

CONGRATULATIONS DR. RUFFER

DUE TO DR. RUFFER'S INAUGURATION FRI. FEB. 21, ALL CLASSES AFTER 1 P.M. WILL BE CANCELLED. THE UT COMMUNITY IS INVITED TO THE CEREMONY AND RECEPTION WHICH BEGINS AT 1:30 IN FALK THEATRE AND CONTINUES IN PLANT PARK.



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Buchanan's 41% dims Bush's limelight

By KAREN LYNCH
Assistant Editor

Does the 41 percent of the Republican vote received by columnist and television commentator Pat Buchanan in Tuesday's New Hampshire primary make him a real threat to George Bush's reelection campaign? Or, was the Buchanan vote simply a statement made by the New Hampshire voters to express the frustration they feel over Bush's seeming lack of commitment to domestic issues?

New Hampshire has dealt heavy blows to incumbent presidents in the past. Both Presidents Harry S. Truman and Lyndon B. Johnson decided not to seek reelection after suffering poor showings in this state's primary.

For the first time since the campaign began Bush acknowledged that he is faced with a problem. In a statement issued from the White House on Wednesday morning Bush said, "I understand the message of dissatisfaction."

With 97 percent of the precincts counted, Bush received 83,415 votes or 57 percent, while Buchanan received 59,426 or 41 percent of the votes.

This may be Buchanan's first attempt at running for office, but he has considerable White House experience. He served as speechwriter for Richard Nixon during his tenure in the Oval Office and communications director during the Reagan years.

After the election results were posted, Buchanan announced to his enthusiastic supporters, "We are going to take our party back, and when we take our party back, we're going to take our country back."

He reiterated his foreign policy and economic campaign platform: "There is nothing wrong with putting America first."

Paul Tsongas finished first among Democrats with 50,903 or 34 percent of the vote. He assumed the role of front-runner when Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton's popularity took a nose-dive after reports



President George Bush (insert) faced off against Republican challenger Patrick Buchanan and got a rude awakening from New Hampshire voters when they gave Buchanan 41 percent of the vote.

of marital infidelities and questionable candor with his draft board.

Tsongas was the first Democrat to announce for president. Despite his "dark horse" image, Tsongas has waged a persistent campaign for the Democratic nomination.

"New Hampshire, you did it again," he told his jubilant campaign supporters after his victory was announced. "You gave them hell."

Clinton, who finished second with 38,356 or 26 percent of the vote, proclaimed himself the "comeback kid" because his

popularity appeared to be edging upward again in the final days of the primary campaign.

Sens. Tom Harkin of Iowa and Bob Kerry of Nebraska fought it out for third. Kerry edged ahead with 17,085 or 12 percent of the vote, to Harkin's 15,569 votes for 11 percent.

Gov. Jerry Brown of California finished last with 12,784 votes or 9 percent. Write-in candidates New York Gov. Mario Cuomo and consumer activist Ralph Nader got 3 percent and 2 percent respectively.

"Buchanan did a little better than I thought," said Dr. Richard Piper, professor of political science and history. "But 40 percent does not represent such a telling blow to Bush as some commentators have suggested."

"New Hampshire is a conservative state and its economy has suffered an unusual downturn; therefore, a large protest vote for Buchanan is not terribly surprising."

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Drinking outways drugs as problem in dorms

By JUDY MANDT
Staff Writer

University of Tampa students admit there is drug use on campus, but most say they feel alcohol consumption is a much bigger problem. Most students interviewed agreed that the biggest problem is off-campus drinking by the students on Tuesday nights and during the weekends.

The majority of students interviewed said they would not report an incident of drug usage to school officials. One sopho-

more student said she would not report a student smoking marijuana but would definitely notify the authorities if she discovered someone using cocaine or heroin.

Several students said they felt that Smiley and McKay Halls had been accused of being party dorms because of the motel-like open design of those two buildings.

A senior resident in Smiley Hall said she had never personally seen any drugs in the dorm. She said she had, however, seen alcohol in the rooms frequently and estimated at least half of the residents at some

time drink in their rooms.

Dr. Jeffrey Klepfer, vice-president of student affairs, said, "Because of my background in clinical psychology, I certainly do not want to minimize the seriousness of alcohol and drug abuse, but I would say that the situation here is similar to that of other universities of comparable size."

Klepfer said that UT is committed to providing students with as much

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NEWS

WILL YOUR FAMILY BE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL AID NEXT YEAR?

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Correction

Last week's *Minaret* reported that a minimum of 12 credit hours and a 3.5 GPA was necessary to make the Dean's List. The correct requirements are 15 hours and a 3.5 GPA. The *Minaret* regrets the error.

EDITORIAL

Quality ignored is quality denied

Tomorrow, Dr. David G. Ruffer will be inaugurated as the ninth president of this university.

In his short time here, Ruffer has been faced with many problems he may not have anticipated when he was hired to succeed former UT President Bruce Samson: a demoralized faculty who'd lost its voice from both fear and frustration, a student body indifferent to academic life outside the classroom and an administrative mentality that more closely resembled General Motors than a university.

Ruffer brings with him a hope that this private liberal arts university will become just that. The poor turnout at the first few lectures of the "Presidential Inauguration Events Series," however, seems symptomatic of a steep uphill climb.

The lectures are intended not only to commemorate a new presidency but to expand learning outside the classroom and invite the community to take a closer look at our university. Some of UT's finest professors have been asked to speak on topics ranging from "U.S. Policy in a Post-Cold War World" to "The Spider and the Wasp: A Study in Insect Revisited," from "The State of Anti-Trust Economics" to a "Computers in the Year 2000." The series includes music, dance, art and literature.

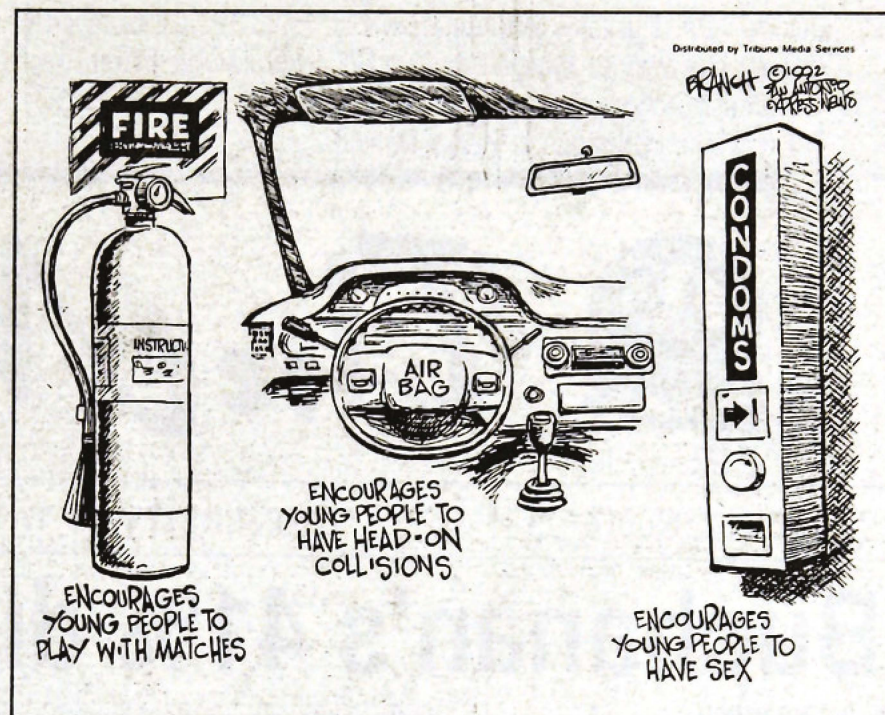
This program has the potential to bring some sorely needed attention to UT while also educating those who wish to participate. Why, however, would we expect "outsiders" to attend these events when members of our own community do not deem them worth their time.

How is it possible that an event on this campus featuring one of our brightest and most interesting younger professors attracts as few as eight people? UT students may have been led to think that they are not welcome at these events because it seems that only a handful received one of the 1,000 schedules printed to publicize this event. One event was even planned during Spring break. It appears that only students who are promised extra-credit in their classes attend.

What is more alarming than this is the pathetic lack of support the faculty has given their colleagues. What sort of message is being sent out to students when professors do not take an interest in the programs offered?

When the City of Tampa maintained Plant Hall, it became practically abandoned. Now that Plant Hall houses a thriving university, the town, it seems, still has its back turned. Residents of Tampa should feel a responsibility for the university it features in most of its promotion. Everyone in Tampa recognizes the minarets, but few seem aware what lies beneath them.

