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## McAndrew mayhem

The first home Saluki football game under the new lights brought out an estimated 12,125 fans Thursday night, almost doubling last year's average of 6,177. The Saluki fans were treated to a thrilling 78-point shutout over Kentucky Wesleyan College.

WILLIAM A. RICE  
DAILY EGYPTIAN

## Second West Nile case reported in Jackson County

Illinois ranks third in nation for human West Nile cases

Greg Cima  
Daily Egyptian

A 47-year-old woman from the Murphysboro area has been infected with West Nile virus, becoming the second person to be infected with the mosquito-carried virus in Jackson County in one week.

The case was reported by the Illinois Department of Public Health Thursday. Health officials said the woman did not require hospitalization. The first case of West Nile virus in the county was a 37-year-old man also from the Murphysboro area. Jackson County Health Department officials could not release locations or names of the two people but were able to give the general area.

West Nile virus is a mosquito-carried virus that causes West Nile encephalitis. Encephalitis is an inflammation of the brain. Illinois reported its first case of human infection Aug. 6. To date, there have been 98 reported cases of West Nile virus causing five deaths in Illinois.

"About 80 percent of people bitten by infected mosquitoes do not show any symptoms and less than 20 percent will experience the mild flu-like symptoms" said Kevin Gillespie, director of the Environmental Health Division of the Jackson County Health Department. Gillespie said less than one in 150 who are infected will contract encephalitis or meningitis.

The Illinois Department of Public Health said symptoms of the virus can range from mild to severe, including headache, fever, stiff neck, stupor, convulsions, muscle weakness and paral-

ysis. The virus can lead to neurological damage or death in a person who is older or has a weakened immune system.

Gillespie said some cases are going unreported.

"People are being bitten by infected mosquitoes and not experiencing any symptoms," Gillespie said.

It is impossible to count people with mild or no symptoms, he said.

West Nile virus is not the first problem Illinois has had with mosquito-carried infections.

"Illinois is a state with a history of mosquito-carried disease," said Tom Schafer of the Illinois Department of Public Health. Schafer said that Illinois had 600 encephalitis cases in 1975, the highest in the country.

"It's not unusual for us to see diseases related to mosquitoes in Illinois," Schafer said.

Illinois ranks third in the nation for the number of human West Nile cases reported. Schafer said the state has more cases than neighboring states because of its higher population.

The Illinois Department of Public Health tracks cases of West Nile virus in birds, mosquito batches and horses. Jackson County has nine cases in horses, the highest in the state, and 24 in mosquito batches, tied with Shelby County. Cook County has reported 214 infected mosquito batches.

Schafer said the disease is likely to continue spreading for the next two or three weeks. Cooling temperatures will reduce mosquito activity and feeding, causing the rate of infections to drop, he said. Schafer said Carbondale may have to wait "well into October" before the temperature will have an effect.

Schafer and Gillespie both said the future of

the virus is difficult to predict.

"I would anticipate we will see more cases anywhere West Nile is found," Gillespie said. "I think we will see West Nile next year."

Schafer said the disease is in its infancy in Illinois and the United States and its spread "comes as no surprise to anyone in the public health field."

Schafer said the number of cases in East Coast states has dropped off dramatically once it moved through the area, but it is unknown whether the same will happen in Illinois. New York had 60 cases in 1999 and four this year.

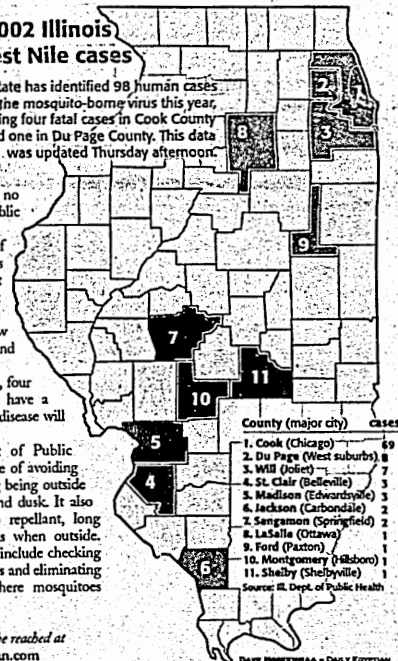
"When you track a disease, four years usually isn't enough to have a good understanding of how a disease will progress," Schafer said.

The Illinois Department of Public Health stresses the importance of avoiding bites. It recommends avoiding being outside during dawn, early evening and dusk. It also said that to wear mosquito repellent, long sleeves, long pants and socks when outside. Other methods of prevention include checking screens or other home openings and eliminating standing water, which is where mosquitoes breed.

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## 2002 Illinois West Nile cases

The state has identified 98 human cases of the mosquito-borne virus this year, including four fatal cases in Cook County and one in Du Page County. This data was updated Thursday afternoon.



## Enrollment figures to be released Wednesday

Samantha Edmondson  
Daily Egyptian

The 10th day of classes is not only the last day to add or drop a class, but it is also the day the University counts the enrolled students.

But this year's 10th-day enrollment figures will be announced Wednesday because the normal date to release the numbers would fall on Labor Day.

Anne De Luca, assistant vice chancellor for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management and direc-

tor of Admissions, said the Illinois Board of Higher Education is the reason why the University waits until the 10th day of fall semester before releasing enrollment figures.

"They allow for some time for enrollment to settle down, students coming in late or transferring out to different universities," De Luca said. "So, it gives them time to calculate funding for the institution, with a more concrete number."

De Luca said part of the University's money comes from the

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## Mediacom hears from irate customers

Cable provider fields complaints about rate increases, poor customer service and blackouts

Phil Beckman  
Daily Egyptian

Representatives of Mediacom faced more than 15 customer Wednesday night at a meeting to discuss problems with cable service in Carbondale.

Customers complained about customer service, rate hikes and service outages during the Carbondale

Information and Telecommunications Commission meeting.

Carbondale resident Sam Goldman said there was no mystery that there were problems with Mediacom.

"Walk into a restaurant at random and Mediacom will be the topic of conversation," Goldman said.

There were many complaints about the quality of the service in Mediacom's Benton, Ky., customer service office. Many of the people in attendance said that when they had tried to contact Mediacom they were put on hold and, after waiting up to 30 minutes, were disconnected.

"When you call Mediacom, it's like going into the 'Twilight Zone,'"

said John Huffman, a Carbondale attorney.

Greg Lemaster, senior manager for operations in Southern Illinois and Kentucky, admitted there were problems with the customer service and pledged to address the issue. He said that the system is designed to hang up after 25 to 30 minutes to ensure that the system does not get clogged with open lines.

The Benton customer service center employs 20 people to handle calls from customers in Southern Illinois, Kentucky and the boot heel of southeastern Missouri.

Service outages were also a major

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**NATIONAL NEWS**

**More remains found near WTC**

NEW YORK — More human remains from the collapse of the World Trade Center towers have been found by construction workers repairing nearby buildings almost a year after the terrorist attack.

Workers found three human bone fragments the size of small twigs on the roof of a heavily damaged 40-story building just south of ground zero, according to Port Authority Police Lt. John Ryan, who oversaw remains recovery during the nine-month excavation of the site.

Earlier this month, workers spotted a woman's pelvic bone atop a 25-story building at the southwest edge of the trade center site.

Ryan said other fragments have been found in recent weeks.

"When you think about all the tons of debris and the force of the impact, even though everything was thoroughly checked and rechecked, you're going to have situations where remains will be found," Ryan said.

After the excavation of the 16-acre site ended in June, firefighters and police officers expanded the recovery effort to several nearby buildings. They have found bone fragments, teeth and even parts of an airplane luggage rack.

**Indiana teen hid pregnancy, let premature baby drown**

MUNCIE, Ind. — A high school honors student who kept her pregnancy a secret allegedly let her premature baby drown in a bathtub and hid her boyfriend bury the child in an abandoned playground, police said.

Savanah Pyles, 18, was being held without bond Thursday in the Delaware County Jail on a preliminary charge of murder.

Detectives searching the playground near Pyles' eastern Indiana home Wednesday unearthed bones believed to be those of the infant allegedly buried there a year ago. Police were awaiting analysis to identify the remains.

According to arrest records, Pyles was 5 1/2 months pregnant when she gave birth prematurely on Aug. 24, 2001, in a bathtub at her home.

Pyles told police she left the baby girl in the water because she "was afraid it might die anyway from injuries it suffered during child birth," according to the arrest records.

"You can't kill someone just because you think they are going to die," Police Capt. Robert Weller said.

**INTERNATIONAL NEWS**

**UK deploys troops near Zimbabwe**

LONDON, England — Britain is to mount a military exercise on South Africa's border with Zimbabwe.

The Ministry of Defence is playing down suggestions that the deployment of up to 300 members of the elite Parachute Regiment is because of increasing fears for the safety of white farmers, many of them Britons, threatened by Robert Mugabe's land seizures.

Defence chiefs stress the long-planned operation in South Africa is not connected to the violence over the border.

But a MoD spokeswoman in London did not rule out using the elite force from 1st Battalion, the Parachute Regiment, if an evacuation proved necessary.

"Every country has contingency plans for evacuating their nationals if something adverse should happen in a country they are residing in," she told the Press Association.

"That does not necessarily mean the people involved in this exercise would be used in that. The two are completely unconnected."

The statement came amid reports that the SAS have reconnoitered the Zimbabwe-South African border in preparation for a possible evacuation.

**Italy freezes 'terror' funds**

ROME — Italian authorities have frozen the bank accounts of groups and individuals they believe are linked to the al Qaeda terror network.

And the Italian Finance Ministry said on Thursday the names of the accounts held by 11 individuals and 14 organizations had been passed along to a United Nations panel to be placed on an international terrorism blacklist.

The Italian Government made the move in co-operation with the United States, Bahamas, and Luxembourg.

The 14 entities were owned or controlled by two men, Youssef Nada, a Tunisian national born in Egypt, and Ahmed Idris Nassef, an Egyptian.

The ministry said the two worked together "for many years" as the directors of the Akida Bank and the Bank Al Taqwa, both based in the Bahamas.

While there is no connection between the account holders and the militant Palestinian group Hamas, about \$50 million transited through Bank Al Taqwa for Hamas.

Of the 11 individuals, one is still at large. The other 10 are currently in Italian jails charged with terrorist related offenses, such as illegal trafficking of arms, explosives and "aggressive chemicals" and with possession and trafficking of false documents with intent to facilitate illegal immigration.

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Thursday's Pulse Entertainment Calendar should have stated that the band Common Rider will be performing Saturday night at Hangar 9 and that the band Jimmy and the Housecats will be performing Saturday night at Mugsy's Entertainment Center.

Wednesday's article "Focusing Beyond the Classroom," should have said that James Saldana's documentary is titled, "Our Road to Kosovo."  
 The Daily Egyptian regrets these errors.

