The Daily Egyptian, July 10, 1997

Daily Egyptian Staff
Student leaders to boycott BOT

NO GO: USG, GPSC officials will not attend meeting because of trustee's comments.

WILLIAM HARTFIELD
DEPUTY EDITOR

Student government leaders will boycott today's SIU Board of Trustees meeting in East St. Louis because they say the student voice they represent is not heard by some trustees.

Tim Hoerman, Graduate and Professional Student Council president, and Dave Vingret, Undergraduate Student Government president, said "some common sense made by SIU Trustee John Bestower at the June board meeting were inappropriate." As that meeting, the board approved student-athletic fee increases, which both student governments opposed.

The board approved the fiscal year 1999 athletic fee of $136 and projected fees of $156 for fiscal year 2000 and $176 for fiscal year 2001.

"I have a real concern with the whole grip of the student position in that their position on this issue is moving from having a voice on this issue to having to be their approval is required," Bestower said at the June meeting. And I think that this sends a dangerous message to this board and to the future of this University's administration if, in fact, we have elevated the student referenccJme process to a necessary addition precedent to establish...

City Council repeals scavenging ordinance

OVERTURNED: Public outcry causes council members to reconsider their position.

JENNIFER CAMDEN
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Because of second thoughts and public criticism, the Carbondale City Council on Tuesday unanimously voted to repeal its ordinance against scavenging through garbage on curbsides.

The council also discussed a city staff recommendation to limit local towing companies' fees for nonconsensual towing to $40, which towing company representatives criticized.

The ordinance against scavenging through curbside refuse was approved on May 20. Councilman John Budick was the only vote on the ordinance in May.Under the repealed ordinance, the city owned all garbage and refuse placed at curbsides, and curbside collection. Those caught taking recyclables or other material could have been fined $10 to $500. "We've gotten a lot of heat on this one," said Councilwoman Maggie Flanagan. "This band stage, barbecue sales and beer and wine will be inside that fenced-in area."

September festival designated 'Fair Days'

Jennifer Camden
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

The city's decision to allow beer and wine at the Carbondale Main Street Fig-Out barbecue festival this fall will not detract from the event's family orientation, organizers say.

The Carbondale City Council and Liquor Control Commission on Tuesday unanimously approved Main Street's request for an F1 temporary liquor license, which is a Fair Days designation allowing beer and wine sales at the two-day festival scheduled for Sept. 26-27.

Liquor will be allowed in the parking lot behind 710 Book Street, 710 S. Illinois Ave., from 5 to 10 p.m. Friday and noon to 10 p.m. Saturday. The band stage, barbecue sales and beer and wine tent will be inside that fenced-in area.

"The sale of alcohol is not the primary focus of the event," she said. "The primary focus is the carnival and the barbecue cook-off."

The resolution establishing Fair Days specifies that Main Street should provide adequate portable restrooms and trash cans, that security fencing should surround the area where liquor is served and security personnel should be provided, and glass containers should not be allowed.

A separate children's area is designated for parts of Freeman and Roschi streets and nearby parking lots. Children's activities being planned include a petting zoo, sidewalk chalk drawing, face painting, magicians and clowns.
Calendary

**Calendar Policy**

The calendar items are two publications, days before the event. The items must include time, date, day of the week, and place of the event, and the name and phone of the person submitting the item. Item should be delivered or mailed to the Daily Egyptian, Newsroom, Communications Building, Room 1247. All calendar items appear on the Internet Web page. No calendar information will be taken over the phone.

**Today**

- Help End Marijuana Prohibition Club meeting - 2 p.m., every Tuesday, Student Center 2nd Floor, Activity Room D. Contact Reid for details, 579-4033.
- SIUC Library Services - Introduction to constructing Home pages, 9 to 11 a.m., Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.

