Scrambling for Springfield

Race for governor appears to be in near deadlock with hours left to campaign.

SARA BEAU AND JAY SCHWAB
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTERS

The gubernatorial race appears to be headed into an election day for the Illinois governor. The race is a contest between the incumbent Governor George Ryan and State Treasurer Glen Poshard. Ryan is seeking a second term as governor, while Poshard is running as an independent candidate.

Ryan, a Republican, has been in office since 1993. He has faced criticism for his handling of the state budget and his relationship with organized labor. Poshard, a Democrat, has been a state senator for 20 years. He has criticized Ryan for not doing enough to help the state's poor and working-class communities.

The race is expected to be close, with the outcome dependent on how the metropolitan areas and rural areas of Illinois vote. Ryan is favored in the northern and western parts of the state, while Poshard is favored in the southern and central parts of the state.

The candidates have been campaign heavily in recent weeks, with Ryan emphasizing his record of economic development and his support for education and infrastructure. Poshard has been critical of Ryan's handling of the state's budget and his support for corporate tax breaks.

The gubernatorial race is a key contest in the election, as it will determine who will lead the state for the next four years. The winner will face a difficult task in addressing the state's economic and political challenges.
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Bost, Strom address local economy

ISSUES: State Representative race focuses on improving Southern Illinois industry, employment, education.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

Section head: Mike Bost

ILO State Representative

Few area residents have seen as much change in the Southern Illinois area in decades; the one candidate running for office, John Bost, has been running a campaign that has put to rest many of the concerns that many people have had about the area's economic future.

Saxon, a Carbondale resident who served as the editor of the Daily Egyptian in 1991 before taking a leave of absence from SIU, claims that Strom has underdeveloped the area's potential and has not done enough to help the local economy.

Saxon has worked to improve Southern Illinois industry, employment, and education.

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**Voices**

**Our Word**

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A political science lea:nner at SIUC, Barb Brown understands the political process. And with a son attending SIUC next fall, we have faith that she will use her knowledge and Senate position to add the University.

The DAILY EGYPTIAN Editorial Board also was impressed with her aggressive, maverick attitude. She wants to be a cheerleader in Springfield. During her presentation to the EGYPTIAN, Brown mentioned the Clear Eight representatives from Southern Illinois. They threw the party line out the window and fought together. Brown said she would like to work with regional representatives to build that level of camaraderie again.

Endorsing Bost and Brown was an easy decision, but choosing between Barb Brown and Dave Luechtefeld was a tough task. Both candidates are qualified for a Senate position and are overall nice people.

The fact that Mike Bost and Dave Luechtefeld have worked well together in Springfield was considered, but there needs to be a change in the guard. Currently, Republicans hold the Senate majority by a few votes. A Barb Brown victory would be one step closer to removing Tate Hemp from the Senate majority, leadership that would give Southern Illinois' representatives a chance to work for their constituents.

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EYPTIAN staff for the excellent coverage they have given the issue over the past 15 months, recognizing the impact it has on the University personnel who serve them daily.

I am also exploring other options to present for consideration based on the votes of the DAILY EGYPTIAN. Since we put aside party politics, study the issues, and then cast an informed vote for the candidates of our choice.

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TRICK OR TREAT: Mary Jane Newby (right), 1 1/2, of Carbondale decides she likes the softness of Casey Davis' teddy bear instead of the suckers and tootsie rolls that fill her bag during a trick-or-treat parade at University Mall Saturday.

Speaker criticizes bilingual education

DILEMMA: Cultural assimilation of Spanish-speaking immigrants hindered by policy,

JAMES FULLER
Daily Egyptian Reporter

With America experiencing its largest influx of immigrants since the heydays of Ellis Island, the United States is faced with the dilemma of educating 2.5 million children who are unable to communicate in the English language. As a result, these children enter the school system and are felt behind, not because they are unintelligent, but because there is an apparent lack of a unified policy in educating them.

This is the plight of Linda Chavez and the main focus of her speech last Tuesday night at the SIUC Student Center Auditorium. Chavez is the president of the Center for Equal Opportunity. In Washington and was the director of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights from 1983-85 under President Reagan.

"As she articulates in her first book, "Out of the Barrio," bilingual education is a failure that prevents Spanish-speaking immigrants from assimilating into the "mosaic" of America's culture. Of the 304,000 immigrants who came to the United States in 1984, about 80 percent of them were either Asian or came from Latin America. Yet the struggle to assimilate Latin American immigrants is more difficult because they are the ones placed in the bilingual education programs.

"Asian immigrants are placed in English immersion programs, and as a result, average Asian immigrants are among the most successful, best educated persons in America."
CHAVEZ
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"That kind of policy seems sense," Chavez said. A former Democrat, he spoke of a nation with a "common language" where education plays a key role in assimilation and maintenance of culture. A law that bans bilingualism, he said, is a "negative event." Chavez is one of many full-time professionals in the field, and he said his work is "not a minor event." Chavez said the federal government should "oversee the bilingual education program" in schools. Chavez summed up his views.

"I believe in assimilation. I think that assimilation is the only model that works in society as diverse as ours. And if each and every group keeps its primary attachment to the ethnic group or tribal group, it's divisive.

For the public, we have different kinds of traditions in our homes and celebrations. And I think that as long as the ethnic part is preserved, so long as public funds are not being used to promote it, that's not going wrong with it and I think it can be a richer nation and make a better life.

"It's when the public gets involved - and when we begin expressing public money in primary attachment to ethnicity or race, that I have a problem."