**TODAY'S CALENDAR**

Today's Calendar.  
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**One Year Later:**

Name: **Hilda E. Taylor** On Stands **9.11.02**  
 Age: 62  
 Residence: Forestville, MD, USA  
 Occupation: sixth-grade teacher,  
 Leckie Elementary School (Washington)  
 Location: AA Flight 77  
 Mrs. Taylor was accompanying a pupil, Benjamin Brown II, on Flight 77 on a field trip to Cuba sponsored by the National Geographic Society. While in the Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary, the group would have hiked. Later, she worked with marine biologists to study ocean  
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# Future uncertain for off-campus housing

## Approved housing may have to alter marketing strategies

Katie A. Davis  
Daily Egyptian

Each step echoes in silence. Passing the closed doors of vacant rooms, one can catch the faint whisper of laughter and joy that not too long ago, filled the air.

You can no longer feel the liveliness that once existed in this vast, empty space.

Stevenson Arms, University Hall and other off-campus dwellings are far from this haunting existence. They are full of life and people. They are nothing like this — not yet.

At the beginning of the summer, University Housing passed a new policy requiring all freshmen to live on campus and freed sophomores from prior restrictions, thus eliminating the market for which many of the businesses thrive.



ALEX HAGLUND — DAILY EGYPTIAN

Kristina Dawson, a resident adviser for University Hall, opens the drapes in her room. Dawson may be out of a job next year if University Hall and other SIU-approved private housing are forced to close.

University Hall, a dormitory-style building, typical of those built in the 1960s, has the capacity to house 450 students. Since most of the rooms are rented as singles, it currently houses more than 200 SIUC students, at least half of who are freshmen.

"I don't know how any business could survive losing 50 percent of their customers," said Jeff Woodruff, owner and manager of University Hall.

Stevenson Arms, the other freshman-accepted living center, also has an unknown fate. Freshmen make up 90 percent of its residence, according to the manager Stan Lieber, who also owns Garden Park Aces, which is sophomore-approved.

Edward Jones, director of University Housing, said the businesses were taken into account while discussing the policy change, but it was decided restricting freshman to campus life would be the best possible solution to a number of problems.

Jones had also said the new housing policy would rid the University of an "uncomfortable situation." Buildings are licensed as approved off-campus housing. Since they carry this label, students and parents assume SIUC has jurisdiction over these establishments. While many do follow Jones' recommendations, they are not obligated.

At times, University Housing has its hands tied in such situations, only able to bear the brunt end of parents' anger.

"People assume that because they carry the name 'approved housing' that we inspect them and have some form of control over them; that is not the case," Jones said.

While Woodruff says he knows of no case where the University has intervened on behalf of the student, and he believes that if problems persist, the University should deal with the individual owner, rather than, in essence, punishing everyone.

However, Jones stands by his belief that restricting freshmen to campus is best for the students and the University.

Woodruff also said he believes owners were not given the proper time to prepare for the switch. With the new policy slated to go into effect next fall, approved housing has little more than a year to brace for impact.

Lieber said the decision was made in mid-June, before the summer semester even began. Notification was also sent out mid-July.



ALEX HAGLUND — DAILY EGYPTIAN

Zac Sutherland shoots pool in the recreation room in University Hall while Scott Goley watches and waits for his turn to shoot. Off-campus housing sites such as University Hall and Stevenson Arms have provided a choice for students who are now restricted to University Housing.

Undergraduate Student Government senators weren't able to discuss the implications.

"There was no warning," Woodruff said. "We didn't even have the chance to talk [with University officials] about the change."

Woodruff, who has a long-standing history with SIUC as both a student and booster, considers this basically a slap in the face.

The former president of the Carbonade Chamber of Commerce, Woodruff formed what is now the Saluki Pride Committee, which raises thousands of dollars for the University.

He has also served on the SIU President's Council Board, a fund-raising group and has made numerous contributions to Saluki track and football.

By enacting this policy, the University is essentially shutting him down.

University Housing officials said the new policy would boost retention and promote academic excellence.

Jamie Wenzel, a senior in business and third-year resident of University Hall, questioned why the University feels on-campus living is better.

"Wendler and Jones have never even come

to U-Hall," he said. "How do they know University Housing is better, if they've never looked at the competition?"

Kristina Dawson, a resident adviser for University Hall, said with the exception of a few, students at University Hall do well in their classes.

Woodruff said that if it is not good enough, the University should tell them and provide them an opportunity to remedy the situation, rather than close them down.

Though not all approved-housing will go out of business, the road ahead looms bumpy.

Bonnie Owen of Bonnie Owen Management, which owns two sophomore-approved off-campus dwellings, said she has not had the time to calculate the damage the new policy will have on her business, but it will definitely have an impact.

"I will have to change my marketing strategy," she said. "Creskide and Grand Place are apartment-style buildings, so I'm hoping I'll be able to fill them."

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## Assistantships now available for undergrads

### Students can now apply for 187 positions

Samantha Edmondson  
Daily Egyptian

Students can now apply for more than some 187 undergraduate assistantships covering 111 majors that are now posted on the Financial Aid website.

The committee to review assistantship applications approved 148 positions, but an additional 39 jobs were added because of undistributed funds from the \$750,000 for the minimum wage increase.

Daniel Mann, director of the Financial Aid Office, said Chancellor Walter Wendler originally set aside \$750,000 for undergraduate assistantships and \$750,000 to increase the minimum wage. But by transferring those undistributed funds, \$822,400 was allocated to increase the amount of positions.

Student percussion managers, Mayan Art researchers and cancer research assistants fill in only three of the 187 positions available.

Every academic department on campus received at least one assistantship position. The College of Liberal Arts topped out with 61 assistantship positions from the 99 they initially submitted, receiving the most funding at \$236,000.

The chancellor's office was awarded one job and the office of Student Affairs and Enrollment

Management received 5 of the original 38 positions requested.

Hasan Sevim, associate dean of the College of Engineering and committee member, said he is pleased his part of the process is over. But he said it was critical they carefully reviewed all the assistantship requests.

"I believe Dr. Dietz will make a general announcement of how these projects were selected," Sevim said. "We selected them as fairly as we could."

Mann is pleased the first stage of the process is complete, but now the students must keep the next phase going strong. He said students should note the required 2.25 grade point average, minimum 12-hour class enrollment and may be subject to pre-employment background investigation.

He also said students need to read the applications thoroughly before submitting them to departments.

"When you look at applications procedures, they are some that are a lot more detailed," Mann said. "I also encourage students to look at the procedures."

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Students can look at undergraduate assistantship positions by visiting  
[www.siuc.edu/~lsw/jobs/undergradassistant](http://www.siuc.edu/~lsw/jobs/undergradassistant)

## The halls are alive with the sound of cell phones

### Law repeals cell phone schools' restrictions

Kristina Hermdobler  
Daily Egyptian

Welcome back Zack Morris and the days of ringing cell phones in school hallways.

Only this time, they might just be a bit smaller than the oversized ones on "Saved by the Bell."

With a final signature from the governor, school boards have been given back the option to allow cell phones in school or on school property.

Gov. George Ryan signed House Bill 3938, which repealed legislation banning the use of cellular phones in all primary and secondary schools in Illinois.

It was originally enacted more than a decade ago to discourage the presence of drug dealers, who at the time used cell phones to conduct their criminal trade.

This is no longer the case, Ryan said in a recent press release.

"Parents use the phones to stay in contact with their children," he said. "Incidents involving school violence have also pointed out the importance of having access to cellular communication. It is important that we allow an avenue of communication for these parents and children."

But not everyone agrees with the governor. Rep. Mike Bost, R-Murphysboro, said he voted against the bill because cell phones are too disruptive.

"I've heard all the stories and the situations, but I still think cell phones will become a problem in schools," Bost said. "It has always been a law to not have them and I think that has worked just fine."

However, Bost understands that the law did pass and he hopes that local school boards will make the right decision based on their school's needs.

The argument for cell phones in schools surfaced in

legislation post-9/11, when parents of high school students in Chicago were concerned about their children's safety.

"It was a fear factor," Bost said. "They wanted to gain access to their children."

Bost said when parents are concerned about contacting their children at school, they can call the school's office and, in most cases, be directly transferred to their children's class room.

Murphysboro High School District 186 has not changed its policy since the new law came into effect.

Its school board decided that for the time being, students will not be allowed to have cell phones in their school.

In the first days of the new school year, Principal Mark Bullock said he has been discussing the new options with students. Cellular phones have also been discussed at their school board meeting and in a parent meeting.

"Everyone understands how helpful they could be in an emergency situation, but it is just too quick to know what will happen with this," Bullock said. "We aren't going to change our policy on cell phones until we find a better plan."

Bullock said there are kinks to work out, such as how to keep six cell phones from going off in the middle of a test.

But he said he is willing to try to work out those kinks.

"We have talked to the students and have the student

Gus Bode



Gus says:  
So, like, I was dissecting a frog & my cell phone went off, and I was like, wow.

# New structure acts as student forum near Faner Hall

**Brian Peach**  
Daily Egyptian

Physical plant workers are hoping the newly installed kiosk outside Faner Hall keeps surrounding buildings and sidewalks clear of the usual signs and advertisements that litter them on a daily basis.

The two-week old kiosk is part of the ongoing land use and improvement plan that began in June of last year. The multi-million dollar initiative will continue to improve SIUC's physical image in the coming years.

Scott Weber, an assistant University engineer who helped design the 10-foot concrete cylinder, said he hopes students find the new structure a valuable informational tool.

"It gives them a forum to display information they want to pass along to others, as opposed to just using walls and sidewalks," Weber said.

Though the kiosk is well-built and will probably last for years, it is still being used on a trial basis to determine if more should be built throughout campus. Weber said administrators have considered building the kiosks for more than a

year, but first they want to see how well it is received by students before they commit more money to the project.

Jamie Poznic, a senior in radio-television from Hillboro, was one of about a half-dozen students who stopped to look at flyers and postings on the structure in a 20-minute period Thursday afternoon.

"It's nice because it's in a more open space where everybody can see," Poznic said. "It's better than just putting things on the walls outside of class. People can't really ignore it when it's out here in the open like this."

Kiosks have been a part of numerous proposals by the Undergraduate Student Government in their consideration of new campus land use ideas. Other ideas include speed bumps at all crosswalks and a new pedestrian bridge to replace the deteriorating one that crosses over the railroad tracks on the north side of campus. Information kiosks with maps and directories may be installed near the bridge if it is built.

USG Vice President Neal Young said the student government has

been trying to allocate funds for the project but did not know anything had been approved until the kiosk appeared on campus.

"We were surprised to see anything was being done," Young said. "The one they put up is a good idea, but it's kind of bulky and might not be what everybody was thinking of."

So far, Weber said the kiosk has been serving its function. There have not been any formal complaints or praise for it, but he considers how much it is being used to be a good indication of what the students think about it.

