



Sexual assault policy finalized

by Amy Chier
Staff Writer

A committee of concerned UWSP faculty members recently formed a draft of procedures which are to be followed by organizations which cater to the needs of sexual assault victims. The procedures attempt to give the victim choices concerning physical, emotional and legal aid.

"The main purpose of these procedures is to try to give the victim back their control," said committee member Deb Anstett. "During a sexual assault, victims lose control over their own bodies. By giving them these choices we try to help them regain it."

Under the current procedure, victims are first asked if they would like any medical attention. If victims indicate that they would, they are given the alternatives of St. Michael's Hospital, the University Health Center or a private physician. This step is often emphasized and encouraged because, as the procedures state, "Beyond the

medical attention, the highly recommended hospital visit is a critical step in the legal level response because evidence will be appropriately recovered and preserved by specially trained hospital personnel."

On the emotional level, victims are asked if they would consider outside consultation assistance to guide decision-making. If they indicate yes, the Sexual Assault Victim Advocate Service is called. "This is an important step," said Susan Casper, Women's Resource Center representative. "If the victim wants help, a student advocate is called in who is specially trained to deal with people in this situation." The victims are also offered mental health assistance. They are given the alternatives of the University Counseling Center, Portage County Human Services or a private counselor or psychologist.

Finally, the victims are asked if they would consider legal action. The alternatives include the following:

1) To make a report only con-

tact UWSP Protective Services, the Stevens Point Police Department or the Portage County Sheriff's Department.

2) To initiate university disciplinary response contact UWSP Protective Services for action by the Office of Student Conduct.

3) To initiate potential criminal prosecution contact UWSP Protective Services, Stevens Point Police Department or Portage County Sheriff's Department.

If the victim chooses only to make a report, one of the three above departments is called and told about the incident. According to Casper, there were only six reported cases last semester—but because most assaults go unreported, a more realistic figure would be 60.

If the victim chooses to initiate university disciplinary action, the matter is dealt with by Student Conduct. "When a student is accused of sexual assault we send him a letter no

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Text rental to finance SMART

by Karen Rivedal
News Editor

The Faculty Senate voted last night to implement the SMART integrated software package through a text rental fee increase. Deliberations yesterday continued the long debate, begun in the 1985-86 academic year, over if and how to create a comprehensive computing environment at UWSP.

The proposal was first presented by Academic Computing to the Faculty Senate in the spring of 1986. At this time, a mandatory incoming freshman fee of \$100 was proposed to pay for the system. Faculty senators requesting more time and information, however, rejected

the proposal.

The debate continued into the 1986 fall semester. On November 5, the Faculty Senate voted in favor of two motions—one to develop a comprehensive computing environment at UWSP and the other requesting the Chancellor to develop alternate financing plans.

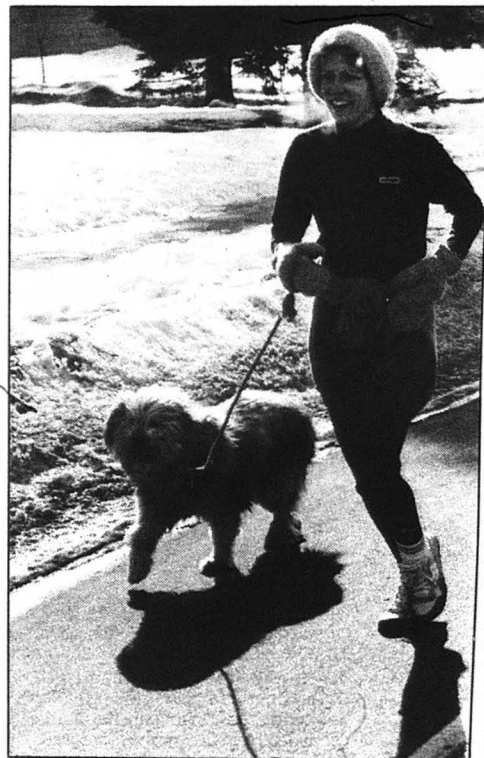
Three proposals were advanced by the Chancellor this past spring to meet the Faculty Senate request. Two of the three required a mandatory \$85 software purchase for all students taking a class using a computer.

These plans were rejected in favor of the overall increase in text rental fees for all university students that was voted on yesterday. This proposal would

increase the rental fees by 40 cents per credit, with an actual increase of \$9.60 per year. The SMART package would be placed on all UWSP computers and include disks and documentation. Students enrolled in a computer course could also buy the system for \$50 at the end of the semester and waive subsequent text rental increases. Students would receive documentation from text rental and graduate students will pay the same rate as undergraduates.

Don Dietrich, chair of the Academic Affairs Committee, supports this proposal because of the relatively minimal fee increase. He maintains that students already subsidize text materials through the current text rental fees, since textbooks for certain classes invariably cost more than the books required for others. The current proposal to finance the software package would be a continuation of this. He compares this system, which levies the increase over the whole student population, to the UW-Madison computing environment, where students must pay hourly computer fees.

Student Government continues to oppose any and all proposals advanced thus far to implement a comprehensive computing environment. They have raised questions concerning hardware availability, class offerings and the overall academic advantage.



Joanne Nelson and her dog Burd took advantage of the warm weather and competed in the Point Bock 10K race Sunday.

Photo by Paul Becker

The new phone system: A re-evaluation

by Bernie Bleske
Senior Editor

It has been over a year since the university installed phones in the residence halls. The phone system, particularly the extensive computer project that is connected with it, while incomplete, has received much favorable attention.

The size of the projected system is considerable. The phone lines, linked to personal computers in individual rooms, should have the ability to link students with the LRC's card catalogue and other compatible computer systems within the state and country. This is the ultimate in linked education—as well as one of the Chancellor's main projects for UWSP.

The system is not cheap. Several million dollars have been spent already and many major implements have yet to be

bought and installed—such as the linking of computers for Academic Achievement and Records and the LRC. These computers would connect both the LRC and Academic Achievement to the "main highway" of phone lines and computers within the system.

Much of the money has come from federal grants. In fact, UWSP has received more than \$2 million since 1982 for equipment and faculty training. UWSP has had to match the federal money with about \$375,000.

UWSP has also had favorable arrangements with AT&T, the major supplier of equipment and training. The phone system cost about \$1.3 million, defrayed through seven years with savings for maintaining a Centrex system. The Centrex system is

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EDITOR'S DESK

Responsibility and students

Kids usually hear a lot about responsibility, about obligations and duty. They hear consistent words like "do your homework" and "put the toilet seat down." Duty, they discover, is a way of life—unavoidable. And, of course, they gradually gain responsibility; hopefully enough so that by the end of high school they can hit the big world without getting beat up too bad.

Yet, despite this continual gathering of responsibility, there is a general belief that young people (i.e. college age, i.e. us) are not terribly responsible. That 21-year-old drinking age is an obvious example, but the examples and implications run deeper.

In many ways the university should teach responsibility, a kind that includes an intelligent, thoughtful way of looking at the world. General degree requirements attempt to do that by providing a base of hard core knowledge to work with.

It isn't working.

The university often provokes very little useful thought. What we get are oversimplified classes that seem designed to simply test and pass on students, rather than encourage them to actively participate and *think* about what is going on. We get history classes that focus on dates and events rather than causes; English 101 classes that teach rhetorical modes of writing rather than writing with meaning and purpose; science classes that have us memorize rock names rather than consider concepts.

Upper level courses are more often than not quality teaching, but those lower level, general degree courses are more often than not a waste of time. It is no wonder that many students feel they should only take career-related courses.

The failure to teach responsibility is certainly not limited to the classroom. Getting back to less intellectual duties, the dormitories are a fine example. Consider it, consider the lack of faith in a system that requires freshmen and sophomores to live in a regimented system, one where they can be kept under some form of control. (Yeah, I've said this before, but it is important and unjust and the only people who argue are RA's, who disagree.)

We must, however, take much of the blame ourselves—particularly with education. We come to

college to get the degree, not the education. We want that slip of paper that will get us the job and the money. Hence, our commitment to many classes is half-assed at best. We also often come to college completely unprepared. Sometimes we need simplified courses because that is all we can pass.

The blame runs everywhere from earlier schooling to society, and it is a complicated situation. Ultimately, though, I think the solution rests in responsibility. Of course, professors should assume that their students are responsible enough to think intelligently. It has been reasonably proved, I believe, that what teachers assume about their students more often than not determines how those students will be.

I think, though, that even general degree requirements assume something about our responsibility. They assume that we *need* that base of knowledge and, more importantly, that we won't get it ourselves. That we aren't responsible enough to know.

Perhaps that is true, but so what?

First, those who come simply for the degree will fail those classes they are unprepared for. In which case, they take lower level classes to prepare themselves for the higher ones. If they can't write, they take English. Better yet, give entrance exams for all classes. Simple.

And those students who want to learn to think will take the classes they imagine will make them think.

Certainly upper level classes will be necessary for particular degrees, simply to insure that the degree a student gets is worth something (rather than one based on a mess of low level courses).

Everyone will assume responsibility.

If they don't, they fail (which really isn't so bad).

This editorial is like one of those terrible stories where in the end the guy wakes up.

"Wake up. Time for school."

"Oh great, Mom. Peanut butter and jelly for lunch!"

by Bernie Bleske
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NEWS

Miller Award honors jail ministry program

by Karen Rivedal
News Editor

"I am personally weary of violence, but I continue to feel a strong commitment to the suffering poor." So spoke Brother James Miller of the Roman Catholic Christian Brothers Order shortly before his murder by four masked gunmen in Guatemala. A native of Stevens Point, Miller devoted his life to humanitarian work for the poverty-stricken Indians of Central America. He died while repairing a fence at the De La Salle Indian boarding school run by the Christian Brothers in Guatemala. Miller worked there as a builder, missionary, and teacher.

Every year since the 1982 shooting, colleagues have gathered to honor his memory and recognize worthy social service work in the Portage County area. This year, Sister Claire Marie Wick of the La Crosse Diocese received the Brother James Miller Justice and Peace Award on Feb. 14 in Michelson Hall of the Fine Arts Building for her Eau Claire jail ministry program.

The event included a symposium on the role of Catholic social teachings and the United States economy. The speakers responded to a recent pastoral letter of the American Catholic Bishops entitled "Economic Justice For All". It addresses an alleged lack of morality in the economic policies of the

U.S. and its consequences on the poor here and in Central America.

Writers of the pastoral claim that "the way society responds to the needs of the poor through its public policies is the litmus test of its justice or injustice."

According to Roy Stroik, an organizer of Brother Miller Day, church leaders seek a middle ground between capitalistic excesses and totalitarian communism.

Widespread unemployment, poverty, and food shortages occur when capitalism is pursued at the expense of moral concerns, they say. The pastoral examines these problems and offers solutions to what they call a "crisis in the international economic borders, especially in regard to the poor nations of the Third World."

The first symposium speaker, UWSP sociology prof. Robert Wolensky, documented the hardships of the Central American countries where Miller worked. He reported that half the world's people live in countries with annual per capita incomes of \$400 or less. At least 800 million people in those countries live in absolute poverty. In Guatemala, four million of six million inhabitants are marginalized Indians.

Fifteen out of every 100 children born in Third World nations die before the age of five, he further stated, and eight out of every ten children in Guatemala are undernourished. As is

typical of Third World regimes, food is grown for export, primarily to the U.S., Japan, and Europe.

Eighty percent of this land belongs to one percent of the population, a tiny class of elite who, according to Wolensky, "grossly exacerbate the inequalities and suffering and death," which exists as a result of U.S. economic and aid policies. Wolensky pointed out a recent 40 percent decrease in real aid to these countries, which he matched against a U.S. Defense Dept. budget of \$300 billion per year.

The Roman Catholic Church leaders maintain that "a country as large, rich, and powerful as ours has a moral obligation to reduce poverty in the Third World." This could best be accomplished, they say, by a U.S. international economic policy designed to improve the quality of life throughout the world.

Symposium speaker Roseann Debot of Operation Bootstrap, a support service for those who fall between the cracks of social service agencies, spoke about Portage County poverty. Debot reports that the poor include teenage single mothers, families on AFDC, the working poor, and the elderly on fixed income.

Debot felt that the long-term benefits of a proper education, motivation and self-esteem determine who will break the poverty cycle. "At Operation Bootstrap," she maintains, "we consider the encouragement,

the hope, and the dignity we give the people we work with every bit as important as the bags of groceries we take them."

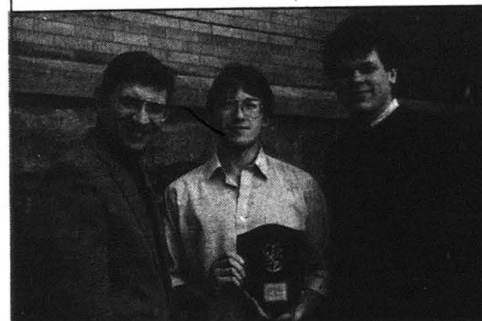
Sister Claire Marie Wick was recognized for a similar, eight year social service program in the county jail system of Eau Claire, La Crosse, and Chippewa Falls. Her program is now being adopted by the Stevens Point jail facilities. It includes group discussion and listening sessions, cell visits, church ser-

vices, and a class she teaches in meditation.

In accepting the award, Wick said people were needed urgently to help prisoners "close that door on the past, yet open it to a future where there's hope."

The award includes a \$1,000 prize to be used for the Central American charity of the winner's choice. Wick has sent her award to two Maryknoll nuns who conduct a prison ministry in Guatemala.

Biology students receive recognition



UWSP seniors Ron Breaker and Craig Schulz display the Frank G. Brooks Award that they received for their biological research. Dr. Kent Hall, Tri-Beta chapter advisor at UWSP, also participated in the work.

News Service photo

by Keith Uhlig

Staff Writer

Ron Breaker and Craig Schulz, seniors, have won the Frank G. Brooks Award for their biological research in the anatomy and physiology category. They are the first UWSP students to win a national award for such research.

Beta Beta Beta Biological Society, an organization that includes 340 colleges across the country, presented Breaker and Schulz the award at a recent convention in New Orleans.

The research, also done by Tri-Beta chapter advisor Dr. Kent Hall, dealt primarily with the effect of pregnancy and lactation on the hibernation of female ground squirrels. According to the research, pregnant females have a better chance of surviving than non-pregnant females, and if they were lactating, they have an even better chance. "Our results showed that the non-pregnant females would have died. But this is only one study, and we only have a limited amount of research. We can't say this is exactly what happens," said Breaker.

