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Alcohol Speaker

BY PETER SENESCU
Photography Editor

Wednesday December 4 in the Wimar Lower Lounge at 6:30 p.m. the Greeks will combine their efforts to sponsor a program discussing one of Ursinus' students' favorite pastimes: Drinking.

The Inter-Fraternity Council and inter-Sorority Council will be sponsoring speaker Mr. Mike Josten. Green is a member of Delta Chi Fraternity and also a recovering alcoholic. He will speak on responsible drinking.

Green has spoken at colleges across the country. Delivering the message that it is OK to drink, but each of us should look at our own personal consumption and the reasons why we drink. He issues a challenge to change our drinking habits for the better.

Hostage Update

BY SARA JACOBSON
Arts and Entertainment Editor

On November 18 two men, who we've been held hostage in Lebanon by Shi'ite Muslim radicals, were released and sent home. Thomas M. Sutherland, a college professor at Colorado State University and American University in Beirut, had been held captive since June of 1985. Terry Waite, a member of a special British hostage released in Lebanon, was taken in January 1987. Mr. Waite was the last hostage released and sent home. The hostages were taken in the Middle East, was taken in January 1987. Mr. Waite was the last hostage released and sent home.

Dr. Wallace then went on to describe the different fields of pediatrics with slides that helped describe what she was talking about. Some of the fields discussed were genetic disorders, arthritis, fractures, neurology, fetal alcohol syndrome, and renal diseases. Cases in these fields were shown and she described how they are treated.

Wallace Speaks to Whitians

BY MELISA MILLER
Of The Grizzly

On Tuesday, November 19, Dr. Wendy Wallace spoke on the field of pediatrics, what she saw during her residency, and about the Pennsylvania School of Osteopathic Medicine. She started her talk by describing a typical day when you are a resident in pediatrics. It starts out with a morning report, then doing procedures in the treatment room, and then ending the day with noting which you are usually bogged down with. A lot of the cases she saw in the middle of the night were in the delivery room where a lot of premature babies were born. She stressed that this is a big part of pediatric training (neonatology) and also a booming field.

Dr. Wallace then went on to describe her approach to the patient. She first pointed out that the doctor is dependent on mom, or grandma, to bring the patient in. Then she explained that she carried around a doll that she lets the children play with, and also lets them play with the instruments to distract them while she is examining them, and to make them feel more at ease. A technique that was particularly useful was letting the child listen to their heart beat after you listen to theirs.

Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation Program

Ursinus students interested in a career in mathematics or the natural sciences are invited to apply to the Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Program.

Established by Congress in 1986, the Barry M. Goldwater Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation operates an educational scholarship program designed to provide opportunities for outstanding U.S. students with excellent academic records and demonstrated interest in, and potential for, careers in mathematics and the natural sciences.

In May 1992, the Foundation will award Scholarships to students who will be college juniors or seniors during the 1992-93 academic year. In order to be eligible, a student must be a current full-time junior or senior enrolled in a degree program leading to a baccalaureate degree in an educational field of interest in mathematics or the natural sciences. To be eligible, a student must be a current full-time junior or senior enrolled in a degree program leading to a baccalaureate degree in an educational field of interest in mathematics or the natural sciences.

Scholarship and Excellence in Education Foundation Program

The scholarship award covers eligible expenses up to a maximum of $7000 per year. Junior scholarship recipients are eligible for two years of support or until the baccalaureate degree is received, whichever comes first. Senior scholarship recipients are eligible for one year of support or until the baccalaureate degree is received, whichever comes first.

Junior scholarship recipients will award Scholarships to students with excellent academic records and demonstrated interest in, and potential for, careers in mathematics and the natural sciences. In order to be considered for an award, students must be nominated by their institution. The DEADLINE for all 1992 nominations is February 7, 1992.
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the hostage situation in the Middle East. The negotiations between the fundamentalist Islamic terrorist groups and Israel are presided over by the UN and assisted by both the Syrian and Iranian governments, who want to improve their relations with the West. The release of Waite opens up the possibility for international relations to resume between England and Iran, Mr.; Ferez de Cuellar is optimistic about future releases, confident that the rest of the remaining hostages will be released by the end of the year.

Sutherland and Waite briefly commented before the press on their ordeal. They said that Terry Anderson, the longest held and most widely publicized hostage, was in good health and good spirits. Before releasing Sutherland and Waite, their captors said they would be releasing Anderson, Ciccioppo, and Stern, by the end of November. Their captors went on to say, "We apologize for having captured you; we recognize that now this was a wrong thing to do, that holding hostages achieves no useful, constructive purpose."

As the negotiations continue, America can only watch, wait, and hope that the terrorists will be true to their word.

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Aside from attending classes, watching T.V. and sleeping, what possible activities could an Ursinus student become involved in? If you enjoy athletics, you could join a sport team or participate in a pickup game. If you are interested in a club related to your major such as the psychology club or Brownback-Anders. You might want to write for the Grizzly, try out for a pro-Theatre play or pledge a fraternity/sorority; the possibilities are endless. Here is what past Ursinus students have done.

In 1905, students could belong to one of two literary societies, the Zwinglian society or the Schaff society. Both groups held debates, presented essays or readings and featured musical performances. This week the Zwinglian society featured a Thanksgiving program, including songs, poems and stories about the celebrated holiday. The Y.M.C.A. (Young Men's Christian Association) this week discussed the main topic of discussion was "Recent trends in nationalism." By 1934, debating clubs had been formed as well as five sororities and the Y.W.C.A., and the Y.M.C.A. remained strong, as well as the Y.W.C.A.

In 1926 this week, the Biology club printed their first constitution, receiving official recognition as a campus society. 1926 also saw the beginning of another group, the Dramatics Club, which held a pep rally this week to "insure enthusiasm for the athletic teams and also to get a better understanding of the athletic situation." This meeting included dancing, singing and several student speeches. By 1926, men's and women's student government committees had been formed, as well as basketball, track and field hockey teams.

In 1934, students could belong to the Social Sciences Group and the International Relations Club. This week the Social Science Group hosted Col. Henry W. Shoemaker, a former U.S. Minister to Bulgaria, as a speaker. The International Relations Club attended the Middle Atlantic States Conference at Penn State along with forty other schools. The main topic of discussion was "Current trends in nationalism." By 1934, three debating clubs had formed as well as five sororities and five fraternities. As you can see, from the Schaff Society to the biology team and from the glee club to the Y.M.C.A., Ursinus students of the past have continually participated in a variety of activities and organizations.

