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The Results Are In!

Election Day '95

Philadelphia

In Philadelphia, Democrats were favored in major races:

Mayor
Ed Rendell (D)

Philadelphia City Council

Members At-Large
Augusta A. Clark (D)
David Cohen (D)
Happy Fernandez (D)
James F. Kenney (D)
Angel Ortiz (D)
W. Thatcher Longstreth (R)
Frank Rizzo, Jr. (R)

Philadelphia City Commissioner
Margaret M. Tartaglione (D)

Suburbs

In the suburbs, Republicans control the major seats:

Chester County State Senate
Robert J. Thompson (R)

Chester County Commissioner
Karen L. Martynick (R)
Colin A. Hanna

State

State Supreme Court
Sandra Schultz Newman (R)
Russell M. Nigro (D)

Chester County District Attorney
Anthony A. Sarcione (R)

Montgomery County Commissioner
Richard S. Buckman (R)
Mario Mele (R)
Joan H. Nagel (D)

Montgomery County District Attorney
Michael D. Marino (R)

Date of Graduation to Change

In response to the urgings of the senior class, the date of the 1996 Ursinus College Commencement has been changed from the afternoon of Sunday, May 19, to Saturday morning May 18. An official announcement of the date change is expected from the President's Office sometime this week.

Graduation Day
Saturday, May 18!

Several locations are being considered for the ceremony, and you will be notified as soon as exact location is determined.

The Baccalaureate service, in recent years held on Sunday morning on the day of Commencement, will now be held on Friday, May 17th, at 7 p.m., in order to make it as convenient as possible for parents and friends to attend. This service will be followed by an all-campus reception for students, their guests, faculty and staff.

Please mark these revised dates on your calendar now. More details will be forthcoming at a later date.

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Musical Chat

On Monday, Nov. 27, Dr. John French, professor of music here at Ursinus and director of the College's choral ensembles, will speak on how the Messiah came to be.

The talk will begin at 9:00, and will take place in the Unity House.

The event is sponsored by Pi Nu Epsilon, Ursinus' honorary music fraternity. All students, staff and faculty are encouraged to attend!

Pi Nu Epsilon Sponsors Messiah Chat

Job Club on Campus!

The purpose of the Job Club is to:

- Provide a forum for the sharing of ideas on job searching.
- Provide group support for the job seeker.
- Assist in identifying job-related skills and interests.

Students will learn to develop successful search techniques in an environment that offers group support, direction and encouragement. The Job Club will provide a forum for sharing experiences and ideas related to job searching.

The first meeting is Nov. 15 from 12-1 p.m. Sign up NOW in Career Services by calling x2274 or 409-3599. Or, e-mail: career@acad.ursinus.edu

Space is limited, so sign up now!

Do you have a question, problem, comment or concern about security?

Have your voice heard at the next USGA meeting! Brian McCullough will be present to talk to all interested students about security. Everyone is welcome!

Tuesday, Nov. 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Unity House.

Hope to see you there!

European Adventure

Do you find that the majority of your classmates at Ursinus are "locals" who live within a few hours of campus? Well, in coming years, that may begin to change.

The recruitment of students never ends for any college, but Ursinus is now exploring new horizons in looking for students. Rick DiFeliciantonio recently returned from a European recruiting tour with twelve other U.S. colleges and universities. They went to high schools in London, Brussels, Athens, Vienna, Istanbul, and Rome presenting European students with information about their respective institutions and talked to students about attending American schools.

DiFeliciantonio is excited about the prospects of having more international students attending Ursinus. Not only does Ursinus provide a great opportunity for foreign students, but having a more diverse student community will help all students as we prepare for a world that is growing increasingly smaller as countries from all over the world come in constant business and professional contact with one another.

The students being recruited are some of the best in Europe, all of whom speak English very well and are planning on professional careers. Ursinus's strong academic program, as well as its location and size, are strong selling points for European students thinking about coming to the United States.

And as more European students come to Ursinus, other students will hear of their experiences and begin to consider making such a choice themselves. As this continually happens, recruitment efforts will not be as necessary, for the positive experiences of prior students will serve as recruiting agents themselves.

The change will not come immediately, but over time, Ursinus will evolve into a more diverse institution. And who knows? Maybe you will find a hallmate from Vienna, a lab partner from Rome, or a teammate from London in years to come. Learning comes in many ways. Through the efforts of Rick DiFeliciantonio as well as the others involved, Ursinus will continue to expand upon and celebrate the diversity of cultures among the student community.

Women Taking Action Through Self-Defense

A woman and her child abducted from a local shopping center, two Ursinus students mugged on campus...crime has come to Collegeville. Are you prepared? The women that participated in the Rape Aggression Defense program, better known as R.A.D., are.

It is a nation wide program that lasts six weeks and is taught here at Ursinus by security officer Paul Smith. In this course, women learn how to handle themselves in a world where rape, including date rape, is a realistic fear of all women. The women learn gruesome statistics about rape. They also learn key elements of self defense, such as awareness of the situation and defensive actions to take against an attacker. Throughout the program, the women are shown and practice things like kicks, punches, and blocks, in hopes of committing them to muscle memory so that they are ready to be used if needed. The program comes to a cumulative end when each participant must fight an "attacker" and show what they have learned.

As one student, Melissa Forbes, said "I never knew how vulnerable I was before R.A.D., but now I feel much safer knowing concrete ways to protect myself. It changes your whole mind set about being attacked and makes you much more confident in your self defense abilities."

With all of the problems and violence facing women today, it is a wonderful reassurance to know you have the skills to ward off an attacker and the sense of security that the R.A.D. program offers.
We are overwhelmed by the success of the Ursinus Canathon - this event has resulted in a truck load of canned goods and other non-perishables for the needy of Montgomery County. The citizens of the Ursinus community were extremely generous, and we thank them.

