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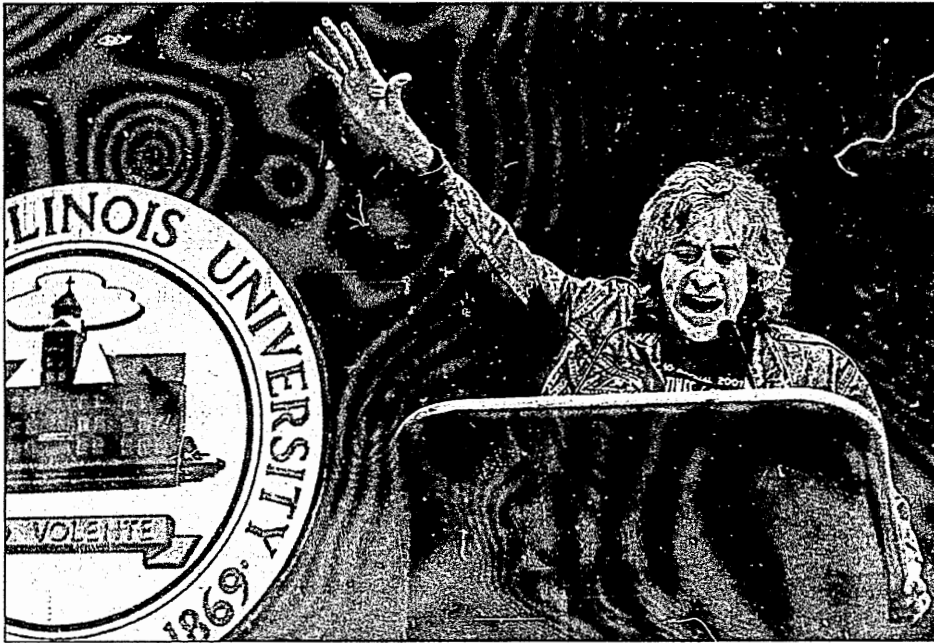
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High Times editor debates former DEA agent



Steve Hager, editor-in-chief for High Times magazine, gets the crowd going before giving his side of the issue on the legalization of marijuana. About 2,000 people attended the debate between Hager and former DEA agent Robert Stutman. See story, page 4.

BOT to review proposed increases

Board to look into tuition, student fees projections

Katie Davis
 Daily Egyptian

Next year's incoming freshmen are going to pay \$6,340 in tuition and fees if the SIU Board of Trustees passes Chancellor Walter Wendler's proposed increases.

The increases include a 15.9-percent tuition hike for the first truth-in-tuition class for the next fiscal year, as well as a 7.1-percent increase for anyone currently enrolled in the University. This is in addition to an 11.3-percent fee increase that was already approved, which would bring tuition and fees to \$5,966 next year for returning students taking 15 credit hours.

Wendler said last week that he was keeping his promise for the seven-percent increase, which was made two years ago as part of a four-year package. He said the University spent many hours evaluating costs over the next year to determine the rate for the first truth-in-tuition class. Truth-in-tuition, which Gov. Rod Blagojevich signed into law over the summer, requires the University to freeze tuition for incoming freshmen for four years of college.

The Board, which meets at 10:30 a.m. Thursday in Edwardsville, will get its first look at projected figures for next year's returning students and incoming freshmen, though it will not vote on the measure until October.

Board Chair Molly D'Esposito said she believes the figures represent a modest balance between funding and education.

"The revision reflects that very delicate balance of providing the best quality education and at the same time allocates responsibility among all parties during a time when state funds are not plentiful," she said. "We have to look at other resources."

Student fees for next year, which have already been approved, will increase \$144, most of which goes toward student medical benefits. However, the student recreation fee will increase \$12, the athletic fee will go up \$10 to \$206 and the Student Center fee will go up to \$138, a \$6 increase.

Next year's freshmen will pay more than \$25,360 for a four-year education. Fees are

Budget Task Force considers library fee

Andy Horonzy
 Daily Egyptian

Budget Task Force recommends charging students \$2 per credit hour

The general collection at Morris Library contains over two million volumes, three million microforms and 12,000 serial subscriptions, but those numbers could soon be dwarfed by another figure — a \$2 student fee.

The fee, which would be assessed per credit hour, is one of 79 recommendations recently handed down by the University's budget task force, a 19-member committee designed to curb University expenditures while increasing the quality of education.

Since January, the task force has clocked more than 90 hours in meetings outlining its plan to aid the University as it struggles to combat an 8.2-percent budget reduction and \$5-billion state shortfall.

One prominent item on the committee's report proposes charging students a fee of \$2 per credit hour could generate up to \$1 million in

additional annual funding for Morris Library. If enacted, the library fee would add to the \$1,276 in annual fees already doled out to students.

Library Dean David Carlson said his department originated the idea for the fee as a possible source for additional funding, given that the library's operating budget has stagnated over the past two years.

"The University has been very generous in not cutting our budget over the past couple years, but it has also not increased," Carlson said.

Morris Library's current budget sits around \$10 million, Carlson said, with about \$5 million doled out on materials and supplies and the rest devoted to faculty and staff salaries. Carlson said although the library has not seen its budget slashed like some other departments, operating on a static budget can often make it difficult to serve the University successfully.

"Our budget has stayed the same, but the cost

of books, serials and journals continues to go up," Carlson said.

Susan Logue of Library Affairs, and also a Budget Task Force member, said if enacted, a student fee would be a first for the library, which currently only receives money from students through overdue book fees. But last year the library only received about \$25,000 from overdue fees, a figure that Carlson said is insignificant when compared to the possible \$1 million a student fee could produce.

"The amount of money we receive from overdue fees really isn't all that much, and we're fairly lenient as far as what we charge," Carlson said.

While Carlson said he thinks a student fee could benefit the entire University, Chancellor Walter Wendler, who recently began reviewing the task force's report, said that the proposal would have to travel through many channels before being enacted.

"If we were to do something like that it would have to travel through the Undergraduate Student



Police chief says position in Champaign still uncertain

Finney may not take position even if hired

Burke Wasson & Nicole Sack
 Daily Egyptian

Carbondale Police Chief R.T. Finney knows he has a chance of being hired as Champaign's newest police chief, but he is not counting on making any moving arrangements just yet.

"At this point, I obviously don't have a good feel for getting the job," Finney said. "There's a better chance of not getting the job than getting it, so it's still talk."

Finney, who went to Champaign last week to be interviewed, was

recently selected as one of five finalists from a field of 67 candidates for the opportunity to head the Champaign Police Department.

Champaign City Manager Steve Carter said he would try to make the decision by the end of September.

Finney said he applied for the position in June but only after he was asked to apply. He said he was contacted by police officials in the Champaign area that were looking for possible candidates to fill the position left in July by the city's former chief, Jim Lueckling.

"They believed I would be a good fit for Champaign because of my work in Carbondale," Finney said. "As a police chief in a large university town, they thought my experience here would

be valuable in that area, too. That pretty much started the process of me submitting the resume and wanting to basically just talk about Champaign as a possibility."

If the prospect of Finney being hired as Champaign's police chief develops into a certainty, Carbondale City Manager Jeff Doherty said he will have his hands full searching for a replacement. As city manager, Doherty has the power to make the final decision on who would be Carbondale's police chief if Finney leaves.

Doherty said the city used the advice of a panel of about 15 community leaders from various organizations to hire Finney as former chief Don Strom's successor in 1999. He said the

city advertised nationwide for candidates to fill the job opening.

Doherty said he would not comment on how the city would search for a new police chief if Finney leaves because it is still unknown if he will be hired in Champaign.

According to the city manager, the annual salary range for the Carbondale police chief position is \$67,000 to \$81,000. Finney, who said he is earning a little less than \$79,000 a year right now, would earn anywhere from \$87,000 to \$117,000 if he is hired in Champaign.

Finney said there is a chance he might stay in Carbondale even if he is hired in Champaign out of concern for his family and respect for the

Carbondale Police Department.

"We love Carbondale, and my kids are in school in Carbondale," Finney said. "There's nothing that would push me out of Carbondale. I'm very happy with this department, and I'm just looking at this as kind of an opportunity to sit down and talk to another department about going to a larger department. It's definitely not do-or-die."

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NATIONAL NEWS

New \$20 a month away

NEW YORK (CNN/Money) — On Oct. 9, the new, peach-colored \$20 bills will enter into circulation across the United States.

The Federal Reserve announced Tuesday that distribution of the new \$20 notes will begin next month, the first in a series of redesigns that will take place over the next few years.

The eventual redesign of the \$50 and \$100 bills has already been announced, and the government is considering making changes to the \$5 and \$10 notes as well. The new \$20 is intended to thwart counterfeiters with an array of security features. "This is the most secure note the U.S. government has ever produced," Fed governor Mark Olson said in a statement.

Among the features are a watermark image engraved into the paper itself; a vertical plastic strip embedded into the note; and color-shifting ink, whose appearance changes in hue from copper to green as the bill is tilted against light.

The new \$20 contains background colors of pink (peach) and blue, in addition to different shades of green. It is the first time since 1905 that U.S. currency has prominently featured a color other than green.

Graduates plan male-only military college

SHELBYVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Disgusted by what they see as the extinction of the all-male Southern military college, some graduates want to build one of their own, based on the way The Citadel and Virginia Military Institute used to be.

That is, they say, before those schools started admitting women, before they stopped saying mealtime prayers and before the winds of political correctness swept aside many of the reminders of the Confederacy.

"Southern traditions that have been tamished and almost lost will live again," backers of the planned Southern Military Institute say on their Web site. "The concept of an officer and a Southern gentleman will be the standard, not the exception."

The nonprofit group headed by Michael Guthrie of Madison, Ala., is planning to purchase a 450-acre farm in Tennessee and hopes to open with a first class of about 30 cadets in the fall of 2004.

It will be the nation's only private, all-male, four-year military college.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Five killed in suicide bombing near Tel Aviv

TEL AVIV, Israel (CNN) — A suicide bomber set off a powerful explosion Tuesday at a bus stop just outside an Israeli army base east of Tel Aviv killing five people, Israeli police said.

After an initial report of at least 30 wounded, ambulance services lowered the number to about 15.

Police said the bomber also died in the blast. The blast occurred about 6 p.m. (11 a.m. ET), as soldiers and employees at a nearby hospital would have been at the bus stop — which also serves as a hitchhiking station — to head home at the end of their work day.

Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon, in India for an official state visit, was told about Tuesday's bombing before he began a dinner with Indian Prime Minister Atal Behari Vajpayee, according to senior advisor Ra'anan Gissin.

"Terror is a worldwide problem that must be fought without compromise and relentlessly," Gissin, who is traveling with the prime minister, quoted Sharon as saying.

"There can be no compromise on the fight on terror."

It was the first suicide bombing since a bus bomb in Jerusalem killed 22 people and the bomber on Aug. 19.

Israeli security has been on high alert — including completely closing the West Bank and Gaza to bar Palestinians from entering Israel — since the spiritual leader of Hamas declared Sunday that the group's jihad against Israel would continue.

Dozens burned alive in road crash

LAGOS, Nigeria (Reuters) — At least 70 people have been killed, most burned to death, in a road crash involving a bus and several other vehicles in central Nigeria, state television reported Tuesday.

The accident on Sunday night involved a passenger bus and three other vehicles, which piled up in a deadly inferno near the Murtala Muhammad bridge on the Abuja-Lokoja highway, 100 kilometers (60 miles) south of the national capital.

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CORRECTIONS

The outlines for the Tuesday, Sept. 9 articles "Police chief up for same position in different city" and "Police report no racial trends," misspelled R.T. Finney's name. The DAILY EGYPTIAN regrets the error.

Readers who spot an error should contact the DAILY EGYPTIAN accuracy desk at 536-3311 ext. 253.

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POLICE REPORTS

University

A bicycle valued less than \$300 was reported stolen between 5 p.m. and 5:15 p.m. Monday, Sept. 1, from the Doyle Hall bicycle rack. There are no suspects at this time.

