

BACCHUS and Hot Shots sponsor PEAK Week

The week of March 6 to 10 has been proclaimed as "PEAK (People Encouraging Alcohol Knowledge) Week" at UWSP.

The week's activities will include an alcohol awareness "Jeopardy" game and close with the comedian "Hammer Head."

Students and the general public are encouraged to join the nationwide effort by attending workshops and other activities in alcohol education during the week.

The activities will help participants recognize each individual's responsibility for decisions regarding use or nonuse of alcohol, according to Julie Zsido, assistant director of Student Development.

"It is in the best interest of students, faculty, administrators, and the community that such decision making be responsible and well-informed," Zsido said. "We want to encourage a partnership to prevent campus problems with alcohol misuse," she added.

The activities, which are open to the public, are sponsored by several UWSP student groups, and include the following:

There will be an information booth in the University Center Concourse each day from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and a bulletin board contest will be

judged Monday at 9 a.m.

Monday, March 6 at 3:30 p.m., there will be a program entitled "Changing Attitudes and Norms" in the Laird Room of the University Center.

This motivational program for student leaders features David Leschke-Hellstrum, director of volunteer services for an organization called Boost Alcohol Consciousness Concerning the Health of University Students (BACCHUS).

Monday at 7 p.m., people will be able to talk with a problem

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> drinker in the Laird Room of the University Center. At 7:30 p.m., there will be a discussion of gay, lesbian, and bisexual issues at Burroughs Hall, the wellness house, in the Main Study.

Tuesday, March 7, at 7 p.m., participants will be able to test their knowledge of alcohol use in "PEAK Week Jeopardy" in the Laird Room of the University Center. Also at 7 p.m., there will be a program about drugs and academics in Burroughs Hall Program Room.

Wednesday, March 8, at 3:30

p.m. in Room 125 of the University Center, "Media Blitz ... What Are Advertisers Really Trying to Sell Us?" will discuss media efforts messages, targets, and extent of advertising tech-

niques.

At 7 p.m., games will be featured in "Wild and Wacky Wednesday... Explore Your Inner Child!," sponsored by BACCHUS.

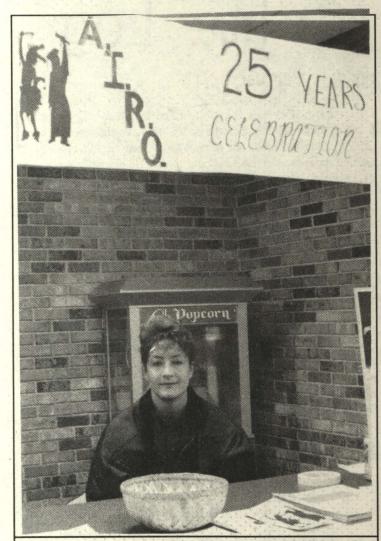
Also at 7 p.m., a "Values Auction" will test what participants find they value most, in Burroughs Hall Program Room. Thursday, March 9, at 7 p.m., a "Controlled Drunk" will test how alcohol really affects the body, and participants can check out the consequences it may bear, at Burroughs Hall Program Room.

Thursday at 8 p.m., "Fuzzdolly" will present alternative sounds at the Encore in the University Center. There is no charge for those who present university identification, and others will pay \$ 1.

Thursday, starting at 9 p.m., people are invited to "Dance the Night Away" at Tremors Dance Club in Allen Center, sponsored by BACCHUS. Door prizes will be given away.

Friday at noon, a program on college career choices will be featured at the University Center.

Friday at 8 p.m., the comedian "Hammer Head" will perform in the Encore at the University Center. Cost at the door is \$2 with university identification, and \$3.50 without.



Red Cross ventures to UWSP Blood Drive returns to UC March 7-9

By Shawn Greenewald CONTRIBUTOR

The American Red Cross Blood Drive is scheduled to take place on campus March 7-9, in the Alumni Room of the UC.

Volunteers and American Red Cross workers will be in the Alumni Room from 11:00 to 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 7 10:00 to 4:00 p.m., and Wednesday and Thursday, March 8-9. The Blood Drive, a campuswide event for over nine years, has been part of a larger trend of attempts to reach the younger members of communities all over the state of Wisconsin. The amount of support the UWSP community has shown the Red Cross over the amount of years has been terrific she commented.

In fact, many campus organizations and groups have been involved in making the Blood Drive a success.

"The fraternities and sorori-

time to try to make each drive a successful one," said Wanke.

This semester, the goal of the Blood Drive is 540 pints in a three day period.

This has been the normal quota for most of the previous Blood Drives. Normally, this goal is met, although at times it has fallen just short of, or has jumped over the 540 pint mark. According to Wanke, the time that they run into the most problems meeting their quota is when they have the spring semester drive, if it falls right before Spring Break.

photo by Kristen Himsl Lynette Baumont helps AIRO celebrate their 25th anniversary. "A trend has developed on campuses, high schools and companies," said Jennifer Wanke, Executive Director of the American Red Cross of Stevens Point.

"We wanted to get people involved early, in hopes of getting them to stick with it and possibly even become future volunteers," she added.

ties give us lots of support, as well as various groups from the residence halls, ACT and the Student Managers," said Wanke.

"But we wouldn't be able to have such a successful drive if it wasn't for the Student Managers," she added.

The Student Managers from the UC organize and arrange the details of the Blood Drive to insure its success each semester.

"The quality of the Blood Drive is contingent on the quality of Student Managers. They have been terrific in organizing the drives, helping to get volunteers and volunteering their own In order to give blood, there are two criteria that they ask every volunteer to meet.

The first is to be at least 17 years of age, and the second is to be in good physical health.

All blood types are needed, and people with the blood type "O" are especially encouraged to donate.

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Plonsky speaks for Paws with a Cause

By Anne Leshyk CONTRIBUTOR

At the Feb. 27 UWSP Animal/Pre-Veterinary Medicine Society Meeting held at the Science Building, Mark Plonsky of the Psychology Dept. was guest speaker on the topic "Animal Behavior and the Physically Impaired."

Plonsky, trained in experimental biopsychology, is one of

110 field trainers in 32 states for the organization Paws With a Cause.

He brought along his black German Shepherd, Lobo, for demonstrations. Lobo is an example of an assistance dog, capable of serving those with multiple disabilities.

Active since 1979, Paws With a Cause trains suitable dogs to aid

in seeing, hearing, assisting (bracing, pulling the body), and signalling (getting help during a seizure). Through this program, 150 people are helped each year to live more independent lives. 1800 individuals are on the waiting list.

After the recipients receive their dog from the organization, Plonsky assists in the crucial transition during the home training phase; currently, he is working on training are permitted in almost two challenging cases in the community.

Lobo's blue and red backpack, referred to as his "equipment," signifies his official role.

Plonsky believes that with it on, Lobo "feels special;" he knows he's going to work.

Because of the American Disabilities Act (ADA) and Wisconsin law, these dogs have access rights- assisting dogs and dogs in all buildings.

Plonsky, as a field trainer, educates the community about the right of the physically impaired to be accompanied by their service dogs.

There have been times when, met with resistance, he has had to "pave the way so folks won't be bothered." He has been lectured and given lectures defending Lobo's presence.

udents dine with hance By Dee Darrow

CONTRIBUTOR

Twenty-three people gathered in the UC Heritage room to have lunch with the chancellor Wednesday.

The purpose was to discuss campus life issues that are a problem or that are being done well.

Student groups represented included the Big Four: UAB, ACT, IGC, and SGA. Chancellor Keith Sanders welcomed everyone saying, "I want to hear what we need to improve and what we need to keep doing."

Some of the issues discussed were: the lack of provision for

different credit courses in the newly adopted withdrawal policy, the possibility of drops by phone or computer, the upcoming tuition hike, and some professors attendance policies.

When speaking of the tuition hike, Sanders told of economic trends that directly effect college students.

