on the line, the bats won out.

Illinois State took two of three from the SIU softball team this weekend at IAW Fields to gain sole possession of first place in the MVC.

ISU came out swinging in the first game Saturday afternoon with the first two batters of the game not only reaching base, but eventually crossing the plate. The runs just kept coming and the Redbirds took the first game 10-2 in six innings.

SIU's pitching and defense, the backbone of the team's success, was seemingly absent with the Salukis committing three errors and allowing 11 hits.

"The offense will come for us, but we always rely on pitching and defense and both of them were kind of shaky and they just really hit the ball," said third baseman Haley Viefhaus. "There's nothing we could have done about that game."

In the second game of the afternoon, the SIU squad of old returned. The Salukis took the game 1-0 in an 11-inning pitcher's duel between SIU's Amy Harre and ISU's Corey Harris.

Both pitchers went the distance before Haley Viefhaus' single into right field scored Katie Jordan all the way from second base on a close play at the plate for the lone run of the game.

SIU head coach Kerri Blaylock said she was happy for Viefhaus to get the hit since she's struggled at times this season at the plate.

"I'm really proud of Haley

Viefhaus because her batting average, she may not be real tickled with it right now, but she's just getting very good at-bats all the time," Blaylock said.

Harre's 11 innings of three-hit ball was almost the complete opposite of her first game showing, when she went 3.1 innings and gave up four runs. For the weekend, Harre pitched 17.1 out of a possible 24 innings, giving up eight runs.

Blaylock believes the cause of Harre's uncharacteristic struggles over the course of the series had more to do with her being a freshman than anything else.

"I think she had stars in her eyes the first game," Blaylock said. "I think she was a little nervous and we talked about it and said, 'You got to realize how good you are,' and she just

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