Criminal damage to a vehicle occurred between 4 p.m. Sunday and 5:19 p.m. Monday at Wakeland Hall. There are no suspects at this time.

A motor vehicle burglary occurred between 9:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. Monday on Lincoln Drive near Pulliam Hall. Prescription medication, a cell phone and cash were reported stolen by nonforcible entry. There are no suspects at this time.

Joseph Richard Ruff, 19, of Steger and Terry John West, 19, of Chicago Heights were both arrested and charged with possession of less than 30 grams of cannabis and delivery of less than 30 grams of cannabis at 10:14 p.m. Monday at Boomer Hall I. Ruff and West were both unable to post required bond and taken to the Jackson County jail in Murphysboro, where they are still incarcerated.

A bicycle valued less than \$300 was reported stolen between 3 p.m. and 4 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 3, from Trueblood Hall bicycle rack. There are no suspects at this time.

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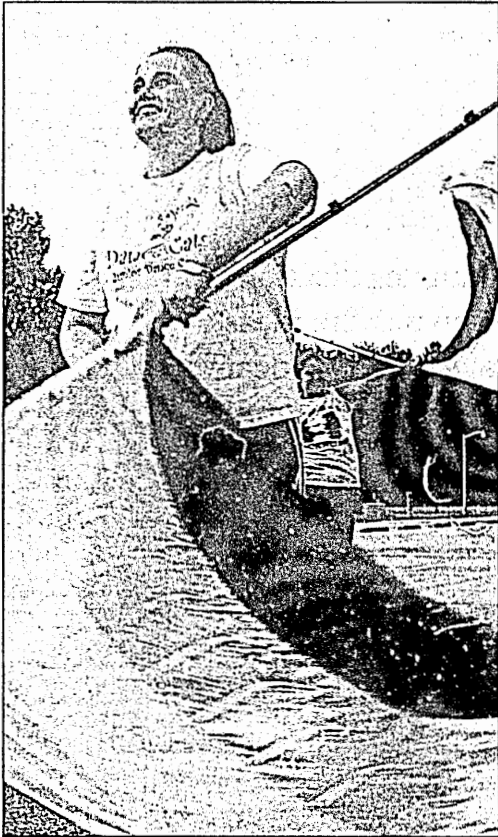
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University ROTC Program
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Flying colors



ANNIE DENTAMARO - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Casey Wright goes through the Saluki Color Guard's routine in the SIU Arena parking lot Tuesday afternoon. The color guard, along with the SIU Marching Salukis and the Saluki Shakers, practice for Saturday's football game.

Faculty Senate approved Student Absence Policy

Goes to provost for final approval

Valerie N. Donnals
Daily Egyptian

The Undergraduate Student Absence Policy for University-Approved Activities has one final step to take before implementation. It was approved Tuesday by the Faculty Senate with little opposition.

If signed by Provost John Dunn, the policy could go into effect at the start of the spring semester to allow time for the University to adopt and adapt to the new plan. Under the policy, undergraduate students who are required to miss class due to university-approved activities would be allowed to make up missed work.

"I am very pleased it was approved, and it is my intent to approve it also," Dunn said. "I think the Faculty Senate's vote and the strength of the vote conveys very clearly the faculty's commitment to supporting students in University-approved events."

Several students each semester are faced with the decision to attend a University-sponsored event and miss a class or exam, or go to class to the detriment of their team or organization. In several cases, students receive scholarship money for their involvement, which could be threatened if they choose to attend class instead.

Senior Katy Fortune, a photography major from Oklahoma City, Okla., said she did not agree with letting athletics and others miss class for no reason.

"I guess in a situation where you could lose your scholarship, in that case I would understand," she said. "I wouldn't feel cheated as long as they made up the work and it wasn't just an excuse to miss class."

The proposed policy requires students to fill out a form at the beginning of each semester, documenting ahead of time the dates and reasons for their absences. Though students would not receive an automatic approved absence for filling out the form, it will provide a starting place for discussion.

The form must be accompanied by written verification from the SIUC faculty of staff member requiring the absence, but the instructor could still deny the right to make up exams and quizzes. There is no set date for the forms to be submitted, but the senate urged them to be turned in as soon as possible to prevent conflict and allow the professor to plan ahead. Ultimately, it will still be the students' responsibility to make up the material missed in class.

If a conflict arises, students can appeal to the chair of the department, then the dean of the college and finally the provost. The original draft sent the dispute directly to the

provost for arbitration. The senate feared the chairs and deans may favor the professors in the dispute but was also concerned the provost could intimidate the students, discouraging them from placing their complaint. Dunn said the revised chain for seeking resolution is consistent with University practices.

Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management Larry Dietz will have the final say on what qualifies as a University-approved activity, though he was unavailable to clarify what the term will include.

The committee that proposed the policy examined similar ones at other universities and modeled its proposal after those used by Illinois State University and the University of Colorado. SIUC is the only university in Illinois without such a policy already in place.

Jeremy Nunes, a senior in radio and television, said he supports the policy and thinks it will really benefit students.

"It's a school function, not like they're going to the dentist," Nunes said. "The students will still have to make up the work and are going to represent the school. It's good they're protecting students' rights."

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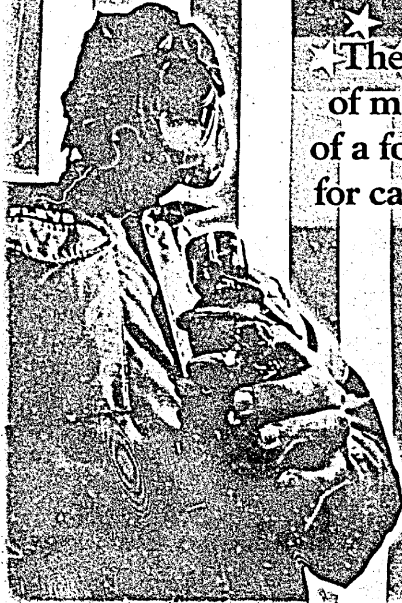
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IN THEATRES SEPTEMBER 19

High times or hard times

The great debate concerning legalization of medicinal marijuana discusses the ideas of a former federal agent, a leading advocate for cannabis and an attentive SIUC campus



DAILY EGYPTIAN PHOTO ILLUSTRATION

More than 2,000 people watch as the High Times editor and former drug agent argue legalization of marijuana

story by JESSICA YORAMA

A MAN STANDS IN THE DOORWAY of the Student Center ballrooms, a fake plant in his right hand, waiting for one of the many passers-by to look his way.

"Here's some marijuana. Have some. Gets you higher than a plane and costs twice as much."

Some of the individuals walking into the ballrooms accepted a piece of the plant.

Some turned it down.

But all were interested enough in the topic of its legalization to crowd into the ballrooms Monday night. So much so, in fact, that people were motioned away from the exits, standing against the wall and sitting on the floor, waiting to hear the two sides get fired up over the legalization of marijuana.

According to Jenn Rourke, the member of the Student Programming Council who organized the debate, more than 2,000 people came to hear the square-off between the editor of High Times magazine, Steve Hager, and former Drug Enforcement Agency agent Robert Stutman.

"I have five reasons why we should legalize the use of marijuana," Hager told the crowd during his opening statements. "The first one: it's good medicine. From epilepsy to glaucoma to multiple sclerosis, marijuana is medicine for more things than any other plant in the world."

According to Hager, smoking marijuana is treated as a crime, while the use of pills for mental ill-

nesses that may cause the same side effects is not only permitted but also recommended.

"Somebody with multiple sclerosis can go to jail, while somebody else can get duped out of their mind all day," Hager said. "Stop thinking because it came from a pill in a factory it's good medicine. It's not what God gave us, and it's not from the earth."

Stutman was quick to dispute the medicinal use of the drug, also the argument of many other individuals pushing for its legalization. According to the former DEA agent, the drug is yet to be recognized as effective by any doctor. He also questions the use of any medicine that must first be voted on in a general election.

"Voting on the use of a medicine is stupid," Stutman said. "If you went to the doctor and he wanted to vote on what type of drug you should use, chances are you wouldn't use that drug, and chances are you wouldn't go back to that doctor."

While the argument to legalize marijuana for its medicinal use is the most recognized and supported case for the drug, each side came prepared with several others. Both sides were allotted the same amount of time, 15 minutes for opening statements, three minutes to debate each question posed by the audience and five minutes to present their closing statements. However, one side possessed the majority of support for its argument.

From the case to legalize marijuana for its place in culture to the place of hemp in clothing, Hager ended each point with the chorus of the screaming audience.

There were times when Stutman remained in complete disagreement with Hager. And there were times, for example, concerning the issue of imprisoning drug offenders, when he somewhat shared his position. No matter what his stance, though, Stutman could not initially gain the favor of the large audience. Until, of course, Hager demanded it.

Hager shared he and Stutman were good friends outside the debate, followed by a request to the audience to settle down and respect his opponent. The audience soon quieted down and listened as Stutman deconstructed Hager's arguments. And Hager, according to Stutman, just argued.

"If the facts are on your side, argue facts," Stutman said. "If the law is on your side, argue the law. If nothing is on your side, then just argue; that is what my friend Steve is doing tonight."

In between rebuttals and his insistence that marijuana was a part of his culture, Hager found time to joke with his opponent, inviting him to try marijuana for the first time at his "island oasis."

Stutman snickered at his opponent's invitation but maintained his stance that marijuana can lead to dependence and accidents. Hager countered this argument, saying that alcohol, a legal drug, has many of the same side effects that may cause someone smoking marijuana



ROBERT LYONS - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Robert Stutman, former DEA agent, fields questions from spectators after the conclusion of the 'Heads vs. Feds' debate.

to have an accident. In the end, however, there were some things both sides had to agree on, such as the inappropriateness of some questions.

"I'm certainly proud that you are so proud you've been smoking since you were 12," Stutman responded to an audience member who proudly announced he had been smoking since the age of 12, despite police interference. "Fortunately, on my side, there's a lot less people like you."

In the end, even those on Hager's side had to agree that both sides made valid points in the debate.

"I think it should be legal," said Craig Peppardine, who drove from Effingham to see the debate. "I don't see what's wrong with it, but I understood what they were both trying to say."

Lynn Rheinecker, a pre-med student at John

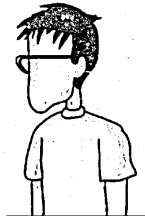
A. Morgan from Pinckneyville who approves use of marijuana in medical circumstances, said Hager dispelled a lot of myths about users of the drug being lazy. However, she said she felt Stutman to be the better debater in the end.

Whichever side audience members selected prior to and following the debate, Rourke said she was very much satisfied with the turnout.

"I'm glad both debaters connected with the students really well," said Rourke, a senior in radio and television from Joliet. "I think everyone got to listen to two intelligent arguments and hopefully got to walk away with a new perspective."

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Gus Bode

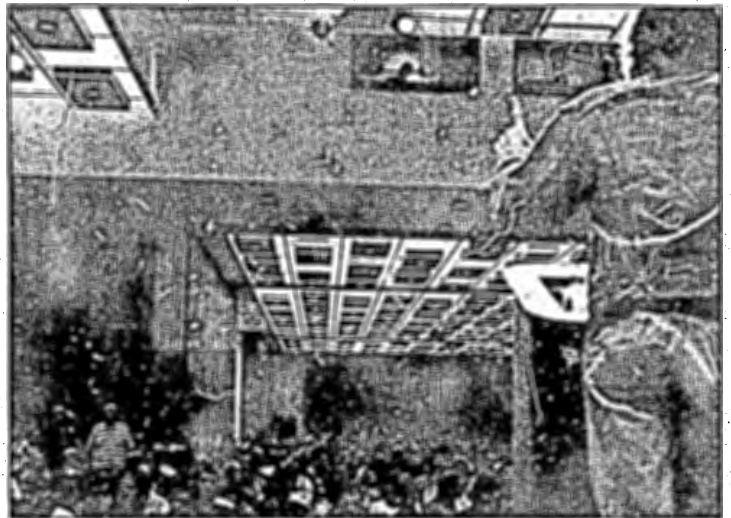


Gus says: I had a lot of good arguments, but I forgot them all.



