Seiler wins state award

By Matt Mutz
NEWS REPORTER

Jan Seiler, Chair of the Foreign Languages Department, Professor of Foreign Literature Coordinator, was one of two recipients of the Wisconsin 1997 Teacher Educators of the year award. Seiler, who has been with UW-SP for 28 years, was recognized by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction at the Association of School Boards Convention in Milwaukee, which was held January 21-23.

Seiler received her B.A. at the University of Texas at Austin and her Ph.D. from UW-Madison. In addition to her work at UW-SP, Seiler also works with the Institute for German Teachers and serves on numerous Wisconsin State Department of Instruction Committees.

Seiler was deeply honored to receive the award, but feels that it is a hard award to live up to. "It brings a certain pressure to continue," said Seiler.

Other awards that Seiler has received include the Academy of Letters and Sciences Faculty Award and UW-SP's Excellence in Teaching Award.

Students say 'No Mine'

By Kevin Lahner
NEWS EDITOR

Eight UW-SP students, many with ties to the Wisconsin River Greens, Progressive Action Organization, and Protect our Wisconsin River, joined approximately 60 students from across the UW System to participate in the protest in the Capitol.

"What we did on Monday was one small part of the grassroots effort," said Amy Mondloch, one of the protest organizers.

The protests culminated an effort by many student activists who support a strong so-called Mining Moratorium bill, which would not allow sulfide mining in the state unless it was proven a similar mine had operated for ten years without causing pollution.

"We were expressing dissatisfaction with the State Assembly for taking the teeth out of the Mining Moratorium Bill with their amendments," said Jeff Puerner, another activist.

Student appeared to have won their fight to this point, following the passage of the controversial bill today.

"I am right now totally inspired by the people of Wisconsin," Mondloch said.

After much heated debate in both houses, the bill has been passed on to the governor who is expected to sign it.

Women's Resource Center holds open house

By Kevin Lahner
NEWS EDITOR

In an effort to raise awareness of its resources and opportunities, the Women's Resource Center (WRC) opened its doors to the campus and community Wednesday for its biannual open house.

"We have the open house to offer tours, door prizes and other things to get people to learn what the Women's Resource Center is all about," said WRC Coordinating Director Joey Robison.

The open house attracted a wide variety of students who wished to learn more about what the WRC had to offer.

"I think it's important to know the resources available here and to support these organizations that educate the campus on these kinds of issues," said Steiner Hall Director Matt Young, a first time visitor.

Despite common perceptions, Robison stresses the center is open to all students, not just women.

"We encourage men to come up here because gender issues affect everyone," Robison said.

The three paid positions, and a volunteer core working at the WRC attempt to accomplish three primary goals. One, to update and expand their library which currently holds over 600 books on gender issues and are available to the campus community. Two, to act as a referral service on a variety of gender issues. And three, do gender issues programming in the campus and community.

According to Rachel Foster, WRC Communications Director this semester's open house was highly publicized with invitations being sent to the chancellor, WRC donors, and organizations affiliated with their referral service. They also utilized the Message of the Day for the first time.

Events for the future include movie nights in honor of Black History Month, outreach programs during Women's History Month in March and a Women's Leadership Conference at UW-Marquette County.

The Women's Resource Center is looking for any volunteers that may be interested in helping with a variety of programming and meets Monday nights at 7 p.m. on the third floor of Nelson Hall.

Students hang out in the Women's Resource Center during their bi-annual open house Wednesday. (Photo by Carrie Reuter)
THE POINTER POLL

What is your favorite winter pastime?

- Scott Woyak, Biology, Senior
  - "Ice Fish."

- John Herzog, Forensic, Sophomore
  - "Sledding!"

- Trina Bartel, English, Junior
  - "Sitting in front of a fire."

- Susanna Trcka, Junior, Graphic Design

LEAD dinner a diverse experience

By Kevin Lahner
NEWS EDITOR

Stomachs were full and minds were enriched at the Students Organized and United to Revitalize the Campus Environment (S.O.U.R.C.E.) LEAD dinner Wednesday night.

"LEADs in general give students information to make them better student leaders," said Jeff Buhrandt, S.O.U.R.C.E., Director.

"We wanted to learn more about diversity and learn more about the issues," said Gina Neekvatal, one of the over 120 participants.

"I really wanted to learn more about the real issues here...like alien abductions in the Bermuda Triangle," said Doug Rogers, a member of the Sigma Tau fraternity.

According to Buhrandt, most of the students appeared to leave with a good message to bring back to their organizations.

"LEAD dinners are open to all students for a $3.00 charge."

THE DAYS AHEAD...

Thursday, February 5th: Multicultural Affairs presents a guest lecture by Dr. William Green of the Department of Webster University, Webster, Mo. He will present "Religion and the Blues: African American Music as Shamanic Conjuration" at 4 p.m. in the Anderson Room of the University Center.

Friday, February 6th: On Friday at 4 p.m. at Michele’s Restaurant, Sociology professor Bob Wolensky will speak on "The Knox Mine Disaster: Business, Labor, and the Decline of America’s Coal Industry."

Tuesday, February 10th: Attorney General James Doyle is scheduled to speak in the University Center Laird room at 7:00 p.m. The presentation is designed to clarify Wisconsin’s lawsuit against the tobacco industry.

Monday, February 16th: The Counseling Center presents "Improving Your Intimate Relationship" at 4 p.m. in the Counseling Center.

Saturday, March 28th: Graduate Exams will be held from 8:30 until 12:30 p.m. in room 116 of the College of Professional Studies. The registration deadline is February 27th.

