State Budget cuts alarm students

By Kevin Lahner

Governor Thompson passed into law a budget bill Saturday that has some questionable effects on the future affordability of the University of Wisconsin System and tosses pennies to vital programs for student success.

The Governor's vetoes removed a sunset clause for tuition flexibility, which would allow increased tuition rates and reduced funds for an academic advising initiative by 80%.

"Vetoing the sunset clause was the single most damaging thing the Governor could have done to hurt educational affordability in Wisconsin," said Jamie Kuhn, President of the United Council of UW Students.

Student leaders on this campus are also upset at the governor's decision.

"Great, I now have 16 rich people who have NO CLUE what it's like to be a starving college student, raising my tuition. Does this piss anyone else off?" said Colleen McCarthy, Student Government Association's Legislative Issues Director.

The governor also chose to veto $320,000 from a $400,000 advising initiative. This veto cuts the initial program that placed two pilot programs and six positions at two different campuses and leaves one program at one university with two positions.

"I was disappointed with the Governor's reduction in student advising. UW-System all along urged Governor Thompson to not exercise his veto authority on the student advising initiative," said UW-SP Chancellor Thomas George.

Although disappointed with the cuts in advising increases and UW Extension budget cuts, George believes that overall there was a positive outcome for UW-SP and the UW System.

"WHEG (Wisconsin Higher Education Grant) funding went up substantially, there were increased advising monies and much needed competitive pay raises for faculty and staff, and much needed technology monies help make this biennium a welcome change from recent past budgets," said George.

Contrary to the administration's overall satisfaction with the budget, many student leaders are feeling discouraged and left out of the democratic process.

In their budget campaign, SGA generated hundreds of phone calls to Governor Thompson and members of the legislature, urging the removal of tuition flexibility and increased monies for advising initiatives.

"I would like to know when Governor Tommy Thompson is going to make higher education a priority over correctional institutions," said Sarah Houfe, SGA President.

Housing list debated

By Kevin Lahner

The debate over the timing of the housing list continues as student leaders appeared to have hit a dead end at the Central Wisconsin Apartment Association (CWAA) meeting on Wednesday.

Attending to open a dialogue with CWAA proved to be difficult task for Student Government Association (SGA) President Sarah Houfe and Student Life Issues Director Nicole Evans.

President Houfe also stated CWAA president Rich Sommers, "provided no opportunity for the exchange of ideas and it didn't feel like the president wanted to hear what we had to say, because I was interrupted several times."

The Chancellor added however, Burling didn't hide the fact that further training was possible. "He was up front about that, and the students know that. It's nothing we ever hid."

Burling completed his training on July 16 and heads off to a ten week recruit school in January.
**THE POINTER POLL**

**Do you think freshman and sophomores should be required to live in the halls?**

![Damon McDuffy - CIS, Sophomore]

"I totally think that the people should be required to stay in the dorms for two years... sometimes you almost have to force people to try things to make them learn."

![Jerry Schneider - Senior, Psychology]

"Yes, because if I had to put up with two years of rat infested hell so should they."

![Lisa Hampton - Junior, Geology]

"Yes, because I don't want those young felines living next to me."

**UW-SP: Let the blood flow freely**

By Kurt Shemenauer

Dracula is drooling. Well, at least he would be if he got near the University Center Alumni Room.

Fresh warm blood is being provided by concerned students at the annual Red Cross Blood Drive that began Tuesday and runs through today.

The Annual Blood Drive held every year on the UW-Stevens Point campus has the goal to collect more than 155 pints of blood each day.

"The signs up to so far look consistent with last year, but it's hard to calculate total numbers this early because of walk-ins," said Travis Moser, Student Employment Supervisor.

This year, as with years past, groups donating the most time get a traveling trophy.

"I'm glad to part of something so positive to help people... and it's sure nice to see so many volunteers from so many groups on campus," said Jerry Linberge, a UC Administrator.

Summing up the general feeling of most donors at this year's blood drive, first time donor Dani Knaut said, "I just want to help somebody."

Students giving blood spend about 45 minutes to an hour, with the blood drawing lasting only 5 to 10 minutes.

Jessica Hussin lets the blood flow at the annual Blood Drive in the Alumni Room. (Photo by Carrie Reuter)

Alcohol Awareness week celebrated

The common perception that all college students do is drink is being combated next week, as the fifteenth annual National College Alcohol Awareness Week (NCAAW) commences. Students at UW-Stevens Point will join their with more than 3,000 of their peers in promoting personal responsibility and respect for the law when it comes to the consumption of alcoholic beverages.

This week gives the campuses the opportunity to showcase healthy lifestyles free from the abuse or illegal use of alcohol and to combat negative stereotypes of college drinking behavior.

"We need to do a better job of showing college students, particularly new students that their peers are not all abusing alcohol and making bad decisions," said Julie Zsido, assistant director of Student Development at UW-SP.

There are many signs of progress being made, according to a study done by the Office of Alcohol Education.

The finding, which may be surprising to some, indicate that most (78.2%) of UWSP students drink fewer than 5 drinks when they "party."

The study also indicates that most of UWSP students don't drink and drive, or ride with some-one who's been drinking and 75% of students have not passed out.

Alcohol awareness week is sponsored by the Office of Alcohol Education, HotSLOTS Peer Educators, Lifestyle Assistants, Residence Hall Association, BACCHUS, and Steiner, ProSim, May Roach, Haver, Smith, Knutzen, and Burroughs Halls.

This year's theme is "Solid Gold... Dance to a New Beat" and features several events, ranging from a demonstration on the effects of alcohol on the ability to drive a car, to "Open House Party," a real house house party in a safe environment.

Photos by Carrie Reuter and Nathan Wallin

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**See News Happening? Call The Pointer at 346-2249**
**Date rape drugs invading Wisconsin**

By Kevin Lahner  
Editor-in-Chief

Rohypnol and GHB, often called “roofies” are extremely strong sedative drugs that are slipped into individuals drinks as a prelude to rape.

Common effects of Rohypnol and GHB include drowsiness, lightheadedness, loss of motor coordination, and a loss of judgment. Victims are often unable to remember their assault clearly, if at all.

In a case reported in LaCrosse, the victim awoke naked in an abandoned apartment above a bar.