There are more than 60 pieces of paper and various posters on the structure. The most common messages going out to students concern various clubs, organizations and bikes and cars for sale. News of the coming Rush Week for sororities and fraternities is dominating the board, but students can also find out how to get involved in skydiving or various martial arts clubs.

At night, lights go on above the kiosk and provide illumination for the message board, which also sheds light around the area at night making it safer for students.



ROMA YEAGER • DAILY EGYPTIAN

A kiosk in front of Faner Hall provides students with a designated and high-traffic area to hang flyers and announcements. The kiosk helps to keep surrounding campus buildings free of paper clutter and more kiosks may be built in the future.

Emily Thompson, a second-year graduate student in photography from Springfield stopped to look at the kiosk for the first time on her way to class. She doesn't think it's the most appealing structure, but said it seems to serve its purpose.

concrete monstrosities around here," Thompson said. "It's kind of packed with stuff, but it's good for anybody that just wants to put their stuff out there."

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# WSIU-TV planning new fall line-up

**Ben Botkin**  
Daily Egyptian

The voice of Walter Cronkite will boom from television sets tuned into WSIU-TV this fall, but he won't be sitting behind the anchor desk of CBS.

He'll be the voice of Benjamin Franklin on an animated series that the Public Broadcasting Service is launching this fall that also features Billy Crystal as John Adams, Ben Stiller as Thomas Jefferson and Liam Neeson as John Paul Jones.

Along with historical figures, fictional characters are also included in the series. Two teenage apprentices, Sarah Phillips and James Hiller, work with Benjamin Franklin in his print shop and experience the adventures of the United

States' founding fathers. By adding the program to its fall line-up, PBS hopes to educate children ages 7 to 11 with historical lessons, said Beth Isaacs, a member of the Education and Outreach Department of WSIU-TV.

"Liberty Kids is going to focus on powerful stories that include the characters who built our nation," she said. And that's not the only way the television station's staff is hoping to educate area children.

If WSIU-TV obtains enough funding, Isaacs hopes to begin an after-school program for Southern Illinois children. She would like to see youngsters begin writing and performing skits based on national and local historical themes.

If the outreach becomes possible, Isaacs plans to have the children working on skits this fall and tape the students' performance in December and January. Additionally, the skit themes will be posted online, she said.

History is not a new topic for television airways, said Marji Morgan, chair of the University's History Department. Viewers can tune into the History Channel, but few subjects have their own network, she said.

"It's interesting that history has its own television channel," Morgan said. "Liberty's Kids" airs weekdays at 3 p.m. on WSIU-TV beginning Monday.

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## NEWS BRIEFS

### 'Endless Summer Fest' at Saltpetre Cave

The Shawnee "Endless Summer Fest" will take place Saturday and Sunday at the Shawnee Saltpetre Cave. The celebration of Labor Day includes performances from Shade, Stone Semadhi, Tio, JEB, Terra Firma, Natty Bumpo, the Station, Mamba Jamba, Spare Parts, Shanti Groove, Treologic Organ Theory, DJ YI and songwriter Kevin Wilson. Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$20 at the gate. Camping, parking and coolers are welcome. To get to the cave, take 127 south for 15 minutes. It is located north of Pomona and south of Murphysboro. For tickets or more information, call 800-954-TXOC.

### Garage giveaway at Church of Christ

A garage giveaway by the Carbondale Church of Christ will take place from 9 to 11 a.m. Saturday. Clothes, kitchen items and furniture will be given away at the annual event. No money will be exchanged.

"All we ask is that people who come take only the items they need, not what they want," said Tom Steed, the minister of the church.

For more information, call the church office at 457-5105.

### Army Corps of Engineers watch birds

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will sponsor a bird watch Saturday. Anyone interested is invited to meet at 7 p.m. at the Rend Lake Visitor Center. Corps of Engineers birding expert Keith McMullen will lead a caravan to Ward Branch, an area recognized for its superb shorebird viewing opportunities. Attendees will be responsible for their own transportation from the Visitor Center to Ward Branch. Attendees should bring binoculars or a spotting scope. The program will conclude at Ward Branch and will not be returning to the Visitor Center.

Visitors in need of transportation to Ward Branch should call the Rend Lake Project Office at 724-2493. Those planning to bring a large group should call the Rend Lake Visitor Center at 439-7430. For more information, visit the Army Corps of Engineers website at www.mvs.usace.army.mil/rend.

### Park District offers art classes

The Carbondale Park District is offering the Art with the Park- Outdoor Watercolor Painting Program. Learn to explore the beauty and versatility of watercolor painting and how to effectively use watercolors as a way to express your own artistic talent. Classes will be held on the grounds of Hickory Lodge and Evergreen Park. No experience is necessary. The program is for ages 16 years and older.

Session one meets from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Saturdays, Aug. 31, Sept. 14 and Sept. 21 at Hickory Lodge, 115 W. Sycamore St., and Sept. 7 at Evergreen Park, Black Lotus shelter. Session two meets from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Saturdays, Oct. 5, 19 and 26 at Hickory Lodge and Oct. 12 at Evergreen Park. The price is \$22 for residents within the Carbondale Park District and \$27.50 for non-residents. Attendees can save ten percent by meeting the early-bird registration deadline, which is today for session one and Friday, Sept. 20 for session two. The program registration deadline for session one is Sept. 4 and Oct. 4 for session two. For more information, please call the Life Community Center at 549-4222.

### Krishna Festival in Stonefort Saturday

The Krishna Janmastavii Festival will begin at 4 p.m. Saturday in the Krishna Temple in Stonefort.

The free event, sponsored by the Bhaktivedanta Society, will feature spiritual prayers, melodious devotional music and a free vegetarian feast.

For directions, contact Dhanisha dasi at 559-9154.

# Red Cross calls on students to give blood over Labor Day weekend

Blood in short supply across the country

**Evan Rau**  
Daily Egyptian

Someone, somewhere needs blood every two seconds.

That, coupled with the projected one-day supply of blood the American Red Cross will have on hand following the Labor Day holiday will make the blood students donate next week extremely valuable.

Labor Day weekend means more travel and with that comes more accident victims in the hospital in need of vast quantities of blood.

Students will have the opportunity to help fill this need. SIUC will host at least one American Red Cross blood drive on campus every day from Tuesday through Saturday providing refreshments to all donors.

Erica Neal of American Red Cross said this next week could be crucial for replenishing the blood supply for Southern Illinois and Missouri.

"The blood that students give will be

tested and returned to parts of Illinois and Missouri within 24 hours," Neal said.

Anyone at least 17 years old can donate blood, and there is no upper age limit. Many students have been donating blood regularly since they have been old enough to give.

"I always try to give blood every year, even if I cannot give a lot," said Magdala Rice, a graduate student in the College of Mass Communications and Media Arts.

Rice said she first gave blood while in high school and has donated every year since.

Some instructors at Southern Illinois University give extra credit to students for donating blood.

Neal encouraged students to give blood out of wanting to do it for other people, not just material reward.

She hopes that students will get used to giving blood regularly and will therefore continue to donate regularly after graduation.

Nicole Lange, a freshman in zoology, said she also started donating blood in high school and gave blood every four months.

She said she also gave blood following

## BloodDrive

The American Red Cross is sponsoring blood drives at these locations next week, Sept. 3-7.

<b>Tuesday</b>	
1 to 5 p.m.	Alpha Gamma Rho
12:45 to 6:45 p.m.	Lentiz Hall
<b>Wednesday</b>	
11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Student Center
noon to 6 p.m.	Grinnell Hall
noon to 6 p.m.	Trueblood Hall
<b>Thursday</b>	
11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Student Center
11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.	Recreation Center
<b>Friday</b>	
11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.	Lindgren Hall
<b>Saturday</b>	
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.	SIU Arena parking lot

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the Sept. 11 request for blood nationwide.

"I feel bad that people don't give blood when they can," Lange said.

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# Fraternity earns national honors

Beta Theta Pi receives honors at annual convention

Jessica Yorama  
Daily Egyptian

Every year, the members of Beta Theta Pi set out on a journey across SIUC campus. Their destination is not a bar, or party, as those convinced by the endless Greek stereotypes might assume. And though they may be walking in circles, it is not the aimless journey it may seem.

They are walking for a cause, the Walk for Life, during which they walk around an SIUC track to raise money for cancer research. This event is one of several acts of charity that contributed to the decision to award Beta Theta Pi national honors at the fraternity's annual convention.

The SIUC chapter of Beta Theta Pi was the winner of four awards this year, including first place for the Campus Involvement, Sison and Virginia Tech awards, as well as runner up for the John Holt Duncan award.

The awards won by the fraternity recognize a cumulated grade point average consistently above the male average, commitment to philanthropy and performing community service such as the

Walk for Life.

During this event, members walk from the Thursday preceding the homecoming game until halftime to raise money for cancer research. Last year alone, they were able to raise \$2,000. Because of their work and grades, the fraternity has won awards such as these several times in previous years.

Marty Obst, president of Beta Theta Pi, knows that philanthropy and charity are not two words commonly associated with fraternities.

"There are a lot of negative stereotypes people have about fraternities that have been built up through the years," said Obst, a senior in political science from Robinson. "Things like hazing and partying, some of which have been earned by people who forget what being in a fraternity is about."

Beta Theta Pi's decision to an often forgotten aspect of what Greek life should be about was so respected that the organization earned recognition not only on the SIUC campus, but also, several national honors.

Though the Walk for Life is probably the biggest event, the organization performs several acts of charity throughout the year. The events, most of which pertain to athletics including Coaches vs. Cancer, helped them to raise thousands of dollars last year for various causes.

Though the fulfillment from performing charity work and national recognition are something the members of Beta Theta Pi take pride in, they say there are many other benefits of Greek life.

Brian Beck, a senior in finance from Springfield, said being a member of the organization has taught him, among other things, "leadership skills and a better way to conduct himself."

Member Jonas Dees agrees that there are many unrecognized benefits to Greek life.

"I'm from a small town, and I didn't know a lot in high school," said Dees, a sophomore in radio-television from Tolo. "Being in a fraternity has encouraged me to branch out more. I've gotten involved in a lot of things, like USG, that I wouldn't have otherwise."

Even though the fraternity was selected for these awards, member J.R. Early said it is important to realize that all of the fraternities have done something to contribute to the positive picture of Greek life.

"I think it's important to realize that they're a lot of fraternities out there doing good things," said Early, a senior in biological sciences from Gerard. "There wouldn't be any Betas if there wasn't a Greek community supporting us."

"There are a lot of fraternities out there on the same track we are."



PROVIDED PHOTO

The SIUC chapter of Beta Theta Pi is shown decked out in their official dress with the Saluki mascot at the SIU Arena. The SIUC chapter was honored by their national organization for outstanding involvement in community and on campus.

Marty Obst said he hopes to perform 2,500 hours of community service this year, 400 more than they performed last year. He hopes that Beta Theta Pi's ongoing devotion to the campus and community will help to dispel stereotypes about fraternities.