Protective Services’ Tip of the Week

Don’t be an easy target! When walking to your car, hold your keys in your fist with the keys sticking out between your fingers. Before getting into your car, walk around it and look for any obvious problems, like a flat tire, damaged headlights or missing wiper blades. Any of these could leave you stranded on the highway.

Drivers, keep your car well maintained and drive with at least a half tank of gas, especially in the winter. Car breakdowns are probably the most common occurrence that can make women vulnerable.

For any suggestions or comments, please contact Joyce Blader, Crime Prevention Officer at x4044 or e-mail me at jblader@uwsp.edu.
The Latest Scoop

World News

LA PAZ, BOLIVIA
• The first casualty of a Bolivian prison fast took place Tuesday. The 3,000 some prisoners are demanding that once drug offenders serve half their sentence, their parole be extended.

LONDON, ENGLAND
• The stamps issued in the likeness of Princess Diana are selling like gang busters, postal officials say. The stamps, which went on sale Monday, are selling in packs of five for 40 cents each.

LONDON, ENGLAND
• A leading British scientist is saying that Mad Cow Disease is rapidly disappearing. The number of human casualties is expected to remain small as well.

NEW YORK, NEW YORK
• The high class shopping strip in midtown Manhattan has once again outpaced the competition in terms of cost per square foot for retailers. Costing $580 per square foot, the strip costs more than London’s Oxford Street, the Champs Elysée in Paris and The Ginza in Tokyo.

AMARILLO, TEXAS
• Oprah Winfrey has testified that she presented a balanced show in 1996 entitled “Dangerous Foods.” A group of cattlemen have sued her, alleging that she presented unfair material, inflating the risk of Mad Cow Disease to the United States.

CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA
• A proposal was approved Monday by the state Senate committee that would allow persons to collect animals that were killed while running in front of their vehicles, for eating.

WASHINGTON, D.C.
• The “high hopes partnership” program is getting acclaim from President Clinton. The program intends to increase mentoring for students in the seventh grade and beyond to help students prepare for college. Clinton says $140 million has been set aside in his fiscal budget for 1999 to be used for the program.

State/Local News

CLAMLAKE
• Fifteen people were caught trespassing Tuesday near Clam Lake at the Navy’s Project Elf site. Antinuclear groups have used the site as a target for demonstrations for years. Fifteen were fined $181.00 from a previous protest. Six others pleaded not guilty. They will be tried March third.

MENASHA
• A Menasha man who tried to kidnap a 27-year-old woman was sentenced to 60 years in prison Tuesday. Pau Kue claimed that when he attacked and sexually assaulted the woman in Harris, he was possessed by an evil demon. Kue pleaded guilty to an assault and battery charge in December. An attempted murder charge was dropped.

WISCONSIN
• Wisconsin, along with four other states, has been selected to test a program aimed at stopping Mad Cow Disease. The new program will monitor dairy cattle, make it easier to trace the movement of a diseased cow, and other cows it had contact with.

MADISON
• A law requiring Wisconsin drivers to renew their licenses every eight years took effect this week. The change now costs $24 for ten years, $20 more than the previous four-year license.

CIS career fair eases student job search

By Tracy Marhal
ASSISTANT NEWS EDITOR

UW-Stevens Point students prepared themselves to ride the wave of the 21st century at the second annual Computer Information Systems Career Fair Monday in the Laird Room.

The career fair, sponsored by Career Services, was an opportunity for students to get acquainted with businesses in and around Wisconsin.

“This fair had a great success rate last year of over 300 students attending, and this year there are eleven more businesses,” said Larry Walters, Associate Director of the Career Services Office.

Thirty-one companies displayed what they had to offer, and what they were seeking in a future employee.

Vince Jones, Human Resource Specialist for Automating Peripherals Inc. wanted “people interested in a career in computer technology, someone who’s adaptive, hired for one job, but can grow,” as a computer programmer for his company.

Other business reps searched for more specific characteristics.

“We’re seeking an experience factor between two to three years, communication skills, and technical experience,” said Stratagem representative, Sue Linder.

The fair held a constant influx of interested students.

Junior Matt Hartwig saw the opportunities available.

“I see a lot of potential success, a way to get my foot in the door,” Hartwig said.

CIS major Missy Klaips had already begun to narrow the broad selection, “I have my eye on State Farm. They have advancement opportunities and their program is put together well.”

The fair featured over 33 employers from the local area including Wausau Insurance Company and Consolidated Papers to more distant companies from the Mil-
Should scientific commission decide future of mine?

Dear Editors:

Governor Thompson has suggested putting the mining question into the hands of a science commission. Our group, the Wisconsin Environmental Council, is opposed to this approach. The mining issue is too complex to be properly addressed by a science commission.

Our group, Wisconsin Environmental Council, is concerned that a science commission would not be able to address the mining issue in a comprehensive manner. A science commission would likely be focused on a narrow range of issues, resulting in a narrow discussion and compromised results. The mining issue is multifaceted, involving economic, legal, environmental, social, and health concerns.

We are not concerned about the scientific community. We believe that the mining issue is too complex to be properly addressed by a science commission. We are concerned about the role of the mining industry in influencing the selection of the commission members. The mining industry has a vested interest in the outcome of the proposal, and we believe that this could result in a biased scientific commission.

