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Valentine's Day traditions shared by international students.

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MATERNAL INSTINCTS:

Michelle Granberry (right), a senior in liberal arts from Chicago, gets ready to be another while still enrolled at SIUC.

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Daily Egyptian



FAMILY TIES:

Diamond Taylor (left foreground), 6, Adrienne Taylor (left background), a senior in business and administration from Chicago, and Kymbiona Taylor work on Diamond's Valentine's Day cards.



Balancing babies and books

STUDENT FAMILY: Senior says idea of school and children not impossible.

LA'KEISHA R. GRAY
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

There was a time when college, single parenting and pregnancy were separate entities, and when found together the idea was shunned. But today, they are all a part of Michele Granberry's reality.

Granberry, a senior in liberal arts from Chicago and single

mother-to-be, said she is aware that the situation surrounding her pregnancy is not the "norm" for most people. She said most people believe a career and a spouse should accompany pregnancy, but she has neither.

"I don't feel short-changed because my desire is much stronger than any obstacle I may have to go through," she said. "I've never been pregnant or married, so this situation surrounding my pregnancy is all I know, and so far it has been wonderful to me.

"Of course there are things I'd like to be different, but that goes for any pregnant woman

whether she is in school or working, married or single, young or old."

Desiree Mills, student health programs coordinator, said there is a sexuality program on campus for counseling women who have had positive pregnancy test results.

She said there is a need for the services the program provides because of the number of pregnant students who decide to continue their education.

"It is a much more common thing," she said. "It is much more

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Board OKs new streets

FIRST STEP: Trustees approve new names for emergency 911 use.

JASON K. FREUND
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Poultry Center Drive, Tennis Drive and Wildlife Drive are three of the 23 new names of previously unnamed campus streets that were approved Thursday by the SIUC Board of Trustees to comply with the Jackson County 911 system.

Since 1990, the SIUC campus has been using its own 911 system. The Jackson County 911 Emergency Notification System was activated in 1995.

Scott Sylvester, 911 Information Systems manager, said the Jackson County 911 system requires a street address to allow its database to work properly.

Sylvester said that in addition to naming the streets and drives, in the future, specific addresses

will be given to the buildings on campus.

"The first step is the names, the second is road signs and addresses," he said.

He said that the addresses will either be on road signs or attached directly to buildings.

Sylvester said he could not estimate when SIUC will be added to the Jackson County 911 system. He said that SIUC's old system requires the dispatchers at the SIUC Police station to call the emergency needed.

Sylvester said the enhanced system will allow dispatchers to connect callers with the proper agency through a computer.

The computer will instantly give the dispatcher the telephone number from which the emergency was called, the location of the call, a history of calls made from that location and any remarks typed by the dispatcher.

"We are ready to flip the switch and get it (SIUC) going

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Condom week stresses caution

PROTECTION: Nationally recognized week begins on Valentine's Day.

MIKAL J. HARRIS
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

The start of National Condom Week today could offer some help with finding the perfect gift for lovers still looking for Valentine's Day gifts, an SIUC student says.

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Students relive Valentine's Day memories.
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"I wouldn't be offended by receiving a condom as a gift from a partner I was sexually involved with," said Felicia Foster, a senior in English from Chicago.

"because it would show that person cares enough about me to take precautions."

Taking precautions against sexually transmitted diseases and unwanted pregnancies may be a foremost concern of some couples on Valentine's Day. Condoms are known as an effective

barrier against turning those concerns into realities.

Besides being an unconventional idea for gift ideas for Valentine's Day, National Condom Week has existed for almost 20 years so that more people like Foster would be aware of the benefits of condom usage.

National Condom Week was started at the University of California in 1978 by David Mayer, a student, primarily to inform and educate the public about condoms. Pharmacists Planning Service officials said.

Thousands of universities, family planning centers, public health agencies, AIDS educational organizations and Planned Parenthood now participate in this annual promotional week.


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Gus Bode


Gus says: National Condom Week? Does Hallmark have a card for that?



Southern Illinois Forecast



TODAY:
Partly sunny, winds 5-10 mph.
High: 35
Low: 22



SATURDAY:
Partly sunny, chance of snow.
High: 37
Low: 19

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Calendar

TODAY

CALENDAR POLICY

The deadline for Calendar items is two publication days before the event. The item must include time, date, place, admission cost and sponsor of the event and the name and phone of the person submitting the item. Items should be delivered or mailed to the Daily Egyptian Newsroom, Communications Building, Room 1247. All calendar items also appear on the DE Web page. No calendar information will be taken over the phone.

- PPA Rose Sale, Feb. 14, all day, Life Science II Breezeway. Contact Kevin at 684-3658.

- Valentine's Day Craft Sale, Feb. 14, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Student Center Hall of Fame. Contact the Craft Shop at 453-3636.

- Non-Traditional Student Services & Campus Link for Adult Student Support Informational & Brown Bag Lunch, Feb. 14, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Student Center 1120es Room. Contact Michelle at 453-5714.

- Church of Christ Soup & Sandwich Meal to those in need, Feb. 14, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., 900 N. Wall St. Contact 529-2489 or 457-7093 for transportation.

- SIU/EU Blood Drives, Feb. 14, noon to 6 p.m., Grinnell Hall, 3 to 8 p.m., Rac Center. Free T-Shirt & Taco John's coupon for donors.

- Vegetarian Awareness Coalition - "The Animals Can't Spook" silent march, Feb. 14, noon, begins at Fanor. Contact Janet 351-0846.

- Music at the Museum - Carter & Conneley Valentine's Day Concert, Feb. 14, noon to 1 p.m., University Museum, free. Contact Laura or Tracy at 453-5388 for details.

- French Writing Workshop, Feb. 14, 2 p.m., Fanor 2008. Contact Errol at 536-1433.

- Disabled Student Recreation - Let's go swimming at the Pulliam Pool, every Friday, 3 to 5 p.m. Contact Melissa at 453-1265.

- Russian Table, Fridays, 4 to 6 p.m., China House (701 S. Illinois). Contact Sarah at 453-5029.

- Sophist Political Society Roundtable: Ethics & The legalization of gambling - What is your opinion?, Feb. 14, 4 p.m., Fanor 3075. Contact Steve at (618) 357-9808.

- French Table, Feb. 14, 4 to 6 p.m., Bobby's. Contact Rosalba at 529-

5561 or see <http://www.gocities.com/capitol-hill/4051/fc.html>.

- Spanish Table, Feb. 14, 4 to 6 p.m., Cafe Melange. Contact Maria at 453-5432.

- German Table - Stammtisch, Feb. 14, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., Bobby's. Contact Anne at 549-1754.

- Japanese Table, every Friday, 6 to 8 p.m., Melange Cafe. Contact Sumiko at 457-8650.

UPCOMING

- International Students & Scholars - Trip to Memphis, TN, Feb. 15, 6 a.m. to 1 a.m., \$39 per person. Contact Raboaz or Masoud at 453-5774 for info.

- Sakuli Volunteer Corps - Habitat for Humanity, every Saturday Student Development Office (3rd floor of Student Center), 453-5714.

- Sakuli Volunteer Corps - Schedules for spring semester volunteer activities are now available. Stop by Student Development on the Student Center 3rd floor to pick one up. Call 453-5714 for more information.

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- School of the Prophets - "Soul of the Rose" vegetarian benefit dinner for the Community Gardening Project, Feb. 15, 6 to 9 p.m., Unitarian Meeting Place, \$7 public, \$5 students. Contact 529-5044.

- Student Environmental Center - "Eating With a Conscience" by Howard Lyman of the Humane Society, Feb. 16, 1 to 3 p.m., Interfaith Center. Contact Sean at 549-7387.

- Interfaith Community Dinner - Vegetarians & Omnivores Welcome!, Feb. 16, 6 p.m., Interfaith Center, \$1 donation requested. Contact Karen at 549-7387.

- "Love Your Heart Run/Walk,"

Feb. 16, 2 p.m., begins at Pulliam Hall on campus, 5 mile run, 2 mile walk, \$12 - \$15 fee. Contact the race director at 457-7345.

- Southern Baptist Student Ministries - Free luncheon for international students, every Tuesday, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., 825 W. Hill St. Contact Loretha at 457-2898.

- Voices of Inspiration Gospel Choir - seeking new members and musicians, each Tuesday & Thursday, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Algeid 248. Contact Brian at 549-9251.

- Blocks in Communication Alliance - general meeting for students interested and majoring in communication fields, every Tuesday, 7 p.m., Illinois Room in Student Center. Contact Genia at 457-2495.

- All Liberal Arts students (except Music, Art and Design) can now make advisement appointments in Fanor 1229.

- Women's Services - "Recovery from Violence," support group for women survivors of physical & sexual assault, every Wednesday, 4 to 5:30 p.m., Woody Hall B244. Contact Leena at 453-3655.

- African-American Men & Women's Discussion Group meeting, every Wednesday, 4 to 5:30 p.m., Student Center Thebes Room. Contact Nita at 453-3655.

