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## Administrators plan for impact of tuition hike

University tries to predict the effects on enrollment

**Ginny Skalski**  
 Daily Egyptian

Hundreds of white dollar bills were taped to a large branch jammed into the ground in front of Lawson Hall Thursday. A posterboard accompanied the makeshift tree, informing Chancellor Walter Wendler that "money doesn't grow on trees."

A pair of green-handled scissors dangled from a notch on the sign, which encouraged anyone who doesn't support the chancellor's proposal for an 18 percent tuition increase in the fall to cut down one of the fake bills and send it to him.

Clipping play money off a tree may have been an outlet for some students to protest the impending tuition increase Wednesday, but like it or not, the proposal will go before the Board of Trustees May 9. If the board approves the hike, tuition will be \$4,864 in the fall, a \$611 increase, leaving some students worried that they may not be able to return to SIUC. The administration is trying to anticipate what impact the increase may have on enrollment in the fall.

"It's difficult to predict, and I'm not being coy," said Larry Dietz, vice chancellor for Student Affairs and Enrollment Management. "There aren't ways to really predict the impact of these raises on enrollment."

But the University is still trying to gauge what will happen to enrollment if the 18 percent increase receives the board's approval. Director of Admissions Anne De Luca said if the increase is approved, it may impact returning student enrollment more than new student enrollment.

De Luca said administrators are working to find ways to alleviate the tuition increase for students, including providing more scholarships and need-based grants and implementing workshop programs and a higher minimum wage for student workers.

The chancellor set aside funds in his proposal to specifically generate more money for students, and De Luca hopes the Admissions Office can take advantage of that if the proposal is approved. Under the proposal, Wendler has reserved \$1 million for merit-based scholarships and need-based grants. He has also set aside \$1.5 million for workshops, which would allow students to find campus jobs that relate to their major.

"If the increase is passed, the office is going to be in some strange way in a better position because we're going to have additional scholarship money that we've never had before, so we're going to be able to tell students there is more scholarship

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"Then we were joking and kept saying, 'Oh, it's not going to happen here' and it happened outside the house?"

**Andy Sineni**  
 Junior, industrial design



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Power lines and tree branches litter the street and drape Stephanie Kirschner's three-week-old Honda Civic. A gust of wind filled the tree which pulled the telephone pole down with it.

## Storm leaves trouble behind

Parts of Carbondale left without power during storm Wednesday night

**Ben Botkin**  
 Daily Egyptian

Power outages caused by a thunderstorm Tuesday night left Quatro's with uncooked pizzas and an SIUC student's brand new car totaled.

Lightning hit several transformers and left some traffic lights on Illinois Avenue inoperable. George Sheppard, a public affairs represen-

tative for CIPS — the electric company — said the storm caused few power outages or electrical damages for Carbondale.

But one unlucky person was exposed to Mother's Nature's ugly side when she saw a tree topple on top of power lines along West McDaniel Street, and tumble on top of her three-week-old 2002 Honda Civic in a shower of sparks.

"I ran towards the back room because I thought something might be hitting the house," said Stephanie Kirschner, a sophomore in speech communication from Marion who was visiting friends at 906 W. McDaniel St. when the thunderstorm began.

Brian Harrison was on the front porch and

said he got thrown against the house's outside wall by wind that brought down the tree, telephone poles, and several dozen feet of electrical wires, taking out the home's telephone and electrical service.

"I was thrown up against the house and the tree fell," said Harrison, a junior in industrial design from Villa Grove. "It was quick."

His friend Andy Sineni said they were denying the possibility of being affected by the storm after seeing weather reports on television.

"We were sitting inside and heard news reports," said Sineni, a junior in industrial

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## Summer sessions will remain in tact for another year

Deans search for high interest classes to attract high summer enrollment

**Alexa Aguilar**  
 Daily Egyptian

Chancellor Walter Wendler said students can expect a regular slate of class offerings this summer, backtracking on the warning that he issued earlier in the semester that summer classes would be downsized.

Because of SIUC's budget shortfall for this fiscal year, added with the projected shortfall next year, Wendler said in January the number of summer classes for this sum-

mer would decrease.

Now, he said classes will stay put. "We looked more deeply at other areas where the money could come from," Wendler said last week. "There won't be any cuts in summer classes."

The money for summer classes comes from the office of the Provost. The interim provost and vice chancellor of Academic Affairs Kyle Perkins said the money given to the colleges for summer and intercession classes is the same as last year's totals — \$324,550 for May 16-June 30 (intercession classes) and \$1,963,220 for July 1-August 15 (summer classes).

But while the totals from year to year have remained constant, Perkins said the costs to offer classes increase year to year. For example, faculty salaries increased by 6 percent this year.

"While there is the same amount of money, there is not necessarily the same number of classes," Perkins said.

But many deans said their colleges are right on track in terms of the number of classes that are being offered.

Keith Hillkirk, dean of the College of Education and Human Services, a college that typically has a large summer offering, said that a full slate of classes is on the table. He said since the dollars have remained constant, some of the staff has had to creatively devise plans to keep the number about the same.

"Our intention and goal is to have a full complement of classes," Hillkirk said. "I am confident we are going to do so."

George Swisher, dean of the College of Engineering, said that his college is trying to offer the same number of classes this year. To

do so, he said they will look to doctorate students or other professors. It works well, Swisher said, because many of the full engineering professors prefer to spend summers researching anyway.

Dean Jack Parker, of the College of Science, said there will not be a reduction in classes, but that his staff is carefully selecting classes they know will attract high enrollment.

Perkins said enrollment is the driving factor in determining whether a summer class is offered or not. If there is not enough demand for a class, the class is dropped.

Because of that, Perkins said the list of offered classes can change daily.

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**Two die as trains hit head-on in L.A. suburb**  
 PLACENTIA, Calif. — Two people died and 265 were injured Tuesday in the head-on collision of a commuter train and a freight train 35 miles southeast of Los Angeles during the morning rush.  
 The National Transportation Safety Board launched an investigation into why the Metrolink regional commuter train, carrying 300 passengers and a crew of two, was on the same track as the Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway freight train. The trains collided in a suburban area with two parallel tracks.  
 "Certainly you would not intentionally run two trains in opposite directions on the same track," Metrolink spokeswoman Sharon Gavin said.  
 It was the nation's second fatal train accident in five days. Amtrak's Auto Train derailed Thursday in Florida, killing four people. The Amtrak engineer said he braked after spotting misaligned rails ahead.  
 When disaster crews responded to the 8:16 a.m. emergency call Tuesday, Detective Ronnie Loomis of the Placentia police department described the scene as "chaos."  
 The westbound passenger train's three double-deck cars were being pushed by an engine at the rear, operated by an engineer in the forward passenger car. Passengers said the engineer stopped the train when he saw the oncoming freight, then ran through the car and warned passengers to brace for a crash.  
 The 67-car freight repeatedly sounded its horn but could not stop in time, a witness said.  
 "It sounded like a bomb, and it felt like an earthquake," said Jackie Bisesi, a nearby resident. The collision knocked






the Metrolink train 100 feet backward. The first two passenger cars derailed. The forward car crumpled.  
 "There were people blooded up, lying on the floor," passenger Patrick Madden told KABC-TV.  
 Other passengers told of climbing out windows, pulling strangers to safety. Some commuters took ice packs from their lunchboxes to give first aid before firefighters arrived and set up a triage area. Ambulances treated the 22 most seriously injured to hospitals immediately.

**Clerics oppose efforts of communities to secede from City of Los Angeles**

LOS ANGELES — Religious leaders are opposing secession movements that would break three areas from Los Angeles. The Council of Religious Leaders, including a dozen Christian and Jewish organizations, are worried that secession would hurt the poor. The group said disparities in wealth, income and services were the seedbed for the secession movements.

**Jail buys tents to prepare for potential overcrowding**

CHICAGO — Cook County jail officials argued enough military tents to sleep 300 inmates on the grounds of the jail if the prison population reaches a record 12,000 this summer. Officials say the prison population continues to climb because of a slow judicial process and an increase in parole violations.  
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**Suicide ruled out in Milan plane crash**

MILAN, Italy (AP) — The Milan prosecutor investigating why a small private plane slammed into the city's tallest building ruled out suicide on Wednesday, Italian news reports said.



**Algerian terrorist suspect won't be extradited**

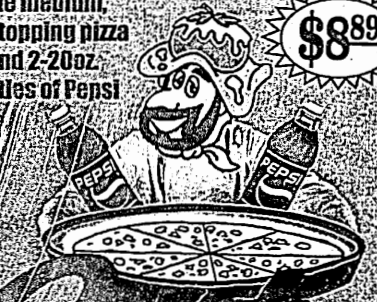
LONDON (AP) — Extradition proceedings against Algerian pilot Lofsi Raissi — once described by U.S. authorities as a trainer for the Sept. 11 hijackers — were dropped Wednesday after a judge ruled there was insufficient evidence he was linked to terrorism or had committed any crime.  
 No further extradition proceedings were planned against Raissi, who has been free on bail since February. It was the first Sept. 11 related case outside of the United States to fall apart since the attacks.  
 Judge Timothy Workman turned down a U.S. request seeking Raissi's extradition on lesser charges of lying to the Federal Aviation Authority when he filed out a form seeking to extend his pilot's license in April 2001.  
 Workman also said during the daylong hearing at Bow Street Magistrate's Court in London that U.S. authorities had provided no evidence Raissi was linked to terrorism.  
 "He has appeared before me on several occasions where allegations of involvement with terrorism were made," Workman told the court.  
 "I would like to make it clear that I have received and the court has received no evidence to support such a contention."  
 Raissi's family cheered and hugged several of his relatives after the decision.  
 However, James Lewis, a British prosecutor representing the United States, told the court that Raissi "continues to be the subject of an ongoing investigation into those responsible for the Sept. 11 attacks. That is a separate matter."  
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**Israeli soldiers shoot Palestinian inside church**

BETHLEHEM, West Bank (AP) — A Palestinian inside the Church of the Nativity was shot and two more surrendered to Israeli soldiers Wednesday before Israelis and Palestinians renewed negotiations on the three-week standoff at the church. The Palestinian, who the Israeli army said was armed, was shot and seriously wounded by an Israeli sniper while standing at a window inside the church, the army and Palestinian witnesses said. The man was evacuated to a Jerusalem hospital. A few hours later, two Palestinians surrendered, walking out of the church with their hands up and turning themselves over to Israeli soldiers.

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# Construction on College, and then some

Rusty pipes force drivers to take mini-detours, causing mini-problems

Arin Thompson  
Daily Egyptian

Along with the morning's coffee and the first clatter of a jackhammer, the construction group repairing sewer pipe on College Street is greeted some mornings by broken windows, scattered pipe in the road and barricades that are no longer doing their job.

This has been what Mid-America construction workers on W. College Ave., have had to deal with as they repair the sewer pipe snaking along under the surface. The problem of disgruntled drivers, unhappy with blocked roads, has taken a back seat to a slightly more serious problem.

"The biggest problem is vandalism from students," said Bill Knowles, owner of Mid-America Services Inc., the construction company on the job.

"They've been knocking barricades down which really jeopardizes public safety," Knowles said.

Knowles isn't entirely bitter, though. He said that people have actually shown support as well by helping the construction workers pick up the pipe.

The gutted roads are phase one of a project replacing all the sewer pipe from Illinois Avenue to Beveridge Street. The construction of the new sanitary sewer is projected to wrap up in June.

"The old sewer is in bad shape," said Robin Pengress, Carbondale's resident engineer. "It's leaking a lot and the storm water is running into the sewer, which contaminates the system."

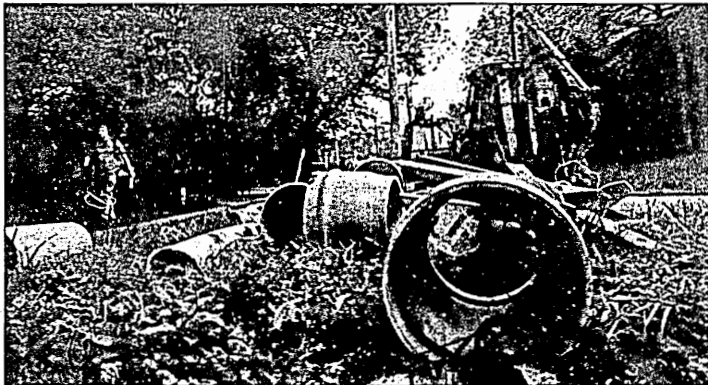
Mařia Berezniak, a tenant at 503 W. College St., said that the construction has caused a few problems.

"It's been really loud and a guy got his car stuck in the cement," Berezniak said.

Erin Guirguis, tenant of 501 W. College St., added that even though the workers accidentally broke the water for their apartments, the construction workers have been really nice.

The water was out for about a day because of a faulty map of the underground pipe system.

The new sewer is already in place from Beveridge Street to Hays Street.



New sewer pipes litter the yards of residents on West College Street. The construction site is a little sloppy due to problematic students scattering the equipment.

They are projected to start on Illinois Avenue on May 13. As far as the drivers go, people have been pretty tolerant of the one block jog around the construction site, Pengress said.

Though the city isn't reporting any

complaints, there have been a few people in a rush to park their vehicles in cramped space, and who haven't had the luxury.

"Humans are humans," Knowles said. "Whether it's five minutes or two

hours, people will get a little irate if they can't get in their driveway."

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## Cardboard Boat Regatta raises controversy

Lack of turnout may influence future regattas

Brian Pecch  
Daily Egyptian

Along with attempting to avoid the "Titanic Award" for most spectacular sinking at the Great Cardboard Boat Regatta Saturday, Bill Archer has other plans in mind.

Archer, the son of the regatta's founder Richard Archer, is getting ready to assemble a committee to save the boat regatta tradition if this week-end's show proves as disastrous as he anticipates.

"This year I'm expecting very, very low turnout, probably no more than 5,000 to 10,000 people. Ten years ago, nobody would have a problem with 30,000 people showing up for it. It used to be huge," said Archer, former USG president. "There are so many good things we used to do with this race that, in the last two years, seem to be dying."

In its 29th year, the regatta features different classes of boats made completely out of cardboard. It is a long-standing tradition in Carbondale, and has been covered by Sports Illustrated, MTV, CNN, Good Morning America and numerous other media outlets in previous years.

Archer's committee would evaluate how important the regatta is to the community, and, with the help of people such as the mayor of Carbondale and SIUC administrators, try to make the event as spectacular as it used to be.

Larry Busch, emeritus in the School of Art and Design, has taken the regatta under his wing this year, because many faculty members who used to direct the event have since left SIUC.

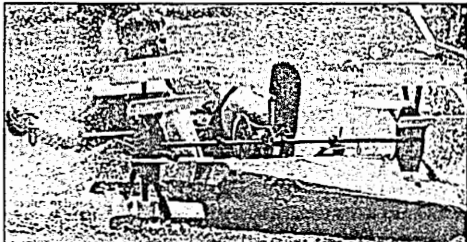
Busch does not expect the event to fail, and said it may even be better than in past years.

"We're probably going to morph into something new," Busch said. "Previously, this has been largely a class project in the art and design class, with plenty of outside participation, but now we have [younger students] building boats."

Busch was referring to a "Kids Class" he added this year as a way to make the competition more fair and to attract a younger crowd. He said the new fourth class should carry over into future regattas and be successful.

Archer disagreed by saying that the new class was a "bad thing."

"Anytime you start segregating people into different classes, then bad stuff happens," Archer said. "When I was 6,



DAILY EGYPTIAN FILE PHOTO

Bill Archer was the winner of the paddleboat competition at the 27th annual Great Cardboard Boat Regatta at Campus Lake.

8, 10, I was winning cardboard boat regattas. There's no reason that kids need to be separate. It's a family event. You're going to have 80-year-old people that know just as much about building boats as a 6-year-old kid. If we were building cars, that'd be one thing, but come on, we're building cardboard boats. It's not an exact science."

Busch stands by the new class addition. He sees it as promising, and said it's more fair for younger children who want to race boats like everybody else.

"Nothing prevents somebody from entering in the original three classifications of boats, but I highly doubt if an 11-year-old girl can compete against a college guy," Busch said.

Students who enter have a chance at winning recognition for their efforts in making a faster, stronger or better looking boat than their competition.

