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Censoring Newspaper

A reliable source has informed The Grizzly that the College faculty and administration is in a state of upsurge because of an ad published in last week's issue of the newspaper. Apparently, an ad printed on page five dealt with an organization in California that sells research papers dealing with all academic subjects. This advertisement, the faculty believes, is a direct contradiction of the views of the new Dean of the College, William E. Akin, whose goals were also printed in last week's ad.

The article stated that "although Akin is still in the process of feeling out his role as disciplinarian of Ursinus, he already feels strongly on two issues: cheating and plagiarism."

The faculty believes that this contradiction of priorities is an extremely embarrassing situation for the dean. Furthermore, at a meeting of the Library Committee held on Wednesday, September 26, it was implied that this was a deliberate oversight on the part of The Grizzly. For this reason, the Committee is investigating the possibility of editing future Grizzly advertisements, and possibly withholding any information that is not in accordance with the morals of the college. Some faculty members at the meeting stated that "one problem on campus was that some students use other students' research papers."

Other members of the Library Committee "believed that they had recollection" of an agreement "years ago" between the college and the campus newspaper about what material should or should not be edited by the faculty. However, this fact was quite unclear and nothing definite was enlightened. This is still under investigation.

The editorial staff of The Grizzly maintains that since the paper is run entirely by students, it should be up to them to decide what material should or should not be published. The more implication that the faculty is threatening to censor the campus newspaper, "the voice of the students," is an extreme outrage in itself.

Committee Discusses Campus Problems

By Diana Dakay

The new Campus Life Committee held its first meeting on Wednesday, September 19 and discussed topics concerning student attitude and behavior and the influence of Greek societies on campus.

Guests, which included representatives from fraternities, sororities, and campus organizations, were invited to express their ideas on student attitudes and/or the influence of Greek societies on campus.

Topics raised at the meeting included: responsibilities of a student for his/her behavior relating to parties and respect for others; how fraternities and sororities can direct student attitudes; the resident assistants' responsibility in regard to promoting respect among students; alternative housing policies; and getting the day students involved in campus activities.

The committee plans to handle the question of student responsibility by running a detailed survey on the students' feelings about the noise problem, housing alternatives, and responsibility for damage and party policy. The solution to these problems must come from the students.

Committee members will be in contact with resident assistants in order to find out about problems they have had and could avoid in the future.

Tentatively, plans are also being made to hold an open forum in the spring semester which would include a panel discussion about any concerns the students may have. Faculty and board members will be present if any student wishes to voice his/her concerns.

The committee meetings are open to anyone and the next meeting will be held on October 17. New students will be invited to give their opinions on various matters concerning current campus issues. All opinions and problems will be brought up and discussed at the faculty meetings.

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Baltz Mellows Union With "Jenny"

by Jennifer Bassett

Ron Baltz and guitar "Jenny" gave another electrical performance on September 20 in the Union. After the College Bowl, the time until Baltz's 9:00 performance seemed to fritter away too slowly as the crowd grew larger and more anxious to hear the already popular Baltz, who has gained quite a reputation as a performer.

Unlike some previous coffeehouses at Ursinus, there was never a dull moment. Baltz had a rock repertoire that varied from the mellowness of James Taylor and Cat Stevens to the rowdiness of The Who and Jethro Tull. He also covered songs by Dan Fogelberg, the Grateful Dead, himself, are why more keep participating.

His Neil Young numbers sounded better than Young himself, since they lacked Young's characteristic nasal whine. The final abundance of applause was rewarded by two encore, "Rocky Racoon" and "Tequila Sunrise."

As Baltz's reputation grows, so does his audience, and last Thursday was a recordbreaker. His musical talent and the fact that he tries to "touch all the bases," as he told the audience himself, are why more keep coming back.

Ron Baltz performs with his guitar "Jenny" in the Union last Thursday.

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Fago, Pilgrim Receive Lindback

Dr. George C. Fago, associate professor of psychology and Dr. John D. Pilgrim, associate professor of economics, were awarded the Lindback Award, the highest honor Ursinus College bestowed for excellence in teaching.