Women can take precautions to reduce the risk of substance related rape.

Never leave a drink unattended; do not take drinks from someone you do not know well.

**Does this drink contain Rohypnol?** (Photo by Carrie Reuter)

A bar attendant only drink from the bartender; at parties do not accept open container drinks from anyone; and alert of friends appearing disproportionately drunk in relation to the amount of alcohol they have consumed.

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If you also sing, prepare (2) one-minute musical selections.

**Singers:** Prepare (3) one-minute selections that display versatility. Provide sheet music in your key or track tape without vocals! Singers may be asked to dance.

**Actors:** Prepare a one-minute comedic monologue. If you also sing, prepare (2) one-minute musical selections.

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Homecoming's promotion is out there

Dear Editors:

In response to Carrie Reuter's editorial in The Pointer last week, I'd like to comment on the assumption that the university is inadequately promoting their events, namely last week's homecoming activities. Whether the events aren't promoted well or the students aren't taking the time to find out about them, it's a situation Carrie brought to our attention and we should all work with on a daily basis. As far as promotion goes, we have a multitude of avenues for promoting all events. The Daily, Beyond 3000, banners, sidewalk chalk, informational booths in the Concourse, The Centers calendar, posters, the various news programs and The Pointer forum on STV, newsletters, 90FM, The Pointer, table tents and word of mouth are some means of promotion.

Homecoming was promoted through several of these avenues and directed at all organizations on campus during re-recognition. Everyone had a possible place in the "homecoming jumbled mess of fun." Whether an organization or individuals decided to take part was entirely up to them. All residence halls were well aware of the events and wholeheartedly competed throughout the week with masses of participation in both the competitive and noncompetitive events. Our organizations such as the Greeks make it a point to take part every year as tradition. Carrie suggested that a party with a band or an open mic and a stocked beer garden would be a refreshing addition. The majority of concerts and occasional open mics do have beer gardens as well as other events including large screen Packer games and crab racing. The relaxing entertainment with beer outside the residence halls.

We cater to what the student body wants on campus. Team member involvement as well as sur­veys during shows allow us to find out what stu­dents want here at UWSP who feel that the rights of fellow residents are being violated.

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Steiner Hall Resident

Student questions grand marshal choice

Dear Editor:

This year’s choice for home­coming grand marshal should worry people concerned about higher education. Why was not the grand marshal a distinguished student member or a local supporter of the university? The choice of Dave Kallaway and WIFC to represent UW­Stevens Point.

Many residents, when filling out their housing information last fall, chose not to be in a smoking room for a variety of different reasons. Some students don’t want to be exposed to smoke, some don’t want a smoker for a roommate, and others are smokers who didn’t want their living quarters to smell like smoke.

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Smoking policy angers students

Editor's note: The following letter was sent accompanied by over 100 signatures of UW­Stevens Point students in agree­ment with the author.

Editor, The Pointer:

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Importance of religion and its salespeople called into question

By Nick Katzmarek
Co-EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Perhaps the most difficult arguments people can get into deal with religion. The siren song of having someone or something to depend on can lead people into making irrational decisions, both in terms of their health and how they treat other people.

One of the things hate most in the entire world is being told that I need to accept God into my life. Believe me, if I want to depend on God or any other "higher power," then that is a decision that I will make on my own.

People constantly find that it is their duty to their God to recruit people to pay the tithes that support their religion. The way that I choose to worship is my own business; no one else has any right to try to sway me, whether in terms of morals, or telling me that HE (or SHE) can help me in ways that I couldn't possibly imagine. If I prayed, then perhaps my prayer would go something like this:

"Please give me the strength to escape these problems in the first place."

Exactly what does that accomplish? Nothing. All I've done is the same thing I did as a kid when I would wish for the newest G.I. Joe toy. Granted, that's a simplification. People do draw solace from the very enticing prospect that there is a better place that we go when we die, or that they have someone that they can turn to in times of need.

I would call that a weakness. There is no reason for someone to need that kind of support. However, I want to make one thing clear. These are my opinions. Religion has done wonderful things for many, many people. It has also caused many, many people to kill thousands of people, all in the name of their deity (or perceived lack thereof).

It is, without doubt secularized and amoral, if you would believe the propaganda coming from some religious platforms. Other platforms would reinstitute the father as the indomitable head of the household. Others would not allow women to uncover their face in public.

And Hallmark and the other card companies know how much we all feel the need to be wanted, a son can never be equalled by a father asserting his will through God.

If a woman chooses to hide her face, so be it. But if she has a rifle pointed in her general vicinity while a soldier asks her to cover her face, then what decision has she made?

It is imperative that we be allowed to make our own decisions regarding spiritual beliefs. Door-to-door salespeople of religion cheapen the choice by glamorizing a particular choice. This is a deeply personal decision, one that should not and cannot be influenced by outsiders. I would only ask that if you are religious, ask yourself why. Is it because of where you went to school or what your parents told you? Examine that situation closely—your god must be your own.

What's so sweet about Sweetest's Day?
Another Hallmark holiday for consumer America

By Chris Keller
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

I was informed yesterday while watching ESPN's Sportscenter that Oct. 18 is Sweetest Day. When did the celebration of this so-called holiday begin? A better question is how did such a holiday begin?

In a brief history of the holiday I found on the Internet, Sweetest Day was started more than 60 years ago by a candy store owner who wanted to bring a sense of joy to shut-ins, orphans and the forgotten. In my opinion, this was a good cause. However, the current state of this holiday has changed a great deal. Sweetest Day in 1997 is just another holiday designed to boost the greeting card industry.

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Does America need another celebration of Valentine's Day, an already commercialized celebration?

As with Valentine's Day, the basic theory is if you receive gifts, you are wanted, and thus you feel good.

And Hallmark and the other card companies know how much we all feel the need to be wanted, thus a day to look at the under-recognized was turned into another way to symbolize, among other things, love.

It's sad that corporations can create a holiday and watch as so many people spend money to do something that should be an everyday occurrence.

Instead of spending money on that special person, why don't we all put a little time aside for that person, and show them a real sense of being wanted. A memory can go a longer way than a glorified letter ever could.