One trend is 60-70% of the college costs used to be funded by federal grants.

Those costs are being shifted almost in their entirety to student loans. State financial aid is almost nonexistent, being sacrificed in the name of property tax relief.

"Congress needs to be pressured to resist these trends," urges Sanders, "at both the state and federal levels."

Last week, Governor Tommy Thompson revealed his new budget, which included a "Valentine present to the taxpayers," in the form of a 6% tuition hike for UWSP.

"Wisconsin is one of the only states with affordable college costs," said Sanders.

"Let's keep it that way. This is why we (UW system) get 32% of graduating high school students. We are affordable," he added.

Drunk Driving hits close to home

By Jenny S. Rebholz CONTRIBUTOR

A December graduate of UWSP and his girlfriend suffered injuries on February 17 in Mukwonago, Wis., when a drunk driver hit their car head-on.

They are among the half a million people who are injured in alcohol-related crashes each year according to Mothers Drunk Against Driving (MADD)

Drunk driving is considered the most frequently committed crime in the United States.

MADD statistics from 1993 show that 297 people were killed and 8,093 were injured in Wisconsin alone.

Most of the crashes occur on Fridays and Saturdays between one and three in the morning.

The greatest number of deaths and injuries affect people between the ages of 21 and 44.

According to literature distributed by MADD, "There is no definitive answer to the problem of drinking and driving."

Shane Sack, a friend of the two victims, said attitude is part of the problem. She considers the most ignorant people those who say "I'm the best drunk driver."

Sack said, " No matter how high your IQ is, no one person is smarter than another when it comes to the issue of drunk driving."

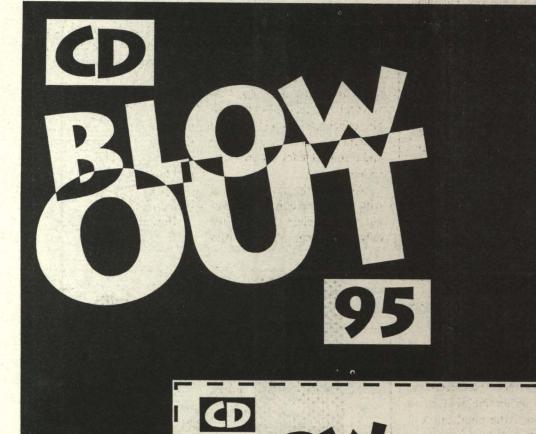
Next time you drink remember that two out of every five Americans will be involved in an alcohol-related crash in their lifetime

Crime Log

Monday, February 27th

· An alarm clock was going off in South Hall for almost an hour. A student pounded on the door but no one answered. An officer called the room but there was no answer. An officer entered the room and turned off the alarm. No one was present in the room.

· A CA in Roach Hall reported possible marijuana being smoked in a room. Nothing was found when the officers arrived.



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Sunday, February 26th

Protective Services received a call from a student who said Domino's called her about pizzas that she says she never ordered. The worker was very rude and swore at her. Domino's was contacted and said they never had an order for Sims Hall, which is where she lives. Apparently, someone posing as a Domino's worker was giving her a hard time.

Friday, February 24th

 SSP reported strong smell of incense in the UC and suspected possible drug use. The officer could smell nothing.

 The people that were living in the van a few weeks ago were again asked to leave campus.

Opinion & Letters _____ MARCH 2, 1995 PAGE 3 Smokers "right" to smoke is challenged

By Bill Downs Contributor

The state of Florida filed a \$1.43 billion law suit against the tobacco industry last week. The state is trying to get back money it has spent from its Medicaid budget for patients who are being treated for diseases and conditions directly resulting from smoking.

If this suit is won by the state, it's predicted that a flood of similar suits will be filed all over the country. Already there are suits filed in West Virginia, Minnesota and Mississippi.

A single Medicaid patient suffering from smoke-induced emphysema can cost taxpayers as much as \$20,000 per year. There are an estimated 46 million

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smokers in the United States today and recent reports have indicated that smoking among teens is rising again.

As a former smoker I can attest to the addiction of nicotine. I can also attest to the rudeness and inconsiderate behavior of smokers. More importantly, I can relate how my health has deteriorated from my twenty-two year habit.

The thing that concerns me now is the smoke I continue to inhale as a result of other people's refusal to save themselves.

It is clear now that secondhand smoke is just as dangerous as the smoke inhaled by the smoker. Yet people continue to claim their "right" to smoke.

I have often been somewhat curious where this so-called "right" smokers claim originated.

Is it a constitutional right? Perhaps GOD gave them the right? Maybe it comes under some category of rights that is yet to be defined.

I suppose it might be considered some type of guarantee to pursue that which makes one "happy."

I would never advocate the overthrow of anyone's happiness. But I think I am entitled to be happy too. I enjoy going out to my favorite bar and having a beer now and then. But unfortunately I have to share my watering-hole with smokers.

If I suggest that a smoker extinguish his or her cigarette because it's irritating me and shortening my life, I usually get some rude remark like, "if you don't like the smoke find another bar," or they just give me one of those *drop dead* looks.

I understand that smokers enjoy their habit and that it gives them pleasure. I also understand that the by-product of their habit is noxious toxic gasses that myself and other nonsmokers are forced to inhale. The by-product of beer is urine. How many smokers would like to ingest some of the by-product of my habit?

Hopefully, the law suits filed by Florida and some of the other states seeking to recoup their Medicaid money will eventually shut down the tobacco industry.

Maybe that's the only way we will ever convince those addicted to nicotine and still in denial that they are slowly committing suicide and taking a few nonsmokers with them.

Maybe then nonsmokers will be able to enjoy an evening at a bar without coming home smelling like they just crawled out of an ashtray.

We all have free choice

Dear editor:

I would like to thank the authors of February 16's "Point-Counterpoint" for presenting both sides of the abortion issue in a civilized manner. I appreciate that the pro-choice and pro-life people can achieve common ground in a couple of ways.

First, both Stephanie and Greg believe that a man should have a say in the decision about whether or not to bring a child into the world. After all, "it takes two to tango." Second, both believe that the few radicals who murder doctors who perform abortions are wrong to do so, thus making a mockery of the pro-life movement. Murder of any kind is wrong.

Despite my positive reaction, I do have one gripe. Although Greg made a good case for his argument, he blew God's will out of proportion. Although I believe God has a plan for us, it is our decision whether or not to follow it. If a couple has sex and the sperm fertilizes the egg, a baby will result. Because God gave us a free choice, He simply cannot upset a natural process whether the result is His will or not. Think about this; maybe God did not want the couple to have sex, but they did anyway. They chose to have sex, and the natural process follows.

Many people who proudly claim that everything that takes place is God's will often forget that we have free choice. We don't know why some things happen as they do, and it is not for us to judge. Even though things usually turn out fine, never underestimate the power of free choice.

Kris Cudnohoski

Attendance policies are unfair to students

By Dee Darrow Contributor

I returned to college after two decades out of school to find a surprising and very annoying fact.

Some professors have adopted attendance policies that can negatively effect my grade as much as one whole grade point per three absences.

Now I know that while I need to be in lectures and labs, I always thought that one of the benefits of being an adult (18+ years) student was being accountable and responsible for my own education.

As an adult, having to deal with the natural consequences of not being in class should be the only price of cutting class. And if, by some stroke of luck or genetics, I can do well on tests and papers without attending class, then I should be allowed to make that choice for myself.

Isn't learning the goal? Isn't the job of the institution to provide me with the means to gain my education?

What then is my job as a student? My job, as a student, is to use appropriate habits to acquire the learning.

After all, I PAY to come to this college and I should be the only one who decides what, how and if I learn. This is post-secondary education, not high school. I expect to be treated as an adult who can make responsible decisions. Including this one.

How about it professors?