ROBERT LYONS - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Chuck Jines, 38, gives former DEA agent Robert Stutman a piece of his mind during the question and answer segment of Monday night's 'Heads vs. Feds' debate.



ROBERT LYONS - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Steve Hager, standing on stage in Ballroom D of the student center, speaks to a crowd of over 2,000 stretching to the back of Ballroom B. Many of the spectators took the opportunity to voice their concerns over the marijuana legalization issue.

Morris Library continues plans for renovation

\$12 million in extra funds needed to complete expansion

Rachel Lindsay
Daily Egyptian

A student can easily lose oneself in Morris Library amid the maze of books, jagged corridors and elevators that face in every direction. And they can forget about easily finding an open computer, most of the terminals on the main floor are filled during the busy hours of the day.

All that is about to change as Morris Library continues its plans for renovating and expanding its facilities.

"We hope [the library] will become more of a campus resource," said David Carlson, dean of Library Affairs.

Last week, members of the library building committee met with Capital Development Board, the architects designing the library's facelift. They also met with Plant and Service Operations to discuss any concerns about and reactions to the final set of plans. The meeting completed Phase 2 of the project.

Though these meetings usually contain long discussions about where the project is and where the committee wants to head from there, this meeting was fairly brief, said Jim Fox, the building-planning librarian.

Preparations for the project began about two years ago when the Illinois Board of Education released \$29 million to fund the renovation and expansion of the library facilities. Since that time, library officials have been reorganizing and rearranging the entire interior of the library. The

official renovation project will begin in October. The expansion, however, will not begin until the end of this year.

For Katie Connors, a senior in public relations, the extra space will come too late. Though she will not be able to utilize the facilities, she said that the expansion is still needed.

"I don't care as long as someone else can use it," she said.

The renovation project includes plans to make Morris easier to navigate, removing the last asbestos from the ceilings and floors and fixing the temperamental heating/cooling system. Other renovations include reorganization of books, updating library mechanical systems and a total overhaul of the exterior of the building due to structural problems in the current brick, said Phil Gatton, director of Plant and Service Operations.

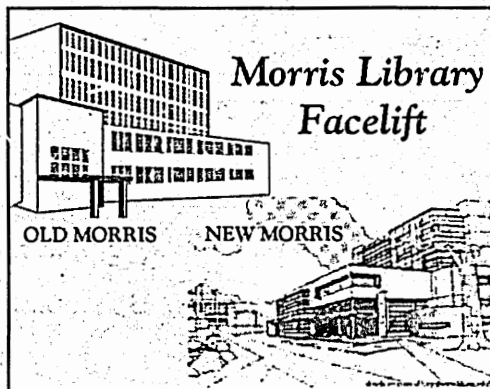
Along with the renovation of the existing facilities, Fox said the library hopes to add 50,000 square feet of space onto the front of the building. The plans extend the basement and floors one and three, leaving an open area in lieu of floor two. The additional space would incorporate an auditorium that will seat about 250 people, a computer classroom and an "internet cafe" complete with a coffee bar and study area, leaving room to house additional stacks of books.

More computer terminals would definitely be helpful, according to Celina Green, a junior in advertising.

"It's really hard to get on a computer now," she said. "Because if you need to use it but have a class, there's nothing you can do."

However, not everyone thinks the addition would be helpful.

"I don't think it's necessary," said Marta Wrobel, a junior in secondary English education. "This place is already seven stories high. Do we



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really need more? They should focus on some of the other buildings."

Right now, there are two plans for Morris's revamping. Plan A includes the renovation of the library's existing facilities as well as the re-creation of the front of the building. Plan B incorporates the additional 50,000 square feet of space into Plan A. Whether the library will be able to implement Plan B depends on the SIUC Board of Trustees, which will discuss funding Thursday in their monthly meeting. To complete the project, the library will need about \$12 million in extra funds.

"[The \$29 million] is still there," Fox said. "It's just not enough to do Plan B."

If the BOT approves the request, the library will begin Phase 3, preparation of detailed construction and architectural documents. Construction bids, Phase 4, could be sent out as early as April or May,

according to Gatton.

"We're actually pretty excited about the library," Gatton said. "A library is the focus point of a university. We hope that [Morris] will become more of a central location."

Ground could be broken as early as June of 2004, according to Gatton, though the construction would take at least 30 months to complete.

"It could be 36 or 38 months," Gatton said. "It depends on how long each phase of construction will take."

Despite the uncertainty of construction dates, both Gatton and Fox said they were excited about the project.

"This is something that benefits everybody," said Heather Clarry, a sophomore pre-major. "It's not just for one group."

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NEWS BRIEFS

ON CAMPUS

Red Cross to sponsor campus blood drives

The American Red Cross will be sponsoring a blood drive today at the Recreation Center from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Students may also donate blood Friday, Sept. 12 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Student Center and Monday, Sept. 15 from 11:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. at the Agriculture Building. Refreshments will be provided. For more information, please call Laurie Nehring at (618) 565-2411.

Moonlight boat rides scheduled for tonight

The Campus Lake Boat Dock is having free boat rides under the moon tonight and Oct. 9 from 8 to 10 p.m. For more information please call Karl Warwick at the Recreation Center at (618) 453-1276.

REGIONAL

John A. Logan to sponsor Outdoor Art and Heritage Show

The John A. Logan College Museum in Carterville is having the Outdoor Art and Heritage Show during the Southern Illinois Hunting and Fishing Days Sept. 27 and 28. Each year, 20,000 to 30,000 visitors attend this event. Booths, which must relate to the outdoors, are available for \$20 or for free if a visitor activity is provided. Each booth includes a table, chairs and electricity.

The entry deadline for the booths is Sept. 17. For an entry form, please contact the museum coordinator, Adrienne Barkley Griffin, at (618) 985-2828 or (618) 457-7676, ext. 8522, or by e-mail at museum@jalcedu. Entry forms are also available at www.jalcedu/museum.

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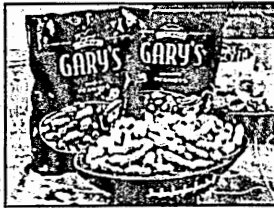
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OUR WORD

Excused absence policy long overdue

A conflict between the golf team and a professor last spring prompted the Faculty Senate to create and propose a policy that will allow a student participating in a University-sponsored event to miss a class — even if it means missing an exam. Under the proposal, these students will be allowed to make up missed class work.

This policy roots from a professor who would not let a player miss his exam. Women's head golf coach Diane Daugherty found herself in a precarious position for her next move. She decided to delay the team's departure until after the exam, thus forfeiting the team's practice round on a foreign course.

"Graduation is the number one goal of the entire [athletic] department," said Daugherty. "If I had to make the decision again tomorrow, I would."

At least 10 times throughout a semester students are faced with the decision between missing a match and missing a major exam. This becomes crucial when students are receiving scholarship money for their involvement in the event that causes them to miss class. If they choose class over the sport, their scholarship could be in danger.

The current policy leaves the student at the mercy of the professor. The Faculty Senate is examining a new policy that would allow undergraduates to make up missed exams, quizzes and other class work.

All other public universities in Illinois have a similar policy in place. We are glad to see a policy change is being considered, and we must say — it is about time.

The University gains so much publicity from sports teams and non-athletic groups that participate in events, it is a wonder that the University did not propose this policy sooner.

Some may mistakenly take such a change to be a free day at home in front of the T.V. But this is not the case.

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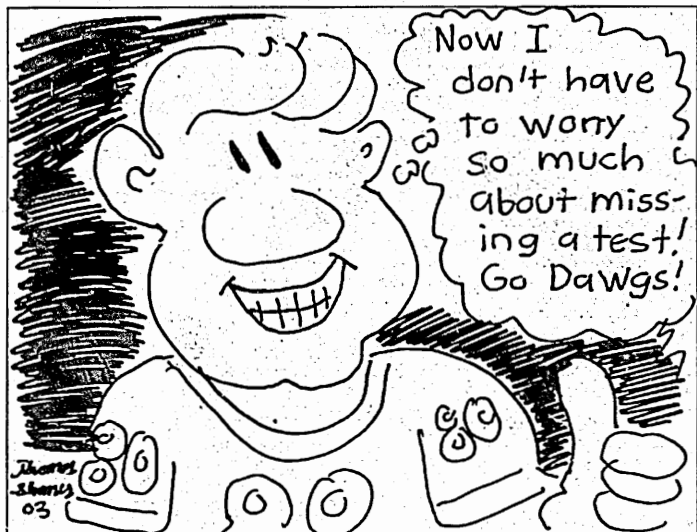
This policy is outlined for only University-approved events.

There is a single word in the contract some students purposely overlook. Required, not to be confused with voluntary, is the key word of the policy. For example, the golfer was attending SIUC

on a golf scholarship. She was required to attend the match to keep her scholarship. Fortunately, her coach was understanding and realized she also needed to maintain a respectable grade point average to keep her scholarship.

Decisions like Daugherty's have enabled SIUC to boast statistics such as athletes' high academic standing. In fact, 56 percent of spring semester sports average 3.0 GPAs. Ten out of the 14 sports at SIUC average 3.0 GPAs.

For all of those who love to watch Muhammad Abdulquadir run untouched into the end zone or see Darren Brooks picking someone's pocket and dunking the ball at the other end, you can rest assured that the decision between exam and game is almost eliminated. The dilemma over education will soon be gone, and both players and professors will breathe easier once this proposal is approved.



GUEST COLUMNIST

Parents: Control children when in public

Curt Harris
The BG News (Bowling Green State U.)

BOWLING GREEN, Ohio (U-WIRE) — I recently encountered two incidents while dining out in town. The first incident was at a family restaurant, so the presence of kids was not unexpected. However, from the moment this mother and daughter walked in the door, the child was shrieking, "I want I Skeem!" I found it cute at first, but then it repeated every 30 seconds.

The mother, in an attempt to pacify her child, took her to get some crayons from the waitress stand. There was a large container of crayons but only three different colors. The mother told the child she could only have three; the child insisted on the entire container. The child won that argument, colored with two crayons and dumped the rest on the floor.

The child had a milkshake to drink, which to me is the same as ice cream. When the child whined about the speed of the service, the mother simply agreed and began to whine herself. The girl got her meal and between bites she continued with "I want I Skeem." I was about to yell back, "I want you to shut up," when the poor waiter finally delivered the ice cream (which she only ate two bites of, anyway).

The second was one evening, when my fiancée and I went out to eat at a seafood restaurant. We had hoped for a quiet date night. That wasn't what

we got. The restaurant was packed, and while waiting for our table in the lobby, a mother, her 12-year-old daughter and eight-year-old son were also waiting. The boy ran through the crowded lobby, bumping into people, screaming and ramming his head into his sister so she fell into other customers. Exasperated, the daughter begged her mother to "make it stop." The mother sighed at the burden and informed her daughter that if she wanted him to stop, she would have to make him. This continued for the rest of the 45-minute wait. I can't tell you how relieved I was when we were seated.

Ten minutes into our dinner, the mother and children were seated on the other side of a partition from us. I was able to push most of the screaming and antics into the background noise.

However, on multiple occasions, the manager had to stop the boy from running into the kitchen (filled with many hot and/or pointy things), scoop him up and return him to his booster seat. Not once did the mother apologize or even act embarrassed.

About halfway through my meal, I hear the mother shout, "Oh [explicit], I knew this was going to happen." This statement was followed by the sounds of the boy vomiting. If you knew it was going to happen, lady, then why didn't you try to stop it?

The mother made no attempt to take the child to the restroom or even to get him away from other tables. The manager came over and quietly

calmed down the whole screaming, puking family.

He suggested the mother clean her son in the restroom. While the mother and son were in the restroom, the manager cleaned and took care of the vomit. When they returned, he told the mom that he had boxed up their food for them so that she could go home and properly care for her sick child.

