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Departments play a numbers game

By John Slein

Department heads all over campus are breathing a bit easier now that the fall semester is in full swing, coming off of many weeks of planning and reorganizing their respective programs to accommodate what appears to be a record enrollment at UWSP.

But as they are relieved to have fit most of the students into the curriculum, they are acknowledging that this year's enrollment problems, which have been somewhat compounded by a budget cut of 4.4 percent, may be only beginning. As the semester wears on and the work piles up, many have expressed concern that educational quality could decline due to limited resources, of which the most serious deficiency, they generally agree, is understaffing. With few new teachers added to any program on campus, departments that have seen enrollment increase have likewise seen the student credit-hours allocated to each faculty member increase — some nearly to the limit mandated by the university.

Among the departments most affected by enrollment boosts are Business, Natural Resources, Paper Science, and Communication.

The Business department had about 860 Business Administration, Accounting, and Economics majors last year, and that was enough to make preregistration a virtual must for anyone wishing to enroll in any of its courses. This year, according to department chairman Lawrence Weiser, the program will show an enrollment of about 1100. Weiser said that freshman enrollment into the program was higher than ever this year, and that the department had several hundred Business minors also. In addition, he said, many students have declared Business as a second major, while others are enrolling or attempting to enroll in Business courses as electives.

Photo by Aaron Sunderland



Even the bike racks are feeling the effects of this years enrollment boost.

As a result, the first day of drop-add is a hectic one in the Business department. Students unable to preregister or register for Business classes flock to the fourth floor of Collins Classroom Center with the hope of being admitted to already packed classes. Most of them are turned away, but the classes invariably end up larger than the department had intended. With courses in which the problem has become too severe, the department has gone to mass lecture sections. "We're doing more mass lecturing this year than in the past," said Weiser, who himself teaches an Economics class with 140 students.

Weiser said that one full-time and several part-time faculty have been added this year. He said that course sections would be limited by budget cuts, but that the enrollment problems would be the same, even without the budget cuts.

In the College of Natural Resources, the problem is more one of space. Daniel Trainer, former dean of the CNR, who now serves as Assistant Chancellor for Academic Affairs, put it this way: "You can only get so many people into a lab or in the field." Trainer said that the department has for a long time had mass lecture sections to accommodate students, but that it had kept labs small to compensate for the lack of attention students

with hundreds of classmates generally receive.

With the CNR's student credit hours per teacher on the increase — acting dean James Newman said that the number of credit hours assigned to each teacher has risen by 4.2 percent from last year — lab space, not unlike other years in the CNR, was a problem this year for the department's administrators.

But the CNR is coping: its labs remain small, and its budget remains within the newly enacted guidelines of the state. It is able to do so by virtue of what Trainer calls a "buffer," which is a number of positions, typically two, that the department leaves open each year for part-time lab instructors. Thus it is able to add laboratory sections when the need arises, as it has this year.

The Paper Science department, according to chairman Michael Kocurek, has a curriculum that can be extremely difficult for freshmen and sophomores entering the program. Therein lies the solution to the enrollment problems promised by the overabundance of freshmen who each year declare Paper Science their major. Indeed, the program's attractiveness is hardly surprising, with the average starting salary of its graduates currently \$21,000, and with employment prospects excellent.

Enrollees in UWSP's Paper

Science program number about the same as last year, when its enrollment peaked after a steady increase since 1970. Kocurek said that the approximately 180 students the program harbored last year may have been a bit too many. "Students who needed additional help sometimes couldn't get it," he said of the program's laboratory sections. The result, he said, was that the gap between the program's good students and its mediocre students tended to widen. "Those who excelled got better, and those who didn't got worse," he said.

The four-man Paper Science staff saw enrollment in its department surpass what Kocurek considers its maximum level two years ago. But he and his colleagues have managed to keep increases moderate since then, despite freshman enrollment data indicating otherwise. This they have done mainly through counseling — students are advised to discontinue the major after their sophomore year if they have not maintained at least a 2.5 average.

The Communication department has also been attracting students in large numbers. Department chairman Ken Williams has watched the program nearly double in size since he took over in 1977. This year's enrollment will exceed 600 and will top last year's count

by about 100.

Williams said that the broad nature of the program made the prospect of getting a Communication degree an attractive one. Whereas other Communication programs have separated various areas of Communication — such as Advertising, Journalism, or Public Relations — into distinct, specialized colleges, UWSP has kept its program all-encompassing, an approach that is becoming less common, according to Williams. But that approach has distinguished UWSP's Communication department as a winner in many students' eyes, or so the enrollment boom there would seem to indicate.

Faculty shortage woes heard in other departments are echoed loudly by the Communication department. This semester, Williams said, it was not able to fill one vacant position, and another has been left vacant while its holder directs a group of students abroad in the overseas program. Student credit hours per teacher are this year higher than ever in the department, Williams said. He added that the department was unable, because of limited resources, to offer every course that it wanted to. "What's hurting this department," he commented, "is success." Williams also felt that the

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If you wish to have your bill always mailed to your home address, regardless of whether or not school is in session, please contact the Accounts Receivable Office in Room 005 of the Student Services Center. A special indicator will then be set into your records to always mail bills to the address of your choice.

If your bills are paid by a third party, you will need to forward them.

If your local or home address has changed since you entered school, contact the Registration Office to make the correction.

All-Holmes Fight to be Shown "Live" in Quandt

The UWSP Athletic Department, Don King Productions and SelectTV of Wisconsin, Inc., will present the world heavyweight championship bout between Muhammad Ali and Larry Holmes "live" in the Quandt Fieldhouse on October 2 at 8 p.m.

The evening will include two preliminary bouts: the first between Lupe Pintor and Johnny "Dancing Machine" Carter for the World Boxing Council's (WBC) world bantamweight title, and the second between Saoul Mambly and Termitte Watkins for the WBC's world superlightweight championship.

Tickets are on sale at the UWSP Information Desk in the University Center and the UWSP Athletic Department ticket office in the Quandt Fieldhouse. Additional information can be obtained by calling 346-3888.

UW-Madison Assistant Dean of College of Engineering to visit UWSP

Richard Hosman, Assistant dean of the College of Engineering at UW-Madison, will visit the UWSP campus on Thursday, October 2.

He will be interviewing pre-engineering students and will inform them about curricula in engineering, synchronization of courses on our campus with courses in the UW-Madison College of Engineering, and discuss career opportunities for engineers.

The interviews will be held in Room D132 in the Science Building from 8:30 to 11:45 a.m. and 1 to 4 p.m. Additional times can be arranged if necessary.

Advance appointments can be made by contacting Dr. Trytten, Room D142 in the Science Building.

Outstanding Education Students Chosen as Interns

Thomas Hayes, director of UWSP student teaching, announced that approximately 30 students — the most outstanding in the senior class in the School of Education — are serving as intern teachers for the fall semester.

In addition to the teaching experience gained, a \$2,000 stipend is paid to each person.

Last Chance to Register for "Defensive Driving This Semester"

A defensive driver training course for all interested students, staff and faculty has been scheduled from September 29 through October 2. Under the governor's directive, this course is required of those students and employees who drive state cars or who drive their cars and desire reimbursement.

The course is a six-hour program and will run in two three-hour sessions. A double session of I and II will be scheduled for the participants' convenience. It is necessary to attend three hours in Session I and three hours in Session II.

Session I is scheduled on Monday, September 29 and Tuesday, September 30. Session II is scheduled on Wednesday, October 1 and Thursday, October 2. Each session will meet from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Wisconsin Room of the University Center.

Sigma Phi Epsilon's "Tootsie Roll" Sale

Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity is sponsoring a "Tootsie Roll" canister sale. The canisters, which can be used as banks, are \$1. The proceeds will go to the Kidney Foundation.

The canisters can be purchased at their "happy hour" at the Alibi on Fridays, or in the Union Concourse.

Committee Established to Study Registration Procedure

Dan Trainer, the Chancellor's representative at the Faculty Senate, announced at last Thursday's meeting that Chancellor Marshall has appointed a committee to study the registration procedure.

According to Trainer, concerns were expressed by students that they weren't getting the courses they needed or wanted. He added that 10,000 drop-add forms were processed since school began this fall.

The committee will study the goals of registration and see if there is a more efficient way to go through the process without canceling a day of classes.

SPBAC Budget Workshop Scheduled

SPBAC will hold a budget workshop for all recognized student organizations tonight at 7:30 in rooms 125 A&B of the University Center. All recognized student organizations are required to have at least two members in attendance.