**Upcoming**

- Introductory class for Windfalling - 1 p.m., July 13, Evergreen Lake boat ramp. Contact Art at 935-4978 or alternatively for details.
- Blood Pressure Clinic - 9:30 to 11 a.m., July 14, sponsored by the Jackson County Health Department. Call 681-5412 for more info.
- SIUC Library Services - Advanced WWW Searching Seminar, 3 to 4 p.m., July 14, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.
- New Age Spirituality Discussion Group - 7 p.m., July 14, longbranch Coffee House. Contact Art at 290-5029, for details.
- SIUC Library Services - Best Online Seminar, 10 to 11 a.m., July 15, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.
- SICU Library Services - Email Use Eudore On Macintosh seminar, 1 to 3 p.m., July 15, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.
- Egyptian divers meeting - 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., every Tuesday, Shanghai Tower.

**Submit your calendar events to THE DAILY EGYPTIAN newsroom.**

**Communications Building, Room 1024**

**536-3311**

**Women Only**

**Great Shapes Fitness Center**

1 Mile South of SIU on Highway 51

(1 next to Arnold's Market)

**529-4404**

Call 536-3311

For More Advertising Information

**Start the Summer Off Right**

**69° Italian Festival**

Choose one of the Following Small Orders of Pasta and Receive a Single-Serve Special Salad and One Piece of Cheese Garlic Bread

- Rigatoni Roma
- Fettuccine Verduca
- Spaghetti & Meatballs
- Rigatoni Carbonara
- Spaghetti Pomodoro
- Linguine w/Chicken Livers
- Pasta Con Melanzane

Festival not valid with any other discounts, coupons or offers University Mall location only, 457-5545

**9:30 to 3:00 p.m., July 18, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., July 19 and 20. For registration information call 1-800-642-5367.

**SIUC Library Services - Introduction to WWW Using Netscape, 9 to 11 a.m., July 16, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.**

**Play Ball Classic**

- 9:30 to 11:30 a.m., July 21, sponsored by the Jackson County Health Department. Call 681-5412 for details.

**SIUC Library Services - Introduction to Asynchronous Learning Seminar, 9 to 10 a.m., and 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., July 22, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.**

**SICU Library Services - Best Online Seminar, 1 to 2 p.m., July 23, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.**

**SICU Library Services - Power Point Seminar, 9 to 11 a.m., July 24, Morris Library Room 1030. Contact Undergraduate Desk for details, 453-2818.**

**Motorcycle Rider Courses**

- 9:30 a.m., July 25, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., July 26 and 27, at SICU. Contact Skip Siorkey for details, 1-800-642-5367.

**Submit your calendar events to THE DAILY EGYPTIAN newsroom.**

**Communications Building, Room 1024**

**536-3311**

**Women Only**

**Great Shapes Fitness Center**

1 Mile South of SIU on Highway 51

(1 next to Arnold's Market)

**529-4404**

Call 536-3311

For More Advertising Information
SCHOLAR: Professor studied relationship between religions.

CHRIS MYERS
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

An instructor who taught for 13 years at SIUC died of a heart attack Monday afternoon at Carbondale Memorial Hospital. Dr. Riazuddin Zobairi, 66, was born on July 1, 1931, in Aligarh, India.

Zobairi received his bachelor's and master's degrees in philosophy and education at Muslim University in Aligarh, India. In 1971, he received his Ph.D. in education at SIUC. He has taught in the countries of Pakistan, Algeria and Nigeria.

In 1984, Zobairi became a professor of Religious Studies at SIUC. The Religious Studies program, which was under the College of Liberal Arts, dissolved in July 1993, so Zobairi became an adjunct associate professor in the History Department.

SIUC research could be used on Mars

FOUR YEAR EFFORT: Researchers create device that could locate fossils on Mars.

MIK AIL J. MARIS
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

When the Pathfinder spacecraft landed on Mars July 4, and began sending pictures of the planet's rocky terrain, SIUC professor John Phillips viewed the news from outer space with more than a casual interest. Phillips and his roving probe, Sojourner, were sent to Mars by NASA in December. The probe sent back last week supporting evidence that liquid water once flowed on the Martian surface. Pictures show remains of lakes and water channels.