The study is just a small piece of a big puzzle, according to the two. "We feel we have opened up a whole new door to what could be done," said Schulz.

The award will open doors for both Breaker and Schulz. "It could do nothing but help us," said Schulz, who intends on becoming a physician or getting involved in pharmaceuticals. Breaker agrees. He is going to begin graduate study next year and plans to eventually work as a researcher. Dr. Hall also agrees, saying, "I think that it is going to help both young men. It will be an important boost to their careers."

In addition to the award, their research will also be published. It has been accepted to one journal, and Breaker and Schulz are expecting more. "We are hoping to get into a major scientific journal with this," said Schulz.

The UWSP Beta Beta Beta Chapter has been the recipient of numerous awards. According to Dr. Hall, this year it received one of the top six chapter awards, has won one of the top 10 chapter awards eight years in a row, and the National Chapter Award three times. He points out that there are schools in Beta Beta Beta such as Vassar and Arizona State University. "We are dealing with schools with excellent reputations," he said.

Breaker said, "Tri-Beta gives students the opportunity to do research. It promotes professionalism in biological science."

State issues round-up

by Karen Rivedal
News Editor

The 1987-88 state Legislative session will address key issues of importance to UW students and Wisconsin citizens. The following information on a few of these issues has been condensed by information provided by State Senators David Heibach and Walter Chilsen.

The state budget process may change during Governor Tommy Thompson's term. Thompson has proposed annual rather than biennial budgets and a budget stabilization fund.

Thirty states already have annual budgeting. Supporters of the change claim the system is more responsive to changing

economic conditions. Those who favor the status quo fear improper policy deliberation could result with a switch to annual budgeting.

Twenty-eight states have created budget stabilization funds, money set aside from tax dollars in the budget to cushion the effects of instability in projected revenues. This safety net is designed to compensate for unforeseen recessions and eliminate the need for drastic budget cuts.

The Thompson administration must also designate new prison facilities for Wisconsin. Thompson and Health and Social Services Secretary Tim Cullen have outlined a new proposal

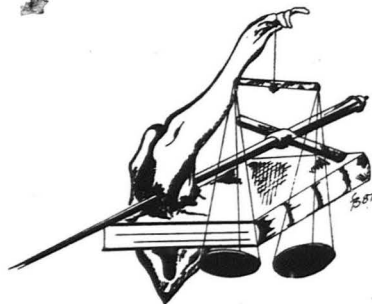
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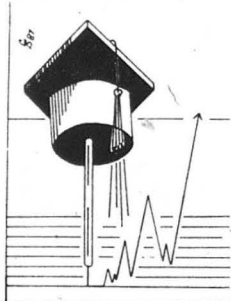
- 1) Construction of a new 450-bed prison in Sturtevant
- 2) A 100-bed expansion of the Oshkosh facilities
- 3) An additional prison in Waupun

Legalization of a state lottery in Wisconsin will be a high-priority issue during the 87-88 legislative session. Support for this revenue-generating activity is strong. The Legislative Fiscal Bureau estimates that a lottery would generate between \$52 and \$59 million.

Funding for the UW system is still uncertain. Future legislative sessions will determine the actual amounts set aside for higher education. The Wisconsin Expenditure Commission, however, has studied university funding and made recommendations.

The Commission claims that 1) total state spending for higher education is well above the national average, though the extent of this excess has declined since the early 1970s; 2) Wisconsin has a much higher proportion of its population enrolled in public universities, ranking third in the nation in 1983-84; and 3) resident tuition in the UW system is low by any comparison to national averages.





University Notes

At the January meeting of United Council, Marquette University was approved as an associate member of the Madison-based student lobby organization for the UW system. United Council began recruiting private universities and vocational-technical colleges last year as a networking tool.

UWSP may become a charter member of Phi Kappa Phi, a

national honor society designed to recognize superior scholarship in all academic disciplines. Regional Vice Presidents John Warren from Tennessee Technological University and Lawrence Sommers from Michigan State University visited UWSP to assess student and faculty quality. A decision will be announced in April.

Mark Murphy and Robert Zimmerman have formally announced their candidacy for the upcoming SGA Presidential and Vice-Presidential elections on March 10-11. Both are currently involved in SGA - Murphy being a two-year member of the Executive Board as the SGA Legislative Affairs Director and Zimmerman being the L&S Student Senator Caucus Chairman.

Student Experimental Television (SETV) will premiere their new T.V. trivia game show tonight at 8:30 on cable channel three.

The new show, Trivia Quest, consists of two teams of three or four players answering alternate trivia questions in the following three categories: movies and television, music, and sports.

Assault, from page 1

tifying him of the charges against him and we then schedule a hearing," explained Marsha Konz, Student Conduct representative. "The student then has a hearing where his guilt or innocence is determined. If the student is guilty, we then determine what type of disciplinary action to take against him."

This has caused a considerable amount of controversy. Under the Student Conduct guidelines, the most severe penalty an assaulter may face is expulsion, though Konz can remember only a few rare occasions where expulsion has been used. In most cases the assaulter is usually put on leave, where he is then expected to get some type of psychiatric help.

"I don't think Student Conduct should have any involvement," said Casper. "Rape is a felony and it should be dealt with by the police. I don't feel expulsion is a punishment that fits the crime."

State laws governing sexual assault are much more severe than those of Student Conduct. By Wisconsin State Statute 940.225, four degrees of sexual assault are recognized. First, second and third degrees are classified as felonies and carry up to 20 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. Fourth degree assault is a misdemeanor and carries a possible nine months in county jail and a possible \$10,000 fine. By directly involving the police, the assaulter is apt to face stricter penalties.

Along with this procedure, faculty members are also working on other programs to aid and educate sexual assault victims.

Casper is currently working toward providing a map of the campus in the U.C. which will indicate where sexual assaults have occurred. By showing the dangerous areas on campus it is hoped that more assaults can be avoided.

"Too many people assume that it's safe to walk the campus alone at night," said Anstett.

Another project currently being worked on is the opening of a Student SAVS (Sexual Assault Victim Services) branch on campus. Student branch coordinator Marie Brooks has two primary goals: 1) to get students interested in identifying with the SAVS program and 2) to educate students on sexual assault.

"We have begun to provide developmental programs in the residence halls," said Brooks.

It appears that the national concern over sexual assault has not passed the UWSP campus. Along with the mentioned programs the university is also planning a Sexual Assault Awareness Week which will be held April 5-11.

Phone System, from page 1

run by Wisconsin Bell under contract with the state (although many parts are sold to Bell by AT&T). Under contract, the university also receives a 45 percent discount on AT&T products.

AT&T, of course, has nothing to lose. The university has purchased about 378 AT&T PC 6300 microcomputers for faculty and students. UWSP has also become the purchasing agent throughout the UW System for AT&T products and has sold over a hundred computers to faculty and students on other campuses. AT&T has also installed the Information Systems Network (ISN), the main computer project in the system.

AT&T has also already begun using Point's computer/telephone system as a showcase to the nation.

However, major portions of the project, such as the purchase and type of Academic Achievement and LRC linking computers, have yet to be proposed.

Students in the residence halls have benefited greatly from the new phones. Their cost comes

to about \$3 per student per month over two semesters. The phones, besides including free local dialing, also include several free features, such as call waiting, conference dialing and automatic callback. Overseas calling has recently been installed as well as a 5 percent discount for those students who pay their bills within 10 days.

There have been complaints of overloaded lines, though recently installed extra cables have silenced those complaints. Long distance, covered by one contracted company, is also cut off a week before the semester ends to allow the company time to get students their bills before they leave for home. While this has also generated complaints, it was put into effect after a joint phone company/Residence Hall Association resolution.

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FRESHMAN ORIENTATION 1987

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ARMY RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS

Schultz, Feigleson compete for mayor

Scott Schultz and James Feigleson were selected by voters Tuesday night as the two candidates that will run for the Stevens Point mayor position. William Horvath was eliminated in the primary.

Of the 4,289 voters, Schultz received 1,514, Feigleson received

1,480 and Horvath 1,295.

Voters will go to the polls April 7th to select between Schultz and Feigleson. The winner will replace Michael Haberman, who resigned last fall to become Executive Director of the Stevens Point/Plover Chamber of Commerce.

Grapplers, from page 17

Phil Turner of Platteville 17-6 and Brian Madsen of River Falls, 15-4. In the consolation finals, he lost to Bob Morris of Whitewater, 5-1.

"Calvin and Mayhew will both be back next year," said Groshok. "Mayhew has already qualified for nationals. Point's

own Kurzynski, who had an 0-4 conference record coming in, finished fourth, which is great. He wrestled fantastic, losing to the second place finisher in the first round and a very seasoned wrestler from Whitewater for third place. He still has two years of wrestling left at Stevens Point.

"I'm very proud of the entire squad."

The Pointer grapplers will make their final home showing on Wednesday, February 25, at 7 p.m. in Berg Gym.

Tracksters, from page 18

The distance medley crew of Al Gebert, Michael Nelson, Curt Lepak and Brad Houslet won that event in 10:32.19.

Grabbing thirds were Ben Baumgart in the high jump (6-8); Joel Koepke in the long jump (21-7½); and Steve Allison in the 800 meter run (1:58.8). Capturing fourth places were Scott Laurent in the triple (46-1); the mile relay of Pete Larsen, Mickey McCoy, Garrick Williams and Allison in 3:29.8; and Williams in the 400 meter run (:52.19).

A lone fifth place went to Randy Gleason in the 400 run (52:7) while taking sixth were McCoy in the 400 run (53:1); Eric Fossum in the two-mile run (9:38); and Steve Wollmer in the 800 run (1:59.9).

"I was very pleased with the jump crew," said Witt. "All of them did a nice job and ran well considering we have been training them with our distance work. Larsen and Williams looked good. Our 400 men continued to make big strides with Gleason, McCoy and Houslet looking good."

"Our middle distance runners are getting better each week. Allison, Wollmer, Gebert, Olson, Lepak and Nelson all ran well and showed much improvement. They are starting to run more aggressively as their training is starting to show."

"The distance runners, especially Arnie and Tom, continue to be very impressive."

Pointer of the Week honors named by Witt went to Baumgart in the field events (high jump) and Morris in the running events (5,000 meters).


"I feel very good about this team and the way we are improving," said Witt. "I also liked the team spirit and enthusiasm that was shown by the men in the different events."

The Pointers travel to the Don Bremer Invitational in La Crosse on Saturday beginning at noon.

LETTERS

SNIF

Responding to the arms race



Four prime time t.v. ideas to follow "AMERIKA"

To the Editor:

Here are some ideas for prime time television, inspired by ABC's "AMERIKA":

1. "The Chosen Ones," dramatizing the scandalous loan deal that created the silly rightist rag - UWSP Today. The plot surrounds ghost editor-in-chief Lisa Thiel as she finally buys a communication venue, hoping to legitimize her brand of lampoon government. The second installment deals with her calculated attempts to use the paper for the benefit of campus Republican Murphy, the next in line for the SGA throne. Muriel Hemingway and Tom Cruise star!

2. Or consider a soap opera: "Contra Hotel!" Our story is couched deep within the Honduran jungle, in a way station full of unmentionable K-rations. U.S. troops, on R&R from peaceful exercises in the region, find women to take up the slack of cold machine guns. Dennis

Hopper, Pee Wee's Play House and special weekly co-stars cast this tiny Central American country into frenzied laughter!

3. "Bonzo Goes to Space Again!" A three episode sitcom about Ronald Reagan who, as President, rockets into space as a publicity stunt to advertise his commitment to SDI. But the orbiting defense station (ODS) breaks down and Astro-Bonzo is trapped in the heavens! Hilarious T.V. for everybody! Cast is under investigation.

4. "Indiana." An honest documentary chronicling the takeover of native Indian lands by white settlers in North America. Topics include the multitude of broken treaties (which will fill up the first six hours alone), the F.B.I. directed massacre at Wounded Knee and the genocidal effects of the U.S. Government's Indian Reservation Plan. Tribal chiefs narrate.

William Paul



Explaining Finance Committee recommendations

To the Editor:

The Student Government Finance Committee has spent the last two weekends hearing and deliberating fiscal year 1988 annual budget requests for student organizations. Being a member of the Finance Committee, I would like to explain the process and the timeline of finance recommendations.

Finance is comprised of 10 people: four at large members; four Student Senators (one representing each college); the Budget Controller; and the non-voting Budget Director who chairs the committee. Budget hearings are a time for members to ask questions regarding individual budgets and to get a feel for the priorities of each organization. Deliberations are a time when individual values surface as members do their best to represent their constituency. Estimating next years enrollment is just one of the factors in determining the total amount to be allocated by Finance. Final finance recommendations are sent to individual

organizations and to the Student Senators on February 26.

Due to over 36 hours of hearings and deliberations that need to be put into minute form, the special Sunday Senate session has been moved to March 8, starting at 11:00 a.m. in the Wisconsin Room. I urge all organizations to take advantage of the time period between the 26th and the 8th to lobby senators about Finance's recommendations.

Students allocating student funds using the democratic process is a privilege that few universities enjoy. Remember, the only way more funds can be allocated is through a hefty segregated fee increase; an increase that students can't afford as tuition skyrockets. Thus, the "pie" that SGA allocates has grown very little in relation to the increase in participation and wants of those organizations eligible to receive a piece of that pie.

Stephen J. Cady
SGA Budget Controller

To the Editor:

I agree with the Feb. 12 editorial by Bernie Bleske that extinction and annihilation are frightening possibilities of the nuclear arms race. What I personally find more frightening is the chance that the superpowers might decide to engage in and attempt to survive a nuclear exchange. Nuclear war can now be played on computers, estimating the numbers of dead and injured and projecting just how much firepower can be let go in order for a nation to win and leave enough citizens alive to rebuild.

As I educate myself more on the nuclear issue I find it more difficult to deny in my own mind that the U.S. is preparing to initiate a nuclear exchange. Consider post-nuclear war currency stored in underground caverns, underground shelters ready and waiting for top government officials, G.W.E.N. transmitters installed across the country to be used only in the event of a nuclear exchange, the Trident II missile

with its deadly first-strike capabilities, and early deployment of SDI.