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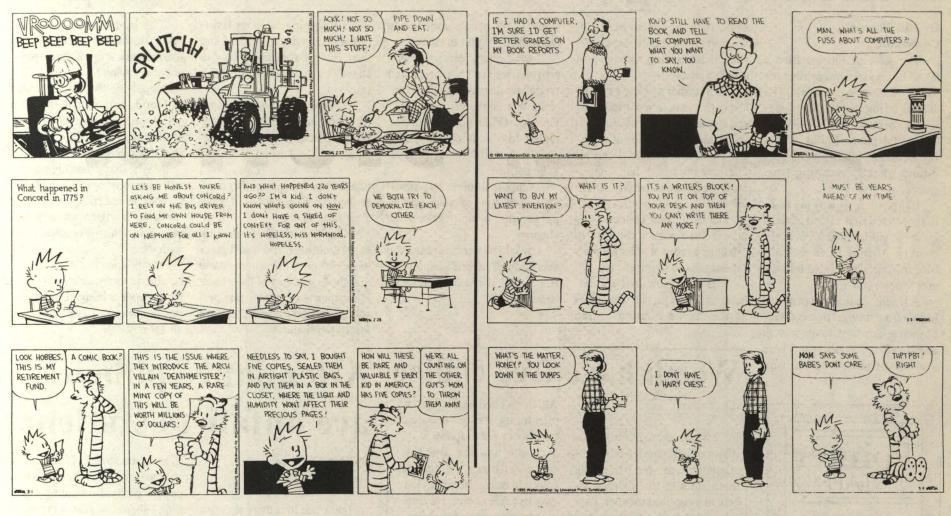
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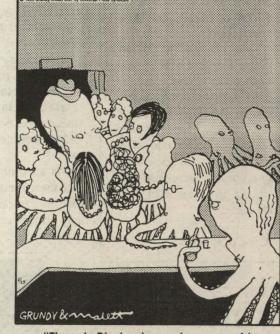
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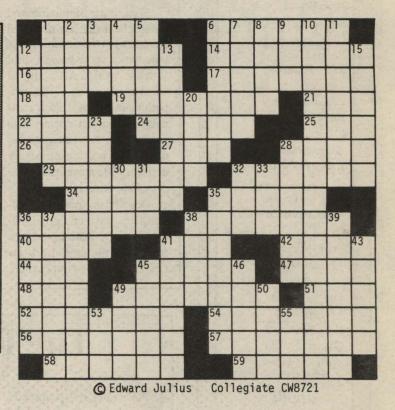
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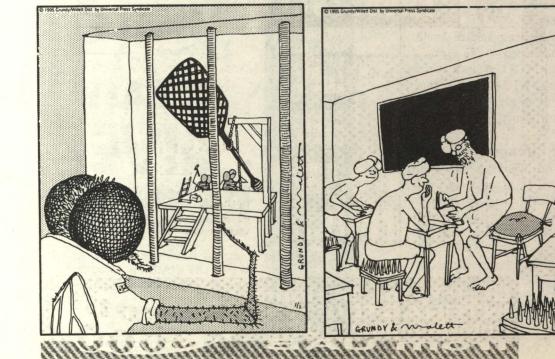


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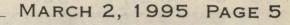
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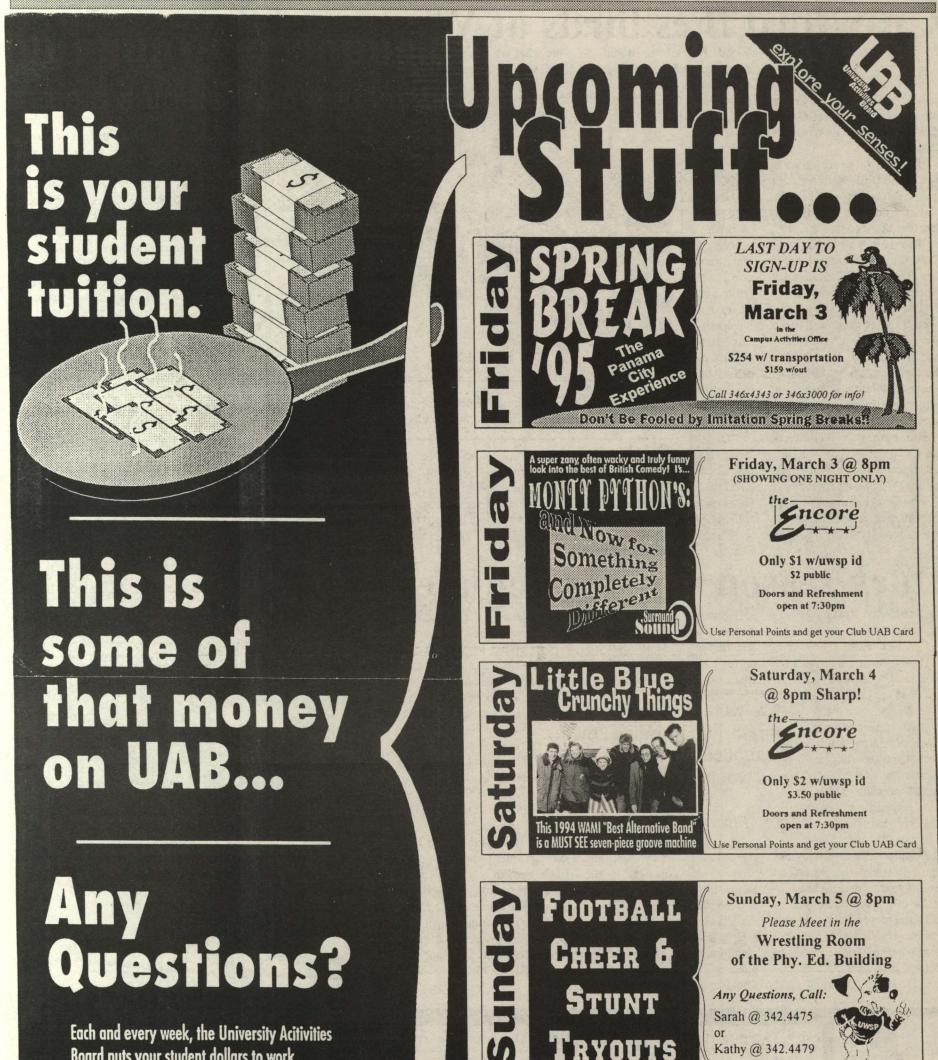


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Crawford flies birds at Wings and Talons show By Scott Van Natta Wood, Marathon, Waupaca, use what we call soft releases," caged every night until it doesn't Crawford is the founder and

CONTRIBUTOR

On Friday, March 10, at the Sentry Auditorium, the Central Wisconsin Wildlife Center (CWWC) presents its Wings and 'Talons Show.

The show is being put on by The World Bird Sanctuary of St. Louis, Missouri and features Walter Crawford, a nationally renowned bird conservationist.

The show is a benefit for the CWWC as it prepares to build its new Hospital and Education Resource Center.

The CWWC, currently located at Jordan Park, northeast of Stevens Point, is now in its fifth year of operation. It has become the third largest rehabilitation center in Wisconsin and is the only one with close ties to the university.

Run entirely by volunteers, the CWWC received 702 individual animals last year representing 97 different species.

The Center receives animals from all over central Wisconsin, but especially from Portage,

Adams and Waushara counties. Accord-

ing to Kent Hall, UWSP professor and member of the

CWWC Board of Directors. "Most of the injured animals we receive are from accidents with humans. A lot of the accidents can be attributed to habitat destruc

tion." "One of

the key features of the CWWC is that we have engaged land owners as to the use of their land for the release of the rehabilitated animals," Hall said.

"Most rehab centers just go and turn the animal loose, but we

a cage at night, where its food and water are, but allowed to roam during the day."

to be flown at the "Wings and Talons Show."