Speed and endurance awards will be given out for each of the four classes. Overall awards will be given to those who win the race around the 200-yard triangular course, which begins at the Campus Lake boat docks at noon Saturday.

Design, engineering and style awards will also be handed out at the competition. Those with the best looking boat, most innovative use of cardboard or waterproofing on their boat, best "Kids Class" boat and biggest technical failure or most spectacular sinking will also receive various awards.

Busch said turnout should not be a problem this year, even if the numbers are thousands less than in past years. "Spectators will depend solely on the weather. If it's pouring down rain we'll have a very small crowd," Busch said.

Timothy Henders, a junior in political science from Bloomington, said he participated in the event last year, but did not build a boat this year.

"I didn't hear anything about it until a month ago when they said it might be canceled," Henders said. "I wasn't going to spend a month making a new boat if I can't race it."

Busch said he presumes there will be fewer boats this year than last, based on the number of people who have registered. But he said less people might make the event better anyway.

"It was way too long before, so actually, to right-size it, being a little bit smaller would be an improvement as far as spectators are concerned," Busch said. "When you're there from 10 to 5 o'clock before you give out the awards, that's just too long. I think: it would be slightly more manageable if there were fewer boats."

Archer wants the regatta to maintain its large image, and hopes he can convince people to back him up when he attempts to assemble a committee.

"This is a huge publicity event," Archer said. "We're hiring firms to figure out why we have bad PR, well, this is one of the reasons. We let stuff like this die."

Archer said he is going to wait and see how the Great Cardboard Boat Regatta turns out before he makes a decision whether he will try to take it out of the hands of the directors next year.

"I may be too pessimistic, and this may be the best race Carbondale's ever had, but realistically, I don't see it happening," Archer said. "Hopefully, the University and the city of Carbondale will work together to keep this alive."

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Boat check-in at the regatta begins at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Campus Lake boat docks, and races will start at noon.

## SIU students hit state capital to watch budget

Jane Huh  
Daily Egyptian

SPRINGFIELD — Clad in formal business attire, about 50 SIUC students roamed around the state Capitol in Springfield to seek support in state funding and present a respectable impression of SIU's student body.

Students from Undergraduate Student Government, a University Honors course and the Black American Studies Department were equipped with informational packets to hand out to their hometown representatives.

"I want to let them know what's going on so they are able to make the right decision," said William Koffie, a junior in business and cinematography from Chicago.

State lawmakers are faced with presenting a budget to the governor before they adjourn in May. It is not an easy task because Illinois faces a projected \$1.4 billion shortfall.

Michael Jarard, the USG President-elect, said participating in the event not only sends a strong message to individual state legislators but to students as well.

"I'm here to lobby for more money for SIU but I'm also here for several different aspects," he said.

While lobbying the state government for more funding is his main priority at Springfield, Jarard said he hopes his political activism will mark a positive impression on students, especially those who didn't vote for him in the USG election last week.

"Less than a week later, here I am," he said.

Before meeting with individual state legislators, students had an opportunity to meet with legislators including local politicians State Sen. David Luechtefeld, R-Okawville, and State Rep. Mike Bost, R-Murphorsboro.

Luechtefeld and Bost explained the \$1.4 billion state budget shortfall and how it was inevitable that all state-funded programs would bear the brunt of funding cuts. The General Assembly is scheduled to vote on public university funding by May 19.

USG Senator Joel Landry asked

the legislators how the University administrators could be held accountable in cases of administrative waste. Rep. James Fowler, D-Harrisburg, said the General Assembly will approve or make some cuts from the requested budget submitted by the University. He said the state government will trust how the University distributes the money, even if the administration decides to use a portion of state funding toward administrative raises.

"Once the budget is approved, we're out of the picture," Fowler said.

Bost said budgetary cuts may seem to target the Southern Illinois region including SIUC because the vast majority of residents in the area are employed through the state government.

"So many jobs [in Southern Illinois] are dependent upon government," he said.

The economic recession was compounded by the Sept. 11 attacks, while the state budget was already in the dumps.

"The budget was already sliding down, [after Sept. 11] it was driven to the ground," Bost said. "The state is funded through income and state tax. When the market slides ... it affects the state budget. When they lay people off, therein lies our problem."

The three legislators said the next few weeks will be a tough time of making cuts all across the board.

"In order to keep the state running, it takes about \$1 billion of new money," Luechtefeld said. "Every group feels that they have the most important programs and there'll be all kinds of proposals and we'll have to work through them."

Students were pleased with Wednesday's lobbying at Springfield and said the objective of the event was to put a positive face to the University.

"We're ambassadors for the University and if we're good ambassadors, then our mission is accomplished," said Nathan Uchtmann, a junior in pre-medicine from Sparta.

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# TEC may become a reality

Mark Lambird  
Daily Egyptian

Near the Southern Illinois Airport lies a field with the brilliant yellow bloom of wild mustard nodding in the breeze. It is a field of dreams for SIUC's automotive and aviation programs, a field that could be the future home of the 259,700 square foot Transportation Education Center.

Their dream could feasibly become reality if a trip to Washington, D.C., by University and county officials proves successful. Officials are hoping they can corral federal funds during the trip - money that could jump-start the facility's construction.

The TEC center has been in the planning stages since the late 1990s, when the idea for the center was first developed. At that time, there were hopes that the facility would be finished by now, but work has been stalled for numerous reasons. Now, the University has teamed up with Jackson County officials and taken its case for the facility to Washington, D.C.

Lee Roy Brandon, executive director of the Jackson County Business Development Corporation, said the center will play a vital role in the Southern Illinois economy.

"We believe there will be several spinoff industries that will come to the area," Brandon said. "We

get calls monthly from companies wanting to know how far along we are on the project."

Brandon was one of the members who took the proposal to Illinois Sens. Dick Durbin and Peter Fitzgerald's offices in Washington, D.C. The proposal was filled with information about the potential for economic growth in Southern Illinois if the center is built.

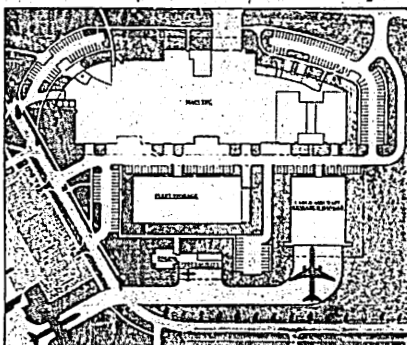
With the state in dire financial trouble, the federal government may be the last hope for getting the project going in the short term. "We feel like if we can get some federal funding, we can get this thing going," Brandon said.

The center's cost is expected to be more than \$32 million, \$26 of which would be spent solely on the construction phase of the project.

Classrooms, computer labs and libraries will be housed in the state of the art main building. In the other buildings, hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of cars will be housed. A hangar will be built for the University's Boeing 737-222, and an aviation engine test cell facility will beckon not only students, but industry to Southern Illinois.

Scott Kaiser, spokesman for SIU President James Walker, said the project is important, but it will probably be a couple of years down the road before work can begin.

"It's clearly needed," Kaiser said. "We need a place to house the



automotive program, and it would help stimulate the local economy."

Jack Greer, chairman of the automotive program, has been seeking outside support to help get the program jump-started. University officials have said in the past that outside funding sources are critical in getting the program underway.

The latest proposal was made to Daimler-Chrysler for \$1 million. Greer found out last week that the request had been turned down.

"There were several proposals that met their requirements this year," Greer said. "But with the economic problems, they decided not to send us the funds."

Greer said he will not be deterred from submitting a second proposal in the future.

The aviation program is still in contention for funds from Boeing that would be in excess of \$1 million. Dave Newmyer, chairman of the aviation program, could not be reached for comment Wednesday, but Greer said the proposal would be for equipment and scholarships.

"[Boeing] doesn't do brick and mortar," Greer said. "They will give smaller amounts of cash for individual projects."

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## NEWS BRIEFS

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### Wendler offering final tuition forum

Chancellor Walter Wendler will host the second of two open forums on tuition at 3:30 today in the Lesar Law Building Auditorium.

Wendler has proposed raising tuition by 18 percent this fall, followed by a 16 percent raise next year. The Board of Trustees will vote on the proposal at its May 9 meeting.

Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to attend.



Gus says: Hopefully some of the students who have complained about the tuition increase will attend.

### Writing Center to play host for new laptop demonstration in Faner

Lisa McClure, director of the Writing Center, will demonstrate one of 26 new laptop computers in the Writing Center from 9:35 to 10:50 this morning in Faner 2206.

Funded by the Technology Fee, the instructors will show student users and center assistants the various functions the laptops have and their applications.

For more information, call Katherine at Public Affairs at 453-1423.

### Association to look at webcasting tonight

The Association of Information Technology Professionals is hosting a webcast at 5:30 this evening from room 113A in Rehn Hall.

The topic of discussion will be "The Future Technology of Webcasting," and it is being presented by Mr. Praful Shah. There will be pizza and soda available, and new members are encouraged to attend.

For more information, contact Lary Jerald at 453-4024 or check out their website at [www.siu.edu/~aitp/](http://www.siu.edu/~aitp/)

### Students can party school stress away at the 'Final Melt-down'

Students can turn down the heat from end of the semester stress during the "Final Melt-down," a series of free events in Carbondale and on campus.

Sponsored by the Black Affairs Council, Urban Congress, 3-D Productions, Tripleteam and Beehive, the meltdown begins with a 70s birthday party in the Burgundy Room at 213 E. Main St. Thursday, Friday, students can picnic from 2 to 6 p.m. outside by the fields behind the Wright building.

After the picnic, students can attend Comic View at 6:30 p.m. in the Stunt Center, including a special performance by Fatal Fusion. Following the Student Center events, the Sports Center will host a beach party from 10:00 p.m. to 2 a.m.

For more information on the "Final Melt-down" events, call 536-6369.

### GPSC supports tuition increase

The Graduate and Professional Student Council passed a resolution supporting SIUC Chancellor Walter Wendler's proposed 18 percent tuition increase at its Tuesday meeting.

Scott Henne, president of GPSC, said the resolution passed with a solid majority, with slightly more than two-thirds of the council voting in favor of Wendler's proposal.

Henne said GPSC appreciates Wendler's willingness to take risks and stressed that the council wants the University to use the extra funds how Wendler said they would be used. Wendler wants to use the funds for more scholarships, work programs for students and classroom improvements.



**Bowls for Sale:** Kellin Jordan, a junior in speech communication, sorts through cups and bowls during the Southern Claywork's pottery sale at the Pulliam breezeway. Southern Claywork, SIUC's ceramic club, will donate the first \$100 in profits for kiln supplies and glazes.

# Mono stalks college-aged people in Carbondale

The disease called "one" affects many students

Arlin Thompson  
Daily Egyptian

Jenna Coghill woke up one morning last week with the worst sore throat of her life.

"I couldn't swallow, I had a fever and I was achy," Coghill recalls.

For Coghill, it was the sore throat that eventually made her go to the emergency room.

Infectious mononucleosis, commonly referred to as "mono" has struck more immune systems than just Coghill around the area.

The virus is most common in people ages 10 to 35. According to WebMD.com, 90 percent of people over 35 have been infected by the virus.

Recently, the sorority Sigma Kappa was besieged by viral illnesses but only one student, Coghill, returned from the hospital with a positive blood test for mono. The sorority members may still be at risk though because mono has a 20-to-50 day long incubation period.

"In many cases, a person wouldn't know they have the illness," said Chris Labyk, coordinator for the Wellness Center. "There's no treatment or cure. Just like the chicken pox or measles, it has to run its course."

The course can be a long one. People affected by mono can be sick with symptoms of fatigue, sore throat, headache and swollen glands

for 10 days to six months.

A side effect of the illness is an enlarged spleen. This makes riding in cars potentially dangerous because if the car were to even get a slight jostle, it could cause the spleen to rupture.

Coghill was told not to work out because her spleen was enlarged.

"I felt like I had runners' cramp all the time," Coghill said. "I work out all the time and all last week I couldn't, and I'm still not doing that now."

Mono has been nicknamed the kissing disease because it is transmitted from person to person through close contact. Mono can also be spread by sharing drinks, cigarettes, toothbrushes, food or utensils. College-aged people are more susceptible because they have a tendency to share things more often, Labyk said.

"They say it's the kissing disease, but I wasn't kissing anybody," Coghill said.

Another good way to avoid mono is to wash hands frequently, Labyk said.

There is no way to find out how many cases of mono are present in an area because it's typically not reported.

"There's no way you can capture that number. It's usually outpatient data," said Kathy Odum, education nurse at the Memorial Hospital of Carbondale. "It's pretty common."

The only way to gauge how much it's going around is by word of mouth, just don't get too close.

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# Students can relax during "A Day in St. Louis" this Saturday

Samantha Edmondson  
Daily Egyptian

Someone once calculated the Arch in St. Louis weighs as much as 1,916,222 cases of canned beer or 1,379,680 cases of bottled beer, according to the Gateway Arch website.

But to answer one of the top 10 weirdest asked questions about a possible destination on the Student Programming Council's St. Louis trip Saturday, the Arch presents a positive image as an alcohol-free facility.

Curious students can find out if these calculations measure up at the 17,000-ton structure as well as at least five other sites during "A Day in St. Louis" from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday. Other locations include the St. Louis Art Museum, Science Center and St. Louis Zoo.

La Chandra Washington, SPC travel director, wanted to plan one last road trip for students to take a break from finals and project woes. But she said this trip, which costs \$10, is tar-

geted for all ages, particularly families and international students.

"We have three families signed up for the trip and a few international students," Washington said. "There is only so many places to go in Carbondale — it will be good for them to see a larger city."

Departing from the Student Center at 8:30 a.m., participants will arrive at Forest Park in St. Louis around 10 a.m. Students have an option then to visit a variety of different museums and outdoor venues, such as the St. Louis Art Museum.

The Department of Prints, Drawings and Photographs at the St. Louis Museum has more than 10,000 works of world art on paper. Many artists including Beckman, Abbott, Matisse, Picasso and Rembrandt line the museum walls, with a special collection of Jon Singer Sargent from the Metropolitan Museum of Art running in the Shoeborg Exhibition Galleries until May 12.

As African, Indian, European, Asian and American art decorate the St. Louis Museum, about 4,989 animals of the same origins inhabit the St. Louis Zoo, another destination on the trip. While 66 of these animals are on the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Endangered Species List, 705 different kinds of animals live in the free zoo.

Departing from the Forest Park area at 4 p.m., the bus will stop at St. Clair Mall in Fairview Heights for dinner. Students will have four hours to shop at more than 200 stores. After indulging in St. Louis cultural sites, the bus will return to Carbondale by 10 Saturday night.

Washington said another aspect about this trip is the freedom the students have to visit particular sites of their interests within different areas of the city. She said she is definitely bringing her kite for the lunch break in Forest Park to enjoy the weather.

Patrice Washington wants to learn while she enjoys her first visit to the "Gateway to the West." She said does not travel much, and said she takes every opportunity to compare other large city sites to her hometown historical destinations in Chicago.

"When I went on the SPC trip to Memphis, the museums there were so interesting," said Washington, a freshman in mechanical engineering. "These trips are very educational and I learn a lot, so I like to report back to the people here about it."

Some of those individuals are her new friends she met during the Soul Journey Excursion to Memphis in February. She said during one-day trips through SPC, she was able to not only learn about other cities, but about other people.

"A lot of the people I met, I had never seen on campus," Washington said. "After the trip, I have added them to my friend list."

Prior to this trip, her grandfather has shown her pictures of the Arch from his travels to St. Louis, but Washington hopes to visit the 37-year-old structure herself.

Thankfully, Washington and other students on the trip shouldn't have to worry about the bitter cold of winter during their visit, unlike the curious individuals who asked one of the top 10 weirdest questions about the Arch. In case their tongues get stuck to the side of the metal landmark, staff will be on hand with a bucket of warm water and a camera ready.

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Tickets for Saturday's St. Louis trip can be purchased at the Central Ticket Office on the second floor of the Student Center. For more information, contact La Chandra Washington at 536-3333.

# Dead tie on guided prayer

Arin Thompson  
Daily Egyptian

As the weather calmed outside the emotions ran high inside and ended in a perfect tie at the Lesser Law auditorium, regarding a resolution concerning prayer at graduation.