Obst, as well as the other members of the organization, wants to remind those possessing negative perceptions that Greek life is about friendship, getting involved and giving

back to the community, something Jonas Dees has come to realize during his time in the organization.

"When I do something like the Walk for Life, I feel like I'm giving back," Dees said. "I just want people to see our letters and think, 'they're doing a great job.'"

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# Court case changes special education certification guidelines

Lindsey J. Mastis  
Daily Egyptian

Special education majors are now under new, expanded guidelines in Illinois because of a recent court case called the "Corey H. Decision" that changed courses in program.

This means that students must be trained across seven different areas of specialization to receive teacher certification in special education, said Regina Foley, an associate professor in educational psychology and special education. These areas include the following: learning disabilities, behavior disorders, mild mental retardation, moderate mental retardation, autism, traumatic brain injury, and physical disabilities.

Although students who entered college as special education majors this fall will go through the expanded program, Illinois has allowed schools to transition current students with only a couple additional courses so they will graduate on time, Foley said.

"We are working with those students to transition them into the program," she said. "It's the most broad training program covering many more disability categories and also focusing on additional teacher standards that relate technology and assisted technology for students with disabilities."

In addition to the Corey H. Decision, Foley

said technology courses geared more toward people with disabilities were added to comply with Illinois Board of Education's technology standards that SIUC has to meet.

Elvira Torres, a senior in special education from Chicago, said the program will help students become better special educators.

"I see the change — as far as us being able to meet diverse needs — is a good change," she said. "Our school is working hard to notify us about changes. I see a lot of students frustrated and thinking the school is making it hard when in fact it is the state."

Foley said the new program allowed SIUC to integrate characteristic courses since Illinois expected many changes in a short amount of time.

"We were on a very short timeline implementing this," she said. "The state board required that we have the program designed and to them by March 1, approved by the end of May and implemented at the end of July."

Torres said the state failed to give students adequate notification for the changes, but says talking with advisers can help.

"I encourage students to speak with their advisers and get a head start when things are changing," she said.

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## CELL PHONES

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council trying to come up with solutions to possible problems," Bullock said.

Murphyboro High School's policy about cellular phones has been that if they are found, they are taken until the end of the day on the first occasion. If it happens again, they are taken for the semester.

However, the school has made exceptions to its policy.

One student is allowed to have her cell phone at school because her mother has a medical condition. With new technology, her

mother only needs to press a button and her daughter would know that there is a problem.

Still, the girl's cell phone stays in the office. If there were to be a problem, she would be contacted.

Bullock said that when he questioned his students about how many had at least one cell phone in the family, more than 90 percent raised their hands.

"We want to meet students', parents' and educational needs, but not at a disruption," he said.

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## ENROLLMENT

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state, and the enrollment figures help determine how much money the University receives to help meet the budget.

Even though enrollment numbers were down about 1,000 students last fall, De Luca said new student enrollment this year looks promising.

"New-student count looks optimistic, but with returning students, we can't tell yet," De Luca said. "I think there will be positives in the overall numbers, but right now it is too close to call."

De Luca said she also believes new student enrollment may have increased because of pro-

grams like Student Orientation Advisement Registration (SOAR) and other informational orientations that allow students to access the campus extensively before coming.

Beth Lingren, New Student Program staff member, said more than 2,100 students attended the SOAR program, introducing new students to academic and extra-curricular programs and helps students get settled and increases retention.

"Instead of stumbling on things on their own, everything is all neat and tidy for them," Lingren said. "We have gotten a lot of positive feedback and they feel more comfortable, more connected, stay and become successful."

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## THEIR WORD

### Just say no to war

By Gordon S. Clark  
Knight Ridder/Tribune

The hard-line hawks in the Bush administration are pushing for a "regime change" in Iraq and preparing for war. But the consequences of a U.S. attack on Iraq range from troubling to potentially catastrophic.

First, the unprovoked (or in the new strategic-speak, "preventive") attack on Iraq would increase the already substantial anger felt toward the United States by Muslim and Arab peoples. Such anger, continually stoked, would create fertile recruitment ground for terrorists.

Second, an all-out attack to oust Saddam Hussein might be precisely the motivation he needs to use weapons of mass destruction, if he has any. "Saddam would be likely to conclude he had nothing left to lose, leading him to unleash whatever weapons of mass destruction he possesses," retired Gen. Brent Scowcroft wrote in the *Wall Street Journal* on Aug. 15.

Third, there is every reason to believe that Hussein will once again attack Israel, as he did during the Gulf War. Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon seems in no mood to practice restraint, and if Israel responds, it could easily become a region-wide war.

Fourth, to keep Iraq together or to support our chosen replacement for Hussein, the United States would need to keep troops in Iraq — thousands of troops, for many years. This would create still more resentment among Arabs and Muslims and more targets for terrorism.

Fifth, the anger on the Arab street could help foment the overthrow of other Middle-Eastern governments. Our allies in Saudi Arabia, Egypt and Jordan are called "moderate" in the U.S. press, but in reality they are corrupt and repressive dictators. They have objected to U.S. plans largely because they know they could face popular uprising or assassination if they are seen as supporting them.

Sixth, an attack could have a profoundly negative effect on the economy, bringing an oil price shock, market disruptions and a huge bill for the United States. The \$60-billion price tag of the Gulf War was largely picked up by allies, but they have no intention of doing that this time. An attack would also fundamentally disrupt the economy of Turkey and Jordan, which depend on trade with Iraq.

Seventh, such an unprovoked attack would undermine the international rule of law and could encourage other nations to launch "pre-emptive" strikes against their enemies, leading to more war around the world.

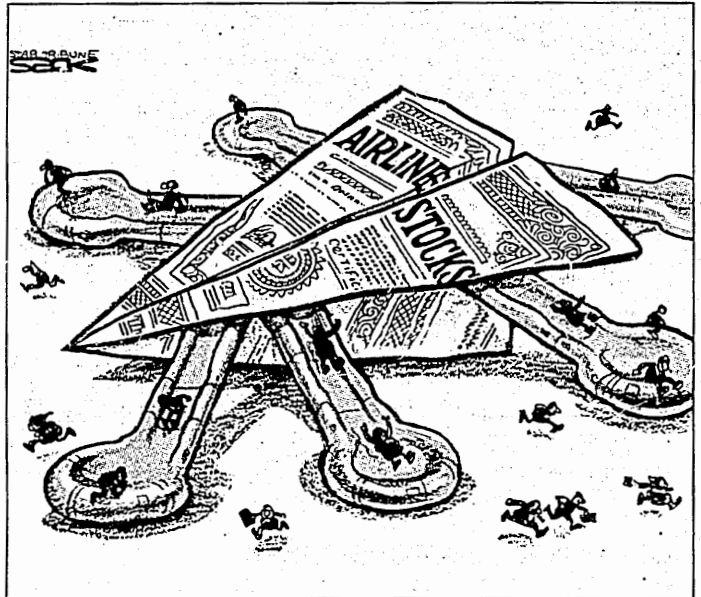
Eighth, an attack would further degrade our image and working relationship with the other nations of the world. Apart from British Prime Minister Tony Blair and Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon, no other national leader supports our plans in Iraq, and most strongly oppose them.

It is up to us, the American people, to put on the brakes.

Ninth, if you are concerned about morality or human lives, any large-scale action against Iraq would almost certainly kill thousands of innocent civilians. How many Iraqi civilians are we ready to kill to remove Saddam Hussein?

Tenth, how many Americans are we ready to sacrifice? The number of casualties to American troops could be large, and the threat to homeland security is just as plausible. Are we prepared for retaliation?

Proponents of the war manage to sweep all of these concerns aside. But the public is not so gung-ho. Bush's war plans are a disaster in the making. It is up to us, the American people, to put on the brakes.



## GUEST COLUMNIST

### Time to celebrate man's mind

Fredric Hamber  
Ayn Rand Institute

It is fitting that the most productive nation on earth should have a holiday to honor its work. The high standard of living that Americans enjoy is hard-earned and well-deserved. But the term "Labor Day" is a misnomer.

What we should celebrate is not sweat and toil, but the power of man's mind to reason, invent and create.

Several centuries ago, providing the basic necessities for one's survival was a matter of daily drudgery for most people. But Americans today enjoy conveniences undreamed of by medieval kings.

Every day brings some new useful household gadget, or a new software system to increase our productivity, or a breakthrough in biotechnology.

So, it is worth asking: Why do Americans have no unique holiday to celebrate the creators, inventors, and entrepreneurs who have made all of this wealth possible — the men of the mind?

The answer lies in the dominant intellectual view of the nature of work. Most of today's intellectuals, influenced by several generations of Marxist political philosophy, still believe that wealth is created by sheer physical toil. But the high standard of living we enjoy today is not due to our musculature and physical stamina.

We owe our relative affluence not to muscle power, but to brain power. Brain power is given a left-handed acknowledgement in today's fashionable aphorism that we are living in an "information age" in which education and knowledge are the keys to economic success.

The importance of knowledge to progress is not some recent trend, but a metaphysical fact of human nature. Man's mind is his tool of survival and the source of every advance in material well-being throughout history, from the harnessing of fire, to the invention of the plough, to the discovery of electricity, to the invention of the latest anti-cancer drug.

Contrary to the Marxist premise that wealth is created by laborers and "exploited" by those at the top of the pyramid of ability, it is those at the top, the best and the brightest, who increase the value of the labor of those at the bottom. Under capitalism, even a man who has

nothing to trade but physical labor gains a huge advantage by leveraging the fruits of minds more creative than his.

The labor of a construction worker, for example, is made more productive and valuable by the inventors of the jackhammer and the steam shovel, and by the far-sighted entrepreneurs who market and sell such tools to his employer.

By applying human ingenuity to serve men's needs, the result is that physical labor is made less laborious and more productive.

An apt symbol of the theory that sweat and muscle are the creators of economic value can be seen in those Soviet-era propaganda posters depicting man as a mindless muscular robot with an expressionless, cookie-cutter face. In practice, that theory led to chronic famines in a society unable to produce even the most basic necessities.

A culture thrives to the extent that it is governed by reason and science, and stagnates to the extent that it is governed by brute force. But the importance of the mind in human progress has been evaded by most of this century's intellectuals. Observe, for example, George Orwell's novel *1984*, which depicts a totalitarian state that still, somehow, is a fully advanced technological society. Orwell projects the impossible: technology without the minds to produce it.

The best and brightest minds are always the first to either flee a dictatorship in a "brain drain" or to cease their creative efforts. A totalitarian regime can force some men to perform muscular labor; it cannot force a genius to create, nor force a businessman to make rational decisions. A slave owner can force a man to pick peanuts; only under freedom would a George Washington Carver discover ways to increase crop yields.

What Americans should celebrate is the spark of genius in the scientist who first identifies a law of physics, in the inventor who uses that knowledge to create a new engine or telephonic device, and in the businessman who daily translates their ideas into tangible wealth.

On Labor Day, let us honor the true root of production and wealth: the human mind.