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Student finds a California dream job in Yosemite National Park

By Charlie Sensenbrenner
OUTDOORS EDITOR

Her blood mixed with the dust and sand of the mountain and streamed down her face. Yet she wasn't about to quit. If anything, the sight of it made her press harder and dig deeper into the Park in the Southern Sierra Mountains. Was stuck on a slope of King's Canyon National Park.

Stevens Point, was the first time she had enough credentials to qualify.

As a Botany major, last summer was an important. For her, it was even more important. For any lucky hunter, that familiar DNR envelope passed through the mail.

The chemistry of color

Photosynthesis: The process that green plants, algae and some bacteria use to capture light energy, and use it to convert carbon dioxide and water into simple sugars.

Pigments: Chemicals that are used to gather light in photosynthesis.

Chlorophyll: Green pigment in leaves that absorbs necessary light for photosynthesis.

Carotenoids: Accessory pigments that are responsible for the reds, yellows and oranges. Anthocyanins, which produce the bright reds and purples.

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The job was what she had expected and one she could envision doing for the rest of her life—search in a beautiful environment.

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The Sierra Mountains in California’s Yosemite National Park was home for last summer for UW-Stevens Point Botany student, Carmela Rios who worked as a Student Conservation Association (SCA) Resource Assistant.

The fall turkey hunt is one of the newest seasons that Wisconsin has to offer. One look at the number of applications available and it is pretty easy to see that it is also one of the state’s most popular hunts as well.

Due to its popularity, permits for the fall season can be almost as hard to obtain as season tickets for Lambeau field. That is, unless you’re willing to be flexible.

Zones 21, 22, and 23, which surround Stevens Point, offer some of the best success rates in the state, with 27% of hunters in that three-zone block taking birds. Now comes the catch.

Turkey season takes flight

By Joe Shead
OUTDOORS REPORTER

After nearly two months of waiting for the mail carrier every day, many people finally got what they were looking for. No, it wasn’t a large check from Ed McMahon.

It was something much more important. For some lucky hunters, that familiar DNR envelope contained a fall turkey hunting permit.

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A fall of few colors

By Bryon Thompson
OUTDOORS REPORTER

Unfavorable weather conditions have caused the drab fall colors this year.

"The best fall colors come from sunny days and cool nights in the fall," Dr. Virgil Thiesfeld, professor of Botany here at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point explained.

But, this fall we’ve had blustery winds and warm temperatures.

The winds have knocked down a lot of leaves and the warm weather, specifically the warm nights, have helped the leaves break down color-adding pigments.

Understanding the leaf's function will help you understand why the leaves change colors in the fall. The leaf’s function is to create needed sugars (food) in a process called photosynthesis.

In photosynthesis, the leaves combine carbon dioxide with water to create sugar and oxygen. The leaves get the energy to do this from the sun’s light. They trap and absorb the sunlight using pigments.

Each pigment has its own distinct color; the most dominant is the green-colored pigment chlorophyll. Chlorophyll absorbs all colors of the light’s spectrum except green. Also, the chlorophyll masks other pigments, called carotenoids. And, since it is the predominant pigment used in the summer, the leaves appear green during that time.

But, as daylight shortens in the fall, the tree begins to prepare for winter. The tree transports its sugars and other nutrients from the leaves into its roots.

The tree also stops production of chlorophyll, and the remaining chlorophyll breaks down. Carotenoids, which have been in the leaves all along, begin to show their yellows and oranges. Also, leftover sugars in the leaves create new pigments, called anthocyanins, which produce the vi­brant reds and purples.

"Sunny days help create sugar in the daytime, and this sugar can not be broken down with cool nights," Thiesfeld stated.

Our fall, though, has not been blessed with this weather. While we do not have the vi­brant rains this year, we can still enjoy nature’s color collage.

A "bad" fall in Wisconsin is still better than the "good" falls of most other states.

Student finds a California dream job in Yosemite National Park
Treestand safety belts worth more than a million bucks

By Mike Toub!
OUTDOORS REPORTER

Every year, unlucky hunters fall victim to a hunting accident. While the accidents we most often hear about involve someone getting shot, many hunters each year literally “fall” victim simply because they fail to use a safety belt. A safety belt is probably one of the cheapest pieces of equipment any hunter could have. Yet, many hunters refuse to go to the woods with one.

Since most hunting these days is done from a treestand, it’s easy to see why these accidents happen. I’m living proof. Two years ago I was perched in my portable stand, 18 feet above a trail intersection. The rut was on and I had already been in my stand for a few hours when I realized that I needed to relieve myself soon or my bladder would burst. I had plenty of daylight left, so I opted to get out of my stand and take care of business. As I stood up, I grabbed the limb next to me for support.

I had done this numerous times before as I left my stand, the majority of my weight was on the limb, when I felt it give way. Suddenly I found myself doing a nose-dive towards the earth. The dive was shortened quickly when an oak branch snatched me from my plummet.

The jolt of the impact hurt my back. I was hurt but not badly, and I was able to get back up onto my stand.

I calmed myself down and slowly descended the tree. The experience was enough excitement for one day.

Since my first year of hunting, ten years ago, I have always taken a safety belt to the woods with me. Partly for safety reasons, but also because I was never did like heights.

But I learned I would be more successful if I hunted in trees. So it wasn’t by chance that I was wearing a safety belt on that day, two years ago.

The old saying, “If I’ll never happen to me,” has run through many hunters’ lips, and for the most part, many do avoid falling out of trees each season.

But then again, I may have said it once or twice, too! My suggestion to every hunter out there who uses a treestand is to wear a safety belt. This piece of equipment is one thing you can’t afford to leave at home.

Working at the edge of a wilderness

By Lisa Rotha
OUTDOORS REPORTER

Imagine the haunting calls of loons and the light-hearted songs of white-throated sparrows replacing the annoying buzz of your alarm clock. As you take your first deep breath of the morning, your lungs fill with the magnificent, pure smell of spruce, pine, and cedar freshly blanketed in morning dew.

The first sight you lay your eyes upon is the sun gently teasing the lazy waves of a lake as the mist gradually dissipates. Your typical weekend camping? Wrong, try Katie Martin’s entire summer of living off mother nature’s bounties.

