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Plagiarism group gets more possible cases

Ex-professor hands possibly copied documents to committee member

Brandon Weisenberger
DAILY EGYPTIAN

Possible plagiarism at SIUC doesn't stop with the long-range plan Southern at 150, according to materials presented to a three-member committee reviewing the case.

Former linguistics professor Joan Friedenbergs on Friday handed committee member Mike Lawrence a stack of documents from across

campus with wording that is nearly verbatim from other universities.

The director of the Paul Simon Public Policy Institute invited Friedenbergs to discuss the accusations against Southern at 150, the university's plan to become a top-75 public research institution by its 150th anniversary in 2019.

Friedenbergs said she took the opportunity to bring the other documents to Lawrence's attention.

She said some of the possibly plagiarized material came from teaching philosophies, departmental mission statements and a Morris Library Web site segment on effective teaching.

In September, supporters of Chris Dussold, a former SIUC-Edwardsville professor who was fired in 2004 for plagiarizing his teaching statement, aired the accusations against Southern at 150.

The supporters, who call themselves Alumni and Faculty Against Corruption at SIUC, have searched for plagiarism among administrators for Dussold's wrongful termination

suit, which claims university officials exempt themselves from plagiarism charges.

The committee, formed Sept. 8 by SIUC President Glenn Poshard, remains in the process of interviewing people connected to Southern at 150 and Vision 2020, a Texas A&M long-range plan that the SIUC project is accused of copying.

On the committee with Lawrence are SIUC School of Law associate dean Wenona Whitfield and Department of Zoology chairman William Muhlach.

Lawrence said the committee is still investigating and is not ready to

make a report.

Committee members have not discussed what they will do with the new information, but Lawrence said he did not anticipate the group will analyze anything further than Southern at 150. He would not discuss the origins of the materials Friedenbergs presented.

Poshard has asked for a written report from the committee, but no date has been set for its completion.

"We understand the need to work with dispatch, but we also need to be thorough," Lawrence said.

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MELISSA BARR ~ DAILY EGYPTIAN

The color guard from Owensboro, Ky., stands near the stage during the third annual Veterans Reunion on Saturday afternoon at the VFW in Marion. The ceremony was held to honor Desert Storm and Iraqi veterans. See page 12.

Homecoming week kicks off tomorrow

Ryan Rendleman
DAILY EGYPTIAN

"Sacks, Dawgs and Rock 'n' Roll," the theme of this year's Homecoming, will bring SIUC alumni and current students together for a week of school-oriented events.

Homecoming week starts Tuesday and runs through Saturday, with the football game concluding the events.

Dustin Davis, executive director of the Student Programming Council, said homecoming provides a chance for students to meet alumni for storytelling and tailgating.

"It usually is a pretty good time to build relationships with alumni," Davis said.

Davis said many of the events this week will entertain students, alumni and residents in addition to celebrating the university. The main events include Homecoming court elections held Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the Student Center and 3 to 7 p.m. in the Recreation Center. Also, the parade will be Saturday at 9:30 a.m., and the football game will start at 1:30 p.m. Parade floats will have a rock 'n' roll theme.

University tradition gives fraternities and sororities one week during the year to host events. Alpha Phi Alpha has traditionally been given Homecoming week.

Alpha Phi Alpha will host the 35th annual Miss Ebonyess pageant Saturday at 7 p.m. in Shryock Auditorium. Cergio Brown, vice president of Alpha Phi Alpha, said seven black women will be judged on how well they perform in categories such as talent, dancing, singing and intellect. The winner will be named the next Miss Ebonyess. The event costs \$7 in advance and \$10 at the door.

"It's an event where we just allow black women to showcase their talents," he said.

Brown also said the fraternity will host a step show Friday at 7 p.m. at the Carbondale Middle School. Greek organizations from different schools come every year to compete in the step show, which involves stomping and clapping in a form similar to a dance. The show has drawn a large crowd in the past. Tickets cost \$8 at the Student Center and \$10 at the door.

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SIUC recognizes GLBT history month

Sarah Lohman
DAILY EGYPTIAN

Part of the college experience is learning about oneself, and this month SIUC is highlighting people who are gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender through plays, lectures and free expression walls in the residence halls.

The Saluki Rainbow Network will sponsor activities throughout the month of October to celebrate Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender people History Month.

"The way GLBT people are treated in the media, particularly young people that come here that are just coming out and starting to recognize their sexuality, don't get any positive images. So celebrating gay history month really provides positive role models, positive experiences and information for all gay people," said Paulette Curkin, a

coordinator for student development and adviser for the Saluki Rainbow Network.

This will be Curkin's 20th year advising the RSO.

The Rainbow Network used to coordinate events, which were held within the week around Oct. 11, National Coming Out Day. Carl Ervin of Student Development took over planning the event about three years ago. Ervin also plans events such as Latino Heritage Month and Asian Awareness Month. By taking over GLBT History Month, he was able to fund it and improve it, Curkin said.

GLBT month is a nationally recognized month commemorating the first two gay and lesbian marches on Washington in October 1979 and 1987.

One of the highlights of the month will be a lecture from activist Peterson Toscano called "Doin'

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— Paulette Curkin
adviser for the Saluki Rainbow Network

Time in the Homo No Mo Halfway House: How I Survived the Ex-gay Movement." It is scheduled to take place at 6:30 p.m. Oct. 17 in the Student Center Auditorium.

As part of the month's events, a new play, "Tying the Knot," by SIUC's David Rush will take place Oct. 23 in the Student Center Auditorium.

Bob Cerchio, who is leaving the university, has been a longtime supporter of the Saluki Rainbow Network as well as member of the Triangle Coalition, will be a huge loss to the two groups, said Curkin.

"He's always been willing to stand up and speak up, so I'm look-

ing for somebody to help me. It's going to be tough, even if his jokes are pretty lame," Curkin said.

She said they won't let him get too far. Cerchio, who served as Shryock's coordinator for more than 30 years, has taken another position at Southeast Missouri State. He could not be reached for comment.

Sarah Lohman can be reached at 536-3311 ext. 263 or sarah_lohman@dailyegyptian.com.

For a calendar of events the Saluki Rainbow Network will host this month, visit — www.siu.edu.

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Monster Mania
• 10 p.m. today at the Sigma Nu fraternity house, 609 S. Poplar Street

Student Alumni Council meeting
• 5:30 p.m. today at the Student Center in the Kaskaskia Room

Miss Eboness '06 Ice Cream Social
• 7:06 to 9 p.m. at Grinnell's

Life 101
• 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Student Center in the Makinaw River Room
• A look at a healthy way to manage stress as midterms approach

All-majors job fair
• 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Student Center Ballrooms

Elementary education baccalaureate completion program open house
• 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at Rend Lake Marketplace in Mount Vernon
• For those interested in Elementary Education and have completed at least 2 years, or on associate's degree from partnering Community Colleges

Television: Markets, Money, Meaning
• 4:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Communications Building at the Dean's Conference Room, 1032

The calendar is a free service for community groups. We cannot guarantee that all items will run.
Submit calendar items to the DAILY EGYPTIAN newsroom, Communications 1247, at least two days before event, or call (618) 536-3311, ext. 266.

NEWS BRIEFS

Health director issues warning on carrot juice
State public health director Dr. Eric E. Whitaker issued a warning about botulism being linked to Bolthouse Farms Carrot Juice. The warning was issued after the Food and Drug Administration reported a fourth case of botulism connected to Bolthouse Farms Carrot Juice. The FDA warns consumers not to drink Bolthouse Farms Carrot Juice from 450 milliliter and one liter plastic bottles with best if used by dates of Nov. 11 or earlier. There are no reports of illness in Illinois.

Free potluck picnic and outdoor concert
The Neighborhood Co-op Grocery store, located in the Murdale Shopping Center on Illinois Route 13 West, will celebrate the local harvest with their annual Harvest Picnic at 5 p.m. Saturday at Turley Park. The event will include three-legged races, bobbing for apples, piñatas and a concert by Josh Plemon and the Lonesome Drifters.

The potluck, the largest in the region, will begin at 6 p.m., and guests are encouraged to bring a dish to pass. Grilled chicken, vegetarian Boca Burgers, one side dish, one dessert, free beer and wine and other beverages will be provided.
Josh Plemon and the Drifters will take the stage at 7 p.m. and will provide an eclectic blend of old country and swing music.

6 people killed in car collision in St. Clair County
COLLINSVILLE (AP) — A three-vehicle crash in southern Illinois killed six people, including five family members, authorities said Sunday.

The chain-reaction crash, which also injured two others, happened Saturday evening in an unincorporated part of the county near Belleville, said Illinois State Police Master Sgt. Roger Hayes.

Killed were Gary Ohren, 40, of Pocahontas, and four family members; Lora, 39; Cody, 12; Emily, 7; and Judy, 64, of Alhambra. The driver of another vehicle, Myron Schanuel, 39, of Smithton also died, Hayes said.

Ohren was driving a minivan east on Route 177 when an Schanuel's westbound SUV crossed into the lane, hitting the family's van head-on, Hayes said.
"We don't know why he crossed over," Hayes said.

Two others were injured when their car, traveling behind Ohren's, slammed into Schanuel's SUV, police said.

Marsha Holtz, 37, and Joseph Holtz, 41, of Mascoutah were treated and released from St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Belleville, said Dawn Peach, an administrative supervisor at the hospital.

The cause of the accident was still under investigation, Hayes said.

POLICE REPORTS

University
Criminal damage to state supported property occurred between 3:30 p.m. Sept. 23 and 3:30 p.m. Sept. 24 in Life Science II. An environmental refrigeration chamber was reported damaged. The investigation continues.

was released.
A fraudulent scheme occurred between 8 a.m. Sept. 7 and 8:33 a.m. Thursday in the Agriculture Building. Moneymaking fliers were reported. The investigation continues.

SIUC student Rahfielle E. Williams, 24, of Chicago was cited with driving with a suspended driver's license at 6:33 p.m. Wednesday on Thompson Point Drive. Williams posted \$100 cash bond and

Marion
John E. Melton, 46, of Marion was arrested and charged with domestic battery at 9:30 p.m. Thursday on Noble Lane, located west of Marion. Melton was taken to Williamson County Jail where he remains.

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High/low yesterday 82°/46°
Normal high/low 75°/49°
Precipitation:
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Month to date 0.00"
Normal month to date 0.09"
Year to date 37.45"
Normal year to date 34.68"

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Sunset tonight 6:39 p.m.
Moonrise today 4:17 p.m.
Moonset today 1:10 a.m.

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Atlanta	84 58 s	83 58 s
Boston	67 52 pc	76 60 pc
Cincinnati	80 58 s	82 64 pc
Dallas	95 72 s	92 72 pc
Denver	85 47 s	74 46 pc
Indianapolis	82 59 s	85 64 s
Kansas City	92 68 s	92 66 s
Las Vegas	87 69 pc	88 67 s
Nashville	87 58 s	87 64 s
New Orleans	92 73 pc	90 73 pc
New York City	69 58 s	78 64 pc
Orlando	90 72 pc	88 70 pc
Phoenix	98 77 pc	98 74 pc
San Francisco	66 54 pc	64 56 pc
Seattle	63 44 pc	61 46 pc
Washington, DC	76 56 s	84 60 s

Legend: W-weather, s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.

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Regional Cities

City	Today	Tue.
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Champaign	86 58 s	86 61 s
Chicago	82 62 pc	82 62 pc
Danville	84 61 s	88 66 pc
Edwardsville	88 67 s	92 67 s
Moline	88 63 s	88 60 pc
Mt. Vernon	85 59 s	85 63 s
Paducah	86 59 s	88 66 s
Peoria	86 63 s	89 63 s
Quincy	88 65 s	91 67 s
Rockford	84 62 pc	82 59 pc
Springfield	88 64 s	89 61 s

DE online with revamped site

Brandon Weisenberger
DAILY EGYPTIAN

The daily egyptian's Web site has a new look and a new name.