- Gays, Lesbians, Bisexuals, & Friends general meeting, every Wednesday, 5:30 p.m., Cambria Room in Student Center. Contact GIBF at 453-5151.

- Pyramid Public Relations meeting, every Wednesday in February, 6 p.m., Communications 2005. Contact Marty at 536-8428.

- Egyptian Divers Club Meeting, every Wednesday, 6:30 p.m., Pulliam 21. Contact Amy at 529-2840.


- Circle K International Service Organization, every Wednesday, 7 p.m., Troy Room in Student Center.

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THE FASTEST WAY TO THE HEART:

Linda Meherg, owner of the Chocolate Factory in Golconda, prepares chocolate candy hearts for Valentine's Day. Meherg Chocolate Factory, which has been in business 20 years, carries a variety of chocolate confections from chocolate-covered caramel to chocolate-covered pretzels.

PHOTOS BY AMY STRAUSS/DAILY EGYPTIAN



Ghosts of Valentine's Day past

LOVE CONQUERS SOME:

Dinner with date's 'ex' haunts one student's Valentine's Day.

LA'KEISHA R. GRAY
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Somewhere deep within people's minds there seems to be buried a concrete definition of the "perfect" Valentine's Day. This day is judged by people according to whether or not it passes their definitions based on things including how many roses are received, which expensive restaurant is frequented, how much chocolate is given and if people feel compensated for all their troubles.

With this in mind, some SIUC students share their experiences of what they believe to be the most romantic Valentine's Day imaginable, while others tell of their trips to the shop of "Valentine's Day horrors."

Heartbreaking

"During my sophomore year, I decided to do something really special for my boyfriend because we'd been together for a while. I went out and bought a sexy outfit, cooked up some steak and rice and had a friend of mine draw a big rose on my wall with a glow-in-the-dark marker. I'd set up the desks in my dorm room for a candlelight dinner and had a really romantic setting. I went through all this trouble and my friends helped me out, but he came to my room, looked at everything, kissed me and left because he said he had to study. I was so embarrassed and hurt."
—Anonymous, a senior in education from Evanston.

Romantic

"After 13 years of marriage, it's hard finding new and adventurous ways to romance someone. It can be a challenge, but I always seem to pull it off. Once I cooked a candlelight dinner. I'm not the greatest cook in the world, but it seemed to get the idea across,

and it's the idea that counts: the idea that love conquers all." —Mark Gibson, a senior in theater and English from Herrin.

Lonely

"It's a shame that with all the women on this campus, my Valentine's Day has always been spent alone. Although I do have plenty of friends, I don't have that special someone, so my Valentine's Day is always spent alone and at home. Maybe I'll rent some movies, have a drink and buy some chocolate for myself because I'm special to me."
—Lashaun Coles, senior in administration of justice from Chicago.

Horror

"I ordered a dozen roses to be delivered to this particular female, and we were supposed to go out with friends. It had been raining all day and we'd gotten into an argument over

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Southern Illinois

CARBONDALE

Blood collection drops off, two days left to donate

There are only two days left to collect at least 351 more pints of blood during the SIUC/Eastern Illinois University Blood Battle.

Vivian Ugent, regional director of the American Red Cross, said SIUC has collected 899 pints of blood during this week's blood drive. EIU projected to collect 1,250 pints during their drive next week.

Ugent said Thursday's weather forecasts may have slowed the drive's momentum.

"Up until Thursday we were doing great and exceeding our expectations," she said. "The weather seemed to scare people off. We encourage people to give a real gift from the heart for Valentine's Day today."

There are two drives scheduled today at Grinnell Hall from noon to 6 p.m., and at the Recreation Center from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. The last blood drive is from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at the Recreation Center.

Nation

LOS ANGELES

Goldman offers to forfeit millions for O.J. confession

Just days after a jury awarded him millions of O.J. Simpson's money, Fred Goldman said Wednesday he would forfeit his right to collect even 1 penny if Simpson would publicly confess to being a killer — but the former football star promptly turned down the deal.

"No matter how much money I am offered, I would never confess to a crime which I did not commit," Simpson said through one of his attorneys.

Simpson has always insisted he had nothing to do with the June 12, 1994, slayings of his ex-wife Nicole and Goldman's son, Ronald. But a civil jury last week found him liable for the killings and ordered him to pay \$33.5 million in damages.

After the verdicts, Goldman dismissed the stunning damage award as unimportant, repeating again and again that the civil case was about assigning responsibility, not collecting cash.

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Our Word

Reinstatement

Revamping old escort service provides new safety program

THANKS TO THE PERSISTENCE OF THE Undergraduate Student Government and University administrators, SIUC students may never have to walk alone late at night next fall.

In November, USG voted to recommend that SIUC spend \$25,000 to hire professionals to serve as escorts for students who do not wish to walk across campus alone after dark.

Now administrators are looking at ways to use existing resources to provide an equally effective service with a much lower price tag.

Through the use of unpaid volunteers, the SIUC Transit Service's dispatch line and Travel Service's walkie-talkies, the University may be able to put a safety escort program into effect as early as fall at little cost. The University's campus safety graduate assistant will coordinate the volunteers for the program, while the Department of Public Safety trains and runs background checks on those volunteers.

THIS KIND OF COOPERATION AMONG VARIOUS entities on campus is commendable. Not only will it provide the campus with a valuable service that may prevent some students from suffering physical harm, but it also will save money by making efficient use of the resources SIUC already has.

We often complain about inefficient use of the students' money and ineffectual management of the University's resources. However, this proposed escort service is a prime example of the kind of planning and teamwork we would like to see among administrators and departments more often. The program, if it is successful, could serve as a model for problem-solving efforts in other areas of campus life.

However, the success or failure of this program will depend on more than just the cooperation of campus organizations.

SIUC has had nighttime escort services in some of its housing areas in the past, but these programs have been short-lived, primarily because students have not taken advantage of them.

LAST FALL, AT LEAST THREE SEXUAL assaults or attempted sexual assaults were reported on campus. Just last week, an SIUC student was found guilty of raping a Saluki bus driver on her route.

While these incidents hardly represent an epidemic, they do provide a harsh reminder to students — particularly women, who are most frequently the victims of sexual assaults — that they cannot take their safety for granted, even in a relatively secure town such as Carbondale.

The University has reacted to the issue of campus safety promptly, responsibly and consistently over the years. How effective its efforts are depends on how well students respond to the services that are available.

Campus escorts, the Night Safety Transit and the Brightway Path are all good programs that have the potential to keep students safe.

However, these programs can only protect us if we use them.

Ignoring an opportunity to increase your safety at night is like carrying your Mace in your backpack rather than in your hand: By the time you discover you need it, it may be too late for it to do you any good. It is better to plan ahead and take whatever precautions we can than to neglect these opportunities and take unnecessary chances with our health, safety and even our lives.

We wholeheartedly applaud the University's efforts to get this program off the ground, and we urge the students to support those efforts by using the escort service once it is in place.

"Our Word" represents the consensus of the Daily Egyptian Editorial Board.



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I thought about it, and I think I have gotten to the bottom of this issue and figured out exactly why no one wants to be a student not only here, but anywhere. (Naturally, this is all overlooking the obvious reasons including that the number of people graduating from high school has gone down, and the cost of tuition and housing is on the continual rise while no one has any money.) No, there are more important issues.

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It is bad enough that Coke has to suffer by being the inferior pop, but it is discriminated against by not even having a machine of its own or for any of its products.

It is then that I began to realize that this is the exact reason why few want to continue their education. Prospective students can visit our college and realize how discriminative it is, which would turn anyone off. From elementary school through high school, emphasis is being placed on the acceptance of all cultures, only for those students to come to college and realize that it is a cruel world where they mix Pepsi and Coke in the same machine.

Sure, they try to say that they are being accepting by putting the two together, but they are just trying to cover up the fact that they are trying to control Coke and hold them back from excelling in today's world. Future students are not going to stand for this kind of communism, and therefore they do not want to be a part of it.

On the other hand, it could just be that kids today are lazy, pampered, have everything catered to their needs and do not want to give that up to work their butts off for an education, but I doubt it.

Mailbox

Letters to the editor must be submitted in person to the editorial page editor, Room 1247,

Communications Building. Letters should be typewritten and double spaced. All letters are subject to editing and will be limited to 350 words.

Students must identify themselves by class and major, faculty members by rank and department, non-academic staff by position and department.

