

Cary Bogue — The Minaret
As the #1 and #2 baseball players in the country, Sam Militello (L) and Paul Russo are on top of the world. See story, page 11, "On the front row." The Spartan baseball team is ranked #1.

Campus burglar remains at large

Police seek suspect in residence hall thefts

By MARIA MILLER
Assistant Editor

Kelli Stover, freshman, left her room in University of Tampa McKay East for a few minutes around 12:30 a.m. last Saturday. When she returned, she found her room ransacked. Her clothes were scattered from her dresser drawers and two gold bracelets and watches were missing.

This was the first in a series of robberies and attempted robberies occurring between 12:30 a.m. and 2 a.m. that morning. The dorm rooms hit were McKay East 101 and 103 and ResCom A102 and A103. In all cases, the assailant entered through a bedroom window on the ground floor.

The same man is believed to have committed all the break-ins. "All [character] descriptions coincide," said Sergeant Joseph Ramby of the UT Police department, who conducted the investigation.

The suspect is a middle-aged, black male, approximately 5' 10", who was wearing a cap, a T-shirt and sweat pants.

Stover's neighbor, junior Avery Bredice, was fortunate. Bredice's screen was ripped off and the window was broken, but nothing was missing from her room. "I don't understand it," Bredice said. "He must have broken half way in and was scared off. I was lucky. My pocketbook with my wallet and credit cards was on my desk right below the window."

Bredice never saw the man. However, Stover went outside to talk to some friends and noticed a suspicious man walking back and forth behind McKay. "The man didn't look like a UT student," Stover said. "He walked by a few times and I saw him and talked to him. He was wearing a loud, bright pink, ugly T-shirt."

A man fitting Stover's description was spotted breaking into the bedroom window facing the courtyard in ResCom A103. The window had been left ajar. The suspect fled when confronted by a student passing by.

In a third incident seniors Duane Brigio and Suzette Manganiello of A103 were sitting in their living area just before 2 a.m.

watching a movie with friends. "We heard two raps at the door followed by a man sticking his head in who said he was looking for someone and added, 'I ain't gonna hurt ya' or nothing'," Brigio said.

Frank Beningo, a guest who had been sitting next to the door and got a close look at the suspect, said, "He was wearing red sweat pants, a cap and the gold rope chain around his neck was the size of a quarter." Beningo believed he would be able to identify the suspect in a line-up.

"He was in his late twenties, had a medium frame, wide eyes, and a round face with a slight mustache," added Manganiello.

"We didn't think too much about it," Brigio said. "A few minutes later another guy, a UT student, stuck his head in the door and told us he just chased a guy out of my window."

At this point, Manganiello called the UT Police Department.

In the apartment next door, A102, senior Bob McIntosh discovered that \$40 and some laundry quarters were missing from the top of his dresser. Again, the screen and window panels had been ripped from their frames and discarded, along with a change purse and various other articles, in the bushes outside McIntosh's room.

UT police informed McIntosh and his roommates, senior Mark Madison and sophomore Mike Eltz, that they had other incidents to investigate but that they would return.

"Why don't you guys get together and scour the area," Officer Kevin Roderiques said. "There are only two of us and we can't investigate and cover every corner of the UT campus." Madison and Eltz, accompanied by Brigio and Beningo, roamed the campus and the peripheral roads.

UT police are hopeful about finding the suspect. They affirmed having a clear set of fingerprints and are calling in an artist to draw a sketch from witness descriptions.

"It's unfortunate," Roderiques said. "I was a deputy sheriff for 13 years and I know how common burglaries are. You walk out one minute and your stuff is gone. That's what happened in McKay."

Faculty promotions announced

By GAIL HANT
Staff Writer

Three University of Tampa professors have been promoted from associate professor to full professor, four others have been granted tenure, and another has been promoted to assistant professor, UT Provost Thomas Hegarty announced last week.

Judy M. Bohren, chair of the Division of Education, David Isele, from the Division of Fine Arts, and Norma Winston, chair of the Social Sciences Department, were promoted to full professor based on recommendations from students, faculty, and staff regard-



David Isele

professors. They were reviewed by Hegarty, who then discussed the matter with President Bruce Samson. Their recommendations were submitted to the Board of Trustees, who then made the final decision.

"The division chairs look toward the students for the evaluation of the instructors," said Hegarty. "The students are useful and sought after in these aspects because they are the primary group served."

Politics do not seem to play a major role in the decision making. "All human organizations have political aspects," said Hegarty. "Evaluations have substantial elements; on the whole, justice is served." Winston and Bohren both seem to agree on that point.

"The [promotion] system was changed this year to increase the fairness," said Winston.

Bohren, who has been teaching at UT for 14 years, feels that the promotion will inspire her performance in the classroom.

"What's most gratifying about all this is the recognition of my

academic achievements," she said. "The only way it will affect me personally is to get me motivated, and therefore I will do a better job."

The recently promoted full professors will now receive a five percent pay raise. "No one received less than a five percent pay raise based on the action of tenure or promotion. In addition, these professors participated, along with all other professors, in the regular merit salary review," said Hegarty.

Five other professors were recognized and awarded for their performance, including: Kevin Dove, Division of Science and Mathematics, granted tenure; Michael Jeffries, College of Business, granted tenure; Donald Morrill, Division of Humanities, promoted to assistant professor; Steven Platau, granted tenure; and Elizabeth Winston, Division of Humanities, granted tenure. In addition, 24 faculty members were awarded Dana Grants, allowing them to pursue projects within their fields.



Judy Bohren



Norma Winston

ing their performance as advisors and professors, their academic work, and their service to the community and to the university, Hegarty said.

In past years division chair recommendations were the main factor in full professor promotions. This year the process began with the candidates' submission of a dossier to a committee of full

Inside —

Gasparilla sails into town.
See story, page 7.

Spartan Baseball 1990.
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Editorial

Tight lips sink ships too

They say silence is golden. The University of Tampa, then, might be a 24 karat institution. We all know that in today's world information is power. It should come as no surprise, then, that most information on this campus is as accessible as, say, the identity of "Deep Throat" in *All the President's Men*. In the political environment that is UT, hush-hush is the Golden Rule.

In all fairness, the UT Police Department, historically among the least responsive groups on campus, has been more willing to inform the press, and thus the campus community, of campus crime. This is a very recent development, but is nonetheless a hopeful sign. The next step would be for the UT police to release crime statistics on a regular basis in an effort to alert the community to potential danger. Knowledge is the best tool potential victims have to protect themselves. Ignorance only increases the danger.

But a more open approach must be extended beyond the police department. Meetings among administrators and students are held quite frequently, but often between select groups and not for public consumption. At one such meeting held recently, a Minaret reporter was invited to attend but was told beforehand that he could not print any information arising from the meeting.

On another occasion, an administrator even went so far as to question the compatibility of a free press and a free university. The administrator felt that individuals should not have to be worried that their statements will be printed in the newspaper. Administrators are, of course, always free to speak off the record, but in any free society should that be the rule or the exception?

That, perhaps, is the central problem here. People working at UT sometimes tend to adopt multiple faces, splitting themselves into different personas depending on the company they are currently keeping. Many fear that something they say will jeopardize their position at the university. But as a result of this reluctance to speak openly, students are often kept in the dark, unable to offer their opinions on matters which directly affect them.

Another frustrating example of tight lips around here came up last week with the Florida Clipper scandal. This elite group of athletes was given the run of UT athletic facilities to the exclusion of "regular" students. Not consulting students about the change was unfair — student athletic fees help support UT sports facilities — but the failure to even tell students that the change had occurred resulted in some unnecessary embarrassment for students who were hustled off the track like trespassers. The Florida Clippers themselves are not to blame, their presence may even be to our advantage, but more could have been done to help students adjust to the change, like telling them about it.

One individual even attempted to apply this code of silence to that final bastion of student power, the Student Government. The student, an appointed member of SG's Executive Board, felt that Board meetings should be closed. Members would be free to speak their minds, she reasoned, if they did not have to worry about being quoted on what they said. This proposal will likely come up again, when and if SG begins revamping the student constitution. We can only hope this request dies on the table.

What we are trying to accomplish is simply the free flow of information on this campus. Closed meetings, padded statements, hidden statistics, and a shunned and fettered press can only add to the helplessness of UT's student body. All we ask is that UT administrative and student leadership make an effort to be more open.

In the past, UT students have been referred to as the "product," "customers," and "purpose" of the university. Each of these terms implies that we have a central role here and deserve at least a bit of consideration when changes are made which directly affect us. And if the University of Tampa continues to deny us information we have every right to expect, it might soon find itself lacking products, purpose, and, perhaps most important to some, customers.



Letters to the Editor

And so the cheerleader saga continues . . .

Dear Editor:

In the continuing saga of women's athletics at UT, fan support, cheerleaders . . . I was pleased and in agreement with Don Grider's letter to the editor in the January 26, 1990 issue of *The Minaret*.