SAFETY AND SECURITY IS EVERYBODY'S RESPONSIBILITY. DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL SECURITY 489-2373.

16th November 1991 at 1:30 A.M., Security responds to a suite in Reimert after being advised of an argument. The incident is being turned over to the Office of Residence Life...

18th November 1991 at 8:30 P.M., Security as well as the Collegville Police and Fire Company respond to the D.L.H. after unknown person(s) activated a "Full Station" alarm. The building was evacuated and checked for any fire or smoke. The incident has been determined as being Malicious False Fire Alarm. An individual was seen running from the building and the incident is under investigation.

ACTIVATING A FIRE ALARM FULL STATION WHEN A PROBLEM IS NOT PRESENT IS A CRIME. NOT ONLY DOES IT INCONVENIENCE THOSE IN THE BUILDING WHEN THEY HAVE TO EVACUATE, BUT IT ALSO PUTS THE DEVOTED MEN AND WOMEN OF THE FIRE COMPANY AT RISK. URUSINUS COLLEGE WILL FULLY PROSECUTE ANYONE INVOLVED IN THIS TYPE OF BEHAVIOR.

NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER ARE HIGH CRIME MONTHS. CHRISTMAS IS APPROACHING AND SO IS THE NEED FOR CASH. REMEMBER TO LOCK YOUR ROOMS AND WINDOWS WHEN YOU ARE GOING TO CLASS OR VISIT WITH A FRIEND. NEVER FLUSH LARGE SUMS OF MONEY OR CHARGE CARDS, AND PROTECT YOUR VALUABLES AT ALL TIMES.

20th November 1991 at 2:10 P.M., Security responds to C-Lot after receiving a call of damage to the rear window of a vehicle parked at Reimert. According to the owner of the vehicle, the damage to the window occurred sometime between the hours of 4:00 P.M. on 11-19 and 2:00 P.M. 11-20.

Environmental Notes

BY KRISTIN WHITE
Of The Grizzly

You've seen them on the tables. They were there one morning as you stumbled sleepily in to breakfast; not a vase of flowers, but napkin holders! What a concept—placing napkins on each table within arms length of every student.

Let me ask you a few questions. What are napkins made of? (paper) Where does paper come from? (trees) Are trees important? Do we need to conserve forests? (yes yes) How many napkins (i.e. paper i.e. trees) do we waste at Ursinus every day? (too many!) Why? Well, only you can answer that question.

When the napkins were located in the middle of the cafeteria, students grabbed a wad of 20+ napkins for their tray, saying, "I don't know how many I'll need," "I don't want to have to walk up for more," "My friends might need some." Have you or has anyone you know ever used 20 napkins for one meal? Is Wismer really so large and the napkins so far away? "Just imagine if you went to a big university!" Don't your friends usually get their own napkins anyway?

Well, my point is not to change the past; it is to draw attention to the present. People still collect their food, settle down at their table and grab a wad of napkins. Don't do that—there are no excuses. It does not matter that you aren't sure before you begin your meal how many napkins you will need. The napkins are not going anywhere; take them as the need arises. It does not matter that you do not feel like walking across Wismer for more napkins when they are a foot away from you. Reaching your arm across the table is not that strenuous. (You would do it for a flyer, wouldn't you?) It does not matter that others at your table might need some; the napkins are also a foot away from them and the holders dispense on both sides.

To those who say, "I just need a break from the daily grind!"

AQUARIUS—Keep your moods in check—don't take it out on those around you, because they're tired of taking your bullshit!

PISCES—Do what is best for you above all else.

This may seem trivial, but really it isn't. Consider how many napkins are wasted at each meal of the day. Multiply that amount by a week and then by a semester. We are literally throwing away forests of napkins. Please consider this the next time you reach for a napkin; consider our environment as well as your meal and do what you can to help.

By Siouxsie
Grizzly Astrologist

ARIES—It is a time of great adventure in your life at the present time, but don't let these episodes get in the way of what you really want. TAURUS—Don't eat too much turkey—and try to enjoy those relatives (that you really have no desire to see) for the benefit of those around you.

GEMINI—Let the people around you know what you really want or they can't help you get it! CANCER—You've been working too hard and playing too hard—find a happy medium or you're going to burn yourself out!

LEO—Take a break from those around you to figure out what is best for you!

VIRGO—Stop looking to the future; you have to live in the present—enjoy yourself now!

LIBRA—It's a time for a lot of change in your life—but what do you really want? SCORPIO—You've been wasting too much time. The grades are going to suffer unless you make some changes.

SAGITTARIUS—Take time to reflect on the past and realize how many pleasant memories there are for you even if the present doesn't seem so great.

CAPRICORN—Stop moping around and feeling sorry for yourself—you just need a break from the daily grind!

AQUARIUS—Keep your moods in check—don't take it out on those around you, because they're tired of taking your bullshit!

PISCES—Do what is best for you above all else.
"Keepers of the Flame" - King Speaks on Soviet Art

BY TOM WILUSZ
Features Editor

Despite the unreasonably beautiful weather, some fifty students, faculty, and members of the campus community gathered in the Berman Museum of Art last Wednesday to hear Dr. Richard King of the History department speak on the current exhibit at the museum, "Keepers of the Flame", a tribute to the underground artists of the Soviet Union. Specifically, he spoke on one painting, entitled "Danger Zone", and the relation between its message and Dr. King's own experiences with Russian life.

Dr. King began the talk with a brief overview of just one piece of Russian history, that of the troubled Chechen Ingush region. This area, he said, is a "virtual crazy quilt" of nationalities and religions, all living in a small area in Southwestern Russia. That this region has made headlines recently with its bid for independence should come as no surprise, considering its hundred-year struggle for autonomy since its "incorporation" into the Soviet Union.

Dr. King then switched to a discussion of Soviet art, dividing it into two basic categories: Socialist Realism, the historically realistic and ideologically acceptable art that the Soviet state allows; and Underground art, a reaction against not only Socialist Realism but the Communist state as a whole. Socialist Realist pieces on display at the Berman feature a noble Stalin in full military regalia; a pensive Lenin at work in his study; and a patriotic titled "Birdland," turning in a traitor. By contrast, underground paintings include limbless soldiers, fresh from Afghanistan; hanging victims of the Stalin era; and miserable workers in a gloomy factory.