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Students' views needed

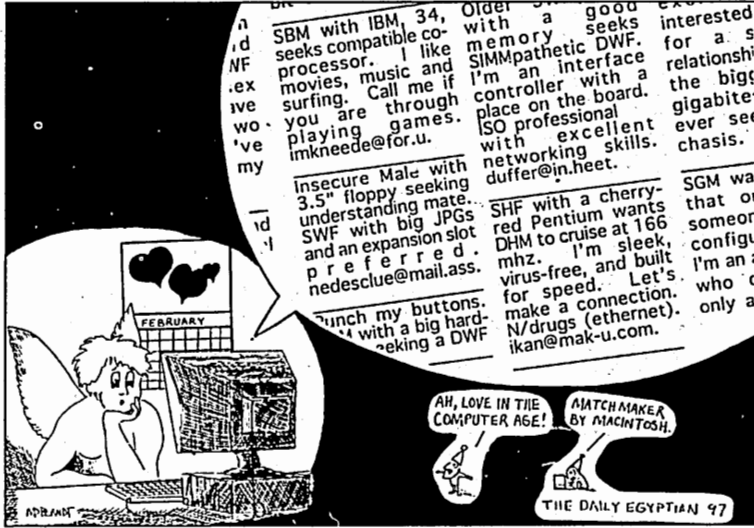
Dear Editor:

You're absolutely right. A committee dealing with SIU recruitment and retention is not complete without representation from the student population. Your observation is well noted ("Our Word" Daily Egyptian, 2/3). What you should know is that the Chamber of Commerce committee, with full cooperation of Chancellor Don Beggs and Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs Harvey Welch, has planned on student representation all along and although some preliminary meetings for organization have taken place, the actual committee make-up is yet to be completed with student participation on the committee not anticipated until the spring semester gets underway.

As I write, we're working with Vice Chancellor Welch on finding those students recommended to serve on the committee. What's really exciting is seeing your publication take an active interest in our committee even though your constructive criticism was premature.

That's all right. With the Chamber's theme of "Whatever It Takes," to get things done in '97, a little constructive criticism never hurt anyone. We hope you'll report the progress of the committee in the coming months. SIU's recruitment and retention is the Carbondale Chamber's No. 1 priority for 1997.

Dennis Lyle
 President, Carbondale Chamber of Commerce, SIUC Class of '75



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Sure, they try to say that they are being accepting by putting the two together, but they are just trying to cover up the fact that they are trying to control Coke and hold them back from excelling in today's world. Future students are not going to stand for this kind of communism, and therefore they do not want to be a part of it.

On the other hand, it could just be that kids today are lazy, pampered, have everything catered to their needs and do not want to give that up to work their butts off for an education, but I doubt it.

Our Word
Reinstatement
 Revamping old escort service provides new safety program

THANKS TO THE PERSISTENCE OF THE Undergraduate Student Government and University administrators, SIUC students may never have to walk alone late at night next fall.

In November, USG voted to recommend that SIUC spend \$25,000 to hire professionals to serve as escorts for students who do not wish to walk across campus alone after dark.

Now administrators are looking at ways to use existing resources to provide an equally effective service with a much lower price tag.

Through the use of unpaid volunteers, the SIUC Transit Service's dispatch line and Travel Service's walkie-talkies, the University may be able to put a safety escort program into effect as early as fall at little cost. The University's campus safety graduate assistant will coordinate the volunteers for the program, while the Department of Public Safety trains and runs background checks on those volunteers.

THIS KIND OF COOPERATION AMONG VARIOUS entities on campus is commendable. Not only will it provide the campus with a valuable service that may prevent some students from suffering physical harm, but it also will save money by making efficient use of the resources SIUC already has.

We often complain about inefficient use of the students' money and ineffective management of the University's resources. However, this proposed escort service is a prime example of the kind of planning and teamwork we would like to see among administrators and departments more often. The program, if it is successful, could serve as a model for problem-solving efforts in other areas of campus life.

However, the success or failure of this program will depend on more than just the cooperation of campus organizations.

SIUC has had nighttime escort services in some of its housing areas in the past, but these programs have been short-lived, primarily because students have not taken advantage of them.

LAST FALL, AT LEAST THREE SEXUAL assaults or attempted sexual assaults were reported on campus. Just last week, an SIUC student was found guilty of raping a Saluki bus driver on her route.

While these incidents hardly represent an epidemic, they do provide a harsh reminder to students — particularly women, who are most frequently the victims of sexual assaults — that they cannot take their safety for granted, even in a relatively secure town such as Carbondale.

The University has reacted to the issue of campus safety promptly, responsibly and consistently over the years. How effective its efforts are depends on how well students respond to the services that are available.

Campus escorts, the Night Safety Transit and the Brightway Path are all good programs that have the potential to keep students safe.

However, these programs can only protect us if we use them.

Ignoring an opportunity to increase your safety at night is like carrying your Mace in your backpack rather than in your hand: By the time you discover you need it, it may be too late for it to do you any good. It is better to plan ahead and take whatever precautions we can than to neglect these opportunities and take unnecessary chances with our health, safety and even our lives.

We wholeheartedly applaud the University's efforts to get this program off the ground, and we urge the students to support those efforts by using the escort service once it is in place.

Mailbox

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Students' views needed

Dear Editor:
 You're absolutely right. A committee dealing with SIU recruitment and retention is not complete without representation from the student population. Your observation is well noted ("Our Word" Daily Egyptian, 2/3). What you should know is that the Chamber of Commerce committee, with full cooperation of Chancellor Don Beggs and Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs Harvey Welch, has planned on student representation all along and although some preliminary meetings for organization have taken place, the actual committee make-up is yet to be completed with student participation on the committee not anticipated until the spring semester gets underway.

As I write, we're working with Vice Chancellor Welch on finding those students recommended to serve on the committee. What's really exciting is seeing your publication take an active interest in our committee even though your constructive criticism was premature.

That's all right. With the Chamber's theme of "Whatever It Takes," to get things done in '97, a little constructive criticism never hurt anyone. We hope you'll report the progress of the committee in the coming months. SIU's recruitment and retention is the Carbondale Chamber's No. 1 priority for 1997.

Dennis Lyle
 President, Carbondale Chamber of Commerce, SIUC Class of '75

"Our Word" represents the consensus of the Daily Egyptian Editorial Board.

Star Wars forces out Hamlet

Dear Editor:

This letter is in reply to Ms. Emily Priddy's column featured in the *Daily Egyptian* on Monday. Maybe Ms. Priddy was a bit too young to realize how big a hit "Star Wars" was in 1977, or maybe she is as ignorant as her commentary displays.

Now it is 1997, 20 years later, and the movie is a box-office phenomenon, making more than Othello, Hamlet AND Romeo and Juliet could ever make combined, in its first weekend. Could that be why they chose to show "Star Wars" here in Southern Illinois than ANOTHER movie about Shakespeare's Hamlet? Perhaps they thought it would make a teeny weenie bit more money?

If you don't believe me, go look

at the lines for "Star Wars" compared to those of Hamlet. Tough choice, but "Star Wars" wins.

As for the "poor acting" in "Star Wars," other than Alec Guinness (who, by the way, acted in Lawrence of Arabia), and Carrie Fisher (daughter of Debbie Reynolds), those actors were a bunch of nobodies. How well do you think you would do, Ms. Priddy, working on your first major film that would be destined to make your career? I think you might have acted a little worse than they did.

I also have a couple comments about your so-called poll.

First, about your hit on James Earl Jones: Did you know that right after "Star Wars" was made, he denied being the voice of Darth Vader because he

thought it would hurt his acting career? Turns out he was wrong, huh?

Second, yes, "Star Wars" is 20 years old, but Shakespeare is 500 years old. Talk about your revivals!

Maybe Ms. Priddy was desperately trying to be funny, but I don't think calling me a hick is very amusing.

I was born and raised in Southern Illinois, and I have a life outside of it. Maybe you should get one, too, Ms. Priddy, then you can go to see your precious Shakespeare where it was meant to be performed...on the stage.

Megan Carr,
Senior, communication disorders and sciences



Two Cents

Tracy Taylor

Two Cents provides a public forum for disgruntled Daily Egyptian employees to vent their frustrations before they have to go postal in the newsroom.

True meaning not in candy

Throughout high school, it was a never-ending tradition as you walked down the halls on Feb. 14 to see girls with boxes of chocolates and balloons and countless other thingamabobs covered in red hearts to celebrate what has come to be known as Valentine's Day. For the first few years it irritated me, and I wondered why the other girls were the lucky ones to receive such great gifts every year and be able to show them off.

I thought it would change in college, but alas, the student union is full of the same thing. You see, although I have had boyfriends, I have never had one around long enough to claim as my Valentine. It got so bad to the point where I figured I probably would get married and be divorced from my husband by the time cupid came around to shoot his arrow.

So, I complained and professed my feelings to everyone that I did not consider Valentine's Day a real holiday. After all, unless it comes on a weekend, school and work are still in session.

Then, last February something changed. It

was 10 days before the big event, and I had a date. A real date. Complete with a man who had a working phone. I got all dolled up. I was ready for my first V-Day where I would feel as special as all of the other girls who knew the joy of fresh flowers on this day.

Well, my date showed up with flowers and balloons in hand and took me to a fabulous dinner (well, in Carbondale, Applebees is about as fabulous as it gets). By the time the date ended, I felt the same as I had every other Valentine's Day for the past seven years. I did not feel really special, and I did not have that glow that I thought I would have after being treated so nicely on Valentine's Day. And then it hit me.

What is important on Valentine's Day is not the stuff you get and are able to show off to your friends. It is about the love that you and the person share with one another. I realized that although flowers and candy are nice, what really is important are the emotions behind it, and you can't trade that for all the chocolate in the world.