Today is the official launch of www.siuDE.com, the newspaper's drive to digitally deliver university and Carbondale news, Saluki sports and local entertainment.

"This site has been a long time in the making," said Andrea Zimmermann, the DE's editor in chief. "We are finally coming into the information age, and not a moment too soon."

The site was online last week, but that time was used to elicit feedback and make additional changes before making the launch official, she said.

Work on the site first began in January, when a class in the School of Journalism took on the task of developing the site as a class project. Members of the DE's five-person Web team, led by senior Mario Neither, took the class ideas and worked during the summer and the beginning of the fall semester to get the site ready for the launch.

The new site offers many features for the readers. Visitors to the new site can access PDF versions of the newspaper to see the DE as it appeared that day. Individual articles and photos produced by the staff are available, along with archives dating back to fall 1995.

Readers can comment on some stories that are enabled for message boards, and through a link in the Voices section, they can weigh in on virtually any issue through forums. Polls ask for opinions on top issues regarding the university community.

Profiles of DE reporters accompany each article, so readers can get to know those who deliver the news. DE reporters can also provide news shortly after it breaks, and Saluki sports scores can be available the day of the games.

Visiting assistant professor Anita Stoner said the previous site, which was launched about 10 years ago, was outdated, difficult to navigate and poorly organized.

Stoner's online journalism class developed the groundwork for the site in the spring semester.

Similar to the print publication, siuDE.com has its own character in Gloria Bode, cousin of the wisecracking Gus Bode, the fictional character who has commented from the pages of the daily egyptian since 1956.

Gloria was drawn by the DE's award-winning resident artist Alex Ayala. Initially, she was designed as a hip, modern young woman with a fully detailed face, but it did not go over well with all the readers, according to early message board postings.

"Our idea was to create a logo that would be a test run on the Web site, and we got feedback, negative and positive, that helped us refine Gloria Bode," Ayala said. "This is a work in progress, and I would like to see our Web site readers give us their opinion and let us take her from there to tweak her image."

Ayala has refined Gloria to make her resemble the vastly recognizable Gus, with only a faceless head, spectacles, hair and a slender body.

"One of my main concerns was making her timeless and making a connection with Gus Bode because Gloria is related to him," he said.

The DE has partnered with River Region Evening Edition, WSIU-TV's student-produced broadcast, to provide video on the site. It also has a partnership with alt.news 26:46, SIUC's student-run monthly television news program.

"That already seems to be the most popular feature of the site," Stoner said.

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POLL
Thoughts on the top topics of the day.

Two DE staff members and two River Region staff members spent three days in New Orleans with a group of architecture students who are planning the rebuilding of a community post-Hurricane Katrina. Coverage of the trip from both media outlets is available on the site.

Stoner said the site could also partner with WSIU-Radio to provide sound bites.

Zimmermann said multimedia convergence is the future of news. There are very few large newspapers who still only provide news from its print edition on its Web site, she said, and being

able to communicate through different mediums can only help deliver the news.

"It's about giving the readers the best possible news coverage," she said. "Hopefully with this new site and our partnerships, we will be able to do that."

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- 11:00-11:25 **Podcasting:** Be **HEARD** in the Classroom!
- 11:30-11:55 **5 MINUTE** Websites and Blogs for Your Class
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WORLD & NATION

Brazil election runoff likely

Harold Olmos
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

BRASILIA, Brazil — Brazil's presidential election appeared to be headed for a runoff, with its leftist leader getting slightly less than half the vote Sunday in late returns after his party was slammed in the final days of the campaign with charges of corruption and dirty tricks.

With 94 percent of the ballots counted, President Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva had 49.1 percent of the vote compared to 41.1 percent for center-right Geraldo Alckmin, Sao Paulo state's former governor, election authorities said.

Silva, who had been favored to win because of the economic stability and anti-poverty programs he brought to Brazil, needs 50 percent plus one vote to win the contest Sunday. If he fails to get that, he and Alckmin head to a runoff Oct. 29.

An official announcement on a runoff was not likely until Monday or perhaps later after all the votes are counted from the remote corners of the country and Sao Paulo state, Alckmin's stronghold and Brazil's most populous state.

Silva's campaign manager, Marco Aurelio Garcia, said a first-round win for the president was still possible because many of the uncounted votes were from Brazil's impoverished northeast, which has benefited handsomely from government social programs.

"We believe that Lula will show solid growth as the vote from the northeast starts showing its weight," Garcia told reporters. "But I want to reaffirm that we always pre-

pared ourselves for a two-round election."

However, of the 7 million uncounted votes by late Sunday, 6 million were from Sao Paulo state, where Alckmin was beating Silva.

Earlier Sunday, Silva said he was confident of a first-round victory after voting in the industrial town of Sao Bernardo Do Campo where he rose to prominence as a labor leader.

For months, polls have shown Silva easily winning the race. But Silva saw his once-commanding lead plummet on the eve of the vote as his Workers' Party was battered by allegations that party officials tried to buy a mysterious dossier that apparently contained incriminating information about a political rival.

Major newspapers ran front-page photos over the weekend showing piles of money allegedly meant to buy information showing corrupt dealings by an opponent. Local media reported the photos were leaked by federal police.

Silva's party claimed that Alckmin's supporters were involved and filed a complaint Sunday with a judge demanding that Alckmin's candidacy be declared invalid because of the leak. The judge has said he would consider the case. Alckmin's campaign has denied involvement.

Six members of Lula's party, including an old friend who ran his personal security detail, face arrest warrants for their alleged roles in efforts to buy the damaging information and Silva fired his campaign manager days before the election. The president has repeatedly denied



JACK CHANG ~ MCT

A voter signs to cast her ballot at a polling spot in the city of Belford Roxo, Brazil, on Sunday.

knowledge of any wrongdoing.

Alckmin, of the centrist Social Democracy Party, voted Sunday in Sao Paulo's upscale neighborhood of Morumbi. He said he was sure there would be a runoff election and that "ethics will defeat corruption."

For many voters, the corruption allegations appeared to be a deciding factor.

"I'm not going to tell you who I

voted for because the vote is secret," said Adelaide Venissato, a 53-year-old woman who owns a clothing store. "But I will tell you who I didn't vote for. I didn't vote for Lula. We expected so much and we got very little in terms of security and clean government."

But others seemed willing to overlook the corruption allegations because they feel their lives have

gotten better during Silva's four years in office. He has brought a stable economy and social programs that have lifted millions out of poverty.

"I voted for Lula because he worried about workers and the poor," said Waldo Lima Mendonca, a 49-year-old construction worker. "And the best president for a worker is one who used to be a worker."

Feds: Terror, mob may collaborate

Pat Milton
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The FBI's top counterterrorism official harbors lots of concerns: weapons of mass destruction, undetected home-grown terrorists and the possibility that old-fashioned mobsters will team up with al-Qaida for the right price.

Though there is no direct evidence yet of organized crime collaborating with terrorists, the first

hints of a connection surfaced in a recent undercover FBI operation. Agents stopped a man with alleged mob ties from selling missiles to an informant posing as a terrorist middleman.

That case and other factors are heightening concerns about a real-life episode of the Sopranos teaming with Osama bin Laden's followers.

"We are continuing to look for a nexus," said Joseph Billy Jr., the

FBI's top counterterrorism official. "We are looking at this very aggressively."

The new strategy involves an analysis of nationwide criminal investigations, particularly white collar crime, side by side with intelligence and terrorist activity.

"We have developed an ability to look harder and broader in a greatly enhanced way to see if there is any crossover," Billy said in an interview with The Associated Press.

Quebec overpass collapse kills five

Phil Couvrette
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

LAVAL, Quebec — Quebec provincial police said Sunday that at least five people were crushed to death in their cars after the collapse of an overpass near Montreal.

The cars were pulled out about 15 hours after Saturday's dramatic lunchtime accident when a 65-foot stretch of three lanes of a viaduct collapsed, sending several other vehicles crashing onto Highway 19 below.

Firefighters and other workers had to use cranes and other heavy machinery to painstakingly break up the concrete into as many as 18 huge slabs, including a pedestrian sidewalk.

Three people were found in one car and two other bodies were recovered from the other car trapped by the falling concrete in Laval, police

spokeswoman Isabelle Gendron said.

The vehicles were crushed so badly in the Saturday afternoon collapse that they barely reached the knees of one firefighter when lifted from under tons of concrete rubble Sunday.

"At this point, the rescue operation is completed," Gendron said, noting that no other vehicles were trapped beneath the concrete.

Drivers on Highway 19 in the Greater Montreal Area slammed on their brakes and watched in horror as the overpass slowly collapsed shortly before 1 p.m.

Police said six people were injured, including two who were listed in critical condition, when a minivan and a motorcycle plunged off the overpass.

Doctors at Sacre-Coeur Hospital in Montreal said some of those injured had improved overnight but

gave no further details.

One of the injured was counting his blessings the day after the collapse. Robert Hotte was driving over the viaduct when the road in front of him began to disappear.

"I was wondering what the ... what is happening," he told The Canadian Press. "As we went down with the bridge, my first words were to say 'Anne-Marie,' the name of my girlfriend. We went down, falling with the bridge. It was all dark."

The vehicle crashed into the debris below, landing on the passenger side window. They crawled out a window, waiting for a few minutes in a police car for an ambulance to arrive and take them to hospital.

Hotte suffered some minor injuries and was released after X-rays. His girlfriend remained in the hospital in stable condition Sunday, but she had some internal bleeding, Hotte said.

WIRE REPORTS

WHITE HOUSE

Rumsfeld says he won't resign, has Bush's support

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) — Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld, coming under renewed fire for his management of the Iraq war, said Sunday he is not considering resigning and said the president had called him personally in recent days to express his continued support.

Speaking to reporters en route to Nicaragua for a meeting of defense ministers, Rumsfeld said he was not surprised by reports in a new book that White House staff had encouraged President Bush to fire him after the 2004 election.

"It's the task of the chief of staff of the White House — and having been one, I know that — to raise all kinds of questions with the president and think through different ways of approaching things," Rumsfeld said. "So it wouldn't surprise me a bit if that subject had come up."

In the new book "State of Denial," Washington Post assistant managing editor Bob Woodward writes that former White House chief of staff Andrew Card twice sought to persuade Bush to fire Rumsfeld.

IRAQ

Shiite politicians demand government changes

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Shiite politicians demanded changes in the Iraqi government Sunday, accusing a Sunni Arab party in the coalition of ties to terrorism after a bodyguard of its leader was arrested on suspicion of planning bomb attacks.

The dispute threatened a sectarian crisis within the national unity government of Prime Minister Nouri al-Maliki, which is struggling to contain spiraling Shiite-Sunni killings that the U.S. ambassador said have surpassed Sunni insurgent attacks in deadliness.

After the bodyguard's arrest, an unprecedented surprise curfew was imposed on Baghdad on Saturday, preventing pedestrians as well as vehicle traffic. The curfew was lifted early Sunday.

At least 23 people were killed in violence Sunday, and 21 bodies were found in Baghdad or to the south, many of them bound and tortured. In the evening, gunmen burst into a frozen food factory in Baghdad, kidnapping 24 workers and wounding two others — similar to past attacks in which militants have picked out members of the opposing sect from among the captives and killed them.

GEORGIA

Students' sex lives posted on MySpace.com

ATHENS, Ga. (AP) — Authorities are searching for whoever posted a long list and description of supposed sexual encounters between dozens of high school students on the online networking site MySpace.com.