## QUOTE OF THE DAY

“Drugs have nothing to do with the creation of music. In fact, drugs are dumb and self-indulgent. Kind of like sucking your thumb.”

Courtney Love  
musician

## WORDS OVERHEARD

“She has a fire and intensity to win I wish we could bottle and sell.”

Paul Kowalczyk  
said last week about head  
volleyball coach Sonya Locke

COLUMNISTS

GUEST COLUMNIST

Have you heard the news?

I started doing research for this column a few days ago, but I could not settle on a topic. I began searching the Internet for different newspaper and news shows on the Web.

I visited foxnews.com, CNN.com, sun-times.com, espn.com and a few others.

I saw so many stories about different issues that I could not make up my mind.

One thing that did catch my eye was on the CNN site. One of the headline stories was about a 9-year-old boy who had been kidnapped from his home.

Of course, I was sad that it happened, but I was pleased to see the story get national coverage.

In one of the follow-up stories it was reported that the boy was in the middle of a custody battle and, by the way the article was written, it was implied that this was not that important because it was just another custody battle case.

It doesn't matter to me; a little boy is missing, and it needs to be talked about no matter who is responsible.

They were traveling with five cats, they got four back. They should be happy.

Another story on CNN.com was about a couple suing Air Canada for \$5 million because their cat got out of his cage and was missing for about 15 days.

I don't care about the details of the case. They are ridiculous. It is silly, and those people need to be ashamed.

Not only are they suing, but they have enlisted the services of David Blatte, an animal rights activist. Just in case some of you are not familiar with him, he is the man who defended the dog that attacked and killed a woman in front of her San Francisco apartment.

This is just insane. (I know animal lovers are not going to like this.) I cannot bring myself to accept the sanity of anyone who cares about an animal more than another human.

I don't want to be mean (yes I do), but those dogs should have been put to death immediately, no questions about it.

The owners of the car should have made sure the cat was in a secure cage and not put all of the responsibility on the airlines.

They were traveling with five cats, and they got four back. They should be happy.

A year ago, a high school honors student gave birth prematurely. She did not want the baby; so she drowned it in the bathtub and then her boyfriend buried it in an abandoned playground.



No Half Steppin

BY SAMANTHA ROBINSON  
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The girl has been arrested, but the boyfriend has not because police say he has been very cooperative by leading them to where he said he buried the baby.

While searching the area, police recovered bones and are waiting for results to confirm they belong to the baby.

What has this world come to? There used to be a time when people valued life and did whatever it took to make sure every child was given a chance at life.

I want to know how she hid the pregnancy, and if she didn't want the baby, why did she not just give it up for adoption? That would have been the mature thing to do instead of killing the baby. At 17-years-old and an honor student, you would think she knew better.

I guess not. This has happened many times in the past and people still haven't learned. If you kill, nine times out of 10 you will get caught, especially if you tell other people.

Lastly, I was talking to my sister trying to get ideas and she was really pushing for me to write something on an environmental issue.

Since that is her forte and not mine, I have to do a little more research, so I promise to devote my next column on something important about the earth.

News headlines change everyday. They may be about the same issue only with different players. No matter whether you are African-American, Caucasian, Asian, a woman, child, animal, Christian, Jewish or Muslim, we are all fair game.

I just hope we wake up and realize that the only way more positive headlines will be seen is if we start doing more positive things.

*No Half Steppin will appear every other Friday.*

*Samantha is a student in radio-television. Her views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.*

What does a word really mean?

Maghan Valerio  
The Chronicle (Duke U.)

DURHAM, N.C. (U-WIRE) — Wednesday. What a day. The hangover from last Saturday night is cooling off, and there's still enough time to get pre-game materials for tomorrow night.

I remember this time from my freshman year (sort of) — the semi-chilled beer, the punch my mother had sagely told me to avoid and the small group of dorm boys I had put on RAPP — Rape And Pillage Patrol.

Although I first put the RAPP together (and to be clear, their purpose was to prevent raping and pillaging, not to instigate it) for safety reasons, I soon began to wonder exactly why I, who had spent the previous summer at school in New York City, taking a subway to the train home well after dark, felt unsafe.

What was I protecting myself from? Those mean upper-class frat boys, who at their worst just asked me if I wanted a beer?

I felt compelled to protect myself from those advances, if you could call them that, not because I thought I'd get hurt or even do something I'd regret, but because I didn't want to get labeled a slut.

Although at my girls' high school I was relatively unused to male attention, I was certainly familiar with the stigma of a random hookup, and if college were to be a clean slate, I wanted to keep it clean as long as possible.

In our rooms and even on these pages we constantly talk, jokingly or not, about the way upper-class guys prey on freshman girls.

We look at our party scene as if it were an episode of *The Crocodile Hunter* — "see the freshman girl writhe in her slinky pants, as the frat boy watches from behind. Croikie! He just moved in with a beer!" Why do we buy into this?

Boys and girls, sexual relationships — they're mutual territory. This is a minor linguistic history, inspired by those girls who've been offered non-boxed wine in a room with the door shut.

Man, those girls are clueless. They're just asking for it/doing this for the alcohol/going after upperclassmen for the glory. We can call them sluts, right?

Wrong. No. My Merriam-Webster defines "slut" as either a slovenly (untidy

in dress or person) woman or a prostitute.

Since I'd venture a guess that college girls aren't paid for drunken hookups and are pretty put together when they go out, the definition doesn't particularly apply.

I'm continually amazed at the freedom with which boys use the term. Maybe they don't get that if girls weren't under perpetual duress to avoid such a label, they'd be more inclined to hook up — kind of like how they don't realize that a girlfriend is, among other things, a steady source of play.

I've always been a bit fascinated with the word "slut." The sound of it alone is damning — the hiss of the 's'; the upper palate tongue pressure that creates an 'l'; the final, almost superfluous, fluttering 't'.

It isn't a pretty word, but it contains a force that its relatives lack, and in case you were wondering as to its affiliation, it even sounds like "slur." It's a bad word, in more ways than one. Why do we still use it?

Maybe I shouldn't be questioning the word itself, but why its meaning can carry such blows. It's used not only to describe the promiscuous, but also those who have had sex at all, have been rumored to maybe have had sex, had sex with someone they didn't love or maybe even didn't know, are attractive, been raped or just have breasts.

It's not only a term of judgment for behavior that we have no right to judge, but also a term that doesn't even always refer to behavior.

And if that's the case, why should someone labeled a slut care at all? The one time "slut" was hurled at me within earshot was when I wouldn't let a girl cut in the Ticketmaster line in ninth grade. The girl didn't know me, and even if she had, my slut factor ended at one game of Spin the Flashlight at summer camp and an eighth-grade "boyfriend."

I wasn't a slut because I was promiscuous: I was a slut because I stood up for myself. And if that's what being a slut comes down to in this day and age, then maybe it's not such a bad thing to be.

*Maghan's views do not necessarily reflect those of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.*

LETTERS

Stolen road sign needs to be returned

DEAR EDITOR:

This letter is intended for the person(s) that stole our road sign this past weekend. One, you were trespassing on private property. Two, you have now moved the only road sign that would enable emergency vehicles to find our house in case of a fire, etc. I have been a resident of Carbondale for more than 20 years. It just annoys me that each fall semester there seems to be a rash of burglaries, vandalism, etc. that occur. Do I know you? Have I done something to you that would make you want to vandalize our property? Were your friends impressed that you could use a screwdriver?

All I can say is that if a college student can't get a piece of wood that is about 4-inches-by-12-inches, spray paint it green, then stencil the white letters that

spell Abkey Road, you probably shouldn't be in college. My 8-year-old niece could accomplish this task in a very short period of time. You probably weren't even around when the Beatles recorded this album. Perhaps you've heard stories of the Beatles from your parents. Tell you what: if you REALLY need a sign that says Abkey Road, I'll make you one, because you are obviously not capable of making one yourself, and you can give ours back first in case our house goes up in flames so the fire department will be able to locate our residence. Actually, the sign belongs to Jackson County 911 and costs me as a taxpayer \$90. You obviously know where we live, so you can drop it off whenever it is convenient for you, and I'll make one for you so you can display it on your wall or wherever it is that you just had to have it.

Mary L. Yancey  
Carbondale Resident

Reparations should have been given a long time ago

DEAR MS. ADOLPHSON:

What are reparations? Michigan Congressman John Conyers has been trying to get the racist political establishment to address this issue since 1989. (Cobra.com) sponsored the Aug. 17th demonstration for reparations. Reparations is a derivative of the word "repaid." What has been repaid? Who broke it? Slavery, lynching, murder and rape; these events have happened numerous times to blacks in America. Because of the aforementioned events, who has suffered? Who has prospered? Did the blood money gained from the sufferings of our descendants (and their descendants) stop making more money (as interests, investments, etc.)? Did all the companies who prospered by our demise cease to exist? What is slavery — lynching — murder — rape? Are

their any modern-day psychologically hidden examples of these events?

What is the Crack vs. Cocaine Law? Why are 70 percent of prison inmates "so-called minorities" when blacks only comprise about 13 percent of the U.S. population?

Ms. Lenie, I have a lot of questions that I am hoping to find answers for. I have also found some answers via uplift4race.com. Reparations for blacks in America is long overdue. The U.S. Government, private industry, public industry, individuals, groups, et al all owe reparations to the blacks in America. We are just as guilty for acting like cowards and not fighting back! The Jews are still searching for World War II offenders.

George H. Williams  
University Studies, 1997

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Dave the dog leads the SIU Cycling Club to the finish line to of the 24-hour race in Winter Park, Colo., this summer. As the last teammate was riding down the finish chute, the rest of the team joined him to run together and celebrate 24 hours of hard work.

*The SIU Cycling Club recently returned from a cross-country trip to Winter Park, Colo., where the team participated in a 24-hour mountain bike relay race and spent a few days riding on what are considered to be the finest mountain bike trails in the country. The race was one of seven U.S. races that make up the 24 Hours of Adrenaline series, and at 9,100 feet, it was held at a higher altitude than any other. With all the excitement going on, the SIU cyclists were ...*

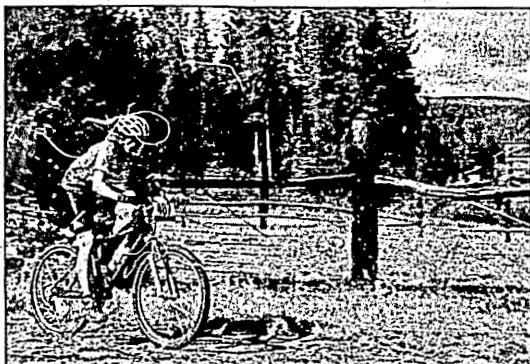
## Riding HIGH

STORY BY BRENDAN COLLIER

PHOTOS BY MARY COLLIER



Chris Norrington of Carbondale finishes up his second lap of the eight-mile rugged off-road course. The riders had to dismount their bicycles 50 feet before the finishing line and run to the baton exchange area where they would hand the baton off to a teammate who would then take his or her turn.



