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Freshmen begin to settle in: Voice usual college life complaints

By Cynthia Sheets

Daily Egyptian Reporter

Bizarre colors, lack of personal transportation and sharing small spaces with strangers are all part of the trials and tribulations of being an incoming freshman experiencing dorm life for the first time.

"I have the ugliest room," freshman Dom Taylor said. "The curtains are Chartreuse, the walls are a different, uglier green—I don't think Cruyfa makes colors—that ugly. I'm going to have to get a lot of posters for my walls." Taylor said he is from Burbank and said he will probably miss most while at SIUC is being away from mom and dad, but more like "I'm here by myself." McMath said it is a big jump from high school to college, but it's just a transitional step that includes time management and finding your priorities.

"Freshmen will have a lot of exposure to free time," he said. "In high school, it was 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. non-stop, but in college you can take classes from 8-11 and be done for the rest of the day." McMath said the campus offers freshmen safety and wellness lectures that play a big part in helping students get acquainted with others as well as the University.

"We provide sports, career opportunities and a chance to learn about a student's inner character," McMath said. "They need to develop a routine and get to know people. That way homesickness does not become a problem."

"Our concern is for the people who don't fit in right away, and those are the ones we watch out for so we can help them fit in."
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New regulations set for sale, transport of kegs

By Alan Schnepf
Daily Egyptian Reporter

Keg parties in Carbondale may start manning out of beer a little earlier than usual because of a city ordinance passed last week banning the sale of kegs in Carbondale between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m. Under the new regulations, transporting kegs into Carbondale during these hours will be a violation of city code. City Manager Jeff Darby said people caught sneaking a keg into Carbondale after 10 p.m. would be subject to a $50-500 fine. More keg regulations may soon follow. The council postponed voting on portions of the ordinance until students return to voice their concerns about keg regulation. "We have not historically taken action (on issues concerning students) when student representatives are not present," Mayor Neil Dillard said.

If the remaining provisions of the ordinance are passed, liquor agents will be required to record a keg purchaser's name, address, and phone number.

The stores would also have to log the number of kegs sold to each customer; the size of the kegs, the location where the kegs are going to be stored or consumed and the hours and time of every sale. This information would then be available to the Carbondale Police Department upon request. Counsellor Michael Neill said he expects action to be taken on these provisions at the Aug. 29 city council meeting.

Doherty said the 10 p.m. deadline on keg sales is intended to end the "pyramid effect" at parties, that is, partygoers "chasing kegs" until students return to voicethei demands.

Students react to keg registration possibilities

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More investigative stories, projects in works for DE

By Carey Jane Alberton
Daily Egyptian Reporter

Daily Egyptian leaders are hoping to change the DE's image this semester by increasing public awareness and changing the paper's reporting style.

The new editor-in-chief, Marc Chase, said he is very confident and at ease with his new position after only working in it for three days.

Chase is a junior from Wheaton and is majoring in both journalism and political science.

This fall will be Chase's fourth semester at SIUC and his fourth semester as a Daily Egyptian reporter.

Chase has previously been the government reporter, an auto construction reporter and an editor-page editor.

Lloyd Goodman, the faculty managing editor, said Chase has extremely strong news judgment and is a strong leader, who encourages the other students who work for the DE.

"He is also a strong reporter," Goodman said.

Chase said his job is to get accurate news out that serves the Daily Egyptian's audience including the student population, Carbondale community and surrounding towns.

"I'm here to gather all the news that goes into the paper and see that it gets reported accurately," Chase said.

Chase said he is planning to improve the paper this semester by not just reporting the facts, but also by explaining them.

"Basically I think journalism in the modern era needs to evolve into something a service which explains rather than just giving the facts of what is going on," Chase said.

Chase has the desire to see the DE go in a new direction, Goodman said, and this is what makes him the right person for the job.

Chase said he plans to increase investigative reporting, do more special projects with in-depth reporting and enhance angles of issues this semester in hopes of explaining the news better.

Bryan Mosley, a senior in advertising, is entering his third semester as the DE's student advertising manager.

"I've been attending the meetings of East Moline, he is an excellent manager," Goodman said.

Chase also said he is confident and it gets reported accurately."

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Going Internet

COBA creates page

By Valérie Berry
Daily Egyptian Reporter

Placing information at the fingertips of College of Business and Administration students was the goal of a computer Internet project which COBA officials say would not only benefit students but also business majors.