As a long-time fan of both men's and women's basketball (even when the women's team wasn't "winning"), I was glad to see a parent vocalize the feelings many of us have concerning the treatment of women's athletics. If the fans in the stands cannot understand what the cheerleaders are doing, the cheerleaders are not performing properly, i.e., the chanting that Mr. Grider found particularly offensive.

Mr. Grider only reported what happened. Those few of us who were there, and who are always there for both the men's and women's games, are aware that many people (including the cheerleaders) coming in for the "important" men's game ignore the women's team. If people do not wish to cheer for the team on the floor, they should remain outside rather than milling about, laughing, chatting, standing in front of fans watching the game and functioning as a general nuisance to those watching and cheering for the women.

All areas of athletics can use extra funding. However, if a particular group wishes to sell something, be it T-shirts, pennants, or programs, outside the playing arena is the place to do it — not in the playing venue!

Maybe UT needs to offer more than the \$5,000 currently available for cheerleader

scholarships. Cheerleading, like any other athletic activity, requires many hours of practice. Years ago cheerleaders were required to put in almost as many hours of practice as the basketball team. Why aren't our cheerleader committed to supporting both teams — not just the men's?

Let's pursue this last point: since we have cheerleaders, why aren't they cheering at the women's basketball games? Is the real reason that only the men's basketball team is perceived as a "real" athletic team?

For those who don't know, the women practice just as hard, just as long, and deserve just as much support as our excellent men's team. In response to Ms. Gonzalez' comment "... I was unaware of what a good Lady Spartan team we had." I can only say that the women have been playing all year; I've been at every game (despite a heavy schedule). Anyone who is unaware must be unaware by choice. If Ms. Gonzalez had attended any of the women's basketball games she might think twice before making offensive remarks about those of us who do follow the Lady Spartans.

Do people not bother to read either *The Minaret* or *The Tampa Tribune*? Both papers have said good things about the Lady Spartans and Coach Mosca, and with the increasing excellence of the women's team (ask Florida Southern!), they will be getting much more ink.

A Basketball Fan

Aid office tries to accomodate

Dear Editor:

I would like to clarify a misconception that appeared in Kym Keravouri's article in the Feb. 2 edition of *The Minaret*. Her report contained many quotes from various sources, but none from the Financial Aid Office.

The Financial Aid Office is open from 8:30am to 5:00pm on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, including the lunch hour. In addition, we have three phone lines available for incoming calls. Yes, our office is closed to the general public on Tuesdays. This does not mean our staff is not working on those days. On the contrary, our staff is working on the mounds of paperwork that are present on a daily basis in all financial aid offices. Even that one day is not enough to keep up with the constant flow of forms from various sources. Our staff works beyond five o'clock on most days and on many weekends assisting all students applying for

financial aid. They are very dedicated to their jobs.

If a student needs assistance from our office there is ample time throughout the week. Contact our office to make special arrangements for an appointment with me or any member of our staff.

The Financial Aid Office realizes its importance within the entire UT community. Our ongoing goal is to assist every student who needs help in the somewhat confusing and frustrating financial aid process. Feel free to call on us throughout the remainder of the semester or any time a problem arises.

Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Sincerely,
Thomas Judge
Financial Aid Director



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Guest Column

Student knows 'yes-men' a no-no

By Kevin S. Kladakis

The most responses I got from various students to my last column concerned the tongue-in-cheek remark about the yes-men.

Being always ready to bitch and moan about a new subject, I continue to kick a moribund equine. Here goes:

Bruce Samson, president — Being a former mayoral candidate hardly qualifies anyone as a yes-man, though it might indicate a propensity to hire them. You can be sure, he does a hell of a lot more than just say yes. He's obviously a powerful man. Remember the number of key administrative figures who have been shuffled around into new positions or exited the scene completely since he arrived? The list includes, but is not limited to: Carrothers, Dolan, Ford, Forschner, Komives, Leding, Massingill, McReynolds, Pennington, Plowman, Popovich, Smith, and, of course, Jeff Klepfer. Get the picture?

Students. Educating students. That's the reason the gang's all here. There must be a balance between economics and academics. As long as the upper echelon runs this school like a bank, the retention rate ain't gonna be movin' up, and it can't go much further down in the ol' national percentages.

Jeff Klepfer, vice president for student affairs and dean of students — Have we lost a true ally to the stress of administrative tugs-of-war? There was a time when any student could walk through his door with a problem, and no matter how big or small, if it could be resolved he'd accomplish it. Through phone calls, meetings, whatever it took. No referrals, no buck passing to leave the student wondering "who signs his paycheck?"

I guess he's gotten quite a raise, and from the looks of it, he's on the fast track up in this corporation called the University of Tampa.

Letters to the Editor

Group calls for awareness of animal abuse

Dear Editor:

I am writing in regard to the article on the newly assembled animal rights organization, SETA (1/26).

I was quoted as stating that approximately eighty thousand animals die in laboratories each year. The correct statistic is eighty million per year (roughly three per second). This is a staggering number and no doubt hard to believe. Sadly, it is true.

These animals are shocked, blow-torched, crippled and blinded. They are literally tortured to death. As of now, there are no laws in the U.S. to protect these animals. The

He juggles the titles of vice president in charge of student affairs as well as special assistant to the president for specific projects. That's quite an act.

If you do stop by and that door is closed, try again. Hopefully, it's just a phase.

Thomas Hegarty, provost — He had quite a welcome into his new shoes, including the trustees' (so we're told) new plan to change the current four-credit system to three credits. (Haven't I been on this soap box before? Repetition is the spice of life). Couple problems with that — as a liaison for the students, staff and faculty to the administrators and trustees, Hegarty's view could have been a little less biased, and more equal to include input from faculty and students. Because without students, faculty couldn't teach and, obviously, the administration wouldn't have anything to administer.

Trustees — In a *Tampa Tribune* editorial, which ran Dec. 1, 1989, was printed the statement:

"Most of the trustees' recommendations seem wise to us, not only for a university striving to bolster its liberal arts program but for students who must look to broaden themselves beyond their major."

The key words here are "wise to us." Who is "us?" The editorial failed to mention that Scott Trundle is both vice president/business manager of the *Tampa Tribune* (that us?) and a member of UT's Board of Trustees (or that us?).

Speaking of the trustees, there's supposedly a very nice pamphlet listing all their names and numbers. Have you tried to find a copy?

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facts speak for themselves, and we as rationally thinking adults must certainly question the benefits of such experiments. The key to answering our questions lies exclusively within self-education.

The new on-campus organization known as SETA (Students for the Ethical Treatment of Animals) promises to be an excellent source of such education. I urge those interested in the liberation of animals to come to SETA's next meeting.

Amy Johnston
sophomore

Student comes to defense of ResCom cleaning staff

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the cleaning personnel who work in ResCom, I object to the quote "they need to be more efficient" written in the Feb. 2nd issue of *The Minaret* in the article "Student services not accessible, complain students" by Kym Keravouri.

I feel that the cleaning staff perform well above the required duties. When you consider the fact that they have to clean up the filth and litter strewn throughout the complex after an

average chaotic weekend, they do an outstanding job cleaning up the mess. If every resident were to be more considerate while partying, the cleaning staff would have more time and energy to do the little extras that you are expecting.

Take a few minutes and talk with them. You will find that they are very nice people, and they are working hard to make things clean and nice for you.

Terry Grayson
junior

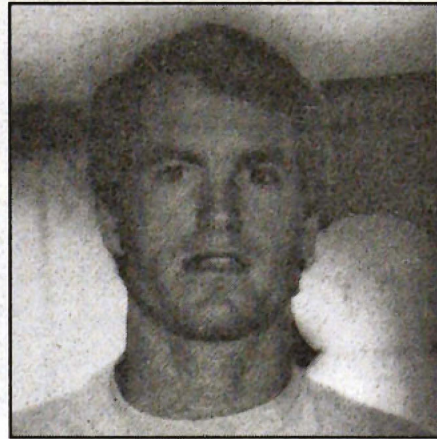
Campus Voice

How accessible are the University of Tampa faculty and staff?



Fritz Scholze, Sr.

"They are always there to help, but I think they take their authority too far by controlling things off campus."



John Worcester, Sr.

"Yes, but if they went to the 3-credit system they wouldn't be as accessible."



Michael Miller, Fr.

"The faculty is accessible. But I haven't been able to find the staff when I need them."



Russ Williams, Jr.

"In the classes I've had so far the faculty has been very accessible to my needs, very open."



Jason Beistle, Fr.

"Sure. All of my professors have established office hours; I've just never really used them."



Marci Kallick, Fr.

"The faculty and staff have been accessible, but they don't seem to have enough time to help much."



Alan Bergman, Jr.

"Yes. If I have a problem I can get in touch with them."



Brian Smith, Fr.

"I think the staff could be more accessible."

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Mary Ellen Giunta — The Minaret

The Association of Minority Collegians (AMC) and the UT Democrats sponsored the film *King* Monday and Tuesday nights as the first event during Black History Month. 48 students attended, and UT professor, Ellis Cashmore, spoke after the film.

