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U.S. declares air supremacy over Iraq

By Robert Burns/Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The United States declared air supremacy over all of Iraq on Tuesday, asserting its warplanes can fly anywhere with impunity, even though an Air Force attack plane was shot down near Baghdad.

dent Saddam Hussein, where air defenses were and was in good condition. the strongest.

terference with coalition air operations," Maj. northern and southern Iraq. Iraq's offensive

Pentagon's Joint Staff, told a news conference. craft has taken off to challenge allied planes.

He did not mention that an Air Force A-10 warplane was shot down near Baghdad on Tuesday. It is believed to be the first allied aircraft other than a helicopter to be downed by an Iraqi surface-to-air missile Until now the Pentagon had said it owned since the war began March 20. U.S. Cenarea and over Tikrit, the hometown of Presi-safely, was recovered by allied ground forces

Iraq began the war with formidable air de-"Coalition air forces have established air fenses in the Baghdad and Tikrit areas, which supremacy over the entire country, which had not been damaged by years of American means the enemy is incapable of effective in- and British airstrikes in "no-fly" zones over one son.

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The Pentagon announced, meanwhile, that the U.S. death toll from the war in Iraq rose to 96. Eight Americans are missing, and seven are being held as prisoners of war, according to U.S. figures.

and around Baghdad, attacking remnants of Iraq's Republican Guard and striking "timesensitive" targets like the Baghdad building where U.S. intelligence believed a meeting was under way involving Hussein and at least

McChrystal would not say Hussein was

day. He described the attack as "very, very effective" and said the enormous hole punched into the ground by four one-ton cause the collapse of Iraqi resistance. bombs was "where we wanted it to be." He would not describe the target.

The Air Force officer in charge of the bomb McChrystal said allied aircraft are focus- drop from the B1-B, Lt. Col. Fred Swan, said the skies over all of Iraq except in the Baghdad tral Command officials said the pilot ejected ing on supporting American ground forces in in a telephone interview with Pentagon reporters Tuesday, after he and his crew returned to their Persian Gulf air base, that they launched four 2,000-pound satellite-guided bombs — two of a type that penetrates into nonpenetrating types.

Swan said the crew was not told what the

Gen. Stanley McChrystal, vice director of the air forces are weak, and not a single Iraqi air- the target of that B-1B bomber strike Mon- target was, but he was certain they had hit it. Eliminating Saddam would be militarily

significant, McChrystal said, even if it did not

"He still controls elements of the Special Republican Guard and death squads," he said. "And his role as military commander and dictator, moral leader of that regime, he and a group of others, probably militarily are key factors, to the extent they can exert influence.

"We'd like to reduce that," he said.

Asked about a U.S. Army tank attack on Baghdad's Hotel Palestine, in which three jourburied structures before detonating and two nalists were killed, McChrystal said it was an

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Heintze, Wiggins transfer to OSU

By Heidi Toth/Staff Reporter

Just a few months after Texas Tech President David Schmidly accepted a position with Oklahoma State University, two vice presidents made similar decisions.

Vice President of Enrollment Management Michael Heintze and Vice President of Information Technology Gary Wiggins announced they will be moving to OSU, effective April 24, Vice Chancellor of News and Information Cindy Rugeley said.

"We have attracted two men of incredible talent," Schmidly said in the OSU news release.

He also listed enrollment management and information technology as two key areas that had been identified as needing to improve, and he is confident Heintze and Wiggins are the right candidates for the jobs.

Heintze said his decision was based on what is best for his career, and he believes this position was it.

"I think this represents, for me, the next logical step in my career," he said. "This is a good point to move to the





At OSU, he will be in administration over the entire system,

not just the university. "This one attracted me because of

the nature of it," he said. Although the fact that Schmidly

is leading the OSU system was not the

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HEATHER DOUGHERTY/Staff Photographer

DR. BERNARD HARRIS, a 1982 graduate from Texas Tech's Health Sciences Center and a member of NASA's Safety Panel, speaks about his life's successes and his journeys into space Tuesday morning in the Student Union Allen Theatre.

Mass communications accepts \$25,000 stipend

By Angela Timmons/Staff Reporter face of state budget troubles.

Tuesday's Faculty Honors Convocation ulty. Thank you for what you do." in its recognition as the Teaching Academy Departmental Excellence.

Outstanding professors also retion for outstanding achievement in not necessarily a bad thing. different areas.

vost Jim Brink were present to conduct the convocation.

Prior to the ceremony, Smith remarked on the state of faculty in the

"Things are uncertain in Austin

The School of Mass Communica-right now," he said. "One thing that is tions was awarded a \$25,000 stipend at not uncertain is the quality of our fac-Haragan also remarked, saying al-

though he does not recognize as many faces in the crowd as he did during his ceived monetary awards and recogni- first term as university president, it is

"The future of our university is rep-Chancellor Dr. David Smith, In- resented by the young in our univerterim President Donald Haragan, sity raising the bar," he said. "They're

Provost William Marcy and Vice Pro-making it a better place for the future." Haragan said university recognition often works from the faculty level.

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Texas Tech graduate, former astronaut talks of life's dreams, successes By Joey Kirk/Staff Reporter

r. Bernard Harris has achieved almost every child's dream of becoming a doctor, an astronaut or owning his or her own business. What is reality was once a dream of his. .

"As a kid, I could only imagine what space would look like," he said. "But now I have been there, and I have to say that the view is what impressed me the most. I have also done other things in my life us to the primary cause of the crash." that I am proud of."

Harris is the first black American to walk in space.

He also is a 1982 graduate from the Texas Tech Health Sciences Center School of Medicine. As a minority, Harris said he had to overcome obstacles along the way.

"Stereotypes are a given when you are a minority, but you have to succeed in spite of those because they are in all aspects of life," he said.

Speaking to more than 100 students from local school districts, he recalled his adventures as a NASA astronaut and added humor to capture the attention of the students.

"I remember my rookie flight when we took off and I was thinking to myself, 'What a ride.' Then I told everybody I was fine," he

said. "But the truth was that I was scared to death."

He is no longer an active-duty astronaut but is a member of the NASA Safety Panel, which is the organization currently investigating the Space Shuttle Columbia tragedy.

"The accident affected me and the NASA family, and my first mission was on Columbia," he said. "The critical issue is to determine where the accident happened over, either California or Texas, and that will help lead

The Columbia tragedy caused an upsurge in the attention NASA and the space program was receiving, Har-

"The reason for my speech Tuesday was to place a greater emphasis on what NASA is doing and to encourage students to get involved with the School of Medicine or whatever their dreams are," he said.