In August 1991, Phillips and Jean-Marie Dimandja, a graduate student in chemistry, also began research on an analytical method to find water on Mars. The research took about four years for them to complete.

"We were working on a new method to detect and evaluate water vapor in the Martian atmosphere," Phillips said. "Dimandja built an instrument and did experiments with prepared samples of the atmosphere. It's like the same thing (nephelometer) do on Earth to measure humidity.

The possibility of water in the Martian atmosphere is an intriguing question for researchers. Scientists believe that billions of years ago, all of Mars was a warm and wet planet with an atmosphere similar to that of early Earth.

Phillips, who has been an SIUC Chemistry and Biotechnology professor for 20 years, has been involved with similar National Aeronautics and Space Administration research for almost 20 years. He spent two summers at NASA's Ames Research Center in Moffett Field, Calif.

Dimandja, set to complete his graduate work at SIUC in August, is working at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta.

NASA supported Phillips' and Dimandja's research with a grant, and Phillips traveled back and forth to Ames, Calif., to support Dimandja's work. By May 1995, their project's intentions were fulfilled.

"Like any research, it had some successes and some things that didn't turn out as they should have," he said. "In the end, it was finally worked.

Their research could have a practical use on future visits to Mars. Near the end of the research, Dimandja was quoted by the DE as saying that NASA could use the instrument they devised to discover locations likely to contain fossils of past Martian life.

Even if NASA does not choose to use their work to study the Martian atmosphere, Phillips said their instrument is valuable for advanced studies of the Earth's atmosphere.

"It could be used by scientists to discover pollutants and measure gases in soil.

"SIUC research could be used on Mars.

See Mars, page 6

ALBANY, NY
Web site issues apology to New York Senate

The site on the World Wide Web that had connected the New York Senate to obscene language and pornography issued an apology Tuesday and promised to drop its offending links.

"We are sorry if we offended anybody," said Alex Sheshunoff, publisher of the online publication New York Now, which had connected the New York Senate to its offending links.

"We are not about pornography. We're a family site," Sheshunoff said.

The site known by New York Now came after Embarrassed Senate officials quickly cut off their link to the online magazine's home page.

Senate aides did not realize that by linking to New York Now, which they did in February, they inadvertently hooked the official Senate page into other sites that are pornographic.

WASHINGTON
Investigators have six theories in Flight 900 case

A week before the first anniversary of the crash of TWA Flight 800, investigators are still probing the case Thursday there is no new evidence but a total of six theories about what could have happened to the plane: four potential mechanical scenarios and two involving possible sabotage.

Though law enforcement investigators have all but ruled out a bomb or missile strike as the cause of the crash, they plan to pull out of the probe soon, both sabotage theories are still included in the official investigation of the disaster, though only one mechanical problem has been discussed publicly, a potential buildup of combustible fuel in the measuring device.

The residue, which has been found in the center tanks of other airplanes, though not Flight 800.

--- from Daily Egyptian news services

Southern Illinois

CARBONDALE
BOT to vote on raises

The Southern Board of Trustees will vote on a salary increase today for fiscal year 1998 for all non-union employees.

The increase would benefit the approximately 760 non-union faculty and tenure-track employees.

The salary increase based on considerations such as merit, academic promotions and market adjustments.

William Capic, associate vice chancellor for Administration, said the increases do not apply to any of the about 600 temporary and tenure-track faculty or about 1600 civil service workers.

He said more civil-service salary increases have been negotiated for fiscal year 1999.

However, no agreement has been reached for faculty who are represented by the faculty union.

CARBONDALE
Governor signs bill creating grape and wine council

Gov. Jim Edgar signed a bill Tuesday creating a 17-member Grape and Wine Resources Council that will be housed at SIUC and chaired by the dean of the College of Agriculture.

The bill was sponsored by Sen. Stan Dave Luechtefeld, R-Olakville, and is meant to promote the grape and wine industry in Southern Illinois.

He established a council to consult, train and help the products.

