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Getsinger explains harassment charges

by Ann Vogel

Contributor

The director of the counseling center, who charged his supervisor, Fred Leafgren, with sexual harassment last semester, argued in a recent interview that Leafgren unfairly cut his budget over a four year period.

Steven Getsinger, counseling center director, alleged that Leafgren harassed him from the time Getsinger came here in 1988 until the summer of 1991. A university committee found Leafgren guilty of the charges brought against him.

The counseling center's funds were reallocated every year Leafgren was Getsinger's supervisor and the staff dwindled from 20 employees to eight.

Getsinger said in a recent interview, "My people and my programs were cut, not because of my professional abilities, but because of Leafgren's other motives."

Getsinger said Leafgren made it clear to him that his career would suffer if he did not give in to Leafgren's demands. "The additions program was dropped not because it wasn't needed but because Leafgren redirected the money to other friends in Student Life. That's only one of the many things he did," Getsinger stated further.

Vice Chancellor Howard Thyre appointed the committee

tee that wrote the university report on the allegations against Leafgren but because of complex legal issues will not release the complete results.

Getsinger feels the students should demand that the full report be released. He said, "It's morally unacceptable for the university to dismiss the report just because Fred Leafgren's gone. He may be gone but there was damage done."

Because the counseling center's budget has been cut so much Getsinger feels in the fu-

He suggested, "We could raise the \$300,000 annual budget if each student paid a \$40 annual fee. The main reason they (students) drop out is because of personal problems. As these troubles have increased, our resources have decreased."

Right now the counseling center is tax supported. SGA President Tami Butts stated, "The bottom line is that we definitely need counseling on campus. But to what extent and how much do we provide? That is the question."

Butts and SGA Vice President Mark Olkowski feel the counseling center's budget has been cut, not because of the sexual harassment directed at Getsinger, but simply because of lack of funding at the time.

Getsinger said he has read the full committee report on the Leafgren case and claimed it concludes that Leafgren retaliated against him and the counseling center when he spurned Leafgren's advances. Getsinger stood by his story saying, "The truth should come out and it will eventually - truth always does."

Vice Chancellor Thyre has no plans to release the complete committee report at this time."



Stephen Getsinger
(file photo)

ture it should be funded by students' segregated fees.

Wisconsin Public Radio looks to 90 FM for airtime

by Jason Fare

Contributor

Having tripled its power, student-operated radio station WWSP-90FM once again has Wisconsin Public Radio requesting air time on UWSP airwaves.

According to Mark Tolsted, faculty adviser to the station and Director of Broadcasting for Wisconsin Public Radio based at UWSP, Public Radio has asked the university if it can broadcast its programs on 90FM during daytime hours.

"We're most interested in daytime hours," said Jack Mitchell, director of programming for National Public Radio offices in Madison, "We are looking for a way to improve the coverage and the reception in that area, so one option would be to put as much of our programming as the university wants on their station."

However, the 6 a.m. to 7 p.m. slot wanted by Public Radio cuts into student air time on 90FM, said Dan Seeger, station manager. "One of the chief things we have to serve is the interest of the students," said

Seeger.

A committee appointed by UWSP Chancellor Keith Sanders is considering the request and is expected to pass a recommendation on to Sanders within the week, said Tolsted, who also serves on the committee.

Currently, the Public Radio Ideas Network is broadcast on WLBL 93AM off of its Auburndale transmitter, located in Madison. The Auburndale transmitter delivers a weak signal compared to 90FM, according to Tolsted. Approximately two weeks ago, 90FM raised its transmission power from about 3,600 watts to 11,500 watts, enlarging its coverage area by 20 miles.

Public Radio has not offered the university financial incentives to air Public Radio programs on 90FM, Mitchell said. However, Public Radio, in the past, has provided some funding to other UW student stations that broadcast its programs.

Tolsted feels that the proposal indirectly suggests that if Public Radio doesn't get 90FM air

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State walks away with more student money

by Chris Stebnitz

News Editor

The Wisconsin State Legislature ended its session last week, closing some gaps in the state budget by slashing over \$9 million from the UW-System budget.

According to United Council Legislative Director Kathy Kingery, the university system did not come out of this session a winner. "Although we did win on some of the issues at hand, we lost a lot of money and a lot of state support for the UW-System."

The Joint Finance Committee and Governor Thompson worked out a budget cut for the UW-System that implemented a 10 percent cut across the board. The cut was initially proposed to be a permanent cut to the system.

After long sessions which included lobbying by United Council and Kingery, legislators voted to make the 10 percent cut a "one year deal" and voted to reimburse UW students \$1.3 million of the promised \$4.3 million. This money was

promised to students after students agreed to pay \$4.3 million to cover gaps in last year's budget.

The money was used for the supplies and expense account which funds such things as computers, books, and other classroom teaching aids. "The money wasn't used to fund salaries for teachers or administrators, but it was used to gain a more quality learning environment," said Kingery.

"The state, in effect, is taking money directly out of students' pockets to cover gaps in the state budget," commented Kingery.

The state tried to explain why the UW-System was receiving the 10 percent increase by saying that all state agencies would be receiving the cut and that it wasn't just the UW-System.

Kingery didn't accept the state's explanation and said, "The job of the university is to teach. We're not an administrative process. We are here to carry on the future of the state."

The Legislature also defeated a bill that would have required all

universities in the UW-System to start classes after Labor Day.

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Democratic presidential candidate Jerry Brown fires up the crowd during his speech at SPASH Saturday night.

(photo by Carolyn Kenney)

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IN THE REAL WORLD



by Chris Stebnitz
News Editor

An Aids infected man, accused of paying boys to have sex with him was re-arrested Sunday after new incidents surfaced.

Edward Savitz, or "Uncle Eddie" as many of the boys knew him, was taken back into custody when seven new sexual abuse charges came Saturday night. Savitz had been released the previous night after his brother posted the \$300,000 bond.

Savitz, an executive in a company that administers health and retirement plans, faces a total of 17 charges. Included in the 17 charges are: five sexual abuse of children and corrupting the morals of a minor, three indecent assault, two involuntary deviate sexual intercourse and promoting prostitution, and the seven new charges that have yet to be assigned.

Savitz's attorney said Sunday that Savitz denies ever having dangerous sex with anyone.

Is there anything else that Democratic Presidential front-runner Bill Clinton can say to make himself anyless electible?

Clinton, for the first time, came out and admitted to experimenting with marijuana "a time or two" while attending Oxford University more.

Clinton has been asked that question numerous times in the past two years and every time, he avoided a straight answer by saying he had never violated any state or federal laws.

In qualifying his answer on Sunday, Clinton explained that he had tried marijuana once or twice but "did not inhale."

The former Soviet Union's unemployment rate this year may reach levels comparable to that of the United States during the Great Depression in 1934.

According to a United Nations study of the former Soviet Union's employment arena, government statisticians and over 500 factories were interviewed.

Findings show that 15 million workers, or 12% of the work force, will be unemployed this year. Another 30 million state sector workers are expected to be laid off this year also.

The Milwaukee Sentinel reported an example released from the U.N. report that painted a clear picture of what was going wrong in the poverty ridden country.

In a St. Petersburg boot factory, production has dramatically fallen off from 12 million pairs of boots down to 8 million pairs. Despite the fall off, none of the 4,200 workers were laid off.

SGA STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

SGA Elections Vote '92
April 7 & 8

- Genetica was allocated \$1000 for two programs.
- University Writers received \$150.00 to fund the Rites of Writing program.
- Association for Fitness in Business(AFB) was allocated \$400 for travel.
- The South Asian Society received \$40.00 toward programming.
- Sigma Mu Tau received \$346.00 for travel to a conference.
- Senate gave \$800.00 to the Alliance for a Sustainable Earth to make calendars.
- Where There is a Will, There is an "A" will be shown April 6 & 7 at 7:00 -9:00 and on April 13 & 14 at 7:00 - 9:00. Watch the Daily for location.
- Executive Board Applications are available in the SGA office. Due April by 4:30.
- Senate meets every Thursday at 6:15 in the Wright Lounge.

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Kingery disagrees saying that not all students work in tourism and those that do are allowed late entries by many of the universities.

If the bill would have passed, it would have required students to take finals after a 10 day Christmas break and would

have created a lot of problems for second semester classes.

According to proponents of the bill, it would benefit students who work in the tourism division of the state, to be available during one of the busiest times of the year for Wisconsin.

Dem. Jerry Brown speaks at SPASH

by Pamela Kersten

Contributor
by Chris Stebnitz
News Editor

Democratic presidential candidate Jerry Brown, donning his familiar union jacket, excited a crowd of more than 750 people Saturday night.

Brown, hoping to close the large gap between himself and Democratic front-runner Bill Clinton, spoke at Stevens Point Area Senior High rallying supporters of his economic plan.

"We want a change. We want to change the way politics is run," exclaimed Brown in his 40-minute speech. "We need to form a coalition of conscience

and moral challenge. . . . to rededicate ourselves to the principles on which this country was founded."

Brown's appearance attracted a mixed crowd. Most of the 750 people attending waited for over 2 1/2 hours before Brown arrived. The crowd included many young families, college students, and many electricians and papermill workers from the area.

The doors to the auditorium were closed after the 660-seat facility was filled past capacity. About 50 of those turned back were accommodated by organizers setting up television

monitors in the hallway outside the auditorium.

Some of the crowd was disappointed by the inconvenience of not having enough room to see Brown speak in person and the fact that Brown arrived 2 1/2 hours late.

"I wasn't about to wait 2 1/2 hours to listen to this guy talk out of both sides of his mouth," Larry Kokkeler, professor of communication, said after leaving SPASH. "He's trying to gain grassroots support by speaking here. What happens if he gets elected? Will he have time to give the 'little guy' some of his wisdom?"

90FM "pumps up" the watts

by Chris Stebnitz
News Editor

The radio station at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, 90FM WWSP, proudly announced an increase in their operating power. 90FM WWSP, which was operating at 3,610 watts, has been approved by the Federal Communication Commission to operate at 11,500 watts. The station which can be heard on 89.9 FM, will be able to be picked up as far as Appleton, Oshkosh, Tomah, and Merrill.

"The wattage increase not only increases our listenership to the Fox River Valley area and strengthens the signals already existent, but it will also bring 90FM more prestige by being the most powerful college radio station in the Midwest," said Dan Seeger, 90FM station manager.