Oconee County Sheriff's officials said they were investigating who posted the gossip about North Oconee High School students Sept. 1-9. Since gossip isn't a crime, the sheriff's report lists the offense as distributing obscene materials to minors. The list describes sexual encounters and could be accessed by people younger than 18.

"There's a lot of difference between writing on a bathroom wall and distributing it all over the world on the Internet where anyone has access to it," Lt. David Kilpatrick told the Athens Banner-Herald for a story published Sunday.

Democrats open Jackson County headquarters

Brandon Augsborg
DAILY EGYPTIAN

The Democratic Party cut the ribbon in front of its new home in Jackson County on Saturday.

Despite intermittent rain showers, Democrats from Jackson County, including many candidates in the upcoming elections, gathered for the grand opening of the Democratic headquarters, located at 813 E. Main St. in Carbondale. The new headquarters is located next to the former Sunset Hotel.

The official Green Party headquarters is located in the former Currency Exchange on South University Avenue and the Jackson County Republican headquarters is on Illinois Route 13 in downtown Murphysboro.

John Evans, headquarters manager and Jackson County board incumbent and candidate, said the Democrats chose the location because it is highly visible and there is ample parking.

"Carbondale — we feel — is the hub of Jackson County," he said.

Evans said candidates could use the headquarters as a distribution site for their literature and signs. He said it would also be helpful for constituents because they could go to one place and find everything they needed about the candidates.

He said the headquarters would also help candidates get their message out to the people of Jackson County. He said some of the candidates have a hard time getting all over the county, and the new phone system would help candidates reach all of their constituents.



Larry Reinhardt (left), running for re-election as County Clerk and Recorder, and Jim Clarke, running for Country Board, look over a map of campaigning area Saturday morning at the new Democratic headquarters in Carbondale. "Student voting ... that's where our lowest turnout has been," Reinhardt said as a point of focus.

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Evans said the phone system and computers were paid for by Gov. Rod Blagojevich's campaign. He said he didn't know how much any of it cost because the governor's office paid for all of the equipment and shipped it to Carbondale without sending a bill.

Shirley Booker, chairwoman of the Democratic Party in Jackson County and county treasurer incumbent and candidate, said the

headquarters would give candidates a gathering place and help them be accessible. She said the next month is the time when candidates need to ratchet up their campaigns.

"Now is the time when we really have to get down to it," Booker said.

She said many people do not realize how much the local elections affect their lives, so the goal is to get people involved in the election.

"We want to get the vote out, get people out to vote and get them interested in the elections," Booker said.

Kouri Marshall, a graduate student studying public administration and president of the Jackson County Young Democrats, said he thought the building would help the Party gain momentum.

He said he is reminded to vote every time he drives by the build-

ing, and he said he hoped the signs would remind other people to get out and vote, too. He said the students would be a key factor in this year's election.

"It is important to mobilize voters and build energy within that environment," he said.

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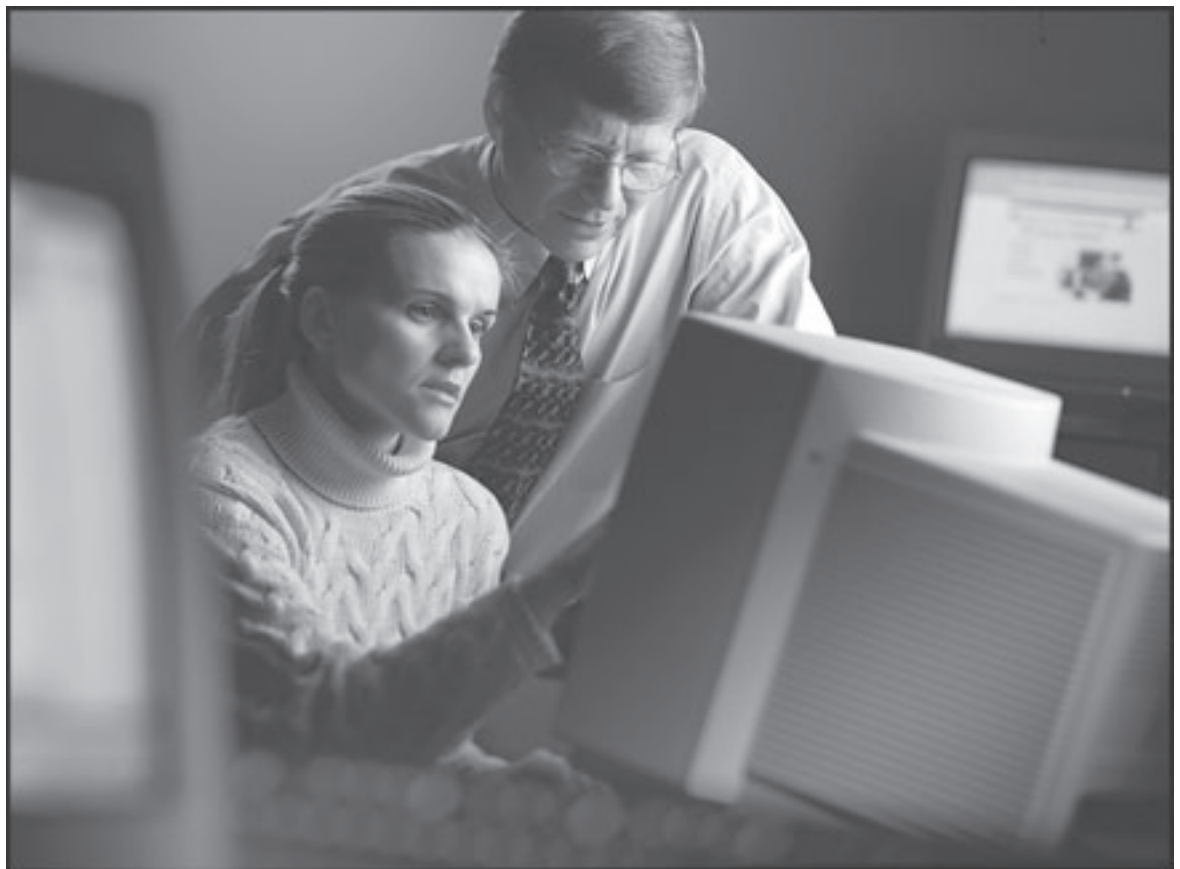


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FROM THE EDITOR

Welcome to our Web site

This is an exciting time at the DAILY EGYPTIAN. The launch of this Web site will hopefully usher in a new era of a newspaper with a storied history of aggressively covering the SIUC community.

From my earliest recollections at the DE, I remember people talking about the Web site, saying they hoped they could revamp it. Each semester, it was the same thing.

With the help of the School of Journalism, our faculty adviser and some very dedicated students, that wish is now real and not a moment too soon.

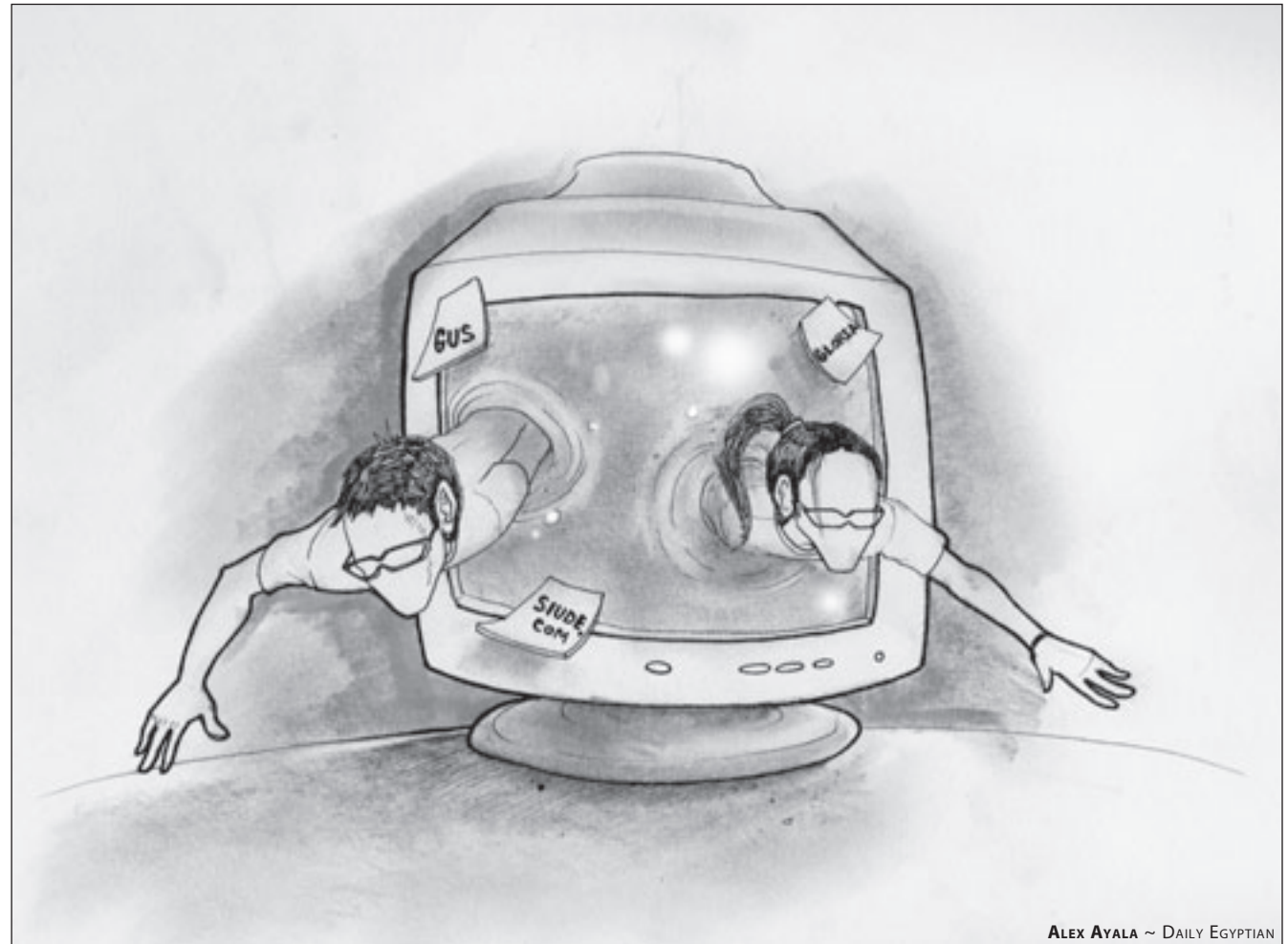
Anyone paying the least bit of attention to the newspaper industry cannot ignore the wails from analysts and publishers about the rush to get online. Our media counterparts in television are strides ahead of us in terms of having an online presence.

As students, we see the changes everywhere. We know our news habits — the first thing we do every morning is boot up our laptops. When we go off to internships at newspapers, such as the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, The (Peoria) Journal Star and the (Springfield) State Journal Register, all of the editors want to know — do you have Internet experience?

But more importantly, this new site enhances the reader's news consumption. We are the foremost media outlet for SIUC news, and now we can provide the entire news experience through text, photos, audio and video.

The launch of this site has invigorated the staff and makes us want to keep pushing for more. We hope to bring at least one new feature to the site every month.

As we worked to develop the new



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site, some issues came up, and since quietly launching the site last week, our frequent online readers have been able to spot them as well.

- The first is the URL. For us to get a new site, we had to disable the previous dailyegyptian.com and choose a new one. The only one available for purchase was siude.com. This is not a sign of connection to the administration. We treasure our independence, with everything but the electricity bill being paid

from our nearly \$1 million advertising revenue.

- The next issue is our archive system. We are working to bring all of the old archives — dating back to 1995 — onto the new site. This will take time, so bear with us.