To some these U.S. activities may provide a feeling of security. I myself feel terrified at the thought of over 60,000 nuclear weapons aimed and ready around the world. I have not mentioned what fuel other nations are feeding to the nuclear fire. The issue is far too complex to address in this letter and that is not my intention. I am more interested in sharing my fear as did the *Pointer* editor and taking that one step further by offering an alternative to falling into despair and hopelessness.

Fear and frustration are a natural response to the nuclear arms race. The magnitude of the issue drives many to a state of disempowerment. But, we should not let our response process end here. The best method for overcoming fear is to become educated about the issue. At first, you may find yourself discovering some depressing information about your

world. Keep digging. With knowledge comes power and you will find that there are more creative ways to react than being overwhelmed by fear.

There is an organization here on campus that offers students an opportunity to investigate the nuclear age more thoroughly. SNIF or Student Nuclear Information Forum offers films, lectures and discussions to anyone wanting to learn more about nuclear weapons, nuclear power, government policies and treaties, SDI, radiation and health and other nuclear age issues. If SNIF does not possess the information you need, you will be offered assistance in finding a person or organization that does. SNIF's goal is to make nuclear education accessible to the students of UWSP.

Sincerely,
Cathy Chappel
SNIF
Campus Activities Office

Intramurals

Serving who?

To the Editor:

Who does the Intramural service actually serve?

I am referring to the procedure of reserving tennis courts in the Annex. In theory, the policy is that those times not designated for phy. ed. classes or athletic practices are open for faculty and student personal use. All one has to do is reserve a time in advance.

This seems to be a great policy, yet it must be too complex. In reality it doesn't work.

Since the beginning of this semester, I've attempted to reserve tennis court time but have found that most of the time is designated for class use. On two occasions I was fortunate to reserve a time, only to find out later that a team was practicing in the Annex during that time.

But what upsets me most is the fact that faculty members are able to get personal court time during those periods designated for class use and not open for use to the students.

I question whether students on this campus have free access to all of the services the HPE-RA Department is budgeted to provide.

Last semester I signed the petition for a new sports complex on this campus. But now I wonder if they will be able to manage such a facility when the Annex we already have poses such difficulty and confusion for our Intramural service.

William Lee
UWSP Senior

We should be thankful for this nation

To the Editor:

This is in reply to the article "Reagan's incoherent, omni-directional policies" dated 5 February 1987 by Robert Gasperic.

I found Mr. Gasperic's comments rather biased and insulting. Clearly, he is bitter.

Personally, I feel Ronald Reagan has done a good job as president. While I am not happy with the Iran affair, I do believe it will eventually be necessary to make overtures to this country. Its strategic location is just too important. However, I feel President Reagan's timing was wrong.

I strongly support President Reagan's efforts to aid the Contras; however, I am not condoning any illegal means. We must remember this country was founded on resistance to an oppressive regime. Certainly, anti-Communist forces should be supported if not for this reason alone. It is far better to let the people of that country fight their own struggle with U.S. aid. With proper backing the Contras could force the Communists to make concessions, or better yet topple them, but this means a firm commitment by the U.S. Congress can't play games. A yes today, a no tomorrow, and a yes the day after will not win progress for a favorable victory in Nicaragua, or anywhere else for that matter.

Mr. Gasperic writes that some students were independent from their parents, but because of changes in financial aid

rules, they are again dependent on their parents. It appears that these students were quite dependent, i.e., on the U.S. government. Unfortunately, the U.S. government can't pay for everyone to go to college just because a person wants to go. This is a fact, no matter how hard and cold it appears.

The large amounts of money that are currently being offered for enlistments in the military are not new. And, what is really wrong with serving your country? I served 10 years on active duty in the military. In spite of what Mr. Gasperic thinks, I was not "brainwashed." His statement is quite insulting to all the men and women who have served their country in war and peace. I saw many beautiful countries and in return the government is helping me under the GI Bill. I like to think I earned that money. We must earn our way through life and protect the freedoms of this great nation. We should be thankful for all that this nation has given us. I'm not saying this country doesn't have problems, but clearly if one counts our blessings, we are richer than some believe.

Glen R. Anderson

Letters to the editor are welcome, but must be signed, typed and include your phone number.

AS I SEE IT ...

High and dry with S.D.I.

The solution is disarmament

by Moose Dehn

Special to the Pointer

Last October Ronald Reagan met with Soviet leader Gorbachev in Reykjavik, Iceland, to try to deal with the ominous problem of nuclear weapons. The Soviets came prepared with a plan for massive reduction of nuclear armaments. Reagan came with Star Wars — his baby and "important bargaining chip." The result of the meeting: nothing.

Reagan did not even offer to examine the Soviet proposals with U.S. defense experts and determine the feasibility of such an agreement, or to discuss possible compromises if it were found to be unacceptable. Reagan basically abandoned all hope for summits in the near future because of one thing: his refusal to give up S.D.I.

Reagan and his "Ronbots" claim that S.D.I. will render nuclear weapons obsolete and that it will stabilize the world situa-

tion. In theory, just the opposite is true. Star Wars, under the guise of strictly defensive purposes, will serve to allow the U.S. to gain first strike nuclear capability.

When combined with the controversial Trident II missile (a submarine-based missile with the potential to knock out all Soviet weapons before they could launch a counter attack), Star Wars presents us with a deadly edge in the arms race. It gives us the ability to launch a

first strike offensive leaving the Soviets without the chance to send a retaliatory blow.

The implications of this are terrifying. The Soviets will then be on the defensive, and if suspicions run high enough could possibly launch their missiles with little or no provocation. They will always face annihilation at the hands of the United States. This deterioration of an already unstable world situation may just be the fat lady's turn to sing.

Aside from the destabilization of world security, S.D.I.'s enormous cost will undermine the world's economy. It has been estimated that in excess of \$1 trillion will be spent before completion, and \$26 billion in the next five years. If the Soviets are to compete they will have to spend even more to make up for what they lack in technology, and this would have to come out of an already failing economy.

Ronald Reagan is quick to point out the plight of the Russian people, however he does not mention that it is imperative that the Soviets spend a great deal to keep up with the U.S. in the international arms race. It is American defense spending that is indirectly putting the Soviet economy on the rocks, and Star Wars would only serve to intensify the problem.

Ronald Reagan says that S.D.I. will bring the arms race to an end. The "end" he speaks of could be analogous to college graduation. When a person earns his diploma he has left a stage of his life, only to enter a new, more challenging one. Likewise, S.D.I. will leave behind the old mores of deterrence and thrust us headfirst into a new, more dangerous era of defense. Systems could be designed, and no doubt will be, to terminate the enemy's space defense system.

To speak in a language which a Republican can understand, the amount of money which will end up being spent on upkeep and development of offensive space weapons will be astronomical, and will present a serious problem to the world economy.

Overall, S.D.I.'s time cannot come if we are to keep the world we live in. The problems it would create for world security, economy and peace of mind would leave us high and dry in a world constantly threatened by its nuclear dilemma.

The solution is not Star Wars, it is disarmament. Ronald Reagan seems to think not, though. I pray the rest of our nation's leaders are sane enough to prevent a disaster like S.D.I. from happening.

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by Bernie Bleske
Senior Editor

Now, both trips had the potential for failure and success and in limited ways each had both. Key West failed at 3:00 a.m., when four of us decided that, since we were awake anyway and were going to leave at 7:00 a.m., we might as well get a head start. So we packed up, took the tent down, loaded the car, and woke the fifth guy to tell him we were leaving.

"Hey," someone said. "Range is on fire."
"You're right. He is."
"Did I do that?"
"I think so."
"Hey, I'm on fire."
"Here, pour this on it."
Beer works well on flames
Whenever anything happened
on the other trip, everyone got

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Many people feel that the use of ultraviolet fluorescent lamps which emit various sun-similar

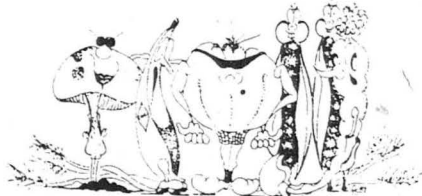
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by Trudy Stewart
Features Editor

Get ready, get set, go for the state line.

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Nutrition Points



by Toni L. Wood, R.D.
Staff Writer

Markesh Express was the name of a deliciously spiced concoction of onions, mushrooms, bulgur and red beans that introduced me to the realm of vegetarian dining and diets. Prior to that meal, I, like many others, had only a passing familiarity with vegetarianism. Since then, although not a "classifiable" vegetarian, my ventures into vegetarian dining have rarely disappointed my palate—or emptied my wallet.

Whether you embark on vegetarian dining for personal, health, philosophical, ecological or economical reasons, there are a number of nutrition points to consider. In order to carefully plan a vegetarian diet, you'll have to decide which type of vegetarian regimen you intend to follow.

Vegetarianism is divided into 3 major groups: 1) Vegan/strict vegetarian, —no animal flesh or byproducts. 2) Lacto-vegetarian—no animal flesh consumed but dairy products can be eaten. 3) Lacto-ovo vegetarian similar to the lacto-vegetarian but with the addition of eggs.

Protein is the nutritional key in a vegetarian diet. Protein builds body tissues, performs varied physiological roles and provides energy. Protein is composed of essential and non-essential amino acids. Your body cannot make the eight essential amino acids (EAA) needed, so they must be obtained from the protein you eat.

Meat, eggs and dairy products are "complete" proteins since they provide all the eight EAAs. Plant foods contain varying degrees of the EAAs, but are considered "incomplete" because not all eight EAAs are found in any one given plant. A vegetarian must learn how to "complement" their plant proteins to combine all eight EAAs.

Don't panic—a vegetarian diet doesn't mean intricate calculations or bean sprouts and tofu (although the latter makes a great spaghetti sauce). Most of you have been complementing protein for years without realizing it. Peanut butter on wheat bread, macaroni and cheese, bean burritos and cereal and milk are all examples of complemented protein sources. The three basic complementary protein formulas are: 1) Grains with legumes. 2) Grains with dairy products. 3) Nuts and seeds with legumes.

Strict vegans also have to pay close attention to alternative food sources of calcium, iron, zinc, Vitamin B-12 and Vitamin D. Supplements that meet the Recommended Dietary Allowance may be needed and should be discussed with your physician and registered dietitian. Strict vegan diets are not recommended for infants and children.

But here's the recipe that got me started.

KASHA CABBAGE ROLLS

1 Tbl. vegetable oil
1/4 c. minced onion
1/2 tsp. savory (herb)
1/2 c. kasha (buckwheat; bulgur can be substituted)
1/2 c. grated potato
2 3/4 c. water
1/4 tsp. salt
6 large cabbage leaves
3 c. water

OPTIONS: 1 c. plain yogurt,
1/4 c. walnuts or sunflower seeds, 1 c. Italian tomato sauce, 2 ozs. grated mozzarella cheese.

1. The KASHA. Place a medium pot on medium heat and add oil.
2. When oil is hot add onion and savory. Stir for a minute.
3. Add kasha, potato, 1/4 tsp. salt and 1 3/4 c. water.

4. Bring to boil, then reduce heat and simmer gently for about 30 minutes, stir occasionally.

5. Meanwhile, prepare the cabbage as follows: cut thick part of center rib from each leaf. Then gently steam in a covered pot with one c. water for 10-15 minutes; until the cabbage is tender. Save the liquid.

6. When buckwheat mixture is done, place 1/3 cup on each cabbage leaf and fold into a packet, securing with a toothpick.

7. Place filled rolls in a frying pan, on a rack if possible. Add the liquid saved from step 5.

8. Steam, uncovered, about ten minutes or until the liquid is gone.

9. May be served with hot or cold lowfat plain yogurt as a sauce (add 1/4 cup of walnuts or sunflower seeds for variation) or top with Italian tomato sauce and mozzarella cheese. Serves 3.

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Break dreamin'

by Kathleen Golke
Staff Writer

Friday, March thirteenth, marks the beginning of spring break. I'll pass those Daytona-bound beachers filling the flashing buses that are parked by the curb. Look! It's the Coca-Cola Cutie/Beasty Boy generation. They're all getting ready to roll, seeking sun and other more Dionysian climes. Despite the pennies in my loafers, will I walk by feeling all ten years of my seniority of kind of yoke? Will I feel like a stowaway, in tune with only the cold sloshy skies and sidewalks? Will I feel left behind?

Not on my Non-Traditional tin-type! I don't have to travel a thousand odd miles to fight for my right to PAAAAARTY! I can fight guilt feelings right here at home with my five-year-old daughter. She'll become suspicious the moment I look like more than a disheveled mess. It starts the moment I get out my mascara. She'll hold on desperately to my twenty-eight-year-old thigh crying, "Ma! Ma! Don't leave me!" And this is just the beginning. Hear the

Irish mourning wails as I cruelly twist the lipstick into view.

Yes, instead of saving hundreds of dollars by investing in one of those lucrative college vacation packages to "tourorize" the South, I'm going to save even more tourist dollars by staying right here in Wisconsin. Let's face it, at this time of year, more people are escaping FROM Wisconsin than TO it. Even Evinrude is leaving. Wisconsin needs us Non-Traditionals. And while we lie back enjoying special rates, we could invent new tourist slogans like "Whisk back to Wisconsin."

What better time to stay put? Besides the opportunities available for innumerable volunteer jobs, as I've said before, we'll be saving hundreds of dollars. Slushy March snow means no costly skiing or snowmobiling trips. The ice on many Wisconsin lakes will become precariously thin. Who needs expensive ice-fishing jaunts anyway? Perhaps some of us will feel cheated knowing those game fish won't be hitting at the mouths of Wisconsin rivers until a few weeks AFTER spring

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ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT

Skaggs at Quandt

UWSP News Service Release

Ricky Lee Skaggs, who won the Country Music Association's "Entertainer of the Year" award in 1985, will present a concert Friday night, Feb. 27, at UWSP.

Skaggs will be joined by guest star Johnny Russell for a show that will begin at 7:30 p.m. in Quandt Gym.

Tickets are on sale at ShopKo Stores in Central Wisconsin and at the UWSP University Center information desk.

Skaggs is credited with being at the vanguard of a "new traditionalist" movement in the early 1980s to emphasize the country in country music, as opposed to the easy-listening pop that had slipped in under its guise.