This will never be the "Liberal Arts College of the 1990's," as Ruffer pledges, and as it has the capacity to become, until both its own community and the larger Tampa community actively support what UT offers.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Short-changing liberal arts is not good for business

Editor:

Congratulations, Dr. Ruffer, on your inauguration as the ninth president of this university. In your short time here we have read and heard about your commitment to the betterment of this liberal arts university. This move is applauded by many.

Previous administrations have looked past the liberal arts portion of this school in favor of the business side. This was a great misjustice. Granted, the College of Business has a fine faculty and produces quality graduates, but artists, poets, historians, scientists, writers and teachers will contribute more to this city and society than a businessman could ever accomplish. The College of Business was sewn

upon the flag of UT, with the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences left looking up. It is time for a new flag.

Dr. Ruffer, in the future, funding for the two colleges must be equal. Continued overfunding of the College of Business gives UT the look of a trade school.

The money is available—just stand back and take a look at the tremendous bureaucracy that exists around you. Bureaucrats cost money, money that could be put toward the improvement of academics. I feel you will provide the leadership that this university is starving for, and lead UT down a new and improved road.

Concerned Student

SG REPORT

\$40,00 doesn't go as far as it used to

By GERALD STALDER
SG President

What's happening to the intramurals program?

Over the last few years the intramurals program has provided multiple sports activities for the enjoyment of the student population. Students used to be provided the opportunity to play in at least two sports per semester. However, last semester only one men's and one women's sport was offered, and so far it looks as if we will be offered only one sport again. A little less than a quarter of your athletic fee goes toward intramurals. Roughly \$40,000 is the intramurals budget. You would think

that with this amount of money, UT would offer us a multitude of sports and recreational activities.

Perhaps the university should consider making Head of Intramurals a full-time position. If the university is opposed to this move, they should at least devote more money to the intramurals/recreation program. If the university is genuinely serious about meeting the needs of the students, they will both make intramurals/recreation a full-time position and increase the intramurals budget.

Student Government is working on a solution concerning the athletic/activity fee. Details will come later.

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FACULTY FORUM...

BECAUSE LEARNING GOES ON
OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM TOO.

FACULTY MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO SEND THEIR STORY IDEAS TO UT BOX 2757



COLUMNS

And then the music ended

By KEVEN MCGINN
Staff Writer

Michelle Fehlinger stopped just outside the west portal of Plant Hall and sniffed the air. The inclement weather reminded her of Salzburg and of the many cloudy days that Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart must have spent there composing his musical wonders. In a few minutes she would be on stage in the ballroom performing one of those marvels.

Against her will.

She had not been able to slow the advance of time to the dreaded day of the recital any more than Mozart himself could have halted the cosmos two centuries before to prevent his own early demise. Her ascent to the ballroom's elevated stage was inevitable.

For a nervous performer it feels like a walk to the gallows. The end of a road is in sight: it is the culmination of the deepest exploration through many hours spent isolated in solitary practice - a display of psyche, a test of nerve. It is final and fearful and lonely. No one else can take your place and nothing can slow the step.

So thought pianist Fehlinger as she steeled herself for the opening of the performance. It was a plunge into the seventeenth century with a handful of sonatas by Domenico Scarlatti - the sort of keyboard music that one could not render poorly without being conspicuous. Scarlatti is straightforward with harmonies

predictable to the trained and sophisticated ear of the twentieth century. His keyboard was equally straightforward with no damper pedal to ease a performer's indiscretions out of notice.

The player executed the work cleanly. Equally competent was her rendition of Mozart's sonata in B-flat K.333. The slow movement, an andante cantabile, was done gracefully in a style that did the composer and player justice.

Johannes Brahms' moody *Rhapsody in G minor*, a tableau of nineteenth century romanticism, contrasted dramatically with the music of the classical period. It was followed by a piece of Impressionist delicacy by Claude Debussy. Both pianist and audience were momentarily dazzled by the shimmering harmonies which seemed to sparkle in the afternoon's weakening light.

Michelle Fehlinger saw it as a rally of strength for the last piece on the program.

Her satisfied listeners would be sorry to learn that the pianist was not interested in pursuing a performing career. There would be a lecture recital and then graduation and then pursuit of a master's degree in music education. She would continue with her teaching. Fehlinger's study of church music and current post as pianist for Bayshore Baptist would remain intact.

It would be a performance admirable for someone loathe to perform.

Commuters travel a bumpier road

By KRISTINE BLAIR
CONTRIBUTOR

Commuters account for a sizable portion of UT's students. They risk death drudging daily through unholy amounts of traffic to get to the pulsating heart of Tampa.

They brave two-lane roads and frenzied highways. They come within a heartbeat of car-crash disaster nearly every day. They encounter maniacal "lane-weavers," those schizo souls who spontaneously choose to change lanes, then floor the accelerator. When late for class, they almost always become trapped behind the one person on the highway who chooses, almost spitefully, to drive 40 miles an hour in a 55-mile-an-hour speed zone. Then there's the case of the bumper-to-bumper, 80-mile-an-hour-driving packs of cars. Yes, they do travel in herds. Commuting students teeter daily on the brink of death.

Why would any sane individual elect to undertake such a perilous daily mission?

I am a commuter. It's safe to say that

virtually no commuting student does so as a result of their own choice. If we could live on campus, we would. Many cannot due to financial reasons. Others are simply fortunate enough to live close to the school.

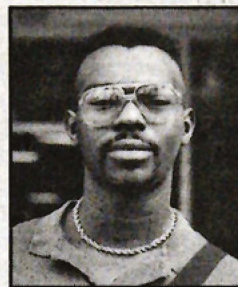
Attention commuters: imagine how nice it would be to almost literally roll out of bed and into class instead of having to jump in your car an hour or more before you need to be there.

Commuting students don't have the same opportunities as on-campus students do when it comes to meeting people. I have seen the camaraderie between students on different floors of different dorms. I've heard about the parties, the social events, the trips to here-and-there. How nice it would be to live with and around others my age, to be given the opportunity to learn and master the invaluable art of compromise.

Those people who travel wicked routes daily to get to and from school are missing out on a tremendous aspect of the college experience: learning to live on their own.

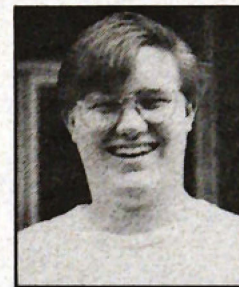
Who would you like to see as the next U.S. President and why?

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Darlus Saunders (Sr)

It doesn't really make a difference as long as we don't get another Reagan type. At least he won't mess up with such an impact.



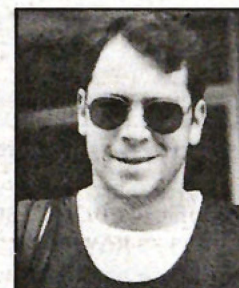
Mike Lloyd (So)

Bush. I think he's done a good job of running the country, except the economy. But that's not his fault as far as I'm concerned.



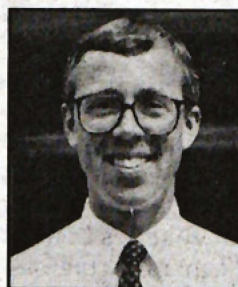
Sharon Henderson (Jr)

Cuomo. Honestly I think he's the best out of all those running.



Barry Sokoloff (Jr)

There's no one running that I feel is qualified. But Bush is a favorite.



Rick Osorek (staff)

Clinton. Time to hear the voice of the opposition party.



Michele Kaminsky (Jr)

Buchanan. Because I want to see Bush get the hell out of there.



Al Francesco (Fr)

I would like to see Bush again. He brought us through the war. He's heading us in the right direction.



Dick Richards (Faculty)

Bush. He hasn't done a bad job. He is better than the rest.



Financial Aid Forum

By TOM JUDGE
Contributor

Since financial aid affects 75 percent of our student population the more information that is available to this significant group the better their chance of securing sufficient financial aid to meet their needs for the 1992-93 academic year. The following are some of the frequently asked questions concerning financial aid:

Ques: I have not picked up my 1992-93 Financial Aid Form (FAF). Are they still available?

Ans: Yes, they are available in the Financial Aid Office, room 447 of Plant Hall.

Ques: Is there a separate application form for Florida residents and non-Florida residents?

Ans: No. Each can file for financial aid on the same form.

Ques: What is the cost of the 1992-93 form?