Two students help upgrade academic policies

Steiner and Moore add students' input to study

By LLOYD CHATFIELD
Editor

Two University of Tampa students have been appointed by President Bruce Samson to participate in a long-range attempt to upgrade UT's academic policies.

Jeff Steiner, junior, and Misann Moore, sophomore, are the only student representatives on UT's Task Force for Academic Enhancement, a body created to examine and recommend possible changes to the university's academic requirements in the core and the various majors offered.

Both Moore and Steiner have experience in student leadership. Steiner currently serves as vice president of student government, chairing the weekly General Assembly meetings and sitting on SG's Executive Board. Moore formerly served as student affairs liaison.

The task force has been divided into three committees. Steiner is co-chair of the Committee on the Major and Moore serves on the Committee on the Core. They will be meeting with their committees to discuss possible changes and then present their findings to the rest of the task force. The other committee, the Committee on Outcomes, will discuss methods of assessing the overall value of a University of Tampa education.

Moore said her primary role on the task force was to represent student views and that she would be meeting with student groups to help her understand student opinion on the various issues the task force will address.

"Although there are only two students on the task force now, there is room for more students to be involved in a constructive manner," Moore said.

But Moore was critical of the

way students and administrators squared off last semester concerning the proposed move toward more three-credit-hour courses. "It turned into more of an expression of bitterness than of ideas," Moore said. "You need to get beyond that and say 'Let me present myself in a way that's going to benefit me,' because I know some of the students have some great ideas."

"We encourage people to help out with the committees," Steiner said. "They want to make sure it's not an elitist group — that information is being spread around to everyone."

Moore said that one of the task force's main objectives is to ensure that UT grants a "degree with integrity," representing a well-structured and effective education.

In the Committee on the Core, for instance, Moore wants to address an issue that is confronting her as a student. She is currently enrolled in 300-level English courses, but is still required to take English 102 to fulfill her core curriculum. She feels that her time, and money, could be more constructively spent on other courses.

"They need to make provisions for students whose abilities and interests differ... in order to make the core more effective in serving the mission of the university. Sometimes people are wasting their time," Moore said.

In his committee, Steiner said he hopes to get feedback from recent graduates to see what could be done to improve the course offerings and requirements in the various majors.

"The width and depth of majors need to be looked at... Some majors require more time to be spent in them. They should be

individually tailored to provide whatever is prescribable for you to get the knowledge," Steiner said. He said one item under consideration was the installment of a senior thesis program, allowing each student to pursue an individual project during his or her senior year.

The three-credit/four-credit issue, which some see as the task force's most important consideration, will probably be discussed by each of the three committees. Both Steiner and Moore see some need for adjusting the lengths of individual courses.

Moore, an English major, said, "In my major, I'm required to take 44 hours — after having only 11 English courses. I'm probably not that well versed in English... Some courses are not going to have that much content."

"I did talk to some business professors who said that since the change they have more pressure — 30 extra students, 30 extra tests. They said 'yes, it's working,' but they have less time for reading new material."

Steiner, who said he thought there were courses that could be shortened to three hours, also mentioned adjustments the university would have to make to compensate for the added burden on professors.

"It seems they will have to hire additional faculty," he said.

Moore and Steiner will be expected to meet with their respective committees and the task force as a whole, and both of them pointed out the added demands on their time. But they plan to work with the committee throughout the semester and next year, despite the fact that they, unlike faculty members on the task force, are not paid for their participation.

Administration announces commencement candidates

By JON COURTNEY
Assistant News Editor

A list of six commencement speaker candidates has been compiled by the administration including two suggestions each by the students, the faculty, and the Board of Trustees.

Senior senator Michelle Baker called two senior class meetings last semester at which students submitted their suggestions for commencement speaker. The top two candidates selected by the students were Bill Cosby, actor and producer, and Mike Eisner, chief executive officer of the

Disney Corporation.

The top two submissions by the UT faculty were Oscar Arias, president of Costa Rica, and Roger Smith, chairman and chief executive officer of General Motors.

The Board of Trustees selected Betty Castor, State of Florida commissioner on education, and Elizabeth Dole, American government official, nominated Secretary of Labor in January 1989, as their choices.

The six candidates will all be contacted to determine their availability as the next step of the selection process, explained Baker.

Standardized test scores dropping nationwide

(CPS) — The American College Testing (ACT) scores of this year's freshmen dipped slightly in 1989, the group that administers the test said Sept. 12.

A few days before the ACT report, the College Board said average scores on the standardized test it sponsors — the Scholastic Aptitude Test — also had dropped.

Students taking the ACT in 1989 averaged 18.6, two-tenths of a point lower than the 1988 average of 18.8, which in turn was one-tenth of a point higher than the 1987 average.

The test is administered by American College Testing in Iowa City, Iowa.

Between 1980 and 1989, the average scores have varied between 18.3 and 18.8. The highest score on ACT is 34.

"Although the average ACT scores have fluctuated a small amount from year to year, they are at about the same level today as ten years ago, even though more stu-

dents are taking the ACT assessment than ever before," said ACT President Richard Ferguson.

In 1989, 855,171 students took the test, 1 percent more than in 1988. The ACT is the predominant college admission test in 28 states.

Averages for minority students stayed the same or dropped slightly. In recent years, minority scores have been slightly increasing. Asian Americans were the only minorities who improved their scores in 1989.

Men scored higher than women in all areas except English, where women scored more than a point higher than men. ACT officials say that the gender gap has narrowed in the past decade because more women are taking core courses.

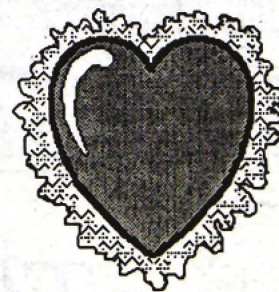
The 1989 SAT scores also dropped slightly, with average verbal scores at 427 — one point lower than in 1988 — while math scores stayed at 476. A perfect score in each section is 800.

Delta Sigma Pi presents:

February 12-14

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For the next few weeks, *The Minaret* will feature many of the students who create the diverse environment in which we work, play and sometimes study. This week, we focus on the "Jet Set" or the "Beautiful People" as they have dubbed themselves. Pictured here is just one of the many members of this community who spend their days laughing at the rest of the world in the pursuit of unbridled decadence.

UT Persona Profile: "The Beautiful People"

By ART WAYNE
Assistant Features Editor

Common Names — Alexa, Blaine, Sidney, Cornelia

First Word Uttered — "Trust Fund"

Habitats — Palm Beach, Manhattan, Paris, St. Moritz (or any other Saint), any country club in the civilized world

Hot Spots — The Beautiful People's theme: "Let's be ethnic!" Cactus Club, Le Bordeaux, Capriccio are frequented stomping grounds

Role Models — Gloria Vanderbilt ("Let's pretend that little stint as a denim designer never happened."), Grace Kelly ("A rich husband and a title ... what a catch!"), Cornelia Guest ("We forgiven her for dating Sylvester Stallone."), Coco Chanel ("What would we have worn without her?")

Favorite Films — *Breakfast at Tiffany's*, *Down and Out in Beverly Hills* ("Not that we'd ever be!"), absolutely anything with subtitles

Favorite Magazines — *Vanity Fair* (often referred to as "The Book"), *Town and Country* ("I like to read about Mummy's wonderful friends."), *Paris Vogue* ("I use it as a learning tool.")

Last Book Read — *People Like Us* by Dominick Dunne, "Um, does *Vogue* count?"

Last Term Paper Written — "French Fashion: Fact or Fiction"

Cars — "Oh, I don't drive! Jasper drives Mummy and me into town."
Anything European, loud, and unreliable

Overheard Saying — "Ciao!", "We simply must have tea sometime", "I love that dress ... everytime I see it.", "Darling, who are your people?", "I heard he has scads of money, simply oodles!"

Motto — "Dress shabbily, and they remember the dress. Dress well, and they remember the woman."

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Thursday, Feb. 15

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Tampa prepares for pirate invasion

Gasparilla weekend promises raucous good time for all

By CATHY CRAIG
Contributor

It's back. Gasparilla, Tampa's own Mardi Gras-style festival commemorating legendary pirate Jose Gaspar. Saturday's city-wide bash was kicked off last weekend when the U.S. Navy left Ybor City defenseless to the coming pirates in the annual mock battle at Harbor Island. The pirates of Ye Mystic Crewe of Gasparilla plan to seize the city by noon Saturday.

Started in 1904, Gasparilla is, to some, the year's most important social event. The designated party leaders, those vicious, pistol-wielding pirates, may look like genuine descendants of Blackbeard, but on closer examination, one might see some familiar faces. Underneath the 18th century swashbuckler garb and painted-on scars, one finds an exclusive group culled from Tampa's social register, including University of Tampa President Bruce Samson. The pirates are definitely the focal point of Gasparilla, but they also provide everyone else an excuse to party in the streets.