An official turn-up of the power took place at the transmitter station located in Stevens Point on Friday, March 27, 1992 at 10 a.m. University and community officials were there to participate in the ceremony.

The power increase comes just in time for the airing of the annual Trivia contest, which an estimated 10,000 people will participate in. The station is anticipating 500 teams to register for the twenty-third annual contest to be held April 3, 4, and 5.

90FM WWSP is a completely student run radio station. The station operates 365 days a year between the hours of 6:00 am and 2:00 am. Besides Trivia, the station also sponsors the annual Jazzfest and has just completed its seventh consecutive season of full Pointer hockey coverage.



90 FM WWSP ribbon cutting. Pictured left to right: 9 Dan Seeger station manager and Bryan Cornwell 0 program director. (photo by Deb Dubé)

90 FM

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time, it will pull its news bureau out of its current office on the UWSP campus.

Approximately five years ago, Public Radio created its central Wisconsin news bureau on the UWSP campus, next door to the 90FM station offices in the Communication Arts Center. At that time, Public Radio made its first request for air time, and the university declined the offer.

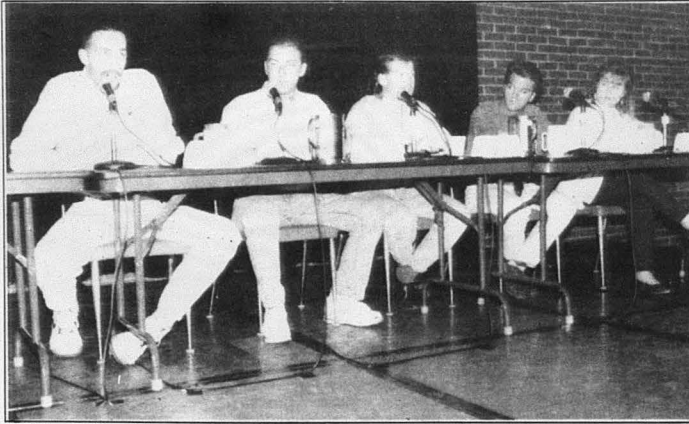
"I hate to be blunt, but as far as I'm concerned, Public Radio can take a walk. They present no benefits what-so-ever to our station, and have a disgusting amount of arrogance to suggest that this proposal would be doing us a service. We have a much better schedule of programming than any organization could dream about providing. Our production is excellent," said Johnny Walkenhorst, disc jockey at 90FM for four years.

"In our perspective, I think 'takeover' is the right word," Tolsted said of Public Radio's efforts to get 90FM air time.

"We're not trying to force ourselves onto somebody that doesn't want us," Mitchell said. "The university is the most economical way to go because it (90 FM) already exists."

SGA presidential and vice presidential candidate platforms

Student organization representatives posed questions to SGA presidential and vice presidential candidates Wednesday in the Encore. The debate was held to allow students the chance to find out where each candidate stood on various topics and how each candidate handled themselves under pressure.



SGA presidential candidates field questions during Wednesday's debate held in the Encore. Pictured left to right: Tim Walsh, Randy Soquet, Chris H. Grassl, David Kunze and Angela Moe. (photo by Al Crouch)

SGA urges students to get involved in the elections and to vote during the election times. Exercise your right to elect a qualified student government President, Vice President and Senator. For more information on candidates, locations of polls and the times to vote contact SGA at x4036.

How will the students of the University benefit by having you represent them?

SGA Presidential/ Vice Presidential Candidates

Randy W. Soquet

If the students elect me to the position of Student Government Association President they will have elected a very competent individual to this position.

I have an open mind concerning all issues and like to make decisions based on as much information as I can attain. This means the students will have a person dealing with administration that will look for facts and base decisions on fact.

UWSP is founded on educating students and without students there would be no university. The students rights, views, and concerns should be foremost in policy decisions. If policies are created that are detrimental or unfavorable to students, then students will attend other universities and that would leave UWSP in an even more difficult "down sizing" situation.

I will assert in every decision that is made that the students should be satisfied with the policies made at UWSP.

Chris H. Grassl

Through my past experiences of representing students and fighting for their rights, over matters that directly affect them here at the university, I will be better able to represent them NOW as their vice-president. I realize the importance of being involved and what better way than to be a voice for my fellow students. In the long run not only will the present students, but students in the future will benefit from the results of my involvement with SGA.

SGA Presidential Candidate

Tim Walsh

The students of UWSP will benefit by having me represent them because of why I am going to be president and what my qualifications are. The main benefit that the students will receive is due to the fact that I am not becoming SGA President to further my own career.

Polling Places

April 7th
12:00-3:30 U.C.
4:00-6:30 Debot
7:00-10:00 Library

April 8th
9:00-5:00 U.C.

I am not using the opportunity of being president so I can put it on a resume and get a better job. I want to be president because I want the students to have more of a say about where our money goes and how our education can be improved.

The students will also benefit because of my past leadership qualities as well as personality or the way I get things done. My record with HPC shows that I will fight to make improvements for the students.

I don't mind shaking things up a bit or making a few administrators (or regents) angry

to accomplish goals requested by the students. The students are tired of paying more money for less services and having less input as to how our money is spent. I think it is about time to take our university back, don't you think?

SGA Presidential/ Vice Presidential Candidates

David Kunze/Angela Moe

As your Student Government Association President and Vice-President we will work with you on issues that you feel are important. Many students are concerned with issues such as campus safety, campus environment, student fees, and faculty evaluations. We intend to address these issues directly by developing an agenda that will be the outline for the goals of SGA for the 1992-93 year. We can accomplish this.

This agenda will be set by students using various means of direct communication, such as attending student organizational meetings, using a booth in the University Center Concourse, and various campus media. Students are one large untapped power on this campus, and that is our numbers. Informed and united we can change things.

IMPROVE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY: We intend to form an Environmental Issues Committee. Students deserve a campus that is both ecologically and physically sound. This group, composed of students from a variety of interests, would be assessing the environmental soundness of this campus, as well as addressing safety concerns of students. We should feel secure walking home. We should know we are protecting our environment in every way we can.

MONEY - YOURS OR THEIRS? Each full-time student pays nearly \$1000 for tuition every semester, but about one-third of this amount funds services a student may never even use. It is time that students know what they are paying for. We believe that students should receive a breakdown of all fees included in that bill. This way all students will know what they are paying for, and can determine the value of that service. If you feel you are not getting enough "bang for your buck," we will represent your views to the administration.

OPEN STUDENT EVALUATIONS: The reason we are at this institution is to receive an

education, and as consumers of education we should be aware of what we are getting before we buy. We will continue to fight for student access to student evaluations of classes. In addition, we will develop a service, "The Course Source." This service will be a syllabus directory of many courses offered on campus. This will allow students to be aware of additional

purchases, such as texts or equipment required for a course, as well as grading procedures and class expectations.

With these ideas and your help, we can "Set the Pace for the Future."

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editorials

Combatting racism with open communication *Ku Klux Klan advertisement creates controversy*

by Sarah L. Newton

Editor-in-Chief

We have battled racism and arguments against free speech as separate issues for many centuries.

Our recent surge toward cultural diversity has forced us finally, to see the implications these two have when combined - and the valuable, open discussion that can occur about these topics, and the understanding about their relationship that can be achieved.

The Pointer is running an ad for the Janesville, WI Knights of the Ku Klux Klan this week. Although the KKK has been approaching university papers for some months now (some have run it, some have declined), and we were prepared, there were many questions to be asked in regard to the morality of running

the ad.

There are some who would argue that the placement of the KKK ad in The Pointer could be a catalyst to more racial tension and harassing circumstances than we already have.

I agree that the ad has the potential to stir up some controversy, but I see it as a positive exposure to unique, diverse ideas rather than a precursor to a negative or violent effect.

In addition, by the time students reach the university level, the aware majority have already formed opinions and taken a moral stance on such issues as racism. To say that one advertisement would lead an environment to become hostile or metamorphosize the attitudes and opinions of its educated inhabitants is surely not giving them much credit.

Our university does carry and utilize a hate speech code designed to prevent racist, sexist, homophobic - generally abusive, discriminatory language - oftentimes coined Political Correctness, which is becoming more and more the rage nation wide every day.

The primary concerns among The Pointer staff were obviously (1) Will the ad offend people? (2) Since the concept behind the ad, rather than the ad itself is discriminatory, is The Pointer responsible for others' connotative perception of this ad? (3) Does the mere placement of this ad in our paper suggest we are advocates of racism? and (4) Is The Pointer negating UWSP's efforts for cultural diversity and a harassment-free environment by running this ad?

One important area of the argument that I would've overlooked had it not been brought up in our staff discussion about the ad is this: the address and phone number in the ad can actually serve two purposes.

Unfortunately, it can act as a source of information for people who are interested in the Klan's activity, or are interested in joining. On the same note, however, the ad gives Klan critics and adversaries an opportunity to voice their negative opinions.

The KKK is a potentially dangerous organization, and their racist activism should be perceived as such. The diversity of ideas they present, however, provide interesting thought patterns and provoke discussion that's necessary if we are to understand one another.

Volunteerism helps Portage County homeless

by Merideth Medland

Contributor

Time is bringing us closer and closer to the big day...the FIFTH ANNUAL HUNGER CLEANUP on April 25. Hunger Cleanup is a national one-day community service work-a-thon to benefit hunger and homelessness programs.

There are four different ways you can get involved. First, get a team of 6-10 people together, then pick up sponsor sheets in the A.C.T. office and register

with the Hunger Cleanup Coordinator.

Second, if you haven't already joined a team and would like to, please call the A.C.T. office at 346-2260 and we'll assign you a team leader. The next meetings are April 6 and 20, both in the Heritage Room of the UC at 4:00 p.m.

Third, if you can't attend the event, please sponsor any of the students you know who are participating in this national com-

munity service work-a-thon. Your donation can help many people in need. Most of the money raised is distributed in three National Student Campaigns for Hunger and Homelessness. Fifteen percent goes to international hunger programs.

Lastly, educate yourself. Don't be naive enough to think that Stevens Point is free from homelessness. We have people in Portage County who need your help. Call the Salvation

Army or Operation Bootstrap for more information on how you can make a difference!