We would like to acknowledge the work done by Todd McKinney and Beatrice May toward making this project so successful. Thank you to all the terrific Ursinus students and their parents who attended the collection tables - it was cold out there, but everyone honored their commitment and we are extremely grateful to all of the volunteers. Hopefully, this will become an annual parent/student effort, and the needy will benefit from this community service event.

Bernard and Barbara Lehrman
Chairpersons, Parents Committee
**What I Think**

by Todd Brenneman

Of The Grizzly

Greetings and Salutations, friends. Efficient though I am, there was no article last week. This was due to overabundance of work that I had. Regrettably I have just as much, but I'm sure many of you loyal readers are eager to see how I respond to the charges that have been leveled at me. In light of the attack, I have to plead guilty as charged. Derelict of being right. Oh, I don't know where that came from. Friends, I meant to say I am guilty of believing in GOD. May I proceed? Alas, I'm not ashamed in the least. Really. Going from that, my friends, what do I have to say in my defense? Oh, Nothing. That's the truth. I chose to let a friend speak for me. "I am the resurrection and the Life. No one comes to the Father but through me" (John 14:6). When I observed the attack leveled last week, I realized it was not only against me. It was against those who believe in the same thing I do. I was vehement when I saw the ramblings of a self-proclaimed Christian claiming that the sacrifice of Jesus Christ was null and void. Would you also choose to slap the Savior while He was on the cross? MY Christianity is not a GAME. It is everything I believe. But I will not defend it here. Instead, I will ask and I want answers. I want you to tell me: How do 40 men over 1600 years in three languages (Greek, Hebrew, and Aramaic) on three continents (Europe, Asia, and Africa) weave a story so far? What is this story? Tell me why there are no inconsistencies in the Bible. Tell me how the real writers of the books in the Bible could predict events that would happen hundreds of years in the future (go to Ezekiel 26-28 for a start). But, that is just your opinion one may say. I guess in the end, yes, it's my opinion, but I can back it up and would be happy to anytime.

That being said. What's this article about? It's about what I think. That's right. This is my article. These ideas are my views. You may agree or disagree (and i appreciate both), but in the end it doesn't matter, simply because I will write what I think.

So what am I thinking about this week? I am thinking how nice it would be for all of you who read this to ATTEND THE URUSIN COLLEGE CONCERT BAND AND JAZZ ENSEMBLE CONCERT AT 8 PM ON SATURDAY NOVEMBER 18 IN BOMBERGER AUDITORIUM!!!!

**In Debate: King of Prussia Renovations**

**Christy says the renovations were not needed**

by Christy Kenny

Of The Grizzly

Over one hundred new stores. That's right, over one HUNDRED new stores just opened in the King of Prussia Plaza. I have to wonder, is it really necessary? The King of Prussia mall was renovated about two or three years ago, with a large number of new stores, new floors, skylights and other structural additions. Furthermore, because the Court Plaza at King of Prussia is one of the largest malls in the entire country, it makes perfect sense to add more stores onto it. So now the Plaza is even bigger than before. Just in time for Christmas. But, what does that mean for the average suburban Philadelphia resident? Well, first of all, it means incredible traffic coming in all directions toward the mall until the Christmas rush is over. So if you want to get there are King of Prussia, the back roads are probably the best way to go, because people from near and far will be doing their holiday shopping at the Plaza and will be congesting the major roads. More significantly, however, the size of the mall is a reflection of how materialistic society has become. King of Prussia was a huge shopping complex before the additions, and now it has another hundred stores added on to it. What really needs that many stores? We have clothing stores, department stores, restaurants, shoe stores, novelty stores and stores for just about anything you can imagine. Actually, for everything you might want to buy, there are probably numerous stores that carry exactly what you want. As the holiday season approaches, and we spend our evenings and weekends fighting through the crowds looking for gifts, it becomes harder and harder to remember the true meaning of our celebrations. Hopefully we will be able to enjoy the benefits of the King of Prussia mall while still remembering what is truly important in our lives.

**Brandy says the renovations will help the economy**

by Brandy McAlchan

Of The Grizzly

There are around 150 new stores in the King of Prussia mall. Why are people finding fault with this? In my opinion it is a dream come true. Opponents view the new stores as materialism at its worst, but they couldn't be farther from the truth. The addition of the new stores can only help King of Prussia's economy. First, it will bring in thousands of new visitors to the King of Prussia area, including many Ursinus students, I am sure. While people are coming to see these new stores, they will visit the old stores as well, bringing more business to them. Furthermore, as people are shopping, they will also stop at the food court and spend their money there, bringing even more business to the food merchants. The addition of the new stores equals more money for all the retailers involved. This is the realization of the American dream of owning a successful business in action. In addition, as these businesses make more and more money and have more visitors, they will need to hire more employees. This benefits the King of Prussia economy as well by lowering the unemployment rate immensely. How opponents can see fault in a system that benefits everyone involved is incomprehensible. As for me, holiday shopping here I come.

**A Talk Show Circus**

by Laurie Falcone

Of The Grizzly

In light of the recent battle that has been fought on the pages of this paper, I would like to bring attention to yet another issue that plagues our society, talk shows. Although this issue is not a large facet of the 1996 campaigns, several representatives of each party are up in arms about it. I felt it best to convey my sentiments about controversial talk shows by writing to them in letter form.