Ans: The FAF is FREE of charge and also application costs are FREE.

Ques: What am I applying for on the FAF?

Ans: Students and their families are

applying for all the federal need-based financial aid programs including Pell Grants, SEOG grants, College Work-study, Perkins loans, and Stanford (guaranteed student) loans. In addition, eligible Florida residents can apply for Florida need-based financial aid programs. Remember, you must apply for need-based financial aid EACH year.

Ques: What should I do with the FAF after I pick one up from Financial Aid?

Ans: Fill out as much of the information as you can. Then, send it home to your parents or guardian. Have them fill out the rest and mail it as soon as possible in the envelope that is provided with the FAF. If you are a local student you may want to take it home and sit down with your parents and fill it out together. Remember, you will need 1991 student and parent income tax information to complete some portions of the form.

Ques: What deadline must I be aware of for filing the form for the 1992-93 academic year?

Ans: Priority deadline for The University of Tampa is March 15th, but we will continue to award students throughout the late spring and summer months. Our federal funds in SEOG, College Work-Study, and Perkins loans are limited and tend to run out early in the awarding cycle. We attempt to spread those funds to as many students as possible.

Ques: I am an eligible Florida resident. What deadlines do I have to be aware of for Florida aid?

Ans: April 15 is the cut-off date for most of the Florida need-based programs. Don't wait until the last minute. You could be left out of important funding for 1992-93. In addition, Florida Tuition Voucher (FTV) applications must be filed each year with the financial aid office. These forms will be available at a later date. Make sure you know the CLAST test requirements to receive Florida financial aid. Information is available in the financial aid office.

Ques: I am almost positive my family will not be eligible for need-based financial aid. Why bother to apply?

Ans: Each year is a separate process. We won't know unless you apply. Everyone should apply at least once and conditions do change. It's a free form. All it costs is a little time and postage.

Ques: What if my parents or I have a question about the form or the application process?

Ans: You or your parents can contact the UT Financial Aid Office at (813) 253-6219. We will be happy to assist you with any problems.

Tom Judge is director of financial aid.

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support and education about substance abuse as possible. "Where we cannot bend is the university's responsibility regarding the law."

"It is safer for the kids to drink in their rooms in the dorm than to go out to some club, get smashed, then drive back to campus," said a junior who lives in Delo Hall. He also said that while he had not seen anyone who lived on his floor smoke marijuana, he had smelled it on several occasions on other floors of the dorm.

"RA's handle complaints if they hear of them, but they don't go around looking for problems," said a Howell Hall sophomore. She also said it seemed inappropriate that AD's were college students instead of professionals. She said some students were reluctant to seek guidance from or express complaints to a person who is often younger than many of the students.

Pamela Cunningham, director of residence life said, "I think our problems at UT are comparable to the real world. All complaints regarding drug or alcohol abuse are handled by the campus police. Only a few documented cases come to my attention, but I'm not so foolish to believe that no more than this have taken place on campus."

Cunningham said that there is ongoing staff development with both the professional and para-professional staff. This training is being done in conjunction with the Partners for Responsible Choice program that is funded by a \$100,000 Funds for Improvement of Post Secondary Education (FIPSE) grant UT received at the beginning of the school year.



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Presidential Inauguration Events Series

"The Liberal Arts University in the 1990s"
A Series in celebration of the
Inauguration of the Ninth President
of The University of Tampa

Dr. David G. Ruffer

Friday, February 21

10:30 a.m.
Sword & Shield Room,
Martinez Sports Center
Mary Jane Schenck, Ph.D.,
Professor of English
"The Politics of Language"

Friday, February 21

8:15 p.m.
Theatre of the Tampa Bay Performing
Arts Center, Playhouse
The Faculty of the Music Department
Presentation of the Beethoven
"Choral Fantasy"
UT Musical Showcase

Friday, February 28

7-9 p.m.
Scarfone Art Gallery, UT Campus
Ms. Dorothy Cowden, Director,
Scarfone Gallery
The University of Tampa Faculty Art Show

Monday, March 2

7:30 p.m.
Audio Visual Room 2, Merl Kelce Library
William T. McReynolds, Ph.D.,
Professor of Psychology
"Human Consciousness and Higher
Education"

Thursday, March 5

8 p.m.
Folk Theatre, UT Campus
Susan Taylor, M.M.,
Assistant Professor of Music
Opening, Spring Dance Concert

Monday, March 9

8 p.m.
Ballroom, Plant Hall
Terry L. Mohn, D.M.A., Professor of Music
Clarinet and Saxophone Recital, including
music by Dr. Mohn

Monday, March 16

7:30 p.m.
Audio Visual Room 2, Merl Kelce Library
Fred Punzo, Ph.D.,
Dana Professor of Biology
"The Spider and the Wasp: A Study in
Instinct Revisited"

Monday, March 23

7:30 p.m.
Trustees Conference Room, Student Union
Kathryn Van Spankeren, Ph.D., Associate
Professor of English
Andrew Solomon, Ph.D., Associate
Professor of English
Original short story and poetry reading

Friday, April 3

7-9 p.m.
Scarfone Art Gallery, UT Campus
Ms. Dorothy Cowden,
Director, Scarfone Gallery
Opening, The University of Tampa Student
Exhibition

Thursday, April 9

8 p.m.
Folk Theatre, UT Campus
Gary S. Luter, Ph.D.,
Associate Professor of Speech
Spring Theatre Production
A Contemporary Drama

Tuesday, April 14

7:30 p.m.
Trustees Conference Room, Student Union
James M. Fesmire, Ph.D.,
Dana Professor of Economics
"The State of Anti-Trust Economics"

Monday, April 20

7:30-9 p.m.
Dome Theatre, Plant Hall
Jeffrey G. Klepfer, Ph.D.,
Vice President, Student Affairs
Linda W. Devine, M.Ed., Dean of Students
Suzanne Nickeson, Ph.D., Director, Personal
Career Development Center
"The Liberal Arts University in the 1990s:
A Free and Ordered Space"

UT POLICE BEAT



By REBECCA LAW
Staff Writer

The "culprit" who was setting Tampa Prep's alarms off was found to be the movement of a cat within the building. When an officer would investigate, the cat would hide. The cat was finally discovered last week, locked in the ladies' room, and the alarm was reset.

On Wednesday, at 2:10 a.m., an officer found an intoxicated transient sleeping in Plant Park. After escorting the transient off campus, the officer received complaints from the person that his ribs were hurting. The officer called 911 and an EMS responded, transporting the transient to Tampa General Hospital.

At 2:45 a.m., a Yellow Cab transported three white males to the campus. Upon arrival, the three males ran from the cab, not paying the \$24 cab fare.

At 3:05 p.m. on Valentine's Day, an elderly lady entered the office of the campus police reporting that she was lost. She was confused as to where she was. After talking with her, officers were able to obtain enough information to determine that she was from a nearby adult living facility. The officers contacted the facility, and she was transported back.

On Saturday at 12:45 a.m., an officer responded to the Campus Bookstore when he heard a car alarm go off. The officer found a 1986 Pontiac 6000LE

that had a lock pried, a broken steering column, and a broken ignition. Fingerprints were taken. Two unknown witnesses gave a description of a black male in a red running suit departing the area. Nothing appeared stolen.

The campus police would like the two students who witnessed the suspect at the scene to contact them at ext. 3333 or 3401 for further details.

At 4:10 a.m., a Yellow Cab brought an intoxicated University of Toronto student to the campus. The student was too intoxicated to talk, so he was transported to Tampa General Hospital. They were unable to ascertain whether he was staying with anyone on campus.

At 7:43 p.m., officers investigating an alarm at Tampa Prep discovered the alarm-pulling cat in one of the employee's offices. The employee was called and acknowledged knowing the cat, that it usually slept all night. The officer advised the employee to make other arrangements, and the cat, along with its food and litter, was moved to a private office. On Sunday, at 3 a.m., a petty theft was reported to have occurred on Feb. 13 between 11:40 p.m. and 12:53 a.m. at the Plant Hall Science Wing. An unknown person or persons drove away one of the maintenance golf carts. The cart was later recovered undamaged under the archway on North A Street.

Any information regarding crimes listed can be reported to the campus police at ext. 3333 or 3401.



Courtesy John Dolan

The UT Spartan Sprinters, Dan Gura, David Ruffer, Linda Musante, Peter Brust and John Dolan form up in front of Plant Hall before Gasparilla Classic.