Martin is a junior this year with a double major in General Natural Resource Management and Public Administration. She spent the summer working at the Menominee YMCA camp, located on the border of the Boundary Waters, leading one to two week long canoeing and backpacking trips. Her groups averaged seven people, ranging from the ages of eleven to nineteen.

Working at the edge of a wilderness...care of teaching the basic survival skills one needs to brave the elements. Most important, portaging: the technique of carrying your supplies and canoe overland from one body of water to the next. Just as important, basic canoeing, cooking, and gear packing techniques, and how to hang a bear bag (a sack containing your food and toiletries).

Martin is just one of many environmentalists enamored by the pristine beauty of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness (BWCA). “My first impression of the Boundary Waters was beauty, tranquility, and a simple rustic aura,” replies a glossy eyed Mar­

ENVIRONMENT

Student response: I was not able to attend the [Al Gedicks] talk about the Crandon Mine. However, I want to say that I am opposed to building a mine in Crandon. I am part of an organization called Earth First (EF!), and we have made repeated attempts to stop the Crandon Mining Company (CMC).

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Cast into cold water muskies

By Matt "Bert" Ward
Outdoors Reporter

As the homogenization of our state's northern lakes occurs and the turnover process comes to an end, the water temperatures will stabilize in the lower 50's. This begins the cold-water period, which will continue until approximately the beginning of December when the water temperatures decline into the upper 30's and ice begins to form.

This is certainly a time of the year when you have to pay your dues to catch a trophy musky.

The freezing temperatures and strong northwest winds combine to make most days on the water long and miserable, so fishing is a necessity to the dedicated muskie fisherman.

While the water temperatures decline, so does the muskies' metabolism. Consequently, they feed less regularly due to the fact that it takes longer to digest their meals. They also tend to prefer larger winds, precipitation, and bone-prey at this time of year, which chilling nights.

Their prey generally consists of high protein species of fish such as cisco, whitefish, and bullheads. Ciscos begin to spawn when the temperatures drop to around 40, and whitefish start around 43 degrees. These are two primary forage species of muskies, and concentrating your fishing efforts on their spawning locations is a must when looking for that trophy of a lifetime.

Most species of pan-fish also move deeper, following different species of minnows and the zooplankton, which evacuate the shallows due to the severe temperature fluctuations caused by strong winds, precipitation, and bone-chilling nights.

The key locations at which your time should be spent are long points, drop-offs, and deep flats, which are in close proximity to the deepest regions of the lake.

Green vegetation that is still present at this time of year can also be frequented by muskies; however, these fish tend to be smaller.

When choosing your tackle selection for the cold water period, the key is SLOW-moving lures with good natural action.

The Bagley DB08, Depth Raider, and 9" Grandma are your best selections. Dragging suckers isn't a bad dinner selection. Dragging suckers isn't a bad dinner selection.

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News and Notes

National

E.P.A calls for steep state emission cuts

The Environmental Protection Agency will ask 22 states to cut smog-emissions in the first step of a plan to reduce air pollution that travels across regions. Coal plants are the primary target in the plan which should take effect a year from now and would require pollution controls to be in place by 2002.

Five states have been targeted for 40 percent or more cuts. Wisconsin is among 17 states targeted for cuts between 19 and 44 percent. The District of Columbia is slated for a 9 percent cut.

State

500 gather to support mine

A crowd of over 500 workers, union members, and private individuals gathered at the Wisconsin State Fair Park on Tuesday, Oct. 14 to show support for the Crandon Mine operation and opposition to SB3, the mining moratorium bill currently waiting for vote in the State Assembly.

Milwaukee area business leaders showed their opposition to SB3 with a news conference before the demonstration.

EPA settles with Pepsi for violations in Milwaukee

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency signed an agreement with Pepsi-Cola General Bottlers, Inc. which includes a $22,356 fine for reporting violations of hazardous materials at a warehouse and distribution factory in Milwaukee.

N-forms for carbon dioxide, diesel fuel, and leaded gasoline storage were not completed according to regulation.

Campus

Award winning ecological author to speak

Michael Cudato, author of the award winning "Keepers of the Earth" series and winner of the 1992 regional award for excellence in environmental education, will present "Ecological Education: Teaching Environmental Awareness and Stewardship through World Stories and Earth Activities" on Monday Oct. 20 at 7 p.m. in CNR 170.

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Sat - October, 18 - "Sweetest Day"

"Wayfarn' Strangers"

(9:30 p.m.)

Their last appearance in the Stevens Point area. Mixed with original and cover songs. Accustical Rock 'n' Blues

And don't forget:
Every Tuesday, 50¢ Muggers
A great weekend through the eye of a camera: Homecoming '97
photos by Carrie Reuter and Nathan T. Wallin

Another exciting play as Bill Ott goes deep against the UW- Eau Claire Blugolds.

The talent show gives students a chance to show off their assets.

A common sight at the Cotillion Ball (lower right). At left, Stevie and Steffie Pointer anxiously await the outcome of the "Yell Like Hell" celebration, which pits teams against each other in a screaming contest.

The annual Homecoming parade showcases the abilities and zaniness of UWSP students.

The fun of Homecoming, shown here as the women's rugby team plays in their prom dresses (above), is complemented by serious events as distinguished alumni return to Stevens Point to see both great change and great similarity (right).
The tale of a king and queen
The road to becoming homecoming royalty

By Jason R. Rakens

He claims he knew they were shoo-ins for king and queen of this year’s homecoming all along. She, on the other hand, was seriously in shock that they had made it onto the five-couple court. She never thought they had a chance for the highest of homecoming honors.

Their nervousness and anticipation was more than evident as they stood before the crowd at the “Yell Like Hell” competition with the other four couples elected to court. She leapt into his arms as they heard Gimler, president of Hyer Delforge.

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Restaurant review:
Applebee’s Neighborhood Grill & Bar

By Michelle Ristau

If you ever find yourself wandering around Stevens Point looking for a place to eat, you might want to try Applebee’s Neighborhood Grill & Bar. I have been faced with this dilemma several times and Applebee’s has been my choice. However, my last experience with the restaurant left me wondering about my past preferences.