Janie Ramirez, adviser for the Bernard Harris Premedical Society and program coordinator for the Raiders Rojos National Alumni Chapter, said guests included the College of Education Dean's Future Scholars.

"The Dean's Future Scholars program was designed to help and expose select students from around the districts in the South Plains to different

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HEATHER DOUGHERTY/Staff Photographer

HEALTH Sciences Center graduate Dr. Bernard Harris speaks to more than 100 students from local school districts about his experiences with NASA on Tuesday morning in the Student Union Allen Theatre

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TEXAS TECH INTERIM President Donald Haragan shakes hands

with Jerry Hudson, director of the School of Mass Communications,

while he accepts a check for \$25,000 at a ceremony recognizing faculty

and department achievements Tuesday in the Health Sciences Center.

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The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers is selling 10 Greyhound roundtrip tickets from Lubbock to New Orleans for April 10 through April 13, the weekend of the French Quarter Festival. Tickets cost \$75. To purchase these seats, call Dave at (806) 441-0624.

Texas Tech Athletic Academic Services is recruiting upperclassmen and graduate student mentors for 2003-2004. Applications are available in the Athletics Dining Hall in the Wiggins Complex. The applications deadline is 5 p.m. today. Call (806) 742-0150 for details.

Applications for Who's Who for Outstanding Freshman 2003 are available in the Student Government Association Office, Room 230 of the Student Union building. They are due at 5 p.m. Thursday. For more information, contact Bill Townend at (806) 281-4223.

University of Canterbury assistant professor Paul Studtmann will be giv-5:15 p.m. Thursday in Lecture Hall 001 of the English/Philosophy building. The lecture is free and open to the public.

The Texas Tech polo club invites students to attend Friday Night Polo at 8 p.m. Friday at the Polo Barns. Cover is \$2 at the gate. For more infor- at (806) 742-3361 mation and directions, call Alison at (806) 441-9485.

The Lubbock Chapter of the Black Alumni will host a Scholarship Golf

Course. For more information or to register, contact Doris Henderson at (806) 742-8671 or doris.henderson@ttu.edu.

The Hispanic Student Society is hosting a car wash from 10 a.m. to 3 at 4304 West Loop 289. Donations will be accepted as payment, with a minimum donation of \$5.

Sports graduate class is hosting the sec- Union building, free showing of "Mi Faing a lecture on the topic of free will at ond annual Health, Exercise and Sports milia" at 7 p.m. Tuesday in Room 352 of Sciences Golf Scramble on Saturday the Business Administration building, at Meadowbrook Golf Course. Pro- free salsa dancing class at 7:30 p.m. April ceeds from the event will be used for the Health, Exercise and Sports Sciences scholarship fund. For more information, contact Michael Smucker

> Students are invited to the Mentor Tech Scholarship Banquet at 6:30 p.m. Monday in the United Spirit students and \$15 for the general pub-Arena City Bank Room. Tickets are available in the Office of Community the Student Union building. For more

> Classic on Friday at Elm Grove Golf dividual students or \$250 for a table of eight. All proceeds will benefit student scholarships. For more information, call 742-8671 or visit www.doubletdiversity.com.

> The Hispanic Student Society prep.m. Saturday in the Sam's parking lot sents "Reflections of our Heritage," a weeklong celebration with the follow-

Annual Fajita Cook-out from 11 a.m. The Marketing and Promotion in to 2 p.m. Monday outside the Student 16 in the Student Union Ballroom, the Spanish play "Los Invasores," performed at 7 p.m. April 17 at the Texas Tech Museum, and the annual "Reflections of Our Heritage" Banquet at 6:30 p.m. April 18 in the McInturf Center.

Tickets for the banquet cost \$10 for lic, and will be sold starting Friday in

A&M considers cutting journalism department

partment may be eliminated as the A&M would reduce the university considers budget cuts, which may strip 40 percent of the lion. department's funding at a time when its curriculum is outdated and faculty understaffed.

College of Liberal Arts Dean Charles Johnson told The Bryan-College Station Eagle in Tuesday's department were revealed in 2001 edition the journalism department after a consulting firm's review is the only department within the concluded enrollment was too college being considered for elimination. He said abolishing the department would be a last resort.

Most of the college's departments face cuts of 10 to 12 percent, he said. What specific cuts will be made should be clear by

dered by the Legislature to cut a permanent leader.

COLLEGE STATION (AP) spending by 12.5 percent during - Texas A&M's journalism de- the next two years. Such a cut at university's budget by \$52.4 mil-

Johnson said he has not recommended eliminating the journalism department but has suggested it be overhauled.

Problems within the journalism high for the small faculty and the curriculum needed an update.

The consulting team suggested eliminating the department, merging it with another or investing to mend the problems.

Caps to decrease enrollment have since been implemented, but State agencies have been or- the department still does not have







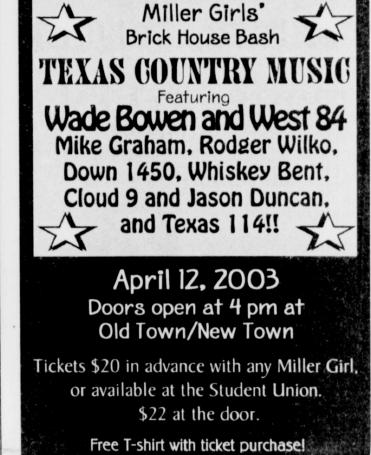
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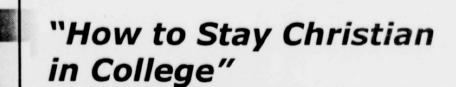
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A lecture to be presented by Dr. J. Budziszewski at

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TONIGHT

Rm. 205 Student Rec Center 6:00 p.m.

(Space is limited. The course is FREE to all Tech students, faculty and staff.)

By Heidi Toth/Staff Reporter

In boxing, "The Great One" is Muhammed Ali. In mass communications, the same title belongs to Walter Cronkite, who earned fame reporting the Vietnam War.

Tuesday night, one Texas Tech graduate shared the spotlight with the well-known reporter when he received the Walter Cronkite Award for Individual Achievement.