Dr. King saw "Danger Zone" as an artist's way of relating the division in Soviet art to the division in Soviet society. The painting features a bold red arrow, warning "Danger" and pointing to the words "so" and "glaznost". "Soglaznost" is a Russian word meaning harmony, peace, etc.; its division in the painting, and the warning against that division, are the artist's way of warning the Russian people against further division in their society. Just as Soviet artists allowed themselves to be divided into two camps, the Soviet people have allowed themselves to be divided by ethnic and religious differences. This division exists within the whole democratic process.

"Keepers of the Flame" is currently on exhibit in the Berman Main Gallery.

CAB Entertainers Enthrall All

BY MELISA MILLER
Of The Grizzly

This past week, three entertainers performed in the Wimer Lower Lounge. On Tuesday, November 19, rock and roll historian Barry Drake spoke, then on Thursday, November 21, comedian Jaz Kaner was at "Giggles," finally on Saturday, November 23, musician Dave DeLong performed.

Barry Drake spoke on the music of the 1960's, a time when the music really mattered and had an impact on the lives that people lived. He blended his lecture with slides and music that always kept the audience awake and paying attention. Some of the topics that were covered were his own experiences as a hippie, playing his guitar, and attending the great open air concerts of the sixties.

Jaz Kaner is a comedian who performed for Red and Gold Day students as well as their hosts. He blended his guitar with his comedy, and his performance had mixed reviews among students. He has been performing at colleges all over the country.

Dave DeLong is a musician who uses the audience as the band. He passes around instruments such as the morroco and tambourines to the audience to get them to participate in his act. He has graduated from Kent State in Ohio with a journalism degree and from Berklee in Boston with a degree in music. He has been performing for 10 years. In his free time he volunteers at a hospital to do music therapy with patients with head injuries. His goal is to go into music therapy in the future. As freshman Elliot Stutzman said, "He was very personable and friendly, and it is a shame he did not have a better turn out because it was something the campus really would have enjoyed."
An Upheavel of Rumors

BY PEPE BYRMON
Of The Grizzly

Campus rumor says that, "if you touch Upheavel II, you will fall out of school." Could this be true? Is it possible that any of the modern art on this campus can have this type of power? Perhaps it has been cursed by the administration or maybe it is the result of demonic powers at work on Ursinus. No, that couldn't be the case; demonic powers would be located much closer to the Quad.

Located between Wismer and Helfferich, "Upheaval II" looks a bit like it could have been renamed "Uppchuck II." The twisted hunks of metal seem to be joined in an almost random manner, reminding one of a jungle gym that has been lit by lightning. Since the bent out of shape statue of a man has achieved such fame in Ursinus myth, one also wonders--what happened to "Upheaval I"? Maybe it has even more of a scandalous history than its sequel.

Possibly it was sent to Ursinus Sculpture Heaven (storage) along with Thomas Hall's (LSB) now missing Bench Art.

"UII" has been at Ursinus for quite some time, but no one knows how the rumor got started. Not that rumors abound on this campus or that anyone has ever failed out of Ursinus, but considering the seriousness of this allegation and the fact that they are printing it in the Grizzly, it must be true. While I personally could not find anyone who failed out of school after a disastrous encounter with "UII," I did run right up to the maniacal metal monument and give it a big ol' hug either.

Perhaps the moral of this review is to regard "Upheaval II" as one treat all other modern art at Ursinus--critically with artistic caution. Maybe someday the administration will make public the reason for the rumor...the scandal of the accused "Upheaval II."

Movie Review -- "Home Alone"

BY GREG DONCEK
AND ERIK MOORE
Of The Grizzly

Since its release in the 1990 Christmas season, "Home Alone" has grossed over $280 million. This makes "Home Alone" the third-highest grossing movie after "Star Wars" and "E.T." This astounding success leaves these humble reviewers with one question: WHY?

John Hughes' "Home Alone" is not a horrible movie; we laughed (or at least chuckled) occasionally. But even though the movie is suitably entertaining for a young audience, the $200 million figure rings in our minds and haunts us with doubts about the tastes of the American viewing public.

"Home Alone" is a comedy. Coincidentally, one of the first aspects in which it falls short is its comedy. A striking example: Buzz does not want Kevin to sleep in his room. He expresses this opinion with the profoundly funny quip, "I wouldn't let you sleep in my room if you were growing on my ass." Sadsim and scatological humor in one line--What would Mr. Rogers say?

The movie does have several cute touches: perhaps the best is the Little Nero's Pizza delivery. Also, John Candy makes a brief appearance as the Polka King of the West. These few scenes, however, do not redeem the movie as a comedy.

One problem with using child actors is that their dramatic abilities are limited. Macaulay Culkin, for example, has three facial expressions: the snide, the blank stare, and the scream. Fortunately, Director Hughes knows how to use various film techniques to get the most from these expressions. Different camera angles and music, for example, can make Culkin's blank stare appear melancholy, contemplative, nostalgic, or vaguely regretful. Even variations of Macaulay Culkin's patented cheek-grab-and-scream are used in several different situations.

Despite the limited acting and inconsistent comedy, Macaulay Culkin is cute, and Joe Pesci is funny. The movie manages to remain somewhat entertaining for the first two-thirds of the movie. We don't have anything against willingly suspending our disbelief, especially in an escapist fantasy such as "Home Alone." But in the last third of the movie, it rapidly loses any semblance of reality. For evidence, provided below is a list of violent acts perpetrated upon minor in this audience. Bring a girlfriend to help guarantee gelling on adults.

"Home Alone"s box office success implies that a huge number of people enjoyed the film. Because the movie was targeted for families and children, college students were probably a minority in this audience. Bring a twelve-year-old brother, sister, or girlfriend to help guarantee getting the most out of this film.

FROM THE ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF PHILADELPHIA
Special to The Grizzly

Celebrate the spirit of the season when the Philadelphia Zoo presents its annual "Santa Stroll," November 29, November 30 and December 1, 1991.

From 10 A.M. to 12 P.M. each day, Zoo visitors are invited to join Santa and Mrs. Claus as they stroll throughout the 42-acre delivery of toys to the animals. Animal keepers will meet with Santa at each location and discuss why toys are important for the animals and explain which toys are the most popular.