Dear (any talk-show host with the exception of Oprah)

Although I found myself hooked on a particular show of yours, it was not for reasons of interest. Rather, I was shocked. Not at the content, but at the exploiting methods you used to supposedly prove a point. I tend to think this tactic is done to boost your ever-decreasing ratings, but that's another story. For example, the show to which I am referring dealt with young children with violent tendencies. One mother broke down on the panel, yet you continued to hound her for more gory details. Your "corporate correspondent" interviewed various teens that had undergone therapy for their own violent tendencies. Instead of encouraging them to give advice and insight to the helpless parents, your correspondent prodded the teens to tell of their gruesome encounters with such things as guns and fire when they were younger. Then, he proceeded to glorify each kid's story.

Sincerely, A concerned ex-viewer
In recent weeks the argument on homosexuality has gradually become an ongoing debate. Several people have asserted that homosexuality is a sin like all others and it is not justified according to God. Of course this statement raises the question: "How can you say that God is the truth?"

Perhaps this very question is the underlying cause of the debate. Do we believe that it is OK for us to pick and choose the rules by which we live, or do we believe that we are incapable of making reasonable guidelines by which to live and therefore must turn to God? The first argument suggests that as individuals we are the best judges of right and wrong. Therefore we accept the laws of God only as they meet our approval. According to the second argument, as human beings who fall short of perfection, we are not able to decipher, on our own, right from wrong. However, in turning to God’s word, we can begin to understand the laws, created by a perfect being, by which we are to live.

Rebecca Manley Pippert, author of Out of the Salt Shaker & into the World, challenges us to consider Jesus’ command for us to love our enemies. At first this seems reasonable, until we think of an enemy. Then we begin to question how can we possibly love someone who hates us. That would be going completely against our grain. So we determine that what Jesus must have meant was if we see our enemy walking down Main Street we shouldn’t trip them or fight them, rather we should walk down the other side of the street. He could not have possibly meant love in the sense that we think of it.

Essentially we see how high God’s standards are and how far we are from living up to them. We recognize the vast gap between his demands and our behavior and try to narrow the gap by softening his claims, accommodating ourselves. The Jesus of the Gospels, however, is uncompromising. This may seem offensive to some, perhaps even arrogant, but it is the essence of Christianity. Why should a perfect man compromise his standards to meet the needs of our sinful, imperfect world? Left on our own, we cannot create a plan for living even close to that of God’s. It is written, ‘As for God, his way is perfect; the word of the Lord is flawless’ (2 Samuel 2:3 1)

I think that we are much more arrogant when we think that Jesus’ teachings are not good enough for us to follow. Instead we insist that we have a better understanding of ourselves than does Christ, himself. How arrogant of us to pick and choose what we will obey. Jesus calls us to obey all of his teachings, not just the ones we find appealing. At times this may be hard to do and may even make us feel uncomfortable, but it is what we are commanded to do. We are overwhelmed as we are made aware that we cannot attain perfection. However, we still must strive for Christ’s standard.

In the end we will be held accountable to this standard alone. Will we walk in our own sinful, imperfect ways, or will we accept Christ? Jesus says, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me” (John 14:6).

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**Read the First Amendment**

To the Editors:

In response to Todd Brennanman’s views on religion and public life in the United States, let me suggest reading the First Amendment. It says, “Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof.”

As a member of a minority group in the U.S., some of whose ancestors came to this country to escape persecution in other lands, I am grateful and proud that the Constitution does not see religion as being the business of the State.

Sincerely yours,

Frances Novack
Dept. of Modern Languages

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**Bravo Pizza**

Trappe Shopping Center
(Next to Clemens)

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**Movie Mania**

**by Colin Tucker**
Nicole Kidman's personal masseuse

Unfortunately, *Ace Ventura: When Nature Calls* is not nearly as funny as its predecessor.

Ace (Jim Carrey) goes to Africa, and hired to find the missing holy animal of the Wachati tribe, a rare white bat. We find out that Ace is petrified of bats (could that have anything to do with the fact that Carrey was The Riddler in *Batman Forever*?). This plot may sound similar to that of *Ace Ventura: Pet Detective*, in which Ace has to find Snowflake, the kidnapped mascot of the greatest football team in history, the Miami Dolphins (Sorry to intrude on your column, Charlie).

Anyway, Ace has to find this bat, called Shakaka, or else the princess of the Wachati tribe and the prince of the warrior Wachootoo tribe (say that five times fast) cannot be married.

As you can see, this movie, like its prequel, is significantly lacking in the plot department. However, unlike its prequel, this movie is not very funny, except for a few moments of hilarity. Also, God himself, also known as Dan Marino, isn't in it. Most of this movie's jokes are either recycled from the first movie, or just plain disgusting, involving lots of bodily fluids, and even internal organs. I would probably find this movie much funnier after a few beers. The only really funny moments were a parody of *Cliffhanger* and a scene in which Ace is making shadow puppets during a slide show.

Although I thought the first *Ace* was one of the funniest movies ever, this sequel was not nearly as funny. I will only recommend this movie if you are under the age of 10 or really drunk. Just have a designated driver take you home after the movie. Rating: 4 (Not too Good)

**Next Week- 007 IS BACK!**

Pierce Brosnan is James Bond in *Goldeneye*

**Concert band and Jazz Ensemble to perform Saturday**

**by Colin Tucker**
Arts and Entertainment Editor

On Saturday, November 18, the Ursinus Concert Band and Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Anthony D.J. Branker, will present its winter concert.

The concert band will open the evening with performances of Gustav Holst's "Second Suite in F Minor for Military Band," and "Water Music" by George Frederic Handel. The concert band will also perform "The Inferno," the first movement of *The Divine Comedy* by Robert W. Smith. The concert band will close the set with *Chorale and Shaker Dance.* You may recognize the melody in this song as the same traditional Shaker melody used in Aaron Copland's masterpiece, "Appalachian Spring."