Linda Seibert, chief academic adviser for COBA, said that students in the Management of Business Administration program created the idea of having a COBA Internet home page last spring as a group project requirement for their class.

Gael Beckman, a MBA student from Glen Ellyn, said the idea was to enhance student's abilities to learn outside of the classroom as well as inside.

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COBA student president

"This would help enhance student's abilities to learn outside of the classroom as well as inside."

Seibert said the home page would not only benefit students at SIUC but also business students who might be interested in transferring to the COBA.

Beckman said that the home page is not ready for use student use should be by mid-semester.

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COBA student and business major from Ellis Grove, said it looks forward to the home page.

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Rahmann said it would help them get financial aid information.
Shawnee Forest:
Too valuable to cut

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SOUTHERN ILLINOIS HAS ALREADY LOST 15,000 acres of the 253,000-acre Shawnee National Forest, and the current passage of the salvage timber bill will probably accelerate the deforestation of the forest unless something is done to save it. The Shawnee National Forest is more than just trees and potential lumber. There is an enormous wealth in the web of life that teems within the forest. In order for that web of life to exist, large areas of contiguous forest habitat must remain intact to allow species with large ranges to migrate. Some specialists have declared the contiguous nature of the forest canopy as imperative that the canopy remain intact and contiguous. The timber harvesting method used in the Shawnee destroys this canopy and further fragments the forest. Harvesting timber in this manner destroys the integrity of the forest canopy and further fragment the forest. The loss of this canopy and further fragmenting the forest, according to a small group of programs, the Shawnee National Forest would deprive future generations of a scenic area, as well as the wealth of the web of life it contains. The loss of this priceless area is unacceptable.

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Modern day higher education creating grand illusion for its paying customers

Those transient one-man flea markets of liberal paraphernalia can be rather surprising experience. One never knows what one might find at those mobile shops of open-mindedness. Of course there is the usual — power crystals, leather wallets, and various «pro-se»—but there is the occasional find. I was surprised when I walked into a stand on a flea market of liberal paraphernalia and saw a variety of glass containers: Buddhism $6, Christianity $6 Judaism $40, Satanism 1 Soul, Atheism No. The glass containers were not your typical glass containers but were a unique shape. Attached to the right side of the table, by a piece of paper was a message that read, "FREE FREEDOM FROM RELIGION. My curiosity piqued, I approached close enough to read some of the following labels on the glass containers: Buddhism $6, Christianity $6 Judaism $40, Satanism 1 Soul, Atheism No."

I knew that I had to do something, I had to act to stop this grand illusion for its paying customers. My mind raced, what should I do? I decided that I had to take action. I went to the stand and talked to the vendor. I told him that I was concerned about the materials he was selling and asked him to stop. He seemed surprised, but agreed to stop.

I then turned my attention to the people who were buying the materials. I began to talk to them, to explain the harm that these materials could do. I told them that they were being deceived by this grand illusion for its paying customers. I asked them to think before they bought, to consider the consequences of their actions.

The people seemed to listen, and many of them thanked me for my concern. I continued to talk to them, to explain the importance of education and the dangers of the grand illusion for its paying customers. I hoped that my words would make a difference, that I could help to stop this grand illusion for its paying customers.

I realized that the only way to stop the grand illusion for its paying customers was to educate people. I knew that I had to keep talking, to keep spreading the word. I knew that education was the key to stopping the grand illusion for its paying customers. I was determined to do everything I could to help.

The grand illusion for its paying customers was a serious problem, and I knew that I had to act. I would not let it continue. I would fight for education and against the grand illusion for its paying customers. I would do everything I could to make a difference, to help people see the truth.

I continued to talk to people, to spread the word about the grand illusion for its paying customers. I knew that it was a difficult task, but I was determined to succeed. I knew that I could not do it alone, that I needed the support of others.

I contacted other people who were concerned about the grand illusion for its paying customers. I told them about my work, and asked for their support. Many of them were willing to help, to join me in the fight against the grand illusion for its paying customers.

Together, we worked to educate people, to tell them about the dangers of the grand illusion for its paying customers. We talked to people, we wrote articles, we gave lectures. We did everything we could to help.

Slowly, but surely, people began to listen. They began to see the truth, to understand the dangers of the grand illusion for its paying customers. They began to act, to take steps to stop the grand illusion for its paying customers.

I knew that we had made progress, that we had begun to turn the tide. I knew that the grand illusion for its paying customers would not be easy to stop, but I was determined to succeed. I would continue to work, to fight for education and against the grand illusion for its paying customers.