In addition, guests can deliver their holiday wish lists at the Zoo's special "North Pole Mail Box" located near the polar bear exhibit. A visit to the Philadelphia Zoo this holiday season would not be complete without a stop by the ZooShop, which offers a vast assortment of animal related gifts and holiday items including cards and wrapping paper.

Zoo memberships are available for purchase at the main gate and make the perfect gift for the "person who has everything."

The Philadelphia Zoo, America's First Zoo, is located at 34th Street and Girard Avenue. Admission is $5.75 for adults and $4.74 for children ages 2 to 11 and seniors. Children under age 2 are admitted free. For more information, call 215/243-1100, extension 237.

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Opinions/Letters

Is 'Pretty Good' Good Enough?

BY STEVEN GRUBB
Editors Opinion

If we stood back and looked at Ursinus College from an outsider’s perspective, what would we see? Most of us would agree that academically, Ursinus is a solid school, attracting a solid student body, but not quite in the prestigious liberal arts college category with Swarthmore or Haverford. Socially, most of us would like to see some changes but we might be stretching it to say Ursinus has a poor or below average social life in comparison to some “suitcase” colleges. A general conclusion might be that Ursinus is a pretty good college, let’s keep it just as it is. “If it ain’t broke, don’t fix it.”

Is “pretty good” good enough? There seems to be a general feeling in the student body that the status quo at Ursinus is good enough, that Ursinus has moved forward and continues to do so with the addition of newer, more modern buildings, building renovations, changes to a more writing intensive curriculum, and the addition of top faculty members. It is the social scene that concerns me.

If you think this is going to turn into a tirade against the Greek system, you are wrong. It is not necessarily a good system, but it gets along well with how Ursinus is, and the views expressed in the paper are not unintentional.

Any omission in the staff box is only due this happened two weeks ago. I had talked to Dean Kane’s and Sue Koester’s attention several times last year and this year. On November 7th while walking up to Wismer, I saw something that really made me angry. The alcove was closed off to students. Not only did this happen two weeks after I told Judd Wolfey, the USGA president, who had talked to President Righthor. It was also a Red & Gold day. When the alcove is closed it gets very crowded in the cafeteria. With the added number of Red & Gold students it was absolute chaos. I’m sure Kerri Durgin would like to thank whoever scheduled that luncheon in the alcove because it made a very good impression on the prospective freshmen, some of whom could not find a seat and others who were so annoyed they went to McDonald’s. I’m glad the Ursinus administration could portray their true attitudes towards the students on that day so that three students were thinking about attending Ursinus get a true indication of how students can sometimes be treated.

Brian Toleno
Class of 1992

The World is not Red, White, and Blue

BY JEFF BROWN
The Grizzly

Throughout our history, this theme has been time-tested and approved. The world may change, but the formula remains the same: MODEL SOCIETY = FREEDOM + EQUALITY + AMERICA. This formula has been a popular one, and the fact that it remains here (unless you are a Native American) attests to that.

Which brings us back to parking. When I was a native, we have been very fortunate. I believe that this nation is the best on earth, in terms of individual liberty. However, I would be naive to assume that we are the center of the known universe, and this dangerous assumption is one we can no longer afford to make.

The Cold War is over, and the forces that brought about its end were not entirely of our making. The breakdown of Communism in the Soviet Union was an event that arose out of a need for freedom being fulfilled by the popular will of the people. The average Soviet citizen may or may not have been influenced by America’s example, but a more realistic view would be that either she or she was hungry or sick or without shelter and having to wait in line for all those things. Many Americans would not see all of this. Rather, they see Communist collapse, remember that McDonald’s set up shop in Moscow a few years ago, and draw their conclusions from that.

It is time to stop seeing the world through red-white-and-blue glasses. Instead of seeing McDonald’s in Russia and Coca-Cola in Japan and patting ourselves on the back for a job well done, we should learn our place in the new world order, cherish our history and stop trying to change others, and enjoy the color and diversity that the world has to offer.

Halloween Flip-Flop

To The Editor:

I first wanted to apologize to the officers and staff of The Grizzly, for taking the heat for me in the article ("Publishing the Truth") in your last issue. Then I wanted to apologize to the "army" readers of The Grizzly. I was, in fact, incorrect in the date and tone of the freshman Halloween party in my ("Halloween Flip-Flop") article published two issues ago. Other than this, my floor flower,还有, was factual and direct; no lies, no stories, all truth. If the writer [I dare say NOT!] Alina Morosow, who wrote the article ("Publishing the Truth") with such skill into my own article, I was praising Robert Ladd for being the only

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Alcove Access

To the Editor:

I am writing about a problem which several students and myself brought to Dean Kane’s and Sue Koester’s attention several times last year and this year. On November 7th while walking up to Wismer, I saw something that really made me angry. The alcove was closed off to students. Not only did this happen two weeks after I had talked to Dean Kane about this very same problem but after I told Judd Wolfey, the USGA president, who had talked to President Righthor. It was also a Red & Gold day. When the alcove is closed it gets very crowded in the cafeteria. With the added
Opinions/Letters
More Response to Ronning Letter

November 26, 1991

Dear Editors,

I don’t know about anyone else, but all the opinions, letters, and arguments about pledging that have taken place over the last couple of weeks are really getting on my nerves. The goods and evils of pledging could be debated until the current freshmen rush graduate! After reading all this endless material I just have one question: how can anyone negatively criticize something that he or she doesn’t really know anything about? Now I have just one suggestion: Before anyone else negatively criticizes pledging, he or she should experience it for himself or herself first. It makes no sense that someone can voice such an opinion about something he or she knows NOTHING about. Believe me, I went through it twice, you can NEVER fully understand pledging until you experience it first!

Fraternally Yours,
Bob Lane
Class of 1992

Administration Woes

Dear Editor:

The goal of a college should be to serve its students. From the actions of the last few months it is evident that the Ursinus administration ignores this principle.

When we departed for summer vacation last spring, we were promised a completely renovated L.S.B. by the time we returned this fall. Instead, we found was an unfinished building. The time spent searching for and moving needed research items hidden in unmarked boxes delayed student research for several weeks, and several people were forced to abandon research for their lack of facilities. These events demonstrate the blatant disregard with which the administration treats its students.

With a little more foresight and a great deal more concern for the students, the administration could have had the renovations of L.S.B. finished before Sept. 2. The only reason why L.S.B. is unfinished now is that the administration feared embarrassment at the visit of Dr. Jonas Salk.