I'm not sure, but I don't think she even got charged for the food. While the incident did have an effect on my appetite that night, thanks to the professional staff, I bear no ill will toward the establishment.

The point I'm making here is "parent" is not just a title — it's a verb. When you go out in public, at least pretend you care what people think about your parenting skills. Try to keep your child under control. If that's too hard, at least take them somewhere like Chuck E. Cheese's where children are expected to run wild.

I know the saying is that "it takes a village to raise a child." It doesn't mean hapless restaurant managers are required to clean up your kids' puke. It doesn't relieve you from responsibility. That means I won't swear in front of your kids, and in return you have to keep your child from hiding under my table while I'm eating crab legs. Until the aforementioned people get that through their heads, I would like thank all those restaurant managers who do clean up puke.

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Any change, even a change for the better, is always accompanied by drawbacks and discomforts."

Arnold Bennett
"The Arnold Bennett Calendar"

WORDS OVERHEARD =

"There is nothing wrong with wanting to please your partner. There is nothing sinful about it."

Alicia Patterson
Undercover/Whisper executive,
on the justification of her company's products.

COLUMNIST

Comfort within my own idiom

OK, English majors. I need some help today.

We're all familiar with the phrase, "Somebody's nose is out of joint." I've heard it my entire life, muttered under the breaths of co-workers and family members whenever there was bickering, and for the life of me I still don't know what it means. All I can figure is that it isn't a compliment.

I broke my nose last week. My nose, for all intents and purposes, is now "out of joint." And I need to know what this translates to so I can let it determine how I should be acting. Do I get to snap at people? Carry grudges? Practice road rage?

Actually, I think over the course of this week, I've figured out exactly what that phrase means. My nose reset itself, so I

I've been accused of it all along, and I'm finally ready to accept my title with a bit of good humor

have no telltale medical tape or plastic bridge over my face. You'd be amazed how often your nose gets bumped at a crowded party, and normally you don't notice it. But by the end of a night filled

with those accidents, I'm ready to take someone's head off, and the reason isn't universally obvious.

Of course, I'm probably just being a baby. After all, in the grand scheme of things, it's really not noteworthy. But it does have the sore cuticle effect. What's that, you ask? Simply this: if you broke your leg and had a huge cast that you hobbled around on, everyone who saw you would feel sorry for you. You'd have sympathy. Your leg would still hurt, but everyone would pity you.

What happens when you have a sore cuticle on your finger? Nobody notices or cares. It is for that reason alone that sore cuticles hurt worse than any injury known to man. There is no pity factor. And you know I'm right, too. I would rank a sore cuticle up there right between kidney stones and childbirth.

But maybe that's because I'm still a kid and am allowed to be dramatic. So of course I've treated this injury with every bit of medical paranoia you'd expect from a young, vain Marcia Brady with a snout horn



Not just another priddy face

BY GRACE PRIDDY
vulcanlogic81@hotmail.com

swelled up the size of a redskin potato.

My grandmother, on the other hand, having many more years of wisdom under her belt before passing away, would disapprove of my acute case of hypochondria.

She came from a generation of parents who firmly believed there was no malady, great or small, that couldn't be cured with a good bowel movement.

Measles, strep throat, leprosy—it all warranted that same spoonful of Phillips' from Grandma. I remember bursting into her house at age eight, straight from the doctor's office with my impressive diagnosis. "I have chicken pox!"

"You need to poop," she said, and looked back down at her crossword puzzle.

Alas, I wonder what Grandma would say to make me feel better today. Most likely that I'm not getting enough fiber in my diet. Probably good advice anyway, but I'm not sure if it helps this time.

What bothers me the most is this: you never hear anyone comment when your nose is "in its joint."

I do kind favors, smile and look people in the eyes and I've never once heard anyone say, "Boy, that Grace Priddy really has her nose in place." But the second I start being crabby, here comes that old whispered speculation.

So mutter your hearts out, folks. I've been accused of it all along, and I'm finally ready to accept my title with a bit of good humor. But don't you worry a bit—I'll be in a better mood before long. Just as soon as I can finish this high-fiber bran muffin.

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GUEST COLUMNIST

Guns can be source of safety, recreation

Jesse Loewen
Kansas State Collegian (Kansas State)

MANHATTAN, Kan. (U-WIRE) — I am not going to base my argument against gun control on the Second Amendment but rather on the effect legal civilian ownership of firearms has on our society.

Virtually everyone knows someone who hunts. I myself shoot recreationally at a pistol range. Shooting, for me, is a form of stress relief. It requires discipline, focus and, at the same time, relaxation.

However, recreational shooting is about as significant an argument to the pro-gun controllers as a woman's right to control her body is to the pro-lifers.

The primary arguments from the control side are that civilian-owned firearms promote crime and kill kids.

One pro-gun argument is that privately owned firearms are an effective means of self-defense and a deterrent to crime and that they are not a significant cause of child death.

Though it is true that guns play a part in the accidental deaths of children and that in past years firearms have played a role in schoolyard massacres, the National Safety Council reported that in 2000 more children under age 15 died by accidental drowning (800, with 350 between 5 and 14) than by accidental discharge of a firearm (80).

According to the National Center for Education Statistics, for the seven-year period of July 1, 1992 to June 30, 1999, 358 people died a violent death at school, 255 between 5 and 19 years old.

Again, more children die in one year by drowning than in seven years of school violence, not just shootings. Accidental firearm-related deaths of children and schoolyard murders, though they get national attention, are extremely rare and not a significant cause of death.

Furthermore, guns do not make children into murderers. A 1994 Justice Department study titled "Urban Delinquency and Substance Abuse" found that children who were given a firearm by a parent were less likely to be involved in street crime, gun crime and drug use than children who did not have a gun or acquired one illegally.

Plainly, we cannot blame the gun for

the violent acts of our nation's youth, but what of guns and violent crime? Contrary to popular liberal thought, firearms actually reduce violent crime.

Before Florida passed its concealed carry laws in 1987, the murder rate was 40 percent greater than the national average. After the law was passed, the murder rate in Florida dropped to near the national average.

Criminals are opportunists and less willing to approach a victim that could be armed.

By granting its citizens the right to carry a firearm, the state of Florida actually reduced its murder rate and made its citizens safer.

Furthermore, guns are not just a deterrent but also an effective means of self-defense.

According to the 1995 study "Armed Resistance to Crime: The Prevalence and Nature of Self-Defense with a Gun," each year guns are used between two and 2.5 million times to fend off an aggressor, often without the gun having been fired.

By contrast, the National Crime Victimization Survey found guns were used in 847,652 violent crime incidents in 1992, the highest crime rate prior to the 1995 survey.

Plainly, guns do more good than bad, and where the law allows concealed carrying, guns reduce crime.

In our daily lives, firearms are not a significant cause of death among children.

More kids die by drowning than by accidental misuse of a firearm, and compared to the number of times each year a gun is used to defend oneself the number of lives saved by possession and use of a firearm more than justifies the handful of lives lost in accidents.

By owning firearms we decrease our likelihood of being a victim and grant ourselves the means to defend our families.

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LETTERS

Conservative columnist right on

DEAR EDITOR:

For the first time in my life, I read something factual in your paper today. The Right Angle column finally showed a different perspective in your paper than any other edition I have ever read. It wasn't your lefty, touchy-feely junk, and it was good to see someone stand up for the correct side of the political spectrum in your paper.

I applaud you for printing a seriously critical article about the left wing, be it long overdue, and hope to see more diversity of thought in your paper in the future.

Aaron Smith
Carbondale resident

Latino/Hispanic culture is wider than portrayed

DEAR EDITOR:

As a teaching assistant/lecturer in the Black American Studies,

I was extremely happy to read that a class in Latino culture is now being taught in the anthropology department and an RSO for Native American students was being formed at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale (Friday, Sept. 5 edition of the Daily Egyptian).

My pleasure quickly turned to dismay when the second sentence of the article on the Latino culture class stated that the vast majority of Latinos are Mexican in origin. This statement indicates that the author of this piece should consider taking it's class herself.

The Latino/Hispanic Diaspora includes Central America (i.e. Guatemala, Costa Rica, Nicaragua), South America (i.e. Venezuela, Peru, Argentina, Chile) and even though Brazil was a Portuguese colony, many also consider it part of Hispanic world. The writer also left out Hispanics of Caribbean extraction (Puerto Rico, Cuba and the Dominican Republic), individuals of Mexican extraction who became Americans after the Mexican War and last but not least, she failed to mention individuals who emigrated directly from Spain. What would millions of American female filmgoers do without Antonio Banderas or males without Penelope Cruz?

Latinos/Hispanics are a combination of Aboriginal, African and European ethnicities and form many rich and varied cultures. They eat different types food, listen to different types of music (as witnessed by anyone who watched the Latin Grammys last Wednesday) and have different

political views (try getting a person from Cuba and one from Mexico to agree on U.S. immigration policy).

Again, I applaud SIUC for broadening the scope of education offered about all American cultures, and I would encourage students from all backgrounds to take the Latino culture class, the many classes offered in Black America Studies, the classes offered in African, African-American and Native-American art, the Introduction to Peoples & Cultures of Africa in Anthropology or any other class that strives to revise the commonplace but outdated idea of what it means to be American. The more we know about all the cultures that make up America, the greater nation we can become.

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Fourth floor of on-campus building evacuated Monday

Student ingested pesticide, caused chemical scare

Burke Wasson
Daily Egyptian

The A-wing of the fourth floor of the College of Applied Sciences and Arts building was evacuated Monday morning after a chemical spill resulted from an SIUC student ingesting a common pesticide.

Carbondale firefighters, SIUC Police and the Jackson County Ambulance Service got to the scene shortly after 9 a.m. after a call requesting an ambulance was made to the Jackson County Sheriff's Department. Police immediately

evacuated the fourth floor, which stayed closed until 10:39 a.m.

SIUC Police Capt. Todd Sigler said a 25-year-old male SIUC student reportedly ingested pesticide on the building's fourth floor. He would not comment on where the student was found, only saying that it was not in a classroom.

"It's in an area that anybody would have access to, but it wasn't in a classroom," Sigler said.

The SIUC Police captain said the student was found with the pesticide and the item he used to ingest it. He does not suspect foul play at this point.

"He had it on him and some of it in him," Sigler said. "Nobody induced him to do this."

Sigler said the student was transported to Memorial Hospital of

Carbondale, where he is still under observation.

Sigler said he believes the student will be under 48 hours of observation because that is the standard outlined by the manufacturer's safety data sheet on the pesticide he ingested.

Sigler said the ingested pesticide was a widely used item and that no one in the building should be in danger of breathing poisonous fumes.

"No one has reported breathing difficulty," Sigler said. "There shouldn't be any associated with it. It's a common pesticide that's sprayed, so it's going to be airborne even by the commercial user."

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Student Government and Graduate and Professional Student Council first, and they would both have to approve it," Wendler said. "Plus, it would have to be taken to both the students and the public so they could express their views and a discussion could take place."

Wendler added since student committees must approve any increase in student costs, he has yet

to fully examine the possibility of imposing a library fee.

"I don't want to say that it isn't a priority because it is, but with all the areas it would have to go through we haven't yet put together a group to look at it," Wendler said.

In addition to suggesting the fee is a necessary measure given the continuing erosion of state-funded support for the University and the library itself, the report also proposed undertaking a special drive to ask faculty and staff to contribute as

well as library support.

"A lot of people don't realize that the library serves not only students, but it is also a significant research facility for faculty and staff," Carlson said. "And I think it is an imperative part of our mission as a research institution that we support that."

Carlson said a faculty and staff contribution would not be required, but he did say it would be encouraged and would help the library continue to expand to serve the University in a greater capacity.

Of the 120 universities currently affiliated with the Association of Research Libraries, which Carlson said SIUC has been a member of since the 1960s, between 20 and 25 have already begun enforcing a student fee and several more are considering it.

