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Union Victim of ‘Apparent Vandalism’

by Mark J. Angelo

Sometime last weekend, vandals victimized the College Union Building damaging the cover of the large screen television set. In addition, the electronic sensor system was damaged, all of which is not covered by warranty. “It’s apparent vandalism,” said Charles F. Fegely, Union Program Board Director who has called in a repair crew from Philadelphia to assess the costly damage.

The most recent damage will prove detrimental to future Union Board plans of better accommodating the students as this is not the first incidence of vandalism this semester. Prior to last weekend’s vandalism, two video game machines were tampered with. The Union estimates the break-in occurred between midnight and 8 a.m. last Thursday night — fraternity bid night. However, from the extent of the damage, theft did not seem to be the motive as no apparent attempt was made at the coin boxes. The machines were dismantled by the vandals for reasons unknown.

The cost of the repairs will undoubtedly be levied on Union Operation funds. Since the Union fund donates its surplus operating revenue to the College Scholarship Fund, the students will ultimately be affected. “If the culprit is not found, the cost will go to the student body,” concluded Fegely.

Foreign language career day

by Georgeann Fusco

A lecture on the advantages of incorporating a foreign language curriculum in the working world was held Wednesday, Feb. 10 and was sponsored by the departments of foreign languages, business and chemistry, along with the Career Planning and Placement Office.

Valerie Bianchi, Control Administrator at Girard Bank — International Banking, graduated from LaSalle College with a degree in French education after spending one of her college years studying in France.

Ms. Bianchi views a foreign language as an asset. When a company is choosing between two applicants, the one with the foreign language will most likely obtain employment.

Mr. C. Levingood, Vice-president of PNB-International Banking, majored in political science and philosophy in undergraduate studies and went to graduate school for a master’s degree in business. He stated 60% of the bank’s profits are obtained through international business and that the opportunities resulting from studying a foreign language are great.

Dr. J. Clovis, Director of Research at Rohm and Haas, majored in chemistry and studied French and German during his undergraduate studies. Dr. Clovis said that by working abroad he was able to obtain a greater appreciation of his job in a multinational operation.

Arnold to Join Administration

by Kevin J. Burke

Thomas J. Arnold, assistant professor of economics and business administration, has accepted an offer from President Richard P. Richter to serve as a full-time development associate.

His duties will include the development of grant proposals for a newly-created faculty development program. These proposals will be written and submitted by Arnold to corporations in order to obtain grants for faculty enhancement. Such grants will supplement the recently established Myrin-Pew Fund which has a balance of $500,000.

Arnold sees two reasons behind the creation of his new post; first, full-time teachers simply don’t have enough time to properly draft grant proposals, and more importantly, the College can no longer depend on funds from the usual benefactors. “Individual donors cannot realize full tax-deductible benefits by donating to institutions any longer because the personal tax rate has dropped from 70% to 50%.”

Arnold, appointed directly by Richter, feels he was chosen because he has had experience in contacting corporate offices and “can best serve the needs of the College in this capacity.” Although he’ll miss teaching, Arnold likens himself to a teamplayer who will play wherever the coach thinks he’ll be most useful.

Before joining the Ursinus faculty in 1980, Arnold served as department chairman of business administration and economics at Beaver College in Glenside, PA., and as assistant professor of marketing at West Chester State College. He was also a lecturer in marketing for the Ursinus College Evening School.

Replacements are still being sought to fill Arnold’s vacancy.

Student Publications Seek Editors

Applications for the positions of Editor-in-Chief of all three student publications are being sought by the Student Publications Committee. The committee, composed of faculty members, a USGA representative, and managers of The Ruby, The Lantern, and The Grizzly, will meet on March 4 to elect the new Editor-in-Chief of the 1983 yearbook, and on March 17 to elect the new Editors-in-Chief of the literary journal, and the newspaper.

Questions about responsibilities should be addressed to current Editors-in-Chief: Lisa Diccianni (The Ruby), Margaret Higgins (The Lantern) and Jim Wilson (The Grizzly). Letters of application, stating your qualifications and prospective plans, should be received by the Editors-in-Chief, or Mr. Broadbent, Committee Chairman, prior to the meeting.