Jay Warren, chief political reporter and weekend anchor at WSLS-TV in Roanoke, Va., earned the award for two series he did about the 2002 congressional elections, according to a news release from the sta-

One of the series, "The Road to 200," focused on a variety of issues and how they affected voters. "No Choice" looked at noncompetitive races and unbeatable incumbents. According to the release, judges for

noted despite the mundane election, Warren took a new approach. News Di-

rector Shane

Moreland

said Warren

was selected from a pool of hundreds of television stations and reporters, which demonstrates his abilities as a reporter.

"Political reporting is such a tough thing to do because, for the most part, viewers have a hard time getting into it until the mud starts slinging," he

In the 2002 elections, which Moreland characterized as a slow and boring political season, Warren focused primarily on the issues instead of what the candidates were doing.

"He made people care about politics," Moreland said. "He made the everyday man care about his vote."

Warren has many qualities that set him apart as a reporter, Moreland said. His creativity and tenacity are two obvious ones, but there are many

"He's been very driven to make it better," he said. "He's not going to cover the same story the same way Warren's direct interviewing ap-

proach helpshim get the information he needs, while his conversation style makes his stories easy to follow and compelling to listen to. "He presents it like he's talking to

his uncle or his mother," Moreland said. "He makes a way for it to impact people's lives." Warren's award also indicates how

dedicated the station is, he said. For some time, they have been trying to get their reporters to report as Warren does, and his winning a national award shows they are on the right path.

"It validates what we're doing as a news station," he said. "This isn't about ratings; this isn't about the commercialism. This is about providing accurate coverage."

Warren has covered many major events, including President Bill Clinton's impeachment proceedings and the war effort, but he also has done stories about local issues, Moreland said, and he has done them

"He gives a voice to the voiceless,"

Dan Coyle, marketing director for the news station, said this award signifies what the station has been working toward and Warren's dedication to their goal.

"Jay has helped our station to further differentiate our product from what other stations are doing in the

market," he said. "This award truly reflects our efforts to cover political issues."

Political reporting is not easy, he said, and not everyone can do it well. Warren, however, has a knack for it.

"In order to cover political stories and issues, you have to have a deep understanding of government, politics and how they operate," Coyle said. "Jay obviously has a strong sense of that area of news, which qualifies him to pursue it."

Elizabeth Watts, associate professor of mass communications, was Warren's thesis adviser while he was at Tech. She was not surprised he went into political reporting, as he had an interest in it since she met

'When he came in to see me, we'd always be talking politics, and what's wrong with this politician, and what's wrong with that politician," she said.

For his thesis, Warren conducted

a study of relationships between newspaper coverage of a governor's race and the newspaper's endorse-

ment of that race, she said, which set him up for political reporting. Warren was focused while in school, and worked hard at what he

was doing, Watts said. He also did a few extra things, such as an internship with a local broadcast station and an independent study on the history of the first broadcast station in Lubbock.

"The fact that he did that internship here shows a lot of initiative on his part," she said.

Watts said his experience, both academic and practical, should lead him into whatever future goals he may choose.

"I think he has in mind at some point to become a college professor, and if he does that, it's really going to set him apart to have that great broadcast news experience," Watts said.

Transfers

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deciding factor, it was a reason for his final decision. Heintze said Schmidly's leadership style was a plus, but he would have been interested in the position had Schmidly not been president.

He did not have any problems working with Tech's Interim President Donald Haragan, Heintze said. He said he respects and appreciates Haragan.

"Having him here in this role made it hard for me to pursue this opportunity at OSU," he said.

Heintze will receive a salary increase at OSU, he said, which is because of increased responsibilities he will have.

Wiggins said there were several reasons for his decision, many similar to Heintze's. He said the OSU position is a good opportunity.

"That was, I guess, the overwhelming reason," he said. "It is a very, very good opportunity."

Wiggins will be working as vice president of information technology and chief information officer for the OSU system, similar to his current position, but with differences.

He said the increased range of work is one factor in his decision as well. Haragan was unavailable for com-

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areas each year," she said. "This year, we are emphasizing medicine, and students get a chance to hear a former graduate, Dr. Harris, and take a tour of the Health Sciences Center."

The Bernard Harris Premedical Society was developed in 1998 to provide a support group for aspiring doctors and nurses in the medical school, Ramirez said.

Harris said he believes helping one person achieve a career in medicine is gratifying.

"I try to encourage students to go into a field dealing with medicine all the time," he said. "And if I can get through to one person, I have done my work for the day."

Harris told the audience to do what they want to in life.

"To fulfill your dreams, you must take advantage of the things around you, like education," he said. "With education comes

Stipend

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"I've never known a university to be famous because of administration," he said. "Universities are recognized because of faculty achievement, student achievement and alumni achievement."

The stipend awarded to the School of Mass Communications began in 1999 to recognize a department or area dedicated to the teaching culture, Brink såid.

A large number of criteria need to be met in order to qualify for the stipend, he said.

"The whole department has to apply and show they value teaching," Brink said. "They have to show success through student achievement and create an atmosphere of innovation and excellence."

Brink said the money may be used by the school for whatever it needs as long as it is used to enhance The money will be used by the

School of Mass Communications to

facilitate teaching technology, lab technology and computer labs, Mass Communications Director Jerry

The School of Mass Communications has applied for the stipend for two years prior to receiving it,

"This year, we felt our faculty had exhibited a lot of dedication toward work and teaching excellence," Hudson said. "We have numerous active faculty involved in extracurricular activities, sponsorship, research productivity and excellence in classrooms."

Faculty honors included President's Excellence in Teaching, President's Academic Achievement, Texas Tech Alumni Association New Faculty, Outstanding Researcher, President's Book Awards, Texas Tech Association of Parents Barnie E. Rushing Jr. Faculty Distinguished Research and the Chancellor's Distinguished Research and Teaching honor.

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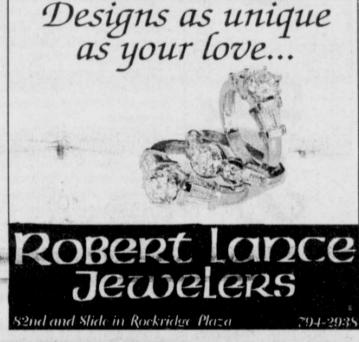
act of self-defense by the U.S. soldiers, who reported they had come under fire from the hotel.

"They had the inherent right of selfdefense," McChrystal said. "When they are fired at, they have not only the right to respond, they have the obligation to respond to protect the soldiers with them and to accomplish the mission at

A Jordanian correspondent for Arab television network al-Jazeera was killed Tuesday when a U.S. bomb landed on the Baghdad office.