UW-LaCrosse Offers European Study Tour This December

UW-LaCrosse is offering a study tour to Europe, December 27 through January 10, 1981.

The trip will concentrate on the art and architecture of Italy and Switzerland. Tour highlights include visits to Rome, Venice, Florence and Zurich.

The fee for the tour is \$1,069 and includes round trip air transportation from Chicago, hotel accommodations with three to four people per room, transportation costs between cities, breakfasts and dinner, sightseeing guides and entrance fees.

Anyone interested should contact Dale Kendrick at 608-785-3230.

Professional Studies Speech and Hearing Tests

The Speech and Hearing Tests, which are required for professional studies admittance, will be administered today from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in the Communicative Disorders Room in the lower level of COPS.

National Endowment Youth grants announced.

The Youthgrants program of the National Endowment for the Humanities will offer over 100 cash awards across the nation this fall to young people in their teens and early twenties, including many college and university students, to pursue non-credit, out-of-the-classroom projects in the humanities. The deadline for submission of completed applications is November 15, 1980.

An annotated exhibition of 20th century war-time "home-front" activities in Minnesota and Wisconsin, a booklet on the history of the sheep industry in Vermont, an anthropological film about a Los Angeles gypsy community, and a collection and study of migrant worker

border ballads in South Texas are some of the projects undertaken by college and university-age youth.

The grants, which offer up to \$2,500 to individuals and up to \$10,000 for groups (\$15,000 for certain high-cost media projects) are intended primarily for those between the ages of 15 to 25 who have a ways to go before completing academic or professional training. While the program cannot provide scholarship support or financial aid for degree-related work, it is the only federal program which awards money directly to young people for independent work in the humanities. The humanities include such subject areas as history, ethnic studies, folklore, anthropology, linguistics, and the history of art.

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Honors System revised

By Jeanne Pehoski

Last spring, the Academic Affairs Committee—a standing committee of the Faculty Senate—presented a resolution to revise the Honors System. It passed the Senate with overwhelming approval.

Under the new system, to receive Honors a student must have a grade point ratio (GPR) of 3.5 to 3.74. High Honors are awarded to those students who earn a GPR of 3.75 to 3.89, and Highest Honors are given to those who maintain a 3.9 to 4.0 GPR.

John Moore, chairperson of the Academic Affairs Committee, said members of the committee and faculty felt that grade inflation is too widespread on this campus.

"Grade inflation started during the Vietnam War when professors who were sympathetic to their students didn't grade as rigorously as they should have," Moore said.

Moore explained that there are two reasons for the continuation of grade inflation. "Those students, some of who are now faculty members, don't know what fair, rigorous grading processes are all about because they never

experienced it themselves. Also, faculty members want to keep their jobs. To keep their jobs they must have students, so consciously or unconsciously, they become 'easy graders.'"

The faculty should establish evaluation criteria, and not only make students aware of it, but also adhere to that established criteria. If every faculty member on this campus established criteria, there would be no reason for a student to feel that he received an unfair grade because he would know what was expected from him," said Moore.

Despite the fact that a 10-point grading system now exists at UWSP and there is a slow nationwide trend to combat grade inflation, Moore said that most students—who he described as "very capable people"—can graduate with a decent GPR, which, according to Moore, is a 2.0.

Moore also said that although students think they have to have at least a 3.0 GPR to get accepted into graduate school, that is not the case. "I'm a perfect example. I can't remember exactly what my GPR was, but I know it was less than a 3.0."

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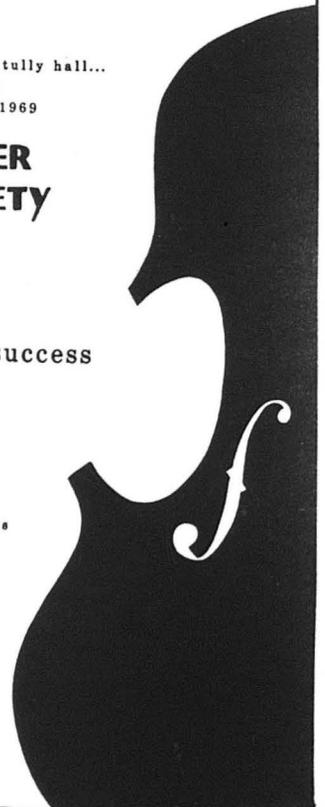
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administration handled the distribution of the 4.4 percent budget cut extremely well.

In UWSP's graduate school of Communication, enrollment increases are even more spectacular. According to Williams, enrollment in the program has been running three years ahead of what the department projected it to be.

To accommodate this year's increases at both

levels, Williams and his colleagues have each had to shoulder part of the burden. In addition, some part-time teaching help has been obtained, Williams said.

Residence Halls Full

The approximately 100 new freshmen enrolled at UWSP this year have helped pack the 14 residence halls on campus to near capacity. Dorm contracts numbered 3789 at the start of the year, exceeding last year's figure by 26. Acting Director of

Student Affairs Business Operations John Birrenkott said that the overflow of students trying to get into the dorms — numbering 24 this year — were temporarily housed on the fourth floor of South Hall. Cancellations and no-shows, he said, were to allow these students to move into other dorms within the first two weeks of the semester. As of Monday, most of the overflow has been relocated, but at least five students still resided in the South Hall temporary space.

Committee appointments assigned

Student Government sets goals for year

By Lori Holman

The SGA Student Senate meeting was called to order by President Catterson on Sunday, September 21 at 7 p.m. SGA Advisor John Jury was introduced as the guest speaker.

Jury expressed his desire for Student Senators to get involved in the numerous student-related issues on campus. He said that "SGA should get its head on straight," and added, "I will offer the kind of support that I think you'll need to make good sound decisions."

SGA's Executive Director, Richard Eakins, announced the final and complete Student Senate body. The on-campus Senators are as follows: Darci Dickens, Liz Walters, Tom Andryk, Clay Bolyanatz, Sheila Bannister, Lisa Christenson, Dennis Elmergreen, Jean Greivell, Garrett Jensen, Sandra Mork, John Olson, Lorraine Ortner, Natalie Thorbakken and George Yatso. The off-campus Senators are as follows: Bruce Assardo, Sue Busse, Kathy Currie, Susan Hazlett, Tom Meyer, Renee Bohanski, Greg Brooker, Jack Buswell, Dave Hanneman, Dennis Hornik, Scott West and Don Heaster.

Lori Beirl, Communication Director of SGA, announced that pictures of the Student Senators were soon to be taken. The photos will be put on display in the University Center to enable other students to readily identify the Student Senators. Beirl also mentioned that plans are being made for SGA to enter a homecoming float in the annual parade.

Catterson announced that the SGA Executive Board (which consists of President, Vice-President, Executive Director, Budget Director and Communication

Director) met with several university administrators over the summer. Issues discussed included offering summer health services for those UWSP students who are not attending summer school, faculty evaluation methods, the physical education credit requirement, and compiling an updated housing guide for students. Each of these issues will be followed up by SGA during the course of the year.

Vice-President Pucci explained the main function of United Council, the UW-System student organization, to be that of lobbying on behalf of the students. Pucci said that, at the September United Council meeting, a resolution was passed encouraging all university food services to boycott Campbell's and Libby's as an act for human rights. Pucci explained that the members of United Council felt that employees of these two companies are underpaid and are subject to health hazards due to chemical exposure.

The issue of closing Allen Center was also discussed. The idea seemed to originate in order to implement continual service in Debot by using the Allen Center employees. Approximately 20 students were present at Sunday night's meeting to express their strong opposition to such a move. Catterson suggested creating an ad hoc committee to investigate the matter further.

Catterson and Pucci met with Mayor Haberman on Monday, September 14. Two main topics were discussed. The first was the idea of establishing a Tenant Association in coordination with the City Common Council. The main purpose of this committee would be to establish stable regulations

of the legal responsibilities of both the landlord and the student tenant. SGA would have one member seated on this committee, which would meet monthly. Currently the only liaison of landlord-tenant relations is a Common Council committee that meets once a year.

Pucci explained that he hopes that such a committee could serve as a detour to court-resolved disputes. He explained that an inherent problem exists in housing rental contracts; often the state and city rules conflict and often the question of which authority takes precedence arises. Pucci also said that SGA hopes that students will come to them for advise and representation in such matters.

The second topic discussed was the seasonal square controversy. Pucci said that Haberman speculated that the crowds had decreased this year. However, the number of policemen has increased. This seems partly due to the fact that tavern and business owners now pay the salaries of the officers from Thursday through Saturday night. The possibility of closing the square early on two notoriously troublesome nights (Halloween and Homecoming) was also discussed. No definite course of action was agreed upon.