In mid-1975, he formed his own group, Boone Creek, which was one of several bands that experimented with ways to cross-breed country and bluegrass with jazz, folk and rock. It was through this involvement that he met Emmylou Harris who invited him to join her Hot Band. Skaggs wrote arrangements for her hit album, "Roses in the Snow."

His newest album, released in September on the Epic label, is "Love's Gonna Get Ya!" He has received four Gold records for his albums, "Waitin' for the Sun to Shine," "Highways and Heartaches," "Don't Cheat in Our Hometown" and "Country Boy."

Besides winning the Country Music Association's top recognition, he was the 1986 recipient of the Country Music Round-Up's award for the most popular international male solo act. Cash Box magazine named him instrumentalist of the year for 1985 and male vocalist of the year for 1984.

Thru the mind's eye

A self-image by Dean Peterson taken on the East side of the Fine Arts Center using a three-minute exposure

Thru the mind's eye is a weekly look at the photography of UWSP students. If you wish to submit photographs, please drop them in the Pointer Office, Room 227 CAC.

Album Spot-Lite

by Jon R. Pike

Staff Writer

The Magnolias
CONCRETE PILLBOX
TWIN/TONE



Ah, here's further proof that the Twin Cities is one of the hippest places in the known universe. That's right folks, to find quality rock'n'roll you don't even have to step out of the Midwest.

Twin/Tone Records of Minneapolis has been going strong for almost a full ten years now. In that time, they've nurtured many fine bands that have gone on to major label signings or at least cult status. If you've been listening at all to college or more progressively minded album rock stations for the past ten years, you've no doubt at least heard of The Suburbs or The Replacements.

Well, Twin/Tone, in its unrelenting quest to find the newest and most exciting rock'n'roll in the Midwest, now offers the new, the proud, The Magnolias' first album, Concrete Pillbox.

Concrete Pillbox is rock'n'roll at its most primitive level. Tom Lischman's thrashing guitar

and Ron Anderson's high speed drums thrust their music at you.

Now, don't be confused though, if I made it sound like this is heavy metal. Nope, there's no lengthy guitar solos or Spandex to be found anywhere near this record. It's just stripped down 3-chord rock'n'roll that just happens to be fast and loud. Unlike heavy metal bands, who feel they have to run you over with a tank to get you to pay attention, music like this feels a kick in the head is quite sufficient.

The message of this album's lyrics is basic: Living in the modern URBAN landscape and being involved in a relationship can suck. But, instead of making you feel dismal, The Magnolias music makes you want to get off your tukas and solve your problems.

God! But this record makes you feel good! Whoever thought rock'n'roll could be therapy?



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The Cure "kills" a record

Censorship

by Jon R. Pike
Staff Writer

A Princeton disk jockey plays a song on the air and comments afterwards, "This is a song about killing Arabs." A suburban Chicago boy is harassed by classmates at school. When the boys who did the harassing are questioned about it, they say, "We heard a song on the radio about killing Arabs. The DJ said that Arabs were terrorists."

What type of song could inspire such reactions?

In 1978, Robert Smith, lead vocalist of a British band, The Cure, was inspired by a scene in Albert Camus' *The Stranger*. In the scene, a man is standing on a beach, and overwhelmed by the seeming futility of the world, he kills a man, an Arab, for no reason.

The song was originally released in Britain, but, recently, Elektra/Asylum Records in the U.S. signed The Cure to their

label. As part of a promotional package for the band, Elektra/Asylum released a compilation of the band's British singles, including the song called "Killing An Arab." This album was then distributed for airplay to college and commercial album rock stations.

After the anti-Arab incidents connected to this song, complaints were made to the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee (ADC). On August 1, 1986, the ADC made a formal protest to Elektra/Asylum. After the protest was made, a meeting was set up between George Dassinger of Elektra/Asylum, Faris Bouhafa of the ADC, songwriter Robert Smith and the band's manager Chris Parry. Several alternatives were discussed, including removing the track from future pressings of the LP. The final decision, officially released on Jan. 19 of this year, was as follows: "I, Robert Smith, and the rest of The Cure ... have agreed



LAWRENCE TOLHURST BORIS WILLIAMS ROBERT SMITH SIMON GALLUP PORL THOMPSON

THE CURE

wholly to have the track withdrawn from all radio airplay. Furthermore, we have requested that a sticker should be placed on the jacket of our current retrospective singles album, *Standing On A Beach*, which also contains the track, to explain in obvious and unequivocal terms its origin and meaning."

Though sticking the album and asking radio stations not to play a certain track might smack of recent demands by such groups as the Parents Music Resource Committee to label and ban offensive recorded ma-

terial, all who were involved in making this decision insist this is not the case.

Faris Bouhafa, director of Public Relations for the ADC and a former rock publicist himself, insists that since the initiative came from the artist there is a big difference between that and the PMRC.

George Dassinger, a publicist for Elektra/Asylum, said that Elektra/Asylum does not "step on toes and censor artists. We (Elektra/Asylum) may make recommendations, but the artist doesn't have to follow them."

Given that this form of self-

censorship came from the person who wrote the offending material, what should be done by radio programmers who are asked not to air this material?

James W. Haney, a professor at UWSP who specializes in broadcast communication, when asked what his response would have been as a program director said, "I would have to take a step back and make an evaluation. If I felt it was patently offensive, it wouldn't be on the air. I would play it if I felt it had artistic merit. I would, however, be inclined to honor

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OUTDOORS

Thompson proposes changes in DNR

Area residents can join in the debate on the proposed changes in the structure of the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources by testifying at an upcoming hearing in Stevens Point, according to Representative Stan Gruszynski (D-Stevens Point), member of the Assembly Natural Resources Committee.

The Natural Resources Committee will hold a public hearing on proposals to split the DNR into two agencies and change the selection of the DNR secretary to a governor appointment. The hearing will be held from 6 to 10 p.m. Monday (Feb.

23) at the Sentry Insurance auditorium (Strongs Ave.).

Public hearings, such as this one, are an important part of the legislative process. This hearing was scheduled to accommodate those who work during the day. Those who attend can be part of this decision-making process.

Gruszynski encourages anyone interested in these issues to attend the hearing and speak or listen to the testimony. "Testimony will be used by our committee to assess public views on these issues," Gruszynski said.

The hearings were scheduled

in response to Governor Tommy Thompson's proposals to change the structure of the DNR. Thompson's proposed two-part restructuring would include splitting the DNR into two departments — one for environmental regulation and one for fish, wildlife and recreation management.

Thompson has also expressed interest in legislation that would change the DNR secretary into a governor-appointed position.

Currently the department secretary is selected by the Natural Resources Board. Board members are chosen by the governor and serve six-year

terms. This arrangement has insulated the DNR from partisan state politics.

Thompson has said he wants to split the DNR so a "pro-growth philosophy" can be combined with the protection of the environment.

Opponents of the department split say the state DNR is a single, strong agency for a good reason — regulating the catch and regulating pollution go hand-in-hand. If pollution is not checked, it may effect the hunted game population and the quality of life in our state.

Hunting can be a great alibi

by Chris Dorsey

Outdoors Editor

One of the great questions facing hunters today is why? Why do we hunt?

Anti-hunters will say it's for no other reason than the sake of killing. I doubt, though, that I'd drive 50 miles to climb hills carefully guarded by legions (or should I say "lesions") of prickly ash — the kind which keeps Band-Aid companies in business. I do this for the flitting opportunities to shoot at "poor defenseless grouse." Now anyone who has seen me stumble through a woods realizes, without question, that I don't make the effort solely because I want to kill grouse. And it's arguable as to who is defenseless.

Let's try another theory.

Some will offer that hunters like to commune with nature. This is the scenario where a hunter and a few close friends pack up some Grapenuts, grab a compass and head for the wilderness. Everything is pristine here. In fact, pristine is one of those wilderness buzz words. Hairs stand up on my neck when I hear this word.

I remember my encounters with wilderness. The time frosty oak leaves had to suffice for toilet paper; when our drinking water wasn't boiled long enough and I spent the next morning flushing my system—in squirts. Yes, I realize now that I'd rather romanticize about communing with nature than actually commune.

Still, some hunters will say that they hunt because they are providing a necessary service: There are too many deer;

therefore, the herd needs to be thinned. While the herd may need thinning, I don't schedule an entire vacation to provide a service to anyone.

Actually I have a fetish for blaze orange. Deer season is the only time I can wear my \$85 pair of orange coveralls without looking like a misplaced highway flagman.

I don't subscribe to any of the aforementioned reasons for hunting. I think there is a deeper, more compelling reason why hunters do indeed like to hunt.

It's all very simple, though. There isn't anything better to do.

To prove it, let's take a look at each month during the hunting season.

September: Storm windows need to be put up, leaves need raking and the lawn must be mowed. On the other hand, grouse and woodcock season opens along with squirrel and bow season. I would propose that the amount of time a hunter spends hunting is directly proportional to the amount of yard work remaining. It seems quite certain, in any case, that hunting will take precedence over mere yard work.

October isn't much different. Johnny has to be picked up from pee-wee football practice and firewood has to be cut. The alternative, of course, is duck or pheasant hunting. More often than not, decoys go in the truck before the kindling is cut.

November is that time when a myriad of tasks and duties pile up and face the hunter, but he has better things to do—namely deer hunt.

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Many benefit from Conservation

MADISON, WI — Farmers, wildlife and forestry interests, anti-pollution groups, and the tourism industry all stand to gain when erosion-prone land is entered into the United States Department of Agriculture's Conservation Reserve Program (CRP), says Tom Hauge, private lands wildlife specialist in the Department of Natural Resources. Signup for the 10-year program is now underway and will continue through February 27.

"Planting this land to grass, shrubs, windbreaks or trees for a ten-year period will make

Wisconsin a better place in which to live," Hauge said. He noted that of the 1.3 million acres of marginal farm croplands eligible for CRP in Wisconsin, only 75,000 acres have been signed up for the program to date.

Benefits of the program to farmers are the income in annual rental payments they receive for the marginal lands entered in the program and the resulting reduction in the amount of croplands which helps reduce crop surpluses.

Wildlife and forestry interests will benefit from the wildlife

cover to be planted on idled acres. "Most of the acreage will be put into grasses and legumes," Hauge said, "and that will greatly increase the amount of undisturbed nesting cover for wildlife in the state." In addition, he pointed out, up to one-eighth of the acres set aside would be available for planting trees, a source of income in the future.

Hauge said that those concerned with water quality and reducing pollution and minimizing the cost of Wisconsin's erosion control programs should enthusiastically support the CRP. "The more land idled through this program, the less land we have to be concerned about as a source for ground and surface water pollution from agricultural chemicals and lost soil."

He observed that tourism depends on our natural resources. "Clean water, abundant fish and wildlife resources, scenic rural grasslands spotted with wildflowers all act as a magnet drawing vacationers to Wisconsin," Hauge said.

"There are no losers in this program," he concluded, "and the more acres set aside in Wisconsin, the larger the benefit to all of us."



Thanks in part to the new Conservation Reserve program, Iowa pheasant hunters enjoyed an excellent harvest this year.

Photo by Chris Dorsey

Wildlife symposium to be at Madison

MADISON, WI—"Keeping Track of Wisconsin's Wildlife - The Volunteers Role in Surveying Wisconsin's Natural Resources" is a special one-day symposium slated for Saturday, February 28, at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. It is hosted by the UW Department of Wildlife Ecology and co-sponsored by the Department of Natural Resources' Bureau of Endangered Resources and the Madison Audubon Society. It

will examine the essential role volunteers play in wildlife and rare plant field work.

Volunteers currently active in field work and individuals interested in volunteering are invited to attend. Registration is \$2 at the door and begins at 8 a.m. Proceeds in excess of expenses will be donated to the Endangered Resources Fund. The program begins at 9 a.m.

The program features presentations on the sandhill crane

count, federal breeding bird surveys, the status of purple loosestrife in Wisconsin, Project Loon Watch, Wisconsin's bluebird recovery program, frog surveys, The Wisconsin Society for Ornithology Checklist Project, the Christmas bird count, plant inventories, Natural Heritage Inventory Program, DNR surveys and a final panel discussion on the possibilities of

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Treehaven to host courses for teachers

A series of weekend courses for teachers, youth leaders and environmental center staff members will be held this winter and spring at Treehaven, the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point's field station near Tomahawk.

Natural Resources 405/605, Selected Topics in Natural Resources: Winter Ecology, includes the following one-credit workshops:

-Winter Ecology of Birds, taught by James Hardin of UWSP's natural resources faculty, beginning at 6 p.m., Friday, Feb. 27 to 1 p.m., Sunday, March 1. The class will focus on the winter adaptation of birds, including special presentations on owls, ruffed grouse, eagles and bird banding techniques.

-Winter Ecology of Mammals, taught by Hardin and Ray Anderson of UWSP, beginning

at 6 p.m., Friday, March 13 to 1 p.m., Sunday, March 15. The instructors will lead field excursions to locate and identify signs of activity. They will discuss adaptations of mammals, their winter habits and habitats, from shrew to bear.

All or any of these sessions may be taken for one undergraduate or one graduate credit each. Fees are \$42 for room and board each weekend, \$52.60 for one undergraduate credit and \$91.50 for one graduate credit.

Another one-credit weekend workshop will be offered at Treehaven in April. Fishes of Wisconsin will be taught by Fred Copes of the UWSP biology faculty on April 24-26. He will discuss the basic identification of fishes of Wisconsin, ecological relationships, habits and habitats. Field trips to a lake and river will be included.

Fees are \$42 for room and board, \$52.60 for one undergraduate credit and \$91.50 for one graduate credit.

In addition a non-credit week-

end offering will be held from March 20 - 21, from 6 p.m. on Friday to 4 p.m. on Saturday. Corky McReynolds, director of Treehaven, will teach beginning

skills for tracking animals and nature observation including field experience, group and indi-

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Tichigan, first "MARSH" project

MADISON, WI - Tichigan Wildlife Area, the first MARSH Project in Wisconsin, was dedicated at ceremonies on February 10, 1987, John Wetzel, DNR waterfowl specialist and Gene Henry, Ducks Unlimited (DU) state chairman, said.

MARSH is a DU acronym that describes a program which provides-Matching Aid to Restore State Habitat-for waterfowl. The program provides state conservation agencies with 7.5 percent of DU's income raised through volunteer events in their respective states.

"Tichigan Wildlife Area is located four miles north of Watertown in Racine County," Wetzel said. "The MARSH Project approved for funding involved the construction of 4,300 feet of dike and placement of water control structures to develop a 60-acre flowage at the wildlife area."