For those of you currently participating in Hunger Cleanup, don't forget that your money needs to be given to your team leader by April 20. Remember, by collecting \$20 or more before April 19, you will receive a Hunger Cleanup T-shirt. Good luck! If you have any questions, please feel free to call the ACT office at 346-2260.

Media to make tough decisions in local assault case

by Jack Hewitt

Contributor

The arrest last Thursday night and the subsequent arraignment of prominent local citizen Mike Haberman on the sexual assault of his three-year old daughter raises important ethical issues for local media outlets in the wake of the allegations.

Haberman, former mayor of Stevens Point (1979-86), president of the Stevens Point Police and Fire Commission, and manager of the Centerpoint Mall in downtown Stevens Point, denies the allegations.

The child underwent a medical examination before charges were made, revealing physical evidence of sexual contact - presumably intercourse, and had verbalized "about an incident where Haberman had sexual contact with her," according to a Stevens Point Journal article written last Saturday.

Media coverage of the arrest first occurred in an article which

appeared in the Milwaukee Sentinel in last Friday's edition.

Local community and opinion leaders are in shock over the incident. Mayor Scott Schultz and his wife Mary, close friends of the accused, are both "saddened and shocked by the news. You'd never think a crime of this nature would occur in this community."

Mrs. Schultz went on to say "the cloud of gloom is enormous. Mike has older children by a former marriage and his mother lives in Stevens Point. Accusations of this nature can damage careers and wreck lives, even without substantiation."

Local media will have to decide in subsequent reporting of the crime between competing issues of privacy and audience and the readership's right to know.

Without question, Haberman's arrest and arraignment are matters of public record and unassailable newsworthy information. The rights of the victim, in this case a minor, should be protected through well-es-

tablished journalistic protocol.

The public's right to know moves the case into controversy. Media outlets will have to decide whose interests are being served in the pursuit of information.


How much does the community really wish to know? Beyond describing the events, reporting may become normative and involve the values of the media outlet under the rubric of the community's right to

know.

This case will force local media outlets to decide where their loyalties lie: to themselves, in the pursuit of a newsworthy story at all costs? Or to the community-at-large, who may not appreciate the more salacious features of the story and care to even suspend judgement about the crime, the victim, the accused?

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letters

Keep trash in its place, please

Dear Editor:

As I was going to throw away my aluminum can after class, I was overcome by a sense of disgust when I was unable to throw away my can in the receptacle marked "cans" because it was full of computer paper.

When I looked into the other receptacles, I found that each and every container was mixed and not one of the four containers had what they should have had in them. Each container is marked either cans, paper, plastic, or waste.

I would think that this would not be a difficult task for students to determine which container they should throw their trash in, but maybe I am mistaken.

About two years ago, the University of Stevens Point received an award for its efforts in providing a recycling program on campus. In fact, other schools have followed Stevens Point's program in

hopes that their campus can also make a difference in saving our earth.

I believe that if these schools take a closer look at their "role-model" they may be disappointed to see that it was just an attempt that really did not work out.

I urge all students to take the extra few seconds to dispose of your trash properly on campus. If in the bathroom, class or even in the corridors you find a can just sitting there, do not just assume the janitors will get it later that night. Dispose of it properly on your way out the door.

If everybody takes just a few extra seconds to think about what they are doing when they toss their wrappers, maybe... just maybe our children will not have to live in a world filled with garbage that could have been recycled.

Kris Schweizer

Concern for safety suggests alternative escorts

Dear Editor:

I work for UWSP Protective Services as a Student Security Patrol member and I am writing in reference to your article attacking the Stevens Point Police and UWSP Campus Security.

You stated that you are upset with how these two law enforcement agencies are wasting time and money on supposed petty offenses.

The police department issued you a warning for riding a bicycle without a headlight. You were also told that you were riding against traffic. You received this warning because the officer was concerned with

your personal safety and others in your path.

Sarah, you must be concerned with your personal safety because you have requested escorts from Campus Security. I do not understand how you can value your well being but complain when someone advises you not to do something that could cause you serious harm.

As for the off campus escort you were refused, we are Campus Security, not Off-Campus Security. As much as we would like to provide escorts and other services to off campus students, this is not possible because our authority extends only to cam-

pus boundaries.

The Women's Resource Center provides free transportation to off campus students. They operate Monday through Thursday. Their phone number is 346-4851.

Although it is impossible to be everywhere at one time, Campus Security strives to provide a safe environment for the University.

As Editor-In-Chief of this paper you reach a vast amount of people all at once. I would think that you would provide more accurate information to the student body.

Cheryl L. Patty

Brown speaks at SPASH UWSP embarrassed

Dear Editor:

Students here at UWSP must get more politically involved off campus. Our lack of interest on this subject is why democratic presidential candidate Jerry Brown spoke at the local high school instead of at our university.

How is it that the UAB can bring bands and comedians, but the Student Government Association or any other organization couldn't get any candidate to come speak, free, at UWSP?

This does not help in gaining support for SGA; if they want people involved, they must lead the way.

Jack Hewitt, a non-traditional

student, best summarized our situation, "It is so important to be informed politically and so few students actually are."

I would also like to thank Jack for his excellent work in The Pointer on the candidates. Maybe more students should take this example and become more involved on and off campus.

It is an embarrassment to the entire UW system that candidates have overlooked speaking at the state colleges. It wasn't that long ago when the political hub consisted of universities nation-wide. Do we need another Vietnam in order for students to get in-

olved?

In last week's Pointer not one of the candidates mentioned actual politics. There is more to running for president of student government than the school itself.

They should show us that they understand what is going on in the rest of the world as well. Let's propose to them that an attempt be made to gain a national candidate visit at UWSP.

Being informed would be a great benefit for all of us. All of our futures are riding on the economy and the next president; we must get involved.

Robert Heller

Vote April 7

Dear Editor,

In case you weren't aware, April 7 is the Wisconsin Primary. Maybe you think voting no longer has any meaning, or that your vote doesn't count. You may even believe that none of the candidates are worth the effort.

As Americans we are given the right to vote, and choose the best candidates to lead our country, state, and city. If everyone decided not to vote,

where would we be? If each of us took a half-hour to simply choose a candidate, the best leaders possible could be chosen, and the issues we cared most about would be dealt with.

Amy Sieren
Mary Kaye Smith
Gretchen Dudley
Lisa Laszewski
Rolf Egstad

Animal tested products not safe

Dear Editor,

I was surprised to read such out-of-date information in the article by Mr. Roberts in the Pointer. Testing products and drugs on animals is dangerous and inaccurate.

If a product burns out the eyes of a hundred rabbits, the product is not changed to make it safe for humans, it merely bears the label "Avoid contact with eyes." Tests for skin and eye irritants are done daily using extremely effective plant alternatives.

Many companies manufacture safe products without using animals tests. Two successful cruelty-free companies are Paul Mitchell and St. Ives, but the list is very long.

As for medical testing, alternatives to animals are very safe, and are in use today. Non-

animal cancer tests can be as accurate as detecting 90 percent of the carcinogens in a given substance. I challenge you to find an animal test that is that accurate.

There are a number of medical and veterinary colleges across the U.S. that do not use animals in the classroom. These graduates are still quite capable of practicing excellent medicine.

Anyone who would like to find out more about the truth about animal experiments and the alternatives is urged to write for free information to: People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals, PO Box 42516, Washington, DC 20015.

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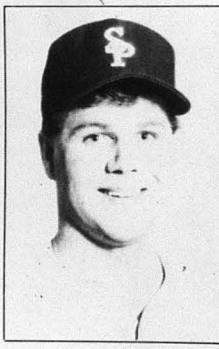
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Junior-senior dominated baseball team ready for start of conference season



Matt Kohnle (File Photo)



Rob Wolff (File Photo)



Guy Otte (File Photo)

by Mark Gillette
Sports Editor

With some good offensive baseball as well as solid defense, coach Guy Otte of UWSP's baseball team can see a successful season unfolding for his team.

A junior and senior dominated team led by co-captains Rob Wolff and Matt Kohnle, the Pointers face a challenging season in the Southern Division of the WSUC.

"We're going to hit the ball," said Otte. "If our pitchers can keep the game close, I have confidence that we will win because of our hitting."

"But we can only allow three outs an inning, our defense must not make the mistakes that will hurt us later on in the game."

The Pointers have a talented infield beginning with senior first baseman Kohnle, who hit .260 last year with 3 home runs and 13 RBI's in 31 games.

At second base will be senior Dave Schuett. He hit .339 on last years 4-8 squad, which was 14-18 overall. He knocked two home runs and had 17 RBI's.

Junior Don Radomski plays third for the Pointers. Radomski hit .360 last year in 28 games. He had 17 runs and a team-leading 31 hits.

Holding down the shortstop position is junior Ken Krug. Krug led the team last year with 10 stolen bases. He hit .292 in 32 games.

The outfield is anchored by one of the top hitters in the league, Rick Wagner. Wagner, a junior right fielder, hit .364 last year. He had 28 hits and scored 17 times.

Sophomore transfer Tim Glodovsky from Iowa Western, along with senior Bob Smejkal, junior Brad Kayden, and freshmen Jay Kremar and Kevin O'Brien, will share time in the other outfield spots.

Dividing time behind the plate

will be sophomore Russ Belling, junior Scott Pritchard, and freshman Steve Bochot.

Holding down the pitching staff will be senior co-captain Rob Wolff, who was 3-2 last year with 16 strikeouts and a 5.01 earned run average.

The rest of Point's rotation consists of sophomore Travis Rosenbaum (3-3, team leading 27 strikeouts), sophomore Pete Clark, junior Chris Combs (3-3, 2.95 ERA, 23 strikeouts and a team leading 39.2 innings pitched), and sophomore Scott Soderberg (1-0, 2.19 ERA, 12.1 IP).

Korey Krueger and Brian Quinnel are the stoppers for the Pointers, and are two key players, according to Otte.

"Korey Krueger and Brian Quinnel are our closers, they'll get a lot of innings late when the game is on the line," said Otte.

The Pointers, who are 7-5 this

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Tough spring trip won't stop young softball team

by Mark Gillette
Sports Editor

The UWSP softball team may not have come back from their spring trip in Florida with a great record, but that doesn't mean they can't have a good season, according to their coach, Sharon Stellwagen.