- The last issue — and probably the most noticeable — is the character in the top right-hand corner of the page. Gloria Bode made her debut last week to mixed reviews.

We thought about using Gus — a

character so deeply embedded in our print version — on the Web site as well, but we saw the site as one arm of the DE and in need of its similar, yet separate, identity.

See the next part of the page for Gloria's biography and a more detailed explanation, but know this: Gus Bode will never leave the DAILY EGYPTIAN because he is the very definition of this newspaper and will always represent the everyday student.

Who is Gloria Bode?

Since 1956, Gus Bode has appeared in the print edition of the DAILY EGYPTIAN, and through the years, he has transformed from simple words to the shaggy-haired, spectacled student who comments on happenings around the university, the state and the nation.

He is perhaps the hardest-working employee at the paper, but this perennial slacker balked at the thought of being the campus gadfly for both the newspaper and its new Web site. He knew of only one person up to the task

of upholding his sarcastic reputation.

Enter Gloria Bode, Gus' cousin. Perhaps less rough around the edges but equally as nerdy, Gloria serves as Gus' counterpart for siude.com. Anyone thinking she will spare them the same jibes are mistaken, for she has the same sharp eye for spotting audacious behavior, whether it is from administrators, city officials or students.

Gloria will also direct readers to exciting content on the site each day. So, watch for her

to throw on her Saluki gear for Homecoming or to fall asleep in the library during finals.

Like Gus, Gloria is the everyday student. She makes it to most of her classes, takes naps during the day, loves late-night pizza and bagels, hates parking on campus, still gets lost in Faner Hall and most of all, loves her Salukis.

Gus Bode has a storied history at the DAILY EGYPTIAN that started more than 50 years ago, and he has no intention of going anywhere. After all, who wouldn't want a job where his sole respon-

sibility is to be a smart alec?

Named after Phillip August Bode, an opinionated janitor from Valmyer, Gus Bode (pronounced Bo-dee) found his first home on the DE editorial page. In 1962, he gained a face and image and eventually found his way to page 1. He has sported Saluki maroon, donned jailbird pinstripes, worn a woman's dress and participated in student tailgating.

In 2005, Gus Bode was incorporated into the paper's flag, after he had a few years of spotty

appearances in his beloved publication. Today he remains there, still using his relentless wit to charm and amuse readers.

Speaking from the average student's perspective, Gus and Gloria Bode spare no one. Their quips will violate social norms, political correctness and certain behaviors, but they do not attack individuals.



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SIUC President Glen Poshard

STUDENT COLUMNISTS

Mental health programs lower suicide rates

Alison Malmon
MCT

As another academic year shifts into full gear, millions of college students once again are settling in with new roommates, adjusting to new course schedules and adapting to life away from families and friends.

For far too many, the stress level can be excruciating. The academic, financial and social pressures for both first-year students and upperclassmen often overwhelm the excitement of embarking on a quest for knowledge that can — and should — lead to a life of achievement, fulfillment and happiness.

All too often, however, college students feel more loneliness, isolation and stress than they've ever known before.

Whether new to the college scene or returning upperclassmen, not all collegians, contrary to the generally rosy public perception, are experiencing "the best time of their lives" — and it's high time we owned up to it.

The statistics are mind numbing. In a 2005 survey conducted by the American College Health Association, more than half of the nation's 17.6 million college students reported being so depressed that they could not function; and one in 10 students — 1,760,000 — reported they had seriously contemplated attempting suicide.

The vast majority of Americans don't realize that suicide is the second-leading cause of death for college students — killing more young people between the ages of 18-24 than all physical illnesses combined.

One reason for this knowledge vacuum is because a serious dialogue about mental health and suicide on college campuses is largely absent.

Moreover, many students are convinced they can start anew when they arrive on campus. They assume the mental health problems they experienced in high school were just a phase and a different environment will ease or end their symptoms.

Mental illnesses are not just debilitating, they are isolating. It is imperative that we build a genuine

support network on college campuses and provide tolerant and safe environments so that each and every student has a better chance of thriving.

Until recently, most colleges and universities have been remiss in publicizing their mental health resources and failed to reach out to students as soon as they enter the orientation process. Incoming students need to be informed about the resources available to them both on-campus and in the surrounding community. And college officials should urge them to take their mental health as seriously as they would their physical well-being.

Over the past decade, America has stepped up to the challenge of accommodating people with physical disabilities, fostering tolerance and compassion. Mental health disorders are every bit as real as physical ones and deserve the same respect and acceptance.

The fact is that many mental health disorders, depression, bipolar disorder, eating disorders, anxiety — for reasons both biological and situational — show up for the first time during college years.

In order to avert the pain and suffering the entire college community experiences when a student withdraws due to a mental illness — or far worse, a tragic suicide — college students must be made aware of the signs and symptoms of mental illnesses. They should be encouraged to discuss their concerns with friends or classmates who are demonstrating signs of illness, and encourage them to avail themselves of the plethora of mental health resources available on campus, in the community and over the Internet.

Mental health awareness is reaching ever-growing numbers among the vulnerable young adult population that needs it most. And through the power of peer-to-peer support and mental health education, students are finally getting the message they need to hear: That they are not alone and that recovery is attainable.

Malmon is president and founder of Active Minds, a nonprofit organization dedicated to mental health of

Bill Clinton could teach Democrats a lesson

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Last week Bill Clinton appeared on FOX News and gave a clinic for the Democratic Party. Hopefully, the Democratic Party and its leaders taped and studied the interview.

Democrats have become a case study in how to bully your opponents. To many observers, the Party has been "punked" on a regular basis. Quiet reflection and charming responses are ineffective against the Bush/Rove machine.

The Democratic Party is in desperate need of Clinton's sass. While Clinton certainly had his faults, one of his most endearing qualities was the ability to stand toe-to-toe with rightwing ideologues. Radio commentator Rush Limbaugh and other conservatives spent eight years in a vain attempt to destroy the crafty Clinton. Despite scandals during his administration, Clinton remained extremely popular with the American people.

How did this happen? Maybe, it's because, despite impeachment, special prosecutors, hearings and investigations, he would not be bullied. Clinton is a charismatic combatant who is not afraid to throw mud back. When accusations of womanizing and crooked deals emerged, Clinton went down in the gutter and fought with the rats and emerged triumphant. His theme song should have been "I'm Still Standing."

Last Sunday, he came out fighting again. Democratic political operator Paul Begala lauded Clinton's performance stating, "Yes, finally, what Democrats have needed for a long time, they should've done this in the '02 elections, they should've done it in the '04 elections, is stand up and say the emperor has no clothes."

Last Sunday on FOX News Clinton provided the Democratic Party with their playbook for victory. It is high time for the Democratic Party to show Bill Clinton's ferocity.

One must wonder why the Democrats are not unified in their

anger and determination to oust the Republicans. Why aren't the Democrats exhibiting Clinton's fire? More significantly, the Democrats have passively permitted the Republican Party to frequently depict them as weak and soft on terrorism.

The Republicans continuously blast the Democrats on issues of national security, and the Democrats ignore these charges and continue to lose elections. In fact, Karl Rove's entire strategy centers on the Democrats' timidity and their reluctance to challenge the administration. In light of recent events in Iraq, the Democrats should call for impeachment and removal daily. The war should be a constant theme for Democrats. Yet, the majority of the Democratic Party wrings its collective hands.

Intelligence reports revealed that Iraq is a breeding ground for terrorists. However, Democrats still mince their words and splice their speech. The Democrats fear they will be attacked as unpatriotic for standing up to this administration, so they bow their heads and speak in low voices.

The Democrats should be in the catbird seat yet, they are on the run and are constantly on the defensive.

This is not a new phenomenon. In 1988, President George Bush and the late Lee Atwater destroyed the timid Michael Dukakis. He stood by meekly as he was whacked with Willy Horton and made to look like a weak kneed coward. Democratic Vietnam War veteran Max Cleland lost the senate because he was labeled as "soft." In 2004, John Kerry was swiftboated out of the election, and George Bush went relatively unchallenged.

Over 50 years ago, during Harry Truman's 1948 presidential campaign a supporter yelled to Truman, "Give 'em hell, Harry!" Truman responded, "I don't give them hell, I just tell the truth and they think it's hell."

Last week, Bill Clinton gave them hell on FOX News. Hopefully his party will follow the example.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

So who is Gus Bode anyway?

DEAR EDITOR:

Ever since my freshman year, I've been a somewhat adamant reader of the DAILY EGYPTIAN. Well, I skim the article headlines as I make my way to the Jumble ... but nonetheless, I've always been intrigued by one thing: Who is Gus Bode? Not only that, but where did he come from? How long has he been with the DE? How long has the DE been around? Who made him? Why is he always looking backwards? Does he only have one eye? I certainly don't see a "Gus Illustrator" in your "Reaching Us" section of the newspaper.

I know there's some lucky dude down there at the DE who actually gets paid to spend all day thinking, "What should Gus be saying and doing today?" Somebody nearby says, "Hey, could you proof-read this

paragraph real quick?" and he replies, "Nope, busy trying to decide what Gus is going to say and wear."

How did that guy get the job? Was there some raffle at the beginning of the school year where everyone was like, "OK, we're about to find out who spends every day as Gus Bode Editor in Chief?" or something?

And what's up with the name Gus Bode anyway? Was it the name of some dude back in the '60s that worked on the DE who was like, "My dad owns this department, and he says I get to have my own little cartoon guy appearing in every paper, and you can't argue 'cause my dad's the boss?"

If you all only knew how my blood pressure increases at the illogicality of trying to figure all this out.

How do his glasses stay up without a nose? How does he speak without a mouth? Seriously now, I need an explanation. If not about anything else, at least the fact we never see his eyes. "We" as in the readers.

We need an explanation. Even if you say "umm, sorry Adam, but even we at the DE don't really know," then that's good enough for me. Just say what you know, and there won't be trouble. Take away the Jumble, and that's a different situation. Thank you for listening, and if you don't hear back from me, it may be because I had an aneurysm thinking about it.

Adam Colbert
senior from Sparta studying music

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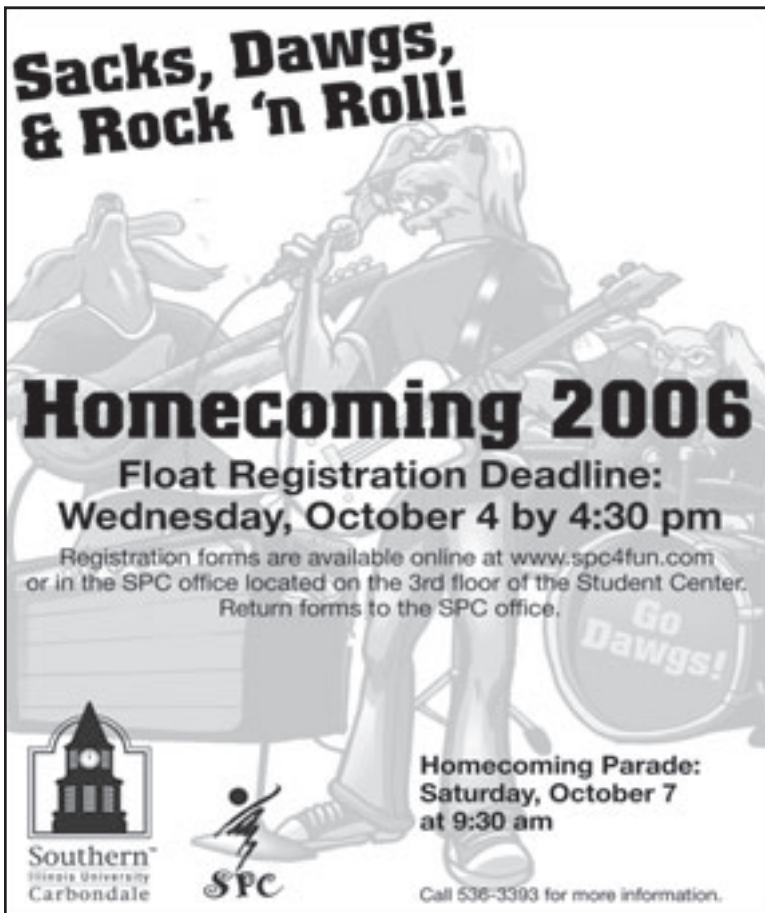


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Chris Richard, 10, of Christopher stops playing with friends to gaze at Saluki mascot Gray Dawg in the midst of pre-game festivities Saturday evening. Chris was at the Saluki football game celebrating a friend's 10th birthday.