"There are probably at least 50 schools looking at doing right now in addition the ones that have already switched to it," Carlson said.

But while a student fee might mean more financial freedom for

the library, Carlson said he and his staff are cognizant of the reservations it could incite among students.

"We are conscious of the fact that this is yet another student fee, and we are concerned about that," Carlson said. "But that is something that we are thinking about, and hopefully this will be a situation where everyone can benefit."

Reporter Andy Horowitz can be reached at ahorowitz@dailyegyptian.com

Student Programming Council UPCOMING EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH
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Depro-Provera

Contraceptive Injection

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DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection (mexogestrol acetate injectable suspension, USP)
 This product is intended to prevent pregnancy. It does not protect against HIV infection (AIDS) and other sexually transmitted diseases.

What is DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
 DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection is a form of birth control that is given as an intramuscular injection (a shot) in the buttock or upper arm once every 3 months (13 weeks). To continue your contraceptive protection, you must return for your next injection promptly at the end of 3 months (13 weeks). DEPO-PROVERA contains a progestin hormone, a synthetic chemical similar to (but not the same as) the natural hormone progesterone, which is produced by your ovaries during the second half of your menstrual cycle. DEPO-PROVERA acts by preventing your eggs from ripening. If an egg is not released from the ovaries during your menstrual cycle, it cannot be fertilized by sperm and result in pregnancy. DEPO-PROVERA also causes changes in the lining of your uterus that make it less likely for pregnancy to occur. How effective is DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
 The efficacy of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection depends on following the recommended dosage schedule exactly (see "How often do I get my shot of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?"). To make sure you are not pregnant when you first get DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection, your first injection must be given ONLY during the first 5 days of a normal menstrual period ONLY within the first 5 days after childbirth if not breast-feeding and if exclusively breast-feeding ONLY at the sixth week after childbirth. It is a long-term, reversible contraceptive when administered at 3-month (13-week) intervals. DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection is over 99% effective, making it one of the most reliable methods of birth control available. This means that the average annual pregnancy rate is less than one for every 100 women who use DEPO-PROVERA. The effectiveness of most contraceptive methods depends in part on how reliably each woman uses the method. The effectiveness of DEPO-PROVERA depends only on the patient returning every 3 months (13 weeks) for her next injection. Your health-care provider will help you compare DEPO-PROVERA with other contraceptive methods and give you the information you need in order to decide which contraceptive method is the right choice for you.

The following table shows the percent of women who get pregnant while using different kinds of contraceptive methods. It gives both the lowest expected rate of pregnancy (the rate expected in women who use each method exactly as instructed) and the typical rate of pregnancy (which includes women who become pregnant because they forgot to use their birth control or because they did not follow the directions exactly).

Percent of Women Experiencing an Unplanned Pregnancy in the First Year of Continuous Use

Method	Lowest Expected	Typical
DEPO-PROVERA	0.1	0.3
Intrauterine (IUD)	0.2*	0.3*
Female sterilization	0.2	0.4
Male sterilization	0.1	0.15
Condom (male)	1.8	3
Condom (female)	0.5	1
Diaphragm only	0.1	1
Diaphragm with spermicide	0.1	1
Cervical cap	0.1	1
Cervical cap with spermicide	0.1	1
Condom (with spermicide)	2	12
Coitus interruptus (withdrawal)	4	18
Periodic abstinence	1.9	20
Spermicide alone	3	21
Withdrawal alone	4	21
Withdrawal with spermicide	6	18
Withdrawal with spermicide and condom	9	28
No method	15	30

Sources: Trussard et al. *Obstet Gynecol* 1997;15:518-547.
 *From Norzelle's package insert.
 Not all women should use DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection. You should not use DEPO-PROVERA if you have any of the following conditions:
 • You think you might be pregnant.
 • You have any vaginal bleeding without a known reason.

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- If you have had cancer of the breast
 - If you have had a stroke
 - If you have or have had blood clots (thrombosis) in your legs
 - If you have problems with your liver or liver disease
 - If you are allergic to DEPO-PROVERA (mexogestrol acetate) or any of its other ingredients
- What other things should I consider before using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
 You will have a 3-month examination before your doctor prescribes DEPO-PROVERA. It is important to tell your health-care provider if you have any of the following:
 • A health history that includes:
 • an abnormal mammogram (breast x-ray) for breast disease, breast nodules or lumps, or breast pain
 • bleeding from your nipples
 • history of:
 • irregular or scanty menstrual periods
 • high blood pressure
 • epilepsy
 • asthma
 • diabetes or a family history of diabetes
 • a history of depression
 • You are taking any prescription or over-the-counter medications
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What if I want to become pregnant after using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
 Because DEPO-PROVERA is a long-acting birth control method, it takes some time after your last injection for its effect to wear off. Based on the results from a large study done in the United States, for women who stop using DEPO-PROVERA in order to become pregnant, it is expected that about 60 percent of those who become pregnant will do so in about 10 months after their last injection. About two thirds of those who become pregnant will do so in about 13 months and about 83% of those who become pregnant will do so in about 18 months after their last injection. DEPO-PROVERA has no effect on how long it takes you to become pregnant after you stop using it. What are the risks of using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
Irregular Menstrual Bleeding
 The side effect reported most frequently by women who use DEPO-PROVERA for contraception is a change in their normal menstrual cycle. During the first year of using DEPO-PROVERA, you may have one or more of the following changes: irregular or unpredictable bleeding (including an increase or decrease in menstrual bleeding, no bleeding at all, unusually heavy or contrived bleeding, however, is not a usual effect of DEPO-PROVERA); and if this happens, you should see your health-care provider right away. With continued use of DEPO-PROVERA, bleeding usually decreases, and many women stop having periods completely. In clinical studies of DEPO-PROVERA, 53% of the women studied reported no menstrual bleeding (amenorrhea) after 2 years, and 82% of the women studied reported no menstrual bleeding after 2 years of use. The reason that your periods stop is because DEPO-PROVERA causes a resting state in your ovaries. When your ovaries do not release an egg, monthly growth of the lining of your uterus does not occur and therefore, the bleeding that comes with your normal menstruation does not take place. When you stop using DEPO-PROVERA, your menstrual period will usually in time return to its normal cycle.

3-6 Month Delay
 Use of DEPO-PROVERA may be associated with a decrease in the amount of menstrual started in your home. This could increase your risk of developing bone fractures. The rate more complex is greatest in the early years of DEPO-PROVERA use, but after that, it begins to resemble the normal rate of age-related bone mineral loss.
Other
 Studies of women who have used different forms of contraception found that women who used DEPO-PROVERA for contraception had an increased overall risk of developing cancer of the breast, ovarian uterus, cervix, or liver. However, women under 35 years of age whose first exposure to DEPO-PROVERA was within the previous 4 to 5 years may have a slightly increased risk of developing breast cancer similar to that seen with oral contraceptives. You should discuss the worth of your health-care provider.
Unplanned Pregnancy
 Because DEPO-PROVERA is such an effective contraceptive method, the risk of accidental pregnancy for women who get their shots regularly (every 3 months [13 weeks]) is very low. While there have been reports of an increased risk of low birth weight and neonatal deaths or other health problems in infants conceived close to the time of injection, such pregnancies are uncommon. If you think you may have become pregnant while using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception, see your health-care provider as soon as possible.
3-Aging Reactions
 Some women using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection have reported severe and potentially life-threatening allergic reactions known as anaphylaxis and anaphylactic reactions. Symptoms include the sudden onset of hives or swelling and itching of the skin, breathing difficulties, and a drop in blood pressure.

Other Risks
 Women who use hormone-based contraceptives may have an increased risk of blood clots or stroke. Also, a contraceptive method falls there is a possibility that the fertilized egg will begin to develop inside of the uterus (ectopic pregnancy). Very few events are rare. Tell your health-care provider if you have any of the problems listed in the next section.
What are the risks of using DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
 Tell your health-care provider immediately if any of these problems occur during an injection:
 • Sharp pain at the injection site
 • Sharp pain coming up of blood or sudden shortness of breath (indicating a possible clot)
 • Sudden severe headache or vomiting, dizziness or lightheadedness with your eyesight or speech weakened or numbness in an arm or leg (indicating a possible stroke)
 • Sudden pain or swelling in the calf (indicating a possible blood clot)
 • Unusually heavy vaginal bleeding
 • Severe pain or tenderness in the lower abdominal area persisting for more than 2 days after the injection site
What are the possible side effects of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection?
 You may experience a weight gain while you are using DEPO-PROVERA. About two thirds of the women who used DEPO-PROVERA in clinical trials reported a weight gain of about 5 pounds during the first year of use. You may continue to gain weight after the first year. Women in one large study who used DEPO-PROVERA for 2 years gained an average total of 11.1 pounds over their 2 years or approximately 4 pounds per year. Women who continued for 4 years gained an average total of 13.8 pounds over those 4 years or approximately 3.5 pounds per year. Women who continued for 6 years gained an average total of 16.5 pounds over those 6 years or approximately 2.8 pounds per year.
Other Side Effects
 In a clinical study of over 2,000 women who used DEPO-PROVERA for up to 7 years, some women reported the following effects that may or may not have been related to their use of DEPO-PROVERA: irregular menstrual bleeding, abnormal headache, nausea, nervousness, abdominal pain, dizziness, weakness or fatigue, decreased sexual desire, hot flashes, nausea, vaginal discharge or irritation, breast swelling and tenderness, bloating, swelling of the hands or feet, backache, depression, insomnia, acne, pelvic pain, no hair growth or excessive hair loss, rash, hot flashes, weight gain, and changes in the way the skin feels. Very few women in the clinical trial had some of these could be serious. These include convulsions, jaundice, urinary tract infections, severe allergic reactions, vaginal pain or irritation, thromboses, pulmonary embolism, breast cancer, or cervical cancer. If these or any other problems occur during your year of use of DEPO-PROVERA, discuss them with your health-care provider.
Other Side Effects
 The following side effects should be followed during use of DEPO-PROVERA Contraceptive Injection:
 • **3-Delayed Menstruation**
 During the first year of using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception, you may skip a period or your periods may stop completely. If you have been receiving your DEPO-PROVERA injections regularly every 3 months (13 weeks) and you are not pregnant, however, if you think that you may be pregnant, see your health-care provider.
 • **3-Other Side Effects**
 If you are scheduled for any laboratory tests, tell your health-care provider that you are using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception. Certain blood tests are affected by hormones such as:
 • **3-Diagnosing Infections**
 Certain (but not all) laboratory tests that may significantly decrease the efficacy of DEPO-PROVERA if the two drugs are given during the same time.
 • **3-Other Side Effects**
 DEPO-PROVERA can be passed to the nursing infant in the breast milk, no harmful effects have been found in these children. DEPO-PROVERA does not prevent the breast milk from producing milk, so it can be used by nursing mothers. However, to minimize the amount of drug that passes to the infant in the first weeks after birth, you should wait until 6 weeks after childbirth before you start using DEPO-PROVERA for contraception.
 • **3-Other Side Effects**
 The recommended dose of DEPO-PROVERA is 150 mg every 3 months (13 weeks) given in a single intramuscular injection in the buttock or upper arm. To make sure you are not pregnant at the time of the first injection, a menstrual test is essential. The injection is given ONLY during the first 5 days of a normal menstrual period. If used following the delivery of a child, the first injection of DEPO-PROVERA MUST be given within 5 days after childbirth. If you are not breast-feeding or 6 weeks after childbirth if you are exclusively breast-feeding. If you start longer than 3 months (13 weeks) between injections, or longer than 6 weeks after your injection, your health-care provider should determine that you are not pregnant before giving you a new injection of DEPO-PROVERA.
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GORDON LANE, LG 2 bdrm, whirl-pool tub, 2 car garage, w/d, no pets, 1st, last & dep \$475/mo, 549-3733. COLONIAL APTS, 1433 E Walnut, very clean, basic cable incl, Goss Property Mgmt, 529-2620. COUNTRY, CLEAN 2 bdrm, small pets ok, references, \$450/mo, call Nancy 529-1696. EFFICIENCY APT, UPSTAIRS, a/c, clean, quiet, water, sewer, trash incl, 1 1/2 mi from campus, \$250/mo, 549-5269. FOR ALL YOUR student housing needs, call 201-6191 renting now for Fall 2003. FREE APPLIANCES w/ most leases, 1 bdrm, \$300/mo, 2 bks from SIU, laundry on site, pool internet, Rawlings Street apts, 618-457-6788. FURN APT CLOSE to campus, free DVD player w/lease, cheap, call Brad 457-4123. LG 2 BDRM, w/lx-g bath, close to SIU, 407 Monroe, incl water, \$450, call 559-8672 or 812-867-8985. MBORO, 2 FURN 1 bdrm apts, \$275/mo, \$275 dep, no pets, trash incl, call 684-6093. MBORO EFFIC, CLEAN, quiet, walk-in closets, water & trash incl, on site laundry, law students 3 bks to court house, \$225/mo, 684-6127. NICE 2 BDRM, UNFURN, great for grad or professional, \$375-405+dep, yr lease, no pets, 529-2535. NOW RENTING 4, 3, 2, & 1 bdrms, 549-4808 (9am-7pm) no pets, rental list at 503 S Ash. PET FRIENDLY RENTALS: reasonable 1 & 2 bdrm apts & houses in Mboro, 6 mi from SIU, \$225-\$400, 687-2787. REASONABLE PRICE EFFIC, 2 bks to SIU, special summer rates \$210, 1 bdrm Mboro quiet \$250+, 924-3415 or 457-8798. SPACIOUS STUDIO, FULLY furn Apts, a/c, laundry facilities, free parking, water & trash, 549-6990. STILL A FEW good ones left 2 bdrms, close to campus we have just what you're looking for parking, laundry, DSL ready (some) come by, we're waiting for YOU Schieving Property Management 635 E Walnut, 618-549-0895. TOWNE-SIDE WEST APARTMENTS AND HOUSES Paul Bryant Rentals 457-5664, Cheryl A.C. Paul, Dave We have you covered!