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Saluki Express. Jeffery Duke, transit
administrator for the transit system, said he believes the
system will be successful because it provides
a service Carbondale people
want.
"We've got a nice product," he
said.

Passengers on the Saluki Express have
given kudos to the bus.
"You can't beat it," William
Tuminum, an Arena employee said.
"It's hot outside, but it's cool in
here.
Kevin Lynch, a senior in social
work from Chicago, said he plans on riding the
system several times when driven.
"I don't have a car, so it'll
come in real handy.
Lowell Howard, a Carbondale
resident, said he plans on using the
system a lot because the system will provide the
cheapest transportation available.
"It's going to save me a lot of
money," he said.

The system is not perfect, however.
The buses fell behind schedule
several times when driven due to
wheelchair lifts that make the ser
vice inaccessible for disabled people.
"Officials say this problem will
diminish with time.

The drivers will get quicker (at
using the lift) with practice," said
Lawrence Juhlin, assistant vice
president for student affairs.

The Saluki Express will run seven
different routes Monday through Friday beginning at 7:30
a.m. and ending at 9:30 p.m. The
bus loop which connects the
SIUC campus with area businesses
will run seven days a week.

There are also two different late
night routes: One for Monday
through Friday and another for
Friday and Saturday. The late night
routes will start at 9 p.m. and run
until midnight. On Friday and Saturday
the late night route will run
until 2:30 a.m.

After dark the service will stop
anywhere a person requests along a
route, as long as the driver believes it
is safe to do so.

SIUC students with a valid stu
dent ID card will not be charged to
ride the Saluki Express. Spouses
and children of students can buy a
semester pass for $20. A semester
pass costs $25 for Continuing
Education students and $35 for any
one else, including SIUC faculty
and staff. Single bus rides cost $5.

The system is funded by a $5-
per-semester fee increase that
students have approved in three
referendums since 1986. Revenue
from fines and pass sales will also
support the system.

Raisenhop will be monitored, and
routes and stops that are not used
much may be discontinued, Juhlin
said. New routes and stops may also
result from the monitoring.

Meanwhile SIUC students are
enjoying the mobility the Saluki
Express gives them.
"I'm going to the mall — just
because I can," Lynch said.

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Tuminum, an Arena employee said.
"It's hot outside, but it's cool in
here.
Kevin Lynch, a senior in social
work from Chicago, said he plans on riding the
system several times when driven.
"I don't have a car, so it'll
come in real handy.
Lowell Howard, a Carbondale
resident, said he plans on using the
system a lot because the system will provide the
cheapest transportation available.
"It's going to save me a lot of
money," he said.

The system is not perfect, however.
The buses fell behind schedule
several times when driven due to
wheelchair lifts that make the ser
vice inaccessible for disabled people.
"Officials say this problem will
diminish with time.

The drivers will get quicker (at
using the lift) with practice," said
Lawrence Juhlin, assistant vice
president for student affairs.

The Saluki Express will run seven
different routes Monday through Friday beginning at 7:30
a.m. and ending at 9:30 p.m. The
bus loop which connects the
SIUC campus with area businesses
will run seven days a week.

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night routes: One for Monday
through Friday and another for
Friday and Saturday. The late night
routes will start at 9 p.m. and run
until midnight. On Friday and Saturday
the late night route will run
until 2:30 a.m.

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route, as long as the driver believes it
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SIUC students with a valid stu
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ride the Saluki Express. Spouses
and children of students can buy a
semester pass for $20. A semester
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Education students and $35 for any
one else, including SIUC faculty
and staff. Single bus rides cost $5.

The system is funded by a $5-
per-semester fee increase that
students have approved in three
referendums since 1986. Revenue
from fines and pass sales will also
support the system.

Raisenhop will be monitored, and
routes and stops that are not used
much may be discontinued, Juhlin
said. New routes and stops may also
result from the monitoring.

Meanwhile SIUC students are
enjoying the mobility the Saluki
Express gives them.
"I'm going to the mall — just
because I can," Lynch said.

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Simpson defense hunts for Fuhrman tapes

The L.A. Times

LOS ANGELES—With the prosecution still reeling from the surfacing of the taped interviews Mark Fuhrman made with an aspiring screenwriter, O.J. Simpson's chief lawyer said Sunday that the defense team is searching for another set of tapes that the former detective may have made and that could be equally damaging to his credibility.

