Alcohol Awareness Week educates UWSP students

By Gregory Vandenberg

National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week (NCAA W) kicks off Monday, Oct. 16, with a full slate of events aimed towards educating students on the dangers of alcohol.

"When people drink excessively, it is not just them that feel the consequences," said Julie Zsido, advisor of Hot SHOTS (Students Helping Others Think Sensibly). "It is their friends and the people surrounding them that feel the effects."

Throughout the week numerous events and information booths across campus will publicize the possible problems that alcohol may cause and what is happening locally in alcoholic issues.

The week will begin with "Alcohol: Recreational Poisoning," a program featuring Dr. Tom Rowe of UWSP's Psychology Department.

Rowe will be discussing the phenomenal effects alcohol has on the body and what happens when you mix alcohol with other types of medications and drugs.

The program begins at 7 p.m. in the Laird Room of the University Center (UC) and is sponsored by the Baha'i Club.

World class wrestler Dennis Hall will be giving a testimony of his struggle with the effects of alcohol when he presents "Brotherly Love: A Personal Story of DWI (Driving While under the Influence)."

Hall's brother was killed because of an incident of drinking and driving after a college house party. The former Olympian and UWSP student will discuss the tragedy of his brother's death and how he has dealt with it.

His presentation begins at 7 p.m. Tuesday night in the Laird Room and is sponsored by the Office of Alcohol Education.

Tuesday night also hosts "Lightweight, Middleweight, and Heavyweight: Alcohol and your Body." There will be an opportunity for students to receive information on how body weight determines the effects of alcohol on the human body.

The Stevens Point Police Department (SPPD) will also conduct roadside sobriety tests and discuss the cost and impact of a drunk driving test. This gives students a chance to watch three different sizes of people consume alcohol under the supervision of the SPPD.

The tests will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will include a simple academic test to show how alcohol will affect your academic abilities. The program is sponsored by Thomson Hall and the Thomson Hall Basement Lounge.

Pray-Sims Hall will host a "Party in My Room... Mocktails Galore!" at 9 p.m. on Wednesday in the Pray-Sims Lobby and Community Advisors' rooms on houses one, two, and three.

"Beer Keg Party... Root Beer That Is!" is slated for 7 p.m. Thursday in the Recreational Service Room in the UC. It gives students an alternative beer to drink and socialize. The keg party is sponsored by the Residence Hall Association.

Thursday night hosts the 2nd annual "HallAware Night" in the DeBot Center. The festivities begin at 8:37 p.m. and include various Halloween themes including games and prizes. HallAware is sponsored by BACCHUS (Boost Alcohol Consciousness Concerning the Health of University Students) and is scheduled to end at 10:52 p.m.

The week-long celebration wraps up on Friday night with a disco music party at Tremors Dance Club in the Allen Center. The night begins at 9 p.m. and will feature the greatest dance hits from the 1970s.

According to sponsors, the week is designed to show students that there are alternatives to drinking, and that alcohol consumption is too widespread on college campuses.

"I think a problem exists," said UWSP student Leslie Obney. "People need to control their consumption, because it is important to know when to say no."

Military invades Schmeekle

By Melissa Dier

UWSP military science students had the opportunity to repel down the tower in Schmeekle Reserve earlier this week.

Military invades Schmeekle

This past weekend, approximately 24 compact disks (CD's) were stolen from the campus radio station 90FM.

This has been an on going problem at 90FM, but not this severe.

"We have an idea when the CD's were stolen, but we don't know who stole them," said Wayne Semmerling, 90FM station manager.

The CD's were stolen out of the executive board's mailboxes this past Saturday between the time of 5 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Since the Communication building was open last weekend, Semmerling believes someone walked into the office and stole them. "I strongly believe someone at 90FM did not steal these CD's," Semmerling stated.

The CD's were new and were to be featured on Semmerling's show, "Heavy Rotation" on Sunday night. Some of the CD's stolen were the new Green Day and Sonic Youth albums.

"We called an emergency staff meeting on Monday to discuss possible prevention policies," said Semmerling.

"We will now lock up anything of value and will keep the main door to 90FM locked on the weekends since the Communication building is open," stated Semmerling.

At the emergency meeting, Semmerling covered policies if someone were to steal CD's or other property. "There will be

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SGA passes fee increase
By Joe Trawitzki
Cont. by Cont.: At a time when the cost of education continues to rise, Student Government Association (SGA) recently passed a resolution to increase the fee students pay for membership to the United Council (UC). SGA feels the increase of 20 cents will benefit students, even though it is an increase in student fees.