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something that had absolutely nothing to do with Valentine's Day. I'd made reservations for a restaurant that required a \$50 deposit prior to our going out, but our friends backed out. I thought this would give us an opportunity to make up and be together, but when we got to the restaurant we ran into one of her ex-boyfriends, and she invited him and his date over to our table.

"I ended up spending my Valentine's Day with her ex-boyfriend and his present friend who I did not know from Adam. I ended up stuck with the entire bill because she volunteered that 'we'd' take care of it. I should have taken the bad weather as a sign."
—Del Marcus Collins, a senior in elementary education from Chicago.

Lessons Learned

"When I was a senior in high school, I had a boyfriend who thought he was 'player of the year,' so I was shocked on Valentine's Day because he gave me a dozen roses, three big balloons and a teddy bear with a pouch containing \$50. However, he didn't call me after school or come to see me that night. It taught me something very important about Valentine's Day. It's not the gifts you receive, but the time spent and the feelings you share for the person you love."
—Alfredia Jones, a senior in graphic design from Cahokia

So while Valentine's Day does not have the same meaning for all SIUC students, and cupid's arrow may not send love everyone's way, it is the hope that lies in the heart of most to spend their day happy and feeling special.

STREETS

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into our enhanced 911 system," he said.
Sam Jordan, director of the Department of Public Safety and SIUC police chief, said the new street names will improve emergency response times.

"It will provide a way for emergency providers responding with a better reference to where they're at and how to get there," he said.

Jordan said dispatchers will be able to give a clear location to agencies responding to emergencies and provide quick reference points for those agencies.

Jordan said the new street names will lower the chances for error because the old system required a dispatcher, not the caller, to tell an agency an emergency's location.

"It was like having no streets named in the city and me trying to tell you how to get to your house," he said.

Cliff Manis, Carbondale fire chief, said the new street names are long overdue.

"It will improve the response and delivery from all agencies," he said.

Manis said the fire department has trained and refreshed firefighters to identify buildings on SIUC's campus, but problems can occur in areas such as Thompson Point and Greek Row.

"It's easy to hit a snag and not immediately recollect buildings, especially in the middle of the night," Manis said. "This is something we've been trying to do for a long time."

Sylvester said after SIUC is on-line, technicians will upgrade the system to include maps that allow dispatchers to tell agencies the fastest route to an emergency and provide a list of equipment and personnel available from those agencies.

Approved street names

1. Agriculture Drive - Drive between Agriculture Building and Life Sciences III
2. Arena Drive - Drive from West-Pleasant Hill Road to the Arena
3. Baseball Drive - Drive between Arena Drive and Douglas Drive
4. Douglas Drive - East Douglas Drive on the East Side of Greek Row
5. Evergreen Drive - Drive from Douglas Drive to West Pleasant Hill Road
6. Fanes Drive - Drive from West Grand Avenue to Fanes Hall
7. Foundation Drive - Drive from Chautauqua Street to the Lassar Law Building
8. Greenhouse Drive - Drive from Poultry Center Drive to the Physical Plant Greenhouse and Lot 59
9. Lentz Drive - Drive from Point Drive to Warren and Smith Halls in Thompson Point
10. Neely Drive - Drive from Logan Drive to Neely Hall in the University Park Area
11. Normal Avenue - Formerly University Avenue, located between Lincoln Drive and West Grand Avenue
12. Physical Plant Drive - Drive into Physical Plant from Lincoln Drive
13. Point Drive - Entrance to Thompson Point Housing Complex from Lincoln Drive
14. Poultry Center Drive - Drive between McLafferty Road and Douglas Drive
15. Radio Drive - Drive between Poultry Center Drive and the WSU Radio Transmitter Building
16. Soluki Loop Drive - Old Loop Drive at the West end of Campus Lake
17. Southern Hills Drive - Drive from Logan Drive to Wall Street in the Southern Hills Area
18. Tennis Drive - Drive from Physical Plant Drive to the Tennis Courts
19. Travel Service Drive - Drive into Travel Service from Lincoln Drive
20. University Press Drive - Drive between McLafferty Road and University Press/Museum Storage Building
21. West Grand Drive - Drive from Normal Avenue to the Wham/Pulliam Complex
22. Wham Drive - Drive to the Wham Building from Lincoln Drive
23. Wildlife Drive - Drive from McLafferty Road to the Wildlife Annex Facility

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GLOBAL APPEAL:

International students share in ideals of Western holiday.

SHARRIE GLATZHOFFER
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

While Valentine's Day in America is celebrated by nearly everyone, Chicko Miyake says that in Japan, it is exclusively a day for women to send gifts to men.

The men have their chance to return the courtesy on White Day, March 14, she said.

"Everybody knows about it," said Miyake, a freshman in special education. "Especially the girls."

Regardless of whether the place you call home is the foot of majestic Mount Fuji or a dorm room on SIUC's campus, Valentine's Day spells "love" in any language.

The celebration of this sweetheart's holiday, is a fairly new practice in many non-Western societies, said Yiqun Ma, a graduate student in computer science from China.

Ma is just one of SIUC's international students who said Valentine's Day is a fairly new concept to him.

"It is not celebrated in China, but now they started celebrating it because they have opened the policy of China," Ma said.

Ma, who has been living in the United

States for about 10 years, said he was not really aware of the celebration of the holiday in China, and a lot of Chinese know nothing about it.

Although there are some nations, including China, where Valentine's Day is generally unheard of, other countries do celebrate the holiday in a more passive way than Americans.

Henry Musangi, a sophomore in architect-

important because it gives people an opportunity to affirm their love and express their desires to continue their good relationships.

Many international students join in the Valentine's Day celebration in the United States just as the American students do.

Ma said he likes Valentine's Day because it offers a way for friends to communicate their affection for one another.

"I feel that it is a lot of fun, but I myself am

young men chose the names of young women from a bag. Then couples were paired together for the festival.

The day was also celebrated with dancing and festivities to honor Roman gods and goddesses.

According to the account, in the year 46, the festival was outlawed by Pope Gelasius, and a feast was instituted as an alternative to the pagan practice.

Named after an early Christian martyr, this feast evolved and changed into what is now known as St. Valentine's Day.

Valentine, a bishop, allegedly was imprisoned for aiding Christians in escaping imprisonment. Other legends say Valentine was guilty of performing marriage ceremonies in defiance of Roman law.

While in prison, accounts state that Valentine healed the sight of a blind girl, with whom he later formed a close relationship. Before going to his execution he penned a final letter to her signing it "From your Valentine."

Valentine's Day eventually spread from the Roman Catholic Church to the rest of the Western world.

For Yahya Piryeh, a junior in industrial technology from the United Arab Emirates, Valentine's Day has a simple meaning.

"It means not going to school," Piryeh said. "I'm going to spend time with my love."

It [Valentine's Day] means not going to school. I'm going to spend time with my love.

YAHYA PIRYEH
JUNIOR FROM UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

tural studies from Kenya, said traditions in his country closely follow American observances.

Musangi said people take advantage of Valentine's Day as an opportunity to affirm their love to one another through cards, flowers and dates.

"Lots of people celebrate it, but it's not one of the bigger holidays," he said. "It came with Western culture."

For Musangi, Valentine's Day is a significant and meaningful holiday. He said it is

not personally active," he said. "I send cards to my wife and daughter."

It might come as a surprise to some that the modern version of St. Valentine's Day has its roots in a pagan tradition of ancient Rome.

The details of that tradition are somewhat obscure, but according to one account by Charles Panati, author of "Panati's Extraordinary Origins of Everyday Things," the original holiday was an annual Roman fertility festival known as Lupercalia. The festival included a match-making lottery where

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common thing," she said. "It is much more open, and now there are more resources for pregnant women. Their main concern is if they can stay in school."

She said she often advises students on ways to deal with school and their pregnancies.

"Sometimes I advise them to take a reduced load (of classes), because a lot of the women I see decide to stay in school but still have concerns," she said.

Mills said some of those concerns are financial worries, finding doctors for pre-natal care and if their partner will stay around.

Michelle Kahler, the assistant program director for non-traditional student services, said more than 37 percent of the student body is made up of non-traditional students, and that includes pregnant women.

"You can't tell somebody they can't go to school because they have children," she said. "They just have other responsibilities to deal with besides their studies that other students who don't have children don't have to deal with."

And every day Granberry said she has to face those extra responsibilities. She said she has had morning sickness, but instead has a much bigger problem of gestational diabetes, which is the on-set of diabetes caused by pregnancy. In most cases it diminishes after delivery.

"But the hardest part is the mental aspects," Granberry said, "things like realizing your pregnant, telling your partner, telling family and friends, figuring out where you'll live and most of all how to support your child."

Adrienne Taylor, a senior in business and administration from

Chicago, said she did not allow her second pregnancy to stop her education.

Because it was her first year in college and the occasional days she needed to take off for her son, she said she worried more about the reactions of her professors.

"I didn't know how my professors would take it, but one was real helpful and he looked out for my best interest," she said. "He saw I was struggling, and he reached out to help me."

Taylor said she had the unconditional support of her family, her husband and her friends.