Victoria Clarke, spokeswoman for Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld, cautioned American and other newsorganizations before the outbreak of war that Baghdad would be dangerous.

"We've had conversations over the last couple of days, news organizations eager to get their people unilaterally into Baghdad," she said. "We are saying it is not a safe place."



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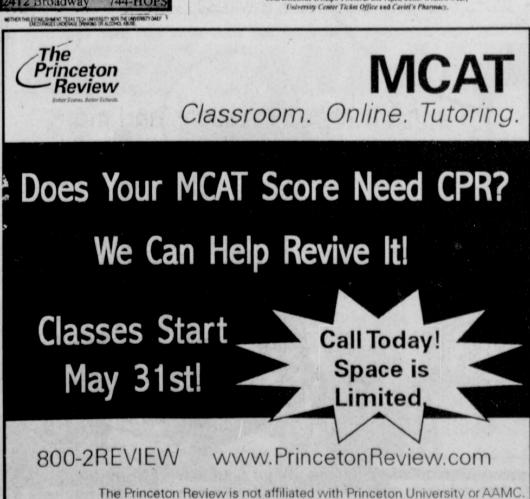
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APRIL 9, 2003

nal beings: "First order of business: American intransigence. Er, uh it may not be such a good idea to flock to fight in Iraq after all. It seems as if these American, British and Australian guys are kind of pissed.

"In fact, we're calling off the jihad. I repeat, we're calling off the jihad. Don't go to Iraq! You'll all die!

"Second item: Answering the call to jihad in Iraq. Recently, the Iraqi regime requested everybody in Iraq to migrate to Baghdad, AK-47s in tow. This might not be a good idea either. Thus far, most of the people who've done that have been shot.

"Third item: The Great Satan. We all hate America because, well, it's what we do and who we are, but, huh, I, huh, can't help but notice they're jective are entirely fabricated and utsuddenly ready to kill us, too. Beware ter crap. of this newfound dedication to fight."

This tidbit is one small example of how stupid these people are.

Anti-war activists may say the United States cannot make a moral judgment or claim moral superiority over any other society.

Like hell we can't! Screw moral relativism. There must come a time when one people is willing to say another people's way of life is wrong and needs to be stopped.

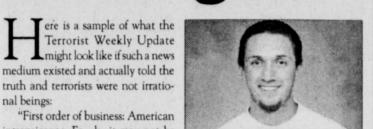
That point is usually reached when the latter makes it a point to systematically kill the former. Remember, they started it.

Screw world peace, too. I'm sick and tired of these bleeding hearts that want to avoid war at all costs. These people don't deserve to live (the terrorists, that is). The justifiable genocide of all terrorists - al-Qaida or not - is the noblest quest we could hope for in this first decade of the 21st century. There are remnants of a myriad of other terrorist organizations all across the globe that are ripe for destruction at the hands of the greatest military in the history of mankind.

Our troops are trained to do two things: kill people and break things. Why deprive them of the opportunity to do either? Get 'em, boys!

I, quite frankly, am quite happy that currently the nation that is morally superior also is the one that is dramatically militarily superior as well. Let's make good use of that while we

The United States is not at war with all Muslims the world over. Any intonations implying that is the ob-



Let us agree

to disagree

Jason Lenz

I, quite frankly, am quite happy that currently the nation that is morally superior also is the one that is dramatically militarily superior as well.

Who are the moderates here? France, Germany and Russia, or just about everybody else.

Apparently, several private Russian arms firms have been supplying various weapons and other pieces of equipment to the Iraqis. God in heaven knows the French have profited for quite some time thanks to assorted deals with the doomed Iraqi

Saddam Hussein has executed hundreds of thousands of innocent people throughout the course of his tenure as dictator. Inevitably, left to his own devices, he would without hesitance use weapons of mass destruction against American targets wherever possible.

Well, not anymore. He's going to die, and his government will be replaced with one that gives the Iraqi people a chance at a better way of life. Whoopdy-freakin-doo if that's a bad business deal for anybody in Europe.

What's really great about this war, though, is the opposition to it. They may be wrong, but they have the right to express their views. Besides, I would have to replace a lot of entertainment in my life with whittling and pigeon chasing if it were not for the morons in Hollywood, on university campuses

Free speech is a glorious and wonderful thing, especially when you're not emotionally sensitive ad nauseam.

My philosophy requires an addition to the famous Voltaire quote: "I may not agree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it," because I think it's funny.

Applications for 2003-2004 UD columnists are due April 18 in 103 Student Media.



Change best way to find oneself

oday a friend asked me, "What is it to be your own person? I've thought I was my 'own person' more than once in my life to discover later that I was miserably wrong. Is being your own person a myth, or just something you're not competent to judge until you truly are your 'own person' - whatever that might be?" This is my answer.

Don't be ashamed of the capacwhat he or she wants and still end edge makes in his behavior.

spect for the process of questioning. We've got this sense that we must have answers - perfect answers - all the time. And we're way too hard on ourselves for making mistakes.

Ninety-five percent of all mistakes are made from honest ignorance. Ignorance is not a sin or a crime. It is simply a natural consequence of being human.

Anyone who tells you that you must have all the answers, anyone who pretends to have everything figured out, is trying to steal some-

thing or sell you something. Manipulators use the illusion of people. Real human beings are not that certain. There are people who must appear certain in their daily ers and salesmen, all of these people use the illusion of certainty to control people and gain value from others.

Certainty is an excellent tool for seducing people, but is seduction really an honest way to inter-

act with your fellow human beings? Bertrand Russell says the philosopher is the eternal questioner. To him, all certainty is temporary; summits on a mountain that never end. There are preferences that endure as the frontiers of our knowl-



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ity for change. At any point, a per- honest man is open to new knowledge son can be wildly wrong about and open to the changes that knowl-

No one should feel bad for acting People don't have enough re- on their present knowledge, and no one should hold themselves to a standard of omniscience. You have to act based on present knowledge. The alternative is stagnation and death.

> Making mistakes is not a sin. The only sin is refusing knowledge. The ultimate crime is refusing to accept new information.