The reason for keeping the animal in the cage is to protect it from predators. The animal is

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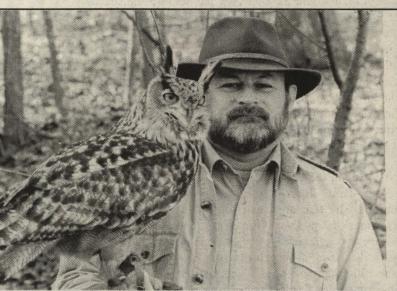


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Walter Crawford shown holding a Eurasian Hawk Owl, one of the birds The

> speaker for the Wings and Talons Show is Walter Crawford. He will give a conservation talk and fly 3-4 birds over the audience, including hawks, owls, and a black vul-

Crawford is the founder and executive director of the World Bird Sanctuary, one of North America's largest bird of prey research facilities.

Among other awards, Crawford received the prestigious "Lifetime Achievement Award" in 1993 from the National Wildlife Rehabilitators Association. The money raised from the show will go toward the building of the Hospital and Education Resource Center in Stevens Point.

Shane Totten, also known as Captain Ecology, will open the show with several environmental songs.

Tickets for the Wings and Talons Show are on sale now and can be purchased at County Market, Copps, and the UWSP Ticket Office, among others.

The show begins at 7:30 p.m., March 10 at the Sentry Auditorium

Ticket prices are as follows: Adults \$15.00, Couples - \$25.00, Senior Citizens - \$10.00, Students and Children - \$5.00.

Duck season rumor circulates

By Scott Van Natta CONTRIBUTOR

Recent reports that the 1995 duck hunting season would be cancelled are false.

Last week, rumors circulated that there may not be a duck hunting season this fall and according to Senator Dave Obey's office, "It was blown way out of proportion."

Each year, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Ser-

vice, under federal law, issues regulations for the waterfowl hunting season, and the bag limits for migratory birds such as ducks and geese. The regulations are usually finalized about a month before hunting season opens in early October.

However, as part of the Republican's Contract with America, a House of Representatives committee approved legislation that would block all new

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regulations for six months. The "freeze" was approved in the House last Tuesday.

According to Phil Million of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, "We were concerned that a moratorium proposed by the Republicans on new regulations would have affected us."

nothing to worry about. Activities involving hunting, fishing and other recreational activities are exempt," said Million. The piece of legislation would have then had to

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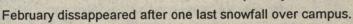
pass through the Senate. If it did, President Clinton had said he would veto it anyway.

This years duck hunting season may see higher prices in Gov. Thompson's state bud-

get. In order to hunt, a person would need to get a small game license which is currently \$10.25 but is being raised to \$12.25.

In addition, hunters will need to purchase a waterfowl stamp which is currently \$5.00 and may be raised to \$6.75.





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Removal deadline approaches

The earlier sunrises and later sunsets are a reminder that spring is approaching and with it the deadlines for ice anglers to remove their fishing shelters from the ice.

Under state law, shelters on waters south of Highway 64 must be removed from the ice by March 5, and those on waters to the north must be off by March 15.

Shelters on the Mississippi River should be removed by March 1.

Rollie Lee, deputy chief warden with the Department of Natural Resources, said shelters left out could easily disappear on their own.

"With the sun higher in the sky now, those shelters can get pretty warm," said Lee.

"They've been known to drop right through after melting their way through the ice," he added.

An angler can continue to use a portable fishing shelter after the deadline has passed, but must remove the shelter from the ice when it's not occupied.

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Outdoors

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Course offers fishing advice SAF holds banquet

Anglers can improve their fishing techniques by learning more about fish and the aquatic communities in which they are found in a hands-on fishing course being offered next June.

The four-day course called Scientific Fishing Tactics and Techniques, is sponsored by the Department of Natural Resources and the UW-Madison School of Natural Resources.

The course is designed for people who want to improve their ability to catch walleye and muskellunge while gaining a greater appreciation of all aquatic resources.

Two sessions will be offered: June 15 through 18, and June 22 through 25.

The courses are held at the Kemp Environmental Center on Lake Tomahawk near Woodruff and Minocqua in Oneida County.

DNR employees Tom Sheffy and Jack Sullivan team up with DNR fisheries management personnel and local guides to teach the class.

Instructors explain the ecology, limnology and hydrographic reasons why fish are where they are, and how they react under various conditions.

Students will learn about the latest scientific information on fish behavior, seasonal and

daily movement patterns, predator-prey relationships and facts about conserving the fishery resource.

"The course is designed for serious anglers. Each pair of anglers enrolled is expected to provide their own full set-of equipment including boat, motor, tackle, license and other equipment," Sheffy said.

Anglers will put in 16 hour days filled with lectures, demonstrations and morning and evening fishing trips on Lake Tomahawk.

Each session is limited to 10 boats and a total of 20 anglers.

Registration will be on a firstcome, first-served basis with preference to those who register in pairs.

The fee for this course is \$240 per person, which includes instruction, lodging and meals.

To register call (608) 263-1672 or write the College of Agricultural and Life Sciences Conference Office, Jorns Hall, 620 Babcock Drive, Madison, WI 53706.

Checks should be made payable to UW-Madison.

By Anne Harrison OUTDOORS EDITOR

The annual College of Natural Resources Forestry Banquet will be held on Friday, March 3 at the University Center.

Four organizations, including the Society of American Foresters (SAF), Fire Crew, the Society of Aboriculture and the Wisconsin Park and Recreation Association are teaming up to host the event.

Activities include a social hour and dinner, a keynote speaker and entertainment by Tuck Pence. This year's speaker is Mr. Jack Troyer, supervisor of the Chequamegon and Nicolet National Forests.

Troyer will be speaking on "The Implementation of Ecosystem Management on the National Forest and its Impacts."

Another recent activity of SAF is the "Evolving Concepts in Forest Management" video conference. The first session was on Tuesday and the next one is on March 14 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The conference is broadcast live via satellite from Washington, D.C. and is sponsored by the National. Professionals on three panels lecture and field questions from people who phone or fax in from all over the country.

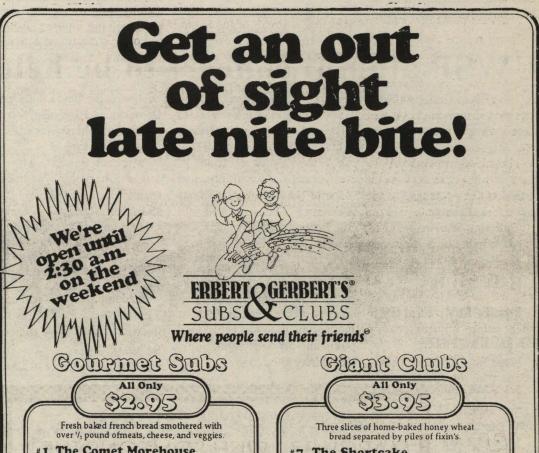
Designed for professionals, the conference aims to expose them to new ideas in forest managment. "For a forester who went to college in the '50's this is all new," O'Brion said. "It's not so new for students because we are in college."

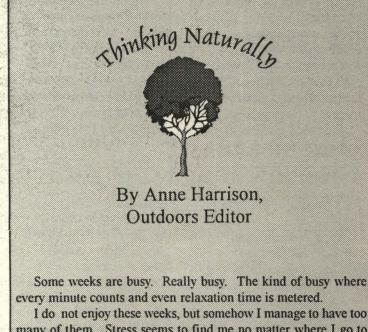
Professionals must pay \$150 to view the live conference, but the cost for students is only five dollars. The National SAF offered the conference to students as an "experiment to see how many students would go to it," O'Brion said.

"It was imformative and a great learning experience," Jeff Nyquist, sophomore student, said.

Topics covered included the history of North American forests, forest managment practices, societal changes and impacts, biological diversity, and ecosystem dynamics.

Ecosystem management and interpersonal essentials will be





Some weeks are busy. Really busy. The kind of busy where

many of them. Stress seems to find me no matter where I go to hide.