The Jazz Ensemble, which briefly performed at President Strassburger's inauguration ceremony as the audience was entering and leaving, will continue its tradition of performing works from many different facets and eras of jazz music.

The band will perform the Sonny Rollins standard "Impressions," arranged by Mark Taylor. They will also perform Bob Mintzer's recent composition "Brotherhood," a funk ballad that begins with an emotional brass choir, and "Oye Como Va," an upbeat Latin Rock chart that features many soloists throughout the ensemble.

The Jazz Ensemble is proud to present two vocalists for this program, sophomore Christina Dappollone and senior Mary Greiss. Dappollone, complemented by piano soloist Brooke Garbarino, will sing the standard "Darn That Dream." Greiss will perform "Who Can I Turn To?" and both vocalists will duet on a distinctive upbeat salsa arrangement of the familiar "It Don't Mean a Thing if it Ain't Got that Swing."

Do not miss this exciting concert, which begins at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, November 18 in the Bomberger Auditorium.

**Berman Update**


Barthosa Nkurumeh's work explores the traditional life of the Igbo people of Nigeria through techniques such as wood branding, relief sculpture and non-traditional printmaking. His art incorporates imagery from proverbs, social organizations, folktales and rituals.

Dec. 8, 1995 - Jan. 21, 1996 - "A Journey to Hindoostan: Romantic Views of India 1780-1860." Eighty-seven aquatints, drawn from a private collection, convey the romantic image of India under the first British Governors. British artists portrayed the beauty and romance of an idealized, idyllic land, which was provided by the exotic landscape of India. The exhibition is circulated by the trust for Museum Exhibitions.

**CAB UPDATE**

Next Meeting: Thursday, 11/16, Wismer Parent's Lounge

Upcoming Events:
- 11/21- Hypnosis Show
- 12/7- Talent Show
- 2/10- Lorelei
- 3/6- Music Night
- 3/29- Mr. Ursinus
- 4/26-4/28- Spring Fling

Each of these events takes careful planning and a lot of support. We need people to attend meetings and help to organize these programs. If you are unable to attend these meetings but would still like to be involved, please contact one of the CAB officers:

President: Michelle Hill x3467
Vice President: Mike Vergano x3380
Corresponding Secretary: Andrea Cole x3573
Recording Secretary: Maureen Fitzgerald x3285

Other Committees within CAB that meet regularly:

Comedy Committee: Sunday, 7 p.m., Wismer Lower Lounge - Jeff Lebowitz and Lisa Bogle

Music Committee: Tuesday, 7 p.m., Wismer Parent's Lounge - Tanya Kaszyski

Spring Fling Committee: TBA
Going Medieval on the Mall

by Joseph Catalano
Of The Grizzly

Well, the inevitable has finally occurred. No, I am not talking about another Police Academy sequel, but rather the opening of a few hundred new stores in King of Prussia Mall. Correct me if I'm wrong, but wasn't mall already large enough to house a few third-world countries? Now, going to the mall is almost as difficult as seeing the hidden image in those dam' Magic Eye' pictures.

Having recently seen the movie Mallrats, my friend and I were prompted to discover mall culture for ourselves. That was our first mistake (well, tragedy actually began with the movie itself...think Cabin Boy set in a mall). Personally, I hate going to the mall. Malls reaminate me, especially during Christmas. As a child getting his five-year-old head caught between the bars on the second floor, I had a dreadful premonition of a department store Santa yanking me by the legs as my head popped off and fell into some innocent shopper's Macy's bag (what better way to say I'll love you than with a decapitated head?). Needless to say, I still cling to the second floor walls.

After duping my friend into driving, I was ready to boldly go where no man in his right mind would dare to go in the absence of such a:lenient traffic in such an area (or at least a bottle of aspirin). As a personal rule, I refuse to drive anywhere that requires driving under a 45 mph threshold - I am convinced that my car will blow up if I hit 44. King of Prussia's new mean speed limit is now around a blaring 92 mph, turning my sincere sympathies to those unfortunate who must deal with this frustration everyday. Once I hit traffic in such a congested area, I will turn any- where merely to maintain my 45 mph — which is, consequently, why I have spent most of my driving career in the pastures of Lancaster (the Amish are terrible drivers—especially when the horse is sick).

Parking is so difficult at the mall, that it now peddles valet parking. Assuming the role of someone who gives a damn, I convinced my friend to park his own car as I saw the "valet" clad in tom, black leather pants and a "Hukt on Foniks Werkd fur Me" t-shirt. His name plate, coincidentally, read "Ottoe" in red crayon. After an hour circumnavigating the mall looking for a parking space, I was ready to call it a night. My friend, however, urged me on. Finally parking somewhere closer to Franklin Mill Mall, we were finally ready to be overwhelmed by the essential mall experience.

Upon entrance into the mall, I knew I had made a horrible mistake in not staying home and watching Urkel. The mall was almost as crowded as Heidi Fleiss' bedroom, as if that was a huge suprise. After twenty minutes of walking in circles and appeasing my friend by browsing through Victoria's Secret (picking up some great Xmas ideas for the family), I suggested we find a map for this labyrinth-like structure obviously a front for Russian conspirators corrupting American capitalism.

"I'm sorry, sir, but no new maps have been printed at this time," replied Fran the 'I Memorized All The Streets, Directions & Hours of Operation' lady. I was ready to call it a night. My friend, however, urged me on. Finally I discovered this as I received two fliers on the subject of 'Ottoe - bring my horse around.'