The flowage will provide fall staging habitat for waterfowl within the current 200 acre closed area. A partial annual water drawdown and millet planting will further enhance the value of the flowage for fall staging of migrating waterfowl and other migratory species. Additional pair and brood habitat will also be provided for ducks nesting on the wildlife area. Total cost of the project is estimated at \$76,500.

"Dedication ceremonies were held at Bong Recreation Area located in Kenosha County," Wetzel said. "Wisconsin officials and Ducks Unlimited representatives reviewed the history of this unique private/public cooperative effort and explained what MARSH will mean to the future of Wisconsin's waterfowl resources."

The new Tichigan Flowage was also dedicated as Wisconsin's first completed MARSH Project. Featured speakers included Department Secretary C.D. "Buzz" Besadny, DU State Chairman Gene Henry, and Ducks Unlimited Mississippi Flyway MARSH coordinator Billy Joe Cross of Mississippi.

On January 1, 1985, DU provided \$201,019 as the initial MARSH grant to Wisconsin. The state has three years to allocate the monies to projects. To date MARSH funds set aside for Wisconsin projects (1985-87) total about \$650,000.

Under MARSH guidelines, states such as Wisconsin that donate \$1 to Canadian waterfowl habitat development through DU for each state waterfowl stamp sold receive MARSH monies as direct grants. Other states must match DU's MARSH contribution to be eligible for funding.

In addition to Tichigan Flowage, other funded MARSH Projects include a 25-acre flowage on Sportsman's Lake in Clark County, a 2,500 foot splitter dike for Townline flowage on the Mead Wildlife Area in Marathon County, and a replacement control structure on Princess Point Wildlife Area in Jefferson County. These projects should be completed during this summer, Wetzel added.

Other MARSH Projects in various stages of planning are located in the following counties: Burnett, Price, Langlade, Manitowoc, Washington, Grant, Pepin, Dunn, Winnebago, St. Croix, Fond du Lac and Columbia.

DU guidelines stipulate that projects may be initiated to acquire, develop, or enhance waterfowl habitat. At the start of the MARSH Project venture in Wisconsin, only projects for development and enhancement are being considered as a single acquisition project could encumber an entire year's allocation.

Projects approved by the Department are submitted to DU for approval. Following approval, a site specific agreement is developed outlining the responsibilities of DU and the Department.

Outstanding fish manager named

RHINELANDER, WI - Department of Natural Resources Antigo Area fish manager, Max Johnson, has been named the State's Outstanding Fish Manager for 1986 by the State Council of Trout Unlimited. The award of appreciation was presented to Johnson at the Trout Unlimited State Annual Banquet and Meeting on January 24, 1987, in Appleton, Wisconsin.

During the award ceremony, Johnson was cited for his leadership in trout stream habitat improvement and spring pond dredging activities. In addition to those trout habitat improvement techniques, Johnson was also singled out for his work on the national level, where he has worked on a nationwide trout habitat improvement conference.

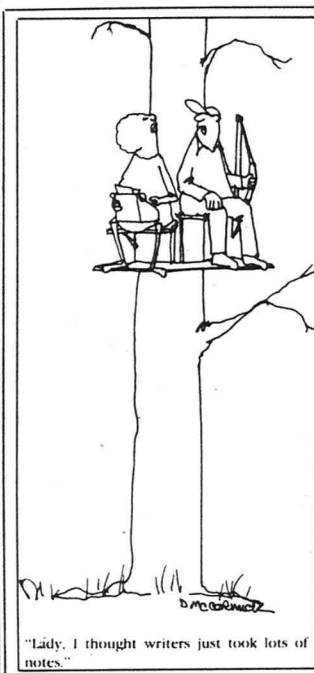
In accepting the award, Johnson said, "It is nice to get this kind of recognition personally, but this award is accepted on behalf of everyone on my fish crew, the staff in the Antigo Area, and in the North Central District of the Department of Natural Resources who have contributed to the successful trout stream habitat program."



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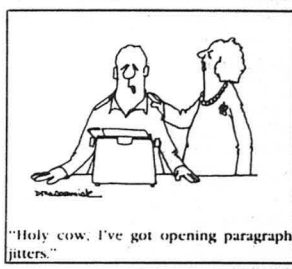
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Conference on eagles comes to midwest

APPLE RIVER, IL. — After being held around the continent for several years (Canada, New York, Florida, Arizona), International Bald Eagle Days is returning to the Midwest in 1987. The Eagle Foundation's highly acclaimed annual scientific meeting and wildlife conference will be held this year in Dubuque, Iowa, in the heart of the Upper Mississippi River Wildlife Refuge, and only a short distance from Eagle Valley Nature Preserve located in southwest Wisconsin.

Bald Eagle Days will take place May 21-24 at the Best Western Dubuque Inn. This year's theme will be, "Our Eagle's Future?". Paper sessions, panel discussions, and audio-visual presentations will concentrate on the short-term and long-range prospects for our national symbol's survival and well-being.

As always at Bald Eagle Days, a stellar line-up of bald eagle researchers, wildlife management experts, state and federal officials, and conservation activists will be on hand. (Commitments already have been received from researchers from Arizona to Nova Scotia.) Topics sure to be of special interest are captive breeding of bald eagles and other birds of prey, hacking and transplantation programs, habitat preservation and degradation, as well as censusing techniques and results. Content, communication, and controversy will be the watchwords.

Some exciting social events and field trips are on the agenda as well. Plans call for a sightseeing trip through bald eagle wintering habitat on the Mississippi River, aboard one of

the paddle-wheeled excursion boats operated by internationally acclaimed Roberts' River Rides. There will be a guided field trip to Eagle Valley Nature Preserve near Glen Haven, Wisconsin, featuring a tour of The Bald Eagle Foundation's Captive Bald Eagle Breeding Facility. And our gala fund-raiser, the annual Bald Eagle Days banquet, will take place Saturday night, May 23rd.

There's plenty to see and do in the Dubuque area. Two other nature preserves — Swiss Valley and E.B. Lyons — are only minutes from the Dubuque Inn. Less than half an hour away is one of the Midwest's most popular tourism destinations — the charming 19th century mining town of Galena, Illinois, filled with historic architecture, fine museums, and excellent antique and gift shops.



Castle Rock Dam sports walleye action

In the northwest, conditions are good for snowmobiling in Iron County. However, in most of the northwestern counties, reports indicated that both snowmobile and cross country ski trails are in poor, and in some cases fair, condition. Polk County lakes are providing fair to good perch fishing, and good walleye fishing is reported on Lost Land Lake in Sawyer County and the Dairyland Reservoir in Rusk County. The deer herd is wintering very well in the northwest.

Farther south in the west central counties, anglers are taking some small walleyes below the

Trempealeau and Alma dams on the Mississippi. Beaver trappers are doing well in the La Crosse area and are receiving good prices for their pelts. Wildlife is thriving in the mild, open winter conditions, and farmers are reporting very little wildlife crop damage.

In north central Wisconsin, there's good walleye and northern fishing below the Castle Rock Dam on the Wisconsin River and reports from the Woodruff area indicated that panfish action is good there. Snowmobile and cross country

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Education courses offered at Environmental Station

Three new environmental education workshops for teachers will be held on weekends this spring at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point's Central Wisconsin Environmental Station (CWES).

Each of the courses is available for one undergraduate credit, one graduate credit or on a non-credit basis. Participants may elect to take any or all of the classes taught by UWSP natural resources faculty and environmental station personnel. The workshops are:

—Great Lakes and Marine Education, 7 p.m., Friday, May 1 to 11 a.m., Sunday, May 3. The course will explore teaching opportunities in history, government, global issues, chemistry, biology, earth and life sciences, language arts and fine arts through studying the Great Lakes. Participants will receive curriculum materials developed by Ohio Sea Grant for science, language arts, fine arts and social studies in grades 5-9. Fees are \$40 for room and board, \$10 for non-credit instruction, \$52.60 for one

undergraduate credit or \$91.50 for one graduate credit.

The third workshop, The Hidden Water Resource—Groundwater, will include one day spent at either Hancock or Wausau and a day at the environmental station. The Hancock session will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 28, at the Hancock Experiment Station. The Wausau session will be from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, March 14. The location will be announced at a later date. The final session is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, April 11, at CWES.

Designed for teachers in grades 5 - 12, the workshop will

provide information and teaching activities about geology, the water cycle and water quality. Issues particularly important to residents of central Wisconsin will be covered in each session. Participants taking the course for credit must attend either the Hancock or the Wausau session, complete an assignment and attend the final session at CWES.

The workshop is sponsored by the Central Wisconsin Groundwater Center, Wisconsin DNR, Marathon County, UW-Extension and UWSP. The first session will cost \$10 for materials

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MADISON, WI - Wisconsin's first state sponsored Wildfire Prevention Week is scheduled this year from April 19th through April 25th.

"The theme of this year's week is 'Wildfire Prevention is You' and this theme of personal responsibility will be emphasized throughout the campaign," Earl Meyer, forest fire prevention specialist with the Department of Natural Resources, said.

He stated, "Nine out of 10 wildfires in Wisconsin are caused by people, and that means that 90 percent of the wildfires in the state can be prevented."

To heighten public awareness of wildfire prevention, the department is conducting education programs in the media, in schools and in the department's district and area offices around the state. Feature stories on wildfire prevention will be sent to the media. Some municipalities in the state will mark the occasion by proclaiming Wildfire Prevention Week in their communities.

"Forest industries in Wisconsin are directly responsible for 83,000 jobs in the state, and another 200,000 jobs indirectly," Meyer said. "That means that wildfires can take a heavy toll from the state's economy and

can be devastating to the forest products and tourism industries.

"There are also intangible costs of destroyed recreational opportunities, of natural beauty lost, and of lost habitat for some types of wildlife," Meyer noted.

He noted that Michigan and Minnesota and the Canadian Province of Ontario are holding Wildfire Prevention Week at the same time as Wisconsin.

"Wildfire prevention is taking on an international flavor as governments recognize the need for education about the forestry and wildland resource," Meyer concluded.

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ski trails are in excellent condition in the Woodruff area. Cross country ski and snowmobile trails are good in Langlade County and snowmobile trails east of Highway 97 in Marathon County are closed, but the trails west of that highway are open.

In the northeast, walleyes are being taken in the early morning hours in the Fox River at Voyageur Park in De Pere. Some perch catches are being made off Longtail Point in Brown County, and northerns are providing most of the action on Shawano County waters. There's some bluegill activity on Waupaca County lakes. Snowmobile trails are closed in Shawano and Waupaca counties.

In the south and southwest, anglers are taking walleyes below the Dells dam and trout anglers are doing well in Grant County. Trout fishing has also

been good in Iowa County. Nice catches of northerns and perch are coming from Lake Puckaway, and northern fishing is picking up on the kettle lakes in Fond du Lac County. Lake trout are being taken from Big Green Lake. Ice conditions on Big Green have deteriorated, and ice conditions on the Horicon Marsh are poor.

NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT

Wisconsin Rapids Area

Walleye and northern pike fishing has been good on the Wisconsin River below the Castle Rock Dam. All other fishing in the area is generally quite slow.

Antigo Area

Some bald eagles have already returned to the area. Fishing is fair. Langlade County snowmobile and cross country ski trails are in good condition. The Marathon County snowmobile trails east of Highway 97 are closed but the trails west of Highway 97 remain open. The open trails in Marathon County are not in the best of condition.

Woodruff Area

Deer continue to winter well throughout the northern counties. Ice fishing activity is strong. Snowmobile and cross country ski trails are in excellent condition. Panfish fishing is good.

Alibi, from page 12

So you see, it's not so much that we hunters enjoy killing, communing with nature, or doing our civic duty—we're simply lazy.

Symposium, from page 12

centralizing records.

The symposium will be held in room 3650 of the Humanities Building at the corner of Park Street and University Avenue on the UW campus.

For additional information contact the Madison Audubon Society at (608) 255-BIRD.

Treehaven, from page 13

vidual practice.

Fees are \$40 for room, board and instruction.

Pre-registration for all of the workshops are required through McReynolds, Treehaven, W2540 Pickerel Creek Road, Tomahawk, WI 54487.

Education, from page 14

and lunch; the second session is \$5 for lunch, \$32 for undergraduate tuition or \$91.50 for graduate fees.

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Suntan, cont.

rays to get a tan is a viable method of avoiding a blistering sunburn. Don't believe it! And if someone at a tanning salon tells you that, you probably signed up at the wrong choice of tanning salon.

"Contrary to popular belief, cosmetic tanning will not protect you completely from the burning part of the natural sunlight spectrum. It does provide you with some natural protection. And combining a good, basic tan with a commercial sunscreen product can prevent harmful scorching," says Donna Bugel, president of a local tanning salon.

Bugel, who is secretary of Suntan Association for Education, explains that she, and others in the organization, are concerned because beds are in the hands of unsafe operators. "The public has to look at whether the salon is neat, sanitized and professionally maintained. Operators have to be educated in the professional use of the beds, and equipment needs to be watched and upgraded. The system controls the rays, but it must be used sanely. Operators should monitor people to make sure they don't exceed limits for their skin types."

Although Bugel cites studies and reports, not all documentation supports her position. For instance, Isaac Willis, M.D., professor of dermatology at Morehouse School of Medicine in Atlanta says, "There is no such thing as a 'safe suntan' and, in fact, people who go to tanning parlors may do more harm to their skin than if they sunbathed outdoors."

It is his contention that sun damage is cumulative. "The more exposure you have, the more damage you incur; and a pre-existing tan is not a good protection against further sun damage. Also, people most likely to use tanning booths are the ones who don't tan easily."

But whatever the final conclusion of sun exposure studies, all dermatologists do agree on the importance of prevention through daily sunscreen use beginning in childhood. They also recommend early detection of skin-cancer lesions through monthly self-exams and yearly exams by a dermatologist. Self-exams may be done by using both full-length and hand mirrors; examine your entire body including between your toes and the soles of your feet. See your physician if you find any odd-looking skin patches or moles.

Cure cont.

the request of the artist. It might get played in the context of the controversy."

Professor Haney indicated a possible negative side effect from publicizing the controversy, "The song may get more attention than they want from groups like the PMRC."