Spartan Sprinters make good showing in first start

By ANDREA McCASLAND
Staff Writer

Last Saturday on Bayshore Blvd., the Gasparilla Distance Classic proved that at least some of the UT faculty were born to run. For the first year ever, UT had a corporate team run in the 15K division of the Distance Classic. The team, known as the Spartan Sprinters, consisted of Vice-President of Admissions John Dolan, Associate Professor of Economics Dr. Peter Brust, Associate Professor of Psychology Dr. Linda Musante, Vice President for Institutional Advancement Dan Gura, and President David Ruffer.

President Ruffer reportedly said that he would wait for the rest of the team at the finish line. Most members of the team were known to be experienced, serious runners, so there was an element of competition within the team. Even not-so-serious runner Dan Gura had a goal. "My goal is to finish before the 5K race starts."

At 8:15 a.m. the race started in downtown Tampa, where hundreds of runners gathered to run along the bay for a hot and

sweaty 15 kilometers. When all the times were tallied, the Spartan Sprinters finished eighth out of 25 corporate teams. The first person to cross the finish line from the UT team was Dr. Linda Musante who ran the race in 106.07 minutes. Dr. Musante has been running and participating in triathlons for many years. She plans on running in the Boston Marathon this spring, and on Saturday, she is running in the "Passing for Sane" Ultramarathon, a 31 mile race in St. Petersburg.

The times for the other UT runners were: Dr. Peter Brust, 107.23 minutes, John Dolan 112.33 minutes, Pres. David Ruffer 130.36 minutes, and Dan Gura came in with 134.06 minutes.

After listening to Ruffer's boasts about how he was going to beat the other Spartan Sprinters, some of the other team members had reason to retaliate after seeing the times. Dr. Musante said, "We trounced him." But she added, "He deserves a great deal of credit. He is an enthusiastic runner."

Dolan had a similar view: "I am amazed....he did quite well."

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Dr. Mark Lombardi, assistant professor of political science, feels that Buchanan's strong showing indicates that Bush has some problems with the right wing of the Republican Party.

Because of this, Lombardi says, "Bush is going to have to spend a lot of money in the primaries that he could have saved for the campaign. He'll win (the nomination), but will he have to move so far to the right that he won't be able to portray himself as a moderate in the general campaign?"

As for the Democratic candidates, Piper says, "Clinton's fairly strong second-place finish probably positions him to make a strong showing in the upcoming primaries and caucuses. Tsogas did well with upper income, higher educated voters and may be able to do so elsewhere, given the nature of his economic program. Clinton has style, and appeals to the more traditional Democratic voters."

Lombardi feels, even with his second-place finish, Clinton is the Democratic front runner. He feels Tsongas is an unlikely alternative to Clinton, but Kerry could be since many of the upcoming primaries are geared to help him.

"By Super Tuesday (March 10)," Lombardi says, "the Democrats will want it weeded out. People are going to vote their pocketbooks. If Kerry can get straightened out, he could be a runaway freight train."

Bush's victory speech was subdued, "This election was far closer than many had predicted. I think the opponents on both sides reaped the harvest of discontent with the pace of the New Hampshire economy."

Yet, Bush did express his pleasure at the victory. "I am delighted to have won the New Hampshire primary. Now, " he said, "on to the South."

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What you don't know can hurt you—safe sex still not seen in statistics

By PATTI RADZINSKI
Staff Writer

Five hours, a week, two months have gone by since you accepted the first date with the person you'd been mooning over in your 11 a.m. algebra class. In the small dorm room, your roommate has been warned to stay out late. You hesitate before ripping each others' clothes off. Sensuousness hangs thick in the air. The potting wheel scene from *Ghost* mingles with words from your conscience: condoms, safe sex, AIDS, death. *Yeah, you think, it's a dangerous world out there, but my dream person couldn't possibly have any diseases.* You decide you should at least ask.

Hesitation. "Umm. About AIDS?"

"Do you have it?"

"No, do you?"

"It took ten years to get the first 100,000 HIV-positive patients. It's now taken two years to get the second 100,000," said Carmen King.

But your conscience jeers, "How do you know if they know?"

Outlined in denim, the foil condom package rests in your pocket. Transported with passion and already anxious that act may wind up clumsier than such passion deserves, you think about the fumbling and the embarrassment and you wonder, *should I?*

A recent study showed that one of every 300 college students is already HIV-positive.

Controversies over dispersing condoms in public schools, increasing numbers of reported cases of AIDS and Magic Johnson's recent disclosure that he'd tested positive for HIV have heightened the public's awareness of the dangers of sex in today's society.

"Ignorance is not the problem," said Carmen King, medical assistant at UT's Health Center. "It's not only scary, it's heartbreaking," said King. "It took ten years to get the first 100,000 HIV-positive patients. It's now taken only two years to get the second 100,000."

"Even high school students know about safe sex. You have to know about it, or you're going to die," commented Rich Filippone, a UT freshman.

"People are still having sex because it's fun, and some people think they're practicing safer sex because they have fewer partners, but they aren't," said a UT senior who wishes to remain anonymous.

Despite increasing awareness, the Health Center treats a disturbing number of students who have contracted sexually transmitted diseases (STDs). "We give out condoms. We have a rush on Fridays, but I don't know who's using them since we are still treating the diseases," said King.

Specific statistics for UT are unavailable, but certain STDs are more prevalent at the Health Center. Showing up most frequently are chlamydial infections, gonorrhea, genital (venereal) warts, herpes, pubic lice and pelvic inflammatory disease.

One freshman admitted that while he was aware of the need to practice safe sex, he didn't know everything about STDs.

"STDs are nothing to play around with... I think there's a lot more to them than a lot of us realize," said a UT senior.

"Understanding the basic facts about STDs—the ways in which they are spread, their common symptoms and how they can be treated—is the first step toward prevention," reported the National Institute of Al-

lergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID).

Initially, STDs cause no symptoms. During this time, however, an infected person can still pass the disease on to a partner. The frequency and severity of complications associated with untreated STDs tend to pose a more serious health threat to women than to men.

If left untreated, some STDs can cause pelvic inflammatory disease (PID), an infection of the upper genital tract, which can lead to infertility, tubal pregnancy and chronic pelvic pain.

Chlamydial infections are the most common of all STDs. There are an estimated 3 to 4 million new cases every year in the U.S. This infection usually has no symptoms and is detected only after complications occur.

An untreated chlamydial infection can lead to PID. If symptoms develop, they may include burning or itching in the genital area, discharge and pain in the abdomen (women) or testicles (men). An antibiotic such as tetracycline is used to treat chlamydia.

Genital herpes, or HSV type 2, is an incurable, recurrent viral disease that affects an estimated 30 million Americans. There are approximately 500,000 new cases each year. Symptoms include painful blisters in the genital area.

HSV type 1 more commonly causes oral herpes, or cold sores, but can cause genital infections as well. The sores usually disappear in two to three weeks, but the virus remains in the body and can recur. The symptoms can now be treated with acyclovir, an antiviral drug available by prescription, but it does not eliminate the virus from the body.

Genital warts are caused by a virus that infects up to 3 million Americans each year. The symptoms include the development of small, hard, painless bumps on the genital area which, if left untreated, can develop a fleshy, cauliflower-like appearance.

Scientists believe that the virus causing genital warts also causes several types of cancer and is associated with some cervical cancers in women. Venereal warts can be treated with a topical drug, freezing or removal by surgery depending on the stage of development. Like herpes, though, genital warts are caused by a virus and can recur.

Between 1.5 and 2 million cases of gon-

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orrhea are reported each year. The symptoms include discharge and painful or difficult urination. If left untreated, it can lead to PID in women and sterility in both sexes.

Gonorrhea has been treated with penicillin in the past, but penicillin-resistant forms of this bacteria have appeared recently. These strains are being treated with other antibiotics or combinations of drugs.

When diagnosed and treated early, almost all STDs can be cured.

Of course, the most serious STD, for which no effective treatment or cure cur-

rently exists, is Acquired Immune Deficiency (AIDS).

AIDS is caused by a virus present in bodily fluids that destroys the body's ability to fight infection. It is transmitted by sexual contact with an infected partner or through sharing intravenous needles with an infected person. It can also be passed from a mother to her unborn child.

King said that though

Magic Johnson's story went far in heightening student awareness of AIDS, with time a lot of people tend to forget about the necessity of safe sex.

"After Magic, we had a lot of people coming in, asking questions. They stop coming in after the shock wears off, and we see an in-

crease in STDs," said King.