Wading through these horrible weeks has made me appreciate the simple things in life.

Stolen moments in the mornings before the day comes rushing Relaxing in the quiet down the tracks are precious. morning sunshine with a hot cup of coffee can refresh my weary mind, fearful of the day's responsibilities.

Early morning cross-country skiing circulates my blood and bolsters my attitude. The fresh air and exercise invigorates me, equipping me for whatever lies ahead.

Taking time out from studying to escape under the brilliance of a night sky serves to remind me of the bigger picture: there's life beyond my stress.

I've often wondered what it is about nature that provides such a retreat for those frustrated by life's toils.

Life indoors can get extremely complicated. Nerves grow shorter, dorm rooms seem smaller and nights get later. We are faced with intricate annoyances and baffling dilemmas.

Stuffiness can overcome us, especially during the moments of

our greatest stress. Perhaps this is exactly why the outdoors seems so uncomplicated.

Spending a few quiet moments in a hushed wood redefines our understanding of peace.

The fog of confusion lifts as the silence permeates the soul. Nature does not rush. It is simple. It does not think about what is coming tomorrow or in two weeks.

Seasons come and go, but the patterns and pace remains much the same each year.

In contrast, I am in a perpetual hurry to meet deadlines and finish tasks.

I look ahead to next month and next year; even the most enjoyable moments are tainted with expectations of the future.

College has provided me with an opportunity to learn how to deal with stress.

I have learned to steal treasured moments walking in Schmeekle or admiring a fiery sunset.

I am continuing to learn the importance of stepping outside, putting tasks on hold to savor a few moments of the finest thing in life.

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Club members model the traditional Japanese and Chinese clothing at last years dinner.

International Club to celebrate anniversary

By Stacey Kidd

CONTRIBUTOR

The International Club, which is one of the largest organizations on campus, will be celebrating its silver anniversary on March 11.

"The International Club, which is composed of 140 plus members, represents the world as a whole and is a step toward world peace," stated Dr. Marc Fang, the Director of Foreign Student Programs.

When the International Club was organized over twenty-five years ago, it was known as the International Student Organization

The UWSP College of Fine

The event, which will take

Catherine Watkins, who re-

Arts and Communication will

present an alumni concert at 8

place in Michelsen Hall in the

Fine Arts Center, is open to the

ceived a bachelor's degree in

p.m. on Tuesday, March 7.

public free of charge.

wanted the name changed to reflect all students and to promote understanding of people and their culture," Dr. Marc Fang, one of the club's advisors, said.

Being a member of the International Club means that each person has gained something from the experience.

"For some it means gaining new friends, gaining leadership experience and becoming more involved with fellow students and the community," said Chung-Wei Foong, President of International Club.

In honor of this organization's twenty-five year existence, the In-

UWSP alumni concert

"Members during that time ternational Club will sponsor their annual dinner. This event will be held on March 11 at 6:00 p.m. in the Allen Center. It will provide food from all parts of the world like Indonesia, Hong Kong and Bulgaria. There will also be singing, dancing and a fashion show.

> To end the dinner, all participants in this event will join together and sing a song called "Especially For You."

> This dinner, which is a soldout event, has had great accomplishments and has been recognized throughout the community over the past twenty-five years. Hopefully this year's event can add to their many successes.

Features Musical set to open

By Katey Roberts FEATURES EDITOR

The longest-running musical in the world will open Wednesday, March 8, in the Studio Theatre of the Fine Arts Center at UWSP.

James Woodland of the theatre and dance faculty will direct "The Fantasticks," with book and lyrics by Tom Jones and music by Harvey Schmidt.

The play will take place at 8 p.m. and will continue at the same time on the evenings of March 9 through 11.

Woodland, who directed last year's musical, "Weird Romance." thought "The Fantasticks" would be a good choice to close the Studio Theatre season.

"It is a charming piece that is as fresh today as it was when it first opened in 1960," Woodland said. The lyrical style and universal appeal of the musical has contributed to its success.

Woodland says that everyone will recognize bits of themselves

in the characters and situations portrayed in "The Fantasticks."

The musical reveals the folly and fragility of young love, age and human nature with whimsy and poignancy.

The role of the mute will be played by Crescent Allen. Jace Nichols will portray El Gallo, and Helena Collins, a junior at Stevens Point Area Senior High, will be Luisa. The characters Matt and Hucklebee will be played by Jason Fillebrown and Andy Peplinski.

Anthony Smalley will portray Bellomy and Jason Hall has the part of Henry. Chris Kuter will play Mortimore.

The stage manager of the show is Amelia Winslow Crane. Denise Humphrey is the scenic designer, Audrev Baumeister is the costume designer, and Gretel Stock is the head of props.

Tickets are available through the Arts and Athletics Office in Quandt for a cost of \$6 for the public and \$4 for students.

Literary magazine returns

By Lisa Frymark CONTRIBUTOR

To all the artists who submitted their work to the University Writers' sponsored literary magazine "Barney Street"; your wait is over — it will be coming out very soon.

"Ever wonder what happened to your submissions?" asks Valentina Kaquatosh, president of University Writers and the Art Editor of the magazine. "Your hardwrought patience will finally pay off!"

University Writers, a campus group for supporting and critiquing peer writing, puts out "Barney Street" every year. Because of editing and budgeting difficulties, this edition of the magazine will be the first in two vears.

To let the submitters know whether or not their work is being published, Robin Warden will be putting together posters; a sort of "casting call of authors," according to Kaquatosh. The

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Little Blue **Crunchy Things** to perform

Little Blue Crunchy Things, a band with an eclectic mix of funk, jazz, and hip-hop-style lyrics, will appear at UWSP on Saturday, March 4.

oboe performance from UWSP in 1991 and a master's degree in oboe performance and literature from the Eastman School of Music, is the featured musician.

Currently, she is the principal oboe of the Billings Symphony Orchestra. She has played with the Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, the National Repertory

Orchestra, the Ohio Light Opera Orchestra and has also participated in the music festivals of Banff and Aspen.

ceived a bachelor's degree in composition from UWSP in 1989 and a master's degree in composition from the University of Illi-SEE CONCERT PAGE 10



coming in!"

"Epicenter?"

By Scott Van Natta FICTION WRITER

John stood up and quickly made his way to the top of the rise following the ski tracks. Looking down the other side,

hands, leaving her body ushaped.

"Liz, you're going to have to unclip your feet."

"No way! That's what's holding me up!"

of Chena Hot Springs ... " The Earthquake Detection

"OK, now slide your hands this way ... "

John crouched down and grabbed hold of her left wrist with his right hand.

"Liz, grab hold of my wrist." But she didn't want to let go of the ski.

Michael Barden, who re-

be held

The sound coming from Little Blue Crunchy Things is "a highpowered romp through realms of funk and hip-hop, spiked with jazzy horn jams and short guitar firestorms," according to reviewer Dave Luhrssen of City Edition. Others describe the music as, "Fishbone meets the Beastie Boys."

The band released their first CD, "Rhetoric," in March of 1994. They play regularly at Shank Hall, Milwaukee's premier music showcase, as well as in Madison, Chicago, La Crosse and Fond du Lac.

The event will take place at 8 p.m. in the Encore of the UC. For more information, contact the University Activities Board, 346-2412.

John saw nothing. Liz was gone. "Liz!"

"John..." The reply was faint, barely audible, "...down."

His eyes scanned the ground and there, about twenty yards further on, was a black sliver in the snow.

As he ran towards it, the sliver widened into a four and a half foot wide crevasse.

He looked down and there was Liz, hanging upside down from her skis.

"What the ... "

"Help ... " was all she could muster.

Her boots were still in the toe clips and she had reached up to hold on to the skis with both

with your hands, you'll be all right. Now, after you unclip your feet, you'll have to move your

"Look, as long as you hold on

hands a little closer to the edge so I can reach them.

> "What?!" "If I try to pull you up from there, I'll be so offbalance we'll

both fall, OK?