The local college radio station, WWSP-90FM, has this album in its music library. Darren Kramer, station manager, views the band's request not as a request to withdraw the song from airplay, "but that special care be taken in presentation." Kramer equates being told not to play the song as coming from the "same mentality as burning books. (It's okay to air this song) ... if it's explained, and it's done responsibly."

Dream, cont.

break. But these are just the spend-thrifts.

So, just what in non-traditional tarnation will we do? Read? Catch up on our homework? Soak up the glory of those ten bonus points we received for showing up for class on that Friday afternoon? Along with volunteer work, these are some possibilities.

Someone told me they're planning on going to one of Central Wisconsin's famous sun-tanning spas. I also hear the Central Wisconsin offers stays at theme motels. You can now fake a whole lot more than a tropical tan. I can just picture me now, after my tanning sessions — romance amidst the ersatz Elgin Marbles!

Alas! I don't think so. I look down and can picture only a pale crying little Plato still firmly attached to my conscious. "Ma! Ma! Don't leave me!" Oh well. Do they have a theme motel that simulates Show Biz Pizza or Chuck E. Cheese?

I guess I'll have to wait for summer to get that really good hangover and that swarthy, premature, aged-look.

What did I do last spring break anyway? Hmmm...It must have been a real mind-bender.

Plan your own, cont.

hysterical and grumpy. This was because we were not drinking beer. It's true.

Of course, Virginia Beach is not a good spring break idea. It's cold and windy there and the campgrounds are dead, really dead.

Key West, on the other hand, is about the best place you could possibly be. There are cheap campgrounds everywhere, most along the ocean. Picture this: Night along the sea. A warm breeze rustling the flaps of your tent. A quiet little fire in the sand, tunes whispering from the car. You're in

shorts and a tee-shirt, the breeze cool on your back, just sitting there by the fire with friends. Drinking beer.

Above all, Key West is cheap. Campgrounds run about \$15-\$20 a night — with showers, etc.... The snorkeling is great and free and the beaches are white sand with just the right number of people on them to make a football game possible.

At sunset the pier fills with hippie-type acrobats and magicians and contortionists and college tourists. They watch the shows and the sunset, then scatter to bars, where they drink beer.

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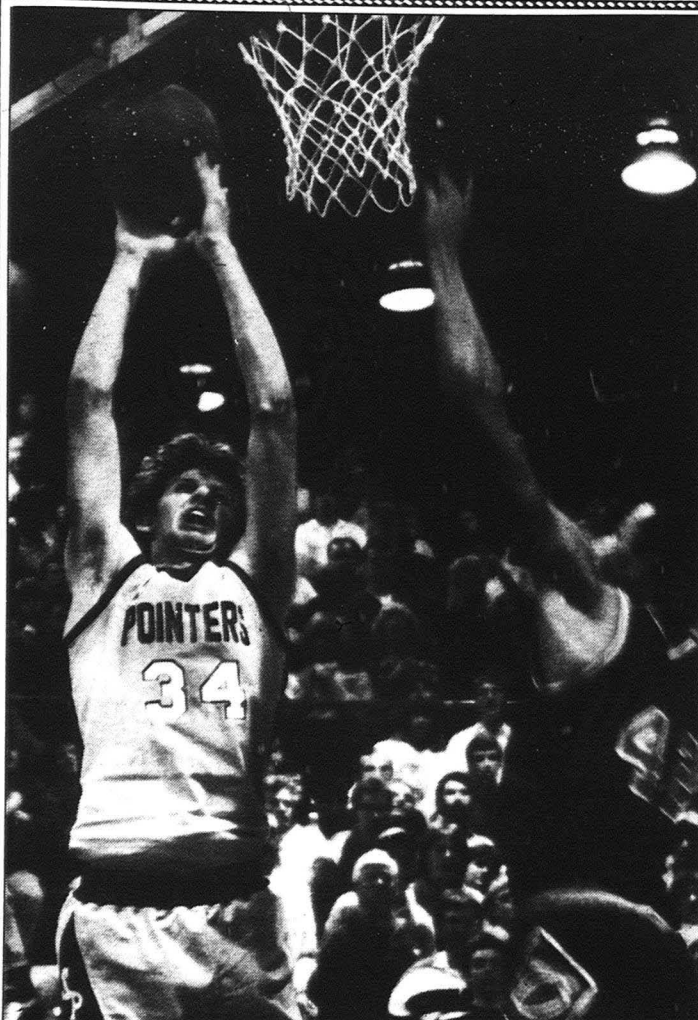
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SPORTS



Pointer all-American Tim Naegeli goes up for two of his game and career high 33 points on Saturday night against Eau Claire. UWSP won the game 60-52 to overtake the conference lead.

Pointers beat EC, take league lead

by Scott Huelskamp

Staff Writer

The University of Stevens Point men's basketball team completed a clean sweep last week of three top teams in the WSUC conference.

The Pointers defeated UW-Whitewater, this time on their home court, for the second time in as many weeks, 61-51. Tim Naegeli had 21 points for the winners.

It was a particularly blue weekend also for two other teams, the Stout Blue Devils and Eau Claire Blugolds.

Point returned to Quandt Fieldhouse Friday night and defeated UW-Stout 66-63.

"Early against Stout, we were struggling," said assistant coach Randy Handel. "We struggled defensively and made careless turnovers with the ball."

"The game got a little scary towards the end because we committed a few aggressive fouls. Stout made their free-throws and were able to cut our lead, but we were still able to hang on to the win."

"We knew this game was going to be a struggle. Stout is a good ball team with good quickness at the perimeter (guards and forwards)."

Pointer Craig Hawley led all scorers with 21 points and snagged three rebounds. Naegeli contributed 16 points and five boards.

Point shot 53 percent from the field, including a 13 for 18 (72 percent) second-half performance but were out-rebounded, 40-28.

Tom Gomolak and Luther Forest each had 18 points for Stout.

Saturday night's game versus Eau Claire could have been called the Tim Naegeli show.

The senior forward played all 40 minutes for the second

straight game and scored 33 points, making 7-11 from the field and 13-15 charity shots to lead the Pointers to a 60-52 win.

Said Handel, "Eau Claire just wasn't able to guard Tim. He was getting good shots and making big shots. He had an excellent game."

"When Eau Claire beat us a couple weeks ago, we were never in rhythm offensively. Saturday night we ran our motion offense well and were more patient and time and time again we were taking good shots. Naegeli and Hawley made some key three-point shots also."

"We created turnovers to get back in the ball game and played better in the second half by handling the ball and making our free-throws," added Handel. "Our bench strengths are comparable and we did a fine job of containing Eau Claire's good players."

"Hawley played well and displayed his mental toughness despite being injured." Hawley played with a badly bruised knee he suffered while setting a pick in the Stout game.

Eau Claire held the ball during the last minute of the game even though they were down by eight points. Apparently, the Blugolds wanted to keep the top spot in the Dunkel, the ratings that determine the four teams that go to the District 14 playoffs. The ratings are based on win and loss records and margin of victory in case of a tie. Point lost to the Blugolds by nine points three weeks ago. If Point and Eau Claire win their next two games, Eau Claire will have the home court advantage in the District playoffs.

Stevens Point (11-3 in the conference) holds a half game advantage over Eau Claire (10-3) for the top spot in the conference. The Pointers are trying to win their sixth straight conference title.

Grapplers fifth at WSUC meet

by Karen Kulinski

Sports Editor

The UW-Stevens Point wrestling team took a giant step towards respectability in the Wisconsin State University Conference.

At the WSUC championships in La Crosse this past weekend, the Pointer grapplers earned a fifth place finish with 35 points.

UW-Whitewater stole the title this year from four-time defending champion UW-River Falls. The Warhawks won the title with 88½ points as the Falcons scored 78½. Third place went to Platteville with 73½ points followed by Eau Claire with 37½, Point, Stout 30½, La Crosse 16, Oshkosh 12½ and Superior 11½.

At last year's meet, UWSP finished eighth. Pointer coach Duane Groshek was pleased with the team's effort.

"We only lost to Eau Claire by 2 3/4 points," said Groshek. "In fact, we were ahead of them by one-half point until Bob Smith won the conference title at 167 for them."

The grapplers were paced by junior Rich Harding who placed second, improving upon last year's third place finish. Harding beat Bob Garrou of Superior 11-0 and Al Schult of Platteville 6-4. In the championship match, he lost to two-time defending champion Terry Schuler of Whitewater, 13-2. Schuler owns a 28-1 record.

"Rich just finally met a better wrestler than himself on that particular day," said Groshek. "But now he looks forward to repeating his All-American performance of last year at the NAA national tourney."

Bill Kolodziej, wrestling at heavyweight, captured third

place at the meet after winning the consolation bracket. He beat Dan Reise of LaCrosse 9-1 before being pinned by Rich Rupp of Stout in 5:34. For third place, he beat Scott Wojciechowski of Eau Claire, 11-4.

"Bill, who will also be traveling to the national tourney, got caught on his knees for a second and got pinned in the semi-finals," said Groshek. "He did come back with an overtime victory over Bolstad, which avenged losses to him last year."

The other Pointer place winners all finished fourth. At 118, Ryan Burns lost his opening match to Mike Brogan of La Crosse, 10-9, but came back to pin Mike Edwards of Superior in 1:34 and defeat Chris Henry of Whitewater 16-7. In the consolation finals, he tied Keith Rusch of Stout 5-5 in regulation

before falling to a 1-1 overtime referee critical decision.

"Ryan lost two matches by a total of one point," said Groshek. "It's so hard to watch a young man wrestle so hard and lose on five seconds of riding time. But he will be back next year."

Jeff Mayhew, at 134, beat Jeff Johnson of La Crosse 2-1 before falling to Todd Bender of Whitewater, 9-2. In the consolation bracket, he beat Mike Hendrington of Eau Claire, 7-3, and then lost to Dale Kleven of Oshkosh 3-1.

At 142, Bob Calnin beat Anthony Brown 5-0 before getting pinned by Greg Kay in 4:02. He beat John Grose of Superior 5-4 in the consolation bracket before losing to Rob Schmidt of Whitewater, 3-2.

Gregg Kurzynski, a 1984 graduate of Pacelli High School,



Rich Harding

wrestling at 167, placed fourth after losing to Wayne Hendrickson of Stout, 7-2, but coming back to pin Andy Nicholson of Oshkosh in 4:16 and beating

Lady Pointers earn share of WWIAC title

by Mickey Slowinski

Staff Writer

Every athletic team has visions of a conference championship when it opens the season, but as the year wears on, some fall to the bottom, while others rise to the top.

The 1986-87 UW-Stevens Point women's basketball team is one of the elite. Its visions of a conference title became reality Saturday afternoon on Parents' Day in Berg Gym.

The Lady Pointers assured themselves of at least a share of the Wisconsin Women's Intercollegiate Athletic Conference title by downing UW-Eau Claire, 73-49.

Stevens Point is 18-2 overall and 13-1 in the WWIAC.

UWSP set up the showdown on Saturday with a 76-42 trampling of UW-Stout on Friday. Despite the 34-point win, Stevens Point coach Linda Wunder didn't think her team was at the top of its game.

"I think we were flat after the big win over Whitewater," she said. "We were looking past Stout and didn't play well."

Eight of 10 Lady Pointers broke into the scoring column with junior Sonja Sorenson leading the way with 18 points. On Sorenson's 12th basket, she scored her 1,000th career point at UWSP.

Other Pointers in double figures were Patti Trochinski, Donna Pivonka and Karla Miller with 10 points each.

Wunder cited the play off the bench of freshman Renee Bourget and Cheryl Gross. "The pressure was off them," said Wunder. "They could go in and play their own game. They had the opportunity to play and were relaxed out there."

On Saturday against the Bluebirds, the Lady Pointers displayed a balanced scoring attack as all five starters broke into double figures in the 73-49 win.

Miller led the way with 16 points, Sorenson added 13, Debbie Shane 12, Trochinski 11 and Pivonka 10. Both teams collected 37 rebounds, with Miller pulling down 10 for UWSP.

The conference championship comes as a special delight to second-year coach Wunder, in that it's the first in the 15-year history of women's basketball at UW-Stevens Point.

"Winning a conference championship was our No. 1 goal at the beginning of the year," said Wunder. "The girls have worked hard and really earned it."

With two conference games remaining, the Pointers took a two-game lead into Wednesday's contest against second place La Crosse.

"We don't want to have to share the championship and it's important that we build some momentum for the playoffs," said Wunder. "It's important that we keep everybody healthy down the stretch and maybe rest Sonja a bit so we can get her back to 100 percent."

The Lady Pointers entertain UW-Parkside in their home finale on Saturday at 3 p.m. in Berg Gym before concluding regular season play at Oshkosh on Wednesday. Saturday is Senior Day.

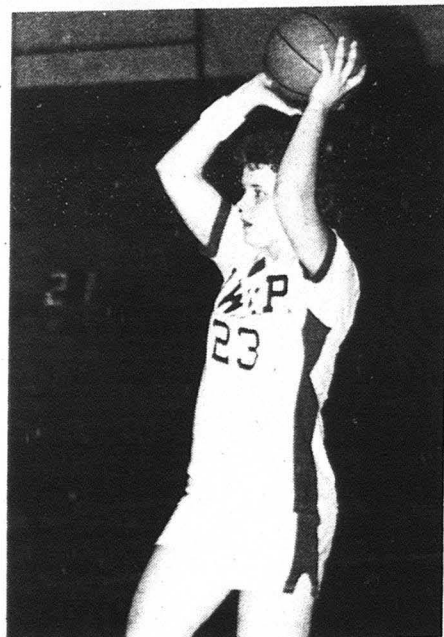


Photo by Paul Becker

Stevens Point's Patti Trochinski looks for a teammate to pass to during action last weekend.

Women runners 3rd at LC

by Karen Kulinski

Sports Editor

The UW-Stevens Point women's track team ran to a third place in the Deb Hilderbrandt Invitational in La Crosse over the weekend.

Host La Crosse won the meet with 245½ points followed by UW-Oshkosh with 121, Stevens Point 76½, Winona Minnesota 51, Whitewater 37, Superior 11 and Platteville 3.

"We made a good deal of progress this week," said Pointer coach Len Hill. "We ran very well from the 60-yard dash right on up through the 5,000 meters. The team is finally recovering from the flu bug and the hard work is beginning to show. Two weeks ago at La Crosse, we ran hard but were not able to hold down the stretch. This week we were able to hold on and as a result we ran some good times in some fast races."