Unfortunately, we did not remember where we parked, and I briefly reconsidered taking my chances with Ottoe upon my next visit, sometime around the year 2002. Somehow, I believe that Ottoe will still be there. This was one of the many times I wished I owned the Batmobile - a mere button on my bat-belt would send my car searching for me. The presidential candidate who is willing to ditch the space program in favor of mass producing bat-equipment for parking-lot-challenged individuals such as myself has got my vote.

As I searched for my car, I met with some other unfortunate folks who were also frusutated searching for their transportation. One elderly gent admitted he had been looking for two days! Engaging my deepest sympathies, I bought this gent a five-dollar hot dog and three-dollar cup of coffee from one of those parking-lot vendors who claimed to be on his way to Sunday's game at the Vet. Call me exaggerated, but I still can't help but call me to go to the mall.

Ottoe - bring my horse around.

The Tempest a Success

by Vicky Wilkins
Of The Grizzly

Two weeks ago, the Ursinus drama group, proTheatre, gave six performances of William Shakespeare's The Tempest. Although the play was written in the Elizabethan era, proTheatre was able to incorporate a more contemporary perspective into the play—the issue of character gender.

For this production, two traditionally male roles were changed to female roles. Prospero, Trinculo, Ariel, Adrienne (Adrian), and Frances (Francisco) were the roles that were played by women, as women.

Although Shakespeare wrote parts for men (in fact, all characters, male and female, were played by males in Shakespeare's time), some particular roles allowed for flexibility in gender.

"When I was first approached by Dr. Henry with the idea of the reversal of character gender, I embraced it," says Jane Agostinelli, who directed the production with Dr. Joyce Henry. Agostinelli also feels that Shakespeare's material is suitable for such an interpretation: "Shakespeare really lends himself to it...and proTheatre is a good place for experimental theatre."

This theatrical production was further enhanced by the skills of many generous individuals, especially Oreste Migli (set designer), Rbecca Jaroff (lighting), Carol Silber (costume coordinator), and Leon Petrus, who composed original music for this production. The actors involved came from all walks of Ursinus life: students, faculty (Dr. Henry and Dr. Jon Volkmer), alumni (Alan McCabe), and community members (H. John Henry).

The interpretation was well-received by the participants and the audiences. "We are very pleased at the turnout," says Agostinelli, noting that Saturday night's performance was sold-out.

The high attendance at all of yesterday's performances, coupled with the positive reception, contributed to the overall success of this experimental production of The Tempest.

Today's Events:

Sunday:
3pm - 4pm: John Shoem
4pm - 6pm: Brian Peck & Brian Hurst
7pm - 8pm: FUBAR with Nicole Ewerbein & Steph Fragat
8pm - 10pm: MARGINAL UNCERTAINTY with Mike Pizzi & Dave Webb
10pm - Midnight: Bill Buckingham

Monday:
11am - 1pm: Ian Wood & Heath Van Fleet
1pm - 2pm: Dennis Prichett & EXCEDrIN
6pm - 7pm: HEADACHE #88 with Vince Blando
10pm - 11pm: Diane Keller & Dawn White

Tuesday:
Noon - 2pm: Cynthia Petyk & SKAVALCADE with Jim Brett
4pm - 5pm: Vic Melo
5pm - 6pm: Karen Rodemich
6pm - 7pm: Jason Neaves

Wednesday:
10am - 11am: Lou Nembus & Heath Van Fleet
11am - 1pm: Dennis Prichett & EXCEDrIN
1pm - 2pm: Mike Lease & HEADACHE #88
3pm - 5pm: Christen Troiano & Mere Katusa & Kristen Sabol
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Thursday:
Noon - 2pm: Cynthia Petyk & Mike Lease
4pm - 6pm: Lou Nembus & HEADACHE #88
8pm - 9pm: Amanda McFarland & Danielle Simeon
10pm - 11pm: Karen Hollinger & Danielle Simeon

Friday:
11am - 1pm: Lou Nembus & Heath Van Fleet
1pm - 2pm: Dennis Prichett & EXCEDrIN
2pm - 3pm: Jeff Kuklinski & Brian Kuklinski & HEADACHE #88
4pm - 6pm: Dave Webb & Vic Melo

For schedule updates, see the WVOU Homepage under Student Communications on the Ursinus College homepage.

DJs who have not conducted their shows in the past two weeks must contact David Webb to resume them.

Any Ursinus Students, Faculty, Administrators, and other College Personnel who are interested in starting a new show should leave us a message at 489-7755, stating when you would be available for orientation and when you would prefer to conduct your show.

WVOU is available in the following buildings:
530 AM: Curtis, Wilkinson, Bradbeck, Beerwood, Paisley, Snuffer, Reineck
88.1 FM: Omwake, 732 Main, Todd, 716 Main, Lynnewood, Schaff, Olevian, 624 Main, Zwingli, Dureya, Schreiner, Musser

Direct Line: WVOU Game Room, Commuters Lounge
Ethnic-American Writers Series Presents Lisa Jones

by Erin Gambeski
Of The Grizzly

Lisa Jones, author of Bullproof Diva: Tales of Race, Sex, and Hair, shared her thoughts on being a writer and an American on Thursday, Nov. 9. Jones held a workshop in the Olin auditorium entitled “What’s Your Contract with America?” to encourage people to get involved and make a difference in their community.

As a journalist, playwright, and screenwriter, Jones’ writing skills occupy a number of mediums. In addition to compiling her book of essays from her monthly column “Skin Trade,” Jones has coauthored several literary works and is currently working on a screenplay adaptation of Toni Morrison’s Sula.