John could clearly see by the look on her face that things were not "OK."

"Trust me on this one, Liz."

Center at Fort Greely, located seventy-five miles southeast of Fairbanks, was having a busy

"About 60 miles northeast of

Fairbanks... Five miles northeast

month.

The earthquake lasted for 8.5 seconds and was felt some 250 miles away

"It's big one sir... 6.8 on

the scale ... Fairbanks must've got hit pretty hard." "I know. Call Fort Wainwright and see what they have to report."

Liz unclipped her second foot.

"Liz ... I'm only going to be able to hold you for a few seconds because you've got that pack on ... now take hold of my ... "

Suddenly, the ground began to shake.

Liz screamed. "Grab my wrist!" She tried to but missed. John could feel himself slipping toward the crevasse. "Liz, grab my wrist!" Instantly she did. "Now the other one!" A second later John hauled her up out of the crevasse and they both fell back into the snow. A few seconds after that the earthquake stopped.

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The Acting Company to perform Othello at Sentry

is the only professional theater company of its kind in America, will perform Shakespeare's "Othello" at 8 p.m., Thursday, March 9, at the Sentry Theater.

Founded in 1972 by Margot Harley and the late John Houseman, The Acting Company's mission is to provide young American actors of all cultural and ethnic backgrounds with an opportunity to develop their craft through touring in a repertory of classic and contemporary plays.

The ensemble also hopes to further develop the theatergoing public and its appreciation of the outreach activities throughout the Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" country.

In 1991 Zelda Fichandler, the founder of Arena Stage in Washington, D.C., joined the company as artistic director. Under her guidance, not only the actors but the designers

and support personnel are drawn from ethnically diverse populations.

In addition to "Othello," its touring repertoire includes

The Acting Company, which arts by conducting classes and Ibsen's "A Doll's House,"



Photo By Bill Pierce Erza Knight and Allen Gilmore in Othello.

> and "The African Company Presents 'Richard III'" by Carlyle Brown.

This season's touring ensemble is comprised of actors re-

cently graduated from America's leading conservatories from resident theaters across the country and from the stages of both

off-Broadway

and played before 2,000,000 theater patrons.

It also has toured throughout Australia and served an extended residency at the Old Vic Theater in London. It has toured Russia and Eastern Europe under the sponsorship of the Arts America Program of the U.S. Information Agency.

In addition, The Acting Company has won several Obie Awards and the Los Angeles Drama Critics Circle Award.

The event is sponsored by UWSP's Performing Arts Series. The series is funded by the Wisconsin Arts Board, Arts Midwest and the student body of UWSP.

and Broadway.

Since its founding more than 20 years ago, the company has traveled nearly 500,000 miles, performed 70 plays in 47 states

UWSP Choir travels for spring performance tour

By Katey Roberts FEATURES EDITOR

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The UWSP Choir is performing its annual spring tour March 1 through 3. The series of tour concerts will conclude with a home concert on Monday, March 6, at 8 p.m. in Michelsen Hall of the Fine Arts Center.

One of the first stops on the tour will be at UW-Eau Claire. From there, the University Choir will go on to the Minneapolis/St. Paul area where they will perform at various high schools and churches.

The choir has divided its performance into two sets. The first half will consist of sacred music

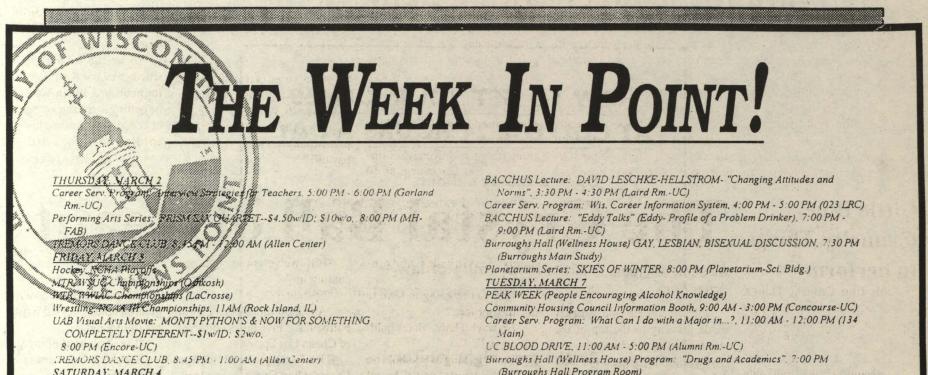
including a challenging rendition of the song "Gloria."

The second set will cover secular music. The spiritual tune "Witness" will conclude the concert. Both sets will present examples of music through the ages from the Renaissance to the contemporary period.

The University Choir is under the direction of Steven Davis, who selected 16 of the choir's 46 members to be included in a group of madrigal singers. This ensemble will sing a satirical selection of poems on love lost.

The Choir is the principal performing choral ensemble at UWSP. It has enjoyed a reputation for outstanding performances of choral literature from all musical epochs.

Past performances for the Wisconsin School Music Association and the Wisconsin Choral Directors Association have helped to enhance its reputation at the regional and state levels.



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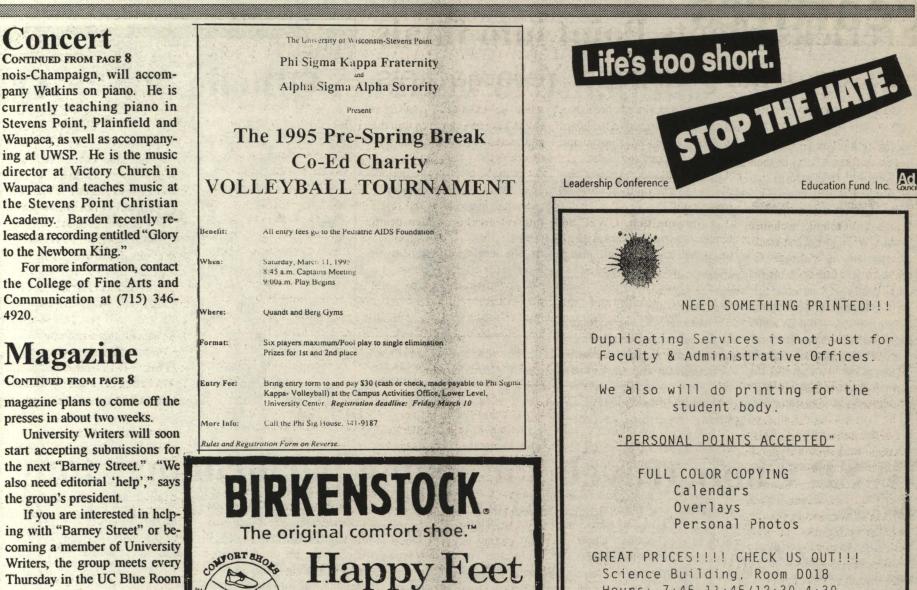
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Frericks shoots Point into finals Sudden death goal beats Yellowjackets

By Matt Woodward

CONTRIBUTOR

Pointer hockey is just two wins away from claiming their fifth NCHA championship.

Critics of the team's 10-5-5 regular season record figured the Pointers didn't have a chance against UW-Superior last weekend; especially on the road.

The critics, however, proved to be wrong.

The Pointers dominated Friday's game, scoring six unanswered goals.

In the first period, Pat Bogen and Andy Faulkner began the route with goals assisted by Willy Nichol and Mike Zambon.

The second period showed more of the same. UWSP's Tyler Johnston and Zambon each scored goals to push the lead to 4-0.

Gord Abric and Brian Idalski then finished the scoring, sealing the victory for Point.

On Saturday the Yellowjackets swarmed to an early 3-0 lead.

Zambon produced once again, putting the Pointers on the board at the 12:26 mark. Johnston and Paul Voth shared the assist.

Late in the second period, Superior added another score to make it 4-1.