Members of SGA are planning to meet soon with Haberman, the City Housing Inspector, and the Clerk of Courts to continue discussion on these subjects.

The next Student Senate meeting will be held on Sunday, September 28 at 7 p.m. in the Wisconsin Room of the University Center.

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- 6) What three Wisconsin natives served as producer-directors for this summer's

- comedy smash *Airplane*?
- 7) Where is the Main Koss headphones factory located?
- 8) What album most influenced the Beatles when they were giving birth to Sgt. Peppers *Lonely Hearts Club*?

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Save Energy: Dine by RHC candlelight

By Cindy Schott

It may not be the height of romance, but it does save energy, and will have to suffice for Thursday evening's excitement in meals on campus. No, it's not chocolate kisses for dessert. It's Candlelight Dining in the Blue Room of Debot Center from 4-5:30 p.m., on Thursdays sponsored by the Residence Hall Council (RHC).

The cafeteria style meal consists of a choice of cocktails—either milk, coffee, soda or water, and the identical menu featuring those original recipes that are served in the other rooms of Debot and Allen Centers. You guessed it. The only real difference is the atmosphere. I expected the Blue Room—which is named appropriately for the color of its walls—to be darker than it was, but it certainly was pleasant, relaxed, and agreeably different. The drapes were drawn, and taper candles were stuck in the top of a wax-dripped liquor bottle. The style has a casual tone—nothing requiring dress in formals or three-piece suits.

One of the nicest and most

impressive features of Candlelight Dining in Debot is the musical entertainment. A piano player is hired each Thursday night to provide an hour and a half of mellow music to dine by. The night I visited, the pianist even sang! I found this part of my experience the most refreshing, offering a welcomed release from the heavy-duty rock-n-roll heard in the dorms 24 hours a day.

And a change-of-pace seemed to be the most popular reason among the students for eating in Debot's candlelight. Ann Berg, a freshman living in Watson Hall commented, "It seemed more like dinner than cafeteria dining. They should have it in all three rooms. Besides, it saves on electricity. That's also my kind of music!" Marge Cummings, also a freshman from Watson, shared the same positive thoughts. "I not only enjoy the change of atmosphere, but the change in people. It's nice to see a new face!"

Candlelight Dining at Debot Center on Thursday nights does offer some versatility for students on either the 14- or 20-meal plan—those lacking the

freedom of coupons—who never really get the opportunity to eat in a different environment, other than Debot or Allen, without paying cash for that extra treat. One night of the week can be slightly out of the ordinary without sacrificing valuable "spending money."

Began initially three years ago, Candlelight Dining continues to be financed through an activity fund through RHC. The dining committee organizes the main thrust of the affair. Approximately \$4 out of the fund—which we as students in residence halls actually form through our sum payment—goes toward making this atmosphere special. The entire service is relatively inexpensive. The piano player is awarded \$10 for each session, and the price of the candles is, of course, quite minimal.

According to Randy Larson, Vice-President of RHC, and a member of the dining committee, the room stays filled most of that hour and a half. He estimates they seat approximately 500 people each Thursday night.

Personally, I was disappointed that the food was the same as always, but face it—if it wasn't, we'd have to pay for that extra luxury. If you're in the mood

for a slight taste of romance—if not food—on a Thursday evening, check out Candlelight Dining at Debot Center. You might find it just what you need to put some flick in your wick!

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A woman aware

By Michelle Dane

I have spent the last couple of weeks reading books, listening to lectures, discussing with friends and generally becoming an aware woman. By the end of last week I was so thoroughly depressed by my worth or the lack of it, that I had to read a dirty novel just to relax my mind so that I could put things back into perspective. Now I am somewhat able to go back, look at what I have learned, somehow put it all into its proper place and share it with you.

I guess that I had always known that as a 'homemaker' I had what some found to be a worthless job, though I have found it to be a rewarding and challenging career. Still, what really bothered me is that the State of Wisconsin casts me in a very similar light, as a person with no financial worth. It was bad enough to know that by the very virtue of being a woman I was discriminated against by insurance companies, the Social Security system, the courts, employers offering uncollectible fringe benefits and in a dozen different ways; but to find that my own state finds that, as a marriage partner I have the obligation to keep house, to raise the children and perform sexual services without any rights other than to expect minimal support comes as the biggest shock of all. I always assumed that as a wife, mother, defender of the homefront and petkeeper, I had some corresponding financial value. Now I find I am only a housekeeper, mother, and sex partner who will die penniless if I die first.

I do not own half of my home (though my name is on the deed) because I cannot prove that I paid for half with my own earnings. Any savings accounts, whether in my name or not, are the property of my husband unless I can prove that I earned the money put into them. Any managing or disposition of property income or other accumulated wealth is the sole responsibility of my husband unless he consents to my help. "out of the goodness of his heart." If I die first I have but three things to dispose of — my silver, my body, and my funeral bill. All of these things are a terrific slap in the face to me as a person, a wife, a woman, and a homemaker.

The law should treat me as fairly as any other person, not as a second class citizen. It should recognize my contribution to my family as a contribution to a partnership in law, but it doesn't. The ironic thing is that if I choose to divorce, I have many more rights, but as a wife I have nary.

The Governor's Commission on the status of women has three publications and a number of

papers that every married person in this state should read: That Old American Dream & the Reality or Why We Need Marital Property Reform, Wisconsin Women and the Law, and Real Women, Real Lives — Marriage, Divorce, Widowed. There are a number of other books available containing invaluable information for women, one of the most informative being The Economics of Being a Woman by Dee Dee Ahern.

Z (he still lives) to show

By Jeanne Pehoski

From the moment this film starts, it draws the audience into the plot with a strong sense of forward movement, staccato editing and the corny but effective technique of using loud music to build up the suspense. At the film's end, the audience is emotionally exhausted and their worst fears about government are realized.

Based on the novel by Vassili Vassilikos, Z re-enacts the planned murder and subsequent investigation of the Greek pacifist Gregorios Lambrakis in 1963.

The film is a powerful statement on how political corruption can be hidden under the mask of law and order, but it also shows the capacity of citizens to fight "the system" through the use of speech, press and the court systems.

Costa Gavras, the film's director, achieved the difficult task of using violence to get the audience to hate violence.

Though the film is a political and social statement, the audience is never allowed to forget that a man's life was taken. Much of this humanistic aspect of the film can be credited to Irene Papas, who portrays Lambrakis' widow. Though she appears in the film for approximately 10 minutes, Papas evokes an expression classic to Greek tragedy. Jean-Louis Trintignant is excellent as the magistrate who would rather risk his career than hide the truth behind the "accidental death."

Made in Algiers in 1969 and banned in Greece until 1974, the film received an Oscar for "Best Foreign Film" and was named the Best Picture of the Year by the National Society of Film Critics.

Z is being presented by the University Film Society Tuesday, September 30 and Wednesday, October 1 at 7 and 9:15 p.m. in the Program Banquet Room of the University Center. Admission is \$1.

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Environment

First fall m First Fall meeting coming up

Push is on for deposit legislation

By Jon Tulman

The first fall meeting of the local chapter of the Wisconsin Coalition for Recycling (WCR), a statewide organization seeking passage of beverage container deposit legislation, will be held at the Charles White Library on Tuesday, October 7, at 7 p.m. The announcement was made by Bruce Sullivan, a graduate student in environmental education and chapter chairman.

WCR was created this past February for the purpose of being a grassroots lobbying force that would serve as a counterweight against the strong voice of business interests that have successfully fought deposit legislation in Wisconsin for the past 14 years.

Statewide, the organization has more than 500 individual and group members, including the League of Women Voters and the Environmental Agenda, itself a coalition of environmental activist groups. At the local level,

WCR has received support from the Portage County Preservation Projects.

Sullivan outlined several reasons why his group favors deposit legislation. Several studies, including one done this past year by UWSP graduate student Gary Kmiciek, have shown that at least 50 percent of non-biodegradable roadside litter consists of beverage containers. According to the United States Environmental Protection Agency, beverage containers constitute six percent of the nation's household garbage.

While six percent may not seem overwhelming, it is still a significant factor in an area such as central Wisconsin where landfill space is being rapidly depleted. Within a year, Stevens Point may be forced to truck its refuse to places such as Green Bay or Milwaukee, and if this occurs, it is estimated that this would raise the city's trucking costs from its current \$75,000 per year to over \$500,000 per year.