The Union Game Room was victim to vandalism recently which will be paid for out of the Students’ funds. Jim Wilson/The Grizzly

According to Kane ... Bomberger to be Closed After Hours if Vandalism Continues

by Barbara Rogers

Student use of Bomberger Hall may be eliminated if vandalism is not stopped, said Dean Kane recently. The possibility of locking Bomberger after regular school hours was raised after reports of further vandalism to the building. The latest reports of vandalism concern a broken pumicid in room 212 and a hole in the wall of room 200.

In a memo sent to all fraternity and sorority presidents, Kane cited the littering of rooms, regular damage of property and consumption of alcohol in the building as factors contributing to his warning. Kane outlined several steps that would be necessary to prevent the closing of the building. He recommended that all groups double-check with Dean Harris to confirm their presence in the building. Any groups not scheduled would be asked to leave.

Also, Kane stressed again that no alcoholic beverages are permitted in the building and that any damage done or noticed must be reported immediately.

Kane admitted that closing the building would be detrimental to the responsible students, but that he could see no alternative to the problem. He called on all faculty members to report any further problems concerning damage.
Off the Editor's Desk

Reagan: Friend of the forces

Financial Aid Programs for college students are faced with a proposal to cut them by 25%-40%. Unemployment is reaching levels it hasn't seen in decades, vast areas of wilderness are being ripped apart in search of energy sources while their previous inhabitants are nearing endangered levels it hasn't seen in decades, vast areas of wilderness are being ripped apart in search of energy sources while their armed forces improves their quality and quantity, the government is very hard for a senior graduating from high school with mediocre or even poor performance to get a job, lower employment, (eliminating another alternative) looking at the alternative, it appears that the best opportunities for a student coming out of high school with mediocre or even poor performance is young enough to be able to live through these hard times and create an attractive advertising campaign that talks of the quality and quantity, the government takes his first steps beyond the classroom, the administration at the present. There is no thing except during exam and other periods. It is published every week. Is edited entirely by the students, and the views expressed by this newspaper are not necessarily those held by the administration.

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President's Corner

by President Richard P. Richter

Two seniors recently told me they were eager to travel in Germany next summer. They believed that Ursinus should encourage as many students as possible to travel and study abroad and wondered whether I agreed with their view. I told them how enthusiastic I was about travel and study abroad.

But more than that, I share the conviction of our foreign language faculty and other colleagues and students that the Ursinus campus as such should become more international in its outlook.

Our international orientation is grounded in the requirement that every student take a foreign language. Yet tracing the trail of case endings and sensing subjunctive shifts may not be enough to lead students to the broad view.

What I would hope to see is the development in students of a greater readiness to compare American values with the values of people in at least one other nation. I would hope to see greater skill in comparing and contrasting our cultural pressures and priorities with those found elsewhere.

Students will be better informed and more effective Americans if they know other national culture reasonably well.

There are encouraging signs of international consciousness-raising on campus these days. Our students from Germany have aroused interest among many about contemporary European life. The prospect of studying in Japan in the summer through a cooperative arrangement with Tohoku Gakuin University in Sendai has made a number of students think more seriously about the Far East. The language departments have encouraged students to find out about employment opportunities in international corporations. The International Dessert Festival will even enable one to eat his or her way to a new perspective on the world.

Last fall I stopped on campus to welcome four freshman students whom I discovered that three of them had spent time abroad, one of them in Moscow. Such random observation suggests that our student body has a greater fund of international experience than is at first apparent.

One reason to build international awareness on campus is that it is a part of our heritage. The intellectual roots of the College lie in Reformation Heidelberg, where Zacharias Ursinus taught and wrote. Because of the nine-century missionary activity of the people associated with Ursinus College, it gained an open window to Japan. Tohoku Gakuin University, our sister institution, was founded by German Reformed church people not long after Ursinus itself was founded. And over the years, a cooperative arrangement with Tohoku Gakuin University in Sendai has made a number of students think more seriously about the Far East. The language departments have encouraged students to find out about employment opportunities in international corporations. The International Dessert Festival will even enable one to eat his or her way to a new perspective on the world.