We urge you to reject the proposal to establish a science commission for the mining issue. Instead, we recommend that the state legislature take responsibility for making decisions about the future of the mining industry. We believe that the legislature is better equipped to address the mining issue in a comprehensive and balanced manner.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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--Chicago Tribune

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Dear Editors:

I am writing to express my displeasure and disbelief about an event which took place in the Fine Arts Center Monday, February 2, from 7 p.m. to 11 p.m. Signs were placed on the closed doorways leading into the courtyard of the Fine Arts Center which stated that the courtyard was closed from 7 p.m. until 11 p.m. that evening, due to Theatre’s rehearsal for Brigadoon.

The courtyard is the only source of public refreshment, public and courtesy telephones, and copier machines in the FAC. If the sign had read “Please enter courtyard quietly and with a minimum of disturbance while rehearsal is taking place,” I see FAC on Page 11.

Students, not the landlords, need to keep their rent money in their pockets longer

-Editor’s note: Whether you agree or disagree, comment and/or criticism is accepted at Pointer@uwsp.edu.

E-mail all responses and any other comments on this issues to klahn637@uwsp.edu

Under who’s authority?

By Kris Wagner
Managing Editor

There’s no doubt that UW-Stevens Point students will miss out on an opportunity of a lifetime this spring.

Every year around the first week of March the student population seems to dwindle below the 1,000 mark. No one can explain this unusual phenomenon. Could it be an annual rip in the time continuum, which mysteriously sucks up the majority of the student population into a world exactly identical to Earth?

Just imagine, we wouldn’t even realize it, except for the few souls who were absent, but in reality not even present. This might parallel with the disappearance of the Physics Major on campus; I think a campus police investigation is definitely in order here.

Well anyway, the selected few who are left, probably those anti-Bush Light drinkers, get to participate in one of the most important events of the year. Last year everybody vanished with an exception of about 900 students, a record low in comparison to the former years. These “selected few” held the future of UW-SP within the palms of their hands. They had decisions to make, which ultimately controlled the destiny of this campus. For example: the approval of an eco-hall on campus, appropriation funds, and various academic resolutions. Other things on the verge include a smoke-free campus by 2000, further development on the city housing laws, landlord/student relations, etc.

So what is this event? The mighty democratic right to vote. In a couple of weeks Student Government Presidential Campaigns begin and I strongly encourage everyone to be aware of the issues and concerns of the running senators, president, and vice-president.

In an overall perspective it pays more to vote on a local level, than a state or national level. On a local level or campus, in our instance, almost anyone can talk to their representatives face-to-face.

So if you care about the future of this campus as well as education as a whole, don’t fall into the time continuum, just vote.

It’s too bad...most of you will miss out

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and/or expensive scientific/legal controversy over every decision in which the mining industry deems negative-in consequence of which their objectivity may be compromised.

Of course we know that scientists have an important role in this discussion. They should tell us what they know and, more important, what they don't know regarding mining's impact on the environment. They should tell us what is fact, and what is speculation. They should help the public develop an informed opinion, and the public in turn should relay their sense of things to their legislators who are charged with translating our collective win into law.

That's the way our system should work. Bureaucratic decisions, as the Governor proposes, are not the American way; certain not in matters of overriding importance. In the final analysis, the decision on mining is properly ours. We want to make it "We, the people." 

-Don Linteruur
POWR

If you like sunshine, swimming, laughing kids and campfires, then we've got the job for you! The Girl Scouts have exciting positions available at Camp Lakamanga near St. Paul, Minn., Camp Northwoods near Bayfield, Wis., and Camp Austin on the edge of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area in northern Minn. Earn $1600-$3325 for the summer!

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Stop by for Girl Scout cookie or schedule a 15-minute interview at the UW-Stevens Point Summer camp/recreational Job Fair on Weds., Feb. 11 by calling (612) 227-8835 or 1-800-845-0787 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.
Fresh Tracks

By Charlie Sensenbrenner
OUTDOORS EDITOR

When we dream of fishing, we dream of beauty. Picture a sun- rise pulling the morning fog from a crystalline lake as a loon echo pierces the silence. Or a trout hole blackened in depth and the shade of willow with mustard arms tickling the current.

People and wildlife alike flock to water in warmer months. It’s the source of all life at the heart of our survival. But when winter comes it freezes more than the surface, it freezes the dreams. Picture those places today; the lake is a barren white desert and the stream is an ice covered road.

A lid of ice seals them off for the season. But somehow down the line, someone discovered that fish can be caught if you break a hole through that lid.

Millions of people caught on and today there are whole villages of people spraved over ice. Family and friends crowd into black outhouse-shacks or sit out in the elements on five gallon pails, waiting to pull out a perch or a crappie. I don’t understand their excitement today; the Jake is a barren white desert and the stream an ice covered road.

The first few feet of black line I pull out is glazed stiff with ice. Are fish so slow in winter that they don’t see black lines leading to our outhouses?

I’ll fling the line through the hole and wonder again why ice sheets surrounding by holes never break off and separate like a stamp torn away from its sheet.

It takes a few seconds to pry it from the hole. I’ll fling it back through the ice and reach into a styrofoam bucket holding the fast 12 minnows on earth. As my hand tingles to numbness, I quit fishing and thank the ice and winter for its gifts.

The sky will fall and will be replaced by a loon echo. The sky will fall and will be replaced by a loon echo.

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Climbing the peak of a lifetime

By Charlie Sensenbrenner
Outdoors Editor

For a third straight day, the winds roared over the mountain. The constant, unending storm slapped against the climbers at 19,200 feet with their goal still looming 3,600 feet above them. Jeff Justman, a graduate student at UW-Stevens Point, struggled with the prospect of turning back after 13 difficult days of climbing. "It didn't look good," said Justman. He and the nine other members of the party all dreamed of reaching the peak of Aconcagua.