"When I found out I was preg-

nant?" With national condom week beginning today, she said she definitely wants to emphasize the use of condoms and birth control methods.

Granberry said she wishes she had been more aware of the importance of protection.

"I, unfortunately, was not smart enough to use a condom the day I conceived. But now that I'm pregnant, and from now on, it is a wise hold that I protect myself," she said. "Not just for me, but for my unborn child."

Taylor said things happen in life to make people stronger, and that is how she looks at her pregnancies.

"As I look back on the decisions I've made, I don't regret them nor do I think I would have waited. Because now, once I graduate, my children will be in school, and I can go on with my life," she said. "As a family, we can progress and be more ambitious."

Granberry said she is hopeful about her future.

"It will be difficult; not hard, just challenging," she said. "It is a challenge I meet every day and will have to meet for the rest of my life."

"I'm still in the process of becoming all that I can, and I look forward to living a full life with my child."

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MICHELE GRANBERRY SENIOR FROM CHICAGO

nant the second time, it caught me off guard because I'd just started college, but it was better for me because I'd already had a child," she said. "Kimrossi (Taylor's husband) was there for me, and although I did not know how soon we'd get married, it was in our plans."

However, Mills said not all pregnant students have a spouse, and most of the pregnancies are unplanned.

The question that pops into most minds when the issue comes up about a woman having a baby without a spouse is, "What about protec-

tion?" Taylor said not enough pregnant women realize the special place and the promise children have in their parents' lives.

She said she believes when she is seen on campus with her family, it offers pregnant women hope because they see that she pulled it off.

"To those who are in the situation, keep your head up and keep going because there's always light at the end tunnel," she said. "That light is a new beginning. You, your child and your future."

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<p>FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14</p> <p>Lecture: 7:00 pm Audrey Chapman: "Good Loving" Brown Auditorium, Parkinson Hall (reception following lecture)</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 8:30 pm "One-on-One: Genealogical Society of Southern Illinois"</p>	<p>TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 18</p> <p>Lecture: 7:00 pm Dr. Nancy Dawson: "Our Hair-itage" University Museum Auditorium (reception following lecture)</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 9:30 pm "One on One: William Norwood"</p>
<p>SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15</p> <p>Workshops: 10:00 am - 12:30 pm & 1:30 - 3:30 pm Audrey Chapman: "Good Loving" Contact Dr. Nancy Dawson at 453-7147 (advanced registration required) Sponsored by Black Togetherness Organizations.</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 6:00 pm "Ancestors: African American Research"</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 9:00 pm "Jazz Voices: Standard Time"</p> <p>Dance: 7:00 pm Red, Black, and Green Ball Student Center Ballroom Sponsored by the Black Affairs Council</p>	<p>WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19</p> <p>Film: 7:00 pm African Cinema Series: "These Hands" University Museum Auditorium</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 9:30 pm WSIU Production: "Let My People Go"</p>
<p>SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 12:30 pm "Sweet Honey in the Rock: Songs for the Children"</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 1:30 pm "M&M Smith: For Posterity's Sake"</p> <p>Concert: 8:00 pm The Boys Choir of Harlem Shryock Auditorium (reserved seating \$16.50) Sponsored by Shryock Auditorium</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 10:30 pm "Amistad Revolt: All We Want Is Make us Free"</p>	<p>FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21</p> <p>WSIU/WUSI-TV Program: 9:00 pm "Record Row: Cradle of Rhythm & Blues"</p> <p>MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24</p> <p>Play Reading: 4:00 pm "Autumn's Song" by Eddie Bradley Laboratory Theater, Communications Building</p>
<p>THURSDAY-FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27 & 28</p> <p>Conference: BAC Leadership Conference For More Information Contact BAC at 453-2534 (advanced registration required)</p>	<p>TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25</p> <p>Lecture: 7:00 pm Ike Okafor-Newsum: "Reclaiming Our Folk: Reclaiming Ourselves" (Re) present</p> <p>WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26</p> <p>Film: 7:00 pm African Cinema Series: "Hyenas" University Museum Auditorium</p>

C-SPAN reaching fewer TVs

HAND THAT FEEDS:

Network's founder blames cable providers, politicians for woes.

WASHINGTON POST

WASHINGTON—Brian Lamb is usually a model of reserve when he hosts C-SPAN's public affairs programs. But away from the TV camera these days, Lamb becomes animated, agitated and even a little angry when he discusses C-SPAN's own state of affairs.

"We seem to be getting hit all the time," laments Lamb, who founded C-SPAN in 1977 and still serves as

its chief executive. "We're being treated like second-class citizens." The cause of his concern: C-SPAN, the cable network that chronicles the hour-by-hour workings of Congress, gradually is disappearing from TV screens around the nation. In the past four years, the not-for-profit cable network and its companion service, C-SPAN2, have been dropped entirely or reduced to part-time status by cable companies serving about 5.2 million households. C-SPAN remains available full time or in part in nearly 69 million households (and C-SPAN2 in 46 million), but the downward trend troubles Lamb.

The network's problems, he

believes, grow from the cable industry in general and Washington policy-makers in particular. That's ironic, because the cable industry created C-SPAN and still provides its \$30 million annual operating budget. Washington lawmakers, in turn, are effectively C-SPAN's stars.

Yet a series of new laws, as well as regulatory rulings and the cable industry's bottom-line pressures, appear to have conspired against Washington-based C-SPAN (the acronym stands for Cable-Satellite Public Affairs Network). Indeed, the declining fate of the network says much about the media business in a time of great economic and regulatory upheaval.

WEEK

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Although SIUC is not participating in National Condom Week, Stacia Runge, a graduate student in sexuality education at the Wellness Center, said some residence halls are sponsoring their own informational programming for the week.

Sabrina Beavers, a sophomore in paralegal studies from Joliet, said she does not live in the residence halls and did not know Valentine's Day signaled the start of National Condom Week. However, she said that the idea of promoting condom usage is a good one.

"I feel more people should be aware of condom usage and availability," she said. "There are a lot of people contracting STD's and HIV

every day. Like it or not, people, especially students, are having sex, and they need to know how to protect themselves."

Even if lovers prefer the traditional box of candy over a box of condoms as a Valentine's Day gift, Runge said students always can take advantage of opportunities to obtain condoms on campus.

Runge said students can receive free "condom coupons" by attending one of the "Birth control options" classes sponsored by the Wellness Center twice a week and can also find the coupons in the next Wellness Center newsletter.

Even though National Condom Week begins on the day people celebrate romance, Runge said couples do not have to have sex to be romantic on Valentine's Day.

She said those who do plan to

have sex should be sure to talk to their partners about condoms or other forms of birth control.

"There are a hundred ways to make love without sexual intercourse," she said. "But if sex is what you want, then you should be able to communicate with your partner about safer sex. If you aren't able to do that, then you really shouldn't be having sex."



Foster said she realizes Valentine's Day is a day for love, but couples should not be swept away by the romance of the day and forget to use protection if they have sex.

"Valentine's Day is a day for love, but while spreading that love, be safe with a condom," she said. "Beauty may be in the eye of the beholder, but you can never tell if someone has an STD."

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I hope we can work things out,
I love you and want you back.
Love, Jon B.

Terry,
Better Luck Next Time!
P.S. How about those
Miami Stars
????

You're a snuggle,
I'm a doodie,
I love you Piggie Girl!
Love, Dead Rat Day

To My Love, Jongho,
Thank you for keeping my feet
warm on cold winter nights.
I Love You Jim B.



JSM
Roses are red,
violets are blue,
boy am I glad
that I married you!
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Shirlene,
You are beautiful and talented
and my heart is forever yours.
Be mine this and every
Valentine's Day.
Martin

Sweetheart,
Happy as Valentine's Day!
You're one in a million love,
the best out of the four.

Congratulations to our
33 Alpha Gamma Delta
daughter Jessica Barre,
Happy Valentine's Day.
Love, Mom and Dad

To Laurie J.
I love you and
I will always love you!
Love, Robbie P.



Rob,
We will always be here for you.
We love you so much.
E.K.S.H.



Baba,
Though we're far apart,
our hearts
will always be together.
I miss u and want you to know
EQU!



Slacy,
Come home!
I love you and I want to spend
the rest of my life with you.
Love, Jim



Lambda Chi Alpha,
Thank you for making me feel
like a queen every day!
I love you,
Your Crescent Girl

Gabe,
Of all the stars to wish on, I'm
glad I picked the right one!
Happy Anniversary!
Love, Amy



To the best
7 o'clock driver around!
Thanks for a wonderful
two months...
but you can do better.
Sean



Trish
Happy Valentine's Day!
This year I'm sending you a
special Valentine's wish as my
beautiful wife and as a
mother-to-be.
June can't come soon enough.
I love you more everyday!
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I couldn't afford a full page ad
of me devoting my love to you.
But I hope this will do.
Love, Your Dark Knight



Denver,
You amaze and mystify me,
surprise me, warm me,
and honor me with your
eloquent affection,
and gentle kisses.