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Write to your Congressman...

Richter Urges Campus Involvement

by Peggy Loughran

President Reagan's proposed cutbacks in financial aid have caused serious problems for many students in scholastic institutions throughout the country. According to Reagan's plan there will only be provided to those families with incomes between $10,000 and $15,000. This is regardless of the amount of children that the parents have to support. Loans for graduate study are also being dramatically reduced. Under the President's new proposals it is estimated that the amount of money provided for financial aid programs will decrease by 25% to 40%. College administrations throughout the nation are pleading with the President and Congress to keep the money that is provided for financial aid on the same level that it has been in the past.

March 3 is Pennsylvania Day on the Hill. President Richter, spokesmen of Ursinus Administration and representatives from other PA schools will meet with Senators John Heinz and Arlen Specter to discuss the financial aid cuts. It is hoped that these talks will encourage the senators to support the plight of school students. From February 26 to March 6 a conference is being held in Washington for interested students and parents who want to combat this financial aid crisis. The University-Administration is striving to deal with the situation. President Richter is encouraging action to be taken by all of the students and their families.

He is urging every person to write to his or her respective congressmen in an effort to stop the new financial aid proposals from being passed. "The legislation will have a much better chance of being passed, if every person becomes involved." This new legislation will maintain the same amount of money to the schools that they have been receiving in the past. Direct action by every person is necessary if this proposed legislation is to be a success. If people remain passive, the cuts will be allowed.

President Richter said that, "...we are not budgeting what we can. We can't provide funds that aren't here." The College is doing everything possible to keep students in school. The administration does not want a lack of funds to force anyone to drop out of school. Year this installment plan has been adopted for freshmen families. Under this system students pay bills on a monthly basis for 11 months. The administration feels that this is a more refined system of financial aid.

The administration urges that it is essential for everyone to become involved in this financial aid dilemma. Richter asks that all students and parents "write to your congressman and let him know what you think about the current situation." If the constituents don't let their representatives in Washington know what they think about this important issue, then the damaging financial aid cutbacks will be put into effect.

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Parents Notified of Possible Changes in Aid

The following letter was sent home by President Richard Richter to the parents of students at Ursinus. We reprint the letter in whole so that the students are aware of all measures being made in the area of financial aid.

Dear Parents:

Over the past year, Ursinus families have made the necessary adjustments to deal with cuts in the 1981-82 academic year to such federal aid programs as the Basic Grant (Pell Grant) and the Guaranteed Student Loan Program.

President Reagan now is asking Congress for further reductions in aid programs to higher education for the 1982-83 academic year. These recommendations include a cut in Pell Grants, a 30% cut in College Work-Study Program, total elimination of Supplemental Grants (SEG), Direct Loans (NSDL), State Student Incentive Grants and graduate fellowships, as well as further restrictions in the Guaranteed Student Loan Program.

Coming on the heels of the 1981-82 reductions in federal support, such additional cuts will put greater pressure on family budgets. Both the college and most Ursinus families have supported the federal government's effort to gain control of public spending and inflation. But we know that reductions would make it harder for many college students to pay for their education.

This is why I take this step of asking you to speak up as a concerned citizen. I encourage you to write to your area Congressman and your two Senators in Washington now. It may help hold the line on student aid cuts if you tell them how much you have appreciated the aid programs and how important to the education of your son or daughter it is that Congress continue the present level of support.

Specifically, urge your Congressman and Senators to support the spending ceiling through fiscal year 1984 set by the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981, approved in August 1981. These ceilings do not adequately and needed funding while limiting new expense to the federal budget.

Finally, take the opportu-
The Meistersinger Choir will begin its 45th annual touring concert season with a performance on March 3 at Line-Lexington, Pennsylvania.

The main part of the tour is from March 5 to March 10, during which the Meistersingers will perform in churches throughout western Pennsylvania and New York. Their season will conclude with several local concerts, including a performance in Bomberger Auditorium on March 18 at 8 p.m. The Meistersinger's concert program includes both sacred and secular music. Sacred songs include "Psalm 121," "Praise Ye the Lord," and two versions of "Te Deum." Some secular selections are from "Alice in Wonderland," "Pippin," and a series of songs based on the poetry of Robert Frost.