The pirates will sail from Bal-last Point straight to Harbor Island. They will then proceed to storm the city by foot in the annual victory parade down Bayshore Boulevard and downtown Tampa Street. The parade begins at Rome Avenue at 2 p.m. and winds down Bayshore, over the Brorein



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Ye Mystic Crewe of Gasparilla prepares for its annual conquest of Tampa. The pirate ship Jose Gaspar will sail into Tampa Bay Saturday, kicking off a weekend of roaring mayhem.

Bridge, and down Tampa Street to finish at Cass Street. The pirates will bribe the crowd with their signature coins, beads, and collector's cups — protesters will be shot (with blanks, of course). If you want a good seat, plan to get there early as the city expects several hundred thousand spectators to converge on the downtown area.

The festivities do not end with the parade. Immediately following it the Pirate Fest begins, with events throughout downtown

from the Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center through Franklin Street, and on to Harbor Island. Several local and national acts are scheduled to play music ranging from country to jazz to heavy metal.

Bud Light and Q105 teamed to bring the British rock band Bad English to town. They will perform a free show at 8 p.m. at the Sun Bank parking lot on the corner of Franklin and Kennedy. The Florida Lottery Stage at TECO Plaza will

present reggae/calypso music at 4, 6, and 8 p.m., featuring the local band Johukames Posse. In between the shows another local band, of the rock persuasion, the Johnny Ringo Band, will entertain. Ramsey Lewis will thrill jazz fans at the Tampa Bay Performing Arts Center at 6 and 8 p.m. Tickets for his shows are only \$2 at the box office. For more jazz try the local band Tenth Power, which will play at Harbor Island at 4 and 6 p.m. The band Firefall will be

giving two shows at 6:30 and 8:30 p.m. at Harbor Island. Country fans will be happy that the 500 Block Stage is having two bands for four shows. The Country Connection will play at 4 and 6 p.m. and Cold Play will perform at 5 and 7 p.m.

In between the musical sets check out the jugglers, magicians, and mimes that will be scattered throughout the area. For the star-gazers in our midst the Universal Studios impersonators will be buzzing around to keep the crowds company.

If you plan to bring the kids stop by the McDonald's Stage at Zack and Franklin Streets. The Battersby Duo will present a children's pirate play at 4 and 7 p.m. and the assorted McDonaldland characters will be mingling all day.

For the over 21 crowd various clubs will be having their own Gasparilla Fests. Try MacDinton's tent party, which starts at noon, or head over to Jimmy Mac's where two live bands will be on hand and the Captain Morgan will be pouring. Call your own favorite club for information on festivities.

If, after all the music, food, and street acts, you are still not ready to go home, head for Harbor Island and grab a seat for the fireworks finale at 9:30 p.m.. All in all, it figures to be a long day, or, if you play it right, a long weekend.

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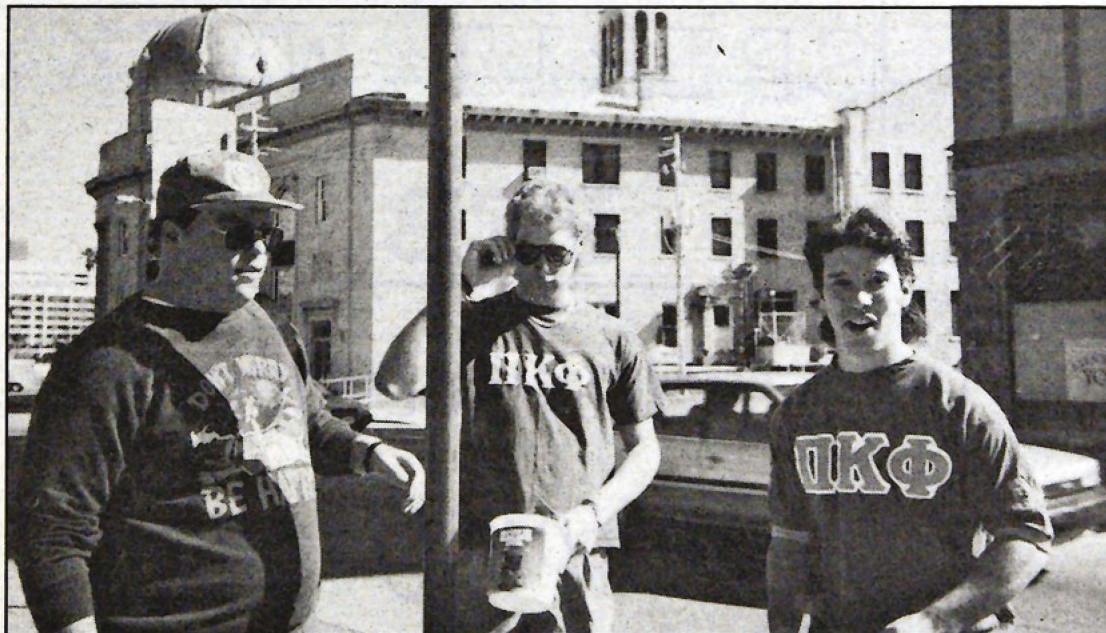


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Pi Kappa Phi members Tim Gormley, Kevin Holm and Seth Nelman solicit donations for PUSH (People Understanding the Severely Handicapped).

Greek Life

Pi Kapps push for PUSH

Minaret Staff Report

PUSH, People Understanding the Severely Handicapped, is the national service project of Pi Kappa Phi. Colleges across the country demonstrate their support through thousands of volunteer hours for local organizations serving the handicapped.

At the University of Tampa the Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity support their national philanthropy by already raising over \$1,250 this year for PUSH. The Pi Kapps collect the money by asking for donations at the corners of W. Kennedy and Dale Mabry, Armenia and Hillsborough, and Westshore and Spruce.

"People don't mind donating spare change or dollar bills when

they hear where the money is going and what it is used for," said Tim Corley, chairman of PUSH. Corley added that the fraternity would like to organize an entire week of events for the handicapped to help PUSH.

The annual Greek Week sponsored by the Interfraternity and Panhellenic Councils will begin Monday, Feb. 12. This year's theme is "Show Your Pride." Faculty and staff are encouraged also to pull out those college jerseys. Tuesday, Feb. 13 is Greek "Family Feud" Night starting at 9 p.m. in the ballroom. This event is sponsored by the Student Government and hosted by Dr. Ed Cloutier, assistant professor of education. Wednesday

night is the big Homecoming game against St. Leo College. The women play at 5 p.m. and the men at 7:30 p.m. All Greeks, faculty, and staff, wear your Greek letters for the Greek Cheer at half time. Thursday, Feb. 16 is the Diplomat "Spirit Week" Lip Sync contest. The Greek Games will end the festivities of Greek Week 1990 on the intramural field starting at 11 a.m. The games will include softball, flag football, tug o' war, pyramid building and many others.

The Interfraternity and the Panhellenic Councils hope that all will participate in the spirit of fraternalism.

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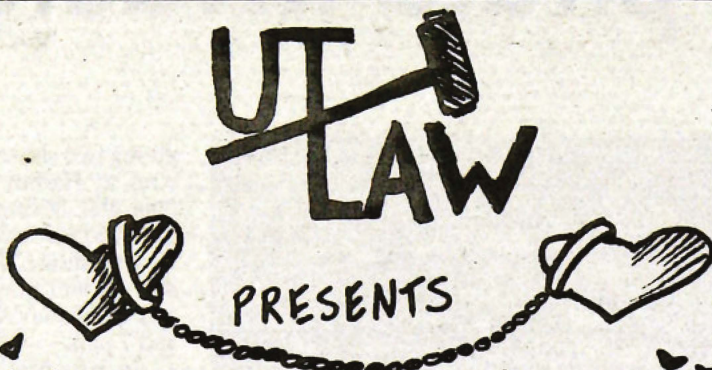
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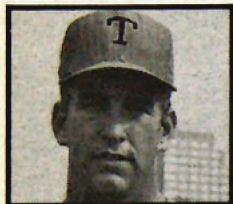
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Tampa Spartan Baseball: 1990

By MARK JEROME
Staff Writer

The Seniors:



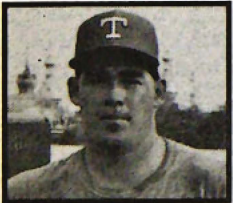
#34 Steve Mauldin-LFB-R, T-R
6-4, 215, Tampa, Fla.
1989: .380, 2 HR, 39 RBI
Prado on Mauldin: "He's been a great asset and a big part of our program. I hope he leaves on top."
Mauldin: "We've spent a whole year together and we will do very well this year. We're just as good as the '87 team."



#31 Pat Russo-P, B-R,
6-4, 200, Tampa, Fla.
1989: 8-5, 8 saves, 83K
Prado on Russo: "He's our man to close in the 7th, 8th and 9th. How we go, is how he does. He was very successful last year and should be the best stopper in our conference this year."
Russo: "This year we have guys who really work hard as opposed to last year. We also have a better shortstop and two more pitchers that make us a better team."