Andy,
Thanks for being the freak you
are--my life would be pretty
dull without you.
I love you, Rock



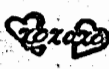
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Scott,
So miles or the Grand Canyon...
It doesn't make a dent!
I love you Scott!
Love, Julie

To Heather:
Have a
Happy Valentine's Day!
From
your CHIPPY



Lisa,
The only one that rubs me down
after football practice
and fills my belly.
Happy Valentine's Day.
Jarrod '76

Tracie,
Words can not
describe my love.
Happy Valentine's Day.
Love, Jason



427,
Finally we are together for
Valentine's Day. Let's enjoy it!
Love always and forever,
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our Southern Sweethearts,
Happy Valentine's Day!
From the men of
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Dear Daddy-J,
You are the sweetest thing
happening this Valentine's Day.
You have all of my love.
Love Always, Kathy



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My China Man,
Trust in our love and our
troubles will fade like the
winters coldest snow, forever.
Love, Dubbles



Steven,
My First love
Only you I think of
Sent from heaven above
You are my endless love.
Miss Jami

Rocky,
Not a day goes by that I don't
think of all the times we shared
together. I miss you and will
forever love you.
P.S. I'm still afraid of sharks.
Benji

Dear Sugar,
The first time you kissed me
I knew I'd be yours forever!
No No You!
Love, Your Plum



Dear Little Chicken,
I love you,
Happy Valentine's Day!
Better late than never!
From, Flappy



Happy Valentine's Day
gentlemen of Sigma Nu.
Thanks for a
wonderful birthday and for
always being there.
Love, Angie Barnes

Happy Valentine's Day
Jason Kings,
You're very special,
talented, ambitious.
Hey, I guess our similarities
explain our compatibility!
Love, Angie



Nikki,
I'm sorry for any doubts I may
have given you recently.
I love you and always will.
Ken W.R.G.



Happy Valentine's Day
Sunshine
You are brightening up my days.
Love Always,
Stephanie Moffett

P.S. Will you marry me?



Chinese Sissy,
No matter what,
I hope we'll grow old together.
Happy Valentine Darling
Love, Farmer

Dear Paulina,
Nothing's gonna change my love
for you and I will be your
Valentine now and forever.
Papa Tommy



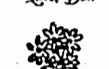
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To all who go through this day
without a Valentine:
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and keep smiling
Love, Lisa P.

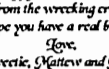


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to the most beautiful, caring,
and loving person I know.
I'm glad we met.
Love, Don

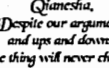


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Love, Angie Barnes

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Love,
Sweetie, Matthew and Malik

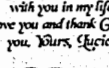


Qianesha,
Despite our arguments
and ups and downs,
one thing will never change,
and that's my love for you.
Rodney



To all my friends
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and Kayan. I love you guys!
Love, Shawna

Shereta,
every day is Valentine's Day
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I love you and thank God for
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737 EAST PARK, huge 1 bedroom, full size w/d, dishwasher, ceiling fans, lots of storage space, mini blinds, no pets, \$450, 457-8194, 529-2013 Chris B.

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Bathrooms		1	1 or 2	
Square Footage		563 - 886	853 - 1229	
Deposit		\$150	\$200	
Floor plan	N/A	Floor plan	Floor plan	N/A

Apartment Features		Community Features	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Furnished Available	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> W/D Connections	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Laundry Room	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Storage

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FURN STUDIO, 2 bds to SRJ, taking applications for Summer/Fall, \$195, 411 E Hester 529-7376/457-8798.

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TOWNHOUSES
306 W. College, 3 bdrms, furn/ unfurn, central air, August lease. Call 549-4808. (10-8 pm).

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BRAND NEW, 2 BDRM w/GARAGE, full size w/d, dishwasher, ceiling fans, whirlpool tub, ceramic tile kitchen & baths, near Cedar Lake, avail Spring. \$750, 457-8194, 529-2013 Chris B.

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CDALE 2 bdrm, cathedral ceilings, appl, s 51, \$375/mo + deposit, no pets, 993-1138.

CDALE WEST OFF AIRPORT RD on Glenn Rd, 2 bedroom, no pets, \$350/mo + deposit, 987-2150.