Other factors favoring deposit legislation that Sullivan cited were large savings in energy costs and natural resources. He noted that a study at the University of Illinois concluded that one throwaway bottle or can required three times the energy needed to deliver an equal amount of drink as a returnable reused 15 times. In addition, savings of bauxite (aluminum ore) could add up to over 50 percent.

This past spring, most of WCR's activities centered around Senate Bill 466, which would have established mandatory deposits on all carbonated beverages. The bill was before the Committee on Natural Resources and Tourism where the majority of Senators were opposed to it. WCR organized a letter writing campaign to get the bill out of Committee with a favorable vote. The bill, however, was withdrawn before a vote was taken.

During the summer, WCR

conducted a survey of candidates for the Wisconsin legislative primary. According to state co-chairperson, Marsha Cannon, the results were encouraging. Of the 80 respondents, 55 percent favored beverage container deposit legislation. In addition, WCR was asked by pro-deposit legislators to take an active role in drafting new legislation to be introduced later this year.

The local chapter was active in the letter writing campaign this past spring. They also manned a booth at the Energy Expo held at UWSP in May. Sullivan was very pleased with the response his organization received, noting that over fifty persons placed their names on the mailing list. The local chapter also designed the logo which was adopted by the state organization. It has also acquired a slide show supporting its position which it hopes to show to interested groups in the area.

At the October 7

meeting, Sullivan will present findings of a study he and four others did on the impact of deposit legislation on various interests in the Stevens Point community. He will also review what the state organization has been doing over the summer, and list some of the priorities for the fall. Included among these are continued efforts to familiarize central Wisconsin citizens on the issue, and an attempt to get deposit legislation on the agenda at the Environmental Agenda Conference in October. If the latter is successful, then deposit legislation would be recognized as being one of the most ten important environmental issues confronting the state.

Sullivan added that if people were interested in helping WCR but couldn't make the public meeting, he could be reached at 341-1058. He also noted that his group meets on campus several times each semester; notices are posted on bulletin boards both on campus and in the community.

Fish census taken

Reflections on Sentry fishing hole

By Robert J. Einweck

Last Saturday, while most students were occupied with a warm-up party for the football game or shooting their first arrows of the hunting season, members of the Fisheries Society performed a fish census and habitat analysis of the ponds around the Sentry Insurance complex.

A group of about 20 gathered at the large L-shaped pond on the eastern side of the property and unpacked the tools of the pond survey trade — boats, nets, dredges, bottles, preservative, and hip boots. Ed Bowles, a student, briefly outlined the goals of the survey for the group. Throughout the day, each person got the opportunity to gain practical experience in using the survey equipment. The day was instructional, yet useful information was gathered on the stocked ponds to determine their present health and the success of the fish stocking program.

While some of the students went out in a boat to dredge up bottom material for analysis, others organized to collect invertebrate animals from rocks and weeds along the shore. Identifying the species aids in indicating the quality of the pond environment.

Teaming the experienced with the novice, students picked random spots along the shore and searched for organisms. Within minutes, collecting trays were filled with a diverse assortment of arthropods, including mayflies, dragonflies, and tadpoles.

Looking through the collected specimens, one could follow, for example, the life cycle of the mayfly. Larval forms at different levels of maturity were found, and the airborne adults were seen returning to the pond to deposit caches of eggs.

Jim Wierschem, wildlife manager for Sentry, contacted the Fisheries Society to do a survey on the ponds because "We've been stocking with rainbow trout for three years now and we'd like to know how they're doing. The ponds were put in five years ago, and they're spring-fed, so we figure they should be able to maintain a good fish population. We stock them, so our employees and their families can get some recreational benefit from them."

Wierschem says only rainbow trout have been added to the pond. The abundant arthropod population was probably

introduced by the ducks that frequent the pond. Organisms flourish rapidly in an environment as clean as



Mark Ernst checking the pond's invertebrates.



Setting nets for routine checks for planted fish population.

the Sentry lagoons. The ponds are aerated by one end and are taken out in a boat and gradually lowered

fountains, which provide aesthetics as well as preventing the water from becoming stagnant.

Other students took seine nets through random portions of the pond to collect minnow specimens. This survey was to identify types present, but not relative quantities. After making a pass through the water, the specimens were sorted and preserved.

The day proceeded with novices learning basic identification and techniques from peers in a very non-traditional classroom. Most found the experience of setting fike nets especially challenging. These cylindrical nets, their shape maintained by large hoops, are anchored to the shore at

into the water. The most difficult part is to avoid falling into the water.

Eventually, the submerged nets stretch over 20 feet and catch any fish swimming into it. The fish are not injured and are released when the nets are checked by volunteers on subsequent days. Then, the fish are counted, identified, measured and fin-clipped. Fin-clipping is a telltale sign that the fish has already been counted, if it is caught again.

The results from this part of the survey will be the most valuable. Initial results from the past couple days show that the only game fish present are rainbow trout, averaging about 12 to 14 inches long. These findings indicate that the initial stocking is succeeding. Wierschem claims that the majority of the stock averaged nine inches. These were purchased from a Wisconsin Rapids fish hatchery for 50 cents a fish.

When the survey concludes at the end of this week, the results should provide an excellent profile of the pond. But by midafternoon on Saturday, when the Fisheries Society concluded the major part of its work, many felt the survey had provided them with an excellent experience.

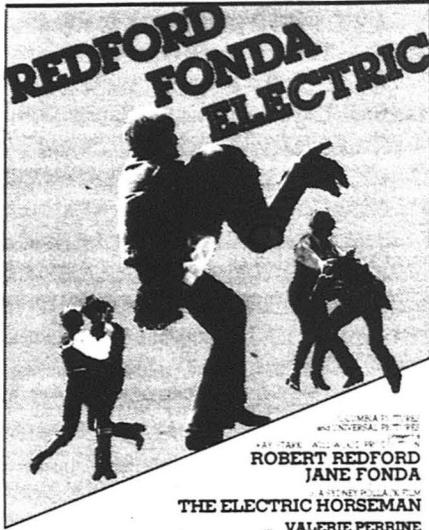
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To the Pointer:
Your cartoon, "Agent Orange," in the last issue of The Pointer wasn't funny. That didn't particularly surprise me. But the cartoon was a racial slur, and that did surprise me. You should know better.

The cartoon portrays Orientals (Vietnamese?) as simple-minded goggle-eyed fools whose teeth are too big for their mouth, whose hair is worn in top-knots, and who all have an inexplicable fondness for stringy Fu Manchu mustaches. Such racial stereotypes are more than merely inaccurate. They are an insult to the many Oriental faculty members and students here at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point.

The Pointer owes them an apology.
Sincerely,
Daniel Dieterich
2132 Ellis Street
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Editor's Note: There is a difference between racism and the use of racial stereotypes to make a point. There was no malicious intent behind the artist's depiction of Orientals.

The malicious intent was directed at the US military forces that used agent orange, not the Vietnamese people. It was not meant to be "funny" either.

To the Pointer:
I am writing in regards to the University Convocation held on Tuesday, September 16. The purpose of the event as I understood it was to honor those instructors who had earned meritorious teaching awards over the past year. My concern about the program is this: out of seven total awards given, two for scholarship and five for outstanding teaching, not a single one was presented to a woman. In reviewing the list of past awards winners on the back of the convocation program, I noted that there have been no women recipients in the almost ten years the awards have been presented here.

Isn't this omission of women an indictment of the sexist attitudes of this university? Does the awards selection committee want us to believe that our women faculty members cannot successfully compete with their male counterparts for awards of excellence? Worse yet, could it be possible that the omission of women award winners was an oversight on the part of the selection committee?

The keynote speaker for this event was Robert O'Neil, President of the University of Wisconsin system. How ironic that a man whose work has included involvement with both the American Civil

Liberties Union and Affirmative Action, and whose very address focused on censorship in, of all places, libraries, a domain that has historically and traditionally been considered female, should speak from a platform that was so heavily weighted with men that the one woman on the stage that afternoon could not possibly have kept the scale anywhere near balanced. That woman, by the way, makes one final statement about the status of our women faculty; she was the President of Student Senate.

Sincerely,
Kathryn Jeffers

To the Pointer:
"Sapheads unite!" I was appalled when that message appeared in Dan Dieterich's letter last week. The budding of SAPS (the Sylvan Adoration and Preservation Society) in the Stevens Point area means only one thing — that evil has taken root here.

Student, beware. Don't become entwined with these seemingly friendly frond fondlers! They hide gnarled minds behind innocuous faces. Sure, it doesn't seem harmful to participate in a tree-squeezing ceremony. And it may even feel good.