"The UC fights for issues important to students, such as academic and financial aid issues," said SGA Executive Director Mike Carlson. "They give the UW-System an influential voice in government."

The increase in dues from 75 to 95 cents was requested by UC because their budget is falling into debt and they need the money in order to keep operating at current standards.

"Right now the increase is necessary," said Carlson. "Times are changing and 20 cents is not that much money."

UC is a 35-year-old non-profit organization that lobbies for students' rights.

IN THE NEWS

WORLD

- Airports closed, public transportation stopped, and children got a day off of school in Paris, France last Tuesday when 5 million French government workers went on strike to protest a wage freeze. The strike caused nine-mile-long traffic jams as normal commuters were forced to use their own vehicles. Over 20,000 people marched through the streets to pressure Premier Alain Juppe to resign since he has not followed through on his promises to reduce the nation's deficit and 11.5 percent unemployment rate.

- One person was killed and 78 others were injured when the Amtrak Sunset Limited train was derailed Monday. The tracks were sabotaged when 29 spikes and a 3-foot 18-pound steel bar that holds sections of rail together were removed. The train did not detect the break in the tracks because the saboteurs bridged the gap in the track with a wire, thus disabling the electronic warning system. A note found outside the wreck, located 55 miles southwest of Phoenix, Ariz., states that the derailing was done by the "Sons of Gestapo" in retaliation for government intervention in the sieges at Waco, Texas and Ruby Ridge, Idaho.

STATE

- A 16-year-old Beloit boy was released from Beloit Memorial Hospital Monday after a drinking binge brought his blood alcohol level to .39. The boy was cited for underage drinking. His brother, whom he was visiting at Beloit College, was cited for providing alcohol to a minor.

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UWSP Homcoming spreads fun
Students participate in many activities during week's festivities

Women's Rugby Team fights over the ball while playing in their prom dresses last Thursday.

Medford's High School Marching Band marches in formation at the UWSP Homecoming Parade.

Residents of Burroughs Hall "Yell Like Hell" for the Pointers in Berg Gym.

A member of Phi Sigma Kappa carves his creation of Spam in the Encore.

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Dear Editor:

Well, fellow cheese heads, the word is out that our omnipotent and esteemed Governor Tommy Thompson has succeeded in keeping the Milwaukee Brewers in Milwaukee.

Before I begin, I must admit that I could in no way be considered a sports fan.

In my opinion, for something to be considered a sport it must meet the following qualifications: the activity must endanger the lives of the participants, and there must be some object which travels in excess of 120 m.p.h.

Thus, the only sport which I can fully endorse is auto racing.

But that is for another time; today's topic is baseball.

From what I know, the Brewers will build a new stadium and a portion of Wisconsin's residents will pay for it.

Now, I am not against using some sort of financial assistance to woo businesses into staying within an area, so long as said businesses somehow compensate the residents of the area.

If the cost of the new stadium could be retrieved from revenues brought into the city by people going to the games, fine, but I just don't see that happening.

I guess there were a few empty seats at County Stadium this past summer.

From what I've been told the Brew Crew weren't having the best season, and not too many fans cared enough to show up.

But fear not, the big wigs of The Milwaukee Brewers Inc. have assured us that if they were to acquire a new stadium, they're sure that the team could get back on its feet and win a pennant.

Now let me get this straight, if I owned a business that was experiencing some hard times, I could go to Governor Thompson and tell him "Listen Tommy, I know financially things don't look too promising right now, but if you were to invest $250 million of your own cash into my business, I'm sure I could turn a huge profit next year."

I wonder how long it would take security to hog tie me and drag me away.

The decision to build the new acropolis is not the worst part of the ordeal; the worst part is the attitude our Governor has about the situation.

The night that the elected suits in Madison had finally agreed upon an agenda which they could vote on, Governor Thompson had this to say and I quote, "This is the most difficult issue I have dealt with in my 29 years of politics."

I'm assuming the reason the stadium issue has been so difficult for Governor Thompson is because he is unable to dismiss, fire, or somehow eliminate the opposition like he has when dealing with welfare, education and the environment.