I have entered Applebee’s as a customer many times, but never as a critic. I found the atmosphere casual and upbeat as usual. Though, as I was seated, I realized that customers have no privacy in the restaurant. The table I ate at was directly across from the bar, surrounded by other tables. I always thought this area was for the customers who came to drink and order appetizers. In fact, the server was not sure if I was there to order appetizers or entrees.

I ordered my drink, a Mud Slide, and a glass of water. The drink came fairly quickly, but my water wasn’t served until I began eating my main entree. The Mud Slide was blended to perfection. I felt as though I was drinking an old-fashioned milk shake.

Applebee’s appetizer menu offered a variety of dishes to satisfy anyone’s pre-dinner palette. It was a hard choice but I settled on the onion peels and was pleasantly surprised by the horseradish mustard blend that accompanied the delectable dish.

Regarding recent discrimination allegations against K-Mart, would you support a boycott of the company if one was organized?

In regard to this issue, the UW-Stevens Point administration has been in regular contact with the students and I have met with Student Government Association. We are trying to look at this as an opportunity to address the broad issue of businesses throughout Portage County and their proper treatment of all student customers. Rather than creating a confrontational setting, we hope that the K-Mart incident can stimulate organized dialogue between businesses and the university to ensure the best possible environment for students (and also faculty and staff).

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Lonely Child, whose members are Trevor Reichman (lead singer and rhythm guitar), Jonas Lorenze (lead guitar), Adam Berry (bass guitar), and Jason Potts (drums), is around the area for a couple of months to test the Central Wisconsin bar scene. The band’s unity was evident through their performance.

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Lonely Child has been playing together for five or six years and none of them have ever taken music lessons. While playing at bars such as Partners Pub and Rene’s Red Slides, the band has used various musical instruments.

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**UW-SP audience swept off their feet**  
"Dancing at Lughnasa" explores Irish culture  

By Erin Schneider  
FEATURE REPORTER

Envision a tale with a quaint country cottage tucked away in a sea of pampas grass mixed with the sun rising to the music of a melancholy Celtic tune. Now picture five carefree sisters dancing and singing to their new wireless. If this stirs memories then perhaps the spirit of Lughnasa hures you as well.

"Dancing at Lughnasa," directed by Arthur Hopper, took to the mainstage at UW-Stevens Point October 3-5 and 9-11. The Tony-Award winning drama/comedy by Irish playwright Brian Friel takes place during the Autumn of 1936 spanning the Festival of Lughnasa.

The festival is a yearly ritual of music and dancing held in August to honor the pagan harvest God Lugh. The play is told from the perspective of a young boy, Michael Mundy (played by Justin Winterhalter), who is the child of one of five sisters seeking out their lives outside a small Irish village.

As the celebration takes place, these traditional Roman Catholic women experience conflict from the lure of the country’s pagan past.

Michael recollects the return of Father Jack, a missionary to lepers in Africa who was discharged in disgrace of the church and the visits of his charming yet philandering father, Gerty.

Pent-up emotions are stirred up amongst the sisters. Such rituals and animal impulses were in conflict with the morals and conventions of society and Christianity, which eventually leads to the breakup of the family.

The eldest sister, Kate, with her strict conventional ways along with Maggie’s attempts at humor try desperately to keep the family together and unchanged. Unfortunately, after Rose and Agnes ran away to chase their own dreams, such attempts were in vain.

Despite such struggles and the demise of his family, Michael’s narration was neither unhappy nor resentful. The past, contrary to the family’s tragic facts is enchanting and light-hearted.

Such conflicts depict the social and cultural circumstances of Ireland during the 1930’s that frequent Friel’s plays.

According to Hopper, Lughnasa is “universal in theme, while at the same time directs political and social issues of Ireland.”

Such “struggles of Ireland” have given Friel international acclaim and established him as Ireland’s “leading contemporary playwright.”

With only three and a half hours of rehearsal they “were a SEE LUGHNASA ON PAGE 15
Battle of the sexes: Living together before marriage

By Jason R. Renkens
Assistant Features Editor

I’ll be the first to admit that I am nowhere close to being an expert when it comes to dealing with the opposite sex. However, I do feel that while I am not one of the key players in the situation, I am able to offer at least a couple words to the wise.

The question of whether a couple should or should not live together before marriage is a topic that has been floating around our beloved Pointer office.

I have taken the stance that a couple not only should live together before marriage, but must. Say a couple meets at a quaint little college in the Midwest like our very own UW-Stevens Point and they hit it off. Before you know it, they’re going home to meet their family and relatives and then plan a beautiful wedding with all the friends and family.

Our cute little couple from Stevens Point gets married, has 2.3 children, and lives happily ever after.

By Tara Zawlocki
Features Editor

What do you do when you are faced with the question: should I live with my boyfriend or girlfriend before we are married? The answer to this should be absolutely not.

I am the first to say that I used to think it was okay. But that was back in the day when I thought it was fine to spend all of my free time with my boyfriend. I used to think, “hey, I love my boyfriend and we get along great so why not live together, especially if I know we are going to be together forever.”

What’s the problem with living together before marriage? I suppose I could ramble off some outrageous statistics about how people who live together before they are married have a higher divorce rate, but at this point I think most people have heard it.

We all know it, they’re going home to meet the in-laws. Perhaps they are not all that traditional but their parents are, so living together before marriage is out of the question. They plan a beautiful wedding with all the friends and relatives and catch a plane to a romantic getaway in Hawaii.

One of two futures lies ahead for the couple. By living together before that beautiful wedding that her father will probably still spring for, they will be able to avoid that most horrible ending that I wrote of before.

The couple could find out after an extremely long three months that maybe it just isn’t meant to be and they should try to be “just friends.”

The ideal situation would be that our couple works through it all while their relationship is their only priority. Marriage is still a dream away. Instead of the two being torn apart and divorcing, their problems actually bring them together and make them stronger.

Our cute little couple from Stevens Point gets married, has 2.3 children, and lives happily ever after.

You shouldn’t have to live together to figure out if you want to participate in the give and take aspect of marriage. It’s ridiculous.

What about the idea of having time for yourself before you are with your significant other for life? When you live with someone you become part of who they are. Are you really ready for that? I think you expect the other person to be there all the time when you are living with them.