The Pointers came back from their Florida trip with a 1-9 record against some top competition.

"There was some really tough competition in Florida. It was our first time outdoors and it took us a while to put the pieces together," Stellwagen said.

"If we can limit our mental errors and learn from what happened to us in Florida, we have a good chance of playing at least five hundred ball."

"Michelle (Krueger) and Amy (Steigerwald) are real strong pitchers, they are probably two of the fastest pitchers in the conference."

- Coach Sharon Stellwagen

"Everybody needs to hit consistently throughout the season," added Stellwagen.

The young Pointer team is one of four teams in the WSUC's Eastern Division. Oshkosh, Whitewater, and Platteville are the other three teams in the division.

Key offensive players back from last years 4-10 third place team (10-23 overall) are senior outfielder Lisa Mortensen, an all-conference selection; senior Tina Peters, shortstop; junior Renee Olsen, outfielder; and sophomore Jenny Struebing, second base.

The remainder of the team are freshmen and sophomores. After playing volleyball under

Stellwagen for three years, junior Jodi Lindquist is now playing softball, using her first year of eligibility in softball this year.

Lindquist will play both first and third, splitting time with Struebing at third.

Holding down the outfield along with Mortensen and Olsen are Tammy Meiste, a transfer from Green Bay, and Angie Gabrielson, a freshman who will also see some time behind the plate as a catcher.

Freshman Kendi Linger will divide time at first with Lindquist while Mary Honer will see some time at both second and third base. Sophomore Shelly Daane will receive some playing time at second.

UWSP's two main pitchers are

freshman Amy Steigerwald and sophomore Michelle Krueger. Stellwagen believes that these two pitchers are two of the best in the conference.

"Michelle and Amy are real strong pitchers, they are probably two of the fastest pitchers in the conference."

Catching Steigerwald and Krueger will be Gabrielson, Mel Webb and Jesse Laughery.

With only 14 members on the team, Stellwagen may have some problems this season if she runs into any injuries, but she also sees some advantages to a smaller team.

"With a smaller team, you keep people happy with playing time. At times I wish I had a larger squad, but with less people it works better -- we are taking a chance with injuries though," added Stellwagen.

The Pointers had two games cancelled this week due to the cold weather. Weather permitting, they will play Whitewater on Saturday, April 4.

The Warhawks and Oshkosh Titans will battle for first this season while Point and Platteville will fight for the third place position, according to Stellwagen.

The Pointers first home game will be Monday, April 13 at 3 p.m. against Eau Claire.

UWSP seeks NFL team for summer training camp

Chancellor Keith Sanders believes the University of Wisconsin Stevens Point will be visited this summer by representatives of at least one National Football League team in search of a summer training facility.

Having attended the NFL owner meetings in Phoenix in mid-March, Sanders expressed "cautious optimism" about the university's chances to recruit a major-league team to rent the campus' facilities for summer workouts.

The earliest date he believes a team could be hosted in Stevens Point is 1993.

Sanders said owners of several teams expressed interest in what UWSP and the community have to offer. So did investors who are contenders for new NFL franchises expect to be awarded this year?

However, the chancellor cautioned that team representatives

are concerned about confidentiality in their deliberations to protect existing agreements for summer facilities. With that in mind, he said he was not at liberty to identify teams that will visit Stevens Point.

Sanders' optimism is spurred, in part, by the active involvement of Gov. Tommy Thompson in the recruiting effort. Thompson was the only state chief executive at the NFL meeting. "His hard work and leadership in promoting the summer Cheese League has been impressive on behalf of economic development for Wisconsin," the chancellor said.

Among potential investors seeking team franchises with whom Sanders met are former Chicago Bears great Walter Payton, who is promoting St. Louis as the site of a new team; novelist Tom Clancy, whose credits include "The Hunt for Red October," promoting a new

team for Baltimore; and Pepper Rogers, whose bid for a team is being made from Memphis, Tenn.

He also conferred with coaches or owners of existing teams, including the Kansas City Chiefs, Chicago Bears, and New Orleans Saints, which spend summers on Wisconsin campuses.

"I received a good deal of advice talking to the Chiefs, Bears, and Saints about what they like about their current arrangements (in River Falls, Platteville, and La Crosse, respectively)," Sanders explained.

The Stevens Point community, he added, has enthusiastically supported the local recruitment efforts, and his transportation costs to Phoenix were defrayed by the Convention and Visitors Bureau Committee.

Leonard De Baker and the late Vern Holmes have been active in promoting the Stevens Point

cause as community boosters, according to the chancellor. De Baker joined Sanders for sessions with the NFL owners in Phoenix.

There is competition between states and also between cities/campuses in Wisconsin for summer training sites. Other state schools known to want NFL teams for summer programs are Carthage College, UW-Eau Claire, UW-Oshkosh, UW-Parkside, UW-Stout and UW-Whitewater.

Sanders said major state businesses have been helpful in the recruitment, notably Miller High Life Brewing Co., Wisconsin Bell, General Telephone Company of Wisconsin, Forward Wisconsin, Wisconsin Milk Marketing Board, and Wisconsin Sport Authority. They sponsored much of the hospitality provided by the state at the Phoenix meeting.

Intramural notes

Entry deadline for beach volleyball and softball is Friday, April 3.

Play begins for each on the week of April 6.

Any questions, please contact Intramurals at 346-4441.

If Michigan doesn't, somebody else will beat Duke

by Mark Gillette
Sports Editor

Once again, the NCAA "Road to the Final Four" has provided its fans with a thrilling tournament.

The game that many will remember is the Kentucky-Duke East regional final game held at the Spectrum in Philadelphia.

Christian Laettner's last-second jumper from the top of the key with less than two seconds remaining and Duke down by one had to be one of the more memorable moments in NCAA college basketball history.

Duke's overtime win vaulted them to the final four for the fifth straight year with a 32-2

record. Also making the trip to Minneapolis are Indiana, Cincinnati, and Michigan.

After losing their last game of the regular season at Purdue, the Hoosiers have peaked at just the right time.

Coach Bob Knight of Indiana has successfully diverted attention away from his players and on to himself as the 27-6 Hoosiers have manhandled Eastern Illinois, LSU, Florida State, and number one seed UCLA on their road to the Twin Cities.

To get to the final game, Indiana has to get by the Blue Devils. The likes of freshman Alan Henderson, Calbert Chaeney, Eric Andersen, and Chris Reynolds must overcome a versatile Duke team loaded

with talent, such as Laettner, Bobby Hurlley, Grant Hill, Thomas Hill, and Brian Davis.

The last time Indiana made it to the Final Four in 1987 they took home the trophy.

The winner of the Duke-Indiana game will take on the winner of the Michigan-Cincinnati contest on Monday night.

Michigan is the lowest seeded team, at number six, to make it to the Final Four since Kansas won the championship in 1988. The last time the Wolverines made an appearance in the big show was 1989 when they won the whole thing over Seton Hall.

What makes the Wolverines' showing even more impressive is the fact that they have all freshman starters, coined the "Fab."

The young quintet of Jalen Rose, Chris Webber, Ray Jackson, Jimmy King, and Juwon Howard surprised number one Southeast seed Ohio State with a 75-71 overtime victory over the Buckeyes.

The Wolverines, 24-8, broke the hearts of number two seeded Oklahoma State Cowboys' in the regional semi-finals to advance to Sunday's game against the Buckeyes.

The Cincinnati Bearcats broke a 29 year drought when they made it to the Final Four for the first time since 1963.

For the fourth time this season the, number four seeded Bearcats defeated Memphis State in the Great Midwest regional final.

Coach Bob Huggins will take

his team to the Final Four with a 29-4 record and "no big-time player," as he stated after the Bearcats victory over Memphis.

What the Bearcats do have is team chemistry and a bunch of good team players. They may be a quiet team, but they are one with many surprises.

Expect somebody to ruin Duke's chances to be the first team to win back-to-back championships since UCLA.

Maybe it will be Michigan, in revenge of a loss they suffered to the Blue Devils in overtime earlier this year in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

But if Michigan doesn't knock off Duke, they'll take the whole thing next year, when the Final Four will be at the Superdome in New Orleans.

The '92 baseball season - Will the Twins repeat?

by Todd Meltwee
Contributor

The "91" Baseball Season, a year with worst to first, superman Nolan Ryan pitching his seventh no-hitter, and Ricky Henderson becoming the number one base stealer in baseball history.

Here are the teams that will give their best to make "92" better than "91". To get these predictions I looked into my crystal baseball and gazed into the future.

In the American League East, I see a close race between first and second. The team I see taking first place is the Toronto Blue Jays. With the top pitching staff in the A.L. and a strong offense, they will top Boston.

Boston has a veteran team and two pitchers that have won Cy Young awards; Clemens and Viola will keep the race close.

The Brewers will find themselves in third. They have seasoned players like Robin Yount and Paul Molitor, plus a strong farm system. This combination may keep it a close three-team race.

Power plus strikeouts will put the Detroit Tigers no higher than fourth.

The Yankees' offense will keep them out of the cellar, but no higher than fifth.

Baltimore and Cleveland will be rebuilding again this year. I see another great year from Cal Ripken and some youngsters from the Indians showing that they want out of the A.L. East basement. Nonetheless, the Orioles will come in sixth and the Indians seventh.

It was a difficult task to predict the wild A.L. West so, don't put down any bets based on these predictions.

First place will belong to the Chicago White Sox. With pitching, big Frank Thomas and the addition of ex-Cub George Bell, the Sox will run off with baseball awards and the top spot.

The Twins and newly acquired John Smiley, will need those home-run hankies to catch the Sox, they'll finish second.

The bash-brothers will try to rebound to the top, but will have to settle for third.

With Kevin Mitchell and Ken Griffey Jr. to power its offense, Seattle could take third, but they lack in pitching, fourth.

The Texas Rangers also have some offense with batting champ Julio Franco, but like Seattle, their pitching will keep them from the top.

The Angels and Royals are moving in the wrong direction. Superstars seem to leave these two teams with sixth place for the Angels and seventh for the Royals.

The first place team in the National League East will be the Mets. When it seems like a team spends \$10 million on each player they better win. With Bonilla gone, Bonds will try to take the conservative Pirates to the top, but will only go as high as second.

The third place team moved in the fence to get to the top. St. Louis also has some youngsters that will keep it close in the N.L. East.