Houses

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	504 S. Ash #4	703 W. Walnut #W	400 W. Oak #3	405 W. Cherry CT.	617 N. Oakland	406 E. Hester
	504 S. Ash #5		408 W. Oak	406 W. Cherry CT.	202 N. Poplar #1	408 E. Hester
	507 S. Ash #1-26	2-BEDROOM	300 N. Oakland	407 W. Cherry CT.	300 N. Sycamore	208 W. Hospital #2
	509 S. Ash #1-15	503 N. Allyn	511 N. Oakland	408 W. Cherry CT.	1619 W. Sycamore	210 W. Hospital #3
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	514 S. Beveridge	502 S. Beveridge #2	301 N. Springer #3	408 W. Chestnut	404 S. University #S	400 W. Oak #W
	602 N. Carico *	514 S. Beveridge #1 #2	301 N. Springer #4	500 W. College #E=2	805 S. University	505 N. Oakland
	403 W. Elm #1	514 S. Beveridge #3	913 W. Sycamore	807 W. College	402 1/2 W. Walnut	514 N. Oakland
	403 W. Elm #2	602 N. Carico *	919 W. Sycamore	809 W. College	404 W. Walnut	805 S. University
	403 W. Elm #3	720 N. Carico	Tweedy E. Park	810 W. College	504 W. Walnut	402 W. Walnut
	403 W. Elm #4	306 W. Cherry	404 S. University #N	506 S. Dixon *	820 W. Walnut	404 W. Walnut
	403 W. Elm #5	311 W. Cherry #2	404 S. University #S	104 S. Forest	820 1/2 W. Walnut	
	718 S. Forest #1	404 W. Cherry CT.	404 S. University 1/2	113 S. Forest		5-BEDROOM
	507 1/2 S. Hays	405 W. Cherry CT.	805 S. University 1/2	115 S. Forest	609 N. Allyn	510 S. Beveridge
	509 1/2 S. Hays	406 W. Cherry CT.	1004 W. Walkup	120 S. Forest	504 S. Ash #3	512 S. Beveridge
	406 1/2 E. Hester	407 W. Cherry CT.	334 W. Walnut #2	303 S. Forest	405 S. Beveridge	710 W. College
408 1/2 E. Hester	408 W. Cherry CT.	402 W. Walnut 1/2	409 E. Freeman	409 S. Beveridge	305 Crestview	
208 W. Hospital #1	409 W. Cherry CT.		607 W. Freeman	501 S. Beveridge	308 W. Monroe	
210 W. Hospital #2	410 W. Cherry CT.	3-BEDROOM	Hands-Old RT 13	502 S. Beveridge	805 S. University	
703 S. Illinois #101	406 W. Chestnut	503 N. Allyn	503 S. Hays	503 S. Beveridge	402 W. Walnut	
703 S. Illinois #102	408 W. Chestnut	607 N. Allyn	509 S. Hays	505 S. Beveridge		
703 S. Illinois #201	310 W. College #1	609 N. Allyn *	511 S. Hays	506 S. Beveridge		
612 1/2 S. Logan *	310 W. College #2	408 S. Ash	513 S. Hays	508 S. Beveridge		
507 W. Main #2	310 W. College #3	514 S. Ash	514 S. Hays	510 S. Beveridge		
507 1/2 W. Main #A	310 W. College #4	504 S. Ash #2	402 E. Hester	514 S. Beveridge #2		
507 1/2 W. Main #B	500 W. College #1	504 S. Ash #3	406 E. Hester	309 W. Cherry		
400 W. Oak #3	303 W. Elm	506 S. Ash	408 E. Hester	311 W. Cherry		
410 W. Oak #1	303 S. Forest	405 S. Beveridge	208 W. Hospital #2	407 W. Cherry		
410 W. Oak #2	716 S. Forest	409 S. Beveridge	210 W. Hospital #3	500 W. College #2		
410 W. Oak #3	501 S. Beveridge	507 1/2 S. Hays	212 W. Hospital	807 W. College		
410 W. Oak #4E	509 1/2 S. Hays	502 S. Beveridge #1	611 W. Kennicott	809 W. College		
410 W. Oak #5W	406 1/2 E. Hester	502 S. Beveridge #2	900 W. Linden	305 Crestview		
202 N. Poplar #2	408 1/2 E. Hester	503 S. Beveridge	610 S. Logan *	104 S. Forest		
301 N. Springer #1	410 E. Hester	505 S. Beveridge	505 S. Beveridge	113 S. Forest		
301 N. Springer #3	703 W. High #E*, #W*	506 S. Beveridge	906 W. McDaniel *	120 S. Forest		
414 W. Sycamore #E	208 W. Hospital #1	508 S. Beveridge	402 W. Oak #E	607 W. Freeman		
414 W. Sycamore #W	703 S. Illinois #202	514 S. Beveridge #1, #2	402 W. Oak #W	Hands-Old RT 13		
406 S. University #1	703 S. Illinois #203	514 S. Beveridge #3	408 W. Oak	503 S. Hays		
406 S. University	611 W. Kennicott	510 N. Carico	501 W. Oak	509 S. Hays		
406 S. University #4	612 1/2 S. Logan	306 W. Cherry	507 W. Oak	511 S. Hays		
805 1/2 S. University *	507 1/2 W. Main #B	309 W. Cherry	300 N. Oakland	513 S. Hays		
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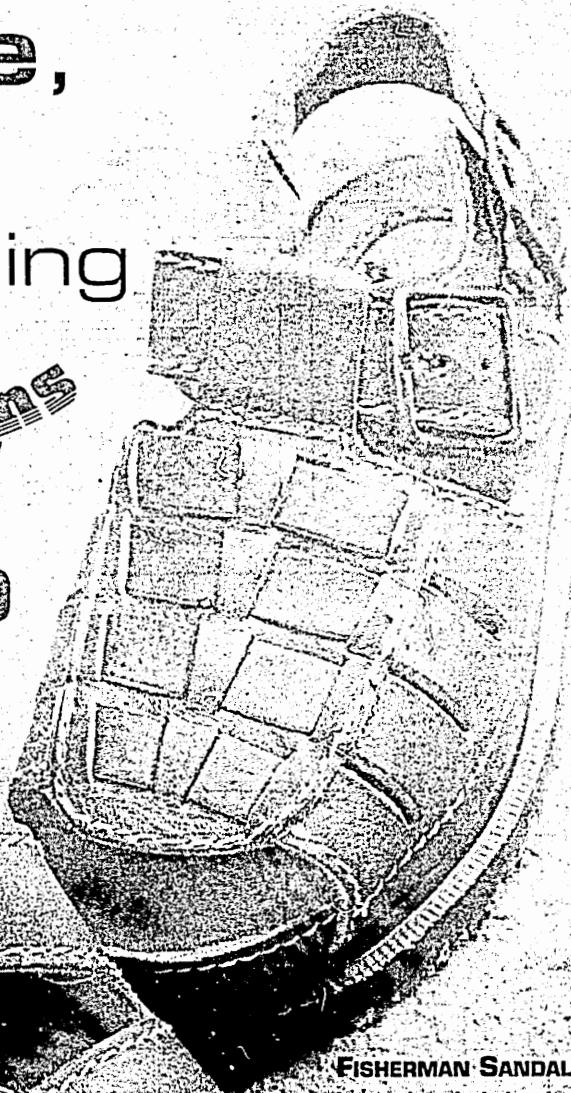
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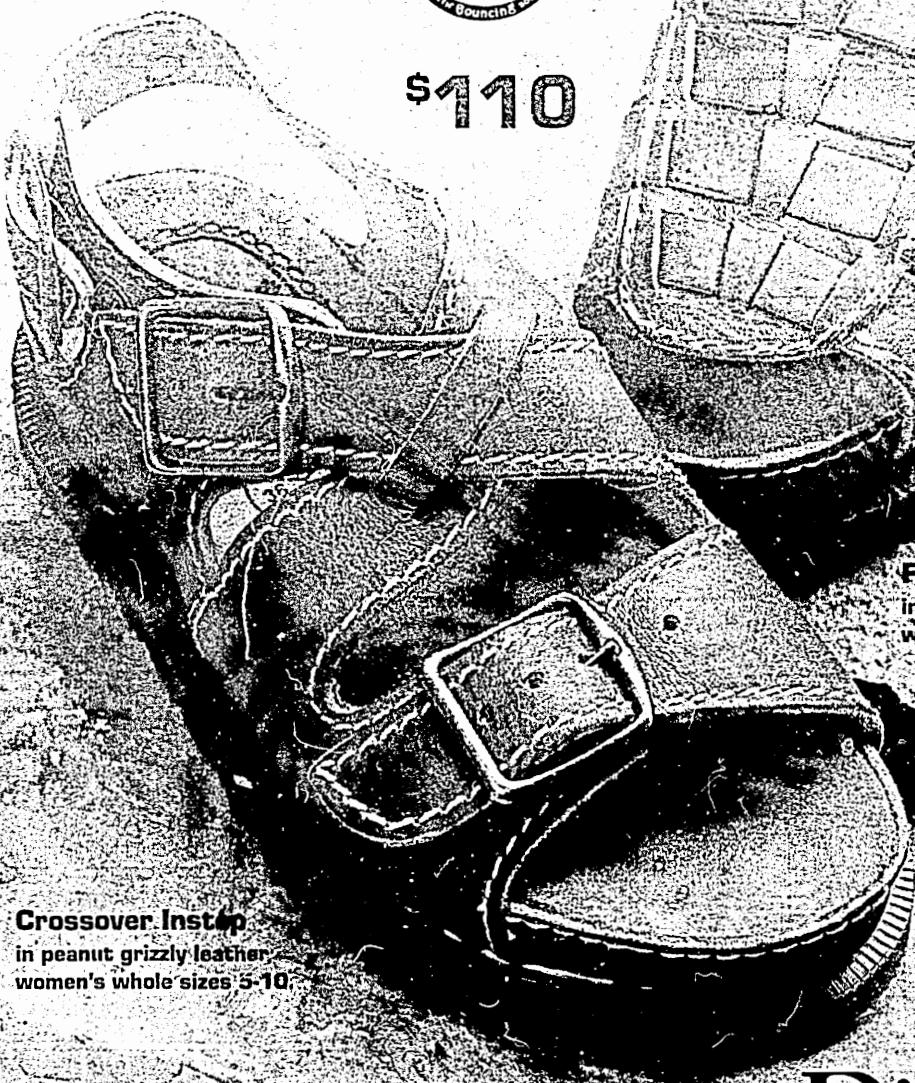
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- More steadfast
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- Rapper Vanusa
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45 Longs
48 Don Quixote's mount
51 Subside
52 Negative
53 A brace
55 Chinese puzzle
59 Electra's brother
53 Malice
64 Dale Gribble's mount
66 Lacoste
67 Cornucopia
68 Knight's charge
69 Vocal equine
70 Wear away
71 Fast time

DOWN

- Chemist's flask
- Fueled
- Mexican lunch item
- Happening
- Quaintly
- Panama
- 41 Cautel
- African region
- Earl's, e.g.
- 71 Ruppel's discovery
- Burden
- Joyously
- Gym fan
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- Balloon art
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- Mixed mission
- Flightless birds
- Pop sheet lyrics
- Southern constellation
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- Quaintly
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- Fall pipe and needles
- Very popular
- Mother's partner
- Showed feeling
- Personification of peace
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SUN DEVILS
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The Sun Devils are the first of two nationally-ranked teams on SIUC's 1997 non-conference schedule. The Salukis follow up their trip to Tempe with a three-game series against Texas Tech University, who are ranked 24th by Baseball Weekly.

"I thought we played a solid non-conference schedule last year, and we followed through and finished one-half game out of second place in the league," Callahan said. "I would like to think that playing excellent competition early helped us in the league race."

On the mound for SIUC tonight will be senior right-hander Tory Hattan.

Hattan led SIUC's staff last season with six wins, one of which was a 15-strikeout performance. He also had a one-walk outing that resulted in an 8-0 win over Indiana University.

Junior Ben Byrd will get the start for the Sun Devils. Byrd is already off to a 1-1 start with a 7.71 ERA.

While Hattan is eagerly awaiting the start, he knows the Salukis have their work cut out for them, especially because SIUC's limited practice time has been confined to

the SIUC Recreation Center and the Astroturf at McAndrew Stadium.

"Playing ASU is great, but it is kind of unfair," Hattan said. "They have already played 10 games and we haven't even got on the grass yet. But it is a great opportunity, and I am looking forward to it."

Junior right-hander Dave Piazza will take the hill Saturday at 2 p.m., followed by junior left-handed hurler Donnie Chester Sunday.

Hattan said he is hoping the weekend series will provide a good evaluation for the Salukis.

"It is going to show us where we are at," Hattan said. "If we can get a game or two, it will give us more confidence for the season."

Senior first baseman Aaron Jones, one of three Salukis honored as a preseason All-Conference selection, shares pre-season honors with sophomore third baseman Jerry Hairston and sophomore center fielder Joe Schley.

Jones said the sooner the season gets started the better.

"You are always anxious to get going," Jones said. "Of course we are going to be at a disadvantage in the early games, but I think we've got go into every series looking to win it."

Jones led SIUC with a .380

average and 63 RBIs last season. Schley hit .303 as a freshman last season and led all Salukis with 19 stolen bases.

Schley said it does not matter who SIUC starts its season off with, just as long as the team gets the season started on a good note.

"Everybody is ready and hyped to go out there and play," Schley said. "You just have to out there, throw on your glove and see what you can do."

Probable Saluki Starters vs. ASU

- 1B Aaron Jones, Sr.
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Runners face top competition Saturday



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SAND BLASTER: Saluki long jumper Sheila Hollins, a senior from Woodridge, lands in the sand pit Tuesday during practice in the Rec Center.

SALUKI INVITE:
SIUC welcomes over 20 teams to compete at Rec Center.

BRAD WEBER:
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Members of the SIUC men's and women's track and field teams will have the rare opportunity to compete as an individual rather than as a team Saturday during the Saluki/USA Track and Field Invitational in Carbondale.