Sylvia Winkler, a political science major from Germany, blazes down the racecourse Aug. 4 in Winter Park, Colo. Winkler had her first Colorado riding experience this summer with the SIU Cycling Club.

**L**oaded with bicycles and camping gear, the team caravan traveled for sixteen long hours, fighting through rush-hour traffic in St. Louis, crossing the flatlands of Kansas, and snaking up Colorado's mountain roads in time to witness a glorious sunrise.

Nestled in the Rockies at a lung-searing 9,100 feet, Winter Park carried the aroma of pine in its brisk, thin air. Team members remarked how odd it felt to have shifted from "school mode" to "vacation mode" after leaving Carbondale and final exams just less than a day ago. To the mountain bike team, it seemed as though they'd found paradise.

Campsite registration began at 9 a.m., and the team members' only ambition was to set up their campsite so they could get some sleep. When 9 a.m. finally came, most of the road-weary team moved into the camping area and unloaded equipment while a few

others drove to town to buy the perfect addition to any sophisticated campsite — a hide-a-bed couch. Other creature comforts the team also enjoyed were an espresso maker, a home stereo, and even a homebuilt shower complete with a hot water heater. With the sleeper couch and shower unit in place, the team was assured of a comfortable stay, despite the physical punishment they'd face in the next day's race.

After a very short and restless day of

*For the team members who journeyed to Winter Park, the memories, photographs and scars made there will all make for an unforgettable experience.*

## CYCLING

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acclimation, the race was on. The event commenced with a Lemans-style start in which the riders first must run a 2- to 3-minute course before mounting their bicycles and heading for the trail. At noon, Ben Miller, a sophomore in aviation management, ran the Lemans start and rode the team's first lap, finishing with a competitive time that put SIU in second place. For the next 24 hours the Cycling Team battled to maintain that second place position, facing rain, cold temperatures and racers from around the world. As the sun dropped below the horizon, the team prepared for the long night ahead of them — charging lights and adjusting bikes in between shifts. Darkness fell and SIU riders headed out into the bone-chilling night, riding the coattails of the first place team while fighting to put more distance between the third.

The thin air in Winter Park proved to



Matt Gindlesparger, a senior in architecture from Carbondale, receives a complimentary back massage at the end of the race from the Cliff man. Cliff was one of the race sponsors who make energy bars and happened to have a good masseuse.

be one of the most challenging aspects of the race, especially for the teams from lower elevations. Trying to breathe properly while riding the long climbs was quite difficult for some, while Matt Gindlesparger, a senior in architecture, said the hardest aspect of the race for him was "getting up at six in the morning and trying to muster up the energy to ride another lap."

The team's only mechanical problem occurred sometime in the wee hours of the morning, when Vic Henderson, a junior in industrial technology, was forced to walk nearly a half an hour to the transition area because of a broken rear derailleur, the part of the bike that shifts gears. A rapid turnaround put him back on the racecourse in a matter of only a few minutes.

Mary Collier, a junior in photography, finished her final lap at 11:40 a.m., just 20 minutes before the cutoff for the final lap. The latest information had told us we were still in second place, several laps behind a professional team from the Netherlands, but holding a slim margin over third place, a team from Fort Collins, Colo. SIU needed the final lap to keep second place. Music blared over loudspeakers and crowds gathered around the start/finish area as I was passed the baton and headed out on the final lap. Pouring rain and thousands of mountain bike tires rolling over the same terrain had worn the trail considerably over the past day. It would all come to an end soon.

Completing the lap, the course led me up through the corporate sponsors' tent area and past hundreds of spectators, leading to the transition area. "Who Let The Dogs Out" was playing over the loudspeakers, and the entire remainder of the team gathered at the entrance of the finishing chute, SIU banner waving. I felt like a rock star as I came around the final turn and under the clock bridge, my teammates running alongside me. At 24 hours, 22 minutes and 56 seconds, the race was finally over, and SIU had claimed second place.



Mark Miles of Herrin cooks up breakfast at the campsite during the 24 Hours of Adrenalin race that the SIU Cycling Club attended Aug. 3 and 4. Mark traveled with his two sons, Devin and Dustin, to make a family affair of the 24-hour race.

Though the team members were tired, spirits ran high as the awards ceremony began. Racers from all the teams gathered at the start/finish area as awards and random drawings were given out. The awards ceremony came to an end and racers returned to their daily lives, turning what has been called "the Woodstock of mountain biking" into a ghost town.

For the SIU Cycling Team, the fun was not over. Over the next few days, members rode some of the most awe-inspiring trails the country has to offer. The team rode up and down mountain trails, occasionally being forced to stop and huddle under trees during short rain showers. One ride took the team atop Mary Jane, the highest peak in Winter Park. At 11,020 feet, the terrain looked like the surface of the moon — rocky, gray and without vegetation. The wind howled past a ski-rescue shack, the only building at the top. Miller

remarked that he flies airplanes at altitudes lower than where we were riding our bikes.

Team members considered the long climbs an investment that would pay off with blazing descents. Returning from atop the various climbs was always an adventure. Lightning-fast speeds and ribbon-like, winding trails gave riders ear-to-ear grins all the way back to town. The adrenaline high lasted for hours after the ride ended.

At the end of every day the team members would tend to their wounds, make necessary repairs to their bikes and head for the restaurants to review their day's adventure and tell tall tales.

Eventually, team members had to go their separate ways, returning to their jobs and school. For the team members who journeyed to Winter Park, the memories, photographs and scars made there will all make for an unforgettable experience.



Chris Norrington, Matt Gindlesparger and Brendan Collier crash after the race on the sleeper couch that the team purchased from the local thrift store. With the 24-hour race, sleep isn't exactly regular since riders will help each other get ready for their laps before starting their own.

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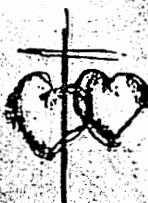
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**MEDIACOM**

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concern. After Mediacom purchased the system from AT&T, they initiated a \$1 million program to upgrade the system to the latest technology. As they replaced components of the old system, as many as 500 people at a time experienced service outages during the course of the upgrade.

Citizens complained that they never knew when the outages would take place and that they were unaware that they were eligible for rebates for the time the cable service was out of service.

"If you've had some excessive outage, then credit is due," said Randy Hollis, Mediacom government relations manager.

Citizens demanded to know the reason for the August rate hike.

Lemasters explained that rates were increased because of the system upgrade and because program providers had increased their prices.

There were also complaints that customers did not have a local number at which to contact Mediacom and that there was no listing for Mediacom in the phone book.

Max Grubb, chairman of the commission, said that according to the franchise agreement, Mediacom is not required to have a local customer service number but only a number that is publicly listed. The number is not listed in the local telephone directory because when Mediacom purchased the local cable system from AT&T, it was too late to get the listing in, but it will be in the next published phone book.

Goldman urged the city to be proactive in dealing with these issues. He recommended that the city look

into getting satellite television services to provide local TV stations as a way to provide Carbondale residents with a viable alternative to Mediacom. Mediacom currently has a monopoly on cable service in Southern Illinois.

Grubb said that in communities where there is competition, customer service is excellent and prices are competitive. The commission, he said, would do what it could, but federal law severely restricts the power of local governments to regulate cable service providers.

Grubb said that as long as Mediacom fulfills the basic requirements of the contract, there is an expectation that the contract, which expires in November 2006, will be renewed. Within the constraints of federal law, he said, only some kind of gross negligence could justify non-renewal of the contract.

While he was aware there were problems with the contractors during the system upgrade, Grubb said he was unaware of the extent of the customer service problems until Wednesday night. He said that without feedback from the community, the commission does not know what is going on.

The city attorney's office provides a complaint form that customers can fill out and the city will forward to Mediacom. The company is required to respond, and the complaint forms are kept on file with the city.

The Mediacom representatives will return to report on their efforts to improve service at the next commission meeting at 7 p.m. on Sept. 25 at City Hall, 200 S. Illinois Ave.

Reporter Phil Beckman can be reached at pbeckman@dailyegyptian.com

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**1 BDRM EFFIC**, 401 W Monroe, water, sewer incl, c/a, lg rooms, \$275/mo, 529-0744.

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By Linda C. Black

**Today's Birthday (Aug. 30).** You're tired of settling for symbolism over substance. You want a job that you love and that pays well - one that comes with respect and authority. If there's one nearby, apply this year. If not, relocation is a possibility. If you already have this type of a job, move on up.

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

**Aries (Mar. 21-April 19)** - Today is a 7 - You can make progress if you practice. You'll eventually get better at a difficult chore. Allow extra time to reach your destination. There's a lot of confusion out there.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20)** - Today is a 6 - Have you been asked to do more? That's because you're so responsible. Don't let them forget to pay you what you're worth. Pitch a fit if necessary.

**Gemini (May 21-June 21)** - Today is a 6 - You have the power to call a halt to something you don't like. Don't be bullied if you have the law on your side. Find out whether you do.

**Cancer (June 22-July 22)** - Today is a 6 - Your workplace could be a real mess. You'll have to think quickly and be creative to meet requirements that keep changing. Never a dull moment!

**Leo (July 23-Aug. 22)** - Today is a 7 - Brace yourself for another startling revelation. Better keep a lot of cash on hand in case you need to make a quick getaway. Don't spend it on junk. Instead, support a friend's good idea.

**Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** - Today is a 6 - Changes currently under way could be to your benefit. Don't profit from another's loss. Profit by providing necessary services.

**Libra (Sept. 23-Oct 22)** - Today is an 0 - Take charge of getting the messages through. You're good at doing that, and you'll be even better at it now. Besides, the others who could do it are too busy.

**Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21)** - Today is a 6 - Don't be late with your bills this month. The cost is too high. Friends won't help, but the lender might if you call early.

**Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21)** - Today is a 7 - Don't start arguing with your mate. You need to work together. Precision is required when you're instigating a transformation.

**Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** - Today is a 6 - It may seem as if your world's falling apart, but it could be a change for the better. Tell the truth, even if the consequences seem dire. It's time.

**Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18)** - Today is an 8 - You're sharp and creative, but you're slowed somewhat by events beyond your control. A friend's inspiration spurs your own resolve to help others out of a jam.

**Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20)** - Today is a 3 - You may think you're a bystander in life's drama, but that's not true. You're willing to listen and to provide the faith that helps others through these tough times.