So I say to you students, take notice of our Governor's kind and just example. If you have enough money, you don't need to care about the environment; if you can't afford an education, you don't deserve one; have resentment and disgust for the poor, and most importantly, don't let anything get in the way of you or your friend's good time.

Follow these instructions and maybe some day you too can be a part of Tommy's club. Who knows, you may wind up with box seats.

Michael Wood

The President speaks

Oswald asks for student input

I have heard many complaints from students about the number of credit card booths that are in the UC Concourse.

I am working on a resolution to either limit or change the behavior of these sales people. Please feel free to call or email at exec@uwspmail.uwsp.edu with your opinions or suggestions.

That's all for this week. I hope that you all had a great time recovering from the homecoming weekend.

Ray Oswald
President
Student Government Association
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Outlook good for pheasant season

Increasing numbers of wild pheasants in some areas combined with the continued stocking of game-farm raised pheasants on more than 70 public hunting grounds will provide hunters with good opportunities when the pheasant season opens statewide on October 14.

Additionally, this year’s pheasant season will be 24 days longer than last year’s, running through December 31, and the daily bag limit will increase from one bird per day to two birds per day after opening weekend. In the past the daily bag limit did not increase until the third week of the season.

Both of these changes should provide greater pheasant hunting opportunities, according to Mike Foy, a pheasant management specialist with the Department of Natural Resources.

Foy said there has been some confusion as to whether the DNR would continue to stock game farm pheasants in public hunting grounds because the 1995-97 state biennial budget bill did not initially include funds for the pheasant rearing program at the state game farm.

"Funds for the program were restored in the final budget bill and the game farm has raised 47,500 pheasants for release on public hunting grounds and another 64,000 rooster chicks that were shipped to cooperating clubs for rearing and distribution," Foy said.

While this is a slight reduction in pheasant production from previous years, when combined with wild pheasant populations, quality pheasant hunting should be available throughout much of the state, Foy said.

Spring surveys of wild pheasant populations found about half the areas surveyed showed population increases, while other areas showed moderate decreases.

"This wasn’t anticipated, since the weather was excellent for nesting and brood rearing in 1994 and the winter was exceptionally mild," Foy said. "This should have left pheasant populations in fine shape."

The lower numbers could reflect poor conditions for pheasant crowing—the method used to count birds—especially in some areas that did not be possible.

And then he saw them, slowly making their way across the open space of brown grass. There were five of them, casually walking toward the hunter’s side of the field.

Suddenly, the hunter’s ears perked up as he heard a sound from behind him. Swiveling his head, he saw another, like the ones in front of him, only this one was bigger.

He discreetly shifted his position to face his new prey. His target was stumbling through the brush and he watched it trip over a hidden root and fall on its face. Then it pipped itself up and continued on, slipping every other step, he had no idea that he was being watched.

The hunter stood up and moved a few steps to his left to line up a better shot.

His prey stopped when it saw others of its kind in the field. The hunter decided that this was a good time; it was almost too easy.

But just to make it more interesting, he tapped a foot against a nearby tree. The man turned to look.

The hunter had, between his teeth, a thin rope that led to the human with his antlers. There was not a twitch to be seen.

"Awe, that’s too bad," said the elder brother as he peeled back the human’s shirt to reveal an enormous gut. He turned his head toward the field to see the humans scurrying. He could see one lying in the grass; his younger brother had gotten a kill as well.

He walked up to his fallen prey, bent his head down and prod­ded the human with his antlers. There was not a twitch to be seen.

A moment later, his brother bounded up next to him. "Mine’s only a five pointer," he said with a tone of disappointment.

"Aye, that’s too bad," said the elder brother as he peeled back the human’s shirt to reveal an enormous gut. He turned to his brother and smiled. "Count ‘em and weep!"

Then he gave the carcass a hard kick to the side. He counted until the human’s gut stopped bouncing back and forth.

"Eleven," he said to his brother.

"Wow. That’s even better than last year." The younger brother turned toward the field to get his kill. "There were a couple females that scattered to the east," he said as he was walking away. "Oh good!" said the other hunter, "I was hoping I’d get to use my female tag this year."

No no no. Tis a silly story.
State assesses environmental impact of deer

As a result, the DNR proposes minor modifications to its deer management rules.

White-tailed deer are highly valued part Wisconsin's ecosystems, but high deer populations can have adverse effect on agriculture, forests, and transportation.

These are among the findings of an environmental assessment the Department of Natural Resources conducted of the state's deer population goals and deer management program.