Duplexes

2 BDRM, in a good neighborhood, 211 S Gray Dr, lg yard, w/d hook-up, \$300/mo, call 924-4753. 2 BDRM, C/A, gas & heat, good location, no pets, \$375/mo, avail now, 457-7145. DUPLEX FOR RENT Giant City, 2 bdrm, c/a, garage, laundry, fireplace, deck, no pets, 549-1133. GET BACK TO nature, in our 1 bdrm duplex and off Cedar Creek Rd, \$335/mo call for direction 457-3321. NEAR CRAB ORCHARD lake, nice 2 bdrm & storage room, quiet area, water & trash, no pets, \$325/mo, 549-7400. QUIET SETTING, 2 bdrms, \$350/mo, call 529-2432 or 549-2831. RT 13, BETWEEN Logan & SIU, nice & quiet, 2 bdrm, w/d, dep, yr lease, \$450/mo & up, no pets, 529-2535.

Houses

SSS WHY LIVE with people you don't like, rent a mobile home for \$200-\$400 and live by yourself or one other, pet ok 529-4444. RENT TO OWN, 2-4 bdrm houses, Hurry, few avail. Call 549-3850. NICE 1, 2, 3 bdrm houses, East & West, Make us an offer. Now, Hurry, call 549-3650!!! 2 & 3 BDRM, trash & appl incl, 3 mi S of SIU, \$350 & \$550, lease, no pets, 618-457-5042. 2 BDRM, \$300/mo, avail now, close to campus, 305 Mill St # 3, ref + dep, call 687-2475. 26 YR OLD MALE STUDENT TO SHARE JUST BUILT 3 BDRM house, Mboro all new appl, w/d, d/w, c/a, \$215/mo, 1/3 util, incl water & trash call Joe (636)938-6599. 3 & 4 BDRM, large rooms, 2 baths, c/a, w/d, no pets, 549-4808 (9am-7pm), rental list-503 S Ash. 3 BDRM HOUSE, 6228 County Club Rd, w/d, carpet, a/c, lg yard, shaded & private, \$600/mo, 534-7659. 4 BDRM HOUSE 1 1/2 bath, west College, hrdwd/flrs, no pets, call 549-8100. 418 N. BUSH IN Hearst, 2 bdrm, 1 bh, carport, double lot, \$475/mo, dep + lease req, call 618-985-4184. APT, HOUSES, & trailers Fall '03 listing avail, 104 N Almond or call 201-6191. CDALE 2 BDRM farmhouse, country setting, carport, basement, no pets, no parties, fishing privileges, ref req, \$625/mo, 457-3544. CDALE JUST AVAIL, 3 mi south near Cedar Lake, 3 bdrm, ext building on acreage, great location avail immediately, 549-7867 or 557-7867. CDALE 2 BDRM, 1 1/2 bath, garage, no pets, 1st, last & dep, \$655/mo, 549-3733.

GEORGETOWN Apartments

High Speed Internet access, Furnished & Unfurnished apartments available, Great location near SIU, 2 & 3 Bedrooms still available, Laundry facility on-site. Lease Today and Receive One Month Free Rent. 1000 E. Grand Ave. Carbondale IL. (618) 549-3600

Home Rentals Available Fall 2003. One Bedroom: 507 S. Ash #13, 208 W. Hospital #1, 512 S. Beveridge #4, 405 W. Cherry Court, 310 W. College #2, 113 S. Forest, 208 W. Hospital #1, 400 W. Oak #1, 511 N. Oakland. Three Bedroom: 507 S. Ash #13, 208 W. Hospital #1, 512 S. Beveridge #4, 405 W. Cherry Court, 310 W. College #2, 113 S. Forest, 208 W. Hospital #1, 400 W. Oak #1, 511 N. Oakland. Three Bedroom Cont: 503 W. College #3, 113 S. Forest, 511 S. Hays, 402 E. Hester, 614 S. Logan, 400 W. Oak #1, 511 N. Oakland, 509 S. Rawlings #6. Four Bedroom: 507 S. Ash #1, 508 S. Beveridge, 300 E. College, 113 S. Forest, 402 E. Hester. Five Bedroom: 300 E. College. 529-1082 • 206 W. COLLEGE SUITE 11 • 529-1082

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CDALE, 3 BRDM, c/a, w/d hookup, basement, no dogs, water/trash incl. 204 E Colago, \$600/mo, 687-2475.

COUNTRY SETTING, 2 bdrm, carpet, gas appl, c/a, pets ok, \$310/mo, wheel chair access, \$375 & \$475, after 5pm call 684-5214 or 521-0258 avail now.

HOUSE FOR RENT/LEASE 3bdrm, fenced back yd, special rate for educational grad students or professionals, reply to boxholder, P.O. Box 253, Cdale, IL 62903, incl name, phone, address, and grad status.

MBORO, 5 BRDM, 3 bath, all appl incl, trash & water incl, \$650/mo plus dep, call 534-2763.

NICE 3 BRDM, carpeted, lg fenced yard, ref, first & last mo & sec dep, no pets, 457-7108 or 534-1794.

NOV RENTING 4, 3, 2, & 1 bdrms, 549-4808 (9am-7pm) no pets, rental list at 534 ASH.

PRIVATE COUNTRY SETTING, 3 bdrm, extra nice, c/a, 2 bath, w/d, 2 decks, no pets 549-4808 (9am-7pm)

Mobile Homes

\$\$\$ I BET YOU'LL RENT, look at our 2-3 bdrm, \$250-\$450, pet ok, 529-4444.

.....MUST SEE 2 bdrm trailer..... \$195/mo & up!!! bus avail.....Hurry, few avail, 549-3850.

1 & 2 BRDM MOBILE HOMES, on SIU bus route, \$235-\$350/mo, water & trash incl, no pets, 549-4471.

2 BRDM PRIVATE lot, lg yd, shed, off street parking, deck, c/a, w/d, trash, water & lawn incl, \$375 first mo + dep, call 457-5215

2 BRDM 2 bath, HUGE living room, furn, c/a, d/w, great location on SIU bus route, no pets, 549-0491 or 457-0609.

2 BRDM, UNFURN trailer, \$285/mo, pets ok, no a/c, 457-5631.

2 BRDM, VERY clean, no pets, close to campus, \$250, call for application, 529-6938.

CARBONDALE, 2 BRDM, located in quiet park, \$200 - \$325/mo, call 529-2432 or 684-2663.

CDALE, \$235/MO, NEWLY REMODELED, VERY CLEAN, 1 bdrm duplex, between Logan/SIU, water, trash, lawn care incl, no pets, 529-3674 or 534-4703, renapartmen@carbondale.com

CDALE, 1 BRDM, \$250/mo, 2 bdrm \$250 & up /mo, water, gas, lawn & trash incl, no pets, 618-924-1800.

COUNTRY LIVING, ideal for grad, 2 bdrm, pullout bed, freezer, a/c, \$295, john7072003@yahoo.com

NEW 16X60, 2 full bath, 2 bdrm, c/a, w/hookup, walk-in closet, \$450/mo, 201-6181.

NICE 1 & 2 BRDM, \$180-\$275, lawn & trash incl, mgmt & maint on site, 549-8000 or 457-5700.

Quiet and Affordable 2 bdrm starting at \$280 Recently remodeled, quiet, safe, private laundry, yard maint provided, lg shaded yd, some pets allowed Schilling Property Management 635 E Walnut 618-549-0895

VERY NICE LG 3 bdrm, 2 bath, ideal for 2 students, furn, c/a, small quiet park near campus, no pets, 549-0491 or 457-0609.

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WEDGEWOOD HILLS 2 & 3 bdrm, furn, c/a, stove, \$380-\$480, no pets, 549-5276.

Help Wanted

\$250-\$500 A week, will train to work at home helping the US Government file HUD/FHA Mortgage refunds, no experience necessary, call toll free 1-866-537-2906.

AUDIO/VIDEO TECHNICIAN needed, internships available, contact Sound Core Music at 618-457-5641.

BARTENDER TRAINEES NEEDED, \$250 a day potential, local positions, 1-800-293-3985 ext 513.

FEMALE BARTENDER WANTED, apply in person, Mon-Fri 11am-7pm at The Landing in Mboro will train.

HARBAUGH'S CAFE PT line cook and servers must be available 9 am-3 pm 3 times a week, exp pref, no stickers!

MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSION- Acapt of Illinois provides psychiatric rehabilitation services to persons w/ chronic mental illness. Position open in Nursing Home - based program in Cobden, IL MS or BS Health /Human Services area required, responsibilities include conducting individual / group services, advocacy work, vocational training, and case management, multi-task resume to: Adapt of Illinois, Attn: Samantha, 430 S. Front St., Cobden IL 62920, Fax618-893-2971 or email to illinois.opportunities@adaphusa.com no phone calls please, EOE.

MOVIE EXTRAS/MODELS NEEDED, no exp required, earn up to \$500-\$1000 per day, 1-888-620-0167, ext. u166.

NEED A RELIABLE adult, w/transporation, for weekend nights, & weekday nights, call 457-6334.

PART-TIME MAINTENANCE POSITION available for rental property, must supply own tools, electric and plumbing knowledge req, good ref needed, call 895-8060 after 6pm.

PIANIST/Organist, FOR WEEK-END Inaugures, contact Bill at St Andrew Church, Mboro, 687-2012.

SANDWICH PREPARER & Assistant Manager, lunch hour preferred, apply at European Cafe after 5 p.m. 351-9550.

SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS needed, Cdale & Mboro area, good FT work, we train, call 549-3913 or 684-6911 or apply in person at West Bus Service, 700 New Era Rd Cdale, across from Aldi.

SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS pt, & transit drivers pt, must be 21 years of age, clean driving record, able to pass physical drug test, & criminal background test, Beck Bus, 549-2877.

TRY US, BARTENDERS, FEMALE, FT, WILL TRAIN, uniform will consist of shorts, exc pay, Johnston City, call 982-9402.