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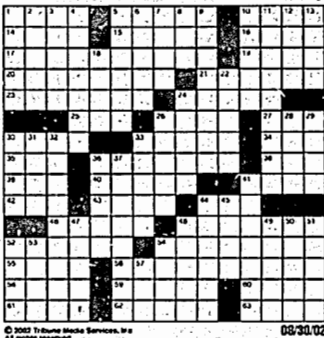
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  - Witherspoon
  - Volcanic flow
  - Performances
  - Immediately, in memos
  - Mae West's irascient co-star
  - Tell on
  - Comes to rest
  - Puts aside
  - PG key
  - Ceremonial practice
  - Lao or Sun of China
  - Telephone
  - Shortstop Derek
  - Pert on "Frasier"
  - Soil
  - Perplexed
  - Singer DiFranco
  - Put on
  - ... of the Year
  - In debt to
  - Faberge item
  - Topmost point
  - Armed conflict
  - Merges with
  - Like a runt
  - Quickly!
  - Classy
  - Asks partners
  - Swim going nowhere
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**THIS IS 2 SIZES TOO BIG FOR ME**

**I DON'T GET IT. IT LOOKED PERFECT ON THE GIRL IN THE STORE!**

### Doonesbury

by Garry Trudeau

**HESSE'S A MENACE! HE'S FIGHTING HIS WAY THROUGH THE FIGHT WITH LATER!**

**ARMA, ARMA, GUT CHECK, RIPS...**

**DO YOU ACTUALLY BELIEVE THAT OR IS THIS REALLY ABOUT ADVANCING THE CAREER OF A CERTAIN AMBITIOUS, YOUNG INTELLIGENCE OPERATIVE?**

**DRAWN YOU HARRIS.**

**HEY, I JUST SAW STUFF MAN. IT'S LIKE A CURSE!**

### Non Sequitur

by Wiley Miller

**WELL... LET'S JUST SAY I'M WORKING MY WAY THROUGH SOME CAREER ISSUES...**

**NERVO**

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By Nick Day

**I've gone through a lot of owners in the last couple of years. There was this one owner, a lady, who started out real normal. Then she just sat in this one chair and I thought she was going "goth" on me. She was just dead, though.**

### Greystone Inn

by Brad Guigar

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# Salukis host Fast Start Open

Cross country faces SEMO in first meet of season

Zack Creglow  
Daily Egyptian

The SIU men's and women's cross country teams will be getting an early start to the season Saturday at the Saluki Fast Start Open.

The women's race is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m., while the men should start at 9:30 at the Saluki Cross Country Course behind Abe Martin Field.

The Salukis will be competing against Southeast Missouri State University in a dual battle.

Murray State University was scheduled to participate as well but called two hours after the Wednesday deadline to inform SIU officials it would not competing.

Missouri-Kansas City, DePaul University and Bradley University took part in last year's open.

"If they don't want to come, then fine," SIU men's cross country head coach Matt McClelland said. "I don't think the competition level will drop that much either."

Murray State reportedly scheduled another race for Saturday. SIU took first place as a team in both the men's and women's races.

The men's team defeated second-place UMKC by 18 points, while the women tied for first with Bradley.

For the Salukis, senior Katie Meehan figures to place high for the women, while junior Dorian Giat and sophomore Eli Baker look to be early favorites in the men's race.

Meehan finished second last year to teammate Noa Beitler with a time of 13 minutes, 57.01 seconds.

Beitler, who recently returned to

the team after spending the summer in her native Israel, will not be competing in the meet as she is not yet at her peak physical state.

Giat won the men's event last year with a time of 20:11.65. Baker claimed fourth.

The keys for SIU at Saturday's race will be who claims the three, four, and five spots for the SIU women's squad and how last year's freshman have improved for the men's team.

"We are looking to see where we are at now," McClelland said.

"As a team we have only been practicing for a few weeks. This race is the best way to find out who we are."

Reporter Zack Creglow can be reached at zcreglow@dailyegyptian.com

The Saluki Fast Start Open will be Saturday morning. The women's race is set for 9 a.m., followed by the men's.

## SPORTS FLASH

### Northern Iowa gets Iowa transfer

reservations, call the Alumni Association at 453-2408.

Benny Sapp, a former first team freshman All-American at Iowa by Rivals.com, has transferred to Northern Iowa.

Sapp was a starter at Iowa last season, recording 49 tackles and three interceptions.

He was dismissed from the Hawkeyes after being charged with public intoxication and two other offenses.

### Weber to speak at Perry County alumni banquet

SIU basketball head coach Bruce Weber will be the special guest speaker at an alumni awards banquet next month in Du Quoin.

The banquet, which will be hosted by the Perry County Alumni Chapter of the Southern Illinois University Alumni Association, begins at 6 p.m. Sept. 8 at Along's Restaurant.

The cost of the dinner is \$10 per person, and all SIUC alumni and friends are welcome. Reservations must be made by Sept. 4.

For more information or to make

### Murphysboro softball tournament set for Sept. 13

The 12th Annual Applefest Co-Ed Softball Tournament will take place Sept. 13 to 15 in Murphysboro.

Entry into the double-elimination trophy tournament, which is sponsored by the Murphysboro Park District, is \$80, and the entry deadline is Sept. 10.

For more information call Lloyd Nelson at 549-3194.

### Murphysboro softball sign-up begins Sept. 5

Registration for the Murphysboro Park District's Fall Softball League will begin on Sept. 5.

The league has a co-ed and men's division and will begin play at Riverside Park on Sept. 23. For more information call Lloyd Nelson at 549-3194 or the Murphysboro Park District at 684-3333.

## Quarterbacks look to fill Finlen's shoes at Northern

Marc Marin  
Northern Star (Northern Illinois U.)

30 passes for 127 yards and three touchdowns.

DE KALB, III. (U-WIRE) — Give them credit.

Josh Haldi, Ryan Gilbert and Phil Horvath are the first to admit they don't possess the massive size and strength of a Dante Culpepper or Byron Lefwich.

The trio represents the Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Northern Illinois quarterbacks as the 2002 season kicks off. All three are looking to fill the shoes of the graduated Chris Finlen, who started during all of his four years in DeKalb.

"I'm not the biggest, strongest, fastest guy," said the 6-foot-4, 189-pound Gilbert.

Haldi is the lone signal caller with Division I experience. He took 20 snaps in three games last fall for the Huskies. The sophomore is also the biggest, standing 6-foot-2 and weighing 200 pounds.

Gilbert is a transfer from El Camino College in California while Horvath is a true freshman from Naperville Central High School.

"Josh has the experience. He's been here the longest," the quarterback's coach Matt Canada said. "The team has confidence that he'll get the ball in the right people's hands."

"That doesn't mean Gilbert and Horvath are content to watch the action from the sidelines. Gilbert put up the best numbers in the Spring Game on April 19, completing 13-of-

Meanwhile, Horvath impressed the coaching staff enough to earn the No. 3 spot for Wednesday night's season opener against Wake Forest. He passed for 3,859 yards and 35 touchdowns last season in high school while having only nine passes picked off.

"He's wasted no time making an impression on Canada."

"I'm very confident that Phil can get the job done if he's called into action," Canada said. "I can't stress enough how much he's done since he's been on campus. He's a great quarterback and has a great future."

For Haldi, he's had to make the adjustment from going through game week as the No. 2 QB to the No. 1 this week. Haldi says it hasn't been much of an adjustment.

"As far as preparation and everything, I prepare the same," Haldi said. "Just like [Gilbert and Horvath], I'm well-prepared to play. As a 1 or a 2 or a 3, you gotta be ready for your number to be called."

With two-time 1,000-yard rusher Thomas Hammock and backfield mate Michael Turner both returning, whoever is taking the snaps won't have to drop back 40 times a game.

"We all need to prepare the same and hope to do well," Gilbert said. "You never know what's going to happen. Just make good decisions, be smart and take care of the football. That's what we all strive to do."

## Minnes wins Illinois punter battle

Derrick Smith  
Daily Illini (U. Illinois)

Minnes, an Urbana native, steps in to fill the void left by last year's starter Steve Fitts. Minnes will have some big shoes to fill as Fitts left Illinois as the all-time leader in several punting categories.

CHAMPAIGN, III. (U-WIRE) — The Illinois football team filled in another spot on the depth chart Wednesday as it named sophomore Matt Minnes the starting punter. Minnes won the job over redshirt freshman Steve Weatherford after a closely contested battle for the starting spot.

"Both guys had great camps," head coach Ron Turner said. "[Matt] is just a little more consistent with his get-off time, and he's just a little more consistent overall."

Consistency was what Turner was looking for in his starting punter. Turner said on Monday that both punters were fully capable and he was just looking for one of them to consistently kick well.

"Steve and Matt both have very strong legs and are athletic football players," Turner said.

Fitts finished his Illinois career with 256 career punts and 10,671 total yards, both Illinois records. He also averaged an Illinois record 41.7 yards per punt for his career.

The more experienced Weatherford was the favorite to win the job after spending time as Fitts' backup last season. However, Minnes closed the gap during camp before winning the job this week in practice.

Minnes has yet to take a snap as a punter on the collegiate level. He will take his first snaps in a regular season game on Saturday against Missouri. Minnes missed all of last season after battling a near-fatal virus before the start of the season, and was red-shirted in his first year at Illinois.

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# SIU volleyball to open season in Lone Star State this weekend

Michael Brenner  
Daily Egyptian

The SIU volleyball team will begin its season tonight in a strange land and against four strange teams.

The Salukis will square off against four teams today and Saturday at the Southwest Texas State Bobcat Classic in San Marcos, Texas, though they are unsure of what they will find when they get there.

SIU knows very little about Texas and is a stranger to the teams it will be playing. But the uncertainty doesn't seem to bother it.

"I don't think it matters what we know and what we don't know about these teams," senior Tara Cains said. "They play volleyball, and that's all we need to know."

Although the Salukis haven't scouted Air Force, Mississippi State, host Southwest Texas State or North Texas, they still plan on leaving the Lone Star State with four wins in their pocket.

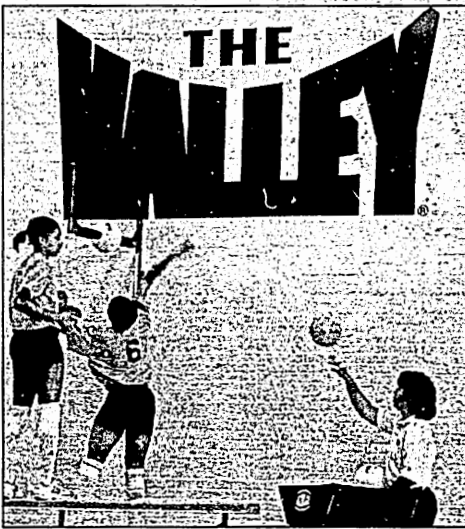
Senior Kristie Kemner has little doubt her team will make losers of its opponents.

"We can beat all four of these teams," Kemner said. "We should be coming home 4-0."

SIU finished last season 11-19 — far superior to Air Force's 2-21 finish, so a trouncing should be expected. But the other three teams posted records nearly identical to the Salukis during their 2001 campaigns, which could make for a competitive tournament.

Locke still believes SIU will take all four games, but she expressed her confidence a bit more carefully than Kemner.