By creating this body. Luechtefeld and representatives of the industry say tourism in the area will be enhanced and new jobs will be created.

Local wineries include Pomona, Alto Vineyard, Owl Creek and Spring Pond.

--- from Daily Egyptian news services
City needs protection from evil carnapppers

Rob Neff
The View From Here

Rob is a graduate student in geology. The View From Here appears every Thursday. Rob’s opinion does not necessarily reflect that of the Daily Egyptian.

“Well, Rob, it looks like you got what you wanted,” he was holding up a copy of the Daily Egyptian in his hand. One of the front-page stories was about how the city is considering placing a $50 price cap on nonconsensual tows.

“Yeah, Mike, I saw that I have to say I’m a little disappointed.”

“What? What about all that talk about carnapppers and their reign of terror?”

“Well, the way I see it, a price cap won’t do anything to solve the real problem here, which is the abusive way some carnapppers treat their hands on our cars in the first place. Remember the story about the guy who almost had his car carnapped right in front of him? He had just pulled up for a second to order his friend a beer, and before he knew it, the carnappper had released his friend’s car and started to tow his car.”

“I remember that. As I recall, that one got away. He was able to drive off before the carnappper could immobilize the car.”

“Yes. The wrongs the carnappper was any less wrong, though. And don’t forget the poor delivery drivers who have been towed while making deliveries, or tenants who have been towed while moving in. The solution of the city is considering doing nothing to protect them from the clutches of the evil carnapppers.”

“That’s not completely true, Rob. At least they won’t be able to gauge your owners at $50 a pop, the way some places do now.”

“Yeah, I guess that’s true. It will save people $525 every time they get towed. But that also means that carnapppers will get $35 less per tow, which could end up being a very bad idea.”

“Now wait just a minute! Since when are you all buddy-buddy with the towing companies?”

“Member, you all have much more to gain than we do. And don’t forget the experience drivers who have been towed while making deliveries.”

“Since never man. I still have as much contempt for carnapppers as I always did. But you’ve missed an important point.”

“Oh, well, by all means, enlighten me.”

“Okay, imagine you’re a carnappper.”

“So, I’m circling the parking lots of Carbondale like a hungry vulture, looking for cars to hold for ransom.”

“Right. You’ve towed every violator you can find, only you still haven’t made a

much money as you used to in the good old days when you could stick it to the students. What do you do?”

“Cry like a baby.”

“But I’ll bet you would also, look for ways to make money. Maybe you make one of an effort to convince landlords to tow from their lots, offering them kickbacks on all tows. Maybe you start being a little more abusive in acquiring your victims. You know, bend the rules here, break them there.”

“According to you, that’s already going on.”

“Yeah, but I think it will get even worse unless the city does something to stop in carnapppers. Keep in mind that they, like everyone else, are guided by the profit motive. The more cars they tow, the more green they bring in.”

“So you really expect the City Council to require that a specific complaint be made against every car before it can be towed?”

“They have shown that they are responsive to the issue. I’m not saying it should be required in every case — the city and the University may have very good reasons for keeping certain areas free of unauthorized vehicles, and requiring complaints there would be unreasonable requirements. But as far as towing from private lots, especially those in apartment complexes, I think it is very reasonable.”

“You know, Rob, I think you’re right. But remember, you are asking the City Council to place the interests of students ahead of those of local businesses. Do you really expect that to happen?”

“Well, I would hope they would realize that there is a serious public relations problem between the city and the students. A lot of us are fed up with being treated like money cows, and we complain. Some of us complain even louder.”

“You, for instance.”

“Yeah, but anyone who has been paying attention around here should know that I’m not the only one who is upset. The negative image students have of the city has hurt the retention rates of the University, if not the enrollment rates. That, in turn, hurts local businesses.”

“So if they really want our money, they should ask instead of just grabbing.”

“Exactly.”