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**Witches welcome change of seasons**

**SAMHAIN:** Students observe pagan holiday by honoring dead, eliminating past.

**Karen Blatter**

Tara Nelson and Eric Linster celebrate Samhain, the holiday commemorating the new year for witches and pagans.

"Samhain," Oct. 31, marks a change in the cycle of the season in the Wiccan and Pagan calendar. The new year is the end of the harvest and a time to prepare for the winter months.

Wicca, a religion some witches and pagans follow, is the time believed to be when the veil between the living and the dead is thinnest.

It is a time of reflection, rebirth and honoring ancestors.

The new year is also a time to look back at the past year and what has been accomplished over the growing season.

In honor of the holiday, Nelson, a senior in liberal arts from Algonquin, and Linster, a graduate student in rehabilitation counseling from Aurora, took part in many private activities to celebrate.

One of those activities was setting up an altar to honor their ancestors. The altar was covered with pictures and candles to remember those who have passed.

Nelson said that death is looked at differently by Wiccans than by other people.

"We see death as the end of things," she said. "Death is just another spoke in the wheel. Even though it is sad that we lost someone, we celebrate their life and who they were in us.

"Along with the ancestor altar, some also make a fire, which can be big as a bonfire or as small as the flame of a candle.

"The fire is used to eliminate spirit. With a larger fire, one would jump over it to get rid of the bad experiences from the past year.

"If it is just a small flame, a piece of paper might burn from the past year would be burnt. Nelson said Halloween has many parallels to Paganism.

"It is all pagan roots," she said. "Jack-o-Lanterns are carved to fend off spirits of the seasons, and dressing up in all gone back to pagan roots."

The Wiccan religion is flexible; doing the rituals can be dangerous, Nelson said. When a spell is done, it will come back to the caster three times as much.

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"I can study before or after the celebration," she said. "If it is during the week, I can wait until the weekend to celebrate."

Nelson said that despite there being a large number of witches and pagans in Illinois, there is still a lot of misinformation about the religion.

"We do not believe in Satan," she said. "We don't have to worry about the devil."

Nelson and Linster said they are working to eliminate the myths about what witches and pagans believe and do.

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Lechlady, a player on the Saluki basketball team, took the sole possession of fourth place in the conference and approached the ball. Locke was leading the team with 14 kills while senior outside hitter Laura Price and junior opposite hitter Erika Broden each recorded 12. Freshman middle blocker Jade Oleary had a career-high 15 digs for the Salukis, who also received nine kills and six blocks from junior middle blocker Monique Galvin.

"It's always good to get a win on the road," Locke said. "Especially before going to Northern Iowa, where the chance of winning is slim-picking." On Saturday, the conference-leading University of Northern Iowa, which defeated the Salukis 2-5, 15-13 in the first game of October, is visiting in the Panther's claimed 16th consecutive win.

The Salukis fought a better record in their first two games with 18 kills each. Dreu and Pierce supported with 12 and 17 digs each. Senior middle blocker Debbie Barr had 16 digs and 56 assists.

"It was a major victory," Locke said. "We are making progress, and we need to keep working hard." The Salukis are currently 12-2 overall and 7-2 in the MVC.

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Chicago Tribune polls have shown him trailing his opponent by 15 points. A recent Chicago Sun-Times poll showed him trailing by two points.

"I don't believe the polls," Poschard said. "We are going to continue to run an old-fashioned campaign as we always have." Poschard said he is holding his campaign on several principles — the most important of which, he contends, is equality in education. The Southern Illinois native said he would like to see quality education made available to everyone regardless of the area of the state in which they live.

"We should equalize the funding to the state's universities as much as we can," Poschard said. He said higher education funding needs to be dealt with on an individual basis and supports a more balanced budget for universities.

The former educator has criticized his opponent's proposed education plan, which calls for cuts in every state dollar to go into education, calling it "unrealistic." He also said the plan would hurt the state's economy and academic quality.

Poschard has received endorsements from a number of local and state officials, including the Southern Illinois Chamber of Commerce and various local unions.

Poschard has also expressed support for the state's transportation infrastructure, saying it is important to make investments in roads and bridges to keep the state competitive.

"I want to change that."
SPORTS

Another splitting weekend

ROAD WARRIORS:
Volleyball team beats Bradley, loses to No. 1
Northern Iowa.

PAUL WILKINSON
DAILY EAGLE STAFF REPORTER

While the rest of the Missouri Valley Conference is climbing at full speed, this is the conference 1, 2, 3 in the Valley, SIUC's volleyball team was the first to arrive. But, the Bears have finished well after the weekend, splitting five straight weekends in conference play.

The weekend continued fast and

ended at the Salt Lake campus prior to the opening of the 1-1-12 against the University of Creighton and Drake University, SIU's first game at the Salt Lake tournament.

But, the Bears at the University of Northern Iowa kept splitting the Bears from their second weekend in the conference, by defeating the Salt Lake 11-15, 12-15, 15-6. The Bears were left with a 14-11 overall record and an 8-6 mark in MVC play as a 1-1-1-2 team at the end of the Salt Lake tournament.

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NARROW VICTORY:
Dawgs struggle, but come out victorious at SIU Arena.

SHANE RICHARDSON
SPORTS EDITOR

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coach Mike Gailey at the two-yard line.

The Salukis, who helped fill in for injured Chris Thunell, were the only team to take the lead in the second half. The Salukis are the only team to win a game without a lead change in the second half.

The combination of Thunell, senior forward James Jackson, and junior forward Chris Thunell is a key to the team's success. Jackson did not score in the first half, but added 18 points in the second half. Thunell, who had an emergency appendectomy, scored 24 points in the game and set a new career high for points in a game.

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