Dr. Fago is chairman of the psychology department and Dr. Pilgrim is chairman of the economics and business administration department.

Promotions in rank and/or tenure were recently approved by the Ursinus College board of directors for the following faculty members:

Dr. Peter F. Small was promoted from assistant to associate professor, and received tenure; Adele P. Boyd, health and physical education department; Dr. Joyce E. Henry, English department, and Maha C. Takas, physics department also received merit.

Promotions from instructor to assistant professor were granted to Dr. Stewart R. Doughty, history department; Judy T. Butler, health and physical education department; and Dr. Juan Espadon, Romance Languages department. Espadon also received tenure.

The tenure was also granted to Dr. Robert V. Cogger, professor of education, and Robert R. Davidson, assistant professor of health and physical education and athletic director.

The Varsant Fund allocation for student research projects in the 1979-80 academic year have been awarded to three Ursinus College chemistry professors. Senior chemistry majors at Ursinus will conduct the projects.

Dr. Ray K. Schultz and students Richard Kowey, Susan Malin, and Michael Eddinger, Dr. Ronald E. Hess with student, Arthur Petrollo, and Department Chairman Roger P. Staiger, with student Jeffrey Hinkle, will participate.

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The Walk Upon Stranger Roads
by Loo Battish

It was 2:30 a.m. and I was just approaching the gates of Zeeville, when I heard the lock on my door open. I figured it was the jerk down the hall on one of his late night food runs carding his way into my room, so I ignored him. The cold metal of his machine gun against the back of my neck startled me. Suddenly, his guttural voice violated the tranquility that early morning, "Hey punk, where are they?" he demanded. I thought for sure he was one of those fry babies from the first floor, but instead, he was an inhuman, feebly minded game "Thief". I knew I got caught; his headinside my closet," I told him, and with that he smashed the door with his rifle butt. I leaped down from my top bunk only to find some six-foot animal rummaging through my belongings. "What are you doing, nimrod?" I asked him, and he repeatedly hit my head with his rifle. When I rebounded off the wall, he bel­ lowed, "You lied to me punk! There aren't any eggs in here!" "Eggs?? Are you crazy or something?" "Don't lie to me anymore. I know you're the one taking eggs at the security guard every night."
"You got it wrong, man, it wasn't me. I'm just a harmless guy and the marauder. He's probably up there now."

With that he took off with his four other SWAT comrades for the roof. As they scaled the walls they were pelted by eggs and mung from above, but fearless and dedicated, they forged on. They finally reached the roof and drew their weapons. Before the marauder could unleash another deadly egg, he was gunned down by an army of bullets and his body fell from the roof to the pavement with a splat.

The five law enforcers, all of foreign origins, were ideally equipped at an awards ceremony the next day. All major papers and networks were on hand to cover the incident, for brave heroes had once again preserved the ideals of an eggless democracy.

I've been studying all week for my Fine Arts test. I almost skipped dinner, but I figured the socializing world would give me a mind a chance to sort things out. My GPA is riding on this exam, I cannot afford to fail.

When I passed the ID check at the door, I found an #80 line ahead of me. Being a Wismer veteran, I figured I'd easily spend ten minutes in line, so I decided to scope out a date for Friday night.

With nothing on the immediate horizon, I started talking to this girl in front of me who is in my Spanish class. We exchanged a few Spanish words and then engaged in a meaningful discussion of correct uses of the preterit. I knew the girl was interested, because she asked me where I was studying that night. But I didn't want to be bothered by her; she's a hag. Suddenly my eyes caught sight of a gorgeous young lady a ways ahead of me in line. My heart almost stopped. She's the girl of my dreams — I couldn't believe it.

I spent the next few minutes working on a good opening line. Everything had to be perfect, or else she'd think I was a dork. Finally, I had my game plan formulated: it would be a chance meeting over at the milk dispenser.

The girl was about to select an entire, when she suddenly stepped out of line and bolted from the cafeteria. I couldn't figure out her problem, but somehow I felt responsible. My date was gone. It must have been the milk.

When I got to the food counter, I was able to understand why she left. If I knew where she went, I'd have never come to the milk dispenser.