At 22,841 feet, the Argentinian mountain stands taller than any other in the Western Hemisphere and is one of "the Big Seven" peaks in the world for rock climbers.

Long before leaving, Justman committed himself to months of two to three hour workouts each day before leaving Stevens Point. "You have to be incredibly physically conditioned," said Justman. "Every part of your body has to be conditioned." To add a little mental motivation, Justman turned his climb into a fund-raiser for Big Brothers and Big Sisters. Area businesses agreed to pledge money to the charity based on his climb. They tackled the height in manageable increments, climbing to a certain height then back down again in a two steps up, one step down manner to let their lungs adjust to the air.

"Breathing air at that altitude feels like breathing helium and you feel like you're intoxicated," said Justman. "After a while you start getting headaches and lose some coordination." Sometimes the headaches don't go away. A altitude sickness is common for climbers. Four members of Justman's group were struck by it and had to quit climbing.

When the entire group nearly quit due to the wind, the weather miraculously broke and they made a final push. After nine straight hours of climbing, they reached the summit. "It was a charge of emotions like I never felt before. Everyone was smiling, laughing, and crying at the same time," said Justman. "There's no way to describe it but intense." Justman fulfilled a promise to his niece and buried her photo under the mountain-top snow. Then after about 15 minutes of taking pictures and celebrating, the exhausted group began their long, dangerous climb down.

After the trip, Justman returned to campus to face yet another climb in the final leg towards a Masters degree in Communicating Management.

Jeff Justman plants a ski pole into the top of Mount Aconcagua, the highest peak in the western hemisphere. (Submitted photo)

Personal Everest

We all have mountains in our lives. Incredible challenges we pursue. Sometimes standing at the bottom, we look up only to become frightened and intimidated. But it is soon we realize climbing our mountains is a process. Step by step we arrive at our first goal, the security of base camp. From there we must take great risk and climb even higher. The pain and suffering we endure is sometimes beyond tolerance. Each gasping breath we breathe along with each painstaking step we take suddenly we glance up to realize we have reached the summit. We have climbed our Personal Everest.

Jeff Justman

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State water found safe to drink

MADISON-A Department of Natural Resources report found that most of Wisconsin's 12,000 public drinking-water systems provide safe and healthy water to drink. According to a report issued to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, only 5% of state's water systems are in violation of standards. Compliance rates required for detecting the presence of contamination are high, ranging from 92 to 99 percent. The report is based upon 1996 data in response to the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1996.

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**Chase winter blues away with antlers**

By Joe Shead  
OUTDOORS REPORTER

It happens every year. February rolls around and countless people stare dumbfounded at their TV wishing for something to do until spring returns. One winter while I sat around wondering how to maintain my sanity, my gaze fell upon a set of antlers on our wall. The light bulb came on. “After all,” I thought “how hard could mounting your own antlers be?”

Amazingly my first attempt was successful and has now turned into a yearly ritual. It’s almost as much fun as deer hunting itself. I said almost. The hardest part of the process is the first step. You have to roll a buck. I don’t care how you get one: shoot a buck, find a dead buck, steal a rack from some drunk guy’s pickup as he celebrates at a bar, anything, just don’t poach the deer.

Next you have to cut the skull. All you have to do is cut straight down just behind and parallel to the brow tines should you be the skull but extend it down well past the bottom. Look at other mounted racks to get an idea of how you want your rack to look. When you’re happy with the approximate shape, use wood glue to attach it to the back of the skull. After the glue dries, use wood glue and a screwdriver and a knife work well. Just keep cutting and prying until it’s all off, especially around the burrs. If the hide is tough to work with, getting it wet will soften it up and make the job easier. Do you want a plaque or something to do pattern either by tracing an existing design or coming up with your own. Turn it onto a piece of wood and cut it out, stain it, whatever. There’s no wrong way to do it.

Now, I cut a scrap piece of plywood roughly in the shape I want the skull base to look like. I usually make it wide enough to just span the width of the skull but extend it down well below the bottom. Look at other mounted racks to get an idea of how you want your rack to look. When you’re happy with the approximate shape, use wood glue to attach it to the back of the skull. After the glue dries, use wood glue and a screwdriver and a knife work well. Just keep cutting and prying until it’s all off, especially around the burrs. If the hide is tough to work with, getting it wet will soften it up and make the job easier. Do you want a plaque or something to do pattern either by tracing an existing design or coming up with your own. Turn it onto a piece of wood and cut it out, stain it, whatever. There’s no wrong way to do it.

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**Searching for spring’s trophies**

By Matt “Bert” Ward  
ASSISTANT OUTDOORS EDITOR

Editor’s note: The following article is the second half of a two part series.

Early spring, when the rains begin melting snow and the grass is matted down, marks the prime time to start looking for sheds. The absolute key to finding shed antlers is to determine the food source, which is totally temperature dependent.

If you find the food, you should be near their bedding areas also. After that, you’ll be well on your way to finding sheds. In colder springs the deer generally congregate around cornfields because they provide a high protein diet to get them through cold nights. In warmer springs, grass and winter wheat will be the diet of choice and the deer will generally be less congregated.

I spend almost a day driving around to find fields adjacent to bedding areas before I look every spring. If you don’t do your homework before you enter the field, more often than not, all you’ll come home with is sore legs.