The 28 students in the choir are conducted by Mr. John French, Music Director.

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News Briefs

Astronomer to Speak at Ursinus College

Dr. Harry J. Augensen, author, lecturer, and astronomer, will discuss "The Births and Deaths of Stars," on Tuesday, March 2, at 9 a.m. in Wismer Hall, as part of the Ursinus College Spring Forum Program. The public is invited to attend this free event.

According to Dr. Augensen, "Stars are born, age and die just as living beings do." In his presentation, he will describe this life process and discuss some phenomena of space. A 1973 honors graduate of Elmhurst College, Dr. Augensen studied astronomy and astrophysics at Northwestern University, earning both the MS and PhD degrees from that institution.

He has served as a lecturer on the faculties of Northwestern and Widener Universities and is currently lecturer in astronomy at Swarthmore College.

The author of six articles, he has recently been awarded a grant from the American Astronomical Society to fund spectroscopic studies of certain stars.

Winning Photographer to Conduct Courses at Ursinus College

Dr. Derk Visser, Ursinus College professor and award-winning photographer, will repeat his popular photography workshop beginning Wednesday, March 17, from 7-9 p.m. Photo enthusiasts of all skill levels may be interested in this two-part session for amateur photographers.

Session A, which will be held on Wednesday, March 17, from 7-9 p.m., will cover the "how to's" of camera settings and lenses. This session is designed especially for beginners and costs $5.

Session B, a basic, non-credit course in photography, will cover such techniques as natural lighting, composition, slide photography, candid shots, portraits, close-ups, and landscapes. This session, which will meet a total of five times, begins on Wednesday, March 24, from 7-9 p.m. Additional Wednesday evening classes and weekend picture-taking field trips will be decided upon by the class at this first meeting. The fee for Session B is $45.

Instruction and demonstrations will be tailored to suit students' special interests as the courses progress. There will be ample time for questions and review of students' individual projects.

To register for either session, call the Ursinus College Evening School at 215/489-4250. Professor Visser, who is especially experienced in nature and architectural photography, has won awards for his work in both United States and the Netherlands.
by Marlee Nark

If you want to take someone home to meet your mother, my only advice is not to take Joan Jett or any of the Blackhearts. It’s not that they lack manners or cough, rather that they are downright vulgar.

Don’t get me wrong, Joan Jett’s Valentine’s Day concert was excellent, but her stage mannerisms made her seem like she was from Camden and not Lansdowne. Her songs are not Lansdowne. Her songs are not that they lack courteous, rather that they are downright vulgar, rather than that they lack propriety. Their audience, but the crowd during the concert.

It’s Joanie Jett and the Blackhearts that makes an intense two hour deafening assault upon the audience has no other possible reaction than positive fury.

The experience of seeing Joan Jett in person shouldn’t be missed — that is if you don’t mind vulgarity. After all, “I LOVE ROCK ‘N ROLL!”

These students are involved in the most dynamic event to occur at Ursinus in years. This event will involve dozens of musicians, vocalists, artists and performers. Hundreds of local fans, alumni and students will come together for this exciting celebration.

And this event will take place next weekend within yards, feet and inches of where you are presently situated. Winterfest! 1982 A cultural bonanza featuring the arts of the 18th century, Winterfest offers entertaining exposure and will involve everyone on the Ursinus campus. The good times will kick off with a multi-media forum on Thursday, Feb. 25 at 11 a.m. in Wismer. Featuring your favorite pros and deans, and special guest star President Richard P. Richter, this program promises to be the most painless forum of your college career.

The weekend will involve Protheatre’s production of John Gay’s “The Beggar’s Opera” the most loved play of the 18th century. The play will open Thursday, Feb. 25 at 7:30 in the evening and will also be performed Friday, Feb. 26 at 4 p.m., and Saturday, Feb. 27 at 7:30 p.m. Musical concerts will include an 8 p.m. chamber music concert on Friday evening, followed by a Coffeehouse featuring a string quartet. The climax of the musical merriment will occur Sunday after noon when every musical member of the Ursinus community joins in an all Mozart concert, 4 p.m. in Bomberger.