"Deer are one of the most widely recognized and appreciated wildlife species in the state," says Bill Vander Zouwen, chief of the DNR wildlife and landscape ecology section. "They are important to Wisconsin's citizen for viewing and hunting, as well as for food."

In 1993, more than $50,000 deer hunting licenses were sold in Wisconsin, generating more than $16 million for wildlife conservation, according to the assessment.

Additionally, hunters spend more than $250 million in Wisconsin for ammunition, hunting equipment, food and lodging.

Deer are also ranked in the top three species, along with song birds and bald eagles, as favorite species for wildlife watching.

However, the assessment notes that deer also are associated with negative ecological and socioeconomic effects. Deer can over-browse certain plant species, causing potential harm, for those plants as well as other animals that depend upon those plants. They are also responsible for about 90 percent of the agricultural crop damage reports filed with the state, causing an estimated $13 million in damage in 1993 to the state's corn crop alone, according to the assessment.

Since 1985, Wisconsin motorists have reported an average of almost 36,000 car-deer collisions per year, and actual number could be quite a bit higher, because many accidents go unreptored, according to the assessment.

In all of these cases, Vander Zouwen says, the higher the deer population, the greater their effect.

The assessment looked at both the ecological and socioeconomic effects of Wisconsin's deer populations. It also reviewed effective Wisconsin's current management program and evaluated other potential management alternatives.

"We looked at what the impact would be of both smaller and larger populations in different areas of the state," Vander Zouwen says.

The DNR evaluated alternatives that were recommended by the state's Chippewa Tribes, by the Wisconsin Conservation Commission, and by Regional Deer Management Task Forces.

The task forces met in 17 areas around the state last December to discuss deer population issues and suggest deer management unit population goals and boundaries.

As a result of the environmental assessment, the DNR is proposing minor modifications to its deer management rules, including the creation of three deer management units, and slight reductions or increases to deer overwinter population goals in some existing management units.

"We are recommending that overwinter population goals not be increased above 25 deer per square-mile of habitat or not be raised higher than 80 percent of the unit's carrying capacity.

Above those levels, there can be adverse affect on deer health, hunting opportunities and other wildlife and plant species," Vander Zouwen says.

However, the department is not at this time recommending reductions in deer management units with population goals currently above that level.

"Most of the regional task forces supported the current overwinter goals and did not want to see them reduced. We will work to help people more fully understand the impacts of high deer populations and gain public support before the next unit review three years from now," Vander Zouwen says.

"I hope the environmental assessment will give all stakeholders a better appreciation for the effects of deer populations on others as well as the natural systems on which we all depend," Vander Zouwen says.

So, what is the bag limit on gobies? It's zero.

It is currently illegal to possess a goby, dead or alive, because we must take no chances that these gobies might get into our inland waters.

Just ducking around

The Goby, another exotic fish causes trouble

By Lee Kernen

DIRECTOR DNR BUREAU OF FISHERIES MANAGEMENT

It seems there is no end to the exotic fish species that enter the Great Lakes through the ballast water in the bellies of transoceanic ships.

First came zebra mussels, then the Eurasian ruffe — and now make way for the round goby.

A single goby was recovered from the Duluth and Superior Harbor in July of this year. We expect that they will enter the Wisconsin waters of Lake Michigan very soon.

Round gobies are a bottom-dwelling fish that is native to the Black and Caspian seas, near Turkey. The head of a round goby looks vaguely like a frog, with its eyes set high near the top of its head. They grow up to a foot long, but most are smaller.

Perhaps the goby's most unusual attribute is fixed pelvic fins. This means their two bottom fins are joined to form a sort of suction cup that lets them hang on to rocks very well, even in a strong current.

Round gobies were first discovered in 1990 in the St. Clair River near Detroit, by a University of Michigan researcher, David Jude. They're already in Lakes Erie, Huron, Michigan and Superior.

No gobies have as yet been seen in Wisconsin, but I'd guess some Kenosha or Racine perch angler will catch one in 1996 for sure.

There are plenty of gobies in the Illinois and Indiana waters of Lake Michigan just a few miles south.

These new critters eat all kinds of aquatic insects and other bottom-dwelling creatures, including zebra mussels. But don't expect them to control the pesky zebra - there are far too many mussels and we sure don't want huge populations of gobies.