Jean Masquelier, a counselor at the Career and Personal Development Center, attended a conference in New Jersey last July, "Promoting Student Health," organized by Dr. Richard Keeling, director of the Department of Student Health at the University of Virginia.

According to Masquelier, one of the questions Keeling addressed was why college students continued to have unsafe sex when they were aware of its dangers. She

"Most people are aware of the precautions, but they don't want to take them," said Julius Vaughn.

learned that though there are many excuses students give for not using condoms, there are few that seem to be universal.

Students lack communication and assertiveness skills. "The two people need to express what their expectations are about the date and any sexual activity that may or may not occur. If you don't want to have sex, you need to assertively state that before the date begins," said Masquelier.

"Some women, and I emphasize some," said Masquelier, "feel that if they give their body to someone it may ensure another date with that person."

"If a person truly has self-respect, they will not allow another person to abuse them in any way, shape or form, and that includes allowing someone to put your health at risk," said Masquelier.

Frequently, unsafe sex happens when drugs or alcohol cloud good sense. "Anytime someone is under the influence of an intoxicating substance their judgment is impaired and they don't consider the consequences of their actions."

Another factor that weighs in students' reasoning is the way television and movies romanticize sex. "Many times on television or in a movie theater you see a couple engaging in passionate foreplay and sex, and they never show the actors and actresses including putting on a condom. It is romanticizing sex. Many people feel stopping to put on a condom will break the mood, when it can actually be included as a part of foreplay. In *Fatal Attraction*, for instance, safe sex is not an issue in the elevator.

College students feel immortal. Unless they have experienced the death of someone in their immediate family or of a close friend, they haven't had to face their own

mortality. "Many young people still feel that they are invincible. There is nothing wrong with that. It is part of normal development. When you feel immortal you don't consider the risks," said Masquelier.

"It's not a joke anymore. It's reality. Everyone is becoming more aware, but they are still not willing to take the precautions. They don't think it will happen to them," said Diane Borden, UT sophomore and Special Events chair of Student Government Productions.

How can people protect themselves from STDs? Most experts advise using a latex condom when having sex. Boxes filled with condoms are available in every UT residence hall and at the Health Center. As Julie Barroso, former director of Student Health Center, said in a previous *Minaret* report, "You can practice safer sex. There is no such thing as safe sex, because

"It's strange, but people haven't really changed their habits... they don't think it can happen to them," commented Jim, a Ramblin' Rose bartender.

condoms can break and they're not 100 percent. They're the best tool we have right now."

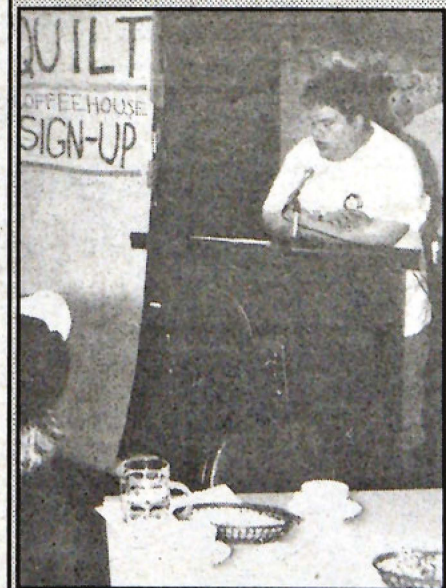
"Most people are aware of the precautions, but they don't want to take them. Condoms aren't natural, and students don't think it can happen to them," said Julius Vaughn, a UT senior.

Jim, a bartender from Ramblin' Rose, feels that sexual practices haven't changed in the bar scene. "It's strange, but people haven't really changed their habits. They are aware of the problem but don't think it can happen to them. You still see people leaving with people (they just met). In bars all over town, people are still getting picked up."

Carmen King said, "I'd like to believe that sexual practices are changing, but we are still seeing the diseases."

Material from the U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services was used in this report.

Coffeehouse weekend grinds to a close in Rat



Dan O'Hara—The Minaret

Julius Vaughn was one of the brave readers to approach the Quilt Coffeehouse mike early last Saturday night in the Rat. As Don Morrill, UT assistant professor of English described the event, "It's intimate, it's hip, it's the 90s."

Psychedelic insects for Cronenberg's *Naked Lunch*

Concern over ozone depletion heats up

By VALMA JESSAMY
Staff Writer

Concern over the depletion of the ozone layer is growing. The ozone layer absorbs ultraviolet radiation, preventing it from reaching the earth.

Government scientists say they have recorded the highest levels to date of ozone over the northern hemisphere, making it likely that an ozone "hole" will develop this winter over parts of the United States, Canada and Europe.

"Everybody should be alarmed about this," said Michael J. Kurlyo, manager of the Upper Atmospheres Research Program at NASA. "We are seeing conditions primed for ozone destruction. It's a far worse situation than we thought." Kurlyo said aircraft and satellite instruments have measured levels of chlorine monoxide, a man-made chemical by-product, at up to 1.5 parts per billion, the highest levels ever recorded.

The levels are high enough to destroy the layer of ozone 9 to 30 miles above the earth at a rate of 1 percent a day for brief, late-winter periods. With conducive weather conditions, the northern ozone layer could be depleted by 30 to 40 percent.

Atmospheric molecules of chlorine monoxide and bromine chemicals result from the release of industrial chemicals known as chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) and halons. CFCs are used as refrigerants, aerosol propellants, in air conditioning units and in some industrial processes; halons are used as fire suppressants.

James G. Anderson, a Harvard University professor of chemistry and a NASA project scientist, said the findings add increased urgency to the need to halt releases of CFCs and halons. "We must work in a concentrated way to speed up controls of these compounds," he said. In addition to finding elevated levels of chlorine and bromine chemicals, NASA scientists said they also found depressed levels of nitrogen oxides, chemicals that normally suppress the atmospheric effects of chlorine and bromine.

The depressed nitrogen oxides, said Anderson, suggest that "the atmosphere's immune system is less sturdy" than previously thought.

A hole in the earth's protective ozone layer above populated areas would expose people and plant life to higher levels of harmful ultraviolet radiation from the sun. Scientists fear that ozone depletion will cause an increase in skin cancer, eye cataracts and impaired immune systems, as well as disruptions in agriculture worldwide.

Ozone in the upper layers of the atmosphere absorbs ultraviolet radiation, causing it to breakdown naturally. The energy produced from this reaction remains in the upper atmosphere, preventing much of the radiation from the sun from reaching the earth.

As the concentration of ozone in the upper atmosphere has been decreasing, its concentration in the lower atmosphere has been increasing as a by-product of automobile exhaust. The "residence time" of ozone in the troposphere is the amount of time it takes to be destroyed before it can escape the upper atmospheric levels. This means there might be a considerable cooling in the upper atmosphere and an increase in low-level temperatures, leading to a change in climatic patterns.

"It's time," said Liz Cook, an ozone specialist for the environmental group Friends of the Earth, "for the U.S. government policy on ozone depletion to catch up with scientific knowledge."

Movie Review *Naked Lunch*

Twentieth Century Fox

Starring: Peter Weller

Directed By: David Cronenberg



By ALYSON STEPHAN
Staff Writer

William Burroughs' controversial novel *Naked Lunch* appeared in 1959. Burroughs pursued the depths of what he called "The Algebra of Need." A collage of drug-induced fantasies, pseudoscience and political satire, it bridged the Beat Generation to the 60's counterculture.

The novel had a strong influence on David Cronenberg, who, three decades later, decided to make a film about it, sort of. Cronenberg's (*Dead Ringers*, *The Fly*) version of *Naked Lunch* is more an appreciation of Burroughs than an adaptation of the novel. Intimations of Burroughs' life, along with bits from other novels (namely *Junkie* and *Exterminator*) also find places in the movie.

Naked Lunch stars Peter Weller (*Buckaroo Bonzai*, *RoboCop*) as Bill Lee (Burroughs' onetime pseudonym), a drug-abusing writer who agonizes over the creative process to the point where he settles for a "career" as a door-to-door exterminator. While on a job, Bill runs out of his yellow roach powder and goes home to find his wife, Joan (Judy Davis, *Barton Fink*) shooting it up. It gives her, as she says, a Kafka-like high. When Bill realizes that he and his wife have become addicted to the bug powder, he seeks professional help.

Enter the mysterious Dr. Benway (Roy Scheider), who instructs Bill to cut the roach powder with "Black Meat," the powdered flesh of Brazilian centipedes. When he returns home with the tainted mixture, he finds Joan too-cozily on the couch with his friend Hank (Nicholas Campbell) while his other friend, Martin (Michael Zelniker) reads prose in a speedy monotone voice.