I know one couple who lives together and on the outside everything seems great, but when I visit I notice the needless bickering over who is going to make supper, pay the bills, what television station to watch and who is going to take the garbage out.

I am really lucky that I don’t have to deal with that. I want to be independent before marriage and I think that is the perfect time to do things that you want to do. Who needs their significant other constantly asking them, “when are you going to be home?”

If you wait until you are married before you live together, you’ll have so much more to talk about.

Just think of all the things you could tell them about your life before you were married to them. If you decide to live with your boyfriend or girlfriend, do it for the right reasons.
Review  
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For my main entree I gambled on the chicken fajita roll-up. I became hungrier when the plate came to the table, but was unable to dive in without a fork, which was missing from my table.
I am usually not very fond of the pico de gallo sauce that filled the fajita, but I found the dish to be seasoned well, so I wasn’t faced with a mouth full of cilantro that usually accompanies pico de gallo.

The server was pleasant throughout the evening. He offered suggestions on drinks and entrees. Although my experience became hungrier when the plate was missing from my table. The server was pleasant.

When my friend asked for the rest of her meal to go, the server returned with a box that she was presumably to fill herself.
In the past Applebee’s has always been a place for fun and a good meal.
However, my last experience made me realize that while the food is good, you may have to wait for a glass of water, a clean table, and eating utensils.
You be the critic: stop in at Applebee’s and sample the good for yourself.

Child  
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Lonely Child brings to you a sound that is conducive to the bar listening music and is well worth the time to go out and hear them if you get the chance.
They play to the crowd and leave the audience with a charming song that thanks you for coming to the show.
The band enjoys playing around the area and will head back to Texas just before the snow starts to fly.
Hopefully their careers will keep on flying with many great songs to come.

Turkeys  
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If a bird is harvested between Nov. 3 and Nov. 9, it should be slit on the carcass tag.
Picking the right target will also be easier for hunters because unlike the spring season, when only bearded birds are legal, any turkey is fair game in the fall.
Hunters can expect a good season this year as turkeys are increasing both their population and range at an amazing rate.
However, turkeys don’t increase their populations by being dumb. Hunter success rates are generally around 20% so don’t be surprised if the hunter frequently becomes the turkey.

Marshall  
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I hope that the choice of WFC can represent the university does not indicate the end of enlightened thinking. Sadly I feel it is just another case of money increasing this university’s sensitivity to pleasing and entertaining people, rather than teaching them.
The university should strive to promote diversity, knowledge, learning and social awareness. It is the university’s responsibility to reward those who choose to support and uphold education. The honor of a grand marshal should only be bestowed on people who share the values this university attempts to instill and defend.

John Brown  
UW-SP student

Lughnasa  
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joy to work with, took their work very seriously, and accomplished a great deal in a short amount of time,” commented Hopper.
The cast of three juveniles and five sophomores included Kara Ernst as Kate; Clare Arena as Maggie; Heather Corallo as Agnes; Jocelyn Shucha as Chris; Betty Skowbo as Rose; Ross Gordon as Father Jack; and Aaron Foelske as Gerry.
“Dancing at Lughnasa” exhibited a high quality of work from all people involved.
This drama/comedy displayed some of Stevens Point’s finest talents.
Look for future reviews on the “Secret Garden” in November.

John Brown  
UW-SP student

Royalty  
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Hyer Hall’s Beach Boy float placed third in the float competition.
The homecoming court was honored during half-time of the homecoming game against Eau Claire.
The official crowning of the king and queen took place at the Cotillion Ball on Saturday night in the Encore.
“i sent my crown home with my parents,” said Calkins-Delforge, “but I think Tommy sleeps with his.”
The homecoming week winners were announced at the Cotillion Ball as well.
Hyer Hall placed first among all organizations that participated.

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SPORTS

Smith walks away a winner

By Nick Brilowski
Guest Columnist

Last Thursday marked the end of an era in college basketball. After 36 years at the helm of the University of North Carolina's men's team, Dean Smith decided to call it quits.

Smith walks away from the game as the winningest coach in the history of the game with 879 wins, three more than Adolph Rupp.

The list of Smith's accomplishments are seemingly without end:
- A .776 winning percentage
- Twenty-seven consecutive years with 20 or more wins
- Eleven trips to the Final Four
- Twenty-three straight appearances in the NCAA Tournament, a record
- Two national titles, in 1982 and 1993
- Seventeen Atlantic Coast Conference titles
- Thirteen straight trips to the Sweet Sixteen, a record
- Forty-seven players to the pros

Perhaps Dean Smith's most important statistic has nothing to do with basketball. In his career, Smith's players have a graduation rate of 97.3 percent.

Smith's contributions to the game of basketball include his influence on four corners of the offense, and the huddle at the foul line before free throws.

His retirement came just nine days before teams are allowed to begin practicing for the 1997-98 season. At the age of 66, Smith felt he would no longer be able to give his team the enthusiasm that he felt they deserved.

The list of former Smith players that have joined the coaching ranks includes Roy Williams of Kansas, Eddie Fogler of South Carolina, Larry Brown of the Philadelphia 76ers, Billy Cunningham, the former coach of the 76ers, and George Karl of the Seattle SuperSonics, just to name a few.

Smith's unselfishness is apparent in his actions in numerous situations. He went out of his way to integrate segregated restaurants in the 1950's. He made Charlie Scott the first black player in the ACC in the late '60's, while speaking out against the Vietnam War. The million dollars he could have kept from the program's Nike contract was passed on to the entire athletic department.

He has left the cupboard far from bare in Chapel Hill, though. Bill Guthridge, Smith's assistant for 30 years, takes over a team that matched up against the team's veterans.

As quickly as the Pointers got into the game, the visitors found an answer. Wide receiver Steve Cruthley turned the tables with a four yard scamper giving Point a 1-0 lead.

The victory improves Point to 2-0 on the season and 3-0 in the conference.

Men's soccer club one win away from regionals

By Krista Torgeson
Sports Reporter

The Point men's soccer club brought itself one step closer to regionals with a commanding victory over Lakeland College.

Stevens Point controlled every aspect of the Homecoming weekend game, a crushing 5-1 win.

With a 1-4-5 shots on goal advantage, the Pointers' offense looked in sync.