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Criminal probe possible in e-mail scandal

John Heilprin
 THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The White House and Democratic leaders in Congress called Sunday for a criminal probe into former Rep. Mark Foley's electronic messages to teenage boys — a lurid scandal that has put House Republicans in political peril.

White House counselor Dan Bartlett called the allegations against Foley shocking. He said President Bush hadn't learned of

Foley's inappropriate e-mails to a 16-year-old boy and instant messages to other boys before the news broke last week.

Bartlett said House leaders were pursuing the matter aggressively enough that an independent outside investigation was not warranted. "There is going to be, I'm sure, a criminal investigation into the particulars of this case," he said. "We need to make sure that the page system is one in which children come up here and can work and make sure that they are protected."

Foley, R-Fla., resigned from Congress on Friday after the disclosure of the e-mails he sent to a former congressional page and sexually suggestive instant messages he sent to other high school pages.

Senate Democratic Leader Harry Reid of Nevada called the Foley case "repugnant, but equally as bad is the possibility that Republican leaders in the House of Representatives knew there was a problem and ignored it to preserve a congressional seat this election year."

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Saluki shaker Mallory Tate, a senior studying civil engineering, dances with her mother, Patricia George of Marion, on Saturday evening during halftime at McAndrew Stadium. The Saluki shakers danced with their mothers to the "Friends" theme song.

Israel abandons Lebanon positions

Hamza Hendawi
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

MARWAHEEN, Lebanon — The Israeli army abandoned positions in Lebanon early Sunday, withdrawing the last of its troops from its neighbor and fulfilling a key condition of the Aug. 14 cease-fire that ended a month-long war against Hezbollah.

Witnesses said the Israelis began moving tanks and armored carriers out of a few pockets near the border in southern Lebanon after midnight. Under the cover of darkness, the roar of Israeli tanks and armored vehicles

could be heard on the Lebanese side as they moved across border.

Israeli military officials said the last soldiers returned to Israel around 2:30 a.m. ahead of the onset of Yom Kippur, the holiest day on the Jewish calendar, at sundown. The officials spoke on condition of anonymity under military guidelines.

Israel had gradually reduced its troop presence since the Aug. 14 cease-fire from a peak of 30,000 during the fighting to several hundred in recent days. The final pullout was swift, taking just several hours to complete.

An armored column creaked across the border at the Israeli border community of Moshav Avivim, leaving tread marks in the soil and sending a large cloud of dust into the air that was illuminated by the vehicle's headlights. Later, the last soldiers were seen boarding a bus at nearby Moshav Zarit.

Israel sent the troops into Lebanon shortly after Hezbollah guerrillas abducted two soldiers and killed three others in a July 12 cross-border raid. More than 150 Israelis and 850 Lebanese were killed in 34 days of fighting.

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Anti-abortion chain links up

Protesters play part in national event

Liz Choate
DAILY EGYPTIAN

Peaceful demonstrators gathered in front of Gospeland Bookstore on Sunday imploring the community to show its support of anti-abortion awareness.

More than 100 people held signs and banners as they lined East Walnut Street during the annual Life Chain protest.

The event was part of National Life Chain, which allows demonstrators one hour to stand on a designated sidewalk and pray while holding approved anti-abortion messages. Communities all over the nation, including Carbondale, created life chains Sunday.

Scott White, president of Jackson County Right to Life and organizer of the event, said the purpose of the demonstration was to keep anti-abortion issues present in the community.

"We're not going to change the laws on abortion until we change the people's minds on this," White said.

He said the demonstration has taken place in Carbondale for about 20 years, and in the past 10 years the number of supporters has doubled.

Kathy Brunaugh of Carbondale said she has attended the annual Life Chain demonstration almost every year since it began. She wishes more community members would become active and aware of the dangers of abortion.

"I believe in life, and I think it injures not only the women — but it



Peter Baily, 12, of Pella, Iowa, holds an anti-abortion sign during the annual National Life Chain on Sunday afternoon on East Walnut Street. Jackson County Right to Life organized the event.
MELISSA BARR
DAILY EGYPTIAN

kills the child," she said.

Mark Roemeling of Carbondale attended the demonstration for the first time Sunday after years of indecisiveness.

"Years ago, I could take it or leave it," Roemeling said. "But my wife started talking to me about this over the past year, and I'm a supporter now."

He said his beliefs could be summed up in one phrase, "pro-

choice equals de-fetus.

"When you're defeated, you're defeated — that's the game," Roemeling said.

Across the street from the event, 10 pro-choice supporters stood and held signs that read "Jesus trusted women" and "Another Christian for pro-choice."

Elissa Johnson of Carbondale was one of the 10. She said she caught wind of the demonstration

via e-mail on Friday, which left her with little time to gather more people to join her.

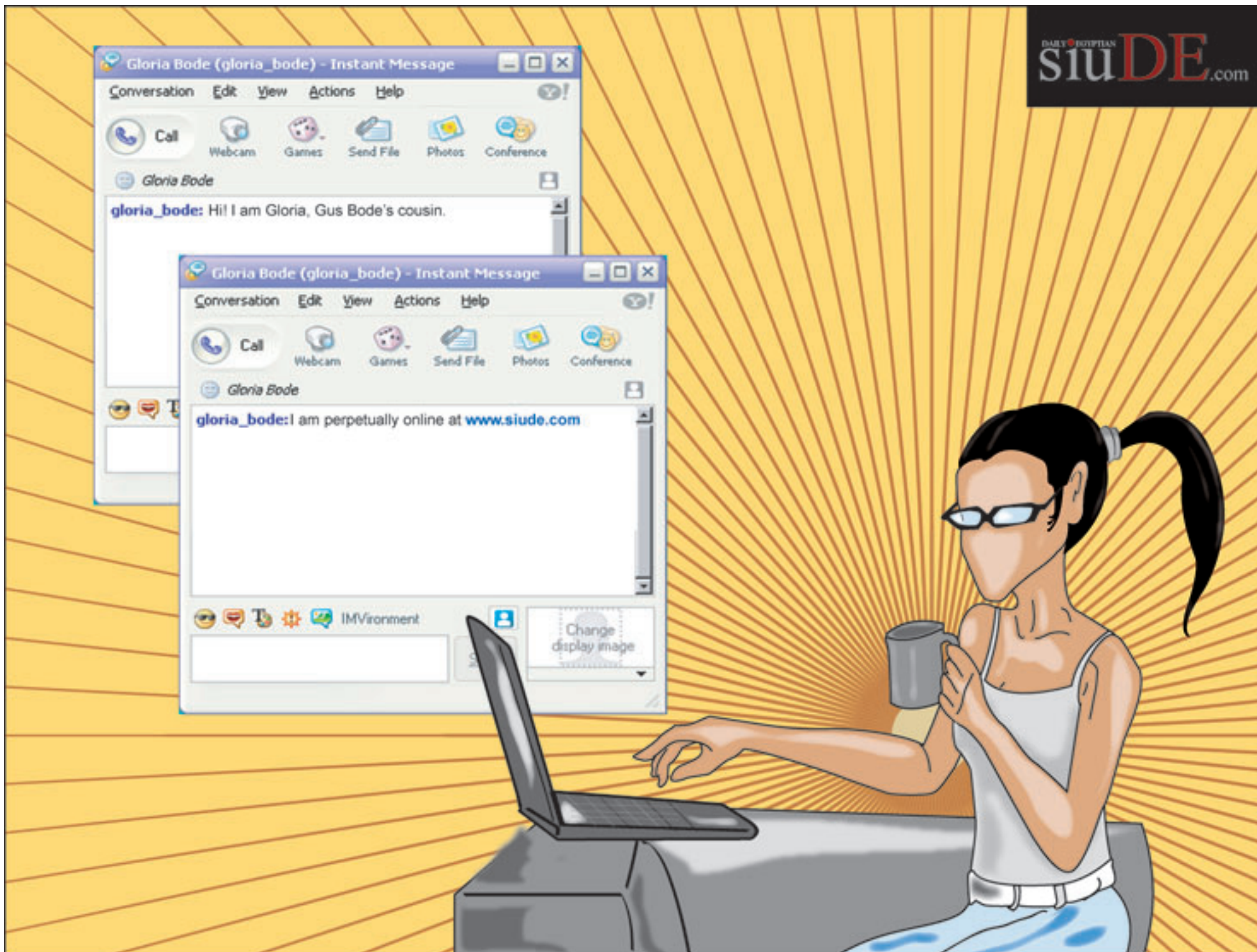
She said women should have the right to choose what goes on in their body and should always have options from which to choose.

"We want to make sure that every child is a wanted child — and the common misconception that somehow implies anti-child is incorrect," Johnson said. "Pro-choice means we

are giving the person the right to choose."

Aside from the annual Life Chain, the Right to Life organization coordinates a march every January in recognition of Roe v. Wade, a landmark 1973 case that gave women the right to have an abortion.

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Veterans gather for reunion

Local soldiers meet for fellowship and remembrance

Alicia Wade
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Three piercing shots broke through the silence Saturday as area veterans gathered to meet fellow veterans and remember their fallen comrades.

The third annual Veterans Reunion was held at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1301 in Marion. A cookout, which included food, drinks, live bands and dancing, packed the post.

As the sun began to shine, a ceremony featuring music, speeches and a 21-gun salute to honor all veterans kicked off the reunion.

Army Lt. Col. Grayson Gile of Marion made a presentation to the VFW post during the ceremony of an American flag flown at a military base in Afghanistan. Gile stressed the importance of honoring Vietnam veterans — an action he said has been a long time coming in the United States.

"The Vietnam vets have done so much for returning Afghanistan and Iraq veterans in making sure they are included," Gile said. "We owe a tremendous amount of gratitude to the Vietnam veterans."

Gile also said that without the experience of those who fought in Vietnam, the survival of forces in conflicts since then would not be what it is today.

For Melinda Astin of Anna, attending the event was about healing. During the ceremony she read a poem in remembrance of her son, Sgt. Brian Romines of the Army National Guard, who was killed last year in Iraq.

"Being here means more to be able to tell veterans thank you," Astin said. "When I had the chance when I was younger, I didn't understand, and I didn't know the price of freedom."

The reunion also offered a chance for veterans to obtain information on benefits and other services. Dr. Lisa McCutchen of Marion is chief of psychiatry at the Veterans Affairs



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Jesse Strang, 6, of Marion stands to honor the U.S. Air Force during a song Saturday afternoon at the third annual Veterans Reunion in Marion. Strang's father is a colonel in the Air Force.

Medical Center in Marion. She deals with cases of post-traumatic stress disorder through her job. She said part of her reason for being at the reunion, besides supporting her husband, a lifetime member at the VFW, was to supply information to those who were unaware of the services the VAMC provides.

"We always try to bring registration and information stuff because we get a lot of veterans who don't know they can come to us," McCutchen said. "They think they have to be 20 years out of the service or something like that. There

are always some who tentatively walk up to our table — we always get to a few that we haven't gotten to before."