Life In Your Nasal Passage

Thank You System

by Rick Morris

Periodically, even the dullest lives are brightened by an unexpected event. Surprising events may come in any form and at any time, and when they do appear one has no difficulty recognizing them. The thing that makes them so unmistakable is the fact that they always touch an individual's life and restore hope where one had previously lost it. I wouldn't bring this to the reader's attention if not for the fact that I was fortunate enough to have had just such a moment touch my life this week and I feel compelled to share it with someone.

It was 2:00 a.m. on Monday morning and I was sitting in my room playing backgammon when there was a friendly tapping at my door. I was greeted by a security guard and State Police Officer Miller who were allegedly looking for a pack of weasels. In an effort to avoid the usual routine, the officer forgot to mention that he was on a major case in search of an underground ring of egg smugglers, but his memory was stable enough to remember to request access to my room to search for marijuana. Not realizing there was a serious drug problem tied in with the aforementioned band of criminals who were splitting the sidewalks with chicken embryos, I denied the officer admittance to my quarters by feigning to be locked out. Upon my return five minutes later, I noticed the state trooper had cloaked a few reproductions of himself and had instructed them to search my room. Initially, I was concerned about the actions of these upstanding law enforcers, but I quickly came to my senses and realized that these men were acting in my best interest.

Recalling that Officer Miller had smelled marijuana coming from my room the night before, my personal deity for the protection I was receiving, for I knew that this man with the acute nasal senses would see I was being honored. I didn't fully appreciate the officer's efforts during the incident, but reflecting upon it now, I'm sure that if the trooper was smoking marijuana in the air, Trooper Miller was guaranteeing that I'd be protected from the innocent victim whom he honored. In addition to looking out for me, this patriot also displayed extreme concern for the welfare of my hall brothers. To the naive person whose not so scrutinizing eye glances merely at the surface of things, Miller's actions may not appear community oriented. But if not for the commotion he strategically created in the hallway, the members of Curtis 2 would have remained asleep and possibly gone the entire school year unaware of the potential danger that the other could have handled hot dogs again.
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with a winning time 27:58. Spectators saw red and gold across the line to capture the next eight places. Pat Walker finished a strong second followed closely by Bob Farrell and Roland Deslites, third and fourth respectively. Finishing the scoring for Ursinus was Brian Clark in fifth place.

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Houston 23, Cleveland 17

Both teams coming off emotional wins. Can Browns put back-to-back super efforts together against quality teams? Oilers have developed knack of winning most of their close games.

Buffalo 31, Baltimore 23

Bills’ Ferguson to Butler combo brings back memories of old NFL days. A really fun team to watch. Together against quality teams?

Cincy 29, Oakland 15

Oakland 21, Denver 15

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New Orleans 30, St. Louis 14

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USGA Notes

The old alcohol policy is dead. Long live the “revised” alcohol policy (I think this is enough said about drinking on campus and the administration’s view on student responsibility). I just hope next time changes are made they have the foresight to consult students first. One month and one day from today is Homecoming Day at Ursinus.

This year, with the cooperation of the USGA and the Alumni Office, the festivities should be much more elaborate and dramatic. Activities in the planning stage include: parading the Homecoming Queen candidates around the football field in golf carts, a touch football game between Senior and Junior girls before the game and a Balloons for Charity festival at halftime. Plans for a bonfire before the game are also being discussed. Overall, if things go as planned, the day should be exciting and I would encourage all students to get involved in any of the activities they can.

The SAC (Student Activities Committee) met last Friday and anyone who has a fetish for parliamentary procedure should be sure to attend the next meeting. The SAC is the committee which allocates funds to various campus organizations based on their needs and past activities. Movie buffs will be glad to know that with Union funds in the kitty the SAC didn’t allocate to campus organizations Ursinus students should be seeing about $5,000 worth of movies this year. I can’t wait.

A new concept the USGA has developed this year is the Student-Faculty Meal Program. This program involves a group of students (the number has yet to be determined) eating dinner with the professor of their choice, if he is interested, in the faculty dining room. The atmosphere will be very relaxed and informal and open discussion of any topics is encouraged. We in the USGA feel this will help the atmosphere of the campus and the individuals involved. This will be done on a weekly basis and any interested students should check the daily bulletin for the specifics of the professors who will be involved and when and where to sign up.