The fourth place team will be up north. The Expos will have to rely on offense and the speed of Delino Deshields to keep

The Cubs may take fourth, but only if their pitching develops. Mike Morgan should help. The Cubs have the offense, but can it last until October.

The Phillies will be the team every N.L. team will want to play.

The chop will be back in the N.L. West with speed, offense, and pitching. The Braves will keep L.A. out of first place.

Although the Braves are strong, Darryl Strawberry and Eric Davis can't carry a team, even if Tommy Lasorda can bring out the best in a player.

During the off season, Cincinnati got pitchers that could make them the second best pitching team in the league, but the Dodgers should be able to hold them off.

Newcomer Randy Myers from the Redmer will be a foundation for the Padres pitching staff. With

Mitchell gone, San Francisco, with Will "The Thrill" Clark and Matt Williams, will still in fifth. The Giants may be good, but no pitching to back them hurts the team. In the cellar again will be the Astros, but keep an eye on the young players.

Well, here are my quick predic-

tions for "92". Sure, I may be wrong, but no one is perfect. Oh yeah, Nolan Ryan will get his eighth no-hitter.

But the big story will be the Blue Jays, as they will go all the way and beat a talent-laden Mets team. You heard it here first.

Baseball

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season after their spring road trip to Missouri, finished in third place in the Southern Division last year.

The Southern Division includes Oshkosh, Whitewater, Point, and Platteville.

Otte believes it will be a three-team competition for first place between Point, Whitewater, and Oshkosh.

The Titans are ranked fourth

in NCAA Division III coming into conference play. Whitewater is as good if not better than Oshkosh.

"It'll be a dogfight for the top spots," added Otte.

UWSP's game in Viterbo was cancelled on Wednesday due to the cold weather. So, they will play their first game north of Missouri on April 7 when they go to Sheboygan to take on Lakeland College.

The Pointers first home game will be Friday, April 10 at 1:00 pm.

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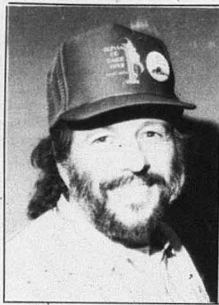
Welcome to the land of Oz... Jim Oliva's kingdom of Oz. '92. His reign is brief and his subjects are little crazy, but Oliva has the power to turn Stevens Point into the trivia capital of the world for three days every year.

Affectionately known as "The Oz," Oliva is the ringmaster of an event called the largest trivia contest of its kind. With help from the students of WWSP/90FM, Oz is turning the path to the campus radio station into the yellow brick road.

"I just received a message from one participant which says 'Trivia is not a matter of life or death...it's more important than that.' That pretty much sums up the dedication of trivia participants," said Oz. "In my opinion, Trivia is more than the Superbowl."

The owner of Mom's Computers, a local computer business, Oz does on-air announcing for 90FM and WSPT. Although he's not the originator of Trivia Weekend, Oz has been researching trivia facts and writing the contest questions with partner John Eckendorf since 1979. Between them, the pair generates hundreds of questions which keep the biggest trivia junkies guessing.

"We take questions from books, music, antiques and other things and we embellish them," admitted Oz. "With me, the questions come from a spark. Things just hit me from my personality and past experiences."



Jim Oliva "The Oz" (photo by Al Crouch)

Oz says this year's contest will be easier, but the pictures will be more difficult. "In addition, for participants looking for hints, Oz advises 'the answer to the first question is historically Robert Redford.' Despite clever tactics used by teams looking for the competitive edge, the Oz's lips are sealed.

Some nutty stunts pulled by participating teams in the past include remaking a car into a "wormmobile" and calls to Oz that his daughter is being held for ransom. And there's always the annual kidnapping of Oz himself.

"Each year, The Choir Boys come to the station and capture me for a few hours," said Oz. "The first year it happened the team members dressed up as terrorists and took me to their headquarters where I was forced to eat sauerkraut. Last year they wore cassocks and held candles, it's always different and fun."

The motivation for this type of craziness remains a mystery

to "The Oz," even when explaining his own considerable investment in the event. He says he averages about less than three hours of sleep over the three days and invests hundreds of dollars in trivia facts/artifacts to keep the contest challenging and unique.

"I seriously don't know the reason why I do this or why nearly 500 teams compete every year," Oz explained. "I'm a little crazy. In grade school, I always got the remark 'lacks self control' from my teachers. I think for anyone to be involved in this for 14 years they have to be out of their tree."

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Oliva accepts full responsibility for the Madonna-like theme of "Trivia or Dare, it's Vogue" for Trivia '92. Apparently, he has caught some heat from people who are questioning the reasoning behind his choice.

"People ask, 'why Madonna?', but really why not?, asked Oz. "She's a gutsy woman...she can't sing, but she is a great entertainer."

The Oz credits the Stevens Point community and UWSP students for their help in making Trivia Weekend a continued success.

"I've been involved in Trivia for many years and I'm the most visible person in the event, but it's not just a one-man thing, stated Oliva.

Trivia weekend offers truth & dare

UWSP has been empowered to trivialize a larger section of the state next weekend.

Campus radio station WWSP, 89.9 FM, has turned up its transmitter in time to significantly broaden leadership for the annual trivia contest it will sponsor April 3-5.

The Federal Communication Commission recently approved the student-operated station's request to increase its power from 3,610 watts to 11,500 watts.

The change will carry WWSP programming beyond Central Wisconsin to Appleton, Oshkosh, Portage, Tomah and Merrill, and in some cases, beyond. Upgrading follows installation in 1988 of a new transmitter, according to Dan Seeger, station manager from Stoughton.

"We believe we have one of the most powerful student stations in the Midwest," Seeger said.

WWSP has been on the air nearly 24 years and has undergone several power increases in that time.

The annual trivia contest, one of WWSP's first major projects, is being held for the 23rd time. Because of its length (54 consecutive hours) and the number of question (eight per hour), it has been listed as the largest event of its kind in the world by the U.S. Trivia Association.

The contest begins at 6 p.m. Friday and runs continuously to midnight Sunday, but because Daylight Savings Time goes into effect during the weekend, this year's event will be shortened by one hour.

A trivia parade, in which prizes will be given to teams that enter floats and other kinds of units, will begin at 4 p.m. near Allen Center on Illinois Avenue. It will wind along the fringes of campus and then disect it on Portage, Reserve, High, Fremont and Sims, ending at P.J. Jacobs Junior High School.

Seeger is expecting that the number of teams will increase by about 35 to a total of 450 with 10,000 people participating. Trivia began in 1969 with 145 players.

The theme is "Trivia or Dare-It's Vogue," relating to pop singer Madonna and a film about one of her recent tours.

Students who hold staff positions on the radio station during the school year will assume special duties for the contest weekend.

Seeger will be contest coordinator with Jim Oliva, a computer store operator whose 14 years of involvement has earned him the title of "Trivia Oz." Oliva and John Eckendorf, a newsman for a local commercial radio station, write the questions.

The primary emphasis will again be on questions about movies and TV programs, with a sports question each hour and some testing of knowledge in the areas of current events, comic books and literature.

The team of Network, which has won eight previous contests, is the defending champion against this year. Other top finishers in 1991 were Good Night Irene, Continued on page 11

Fanny and the Farmers harvest new sound

by Pamela Kersten
Contributor

It's a classic Cinderella story, people meeting due to "fate" and joined by a common bond. Through dedication, hard work and experience an upcoming band named Fanny and the Farmers are on their way to making dreams come true.

The band shares a common bond of music. Their blending of different styles and years of experience work together to form a band whose sound is unique.

"What we're all about is jam," stated Mark Montgomery, band member and guitarist. "When we get together we have no set list of songs to play. We just fly by the seat of our pants."

Fanny and the Farmers are full of originality. The name of their band and their self-made studio called "Old McDonald" are prime examples. They play all different kinds of music and perform on instruments includ-



The band members of Fanny and the Farmers (clockwise from top: Chris Milfred, drums; Bill Fanning, trumpet; Teresa Fanning, bass; Mark Montgomery, guitar; Joe Ebel, fiddle & guitar) will perform Sat., April 4 in the U.C. Encore.

ing the congas and a ukulele. All the bandmates share vocal accompaniment duties.

Montgomery describes their music as "bluesy-rock."

"It's funkier and bizarre," he said. "It appeals to many dif-

ferent crowds of people."

Every member of the band has contributed at least one song to their list of originals demonstrating the caliber of the musicians. They also have many original remakes of songs

from the 70s.

"When we get together we have no set list of songs to play. We just fly by the seat of our pants."
-Mark Montgomery

The musicians come from many different backgrounds and experience. Bill and Theresa Fanning, who are married, both at one time played on a cruise ship. Bill was educated at the Berkley School of Music in the trumpet and percussion and Theresa, who plays bass guitar, is studying biology at UWSP.

Montgomery, a graduate of UWSP, taught himself to play the guitar. He has worked with the Damn Yankees doing promotion and is in the process of relearning the piano.

Joe Ebel who plays the fiddle

and guitar also graduated from Berkley. He has played in various groups and supported himself on music only for many years.

Chris Milfred has played in bands before also, and is interested in pursuing a music career.

Dave Dickinson, the bands sound man, is credited with creating many unique sounds similar to Frank Zappa.

The band will perform for their first time together this Saturday in The Encore. The show will

"It's funkier and bizarre. It appeals to many different crowds of people."

cost \$2 with a student I.D. or \$3 without one. Doors will open at 7:30 pm and the show will start at eight.

"We invite people to come and see us. We have the potential to play in good places. Hopefully this will help us get future gigs," Montgomery said.

Townies test Friday night frys

by Drea Page
Becca Dehn
Patrick Bacher
Contributor

Central Wisconsin has long standing tradition of eclectic, at best, food habits. In state students have been subjected to cold weather menu items like head cheese, blood sausage, and charnina. Go to a Mom'n Pop bar on a Friday night, order a hamburger, and you're a pariah at best. So how does a kicky college student master the fine art of Portage County eating etiquette? Practice-and it's not at all unpleasant.

Stevens Point has a wealth of ethnic eating fun with no pretension involved at all. That's right, no fussy dress codes, no important tables, and nary a maitre d. To townies, (some of whom have never done the "chicken dance" or attended a Polish wedding-and the two aren't mutually exclusive) this is a local tradition that should be preserved-heck! Revealed in.