Jerald Kobler of Marion, who helped plan the Veterans Reunion, said he was impressed by the turnout, noting that when the reunion moved inside the building, the hall would be full.

"This is a big day for us," Kobler said. "I'm proud everyone came out and supported us."

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HOMECOMING

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The SIU Alumni Association tent will set up Saturday from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. outside McAndrew Stadium and will provide students a chance to have a good time while mingling with alumni, said Brent Zelten of Alumni Services. He said students will be able to check out the Alumni Association and enjoy free food and drinks.

"We are hoping to get a lot of people and have a good time," he said.

Davis said one of the biggest goals of Homecoming is to get students excited about their school and to build relationships with alumni.

"SPC just wants to see students displaying their school spirit and getting involved in Homecoming events," he said.

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Homecoming week events

Tuesday —
 • Homecoming king and queen elections from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the Student Center and from 3 to 7 p.m. in the Recreation Center
 • Alpha Phi Alpha hosts the "I Can Read" program from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Eurma Hayes Center

Thursday —
 • Homecoming comedy jam at 7 p.m. in the Student Center Ballrooms

Friday —
 • "Superman Returns" at 7 p.m. and 10 p.m. in the Student Center Auditorium
 • Step Show 7 p.m. at the Carbondale Middle School

Saturday —
 • Homecoming Parade at 9:30 a.m. in downtown Carbondale
 • SIU Alumni Association big tent and tailgate from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. outside McAndrew Stadium
 • Homecoming football game: SIUC vs. Western Illinois University at 1:30 p.m.
 • Miss Eboness Pageant at 7 p.m. in Shryock Auditorium

COMMITTEE

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Friedenberg said Dussold was the victim of workplace mobbing, an act in which co-workers team up on a disliked employee to drive him or her out of the organization. Plagiarism was simply a pretext for Dussold's firing, she said.

In January, Friedenberg settled a free speech lawsuit against SIUC in which she claimed she was a mobbing victim. Friedenberg agreed to drop the suit in exchange for a full year's salary before her spring 2007 retirement, a public apology, \$50,000 and a number of other benefits.

Friedenberg said the Southern at 150 accusations that spurred the review committee seem centered on

Chancellor Walter Wendler, who chaired the Vision 2020 planning during his tenure at Texas A&M.

"Why are we singling out Walter Wendler? Why was the professor on the Edwardsville campus singled out? What about the rest?" she asked.

Friedenberg said she did not discover the possibly plagiarized materials she gave to Lawrence but that they were brought to her attention by the Faculty and Alumni Against Corruption at SIU group. Friedenberg said the group probably gave the materials to her because they knew she was outspoken and would present them to the right people.

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<p>Sunday, October 1 - Friday, October 6 Art Contest Entries Student Center, Saluki Rainbow Office or Student Development Office 8:00 am - 4:30 pm</p>	<p>Monday, October 9 Transgender, Transexual, Transvestite, Oh My! Presenter: Kylan Mattias de Vries Student Center, Saline Room 12:00 noon</p>	<p>Thursday, October 12 The Art of Coming - Out Reception Student Center, Art Alley 6:00 pm</p>	<p>Thursday, October 26 Live & Uppity: Blues Women Creating an Empowered Alternative Community Through Performance Presenter: Dr. Maria Johnson Student Center, Missouri Room 12:00 pm</p>
<p>Sunday, October 1 - Tuesday, October 31 Expression Wall Trueblood Dining Hall & Lentz Dining Hall Available during open hours</p>	<p>Monday, October 9 Peace and Respect in Schools - Bullying in Schools* Student Center, Illinois Room 6:30 pm</p>	<p>Monday, October 16 Safe Zone Training (Limited to RA staff) Grinnell, Lower Level 6:00 pm</p>	<p>Career Resources Information on career planning and careers for GLBTQ students and others can be found at SIUC Career Services www.siu.edu/~ucs</p>
<p>Monday, October 2 Current Issues in Illinois with Rick Garcia Parkinson, Browne Auditorium 6:00 pm</p>	<p>Tuesday, October 10 - Tuesday, October 17 GLBT History Month Exhibition Student Center, Display Case</p>	<p>Monday, October 16 Screaming Queens: The Riots at Compton's Cafeteria (Film & Discussion)* Student Center, Mackinaw Room 7:00 pm</p>	<p>For additional information on GLBT History Month contact Student Development Multicultural Programs and Services at (618) 453-5714 or visit us online at www.siu.edu/~studded</p>
<p>Monday, October 2 Fish Can't Fly - Film & Discussion Student Center, Mackinaw Room 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Tuesday, October 10 More Similarities than Differences* Co-Presenters: Christy Hamilton & Barry Vesciglio Student Health Center, Auditorium 3:00 pm</p>	<p>Monday, October 16 Tuesday, October 17 Keynote: "Do In Time in the Homo No Mo Halfway House: How I Survived the Ex-Gay Movement" featuring Peterson Toscano* Student Center Auditorium 6:30 pm</p>	<p>* U-Card Approved Event</p>
<p>Tuesday, October 3 Safe Zone Training Student Center, Iroquois Room 4:00 pm</p>	<p>Tuesday, October 10 Coming Out Stories Student Center, Mackinaw Room 6:00 pm</p>	<p>Wednesday, October 18 Yossi & Jagger (Film & Discussion)* Student Center, Auditorium 7:00 pm</p>	
<p>Wednesday, October 4 Lágrimas de Crocodrilo/Crocodile Tears Ignacio Rivera* Student Center, Auditorium 6:30 pm</p>	<p>Wednesday, October 11 Dealing with Domestic Violence in the Queer Community - Presenter Stacia Creek* Student Center, Saline Room 12:00 noon</p>	<p>Monday, October 23 Tying the Knot - A New Play by David A. Rush* Student Center, Auditorium 7:00 pm</p>	
<p>Saturday, October 7 SIUC Homecoming Parade Downtown Carbondale 8:00 am</p>	<p>Wednesday, October 11 Homo Awards Party - National Coming Out Day Student Center, Iroquois Room 6:00 pm</p>	<p>Tuesday, October 24 Harsh Beauty (Film & Discussion)* Student Center, Mississippi Room 7:00 pm</p>	



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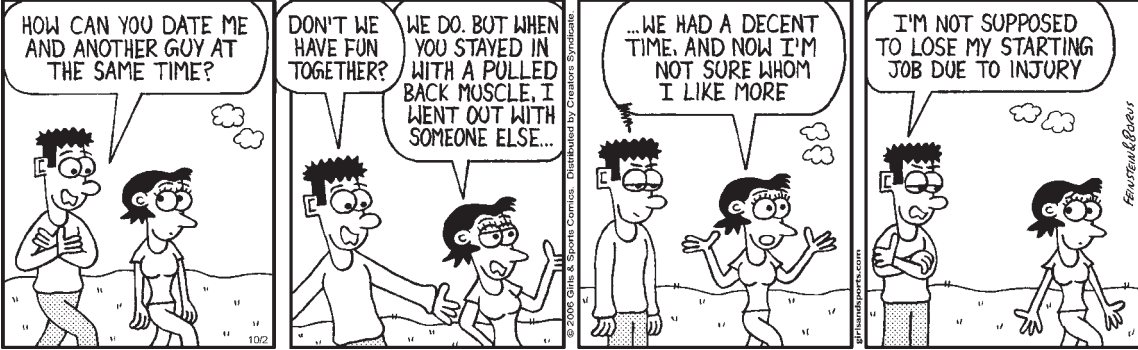
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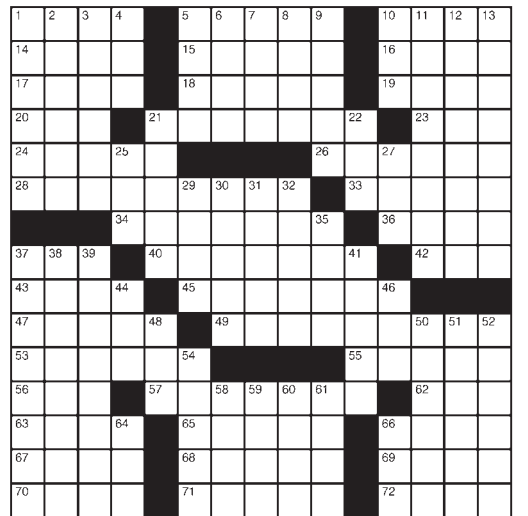
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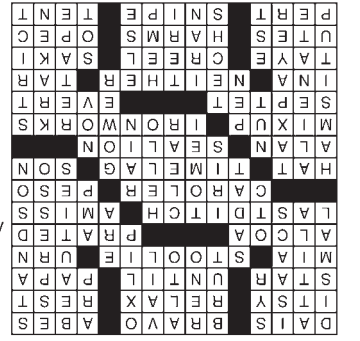
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Complete the grid so each row, column and 3-by-3 box (in bold borders) contains every digit 1 to 9. For strategies on how to solve Sudoku, visit www.sudoku.org.uk.

Solution to Friday's puzzle

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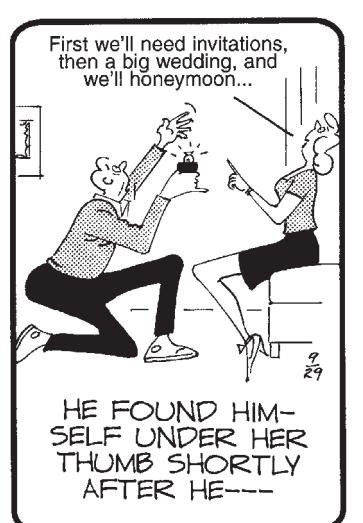
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Saluki swimming and diving sweeps Aces

Matt Hartwig
DAILY EGYPTIAN

In the first meet of the season, the Saluki swim teams ripped the University of Evansville, winning all 26 individual events despite a diving board injury and a strenuous travel schedule.

Head coach Rick Walker said the team left for Evansville later than expected, which trimmed their warm-up time. Freshman Nicole Macvey also suffered minor back injuries after she attempted a dive and hit her back on the end of the diving board. Walker said she was taken to the hospital for emergency precautions and was later released.

But despite all the problems, Walker said he was proud of how his team overcame adversity to win.

The men's team had three stand-

out performers in juniors Antonio Santoro and Gareth McGee as well as sophomore Vinicius Waked. Each swimmer won three events.

Santoro won the 1,000-meter freestyle, 100 butterfly and 200 medley relay. Waked won the 200 and 500 freestyle, while McGee won the 200 individual medley and 100 backstroke. Both swimmers were on the 200 free relay team that took home first place as well.

Walker said beforehand that his freshmen would have a major impact on the team. Therese Mattson didn't disappoint. The freshman swimmer won three events, including the 50 and 100 freestyle as well as the 200 freestyle relay. Sophomores Isabel Madeira, Danielle Quarry and Kelly Dvorak also had two wins each.

Dvorak won the 100 backstroke and was part of the 200 medley

relay team. Madeira won the 200 freestyle, while Quarry won the 200 individual medley. Both swimmers were part of the 200 freestyle relay team.

With such a dominating performance, Walker said it was difficult to single out one or two athletes from such a talented group. He said the freshmen lived up to expectations, but there is still plenty of room for improvement.

"If this was as good as we're going to be all year, I would be concerned," Walker said. "I know this team can get better, and every week we will."

The Salukis will be in action Oct. 21 against Drury College.

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Cards clinch third NL Central title in a row

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

ST. LOUIS— The St. Louis Cardinals clinched their third straight NL Central title Sunday when the second-place Houston Astros lost 3-1 in Atlanta.

A sellout crowd at Busch Stadium stood and broke into an impromptu tomahawk chop in the fifth inning, when Houston's game went final. The Cardinals were losing 5-0 to Milwaukee at the time.