Key areas are south facing slopes near feeding and bedding areas. The sun’s rays melt the snow here first, and the warmth will attract deer. Another must check place is their fence crossings. The impact of deer hitting the ground after jumping over fences is often enough to cause its antlers to fall off. A few years ago, I jumped a mature eight point buck in a pine thicket overlooking a cornfield. When it crossed the fence, I actually saw one of its antlers fall off. After picking it up and tracking it, I found the other side. Maybe you’re lucky enough to find a rack that has (them. I have mounted two forkhorns already) Then make a cut just over the eye sockets perpendicular to the first. Now comes the fun part. Peel the hide off the skull; a screwdriver and a knife work well. Just...
 Maybe you have an itch to travel. Or maybe what you have is a rash.

- Elizabeth Trzebiatowski
Graphic Design Major

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would not be upset. However, the signs clearly read that the courtyard was closed. My entire art class, which meets for three straight hours with one five-to-ten minute refreshment break, was forced to forego soda and food on our break, which is sometimes the only supper most of us have.

My question is, can the courtyard truly be closed to students, and on whose authority?

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monthly payment plan in addition. This issue is one that deserves attention. Just because this practice is the norm, does not mean that it should stay the standard. To end this practice, students can use postcard campaigns to local officials, appearing at city council meetings or simply letting the Student Government Association know your opinion. This issue is one in which a change can be made, but we as students must act.

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Restaurant Review: Rusty's

By Tara Zawlocki
Features Editor

If you're looking for an excellent fish fry, a mountain of french fries or a tasty bloody mary, the place to be is Rusty's Backwater Saloon.

I went to Rusty's last Friday night and although I've been there before, I never quite noticed Rusty's Backwater Saloon. My friend and I decided to seat ourselves at a picnic table after we ordered our food. He ordered the fish fry with a beer and I opted for the grilled chicken breast sandwich topped with a slice of cheddar cheese and a bloody mary. The place was packed and I was worried it would take a long time for our food to arrive. Much to my surprise, our food arrived within 20 minutes. My chicken sandwich was grilled to perfection and the slice of cheddar cheese was melted slightly on the top. Accompanying my sandwich was an unbelievable amount of french fries. The amount of fries I

Rusty's Backwater Saloon is a great place to enjoy a good meal and tasty bloody mary. (Photo by Carrie Reuter)

Feature Organization: UNSO

By Tara Zawlocki
Features Editor

Learning about the values, cultures and government systems of countries other than the United States constitutes an integral part of the United Nations Student Organization (UNSO).

"UNSO is a student organization dedicated to fostering an academic awareness in the field of international issues, focusing primarily on learning and simulating the functions and goals of the United Nations," Diana Paul, president of UNSO, said. UNSO participates in regional and national conferences where they are assigned countries to represent.

"Our chapter must assume the values and roles of that country and not act or vote as we would personally vote, but how that country would vote," added Paul. "This allows students to become more knowledgeable of why and how other countries operate."

UNSO recently has been asked to participate in a conference in Minnesota with Carlton College and Handley University as well as being invited to participate in international conferences in Canada and at the United Nations in New York City.

All students are encouraged to get involved in the organization.

"Students should participate in UNSO because it is important to be aware of what our country is involved in on an international scale," Paul said. UNSO requires no dues and has weekly meetings on Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. in room 326 of the Collins Classroom Center.

Russian poet enthralls audience with reading

By John Binkley
Copy Editor

If the pen is mightier than the sword, then the students, professors and community members that squeezed into Michelson Hall last Thursday night grieved an epic warrior.

In his third appearance at UW-Stevens Point, Russian poet, film director and lecturer Yevgeny Yevtushenko awed the audience with a moving performance of his poetry from throughout his career. For those that attended the event, co-hosted by associate Communication professor Bill Davidson and Foreign Languages professor Robert Price, Yevtushenko's sensitive rendering of the human condition in both Russian and English touched a place few poets can reach.

For those unfamiliar with Yevtushenko's native tongue, Bill Davidson also acted as translator and performance companion.

"I've been to hundreds of poetry readings, and in my opinion, Yevtushenko is the most skillful poetry performer I've ever seen," said Donna Decker, associate professor of English.

Feature Organization: UNSO

The Pointer Bartender Contest

Who is the best bartender in Stevens Point?

Your Job:
1. Decide who you think the best bartender is in Stevens Point.
2. Think of a brief explanation of how the bartender displays the 10 criteria listed below.
3. Submit your answers along with the name of the bartender and a follow up article will appear in the Features section.
4. The winner will be announced in the March 12 issue of The Pointer.

Criteria:
1. Quick service/promptness.
2. Knowledge of drinks—not having to look drinks up all the time.
3. Cleanliness of bar.
4. Years of experience.
5. Quality of drinks.
7. Aura/going above and beyond the duties of bartending.
8. Conversational skills.
9. Responsibility—caring customers whose age is questionable.
10. Other attributes you feel should be considered.

More Prizes:
5. Dinner for two from Hibachi Joe's.
7. Two movie passes to any movie at Campus Cinema from Marcus Theatres.
8. Two passes to The Festival of Beers from the Stevens Point Brewery.

Rules:
1. You can't nominate yourself.
2. The Pointer staff is excluded from nominating or being nominated.
3. Nominations must be received by noon on Feb. 27.
4. The winner will be announced in the March 12 issue of The Pointer.
5. The bartender must be at least 21 to win.