So, we gathered some of our jaded townies to revue slaw, taters, and tarter for the benefit of you tree huggers from Minnesota.

First the rules:
Many towns in WI have ceased to offer all you can eat prices. This was taken into consideration in the judging. We have several categories.

They include: Fish quality, slaw, potato option (for instance fries, baked potato, hash browns etc.), potato quality, beverages, atmosphere (the more kitschy, the better), bread, and tartar sauce. Our rating system is on a scale of 1-5 with 5 being tops. (plus and minus included)

No bakin', no broilin', it's fry from here on out.

THE NORTHSIDE BAR AND GRILL
located on north second street
Not all you can eat. \$5.00
--Fish 4

--Slaw 3
--Tater option 2
--Tater quality 5
--Beverages 5 (you can get Pepsi in bottles)
--Atmosphere 5
--Bread 5
--Tartar Sauce 4

JOE'S PUB
located in Northpoint Shopping center (next to County Market)
All you can eat. \$4.50
--Fish 2
--Slaw 2
--Tater option 1
--Tater Quality 2
--Beverages 5+
--Atmosphere 5
--Bread 2
--Tartar Sauce 3

THE THIRSTY WHALE
also located on north second street
Not all you can eat. \$3.25
--Fish 4
--Slaw 4
--Tater option 3
--Tater quality 5
--Beverages 4
--Atmosphere 3
--Bread 0
--Tartar sauce 5

THE SPORT PLATE
located in the lower level of the Sentry World Sports Complex
All you can eat. \$4.95
--Fish 4
--Slaw 2
--Tater option 5
--Tater quality 4
--Beverages 3
--Atmosphere 2
--Bread 4
--Tartar Sauce 1-
BLACKIES
can be found in Park Ridge on Highway 10
not all you can eat. \$3.50
--Fish 3
--Slaw 4
--Tater option 4+
--Tater quality 5
--Beverages 4
--Atmosphere 3+
--Bread 5-
--Tartar Sauce 3+

PINE RIDGE FAMILY RESTAURANT
found in the 51-10 Best Western Hotel.
The all you can eat option is \$4.50, the three pieces is \$3.95
--Fish 4-
--Slaw 4
--Tater option 5+
--Tater quality 4
--Beverages 5
--Atmosphere 4
--Bread 5
--Tartar Sauce 4+

THE AMERICAN LEGION
is found on Clark Street (downtown).
Not all you can eat. \$3.95
--Fish 4
--Slaw 2+
--Tater option 3
--Tater quality 5-
--Beverages 5
--Atmosphere 5++ (there was an organ player in the back corner).
--Bread 4+
--Tartar sauce 4+ (our waitress also got a BIG thumbs up).

THE UNIQUE BAR AND RESTAURANT
located on Main Street (downtown)
Not all you can eat. \$4.50
--Fish 4+
--Slaw 3
--Tater option 2
--Tater quality 4
--Beverages 4+
--Atmosphere 4-
--Bread 2
--Tartar Sauce 4

THE RIVERBEND BAR AND EATERY
located on third street (near the square).
Not all you can eat. \$4.50
--Fish 3+
--Slaw 5
--Tater option 4
--Tater quality 3+
--Beverages 4
--Atmosphere 1+
--Bread 2
--Tartar Sauce 1-

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Musical review montage

by Jason Fare

Contributor

Cowboy Junkies - "Black Eyed Man"

Atmospheric would be the best word to describe the music produced by the Cowboy Junkies. It is beautiful and smooth, delighting ears with songs that belong among the clouds. Their latest release, "Black Eyed Man," showcases all of the magic that the Junkies are capable of creating.

Margo Timmins gracefully slides her vocal cords over tracks like "Southern Rain" and "The Last Spike." Her singing is some of the best that can be heard during these shallow, synthesized musical times. The band molds a blues-touched aura around her that complements the harmonic waterfall that she produces.

"Black Eyed Man" will surely be one of the best releases of 1992. It is a strong collection of fascinating songs, written mostly by producer Michael Timmins, Margo's brother.

Little Village - "Little Village"

Like the Traveling Wilburys before them, Little Village takes an intriguing, laid-back approach in their first musical venture. Featuring acclaimed artists John Hiatt, Ry Cooder,

Nick Lowe, and Jum Keltner, Little Village provides eleven impressive songs about love, sex, work, driving, and solar energy.

John Hiatt provides the vocals on most of the songs, and sings with the same confidence he has always possessed in his incredible solo career. Hiatt gets better with each new release.

No one in this collaboration steps on any toes as they make their way through this blues/rock/folk/r&b compilation. It is a very successful team effort that comes across so loosely strung, one would think what these guys are doing is incredibly easy.

They have fun while performing the songs, and the result is an enrapturing listening experience. This record, along with solo outings from Hiatt, Cooder and Lowe, are all worth purchasing.

The Bel-Vistas - "Somewhere Along the Line"

Listening to this disc is like going home. It is a comforting feeling when you turn the corner and see the destination at the end of a long trip. The Bel-Vistas play passionate, American rock 'n roll with a heartfelt sincerity that is too often absent from radio play lists.

A perfect opening act for

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Trivia

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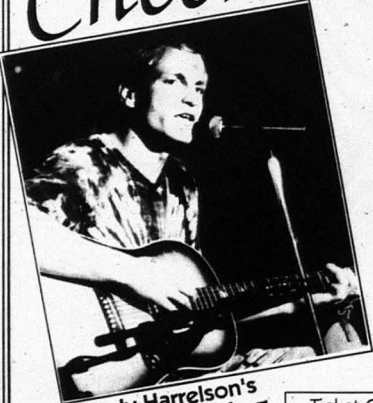

Those who prefer watching as well as listening will have the option of seeing the contest over Cable Access Channel 3 in Stevens Point throughout the duration of the contest.

Honor is most at stake in the contest because the prizes are only trophies.

The contest is viewed as an economic boost in the community because of the number of people it draws for the weekend. Seeger said at least 1,000 people were at last year's contest from outside the Central Wisconsin area.

Team registration will be at the station studio in the Communication Arts Building from 3 to 7 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and noon to 6 p.m. on the contest's opening day. Charge is \$10 per team.

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Calvin and Hobbes

by Bill Watterson

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OUR REPORT CARDS?
 YOU KNOW, OUR GRADES

GRADES? WE'RE BEING GRADED?
 OF COURSE, DUMMY. WHAT DID YOU THINK?

DON'T WE EVEN GET A FEW PRACTICE SEMESTERS?

I BROUGHT MY REPORT CARD HOME, DAD
 WELL, LET'S SEE IT.

REMEMBER HOW YOU ONCE TOLD ME IT DIDN'T MATTER WHAT GRADES I GOT...

...JUST SO LONG AS I TRIED MY HARDEST, RIGHT?

WELL, YOU COULD CERTAINLY BE TRYING HARDER THAN THIS!

SO YOU ADMIT YOU WERE LYING?

DAD SAYS MY REPORT CARD SHOWS THAT NOT ENOUGH TIME IS BEING SPENT ON MY HOMEWORK

SO FROM DINNER TILL BED IS NOW DESIGNATED AS "HOMEWORK TIME."

I DON'T THINK THAT'S FAIR!

IF IT DOESN'T TAKE THAT LONG TO DO, WHY SHOULD I HAVE TO STAY IN MY ROOM ALL THAT TIME?

YEAH, CAN I HELP IT IM SO FAST?

DEADER 'N A DOORNAIL

ALMOST AS DEAD AS A DOORNAIL

ABOUT HALF AS DEAD AS A DOORNAIL

MUCH, MUCH DEADER 'N A DOORNAIL

CAN I HAVE SOME CLAY?
 HELP YOURSELF, THIS STUFF'S IMPOSSIBLE TO WORK WITH

THANKS

I'VE GOT A PRETTY GOOD BOWL OR SOMETHING GOING HERE

IT STARTED OUT AS A PHANTOM JET, BUT IT SORT OF SQUASHED, SO NOW I THINK IT'S A BOWL

MMM THAT'S VERY GOOD

YEAH, I'M REAL PLEASED WITH IT

WHOH THERE'S A DINOSAUR IN THE KITCHEN!
 YAAARGH

WELL IF YOU SEE CALVIN ANYWHERE, TELL HIM IT'S ALMOST TIME FOR DINNER

I'D INVITE YOU, BUT NO DINOSAURS ARE ALLOWED AT THE DINNER TABLE

HA, DINOSAURS EAT ANYWHERE THEY WANT

LET'S GO, CALVIN, TIME FOR YOUR BATH

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THE FAR SIDE

By GARY LARSON



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Free condoms handed out at UC for "sex know-how"

by Eric Meyer
Copy Editor

Students who answered questions that tested their knowledge of sexual issues were given a free condom Friday by the UWSP Lifestyle Assistants Office.

A question booth set up in the U.C. Concourse gave students an opportunity to test their knowledge of sexually transmitted diseases, rape, proper condom use, AIDS and other related topics in exchange for a condom.

"Through asking the questions and giving out condoms we wanted to make people less shy about their sexuality," said Junior Heather Wilson, one of 18 UWSP Lifestyle Assistants.

"The reality is that sexuality is out there. By the time students reach college age, 90-95 percent are sexually active. There are a lot of diseases and a lot of pregnancies that are happening that can be prevented through education," Wilson said.

Wilson said that even with nobody around many students were uncomfortable pulling questions from the envelope and reading and answering them

aloud. "They get really giggly about it," she said.

Most of the surprises for students who took the quiz were in the areas of rape and STD's according to Wilson who admitted that on the average students were rather knowledgeable.

"A lot of people didn't believe that man to man rape happens and they didn't know that rape is not a sexual thing but more a psychological power thing.

"A lot of people are not knowledgeable about STD's. They know that they are out there, but they're not knowledgeable about what kinds are viruses and what kinds are bacterial and things like that," said Wilson adding that a few people still thought they could get AIDS from kissing.

Lifestyle Assistants who worked the booth distributed Lifestyle brand lubricated condoms to students. Wilson advises students to use only latex condoms with a spermicide since the AIDS virus can be transmitted through natural condoms.

"There are still a lot of gray areas out there, but we're trying to clear up the misconceptions the people have," said Wilson.