I'm not advocating physical skepticism, but in the realm of human behavior, your current knowledge is based on thousands of memories that make up your past - the legacy of things you have endured. Things you do leave their mark on you, and if those past experiences produce results that you don't like, sometimes you certainty to seduce and control have to make radical changes in your environment just to break out of the

If the crowd you've been hanging lives. Think of them as "profession- with leads you to places that you don't ally certain." Politicians, preach- like, then you have to find a new crowd. You have to experiment with new places and new thoughts - new books, new teachers and new courses of study - so you can choose a path that fits you better.

Change is a virtue. Change is a goal, and it's damn hard to do it grace-

That's why most people stay stagnant and boring and dumb. Your brain is changing right now, so you have to change your world to match. Change the world to match what your brain wants, and change your world so you edge expand, but ultimately, an can change what your brain wants.

It goes both ways. Follow your desires, and the results will create new desires. It never ends, and it's certainly nothing to be ashamed of.

I meet so many people who think they're supposed to have it all figured out. What a complete load of crap. It's really scary to think you'll be a different person in 10 years, but think about that. That's 10 years of new experiences, 10 years of new information. Facts you don't know. People you haven't met. Books you haven't read.

How can you make predictions now based on things that you haven't even done yet? Are you a god? Is some smug authority figure telling you he's got it all figured out?

He doesn't. The only way to avoid change is to literally stop learning. Close yourself off to new experiences, or build a set of mental filters that reduce everything to worthless pulp.

That's the mindset of a religious zealot, and I presume you want to be a human being.

The hardest thing in the world is to embrace ambiguity. Embrace ignorance of the future and forgive ignorance of the past. Stagnation is a constant threat, but ultimately, change is the natural response to new informa-

When I tell you to be your own person, I'm telling you to deliberately expose yourself to new things, things of your choosing, without regard for where those choices come from.

If you don't like the results you're ting with your current philosophy. try the opposite for a while and see how it feels. I've even sent people to church sometimes when I felt like they needed an antidote to their ultra-rational worldview.

Take charge of the experiment that is your life. Forgive your mistakes and don't be scared of change. Collect new information for a while, and you'll notice things in your personality that neverthange no matter what you may be experimenting with at the time.

The things that endure are the real you, and the quickest way to find that person is to try new things.



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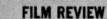
'Man Apart' quickly falls apart

t is so frustrating to watch a good actor waste his talent on bad movies. Vin Diesel has proved he can act ("Boiler Room") and he has the charisma to make old material work ("XXX").

Despite his efforts, he simply cannot save "A Man Apart," a film that seems to think it has done something original in the cop genre.

Diesel plays DEA Agent Sean Vetter, who is out to put a stop to the Colombian drug cartels operating in Mexico. At the beginning of the film, the DEA raids a club in order to apprehend a drug kingpin named Memo Lucero (Gino Silva). Lucero escapes in a car, which Diesel chases down on foot. He then apprehends Lucero, who promises he has made a big mistake.

Diesel can now go home to his pretty wife (Jacqueline Obradors) for a short vacation. When we see them laughing together, dancing on the beach and staring at each other starry-eyed, we know she is doomed. If you have seen the trailers, you already know members of the cartel break into their house and kill his wife. That's the only reason she even





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exists: to die.

So Diesel swears revenge, and he and his partner Demetrius Hicks (Larenz Tate) decide to go after the cartel together, working from the bottom of the chain upward.

Now if this plot sounds a bit familiar, it may be because it's the same plot as nearly every other cop movie in the last, oh, 50 years. This is a magical world where cops don't need warrants for anything and dead bodies in the street just magically disappear like in a video game. There's never any paperwork.

What starts out being simply unoriginal in "A Man Apart" soon

turns ridiculous. The movie is full of more holes than one of Diesel's shooting victims. He grows some facial hair and infiltrates the cartel under cover. Uh-huh. And none of the guys in the cartel recognize this cop who has been investigating them for the past seven years.

In one scene, Diesel is talking with a guy who starts bad-mouthing "this cop's stupid wife who we killed." He loses it, blows his cover and beats the guy to death, which then triggers a huge shootout in which three cops are killed.

Every cop-movie cliche is tossed into this movie. We've got the questioning by means of Russian Roulette, the dead wife, the revenge motive, the turning in of the badge and dismissal from the force, and of course, the renegade cop who goes after the bad guys alone.

And what would a cop-movie like this be without the main character getting a "you're out of control" speech from a friend?

The film only works in very small doses. Probably the strongest scene is between Hicks and a frightened suspect hiding in an attic with a gun.

This negotiating scene is genuinely tense with some good performances.

The last few minutes of the film are laughable, and there is the expected last scene of Diesel visiting his wife's grave one last time and muttering cheese-ball dialogue.

Diesel still shows signs of having a promising career, but if he keeps making mediocre garbage like this. he will find himself in a new land.

It's the "Land of Dumb Action Movies," also called "Straight-to-Video Land," which is already inhabited by the likes of Jean-Claude Van Damme, Steven Seagal and Sylvester Stallone.

EPPLER'S RATING: ★ ★

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"This is one of the greatest works ever written by man, and it isn't likely there will be another complete Beethoven manuscript up for sale ever again; the rest are lost or in libraries," Stephen Roe, Sotheby's head of manuscripts, said Tuesday.

The owner, described only as a "private foundation," is planning to set up a charitable fund for musicians with the money, Roe said.

The estimate for the May 22 sale may be conservative. A single sheet of Beethoven's early draft of the opening of the Ninth Symphony sold last year for \$2 million, eight times more than the estimated price.

That sheet was written in the composer's hand, but the Ninth Symphony manuscript was made by a copyist. However, almost every one of the 575 pages has notes and revisions scrawled by Beethoven, Roe

said in a telephone interview.

Beethoven was most vitriolic in the final choral passage section of the symphony, extolling freedom and the brotherhood of man.

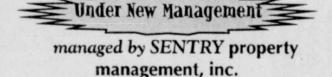
The record for a music manuscript is \$4 million paid for a collection of Mozart symphonies sold at Sotheby's in 1987, Roe said.







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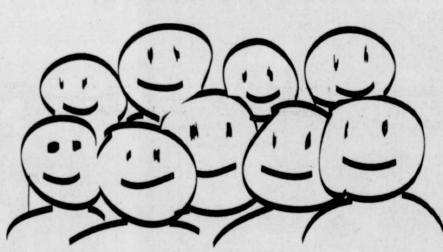
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Gourmet

Texas Tech fraternities, sororities host appetizer cook-off as part of week-long activities

By Matt Muench/Staff Reporter

Greek Circle was pasted with grills, plates and foods of many kinds late Tuesday afternoon. But the most plentiful thing present was Greek letters.