Gobies will cause trouble enough for our native fish. They are extremely aggressive, pugnacious fish that will out compete a shy fish for food.

How our new fish will fit into the Great Lakes community remains to be seen. We hope they will become just another species in a complicated food web but we can only wait and see.

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The intense dramatic play, "Extremities," will be performed through a variety of scripts as a creative person," said Tyler Marchant, a theatre arts major at UWSP, who will direct the play for the day, especially on college campuses and for women in particular," said Marchant. "The play deals with the women's struggle to maintain order in a violent situation," said Marchant. He hopes that everyone who sees the play will really think twice about what they just saw. "It might make people think about their own life-styles and be able to commit to the show. He knew that "Extremities" required people who would delve into their characters. Marchant said that the play demonstrates the extremes within the human soul.

The grizzly just whipped a guy in the side of the head. "So now there are only two?" "I think..." he moved the binoculars to look, "I see the one closest to us... but the one in the middle... no, there's too many trees..."

By Scott Van Natta

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CHAPTER 13 CONTINUED

"Report," Kurk said. "No sign of anything on the left," came the first response. The soldier on the right did not report. "Petretki? Are you there." "Just a moment sir... I hear something... I'm going to check it out..." "Be careful, and remember... no shooting." "Yes sir."

Petretki looked around. Where did that sound come from? There was a small embankment directly in front of him, about waist level. He slowly turned around to face the other direction, rifle extended outward. Then, from behind the embankment, the massive body of the grizzly suddenly appeared. It snorted, causing Petretki to whip around in bewilderment. And before he had a chance to react, a huge paw swung out and clipped him in the side of the head, breaking his neck and propelling through the air. He was dead before he hit the ground.

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"What?"

By Kate Roberts

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Drama to provide an emotional experience

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OUTDOORS EDITOR

Kurk waited two minutes before checking back with his soldier. "Petretki report... what has happened?" But there was no reply. "Mikal report...? "Nothing here sir... should we keep going?" "No. Make your way toward me. We need to find Petretki." Commander Ellison climbed out of the cockpit and dropped to the tarmac. Agent Ortiz was there to meet him, as were agent Hudson and Base Commander Cal Girard.

Agent Ortiz was the first to speak. "I assume that you all have been briefed on Operation Whiteout?" The three men nodded. "Good, then I must remind you that this mission is classified. Do not speak of it to anyone." Then he turned to Cal Girard. "Commander, we need a bomb. Girard nodded and turned, "Follow me."

Kurk stood up and walked away from the body as the other soldier arrived. "He's dead," said Kurk as he walked past Mikal. Mikal stopped where he was and slowly slid his cap off his head. "How?"

"An animal of some kind... hit him in the side of the head. Come Mikal, back to the cabin," "What about..."

"Leave him... a body is of no use to us now."

"What about the trapper?"

"Who cares... he is most likely gone anyway... he can't hurt us... Sorry we don't have much of a choice," Girard said.

The four men were standing in a security bunker that housed

The Crystal Ball of Reality

By Kate Roberts

FEATURES EDITOR

90FM's Pick of the Week

Urge Overkill

Exit the Dragon

By Wayne Semmerling

90FM'S STATION MANAGER

Urge Overkill, simply put, rocks! After listening to this album, all I could say was "Damn, they're cool!" Exit the Dragon is that kind of album. The Chicago based band received some well deserved recognition after their last album, Saturation, and broke into the mainstream with their version of Neil Diamond's "Girl, You'll Be A Woman Soon" (from the Pulp Fiction Soundtrack). Urge Overkill's fifth full length album, Exit The Dragon, is a more serious and more subdued album than Saturation, yet still rocks. For those who feel that Urge Overkill's best was the 1991 album, Supersonic Storybook, you won't be disappointed.

Just Testing

By Kate Roberts

FEATURES EDITOR

Most of us have already taken numerous exams, tests, and midterms (even though it is not quite the middle of the term yet). Sometimes it is hard to get through all of them. You need to have some type of goal to work toward. For me it's graduation. The first tests of the year are always the toughest. You never know what to expect. Even after you have asked others what the tests will be like, it does not help much because what works for them may not work for you.