Slowly, though, you will be drawn deeper into the forest:

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Perspectives

The Quest for Truth

In my four years at this university, I've often heard that the students are apathetic—that they are not as involved or concerned as were the students of the late sixties and early seventies.

True, the students of that era were a much stronger political force than are today's students. They openly revolted against the Vietnam War, fought for governmental control of air and water pollution and protested nuclear power. They were even willing to go to prison for their beliefs.

So what happened? The draft registration was recently reinstated, and according to a recent Gallup poll, 71 percent of adults, ages 18 to 24 favor it. Pollution control and nuclear power are still important issues, but neither are getting the student involvement they have in the past. And although the Student Government Association appointed student members to various committees, the faculty says that generally, student turnouts at the meetings are low.

Some would argue that this proves today's students are apathetic. I disagree. Unlike the students of the past, today's students are more inquisitive. They did not come to college to "change the world," but to discover knowledge and seek the truth. After all, according to the UWSP catalog, the mission of the UW system is to "discover and disseminate knowledge. . . Basic to every purpose of the system is the search for truth."

Webster defines knowledge as, "the fact or condition of comprehending truth or fact." Hence, knowledge suggests truth, "the body of real things, events and facts"—again, Webster's definition.

I suggest that there is no ultimate truth. For example, 10 years ago, who would have believed it would be possible for the President of the United States to be a crook? That fact disillusioned our nation and made us realize that the so-called "experts" can and should be questioned.

I believe that today's students, though they are not as politically active as they have been in the past, are constantly searching for truth and knowledge. They go about it in different ways. Some believe the two can still be found in books, so they memorize facts and graduate with high grade point averages. Some are skeptical and, as they read the books, they evaluate and question the facts given. Others look for truth and knowledge by becoming involved in campus government and organizations. Still others move from course to course—major to major—looking for something they can believe in or identify with.

But however they do it, I feel that the students of today are serious and concerned about the issues and want to become better people.

Don't forget, today's students are tomorrow's leaders, and, to quote Tennyson, "Though we are not now that strength which in old days moved earth and heaven, that which we are, we are—one equal temper of heroic hearts, made weak by time and fate, but strong in will to strive, to seek, to find, and not to yield."

Jeanne Pehoski



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Responsible sex: everybody's business

Last year 90 women on campus had their entire lives rearranged on them. They blindly catapulted from the peaceful cocoon of everyday college existence to a nightmarish intro into the 'real world' solely on the merit of one exciting evening. By the time Dr. Bill Hettler met these students, it was too late to turn back the calendar. They were already the victims of unwanted and unnecessary pregnancies.

Dr. Hettler, head of the campus Health Services Center, has vowed to do all in his power to remedy this situation. Together with fellow staffers Carol Weston and Marion Ruelle, a contraception campaign has been designed to raise the level of student awareness on this often touchy subject. The campaign will have two phases. The first and major one begins September 29 and will end October 31. The second phase follows a one-month tabulation hiatus, beginning December 1 and following through the 13th.

When asked his reasons for implementing such a large scale program, Hettler believes some personal background was necessary to explain. When he arrived here in 1972, he was certainly not prepared for the appalling number of unwed mothers who came to him for advice. Sometimes they averaged one a day. Hettler's initial response was to personally ask each Health Services visitor if they were engaging in sex, to get a rough idea of sexual attitudes on campus. Several complaints from some who questioned his motives and a call to the Chancellor's office quickly put an end to this method of inquiry.

So Hettler conceived and taught a course called Responsible Sexuality (Health 140) in the hope that it would positively address these concerns. The first half of the course was devoted to information on sexual issues. The second half dealt with how to teach kids about sex, emphasizing stages at which specific information should be offered. The course was dropped after three years, despite strong student interest, because of fiscal cutbacks in staff. (However this semester it is again being taught by Robert Bowen and Weston, and it's expected to remain in the curriculum henceforth.)

The next step in Hettler's education by fire consisted of medical staff (Health Service nurses and doctors) surveying the sexual practices of their patients both at the center and in informal dormitory settings. Initially uncomfortable with the practice, several

in-service sessions cured staff members of their willies, yet the program overall was still lacking some vital element.

That element turned out to be student involvement in the instruction. The Student Health Advisory Committee subsequently got involved in the process, bringing various contraceptive forms to open forums in the dorms, showing and explaining them. Rapping about sex with one's own peers was significantly more relaxed but still some students remained uninformed or disinterested.

Hettler hopes the missing link is an enthusiastic awareness program. As he sees it, "We have top quality services, we offer condoms and other means of prevention at drastically reduced costs. All we need now is to raise student consciousness to deal with the issues. That's what we expect our mass media campaign to do."



Dr. Hettler

The media being utilized will include posters in both classrooms and the Union, campus radio in the form of Public Service Announcements and Two-Way Radio talk shows, Pointer ads and features, Pointer Poop ads, and flyers in the dorms, particularly in the johns, where a "captive audience is a certainty... around three times a day." There will also be extensive contraceptive workshops at various locations and appropriate videotape presentations.

Besides providing rudimentary knowledge about services and methods, the campaign will also attempt to dispel many misconceptions which have arisen over the years and might be keeping students away from the center. The major one centers around the degree of confidentiality present in Health Service dealings, especially the fear that parents will be informed of their offspring's sexual activities. There is absolutely no basis for this fear as no information can be given out without the involved party's written release.

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Peace or consequences

By Joe Palm

The next time you sit and wonder what you can do to gain additional credits in either Humanities or Social Studies, why not consider Peace Studies? In a time when our world seems to glow with threats and outbreaks of revolution, you can still receive a solid and applicable background in peace, the near obsolete idea this world needs to see more of. Here at UWSP, the Peace Studies program (which is unique to Stevens Point in the University of Wisconsin system) has been offering courses such as "Futures of Peace" and "The Personal Element in Peace" since 1970.

"We know so very little of the process of peace," says Communication professor Pete Kelley, "no wonder we do it so badly." The courses offered here under the program, as Kelley sees it, "Try to explore peace with the same energy we've studied war." The goals of the individual courses vary, as some study former peace movements while others probe into the arms race and arms control. These courses provide a better insight into their respective topics. There

are a total of 59 students involved with the two Peace Studies courses offered this semester, but more students are anticipated for the spring, when additional courses will be offered.

Chairman for the Peace Studies program is History professor Charles Rumsey, who was elected to the position last spring. Rumsey, however, has served as chairman previously for two years. Professors instructing



Pete Kelley

the various courses include William Kirby, Lee Burress,

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Kelley, William Skelton, and Chairman Rumsey. An important part of the courses are the various guest speakers who add color to the program. Past speakers include Stevens Point Episcopal Priest Father Lewis, Stevens Point City Planner William Burke, and even a government official working for the reorientation of Vietnam Veterans.

To find similar programs in the country's universities, one might have to go as far as the University of Michigan or Pennsylvania, but why would we want to go that far when it is offered right here at home?

Straight talk about sex

The Human Sexuality Task Force was formed in the spring of 1980. It consists of a group of faculty, staff and students concerned that UWSP students lack important information regarding their sexuality. The group will be presenting informational columns each week in *The Pointer*, and soon will air a brief program of answers to student-submitted questions on WWSP. Students with questions regarding sexuality are urged to submit them in writing to: The Human Sexuality Task Force, c/o The University Counseling and Human Development Center, Delzell Hall. All information submitted to the Task Force will be held in confidence. We regret that in most instances, personal replies will not be possible. Questions of most general interest to students will be selected for use on the radio program. Some typical kinds of questions, along with the Task Force's responses, follow.

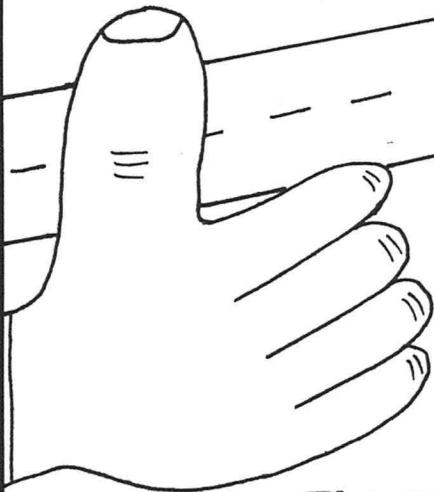
Sexuality involves the whole person, therefore mood has much to do with what is preferred at any given time. In a sensitive sexual exchange, talking is the essence of mutuality. So, if you are concerned about what feels good, why don't you ask her?