The SIUC student speakers forum, presented by the Student Society for Civil Discourse, Wednesday night gave students an opportunity to speak out about whether or not to allow guided prayer at graduation.

At the end of the forum 33 students exited through the "Against" door and 33 students left through the "For" door offering a resolution of confusion.

The controversy surrounding prayer at graduation surfaced after Undergraduate Student Government President Michael Perry delivered a prayer at last December's commencement ceremony. Chancellor Walter Wendler has since left it up to the deans of the University's colleges to decide whether prayer will exist at each school's May graduation ceremony.

Speaking first about the controversy, Sharon Rogers said she was adamant in her belief in God and that prayer should be a right for religious students at graduation.

"America is deeply intertwined with religion, why take that away?" Rogers said. "It's like biting the hand that feeds you."

Rogers then erupted with her deep voice and from the speakers came her words.

"Extra! Extra! Read all about it; The United States Supreme Court took God out of the classroom," Rogers said in reference to headlines after the initial ruling.

"It would be in violation of my rights not to allow prayer," Rogers said.

Karan Hustedt, the second speaker at the forum gave her reasons for not allowing guided prayer at graduation.

"We can not choose one religion to represent the diversity of this university," Hustedt said.

Hustedt also cited the student con-

duct code in regards to the development of "ethically sensitive and responsible persons," as one of her points to keep prayer out of the ceremony.

The forum was then opened up to students of either discretion.

Coraviece Terry, a SIUC student and Christian walked up to the podium and asked the audience one question: "Why not pray?"

Terry is independently conducting a petition drive to allow guided prayer at graduation.

Brad Gangnon, a major in speech communications didn't need the podium or microphone to carry his booming voice.

"I believe that if we have guided prayer we should have a guided prayer for every religion," Gangnon said.

In the end, 19 students got up the nerve to stand in front of the over 65 students in attendance.

Lucy Scott, a sophomore, major in forestry said that she wishes more people would have come.

"I think it's a really important issue to discuss," Scott said.

Julie Volz, an undecided freshman said that if so many people are offended by prayer then why didn't more come.

"It's important because it affects all of us at graduation," Volz said.

Nathan Stucky, chair of the department of speech communication, said this was a good opportunity to give students the experience of standing on their feet.

"This is the pilot session," Stucky said. "We're hoping to do this each semester."

Jonathan Gray, an assistant professor in speech communication brought the idea of a student forum to SIUC from his experience with them at Louisiana State University. The forum was also an extension of this speech communications 101 class.

"We hope to grow in both participation and quality," Gray said. "We are planning another one for Fall and Spring semester."

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4. Do you sell beer up there?
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# International students face major restriction possibility

President Bush plans to limit areas of study

Ivan Thomas  
Daily Egyptian

International students may find themselves in a stressful situation if President George Bush decides to pursue banning them from certain courses and majors in American institutions.

In October, Bush opened up a forum to discuss issues and concerns stemming from the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks called "Combating Terrorism Through Immigration Policies." Since then, White House officials have conducted meetings focusing on ways to limit or even restrict international students from areas of study considered "sensitive," such as chemical engineering, nuclear technology, biotechnology, robotics and advanced computer technology.

SIUC has 1,460 foreign students representing 120 countries, and they have a large presence in those particular areas. Jared Dorn, director of International Programs

and Services, is not too worried about the possibility of the new policy and doesn't think it will have a dramatic effect on the enrollment of international students on this campus any time soon.

"As of now, I don't think it will have a negative effect. We don't know what the real parameters are yet. I would hope it wouldn't be so tight as to have a big impact."

Dorn said he can see it possibly impacting the aviation students and maybe the engineering students, where there is a large international enrollment, but it is still hard to say.

National security has become a bigger issue because of continuing problems with threats from outside of the country that concern the government and citizens.

Last week, the U.S. Senate approved legislation to have colleges and federal officials monitor the movements of international students in the United States more closely, and student visa applicants are to go through more extensive background searches before being considered.

The State Department considers countries such as Cuba, Iraq,

Iran, North Korea, Libya, Sudan and Syria as the biggest threats to American security. Statistics show that almost 4,000 students attend American institutions from those seven nations last year.

Students around campus are disgusted by the proposal, and they believe the government is not handling the issue of terrorism correctly.

"I think this is a bad idea," said Jeevan Malhotra, a junior in aviation from India. "Not all people are the same. They come to the U.S. with a lot of hopes. The government can't be prejudiced with everyone for what some fools have done."

Malhotra said that if Bush's plan goes into effect, it will affect international students greatly in the aviation field, and it already has taken its toll because of the involvement of planes in the terrorism crisis.

"I already have lost my training and internships in India because they were linked with the U.S.," he said. "Not just the U.S. is suffering — the whole world has suffered loss."

Manish Paliwal, a graduate stu-

dent in engineering science from India, does not think most international students already here will be affected at all, even though his major falls into the category of a "sensitive" study.

"I don't think that bona fide students will have a problem studying here, only the ones who have to change their student visas — they are not bona fide students," Paliwal said.

The international student population will have to wait for more information on exactly what is going to happen. Many students are not even aware of Bush's plans, though it promises to become an issue open for vigorous debate as time progresses.

Dorn said there is no room to worry until there is a better understanding of what the government intends to do.

"It is so early in the game. The real restrictions aren't clear enough, so we'll see what happens as more information comes," Dorn said.

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support now for you to attend Southern," De Luca said. "And there is more need-based financial aid for middle income families, and there hasn't been before."

"So we're excited about the prospect that we can go out with that message to families, and we haven't been able to say that before."

Many returning students are concerned that the increase is too much too soon. Kevin Buford, president of Black Affairs Council and Urban Congress, thinks the timing for the increase is bad because it's too soon for students to budget for such a big increase. He said several students have come to his office to talk about the increase, and none of them have been in favor of it.

"I have heard a few people say it should be higher than 5 percent, but I haven't heard any students say it should be in the double digits for next year — it's too soon," Buford said.

De Luca doesn't think the proposed increase will have a big effect on students' pocketbooks. She said that since the tuition increase provides for more need-based grants, many students won't even feel the impact because financial aid packages will be recalculated.

"Needy students won't feel the pinch as much as middle-class students," De Luca said.

Director of Financial Aid Dan Mann said the Financial Aid Department has already sent out 4,035 award notices this year and is expected to dole out more than \$146 million in aid to about 15,000 students by the fall semester. If the board approves the increase, Mann said workers in Financial Aid will refigure all of the award packages during the summer to include the increase.

Students who don't receive financial aid or scholarships may be able to make up for the possible tuition increase in other areas. Dietz said minimum wage is generally too low, and he has been talking with Wendler about raising the campus minimum wage at least 10 cents.

Dietz said that if minimum wage is raised 10 cents in a full year, a student who works 20 hours a week would offset one-third of the tuition increase. He said raising the amount of money students earn may encourage more students to find work on campus and stick around.

Students who have never had to take out student loans before may also have to consider doing so, Dietz said. SIUC ranked No. 12 in the U.S. News and World Report list of students who leave national doctoral universities with the least amount of debt in 2002.

"Planning is an important component of this," Dietz said. "It may also force students into borrowing when they have not wanted to borrow before. In an ideal world, no one would have to borrow money to go to school."

Chancellor E. Turner, a sophomore in marketing from South Holland, said an 18 percent tuition increase wouldn't bother him if he could see its direct results. He said if Wendler's proposal is passed, he'll still enroll at SIUC, but he worries the extra dollars will have to come out of his pocket.

"I wouldn't mind it as much if I could actually see things improving on this campus," Turner said.

Dietz said timing is never good for a tuition increase of this margin, but the University wants to be sensitive to returning students who may have a difficult time if the increase is passed.

Because many students look at other factors besides tuition when selecting a university, Dietz hopes that if the proposal is passed, it won't impact the number of students looking to attend SIUC.

"These double digit increases that institutions are now implementing haven't been around for long, and they're in response to the University trying to make a major shift or budget crisis," Dietz said. "Enrollment is a complex issue. It is more than just a cost consideration in where students decide to go to school."

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President of the Death Penalty Focus of California, he is committed to establishing a moratorium on the death penalty in United States. He also serves as co-chair of the Human Rights Watch in California and as spokesperson for CONCERN/America, an international development and refugee aid organization.

Mr. Farrell attended the University of California at Los Angeles and studied acting at the Jeff Corey Workshop. He also served two years in the U.S. Marines.

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Occupants of cars that were involved in a crash at approximately 7:15 p.m. wait for an SIU police officer to write a report. The accident occurred at the intersection of Stoker and State Streets.

## Straight leg, boot cut, low-rise and whiskered, jeans are getting complicated

Allison Kaplan  
Knight Ridder Newspapers

(KRT) - Jeans used to be a no-brainer: You chose between light and dark Levi's and lived in them until they became so threadbare that bending over could be risky.

Now, buying denim is more complicated than ordering a tall extra hot decaf soy milk latte at Starbucks. Denim is scrubbed or sandblasted or industrial-washed or stonewashed or antique or vintage or destroyed or whiskered.

The fit is low-rise or super low-rise or ultra low-rise, straight leg or flare or boot cut or relaxed. A label on a pair of Calvin Klein jeans in-

stores now: "low rise easy fit straight leg button fly indigo."

Jeans have long been as much a wardrobe staple as underwear. But in the past few years, denim has become high fashion, in stylish fits and finishes.

"There are new washing, bleaching and overdyeing techniques that give us all the options," says Nordstrom fashion director Gregg Andrews. "In the 1980s, there was something fake-looking about stonewash. Now, it's really authentic."

But most of the jeans in stores today lack the staying power of a trusty old pair of Levi's. "Now, every season brings different washes, rins-

es and styles," Gap spokeswoman Lisa Ludwig says.

If you don't like a flare, check the next rack - you're bound to find a straight leg. And with so many washes - Gap features 15 to 20 per season, from light blast to indigo - there's a shade to please most everyone.

So how do you choose a pair of jeans you won't be embarrassed to wear by summer?

Stay away from anything extreme. The two-tone jeans with dark outer edges and bleached inner thighs are going to look dated very quickly, says Marshall Field's trend expert JoAnn Young. Embellishments, from leather to

rhinestones, also tend to be short-lived - remember the jeans from a couple of years ago with embroidery at the ankles? Didn't think so.

It's time to bag the really baggy jeans, says Nordstrom's Andrews. New looks are slimmer. Extreme bell-bottoms are out, too. A slight flare at the ankle or boot cut is the way to go.

For spring, lighter shades are taking the place of dark denim. But it's not that simple. The newest jeans have a weathered look and offer some faded lines across the front, now referred to as "whiskering."

Also trendy are fitted jean blazers and short denim skirts. Teens

want "destroyed" denim, a fancy name for the \$60 Abercrombie & Fitch jeans that come with dirt stains and holes.

The average price paid for jeans in the United States is \$26 for men, \$24 for women, according to Cotton Inc. studies. But jeans are becoming a status symbol once again, Andrews says. Yesterday's Gloria Vanderbilt's are today's \$140 Sevens.

"It's just like the '80s," Andrews says. "If Britney is wearing them, young girls want them."

Unfortunately, patty lines aren't airbrushed in the real world. More than label or finish, Andrews says, "number one, the jeans have to fit."

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design from Chicago. "Then we were joking and kept saying, 'Oh, it's not going to happen here' and it happened outside the house."

After the tree fell, Kirschner called 911 on her cell phone at 6:10 p.m. and also made a call to the Carbondale Fire Department. An official from the fire department came to access the situation at about 7:30 p.m., and the power company arrived about 15 minutes later. At press time, their power was still out.

With a transformer down with the pole, the surrounding neighbors had power outages. Wires were yanked from the front exterior wall of 905 W. McDaniel, across the street from the damaged car.

"There were flames coming out of the end of the wire," said Jan Eisenhard. "There were flames and then everything went out."

Eisenhard left her home to eat at Quatro's, but found the power out there as well.

Jeff Formentini, the restaurant's manager, said power was out from 6 p.m. to a little after 7 p.m.

Formentini said some customers left after the outage, but others waited until the restaurant's power was restored.

"We had to shut down everything," Formentini said.

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Workers from the utility company CPS such around McDaniel Street near Oakland to assess the damages that occurred when a tree landed on the streets power lines. As of press time power was still out on the block.

## Air Force cadets face hackers

John Dietrich  
The Gazette

**COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo.** (KRT) - The military's might increasingly depends on computers, but that created a target for the enemy.

Air Force Academy cadets are finding out this week how hard it can be to protect computers from bad guys.

They are playing defense against some of the best hackers: computer experts from military and intelligence agencies.

It's the second annual Cyber Defense Exercise, a competition involving the Air Force Academy, the Military Academy at West Point, the Naval Academy, the Coast Guard Academy and the Naval Postgraduate School.

Students at each school are being attacked by the professionals and scored on how well they defend their systems. The competition began Monday and ends Friday.

Computer defense is critical for the military, which has 2 million computers and is finding the number of

cyber attacks is exploding.

In 2000, there were more than 23,000 attempted attacks, but officials refuse to say who was attacking. Last year, attacks jumped to more than 41,000, said Army Maj. Barry Venable, spokesman for Colorado Springs-based U.S. Space Command, which oversees computer defense.

Attacks are up, but the military has gotten better at defending their systems, Venable said. "We have information superiority," he said.

In a classroom at the Air Force Academy, 20 cadets are learning how to have that superiority. Two weeks ago they were given 13 computers and told to build defenses for them.

The computers were typical of the computers sold to consumers, full of holes that can be targeted by hackers to capture systems.

"These computer science and computer engineering majors built such defenses as firewalls and e-mail protections, and studied hacking tools."

For many of the cadets in the exercise, it's the first time they have applied their book knowledge to defending computers.



# Israeli legal experts, U.N. officials discuss Jenin fact-finding mission

Martin Merzer, Warren P. Strobel & Jan. 25 Kuhnhehn Knight Ridder Newspapers

**JERUSALEM (KRT)** — Confronted by a new controversy, the Israeli government hurriedly dispatched legal experts Wednesday night to the United Nations to discuss the mandate and composition of a U.N. fact-finding mission to the Jenin refugee camp.

The panel will investigate allegations that troops massacred Palestinians in the camp during Israel's military campaign against terrorists in the West Bank. Despite Israeli complaints, U.N. investigators are scheduled to arrive Saturday in Jenin.

Meanwhile, the standoff continued at the Church of the Nativity in Bethlehem. Israeli troops shot two Palestinians inside the compound Wednesday, and one of them died.

Two others surrendered and were taken away by Israeli troops who have encircled more than 200 Palestinians and others still inside the compound. A second day of negotiations failed to resolve the stalemate, now more than three weeks old.

The dispute over the Jenin fact-finding mission comes as President Bush meets Saudi Crown Prince

Abdullah on Thursday to discuss ways of reviving peace talks and ending 19 months of Israeli-Palestinian violence.

Abdullah will urge Bush to pressure Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon into withdrawing his forces from Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat's Ramallah compound and the city of Bethlehem and to express Israel's willingness to negotiate with the Palestinians on the basis of land-for-peace, a senior adviser to the crown prince said Wednesday.

"Our view is Sharon has to be restrained. Israel has to pull back its forces," Adel al-Jubeir, Abdullah's top foreign policy adviser, told Knight Ridder Newspapers.

While al-Jubeir said U.S. and Saudi goals in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict are nearly identical, he acknowledged differences over the means to get there.

Bush has frequently sided with Sharon, while demanding that Arafat do more to end violence. In the Saudi view, that is unrealistic while the Palestinian leader's compound is surrounded and the Palestinian Authority's infrastructure decimated.

Abdullah will tell Bush that the ongoing violence and Washington's inability to stop it are undercutting support in the Muslim world for the war on terrorism and endangering both

U.S. and Saudi interests, al-Jubeir said.

"He'll convey to the president the danger to the region from the continued spiral of violence in the Palestinian territories," he said.

The two men also will discuss proposals for an international peace conference on the Middle East. Bush has not decided whether to give the plan his backing, however, and the Saudis are lukewarm to the idea unless Israel declares its willingness to withdraw from the West Bank and Gaza Strip.

Bush, U.S. officials said Wednesday, will press Abdullah to end private Saudi contributions to Hamas and other violent Palestinian groups.

"It's going to be tough love on a lot of sides," said a State Department official, who requested anonymity. "It's not going to be the kind of meeting where either side walks away satisfied."