It was day two of Texas Tech's third annual Greek Week, which is an Greek reputation. event that unites sororities and fraternities. Monday was a soapbox derby

Tuesday was a different kind of time, as the organizations had an appetizer cook-off, which also featured live background music from the band Kristin Tarbox agreed. "Synthetic Six."

Students nibbled on a list of appetizers that could fill four pages of a local restaurant menu. Some of the many foods present were Buffalo wings, rat-tails, chips and dip, kabobs, shrimp and even fried turkeys.

"Dinner was served tonight," said R.J. Hargrove, a freshman undecided major from Alpine, behind his thick glasses. "I'm not even a Greek, and I am not even sure if I am allowed to be here. But the food is good. And the girls are good to look at."

40 fraternities and sororities.

Interfraternity Council President Anthony Contreras, a senior finance major from Dallas, said this event is a great way to bring Greeks together and have fun while filling their stomachs. He added the entire week helps the

"This is very important because a lot of times we get criticized for beer drinking," he said. "This is a good way to bring Greeks together and help the competition. Food was involved this community and show that we do support good causes."

President of Panhellenic Council

This is a laid-back environment, and we get a good chance to relax," said Tarbox, a senior family financial planning major from Fort Worth. "There is not a lot of work involved."

Don't tell head chef of Farmhouse Nathan Harvey there is not a lot of work involved.

Using a crutch to support a bad right ankle, Harvey, a junior advertising major from Lubbock, fried and sliced turkey. Sore ankle and all, he was not about to miss this event.

"Tailgating is my thing, and I love At least 400 students were present it," he said. "There are a lot of cool guys, at the event that featured as many as a lot of cool ladies and a lot of real good



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CHRIS COLBITS, A sophomore construction technology major from Round Rock and Drew "Danger" Slater, a sophomore industrial engineering major from Boerne, load a turkey into a vat of boiling grease during the appetizer cook-off Tuesday.

food. It all works out real well."

His turkey drew a big crowd, as it was gone in less than two minutes.

"I enjoy seeing what everybody else comes up with," he said. "But I want

to show them what I can do."

He said events like these show that Greeks should not have bad reputa-

"This definitely shows that Greeks

are in it all together," he said. "If one major from Austin, said this event fraternity gets in trouble, then everybody suffers. But when everybody comes in here and is all buddy-buddy, it says a lot. We are all hanging out, listening to some good music and eating some good turkey."

Zeta Tau Alpha member Secily Allcorn, a sophomore pre-communication disorders major from Brownfield, agreed with Harvey. She said most people think Greek events only include alcohol. Not this one, she said.

"This is something fun that we do that does not involve any alcohol," she said. "Everyone is mingling and everyone hangs out with each other."

Kappa Alpha Theta member Laci

shows Greeks do not hate each other.

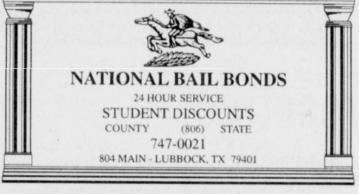
"This is a good time for Greeks to come out and show comradery," she said. "We all have friends in other sororities and fraternities. This is a good time to hang out with each other and have healthy competition."

Greek Week continues Wednesday, which is slated as movie night, and Thursday with the Relay for Life, which will take place from 6 p.m. Thursday to 6 a.m. Friday at R.P. Fuller

Greek Week will concludes Friday with an awards banquet that will name the winners on a point system that fraternities and sororities receive Loerwald, a junior English education throughout this week and semester.



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'Phone Booth' wins weekend Box Office

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Colin tions, average receipts per location, Farrell's "Phone Booth," about a man total gross and number of weeks in held hostage on a pay phone by a sniper, debuted as the weekend's No. 1 movie with \$15 million.

Two other new flicks held the secteen comedy "What a Girl Wants" with \$11.4 million and Vin Diesel's drug-agent thriller "A Man Apart" with \$11 million.

The top five movies at North American theaters Friday through Sunday, followed by distribution studio, gross, number of theater loca-

hibitor Relations Co. Inc. and Nielsen EDI Inc. are: 1. "Phone Booth," Fox, \$15 milond and third spots, Amanda Bynes' lion, 2,481 locations, \$6,054 average, \$15 million, one week

release, as compiled Monday by Ex-

2: "What a Girl Wants," Warner Bros., \$11.4 million, 2,964 locations, \$3,858 average, \$11.4 million, one

3. "A Man Apart," New Line, \$11 million, 2,459 locations, \$4,481 average, \$11 million, one week.

4. "Head of State," DreamWorks, \$8.6 million, 2,155 locations, \$3,981

average, \$25.2 million, two weeks. 5. "Bringing Down the House," Disney, \$8.3 million, 2,910 locations, \$2,858 average, \$111.1 million, five

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Red Raiders outrun Greyhounds 12-1

. By Jaosn Lenz/Staff Reporter

Not missing a beat, the same flock of birds that visited the field for Monday evening's 10-4 win versus West Texas A&M returned in the bottom of the fourth inning of Tuesday's game against Eastern New Mexico.

Also not missing a beat were the Red Raiders, who dismantled the Greyhounds 12-1.

Texas Tech (22-13, 4-7 Big 12 play) scored one run in each of the first two innings and then came alive in the third, scoring four runs on three hits and one error, sparked by an RBI double by junior first baseman Doug Beck, who went 3-4 with two RBIs for the game.

The Raiders scored two more in the fourth, one more in the sixth and three more in the seventh.

Tech was held scoreless in only the fifth and eighth innings.

Senior starting pitcher Nathan

Fouts threw a complete game, giving up seven hits, one earned run, striking out three and walking only one hitter.

Head coach Larry Hays said he was pleased with the efforts of the team, especially Fouts.

"That was a big thing for us (Tuesday) night for Fouts to step up and throw like that," he said. "Hopefully, he'll do that again. That was huge for us."

The two games against West Texas A&M and Eastern New Mexico were bright spots for the pitching staff, Hays said.

"We seemed to be more relaxed (Tuesday) night than we were (Monday) night," he said. "Over the two nights, the best thing we had was our pitching. (Jeff) Karstens did well, and then Nate followed up (Tuesday) night. That's encouraging."

Fouts said he was pleased with his effort and also pleased with the help of his defense. He said the hitting in the game was a good improvement.