The handling of Dr. Salk’s visit is another example of the administration’s complacency toward students. We were informed that student seating would be reserved in Bomberger auditorium. However, we did not know until we arrived that we were segregated to the balcony or the “cheats seats” alongside the auditorium with their obstructed view.

When I questioned Stephanie McNulty about why we could not sit in the auditorium with their obstructed view.

Sincerely,
Jamie Adam
Class of 1992

Dear Editor:

Having read John Ronning’s letter to the Grizzly this week, I am not certain which appalls me more: the twisted issue of misinformed, logical fallacy, and pornographic fantasy that constitutes his letter, or the fact that it was written by an Ursinus instructor, a man who, one would hope, should be dedicated to educating our students in a responsible and intellectually rigorous fashion. Unfortunately, there is nothing responsible about Mr. Ronning’s letter.

Certainly Mr. Ronning is entitled to hold and even publish his opinions on GALA, homosexuality, and whatever else he wishes to comment on. To deny him that right would be a breach of our hard-won and much-abused academic freedom. But when individual opinion is misrepresented as fact, more than academic freedom is at stake; instead, questions of academic accountability and intellectual rigor come to the fore.

And in fact, both Mr. Ronning’s tact assumptions and his stated conclusions about gynaece and gay sexual practices fly in the face of virtually all the reputable, scholarly research concerning homosexuality that has been done in biology, psychology, sociology, and yes, even religious studies in the past few decades. The ignorance his letter reveals would be shocking in a student; in an educator it is little less than criminal.

While I generally refrain from advising my colleagues on reading for personal and academic development, perhaps Mr. Ronning would be interested in doing the elementary research on homosexuality that I know my students in GALA have already done. Our library has a dozen or so titles; he could start in the reference section with Garland Press’ new compendium, Encyclopedia of Homosexuality.

In conclusion, I submit that Mr. Ronning’s letter is the best possible argument for the existence of GALA on the Ursinus campus, for it displays both the ignorance GALA wishes to remedy and the homophobia GALA must combat.

Joyce T. Lionaros
English Department

Dear Editor,

The recent letters to the editor concerning GALA has presented two opposing views. One was a graphic discussion of homosexual behavior, the other celebrated the homo sexual lifestyle. While the graphic detail appeared to be highlighting the Mapplethorpe “artistic” photos, the other reflected a heart-felt family experience. These two views approach the homosexual lifestyle from opposite positions; one celebrating it, one condemning it.

After reading both articles I noticed a difference in the presuppositions of the writers. It is my opinion that Mr. Ronning assumes that homosexuality is abnormal while the other assumes that it is normal. Is the homosexual lifestyle normal? One writer cites a study that says that 3.6% of the population is gay, a statistic appearing to support the normality of the lifestyle. However, a recent study in Science Magazine showed that the only 3.6% of men had "frequent" or "occasional" sexual contact with another man. Obviously, there are conflicting statistics on the prevalence of the lifestyle. Even if we could reach a consensus on the statistic, should Bogus be the basis of our support for a lifestyle?

Another basis for evaluating the normality of a lifestyle could be questioning whether it is a result of a biological or innate characteristic. If it is, then homosexuality can be grouped with race, gender, or ethnic origin. If not, it would be inappropriate to compare the discrimination against a lifestyle with the discrimination against an innate characteristic. Would you compare the discrimination against polyamory with that of racial discrimination? I am unaware of any scientific study demonstrating a hormonal or chemical difference between heterosexuals and homosexuals, and there are clearly no anatomical differences.

If the behavior is not the result of biological differences, than the issue of normality becomes more complex. My hope is that Mr. Ronning will be a responsible and intellectually rigorous scholar and that he will learn more about GALA before he makes the decision on whether we will continue to provide extra facilities for the members of GALA.

Andrew Economopoulos
Economics and Business

Dear Editor,

I found Mr. Ronning’s letter to the editor (week of November 12) very disturbing. I found the intensity of his hate and rage frightening. I am far from naive but it was also distressing to think that any human being really felt that way. But equally as frightening and disturbing was the fact that he felt comfortable and justified voicing this outrageous opinion.

We need not look very far to see that hatred and bigotry are insidiously seeping into the realm of tolerable and acceptable. President George Bush used it with his Willie Horton ad. David Duke ran a campaign with bigotry at the core. When Duke spoke of "those Welfare individuals who can work but don’t" and when he spoke of "crimes committed against Americans" he was not talking about white people assaulting white people or white people on welfare. What is even more frightening than the message of David Duke is that 670,000 Louisiana saw fit to vote for the messenger.

To stereotype any group of individuals (as Mr. Ronning did) in such a broad and disgusting terms should be offensive to all of us; regardless of our sexual orientation. My hope is that Mr. Ronning’s view point is one that is so far from the "fringe." My fear is that intolerance of our differences (be they cultural, racial or sexual) is finding a safe niche in our society.

Lastly, although I believe in free speech and would defend Mr. Ronning’s right to it, I have to question his wisdom and intelligence. It is my opinion that those of us that are privileged and fortunate enough to be working with and educating today’s young adults have a moral obligation to help open minds; not clamp them shut.

Sincerely,
Kathy Gretenburg
Counseling Dept.

Dear Editor and Ursinus Community,

With all due respect, I believe that all of the arguing over the existence of GALA has gone too far. If it goes much further, it may only serve to divide the Ursinus community even more. As a Christian, while I dont agree with what GALA stands for, I believe my Master has called me to “love my neighbor.” And let us not forget the admonition that “he who is without sin cast the first stone.” I doubt seriously that any of us, Mr. Ronning, myself, etc. are “without sin,” so we should try to learn more about GALA and what they are trying to do - gain resources on a campus that could probably learn more from allowing them to organize and dialogue with the rest of them from bickering and throwing around heated opinions and unverified scripture references. Some of my friends are in GALA, and I feel terrible that they have been subjected to as much heat as has been generated recently. I believe that is a true test of character to be able to hold on to your own beliefs and also to understand and love those who may disagree with you at the same time. As a member of the heterosexual population, I may not understand why homosexuals feel the way they do, but that doesn’t mean that I or anyone else can tell them they can’t organize as a potentially vital part of this campus.