Under Abdullah's peace proposal, Israel would withdraw fully from the West Bank and Gaza and dismantle Jewish settlements in the territories, creating a Palestinian state. In return, Arab countries would give Israel full diplomatic recognition.

In Washington, Secretary of State Colin Powell made it clear the Bush administration wanted an independent body to investigate what happened when the Israeli military occupied the

Jenin refugee camp.

"We were encouraging the Israeli government to make Jenin accessible quickly to representatives of the ICRC (International Committee of the Red Cross) or other organizations that would get the facts and find out what really happened, as opposed to these stories and anecdotes that were floating out there," Powell said.

Powell said American officials have seen no evidence of a massacre in Jenin, but the United States supports the U.N. fact-finding mission.

"We now have both sides talking to one another directly to lay out their concerns," Powell said during testimony to a Senate subcommittee.

Palestinian officials said that as many as 500 people, many of them civilians, were killed in Jenin. Israel said several dozen Palestinians died there, most of them gunmen. About 45 bodies have been recovered so far.

Powell said Assistant Secretary of State William Burns visited Jenin for three hours and discovered "a great deal of destruction that took place from the ground with bulldozers."

But, Powell added: "He saw no evidence of a mass grave. He saw no huge cache of bodies. Clearly people died in Jenin, people who were terrorists died in Jenin, and in the prosecution of that

battle, innocent lives may well have been lost."

In Jerusalem, Israeli officials said they feared that the U.N. mission would be fundamentally flawed - and possibly biased - unless it also looked carefully at the complexity and difficulty of Israel's military campaign and conducted a parallel investigation of Palestinian terrorism.

"There has to be a level playing field," said Dore Gold, a senior adviser to Sharon.

Israeli officials retracted their approval of the mission Tuesday night and asked U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan to reconstitute the group, at the very least by adding a retired U.S. general to the delegation.

Annan seemed willing to consider that, Israeli officials said Wednesday night, and a compromise appeared on the horizon.

To press its case, Israel late Wednesday dispatched to the United Nations three top officials, including Foreign Ministry legal adviser Alan Baker and Daniel Reizner, an international law specialist for the Israeli army.

"We have nothing to hide in what we have done in order to conduct the battle in Jenin," said Defense Minister Binyamin Ben-Eliezer. "We lost 23 of our kids there in this battle."

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Jessica Correa cries into the graduation gown of her brother, Danny, who was killed in the World Trade Center attacks at a ceremony April 18, 2002.

## Family accepts diploma of business student lost in Sept. 11 attacks

Brian Kladko  
The Record (Bergen County, N.J.)

**HACKENSACK, N.J.** — In a corner of a gymnasium that echoed with the whoops and hollers of Berkeley College's commencement last week, there was a pocket of profound, almost paralyzing grief.

Helman and Marina Correa, along with about 20 relatives, clustered to witness a ritual that was supposed to include their son, Danny, a star accounting student at the business school.

The 25-year-old Fairview, N.J., resident completed his course work and had one last hurdle to graduation: an internship at Marsh U.S.A., an insurance company at the World Trade Center.

His dreams, and life, were buried beneath the rubble of the north tower. But his accomplishments were not.

At the ceremony, held at the Fairleigh Dickinson University gym in Hackensack, Berkeley College doesn't have a building big enough — Danny Correa's father and sister walked onto the stage with the black cap and gown that Danny would have worn, and accepted an associate degree on his

behalf.

"My family and I are feeling the deepest pain you could ever imagine," Helman told the audience. "But in the same way, we are so proud of Danny — a young man full of dreams, talent, and full of life."

Danny Correa would have been the first in his family to graduate from college. While attending Berkeley's campuses in Waldwick and West Paterson, N.J., he won admission to Phi Theta Kappa, the honor society for two-year colleges.

He frequently helped Spanish-speaking students navigate English, and made such an impression on one professor that she thanked him at the end of the semester for teaching her.

"Danny was a student, but he was also an educator, because he taught us how to live by making the most of his life — helping others, and modeling for all of us that you can do what you do with love and compassion," said Berkeley College President Mildred Garcia.

"A lot of students go through school somewhat anonymously," said college spokeswoman Kathleen Meehan Do- "Ever," she knew Danny. He just sort of

made an impression."

As hundreds of ebullient students marched to their seats to the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance," Helman Correa and his daughter, Jessica, stood off to the side, holding up the cap and gown and Danny's photo.

Helman Correa, a supervisor for a cleaning company, stared straight ahead, biting his lip. Marina, a school bus driver, stood a few feet away, sobbing uncontrollably and drying her tears with paper towels.

Father, mother, and sister were called to the stage, but Marina was too distraught.

After Helman took the leather-bound diploma in his hands, he gently kissed it, then held it to his sky.

"I think that was one of the hardest moments of my life," Helman said later. "I wasn't feeling my legs. But I did it for him, because he deserves whatever we can do for him."

Making it even harder was the joy that surrounded them. As Helman hunched forward, burying his face in his hands, and Marina gasped for breath, others were taking pictures and cheering for their sons and daughters.



## Gangster

**Gambling  
shady deals  
boot-legging  
whiskey**

Sound interesting? WSIU-TV agrees, and has a documentary in the works on the life of a Southern Illinois gangster who didn't know the meaning of Prohibition.

STORY BY BEN BOTKIN

**T**here are many types of heroes who come and go with the passage of time. Some of them fight crime as police officers or serve as politicians battling corruption and defending the U.S. Constitution.

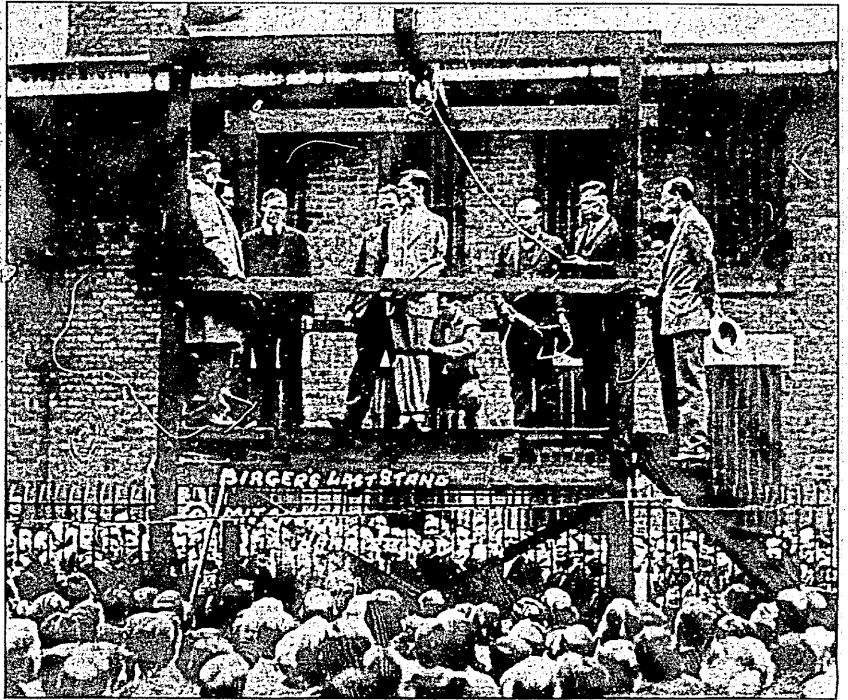
And some of our heroes serve in smaller, but equally important roles, such as community service and volunteer work. But heroes seldom leave the world as convicted murderers sentenced to die at the end of a hangman's noose.

Charlie Birger, a gangster who lived in Southern Illinois in the early 20th century, is the subject of a documentary production overseen by David Kidd, a WSIU television producer. Kidd hopes to have the project completed by next April.

Birger, who lived in Saline County during Prohibition, made a living bootlegging whiskey from his Shady Rest cabin, where members of his gang played slot machines and socialized. During his 48-year lifetime, Birger became a person who was viewed by some Southern Illinois residents of his time as a glamorous figure and gained fame before he was convicted of murder in 1927 and sentenced to death.

"If you ask people in Southern Illinois to list a famous historical figure, chances are, they will mention Charlie Birger," Kidd said.

Birger's popularity rose to a com-



When Birger was hanged on April 19, 1928 for the murder of a law enforcement official, his last words were, "It's a beautiful world."

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mercial level, as postcards of his gang were sold. Through the appearance of a life filled with booze, slot machines and women, Birger conveyed a mystique that transformed him in the eyes of the outside world from a criminal to a glamorous figure with an exciting life.

The fascination with Birger reflects the American culture's fascination with gangster figures, according to Kidd.

"We love that mystery of gangs and their code of justice," Kidd said.

Birger was viewed as a "good guy" because of the way he presented himself, walking around Harrisburg in tailored suits. He did more for the community than bring booze to Southern Illinois. While bidding at an auction for a retired minister, Birger paid \$5 for a fiddle, a high price for the early twentieth century.

He then encouraged the townspeople to bid higher for the item, saying the minister had served the community for many years.

During his life, Birger had a reputation as a man who was a friend to any person — as long as he didn't have a quarrel with the individual.

"In a way, he was a symbol of a gangster that was a good guy," Kidd said. "He wanted to be viewed as somebody who was a knight in shining armor. He is still viewed as a good guy, and therein lies the legend of Charlie Birger."

But Kidd's goal through the project is to show more than the excitement of a booze-filled life of tommy guns and armored cars.

Through the production, Kidd hopes to show both sides of Charlie Birger.

"There's two faces to this Charlie Birger, and we want to delve into this other face," he said. "He was a symbol of everything that was wrong with that era."

Birger was convicted of murdering Joe Adams, a law enforcement officer, but his worst publicity came when his gang was suspected of murdering Lory Price, a police officer involved with Birger's gang who Birger eventually suspected as a double-crosser. Price's pregnant wife, uninvolved with the gang, was also murdered, and became a tragic victim of gang warfare.

Kidd wants the production to teach a valuable lesson of what happens when villains are personified as heroes by their peers and descendants.

"I hope when I'm done they'll realize Charlie Birger is an example of what shouldn't happen," Kidd said. "Charlie Birger is an example of what happens when good people go astray."

**"There's two faces to Charlie Birger, and we want to delve into this other face. He was a symbol of everything that was wrong with that era."**

David Kidd  
producer, WSIU-TV

"He's evil. He's the worse kind of evil. He's the evil that's sugar-coated."

Kidd plans to build up the story of Birger's good times and then gradually move deeper into the dark side of his evil deeds and corruption.

By building him up as a legendary figure and then delving into Birger's darker side, Kidd says he will "pull the rug from underneath him" and expose him, despite the heroic reputation that lived on after his death.

"We cannot make him a respectable person," Kidd said. "He, in death, is getting what he wanted in life."

For his project, Kidd is planning to use tapes from interviews with residents who still remember Southern Illinois' colorful era of tommy guns and liquor stills. He also will use tapes from interviews author Gary DeNeal conducted for his book "A Knight of another Sort," which chronicles Birger's life.

Kidd hopes to do short reenactment segments for the project and wants to shoot the interior of Scout Cabin in Benton for the Shady Rest reenactments.

Kidd is looking for old bottles, slot machines and memorabilia from people who are willing to temporarily lend the items for the production. He is also hunting for photographs from that era. For the photographs,

See **GANGSTER**, page 12



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Birger and his gang members with names such as Honest John, Casey Jones and Alabama Simmons, pose in a rare photo, which was used as a postcard and demonstrates the figure's popularity in Southern Illinois.

# Buddy and the new, old rock



**Geoffrey Ritter**

"He made it OK to wear glasses."

Glasses in rock 'n' roll? This was the 1950s, and rock was nothing but a perverted step-child of the blues, a hip-twisting disgrace fueled by the kids and despised by the folks. But in that quote from John Lennon a decade later, the glasses worn by Buddy Holly found vindication, and so did the music. The Beatles covered two of Holly's hits, and the band admitted to finding inspiration for at least 40 of their songs in Holly. Eric Clapton, the Dead and the Stones are also on the list of Buddy covers.

Needless to say, Holly's music didn't die.

Holly did, however, in a 1959 plane crash on the way from an Iowa concert, along with fellow musicians Ritchie Valens and the Big Bopper. He was 22 when he died, and his name had been a rock staple for only two short years. Not exactly enough time to create a solid musical legacy, but somehow, the guy pulled it off. Call it blind luck if you want — he was riding Elvis' coattails after all — or be faithful and attribute it to those well crafted tunes.

Either way, he beat out Elvis to be the world's first rock 'n' roll star, at least by a moment or two.

This all happened 40 years ago, but the memory of Holly remains strong and firmly rooted. The most recent example? The spellbinding success of "Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story," a musical that opened in London in 1990 and will be making its way to SIUC's Shryock Auditorium at 7:30 tonight. Chronicling the musician's rise from his humble Texas roots to his success in landing 15 tunes on the Billboard charts, the show aims at the heart of the Buddy icon, and it brings along some stompin' tunes as well.

But beyond the music, who exactly was Buddy Holly? Born Charles Hardin Holley, the youngest of four children, "Buddy" spent his formative years in high school preparing for a career in drafting. However, music lessons he had started at age eight took over,

and he was soon playing with duos and trios all around his hometown of Lubbock, Texas.

He landed his first recording contract in 1956 (he changed the spelling of his name to "Holly" to suit a misspelling in the contract's text), cutting country singles for a record label in Nashville. After these sessions proved futile, Holly returned to Lubbock, grouped up with his newly named band the Crickets, and recorded a rock version of his early song "That'll Be the Day." It was an instant smash, riding to the very top of the charts and securing Holly and his band a contract with a New York label.

From there, the hits began to fly, with tunes like "Peggy Sue," "Maybe Baby," "Think It Over" and "Early in the Morning," and Holly cut out of the Crickets (the band has continued throughout the years) and moved to Greenwich Village to work solo. Marrying his Puerto Rican wife Maria Santiago on the night of their first date, Holly stayed in New York for the remainder of his life and cut a series of tracks that would be released posthumously.

It was 2 a.m. on February 3, 1959, when Holly's plane crashed just after taking off from Clear Lake, Iowa, killing all on board. He had taken the plane to get off the tour bus and to do his laundry. The incident has been memorialized by Don McLean's anthemic "American Pie," but Holly has found a legacy in American music that transcends just one simple song.

After all, Elvis may have ascended to the rock 'n' roll throne, but Holly gave it its romanticism. With his dorky glasses and youthful energy, Holly brought home a form of the repulsive rock that skirted away from the sex-symbol packaging. And in death, he gave birth to the idealized life of the modern musician: live short, die young and give them some tunes along the way. Be a modern poet.

Four decades later, people still remember how the music used to make them smile. It's a tribute to Holly that the music didn't die. In the end, it's kept the people dancing longer than he might have expected.

Tickets to the show are \$24 and can be purchased at the Shryock box office.

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Gene and Dean Ween, known for their peculiar variety of music, will play at Shryock Auditorium on Saturday.

## From Prince to Captain Beefheart, here comes Ween

Jackie Keane  
Daily Egyptian

Aaron Freeman and Mickey Melchiondo met in their 8th grade typing class back in 1984.

Gene and Dean Ween, as the two are better known, set about making a peculiar variety of music right at their home in New Hope, Pa. Years later, they have been compared to everyone from Prince to Captain Beefheart.

The band that has refused to follow the molded path of modern rock and common religion will be performing at Shryock Auditorium at 8 p.m. Saturday.

It may surprise one that the band has decided on performing for the 1,200 people Shryock seats, considering only five years ago they turned down a much larger show known as Lollapalooza. According to Gene and Dean, the Lollapalooza people didn't offer enough money to make it worth their while. Instead, they decided to embark on their own tour.

"It was with the presence of a good four-track recorder and a great weed connection that Gene and Dean Ween set about making some of the most peculiar yet simultaneously appealing music this side of Frank Zappa and Burthole Surfers," Rolling Stone magazine said.

In fact, everything up to the "Chocolate and Cheese" album was recorded on four-tracks. Ween's funk-based "Chocolate and Cheese" was the introduction of a permanent rhythm section with a dedication to the comedian and actor John Candy.

Gene and Dean's career began with their first album, "God Ween Satan: The Oneness." The album included 26 tracks of blues, reggae, space metal and flamenco-style songs. Twelve years later, their newly released CD is a remastered version of that same album.