"We just want to get as many wins as possible," Locke said. "We want to



WILLIAM A. RICE - DAILY EGYPTIAN  
Marissa Washington and Qiana Nelson practice their kills Monday in Davies Gymnasium. The SIU volleyball team will open the season today at the Southwest Texas State Bobcat Classic in San Marcos, Texas.

play good volleyball, and sometimes you play good volleyball and don't win. We want to play up to our potential."

Locke is stressing that although non-conference opponents are a great chance to test your team and find out who can do what, she is already looking to the postseason.

Who the Salukis beat in Texas this weekend, though it's early, could affect their postseason chances. They are not talking these games lightly.

Locke said Mississippi State is a great example of this weekend's importance. If SIU beats the Bulldogs, and the Bulldogs win the SEC, it would increase the Salukis' RPI and pull a lot of weight with the selection people come tournament time.

Therefore, the Bobcat Classic is much more than a tune-up.

"If we just wanted to practice, we'd get someone to come in and scrimmage us," Locke said. "This is a senior-riden team. We're there to win."

Friday's match against Air Force will be the first collegiate match for one of the few Salukis who is not a senior — Marissa Washington.

Washington is in the running for the second middle blocker position, and as of Thursday, that position's starter hadn't been named. But whether she starts or not, Washington won't have any problems with stage fright.

"I'm ready to play," Washington said. "I've gotten a lot better since I've gotten here, so I just want to show everyone on Mississippi State and Air Force what Sonya and the rest of the seniors on this team have shown me."

Washington and the rest of the Salukis will be spending three nights in Texas, limiting their off-court activities to dinner with alumni.

Kemner said she, and probably the rest of the team, will not be seeking fun on the streets of San Marcos. Volleyball will be the only thing on her mind.

"I'm not going to press our luck," Kemner said. "I'm just going to eat, sleep and play volleyball."

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

Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Outcome/Time
Fri.	08/20/2002	Air Force	San Marcos, Texas (SWTSU Bobcat Classic)	9:00 a.m.
Fri.	08/20/2002	Mississippi St.	San Marcos, Texas (SWTSU Bobcat Classic)	1:30p.m.
Sat.	08/23/2002	Sw Texas St.	San Marcos, Texas (SWTSU Bobcat Classic)	11:00a.m.
Sat.	08/23/2002	North Texas	San Marcos, Texas (SWTSU Bobcat Classic)	5:00p.m.
Fri.	09/06/2002	Central Mich.	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Sat.	09/07/2002	Murray St.	Carbondale, Ill.	11:00a.m.
Sat.	09/07/2002	Mo. Kansas City	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Tue.	09/10/2002	Se Missouri St.	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Fri.	09/13/2002	Wichita, Kan.	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Sat.	09/14/2002	Sw Missouri St.	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Tue.	09/17/2002	Texas Martin	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Fri.	09/20/2002	Indiana St.	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Sat.	09/21/2002	Illinois St.	Carbondale, Ill.	4:00p.m.
Tue.	09/24/2002	Western Ill.	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Fri.	09/27/2002	Drwa	Des Moines, Iowa	7:00p.m.
Sat.	09/28/2002	Clemson	Columbia, S.C.	7:00p.m.
Fri.	10/04/2002	Northern Iowa	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Sat.	10/05/2002	Bryan	Carbondale, Ill.	7:00p.m.
Fri.	10/11/2002	Evansville	Evansville, Ind. (Evansville Invitational)	7:00p.m.
Sat.	10/12/2002	Kupa Ft Wayne	Evansville, Ind. (Evansville Invitational)	10:00a.m.
Fri.	10/18/2002	Wisc Green Bay	Evansville, Ind. (Evansville Invitational)	3:00p.m.
Sat.	10/18/2002	Illinois St.	Evansville, Ind. (Evansville Invitational)	7:00p.m.
Fri.	10/19/2002	Indiana St.	Terre Haute, Ind. (Carbondale, Ill.)	7:00p.m.
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**Kentucky Wesleyan 0 - Southern Illinois 78**

**Blowout**

*SIU football opens season with convincing victory over Kentucky Wesleyan*

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 Daily Egyptian

It didn't take long for the SIU football team to show that it is serious about turning things around this year.

The Salukis scored 17 seconds into their first game of the season and coasted to a record-breaking 78-0 victory over Kentucky Wesleyan Thursday night at McAndrew Stadium.

An estimated 12,125 fans turned out for the first night game in 29 years and saw SIU score in just about every way possible in its thrashing of the Division II Panthers.

"It was awesome walking out under the lights, just all the people there," freshman quarterback Joel Sambursky said. "It was even more awesome in the locker room. The environment was awesome. I hope every game is like that."

The Salukis scored a total of nine touchdowns - four rushing, one receiving, two fumble returns, a kickoff return and a punt return - and added three field goals for good measure.

Wesleyan fumbled on its first play from scrimmage, and SIU senior running back Tom Koutsos took it in on the next play to put the Salukis up 6-0.

Koutsos added another three touchdowns in the first quarter to give the Dawgs a commanding 28-0 lead after the first frame.

"Touchdown Tommy" was pulled early in the second quarter, but that did nothing to slow down SIU's scoring rampage.

Sambursky threw his first collegiate touchdown when he connected with Calvin Sims for a 27-yard scoring pass five minutes into the second quarter.

Freshman kicker Craig Coffin closed out the scoring in the first half when he booted a 26-yard field goal to make the score 38-0.

SIU took even less time to score to start the second half when Chris Gadson returned the opening kickoff 89 yards for a touchdown.

The special teams took over in the second half as Coffin added a pair of

field goals and Quorey Payne returned a punt 47 yards for a touchdown in the fourth quarter that put the Salukis up 55-0.

"We threw some of those young rookies out there," and shoot, they kinda surprised me," head coach Jerry Kill said. "Ol' Quorey ran around for about 90 yards to get a 47-yard return.

"It looked like we had a little bit of speed, and I was interested in that. I said we need speed to win, and it was good see some guys out there that could run a little bit."

The SIU defense, which held Wesleyan to 145 yards of total offense, turned it up a notch in the fourth quarter. James Smith tallied an 18-yard fumble return, and Steron Davidson added a 21-yard fumble return while four different players had interceptions in the final quarter to seal the victory.

"The whole defense was just swarming to the ball tonight," sophomore defensive end Lionel Williams said. "We've been practicing so hard. The coach keeps telling us we're pretty much machines. Just get to the ball."

The 78 points were the most SIU has ever scored in the modern era. It still had a ways to go for the all-time record of 118 points set in 1914.

Sambursky, who was named starting quarterback on Tuesday, had a strong performance, completing two of five passes for 59 yards and one touchdown.

Fellow redshirt freshman Stanley Bryant also did well in his first collegiate appearance. Bryant, who relieved Sambursky with 7:18 left in the third quarter, rushed for 36 yards on three carries.

SIU's next game is Sept. 7 when the Dawgs play host to Southeast Missouri State at 7 p.m. at McAndrew.

"We won 78-0, but there were a lot of mistakes tonight," Sambursky said, "and we've got to go back and clean them up and get ready for SEMO."

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Craig Coffin kicks a field goal during the second half of last night's slaughter of Kentucky Wesleyan. Coffin contributed nine of the 78 Saluki points on three field goals.

**AT McAndrew Stadium**

	1	2	3	4	Total
Kentucky Wesleyan	0	0	0	0	0
Southern Illinois	28	10	30	-	78

**1st**

SIU - Koutsos 12 run (Everhart kick)	14:43
SIU - Koutsos 1 run (Everhart kick)	7:40
SIU - Koutsos 7 run (Everhart kick)	4:58
SIU - Koutsos 7 run (Everhart kick)	2:57

**2nd**

SIU - Sims 27 pass from Sambursky (Coffin kick)	10:29
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SIU - Coffin 7 FG 4:47

**3rd**

SIU - Gadson 89 kickoff return
SIU - Coffin 21 FG 3:51

**4th**

SIU - Payne 47 punt return (Coffin kick)	11:19
SIU - Coffin 27 FG 7:30	
SIU - Buck 17 run (kick failed)	6:12
SIU - Smith 18 fumble return (Coffin kick)	5:10
SIU - Davidson 21 fumble return (Coffin kick)	4:11

Rushing: Kentucky Wesleyan 37- (minus 2); (Barner 12-33; Brumfield 8-13; Long 6-7; East 1-1; Stout 1-

minus 4; Mosley 2-minus 11; Nelson 4-minus 18; Skelton 3-minus 23). Southern Illinois 37- 253 (Bracehear 11-74; Koutsos 11-65; Jones 2-38; Bryant 4-36; Bucki 3-31; Sambursky 4-10; Robinson 1-1; TEAM 1-minus 2).

Passing: Kentucky Wesleyan 16- 41-4-147 (Mosley 8-18-2-77; Nelson 4-12-2-47; Skelton 4-11-0-23); Southern Illinois 2-9-0-59 - (Sambursky 2-5-0-59; Bryant 0-4-0-0).

Receiving: Kentucky Wesleyan 16- 147- (N. East 5-38; E. East 4-29; Simpson 3-29; Denton 3-21; Warren 1-30). Southern Illinois 2-59 - (Abbott 1-32; Sims 1-27).

Estimated attendance: 12,125



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Tom Koutsos runs in for the first of his four touchdowns in the first quarter of last night's victory against Division II Kentucky Wesleyan. Koutsos left early in the second quarter after his career high touchdown mark in a single game. Koutsos now has 36 career touchdowns, which is just one shy of the school record.

**'Touchdown Tommy'**

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It was a night of firsts for the SIU football team.

It was the first time the Salukis played a home game under the lights since 1973.

It was the first time playing a collegiate game for seemingly half of SIU's roster.

It was also the first time star running back Tom Koutsos has rushed for four touchdowns in a single game.

Not a single game, a single quarter.

After the first 15 minutes of the Salukis' 78-0 massacre of the Division II Kentucky Wesleyan Panthers, Koutsos had touchdown runs of 12, one and two seven

yards.

And he only touched the ball three times after the first quarter.

Koutsos said he couldn't remember a time when he had scored so many times in such short a time.

"Not in my career; that was pretty quick," Koutsos said.

For the game Koutsos had 65 rushing yards, but that was on just 11 carries, and he averaged 5.9 yards per run.

Koutsos entered the game tied with Amos Bullock for rushing touchdowns in a career with 32, but he now has yet another school record all to himself. The four touchdowns gave Koutsos a total of 36 for his career, putting him just one behind the all-time school record of 37 held by former stand-out wide receiver Cornell Craig.

This game was the first chance for Koutsos to prove himself after being named to the watch list for the Walter Payton Award earlier this week. The award is I-AA football's equivalent to the Heisman Trophy.

Koutsos said after being nominated that he just wanted to prove he deserved the honor, and he did just that as he scored on four of his first eight touches of the season.

But despite all the scoring, Koutsos is happiest with the win.

"Four touchdowns is a big deal, but we won the game," Koutsos said.

"That's what counts."

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