Sincerely,
Shawn Glancy
Class of 1992

(Addendum to letter on page 9)
Opinions/Letters

Campus Memo

By Richard P. Richter
President of the College

BOMBERGER, HALL. Under the creative hand of Anthony D. J. Branker, the concert band and jazz ensemble rocked the rafters in Bomberger Hall on Saturday night, November 23. The groups had large crowds, which responded enthusiastically to both brands of music. Clapping along with Tony to the best of the ensemble, the crowd made a mood in the Hall that contrasted with that of the previous weekend, when we held the Founders’ Day convocation. Then the atmosphere of the Hall was formal and serious. THE Heefer Memorial organ and the Chamber Singers set the tone. With this contrast in mind, I renewed my sense of appreciation for the versatility of Bomberger. It is the ideal setting for a convocation, but it is also a great place to hear jazz.

Over the years Bomberger has been the scene of vastly different events, all of them strangely compatible on that shallow, accommodating platform. In the early 1970’s an ad hoc student group put on a memorable performance of The Persecution and Assassination of Jean-Paul Marat as performed by the Inmates of the Asylum of Charenton Under the Direction of The Marquis de Sade”, by Peter Weiss.

For a couple of years student talent shows were staged there. The booking and hollering of raucous audiences might have come close to awakening the ghosts of some of the worthies who had preached in the Hall in years past.

On December 3, Bomberger will be the setting for author John Updike, who will read from his mother’s writing and his own for the Ursinus community. Updike’s mother, Linda Grace Hoyer, and his father, Wesley, were graduated from Ursinus in 1923. They would have attended daily chapel in their student years. They might have slid in from where their son will be reading.

William F. Heefer, of the class of ’42, of our Board of Directors, was the student organizer of these events, and will have a commemorative place in the ceremony.

The atmosphere of the Hall is in anyway an environment that is conducive to the search for the ideal setting for a place to hear jazz. It was perceptive and illuminating, employing and exposing of some of those devices I found so enjoyable in Bomberger’s work. I only wish she would offer a clinic in literary analysis. It’s obvious that our campus could use the help. If we’re going to dwell on a subject for weeks at a time, the least we could do is read our opponents’ letters with care and take the time to create sound, colorful responses.

Humbly yours,
Mike Evans
Class of 1992

Halloween

officer to stay during the entire allotted time of the party. My article was also in the opinions and letters section of the paper, so the staff of The Grizzly had nothing to do with my writing. I didn’t think Robert Ladd to read my article even before I submitted it to the editor, and he concurred my writing as being absolutely true. He also let me quote him, and I wrote exactly what he stated, so what’s the point? It is a bit eerie irony that the same person (whom I quoted, with witnesses in the beginning of the year) “Robb is the worst president of the U. C. C. Church, I believe personally that it is my God-given responsibility to be as willing to listen to GALA as much as I would want them to hear me if I had an issue of concern—and speakers or events are the best way to do this (this does cost money). I don’t know how God works through organizations like GALA—but I’m not so closed minded to think that He can’t. I pray for all of us to have tolerance to be rational here—I hope we can all come out of this as more informed human beings! For me, even though I believe homosexuality is wrong, I can’t in good conscience see the good in denying GALA money—it might only serve to build bridges of suspicion or resentment, and this is not a Christian way to handle anything. God help us all!”

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A sincere "Get Well" to our leader, Eric. See, we can do an issue without you!!

A Christian Response

Editor’s Note: This letter is the second part of a letter from Mr. Glancy printed on page 8. This part was submitted to us late in publication and therefore could not be run together with the other part. We apologize for the split.

Addendum to Letter to the Editor:

My letter is not in anyway an attempt to pass judgment on anyone on either side of the GALA issue. I strongly disagree with what GALA believes, but I don’t think that by giving them money we are condoning their beliefs. There is a distinct possibility that all of us—especially those of us in the heterosexual population—might actually learn something (whether from GALA or our college campus?) from the speakers and events GALA sponsors. As a future servant of the U.C.C. Church, I believe personally that it is my God-given responsibility to be as willing to listen to GALA as much as I would want them to hear me if I had an issue of concern—and speakers or events are the best way to do this (this does cost money). I don’t know how God works through organizations like GALA—but I’m not so closed minded to think that He can’t. I pray for all of us to have tolerance to be rational here—I hope we can all come out of this as more informed human beings! For me, even though I believe homosexuality is wrong, I can’t in good conscience see the good in denying GALA money—it might only serve to build bridges of suspicion or resentment, and this is not a Christian way to handle anything. God help us all!”

Thanks again,
Shawn Glancy
Class of 1992

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Basketball Opens Season with Losses to Dickinson and Cabrini in Tip-Off Tournament

BY TREY GELSTON
Of The Grizzly

On November 22nd and 23rd Ursinus College hosted the Bear Cave Classic Tip-Off Tournament. The first game featured the nationally ranked Scranton Royals vs. the Cabrini Cava. Scranton showed why they were ranked so high as they rolled to an 80-50 victory. Jason Hoppy and Mike Beneski led the balanced scoring attack of the Royals with 14 points each. In the 1st half Dickinson built their lead to as many as 19 points before Ursinus started a furious comeback attempt keyed by seniors Gino Del Signore, Brendan Sharpe and sophomore Tony Houston.

Unfortunately the Bears just ran out of time and lost 69-61. Houston was high man with 17 points, Sharpe had 12, and Marc Cataldi and Will Briggs finished with 8 pts. and 9 pts. respectively. On Saturday the Bears met Cabrini in the consolation game. The first half was a hard fought affair, with both teams being in the lead at various times. Cabrini outscored the Bears 35-12 pts. a piece. Houston, Sharpe and Del Signore added 9 each.

Although the Bears started their season 0-2 there are some positive signs. Both Houston and Gilmartin had good showings and their offense will greatly help UC. Also Del Signore did a good job running the offense and Sharpe had a solid performance. If these guys continue to play well and proven scorers Cataldi and Lesher regain their shooting touch the Bears could have a successful season.

Scranton won the Championship by defeating Dickinson in the final game. The All-Tournament team consisted of Craig Copeland and Jim Sheker from Dickinson. Mike Massare from Cabrini, Mike Beneski and Brian Morano from Scranton, and Jason Hoppy from Ursinus was the MVP.