An ongoing art show will be held in Ritter’s upstairs gallery, “Flora, Fauna and Faces of the 18th Century,” opening Thursday afternoon at 4 p.m. following an 18th century art lecture by resident artist Ted Xaras in Wismer. Other theme related lectures will include Dr. Perreten’s authoritative lecture on 18th Century Drama, Friday afternoon at 3 p.m. (suitably followed by the 4 p.m. performance of the “Beggar’s Opera”). The 18th century art of landscaping and gardening will be discussed by expert Dr. Visser, Saturday at 11 a.m. in Wismer auditorium. And the final lecture of the weekend will concern the music of the age, to be conducted Saturday at 4 p.m. If you’re in the mood to muddle, drop by the Union’s International Desserts Festival, Thursday at 5 p.m., and stay to catch that bawdy flick “Tom Jones.” For those of you geared towards the tamer classics, Ingmar Bergman’s “The Magic Flute” will be presented Saturday at 2 p.m. in Wismer.

The art exhibit, lectures and films are free, and the celebrations of the performing arts offer extremely reasonable (cheap!) rates for students.

Tickets and further information are available at Ritter. So stop by and plan your part in this wild weekend — everyone will be there, so don’t be left out!
Possible Changes

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nity in your letter to tell your legislators that your son or daughter is studying at Ursinus; also, indicate his or her academic major and career objectives.

I have enclosed a list of Congressmen and Senators in your state and an address which can be used for all senators and representatives.

As the year goes on, we will inform you of the outcome of federal decisions on funding. Whatever the outcome, the College will do whatever it can to facilitate matters. We encourage everyone to plan carefully and early so that the students continue their education without interruption.

Sincerely yours,
Richard P. Richter
President

At right: Chart shows projected costs of attendance and the difference between the requests of Education compared with the plans of President Reagan.

Pi Nu Epsilon

New Members Honored

by Karen Reese

Three new members were initiated into Pi Nu Epsilon, a national honorary music fraternity, at a banquet Monday evening.

Honored for their participation in on-campus musical activities were Susan Wood and Peggy Sue Sonds who have been involved in the band, and Janet Allebach, a member of the Meistersingers.

According to Terry Walsipurger, President of Pi Nu, this organization recognizes men and women who have been active in musical groups for at least four semesters.

Pi Nu in association with two other college chapters at Shippensburg State College and Drexel University. It is represented here by the Epsilon chapter.

The President of the group runs bi-monthly meetings, arranges various banquets, and organizes Songfest, an activity in which sorority and fraternity groups demonstrate their singing talents. Pat Alderfer, who works in the circulation department in the library, is Pi Nu’s faculty advisor.

This group gets together with other chapters each year for a combined concert and sponsors a variety of activities.

UC Represents Bahrain in Model UN

by Sandy Smith

Once again, student prepare to take part in the model United Nations held at the Grand Hyatt Hotel in New York City from April 21 to 25. The students will be representing Bahrain, a small oil-rich island off Saudi Arabia.

According to Mr. Fedig, Lecturer in History, the agenda for the model UN will include an opening address by one of the higher-ranking UN officials, as well as a reception in the United Nations Delegates Lounge. Also scheduled is a briefing by a representative from Bahrain.

The delegates from Ursinus will be involved in eight different committees such as the Economic and Social Council, the Political and Security Committee and a special council on Namibia. As committee members, students will be responsible for initiating and/or supporting proposals that are in the best interest of Bahrain.

The College will provide the funds for the hotel rooms for the 12 students who have expressed an interest in the program. Transportation and other expenses must be paid by the students, however.

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USGA Notes

Aid Cuts and Elections

In the past year, students financial aid programs have been drastically reduced by our government. This year, the administration is proposing even further cuts and reductions. If these proposals are implemented, there would be further cuts in Pell Grants (previously BEOG) and Guaranteed Student Loans, as well as total elimination of National Direct Student Loans and Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants. In addition, all graduate school loans would also be completely axed. If these proposals are supported, millions of students would be affected, and many may be forced to drop out of college.