Fans were clearly preoccupied by the Braves' victory over Houston, a game that began about an hour earlier. The loss eliminated the Astros from

playoff contention.

A big cheer went up even before the final score was posted on the scoreboard. Cardinals manager Tony La Russa hugged several players in the dugout during a brief stoppage before play resumed.

At the end of the fifth, there were more cheers when the team's sixth trip to the postseason in seven years was recognized on the scoreboard with the words: "NL Central Division Champs 2006."

The Cardinals narrowly avoided one of the biggest September collapses in major league history. They had a seven-game lead in the division with

12 to play, and the lead had dwindled to a half-game before a 10-5 victory over the Brewers on Friday.

Now, St. Louis won't have to play a makeup game Monday against San Francisco. If Houston had won Sunday and the Cardinals lost, St. Louis would have needed to play Monday at home against the Giants in a makeup of a Sept. 17 rainout to help determine the division title.

The Cardinals will open the playoffs Tuesday on the road against the NL West champion.

St. Louis entered Sunday 83-77, guaranteeing it's worst record since a 75-86 mark in 1999.

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A Massachusetts native, Mr. Card served in that state's House of Representatives for eight years. He and his wife Kathleen, a Methodist minister, have three children and four grandchildren.

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Volleyball splits weekend road trip

Scott Mieszala
DAILY EGYPTIAN

Once again, the momentum from a Friday win did not carry over to Saturday's match for the SIU volleyball team.

The Salukis (8-8, 3-3 Missouri Valley Conference) split their second straight road trip, winning at Bradley on Friday before a Saturday loss to Northern Iowa. The split left SIU in sixth place in the Missouri Valley Conference standings, right where they were coming into Friday's match.

The Salukis came out strong to beat Bradley in four games (35-33, 25-30, 30-27, 30-23). The match was keyed with dazzling play from the freshmen, highlighted by outside hitter Kelsie Laughlin's career-high 20 digs.

"I was really excited," Laughlin said. "I've been working on defense a lot."

In addition to Laughlin's career-high day, sophomore libero Kristy Elswick racked up 27 digs in the match.

Head coach Brenda Winkler said the Salukis "had a pretty balanced attack" against Bradley. The

assault came from all over the floor, led by senior middle blocker Johannah Yutzy's 16 kills.

Freshman middle blocker Chandra Roberson notched 15 kills, and sophomore outside hitter Kristie Berwanger and senior rightside hitter Haley Hann totaled 12 and 10 kills, respectively.

However, the Salukis suffered a scare in the third game when Bradley (3-12, 0-5 MVC) staged a giant comeback.

SIU led 24-14, but the Braves went on a 13-2 run to take a 27-26 lead. The Salukis proved resilient and shut out the Braves the rest of the way en route to a 30-27 victory.

Saturday's match against Northern Iowa (12-6, 4-1 MVC) was a different story.

Roberson said the Salukis "came out a little flat," and Yutzy said "it just wasn't there."

The energy shown Friday disappeared, and the Panthers swept the Salukis in three games (30-20, 30-16, 30-18).

While four Salukis finished with 10 or more kills in the Bradley game, not one SIU player reached that mark

against UNI. Berwanger's seven kills paced the Salukis.

Winkler said the long road trip was a factor in the team's poor play.

Most glaringly, the Salukis had an uncharacteristic seven service return errors, while Northern Iowa committed one.

"I feel really disappointed," Yutzy said. "I felt like we didn't bring it."

Roberson turned in a solid blocking performance against the Panthers, accounting for the lone bright spot in the match. She had two solo blocks and four block assists, but Northern Iowa out-blocked the Salukis 10-7.

"UNI has a very good team," Winkler said. "It was not a very competitive match."

The Salukis hope to bounce back Homecoming weekend. They host Missouri State (11-3, 4-1 MVC) Friday and Wichita State (12-3, 4-1 MVC) Saturday. Both games start at 7 p.m. in Davies Gym.

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Hill passed to six different receivers on his way to a nine-of-11 night and a career-high 231 yards. The Du Quoin native connected with tight end Braden Jones, a senior from Harrisburg, for an 80-yard scoring strike. The pass marked SIU's longest play from scrimmage of the season and tied the sixth-longest touchdown pass in Saluki history.

"He did an excellent job of throwing the football," Kill said.

Hill also scored on a 32-yard scamper with 1:14 remaining in the third quarter to give SIU a 45-3 lead.

Whitlock said Hill's athleticism occasionally distracted him.

"I'm out there on the field sometimes, and I get cursed out by coaches because I'm standing there watching him," Whitlock said. "He's an exciting player."

The Salukis' defense sucked the excitement out of the Gateway's top-ranked passing offense.

SIU pressured Indiana State quarterback Reilly Murphy into a sack, an interception and six hurries. The result was 166 yards passing, more than 100 yards less than the Sycamores' per-game average. Five Salukis broke up passes.

Indiana State pressed the run early in the game, a change from what the Salukis said they saw on film.

Running back Tony West garnered 55 of his game-high 110 yards before the intermission, but SIU's defense — the best in the Gateway — did a solid job of adjusting to the new look.

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"I knew that I had to get rid of it, and I knew if I just put it in the vicinity, Phil would go up and get it," Hill said. "He's an athlete."

The play prolonged SIU's drive, which ended with a one-yard touchdown run for senior running back Arkee Whitlock. Whitlock finished with 103 yards and three touchdowns while junior John Randle tallied two touchdown runs.

In each rushing touchdown's case, a pass play paved the way.



MELISSA BARR ~ DAILY EGYPTIAN

Quarterback Justin Allen gets tackled by Indiana State on Saturday evening at McAndrew Stadium.

"It was different, so we had to change and adapt to their scheme, and that's pretty much what we did," senior defensive end Lorenzo Wims said.

The result was a near shutout of an offense that averaged more than 27 points per contest, including a 35-point performance against the Big Ten's Purdue University.

Freshman linebacker Brandin Jordan paced the SIU's defense with 11 total tackles. Wims, who finished with six, continued to make plays in the backfield with 1.5 tackles for loss.

SIU's win kept Indiana State's Division I-AA-longest 22-game losing streak intact.

SIU hosts Western Illinois in Saturday's 1:30 p.m. Homecoming game.

Notes: Senior Craig Coffin became SIU's career scoring (320 points) and field goal leader (41). Coffin passed running back Tom Koutsos and kicker Ron Miller, respectively.

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Jones later added to his highlight reel with an 80-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter, the longest touchdown of his and Hill's careers.

While the catches were worthy of praise, Jones said it was just part of the job.

"Phil Goforth had a nice catch, (junior) Alan Turner made some catches, I had the one-handed catch, and it's a great thing," Jones said. "You've got to help your quarterback sometimes."

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Saluki Insider

Saluki Banter

Andy MacPhail, president of the Chicago Cubs, resigned Sunday after the team closed out its 66-96 season. The Cubs finished in the basement of the NL Central. MacPhail listed the Cubs' failure to win the World Series in his 12-year tenure as a reason for his resignation. Will MacPhail stepping down change Chicago's fortunes?

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"I don't think one man can change nearly 100 years of rotten fortune, unless MacPhail is related to the Billy Goat. A healthy pitching staff, reliable bats and a manager who cares about the team might help the cause. Don't get me started!"

"No, this will not change the fortune of the Cubs. The Cubs will always be the lovable losers. The fact they change owners won't change the fact Juan Pierre is their center fielder and he doesn't have an arm."

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"Not in the immediate future. MacPhail, while failing in the standings, increased attendance, so he did that task. I appreciate him being a stand-up guy for taking the bullet for the team's failures, but the Cubs' problems run deeper than his office."

SALUKI TRACKER BALTIMORE RAVENS

Bart Scott

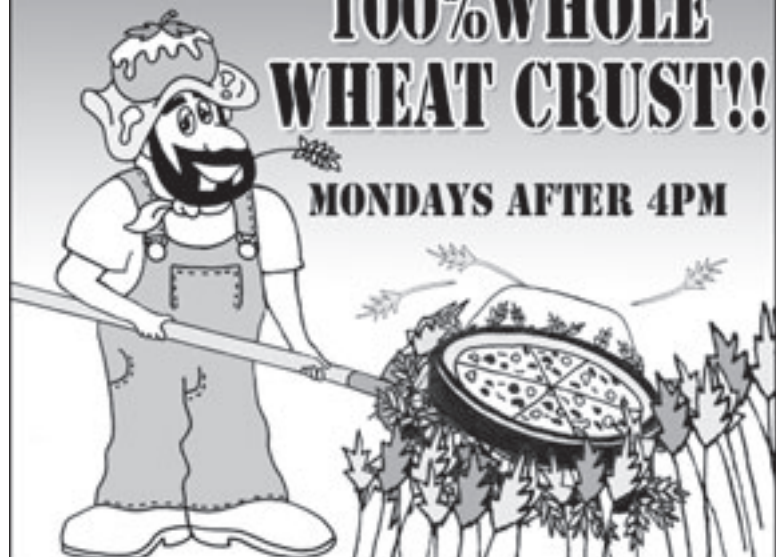
Bart Scott (SIU 1998 - 2001), a linebacker with the Ravens, posted a game-high 15 tackles in Baltimore's 16 - 13 win Sunday over San Diego. Scott's first-quarter interception set up Baltimore's first score, which tied the game at 7-7. For the season, Scott leads the Ravens in sacks, with 5. He is second to All-Pro linebacker Ray Lewis for the team lead in tackles, with 38. Scott and the Ravens (4-0) travel to Denver (2-1) for Monday's 7:30 p.m. ESPN game.



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Cross country takes second at Loyola

Matt Hartwig
DAILY EGYPTIAN

Sophomore Mohamed Mohamed had a career day, while a pair of veteran women runners returned to form Saturday for SIU cross country.

The Salukis men's and women's teams breezed through cold temperatures and a field of more than 200 runners to finish second to Grand Valley State University at the Sean Earl Lakefront Invitational in Chicago.

Mohamed, who had a career-best 8K time of 24 minutes, 35 seconds, led the men. He attributed his performance to summer training paying its dividends.

"I didn't tire out early on, and I stayed focused," Mohamed said. "I worked hard in the summer, and it's good to see it paying off."

Freshman Jeff Schirmer was the next runner to cross for the men, finishing 13th with a time of 25:17.

Head coach Matt Sparks said

Mohamed did a great job at leading the pack. He said Schirmer came through in a big way for the freshmen as well.

"Jeff performing in a race of that size was very impressive," Sparks said. "He stepped up in a larger field, and that bids well for us in the Missouri Valley Conference Championships that are coming up."

Earlier in the week, Sparks said the women's team was in need of a veteran presence. He stressed the need for his upperclassmen to step up their efforts for the team to finish top three.

Junior Brittani Christensen and senior Sarah Rinker struggled earlier this season.

In the 2005 season, Rinker was the Salukis' top runner in all seven of their events. Christensen, on the other hand, was a medical redshirt during the 2005 season but was regarded as the top runner on the team during the 2004 season. Both runners struggled Sept. 15 at the

EIU Panther Open.

But on Saturday they responded in a big way.

With freshmen Nefe Williams and Aseret Dokubo running with flu-like symptoms, the veteran tandem shined. Christensen finished 15th with a time of 18:33, and Rinker finished 16th at 18:36.

Sparks said he was proud of how his women's team handled a larger field. He said the team was adjusting to some health issues, and it was important for upperclassmen to step up.

"It was a long time coming for Brittani and Sarah," Sparks said. "We really need their leadership with Nefe and Aseret under the weather, and they took a step in the right direction."

The Salukis return to action Saturday at home for the Saluki Invitational.