The two friends are the thinly disguised Jack Kerouac and Allen Ginsberg. Seemingly unaffected, Bill retreats to the bedroom and injects the new drug. Joan follows him into the bedroom and explains, "Hank and I were just bored. It's not serious." Bill brushes the incident off and tells Joan that he wants to show Martin the "William Tell



Courtesy Twentieth Century Fox

Peter Weller stars in David Cronenberg's *Naked Lunch*, adapted to film from William Burroughs' 1959 controversial novel by the same name.

routine." Joan puts a drinking glass on her head, and Bill pulls out a revolver and shoots, leaving a small red dot on her forehead.

Burroughs said that the accidental death of his wife was a turning point in his life, "I would never have become a writer but for my wife's death...which maneuvered me into a lifelong struggle, in which I have no choice but to write my way out."

Cronenberg uses this incident as a turning point for the movie as well, after which Bill becomes a full-fledged addict and writer. This takes place in Interzone, a Tangiers of the mind, populated by Bill's fears, obsessions and fantasies. The frightening hallucinations get worse and the bugs get bigger as Bill attempts to write what will be *Naked Lunch*, the novel.

David Cronenberg's direction is both sensual and riveting. The realism portrayed

in the film is exemplified by the set design and choice of Peter Weller as Bill Lee. Weller mastered Burroughs' persona, from the perfect brown suit and slanted Fedora to the sullen cheeks and calm disposition.

Naked Lunch dramatizes the hell of addiction, giving a first-hand view of the damage from the inside. Beneath the severely melancholic tone, the film is funny, frightening and intellectual. It bestows a desperate sense of loneliness, isolation and anxiety burdened by the individual.

Minaret Ratings:

- ★ poor,
- ★★ fair,
- ★★★ good,
- ★★★★ excellent,
- ★★★★★ a classic

Eddie's new *Right Here* is right on the money



Courtesy Columbia Records

Record Review *Eddie Money Right Here*

Columbia Records



By BRIAN ELIS
Staff Writer

Right Here is Eddie Money's first CD to be released since his *Greatest Hits* over two years ago, and it's worth the wait. It has the hard, electric guitar songs that have held rockers since *Two Tickets To Paradise* was released, the ballads that make pre-adolescents swoon and songs that lie somewhere around the middle of the road.

Track 6, "Things Are Much Better Today," fades in with a drum beat followed by the vocals and excellent, exciting guitar riffs. "Prove It Every Night," begins with a hard hitting Joe Satriani-style guitar and doesn't let up.

"Another Nice Day in L.A." manages to be both amusing and depressing about the city of angels. "She Takes My Breath Away," dedicated to Money's wife, Laurie, starts with an acoustic guitar and his vocals, progressing to a mild rocker. There are few things sweeter than good rock ballads, and this disc delivers the sweets.

"Fall In Love Again" and "I'll Get By" are excellent examples of how slow, emotional music can still be powerful.

Eddie Money doesn't believe in churning out sloppy work. His vocals are intense, his band is incredibly good, and the atmosphere created by this album is just right.

The Minaret is looking for signs of Greek Life on campus. Box 2757—Features Desk

Spirit Week is Going Out In Style Saturday night

By SHANNON LAKANEN
Staff Writer

Spirit Week is coming to a close with the Homecoming Dance Saturday night. According to Donna Small, the Week has gone pretty smoothly.

The week has been filled with a variety of entertainment open to students and faculty. Comedian Carrot Top gave a block buster performance to close to 400 people at Falk Theater on Monday night. "He's easily the best comedian I've seen here in my four years at UT," said Perry Monastero, president of the Senior Class. "The Astonishing Neal" also made a Spirit Week appearance at McNiff Center on Wednesday.

WUTZ brings Miss America and Pound of Flesh to the Rat tomorrow night. The concert is free for students and is scheduled to run from 9:30 to 1 a.m.

Saturday night, UT is "Going Out In

Style" at the Homecoming Dance. The dance will be held at the Sheraton Grand Hotel from 9 to 12 a.m. Student Government Productions is providing free limousine service between the Sheraton and the fountain in front of Plant Hall from 8:30 to 12:30.

"We're trying to make Homecoming a little more classy, to make it more special for the students," said Diane Borden, Special Events coordinator for SG.

"As long as everyone has a good time, I'm happy," said Donna Small, president of SGP.

The dance is following a "big city" theme, with a city skyline behind the DJ booth, trees with white lights lining the room and red and white flower centerpieces for all the tables.

Tickets are available for \$10 at the Student Activities Office in the Student Union, or for \$12 at the door.

University of Illinois head is a hunk—of roast beef

(CPS)—University of Illinois at Chicago police say they've solved the mystery of an art exhibit that students say was the head of a human cadaver wrapped in plastic.

Artist Rudy Vargas originally claimed that he had stolen the head from the medical school. But, Lt. John Otomo, head of UIC investigations, said that he is satisfied that Vargas' explanation is the valid.

Vargas now says that his October exhibit was really a head that he carved out of

roast beef.

Vargas told police that he made up the human head story "to add to the atmosphere of his piece," Otomo said.

Although witnesses of the exhibit at the school's undergraduate art gallery said they were convinced the head was real, Otomo said that most couldn't positively say that it was a human head.

The medical school did not report any missing cadaver heads.

Cupid makes matches at Smiley



Dan O'Hara—The Minaret

Smiley RHA's Dating Game drew over 100 "viewers" and 82 applicants.

By ANDREA McCASLAND
Staff Writer

"If I were a Popsicle, how would you eat me?"

The answer to that and other revealing questions was provided last Thursday at the Smiley RHA Dating Game. Sixteen contestants answered outrageous questions to win dates sponsored by the Cactus Club and AMC movie theaters.

"I was pleased with the crowd. Over 82 people applied for the 16 positions, and over a hundred people attended the event,"

said Hayward Guenard, Smiley area director. "The RHA members put in a lot of effort and hard work and it paid off."

The bachelorette and three bachelors (or vice versa) were divided by a wall so the contestants could not see each other. The bachelorette (or bachelor) would ask the other three contestants questions and, judging by their answers, choose a date.

"I had a lot of fun asking and listening to the responses... they were very imaginative," said contestant Courtney Martinello. "I'm looking forward to my date."

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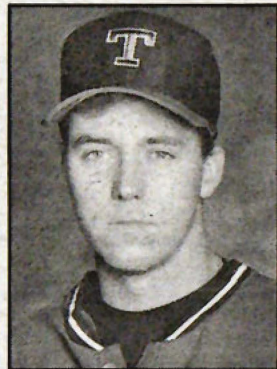
Baseball extends winning streak to six by sweeping FAU

By TERRY BEATTIE
Sports Writer

The University of Tampa baseball team extended its winning streak to four games this weekend in Boca Raton, sweeping Florida Atlantic University in two games.

On Saturday, Feb. 15, the Spartans (6-2) played under the lights for the first time this season. That did not hinder Tampa's performance, as they beat FAU by a score of 7-3. The second game of the weekend, on Saturday Feb. 16, saw them defeat FAU 5-2.

Tampa rallied Saturday night from a two-run deficit in the sixth inning. The Spartans ended the inning by scoring three runs on one hit. After two walks, two wild pitches, one batter hit by a pitch and two stolen bases, UT took a 3-2 lead. FAU tied the score with a run in the seventh inning. At the top of the ninth, sophomore Matt Snyder, walked and senior Sam Sneed pinch ran for him, leading to sophomore Rodd Kelley hitting a two-run homer (with one out) to bring the score to 5-3. Two batters later, junior pinch-hitter Jeff Stebbins hit a two-run



Jeff Stebbins

homer and drove in senior Joe Urso who walked, his first hit of the season.

In the second game, the Spartans took an early lead when junior Brian Zaletel hit a single, two run base hit. The Spartans added runs in the third, fourth and fifth innings to build a 5-0 lead. Senior Matt Hudson pitched a complete game, improving his record to 2-0.

Coach Lelo Prado said, "We continue to get outstanding performances from our pitchers. Stolen bases and team speed have manufactured runs for us, particularly if our bats have not been working well. We have nine stolen bases in our ten attempts."