Jeff Eckerson looks for an open player in Ursinus' 85-66 loss to Cabrini in the Tip-Off Tournament.
Kershner Goes to Nationals

BY LAURA ZOREL
Sports Editor

Joe Kershner finished his senior season by running in the NCAA Division III cross country championships held at Christopher Newport College in Newport News, Virginia. Despite the hot 80 degree weather, Kershner ran a good race and came in 87th in a time of 26:06. The last person from Ursinus to qualify for the nationals was Mike McGinnis in 1985. Running in the nationals was the climax to a great season for Kershner. Kershner won all the meets except for the Drexel Invitational where he came in 2nd place behind Mike McMullan. At the MAC championships at Widener, Kershner ran well and came in 4th place. The following week at the NCAA Mid East Regional Qualifier at Allentown College, Kershner came in 10th place with a time of 26:19, which earned him a Regional All-American title, as well as a trip to nationals. Two other Ursinus runners also are Regional All-Americans: Mike McMullin who finished in 14th place with a time of 26:29 and Jene Grubowy who finished 12th place in a time of 29:46.

Overall Kershner is pleased with his performance. “It is a good way to end the season with the biggest race you can run.” The team will greatly miss Kershner’s presence next year.

Harley’s Haven

BY HARLEY DAVID RUBIN
Assistant Sports Editor

Hey, sports fans, I love you! (I’m a ‘90s kind of guy.) So how about those Redkins, Eric? I know it’s unkind to hit a guy while he’s down, but a buzz kill no excuse. For those of you who didn’t know, the undefeated Washington Redskins are no longer undefeated. After last Sunday’s 24-21 loss to the Cowboys, the mighty have fallen to 11-1. Granted, they’re still the best team in football (maybe), but the big old “1” in the loss column could prove to be costly during the rest of the season. I’m salivating in anticipation of December 22nd...

Bobby Bonilla is one helluva baseball player, but he’s also a good guy. This could prove to be a deciding factor in which team he chooses to grace with his presence next season. In my fantasies, Bobby B. signs with the Phils and leads them to a title. In reality, I don’t think that he’ll sign with us. I believe it’s between the Angels and Mets, and each team has its advantages: California has great weather, a generous owner, and is a perennial contender in a weakening division; the Mets have lots of money, media attention, and of course are always in the hunt for the division. But remember—the Phillies are getting a reputation as “an up-and-coming team.” In reality, they still can’t decide who should play goal, and they’ve got the worst power-play unit in hockey. So why should we care? The Flyers are still near the top of the Atlantic Division, but aren’t beating the teams they should be demolishing. One night, they’ll shoot 70% from the field and outrebound the opposition by 20, the next night: 35% and 13 rebounds. These inconsistencies have to be dealt with, and quickly, or we may be doomed to a third-place finish. I can’t see trading anyone, except maybe some of the dead weight at the end of the bench, like Kenny Payne and Dave Hoppen. But that still doesn’t loosen up enough money under the salary cap to sign a quality player. If Charles Barkley wants to desperately to play with a winner, why doesn’t he do like some of the other big names in the NBA and give up some money for this cause?

I have some good news and some bad news. The bad news is that this week’s Cheers Question Cash Prize is the last one to be doled out. It appears that we don’t have any money in the budget, so Jere L. and this week’s winner will be the only ones to receive their moolah. Anyway, the good news is that the contest will continue, but there will be no prizes. (It’s not such great news, but better than the bad news.) Maybe my faithful readers have an idea for a prize or incentive. I would appreciate any input. So now, here’s the previous week’s question:

The original name of Frasier’s dog was Pavlov, but when Diane developed an allergy to the dog after moving in with Frasier, Sam adopted the pet and named it. The original name of Frasier’s dog was Pavlov, but when Diane developed an allergy to the dog after moving in with Frasier, Sam adopted the pet and renamed it. What’s the name of the winner out of the hat right now, and it’s...Casey Price! Jeff, Casey, you beat incredible odds (2 to 1) in winning. Good job (I’ll get you your money soon). As for this week’s question, the answer is:

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Women’s Soccer Team
in the Works

BY SARA JACOBSON
Arts and Entertainment Editor

An organizational meeting was held for women’s soccer on November 5th at 4:30 in the Wiener Lower Lounge. Approximately 45 women showed interest in participating in either spring intramural or fall club competition. An Intramural league is in the process of being organized for the spring season. There may be a round robin tournament with games to be announced at a future date. Information will be sent out to those interested after Christmas break.

Ursinus Outswims Washington

BY BOB GONNELLA
Of The Grizzly

Unfortunately the Ursinus College Men’s Swim Team victory over Washington College, 105-92, on November 13th was overlooked in the last issue because of my mistake. It is certainly a victory worth mentioning because the team swam very well.

Fred Brown collected two first places in the 50 Free and the 100 Free to lead the assault. Other fine performances included Judd Woytek’s victory in the 1000 Free, Steve Grubby’s victory in the 200 IM and Jeff Andrew's first place finish in the 500 Free. Jeff Brown finished with a personal best in the 50 Free, while Drew Wick, Steve Simpson, Bob Gonella, and Chris Foust also contributed as well. One of the most exciting races of the meet was a duel between Errol Botha and Matt Landis of Juniata in the 100 Back in which they were only separated by 2 hundredths of a second. The team is finished until after Thanksgiving when it will swim at Swarthmore. The next home meet will be after winter break.

Women Hoopsters Open Season

BY THE WOMEN’S BASKETBALL TEAM
Special to The Grizzly

The Ursinus Women’s Basketball team travelled to Juniata College the weekend of November 23-24 to compete in their first official games of the season.

On the first game, Ursinus took on the Allegheny Gators and lost despite a rally in the second half bringing the score as close as eight points. Junior Betty Laskowski came off the bench to do a great job for the Bears. Senior Megan Chmiel lit up the scoreboard finishing off the game with seventeen points. The final score was Allegheny 75, Ursinus 58.

In the second game, the Lady Grizzly Bears challenged Juniata in the consolation round. Upon entering the locker room at half time, they trailed by two. Unfortunately, Juniata captured the hot hand in the second half and came away with the victory (Juniata 74, Ursinus 55).

Sophomore Heather Colvin went six for eight in the first half and led the Bears with 15. The Lady Bears are looking forward to a winning season and hope to have a lot of fan support at the home games.

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Lady Bears Sink Competition

BY LAURA LECRONE
Of The Grizzly

The Ursinus women's swimming team had a lot to do last week. On Wednesday, the Lady Bears swamped Bryn Mawr, and on Saturday, they washed out Trenton State.