UP TO \$500/WK processing mail, Get paid for each piece, Create your own schedule, (626) 821-0661.

Employment Wanted

GET PAID FOR Your Opinions! Earn \$15-\$125 and more per survey. www.paidonline-surveys.com

Services Offered

HANDYMAN SERVICES, painting, hauling, yard work, roof repair, tree service & much more, 549-2090.

JOHN SHELBY CARPENTRY, addition, decks, garages, etc, 4th Generation Builder, insured, 985-9023.

JOHN'S AFFORDABLE HANDY-WORK, professional painting, deck restoration, remodeling, renovations, FULLY INSURED, call 529-3973.

-PHOTOSHOP TUTORING, LEARN the easy way! On your computer, 7yrs exp, \$20 per hr, call 549-1109.

STEVE THE CAR DOCTOR Mobile Mechanic, He makes house calls, 457-8984 or mobile 525-8393.

STORE YOUR STUFF for fall and winter, money storage, 5x10 & 10x10, call 457-4405.

TOP SOIL AVAILABLE get your top soil in place for fall planting, drive-way rock also avail, call 687-3578, 528-0707.

Wanted FORD ESCORTS 93 to date, Mustangs from 87-93, w/mechanical problems, 217-534-6069.

Free Pets COCKERS/PANIEL POODLE MIX pup, free to a good home, call 529-7003.

KITTENS OR PUPPIES to give away? 3 lines for 3 days FREE in the Daily Egyptian Classifieds!

Found BLACK KITTEN 1 year old, found in Mboro. Appears to be housebroken, had no collar, 684-5071.

BLACK LAB MIX w/white spot on chest, male, Thrus near Oakland & W Main, new blue collar, 351-5561.

FEMALE CHOW MIX, 7-10 mo old, found on strip in Cdale behind PK's, had her for 2wks call 824-7922.

FOUND AOS + 3 lines: 3 days FREE! 536-3311

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The Gentlemen of Alpha Gamma Rho would like to congratulate the following members for their scholastic achievements in the Spring Semester of 2003. Clinton Wolff 4.0 Corey Hudson 3.33 Justin Holsapple 4.0 Phil Peletti 3.31 Nathan Klanschmidt 3.82 Joe Ritchie 3.25 B.J. Henningfield 3.78 Blake Hills 3.20 Evam Shiko 3.77 David Trainer 3.14 Joe Bockhold 3.73 Kris Kirkham 3.06 Dennis Benoit 3.50 Jason Copeland 3.00 Joe Kinscherf 3.50 Mike Norris 3.00 Joe Mortimer 3.36

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\$6.99 Daily Buffet
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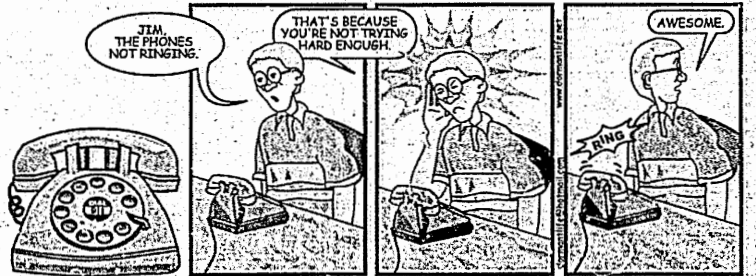
Wednesday Only Roomate Special
 One small one topping pizza and a 12oz can of soda for **\$5.99**
 or
 Two small one topping pizzas and two 12oz cans of soda for **\$9.99**

549-1111

Valid Only at Carbondale Location. Other fees may apply. Additional toppings extra.

Dormant Life

by Shane Pangburn



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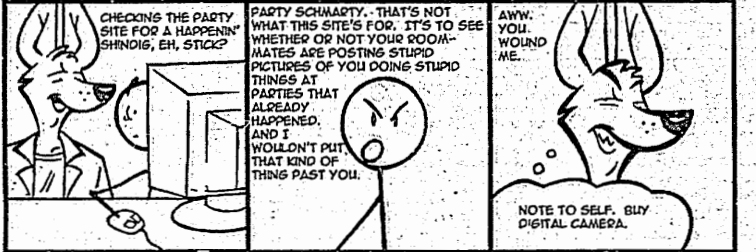
by BRIAN E. HOLLOWAY

MASSIVE GEEK CLASSIFIEDS WANTED:

We are looking for intelligent and creative people to join our Lord of the Rings fanclub. We all get our own nicknames! (sorry, Frodo and Gandolf are taken). If you have a big wooden staff and a robe, you're in. Only those that are serious need apply. We will not be mocked. Our Dad is a big wizard!

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We're in the Band by Thomas Shaner

Daily Horoscope

By Linda C. Black
 Today's Birthday (Sept. 10). Looks like there are lots of changes going on at home this year. Having a budget and a plan helps, but you should also welcome suggestions. People with skills different than your own will be big help. But you make the final decisions.
 To get the advantage, check the day's rating: 10 is the easiest day, 0 the most challenging.
Aries (March 21-April 19) - Today is a 4 - Hiding out isn't one of your favorite games, but you can do it when you must. Changes going on now make it important to be flexible. Be invisible, too, if you can.
Taurus (April 20-May 20) - Today is an 8 - You may be growing impatient with those who can't make up their minds. Don't make the decision for them, though. They're starting to figure it out.
Gemini (May 21-June 21) - Today is a 5 - Although your mind is full of questions, it's more helpful if you offer suggestions. Keep track of what the others think, too. Keep channels of communication open.
Cancer (June 22-July 22) - Today is an 8 - Others look to you for answers, but you don't have them all. Some of the things you try won't work. Stay upbeat and try again. And be willing to compromise.
Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) - Today is a 5 - The temptation to splurge may be strong, but your willpower is stronger. Don't buy much of anything now - not even a gift for a loved one. It can wait.
Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) - Today is a 7 - There's a strange love-hate relationship going on. You and your antagonist have something that ties you together. One of you is Ying, the other Yang. Now, decide which is which.
Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) - Today is a 5 - Modifications will be required to get your fantasy to manifest. Continue to do the research, and practice, practice, practice.
Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) - Today is a 7 - There may not be enough money for you to do everything you want. Let others know your limitations, and proceed accordingly.
Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) - Today is a 5 - It may seem as if others refuse to see the facts. Just because they're arguing doesn't mean they can't hear what you're saying.
Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) - Today is an 8 - You're in pretty good shape, though it's difficult for some others. Don't try to solve all their problems. That's futile. Just refuse if asked.
Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) - Today is a 4 - The good news is that work you've done could soon bring in more money. Use it to replenish your savings account and maybe to pay off a few bills. Now, now, now.
Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20) - Today is a 7 - It's best not to confront an authority figure directly, at least not by yourself. If you can convince a partner to come, there's a better chance you'll be heard.



JUMBLE THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME
 by Henri Arnold and Mike Argirion

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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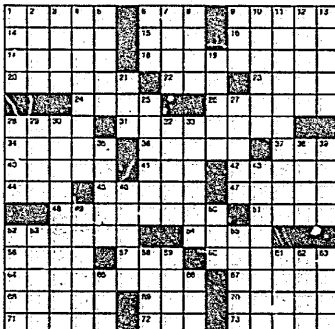
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Answer: "□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □" (Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: CATCH LEECH UNSEAT FESTAL
 Answer: What the film director did when the movie ran too long — CUT TO THE CHASE

Crossword

- ACROSS**
 1 Of an insect stage
 6 Crow's call
 9 In the know
 14 Wear away
 15 The Greatest
 16 Former Turkish title
 17 Battery terminal
 18 Strows
 20 Casual garb
 22 PDA group
 23 Memory method
 24 Romanov title
 26 Sounds the alarm
 28 Stress Moore
 31 Open-minded
 34 Above it all
 36 Wild thing
 37 Beer vessel
 40 Feed or Mils
 41 Summer hrs. in Boston
 42 Saragani hunter
 44 Make a lap
 45 Ravine
 47 Dispatches
 48 Same artists
 51 On the apex of
 52 Backs of boats
 54 Galton and
 55 Gargasso
 56 Swiss marksman
 57 Cassowary cousin
 60 Conical
 64 Positioning correctly
 67 Personal record
 68 Duero or Cars
 69 Carnival city
 70 Unworldly
 71 Insertion
 72 Ike's WWII command
 73 Losses moisture



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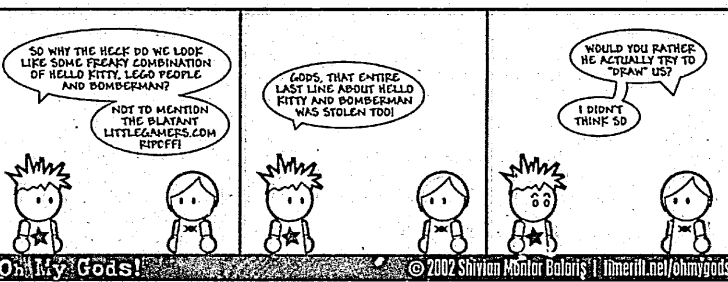
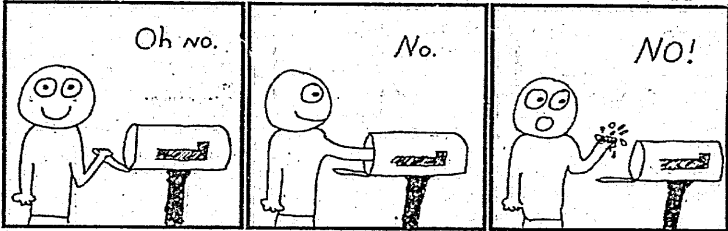
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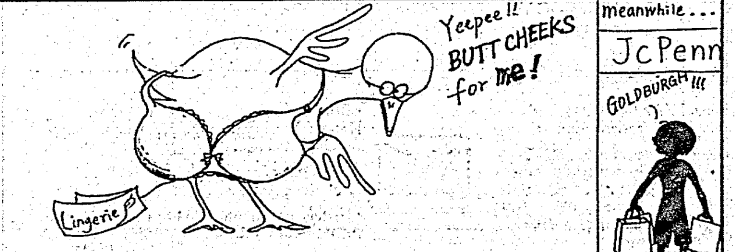
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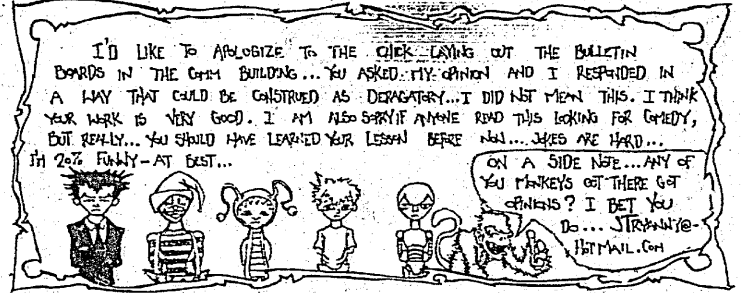
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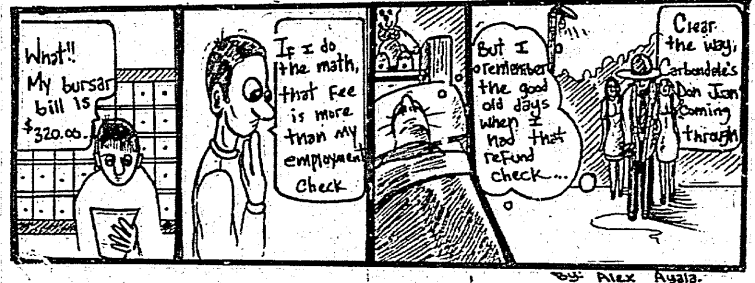


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COMMENTARY

Tailgater anonymous

There was a shock among the SIU football players after their walloping of SEMO 28-7.