Tanners beware!!

Indoor tanning is not safer than natural tanning as many people may believe. Both the natural sun and sunlamps or tanning beds and booths expose you to dangerous UVA and UVB rays which both increase your risks of skin cancer.

Even though some UVA tanning products are promoted as having filters that screen UVB radiation, (the so-called "burning rays"), almost none of these filters is completely effective and efficiency often diminishes with age.

"I went tanning before heading to Florida for break," commented UWSP junior Ann,

"That way I figured I would protect myself from getting a painful burn."

"While it is true that a tan blocks out some radiation in attempting to protect the skin from further injury, (about the same as a sun protection factor of two or three), it is inadequate protection against skin cancer and premature skin aging.

According to the FDA, "The risk of skin cancer increases each time your skin is exposed to UV radiation." Therefore, by going tanning, you are only causing more damage to your skin instead of protecting it.

Some users, like Ann, believe that a longer exposure time means "safe exposure." They may be less likely to limit themselves to the manufacturer's recommended exposure times and may refuse to wear protective goggles. These omissions can be extremely dangerous.

"I never wore the goggles," confessed sophomore Jenny, "I didn't think they were necessary." But, wearing the goggles is the only way to avoid developing cataracts later in life that may eventually lead to partial or total blindness.

UVA and UVB radiation also damage the blood vessels in

a sublayer of your skin, which affects the immune system's ability to respond to illnesses.

Although FDA regulations require a warning label on all sunlamps, they are aware that these labels are often ignored, and their safety instructions rarely followed.

"Always wear your safety goggles that block UV radiation, and follow the manufacturer's recommended time exposures for your skin type," recommended the owner of a local tanning salon. "If you do not tan in the sun, you are unlikely to tan using sunlamps or tanning beds," she advised.

INNOCENT BYSTANDER

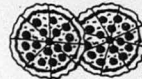


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Fish Fry

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THE NORISKE NOOK
 located in Osseo, WI.
 (Some of us were on our way to
 Minnesota for Spring Break).
 Not all you can eat. \$4.50
 --Fish 4+
 --Slaw 4
 --Tater option 4
 --Tater quality 4+
 --Beverages 3+
 --Atmosphere 5
 --Bread 4+
 --Tartar Sauce 2

GARY NATION'S
 located in Whiting on business
 51 South.
 Not all you can eat. \$4.95
 --Fish 4-
 --Slaw 5-
 --Tater option 2
 --Tater quality 5-
 --Beverages 4+
 --Atmosphere 2
 --Bread 3+
 --Tartar Sauce 3+

We are not finished, and
 neither are you. Sooo...get out
 there and live a little! Slaw
 yourselves.

Review

from page 11
 someone like Springsteen
 and/or Mellencamp, The Bel-
 Vistas touch home with the "or-
 dinary man" present in their
 songs. He is the person in
 everyone who searches for love,
 understanding and a place in the
 world where contentment can
 be obtained.

Mark Ripp, lead vocalist, has
 considerable talent, lending an
 authentic feel to every song with
 his emotional, gritty singing.
 Micheal Baxter's bass playing,
 Bob Hamlyn's guitars, and John
 Toffoli's drums create a setting
 in each track like painters ob-
 serving and interpreting a dusty,
 rural landscape.

This is a record to experience.
 It has a down-to-earth touch that
 deserves notice. Here's a toast
 to The Bel-Vistas and bands
 which continue to produce real
 music.

Simply Red - "Stars"

I don't know about you, but
 Simply Red is one of very few
 groups that get me dancing
 about a room. There is just
 something about their jazz-in-
 fluenced funk, combined with
 Mick Hucknall's angelic vocals,
 that makes them stand out on
 even the most commercial radio
 station.

Their new album, "Stars" is
 the best release they have had
 since "Picture Book" and the
 song "Holding Back the Years"
 in 1986. The title track is ab-
 solutely great - one of the best
 songs recorded in 1991. By the
 end of it, you wish you could
 "fall from the stars" right
 alongside Hucknall and com-
 pany.

Although the band provides a
 musical garden that Hucknall
 can thrive in, he is the sole
 reason they achieve greatness.
 His is the ultimate instrument.

There are many incredible
 female singers in the industry,
 but very few impressive male
 ones. He is one of the five best
 performing today, along with
 Luther Vandross, Geoff Tate of
 Queensryche, Steve Perry, and
 Aaron Neville. Listen up.

Quiz

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suddenly changes. Out of no
 where, you guessed it, a tornado
 is heading right for the two of
 you - uhg! Luckily, you notice
 there's a cabin just ahead to take
 shelter in - how convenient for

you. You should...

a. Head for the basement of
 the cabin, or if it doesn't have
 one, just be sure to stay away
 from any outside walls or win-
 dows.

b. Sit in the southwest corner
 of the building and cover your
 head.

c. Throw your roommate in
 front of the door to block any
 debris from hitting you since
 he/she never paid back that
 \$10.00 they owe you.

According to the CEM in the
 first situation you should have
 answered A. They say not to
 worry about the windows just
 take cover and protect your

head. For the second situation
 the correct answer is also A.
 The southwest corner is not
 going to protect you any better
 than any other corner of a build-
 ing.

So while taking those spring
 wild flower walks or any other
 outing be sure to keep your eyes
 on the sky and your feet on the
 ground.

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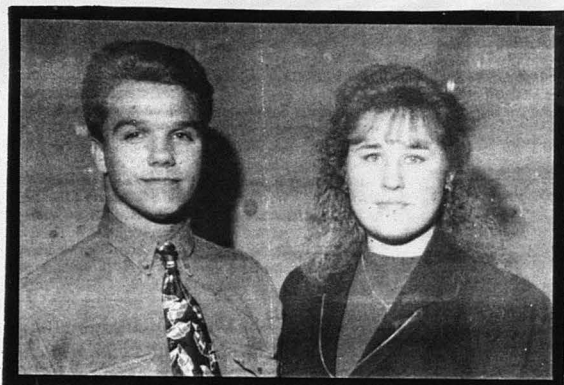


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outdoors

Bridges, catch fish beat crowds

by Buck Jennings
Outdoors Editor

Most every angler knows where to find spawning walleyes in the spring. Rock bars and wing dams below the dams on major river systems.

True enough, fish will be found in these areas during the spring, but so will anglers, often by the hundreds.

The truth is that these are not the only locations of walleye spawning. Walleyes will spawn over a variety of substrata and locations, from shallow, flooded vegetation to hard bottoms in twenty feet of water. These locations can produce trophy fish without the added hassle of other anglers. The trick is finding them.

There are alternative spring walleye hotspots that are more easily located and yet lack the droves of anglers that typify the well known dams.

The construction of a dam usually backs up water to create a reservoir upstream. Water does indeed flow through a reservoir but the current can be imperceptible resulting in more of a lake than a river situation.

Rig catches fish, not rocks

by Buck Jennings
Outdoors Editor

There's nothing like catching a mess of walleyes in the spring. Only at this time of year are walleyes concentrated and feeding heavily in such numbers.

The fish seek rocky substrata as one of their favorite spawning sites. The very rocks that attract these fish can prove to be the bane of many anglers.

Numerous snags coupled with the mounting cost of tackle can cause the frugal angler to wonder if it is really worth it.

I've fished spring river walleye runs for several years and in the past couple I have developed an inexpensive bait system that both catches fish and reduces costly lost tackle and snag-induced headaches.

Last year I introduced the system to you as the "Buck-Jennings neutrally-weighted-fighter natural bait presentation (or BJNWFNP for short)." The system is rigged as follows:

A bell sinker, sized according to water depth and current strengths, slipped on to the line and held about a foot from the hook with a small split shot.

Yet usually where a road or a railway crosses a reservoir portions of the crossing are built on a dike, and the remainder, usually over the main channel, is bridged.

This dike, bridge, dike situation results in a bottleneck on the water system.

The bottleneck concentrates water, creating a section of reservoir analogous to the main river system. Couple this increased current with the bitumen and rocks characteris-

tic of dike and bridge construction and you have a walleye spawning area overlooked by many follow-the-crowd anglers.

Some of these areas will completely lack boat traffic because ice on the main body of water will prevent boats from traveling to these areas.

The best bridges can be located on a decent road map. Spend a day of traveling around

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Last week's open-house gave people, especially children an opportunity to handle one of four black bear cubs. The bears were provided by Dr. Hardin's captive wildlife program. (photo by Jeff Klemen)

A number 4 true turn, or a bronze aberdeen hook is threaded on the line but not tied. These lighter hooks are used because they will straighten out if snagged and are easily reformed and sharpened.

A small, roughly spherical segment of a twistertail or rubber worm (chartreuse or white are hot colors) is nipped off, and, using the hook like a sewing needle, threaded onto the line.

Remove the hook and add a red plastic bead to the line. This will prevent the rubber segment from sliding back onto the hook and blocking a hook set.

Now tie the hook on and slide the segment and bead tight to the knot on the hook.

Tip the hook with a fat-head

or a nightcrawler and fish the rig as you would a floater rig.

The rubber segment serves as a jig-head and provides a bit of lift in the current to keep the minnow off the bottom. The rig is soft and fish inhale it and hang on. You won't miss many fish with this system.

Because it's not exactly a floater, less weight is required and so snags are less frequent. The wire hook will often straighten out if snags do occur, and if the rig is lost, it's inexpensive to replace.

With this system I've caught walleyes up to four pounds and as many as 100 in three hours, in snag infested water, on the same rig (no joke).

Try the "BJNWFNP." It works.

Payne's new book a first

A UWSP professor is author of the first "how-to" book on managing wetlands habitat for wildlife.

The 550-page hardcover work by Neil F. Payne was developed for the McGraw-Hill, Inc. biological resource management series.

"Techniques for Wildlife Habitat Management of Wetlands" is a manual that emphasizes technique and minimizes principle, according to Payne.

The book deals with a growing crisis in a practical way, responding to what the author describes as intensive land use

help maintain a healthy ecosystem in our stressed environment and will produce maximum populations of wildlife to help meet society's increasing demands for consumptive and nonconsumptive wildlife recreation," Payne noted.

The author has begun work on a companion volume focusing on techniques for wildlife habitat management in uplands and rangelands.