The Bryn Mawr meet was dominated by UC from start to finish. The women came on strong and by the middle of the meet, UC was up by seventy-one points.

The final score was Ursinus 140 and Bryn Mawr 102. Ursinus firsts in individual events included: Kelly Crowers in the 1000 yd. freestyle; Senta Bamberger in the 200 yd. freestyle and the 100 yd. free; Jenn Deratine in the 100 yd. backstroke, the 50 yd. freestyle, and the 200 yd. backstroke; Bridget Cauley in the 100 yd. breaststroke; Denise Schildt in the 200 yd. breast; Lisa Wessner in the 100 yd. butterfly and the 50 yd. free. The medley relay team of Ellen Disney, Schildt, Wessner, and Debbie Williamson also took a first place.

Seconds and thirds were won by: Bamberger, Maria Barrucco, Disney, Laura LeCrone, Michelle Lyons, Rene Campbell, Williamson, and Cauley.

The Trenton State meet was a bit more challenging for the Lady Bears. There were lots of close finishes and several outstanding swims. Some of the most incredible swims were turned in by Bamberger in the 200 yd. free, Deratine in the 50 yd. free, and Schildt in the 100 yd. breaststroke. All these performances were first place finishes. Other firsts included: Wessner in the 100 yd. fly, Deratine in the 100 yd. back, the medley relay team consisting of Beth Chilton, Schildt, Wessner, and Deratine, and the free relay team of Bamberger, Williamson, Disney, and Chilton.

Some second and third place finishes were turned in by: Disney, Williamson, Cauley, Schildt, Bamberger, Wessner, and Lyons.

The final score was 114 to 88. The Lady Bears pulled it out one more time. The team is undefeated and will be defending that position again on Monday, November 25 at home against West Chester at 6:00 p.m. They then travel to Kutztown for their next meet on December 4 at 7:00 p.m.

Nick's NFL Notes

BY NICK RACCINO
Of The Grizzly

The Pittsburgh Steeler defense hassled Houston quarterback Warren Moon all day as the Steelers upset the Oilers 26-14 Sunday at Three Rivers Stadium.

Moon, who came in as the fifth-best quarterback in the AFC, was intercepted five times for the first time in his NFL career. Defense backers Eric Everett and Jeffires before Anderson kicked the 72-yard drive was a 25-yard hook up on a 43-yard bomb pass in the final minute of the first half.

Pittsburgh opened the second half with a touchdown on its first possession, a 1-yard run by Warren Williams. The score, which gave the Steelers a 23-7 lead, was set up by Hinkle's interception.

Moon ended the Oilers' scoring with a TD toss to Haywood Jeffires before Anderson kicked another and a clinching field goal. Moon finished with 24 of 48 completions for 311 yards, two TDs and the five interceptions. After a slow start, Jeffires ended with eight catches for 123 yards and the touchdown.

Pittsburgh's backfield duo of Barry Foster and Merrill Hoge combined for 117 yards rushing.

This game was only one of four upsets of the day. The Dallas Cowboys beat the previously undefeated Washington Redskins 24-21, New England upset Buffalo 16-13, and the Cleveland Browns beat their old coach, Marty Schottenheimer and his Kansas City Chiefs 20-15.

Lacrosse Ends Season

BY DENNIS SHORT
Special to the Grizzly

Last Saturday the Ursinus Men's Lacrosse team hosted the Del. Val. Aggies. From the start of the game Ursinus dominated Del. Val. Junior Blair Zartman won almost every face-off while once again the Ursinus defense shut down every attempt that Del. Val. made to generate some offense. The Ursinus offense, led once again by Barnaby Draper, lit up the Del. Val. goal for 12 goals. Scoring for Ursinus were Buddy Andrews 2, Chris Tracanna 2, Blair Zartman 1, Carlos Ortega 1, and scoring his first double hat-trick of the season- Barnaby Draper.

However this past Saturday the Ursinus offense was slowed down considerably by a well-skilled Philadelphia Pharmaceutical team. The high-scoring Ursinus offense was limited to just three goals-- Barnaby Draper, Blair Zartman and Chris Tracanna, all scoring one a piece. Freshmen goalkeeper Jeff Fell had a sensational game stopping several well constructed offensive opportunities by Pharmaceutical. The final score: Pharm 7, Ursinus 3.

The men's fall season record was 3 and 1. The Ursinus offense averaged 10 goals a game while only allowing 5. Thanks to all the fans who came out to support the team, and we will see you on the Rock Pine next spring!

Charity Hoops Game

BY LAURA ZOBEL
Sports Editor

Last Tuesday evening in Helfferich the 610 WWIP All Star Basketball team played against the Philadelphia Whittemarch Rugby team, led by Ursinus wrestling coach, Bill Rasch in a basketball game to benefit the Medieval Sports Festival.

The Medieval Sports Festival is an annual event for the handicapped sponsored by Dr. Laura Borsdorff and all HPFJ majors. This year the Medieval Festival will take place on Monday April 6th from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. in Helfferich Hall. This year's theme will be "Adventures of Robin Hood" with students dressed up as Robin Hood, Friar Tuck, jugglers, and court jesters to entertain the crowd.

The charity basketball game attracted a large rowdy crowd, which came out to cheer for the rugby team, the crowd favorite. Everyone who attended and watched the games was told to donate $1 towards the Medieval Festival.

The two teams entertained the crowd with their not so traditional style of play. Dr. O'Neill, an economics professor, played for the rugby team and made several good plays including 1 rebound. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. Bob Gonella, a senior said "I was curious to see what the radio announcers looked like. This is a fun event."

The charity basketball game was proposed by the Whittemarch Rugby Team. The team participates in many charity events to help maintain a positive status in the community. Bill Rasch, the head wrestling coach as well as president of the rugby club states, "We want to be recognized in a positive way and we wanted to work with Ursinus College.

Helping with the Medieval Sports Festival was a way to do that."

The rugby team contacted WIP and challenged them to a game. Being associated with Ursinus, Rasch wanted to do something for the school as well as his team. This event united both interests.

The event helped raise $500 towards the sports festival. Despite an early game deficit, the rugby team came back to win 46-27. Rasch comments, "The WIP guys were wonderful. They want a rematch. We appreciate the strong turnout and thanks to the wrestling team for their time and efforts."