If any students have any additional ideas concerning student activities or student life, feel free to talk with any USGA representative, or to come to the weekly meetings in the Union Conference room on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

David R. McPhillips
USGA Men’s Vice-President

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Zetans, Skins Undefeated
In Flag Football

by Joe Lazar

Just as autumn approaches and indoor football becomes part of the curriculum on Sunday afternoon, Ursinus’ pseudo-athletes take the field for the annual edition of intramural football. Nine teams are entered this year. Each team plays twice every other team once to make up the eight game schedule.

This year marks a first in intramural football — an all girls team. Semi-tough, captained by Michael Speck, has found the early going tough, losing their first two games.

According to league commissioner, Jeff Carlow, the biggest problem so far has been the flag system. Intramural football is not two-handed touch. Each person is defended by a flag on each side. The object of the game is to grab the flag. Many people criticize the flag system because it promotes roughness. Players are grabbed by their shirts and tackled in order to reach the objective — the flag. The referees are instructed to immediately eject any person that tackles.

Defending champion, Zeta Chi, captained by Pete Gerges, is an even money favorite to retain their title. This year they’ve added depth and are able to substitute in an entire offensive and defensive unit.

Here are the standings as of Tuesday, September 25:

Zeta Chi 3-0-3
Forbears 3-0-3
Morning Missiles 2-1
Little Harlems Hustlers 2-1-1
Scules 1-2
New Wonders 1-2
Lost Cause 1-2
Demas 1-2
Semi-Tough 0-2

Weather, Injuries Hamper Gridders

by Michael Chiarappa

Coming off of an impressive performance against Western Maryland, the football team had good reason to be optimistic as they entered last Saturday’s game against Widener. Unfortunately, the Bears fell, 37-17, in a game which was ridden with frustration.

First, the field at Memorial Stadium in Chester looked more like a rice paddy after the torrential downpour, and Coach Karas described the field conditions as “horrendous.” But field conditions aside, on the first Ursinus offensive play it looked as though Jay Repko was blatantly interfered with on a pass play which probably would have resulted in a touchdown. Had Repko made the reception it might have been a different ball game.

The second drive came in the third quarter. Harris Bay drove 56 yards in 18 plays, and used up 9:07. This drive ended in one-yard run by Lonnie Grove for the touchdown.

The Bears were hit very hard with injuries in this contest. Sophomore defensive back Nick Sabat got hurt on the second play of the game. Junior quarterback Craig Walck sprained his ankle, and this was particularly costly since Walck handles three specialty positions (quarterback, punter and place kicker). Senior offensive lineman John Onopchenko saw no action due to a neck injury. Offensive tackle Larry Fetterman hurt his shoulder and guard Alan Chester required stitches over his eye due to a blow that also caused a concussion. To say the least, injuries took a toll.

Overall, quarterback sacks hurt the team the most in this mud bath. The Bears have this weekend off to lick their wounds to prepare for the tough game against Lafayette on Saturday.

Fearless Friday Forecast

by Marty Katz

Last week’s record was 8-6. Season record now at 40-16. A look at this week’s games.

Atlanta 20, Washington 16
Redskins are early season winners but Falcons always find a way to win at home.

Miami 30, NY Jests 20
Dolphin machine is rolling now and every score heavily against porous Jet defense.

Detroit 24, Minnesota 20
Delaware’s Romo leads charge over still proud Vikings.

Philadelphia 23, Eagles 17
Birds’ best effort will probably fall short but it’s a far cry from days when Eagles were scared against big boys.

New Orleans 27, NY Giants 16
Saints will put up a fight but Giants win with solid defense.

San Diego 14, Chicago 14
Super building job pays off for Bucs in only four years. Victory would put them three games up in AFC Central, and overchefs won’t roll over for the Williams gang.

San Diego 31, San Francisco 14
Chargers will roll up lots of yardage against hapless 49ers. Fouts will have all day to throw to Jefferson and strike for huge chunks of turf.

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