With these accomplishments, the reading community was eager to hear Jones’ thoughts on the future of the field. She encouraged students to write as often as possible and to publish their ideas in school magazines. While at Yale University as an undergraduate, Jones herself started her own magazine. Such activities are beneficial for students as they provide experience in writing for the public and a forum for student ideas. Jones also suggested that students try to make connections with many professors, lecturers, and people in literary fields.

Jones’ lecture that evening focused less on writing and more on what people can do to help America. We are moving towards a multicultural, multilingual, and multiethnic society. Jones believes, and “we’re gonna have to live together.” Jones refers to herself as “culturally abundant” and writes about the positive aspects of culture and society.

However, there is a large portion of America which fears change and despises difference. Therefore, Jones believes people must challenge this “Republican ego.”

Jones believes that people must have a relationship with American and suggests that every person draw up a contract with America on what they will do to better society.

Jones cited four items to be thought about when creating this contract:

1. We live in an “All-America.” There is no single racial majority so we have to learn to accept each other and live together.
2. “Culture is a powerful tool … make good use of it.” Culture and art can often do more to change society than legislation.
3. Support anti-censorship movements because “art is the lifeblood of any community.”
4. Enlarge your political community since political work starts right where you are.

“Give to, give back, make noise” is Jones’ call and her presentation made clear that students can and should make a difference in this world. In both her workshop and lecture, Jones provided ideas on how students can improve themselves and their community. She inspired many by giving the Ursinus community something to think about as we “offer some vision of our own.”

What’s Up in Wellness?

by Kim Ryan
Of The Grizzly

Your paper is due tomorrow - 10 pages by 8 am. So far, you have two lines and are worried. Probably. You somehow finish the paper and try to print it out. It didn’t save. It’s lost forever. You ask yourself, “Why me?”

It’s 12 noon and you are starving. You have a class in 30 minutes and of course Wimber is packed. Annoyed? Probably. You have two tests on the same day, O Chem and Human - no problem, right?

You play on the field hockey team. The game is still tied after two periods of overtime play. Now, it must be decided by penalty strokes and you are a shooter. Nervous? Probably. You are a college senior graduating in five months with no plans for the future. Will you be asking yourself, “Okay, now what?”

Who ever said college wasn’t stressful? Probably the same person who calls it the best time of one’s life. Yet, we as college students, encounter a great deal of stress. So, for days such as these when nothing seems to go right or you feel like the world is out to get you, have faith. There is a simple solution.

Take a deep breath and think about the things that make you smile, such as:

• big paychecks
• a goodnight kiss
• the beginning of a weekend
• the perfect shower temperature
• cancelled classes
• fresh sheets and blankets on the bed

• the prize in a cereal box
• the sneeze that tickles but never comes
• loving what you do and having the chance to do it every day
• soft, worn jeans

Surely we have all experienced times of stress and lived days we would like to forget. But unfortunately, anxiety is a part of life. And no, these thoughts won’t help you to finish a paper by 8 am or retrieve one that the alleged computer lost.

But, if a smile results from reading them or you are able to forget, if only for a few seconds, the problems of the day, then they have served their purpose. So, when times get tough, relax. Take a deep breath and remember that everyone has something to be happy about and there are always reasons to smile.

The Bookstore is Changing, Voice Your Opinion

by Melissa Forbes
Of The Grizzly

The Philosophy and Religion department has made an alteration which now allows students to choose a major strictly in Philosophy. Students will be able to study intensively philosophical discourse without being required to take classes in religion. The existing major in Philosophy and Religion will still be available to students who desire to major in that discipline.

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As an English major and a Philosophy minor, I have found my studies in Philosophy to be invaluable to my education, both in my major and in general. I have found my experience of reading Mary Wollstonecraft, with an understanding of the views of Rousseau on women’s education which she denounced, infinitely richer. My understanding of the motivations, the passions of the Renaissance Humanists is all the greater for having read Plato and Aristotle. Whole dimensions of understanding of the literature of Toni Morrison and Gloria Naylor have been made available by studying the philosophical works on the ethics of caring or hyper-individualism.

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I encourage anyone who is interested in a major in Philosophy to speak with someone in the department regarding their work.

Philosophy Major Now Available

by Erin Gorman
Special to The Grizzly

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11/9/95 at 2:15 A.M. While on patrol, Security discovered that unknown person(s) had sprayed paint on a cement column. The matter has been referred to the Office of Student Life.

11/9/95 at 2:15 P.M. A student informed Security that items were missing from the suite's common area which was left unlocked.

Congratulation to Security Officer Paul Smith and the members of this semester's RAD class. The Rape Aggressive Defense course concluded on Thursday, Nov. 9, with a realistic simulation and the students' active involvement. If interested in this course, contact Officer Smith, who is a certified instructor for RAD and Ursinus.

Sgt. Grizz. Nothin' but the bear facts

Sgt. Grizz welcomes the addition of two part-time Security Officers

Jason Engleman is a resident of Lansdale and is currently a candidate for a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration from the Philadelphia College of Textiles and Sciences. Jason works as a security officer for the Rubin Organization in Willow Grove. Jason has received security certification through PA Act 235 and received additional security training while serving in the U.S. Army.

David Williamson is a resident of Royersford and is a candidate for an Associate Degree in Criminal Justice from Montgomery County Community College. He has worked in the field of security since 1989 and is a loss prevention specialist for a major retailer.

The Security Department and the staff of The Grizzly welcome these new officers. Thanks for joining us!

USGA Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Rocco Iacullo at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 7, 1995.