Our Job:
1. A panel of judges made up of three females and three males from The Pointer staff will visit the nominated bartenders at their place of work and judge their performance for themselves.
2. The results of the written nomination and first hand judging at the bartender's place of work will be considered and a winner will be selected.
3. The Pointer will then award the listed prizes to the winning bartender and a follow up article will appear in the Features section.
GRADUATE EXAMS IN EDUCATION

Graduate exams in education will be held on Saturday, Mar. 28 from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. in room 116 of the College of Professional Studies. The registration deadline is Friday, Feb. 27. Candidates must have completed a minimum of 24 graduate credits toward their degree. Further information and registration information may be obtained by contacting Dianne Smith in Education Graduate Advising, Room 438 CPS Building.

PROGRAM

The School of Communicative Disorders is now offering a Foreign Accent Reduction Program for all international students who wish to reduce their accent and refine their English speaking skills. Services are free to UW-Stevens Point students.

All interested students should call The Center for Communicative Disorders at 346-3667.

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"You laugh, you lose!" The comedy concert followed by a show gives participants the chance NOT to laugh and win cash and prizes. Survive without laughing and receive a chance to win $200.

MOVIES

Centertainment Productions is presenting two movies: "My Best Friend's Wedding," starring Julia Roberts, Cameron Diaz and Dermot Mulroney, and "Addicted to Love," starring Matthew Broderick and Meg Ryan, in the Encore of the University Center Wednesday, Feb. 11 at 7 p.m. and 9:15 p.m.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Now available in Alumni Relations, 208 Main: UMOS Scholarship applications for Hispanic incoming freshmen due Feb. 27; Agricultural Education Scholarship applications due Feb. 27, for member (or child) of Foremost Farms USA; Jones Foundation sponsored for undergrads from Grant, Iowa, or LaFayette Counties due March 1.

Call 346-3811 for further information.

RUSH IS ON FOR INTER-GREEK COUNCIL

BY JASON R. RENKENS
ASSISTANT FEATURES EDITOR

Stevens Point's long, harsh winter tends to put a damper on the spirits of most college students. The Inter-Greek Council (IGC) offers an alternative to indoor insanity and isolation.

IGC, an organization that presides over all UW-Stevens Point's campus Greek social organizations, is sponsoring its annual Spring Semester Rush. "The purpose of (Rush) is to recruit students for the fraternities and sororities and let them know how fun they can be," said Alan Robidoux, president of IGC.

"I try to avoid using the term 'rush' so much because it tends to scare people away," added Robidoux. "The truth is that broken bones and deaths only happen in a few, isolated cases."

The recruitment process, which has already gained over 25 students, began on Tuesday, Jan. 20 with an informational meeting at the University Center (UC).

IGC is organizing a number of events to include all of the Greek organizations in addition to the events which the fraternities and sororities sponsor themselves. IGC sponsored an all Greek football game outside the Debt Center and a Rock 'n' Bowl party last week to help kick off the Spring Semester Rush. Individual fraternities and sororities have sponsored sledding parties and volleyball games.

IGC will continue its recruitment with booths in the UC Concourse during the next two weeks.

"This year is going a lot better than last year," Robidoux said, "because of better organization and individuals stepping up and taking leadership."

The Rush will continue for the next few weeks. For more information about IGC and other Rush events, call Alan Robidoux at 342-4908.

Members of five of the six fraternities and sororities go head to head outside Debolt last week.

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EDITOR'S NOTE:

Look for "Annie's Baked Ziti" recipe in next week's issue of The Pointer. And as always, send your recipes to The Pointer, room 104 CAC or e-mail tzwis58@uwsp.edu.
Are women seeking commitment and are men avoiding it?

By Tara Zawiocki

Relationships are about trial and error and learning about what does and doesn't work for you. I would guess for most people as they grow older and mature their perceptions of commitment, and what it is about, change.

Like I said before, most people know when they are ready to be committed to one person. Pressuring someone for a commitment when they aren't ready for one doesn't create a solid base for a healthy relationship. When you truly care about someone you won't look at commitment as painful, but as something good.

The ability to commit comes with experience and knowledge of what an individual wants from a partner and a relationship. Without a number of failed relationships, what a lot of people might call an inability or unwillingness to commit, there is no way to truly ever commit.

Committing may sound like a simple thing, but it truly is easier said than done. To commit means total devotion to someone and having no substantial doubts or regrets.

So no matter how much someone might want to commit, it is impossible until you find the right person. Whatever is decided, it's important to realize what you want in the relationship.

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PGA should allow Martin to enjoy the ride

By Chris Keller
Corr-Editor-in-Chief

Recently, a man in a golf cart has brought the infamous 15 minutes of fame to himself and many PGA tour members.

On Monday, the trial involving Casey Martin and the PGA began in Oregon. The suit revolves around Martin’s Klippel-Trenaunay-Webber Syndrome, a degenerative condition of the muscle and bone in his lower-right leg. This affliction causes swelling and pain when Martin walks too much.

His doctors say walking is not only painful, but dangerous. If the weakened lower leg bone breaks, amputation might be required.

So Martin decided, hey, I’ll use a golf cart to play my rounds. Great idea, but the tour said no way! Seems that using a golf cart on the pro tour would start a rigid decline of tradition, rather than open up the sport for many for so-called athletes.

At issue at the trial is one burning question: does Martin’s golf cart give him an unfair advantage over cartless golfers? The PGA said yes; I say no.

Golf pundits have remarked that even when using a cart, Martin would still have to park along a path and walk up to 100 painful-yards a hole, a point that I agree with.

The tour commissioner sees it differently, saying that in an athletic sport, it would be a travesty to allow one individual an advantage over another. Now we could argue all day, and then some, over golf’s standing as an athletic sport, but here’s one man’s perspective.