The Daily Egyptian, the student-run newspaper of SIU, is committed to being a mixed source of news, information, commentary and public discourse, while helping readers understand the issues affecting their lives.
RAIN DANCE: Lindsay Rowland, 5, of Carbondale, plays in the water gushing out from a fire hose provided by the Carbondale Fire Department Wednesday afternoon at Tatum Heights Park. The Carbondale Park District is hosting "Chills Out in the Park," which allows children to play in water shooting from a fire hose every Wednesday in July.

HOSED: Jerry Koonce, a Carbondale firefighter with Station 1, directs the water from the top of the fire truck to spray children at Tatum Heights Park.

TAUNTING TEACHER: Kelly Kretzer, a teacher at the Admiral Child Development Center, tries to get away from her wet students.
NASA may use it someday, or maybe they won’t.

JOHN PHILIPS
SIUC PROFESSOR OF CHEMISTRY AND
ENVIRONMENT

Mars landing, but he hopes that he or other SIUC researchers will be called upon to work on future NASA projects. "NASA is organized into different company research groups," he said, "and our research group was not chosen to work with the Mars landing. But I’m certainly interested in the Mars landing project, as are other people on campus with different NASA grants."

And Phillips said interest in the Mars landing and in the images that Sojourner is relaying back to Earth should not be limited to scientific researchers. "Everybody should read the papers and give attention," he said, "because it is certainly interesting news."

POSHARD
continued from page 1

how much special-interest money is involved. "I’m hopeful we can change all that (student cynicism)," Posnardi said.

Posnardi plans to have coordinators in the Southern Illinois area working with SIUC college democrats and volunteers on campus. The campaign also will be sponsoring events at the University and in the community later this year to rally support for the congressman. Posnardi said his campaign does not accept any money from corporations or political action committees. He said he does this to restore society’s trust in the political system.

"I feel there’s been a real disconnect between the representative and the represented in our society, and I think people see money as the cause of that," Posnardi said. "You have to have the trust of the citizenry to get anything done."

It’s Everything you’ve dreamed of.

Clinique’s newest bonus.

Clinique knows how to pamper you. To make you glow from head to toe. With skin-loving care. And the most-wanted makeup in the most available, flawless colors. All in a bonus bundle. Your special bonus, at no extra charge, with any Clinique purchase of $17 or more. You get:

Clinically Different Moisturizing Lotion, skin’s best-dressed moisture drink.

Moisture-Fill Body Formula, rich but lightweight cream. Quickly absorbed, intensely protective.

Black Gentle Waterymouth Mascara, stay-on lash maker thatAnalytics. Your special bonus, at no extra charge, with any Clinique purchase of $17 or more. You get:

Clinically Different Moisturizing Lotion, skin’s best-dressed moisture drink.

Moisture-Fill Body Formula, rich but lightweight cream. Quickly absorbed, intensely protective.

Black Gentle Waterymouth Mascara, stay-on lash maker that

Blushing Nude Lush Last Last Lipstick, creamy, comfortable, long-wearing color.

VINTAGE WINE Lush Last Lipstick, creamy, comfortable, long-wearing color.

CLINIQUE
Alcohol Treated, 100% Fragrance Free.

The Expire is in 24 hours or less.
www.clinique.com

HE HT'S... - Graham Norton

28 Republican lawmakers vow to restore NEA funds

APPROPRIATIONS:
Representatives to meet with Gingrich about arts endowment.

Washington—As the house prepares for what is expected to be a controversial vote on the future of the National Endowment for the Arts, a coalition of 28 Republicans is seeking to restore funding for the arts agency. The Appropriations Committee voted on June 26 to cut NEA funding from $182 million to $10 million, essentially just enough money to shut down the agency. Conservative forces have been pushing to abolish the endowment, citing a federal boondoggle and criticizing some of the projects it funds as obscene.

But supporters of the NEA say it provides needed money for valuable community-based arts and cultural projects that have great intrinsic value to local and corporate matching grants and that expose the public to the arts, which might otherwise have little chance.

"I’m hopeful we can change all that (student cynicism)," Posnardi said.