"We just want to win, and try to keep up the good work that we've been doing," junior Neophytos Kalogerou said.

Although Kalogerou has set high expectations for the team this weekend, men's track and field coach Bill Cornell said he just wants the Salukis to get through Saturday's meet without any sickness and injury.

"We want to be prepared to peak for next week's Missouri Valley Conference championships," he said. "We're easing on the work load and doing just enough so our legs stay fresh."

The Salukis will welcome 22 teams to the Recreation Center, Cornell said. Indiana State University, Southeast Missouri State University and Murray State University will give the Salukis some tough competition to prepare them for next week's MVC championships.

Indiana State is the only Valley school attending the competition.

In addition to these schools, the Salukis will face off against a few Division II and III schools,

plus a few junior college teams.

Cornell said Saturday's meet is a chance for some of his runners to take the day off, while others will compete in lower distance events.

"Our runners won't be running their normal events Saturday," he said. "It's a chance for some to experience a different form of running."

Kalogerou, who competes in the high jump, said Saturday's meet will be a good workout for

said. "After those two days are done, it is all over."

The Saluki women's track and field team won the McDonald's Invitational Feb. 8, but now the focus of the team is to improve on individual scores Saturday before the MVC championships, coach Don DeNoon said.

"There is no team score, so no pressure is on the girls," he said. "The challenge is to energize all of the running into one individual event."

DeNoon added that the purpose of Saturday's meet is to build confidence heading into the Valley championships.

Senior Kim Koerner, who was absent from the McDonald's Invitational, said Saturday's meet is just a tune up to get ready for the championships.

"We're not looking ahead to the championships, Saturday's meet is a great non-team show," she said. "But our focus is still on the MVC championship."

DeNoon said Saturday's meet will be less competitive than the McDonald's Invitational, but he is hoping that his team wins more events than the six it did last year.

Koerner said the Salukis will be the underdogs in next week's conference championships, but that the team believes it has a good shot at winning the conference crown.

"We haven't had time to peak yet," she said. "We will be at home and have a great crowd to give us a little extra push."

Saturday's Saluki/USA Track and Field Invitational begins at 9 a.m.

“ We will be at home and have a great crowd to give us a little extra push. ”

KIM KOERNER
SENIOR SALUKI RUNNER

the team before the conference championships, which begin Feb. 21.

"At the MVC everybody has to rise to the occasion for us to win," he said. "Indiana State and Illinois State University will give us tough competition, so we must start by preparing this week."

Cornell said the most important thing for his team to do now is to focus on winning the conference championship.

"Next week it's going to be seven teams banging heads wanting to win the championship," he

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SIUC TENNIS

Team begins spring season

The SIUC women's tennis team will compete this weekend, at the Eastern Kentucky University Tournament in Richmond, Ky. The Salukis will compete against Eastern Kentucky, the University of Louisville and Bowling Green University. The tournament, which begins at noon (CST) today and continues through Sunday, opens the Salukis' spring season.

SIUC BASKETBALL

Redbirds hold off Salukis

Illinois State University completed its season sweep of the SIUC men's basketball team Thursday night with a 82-77 win in Normal. ISU's Rico Hill poured in 32 points for the Redbirds, while Saluki junior forward Rashad Tucker paced SIUC with 29. The loss dropped the Salukis to an even 7-7 Missouri Valley Conference record, while the Redbirds continue to remain on top of the league standings at 11-3. In the two team's first meeting Jan. 12, the Redbirds escaped with a 76-70 win at SIU Arena.

The Salukis return home Saturday to take on Northern Iowa at SIU Arena. Tipoff is at 7:05 p.m.

NFL

Raiders expected to sign George Friday

The San Francisco Examiner reported Thursday that the Raiders will sign George to a five-year deal worth at least \$25 million and a signing bonus worth between \$5 and \$5.5 million.

The 29-year-old, who spent his collegiate career at the University of Illinois, was released by the Atlanta Falcons following a verbal confrontation with coach June Jones during a Sept. 22 game.

George threw for 698 yards and three touchdowns in 1996 before his release.

NBA

Blaylock arrested in Canada

Atlanta Hawks guard Mookie Blaylock will face a May 14 court date in Vancouver, Canada, after he was arrested for possession of marijuana earlier this month, police said Thursday.

The Atlanta Journal-Constitution reported that Blaylock was arrested after he was found carrying two ounces of marijuana as he was preparing to board a team flight out of Vancouver.

Blaylock's arrest comes within his one-year probation for a January 1995 drunken driving and marijuana possession in Georgia. He received probation from the Cobb County courthouse Feb. 8, 1996.

Blaylock has started all of the Hawks' 42 games this season. He has averaged 18.1 points, 5.7 assists, 4.9 rebounds and 2.19 steals per game.

Salukis edged out by one

LAST SECOND LOSS:
Drake Bulldogs finish off SIUC with last second buzzer-beater.

DONNA COLTER
DAILY EGYPTIAN REPORTER

Drake University's Haley Sames nailed a last-second shot from 15 feet out to lift the Lady Bulldogs to a 62-61 win over the SIUC women's basketball team at SIU Arena Thursday night.

"I think we gave it to them," Saluki coach Cindy Scott said after the game. "We really made some mistakes in the last minute and didn't get it done."

The loss dropped SIUC to 10-11 overall and 6-7 in the Missouri Valley Conference. The win pushed Drake to 16-6 on the season and 10-4 in the Valley.

The Salukis never trailed the Lady Bulldogs throughout the second half of play. However, costly Saluki turnovers in the game's final three minutes coupled with fouls allowed Drake to decide the game's final outcome.

The Salukis led 61-55 with 2:50 left on the clock when junior center Theia Hudson drained both ends of a one-and-one from the free throw line, but SIUC's sloppy play let Drake back into the game.

SIUC turned the ball over to the Lady Bulldogs that resulted into a break away bucket by Drake's Keisha Cox. Another Saluki turnover and a foul by senior guard Kasia McClendon sent Kiester Miller to the line for a one-and-one.

Miller hit her first bucket to bring the Lady Bulldogs within three, but a Hudson rebound with :57 to play gave the Salukis the chance to preserve the win.

But a jump ball and bucket by the Lady Bulldogs' Tish Martin put Drake up 61-60.

With :38 left in the ballgame McClendon put up a jumper that rolled around the rim and fell off the back. Hudson rebounded the ball but put up a



Caroline Vrbosov/Daily Egyptian

KASIA VS. KEISHA: Saluki guard Kasia McClendon, a senior from Gary, Ind., looks to push past Drake University guard Keisha Cox during Thursday night's game against the Bulldogs. Cox's teammate, Haley Sames, nailed a last-second shot to lift the Bulldogs to a 62-61 victory.

shot that landed in the hand of a Drake defender. Sames quickly pushed the ball up-court and hit the jumper to bury the SIUC for good.

Sames' last-second shot capped off a 7-0 run by Drake.

Hudson contributed a team-high 18 points and 13 rebound to the Salukis effort, which gave Scott something to be happy about.

Scott said it is important for the Salukis, who only shot 38 percent on the night, to know they have improved since their 89-48 loss to Drake in Des Moines Jan. 18.

"We certainly can find some solace in knowing we are a better ball club than we were there," she said. "They were lucky to win."

Senior forward Niki Washington said despite the loss the team can still win the MVC tournament March 6-8 in Springfield, Mo.

"I don't know where Drake is in the conference," she said. "But I (the loss) tells us a lot—that if we play hard we can take the tournament."

The Salukis turned the ball over 18 times in the contest and only shot 47 percent from the line, and junior guard Beth Hasheider said it is hard to find a positive in the loss.

"We had them," she said. "But we should have won, and we played well. But it really doesn't matter if you don't win."

SIUC plays Creighton University at SIU Arena at 2 p.m. Saturday.

SIUC heads to Arizona for first pitch

DEVILS AND DAWGS:
SIUC gets started tonight against the No. 7 Sun Devils.

MICHAEL DEFORD
DE SPORTS EDITOR

Saluki baseball coach Dan Callahan cannot think of a better way to begin the season than by competing against a nationally ranked team.

The Salukis' 1997 season gets underway tonight at 8 (CST) with a three-game series against No. 7 Arizona State University in Tempe, Ariz.

"I like the idea of playing the big boys. We

thought it would be a good way to begin the season," Callahan said. "On paper it looks like



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a real long shot, but we're going out there to do as well as we can.

"My rationale is that we are always going to try and play the best people we can, whenever we can play them."

The Sun Devils, who are already 6-5, are fresh off a three-game series against Florida State University, where they lost two out of three games.

Callahan, now entering his third season as Saluki skipper with a 50-56 record, has never faced ASU before. But he said doing so early on will help prepare SIUC for its Missouri Valley Conference schedule, which gets underway March 5.

"I think it is good preparation for the MVC schedule," he said. "We are hoping that strong competition early on will help prepare us for the Missouri Valley."

Last season the Salukis went 14-13 in non-conference action that included the likes of Stetson University and the University of Nevada-Las Vegas.

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