Kris Helein earned a first place in the 5,000 run with 18:47.9, also a school record. Carrie Enger also grabbed a top spot as she won the 440 dash in 1:02.71.

Cheri Schopper gained a second place finish in the 300 dash with a time of :40.39. Carlene Willkom finished second in the pentathlon with 2,869 points.

Third places went to Maureen Seidl in the 1,000 run in 2:52.06, Schopper in the 300 dash in :40.68, Kay Wallander in the 600 run in 1:34.64 and Enger in the 880 run in 2:29.69. The mile relay of Nancy Peasley, Kathi Seidl, Wallander and Maureen Seidl also finished third in 4:18.91.

"I thought the middle distance people ran extremely well," said Hill. "Rick Witt is their coach and he has done an excellent job with them. Enger was one of the winners that we

had and she did a good job winning the quarter mile and then coming back an hour later to place third in the half mile. Other good performances in the middle distances came from Maureen Seidl, Wallander and Kathi Seidl. The mile relay of Peasley, Wallander and the Seidls ran to a third place in a very exciting race. We were about five yards behind Oshkosh when Maureen Seidl received the baton. She caught up to Oshkosh within half a lap. She and Tammi Mills of Oshkosh pushed each other to the finish so that they almost caught La Crosse.

"In the sprints, Schopper and Becki Sherwood ran very well. We had a couple other people who did not place but should be mentioned. Carol Zielinski, in uniform for the first time, missed making the finals in the 60 hurdles by .05 seconds. Peasley ran the 220 intermediate hurdles for the first time and had an excellent time. These two people will make the scoring column in the future.

"Helein ran a very smart race as she put a gap between her and the rest of the field. When it came down to the last few laps, she was simply too far out front for anyone to catch her. Other good distance performances came from Amy Cyr, Jenni Bugni and Kris Hoel.

"We made some progress in the high jump this week as the two jumpers who scored for us each jumped two inches higher than they previously jumped this year. Eiden and Liz Sindlinger placed fourth and fifth in the high jump. Willkom placed second in the pentathlon, fourth in the long jump and sixth in the long jump. However, these were not particularly good performances for her. I may have been asking too much from her this early in the season.

Hill gave Pointer of the Week honors to Helein in the running events and Eiden in the field

events.

The Lady Pointers return to action at the UW-Oshkosh Titan Invitational on Saturday, February 21.



Tracksters improve at Bethel Invite

Individual first places from Arnie Schraeder and Tom Moris paced the UW-Stevens Point men's track team at the Eric Liddell Memorial Games last Saturday.

"This was an excellent meet for us," said Pointer coach Rick Witt. "I saw lots of things that I really liked. Everyone who made the trip made big improvements. The competition included some of the best in the Midwest, and we had many peo-

ple have excellent efforts that did not place."

Schraeder won the two-mile in 8:56.8, while Moris topped the pack in the 5,000-meter run in 14:33.2. Moris, whose time in the 5,000 is the second fastest in the country, topped only by Schraeder, qualified for the NCAA National Meet. Schraeder's time in the two-mile was a school record.

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Hawley--A winner with priorities

by Karen Kulinski

Sports Editor

"I want everyone to remember me as someone who fought through adversity — school wasn't that easy — has become adjusted to college life and in the past few years, has gotten their priorities straight and has put out a good effort in the classroom and on the court."

— Craig Hawley

The senior co-captain from St. Mary's Springs High School in Fond du Lac entered the Pointer basketball program as a winner and during his four-year stint at UWSP, has been a part of teams that have accumulated a 94-18 win/loss record. In a game at Superior, Hawley dishd out five assists to become the all-time leading player in that category with 442 total assists.

"I realized that if I had the same kind of season as last year, I could break the record," said Hawley. "With Tim Naegeli and Todd Christianson shooting the ball, the record was not that hard to break."

Assistant Pointer coach Randy Handel knew what Hawley could offer the team — on the court and as a leader. "As a senior, we expected him to give us leadership, and playing point guard requires that you really be a team leader in a number of ways on the floor."

"This year, Craig has improved dramatically in his defensive play. Last season, he had occasional defensive lapses and this year he's really concentrated on consistently playing good, solid defense. Offensively, he's an outstanding shooter and he really has given us an added dimension with his range."

"He's had a lot of games this year where he has been a real force for us offensively. Lately, he's struggling a little bit with his shooting, but I know he'll get that worked out in time like every good shooter does."

The list of Hawley's accomplishments is rare. Along with this most recent assist honor, he was a member of a runner-up team at the 1983-84 NAIA National Tournament and a player on the WSUC championship team.

Hawley's goals this year are to win the conference title and eventually make the trip to Kansas City for the national championships.

"Kansas City is a great experience," he said. "It's really too bad not everyone gets to go down there. Once you've been there, you know what it's like. This year, I want to win the conference and go to Kansas City and be as competitive as possible down there."

A few weeks ago, the Pointers suffered two tough defeats to Eau Claire and Superior. Then, Hawley felt the team's prob-

lems could be corrected.

"We were playing all right," he said. "We could have won those games but we played a couple of bad halves. Considering how tough the conference is this year, we're doing pretty good. We were playing somewhat impatient. You have to learn from your mistakes. There are only two guys that really played a lot together last year and that was Tim Naegeli and myself. With all the shuffling of guys, it's just a matter of time."

The Pointers proved they are capable of pulling together by defeating Superior, Whitewater, Stout and Eau Claire to take a half game lead in the conference standings ahead of Eau Claire.

Even though he is averaging 13.1 points per game, Hawley said he would much rather pass the ball. "Scoring isn't that big of a deal," he said. "I just like to make a good pass because it's all for the same goal and that's two points."

Stevens Point basketball and winning are four words that people have little problem saying in the same breath. Hawley is used to winning and likes every moment of it.

"Of course it feels good to win," he said, "because that is the main objective you're striving for. I was fortunate to have been on good teams all through high school. I'm accustomed to being on winning teams. Winning makes it the most fun."

"To a certain extent, you learn how to win, and when you do win and get used to it, you put out that much more effort than those who aren't used to it. Stevens Point has the tradition that we don't want to lose."

"We don't like losing. We know we have to win. Compared to other teams, we adjust well to wins and especially losses. Our coaches are knowledgeable and know what we did wrong and how to correct it and then we can adjust."

Hawley has been a winner because of his own personal effort combined with the talent of many teammates. Handel had little problem pointing out Hawley's biggest attribute.

"Craig should be remembered as an unselfish player who is a winner," said Handel. "He is a player who got his priorities in order and grew a great deal during his college career. People will always remember that he was a very fine shooter, capable of having a big night any time."

"Off the court, Craig has become a much more responsible person in the past couple of years. He has been a better leader for the younger players and that's very important."

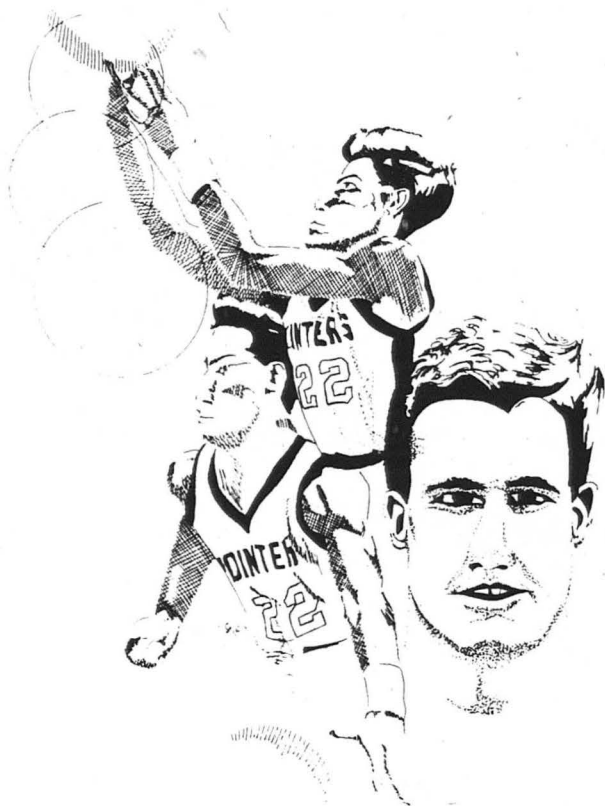
It's obvious Hawley has adjusted well to the challenge of playing basketball and attending school — his accomplishments show that.

Swimmers at conference meets

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Pucksters split with Huskies

by Craig Roberts
Staff Writer

"I thought this was the biggest win in our program's history," said UW-Stevens Point hockey coach Mark Mazzoleni after his team downed St. Cloud State, Minnesota, 6-3 at the Willett Arena Saturday afternoon.

The win avenged a 4-3 overtime loss to the Huskies on Friday.

The victory gives the Pointers a 16-11 record, 8-10 in the Northern Collegiate Hockey Association. St. Cloud fell to 19-5-1 and 12-5-1, respectively.

Mazzoleni was more than pleased with the win and said the third period was the turning point of the game. With less than five minutes into the period, Rick Dodd scored what proved to be the game-winner.

"They are led by an extraordinary coach," said Mazzoleni referring to St. Cloud head mentor Herb Brooks. "I thought our kids gave a great effort and it was a gutsy performance."

"We came out and attacked them and never let up. When we fell behind we could have given up, but we just kept coming at them. We deserved to win this one."

After a Huskie goal in the third period, Ralph Barahona and John Engstrom each scored to ice the win for Stevens Point.

"I have to give a lot of credit to our defensemen," said Mazzoleni. "Without Tim Coghlin and Mike Hess, the other five had to pick up and they did. Jeff McCoy, Bill Pickrum, Doug Dietz, Ron Shnowske and Craig Porazinski did a great job."

Another player Mazzoleni was happy with was goaltender Dave Kepler who had wins against Notre Dame and St. Olaf before entering the St. Cloud game.

"David has proven himself to be a good goalie at this level," said Mazzoleni. "He has beaten some very good teams and the rest of the team is getting confident in him and so am I. He's worked hard and earned his spot. When he wasn't playing he didn't complain and he proved himself when the time came."

According to Mazzoleni, he felt his team outworked the Huskies. "We showed a lot of character," he said. "We outworked them and outthit them and they are a much bigger team than us. Coach Brooks and I both agreed that we deserved this one. It doesn't make up for the four overtime losses, but maybe now we know what we have to do to win these types of games."

During Friday's game, the Pointers held a 3-2 lead after two periods before St. Cloud tied the game up sending it into overtime. With 52 seconds left in OT, St. Cloud scored to win the game.

"I thought we played very well," said Mazzoleni. "I think this shows just how far our program has come in two years; but the bottom line is that we got beat. There are no moral victories, these games hurt."

"We have no excuses. We had to have the game and we didn't get it. It takes a quality team to win in overtime and I think that reflects our youth. I thought the better team won tonight."

The Pointers will close out their 1986-87 season this weekend when they travel to Superior to take on the Yellowjackets in a Friday night-Saturday afternoon series.



"Nice save!"

Pointer goalie John Basil fell to all fours after making a save against St. Cloud State on Friday. UWSP split the weekend series losing 4-3 in OT, but came back to win 6-3

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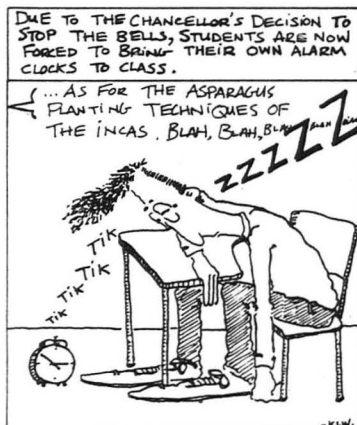
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Pordnorski

by Kyle White



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Friday, Feb. 20:

—TATTERS, UAB Concerts. 9:30-11:30 p.m. The Encore — U.C.

—TGIF — PARIS, UAB Alternative Sounds. 3:50 p.m. The Encore — U.C.

—S.H.A.C. WINTER WELLNESS WEEKEND. One P.E. credit available. Feb. 20-22

Saturday, Feb. 21:

—KHMER MAHORI ENSEMBLE, International Club. 8:00 p.m. Michelson Hall — Fine Arts Building

—WOMEN'S BASKETBALL VS. PARKSIDE (SENIOR DAY), Athletics. 3:00 p.m. Phy. Ed. Building

Sunday, Feb. 22:

—CONSERVATORY FOR CREATIVE EXPRESSION RECITAL, Music Department. 3:00 p.m. Michelson Hall — Fine Arts Building

Monday, Feb. 23:

—KARATE KID, RHA Video. 7:00 p.m. Gilligan's — Debot Center

—FACULTY RECITAL WITH TENOR GREGORY LORENZ, Music Department. 8:00 p.m. Michelson Hall — Fine Arts Building

—"THE ATTIC" GRAND OPENING (retail store), Fashion Merchandise Majors. 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and 6:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. First floor COPS

Tuesday, Feb. 24:

—KARATE KID, RHA Video. 7:00 p.m. The Brass Hat — Allen Center

—ALIENS, UAB Visual Arts. 7:00 p.m. PBR — U.C.

—BALLROOM DANCING MINICOURSE, UAB Leisure Times. 7-10:00 p.m. Wisc. Room — U.C.

Wednesday, Feb. 25:

—KARATE KID, RHA Video. 7:00 p.m. Jerimiah's — U.C.

—SYMPHONIC WIND ENSEMBLE CONCERT, Music Department. 8:00 p.m. Michelson Hall — Fine Arts Building

—UNIVERSITY JAZZ BAND, RHA Spotlight Entertainment. 7:30-9:00 p.m. Gilligan's — Debot Center

Personals cont.

jeans, and a cupful of sand right in your very own backyard of Ft. Lauderdale. Work hard and save your money so we can all experience Loveitis and yell Hello, Luv to all the 9's and 10's. Signed: roommate Tommy

Diane: It's been wonderful knowing you for 2 1/2 years. We've had some great times here in Point! We still have 3 months to go before completing our academic careers at UWSP. But, a social career never ends. How sentimental. I hope to see you more so than the past 4 months. Good luck with Job Search '87. Your friend always, Tom

Trivia Quest is here...Trivia Quest is here...Tonight on SETV/cable channel 3 at 8:30 p.m. Watch students test each other's skills.