I. Welcome

II. Security
- open forum next week (Nov. 14) about the security survey
- where do we need more lighting?

III. Wismer Chat
- Nov. 21 meeting will include a Wismer Chat
- Director of Wismer, Director of Zack's, Chef

IV. 24-hour building
- meeting Nov. 15 at 12:30 in the faculty dining room
- survey for building open from 3 a.m. to 7 a.m.
- computers in Paisley Lounge

V. Mandatory meeting for all class officers
- Nov. 13 at 4:30 p.m. in the Parent's Lounge
- discuss the new constitution
- need for class officers at USGA meetings

VI. Open House

- held in Berman Museum of Art
- revamping of USGA
- find out what students want done

VII. Book sale
- collect books at the end of the semester
- drop off in SAO with name, phone number, address, and cost of book
- person who sells book gets all the profit

VIII. Faculty served breakfast
- Wednesday during exams
- 10-14 faculty members needed to serve
- anyone can personally invite a faculty member

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Christine Soffka
USGA Secretary

From The Desk of Marc 'n Mark

Due to the recent surge of submissions to The Grizzly, we are requesting that all future submissions be limited to absolutely no more than 500 words. The reason for this limitation is to allow the room for the views of everyone who submits articles. Any articles of more than 500 words will not be published.

Furthermore, we would like to remind everyone that we must receive all submissions on disk (IBM-compatible). We also request a printed-out copy, which should contain the name of the file and the program under which it was saved. The deadline for submissions is 12 noon on the Friday before publication. The submissions box is located in the second floor stairwell of Bomberger Hall (side facing Myrin). Please read the sign located above the submission box for more information. If you still have questions, e-mail: GRIZZLY@acad.ursinus.edu.

Thank you for your continued support.

Bookstore Survey

A Working Group of the Academic Support Committee has formed to study the current relationship between the bookstore and the students. Your input is crucial to the improvement of this service. Please take a few moments to complete the following survey and drop it in a collection box. Boxes are located in Myrin Library, Wismer Lobby A and Lobby B.

1. My textbooks are available at the beginning of the semester.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

Additional comments:

2. It is easy to locate my textbooks.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

Additional comments:

3. I am satisfied with the book buy back policy.

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

Additional comments:

4. I would visit the bookstore more often if it were more centrally located

Strongly Agree Agree Disagree Strongly Disagree

Additional comments:

5. Would you buy books, not related to your course, if they were available at the bookstore? If so, what kind of books would you be most likely to buy?


6. What other items, besides textbooks, are you currently buying?


7. Do you use the Ursinus Bookstore as a place for gift buying? If so, what type of items are you buying?


8. What other items and/or services would you like to see offered?
To the Students of Ursinus College,

This is just a letter to thank you for all of your assistance during our 1995 homeless lunch program.

Early in the morning of Oct. 29, we gathered the contributions and assembled 541 lunches. The brothers then divided into three groups and traveled to homeless shelters in Pottstown, Norristown, and South Philadelphia. At these facilities we handed out the lunches and had an opportunity to talk to the people and observe the homeless problem first hand.

It was to say the least a humbling experience. Unfortunately though, the problem is bound to get worse, for government funding for these shelters is being cut drastically. Contributions like yours are necessary if we are to have any hope of compensating for this loss of funds.

Thank you once again for your generosity and support. It was indispensable and is greatly appreciated. We would like to express our appreciation to the staff at Wismer for all of their time and help. Hopefully this event can be made into an annual one and this service can continue for a very long time.

Sincerely,

Carl Ewald
Keeper of the Seals
Chi Rho Psi Fraternity

Darnell Lee
Community Advocate
Chi Rho Psi Fraternity
Falls To Dickinson, 27-12

Carlisle — Dickinson (5-1-1, 6-3-1) converted three turnovers into second-half touchdowns to earn a 27-12 come-from-behind win over Ursinus (1-6, 3-7), and bring the Bears’ frustrating season to an equally disheartening conclusion.

Ursinus held a 12-7 lead at the intermission on the strength of two Rob Hagemberg touchdowns, but the wheels fell off in the second half. Dickinson turned two Chris Orlando interceptions into third quarter scores to take a 20-12 lead. An Orlando fumble in the fourth quarter was converted into another touchdown to put the game away.

“It’s very frustrating,” head coach Steve Gilbert said. “As I said last week, it’s a shame we are 3-7 because I think we have a better team than that.”

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Quarterback Rodney Peete have nearly five hundred yards passing, but five interceptions.

John Lucas’ run-and-gun offense is very frustrating,” head coach Chris Hagemberg said. “As I said last week, it’s a shame we are 3-7 because I think we have a better team than that.”

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Team Falls in ECAC Semis

Hanover, N.H. — Dartmouth goal-keeper Lauren Demski saved all six shots she faced to record her fourth straight shutout and send Ursinus home with a 1-0 loss in the first game of the ECAC playoffs.

The host’s Kelly Hannigan scored an unassisted goal with 32:30 to play in the game, and Demski made it stand up.

Dartmouth (12-5) outshot Ursinus (10-7) 12-6. Barb Golley saved 10 shots in goal for the Bears.

The Big Green will host Yale in this afternoon’s championship game. Yale defeated Cornell, 2-0, in the other semifinal game.

The ECAC playoff appearance was the Bears’ first since 1989. Their 10-7 record was the best since 1986, when they also compiled a 10-7 mark.

Sports

Fall Athletic Honors

The following student-athletes were recently honored by the Centennial Conference. Congratulations to:

Bayard Huck - Cross Country - CC Academic Honor Roll
Michelle Landis - Cross Country - CC Academic Honor Roll
Gary Rhodenbaugh - Football - CC Academic Honor Roll
Mark Romano - Football - CC Academic Honor Roll
Brad Getz - Soccer - 2nd Team All-Centennial Conference
Jenni Nelson - Volleyball - Honorable Mention All-Centennial Conference
Suzanne LaSala - Volleyball - CC Academic Honor Roll
Kathy Lauber - Volleyball - CC Academic Honor Roll

To be named to the academic honor roll, student-athletes must be sophomore, juniors, or seniors, who are starters or significant contributors to their teams; and have a cumulative grade point average of 3.40 or better.