#23 Kevin Langiotti-CB-L, T-R
6-0, 170, Tampa, Fla.
1989: .317, 10 doubles, 31 RBI
Prado on Langiotti: "Kevin got off to a slow start last year but came on strong at the end of the season. He had a very good fall and will become a leader."
Langiotti: "We're starting to come around as a team. We're young, but just about everyone is back. We slumped at the end of last year. This year we've matured and shouldn't have any emotional letdowns."



#21 Mike Simmons-P, B-R, T-R
6-0, 195, Center Hill, Fla.
1989: 6-3, 59K
Prado on Simmons: "He has to have a good year for us. We expect a lot from him as our #3 pitcher. He can get us over the hump to win the national championship."
Simmons: "I'm going to win ten games and help the team to the national championship."



#13 Matt Ulvenes-CF, B-R, T-R
5-11, 170, Tampa, Fla.

1989: .333 2 HR 13 RBI
Prado on Ulvenes: "He's a great defensive center fielder and a leader. He got some big hits for us last year."
Ulvenes: "I'm looking forward to the upcoming season. Pitching will be the key. If it holds up, we'll go to Montgomery."

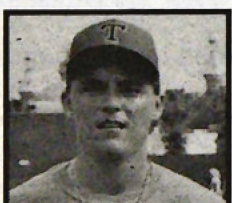
The Juniors:



#33 Paul Russo-1B, B-R, T-R
6-0, 200, Tampa, Fla.
1989: .401, 22 HR, 81 RBI
Prado on Russo: "We expect a big year out of Paul. If he has a year like last year, he will be very successful. He's the best Division II player in the country."
Russo: "We're looking good and we have what it takes to win. If we go out and play hard every day we'll win."

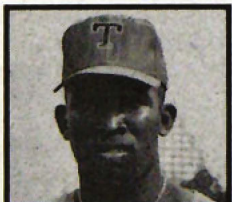


#21 Sam Militello-P, B-R, T-R
6-2, 200, Tampa, FL
1989: 11-4, 3.32 ERA, 164 K
Prado on Militello: "He's our #1 pitcher. He's been great for two years. We expect a lot from him. He should be the best pitcher in Division II."
Militello: "This is the best Division II team I've been associated with. We have great talent, if we put everything together we should win."



#8 Glen Finnerty-3B, B-R, T-R
5-8, 180, Brandon, Fla.
1989: .340, 15 doubles, 37 RBI
Prado on Finnerty: "He had a great season last year. He's a hard worker and that's why he gets better every year."
Finnerty: "I've been to the regionals two years in a row. It's a terrible feeling watching the other team rejoice knowing they're going to the World Series. This is our year!"

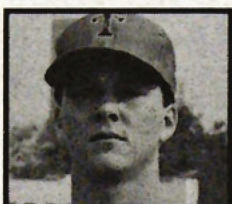
The Sophomores:



#24 Ozzie Timmons-OF, B-R, T-R
6-1, 195, Tampa, FL
1989: .331, 7 HR, 40 RBI, 10 doubles, 17 SB, 56 runs
Prado on Timmons: "He could be one the best outfielders I've seen come through here. He's got all the tools to be a superstar. If he comes to play hard everyday he'll be great."
Timmons: "Our one goal is to go to the Series. We have a strong team and our incoming pitchers should help a lot."



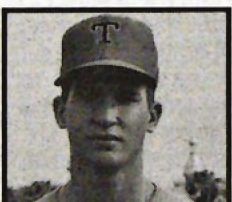
#7 Joe Urso-2B, B-R, T-R
5-7, 150, Tampa, Fla.
1989: .284, 11 doubles, 65 runs
Prado on Urso: "He's the littlest and best second baseman in the conference. He's the best second hitter to ever come here. He does everything we ask of him."
Urso: "We're looking good and working hard. We'll be ready."



#2 Joe Roark-INF, B-R, T-R
5-10 155 Gainesville, Ga.
1989: .253, 11 RBI, 5 doubles
Prado on Roark: "Joe can play anywhere on the field for us. We expect him to do well for us this year."
Roark: "I'm looking forward to having a fun and winning experience this year."



#18 Steve White-P, B-R, T-R
6-2, 200, Brandon, Fla.
1989: 1-1 20 K
Prado on White: "He'll be a middle relief man this year. We need him to shut people down."
White: "We're a well balanced team and I hope to contribute to the best of my ability."



#32 Robert Perez-P, B-R, T-R
6-1, 160, Maplewood, N.J.
1989: 0-0 6.43 ERA
Prado on Perez: "He has good breaking stuff and should give us some quality innings."
Perez: "We have a good core of people back from last year. Everyone knows each other. Our ranking doesn't matter; what matters is June."



#11 Julio Rameriz-C, B-R, T-R
5-7, 150, Tampa, FL
1989: .200
Prado on Rameriz: "He's our team captain. A great kid to have on the team because he works hard every day and he's a great leader."
Rameriz: "Last year we slowed up in the end, because our pitchers tired. As long as we keep our heads on straight, we'll be unstoppable."



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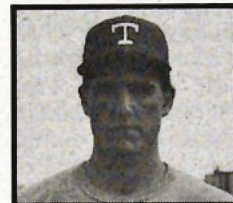
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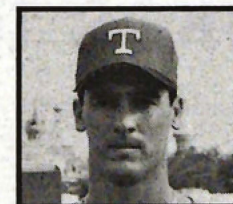


#5 Chris Auger-INF, B-R, T-R
5-8, 165, Boyton Beach, Fla.
Prado on Auger: "He's a kid you love to have on the team. He can play any position and he's a hard worker."
Auger: "We have a lot of good players that came back. We have an excellent chance to win a national championship."

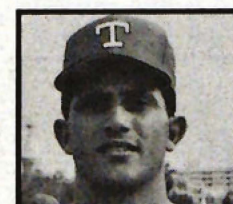
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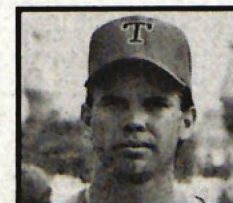
#35 Russ Williams-P, B-R, T-R
6-4, 200, Dalton, Ga.
Prado on Williams: "Russ will be our #2 pitcher in the starting rotation. He's been our biggest surprise because we didn't expect to have him. He'll have a great year because he works hard and has a great attitude."
Williams: "There is a lot of togetherness and everyone supports one another. We have the determination and the coaching staff to win the national championship. When it's all said and done, we'll be the national champs."



#4 David Macaluso-SS B-R T-R
5-9, 170, Tampa, Fla.
Prado on Macaluso: "He's working hard and is playing like he should be. He'll be a catalyst up the middle."
Macaluso: "I like our chances. This team is full of talent and I don't see anything that could hold us back."



#17 Rob Pennino-1B, B-R, T-R
5-10, 190, Tampa, Fla.
Prado on Pennino: "He's been another big surprise. He can really swing the bat, he'll be used in the DH spot."
Pennino: "We've got a lot of talent. As it gels, we'll be tough to beat."



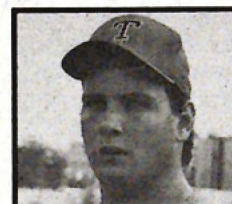
#10 Jody Phillips-INF, B-R, T-R
5-9, 165, Ocala, Fla.
Prado on Phillips: "His hitting has been much improved. He could see some time as a utility

man."
Phillips: "I'm lucky to be here on this team because the talent is so rich. We've got tremendous depth and we're beginning to blend."

Freshmen:



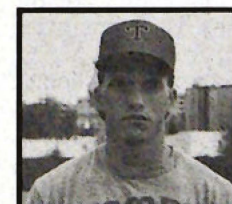
#20 Mark Jones-P, B-R, T-R
6-2, 195, Tampa, Fla.
Prado on Jones: "He's our #4 pitcher in the starting rotation. We need a good 6 to 7 wins out of him for our rotation to be successful."
Jones: "If we work hard enough, we'll beat anyone. If we don't, we'll be sitting home come regional time."



#15 Greg Hamilton-C, B-R, T-R
6-0, 200, Media, Pa.
Prado on Hamilton: "Greg will see some playing time this year especially in the DH spot if he continues to swing the bat well."
Hamilton: "A national championship would be great, but we have to take it game by game."



#16 Paul Snyder-P, B-R, T-R
6-1, 190, Lebanon, Ohio
Prado on Snyder: "He can really help out giving us one or two innings here and there."
Snyder: "We won't rest until we slide the ring on our finger."



#19 Sam Steed-P, B-L, T-L
5-8, 165, Malden, Mass.
Prado on Steed: "He'll be used to come in and get lefties out. He's been a surprise for us. We expect big things from him."
Steed: "The team has great potential. There is no reason we can't win the national championship if we play as a team."