"The defense is looking for other tapes," Johnnie L. Cochran said in an interview. "We're told there's a possibility that there may be other tapes out there." The search for new tapes comes as Superior Court Judge Lance Ito prepares to hear arguments this week on about 50 excerpts from Fuhrman's taped interviews with Laura Hart McKinney, who consulted with Fuhrman from 1985 to July 1994 on a screenplay depicting the difficulties faced by female police officers.

Loans

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Aid gave the financial aid presentation as the new student orientation.

Steudel said he had been doing the presentation for six years and had never had the response from parents that he received this year. "Parents usually tell of frustrations they have but we get only positive responses and no negative comments this year," he said.

"The direct loan program has freed up time, and we are no longer dealing with the complexities of the former loan program," he said.

Program supported

Brian Stowon, a junior in zoology from Alexander, said the direct loan program is much better than the old way, and he would rather the University stick with this new program.

"We get our checks a few days slower, but it's better than waiting in line," he said.

Stephanie Crowe, a sophomore in art from Naperville, said she also likes the direct student loan program better.

"This way saves a lot of hassle," she said.

Phones ringing

Norma Swinford, a supervisor in the Bursar's Office, said the direct loan program has made things easier for the office because of the shorter lines, but they are receiving a lot of phone calls.

"Students are calling and asking when and where their checks are going to be mailed," Swinford said.

Britton said students should be aware that although SIUC now has the direct student loan program, it is in jeopardy in Congress.

"Congress is looking at cutting the direct student loan program and students need to let their Congressman know how they feel," Britton said.

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New Refund Policy

Revised Deadlines to Withdraw or Drop Courses

A new refund policy approved by the Board of Trustees authorizes a pro-rata refund for students officially withdrawing from the University through 60 percent of semester. The policy also changes the deadlines for withdrawing from all classes or dropping courses and receiving a refund.

Students "Officially Withdrawing" from the University:

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Students who withdraw from the University after the full refund period stated above will receive a pro-rata refund through the 60 percent of the duration of their course enrollment period. An administrative fee will be assessed to all students who withdraw from the University and receive a pro-rata refund. The amount of the fee will be the lesser of $50 or 5 percent of all assessed charges, or $100.

Students Dropping Courses, but remaining enrolled at the University:

Students dropping courses must drop the course by the above deadlines for a full refund. Students who drop a course after the above deadline, but remain enrolled at the University, will not receive any refund and will receive a W or final grade. October 16th remains the deadline for dropping a full semester length course without a final grade (A, B, C, etc.).

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is to keep party throwers from buying early revenue from beer sales at parties to keep party throwers from buying underage drinking
the first ones run dry.

The Washington Post
Kathinc Crowder was startled one May evening when her older sister asked if she wanted to sample one of her sister's cigarettes.

"We don't sell many kegs so it doesn't affect us very much," Diggle said.

Philip Hoffmann, owner of ABC Liquor Mart, did not have much to say about the new rule.

"I don't have anything to say that someone else hasn't already said," Hoffmann said.

SMOKING DECLINING WITH BLACK TEEN-AGERS

Kachisa Crowder was startled one May evening when her older sister asked if she wanted to sample one of her sister's cigarettes.

In a split second, standing on the concrete outside her sister's apartment in Washington, D.C., a young African-American 15-year-old decided to "try being a big girl." She took her first puffs.

By June, she had figured out how to inhale and was buying her own packs of Newport cigarettes. But smoking four or five cigarettes a day, Crowder found she had less stamina for swimming and basketball. She didn't like the smell. Besides, she says the knock girls who don't smoke. "They be like, 'Don't be a druggin' lady.'"

By July, she had quit.

The briefness of her flirtation with cigarettes is a phenomenon that has deeply encouraged and yet deeply perplexed researchers and policy-makers as they smoked daily, according to an annual survey conducted by University of Michigan researchers.

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In Keeping with Information Technology’s hope to provide faculty and students the best possible computing environment, the Computer Learning

Centers (CLCs) are pleased to announce the following changes.

1. CLC 2, formerly housed in Communications, Room 9, has been moved to the College of Technical Careers.

Room 112, to make room for the New Media Center in the College of Mass Communications.

Hours (Fall/Spring semester):

Monday-Thursday 8am - 5pm

Friday 8am - 5pm

Saturday closed

Sunday Noon- 6pm

2. Microcomputer Upgrades:

a. In CLC1/Faner, classrooms 1024, 1028, 1032 and half of the general access area will be equipped with Dell Optiplex Pentium 90s (16MB memory).