This also true of all the relationships you have during your college career. Your intelligence isn't the only thing that is put to the test during the first months of the semester, many friendships are being tested too. We all have those high school friends from back home that we try to keep in touch with. Plus all of those people who we got to know in the last couple of years here at UWSP that transferred, graduated or took a semester off. Maintaining these friendships is not as easy as it was when you saw each other everyday. This is the time when you find out how strong those bonds of friendship really are. Your friends will let you know whether or not you make the grade.

The flip side of this deals with the friends you see everyday, your roommates. I happen to have great relationships with mine, but some living situations can be very tense. This is especially common with those who live in the residence halls. A couple years ago I decided to room with my best friend, and soon learned this was going to be a huge test of our friendship. Luckily we are still friends, we have even talked about living together again, just not in the same room. We sure learned our lesson.

Another facet of relationships is the boyfriend-girlfriend thing. Long distance romances can be tough. Actually, even those that live in the same place have issues to face. One person in the relationship may feel that the other person no longer has time for him or her. In these situations attendance and participation will influence your final grade. This is most often a pass-fail situation. Time seems to be the overriding factor in most of these tests that we find ourselves taking. Deciding what to do with the time we have is, in itself, an examination, an examination of what our priorities are and where our loyalties lie. In real life you won't be graded on a curve.
WHAT'S HAPPENING

PLAY

Five O’Clock Shadows, a compelling poignant and humorous one-act play which challenges the male experience, will be performed Wed. Oct. 18 at 7:00 p.m. in the Laird Room of the University Center.

The play is a rich blend of fictional sketches and true life stories performed by Jon Matelski, base; Glenn Peters, drums; Collin Higgins, guitar; Tony Catania, tenor saxophone and Matt Antoniewicz, trumpet. Renditions of modern jazz will be played by these members of a sextet: Jon Matelski, base; Glenn Peters, drums; Matt Willer, tenor saxophone; Matt Antoniewicz, trumpet; Chris Piekos, trombone and Brian Sharon, piano.

Tickets are $2 with a student ID and $3.50 without. The proceeds go to the jazz scholarship fund.

JAZZ

Two jazz combos, starring UWSP music students, will play in the Encore tonight at 8 p.m.

These musicians will perform the standard jazz repertory in a quintet: Jon Matelski, base; Glenn Peters, drums; Dave Thorsen, drums; Matt Willer, tenor saxophone; Matt Antoniewicz, trumpet; Chris Piekos, trombone and Brian Sharon, piano.

Tickets are $2 with a student ID and $3.50 without. The proceeds go to the jazz scholarship fund.

PROGRAM

Come listen to the story of Dennis Hall, whose brother was killed because of drinking and driving after a college house party.

Hall is a student at UWSP who was a 1992 Olympian Wrestler, 1994 World Bronze Medalist and 1994 Wrestler of the Year. The program is in conjunction with National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week on Tues. Oct. 17 at 7:00p.m. in the Laird Room.

Herpetologist to exhibit leashed lizard

Herpetologist Keith Gisser will be entertaining at the UC in the Laird Room on Friday, Oct. 13.

Gisser’s humor and experience makes the program fast paced, interesting and educational. He promises that it will resemble nothing of a dry and boring biology lab.

Accompanying Gisser will be approximately 25-30 of his closest amphibian and reptile friends. There will be a live variety of snakes, frogs, alligators, turtles, pythons, and iguanas. Stealing all the attention will be a white throat monitor lizard named “T-Rex.”

The star lizard who happens to be leashed-trained, is five feet long, weighs 35 lbs., and has the demeanor of a puppy dog. T-Rex is proud to report that he recently mastered his escalator traveling skills.

Keith Gisser started his quest for knowledge of herpetology at the mere age of eight. Around three years ago he turned his part-time job and hobby into a full-time profession. Gisser is a keeper, breeder and retail seller of reptiles and amphibians.

He currently has around 250 adults and 5,000 total including young stock. This is an equivalency of 60-100 cages of reptiles and amphibians. He has appeared on several shows such as The Today Show and the Fox network’s Nightshift. He has performed at campuses everywhere from eastern Pennsylvania to Iowa.

Encore to feature Fuzzdolly

Fuzzdolly will perform in the UC Encore on Oct. 14 at 8 p.m. The band is originally from Stevens Point and has been playing together since July of 1994. They were the featured act in the 1994 UWSP Mastercard Music Showcase.

Fuzzdolly blends elements of mood driven gothic music and punk-angst. There are four members of the high energy, original band, Fuzzdolly.