Posnardi plans to have coordinators in the Southern Illinois area working with SIUC college democrats and volunteers on campus. The campaign also will be sponsoring events at the University and in the community later this year to rally support for the congressman. Posnardi said his campaign does not accept any money from corporations or political action committees. He said he does this to restore society’s trust in the political system.

"I feel there’s been a real disconnect between the representative and the represented in our society, and I think people see money as the cause of that," Posnardi said. "You have to have the trust of the citizenry to get anything done."
Cops baffled in Starbucks murder case

GRUESOME: Three coffee store employees found shot to death, former worker cleared.

WASHINGTON—D.C. police have released a former Starbucks coffee store employee in connection with the homicide of three employees, and now they are starting from scratch to find the killer.

The former employee, who was fired recently after allegedly stealing money, not Monday night with police, who also searched the employee’s home, with his permission, a police source said.

“We’ve got some people who are more suspicious than others,” said a police official, who asked not to be identified. “But we’ve got a whole battery of detectives out here interviewing everybody.

Police are investigating reports by witnesses who reported seeing two men in the alley behind Starbucks shortly after 9 p.m. Sunday. Police took surveillance tapes from the Little Flower Shop, of downtown coffee shop and from the Four Seasons Hotel.

Police asked to review surveillance tapes from the Four Seasons after receiving a tip that a person using a telephone at the hotel was heard saying to someone that he had killed some people and was going to be in trouble.

“The bodies of Mary Cairin McHenry, 25, Emory Allan Evans, 25, and Aaron David Goodrich, 18, were found shortly after 5 a.m. Monday in the back room of the coffee shop at 1410 Wisconsin Ave. NW, just north of Georgetown. Evans and Goodrich were shot to death in the head, a police source said. Mahoney, the night assistant manager who fired the employee is being questioned by police in several areas, including once in the hotel. Police described the scene as “gruesome.”

A female employee arriving for work discovered the bodies.

Police sources said Tuesday that nothing was taken from the store and there were no signs of forced entry. No keys to the business were missing, and no weapon has been found.

The bottom line was the door was locked,” said the police official. “The employee (who found the bodies) definitely used a key to get in (the building).

Investigators are interviewing people who knew the victims and reviewing job application at the coffee shop, said Assistant police Chief Rodney D. Monroe. At least a dozen people had been interviewed by Tuesday morning, a source said. It “doesn’t fit the profile of a typical robbery, so we have to look at relationships, acquaintances, things like that,” Monroe said.

COMMENTS

Master for an hour and a half at least 400.

Tamika Kirkman, a senior in marketing from Chicago who attends Jackson’s class regularly, enjoys his personality and aerobic style.

“The music is good, and you definitely work up a sweat,” she said. “And he’s nice enough to help people who aren’t as comfortable as possible.”

“I want to make the class as comfortable as possible,” he said. “I want to meet their needs because I’m service to them.”

FRIDAY JULY 11, 1997
Housing

DAVID VINGREN, undergraduate adviser in organizations including the Muslim Student Association, said that students and towing companies face a challenge: how to deal with nonconscientious tows caused by the increased work involved, tow companies, and regulations.

"Don't depend on what anyone tells you," he said. "All the students and towing companies know the rules, but people don't know about the tow rules." The report, which the council sanctioned, requested limited city towing company fees for nonconscientious tows, or towing on Sunday and holidays, from $65 to $85 per tow.

"About 10 years ago when we were toasting a few cars, " a Great Neck, N.Y. resident, spoke against the report, which the council passed. "Don't depend on what anyone tells you," he said. "All the students and towing companies are aware of the rules, but people don't know about the tow rules." The report, which the council sanctioned, requested limited city towing company fees for nonconscientious tows caused by the increased work involved, tow companies, and regulations.