Question: Is it normal during sexual activity for erections to wax and wane, or does this indicate potency problems? **Answer:** When there is no direct stimulation to the penis, the erection is determined by the man's feelings and desires for his partner, the varying effects of what he sees and hears, and the tempo with which he intends to attain ejaculation. Since these factors vary, so does the ability to maintain an erection, and the erection may harden, soften, or even end. Why panic? Relax and enjoy the sensations of the activities.

Question: Do cigarettes alter sex drive or capacity? **Answer:** They certainly do. After a person stops smoking, the sexual capacity is definitely increased. An additional consideration is the comfort and pleasure of non-smoking partner. It is certainly no fun to kiss an ash tray!

Question: Do women want clitoral stimulation or is the clitoris too sensitive to be directly touched? **Answer:** Most do, however, some don't. Some women want direct stimulation at certain times and not at other times.

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Sports

Pointers outscore Knights, 41-31

By Joe Vanden Plas

If there was any semblance of defense exhibited during UWSP's wild 41-31 victory over St. Norberts Saturday, it wasn't easy to detect. The awesome offensive display by both clubs reminded one of a prize fight between two sluggers. They score points at will, but seem to care little about how well they defend themselves.

The total offensive production of both teams combined was a staggering 886 yards.

UWSP gobbled up 478 of those yards. The Pointers big threat of the day was the passing combination of junior quarterback Brion Demski and his incomparable split-end Chuck Braun. Braun caught nine passes for a total of 133 yards and three touchdowns.

St. Norberts relied on the punishing runs of fullback Joe Hoerning, who rushed for 123 yards in 18 carries. Hoerning also grabbed four passes for a total of 97 yards, 79 of those yards coming on a touchdown pass from Knight quarterback Greg Cavanaugh.

"I've said since the beginning of the season that we have a high-powered offensive team," explained Pointer head coach Ron Steiner. "We have skilled people there and they sure displayed that."

However, Steiner was a bit miffed at the play of his defensive unit. "We are weak on defense. The linebacking crew is inexperienced and they didn't read their keys properly," insisted Steiner. "Our secondary was too cautious. They had a couple of interference calls go against them and then they kind of laid off a bit, and that is uncalled for."

The Pointers got on the board first with a crisp 10-play, 78-yard opening drive which was capped by a three-yard touchdown pass from Demski to Braun. The big play of the drive was a 35-yard Demski to Mike Gaab completion. Randy Ryskoski's PAT made the score 7-0 with 10:08 remaining in the first quarter.

After holding the Knights on their first possession, the Pointers marched 58 yards for their second score, which came on a perfect 23-yard Demski toss to Mike Gaab. With 5:02 left in the first stanza, the Pointers led 14-0 and the difference was obviously the outstanding play of Demski, who completed 23 of 38 passes for 290 yards and four touchdowns. "Brion played well from the start of the game. Overall, I thought it



Photo by Gary La Boulton

UWSP split-end Chuck Braun (88) receives a pass from QB Brion Demski during the Pointers 41-31 victory over St. Norbert. Braun caught nine passes for 133 yards and scored three touchdowns against the Knights.

was his best performance since he has been here," beamed Steiner.

It looked as though the Pointers were going to run St. Norbert right out of Goerke when linebacker Pete Jacobson stepped in front of a Cavanaugh pass and returned it 15 yards to make the score 20-0, with four seconds left in the quarter.

But the Knights started to take offense to the Pointer dominance. They drove 72 yards for a touchdown, aided by a questionable pass interference call against UWSP. Cavanaugh's subsequent one-yard dive made the score 20-7 with 10:32 remaining in the half.

St. Norbert mighty mite Greg Eiting cut the lead to 20-14 when he returned a Jon Kleinschmidt punt 73 yards for a touchdown at the 7:29 mark of the second quarter. It was the second such punt return for a TD against UWSP in as many weeks and coach Steiner knew where to place the blame. "I think that Jon has done an excellent job punting," noted Steiner. "But there is a lack of concentration by our coverage kids. Maybe we have the wrong people there. We just have to find someone who wants to storm downfield and cover the punt."

The Knights chipped away at the Pointer lead again as Andy Blodgett capped a 58-yard march with a 27-yard field goal, making the score 20-17 with six seconds left in the half.

"I felt that we didn't do the things we were supposed to on defense," Steiner said of the change of momentum. "They (SNC) found that out and picked on our weak spots. We had a mental lapse, I'm sure. When 20 points are scored right away, you have

a tendency to lay off and it almost mushroomed against us."

On their second possession of the second half, SNC appeared to be on the move. After a 22-yard blast by Hoerning had put the Knights in Pointer territory, halfback Tom Janssen fumbled the ball away after receiving a pass. UWSP safety Tom Meyer recovered at his own 28.

Demski then moved the Pointers downfield with passes of 11, nine and nine yards, respectively, to flanker Phil Hassler. An eight-yard strike from Demski to Braun, who beat his man to the inside, capped the drive at the 2:11 mark of the third.

The Pointers scored again when fullback Jerry Schedlbauer, UWSP's leading rusher for the game with 76 yards, bulled over from the one. Schedlbauer's score was set up when Braun made a spectacular 39-yard reception on the previous play. With 10:07 remaining, the score was 34-17.

St. Norbert retaliated quickly on Hoerning's 79-yard TD reception. Cavanaugh, the top rated passer in District 14, then connected with tight-end Mike Devine on the two-point conversion, narrowing Point's lead to 34-25.

Demski came back with a 12-yard strike to Braun, who had dropped a sure TD pass earlier in the game. "Charlie may make one mistake, but that's it. He doesn't make two," noted Steiner. Braun's third score of the day gave UWSP a 41-25 lead with 7:59 to play.

However, the never-say-die Knights refused to quit. Joe Hoerning capped a fine performance with a 23-yard

run on a draw play, making the score 41-31. An attempted two-point conversion failed and a wild day of scoring had come to an end with 1:55 to play.

The all-time series between the two schools now stands at 14-12-1 with SNC holding the edge.

Two Pointers left Saturday's contest with injuries but are expected to be ready for this week's game at Whitewater.

Tailback Andy Shumway, ankle, and tight-end Jeff Bohne, bruised ribs, should be ready to do battle against the Warhawks, who looked impressive in their 42-13 romp over Superior last week.

Steiner believes that the Pointers can put together a total effort against Whitewater. "I feel that we have the capacity to play respectably on both sides (offense and defense)."

Men and women harriers win Point invitational

By Carl Moesche

Both the men's and the women's cross-country teams finished first in their respective invitational meets last Saturday at the Stevens Point Country Club.

The men's team easily won the seven-team meet, scoring a mere 29 points, while UW-Stout finished a distant second, totaling 79. Sophomore Dennis Kotcon was the individual winner with a time of 25:27, three seconds faster than the nearest runner. For his effort, Kotcon was named UWSP cross-country runner of the week.

Pleased with Kotcon's performance, Coach Rick Witt said, "Dennis ran an excellent race and is showing what his real capabilities are."

The rest of the Pointers were deserving of Witt's praise also, as four others finished in the top ten. Ray Przeblyski finished fourth at 25:42, Chuck Paulson, seventh at 25:55, Dave Parker, eighth at 25:56, and Dan Schoepke ninth, crossing the wire at 26:04.

Although the times were slower than expected, Witt was satisfied with his team's finishes, adding, "We were happy to win our own invitational. I did not feel that

we ran as well as we could have, yet we were able to win rather easily."

The men's team will travel to Oshkosh this weekend where it will compete in the Titan Invitational.

The women's team also scored 29 points in winning its invitational. UW-Milwaukee would've won the meet but their fifth runner dropped out, which gave UWSP the victory, since five runners must finish. UW-Stout also failed to have five runners finish on the hot and humid day.

Leading the Pointers was Dawn Buntman with a clocking of 18:26, which was good for third place. Tracey Lamers was fifth at 19:35, and Renee Bremser, Kelly Wester, and Maureen Krueger, aided in the team scoring with sixth, seventh, and eighth place finishes, respectively.

The women also ran times slower than expected, as Coach Dan Buntman explained, "The ladies seemed flat for this one, no one really looked good, but I think that is due to the amount of training we're doing."

The women will be in action this Saturday when they travel to UW-Parkside to compete in the Mid-American Championships.

Spikers finally defeat LaCrosse

By Chuck Witkowski

The script couldn't have been written any better. Not since Jimmy Carter was first elected President has the UW-Stevens Point women's volleyball team been able to post a win in its history book over state conference rival, LaCrosse. In fact, for only the third time since the books were recorded, did a victorious Pointer team celebrate this feat.