The other half of the general access area (room 1031) will be equipped with Power Macintosh 7100s (16MB memory) and 5 Sun workstations. The PowerMacs and Suns will be on an Ethernet network as soon as the cabling and infrastructure have been installed.

b. In CLC2/ICTC one computer classroom is equipped with Dell Optiplex Pentium 90s; another with IBM PS2 Model 70s. Both classrooms will be networked as soon as the cabling and infrastructure are installed. There is a large general access area with Dell Pentiums, Gateway 456s and PowerMac 7100s.

Note: Pentiums and Suns are on order at this writing but should be in shortly. They will be installed as soon as possible after their arrival.

3. Windows 95 will be installed in Spring 1996 as the graphical user interface environment for all of the new Pentium 50 machines for CLC1 and CLC2.

4. Printing: Having heard your complaints regarding dot matrix printing, the CLCs, together with Copy Duplicating Products (CDP), are in the process of phasing out dot matrix printing in all 3 CLCs.

Laser printing, available in CLC1, CLC2 and CLC3 (Rohn 21), will be 10 cents per page to be charged to the user's copier card or 15 cents cash. Copy card machines will also be installed in CLC1 and CLC2.

5. Faculty/Staff Training Room: Faner 1033 will no longer be available as a faculty/staff training room. It will now be used as a training facility for the CLC student staff.

With all these changes, there will be bugs to work out. Bear with us. For more information regarding any of the changes, call Patty Cosgrove at 453-6202 or Jeff Goh at 453-6270.
RAs ease freshman transition to college life

By Rebecca Hutchings
Daily Egyptian Reporter

Rising at 6 a.m., Bill Swisher, a head resident at Thompson Point, stumbled through Bailey Hall waking up the resident assistant in training to begin a day that would not end for another 16 hours.

"It was definitely challenging because there was so much to learn," Dan Ma, a senior in pre-dentistry from Sesser, said. "We went to sessions all day long and worked through the night, but we still had to get up and shine the next morning."

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"It makes the difference on whether somebody comes back..." Shanks said RAs make the dorms a home and not just a place to live. "They're the first person that a student will talk to..."

"They learned where everything is at," he said. "They learned how to respond to student problems and when and where to refer the students to if they need anything."

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Tracy Femn, of 120 East Grand, said his truck was broken into between 11:30 p.m. August 14 and 2:30 a.m. August 15. Damage was caused to the inside of the vehicle. Loss is estimated at $150.

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Budget cuts aimed at financial aid program

By David R. Kazak
De-Federal Affairs Editor

Despite praise received from SIU officials about the federal direct lending loan program, congressional budget battles are pushing direct lending in property of being cut back or eliminated all together.

Federal student loan interest subsidies are also on the budget chopping block, meaning students might have to pay more interest on federal student loans while in school.

These GOP-led proposals are drawing fire from Democrats on Capitol Hill who say they understand the need to cut the budget, but don't understand why student aid should suffer.

Congressman Jerry Costello, D-Arlington Heights, said under the GOP plan college students will have less money while in school — and have to pay back more when they leave school.

"This doesn't make sense when the Republicans are proposing a $9 billion increase in defense spending," Costello said.

A decrease in defense spending and a proposed $245 billion tax cut are two examples of what Costello calls a "blatant attempt to take money away from the people who need it the most and give it to those who need it the least."

But Bruce Catbither, a spokesman for House Budget Committee Chairman John R. Kasich, R-Ohio, said the cuts are necessary and Democrats are trying to scare people into thinking the cuts are worse than they really are.

"We have a $4.7 trillion debt," Catbither said. "That's a lot of zeros. Hopefully we can't all just sit around and do nothing."

Liking the possibility that the subsidies and direct lending loan program will be eliminated.

"Education is important to the future of this country," Lick said. "The argument that students can afford to pay more interest after they graduate has some merit, but (Republicans) are going to extremes.

Lick said a loss of interest subsidies might cause prospective students to view higher education as too expensive and forego college.

"Until Congress decides what it wants to do on the budget," Silverman said. "The president sees something that goes along with his views on educational aid funding, he will veto the budget resolution as it stands."

Financial Aid Director Pana Brion, said from her vantage point, she cannot see how the direct lending program is losing money.

"Direct loans are so much more streamlined and efficient than anything we've ever done before," Brion said. "Also removed are the lenders and guarantee agencies, eliminating the partners in the student loan process who collect large agency fees.