Point keeper Dave Zuckerman snagged four of his five saves in the first half, letting only one of Lakeland's attempts through in the first half.

Potratz scored off a direct kick, his second goal of the game, to add to the Pointers' lead. Jason Dunck found the back of the net on a penalty kick for the fifth and final goal of the game.

The victory improves Point to 3-2-2.

UW-SP faces a tough test in regionals against UW-Eau Claire.

Prom dresses left in shreds

By Jessica Burda
Sports Reporter

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The duo of Matt Hayes and John Auel, the two who did compete, paced the Pointers to a third place finish.

"I just gave the varsity guys an opportunity to train hard this week," UW-SP coach Rick Witt said. "Hayes was the first Pointer to cross the finish line, placing fifth in 26:09. Axel was 11 seconds behind, finishing 10th in 26:20."

Rounding out the top five for UW-SP were Justin Ratke (3rd in 27:00), Nathan Krziklin (26th in 27:06), and Eric Meeker (28th in 27:09).

"Just about everybody ran their best times of the year," Witt said.

"There were guys who took a major step forward. We knew we would have a tough time beating the top two teams."

East Bowl
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The match is a standard game with the veteran/alumni players, just to name a few.

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Top runners rested for big showdown

By Mike Kemmeter
Sports Editor

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Pointer Profile
Konop emotional leader of "Angry Dog" defense
By Mike Kemmeter
Sports Editor
In UW-Stevens Point's last two games against UW-Whitewater and UW-Eau Claire, the defense has responded with its back to the end zone. Much of the unit's success in goal line situations can be attributed to senior defensive lineman Shane Konop.

Konop, the 6-2, 265 pound Stevens Point native, is the emotional leader of the defense, which entered last weekend's game tops in the nation in scoring defense.

"He's one of the most vocal leaders I've had here at Stevens Point," UW-SP head coach John Miech said.

Tennis crushes Lawrence, falls to UW-L
By Mike Finnel
Sports Reporter
The UW-Stevens Point women's tennis team split a pair of dual meets this week against Lawrence and conference undefeated UW-La Crosse.

Wednesday, the Pointers nearly swept the visiting Lawrence, winning the dual 8-1.

"We had to play hard to win," UW-SP coach Nancy Page said.

"The scores look like the meet was a pushover, but we really had to work hard."

UW-SP started the meet by sweeping all three doubles matches, two of them going three sets.

The #1 team of Laura Petzold and Amy Oswald opened things up with a 6-2, 6-7 (5-7), 6-1 victory.

The UW-SP hockey team faced each other Saturday in the annual Purple/Gold game. Watch for the team's season preview in next week's issue of The Pointer. (Photo by Nathan T. Wallin)

Lacing up the skates for another season

Soccer keeps WIAC lead
By Chris Keller
Co-Editor-in-Chief
In their bid to remain unbeaten in WIAC play, the UW-Stevens Point women's soccer team faced UW-Eau Claire last Thursday and came away with a 4-0 victory.

Playing on their home field, UW-SP outshot the Bluegolds 16-10, including a nine shot advantage in the second half.

Hope Weide! scored just under 13 minutes into the contest on an assist by Jennifer Davis.

One minute later, Jessica Wicksberg set up another goal for Weide!

In the second half, Point netted two more goals as Heather Kalscheur and Molly Eisenberg added insurance for UW-SP's victory.

The Pointers hold a 6-0 record in WIAC play and positioned themselves for the number one seed in the WIAC tournament.

The Pointers face three more conference opponents before the WIAC tournament, hosting UW-Superior Sunday at 12 p.m. and then travels to UW-Whitewater Wednesday.

Dropout of the Week
"Gary Miller could hit home plate from here."
-A sign belonging to a fan sitting in the upper deck of Jacobs Field in Cleveland at an ALCS contest between the Indians and Baltimore Orioles. Miller, an ESPN analyst was arrested Saturday night for allegedly urinating from a second story nightclub window, hitting off-duty police officers.

The Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel
**The Week Ahead...**

**UW-Stevens Point Athletics**

Men's and Women's Cross Country: At UW-La Crosse Invitational, Saturday

Football: At UW-Oshkosh, Saturday

Women's Soccer: UW-Superior, Sunday 12 p.m.; At UW-Whitewater, Tuesday 7 p.m.; At UW-Platteville, Saturday 12 p.m.; At UW-Whitewater, Wednesday

Women's Volleyball: UW-Eau Claire, Tuesday 7 p.m.; UW-Superior, Saturday 12 p.m.; At UW-Platteville, Wednesday

**Team Standings**

1. UW-Oshkosh
2. UW-Parkside
3. UW-SP
4. UW-Platteville
5. UW-Whitewater

**Results and Schedule**

**September 26**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 3, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 14, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 0

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 0, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 0

**October 3**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 4

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 3, University of Wisconsin-Stout 0

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**October 10**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 3, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 2

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 21, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 1

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**October 17**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**October 24**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**October 31**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**November 7**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**November 14**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**November 21**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2

**November 28**

UW-SP at UW-Stout: Wisconsin 0, University of Wisconsin-Stout 1

UW-EC at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire 0, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-La Crosse at UW-River Falls: University of Wisconsin-La Crosse 2, University of Wisconsin-River Falls 0

UW-Whitewater at UW-Stout: University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2, University of Wisconsin-Stout 2

UW-SP at UW-Whitewater: University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point 2, University of Wisconsin-Whitewater 2
Football

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Eau Claire cut into the Pointer lead just over six minutes later when Blugold quarterback Sean Hoolihan was under pressure and lofted a Doug Fistie-like heave toward the end zone.

Two Point defensive backs looked to have a beat on the prayer, but tipped the ball into the waiting hands of Crutchley for his second score of the first half.

It looked as though the Pointers would head into the locker room at halftime leading 20-13, or even tied, when the play of the game occurred.

On first and 10 from the Pointer 31 yard line, Ben Buss intercepted a Ryan Aulenbacher pass, giving Eau Claire the ball back in great field position.

On the play though, UW-EC drew a roughing the passer penalty when Aulenbacher was hit late and ridden out of bounds, negating the interception.

Just five plays later, Aulenbacher found Andy Martin for a 33 yard pass to give the Pointers a 27-13 lead.