In order to save these student aid programs, we all need to actively participate in the battle to prohibit the passing of proposed cuts in the House and Senate. Once again you are asked to write to your Congressmen and Senators for their support of the Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981. Please read the letter in this issue of The Grizzly from President Richter for further details.

As an incentive to write, the USGA will supply the postage for your letter. If you give us your letter, we will mail it and you can save twenty cents as well as help continue to fund your education because of your concern. If anyone wishes to do more than just write a letter, you may join some members of the USGA and spend a day in Washington, DC on Monday, March 1. This is the second annual National Student Lobby Day sponsored by the USGA and COPUS. Students will hear brief presentations by members of Congress and student leaders, then discuss the possible cuts and reductions with other members of their region. The remainder of the day is dedicated to lobbying their Congressmen and Senators. We participated last year and learned much from the experience. If you are interested, talk to me or any other USGA member for further details.

Getting back to campus, USGA elections will be held on Monday, February 22 at lunch and dinner. The following petitions have been received: President - Dave Borgstrom; Men’s Vice-President - Michael Schlesinger; Women’s Vice-President - Lorie Cramer, Donna Friedman; Treasurer — Frank Correll; Recording Secretary — Kim McArthur; Corresponding Secretary — Angel Russel; Class of ‘83 Reps — Greg Braccia, Barb Foley, Alan Miller; Class of ‘84 Reps — Beverly Bergey, Mark Klanske; Class of ‘85 Reps — David Epstein, John Fessek, Eva Zouras; Day Student Reps — Christina Couterucci, Jim Dunlap. Bring your ID and vote for your favorite candidate.

As a final plea, I ask you once again to become aware of how your government action will affect you. The proposed student aid cuts will affect all of us. To prevent this from happening, we must utilize our powers as US citizens and voice our opinions.

Derek Pickell
USGA President
The Women’s Basketball team added Delaware Valley College to their list of beaten foes by a score of 79-64 on Monday, Feb. 15. Leading Ursinus to their seventh win of the season against eight losses were sophomore Joe Zierdt with 19 points, freshman Sherry Raitnel with 12 points, junior Margaret Tomlinson with 10 points and 16 rebounds and sophomore Jackie Keeley with 10 points and six rebounds. Ursinus came out smoking, sinking baskets in their first four possessions. Delaware Valley, however, came back to tie up the score. Each offense worked the ball around well. And each defense had its share of rebounds and blocked shots. At the halfway mark Ursinus began to put distance between themselves and the Aggies by upping the score to 22-14, and increased this to 10 points at the nine minute mark, when the Bears shut down Del Val and put up an offensive spurt. At the six minute mark the Aggies started to get hot with their shots, but, UC shots kept falling to keep Del Val at a distance. But Zierdt then started to hit her outside shot from the top of the key. At halftime the Bears led by 14, due mainly to Zierdt’s 10 of 19 points, Tomlinson’s nine of 16 rebounds and Keeley’s eight points and six rebounds. The second half was spent opening up the game and increasing the Bear lead. UC not only controlled both boards, due to an excellent effort from Katherine Wilson, but also the momentum of the game. The Ursinus lead went from 11 with 12 minutes left in the game to 21 with two minutes left. It finally settled out at a 15 point win of 79-64. The women’s and final game of the regular season in Tuesday, Feb. 23 at ESCC at 6 p.m. Look for the Bears in next week’s MAC’s to go all the way in a highly-competitive series of high-pressure games.

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Sports Briefs...

by Joe Rongione
The Bears lost to a tough F&M team last Saturday. The medley relay team of Bill Lacy, John Laveli, Jamie Forlini and Brian Dohner won their race but the lead was lost due to a 1-2 finish in the 1000 yd. freestyle by F&M. Jamie Forlini finished second in the 200 yd. freestyle. Bill Lacy and Brian Dohner finished 1-3 in the 50 yd. freestyle. The Bears were then touched out in a tough 200 IM race, with John Laveli finishing third.
Jim Giardinelli and Kevin Kunklie finished 2-3 in the one meter required diving. Rich Bateman finished third in the 100 yd. fly and Ira Bellow finished third in the 500 yd. freestyle. Bill Lacy won the 100 yd. freestyle.
The big match of the day between Korye brothers failed to materialize, but a fine 100 yd. breaststroke race was witnessed by the capacity crowd. John Lavell and Joe Rongione finished 2-3. The freestyle relay consisting of Jamie Forlini, Bill Lacy and Ira Bellow won but it was not enough to overcome the Diplomats.
Tomorrow, the Aquabears, make a trip to Annapolis to face the Navy in Kings College. This is definitely going to be a barn-burner (genuine Green Grocer lip). This is the last home meet of the year (also the last meet of the year) so come down and see what not eating carbohydrates for a week can do for you.