First there was Bart. Then there was Bartfest, then, Bartflood '87, and now...Bartfest II: The man, the pear, the beer.

Bartfest II begins today...and nothing can stop it.

To Mongolian Diaper Boy, you look out because your little innocent face is grass on Feb. 26 on SETV. The Evil Dr. Smengle (Ex-BWB champ)

SETV is having their 2nd General Staff Meeting on Feb. 28 at 6 p.m. in room 331 CAC bldg.

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Congratulations on your engagement Ruth and Ed! I can't wait until the big day! Love you! Ginger

Bart: The man, the legend. Come explore THE ATTIC opening February 23-March 6 in the COPS gallery. You'll never know what you'll find at THE ATTIC.

World Budget Wrestling (WBW) Live via satellite from Davenport, Iowa will premiere on Feb. 26 on SETV cable channel 29. Top competitive wrestlers on low budget show.

Bobby D.: The TKE man. Congratulations on all your jobs! Get your money together and travel to the sunfilled coast. We would be very proud of you. Your money can talk and you can go to Florida. This is it. Signed: your concerned friend.

Amy: Look out Wausau, here we come, loaded with money and headed for fun! I can hardly wait. See ya Saturday, Sherry. P.S. Remember your time card this time!

Bartfest II: the legend continues...

Wouldn't you like to have a Swatch? Well, THE ATTIC has them on sale along with many other exciting gift ideas. Come explore THE ATTIC and get yourself a Swatch.

To whomever felt the need to "borrow" my coat from the hockey party last weekend; I would really appreciate its return including contents to the info dest in the UC. No questions asked.

MJ, Quack, and Ashley: Just because you guys are in London doesn't mean you can't have a personal! Point just isn't the same without ya's. I sure do miss you guys big time! Turn London upside down! Love, Schmelly

NCTV AND SETV PROGRAMMING FOR TONITE AND TOMORROW ON CABLE CHANNEL THREE

AUDIOPHILIA — Eric Clapton (with special guest Phil Collins). Tonite 3-4 p.m., tomorrow 6:30-7:30 p.m.

ADULT CARTOONS — Nursery Nightmares—Bizarre fairy tales that have been reinterted. Tonite 4-4:30, tomorrow 7:30-8 p.m.

UNCENSORED — The Flapper Story—A look at "The New Woman" compared to the Roaring Twenties. Tonite 4:30-5, tomorrow 8-8:30 p.m.

THE GOLDEN YEARS OF TELEVISION — Two for the Money—Sam Levinson, "America's Favorite Humorist." Tonite 6:30-7, tomorrow 10-10:30 p.m.

CAMPUS AMERICA — National College News Show—Tonite 7-7:30, tomorrow 10:30-11 p.m.

NEW GROOVES WITH MEG GRIFFIN — The Most Progressive Rock Videos. Tonite 7:30-8:30, tomorrow 11 a.m.-12 noon.

SETV PROGRAMMING Tonite 5-5:30, 8:30-10:30; tomorrow 12-12:30 p.m.

TRIVIA QUEST, the new trivia game show, will be on tonite at 8:30.

VIDEO PERSONALS, your personal message on TV, tonite at 5-5:15.

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INTERVIEWS

ON-CAMPUS RECRUITERS February 23-March 6, 1987

Sponsored by Career Services Interviews require sign-up for appointment time and registration with the Career Services Office. Stop by 134 Old Main Bldg., or call 346-3136 for further information.

BETHEL HORIZONS (SUMMER CAMP) Date: February 23

Positions: Summer camp positions as Counselor, Nurse, Lifeguard, Program Director, River Trip Guide, Cook, Artist
SENTRY INSURANCE
Dates: February 23 & 26
Positions: Telemarketing (part-time)

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Date: February 24
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Date: February 24
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STATE FARM INSURANCE

Date: February 25
Positions: Programmers

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Date: February 26
Positions: Staff Accountants

HERITAGE MUTUAL INSURANCE

Date: February 27
Positions: Insurance Trainees

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SENTRY INSURANCE

Date: March 3
Positions: Internal Auditor, Accountant I

U.S. AIR FORCE

Date: March 3
Positions: Officer Programs

Recruiter will be in the UC Concourse. No sign-up necessary.

SENTRY INSURANCE

Date: March 6
Positions: Underwriting

Just another column

by Bernie Bleske

This really happened. I was just walking along the other day, off to the store for a new Tidy-Bowl I think, when a local school bus passed by. Three cheerful middle fingers immediately went up, waving like those little hands on springs people put in Volkswagen rear windows.

I did not know these people. Perhaps more importantly, they did not know me. I'm convinced that no one at the front of the bus yelled "Hey, there's shit for brains, let's give him one!" They were just too cheerful for that. They were smiling, like something out of an abusive Campbell's commercial. "Soup is good food and fuck you too."

This is nothing new either. People are cheerfully waving their middle fingers at me all the time. They do it to my friends. They do it to people I do not know. My friends do it to my friends. My friends do it to me. And you know what? I do it too.

When I was about five I learned the word shit. Actually, what I learned was that adults made the greatest expressions when it was said, so for three days I ran around grinning and saying "shitshitshitshitshitshit..." to every adult I saw. What fun.

Perhaps people are finally loosening up to abuse. No, perhaps young people are loosening up. Adults are still too serious about the whole thing. Try flicking your dad off just to see.

I once had an argument with my Dad about verbal abuse. It was very civil.

"What did you say?"

"Uh, nothing Dad."

"It's a waste of breath to curse, a waste of energy." Dad was feeling reasonable that day, actually attempting logic.

"You're kidding, right?" I said.

"I never kid."

"A waste of breath? Since when did we start saving breath. Is this like coupons, or old pieces of tin foil?"

"Stop being such a smart..." You know the rest. Actually, Dad's pretty bright. Really.

People still make great expressions at friendly abuse. I made a good one at the bus. First I smiled and waved back, thinking I'd met them at a party and forgot. That happens a lot.

Then I managed one of those smiles where you realize, halfway through a guffaw at Marty Skalkinski's joke about pregnant Polish women and Boeing 747's, that Mary or Wendy what's-her-name is frowning at your teeth. Whereupon you quickly attempt to erase the smile but succeed only in doing a pretty good imitation of a man with no lips. Try it, it's true.

But really, abuse is good. Not physical abuse, of course; verbal and signal abuse. It forces you to take things lightly, even if they're serious. Actually, this is getting too serious and preachy. It's about time for me to see some fingers.

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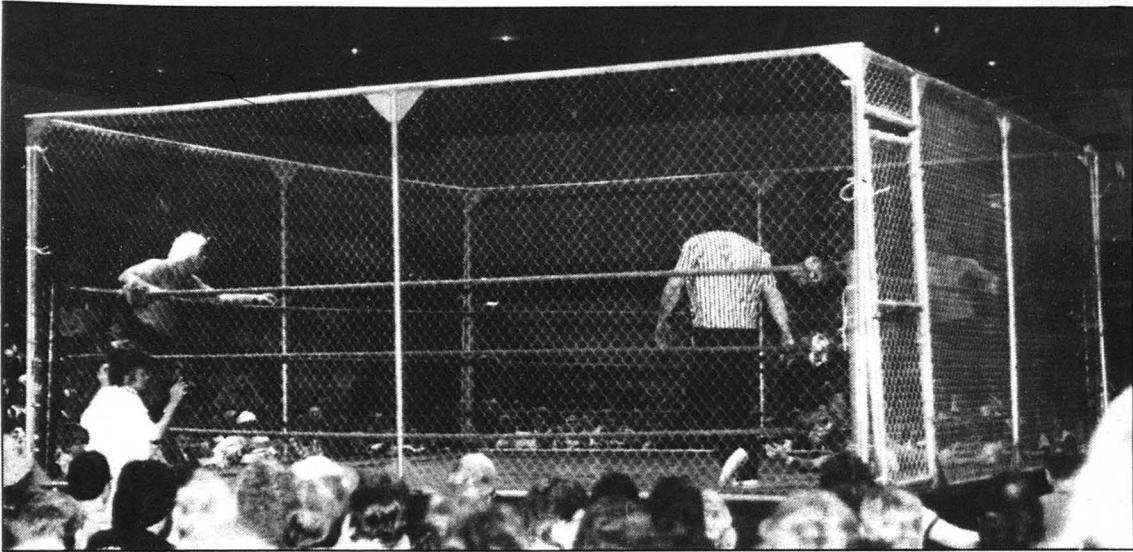
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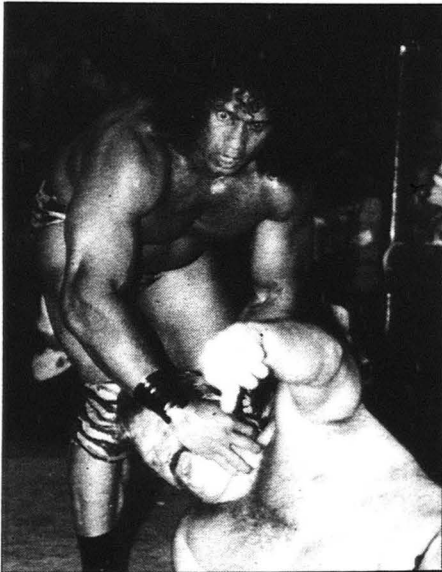
The cage surrounding the ring for the night's feature match.

Blood and guts in Quandt

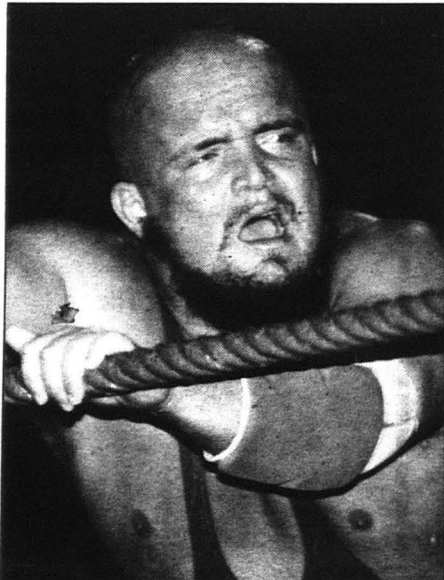
1,800 All-Star Wrestling fans attended Sunday night's matches at Quandt Fieldhouse in Stevens Point.

The highlight of the

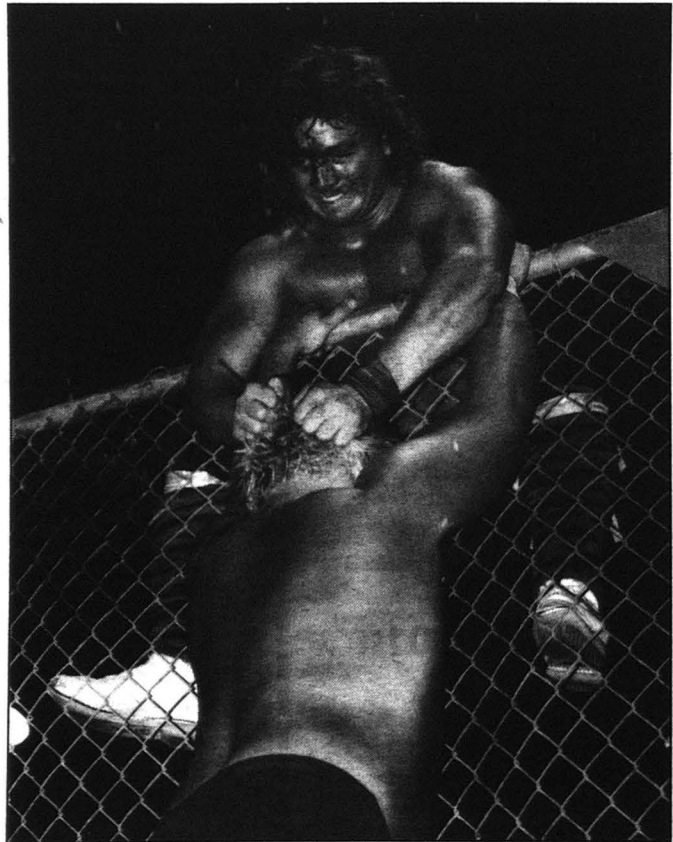
night was a tag team cage match between The Midnight Rockers and Prettyboy and Playboy. Six other matches were fought.



"Good Guy" Jimmy "Super Fly" Snuka slams Col. DeBeers on the floor outside of the ring.

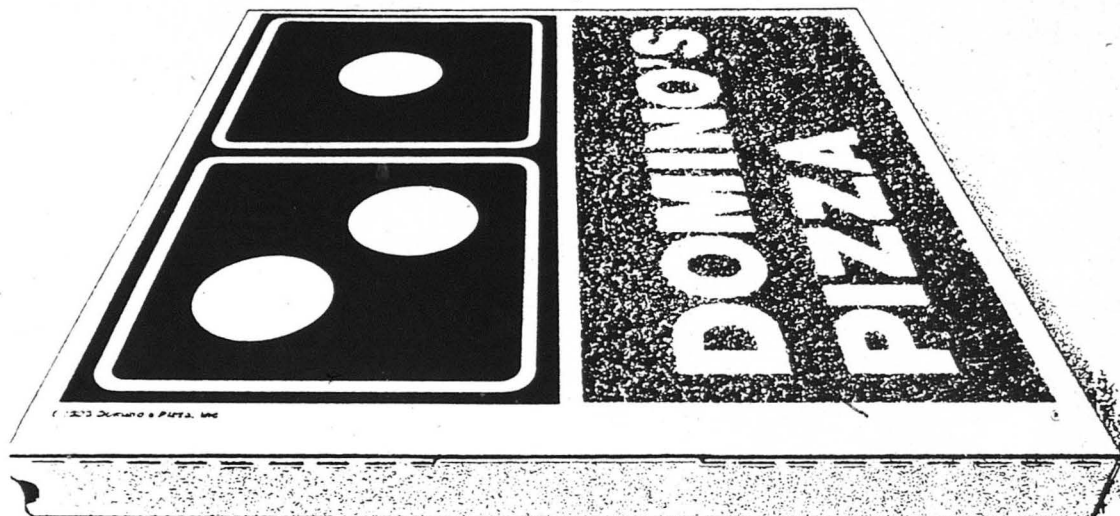


Soviet wrestler Boris Vukof being thrown against the ropes.



Shawn Michaels, one of the "Midnight Rockers" tries to pull "Playboy" into the cage.

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