Fred Galecke’s ensuing kickoff hung in the air because of a stiff wind, and the Pointers rushed down the field and recovered the live pass to give the Pointers a 27-13 lead.

The Pointer women’s team also came away with a third place finish at Lake Pacawa Saturday.

UW-Oshkosh took first place with 27 points, while UW-Parkside’s 54 put them in the runner-up spot.

The Pointer women’s team also travelled to Eau Claire this weekend when backup QB Josh Welsh hit Daron Cornell from 12 yards out.

On the defensive side, the Pointers recorded a remarkable 20 tackles in the game when backup QB Josh Welsh hit Daron Cornell from 12 yards out.

"This win was important to us because it allowed our offense to get their confidence back," Miech said. "We changed a few things in our blocking scheme. We were doing more down blocking because Eau Claire was pinching, so that allowed us to run outside more."

Back in business at the Eau Claire 23 yard line with 1:25 left, UW-SP had the chance to tack on another score before time expired.

And Aulenbacher did just that, hitting receiver Bill Ott on a cross route for an 11-yard TD, putting Point ahead 34-13 and totally deflating the Blugolds.

"We’ll find out if we’re a contender or a pretender," Witt said.

"We want to go down there and run real well, but I’m more concerned with how well we run than what kind of place we get."

Aguire picked off two passes.

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CREDITS: Art History or Design, for three transferable UW-SP undergraduate credits. IA 391/591 Seminar in Architecture, Art and Design or Art 397 (GDR HUI). Graduate credit can also be arranged at an extra cost.

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"And you thought you were having a bad hair day."

"You've got all the qualities a couple of superficial guys like us need."

"What's it mean when a girl breaks up with her boyfriend and then invites you over for dinner?"

"It means you're gonna have a more exciting weekend than I am."

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**Tonja Steele**

**By Joey Hetzel**

Do you have to leave?

I have to do this, julie. It's the only way.

I'll miss you so much...

I'll miss you, too.

Do they have to do this every time he goes to the grocery store?

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**The Corner of Barney Street**

From Superior, Wisconsin

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Steps are lighter on this pitted and pebbled kid-worn path that probably tastes of soap bubbles, dog fur, and chalky red dirt. My body, all belly, is warm with victory and is settled against the western wind coming straight from Bemidji, collecting clouds from the big lake sky, stretched into a taut blue band behind me.

"OK, I'm working up to it, all right?"

"Just a couple of alterations."

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**The Crossword**

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**Tight Corner**

**By Grundy & Willett**

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**Doctor Fun**

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**THE Crossword**

*DOCTOR FUN*
Hollywood scene not good for brain

By Nick Katzmarek
Co-EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Allow me to digress from the traditional material that usually goes here. I'd like, if I may, to rant first word that comes into your mind and rave for a while about the traditional material that usually member this summer? What's the traditional material that came out that had so very little

The Year: 1997, The Place: Nimes, France. It's the summer of 1997, and the Concorde has gone down. The American Press is busy writing about the disaster... but, for a certain American star, David Allard, it's an even more desperate situation.

The lady Concorde was a dream, but I paid for it with my health. And now, my lovely wife, who was to live forever, is dead. And now, my lovely wife, who was to live forever, is dead.

Do not think... DO NOT THINK... Do not think about that, he thought. I'm not going to think about that.

Next Week: Find out who ends up with who in Medieval Love Triangles—Part Two
countless indescribable memories. Her favorite memory is a night spent in the canoe under the stars, “the night was still, quiet, and the stars were so bright.”

Katie wholeheartedly supports the no nonsense approach of park administrators concerning the “Leave No Trace” policy approach to preserve the beauty of her canoe country, but she’s having a difficult time with Representative Rod Grams (R-MN) and Senator James Oberstar’s (D-MN) motives.

The Grams/Oberstar bill proposes to open three closed portages to truck and jeep traffic to a “Alleviate the stress of portaging and to provide easier access for hauling boats from lake to lake.

With an entire summer spent in the Boundary Waters, Katie feels “it would be detrimental to the BWCAW and our country’s definition and value of the word wilderness [if we open the portages to motorized vehicles]. My campers were more relaxed in the wild. When they were exposed to society’s interruptions their attitudes completely changed for the worse.”

Representative Rod Grams argues that more open portages leads to more people being able to experience the wilderness such as the elderly, disabled individuals, and families with children, that would otherwise have had a difficult time portaging their supplies.

“That’s a blatant cop out. It does take time and dedication to portage, but my 11 and 12 year old campers were able to do it. The BWCAW is a challenge, but organizations like the Wilderness Inquiry and the YMCA provide wilderness experiences for the disabled and the elderly.”

Whether you are an environmentalist or an outdoor enthusiast, the Boundary Waters offers peace and escape from everyday stresses.

Katie recalls a nightly ritual that exemplifies the simplicity the Boundary Waters has to offer, “Back in the city people end their day by watching the news. We ended our day by watching the sunset.”

Yosemite

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need to be controlled to protect the people,” said Rios.

Her home for the summer was a pop-up tent camper in a ranger camp with 80 other park employees, most of which became close friends. “I got to know some of the best people I have ever met in my life,” said Rios.

But one group of neighbors wasn’t as well liked. Black bears raided their camp every week making a mess and stealing their food.

“One night I heard a noise at about 4 a.m. and woke to see what it was,” said Rios. She motioned a distance of about two feet between her hands and said, “A bear was staring at me face to face from about this far away and started to snort at me and pop its teeth.”

She threw herself back inside her bag, started to yell and eventually the bear left, but morning was a long time coming.

Most mornings came quickly. She had to wake up at about 7 a.m. every day for work and almost always got up early on her days off to go backpacking, climbing, or fishing. They were already on the slopes by 8 a.m. the day they went to King’s Canyon National Park.

She had been climbing for hours when she ended up in the patch of gravel. Yet somehow she held on for over half an hour until her climbing companions pulled her out of it with a rope.

“That trip was the worst and the best experience of my entire summer. The thrill of making it out alive was the biggest rush of my life.”

It hard to leave at the end of the summer, but she did know she would be back next year. Her home for the summer was Yosemite National Park.

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