"Don't depend on what anyone tells you," he said. "All the students and towing companies know the rules, but people don't know about the tow rules." The report, which the council sanctioned, requested limited city towing company fees for nonconscientious tows, or towing on Sunday and holidays, from $65 to $85 per tow.
NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR MANAGEMENT POSITIONS
IN WESTERN KENTUCKY
AND SOUTHERN ILLINOIS
Please submit resume to: Personnel Director
205 South Land
Murphysboro, IL 62966
EOE

KFC

Now Accepting Applications For MANAGEMENT POSITIONS
In Western Kentucky And Southern Illinois
Please submit resume to: Personnel Director
205 South Land
Murphysboro, IL 62966
EOE

Daily Egyptian
Boxers with Alzheimer's gene more susceptible to brain damage

RESEARCH: Study could be used to weed out fighters based on genetic predisposition.

"I do put in a lot of hours, but I do it to enjoy what I'm doing," said Dr. George Allen Roses, chairman of the Department of Neurosurgery at Duke University Medical Center. "It's a very hard lifestyle, but I don't regret going to work," he said. "I'm not the type to wallow in self-pity."

Dr. Roses is a lead researcher in a new study that found a genetic link to chronic brain damage among boxers. The study was published in the journal "Science." The research suggests that genetic predisposition to Alzheimer's disease may be a factor in chronic brain damage from boxing.

"This is a quite significant study, and it is quite preliminary," said Dr. Roses, who is also the director of the Duke Stroke Center. "We are just beginning to understand the genetic basis for Alzheimer's disease, and this study suggests that there may be a genetic component to chronic brain damage in boxers."
BASEBALL
Kelis pick up transfer

catcher, two infielders

The Saluki announced Wednesday that Brian Phelan, Casey Boydstun and Peter Beekmen have signed letters of intent to play baseball at SIUC.
Phelan, a junior transfer from the University of Arkansas, will be eligible immediately to play at the catcher position. He started 24 out of 41 games that he played for the Razorbacks last season and hit .254 in the final 19 games he played.
Boydstun is a freshman from Galesburg. He was a three-time All-Conference selection at the shortstop position and his high school’s Most Valuable Player in 1997. Boydstun hit .624 home runs, while batting .407 last season.
Beekmen is a freshman third baseman from Sandwich, III. As a senior, he hit .391 and selected SIUC rather than the University of Maine.

MLB

ALL-Starts end three-year losing streak

Cleveland Indians catcher Sandy Alomar Jr.’s home run helped lead the American League to a 3-1 victory at the Major League Baseball All-Star Game in Cleveland on Wednesday.
The victory ended the American League’s three-year losing drought.
Alomar drove in two home runs, his first in the seventh inning, earning him the game’s Most Valuable Player.
Royals fire manager, first base coach, hitting coach

After losing eight games in a row and 11 of their last 13, the Kansas City Royals fired manager Bob Boone on Wednesday.
Boone was an assistant coach whose contract had been extended through the 2000 campaign at the end of last season, was replaced by Chicago White Sox hitting coach Ozzie Smith.
First base coach Mitchell Page and hitting coach Greg Luzinski were fired.
Frank White and Tom Pacquette, two former Kansas City stars, will replace Page and Luzinski.
The Royals are nine games out of first place in the American League’s Central division with a record of 36-46.

NBA

Nuggets free up salary-cap room by releasing players

The Denver Nuggets freed up salary-cap room to sign their top picks from last month’s National Basketball Association draft, by releasing six roster players on Wednesday.
In June, the Nuggets drafted NBA freshman Tony Battie, Danny Forston and Bobby Jackson.
Veterans: Kenny Smith, Sarunas Marciulionis, Vincent Askew, Jerome Allen, Keith Jennings and Jimm King were all released by the Nuggets.

GOLF

Haegeman sets course record at Invitational

Joakim Haegeman took the lead Wednesday in the fourth round of the Lock Lomond World Invitational tournament in Scotland with record setting 6-under-par 63.
Haegeman got birdies in his last three holes. He had nine birdies on the day including an eagle.

Sports Info interns often find success in their field

STATISTICS: Latest SIUC Sports Information intern receives assistant directorship.