Men’s Intramural B-Ball

by Jay DeFruscio
As the last week of the regular season winds down, 4 teams have clinched playoff spots, while a handful of other teams are looking to nail down the remaining four spots.

In the Big East Conference, Hoboken Dirt, led by Jeff Grassie and ‘Special K’ Krieger, and the Runnin’ Rebs, led by the league’s scoring leader, Tom Grace, have clinched playoff spots. In the Eastern “8”, only Herpes with Mike Mulligan and Dave O’Brrian leading the way, are assured a playoff berth. In the Sky “T-P’s behind Jim Nowrey and Scott Hill are unbeaten and playoff bound.
The playoffs will begin next week, with the eventual school champ slated to participate in the Miller High Life Tournament starting on March 22.

Gymnasts Vault to Best Scores

The Ursinus Women’s Gymnastic Team competed against the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown on Tuesday, Feb. 16. The team piled up their highest home score of the year, but lost to UPJ, 111.95 to 86.05.

When asked how she felt about the meet, co-captain Julie Strizki commented, “Overall, I think today was our best meet; everyone performed well.” Strizki had a good day on the floor exercise, bringing in a second place with a personal best of 7.4.

No. 74 of Swarthmore puts one up against Tom Broderick to send the game into overtime.

Jim Wilton/The Grizzly
Devine Clutch at Buzzer...

Men's Hoops Takes Two Out of Three

by Jim Nowrey

The UC Bears kept their chances of clinching an MAC divisional playoff berth alive by beating Western Maryland in a highly emotional game last week. The Terrors of Western Maryland came to Collegeville with a 12-4 record, and possibly a playoff bid securely tucked away.

The Terrors had UC totally under control in the first half. The Bears were not able to generate any kind of momentum. Flashbacks of the Philadelphia Pharmacy game were present, as the Bears once again dug themselves an early grave. This lack of smart basketball on the part of the Bears and some hot shooting by the Terrors, were the keys to a 12 point halftime UC deficit at 40-28.

At the start of the second half it looked as though the Bears were back on track. Jay DeFruscio and Dave Petitta combined for six quick points to cut Western Maryland's lead in half, but more unnecessary fouls and bad passes allowed the Terrors to up their lead to 14. The game seemed like this until about the midway mark of the half, when the real Bears finally came to life and played basketball.

With the crowd roaring, the Bears chipped away at the Western Maryland lead to inch their way back into the game. With the guards dumping it in to Petitta (25 points) and DeFruscio (25 points) who were hitting from the outside, the Bears had the Terrors reeling. After 10 minutes of solid basketball the Bears finally tied the score. Western Maryland's Weyer missed a clutch 1 and 1 situation with 42 seconds remaining, much to the pleasure of the UC crowd.

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This weekend the Bears travel to Albright for their regular season finale. The team record in the history of UC totally secure the victory. Three of the nine games were present, as the Bears once again dug themselves an early grave. This lack of smart basketball on the part of the Bears and some hot shooting by the Terrors, were the keys to a 12 point halftime UC deficit at 40-28.

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It was unfortunate, though, that the Bears couldn't carry this momentum into their game with Washington College two nights later. UC once again played schoolyard basketball. Bad passing and turnovers again put the Bears against the wall. As if UC didn't have enough problems, many times they were victimized by bad officiating. Although the Bears took a 34-31 lead into the lockerroom at halftime, this game was not to be theirs as Washington barely pulled it out at the end. Still determined to obtain a playoff berth, UC traveled to Swarthmore on Wednesday night in hopes of getting one.