"Lick said he suspects Republicans may be influenced by the banking industry and are being pushed toward eliminating the direct lending program."

"If we aren't careful, I would be fighting very hard against direct lending because student loans are a winner for banks. They are guaranteed, so the banks know they will always get their money back," Lick said.

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The Southern Illinois Radio Information Service (SIRIS), a radio reading program for people with visual impairments, recently joined SIUC's Broadcasting Service, a move that volunteers and listeners think will significantly improve the program.

William Gilmore, director of SIRIS, said the merger is a natural one because SIUC has provided a small studio and a radio signal to SIRIS since the program began in 1984.

"Our merger will enable us to take advantage of the University's technical and administrative guidance and help us to recruit more volunteers," said William Gilmore, SIRIS director.

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Miller said he fell in love with reading in 1985 when he started volunteering. "I forced me to read," he said. "Now I do it even if I'm on vacation. I just mail them the material on cassettes."

Rose Krumhacher, a Du Quoin listener, said the people of SIRIS have been "really sweet" to her. She said she depends on the service for information about current events and advertising.

Another listener, Marilyn Swinford of Herrin, hopes that more volunteers will mean local interest matters will be reported with greater frequency. With a day job in the school system, she said she often misses out on those broadcasts.

"Novels and poetry are available on tape in local bookstores or by subscription," she said. "What's hard to get is current events and magazine articles."

The service was started in 1984 by Rich and Valerie Page with support from seven nearby United Way chapters. Today SIRIS has 700-900 listeners. Currently, SIRIS is looking for volunteer readers.

For more information, call SIRIS at 453-4343.

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Children learn music by listening

By Dave Katzman
De Ants Entertainment Editor

An alternative method of learning to play a musical instrument by using the ears instead of the eyes is available to Carbondale’s children through the SIUC School of Music’s Saluki Suzuki program.

Fairya Mellado, an assistant instructor of music and the program’s director, said the Suzuki method teaches children how to play music much the same way language is learned, since both are based on sound.

“The concept is that you can teach children anything because they are so ready to learn.”

Fairya Mellado
Saluki Suzuki director

began to teach the written note after a student learned the corresponding sound.

Mellado said children arrive to learn when they receive positive reinforcement from their parents, a prime ingredient in the Suzuki program since the parents quietly observe their children in a calm lesson to show their encouragement.

“When (children) can sense that much pride, joy, and encouragement from their parents, they will want to learn,” she said.

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Women's safety class offered by Carbondale

By Julie Rendleman
Daily Egyptian Reporter

A woman's safety class offered free-of-charge by the Carbondale Police Department begins in second week tonight, teaching women techniques to protect themselves through prevention and resistance.

The class, which is offered once or twice a month, is an informative way to help women become more aware of ways to protect themselves against attackers, according to class organizer Laurne Brown of the Carbondale Police Department.

"This class teaches women passive and physical resistance towards an attacker," Brown said.

The main emphasis of the class is to teach women how to avoid an attack and what to do if attacked, she said.

Brown said the first workshop teaching participants methods to escape from an attacker. In the second workshop, students learn to take down an attacker with the help of a police officer in a proactive situation.

Brown said students have found that their increased awareness of personal safety has resulted in decreased fear and lowered stress.

"I am teaching women how to do this," Brown said, "and they are getting even more out of it than I was expecting.

"They are learning how to respond in different situations," Brown said.

Brown said the class is designed to empower women to take charge of their safety and to teach them methods to protect themselves.

The Carbondale Police Department will teach the class for a group of women upon request. For more information call the department at (618) 457-3220 Ext. 428.

Iowa poll first test for Republicans

The Los Angeles Times

DES MOINES, Iowa—Leaders of the Iowa Republican Party are testing the presidential straw poll they hope to host in the state Sunday as the first real test of the 1996 presidential campaign.

But, judging from the advance maneuvering, what is mainly being tested is sheer, unadulterated chutzpah.

As the large crop of Republican candidates competes for support in the straw poll—"in hopes of demonstrating strength in a state strategically important because it kicks off the August primary season next February—"at least three of the leading contenders are shamelessly importuning voters from elsewhere.

This is possible because the Iowa poll is to test the event and raise the state as big a kitty as possible, requires only that those trooping to the straw poll ballot need not be registered voters in Iowa, or anywhere else.

Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole of Kansas, the acknowledged front-runner for the GOP nomination and the heavy favorite to win Sunday's contest, is among those whose campaigns are taking advantage of the lax rules and going the extra mile—literally—to make a strong showing. Dole supporters are being bused in on straw poll from home state and nearby Minnesota.

"The road to the White House starts in Iowa," declares a flyer distributed by the Dole forces in Minnesota. "Join hundreds of Minnesotans as we travel to Ames, Iowa, to deliver a victory for Bob Dole."

Pennsylvania Sen. Arlen Specter, a long shot in the GOP presidential contest, earlier this week pulled out of the straw poll. He will, however, participate in the speculating that precedes the vote.

The straw poll is no longer a measure of grass-roots support but is now an exercise in big money manipulation," said Specter's campaign chairman, Roger Stone.

Becky Applegate, a senior accounting clerk for the city of Carbondale, said the class increases women's awareness of protection options.

"This class made me very aware of my surroundings and what to watch for to protect myself," Applegate said. "I thought the defensive moves in the workshop were very simple to learn."

Tresa Bastien, a secretary in the Carbondale city attorney's office, said the class is important if women only learn one new method for protecting themselves.

"This class is very informative and the officers who taught it did a very good job," Bastien said. "I think if I learned even one thing, it will make a big difference in me defending myself against an attacker."

The class features a lecture on Aug. 21, and workshops on Aug. 24 and Aug. 25. The lectures and the workshops begin at 6 p.m. and end at 9 p.m.

The Carbondale Police Department will teach the class for a group of women upon request. For more information call the department at (618) 457-3220 Ext. 428.
Poor Mexican economy causes export headaches in America

The Washington Post

NUEVO LAREDO, Mexico—

Even before 9 a.m. on a typical day, more than 1,000 loaded, U.S.-bound tractor-trailer rigs line up along several city blocks of this busy border town, serving notice that free trade is alive and well in Mexico.

But across the Rio Grande, in Laredo, Texas, an altogether different story is unfolding as freight forwarders, customs brokers and other specialists in cross-border commerce come to grips with Mexico's eight-month-old Free Trade Agreement.

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The peso's devaluation and U.S. loans are a plus. As Mexican buying power increased, Mexico sneaks us in. But at the same time, Mexico's textile and apparel industry—long a key to U.S. exports—serves notice that free trade is more than just a bonus.

Indeed, the United States enjoyed a surplus of more than $1 billion in trade with Mexico during the first six months of 1994. But then came Mexico's economic crisis. With Mexican exports lugging southward at Laredo, America's cross-border trade surplus fell away.
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heavyweight title. Manager Vinnie Vecchione stopped the fight in the first round when McNee was knocked down a second time after a Tyson barrage of blows to the head. McNee slumped, a statistic in Tyson's record, which now stands at 42-1 with 36 knockouts.

Prior to McNee, Tyson's last fight was on June 28, 1991 when he outlasted opponent Razor Ruddock in 12 rounds. His only loss came at the hands of James "Buster" Douglas in a 10-round knockout on February 11, 1990.

Tyson has spent more than four years away from boxing and makes his return after serving three years in prison for a rape conviction. Tyson was convicted of raping Miss Black America beauty pageant contestant Deirdre Washington in Indianapolis. Some students feel the three years spent in prison has only helped Tyson.

"He is a lot better now than he was before," Mills said. "He is a lot hungrier, more focused and more vicious. Tyson is a lot smarter and better now than he was before."

Wardell Magitt a junior in administration of justice from Chicago, said although he has had a three-year hiatus, Tyson has not lost his hunger.

"He's gonna be good," Magitt said. "He has had a long wait but he has a lot to prove. He has changed. He now knows what to expect."

Magitt said Tyson has not lost any of his ability and will now only have to hone his skills as a boxer.

James Vance, a graduate student in administration of justice from Chicago, said Tyson's prison term has helped prepare his return to the ring—a return destined for success.

"Tyson looks a lot better now than before," Vance said.

"When he was beat by Douglas he was not focused or in good shape, now he is. "Prison has not hurt him that much because he has had time to prepare for boxing. He has had time to get stronger and prepare mentally."

Vance said Tyson appears to have added a few pounds to his existing muscular physique and looks a lot better.

"If I was a fighter, I would not want to face him," Vance said. "I cannot see anyone beating him now—he has no competition."

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Cliris Schullian, a redshirt sophomore from Carbondale, attempts to complete a pass during practice. Schullian is competing for the starting quarterback position.