I like to define an athletic sport as one in which you train, work on your craft, rather than get paid to play.

But enough about golf’s standing in the sports world. From a purely commercial standpoint, Martin’s tale represents a possible P.R. explosion for golf for two reasons.

Firstly, Martin brings a storyline that America loves to see: the underdog’s triumph against all odds. Throughout time, millions have witnessed the overcoming of adversity. Let Casey ride I say...and let America come along for the trip!

By Nick Brilowski
Assistant Sports Editor

On paper, UW-La Crosse had little, if any, chance of coming into the Quandt Fieldhouse and knocking off the Pointers on Wednesday night.

While UW-Stevens Point was riding a hot streak, the Eagles came in holding the cellar in the WIAC at 1-8.

La Crosse was also without one of their top scorers, Brady Metcalfe, due to an ankle injury.

Despite their shortcomings, the Eagles were able to hold off a frantic Pointer comeback en route to the stunning 68-67 upset.

“Give them credit,” UW-SP coach Jack Bennett said of La Crosse. “They played a solid first half. We just didn’t play well.”

Trailing by as many as 14 points in the second half, UW-SP used a remarkable 19-4 run over a span of 6:35 to take a 65-64 lead with 2:02 remaining.

The run turned out to be all for naught, though, as Ryan Eklund completed a four-point play with 10.9 seconds left for the 68-65 lead.

Russ Austin’s three-point attempt came up short and Brant Vosters had a chance to up the 67-65 lead. To their feet with another three to play.

Pointers had a chance to up the lead but missed the front end of the bonus with 23 seconds left, setting up Eklund’s heroics.

“We have to play with more passion and urgency early on, especially on the defensive end,” Bennett added. “This was a setback that hurt.”

To their defense, UW-SP was the recipient of questionable officiating throughout the game.

The win raised La Crosse’s record to 8-11 overall and 2-8 in the WIAC, while the Pointers fell to 14-5 and 6-4 respectively.

It doesn’t get any easier for Point as they head to Platteville to take on the undefeated Pioneers on Saturday at 7 p.m.

“We can be competitive down there, then we’ll have some hope,” Bennett said.

Anna Miller and Mike Carlson.

Carlson pulled out a slim 4-2 victory at 150 with a takedown in the sudden death over-time period.

Miller added onto his all-time Pointer wins record with an 9-3 victory over Whitewater heavyweight Phil Klam.

The Pointers were in action Wednesday night at Division II UW-Parkside.

The Pointer wrestling team went out on top in its final home dual meet of the season. (Photo by Mike Kemmeter)
Swimmers train through weekend duals

By Mike Kemmeter
SPORTS EDITOR

Although the results from last weekend’s pair of dual meets wouldn’t show it, the UW-Stevens Point men’s and women’s swimming and diving teams are concentrating on more important things.

The Pointers trained through the weekend against UW-La Crosse and UW-Eau Claire for the WIAC Relays earlier in the season, taking a 148-93 victory home.

“Our men swam really well. The La Crosse women are really tough this year,” Boelk said.

A competitive Dan Denniston (#24) doesn’t let down on the offensive, or in this case, the defensive end. (Photo by Nick Brilowski)

“Dan’s competitiveness is his best attribute,” Bennett said. “He doesn’t want to look bad. He doesn’t want to be beaten.”

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In UW-Stevens Point’s trio of thrilling overtime victories in a span of four games, one thing has been constant: the stellar play of point guard Dan Denniston.

Denniston came through in the clutch for the Pointer men’s basketball team all three times, each time drilling a clutch shot, and twice from beyond the arch.

“He’s simply become a real money player,” UW-SP coach Jack Bennett said. “He likes the pressure, likes the opportunity, and more often than not, he’s responded.”

The Pittsville native’s huge three-point bombs against UW-Stout and UW-Eau Claire propelled the Pointers to crucial double overtime wins.

“As a captain and team leader, I think the guys look to me to produce,” Denniston said. “I guess that’s what drives me the most. This team is such a close-knit group, I want to win for our team.”

But Denniston hasn’t always been asked to come through in crunch time.

In Bennett’s patient style of offense, where the focus is to look for the best possible shot, the role of the senior is to find the open man.

“When we seem to be the best as a team, he’s distributing the ball well,” Bennett said.

“We need his floor leadership. I think he’s come to understand that and take some satisfaction in that.”

Denniston’s role in the offense is almost a 180 degree turn from his high school days at Pittsville, where he finished his career in seventh place on the state’s all-time scoring list.

“It was difficult coming out of a little school and (adjusting to this level),” Denniston said. “But I didn’t put any pressure on myself to score.”

Through it all, Denniston has displayed one constant that is crucial to Bennett’s style of play. “Dan’s competitiveness is his best attribute,” Bennett said. “He doesn’t want to look bad. He doesn’t want to be beaten.”

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“Quote of the Week”

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-Milwaukee Journal-Sentinel

Track sweeps home meet

The UW-Stevens Point men’s and women’s track and field teams opened their indoor seasons on a winning note Saturday at the Pointer Relays.

Both Pointer squad captured first place finishes, with the men finishing better than five teams, and the women topping two opponents.

The men’s 59 point performance was enough to outlast runners-up River Falls 59-36. Both UW-SP teams travel to Lawrence University Friday for a dual meet, which will be a final tune-up for the WIAC meet at UW-Whitewater.

By Mike Finkel
SPORTS REPORTER

In any kind of sporting event, the first one out of the blocks usually finds themselves with an advantage.

That is exactly what happened to the UW-Stevens Point women’s basketball team Saturday in a 62-49 loss at the Berg Gym.