It wasn't that they actually beat the Indians for the first time in three seasons or that the Salukis should have shut out a team in Division I-AA or that the officials teased a 285-pound defensive lineman with the thought of a touchdown for 40 yards before pulling the cord. The astonishment was that SIU actually played in front of a FULL stadium. Actually, they played in the largest crowd ever at SEMO and their soup bowl for a field.

You've been scared to step foot in McAndrew, not for fear that it would collapse, which is my fear along with many engineers, but that the football game you were going to be subdued to would not go well with the Keystone in your gut.

Others came from sucky schools that got picked on by the athletic ones and hoped SIU would be a change. How wrong you were.

So you drank and drank hard. You've been scared to step foot in McAndrew, not for fear that it would collapse, which is my fear along with many engineers, but that the football game you were going to be subdued to would not go well with the Keystone in your gut.

Times were so depressing for many years that the cheers you have heard echo from the stadium were for first downs and not touchdowns.

Whitney Houston has higher self-esteem.

It's OK now. We are here for you.

In two short weeks, SIU's stock has grown exponentially. They are up to No. 21 in Division I-AA.

I know that you are a little apprehensive about not getting hurt like you did last year, when the Salukis started playing competitively again.

This year, unlike every season since the Ford administration, SIU has a stellar defense.

SEMO was supposed to have a stud quarterback in Jack Tomco, but in a matter of a quarter, the Saluki defense made his play look as girly as his walk.

Some of you fear, most likely, that a massive number of people at the Murray State game could jinx the whole bit. But think back to that SEMO game and how SIU played there in front of a jam-packed



Welcome to my world

BY ZACK CREGLOW
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stadium.

"You feed off the [crowd] a lot," sophomore quarterback Joel Sambunsky said. "We are playing a great opponent in Murray. We need as many people here as possible. The fans will have a great impact on the game."

But the thing that tailgaters should be fearing is drinking tickets. The only time people should have to keep checking over their shoulder when they drink is if they just hit on someone's guy or girl — not to check to see if a cop in skimpy shorts is on the prowl.

In light of the problems we as an SIU community face, Tailgaters Anonymous has been established. There are rehabilitation centers where maimed fans can reacquaint themselves with football success. There are doctors on hand to help anyone who sustains seizures from withdraws of tailgating as well.

Tailgaters Anonymous Creed

Tailgaters Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help

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others to recover from tailgating. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop tailgating and actually attend the games. There are no dues or fees for TA membership; we are self-supporting through our own contributions. TA is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization or institution; it does not wish to engage in any controversy, neither endorses nor opposes any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay tailgate free during football games and help other tailgaters to achieve sobriety.

So whether you are a hermit, hobbyist, hermaphrodite, alcoholic or just unloved, there is a place for you at Tailgaters Anonymous and inside McAndrew this Saturday.

The football team will appreciate you, even if no one else does.

"I love you," Sambunsky said with an open heart and mind to the fans.

WHO IS SCAFIER



Vs.



NAME	Joe Panunzio	Tony Soprano
JOB	Head of the Murray State football team	Head of the Soprano crime syndicate
HOME TOWN	Artificial	New Jersey
FAMILY	The Racers	Carmela, Meadow and Anthony Jr.
CONSULTANT	Assistant Coaches	Dr. Melfi
FAVORITE THINGS	Deandre Green and Jesse Chigger	Furio Giunta and Paulie Walnuts
EXPLDITS	Burying opponents on the field	Burying people in a field
BIGGEST CRIME	Offing of Tom Kovatos last season	Offing of several mobsters
VERDICT	Panunzio has his share of hired guns, but Soprano has the real things.	

GUEST COMMENTARY

BCS outsiders clamor for bigger share

Dick Weiss
New York Daily News

CHICAGO (KRT)—Tulane President Scott Cowen began saber rattling in the spring when he referred to the six power conferences that have automatic berths in the Bowl Coalition Series as a cartel. He also claimed the BCS was destroying college football by eliminating half of the eligible Division I programs from those \$13 million payday January bowl games.

Cowen's point was this: last year, the 63 BCS schools shared \$104 million while the rest of the 117 Division I-A programs split \$5 million.

Monday, Cowen softened the rhetoric. He was hopeful the presidents of the 11 Division I-A conferences who met here at the O'Hare Airport Hilton can come up with a way to provide greater access to the have-nots in the sport.

The BCS presidents seem willing to listen if it benefits their schools. "They [the non-BCS presidents] think they may have some idea about structure that could increase value," Nebraska President Harvey Perlman said. "Maybe they're right. If they do and it's profitable and we don't lose anything, we'll tweak it."

Cowen claims he is not a Pollyanna. That's probably a good thing. He should get a reality check shortly and it will probably come like a punch in the face.

College football is not an equal-opportunity system.

Given the state of the economy and the fact that corporate sponsors are being more judicious with their money, the BCS bowls and network TV are not about to shell out \$13 million to watch Ohio State play, say, a Marshall or even a Colorado State in the Sugar Bowl.

They want to see the traditional powers battle it out, if only for the Nielsen ratings. The only non-BCS team to win a national championship was BYU in 1984. In the 20 years before the BCS, 159 of 160 teams to play in the Jan. 1

bowl games came from BCS conferences. An NFL-style playoff appears totally out of the question since the SEC is not about to give up its \$12 million playoff game and the Pac 10 and Big 10 are not about to sever their ties with the Rose Bowl.

The best the have-nots can hope for is the introduction of a fifth BCS game when the new deal is hammered out after the 2005 season. That would increase the chance for a non-BCS team from, say, Conference USA to crack the social elite. Or a team from the WAC, Mountain West, Mid-American or Sun Belt conferences. But it is hard to conceive of those schools ever receiving an automatic slot and any non-BCS team that wanted an at-large slot most likely have to finish in the Top 10 in the computerized rankings.

That has only happened once before, when Tulane finished 11-0 in 1998 and was ranked 10th. Marshall was ranked 12th in 1999 and TCU was ranked 14th in 2000. Since then, no one else has even been in the mix.

The BCS feels confident it could weather any possible antitrust suit. But if legislation is filed, there is this doomsday scenario presented by Big East commissioner Mike Tranghese, the head of the BCS this year.

"I think that what has happened is the BCS has become a target," Tranghese said. "Everyone's problems now are pointed at us, and they say the BCS has caused those problems."

"I said to somebody, 'Why don't we just disband? What will happen?' The Pac-10 and the Big Ten go to the Rose Bowl, the rest of us will play in major bowls and TV will play significantly less money. Who gains from that? I would argue those teams in the non-BCS conferences are getting more money and more access than they had in the previous system."

"I know President Cowen is doing what he has to do. He's arguing about Tulane and the time they went undefeated. They didn't play anybody."

READER COMMENTARY

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"You win the first one, it kind of sets the bar up there," Goltz said. "But we got the talent within those five guys plus the two that were home that first-, second-, third-place finishes ... In the past it was the exception and it shouldn't be that way this year. We may expect it a little bit more."

The team's two freshmen are a significant part of the reason for the higher expectations. Kyle Hosick, who is just a few months removed from high school, finished tied for 13th and has begun to adapt to the length of college tournaments.

Fellow frosh Braxton Weaver finished 42nd. The Salukis finished sixth in this event last season, but this isn't the same old squad.

"I think it proves to everyone that we're going to be a lot better this year," Norman said. "I knew going into the tournament that we were the best team there, and I knew all we had to do was go out and play and we could prove it, and we did."

"I think we have a really good team, and we have a real good shot at winning the Missouri Valley if we just all keep our heads on straight and practice hard."

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Still recovering from mono, Giat is not yet at 100 percent physically and may not reach his peak level until the MVC meet in November. Since this is his last year, Giat's ultimate goal is to win the conference and do well enough at the regional to qualify for the nationals.

In terms of team goals, the Salukis think they can place among the top

three in the Valley as long as they cut down the gap between the top five runners.

"When you close that gap, of course, your guys are going to be placing a lot closer together and toward the front of the pack," Baker said, "and we're gonna place better and win more meets."

Although they haven't done better than fifth the past two years at the MVCs, the Salukis deem anything lower than a third-place finish as a disappointment.

And as positive as the team's attitude is this year, SIU may not settle for just the top three.

"We're here, we've got what we need and last year we didn't really have what we needed team-wise," Baker said.

"We need to do something this year ... we've gotta go in fighting for the win."

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MEREDITH MENCIER - DAILY EGYPTIAN

The men's cross country team finishes its daily run Monday afternoon by the baseball field. The team will be trying to fulfill their potential after two losing seasons.



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MEREDITH MERCIER - DAILY EGYPTIAN

Men's cross country ready to fulfill potential

Salukis head to Bradley with something to prove

Todd Merchant
Daily Egyptian

Following two rather disappointing seasons, the SIU men's cross country team is feeling a strong sense of urgency as it heads into the 2004 campaign.

The Salukis, who finished fifth and seventh during the last two Missouri Valley Conference meets, are tired of poor performances and want to finally fulfill their potential.

"We have a great team of guys in right now," junior Eli Baker said.

"Everybody's really worked their butt off this summer, and we feel like this is the season to do it. We've got everybody here right now, so there's no point in waiting on anything."

What makes Baker so anxious is the talent the team has added since last fall. Doron Giat, the team's lone senior, holds down the top position, and SIU brought in a pair of freshmen from Northern Ireland — Joe Byrne and Diarmuid Grant — to challenge Baker for the No. 2 spot on the team.

Battling for the fifth position this season will likely be freshman Hunter Sheldon and junior Tony LaChiana. But there are several freshmen fight-

ing to make the traveling squad, including Thomas Gentry, Brandon Lukes, Kyle Monroe and Jason Hubbard.

This depth is something new to an SIU squad that only had six competitors by the end of last season.

"Ever since I've started here, we haven't had a good team," third-year head coach Matt McClelland said. "It's one of those things, it takes time before you get recruits in here. We've got guys in here that are really gonna help us."

McClelland said although it is a young team, SIU has the chance for big things this season; but it is up to the runners to put everything together.

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—Matt McClelland
SIU men's head cross country coach

The Salukis' first test is Saturday when they travel to Peoria for the Bradley Invite. While the team would be ecstatic to come away with a first-place finish, it is looking at this weekend more as a tune-up for the rest of the season.

"I think the first meet is to see where everybody is standing," Giat said. "It's more to give to the coach [an idea of] who's the strongest five or six guys on the team and see what's going on."

"For us, Bradley will give us some sense of where we are standing. So in that way [the meet] is going to be big. I don't see it as [preseason meet]. For me, I just want to do my best and do a new [personal record]."

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Salukis win first tourney at Steve Harris Invitational

Newcomers help men's golf to win

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The SIU men's golf team showed the value of its newcomers Tuesday. Behind three new faces, two of them freshmen, the Salukis took first place in

the Steve Harris Invitational in Jackson, Mo.

The Salukis stormed back from a five-stroke deficit entering the third and final round Tuesday, firing a 289 and overtaking Samford in a turn of events that was less than surprising to head coach Leroy Newton.

"They did a great job," Newton said. "I feel good about it because we had played well in practice, and they took

their practice game and turned it into good tournament scores."

The person who turned in the best scores was junior college transfer Brian Norman, who paced the team with a two-under par, third-place finish that included two rounds of 71 sandwiched around a second-round 72. But it was nothing new for Norman, who earned All-America honors at nearby John A. Logan College.

Norman competed in and won numerous Division I tournaments with the Volunteers.

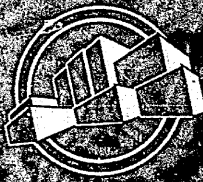
He overcame a lack of recent practice caused by illness to put up a strong showing for his new team.

"Brian Norman's capable of winning any tournament that he enters," Newton said. "I didn't know if he's been healthy enough, he's been sick. I thought he did exactly what he's very capable of. If the

other kids hadn't played like that, I think Norman could have won it."

Newcomers weren't the only reason for SIU's success. Fifth-year senior Grant Goltz finished sixth and fired a team-low 70 in the final round to pace the Saluki comeback. The strong team showing wasn't a surprise to Goltz either.

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