Junior Lance Chambers went on the disabled list on Saturday when a ball fouled off home plate and hit him in the mouth. Chambers said, "It was the first inning, and I was the third batter. The play was designed to be a hit and run. The ball bounced off of home plate and struck me in the mouth." He required six stitches, but there was no damage to his

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UT basketball takes sixth loss

By KRIS SWOFFORD
Sports Editor

The Spartans dropped another one as Florida Atlantic University ended its five-game losing streak in Boca Raton Tuesday night by winning 87-81.

With this loss Tampa has recorded only one win in its last six starts. UT coach Richard Schmidt said, "We played poorly and have been struggling to play well."

FAU (10-13) held a commanding lead most of the game with Tampa (17-6) attempting to

come back from an 11-point deficit with no avail. FAU sank its last 11 free-throw attempts successfully holding off UT. The Spartans pulled within six points but could get no closer.

"Our defense is nonexistent," said Schmidt. "The team is young and needs to learn to focus better during the tougher games."

On an up note, freshman Idris Mays had his best game as a Spartan with a career-high 18 points, and freshman Reggie Larry added 17.

SEC bans chaws

(CPS) — The Southeastern conference (SEC) has announced that it will ban the use of tobacco-related products at both conference and post-season tournament baseball games, the NCAA News reports.

The ban goes into effect this season and gives umpires the power to eject any players or coaches who violate the rule after one warning.

SEC Commissioner Roy Kramer told the NCAA News that the conference adopted the measure after reviewing results of studies that show the adverse effects of using tobacco products, particularly chewing tobacco, which is popular among baseball players.

The NCAA has a policy against the use of tobacco products by both players and coaches during NCAA championship competitions.

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Spartan men's and women's tennis teams swing into action for 1992 season

MINARET STAFF REPORT

The Spartans' men's and women's tennis teams both played Eckerd College and Barry University this week. The men's team lost both matches.

On Tuesday, they lost to Eckerd 3-6 at home. Freshman Martin Nebrelus (Tampa soccer star), Flight 5, was the lone singles winner. Nebrelus improved on his undefeated record.

The Flight 2 doubles team of Raph Hurwitz and Scot Richie also won, as did the Flight 3 doubles team of Nebrelus and Sean Hockensmith.

On Thursday Barry defeated the Tampa men 8-1, again on Tampa's courts. The Flight 2 doubles team of Hurwitz and Richie was the sole winner. The Spartans' overall record is 1-4.

The women's team played four times this week, winning against St. Leo and Eckerd, losing to Barry and Air Force.



On Monday, Tampa defeated St. Leo 7-2. Returning home on Tuesday, Tampa crushed Eckerd 9-0.

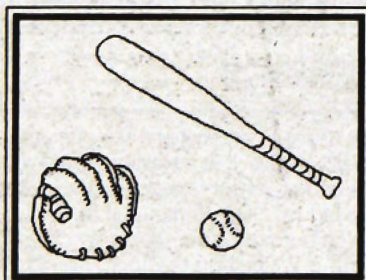
Again at home on Thursday, the Lady Spartans lost to Barry 0-9. Flight 1 singles player junior Linda Cassella lost the closest game of the Barry match, losing in three sets.

Tampa's final loss was on Monday against Air Force 0-9.

The Lady Spartans' overall record is now 4-4.

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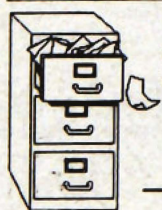
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Who: UT Softball vs. Faculty/Staff Challenge



Where: UT softball field northwest of Sports Center

What: The Lady Spartans have challenged the UT Faculty/Staff to a scrimmage and are providing food and beverages after the game (for the survivors). Come out to watch and support the Lady Spartans!!

POLICE BEAT:



JUST THE FACTS

WEEKLY IN THE MINARET

1992 Softball Schedule

| Date | Day | Opponent | Site | Time |
|-------|------------|------------------|------|------|
| 2/25 | Tues | USF | Away | 6:00 |
| 2/29 | Sat | Alma College | Home | 1:00 |
| 3/6-8 | Th/Fri/Sat | St. Leo College | Away | TBA |
| 3/10 | Tues | Rollins College | Away | 2:30 |
| 3/14 | Sat | Eckerd College | Home | 1:00 |
| 3/15 | Sun | St. Leo College | Home | 1:00 |
| 3/18 | Wed | St. Thomas | Home | 2:30 |
| 3/21 | Sat | Univ. of N. FL | Home | 1:00 |
| 3/26 | Th | USC-Spartanburg | Home | 2:30 |
| 3/27 | Fri | FIT | Away | 2:30 |
| 3/28 | Sat | Barry | Away | 1:00 |
| 4/1 | Wed | St. Leo College | Away | 2:45 |
| 4/3-4 | Fri/Sat | Univ. of W. FL | Away | TBA |
| 4/9 | Th | Eckerd College | Away | 2:30 |
| 4/11 | Sat | Florida Southern | Home | 1:00 |
| 4/12 | Sun | Rollins College | Home | 1:00 |
| 4/14 | Tue | Florida Southern | Away | 6:00 |
| 4/17 | Fri | FIT | Home | 3:30 |
| 4/18 | Sat | Barry | Home | 1:00 |
| TBA | TBA | NCAA Regional | TBA | TBA |

Lady Spartans improve road game streak to eight.

By TIM CARPENTER
UT Sports Information

Assistant women's basketball coach Kathy Bonollo suggested Tampa go for a drive around the city before its next home game. Head coach Tom Mosca wondered if they should start painting the Martinez Sports Center the colors of the opposing team.

Either may not be a bad idea considering the Lady Spartans' surprising success on the road. The most recent chapter was written in Melbourne Saturday night as UT overcame a 19-point second half deficit in dramatic fashion to down first-place Florida Tech 83-80.

The win gives Tampa a 16-8 record overall, improving its mark in conference play to 6-3. It also runs their road winning streak to a record-tying eight games while dealing the Panthers (20-3, 8-1) their first home loss of the season.

"This ranks up there in the top two or three all-time wins since I've been here," said a jubilant Mosca, who saw his team win for the second straight time on the road after trailing by at least 18 points.

For much of the game, though, Florida Tech looked just like the team that had beaten the Lady Spartans by 19 earlier in the year. The Panthers, with the nation's number two scoring offense, and two of the top three leading scorers in the country, seemed to score at will in the first half with their 52 percent field goal shooting. Tech even appeared to take control by assuming a ten point lead with three minutes remaining in the half but was rebuffed by sophomore Karen Verwoord

who scored Tampa's final nine points of the period to single-handedly pull UT within five, 45-40, at the break.

The second half began on a different note, however. With Verwoord picking up three quick fouls and leaving the game, Florida Tech put on a run that nearly locked up the game. The young Spartans seemed to wilt as F.I.T stretched its lead to 72-53 with just over ten minutes to play. It was do-or-die time for Tampa, and they responded to the challenge.

The come-back began with freshman Tori Lindbeck hitting a 3-point basket to cut the lead to 16 with 10:03 remaining but was keyed by veteran Kim Dix. Still, it was all Tampa could do to stay in the game as they whittled the lead to 12 with just over seven minutes left. It was then that Dix took over, scoring nine of her season-high 28 points in the next five minutes and set the example her teammates needed.

"She'd been in a little bit of a slump lately and wasn't quite as focused as she needed to be," said Mosca. "But she got herself back on track."

"I know I'd been in a slump," confessed Dix. "I think it was just a lack of confidence. But after the first couple of baskets I felt like I was back."

With Dix leading the way, Tampa pulled to within 80-78 with a minute to play. The defense held as it had for most of the second half, and the Spartans got the ball back for a chance at the improbable. Off the break following a Panther miss, Lindbeck nailed her fourth 3-pointer of the game with 53 seconds remaining to give Tampa the lead.

"That (the shot) was in transition, so it wasn't a set play," said Mosca. "She's a good enough shooter that she has the green light on that."

Lindbeck said, "I was so focused on the game, that I just knew it was going in."

Florida Tech then had its chance to go on top with only seconds to play, but Tampa's defense turned the assault away. It appeared they would attempt to run out the clock and hold on to their one point lead. However, Crystal Ashley's shot with 20 seconds left was rejected by the Panthers' 6-5 center, Jenny Andersson, with F.I.T controlling the rebound.

Once again the Spartan defense held as Paulete King, the nation's leading scorer, missed a field goal attempt with three seconds left. Ashley grabbed the loose ball and was fouled immediately by King to stop the clock. It was all for naught as Ashley calmly sank both free throws to give the Lady Spartans their final margin of victory. King's desperation 3-point shot at the buzzer fell short and Tampa raced on the court to celebrate its miraculous come-from-behind triumph.