Outscored 12-15 after game one, Coach Nancy Sahoens

girls rallied back against their annual nemesis, and won the five-game marathon at LaCrosse 15-7, 6-15, 16-14, and 15-4. Additional icing-on-the-cake came with the realization that this was the same LaCrosse that defeated UWSP in the conference final and knocked them from contention in last year's nationals.

"The LaCrosse match was one that we will all remember," Schoen

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 remarked. "These two teams have always been rivals and both rose to the occasion."

Victory over the Indians came after an earlier triangular win in Milwaukee, as both host Marquette University and Carthage College fell to the Pointers in a Wednesday meet.

Receiving a scare when MU opened with a 15-10 first game, Point regrouped and flashed 15-7 and 15-4 scores to take the first match. Next, it was a revenge meeting as UWSP defeated Carthage in straight games, 15-10 and 15-3, behind the powerful serving of transfer Sue Selseth of Minnesota. Selseth topped off game two with eight consecutive points, as the girls avenged a 1979 loss to the Kenosha area college. The double victories gave the Point squad a 5-0 record as it went "west" to challenge the powerful UW-La Crosse, ranked fifth in NAIA polls.

Although Saturday's triangular script finished with triumph, it began to get a bit tarnished as the UWSP girls saw their unbeaten streak come to an end in 1980. In their first match it was Division II power UW-Milwaukee gaining revenge

from an earlier upset by posting a three-game sweep at 15-8, 15-12, and 15-8.

Refusing to make excuses for her team in its first defeat of the season, Coach Schoen added, "We took them too lightly after beating them at home. I just don't think we were ready to play volleyball."

Again beginning play without sophomore frontline starter Melanie Breitenbach, sidelined with a complicated foot injury, the Pointers bounced back against La Crosse with a crucial win in game four as team captain and setter Cheryl Post led a charged UWSP team, that included exceptional serving in the form of junior Mary Jo Wamsler and senior Ann Maras. The 16-14 showing was followed by another study in baseline strength as junior Sue Bulmer did most of the damage to the Indians, with eight of the final 15 points coming from the serve, as Point headed home with a 6-1 standing.

Besides its obvious advantage at the baseline, the girls' hard work and tough practices have also been a big plus, according to Schoen. "I thought our conditioning really showed in

the 2½-hour match," she concluded.

Following Wednesday's home triangular against Madison and La Crosse, the Pointers next travel to St. Norberts with a Tuesday, September 30 match in Green Bay.

Golfers keep winning

By Carl Moesche

The UWSP golf team chalked up two more tournament victories this past weekend, winning at Green Bay and at Berlin.

Coach Pete Kasson's team now has won three tournaments this year, including its own Pointer open.

Last Friday and Saturday, the Pointers successfully defended their title in the Green Bay Open Tournament with a team score of 766. They led throughout the tournament, including after the first day with a score of 380. UW-La Crosse finished second at 772, and UW-Green Bay was third at 786.

With a 68 on Friday and an 80 on Saturday, junior Todd Jugo emerged as the tournament medalist with a two-day score of 148. John Houdek followed Jugo in UWSP's scoring with a 153, while Jay Mathwick came in at 155, Bob Van Den Elzen, 156, Mark Schroeder, 157, and Brian Johnson, 162.

Jugo led the Pointers again last Sunday and Monday as they captured their first place at the Mascoutin Country Club in Berlin. UWSP won the 11-team tournament, shooting a 793. UW-River Falls was second at 807, and rounding out the top five were UW-Parkside, 813, UW-Platteville, 816, and UW-Oshkosh, 817.

Jugo shot a two-day total of 154, three strokes behind medalist Dave Rickord of UW-River Falls. Following Jugo in the scoring was Johnson with a 158, Van Den Elzen, 159, Houdek, 161, Mathwick, 163, and Schroeder, 167.

The Pointers will be in action again this weekend when they travel to River Falls on Friday and to Stout on Saturday.

Quandt, due to wet grounds. The Company defeated the Dominating Force two straight games to take first place. The Company made it into the final game by defeating the Champagne Committee for the first time in six games. Members of the winning team, The Company, were: Phil Olson, Ralph Lynch, Bob Turnholt, Dave Wild, Rob Wild, Tim Siehr, Joe Becker, Jeff Schnieder, Mike Stahl, Bart Smith, John Nielson, Paul Martin and Rich Olson. A special thanks goes out to Brian Piltz and Jim Moen for officiating the games.

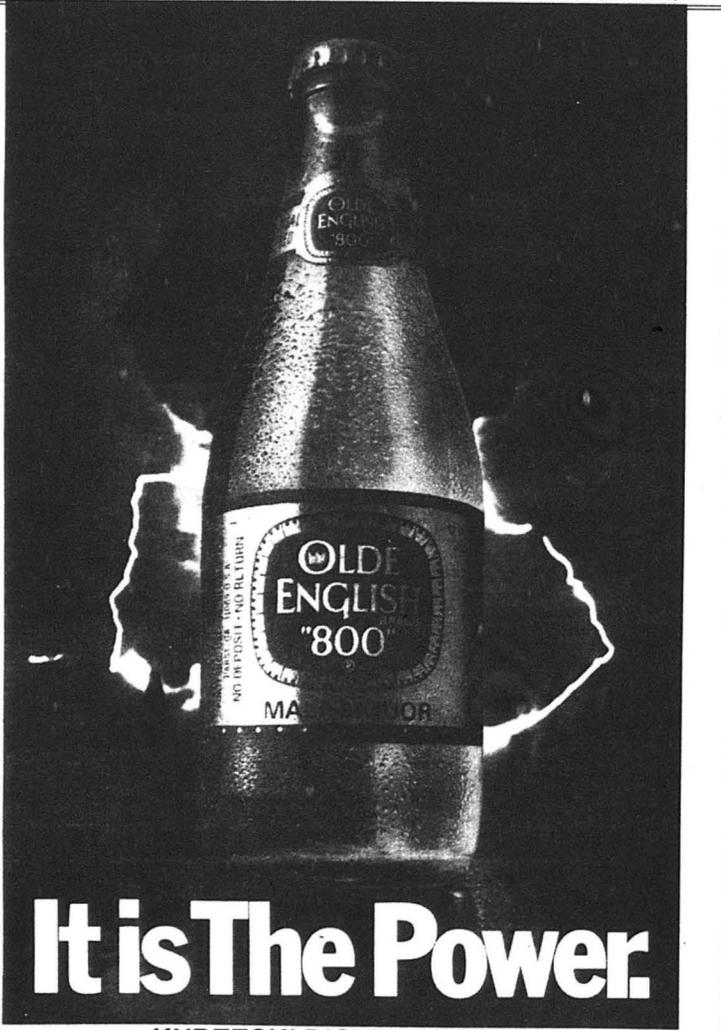
Other upcoming intramural activities will be the Pass, Punt and Kick held September 25 and 30 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. on the west intramural fields. The Turkey Trot Run is scheduled for September 25 and 29 at 4:30. The run will start at the corner of Michigan and Maria and extend around the lake. Table tennis entries are due for men and women on September 30. The teams consist of two single players and a doubles team. It will be solely team competition. A team will advance if it wins two out of three matches. Play will begin October 8 for men and October 9 for women. The competition will be held all in one night.

Intramurals

The Seventh Annual Intramural Softball Tournament was held under poor conditions as sixteen teams battled it out for first place. With the tournament moved from Iverson Park to the Intramural fields west of

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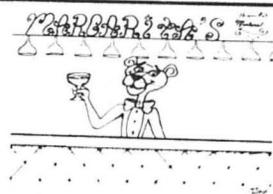
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Energy awareness

Turn me on... only if you need me!

By Chris Bandettini

Student Affairs has implemented an energy awareness and conservation program to provide information about the use and abuse of various types of energy, hoping to instill a heightened sense of responsibility in our daily energy habits.

This program, coordinated by Janice Pritchard of Student Affairs, will consist of informative events presented to all areas of the campus population. An energy awareness week is being planned and speakers will present information in the classroom and throughout the campus, explaining alternative types of energies available for usage.

Students in the residence halls are currently participating in an ongoing Energy Conservation Contest. Each residence hall will compete against its own usage in a base year, rather than against the other halls. In this way, all halls are able to receive awards.

The goal of each residence hall will be to achieve a five percent reduction each month in both electrical and

steam heat usage. Measuring will be done by taking a hall's total electrical use (in KWH's) and its total steam heat use (in therms), dividing by the number of hall residents, and comparing that with the same information from the same month of 1979-80.