Following that, UWSP attempted to struggle back with an unassisted score by Voth, bringing the Pointers within two.

But a sweep just wasn't in the cards for Point, and the Yellowjackets stung the Pointers 5-2.

Superior carried their momentum into the tiebreaking minigame. The Yellowjackets scored just 1:07 into the first period.

Stevens Point refused to roll over and play dead though and with 1:02 remaining in the period, coach Joe Baldarotta pulled his goalie and added another attacker on the ice. The plan worked.

With only :21 left, Faulkner kept the Pointer chances alive

when he received a pass from Kevin Plager and placed it in the goal, sending the game into sudden death.

In the first do-or-die period, goalie David Fletcher stopped 15 shots helping to send the series into yet another sudden death period.

The waiting was well worth it for Point.

A heroic goal scored by Willy Frericks off a Joe Vanic assist claimed the victory for the Pointers 8:30 into the period.

Next week, Stevens Point travels to Bemidji State to conclude their NCHA season in the championship game against the number-one-seeded Beavers.

With a win the Pointers will advance to the NCAA hockey championships.

Starting time for both the March 3 and 4 games against the Beavers is at 7:00 p.m. WWSP will begin their pregame show at 6:40 p.m.



Todd Passini and the Pointer hockey team will contend for the national title this weekend.

Pointers lose heartbreaker

By Mike Beacom Sports Editor

Coach Bob Parker took a mature and experienced UWSP men's basketball team to La Crosse last Saturday to close out the squad's season.

The same young group that started playing together only last fal, had started to come of age and was well prepared for an equally young Eagles team after Point's 93-77 thrashing of UW-Oshkosh on Wednesday night.

Unfortunately for the Pointers (12-13, 7-9 in the WSUC), in a season that saw so many close losses slip away, Saturday night would be no different. Stevens Point found themselves coming up short once again in the 64-63 loss to La Cresse (8-17, 5-11 in the WSUC).

"I think it was two evenly matched teams. We got off to a bad start," explained Parker. "Consequently, we came up a point short."

The Pointers started out cold, shooting only 22 percent from the floor. But 13 first half points from the charity stripe helped Point prevent the Eagles from getting out to a big lead and the Pointers entered the locker room only trailing 32-25.

A strong second half led by Jim Danielson and Brad Hintz

rallied Point back into the contest.

Danielson scored 12 straight points for the Pointers, trimming the La Crosse lead to four.

Minutes later, Stevens Point freshman Russ Austin gave the Pointers their first and only lead of the game at 54-53.

In the game's closing seconds, the Pointers were unable to convert, ending the comeback and Point's season.

"It was a gallant rally at the end," said Parker. "It was a little bit too little too late."

The Pointers will be a force in the WSUC next season, returning a solid nucleus of this year's team.

UWSP heads to nationals

By Joe Trawitzki Contributor

The Stevens Point wrestling team hopes to close out their season with a victorious ending this weekend.

The team will take seven qualifiers to the Division III National Championships to try to win Point's first national title.

Coach Marty Loy is realistic about his team's chances.

"Our young team has been surprising everybody all year. Hopefully, they will be able to surprise everyone one more time." "We have a shot to win the tournament with seven qualifiers, but it is considered to be a long shot," he added.

The Pointers dropped in the national rankings, now based on tournament strength as opposed to dual meet stength, from fourth to sixth heading into this weekend.

The seven wrestlers representing Stevens Point are Jason Malchow, Jere Hamel, Rick DeMario, Bret Stamper, Seth Foreman, Shane Holm and Perry Miller.

The tournament is being hosted by Augustana College in Rock Island, IL.

Women display character

Win over La Crosse ends season

By Douglas A. Miles CONTRIBUTOR

The women's basketball team finished their season on a high note with a 71-54 win over UW-La Crosse in Berg gymnasium last Saturday.

The victory was only the second time the team has won a conference game as they finish with a 2-14 record in the WWIAC (5-18 overall). Regardless of the disappointing season, the Pointers showed determination to win at home on Parent's Day after a tough 72-40 blow out to Oshkosh the previous Wednesday.

Going into the locker room, the Pointers possessed a two point lead. But by only seven minutes into the second half the lead was up to sixteen and Point was able to hold the lead for the rest of the game.

Savonte Walker led the Pointers with 24 points while Marne Boario added 18. More importantly, Boario set a school record for most free throws made in a season.

Boario, who went 10-10 from the line Saturday, made 140 out of 180 attempts to surpass Sonja Sorenson's 1987-88 record of 130.

The women's team was young and rather inexperienced. Look for them to be a stronger force next year.



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Sports

Stevens Point runs over opposition Track and field teams dominate Pointer Invitational

By Joe Trawitzki Contributor

The UWSP men and women's track teams each took first place this past week at the Pointer Invitational.

The performances gave the Pointers much needed momentum as they head into the conference championships this weekend.

The men's team finished with an impressive 264 points.

The next closest team was UW-Stout with 113 points. UW-

Milwaukee ended up a close third with 112 points.

The women's team won their meet by scoring 131 points. UW-Milwaukee finished second with 75 points. Carthage College took third with 41 points.

Men's coach Rick Witt was pleased with his team's success but wants the team to continue to improve.

"We weren't concerned with the outcome of the meet. We just wanted to use the meet to make sure we are ready for the conference tournament. We ran well," said Witt. Besides the great team showing, there were also many outstanding individual performances. The Pointers won 19 of 38 events.

They also had 17 secondplace finishers. The most notable individual performer was Jeremie Johnson.

His time of 8:26.9 in the 3000 meter event is the second fastest time in school history.

Coach Witt praised his runners. "Everyone ran extremely well. It is hard to put individual praise on this meet because it was such a team effort." The track teams hope to continue winning and improving as a team.

Hopefully they'll be able to continue their improvement and success when they participate in this weekend's conference meet.

Women's coach Len Hill is optimistic about the meet. "I think our chances of being on top of the battle are very good," commented Hill.

The men will travel to Oshkosh while the women head to La Crosse. Both meets take place on Friday and Saturday.



Willet parking causes problems By Amy Chagnon

CONTRIBUTOR

Many hockey fans found a surprising change as K.B. Willet Ice Area opened its new entrance. Fans were encouraged to use the parking lot for the Mid-State Technical College, Recreation Center, and P.J. Jacobs High School. Signs were posted directing the change.

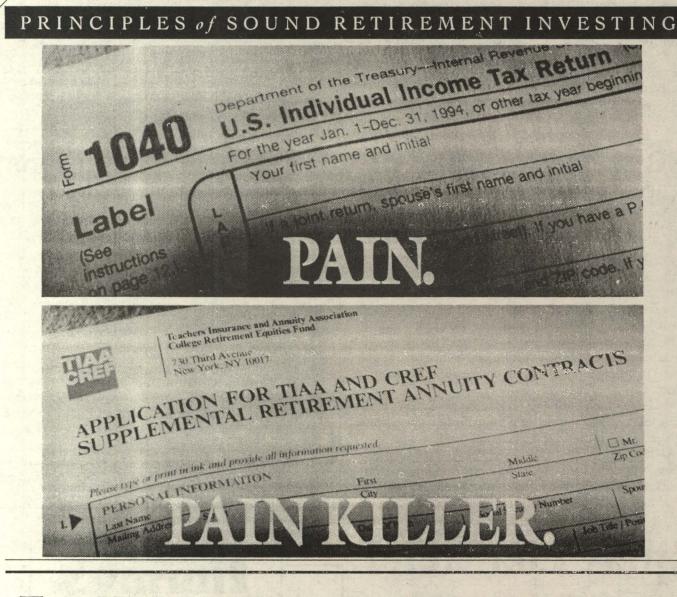
Tom Schrader of the Stevens Point Parks, Recreation and Forestry Dept. said, "When the request from the university for seating and locker rooms came in, neighbors were concerned with an increase in parking problems."