Dennis Jackson, lead guitar/vocals, has played in various local bands including Pizzaz’s Neighbor. Dennis is currently working on his music literature degree from UWSP.

Shannon Schober, bass/vocals, has been playing bass guitar in bands in since age 16. During the last seven years he has fronted numerous bands.

Matt Gillas, guitar/vocals, performed with Pizzaz’s Neighbor for two years.

Matt writes most of Fuzzdolly’s music, and is the lead vocalist. He just graduated from UWSP with a history degree.

Tim Bean, drums, was the founding member of Pizzaz’s Neighbor. Tim graduated from UWSP with a double major in marketing and management.

Visual art gurus, Super Soar Eye will add to the band’s intense sound. They are two artists who project two super-8 film machines and two slide projectors over the band while they perform. The scenes and images are marketed and thought provoking. Fuzzdolly’s live show also features stage dancers, The Stilting Bananas.

For Further Information Please Contact the Campus Activities Office at 346-4343
Football powers past Stout

By Mike Beacom
Sports Editor

Last Saturday was a big day for Pointer football and head coach John Miech. Not just because it was homecoming, but also because the coach and his team got a key starter back in quarterback Tom Fitzgerald and wide receiver Jose Banda.

Both had failed to make the starting lineup since the season opener against Minot State nearly a month ago.

And after seeing only limited action against Eau Claire in the previous week, it would be difficult for any one to ever expect much out of the dangerous passing combo in Saturday’s game against Stout.

But both players’ homecoming performance more than exceeded expectations.

The Pointers (5-0, 2-0 in the WSUC) got out to an early lead in the game and had a 31-6 halftime lead.

Fitzgerald was phenomenal in the first half, racking up 200 yards passing and adding three touchdowns. Tim Ott was on the receiving end of two of the three tosses, both coming in an impressive 22 point second quarter.

In the second half, Stevens Point used long scoring strikes through the air and a strong mix of runners on the ground to add yard touchdown early in the fourth quarter.

The pass not only gave Fitzgerald 300 passing yards, but also gave Banda 100 yards receiving for the day coming on six receptions.

Fitzgerald and Banda are veteran football players,” said Miech. “We were happy with the way they performed.”

Running back Tom McKinney finished up the scoring for Point with a touchdown run from six yards out. McKinney gained 52 yards on five consecutive carries during the drive.

Miech also commented on his offensive line, which only gave up one sack and had been doing a commendable job all year.

Quote of the Week

Believe it or not, when it’s all said and done, we’re going to the World Series.

-Seattle Mariners manager Lou Piniella at a rally for the Mariners in downtown Seattle on Monday.

Sports Trivia

1) Who is the NFC’s second leading rusher heading into this weekend?

2) Who won the 1983 Heisman Trophy?

3) Who was the last person other than Emmitt Smith or Barry Sanders to win a rushing title?

Runners gear up for La Crosse

By Mike Kemmeter
Contributor

The UWSP men’s cross country team traveled to the “Golden Dome” in South Bend, Indiana for the Notre Dame Cross Country Invitational, where they bounded about 80% from last week to face the 3-2 Titans. The Titans head into the match up after suffering two straight conference losses.

The Pointers have beaten Oshkosh 11 straight times, including a 38-0 route in Point last year.

Now Oshkosh, the Pointers face perhaps their two toughest opponents of the year, La Crosse and Whitewater.

“This next five weeks is going to be like a tornado,” added Miech. “We’re just going to play our football.”

Also scoring points were Dawn Ostrowski, Sara Drake, Mia Sondreal, and Kim Marois.

As for the team, women’s Coach Len Hill was pleased with the outcome. “We have rebounded about 80% from last week’s performance. We are once again at a place where we can challenge the top teams in the conference,” said Hill.

Coach Hill was impressed with the race of senior Heather Ironside.

“Herather had the best race of her career. She really got into it and raced, and there were some good runners in this meet.”

Senior Kim Marois was named Pointer of the Week for the women’s team.

“Kim has really come on this year and is racing with a lot of confidence,” added Hill.

The men’s team will compete at the Jim Drews Invite hosted by UW-La Crosse on Saturday.

The women’s team also heads to La Crosse for the Tori Neubauer Invitational.
Point beats Blugolds
Heiden named player of the week

By Krista Torgeson

The now 18-8 Pointer volleyball team is turning a few heads this season with the combinations of consistency, strong defense, and the hitting performances from both their outside hitters and middle.