The field hockey team will also send two representatives to the NCAA Division I NORTH-SOUTH Field Hockey All-Star game. The pair will be senior sweeper Abby Walls and senior goalie Barb Golley.

The game will be played on Saturday, November 18 at Wake Forest University.

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by Charlie Weinroff
Sports Editor

Dave Davis of the Indiana Pacers is one of my favorite players in the NBA. He’s really cool. I guess I like him because he does all the dirty-work and none of that over-rated Jerry Stackhouse. He rebounds, blocks shots, eats bags with cream cheese and jelly, and fouls people. He fouls people hard. Clean hard fouls are cool to watch. I’m not talking about taking a player’s head or uh... say the thumb of the most devastating player of all time. But standing up to a panthy point guard with a flying body press is something I like to see. Dave Davis does that.

Now Bobby Hurley of the Sacramento Kings, who apparently now wears his seat belt all the time, is from North Jersey. I don’t like North Jersey. Every now and then during the summer, Pussyboy Hurley comes down to what you people call the Shore, and acts like he owns the place. So does his even scrannier brother Danny. Now if you ask Bobby Hurley who I am, he’ll say he doesn’t know, but I’ve seen his sorry ass hanging around the greater Tom’s River area, and I know what this clown is all about. You know how everyone has a list of people you’d like to tie up and start wailing on? Bobby Hurley is on my list.

I know what you’re thinking. And that brings me to the correlation between Mr. Davis and Mr. Wuss. Friday night saw an absolutely horrendous brawl between the Kings and Pacers. And who would’ve thought that it got started when the wispy Hurley drove the whole and ran into a brick wall named Dave Davis? Running into anything is not usually good, especially if you run into a turnpike overpass guard rail on the way home from Dickinson and almost die, or a specially if you run into a turnpike overpass guard rail on the way home from Dickinson and almost die... but seriously, how bad are the Kings? Davis was three foot Kings guard Tyus Edney. If you watch closely you’ll see him scratching the shins of several Pacers. The star of the Pacers, Mr. Hurley, started issuing summonses to the infracting players.

A fiasco this was (That’s how Yoda would say it). All in all, so many players were suspended that players will serve their games alphabetically due to the rule that 8 men must dress for a game. The CBA clown officials were likely the culprit in this mess, but if Bobby Hurley can’t take the heat, then he should get out of the kitchen.

Of course, since I think Hurley is a punk, I’m all for any form of bodily harm to the 43 lb. point guard. Davis was quoted as saying right after the foul, “Reebok Blacktop. You’re strong, or you don’t come at all.” Well, Kings tough guy Michael Smith, who endorses Nike would’ve none of that. He came over and started in with Davis. And then all hell broke loose. If you saw the tape, at this point Hurley scurried like a little rat to the foul line and started to cry.

In comes Dale’s buddy Antonio Davis, another fine gentleman who is strongly concerned with basketball fundamentals like fighting. Tony Davis is not someone to be messed with. About 14 other guys from both teams cleared the bench to fight. Included in this rampage was three foot Kings guard Tyus Edney. If you watch closely you’ll see him scratching the shins of several Canucks being sent out for the year. I refuse to call it COM Park because I’m too cool. The puke was, of course, due to the phenomenal performance the 49ers put forth against the expansion Panthers. I would generally think that an offense that has Jerry Rice, John Taylor, Brent Jones, and JH Stokes on the field at the same time, you could score more than 7 points in 4 quarters of football. You could have a JUGS machine shooting balls, and they should score more than 7 points against an expansion team. The problem with the Niners is not that Steve Young is absent and playing hide and go seek with Rickey Ervins. Elvis is no ProBowler, but he is in the NFL, and I’m not. The problem is that the Niners have no one to light a fire under their rears. William Floyd is hibernating for the winter, and Deion is an enemy. The Niners are a team of laid back karaoke singers. They’re certainly not bad players, but when there is no one, player or coach, that can motivate a team with 55 AllPros to score more than 7 points against a Carolina Panther team, then something stinks rotten in the state of Denmark.

There are some humongous injuries in the NHL right now. None larger than Pavel Bure of the Canucks being sent out for the year on Friday night. The whole idea in Vancouver was to recreate the Russian Red Army front line of Bure, Alexander Mogilny, and Big Country Bryant Reeves. Other than the national NHL sponsor of Budweiser, this may have been the most anticipated development for this season.

Bure and Mogilny are 2 of the top 3 fastest skaters in the NHL, the other being Phil Bessington. It would’ve been nice to see the good old boy back together again.

Last week there were seven people who knew Cowboy Bob Orton and Ace for 2 of Bob Orton’s 3 nicknames. More than 1 person cited the name Bob Orton. Now that’s crap. If you see some one passing and call him big guy or dude, is that his nickname? No NO NO. The name I was looking for was this. There was a team featured Bob Orton and The Magnificent Don Muraco. The team was managed by the devious Mr. Fuji. The team’s name was composed of 2 new nicknames for Orton and Muraco. Muraco was the Tank, and Orton was the Techician. The Tank and the Technician. For the next World Wrestling Federation Trivia Question of the Week, Many wrestlers have had many managers. But one wrestler had a Coach named him. That’s all for this week and if Buddy didn’t get us home from Dickinson, the pleasure wouldn’t have been all yours.