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VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
Oct. 6	Missouri State	7 p.m.
Oct. 7	Wichita State	7 p.m.
Oct. 12	Evansville	7 p.m.
Oct. 20	Illinois State	7 p.m.
Oct. 21	Indiana State	6 p.m.
Oct. 27	Northern Iowa	7 p.m.
Oct. 28	Bradley	7 p.m.

CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
Oct. 7	Saluki Invitational	All Day
Oct. 14	Pre-Nationals	All Day
Oct. 28	MVC Championship	All Day
Nov. 11	NCAA Regional Championship	All Day
Nov. 20	NCAA Championship	All Day

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Event	Time
NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE	
Green Bay at Philadelphia, ESPN	7:30 p.m.
COLLEGE FOOTBALL	
Texas Tech at Texas A&M, ESPNU	8 a.m.
Georgia at Mississippi, ESPNU	11 a.m.
Oregon at Arizona State, ESPNU	2 p.m.
Ohio State at Iowa, ESPNU	6 p.m.

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Dac-ca (dāk'ə). Cap. of Bangladesh. Pop. 1,563,517.
dace (dās) n., pl. **dace** or **dac-es**. A small freshwater fish of the family Cyprinidae, resembling the minnow.
da-cha (dā'chə) n. A Russian house in the country.
dachs-hund (dāks'hōnd', dāks'hōnd') n. A small dog with a long body, very short legs, and drooping ears.

variously colored flowers.
dai-ly (dā'lee) adj. Of, relating to, happening, or published every day. —adv. 1. Every day. 2. Once a day. —n., pl. -lies. A daily publication, esp. a newspaper.
dai-ly e-gyp-tian n. 1 Award winning newspaper that gives away free loads of information 2 Student run free newspaper vb. 1 To entertain
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Rick Garcia, Equality Illinois
Parkinson Hall - Browne Auditorium - 6:00pm
Cultural Activities Category
Sponsored by: Multicultural Programs & Services - 453-5714

Fish Can't Fly (Film & Discussion)**
Student Center Mackinaw Room - 7:00pm
Cultural Activities Category
Sponsored by: Multicultural Programs & Services - 453-5714

Sylvia Smith Percussion Duo
Shryock Auditorium - 7:30pm
Performing Arts Category
Sponsored by: School of Music - 536-8742

October 3
Safe Zone Training**
Student Center Inroquois Room - 4:00pm
Educational Activities Category
Sponsored by: Multicultural Programs & Services - 453-5714

Build a Pinata*
Student Center Craft Shop - 6:00pm
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Tiempo Libre*
Shryock Auditorium - 7:30pm
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Sponsored by: Shryock Auditorium - 453-2787

October 4
Ignacio Rivera**
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SIU Student Center Auditorium, 2nd Floor - 6:30pm
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Sponsored by: Multicultural Programs & Services - 453-5714

The Crucible
McLeod Theater; Communications Bldg - 7:30pm
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McLeod Theater; Communications Bldg - 7:30pm
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October 7
The Crucible
McLeod Theater; Communications Bldg - 2:00pm - 7:30pm
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FOOTBALL

Salukis dismantle Sycamores

D.W. Norris
DAILY EGYPTIAN

SIU made short work of an Indiana State team desperate for a win.

The Salukis (4-0, 1-0 Gateway) dominated the Sycamores on both sides of the ball in Saturday's 55-3 rout. SIU's win extended Indiana State's Division I-AA-longest losing streak to 22 games.

SIU fell behind 3-0 before its first possession but dispelled any thoughts of an upset bid by taking a 24-3 lead by halftime.

The Saluki offense gained 527 yards and tallied seven touchdowns. They pounded the ball on the ground for 288 net rushing yards and three touchdowns. SIU passed effectively for a season-high 239 yards.

The defense again shut down the opposition, holding the Sycamores (0-5, 0-1 Gateway) scoreless for the final 56 minutes of the game.

"It was just a good team effort overall," head coach Jerry Kill said.

And, as usual, the effort started with senior running back Arkee Whitlock.

Whitlock, an All-American, ran the ball 17 times for a team-high 103 yards, his fourth-straight game over the century mark. He scored on runs of one, 12 and five yards and moved into a second-place tie on the Salukis' career rushing touchdowns list with 32.

Whitlock's 28-yard, second-quarter reception helped set up his first score of the game to give SIU a 14-3 lead.

"I keep saying it — he's the best in the country — and I'll continue to



MELISSA BARR ~ DAILY EGYPTIAN

Running back Arkee Whitlock runs through Indiana State's defense Saturday night at McAndrew Stadium. Whitlock scored three touchdowns against Indiana State.

say it this week," Kill said.

Whitlock credited the Salukis' bruising offensive line, which he called the best in the country, for his performance. The line's contributions affected more players than just Whitlock.

Nine Salukis rushed for positive yards, including junior running back John Randle's 59 yards and

two scores. Randle's first touchdown capped a 56-yard drive that gave SIU its first lead of the game, 7-3. SIU ran on 11 of 12 plays.

Indiana State head coach Lou West said SIU's running game fired the offensive onslaught because, "They did a great job of blocking, running and executing the plays they were assigned to execute,"

Craig Coffin

• Became SIU's career scoring leader with his second quarter field goal

And junior quarterback Nick Hill's execution of the game plan was as multifaceted as it was efficient.

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FOOTBALL

Defense making its mark



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Arkee Whitlock's feet play tricks on defenders. Nick Hill's once-unproven arm passed early tests. Points pile up on the scoreboard by the dozens.

As a whole, the Saluki offense has solidified itself as a record-breaking, headline-grabbing, well-balanced scoring machine.

But what about the defense?

Quietly, the defensive unit has become undoubtedly the best in the Gateway Football Conference. The Salukis give up a sparing 11.8 points a game, with the next best team allowing 17.8.

Against the run, they give up only 70 yards a pop. The Salukis also lead the Gateway in total defense, passing defense and a handful of other defensive categories that sometimes get pushed aside to offensive achievements.

Lorenzo Wims, a senior defensive end, can put the recipe for success in a single statement.

"Speed kills," Wims said. "That's how we did it — on the fly. Run to the ball."

So far, it has worked.

Despite returning only two starters from the 2005 season, the defense has become as reliable to SIU as its always-trusted run game.

Saturday's performance backed those claims.

Indiana State, albeit a 0-5 squad that holds Division I-AA's longest football losing streak, had averaged about 27 points a contest before taking on the Salukis.

Indiana State had been known to light the scoreboard. The Sycamores reached the 40-point mark during a Sept. 16 loss to Murray State. In a loss to the Big Ten's Purdue University, the Sycamores scored 35.

Against SIU, the Sycamores mustered a first-quarter field goal.

"I think the defense coaches did an outstanding job of putting a game plan together," head coach Jerry Kill said. "We didn't give up the big play."

It wasn't just an off night for a pass-happy Sycamore squad.

SIU defense has proved itself every time it takes the field.

Against I-A Indiana, the Salukis capped the Hoosiers offensively. They finished with fewer rushing and passing yards than their season average. Arkansas-Pine Bluff didn't fare any better.

While it's nice to see the Salukis went touchdown-crazy against the Sycamores on Saturday, it's even more refreshing to see the defense did the opposite.

Through their first four games, the Salukis are giving up about 10 points fewer per game than they were last year.

The Salukis field a mean defense, which has lived up to its rankings.

The offense puts up gaudy numbers. Just don't forget about the defense that doesn't allow them.

SIU passing game sets up dominant running backs

Jordan Wilson
DAILY EGYPTIAN

Six rushing touchdowns are hard to ignore.

But as productive as the SIU running backs were on Saturday, it was the Salukis' passing game that set up the run game and a 55-3 pasting of Indiana State University.

Without an opportune passing game and a series of awe-inspiring grabs from hardly lauded receivers, the Saluki rushing game may have never seen the end zone.

In his fourth career start, junior quarterback Nick Hill epitomized pass proficiency, especially in the first half.

Hill connected on seven-of-eight passes against the lowly Sycamores, who hold the longest losing streak in Division I-AA football at 22 games. All seven of Hill's completions went for first downs.

What was even more impressive was four of those seven came in the clutch on third or fourth down.

SIU head coach Jerry Kill said such play out of his rookie quarterback is a testament to how far his young squad has progressed.

"You're only good as that guy standing back there," Kill said. "And he's playing well right now."

Hill, however, wasn't quick to credit his arm. Even though Hill finished with a career-high 231 passing yards, he admitted his early attempts went awry.

Some appeared too far ahead. Others nearly lofted out of a receiver's reach. Saluki receivers negated



MELISSA BARR ~ DAILY EGYPTIAN

Braden Jones escapes Indiana State's Kyle James on his way to an 80-yard touchdown. The Salukis defeated Indiana State 55-3.

Hill's slight slipups.

"The first half, a lot of the balls could have been dropped because they weren't the best balls in the world," Hill said. "Our receivers made great catches tonight, and that's credit to them."

The lopsided nature of the game didn't make every ball make-or-break for the Salukis (4-0, 1-0). Improbable catches ensured SIU had a comfy advantage throughout the first half.

One such grab came at the start of the second quarter. The Salukis, as they had in their two previous games, stumbled to a slow start and were only up 7-3 on the Sycamores.

Facing a fourth-and-nine, Hill

“Our receivers made great catches tonight, and that’s credit to them.”

— Nick Hill
SIU quarterback

zipped a ball toward the right sideline that appeared destined for the second row of McAndrew Stadium. Junior wideout Phil Goforth canceled that prospect by making a fingertip catch at the peak of his leap before being blasted to the turf.

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No. 10 SIU 55, INDIANA STATE 3

Saturday, at McAndrew Stadium
SIU (4-0) 7 17 21 10 — 55
ISU (0-5) 3 0 0 0 — 3

SIU Individual stats

RUSHING — Arkee Whitlock 17-103, John Randle 16-59, Justin Allen 4-37.
PASSING (comp.-att.-yards int. TDs) — Hill 9-11-231 0 1, Jon Cairns 1-1-8 0 0.
RECEIVING — Phil Goforth 3-42, Braden Jones 2-101, Jay Upthegrove 1-30

ISU Individual stats

RUSHING — Tony West 24-110, Reilly Murphy 6-11, Brian Jackson 2-9
PASSING (comp.-att.-yards int. TDs) — Reilly Murphy 17-35-166 1 0
RECEIVING —, Tony West 3-24, Brian Jackson 3-23

TEAM STATS	SIU	ISU
1st downs	28	19
Rushes-yards	55-288	34-130
Passing yards	239	166
Comp.-Att.-Int.	10-12-0	17-35-1
Return yards	666	275
Punts-Avg.	1-40	4-43.5
Fumbles-lost	0-0	0-0
3rd down efficiency	4/8	6/16
4th down efficiency	1/1	1/3
Penalties-yards	7-67	5-57
Possession	33:12	26:48

SCORING SUMMARY

1st QUARTER	SIU-ISU
ISU 11:17 Hooper 47-yd field goal	0-3
SIU 5:53 Randle 1-yd run (Coffin kick)	7-3
2nd QUARTER	
SIU 13:08 Whitlock 1-yd run (Coffin kick)	14-3
SIU 5:05 Coffin 38-yd field goal	17-3
SIU 1:01 Whitlock 12-yd run (Coffin kick)	24-3
3rd QUARTER	
SIU 7:30 Hill 80-yd pass to Jones (Coffin kick)	31-3
SIU 5:11 Whitlock 6-yd run (Coffin kick)	38-3
SIU 1:14 Hill 32-yd run (Coffin kick)	45-3
4th QUARTER	
SIU 10:14 Randle 1-yd run (Coffin kick)	52-3
SIU 1:16 Coffin 43-yd field goal	55-3