In the past, citizens living around Willet have found the streets filled with spectator's cars. In an effort to clear the streets for emergency vehicles and citizens, the idea of using the Mid-State Technical College, Recreation Center and P.J. Jacobs parking lots was addressed.

"The new area has 300-350 spaces for parking available," said Schrader.

Blue and white signs have been posted along the outlining streets.

"The signs are for steering people who live out of town to the parking lot," added Schrader.



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"The new entrance on the west side is the required entrance," he said.

It will be used for all ticketed admission events. During games the east entrance on Minnesota avenue will be locked. The east entrance is now being used by players and physically challenged individuals.

Since the new entrance opened there have been no complaints from the neighborhood or spectators.

Comics

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DEPARTMENT *8

mm STEVE, THAT NEW CITY ORDINANCE WAS OK O3 ok FOR FURNITURE BEING OUTSIDE NOT THE OTHER WHY AROUND. I GOOFED. I'M SORRY ALBEADY.

DAVEDAVIS

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Hi, HOTDISH! WHAT'S WRANG WITH HER?

FOR THE POINTER BY TODD MILLER

INFATUATION



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Spleen! Spleen! Spleen! **Phor Phun and Prophet**

By Pat Rothfuss IRONY OR REALITY?

ARIES (MARCH 21-APRIL 19) Dear Diary,

sigh Impotence problems... again. Good thing I pay her to keep her mouth shut too. Hell ... Phone's ringing ... Probably one of those editors from the Pointer; insipid twits... They wouldn't know good satire if it bit them on the ass... Oh well, that horoscope disk should be around here somewhere. More later, Diary.

TAURUS (APRIL 20-MAY 20) You decide to start your own frat. The paperboy will make a great mascot.

GEMINI (MAY 21-JUNE 20) Ready for the bake sale, you go to your Phi Omega meeting. Unfortunately, you forgot this week is the ritual summoning of Azag Thoth, Prince of Demons. Your mistake pays off when your offering of Rice Crispy bars prevents the hungry god from devouring you.

CANCER (JUNE 21-JULY 22) The secret to a happy life is to be childlike without being childish.

LEO (JULY 23-AUG. 22) You go to a Phi Sigma Kappa party. Of course there is no alcohol, or drugs, or underage girls. Actually there wasn't even a party. And you didn't go to it.

VIRGO (AUG. 23-SEPT. 22) You go to a Sig Tau Gamma house party where you become mindcrushingly drunk and are molested by their pet goat.

LIBRA (SEPT. 23-OCT. 23) After a drink with a pretty girl, you awake to find yourself naked, tied down and surrounded by the entire Gamma Phi Delta sorority. All in all, not a bad weekend. KIM

SCORPIO (OCT. 24-Nov. 22) You lose one of your kidneys in a freak rappelling accident. Don't worry, you'll find it in about three weeks, behind the fridge.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-DEC. 21) You read Dave Davis; laugh hysterically, die from an anurism, or both.

CAPRICORN (DEC. 22-JAN. 19) YOU ARE *send Pat Rothfuss a dollar* VERY HAPPY.

AQUARIUS (JAN. 20-FEB. 19) After finding out that Hitler was an Alpha Sigma Alpha, you want to join twice as much.

PISCES (FEB. 20-MARCH 20) Your role-playing group has a lot of trouble summoning Azag Thoth this weekend, odd.

IF YOUR BIRTHDAY IS THIS WEEK You'll probably end up throwing up on yourself - pretty depressing.

When asked about this week's horoscopes, Pat Rothfuss was quoted as saying, "Oh, right. I would like to say that I meant everything I said about campus organizations. Due to space considerations I was forced to leave out some things. 'Teeks are geeks' for one." Although he wasn't asked for more, Pat continued. "That isn't to say that everyone else on campus isn't a geek too. And the faculty, I hate them. Indeed, Stevens Point, if not Wisconsin or the whole tri-state area, is entirely peopled with morons. Did I leave anyone out? -Oh yes, and God is a silly tit. Now leave me alone."

Pat is in stable condition at Saint Michael's after being run over by a bus full of nuns. Send sympathy cards c/o the Pointer.

FOR THE POINTER BY SPARKY



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Crystal

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John lay on his back. Liz lay face down, half on John and half on the snow - both too exhausted to move.

It was a full minute before John finally spoke.

"Are you all right?"

"I think so," came a muffled reply

"How exactly ... did you get yourself into that?"

Liz slowly lifted her head and brushed some snow off her cheek.

"I was just skiing along, when the snow broke away ... Then I was off balance and just fell over... I can't believe the skis held... And then that earthquake... I thought I was dead."

"Well," John grunted as he got to his feet, "if there was a Hall of Fame for skis, these would be in it." He lifted the skis away from the crevasse and stuck them upright into the snow.

"I'm really surprised," said John, "that the earthquake didn't set off any avalanches ... " The word had barely escaped his mouth when a low rumbling became audible.

John and Liz both looked back down the valley and watched as the top of a mountain literally slid off and raced down into the valley.



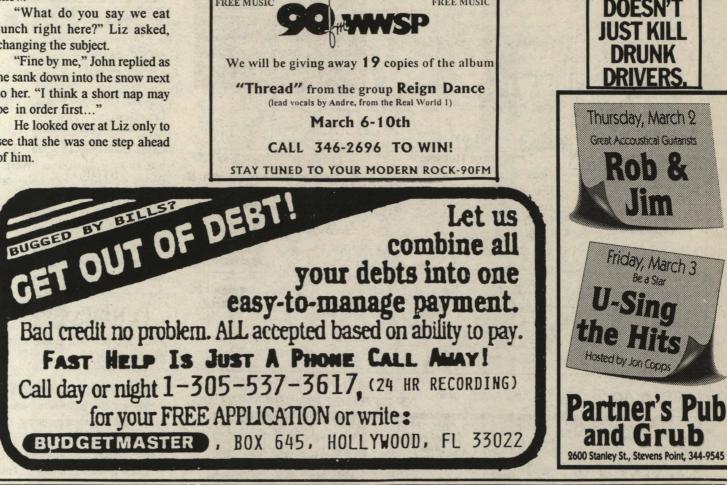
Funky Folk Blues

"A day earlier and we would be buried under fifty feet of snow."

"What do you say we eat lunch right here?" Liz asked, changing the subject.

he sank down into the snow next to her. "I think a short nap may be in order first ... '

see that she was one step ahead of him.



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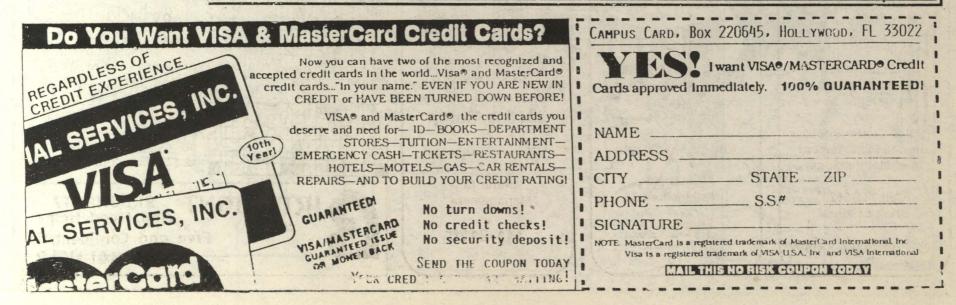
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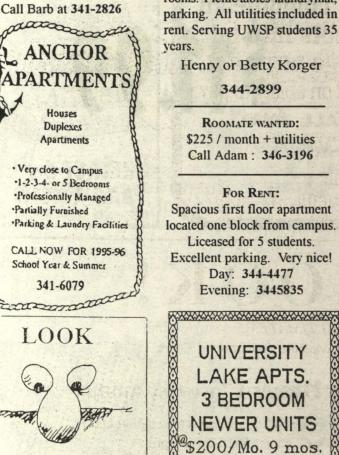
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