"Those runs aren't too bad to have in a game," he said. "It's fun to see us hitting again. For a while there, we struggled, but after (Monday) night and (Tuesday) night, I think we're back on track."

The two home games were preceded by two consecutive losses at Missouri. Fouts said the team's morale has been improved with two wins.

"I think these two games were very important for us after that Missouri weekend," he said. "We were just backwards in what we were trying to do...but now, we've talked about it, and it seems like everybody's back on track."

Beck said the team's resurgence at the plate was a pleasant change.

"(It) kind of gets us back on track, get back up there and get comfortable again, gets us back to where we were before we started struggling

again," he said. "Games like that are going to get us back on pace for the rest of the season, and hopefully, we can jump back in there in conference and do the job."

Junior designated hitter Travis McElroy, who went 5-6 with a solo home run in the bottom of the sixth inning, said the win against the Greyhounds is one step closer to where the Raiders need to be.

"(Monday) night we played OK, but I think (Tuesday) night we played better," he said. "I think that's kind of the building process. You always want to play better each game, and I think that's going to help us going into this weekend. We want to play better than we did (Tuesday) night on Friday. This will help us get going a little bit."

The Raiders return to Big 12 Conference play this weekend with a series against Kansas at Dan Law Field. Game one begins at 7 p.m. Friday.



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EASTERN NEW MEXICO shortstop Steven Romano tags out Tech's Travis McElroy attempting to steal second base during the Red Raiders' 12-1 blowout win at Dan Law Field on Tuesday night. Tech plays host to Kansas this weekend.

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UConn nips Tennessee for second title in a row

Taurasi tormented Tennessee again, the flashy moves that made her the and Connecticut proved it could rebuild - and still repeat.

Leading a young team that had four new starters, Taurasi ignored the sore back and bum ankle that have bothered her for several weeks and carried Connecticut to a 73-68 victory over Tennessee on Tuesday night for its second straight national championship.

Taurasi, who averaged 22 points in her first five games against Tennessee, even threw in a shot left-handed.

ATLANTA (AP) — Diana scored 28 in this one with a variety of national player of the year and the Final Four's most outstanding player.

> The Huskies (37-1) won this third title game between the nation's two premier programs, and it was mostly because of Taurasi, who became the leader on a team that lost four starters.

> She made 8-of-15 shots, including four 3-pointers. She scored on a floater in the lane, a backdoor cut and

Still, Tennessee (33-5) closed with a rush after trailing by 13. When Brittany Jackson pump faked and then made a 3-pointer as she fell forward, the lead was down to 70-66 with 1:01 left.

Gwen Jackson's layup drew Tennessee to 71-68 with 21 seconds remaining. But Ann Strother, one of two freshman who start for Connecticut, sank two free throws, and freshman Ashlev Battle intercepted Tennessee's inbounds pass.

The Huskies moved the ball so quickly that Tennessee could not foul, and fittingly, Taurasi ended up with the ball. She flung it into the stands at the buzzer and Connecticut began yet another victory celebration.

If any more evidence was needed that Connecticut has supplanted Tennessee as the nation's top program in women's hoops, this was it.

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UNFURNISHED FOR RENT 1 BEDROOM 2309 15th C. Hardwood floors, walk to Tech

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1, 2, & 3 BEDROOM houses. Close to Tech. Call Jason or Greg 763-3401.

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2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH newly renovated. 2401 24th, \$750/month. Water paid by landlord. No pets please. Call

Michelle 535-1252. 2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH, 2314 28th. \$700/ month. No pets please. Call Michelle at 535-1252.

2 BEDROOMS, 1.5 BATH, Carport & garage. Excellent security. 2109 29th. \$400 deposit, \$575/mo. 749-0862. 2407 35TH, 3/2. Hardwoods, alarm, \$1,050/mo. Call 281-

2422 21ST, updated, 2 bed, 1 bath. No pets. \$700/month.

2710 23rd, Totally updated, 2 bedroom, 1 bath. No pets. \$800/month. Call J.W. at 740-0040. 3 BEDROOM 1 BATH, 2402 27th. Water paid by landlord.

No pets please. \$800/month. Call Michelle at 535-1252.

3/1 FOUR MINUTES from Tech. 1313 Kemper. Just

Northwest of Ave Q and Erskine off of Ave N. 441-5380. 3616 32nd 2/1/CP. CH&A. Built in dressers. Large den W/D hookups June 1 \$825/ \$400. Lease 798-2023/ 239-

4/2.5 WITH W/D, refrigerator, hardwood floors at 2304 15th. Available 6/15/03. Call Jason or Greg at 763-3401.

4/2/2 NEWLY REMODELED house, great neighborhood, all appliances furnished. \$1250/month. \$1000/deposit. References. 915-651-6201, 915-212-9565.

4702 4TH #107- Refrigerator, stove, washer & dryer. 2/1, quiet & close to everything. \$550- water paid. 794-5800 6110 36TH #3- 2/1.5/1 Studio-type duplex with a large bathroom upstairs- half bath downstairs. Fireplace, central h/a, w/d connections- \$700.

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except water. 1 BD studio with fireplace and 2 BD flat with w/d connections. Available now. Also accepting pre-leases. BRAND NEW 3BD, 3BA, 2-CAR GARAGE \$1,170/mo. Call 773-2544

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26th. \$725/mo + bills, 1 year lease. 281-0519. DEERFIELD VILLAGE 3424 Frankford. Are you tired of typical concrete and asphalt landscaping? Take a look at our green fields, trees, shrubs and flowers. New exterior, gray tucco, metal roofs, storm doors & windows, ceramic tile flooring with plush carpet. Approved pets welcome. Ask

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DOWNTOWN LOFT apartments available beginning May 1. 2/1 or 2/2, Must see, Very unique! Starting at \$800/mo. Call 535-4449 or 747-0193 for appointment.

FABULOUS 2/2/1 in Southwest Lubbock! 8206 A. Raleigh, \$700/mo. 797-3030

FOR RENT: 1921 39th, 2/1/1, w/d connections, central tva. Refrigerator/stove included. \$695/mo, \$300/dep. Call 863-GARAGE APARTMENT. Extra large efficiency, \$200/deposit,

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GREAT 3/2 Hardwood floors. 2213 21st. \$1195/ month. LOCATION PLUS Charm plus value- Only three blocks from

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3/2/1, 2120 22nd, \$930+. All nice, 794-7471 2508 38th. \$1,125 + bilis, 1 year lease. 281-0519.