The final numbers were impressive. UT held the Panthers' high-powered offense scoreless for the last 5:01 and had limited Tech to only one field goal in the last 10 minutes as they outscored F.I.T 30-8 during that span. Joining Dix in double figures for the Spartans were Ashley with 16 and Lindbeck who added 14.

Tampa vs Eckerd at Homecoming.

BIBLE STUDY

We all need spiritual knowledge; an on-campus bible study group will meet every Sunday night at 9 p.m. in the Delo Front Office. POC is Greg Canty. Call ext. 7660 for more information. See you there!

CAREER INFORMATION CENTER

The following workshops will be offered by Mamie Tapp, Career Counselor in the Career Information Center:

Résumé Writing

Mondays 5-6 p.m. in PH 309

Interview Skills/ Job Search Strategies
Wednesdays 12-1 p.m. in PH 309

Your Career Strategy

Thursdays 3-4 p.m. in PH 309

The Career Information Center consists of:

- self-assessment tools (e.g. SDS, SIDS Plus, work values survey)
- Library of books—to explore career options and to choose a major
- Occupational information—files on matching careers with majors, job descriptions and references
- Graduate school library
- Employer literature—company descriptives, annual reports and videos

Career counseling is available to assist students by teaching methods of self-assessment, promoting career exploration, preparing for careers and teaching goal-setting. For more information on the Career Information Center, contact Mamie Tapp at ext. 6218.

FINANCIAL AID

The University of Tampa Financial Aid Office has 1992-93 Financial Aid Forms (FAF) available now in PH 447. Anyone wishing to receive need-based financial aid for the 1992-93 academic year must file this form with the College Scholarship Service (CSS) in the near future. The forms are FREE. If you have any questions, please contact the Financial Aid Office.

PERSONAL & CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

The Personal & Career Development Center will offer workshops throughout the Spring semester from 4-5 p.m. in PH 309. No sign up is required. Following is a list of dates and topics:

Skills for a Healthy Relationship

- Mon., Feb. 24 Assertiveness
- Mon., March 2 Problem solving
- Mon., March 9 Fair fighting
- Mon., March 16 Knowing when to stay in & when to get out
- Study Skills
- Thurs., Feb. 27 Test Anxiety
- Thurs., March 5 Improving your motivation to study
- Thurs., April 2 Improving reading comprehension
- Thurs., April 9 How to catch up if you're behind
- Thurs., April 23 Preparing for finals

EMPLOYMENT INTERVIEWS

The following organizations will be on campus to interview students for employment.

Invitational schedules (with résumé submission deadlines):

Feb. 27

Automatic Data Processing
Call UT Placement office for details
The interview schedule for the period March 2 through 18 is as follows:

March 2

National Payment Corporation

March 3

GTE Data Services (GTEDS)

March 4

The Limited

U.S. Customs Service, Office of Inspection & Control

March 5

NCNB National Bank, National Operations Center

March 6

State Farm Insurance Companies

March 10

Florida Department of Corrections

March 11

Connecticut Mutual Life
Arthur Anderson Tax Technology Group

March 12

American Frozen Foods, Inc. (AFF)

March 13

Boy Scouts of America (seeking both male and female applicants)

Florida Department of Revenue

March 18

Pizza Hut, a subsidiary of PepsiCo, Inc.

SOCIAL WORK CLUB

Social work students have recently united at UT to form a club with the following objectives:

- Increase community awareness about social work at UT
- Increase social work students' awareness of employment in the field of social work
- Participate as volunteers for non-profit organizations serving those in need
- Sponsor field trips to various social work programs
- Donate monies to the Dr. Martin Denoff Scholarship Memorial Fund

For more information, please contact Merry at 237-0423 or leave a message with Dr. Joan Brock in PH 206, ext. 6226.

OMICRON DELTA KAPPA

The University of Tampa chapter of Omicron Delta Kappa (ODK), the national leadership honor society, is now accepting applications from juniors with at least a 3.08 grade point average (GPA) and seniors with an average above 3.26. Applicants should be active in leadership positions in university or community organizations. Please contact Greg Canty, ODK president, at ext. 7660, faculty adviser Bob Kerstein, PH 413 or ext. 6408 or Del Robinson, PH 330 for an application. Completed applications are due March 12.

YOGA

Interested in learning and practicing yoga? Yoga classes meet at 4 p.m.; day to be determined. Please leave your available times with Nancy Deshaies in PH 301.

ACCOUNTING LAB

The hours for the Accounting lab (PH 220) for students of Accounting 202 and 203 are as follows:

Mon. & Wed. 4-5 p.m. for ACC 202
Tues. & Thurs. 4-5 p.m. for ACC 203

Anyone is welcome, and bilingual assistance is available.

ORGANIZATIONS

WUTZ news has its own segment for campus news! Every organization is invited to send in any newsworthy announcements for activities, accomplishments, upcoming events, etc. Just send your newsworthy item in legible writing or typed to Box 878.

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

The student chapter of Human Resource Management is now accepting new members. All are welcome to participate in and benefit from HR professional guest speakers, internship opportunities, local contacts before graduation, learning about the field of HR, holding a leadership position in the chapter and receiving the HR magazine and newspaper. For more information, write to Box 2761.

INTERNSHIPS

The Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute in Washington, D.C. is accepting applications for their Summer Internship Program. This is an excellent opportunity for Hispanic students to broaden their knowledge of the federal government and the American political system. Also, The Academy of Television Arts and Sciences is accepting entries for its 1992 Paid Summer Internship Program. This program will offer college students summer internships in 24 different areas of the television industry during an eight-week period in the summer of 1992. For more information on these and other programs, contact Mamie Tapp in the Career Information Center, PH 301, or call 253-6218.

APOLLO NIGHT

Auditions for Apollo Night will be held Feb. 29 and March 7 at 12 p.m. in the Ferman Music Center. Any acts are welcome, including singing, dancing, playing instruments or anything else you can do with your clothes on. For more information, call Shawn Fisher at ext. 7709 or Steve Lundy at ext. 7562.

PEER ACADEMIC CONSULTANT

The following is a list of the PACs, their office hours and where you can locate them:

MCKAY PACS

Karen Bessette x7703 Box 1219
Tuesday 7-9:30 p.m. McKay desk
Thursday 7-9:30 p.m. McKay desk
Shawn Gregory x7689 Box 805
Wednesday 7-9:30 p.m. McKay desk
Thursday 7-9:30 p.m. McKay desk

SMILEY PACS

Carolyn Masters x7966 Box 1398
Tuesday 7-9:30 p.m. Smiley desk
Wednesday 7-9:30 p.m. Smiley desk
Heather Witterman x7875 Box 2413
Monday 7-9:30 p.m. Smiley desk
Thursday 7-9:30 p.m. Smiley desk

DELO PACS

Whitney Torpey x7485 Box 1859
Monday 7-10 p.m. Delo desk
Thursday 7-9 p.m. Delo desk
Gene Kelly x 7462 Box 1045
Tuesday 6-10 p.m. Delo desk
Friday 6-7 p.m. Delo desk

HOWELL PACS

Alyssa Zahorcak x7692 Box 2426
Monday 7-9:30 p.m. Howell desk
Wednesday 7-9:30 p.m. Howell desk
Andrea Clendennen x7997 Box 1832
Tuesday 7-9 p.m. Howell desk
Thursday 6-9 p.m. Howell desk

WRITING CENTER

The Saunders Writing Center is located in PH 323, and spring hours are 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Mon. and Thurs., 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tues., 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Wed., 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Fri. and 5-7 p.m. Sun. Please drop in or call 253-6244 or ext. 6244 for an appointment.

CLAST

As a reminder to all students registered to take the CLAST exam, it will be on Saturday, Feb. 22 at 7:45 a.m. The location is noted on the returned registration form.

SENIORS

Due to the economy and the current job market status, it is advisable that ALL graduating seniors complete their résumés by March 1. The Personal and Career Development Center offers weekly Résumé Writing Workshop sessions. For additional information, stop by PH 301 or call 253-6218.

QUILT

Quilt, the University of Tampa's award-winning literary magazine, is accepting poetry, art and fiction submissions for the 1992 journal. Deadline is Feb. 29. Send submissions to Box 2732, or call ext. 3538 for more information.

Classified

Want a shoo-in for ResCom this fall? Female grad student seeking seniors-to-be in the fall. I have 150 hours to add to yours. Call 978-7873 or 1-726-0256 ASAP!