SHANDREL RICHARDSON

DAILY EQUATION EDITOR

East Carolina University’s hiring of former SIUC intern Jerry Trickle last month as assistant sports information director marks the continuing success of the SIUC sports information program.
Trickle, who is the latest intern from SIUC to get a job in sports information. SIUC’s internship program began in 1990 and has helped all eight interns get jobs in sport information at other universities.
“Getting to SIUC gave me a different look at sports information. Trickle said, “If I hadn’t worked with them, I don’t think I would be in my position.”
Trickle, who received a degree in mass communications from Augustana College in 1993, interned at SIUC’s sports information department during the 1996-97 school year. He will start working at ECU’s assistant sports information director July 28.
Sports Information is the organization within a collegiate athletic department responsible for producing media guides, game programs and any information needed by members of the media.
Fred Huff, the SIUC men’s sports information director, said Trickle’s immediate success wasn’t solely the result of his internship.
“He had the desire to do well,” Huff said. “He never backed away from a job.”
Huff said though sports information is not a high-paying profession, Trickle will make the most of his opportunity.

Sports Info head takes pride in job

REWARD: Huff finds most satisfying part of position is helping interns find jobs.

TRAVIS AXON

DE Sports Editor

Working in sports information may be a behind-the-scenes job, but it is one Fred Huff takes pride in — especially when his former employees succeed.
“I take a lot of pride in the accomplishments of someone who I feel like I contributed a little to that person’s success,” Huff said. “That makes me feel good.”
Huff became sports information director at SIUC in 1960. He worked in that capacity for 11 years and then became general manager of the Du Quoin State Fair.
Two years later, Huff was re-hired at SIUC as the assistant sports information director in 1976. He again became men’s sports information director in 1987.
The purpose of sports information is to promote the Athletic Department, but that does not mean Huff cannot be proud of his work.
“Of my favorite student workers was working. 10 a long ago, she only made 95 cents an hour,” he said. “For lunch every day she brought a candy bar and a soda. I used tell her to start eating better.
“She said that all she could afford because she sent $5 every week back home to her mother. Fifteen years ago, she was making $10,000 a year. That makes you feel good.
Huff’s willingness to assist other people has won the admiration of Gene Green, SIUC women’s sports information director.
When Green came to work at SIUC in 1990, he was hired as Huff’s assistant. Green had worked as the sports information director at the University of Rolls in Mississippi.
“Huff was very cognizant of the fact that I had been my own boss for the last 10 years,” Green said. “Even though I was his assistant, he said I did my work, he would leave me alone to do my job. He has done that.”
Green said Huff is a good person to work around because he has a good attitude about his work.
JASON UHLENBECK/CHICAGO EQUATION

NUMBERS: Fred Huff, SIUC sports information director, is responsible for collection and distribution of SIUC sports information. Huff is working on a book of SIUC sports history.

DAILY EQUATION EDITOR

Sports Info interns of often find success in their field

Year of SIUC Names Jobs after SIUC
1990 Jerry Trickle Assistant SID at East Carolina University
1991 Mike Mandujano SI intern at University of Illinois
1992 Chris Poglicia Head SID at Western Illinois University
1993 Don Leorthy Assistant SID at Barry University
1994 Mike Cohen Assistant SID at University of North Dakota
1995 Tommy Smith Head SID at Lewis College
1996 Todd Clark Head SID at Wisconsin La Crosse
1997 Al Jones Assistant SID at Kansas State University
1998 Dan Dullen Assistant SID at Santa Clara University
1999 Robby Backer Assistant SID at James Madison University
2000 Brad Daberstich Assistant SID at Washburn University

SOURCES: SIUC Sports Information
Jobs after SIUC
SI = Sports Information
SI = Sports Information Director

By Susan Rice, Daily Equation

"Jerry’s a very appreciative person,” Huff said. "He doesn’t have to be wealthy to happy."
Trickle is just excited about the chance to gain work experience.
“IT’s not the highest-paying job, but it is full time,” Trickle said. "The experience can be used as a stepping stone to bigger and better things."

Boxing
Study finds genetic makeup could increase brain damage.