If the hall realizes a five percent or greater decrease in one utility, it will be eligible for an award of \$30; realizing a five percent or greater decrease in both utilities will make the hall eligible for a double award, or \$60. Since there are seven "award months" (September, October, November, December-January, February, March, and April), each hall has the potential of earning \$420 during the year. This money will be used for some specific purchase decided upon at the beginning of the year by the hall's residents.

In order to increase student involvement in the further development of the energy awareness and conservation program, students have been chosen to act as energy liaisons between administration and the

students living in the residence halls.

Student Energy Liaisons are responsible to help formulate changes in the major energy program for their respective halls. In addition, they are responsible for a monthly energy-related program. These liaisons have decided to implement an aluminum can recycling contest. This contest will involve wings competing against each other in collecting aluminum cans. The wing within a specific hall which has collected the most cans will receive cans from all other areas of the hall. They will then be able to allocate the money collected for a wing function or party.

To help students become aware of the methods by which they can help affect a positive change in energy usage the following list has been made:

- Electricity**
1. Turn off lights and all other electrical equipment when leaving your room... even if you only plan on being gone a minute or two.
 2. Only use the amount of lighting necessary for the task involved.

3. The lounge TV should be turned off by the last person watching it.

4. Study lounges, floor lounges, and recreation rooms should have lights turned off when not in use.

5. Unplug as many items as possible when leaving for the weekend or for vacation.

Heating

1. Open curtains for warmth during daylight hours, and close them at sunset.

2. Keep heat register clear; do not block with chairs, bolsters, books, etc.

3. Keep windows closed tightly during the heating season.

4. Put on a sweater rather than increasing the heat in your room.

5. Do not prop or keep open doors leading to the outside.

Water

1. Turn off water after use, e.i. water fountains, sinks, and shower.

2. Take showers rather than tub baths.

3. Limit showering time to five minutes or less.

4. When shaving or washing hair, do not have the water running constantly.

5. Use cold or cool water

whenever possible, i.e. washing clothes, shaving, etc.

Laundry

1. Fill washers, but do not overload.

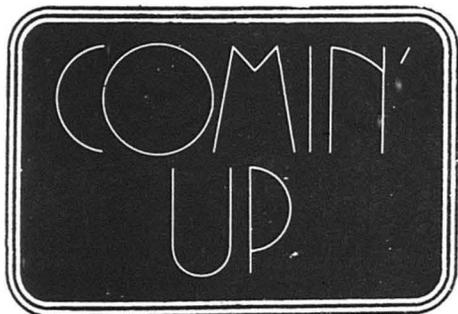
2. Don't use too much detergent. Follow the instructions on the box. Oversudsing makes your machine work harder and use more energy.

3. Pre-soak or use a soak cycle when washing heavily soiled garments. You'll avoid two washings and save energy.

4. Fill clothes dryers but do not overload them.

5. Keep the lint screen in the dryer clean. Remove lint after each load. Lint impedes the flow of air in the dryer and requires the machine to use more energy.

This energy contest isn't sponsored to see radical, cut-throat methods used within the halls to reduce energy usage. Rather, Student Affairs is looking to instill a responsible positive approach toward energy consumption and conservation.



raiser, 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. in the Debot Center.

Saturday, September 27
ALVIN AILEY DANCE COMPANY — Arts and Lectures will be presenting this event at 8 p.m. in Sentry Theatre.

Wednesday, October 1
STUDENT RECITAL — 4 p.m. in Michelsen Hall.



Thursday, September 25
CANDLELIGHT DINING — With Julie Drach, 4-5:30 p.m. in the Blue Room of Debot.

Thursday, September 25
PASS-PUNT-KICK — Men's and women's Intramural teams will be playing 4:30 p.m. in the west field by Quandt Gym.

Friday, September 26
WOMEN'S TENNIS — Point takes on LaCrosse at 12 noon and Green Bay at 3:30 p.m., here.

TURKEY TROT — Intramural men's and women's teams will be competing at 4:30 p.m. at Schmeeckle Reserve.

HAPPY HOUR — In the Grid from 3-6 p.m. at the University Center.

Saturday, September 27
FOOTBALL — The Pointers take on Whitewater at 1:30 p.m. in Whitewater.

Saturday, September 27
TENNIS — The women's team will be playing Marquette in Milwaukee.

Saturday, September 27
CROSS-COUNTRY — Mid American Championships, 12 noon in Kenosha.

Saturday, September 27
FIFTH QUARTER AND MILLER SPORTS FILMS — Sports Instant Action and High Life Sports Thru shown in the Grid, 5 p.m.

Sunday, September 28
BLUEGRASS — The Thunder Mountain Bluegrass Band will be appearing at the Holiday Inn from 7-11 p.m.

Sunday, September 28
PACKERS VS. DALLAS COWBOYS — Shown on the Video Screen in the Coffeehouse at 1 p.m.

Monday, September 29
TURKEY TROT — Intramural men's and women's Turkey Trot at 4:30 p.m., Schmeeckle Reserve.

Monday, September 29
DENVER VS. NEW ENGLAND — Monday Night Football on the Video Screen, 8 p.m. in the Coffeehouse.

Tuesday, September 30
PASS-PUNT-KICK — Men's and women's Intramural teams will be playing 4:30 p.m. in the West Field by Quandt Gym.

Wednesday, October 1
PIANO PLAYING — Something new in the Pinery — Julie Drach will be playing the piano from 11:50 to 12:50 p.m.



Thursday, September 25
SUPERTRAMP — Paris will be the featured album on 90 FM's Eleventh Hour Special.

Friday, September 26
MOLLY HATCHET — Beatin' The Odds will be the featured album on 90 FM's Eleventh Hour Special.

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Thursday and Friday, September 25 and 26
THE ELECTRIC HORSEMAN — With Robert Redford and Jane Fonda, this film will be playing at 6:30 and 9 p.m. in the Program Banquet Room of the University Center.

Tuesday, September 30, and Wednesday, October 1
COSTA GAVRAS' Z — This film has been named Best Picture of the Year by the National Society of Film Critics, and "stands without peer as a document and a

thriller." 7 and 9:15 p.m. in the Program Banquet Room.

Tuesday, September 30
UC FILM EPISODES — Presents Buck Rogers and Captain Marvel, 8 and 9 p.m. in the Coffeehouse.



Thursday, September 25
COFFEEHOUSE — Mike Tarrier will be performing in the Debot Center Pizza Parlor, 9-11 p.m.

Saturday, September 27
DADDY WHISKERS — The Environmental Council is sponsoring this fund-

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the leader may be pointing out dog-wood violets and you won't even notice. You will be intrigued by his knowledge and ask questions. He will ask in return for money — explaining that donations are needed so that the society may "worship as it pleases." Someone else mentions a building fund.

It sounds ominous, but you open your wallet. You ask for a receipt, hoping your donation is tax deductible. The leader laughs and says he has something special to show you. You follow him into a shady thicket. Several people are gathered here. Silence. Everyone kneels. The leader nods his head once, and you watch, transfixed, as a young house

plant is sacrificed to the ivory statue of a giant sequoia. You have just been initiated.

However, all this is a facade. Through extensive research and interviews with former Saps who will remain unidentified, I now have the real "dirt" on this organization. Masquerading as a religious sect, the Saps plant themselves in a community with a single purpose — to destroy all visible plant life!

Money that a Sap has exorted from you goes directly toward the purpose of such noxious defoliant as Agent Orange. Axes were reportedly purchased and used by the less sophisticated, more sadistic, lunatic fringe. One was

quoted as saying, "There's nothing more enjoyable than hacking on a Christmas tree."

It is also ironic that Dutch Elm disease spreads faster in communities the Saps have invaded. My evidence suggests that the Saps deliberately grope the bark of diseased trees, then run to infect other defenseless elms.

So, if you ever encounter someone stroking seedlings or ogling oaks, please remember what the Saps really want. With community action, this fiendish organization can and will be uprooted!
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elastic. Place dough in greased bowl, cover with plastic wrap and a towel. Place in a warm place and allow to double in size, about 1½ hours. Punch down the dough and turn out on a lightly floured board. Divide into 9 balls. Roll each ball into a circle 5-6 in. in diameter and about ¼ in. thick. Place flattened rounds on baking sheet, and sprinkle with sesame seeds. Cover and let rise 25 min. Bake in pre-heated 450-degree oven for about 8 min. Rounds should be slightly puffed and golden. Cool on rack. Pita bread freezes well. Just place the cooled bread in a plastic bag. To re-heat, defrost and put in 350-degree oven until warm.

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