The team has won two of their last three games including a quick three wins over UW-Eau Claire 15-4, 15-7, and 15-8. Led by the hitting of Tara Raddatz, Stephens and Peggy Hartl with 13, 10, and 8 digs, respectivley. Pointers setter Jolie Johnson contributed her usual consistent performance with 31 assists and added three service aces.

Heiden was also named as the conference player of the week. The team produced a defensive effort that has proven to be a major asset for the team this year.

"The one thing that is really helping us is our defensive play, which is including our blocking," said head coach Julie Johnson.

The defensive leaders against UW-Eau Claire included Sabina Carroll with 11 digs, Raddatz with 8 and Hartl adding 7.

"(Stephens and Hartl) seem to compliment each other. When one is off the other picks up her game," head coach Julie Johnson

Raddatz also contributed 16 blocks.

Conference rival UW-Whitewater was nuct for Stevens Point. The Warhawks, a top 10 ranked team in the country, gave Stevens Point quite a difficult challenge.

After dropping their first two matches, both scores of 6-15, Stevens Point managed to take match three 13-9. But Whitewater bounced back in the fourth contest and won with a 8-15 score.

The UWSP women's soccer team has three conference games left to play including their match against Lake Forest "We didn't give it our best effort that day," said coach Sheila Miech.

"This was a much needed win for us, with postseason tournament bids coming up, we couldn't afford to lose this one," added Miech.

On Friday, Point challenged Wheaton, Illinois, battling them for victory with the outcome in the Lady Pointers' favor. Not a single point was even obtained by their opponents at the final score stood at 3-0.

"We came out flat the first few games, but we played much more aggressively the second half," said head coach Sheila Miech. "We dominated and really played to win."
able to better prepare themselves," said Marchant.

Becky Foster is the stage manager, Jeremy Doucette is the scenic designer, Sarah Barthel is the costume designer, Patrick Viall is the sound designer and Jodie Boldon is in charge of props.

Marchant has directed other productions at UWSP including "Burn This" and "Snow Leopards" which were performed at the Mission Coffee House. This time Marchant worked through the Players a student theatre organization who helped to put the whole performance together.

Marchant graduates in December and plans to continue to direct.

Performances will be held at 7:30 p.m. and tickets can either be bought at the door for $4 or reserved ahead of time.

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**TIGHT CORNER**

BY KEN GRUNDY AND MALCOM WILLET

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...and how would sir like his steak?

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When Jamie phoned his fiancée, the look in his eyes said a thousand words.

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"Well, what do you know — he's married!"

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JACKIE'S FRIDGE

I can't believe it. First I let people push me around now applying... Screeeech!

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By Pat "Squeeze Me" Rothfuss

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)
Concerned with budget cutbacks, you present a bill to student government proposing "open season" on all freshmen with academic scholarships and all faculty with salaries over $95,000.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)
You realize that your phone number spells, "the sniz." Hmmm, no it doesn't. Ahem... You are crushed to realize that your phone number does not spell, "the sniz."

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)
Mars entering the third house means not a damn thing. It's a lifeless hunk of rock hundreds of millions of miles away. You probably couldn't even point out where it is in the night sky you superstitious git. Bird guts, now that's how to read the future. Your lucky onomatopoeia for the week: fluppububit!

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)
Your hit single, "Love in a Barco Lounger," is less than a hit.

If your birthday is this week,
your friends all forgot your birthday and, in an ironic twist, accidentally epoxy gummi bears all over your car.

An Eclectic Fun Fact (tm)

Act Three, Scene Five:
(Divers Alarams)

Everyone dies.
(Ad lib.)

The End

In his later days, Shakespeare was often accused of taking the easy way out.
Reality

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the base’s limited supply of bombs.

“This one should do,” Commander Ellison replied, standing
next to a thousand pound bomb.

“You are sure?”

“Load it up.”

John watched the other two men disappear from view. “Okay,
they’re gone.”

John rolled over onto his
back, arms folded behind his
head. “What are we supposed
to do? I mean ... we just can’t go
waltzing up to that cabin and
make a citizens arrest ... does
anyone else know about this?”

“Maybe we should just wait
around and see what happens,”
Liz suggested.

“I think that’s about all we can
do ... of course ... we could try to
get a little closer.”

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Lizard

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property,” Semmerling stated.

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for airplay,” he added.

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