The duo signed on with Elektra Records in 1992, and sooner than they realized, MTV was playing "Push Th Little Daisies" from the 1993's "Pure Guava" album.

Ween's first high profile show was opening for the Burthole Surfers at City Gardens in Trenton, N.J.

"They're one of those bands that I always try to tell people about because if it weren't for the Burthole Surfers, there might not have been a Ween. At least not as people know us," Ween said in an interview with Rolling Stone.

In 1996, Ween took a risk most other bands wouldn't take. It came out with a country album titled "12 Golden Country Greats." Not surprisingly, the album did not prove to be the group's most popular.

Four years later, the band hired Clivis Shaw, who previously worked with Public Enemy and as a producer for White Pepper.

"White Pepper," which came out in May 2000, was called accessible and mature by MTV.com. The CD lacks Ween's normal spew of obscenities, narrowing it down to only one on the entire record.

Dean and Gene keep busy with much more than new albums and tours. They write the music for Fox's comedy series "Grounded for Life," have worked with the Vandals on an original song for the movie, "Run, Ronnie, Run! The Ronnie Debbis Story," have their own radio show in Pennsylvania and have even played a polka band in a film directed by a "Sopranos" cast member.

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Ween will perform at 8 p.m. Saturday at Shryock Auditorium. Tickets are \$23 and can be purchased at the Shryock box office.

### PULSE BRIEFS

#### Fashion program hits Student Center runway

If you're looking for something more stylish to do, you might want to check out the 2002 Fashion Design and Merchandising Program, along with the annual Student Showcase, both slated for Thursday in Student Center Ballroom D. Starting with student exhibits on display at 6:15 p.m., the runway fashion show will begin at 7 p.m. with original collections from more than 10 designers. Admission is free. For more information, contact the Fashion and Design Merchandising Program at 453-1987.

#### FHM Comedy Concert at Student Center

Ready to laugh? Then be sure to drop by the Student Center Auditorium Saturday at 9 p.m. for a performance by comedian Ralph Harris as part of the FHM (For Him Magazine) Comedy Lab College Tour. Tickets for the performance are free, and audiences can also check out the Activity Village Saturday from 12 to 7 p.m. in the Free Forum Area. For more information,

contact the Student Programming Council at 536-3393.

#### CCHS students produce 'Carousel' this weekend

Students at Carbondale Community High School will perform Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Carousel" this Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The shows will take place at the campus' central auditorium, located at 200 N. Springer St., with the Friday and Saturday shows starting at 8 p.m. and the Sunday matinee starting at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2 for children. For more information, call 457-3371.

#### Puddle of Mudd tickets still available at Arena

Tickets for the May 1 appearance of Puddle of Mudd at the SIU Arena are still available, with prices set at \$22.50 for the public or \$12.50 for students. In addition, Puddle of Mudd will be appearing with Revolution, Smile and 30 Seconds to Mars. Tickets are available at the SIU Arena and the Student Center ticket office.

#### Du Quoin Pear Festival

The Du Quoin Pear Festival will be going on all day Saturday in downtown Du Quoin. Among the different events that will be featured are a craft fair, concessions, antiques, dance groups and folk singing. In addition, there will be a cash prize attendance drawing. For more information, go online to [www.duquoin.org](http://www.duquoin.org).

#### 'Beaux Stratagem' now open at McLeod

McLeod Theater has picked quite the show to close out its 2001-2002 season, opening it last night and continuing its run through Sunday. "The Beaux Stratagem," completed by the Irish dramatist George Farquhar on his deathbed in 1707, follows two English fellows through a scheme by which they would marry two wealthy country ladies. However, a few comedic complications arise, including mistaken identities, scheming servants and a local gang of highwaymen. The play will continue tonight through Saturday at 7:30 p.m. each night. After that, the show will close Sunday with a matinee at 2 p.m. Tickets are now available at the McLeod Theater box office

(located in the Communications Building) for \$11, \$9 for seniors and \$6 for children or students with an SIUC ID. For more information, call 453-3001.

#### Irish Fest lands in Carbondale

Get out your St. Paddy's Day green — it's time for the Southern Illinois Irish Festival, and related events will be running all through the weekend. First up on Friday is the festival's main concert at 7:30 p.m. in Shryock Auditorium, featuring the hot Irish band Danu and local staple the Donahans, along with Irish step dancers from Chicago and Peoria and guests Grey Larsen and Paddy League. On Saturday, the Celtic Fair will set up shop on the Carbondale Town Square for a day of arts, crafts, dance and food, ending that night with a performance by Larsen and League on the flute and bodhran in Quigley Hall's Furr Auditorium. Also at 9:45 a.m. will be a parade featuring the Emerald Society Pipes and Drums.

Tickets to Friday's concert at Shryock are \$20 or \$17 for children and can be purchased by calling 453-3478. All tickets for Saturday's show are \$18 and can be reserved by calling the same number.

# Weird News

Mike Pingree  
Knight Ridder Newspapers

## NO, SIMBA! NO! BAD ELEPHANT! BAD!

Officials in Bangkok have decreed that people are no longer allowed to leave their pets unattended in public places. This includes cats, dogs, water buffalo and elephants.

Owners will also be required to clean up their animals' waste.

## HA HA, THEY'LL NEVER GET ME NOW!

A man stole a street sweeper from an Ohio company where he used to work and was arrested in Michigan when he tried to drive it across the

border into Canada.

A spokesman for the company that owned the vehicle said the thief probably thought he'd escape punishment.

"If you want to avoid the law, you go to Canada or Mexico; at least that's what they say in the movies," he said. "It's not necessarily true any more, but if you're not too bright, you're not gonna know that."

## JUST SMILE AND DON'T SAY ANYTHING

A 50-year-old California lawyer with a wife and two sons has begun dressing as a lady in court and plans on having surgery in Thailand next year that will make him into a woman.

Though he looks feminine due to hormonal therapy, he still speaks in a deep baritone voice. People are

often taken aback by this.

## MAYBE HE'S STILL FINDING HIMSELF

An Italian court has ruled that a wealthy father must continue to pay for his son's support even though the lad is in his 30s, has a law degree and has turned down several job offers.

Some fear that the ruling will discourage people from having children.

## YOUR TAX DOLLARS AT WORK

The witch doctors of the village of Akradio, Ivory Coast, claim it was their magic that helped the national team win the Africa Nation's Cup soccer trophy in 1992.

But the government failed to pay them for their help, so they put a curse on the team, which hasn't won the

championship since.

The government finally relented, and paid the witch doctors \$2,000 and a bottle of liquor.

## TWO, THREE, FOUR, AND REST; FREEZE!

A woman in Santa Ana, Calif., went on disability leave from her job in 1998 after a fall in which she hurt her left hip, knee, back and neck.

While still claiming she was unable to return to work nine months later, she was videotaped by insurance investigators participating in a vigorous aerobics workout at a "Jazzercise" class. She was arrested.

## UH OH!

A burglar broke into a large, unmarked building in Tokyo only to discover that it was a dormitory housing hundreds of police officers. His

arrest was swift.

## BROWNIES: \$50,000; CAKES, \$100,000

The University of Iowa lost millions of dollars due to state budget cuts. The professors decided to counteract the shortfall by holding a bake sale.

## NEXT THING I KNOW, SHE'S SCREAMING

After his neighbor left for work, a man broke into his home, went up to the bedroom, undressed and crawled into bed with his wife, telling her, "I want you." She did not want him, however, and communicated this emphatically.

In court, the Oregon man blamed his behavior on a brain tumor. The judge didn't buy it and sent him to jail for two years.

# Through the Looking Glass

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## THE HOT LIST

### YOUR WEEKEND ENTERTAINMENT GUIDE

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### Thursday April 25

- Booby's
- Fink Floyd 9:30 p.m.
- Carbox
- Live DJ - 9 p.m.
- Gatsby's II
- Live DJ Show - 10 p.m.
- Hangar 9
- Johnny Socko / Jettingham
- The Hot Spot
- College Night
- Meleod Theater
- "The Beaux Stragagem" - 7:30
- Mugy McGuire's
- Memory Lane Karaoke
- Pinch Penny Pub
- Slimtones - 22 p.m.
- Old Baptist Foundation
- Recital Hall
- Flute Studio
- Tres Hombres
- Old Fishskins (totally bluegrass)
- Stix
- Live DJ Show - 10 p.m.
- Yellow Moon
- Stan Davis (folk)
- Sidetracks
- St. Stephen's Blues - 10 p.m.
- Shryock Auditorium
- Buddy: The Buddy Holly Story
- University Teletrack
- Off-Track Betting
- Mungo Jerry's Fat Cat Cafe
- Open mic/Sky Blue Tasting - 7 p.m.

- The Upside Eurgandy Room
- Solar Quartets - 9 p.m.
- The Upside Downtown
- Battle of the DJ's - 9 p.m.

### Friday April 26

- Boo Jr.s
- Sweepstakes / Juggernauts 10 p.m.
- Carbox
- Live DJ - 9 p.m.
- Copper Dragon
- Plus / Cruces - 10:30 p.m.
- Booby's
- Big Fat Nothing
- Mugy McGuire's
- Live Piano w/
- Cynthia Fiegel - 7 p.m.
- FX's
- Slappin Henry Blue
- Stix
- Live DJ show - 10 p.m.
- Key West
- By request DJ show
- Pinch Penny Pub
- Live DJ 9:30 p.m.
- Planet XIII
- Planet CIL
- SI Bowl
- Cosmic Bowling
- The Hot Spot
- Dance Mix
- Gatsby's



- Live DJ 9:30 p.m.
- Mungo Jerry's
- Nathan Aaron
- University Teletrack
- Off-Track Betting
- Gatsby's
- Live DJ show - 10 p.m.
- Shryock Auditorium
- Southern Illinois Festival of Irish Music and Dance presents Dan / McNulty Irish Dancers / Dorian
- Hangar 9
- La Makita Soma / Delmar
- The Upside Downtown
- Live DJ
- Meleod Theater
- "The Beaux Stragagem" - 7:30 p.m.

- Kevin Lucas (marimba thunder) - 8 p.m.
- Copper Dragon
- Shaffer Street
- Mugy McGuire's
- Shady Mix - 9:30 p.m.
- Pinch Penny
- Stank Willie
- Fred's
- Jackson Junction
- Longbranch
- Introduction to Gaelic I - a.m.
- Tres Hombres
- Motown/Funk: Revue DJ Show
- The Upside Downtown
- female impersonation night
- Meleod Theater
- "The Beaux Stragagem" 7:30 p.m.

### Saturday April 27

- Boo Jr's
- He Fling It / Tied Mosh Babe
- Carbox
- Live DJ dance music - 9 p.m.
- Gatsby's
- Live DJ show - 10 p.m.
- Mungo Jerry's
- Loose Gravel 8:30 p.m.
- Rooby's
- Triple Dose
- Hangar 9
- PMS Blues Band with Richard "Rip Lee" Pryor, Devin Miller, and Jim Skinner - 10 p.m.

- Campus Lake - SIU
- Great Cardboard Boat Regatta
- Furr Auditorium
- Southern Illinois Festival of Irish Music and Dance presents Grey Larson and Paddy League / Jeremy Kittel / McNulty Irish Dancers / Zimmy Keane / Seav, Cleland / Pat Broaders
- Shryock Auditorium
- Ween (Alternative Rock)
- Yellow Moon
- Don Haupt farewell and CD release party.
- Town Square Pavillion - Carbondale
- Southern Illinois Festival of Irish Music and Dance Celtic Fair

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# Names in the News

**Knight Riddler Newspapers**

## ONCE A THUG, ALWAYS A THUG

Teen-age television star Robert Iler, who plays the rebellious, pot-smoking son of a mob boss on "The Sopranos," resolved his own criminal woes Tuesday with a surprise guilty plea in a New York mugging. The plea bargain allowed Iler, 17, to admit to a misdemeanor, petty larceny, in return for three years' probation.

Iler read a statement to the court, admitting he and co-defendant Alban Selimaj spotted two youths walking toward them on the Upper East Side in July 2001 and decided to "hassle" the pair. The youths were robbed of \$40.

## ZOOM-ZOOM-ZOOM

Prince Charles has a royal nightmare on his hands — his dashing son, Prince William, 19, has passed the test to drive a motorcycle. Yet for all those teenage fans (Will reportedly has even caught the eye of Britney Spears) and their fantasies of riding off into the sunset on the back of the handsome prince's hog, there is bad news. His junior license prohibits him from driving a really big motorcycle until he is 21.

The prince, a student of art history at St. Andrews University in Scotland, joins other British royals with a taste for motorcycles. The Duke of

Gloucester and his son both have cycles, as does Queen Elizabeth II's nephew, Viscount Linley.

## QUEEN LIGHTENS THINGS UP

Speaking of royalty, Queen Elizabeth is set to launch a nationwide sing-along to the Beatles' hit "All You Need Is Love" as part of her golden-jubilee celebrations.

The queen will be in Slough, Berkshire, June 3 to launch the song. Musicians in 21 locations throughout the United Kingdom will take their cue from the queen in the BBC event, in a relay fashion. Later in the day, Paul McCartney is to sing the song at Buckingham Palace before 12,000 people. Joining McCartney will be Eric Clapton, Tom Jones, Aretha Franklin, Brian Wilson, S Club 7 and singer Will Young, winner of the UK Pop Idol contest.

## A SERVING OF KOURNIKOVA

Anna Kournikova may be ready to whack Penthouse publisher Bob Guccione with her racket when he publishes nude photos of her in the June issue. Kournikova and her boyfriend, Enrique Iglesias, were photographed at a distance, the New York Daily News reported. Kournikova isn't the first to see herself blown up in a men's mag. Penelope Cruz, Gwyneth Paltrow and Geena Davis were also exposed against their wills.

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Daily Egyptian

They all have master's degrees. One of them is an expert on wildlife, while another has a doctorate in theoretical plasma physics from MIT.

Seems like they could have done anything if they had put their minds to it. Yodeling was probably not the most obvious choice.

But here they are, 25 years later, and the guys behind the slapstick cowboy act Riders in the Sky aren't suffering because of a poor career choice. To the contrary, the road they've ridden is lined with award-winning albums and critical acclaim, countless television shows and a Grammy Award. They've made 4,000 appearances over a distance of more than 2.3 million miles. By their calculation, they've gone through 2,100 tires, 12 engines and more than 187,000 gallons of gas.

That's some hard riding. Now the road brings them to SIUC, where Riders in the Sky will bring their patented singing-cowboy antics to Shryock Auditorium at 3 p.m. Sunday. With the usual cast of

vocalist and yodeler Ranger Doug, singer and bassist Too Slim, fiddler Woody Paul and accordion player Joey the Cowpolka King, their performance promises to throw audiences back to the harmonies of cowfolk like Gene Autry and Tex Ritter, and give out a few laughs along the way.

Riders in the Sky first formed in 1977 under the enthusiasm of Ranger Doug, Too Slim and Woody Paul. Taking a cue from the singing cowboys who romanticized the Old West during the 1920s and 1930s, they started playing nightspots in Nashville, Tenn., moved on to the Grand Ole Opry and released their debut album in 1980.

Throughout the decade, the group released 10 albums that also branched out into children's music, leading to the premiere of their Saturday morning kiddie show, "Riders in the Sky," in 1991.

Shortly afterward, the Riders entered their era of most visibility, issuing a holiday album, making more and more television appearances and being the subject of a 1992 book. They performed for President Clinton

in 1993 and have issued an album every year since. Their 2000 effort, "Woody's Western Roundup featuring Riders in the Sky," which was featured in the film "Toy Story 2," garnered the group a 2001 Grammy for best musical album for children.

Now the Riders are on their usual grueling road schedule — roughly 200 appearances a year — and are in the studio working on three albums. The first, a collection of railroad songs titled "Ridin' the Twentysix Railroad," should be out later this spring; the other two, one produced by Disney and the other, a 25th anniversary compilation, should be upcoming within the next year. Regardless of where the future takes them, though, the Riders remain enthused about their unorthodox careers and the niche left by singers like Autry and Ritter that they've now been able to fill.

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Riders in the Sky will perform at 3 p.m. Sunday at Shryock Auditorium. Tickets are \$20 with a \$5 discount for kids and are available at the Shryock box office or by calling 453-ARTS.