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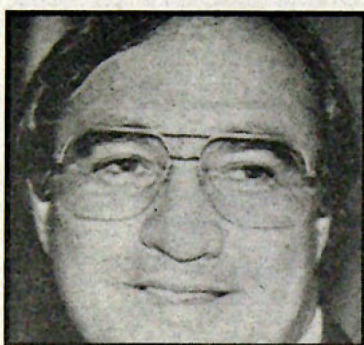
Lady Spartans down Eckerd, brace for FIT

By GLEN FINNERTY
Assistant Sports Editor

Improvement is the key to the University of Tampa women's basketball team this season. The Lady Spartans showed Monday night how much confidence they have gained as they pulled away from Eckerd College 59-52 before a crowd of 98 at the Martinez Sports Center.

"We are playing good basketball... We have arrived."

Lady Spartan coach
Tom Mosca



Lady Spartan coach Tom Mosca has his team riding high in the conference

shooting well we're doing other little things to negate the mistakes we're making," coach Tom Mosca said. "Someone who saw our games at the beginning of the season could not have said that. We have improved greatly."

Tampa and Eckerd shared the lead several times in the first half and settled for a 28-28 halftime tie. UT built an early 39-34 lead in the second half before the Lady Tritons edged ahead 42-41. Tampa pulled away from Eckerd after that and hit key free throws down the stretch to preserve the victory.

Sophomore Margit Szabo had a brilliant game, chipping in 12 points and eight rebounds for the game and recording five of her seven steals in the second half.

"We knew that we had to come out of halftime and make the shots in the second half if we were going to be successful," Szabo said. "We haven't shot that well the past two games. Coach Mosca said that he'll fix our shooting on Wednesday, whatever that means."

The Lady Spartans also had trouble at the free throw line. They

were 0-for-2 in the first half, 11-for-21 (52 percent) in the second half and 48 percent for the game.

"I talked to Julie [Ratliff] and a couple of other people on the team and they all agree with me that the baskets were a little off," Dix said. "Not to make excuses, but an inch here or there can alter a shot just a hair."

Both baskets did appear slightly off to the left.

"They looked fine before the game, but there is every indication as I look at them today that they are no longer centered," said Jerome Fulton, UT facilities director. "It is possible, though, that a thunderous slam dunk could put the rim off line from the center, and the men's team did practice earlier today."

With the win, the Lady Spartans have a chance to tie Florida Institute of Technology, who lost to Barry Saturday night, for first place in the SSC. "They'll be ready for us," Szabo said. "But we'll be ready also. I still believe that we're the better team."

"We are a hungry team and our time has come," Dix said. "We are all definitely confident that we'll beat FIT."

"I think we are playing good fundamental basketball," Mosca said. "Our goal at the beginning of the season was to get into the conference tournament, which we will achieve if we are one of the top four teams in the SSC. We are on that schedule. We've arrived."

The Lady Spartans will travel to FIT on Saturday to challenge the Lady Panthers for the conference lead. Game time is 5:30 p.m., followed by the men's game at 7:30 p.m.

UT women lose to Tars, temporarily off SSC track

By GLEN FINNERTY
Assistant Sports Editor

The Lady Spartan basketball team fell into a Tar pit Saturday night, a Rollins College Tar pit that is. Coach Tom Mosca's University of Tampa hoopsters were temporarily derailed from the Sunshine State Conference tourney train as they lost to Rollins 75-72 at the Martinez Sports Center.

Senior Julie Ratliff and freshman Kristi Izor led the way for UT, scoring 15 points apiece. Ratliff also ripped down a team-high nine rebounds. Guard Kathy Warner scored 15 points to lead the Lady Tars to the win.

"We simply didn't come out to play tonight," sophomore Kim Dix said. "When certain key players aren't ready to go, then it's difficult to mount a serious challenge in a tough game like this one."

Tampa shot a horrendous 37 percent from the field while Rollins shot a consistent 47 percent. "It's very hard to win any game, high school, college or whatever, if you shoot that low," Ratliff said. "We need to improve."

UT did manage to once again rebound the opponent, in this case the Tars, by a huge 54-34 margin. That is what kept them close throughout the first half.

The Lady Spartans came out of the locker room down by one point, 40-39. UT's rebounding kept them close in the second half as well, but their shooting touch eluded them as they shot a paltry 34 percent from the field.

With just six seconds left in the game and down by three, the UT hoopsters had a chance to send the game into overtime. However, the shooters who Mosca likes to take three-pointers, Lori Gottsch and Leigh Ann Bennett, did not receive the ball. It was outleted instead to Dix who attempted the shot from three-point range. She did not even reach the rim and Ratliff caught the errant jumper with four seconds remaining. She put up a shot, missed, got her own board and with two seconds left threw up a lay-up that was off target. A Rollins defender pulled down the ball, and the UT loss was in the books.

"We definitely didn't play well tonight," Mosca said. "But we were in the game right up until the final seconds, and that's all a coach can ask from his team who's having a rough night."

"This is a temporary setback," said Ratliff, "but everyone has a good head on her shoulders, so I think we're still right on track to make it into the conference tourney."



Rebecca Cochran — The Minaret
Margit Szabo takes a jumper as four Tar defenders look on. The Lady Spartans lost 75-72 to Rollins.

mate, Paul Courtney, describes the two as UT's Batman and Robin, without the disguises. "We are on a mission to fight crime," said Courtney. "One night when Sparky's [on Kennedy and North Blvd.] was being robbed we were able to call 911 in time to prevent the robbers from escaping."

"Another time we were leaving Sparky's and some vagrants were harassing some UT students. We tried to talk some sense into them and one guy pulled a gun. That was the end of our crime fighting career."

Courtney admires Deveau's prowess with the ladies. "Thanks to Drex, I've met a lot of women. Sometimes I think we ought to have a revolving door over here. He's the master of the smooth line. One of the amazing things about

Drex is that he won't drink. I've been trying to get him drunk for years but he won't touch the stuff."

In a recent trip to Buffalo with Courtney, Deveau took a short detour to Canada where he saw his father for the first time in years. "I had a lot of mixed emotions," said Deveau. "From the time I was little I had a resentment towards my father but when I saw him those bad feelings just faded away. It was a very special moment for me."

Deveau says he's been moved enough to start a different type of hobby. "My hobby now is to improve as an all-around person. I want to work hard at it so that I have no time to criticize others."

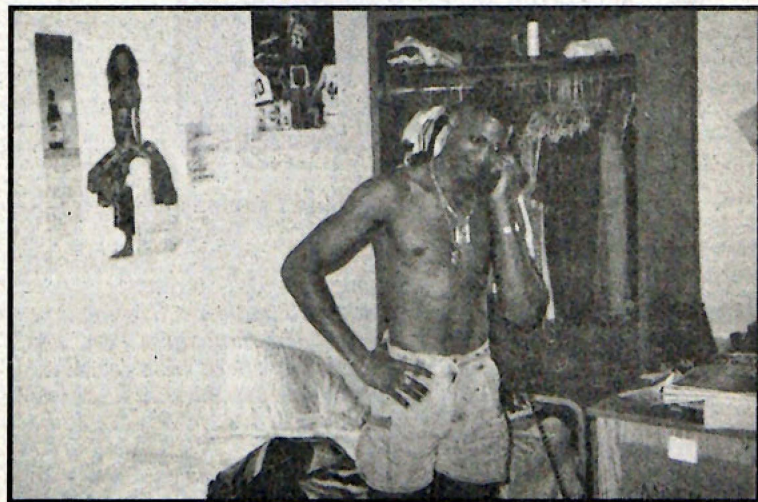


Photo Courtesy Drexel Deveau
Deveau talks to one of his many lady callers.

Lady Killer likes to "chill"

By CARY BOGUE
Sports Editor

It's better in the Bahamas. That's what the commercials for tourism say, and junior guard Drexel Deveau isn't going to argue the point.

"I love the Bahamas, it's home to me," said Deveau. "My family lives there and as long as they do it will be a special place for me, although living here certainly opens up a lot more opportunities."

Deveau spent about half his

life in the Bahamas and the other half in Miami. He's a graduate of Miami Jackson High School, where he was president of the accounting club while maintaining a 3.2 GPA.

Deveau describes the Bahamas as a place to "chill." Not a party-type person by nature, "chilling" is Deveau's favorite pastime. "It's a lot more laid back in the Bahamas. You can't be as extravagant over there with the high cost of living."

"Chilling" can be difficult for an athlete who is also trying to maintain a high GPA, claims

Deveau. "It's tough as a player to work on the court and then come home and work on your studies. I don't have my mom around to push me. The coaches do a good job of pushing me but they can't be around 24 hours a day. It takes a lot of self motivation and dedication."

Deveau has another tough assignment. Although Deveau is averaging 21.7 points a game, he is only the #2 man on the team in scoring. Although he is being promoted as an All-American candidate along with Bryan Williams (26.6 PPG) he realizes his chances are reduced because of the politics involved, which make it virtually impossible for two players on the same team to be chosen All-American.