NEW HOUSES for rent: 2613 46th, 3/2, \$875/mo. 2609 39th, 3/1.5, \$725/mo. Plus more available soon, 762-6235. NEWLY REMODELED 1, 2, & 3 bedroom houses for lease.

NEWLY REMODELED 3/2/1. Hardwood floors, \$1,095 + bills. 3709 28th, 1 year lease. 281-0519. NICE 2/1 c h/a and hardwood floors. Close to Tech,

NICE HOUSES available near campus.. No pets. 796-0774. QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD, nice 3/2 with carport, w/d connections, ch/a. \$700/month. 792-1186.

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TECH TERRACE, 5 bedrooms, 2513 23rd, \$1,495. 797-

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TECH TERRACE: 2514 28th, 3/3 available May 1, \$1,395

TECH TERRACE: Attractive 1 bedroom home. Near 21st & Boston. Available May 1. Appliances, W/D, \$455 plus. See Jan at 4211 34th (afternoons), 795-2011. TECH TERRACE: Neat 2 bedroom home. Near 22nd & Boston. Lovely yard, \$825 plus. See Jan at 4211 34th (after noons). 795-2011

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Open Recreation Hours

Mon. - Thurs. Friday Saturday

6a.m. - midnight 6a.m. - 10:30pm 9am - 9pm noon - 11pm

Aquatic Center Hours

Monday - Friday 6:30am - 8:45am Noon - 1:20pm 3pm-8:45pm

Saturday-Sunday 2pm - 6:45pm

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INTRAMURAL CHAMPIONS CROWNED

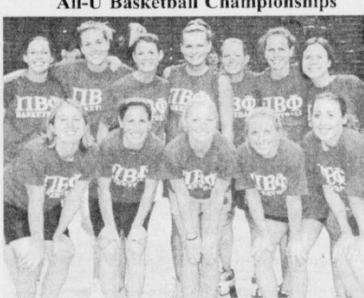
All-U Basketball Championships

Sunday



The Force

Leah Hull scored 20 points to lead The Force over 2 Damn Good 60 to 48 in the co-rec final. Other double figure scorers for the Force included Michael Brátton, Kevin Reynolds and Kyle Sanderson. Joann Gore led 2 Damn Good with 15 points.



Pi Beta Phi

The Pi Phi's had seven players score on their way to a close 34 to 31 win over Ice in the Women's championship. Leading the way was Kendall Brooks with 8 points and Ashley Maines with 7. Cyrstal Mcreynolds led Ice with 7 points.



Samford and Son

In the men's final, Ryan Ozata had 14 points and Samual Davenport added 12 to lead Samford and Son to a 40 to 35 win over Phi Delta Theta. Eliott Nixon scored a game high 18 points to lead the Phi Delts.



Prettiest Mermaids

Inner-Tube Water Polo Championships

A co-rec inner tube water polo team that goes by the name of Better Ghetto Society (BGS) was crowned this year's champion. With the defending champions - CHI - out of the picture in the semi-finals, Better Ghetto Society defeated the Guppies in the semis then went on to defeat Sink or Swim in the championship game. Better Ghetto Society is powered by the female duet of Lindsay Harrell & Lindsey Doherty. The men of Better Ghetto Society also powered the Men's Inner tube water polo champion - the prettiest mermaids.

In men's action, the prettiest mermaids, mauled through their tournament to claim their first Inner Tube Water Polo title. Team members include Brent Thompson, Bryan Lutz, T. J. "tito" Martin, Mike Graham, Charles Martin, Todd Richardson, & Han Shengbeh.

This year's Inner tube Water Polo season was the biggest ever. We started with 36 teams in both men's and co-rec divisions. Thanks to all that participated and maybe next year, you can put a team together and come have fun in the pool at the Rec's Aquatic Center. Aquatic Staff - Thanks for all your help.



Better Ghetto Society

Heartbeats A quick pulse around the Rec Sports world.

Baseball Tournament

Only one team spot is still available for the Rec Sports' annual spring baseball tournament scheduled for the weekends of April 26 - 27 and May 3-4. The deadline for entries is Wed., April 23 but teams are encouraged to enter soon. There is a \$50 entry fee/team to cover the costs of umpires.

The 8-team tourney will be double elimination with the winners getting to play on Dan Law Field on May 3 & 4. All games will be 7 innings with a 2 hr time limit. Anyone not presently working out with the Tech baseball team or did not receive a college baseball letter last year is eligible to compete. Entry forms available in the Rec Center and must be turned into room 202...

OPC Ski Swap

The Outdoor Pursuits Center is clearing out their rental skis. a pair of K2 skis with Salmon bindings. The skis will be priced to get you out on the slopes. The sale will be April 9 -11 from 12 to 5 each day. Come be the Outdoor Pursuits Center located outside the north entrance of the SRC or call 742-2949 for more information.

Handicapped Awareness disabilities by the Techniques Cen-

Become brighter about handi-Come early and get your hands on caps. Numerous activities are planned for next week. Lot of tshirts will be given away!

Sunday-Easter Egg Hunt for Physically Challenged children at the Student Union at 2 pm

Monday-A table with disability simulations from 12-2 pm. Get

a hands-on view. Monday-A panel on learning

ter from 12-2 pm

Tuesday—The movie I Am Sam will be show at the Allen theater at

Wednesday-Disability simulations at the Union from 12-2 pm

Wednesday-Work with students with disabilities? Randell Resneder will hold a brown bag lunch for faculty and staff at 12 pm in the Senate Room.

For more info, call 742.3621.

Stressed Out?

It is nearing the end of the semester and it is crunch time! Are you getting a little overwhelmed with everything you need to get done. Take your mind off all the stress by getting a massage. Half hour or full hour massages are available. Call or stop by the Fitness/Wellness Center to set up an appointment. Phone appointments are by credit card only.

SUMMER I HOUSING sign-ups are coming up! Don't miss out on your chance to make sure that you still have the best opportunities. Live in the halls again! When to sign up: April 1 to April 2 - Single Room Requests Accepted Submit request at the Housing Office in Doak Hall. April 7 - Same Room

April 8 - New Room/Same Hall or Complex

Complete contract at your hall office. April 14 to April 30 - Open Sign-ups

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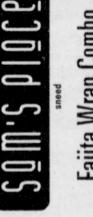
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