And then there were three.

After months of practice, the battle to lead the Saluki offense is down to redshirt freshman Reggie Kennedy, sophomore Chris Schullian and transfer Danny Smith.

The SIUC quarterback situation has been up in the air since last year and the squad has seen many signal-callers make their bid at the starting role.

However, Saluki head coach Shawn Watson said he will continue to evaluate the three quarterbacks before making a final decision.

"We are going to continue to put them in different situations during practice and scrimmages to see how they react," he said.

"Kennedy and Smith really controlled the offense on Saturday and Schullian has also had a good camp," Kennedy, who played his high school football in Pontiac, said. "I am ready to lead the Saluki offense.

"The offense is similar to the one a run in high school and I have worked hard to understand this one."

The quarterback battle has been a benefit to all the quarterbacks, Kennedy said.

"I think the competition is good at any position, because it makes you work hard and focus on your job," he said.

Kennedy led the Pontiac High School to the 1993 state championships. The Chicago Sun-Times named Kennedy their Player of the Year. In his prep career Kennedy threw for 4,482 yards and 59 touchdowns.

Sitting out a season gave Kennedy the chance to get acclimated to the style of college football.

"I haven't played in a college game yet but sitting out last season enabled me to understand the system and taught me the differences of high school and college football," he said.

Watson agrees that Kennedy has the tools to be a good collegiate quarterback.

"He is a pure passer that has all the physical ability you could want at the position," he said.

Schullian, who is also a pitcher for the Saluki baseball team, hails from Carbondale and transferred to SIUC from Division I Western Michigan.

Watson said Schullian is a smart player who understands the offensive scheme and has performed well in Saluki scrimmages.

"He has worked extremely hard during practices and has the leadership qualities that you look for in a quarterback," he said.

"He has really performed well in our fall practice."

Another factor in the quarterback landscape is transfer Danny Smith, who came to the Dawgs this year from Miami (Ohio).

"He is really getting the rust knocked off and really played well during Saturday's scrimmage," Watson said.

"We'll (coaches) need to sit down, watch film and evaluate, which quarterback will start and make a decision soon."

The QB scramble began in spring practice when Kennedy beat out sophomore Jason Karnes and junior Phil Shedlha, who have been moved to tight end and on the depth chart.

Schullian missed most of spring practice due to his baseball commitment and Smith transferred in fall.

The Salukis ended their two-a-day practices on Saturday and will prepare for their season opener at Southwest Missouri on Aug. 31.

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**Salukis roundball schedule to include four TV contests**

By Chad Anderson

The 1995-96 Saluki basketball schedule has both the coaches and the fans excited about the upcoming season.

The Salukis will meet Utah State, Florida Atlantic and Nebraska-Kearney for the first time and four other teams for only the second time: Old Dominion, North Carolina-Charlotte, Hawaii-Hilo, and Alabama-Birmingham.

SIUC basketball head coach Rich Herrin and Athletic Director Jim Hart were pleased with the schedule.

"It's a good, competitive schedule. It's as strong as any we've had in the past and we'll have to develop in a hurry in order to be competitive against some of our easily opponents," Herrin said.

"I think the overall schedule is a good one," Hart said. "Our fans should enjoy the fact that we have five home games on Saturdays as well as a good mixture of week nights."

Herrin said there are three teams to watch for this season in the Missouri Valley Conference.

"I think Illinois State, Bradley, and Tulsa are the teams to keep an eye on for this season," he said. "Illinois State, Evansville, and Creighton have some good recruits, but it's still really too early to tell."

Four television appearances are scheduled for the Salukis this season, with ESPN broadcast earmarked for a Jan. 11 showdown at Utah State. The other three are NBC-TV; Jan. 27 vs. Evansville, Feb. 3 at Southwest Missouri State, and Feb. 11 at Illinois State.

Mike Mandis, president of the "The Pound," said the Saluki athletics fan club has tremendous satisfaction planned for this year, but he was unable to tell all they are.

Also said the club is hoping to travel with the team to the Utah State game.

"It depends on how much money we raise during our fund raisers. Plus, it gives us another opportunity to take some of the kids on a trip," Mandis said.

Mandis said the best thing about television appearances are the opportunities they give people outside the community to see and understand the University.

"It really helps in the recruiting department, and gives everyone a chance to see us on television," he said. "I've had players tell me they came because of the fan support, and I've gotten letters from other schools saying they wished they had our fan support."