"I think about that now and then," said Deveau. "For two guys to be on the same team averaging better than 21 points a game, well... who knows. I know this, if this team was playing without Bryan we wouldn't be 20-1. If this team was playing without me we wouldn't be 20-1."

Associate head coach Don Bostic agrees with that. "Drexel has probably been our most consistent performer if you look at the whole season. He's a very important part of this team."

"As far as being recognized as an All-American, I just have to go out and play as hard as I can every night," said Deveau. "If my performance can help us win, that's what's important. Hopefully it will also be good enough to convince the voters [for All-American]."

Don't think Deveau doesn't take time off for fun. His room-

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#2 Spartans take Rollins to the Hoop

By CARY BOGUE
Sports Editor

Six and 0 in the Sunshine State Conference. That's where Saturday's 73-55 victory over Rollins, (16-4) put UT (20-1), along with sole possession of first place. The Spartans have reached the halfway point in the conference race with a victory over every team they will play, including a "W" over Florida Southern at Jenkins Field House. Additionally, Tampa moved up once again in the Division II polls with a current #2 ranking.

The significance of that ranking, which UT basketball has never attained in February, is that instead of starting high and moving down the Spartans are working their way up. While the ranking isn't the bottom line (winning the conference tournament for the automatic NCAA bid is the pri-

mary goal), it will help considerably in the tournament seeding's as well as giving the university national exposure.

Tampa gained an early lead on Rollins, and despite a slight let-down as halftime approached, they managed a 31-26 lead. The player of the night was Rollins' Sam Arterburn who finished the evening with a game-high 32 points. UT's Bryan Williams however, scored 28 and stole the show with a break away, 180 degree, major-league slam.

A quick start by UT put them up by 14 with just 80 ticks off the clock to begin the second half. Although Rollins rallied to within six at the 9:15 mark, Tampa quickly recovered and went on to crush their rival by holding them to their second lowest point total of the year.

Drexel Deveaux had 16 points for UT, followed closely by Karel

Dopwell, who had 11 points, seven rebounds, and six assists, in what may have been his finest conference game ever as a Spartan.

Injured senior Roscoe Brown is being listed as probable as Tampa takes its unbeaten record and #2 national ranking to Florida Institute of Technology tomorrow night. FIT broke it's way into the rankings for the first time since the season began and, following Wednesday's victory over Florida Southern, is # 19 in the country.

Support Your Spartans in the last three home games as UT attempts to earn a chance to host the SSC tournament and the first round of the NCAA tournament. All ladies attending the St. Leo game Wednesday night will receive a flower as a Valentine gift, courtesy of the athletic dept.

#1 Spartans sweep St. Thomas

By MARK JEROME
Staff Writer

If Tampa's first two games are an indication of the rest of the season, the Spartans' No. 1 ranking is appropriate.

The pitching, which has been head coach Lelo Prado's main concern, allowed only three hits in its first 15 innings. The hitting produced 20 runs in 16 innings.

On opening day, junior All-American Sam Militello pitched six innings allowing no hits while catcher Kevin Langiotti led the Spartan 18-hit attack with a perfect 5 for 5 afternoon, in front of 100 fans. There were major league scouts represented from 25 of the 26 clubs.

Militello kept the St. Thomas Bobcat batters off balance, striking out five in the first three innings. Langiotti was responsible for three of the first four Spartan runs.

In the bottom of the second inning, Langiotti doubled and scored the first Spartan run when Matt Ulvenes lined a two-out double past a diving Bobcat first baseman.

In the third inning, junior Glen Finnerty hit a two-out RBI single and Steve Mauldin followed with a double which landed on the right field line. Langiotti then singled off the second baseman's glove driving in Finnerty and Mauldin, giving Tampa a 4-0 lead en route to an 11-0 thrashing.

Mike Simmons relieved Militello, who Prado plans to start on Sunday in Miami against these

same Bobcats, in the seventh inning, and pitched two strong innings, allowing two infield hits. In the ninth inning, Pat Russo relieved Simmons and ended the game by setting St. Thomas down in order.

Coach Prado, who was pleased with his team's performance, admitted the Spartans have to improve. "We still have a lot of work to do, but I was very pleased with the pitching. We didn't give up one walk, which is something for the first game of the season," Prado said.

UT met the Bobcats again on the following day to conclude the two-game set. The Spartans thrashed the Bobcats 9-3 behind the pitching of Russ Williams. Williams allowed one hit in five innings, a fifth inning two-out double by St. Thomas center fielder Oscar Rojas. It was the first hit out of the infield given up by Spartan pitching in 10 2/3 innings.

The Spartans scored two runs in each of the first three innings. The fourth inning was highlighted by third baseman Glen Finnerty's barehand grab and throw to nab the Bobcat leadoff batter. In the top of the seventh inning, with the Bobcats trailing 7-1 and a man on first, Finnerty made another fine defensive play, diving to his to snag a grounder starting a 5-4-3 double play.

In the eighth inning, each team scored twice. Tampa's runs came on junior All-American Paul Russo's two-run blast, a 410 foot shot. The first Spartan homer of the season.

In the ninth inning, UT's ace reliever Pat Russo closed the door on the Bobcats giving the Spartans a 2-0 record.

The Spartans travel to Miami to play this same St. Thomas club on Sunday and Monday, 1:30 p.m. and 2 p.m. respectively.



Michelle Galicia — The Minaret

Paul Russo receives the throw from Glen Finnerty.

On the front row



with Cary Bogue

UT Baseball #1 A long time ago, Sam Militello and Paul Russo glared across Tampa Little League diamonds where they played against each other. Then they both went to West Tampa Junior High School where they played together in Little League for the first time. Since then they've been like brothers.

Now the two are linked together for the entire nation to see. They are the two top players in the nation, according to *Baseball America* magazine. Militello is the #1 player in Division II, while Russo is #2. Does the order really matter to either one of them?

Recently their girlfriends asked about the possibility of the two being drafted by the same team. "We talked about that," said Russo. "As long as we both go in the same round (a number of teams have acquired additional first round picks through trades) it would be okay. I'd like to keep playing with him."

How realistic is it for these guys to think they could be top draft choices? How about the fact that 25 of the 26 Major League Baseball teams were represented at UT's opening game against St. Thomas University Monday afternoon, 17 of whom brought radar guns to time Militello's pitches. How's that for an indicator of his potential?

"I like every aspect about him," said Lou Garcia, West Coast area scout for the Chicago Cubs, here for his second look in as many days. "He's big, got long arms and legs. He looks like a pitcher. He's got good control and his velocity is where it should be [between 82-87 MPH]. He also has a good slider."

Militello, who had no-hitter Monday before being pulled in the sixth inning as a precautionary measure, certainly didn't hurt his chances.

Russo received similar accolades from Garcia. "He's a big strong kid with a lot of power. Always look for a kid that can hit it out. If he keeps doing it consistently we'll be *real* interested."

Russo blasted a homerun about ten minutes after I talked with Garcia. I glanced over and Garcia had a grin on his face and shook his head in semi-amazement while watching the ball soar over the center field fence, a good 410 foot shot.

Both Militello and Russo were All-Americans last year and both were chosen to play for the gold-medal winning U.S. Olympic team the following summer. Last year, Russo hit .401 while knocking 22 homers and 81 RBI, second best in UT history. Militello had an 11-4 record with a .614 winning percentage and an earned run average of 3.32. All three categories earned him awards at the recent baseball social.

These guys are from a Division II school, though. That's got to have an affect on their pro potential, right? "Hell no, they play good baseball at Division II," said Garcia. "We look at the skill and don't worry about the division. In baseball it doesn't make as much difference as, say, basketball. Although from what I've heard your basketball team could beat most Division I schools."

"Division II didn't matter to me," said Militello. "If it was good enough for Tino, [Martinez, currently playing for the Seattle Mariners] it's good enough for me. I'm real happy here."

Militello had an additional recruiting inducement. Head coach Lelo Prado was his Little League coach. Militello is also a business major and UT's business education reputation impressed him. A Jefferson High School graduate, he credits his brother, Mitchell, with getting him interested in baseball.

"He used to spend a lot of time throwing and hitting to me. Thanks to him I started playing when I was seven."

Militello is confident of this team's opportunity to win the College World Series. "I think our chances are really good. We have a great blend of talent. We are three times as deep on the mound and we have people who can 'hit it out'. Our defense is solid too."

Russo was excited to hear about his selection as the #2 player in the nation but he's determined not to let it affect him. "I try not to live up to what other people expect. I just play like Paul Russo always has."

That still doesn't prevent him from noticing all the attention he's garnering. "Yesterday was a shock. I never had that many [scouts] watch me play. I was a little nervous. I'm trying to keep my mind in the lines and not worry about what's going on outside the fence."

Like Militello, Russo hopes to win the College World Series. "We have a serious shot. We have a good nucleus. Our pitching staff is significantly better. It depends on the pitching. Pitching is what wins ball games."