## silver screen summary

**Blade II** — Wesley Snipes returns in the title role as a half-human, half-vampire who roams the streets hunting vampires. This time around, he must join forces with his sworn enemies to protect the world from a new, hideous breed of vampire called the Reapers. Also starring Kris Kristofferson. Directed by Guillermo del Toro. Rated R. Running time 1 hr. 48 min. Playing at University Place 8.

**Changing Lanes** — An arrogant lawyer and a down-and-out businessman are involved in a minor traffic accident in Manhattan. In the confusion, the two men accidentally swap briefcases, the contents of which cause a heated battle, with financial, legal and personal repercussions. Starring Samuel L. Jackson, Ben Affleck and Toni Collette. Directed by Roger Michell. Rated R. Running time 1 hr. 35 min. Playing at University Place 8.

**Frailty** — A team of FBI investigators is approached by a young man who claims to know the identity of a serial killer who calls himself "God's Hands." The FBI is unimpressed until the man reveals that the killer is his brother, who is carrying on the work of their deceased father. Starring Matthew McConaughey and Bill Paxton. Directed by Paxton. Rated R. Running time 1 hr. 40 min. Playing at Varsity Theatre.

**High Crimes** — Ashley Judd stars as a happily married, successful lawyer who is shocked to learn that her husband has a secret past as a classified military operative and has been accused of a heinous war crime. Morgan Freeman is the private investigator who helps her as she wrestles with her own doubts about her husband's innocence as she defends him in a top-secret military court where none of the rules apply. Also starring James Caviezel and Amanda Peet. Directed by Carl Franklin. Rated PG-13. Running

time 1 hr. 55 min. Playing at University Place 8.

**Ice Age** — A sloth, woolly mammoth, saber-toothed tiger and squirrel band together to form the unlikely group of heroes as they try to return a human infant to his family. Featuring the voices of Ray Romano, John Leguizamo, Jack Black and Denis Leary. Directed by Chris Wedel. Rated PG. Running time 1 hr. 25 min. Playing at University Place 8.

**It's** — The real-life story of the enduring love between author Iris Murdoch and husband John Bayley, which extended through her struggle with Alzheimer's. Starring Judi Dench, Jim Broadbent and Kate Winslet. Best Supporting Actor Oscar for Broadbent and Best Supporting Actress nomination for Winslet. Directed by Richard Eyre. Rated R. Running time 1 hr. 30 min. Playing at Varsity Theatre.

**Panic Room** — Jodie Foster is back on the big screen as a recent divorcee who is forced to flee with her daughter to a panic room built into their new home when a trio of burglars break in. But what she doesn't realize is that what the intruders want is in the room — and they're not leaving until they get it. Also starring Forest Whitaker, Jared Leto and Dwight Yoakam. Directed by David Fincher. Rated R. Running time 1 hr. 41 min. Playing at University Place 8.

**The Rookie** — Dennis Quaid stars as real-life baseball star Jim Morris, who was forced to drop out of minor league baseball because of an arm injury. Twelve years later he makes a bet with the down and out high school baseball team he coaches — he'll try out for the minors again if they win the district championship. Rated G. Running time 2 hr. 9 min. Playing at University Place 8.

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“In a way, he was a symbol of a gangster that was a good guy.”

David Kidd  
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Kidd said he takes a portable scanner to homes to process the photographs.

Jack Tichenor, another WSIU producer, is helping Kidd with the project and said his colleague's enthusiasm is a good motivational force.

“When David gets into a project, his enthusiasm rubs off on you,” he said.

Tichenor's role has been to help Kidd brainstorm as they plan the project, which they have talked about for several years.

But raising the funds for the project are the main hindrance and will ultimately determine what happens with the project. The project is estimated to cost about \$150,000, and Kidd is planning to apply for grants.

“We're not in this to make money, but on the other hand, we can't go belly-up,” he said. “There are times when I say this isn't going to happen.”

Time is also an important consideration for Kidd. He hopes to have the film premiere next year on April 19 because the date is the 75th anniversary of Birger's hanging.

And although Birger won't be around to watch the film's premiere, Kidd said the famous gangster would be proud of the legend he left behind.

“He's probably smiling in his grave because people think he's cool,” he said.

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‘Murder’ a by-the-numbers thriller

Sarah Roberts  
Daily Egyptian

“Murder by Numbers” wants to be creepy so bad it can taste it.

Not creepy in the oh-so-typical gruesome, blood and guts kind of way. Rather, this movie wants to get you inside a dark theater then crawl around inside your brain and make you wonder who the person sitting next to you really is.

It wants to. And, for the most part, it succeeds.

That success is due almost solely to newcomers Ryan Gosling and Michael Pitt, who play sociopathic teens with chilling conviction. Gosling is the handsome, charming Richard, a flashy dresser who gets his kicks from flaunting his wealth in the faces of those less fortunate. Pitt plays Justin, a soft-spoken loner who has the wrong clothes and the wrong hair but can recite poetry and debate philosophical arguments with ease.

They may be at opposite ends of the social spectrum, but the two young men are united in their intelligence ... and their boredom. They hang out in a dilapidated house overlooking a cliff so high you just know by the end of the film, someone will be dangling from it. It's there that they plot to commit the perfect murder and then watch the police grasp for answers in order to prove their intellectual superiority.

Unfortunately for them, the lead detective on the case is Cassie Mayweather (Bullock), a headstrong and unrelenting cop whose

passion for catching criminals is as deep as the scars on her chest. We're fed clues about Cassie's past bit by bit, enough to know that the reason she's so abrasive and turned into herself has to do with a knife and an abusive husband.

Her new partner (Chaplin) has just come over from vice and is the type of detective who accepts logical conclusions without question. Cassie doesn't. So while they're not humping, they're bickering about clues and suspects.

Cassie likes Richard and Justin for the murder, something that doesn't fly with the brass since Richard's father is a major campaign contributor. But Cassie is unrelenting, as she notes about Richard, “there's something not right with that boy.”

Just like there's something not quite right with the movie. There are plenty of noteworthy aspects, such as Gosling and Pitt's stand-out performances and some genuinely gripping moments. Director Barbet Schroeder has made a career out of thrillers — some hits (“Reversal of Fortune”), some misses (“Kiss of Death”) — and he does an admirable job here of constructing a film that's not a whodunit, but an engaging examination of how murderers kill and are caught.

Sadly, the film is hampered by Sandra Bullock, despite her best intentions. She deserves credit for playing against her natural likability, but she's also an executive producer, which means she had a great deal of creative input. That



Sandra Bullock stars in “Murder by Numbers.”

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**Murder by Numbers**

Gus Bode

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Director: Barbet Schroeder

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was her first mistake. She should have left the film in Schroeder's hands and concentrated more on her scowl. Chaplin produces some earnest facial expressions and is adequate eye candy, but his character isn't given nearly enough to do except get felt up by Bullock. Still, “Murder by Numbers” is

entertaining, if slightly predictable. It isn't shocking or groundbreaking, but it does manage to be unsettling and thought provoking. Not exactly creepy, but a solid offering nonetheless.

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# Tobey Maguire: The man behind the Spider-Man mask

Vanessa Sibbald  
Zap2it.com

(KRT) - When imagining the perfect actor to play "Spider-Man," 5-foot-7-inch, skinny, 26-year-old Tobey Maguire may not immediately come to mind. Yet that's who Sam Raimi considered when casting the super-hero.

"I really think he's a great Peter Parker," says Raimi. "Because the strength of Stan Lee and Steve Ditko's creation has always been that Spider-Man is one of us. He's one of us who grows to become a hero, so we can soar with him when that happens. I needed someone who was identifiable to the audience, someone whose ability to act was invisible, no artifice."

With his hair precisely coiffed and wearing a black T-shirt with jeans and a black polyester Members Only-style jacket, Maguire looks like a slightly cooler version of Peter Parker - but only slightly cooler. It's his ability to convey Parker, the geek who would become Spider-Man, which landed him the role over other actors considered for the part, including Jude Law, Chris O'Donnell and Freddie Prinze Jr.

"Tobey has a high regard for the audience and a great respect for the camera," says Raimi.

In person, Maguire is serious and soft-spoken, with a slightly goofy laugh and slow, almost cautious movements. It's not that he's stiff or awkward, just reserved, like a man with a secret, a little like Peter Parker.

"I identified with the character very strongly, in some ways reflecting back on my life and in some ways things that are currently going on for me," Maguire tells Zap2it.com. "I think that he basically is dealing with becoming an adult with extreme circumstances. He has

super-human powers and that complicates things."

By landing the role of Spider-Man, Maguire joins Hollywood's A-list of leading men. Still, he doesn't think it will change the kinds of roles that he takes.

"There are a lot of movies that I could have done that would have been a lot higher profile" than his present film resume, he says. "I would have made more money, been more famous or whatever. Those things just aren't that important to me so I did the movies where I loved the filmmaker, the script, the character. I don't necessarily see the kinds of things coming my way changing and I don't see the way I choose the things I want to be involved in changing either."

"I did 'Spider-Man' not because it was an event film, although that was part of the attraction. I wouldn't have done it unless I felt as passionately about it as I did working with Ang Lee on 'The Ice Storm' and 'Ride with the Devil' and Curtis Hanson on 'Wonder Boys' and Lasse Hallstrom on 'Cider House Rules.' I feel like this character is as strong a character as any of those and his journey is interesting for me to play and more challenging to blueprint the entire role than any of the other movies actually."

Yet, he does admit that the added fame brought by "Spider-Man" may make studios more willing to consider him as a leading man.

"I look forward to it possibly opening up things for me or just making it less of an issue. For instance, me and Sam had to convince the studio to hire me in this picture. So if it makes that process a little easier then that's a good thing," he says.

As for the added personal fame, he sounds more conflicted.

"It's complicated," he says of the

limitations the high-profile role will place on his much-valued privacy. "I don't know, I'll just adjust."

While Maguire had no problems playing Parker, portraying Spider-Man was not as easy.

"One of the bigger challenges was how to keep the audience invested in the character and feeling what the character was feeling while he was masked and you couldn't see his expression," he says. "That's something Sam and I talked about a lot. That's where looping (some of the dialogue) helped a little bit because where it felt like it was missing or it needed something we could go in there and do a little extra touch to help."

Another challenge was getting fitted for the Spider-Man costume, which turned out to be harder than wearing the costume itself.

"I did a cast of my entire body, which was not fun because I had to stand there for a couple hours and then the stuff was sticking to the hair on my body and they ripped it off and it was extremely painful," he says. "But by the time I got to wearing it was fine."

Unlike "Batman," where they traded in the Spandex costume for a something a bit more masculine, Maguire was stuck with the body-hugging fabric because of the flexibility it offered, but he says he didn't feel silly or self-conscious in the costume.

The suit "would give you a freedom I don't otherwise feel. If I was moving around the way that Spider-Man moves without that suit on I think I'd probably feel a little silly," he laughs. "The idea of it was more embarrassing or people talking about, giggling about it before I actually had to wear it."

"I never did ask for a costume, but I think I might," he adds.

"Spider-Man" opens in theaters



KRT PHOTO  
Tobey Maguire who plays "Spider-Man" in the upcoming movie, looks at the "Spider-Man" uniform during a scene in the film due to be released May 3, 2002.

May 3, and Maguire says he can't wait to go see it himself. "I'm excited to go sneak into a theater and watch people's reaction to the film. I'm excited about the anticipation; I think we made a good film," he says.

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**LARGE LUXURY 2 BDRM TOWNS-**  
HOUSES, new construction, w/d,  
d/w, w/a, swimming, fishing, avail  
now, May & Aug, Giant City Rd,  
many extras, 549-8000.

**NEAR THE REC, 2 bdrm, 1.5 bath,**  
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**2 BDRM TOWNHOMES, water incl,**  
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**2 & 3 BDRM duplexes, available in**  
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**2 BDRM, 1 1/2 bath, w/d, d/w,**  
privacy fenced patio, unfurn, no  
pets, close to rec and underpass,  
\$530/mo, 9 mo lease or 1 year  
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Lake Beach, no pets, \$450/mo, call  
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quiet residential neighborhood, next  
to Cdale Green Earth, 549-3895 or  
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baths, w/d, d/w, a/c, starting at  
\$235/mo, avail May/Aug, no  
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2 master suites, w/whirlpool tub, 2 car  
garage, cathedral ceiling w/sky-  
light, w/d, d/w, private patio and balcony,  
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**GORDON LN, LG 2 bdrm, whirlpool**  
tub, half bath downstairs, 2 car garage,  
patio, w/d, d/w, \$850/mo, also  
avail 2 master suite version w/ fire-  
place, \$920/mo, avail July/Aug.  
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**LARGE BDRMS & lots of closet**  
space in our 2 bdrms on the hill at  
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bath, Avail Aug, \$275/person, No  
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family, Beade Dr, 3 bdrm, 2 car  
garage, breakfast nook, master suite  
whirlpool tub, porch, \$990/mo,  
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2 bdrm, unfurn, w/d hookp, no pets  
display 457-4387 or 457-7870.

**CDALE, CEDAR LAKE area, newer**  
2 bdrm, avail August, w/d, w/d, pa-  
tio, quiet, private, \$560, 618-893-  
2728.

**CDALE/MBORO, ON FARM, 1 bdrm**  
luxury, on Lake Front, d/w, fire-  
place, garage, many extras, avail  
now, May & Aug, 457-5700.

**COUNTRY, NICE 2 bdrm, small**  
pets ok, \$450/mo, ref required, avail  
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**NEAR GRAC ORCHARD lake, avail**  
now, 1 bdrm, w/carport and storage  
area, no pets, \$275/mo, 549-7400.

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luxury, on Lake Front, d/w, fire-  
place, garage, many extras, avail  
now, May & Aug, 457-5700.

**SOUTH 51, 2 bdrm, quiet locat 'n,**  
avail May, \$275/mo, 351-7199.

**Houses**

**4 bdrm- 503, 505, 511 S Ash**  
319, 321, 406, W Walnut

**3 bdrm- 321 W Walnut, 405 S Ash**  
301, 313, W Cheryl  
106, S Forest, 306 W College

**2 bdrm- 466, 324 W Walnut**

**1 bdrm- 207 W Oak, 602 W Walnut,**  
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**CALL FOR SHGWING (no pets)**  
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**3 BDRM, 1 bath, a/c, w/d, private,**  
screened porch, 1 yr lease, no pets  
avail June 15, \$650/mo, 549-6991.

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hood on dead end street, avail now,  
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**CHECK OUT ALPHA places w/d,**  
d/w, whirlpool tubs, master suites,  
garages, fenced decks, cats consid-  
ered, 1-4 bdrm, avail May-June -  
Aug, 457-8194 or 529-2013, Chris B,  
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**COUNTRY LIKE, 3 BDRM a/c, lg yd,**  
pets ok, garage, w/d, \$780/mo, 529-  
3507 or 821-3811, avail now.

**FALL 4 BLKS to campus, 2 bdrm,**  
well kept, air, w/d, no pets, lease,  
529-7518 or 684-5917.

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**HUGE 2 BDRM, nice, w/d, air, close**  
to campus, Aug 15th, pets neg,  
\$495/mo, Langley @ 624-4657.

**4 LARGE BDRMS,**  
1-2 baths, c/a, w/d,  
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**4 BDRM, 3 bdrm & 1 bdrm, all very**  
nice, no pets, call for details, 684-  
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**4 BDRM, SUPER NICE, near camp-**  
us, cathedral ceilings, hardwoods,  
1.5 bath, 549-3973, call 503-3973.

**507 W OWENS St, 3 bdrm, 1 bath,**  
newly remodeled, \$650/mo, avail  
now, call 985-4184.

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w/d, c/a, fenced yard, \$450/mo with  
a \$200 deposit, call 549-6861.

**APTS, HOUSES, & Trailers close to**  
SIU, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 bdrm, furn, call  
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**BEAUTIFUL, southwest, 1800 sq ft**  
home, exc cond, family home, avail  
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Street, avail at reduced rent for  
summer, please call Clyde Swanson  
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all amenities.

**CARBONDALE NW (2) spacious 2**  
bdrm, c/a, furn, porch, basement,  
w/d hookp, for Aug 15, \$550/mo,  
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**CDALE AREA, SPACIOUS barg-**  
ain, 2 & 3 bdrm houses, w/d, car-  
port, no pets, call 684-4145 or 684-  
6862.