A native of Sheboygan Falls and the son of Mrs. Ruth Payne, who still lives there, Payne received a B.A. degree in biology from UW-Madison in 1961, an M.S. in wildlife from Vir-

"the author has skillfully described ways in which quality habitat can be improved and preserved or developed to obtain maximum results,"

reducing wildlife habitat "at an alarming rate."

In the foreword, Jessop B. Low, retired leader of the Utah Cooperative Wildlife Research Unit, predicts the book will be used by ever-increasing numbers of wildlife managers, teachers, biologists, administrators and private citizens for amplification and benefit of wildlife.

Low concluded that "the author has skillfully described ways in which quality habitat can be improved and preserved or developed to obtain the maximum results," touching on such diverse projects as building a wetland ecosystem, a waterfowl habitat, dike, marsh, pothole and nesting island.

"Habitat improvement will

ginia Polytechnic Institute and State University in 1964 and a Ph.D. in wildlife from Utah State University in 1975. Since earning his doctorate, he has been teaching wildlife at UWSP.

After serving as a first lieutenant in combat in the Marine Corps during the Vietnam War, Payne was the director of furbearer research and management for the Newfoundland and Labrador Wildlife Division and then taught on the wildlife faculty at the University of Washington in Seattle for two years.

(Editors note: The University book store has informed me that Dr. Payne's book has been ordered and should be available for purchase in two to three weeks.)

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Cranberry marsh wildlife diversity

Schmeekle Woodcocks

A natural resources student from Wausau, who has conducted a survey of wildlife diversity on cranberry marshes, will present the results of his research at 4 p.m., Thursday, April 2, at UWSP.

The seminar, in Room 312 of the College of Natural Resources building, will be open to the public without charge.

Eric Jorgensen, 1706 Roosevelt St., Wausau, has spent two years completing the project, which was funded by the Wisconsin Cranberry Growers Association, with additional support from the Natural Resources Foundation of Wisconsin and UWSP's stu-

dent research fund. Jorgensen documented the presence and status of animal and plant species on commercial cranberry lands and made recommendations to help the growers maintain the wildlife values of their properties.

"The bird community was diverse," the researcher reports, with 131 species observed, including swallows, sparrows, geese, and cowbirds. The reservoirs are home to marsh birds such as the American bittern, black tern, and red-winged blackbird. Also, he says the mammal community numbered about 24 documented species, including red fox, coyote,

striped skunk, and river otter. Jorgensen says 11 species of reptiles and amphibians were surveyed. Blanding's turtle, a threatened species, also is present throughout the area, according to the graduate student.

However, "sometimes the needs of wildlife and the needs of agriculturalists conflict," Jorgensen continues. White-tailed deer, sandhill cranes, Canada geese, and muskrats have been identified by growers as species which interfere with their operations. Increasing raptor activity and widening of dikes have been among the methods used to help control damage from geese and muskrats, he reports.

In addition to seeking ways of controlling depredating species, growers are also taking action to help species which do not interfere with their operations, according to the researcher. Hay bales have been placed to encourage puddle ducks and songbirds, and various nesting structures have been built to attract wood ducks, swallows, bluebirds, bald eagles, and ospreys to the areas, Jorgensen says.

Based on the interest demonstrated by these growers, he predicts a bright future for wildlife on cranberry-raising lands.

A program on "Woodcock Sky Dance" has been rescheduled from March 26 to Thursday, April 2 in the Schmeekle Reserve Visitor Center at UWSP.

Diane Lueck, a staff member as well as a part-time nontraditional student in the College of Natural Resources, will make the presentation beginning at 6 p.m. The public is invited and there will be no charge.

Bridges

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to find the best spots. Most bridges will produce a few fish but a few will produce the most fish.

Walleyes are not the only species that can be caught at these bridges. In the "flats" adjacent to the main current, crappies can be caught as they spawn and the walleyes taper off.

Try small jigs tipped with minnows and slip bobbers. Five to seven feet of water seems best.

Pike can also be caught cruising these shallow sun-warmed flats. Try soaking a sucker or a golden roach while you trying for walleyes. A slip-bobber also works well here.

Try fishing bridges this spring, but check your regulations to make sure that they are still open. With a little bit of hunting you might be able to find an overlooked hotspot. Fish or not, it's a great way to avoid the hoards of dam Philistines.



Schmeekle Reservé receives a treatment of fire during last Friday's warm weather. The prescribed burn was conducted by the UWSP fire crew, a student organization utilized by the DNR. Watch next week's Pointer for a story detailing the fire crew. (Photo by Jo'Anne Ebica)



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Tornado awareness quiz

by Wendy Wagner Kraft
Staff Writer

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A. Drive toward the twister because you heard tornadoes are like hurricanes and are calm in the middle.

B. Try to outrun the twister because your car has great pick up.

C. Pull the car over so you and your pal can jump into the nearest ditch.

D. Do nothing because your friend has been known to have delusions.

According to the Council on Emergency Management (CEM), C is the best answer, unless your friend really is prone to delusions. The CEM suggests never to attempt to outrun

a tornado in a car. The path of a twister is very unpredictable and can move faster than your car ever could.

Being aware of the dangers and safety precautions regarding tornadoes is a must for every outdoor enthusiast. Not all twisters are as receptive to travelers as the one Dorothy and Toto unexpectedly hitched a ride upon.

Since Wisconsin is part of the infamous "Tornado Alley" it has racked up its numbers of twisters - 963 since 1844. There have been some 503 deaths and over 2800 injuries related to these powerful storms in our state alone.

To keep all of us Dairylanders safe, the Wisconsin Division of Emergency Government, the National Weather Service, and the County Emergency Government Directors have created a number of activities to inform the public about tornado safety during the month of April. And,

if this isn't exciting enough for you, our own Governor Tommy Thompson has designated next week "Tornado Awareness Week."

Just so you don't feel left out of the festivities, here are a few twister teasers to make sure you stay grounded this spring.

1. You're at your weekly Crane club meeting and the Civil Defense sirens go off - there's a tornado heading your way - yeeek! You should....
a. Grab another club member, preferably a good looking one, and hide under a table.


b. Fling open every window in the joint so you equalize the pressure in the place preventing the building from blowing up.

c. Step outside and see what the birds are doing.

2. You're out on a hike with your roommate and the weather

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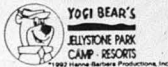
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The Week In Point

THURSDAY, APRIL 2 - WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 1992

THURSDAY, APRIL 2

Career Serv. Workshop: Resumes- Any Major, 4-5PM (Comm. Rm.-UC)
 Career Serv. Presentation: THE INSIDE SCOOP- School Personnel Administrators Share Expertise, 4-5PM (125/125A-UC)
 Campus Act. Concert: NO HATS TOUR w/TRAVIS TRITT, MARTY STUART & MARK O'CONNOR, 7:30PM (QG)
 UAB Alt. Sounds TNT w/BUSKER SOUNDCHECK, 8-10PM (Encore-UC)
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FRIDAY, APRIL 3

WWSP-90FM Radio Station Presents: TRIVIA CONTEST
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 Mainstage Prod.: DANSTAGE, 8PM (Jenkins Theatre-FAB)
 UAB Concerts Presents: SAM IAM, 8-11PM (Encore-UC)

SATURDAY, APRIL 4

WWSP-90FM Radio Station Presents: TRIVIA CONTEST
 CAMPUS PREVIEW DAY
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 UAB Fox Valley Greyhound Park Bus Trip (Leave from in front of UC at 4PM)
 Inst. of Mgmt. Accountants: Offering Assistance in Preparation of Income Tax Returns, 9AM-1PM (Cafeteria-COPS)
 Mainstage Prod.: DANSTAGE, 8PM (Jenkins Theatre-FAB)
 UWSP Music Coalition Trivia Party w/FANNY & THE FARMERS, 8PM (Encore-UC)

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

WWSP-90FM Radio Station Presents: TRIVIA CONTEST
 Planetarium Series: DEATH OF THE DINOSAURS, 2PM (Planetarium-Sci. Bldg.)
 Mainstage Prod.: DANSTAGE, 7PM (Jenkins Theatre-FAB)

MONDAY, APRIL 6

Latin American Film Festival Movie: ERENDIRA, 7:30PM (A206 FAB)

TUESDAY, APRIL 7

RHA Brown Bag Discussion: PRO (Prisoners Reaching Out), 11AM-1PM (125/125A-UC)
 Baseball, Lakeland (Sheboygan), 2PM (T)
 Career Serv. Workshop: Job Search/Continued Education Resources, 3-4PM (134 Main)
 UAB Issues & Ideas Speaker: DANIEL BUETTNER, 7:30-9PM (PBR-UC)

Environmental Council & EENA Environmental Concert w/ KEN LONNQUIST, 8-10PM (Encore-UC)

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8

Career Serv. Workshop: Interviewing, 3-4PM (Comm. Rm.-UC)
 Academic Achievement Center: THE LAST RITES (OF WRITING), 7:30PM (UC)
 Music Scholarship Series Faculty Recital: WISCONSIN ARTS QUINTET, 8PM (MH-FAB)

For Further Information Please Contact the Campus Activities Office at 346-4343!!!

PERSONALS

Congratulations Goosey for running a whole load of laundry without the clothes. You're so cool, and I know after you read this I'm dead.

Happy Birthday to our Sig Tau Big Brother Frank! Love your favorites, Paula and Ted

ASB Participants, Thanks for your enthusiasm and positive attitudes in San Antonio! It was great getting to know you all. Laura

To Clark and Mr. Turner: Who can dance and dance and dance and fall right on her knees? Yup, you guessed it-me! Thanks for all the care you proceeded to give me as I was clinging to the cuff, I owe you. Lois

To the combination forgettin' popcorn throwin', egg eatin', picture snapin' sassy on college: next time I'll dress you with a jacket and lipstick!

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Julie: "No, Just leave it there!" "You, didn't dress me with lipstick!" "Pepper, anyone?"

Pettigrew: "Here, just take a cup, I'm too drunk to count money!"

Ice: Happy 21st Birthday Dude? I'll see you at the bars like myself. Phlippy

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Sheon, Thanks for the nice evening Monday! You're so sweet. I love you, Ann.

Think globally? Then act locally! Join us at our next team leader meeting on April 6th at 4pm in the UC Heritage Room. Bring a friend, get involved!!

Hey Scooter, "Your what hurts?" April Fools. 4-East.

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