Unfortunately for UT fans, in baseball many of the best players are drafted in their junior year, and Russo is going to consider the offers. "I'm looking at going pro," said Russo. "If I get the right opportunity, I'll take it. Playing pro ball has always been my dream."

Pat Russo, Paul's brother, was drafted by Seattle last year but was unhappy with the offer they gave him. He stuck around UT for his senior year and another shot at the money of pro ball.

"Pat had only pitched for one year, so I think staying was the best thing he could do," said Paul Russo.

Let's hope that Russo and Militello do the same. I'm sure Coach Prado won't have any objections.

Pacesetters 73, Fourth Floor Posse 0, need I say more?

Expect to see more of the UT cheerleaders at the women's games the rest of the season. After discussions with UT Athletic Director Bill Wall they have agreed to also cheer in Winter Park at the Rollins game. The Lady Spartans certainly deserve the support.

Spartan Sports Calendar



Today: No games scheduled

Saturday

Men's and Women's Basketball—at FIT.
Women: 5:30 p.m.
Men: 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday

No games scheduled

Sunday

Baseball — at St. Thomas Univ. at 2 p.m.

Wednesday

Men's and Women's Basketball—vs. St. Leo
Women: 5:30 p.m.
Men: 7:30 p.m.

Monday

Baseball — at St. Thomas Univ. at 1:30 p.m.

Thursday

No games scheduled

Campus Recruiting

Spring 1990 recruiting schedule is as follows:
 Feb. 12 — First Florida Banks, Inc.
 Feb. 13 — Sacino's Formalwear, Sun Bank of Tampa Bay
 Feb. 15 — Boyle-Midway
 Feb. 16 — NCNB National Bank
 Feb. 20 — Metropolitan Life Insurance
 Feb. 23 — Hacker, Johnson, Cohen & Grieb, Mass Mutual Life Insurance
 Feb. 27 — NCR Corporation
 Feb. 28 — Barnett Banks, Inc.
 March 5 — Florida Engineered Construction Products
 March 6 — XEROX Corporation, Electronic Data System

Perkins Loan

This semester the Bursar's office has set aside specific times and a place for Perkins Loan recipients to sign the necessary paperwork to receive their loans. All loan recipients must arrange to come to the Dome room on the first floor of Plant Hall at one of the times listed to sign their loan papers. Students who do not sign their papers will be in danger of having the loan cancelled. It is imperative that you arrange to go to sign your paperwork on Feb. 12-15, from 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. in the Dome Room.

Art Reception

ART CONTEST RECEPTION sponsored by *Quilt*. Feb. 13 in the Ballroom from 6 to 8 p.m. The reception will include the three winners and approximately 15 other submissions chosen by *Quilt* staff as exceptional and worthy of recognition. *Quilt* Box 2732 for more information.

Writers

Quilt's Coffeehouse Weekend fiction workshop with writer Jane Smiley will be held March 3 at 10 a.m. If you are interested in submitting a short story (3000 words or less by Feb. 15) or sitting in, leave your name, story and phone number in Box 2732.

Merl Kelce Library

The February library hours will be as follows:
 Monday-Thursday — 8 a.m. — midnight
 Friday — 8 a.m. — 5 p.m.
 Saturday — 1 p.m. — 5 p.m.
 Sunday — 1 p.m. — midnight

Quilt

Quilt, UT's student literary magazine, is accepting submissions of poetry, fiction, essay, art NOW. Deadline is Feb. 28 but we love early submissions! Meetings every Monday at 8:30 p.m. in McKay Auditorium room 203 — anyone interested is welcome.

Study tour

Earn 4 semester hours credit and fulfill your Third World requirement. \$1549 cost includes round-trip airfare, three days in Mexico City, museums, folkloric ballet, historic sites; then travel to the historic city of Oaxaca for classes, lodging and meals with family, and guided trips to archeological sites, Indian villages, artisans' workshops. Contact Dr. Martin Favata, PH 205 or Box 111F.

Career Workshops

The Personal & Career Development Center is sponsoring career services workshops.
 Resume Writing:
 Feb. 15 — 9 a.m. — 10 a.m.
 Feb. 20 — 2 p.m. — 3 p.m.
 Feb. 23 — 12 p.m. — 1 p.m.
 Job Search Strategies:
 Feb. 21 — 3 p.m. — 4 p.m.
 Drop in Resume Reviews:
 Monday — 5 p.m. — 7 p.m.
 Tuesday — 10 a.m. — 11 a.m.
 Wednesday — 10 a.m. — 11 a.m., 4 p.m. — 5 p.m.
 Thursday — 11 a.m. — 12 p.m., 2 p.m. — 3 p.m.
 Friday — 11 a.m. — 12 p.m.
 Interviewing Skills:
 Feb. 9 — 10 a.m. — 11 a.m.
 Feb. 19 — 12 p.m. — 1 p.m.
 Feb. 28 — 1 p.m. — 2 p.m.
 These workshops will be held in Plant Hall room 306. For more information, call ext. 218.

WUTZ

WUTZ, 1080 am, you college radio station, is in need of salespeople. If you are interested in sales or marketing, and would like to gain experience while earning money, Contact Kym at 251-3797. Any students interested in being a DJ — there are still a few open slots. Call 251-3797 to get involved. Don't forget to tune in this Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. for the UT/FIT basketball game hosted by Cary Bogue.

Graduating Seniors

-Most of you will be seeking full-time employment following graduation and the Placement Office is available to assist you. It is extremely important for you to register with the Placement Office as soon as possible.
 -This semester over 40 organizations will visit UT to interview graduating seniors. These interviews will begin Jan. 23. Many position vacancies are listed in our job notebooks. Several openings are for students in the liberal arts and social sciences.
 -For seniors relocating to another state after graduation, we list jobs available in Virginia, Pennsylvania, Iowa, Ohio, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Jersey, New York, California, Kentucky, Texas, Wisconsin, Michigan and Illinois. Those seeking employment in states not listed should ask for information. We are located in PH room 302, ext. 236. Please call or visit our office as soon as possible.

Summer Jobs

College students from across the country are being sought for summer jobs at one of the nation's most spectacular national parks. Glacier National Park, Inc., Montana, is looking for students to fill more than 900 summer jobs in all segments of the hotel and hospitality areas. Jobs include hotel front desk positions, maids, cooks, waitresses and bus drivers. Some students also participate in the guest entertainment. For details on jobs and salaries call Glacier Park, Inc., at (602) 248-2612.

College Work study

Looking for a way to earn money and never leave campus? If you were awarded College Work Study in your financial aid package, we have several positions available. For more information, stop by Plant Hall room 443 or call ext. 410.

Tutors

The Learning Center needs tutors for the Spring semester. Paying positions are available. Please call 253-6218.

Keynotes

Your guide to on-campus housing sign-up procedures for 1990-1991. Every student will receive a copy in their UT Box prior to Spring Break.

Help

Problems with overeating? There's someone who can help. A treatment group for bulimia meets at USF starting in February. The group will meet for 12 weeks. Call Madaline at 974-2496.

Greeks

Sisters of Delta Zeta would like to thank the organizations and their members who participated in Paint the Town. The sorority was proud to see the UT community unite and show its spirit with pink, green and turtles.

Writing Center

The Saunders Writing Center has opened its doors for the spring semester. The Center offers assistance with writing assignments from any course and with personal writing projects of any kind. The Center is located in PH 323, and its hours are Monday and Thursday 10 a.m. — 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. — 9 p.m.; Tuesday and Wednesday 10 a.m. — 3 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m. — 1 p.m.; and Sunday 5 p.m. — 9 p.m. Drop in or call ext. 244 for an appointment.

Contest

National College Poetry Contest open to all college & university students desiring to have their poetry anthologized. Cash prizes will be awarded to the top five poems. Deadline: March 31. For information send SASE to: International Publications, Box 44044-L, Los Angeles, CA 90044.

Camp Nautilus

Spend your summer on an island. Camp Nautilus-Blacks Island, a boys' camp two miles off shore and 35 miles east of Panama City, FL, is hiring. They need counselors, kitchen staff, a camp nurse, and activity leaders for sailing, fishing, diving and boating. Write to: Camp Nautilus, P.O. Box 945, Port St. Joe, Fla. or call (904) 227-1419.

Homecoming

Homecoming '90 is almost upon UT. The theme this year will be: When You Wish Upon A Star. There will be a Spirit Week contest, from Feb. 12-17. The winner will receive a \$200 cash prize. You need not be a registered organization to take on the GREEKS!

Auditions

Roles are still available for men in the University's spring theatre production, Milan Dundera's *Jacques and His Master*. Actors are needed of varying ages and physical types. Interested students should contact Dr. Luter, ext. 217. Academic credit can be earned by performing in this production.

Employment

Looking for a part-time job? The Office of Placement Services may be able to help. Last semester we posted over 2,500 part-time jobs available to students. Many jobs are within walking distance. Come by and look through a job book and fill out a form if you are interested in temporary work. Stop by PH room 302 or call ext. 236. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

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