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hood on dead end street, avail now,  
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**HOUSES IN THE BOONIES**  
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HURRY FEW AVAILABLE  
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**1-3000MM, 2-3400MM & 3-**  
5600MM, bdrm, a/c, gas/heat, w/d,  
some vitl, May 15, no pets, 618-  
833-5807.

**2 & 3 BDRM, c/a, w/d, nice & quiet**  
area, now, May & Aug 549-0081  
www.burkproperties.com.

**2 BDRM HOUSES avail in August,**  
on SIU bus route, no pets, call 549-  
4471.

**2 BDRM, 408 1/2 S James, \$350/mo**  
avail now, 351-0202.

**2 BDRM, 705 N James, c/a, new**  
carpet, garage, avail now, \$480/mo,  
2 bdrm w/d/water, \$480/mo, avail Aug,  
call 529-4657.

**2 BDRM, BUILT 2001, w/d, w/d, cr-**  
mated ceiling, private patio, \$620,  
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**2 BDRM, DEN, W/D HOOKUP, a/c,**  
avail now, 12/mo lease, dep, no  
pets, 529-2535.

**2-3 BDRM, W/D, c/a, 2 car garage,**  
basement, yd, formal dining room,  
\$550/mo, pets ok, 61, 687-1774.

NEW CONSTRUCTION AND newly remodeled houses on Mt. St. central a/c, dr, w/d, end, plenty of parking, please call Clyde Swanson, 549-7292 or 534-7292.

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PRIVATE COUNTRY SETTING, 3 bdrm, 2 baths, c/a, w/d, 2 covered decks, no pets, Aug lease, 549-4808.

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WEDGEWOOD HILLS, 3 bdrm house, furn, no pets, close to campus, avail Aug, 549-5557.

Mobile Homes

MUST SEE 12 bdrm trailer, \$195/mo & up!!! bus avail, Hurry, few avail, 549-3850.

1 & 2 BDRM MOBILE HOMES, close to campus, \$225-\$400/mo, water & trash included, no pets, call 548-4471.

2 BDRM HOMES, water, sewer, fresh pick-up and lawn care, lawn-care on premises, Glendon MHP, 616 E Park, 457-6405, Roxanne MHP, 2301 S Illinois Ave, 549-4711.

2 BDRM, UNFURNISHED trailer, pets ok, trash incl, \$285/mo, references are required, call 457-5631.

2 BDRMS, AVAIL May, trash pickup, w/d hook-up, c/a, gas heat, call 584-5224.

3 BDRM, 2 bath, sun-kn garden tub, c/a, w/d, \$400/mo, private lot, avail 8/1, 687-1774.

BE-ALRE MOBILE HOME park, new 1, 2 & 3 bdrms, d/w, w/d, furn, a/c, avail spring, summer & fall, starting at \$200/mo, for more info call, 618-529-1422.

CARBONDALE, 2 BDRM, located in quiet park, \$150-\$475/mo, call 529-2432 or 684-2663.

CD/DALE, \$235/mo, EXC NEWLY REMODELED, VERY CLEAN 1 bdrm duplex, between Logan/SIU, gas, water, trash, lawn care incl, no pets, 229-5674 or 534-4795, rentapartnerincarbonadale.com

CD/DALE, 1 BDRM, \$225/mo, 2 bdrm \$250-\$400/mo, water, gas, lawn & trash incl, no pets, 800-293-4407.

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LOW COST HOUSING, don't miss out for summer and fall, 2 bed, \$225-\$450/mo, pet ok, 529-4444.

MOBILE HOME, 2 mi east of CD/DAle, 2 bdrm, very clean, water, trash, lawn care included, w/d, c/a, NO PETS, 549-3043.

MOBILE HOMES FROM \$175-\$400, water incl, no pets, 529-4301.

NICE 1 & 2 BDRM on SIU bus route, maintenance on site, \$190-\$275, avail now, May & Aug, call 549-8000.

NOW RENTING FOR Aug, 2 bdrm, no pets, clean, after 5/1, SIU bus route, call 549-1600.

SPACIOUS 2 BDRM, very nice, w/d hook-up, water & trash provided, \$350/mo, 967-6354 or 534-2763.

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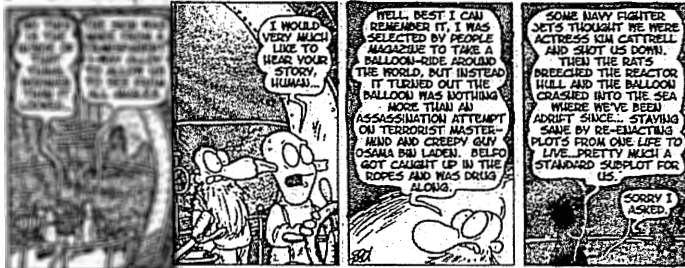
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## Dormant Life

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No Dogs Allowed!

By Nick Day



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## Daily Horoscopes

By Linda C. Black

**Birthday (April 25)** You could do quite well in business this year. Find a need and fill it. It's something for which you have a natural talent. This is going to be a lot of work, but nothing you can't handle.

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 7 - Your brain is bubbling over with questions, ideas and creativity. Luckily, you have somebody to talk to about it.

**Taurus (April 20-May 20)** - Today is a 7 - Your financial concerns should be alleviated soon. The work you've been doing will increase in value. If you stick to your budget, you'll achieve abundance.

**Gemini (May 21-June 21)** - Today is a 7 - You're getting stronger in more ways than one. Venus, the planet symbolizing love, is going into your sign. Mars, for assertion, is already there. So is Saturn, for experience.

**Cancer (June 22-July 22)** - Today is a 7 - Want to brighten up your home at a price you can afford? Martha Stewart has nothing on you! Use your imagination and show her how it should be done.

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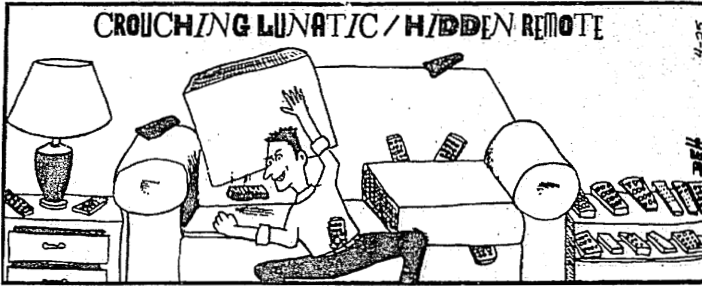
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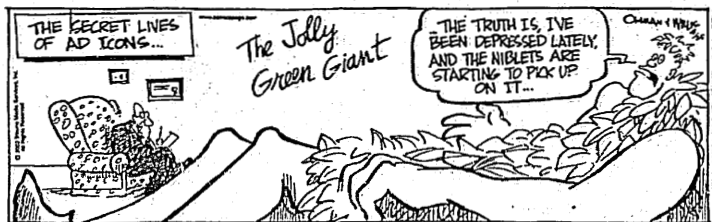
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## SPORTS BRIEFS

## BASEBALL

## Baughman to attend leadership conference

Saluki baseball player Nick Baughman has been selected to represent SIU at the 2002 NCAA Foundation Leadership Conference to take place May 26-30 in Lake Buena Vista, Fla.

Baughman, a sophomore from Bloomington, was one of 300 athletes selected to attend the event, which will be hosted at Disney's Wide World of Sports and Coronado Springs Resort.

A history major, Baughman has a 3.854 grade point average and was selected because of his academic achievements, community service involvement, his role as baseball representative on the Student Athletic Advisory Board and his strong oral and written communication skills.

This is the sixth annual leadership conference, which was created in 1996 by the NCAA Foundation in conjunction with the CHAMPS/Life Skills Program.

## GOLF

## Men picked to finish 7th

The SIU men's golf team was picked to finish 7th in the Missouri Valley Conference, which begins Monday in Springfield, Mo., in a pre-conference

tournament coach's poll.

Wichita State earned the top spot in the poll with 76 points, including six first place votes. The Shockers were closely followed by Illinois State, which earned 71 points and one first place vote. Drake and Evansville each earned a first place vote as well.

The Salukis earned 28 points, with no votes for first place.

## Kolmer named golfer of the week

SIU senior Brian Kolmer was named the Missouri Valley Conference Men's Golfer of the Week Wednesday.

Kolmer shot a season-low 70 at the Inaugural Bullet Illinois State Intercollegiate Championship April 22.

Kolmer also made the All-State team, along with teammate Brad Dunker.

## SPORTS CLUBS

## Water Ski Club third in Cincinnati

The SIU water ski club placed third this weekend at the Brew-Ski Classic on Extreme Water Sports Lake just outside of Cincinnati.

Maggie Williams and Brandon Waters each recorded first place finishes for SIU. Williams took home four titles, winning the women's overall, wakeboard, slalom and trick events, and Waters won the men's wakeboard and jump contests.

## CUSICK

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problems. And while everyone has their problems, some are more consequential and exposed than others. The irony here is that the passage-way to a better life indeed is basketball for some families. So in all actuality, you could say that basketball is life under these circumstances.

A lot of people criticize guys to not end for skipping out on college. They say for every success story like Kevin Garnett or Darius Miles, there's notorious tales of Leon Smith and Korleone Young.

Oftentimes the guys that aren't ready and have no business trying to make the jump are victims of questionable advice from hangers-on, sports agents, summer league coaches and so forth. And like any other job or profession, some guys are going to fall through the cracks.

I'm not advising anyone who can play a little ball to blow off college and wait to get drafted. All I'm saying is that for the NBA no-doubters, even if it means pine time the first few years, you've got to respect their choice to go.

Still, people shake their heads and call these guys everything from babies to greedy. But in reality, who's being greedy? Who's being

the baby? Dick Vitale can moan and whine all day about how these young guys skipping out on school is ruining the college game. That's easy to say when you sit courtside at every game and return home to a safe, cozy neighborhood or a five-star hotel.

The prospect that a high school phenom may skip out on school has greatly affected the college game. It's changed the way coaches recruit and the way fans feel about their teams.

And it is hurting college basketball, no doubt about it. But it's also aiding single-parent families across the country, who, without basketball, would continue to struggle each and every day. If it was your mother or your father or your little brothers and sisters stuck in a situation, what would you do?

Now maybe this is because I'm young and haven't had as much life exploration as some people, but I always thought you went to college to earn your degree so you can get a good-paying job that you enjoy/tolerate.

If you want to play professional basketball, and are one of a select few in the world talented enough to do so, why not jump at the chance if school really isn't your thing? Society doesn't frown upon construction workers or iron workers

who choose to go and work their tails off straight out of high school. That's what they want to do for a living, and more power to them.

Look around your classrooms. Ask some of your fellow students this question for me. Are you working hard in your studies because you want to learn? Or do you want a good grade so you can graduate and move forward in life? I know what my answer is.

If Sports Illustrated recruited me out of high school, promised me a job and said that within five years I'd be a regular contributing writer if I worked hard enough, this column would be the tumbleweed blowing across my forsaken college career. It's a stretch, I know, but you get the point.

That's just my two cents. Some people love every aspect of college life, and that's great. But not everybody is meant to go to college. Some people already know what they want to do in life and are ready to start doing it.

And for those of you out there gifted enough to do so, I say make that jump. Because sometimes dreams do come true, so take the opportunity and run with it. Go ahead and give it the no-college try.

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## Recent technological advancements push some to take second look at golf balls

Ed Sherman  
Chicago Tribune

(KRT) When Phil Mickelson confronted the changes at Augusta National this year, he flashed back to the first time he played the Masters in 1991.

He noted 11 years ago he hit driver, 8-iron on the 18th. Now with the hole 65 yards longer in 2002, he still only needed a 3-wood, 7-iron.

"I found that golf course is playing the same for me as it did in 1991 before all the technological advancements," Mickelson said.

Technology continues to be a double-edged sword for golf. It has been great for the recreational players, making the game easier if that's possible. At the very least, the latest clubs and balls can make the average slasher momentarily feel like Tiger Woods if he catches a downwind drive perfectly.

But technology has been terrible for golf courses, especially those that play host to professional tournaments. The longer the pros get, the more obsolete the layouts become. At most venues, players only grab for a 5-iron or less if they are trying to reach the green in two on a 560-yard par 5.

Courses are reacting by stretching their holes to the limits. This year's U.S. Open at Bethpage State Park in Farmingdale, N.Y., will play to a par 70, 7,214 yards, the longest ever. This comes on the heels of Augusta National playing 285 yards longer.

At the rate technology and the players are moving, those distances will seem like pitch-and-put layouts in a few years. With courses running out of real estate, the technology issue has come to the forefront again.

Augusta National Chairman Hootie Johnson put a different spin on the debate when he suggested the Masters might have to be played with a special, scaled-back ball in the future. The thought generated quite a reaction.

"People were glad that we were heightening the debate on the con-

cern for the game and the way it is going," Johnson said.

Jack Nicklaus continues to be the most vocal on the subject. Just bring it up and he can go on for 20 minutes without taking a breath. He has been preaching for years about the need for something to be done to rein in equipment, especially the ball.

"We don't have a dozen courses in this country distance-wise that can handle where the ball goes (for the pros)," Nicklaus said. "If we took it back 10 percent, we would have thousands."

"How do you change Augusta National in six, seven years time for the guy who hits the ball 360 yards," Gary Norman added.

Another heavy hitter, Arnold Palmer, agrees. Like Nicklaus and Norman, Palmer also views the subject from his perspective as a golf course architect.

"As an intelligent group of people - manufacturers, rules people, tournament sponsors, we need to really think about slowing down the golf ball," Palmer said. "I don't think you stop the technology on golf clubs. But with one stroke with the ball, you can bring all the great golf courses back to where they were years ago. I don't think there are many playing golf today professionally who wouldn't agree with that."

Indeed, there does seem to be a growing sentiment that the pros should be playing with a tournament ball. Tiger Woods noted that while his clubs are rather old-school (conventional-length shafts), his Nike ball generates extra distance because of the way it bores through the wind.

Nicklaus and others argue that if the aerodynamics were reduced for the pros, the integrity of the game would be better preserved.

"Eventually I think they are going to make (tournament ball) specs, and say, 'OK, Titleist, Nike, Precept and Callaway, use your own aerodynamics, but you need to make a golf ball that fits within this parameter,'" Nicklaus said.

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# Saafir honored to be thought of as leader

*Tahira Saafir is a senior on the SIU softball team. Saafir is one of the team leaders and top defensive players on a Saluki squad that is tied for second place in the MVC. She recently took some time off to speak with Jenn Deju of the DAILY EGYPTIAN.*

**Daily Egyptian:** How would you describe yourself as a player?



Tahira Saafir: I consider myself a leader, and I take pride in my defense, and I just work hard at hitting. Offensively, I'm a scrapper. I just try to put the ball on the ground and run. Defensively, I just take pride in making plays.

**DE:** Off the field?

**TS:** I would say fun. I get my work done, but as soon as that last paper's done, I like to go out and have a good time with my friends and just chill basically.

**DE:** What are your plans for life after SIU?

**TS:** I want to teach. I'm an elementary ed major, so I want to teach little kids and then maybe eventually someday coach and have kids — and two and a half karats on my ring finger.

**DE:** Who's been your biggest inspiration in either softball or life?

**TS:** My parents. My dad taught me how to play when I was like six, and my mom's kept my head straight and tried to give me some focus in life. They keep me going; they're my biggest fans. They come to every home game, make a five-hour trip just to see me play for three games, so they inspire me to do the best I can in life and on the field.

**DE:** How much pride do you take in your defense?

**TS:** A lot. I come out here every day and I just work hard on it, and this past weekend I had a couple of mistakes and it just really ticked me off, so Sunday I was coming out fired up, ready to stop everything in between first and second base, and that's just what I love doing. I love to make the big play; I love to get down and dirty.

**DE:** How much of an honor is it to be looked to as a leader?

**TS:** It's a huge honor, but sometimes there might be a lit-

tle pressure because if I'm having a bad day, they can see it, and I'm not saying the whole practice goes down, but if I'm not out there talking and getting everyone going, then sometimes I just feel like it's a little bit of a lull. But it's great to know that they look up to me and they respect me as a player and as a leader.

**DE:** Earlier in the year, you broke your thumb, and not only did you not miss any games, but you were right back out there diving around like usual. What does that say about you as a player?

**TS:** I just take pride in the game. I was talking to Kerri when it happened and I'm like, "I'm playing; don't try to replace me," ... I mean, yeah it hurt, but it's my senior year; I wasn't ready to sit out. I just wanted to deal with the pain and come back and play ball.

**DE:** Why did you decide to come play at SIU?

**TS:** Well actually, I got a scholarship to Lewis University up north. I played there for a year. Me and the coach had a lot of differences, so at the end of the year, actually midway through the year, I was just out there playing just to get through the year. I just needed a break from softball, so I took a year off. I came down to Southern because I liked the campus and some of my friends were down here, and then after a year off, I was like, "I have to get back, so I just went to Kerri, and she knew who I was, and I just told her I wanted to play again. She welcomed me with open arms, and I just started playing.

**DE:** Favorite actor?

**TS:** Anyone who looks good with a shirt off in a movie, like Denzel or Brad Pitt. Any hottie would be my favorite.

**DE:** Favorite movie?

**TS:** I don't have a favorite movie. I guess "A Time to Kill" was up there.

**DE:** Favorite TV show?

**TS:** That's "Friends."

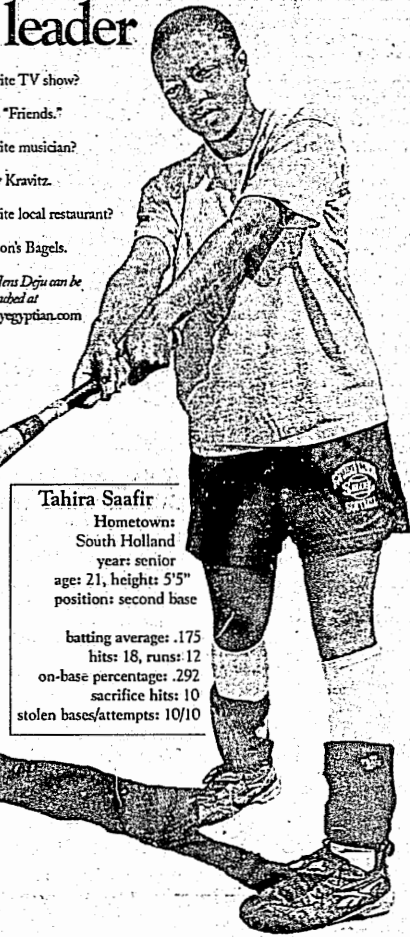
**DE:** Favorite musician?

**TS:** Lenny Kravitz.

**DE:** Favorite local restaurant?

**TS:** Winston's Bagels.

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**Tahira Saafir**  
 Hometown: South Holland  
 year: senior  
 age: 21, height: 5'5"  
 position: second base

batting average: .175  
 hits: 18, runs: 12  
 on-base percentage: .292  
 sacrifice hits: 10  
 stolen bases/attempts: 10/10

# Top University of Illinois sprinter finds Illinois 'perfect fit'

**Joe Caughlin**  
 Daily Illini (U. Illinois)

**CHAMPAIGN (U-WIRE)** — After two years of running track at Clemson University in South Carolina, senior sprinter Anthony Moorman has found his home at Illinois.

Originally from Streamwood, Ill., Moorman came to Illinois after he realized Clemson wasn't right for him,

although he made friends and accomplished much in South Carolina.

"Here feels like a perfect fit," Moorman said. "My mom wanted me to come home, and I am just having fun now."

Moorman said he is having fun and building a resume at the same time.

He has become one of the best sprinters in the country. He was a four-time All-American before coming to

the University. Now that he's home, he is a team leader and an inspiration to the squad.

Senior jumper and friend Charles Burton said, "He is a real hard worker with a positive attitude. If you are not pulling your load, he will be on your back."

Sprint coach Erin Tucker said, "At the beginning, I needed to find someone that understood all I needed to be

done. Anthony and Kendall (McCroy), both All-Americans, were the ones for that." McCroy is also a senior sprinter.

Moorman's problems at Clemson University are a thing of the past. Although he suffered injuries, Burton said he now is running better and faster.

At Clemson, Moorman had hamstringing and foot problems. His foot problem, known as plantar fasciitis, kept him from practicing at 100 percent

for a lot of his time at Clemson.

His hamstringing problem continued for awhile at the University. Moorman said every now and then there is still tightness, but he is confident he is ok.

"He pulled himself up from adversity, and he is taking the team with him," said senior runner Jason Van Swol.

Burton added: "(The adversity) is something the team can feed from."

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# Israeli sisters heat up Saluki women's track and field

Samantha Robinson  
Daily Egyptian

Having your sister around all the time might seem annoying, but the Turevsky sisters wouldn't have it any other way.

Inna and Rimma Turevsky of the SIU women's track and field team are three and a half years apart, but interact with one another as if they were closer in age.

While in Russia, the sisters' home country, they participated in skiing, ice skating and swimming.

"Me and my sister both did those things," Rimma said. "There is only a three and a half year difference between us so we are real close. We did everything together."

There is not much the sisters don't do together. They spend most of their time shopping, at the movies or just sitting around talking.

"We really don't have a favorite thing to do — we just do whatever," Inna said.

But the sisters see each other mainly at practice and on the weekends because they both have a busy schedule during the day.

Rimma, a junior, and Inna, a freshman, have been competing in the high and triple jumps for a combined total of 17 years.

Inna began in gymnastics, but switched to track and field because of her sister.

"I got tired of gymnastics and didn't really like it anymore," Inna said. "Rimma and her coach thought I would be good in track and field, so I tried it and liked it."



Inna Turevsky leans over to adjust her starting blocks during her practice Monday. Turevsky and her sister, Rimma, are both on the track team, however Rimma has not been practicing or competing this season because of a back injury.

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Rimma believed that track and field would be better for her sister because she would be able to compete longer than she would have in gymnastics. She wanted Inna to be able to earn a scholarship so she encouraged her to try track and field because she thought it could be a

springboard for her education.

Rimma was first introduced to SIU by a friend from Israel, where they moved to from Russia. For Inna, her college choice was not a hard decision.

"I knew I was going to come to SIU because my sister was here and I wanted to be where she was," Inna said.

During Rimma's first year, she won the 2000 Missouri Valley Conference Indoor Championship in the triple jump. She is now fourth on the SIU all-time performance list in the triple jump.

"I did good my first year in the triple jump and OK in the long," Rimma said. "I just wish I could have competed last season to improve."

Rimma had to sit out last season to heal from an injury to her back. Since then, she has been going through physical therapy and trying to recover.

Unable to compete, she attends meets and helps the officials with measuring distances. Her time is divided between school, recovery and cheering her sister on.

"Since I cannot compete, I go and support my sister. I am happy

for her and like that she is having good results," Rimma said.

With only one season under her belt, Inna produced solid marks in both the triple and long jump. She has a personal best of 39 feet, 8 1/2 inches, which she set during the 2002 MVC indoor championships.

Women's assistant coach Dee Nathan said both ladies are sweet and a joy to work with. The sisterly bond between them is evident when they are together.

They both are pleasant ladies. I haven't had much contact with Rimma as her coach, but she is a good athlete," Nathan said. "Inna is an excellent jumper and just a talented young lady."

Before attending SIU, the Turevskys had already created impressive resumes.

Competing together at the Senior Israeli Championships, Inna placed second in the triple jump, while Rimma took first. For Inna, it was exciting to compete with her sister and both of them take the top spots.

"It was fun. I was glad to be competing with my sister and both of us do so well," Inna said.

Nathan said she has good experi-

ences working with the two and enjoys having them around.

"They are two sisters that are both good athletes and very easygoing," Nathan said. "I am excited about what Inna is doing and after another year, she should surpass the record."

After they are finished with school, the sisters are unsure what they will do. For now, they are looking toward going back home and working.

Inna is pursuing a degree in engineering technology while Rimma will be graduating in December with degrees in foreign language and international trade.

The sisters have only been apart during the time Rimma was in college before Inna. Any other time they have been together and plan on being near one another as long as possible.

"I would like to stay and attend graduate school here since my sister is here," Rimma said. "It has been good having her close, and I want to stay near as long as possible."

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Rimma and Inna Turevsky spend some time together at McAndrew Stadium Tuesday afternoon while Inna takes a break from her workout.

## SEMO

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when Haley Viehhaus hit a fly ball into right field that appeared deep enough to score pinch runner Kendra Moore from third. However, Eklund unleashed a laser to nail Moore at home for the inning-ending double play.

Thanks to the defense, the Salukis were able to shut out SEMO for the final six innings to seal the win.

SEMO had one last shot in the bottom of the seventh inning with runners on second and third with two outs, but Harre got out of the jam when the final Otahkian hitter grounded out harmlessly to third.

Harre, who has now won six games in a row, retired 16 of 17 hitters from the third out of the first inning to the first hitter of the seventh inning to improve her record to 16-8.

"We made a couple of good plays," Blylock said. "Haley Viehhaus made a couple of good plays, Adie made a couple of good plays, Amy threw well, so I thought we did very good there at the end to shut them down."

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Tana Trapani, Kari Stark and Alejandra Blanco (left to right) will be the only players from this season's Saluki tennis team that will return in the fall.



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## The no-college try

Go to college? Go for the millions? Classes, dorm food and Final Four fantasies? Practices, hotel meals and dreams of playing time?

Get that degree for mom? Get mom that huge new house and treat her to everything else she deserves?

It's the plight of an 18-year-old basketball prodigy.

As college underclassmen and high school seniors begin announcing their life-altering decisions, the debate continues. How young is too young?

The NBA Draft has become a time for adolescent superstars to stroll across a platform into manhood for the second time in what becomes their most momentous summer ever. That first platform stroll, of course, being their high school graduation.

And while this trend is certainly crippling college basketball, can we really condemn it as a bad thing? Besides, athletes in other sports have been giving college the ol' skip-a-roo for years. The only difference now is that it's predominately poor black teens doing it.

So who am I to tell a young man he can't fulfill his lifelong dream, and in doing so, move his family into a safer environment?

Sure, I wish all the high school greats could play at least a few years of college ball, but life isn't always fair. Most of these young men understand this firsthand. And while I have the utmost respect for the Shane Battiers who stay in college all four years despite the lure of NBA cash, I can't disrespect anyone for pursuing other avenues.

As a young boy, I always watched the college game and dreamed of playing in a Final Four, not the NBA Finals. College basketball has always had a sacred place in my heart. As you get older, though, dreams often remain what they are. But it's some of the harsher realities of life that tend to pop up unexpectedly.

And most of these high schoolers — as well as a handful of college underclassmen — entering the draft grew up in impoverished, crime-ridden inner city streets. Their families are left there when they go off to school. We are all well aware that senseless tragedies occur far too often in these type of environments, creating far too many innocent victims. So, can you really blame them?

I don't know about you, but I couldn't tell anyone to pass on that ticket.

In a perfect world, everybody would have the opportunity to go to college. In a perfect world, all the best athletes would represent different areas of the country for their respective collegiate teams and we'd get to watch some phenomenal basketball Madness from Midnight through March.

But, and this is hard for me to swallow, there is more to life than basketball. People have

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## Life goes on for women's tennis

Salukis ready to place 2002 season behind them

Michael Brenner  
Daily Egyptian

To call the SIU women's tennis season a losing one would be like saying the state of Georgia lost to General Sherman during his march to the sea at the end of the Civil War.

The Salukis suffered through more than just a losing 2002 season. They were crippled by injuries all year long, watching their roster shrink as the losses piled up. By the end of their last match, they had only two healthy players, down from the regulation six most teams enjoy.

The Salukis will attend the conference tournament this year, but only as spectators. Their roster was small enough for the Missouri Valley Conference to grant them an exemption from the conference tournament. SIU also forfeited its final two matches of the regular season.

But the team that could not catch a break all season sees light at the end of the tunnel and is looking to the future, which it believes could be far more prosperous.

"I want to leave it in the dust," said sophomore Alejandra Blanco, who will make a run at the No. 1 position next season. "It's going to be a new year. New year. New life."

Though the team wants to put the 2002 season behind, freshman Kari Stark said the team will not forget it.

Stark was able to find the silver lining in the now completed season and plans to exploit the season's positive side as much as possible in the fall.

"We're going to try to shove the record out of

our mind, but I think all of us have become stronger from this season, so we're going to use some of that for next year," said Stark, naming character and ability to adapt as benefits. "We'll shove the bad part out and keep the good part in."

Blanco, Stark and Tana Trapani, who missed most of the season with a hip injury, will anchor the next generation of Saluki tennis. They will be the only holdovers from the 2002 season, and head coach Judy Auld said she is thrilled with her new core of talent, though she is disappointed to see senior Erika Ochso move on.

Auld said the three are not only good players, but hard workers and a great trio to build her team around.

"I think they're definitely going to be a good nucleus," Auld said. "They will set the tone for the entire year, and I think they can really determine the success of the team."

Auld believes Blanco, Stark and Trapani will be great assets in dealing with new recruits. She just hopes she can find some of them to complement the trio, one of two major variables for next season. The other is Trapani's hip.

Auld has sent out five scholarship offers for next season and thinks she has a shot at bringing in all five, including a Canadian player Auld believes could play No. 1 if she chooses SIU. The player's names could not be released because of NCAA regulations.

The team has most likely secured two new recruits so far. One player has already been signed, but could not be named because the paperwork has yet to go through. The team is also expecting Blanco's younger sister, Maria, to make the trip from Guadalajara, Mexico, to join the Salukis in the fall.

Auld has no idea who will fill the other spots,

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Judy Auld  
head coach, women's tennis

though she is hoping to recruit at least five. All she can do is wait.

"It's like Russian roulette," Auld said of recruiting. "You load the gun, but it's their choice after you make the offers."

The Salukis are also waiting to see what will become of Trapani's injury. The redshirt sophomore is still experiencing problems with her hip joint, which is stretched, causing her hip to move in and out of the joint, causing swelling and pain.

Trapani expects the injury to heal by the fall season, but if it doesn't, she wants to play through it.

"It better be healed," Trapani said. "I suppose there's a chance it may not, but if it doesn't, and I hope it will, I'll learn to manage it."

Healthy or not, Trapani, along with Stark and Blanco, plans to put a world of pressure on the new players because she said the team has had enough of losing.

"After this season, I don't think anyone is going to put up with any slackers on the team, so the freshmen are in for it," Trapani said. "They'll have to work up to Kari and Alejandra's standards."

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## Saluki softball defeats SEMO for the fourth time in a row

SIU takes first game, second called due to adverse weather

Jens Deju  
Daily Egyptian

In sights that have become quite familiar to the SIU softball team, the Salukis won a close game behind solid pitching and timely hits and had another game canceled because of poor weather.

The Salukis took game one of Wednesday's scheduled doubleheader, 3-1 against Southeast Missouri State at the Southeast Softball Complex in Cape Girardeau, Mo., before lightning and impending rain and storms canceled game two with SIU up 1-0 in the second inning.

The Salukis (27-14, 13-6 Missouri Valley Conference) have now won four straight games against the Ozarkians (12-24), including three this season.

SIU starter Amy Harre and SEMO starter Kelly Birk both had

solid showings, but the difference was a pair of errors by the Ozarkians that led to two unearned runs for SIU.

Harre pitched all seven innings, striking out nine and giving up just three hits and one run. Birk also went the distance, giving up seven hits and three runs, only one of which was earned.

An RBI groundout by designated player Kelly Creek scoring Katie Jordan from third base in the top of the first gave SIU the early lead, but it would not last long.

In the bottom half of the inning, a

double by SEMO outfielder Courtney Eklund scored Katie Cernela all the way from first base.

The Salukis retook the lead in the second when a three-base error put outfielder Maria Damico on third base. Damico came home to score on another error on a grounder to third by first baseman Jami Weddle.

SIU's final run of the game was driven in by shortstop Adie Viehhaus when her single up the middle scored pinch runner Tara Glasco.

SIU head coach Kerri Blaylock was proud of the way her team came out

early, but thought they fell off as the game progressed.

"We jumped on them immediately and then we went through a couple of innings where we didn't score and I thought we kind of got flat and that's the only thing," Blaylock said. "I thought the defense for the most part played very well. We got the runs when we needed and pitching was good."

In the top of the fifth inning, the Salukis had another chance to score

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