UW-River Falls jumped out to a 14-0 lead, and Point found themselves struggling to overcome the deficit.

“Our concentration wasn’t very high after the emotional game against Eau Claire,” UW-SP coach Shirley Egner said.

Point did, however, cut the lead to nine with 3:32 to play in the first half, but that was as close as they would get.

“In the second half we made adjustments and realized that we were just as good as the team we were playing,” Egner said.

Point outscored UW-River Falls 32-28 in the second half.

“We didn’t do a good job on the boards, that was a key difference in the game,” Egner said.

Point was out rebounded 40-29. Kari Gloshek led the way for Point with 14 points and 10 rebounds. Jessica Ott also chipped in 13 points.

“Early scoring drought digs big hole for UW-SP”

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The Pointer Scorecard

The Week Ahead...

**Men's Basketball**

**UW-SP - UW-La Crosse**

February 4, 1998

- MF: 38 30 68
- UF: 32 35 67

**Player** | FG-FGA | FT-FTA | Points |
--- | --- | --- | --- |
Gore | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 |
Westrum | 4-2 | 4-4 | 14 |
Bennett | 3-10 | 0-0 | 7 |
Austin | 3-10 | 0-0 | 7 |

**Women's Basketball**

**UW-SP - UW-La Crosse**

Saturday, 7 p.m.

- MF: 38 30 68
- UF: 32 35 67

**Player** | FG-FGA | FT-FTA | Points |
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Gore | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 |
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**Hockey**

**NCHA Standings**

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**Player** | FG-FGA | FT-FTA | Points |
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**Swimming**

**UW-SP - UW-La Crosse Dual**

January 30, 1998

**Men's Standings**

1. UW-SP 177
2. UW-La Crosse 148
3. UW-River Falls 93
4. UW-St. Norbert 65
5. UW-River Falls 65

**Women's Standings**

1. UW-SP 177
2. UW-La Crosse 148
3. UW-River Falls 93
4. UW-St. Norbert 65
5. UW-River Falls 65

**Track and Field**

**UW-SP Pointer Relays**

January 31, 1998

**Men's Standings**

1. UW-SP 59
2. UW-River Falls 59
3. UW-St. Norbert 59

**Women's Standings**

1. UW-SP 59
2. UW-River Falls 59
3. UW-St. Norbert 59

**Wrestling**

**UW-SP - UW-Whitewater**

January 30, 1998

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Gore | 0-2 | 0-0 | 0 |
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**Women's Basketball**

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**Senior Spotlight**

Wil Nichol - Hockey

**UW-SP Career Highlights**

- Four-year defenseman for the UW-SP hockey team
- Named to 1997 NCHA Academic Team

**Home Town:** Madison, Wisconsin

**Major:** English

**Memorable Moment:** This year, playing at UW-Superior. We won Friday, and on Saturday our top six players were out of the lineup. I blocked a lot of shots, and thought I played a good game. To sweep them in their barn is impressive. We've never swept them since I've been here.

**What do you plan to do after you graduate?** I'd like to go to graduate school. My dream's always been to coach college hockey.

**Biggest achievement in sports:** Trying to be a good role model for kids. Pro athletes today are not the best role models for kids.

**What will you remember most about playing basketball at UW-SP?** The friendships that I've created. You look at my roommate, Forest Gore from Alaska. How would I meet this guy if it weren't for this sport. I think that's what I'm going to cherish. A lot of them are going to be friends for life.
Track

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"It was a fun meet for me and the team. It was a good way to go against some outside competition."

The Pointers earned eight first place finishes: Susan DeYoung (high jump and 55 meter hurdles), Misty Heiman (triple jump), Sara Groshek (weight throw), Toni Milbourn (800), Katie Eiring (pole vault), Megan Lundahl (shot put), and the distance medley.

The Pointer/Eastbay Invite Saturday at the Health Enhancement Center. Approximately 50 teams, both men's and women's, will compete.

Poet

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Elementary Education major Heidi Sprecher was left with the same impression. "Yevtugin gave a mesmerizing performance," she said.

Yevtushenko's work has a rebellious attitude that won him popularity throughout the world in the early 1960's and '70's. In 1961, he attracted international attention with the poem "Babi Yar," a bitter indictment of government indifference over the Nazi massacre of more than 100 thousand Jews and Soviets between 1941 and 1943. Babi Yar is a ravine on the outskirts of Kiev, where the Nazis buried the corpses.

Yevtushenko has also played a vital role in international politics. In August of 1991, when the Russian military attempted to overthrow the government, he spoke from the balcony of Parliament. He read a poem contained in his novel "Don't Die Before You're Dead."

"He was an important voice, calming the situation and enabling the people who wouldn't let the coup take place to win the day," said Davidon.

Although Yevtushenko has left campus, there is still an opportunity to witness part of his work. Starting Thursday, Feb. 5 and continuing through Saturday, Feb. 7, a play that he wrote entitled "If All the Doves Were Jews," will be performed at UW-SP.

The play begins at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are $4 for adults and $3 for students with ID.

Trophy

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Generally most hunters keep their eyes on the horizon, not on the ground. I'm guilty of this and can even say I stepped on a nine-point shed before I saw it.

Also, you must walk slowly. As most days of shed hunting progress, you eventually start walking faster and your eyes begin to wander more. Whenever you notice this happening is when you should take a break and relax for a while.

To a shed antler enthusiast, the goal is to find a "fresh" set of Boone and Crockett sheds. The amount of days and the miles you must walk to find that trophy is incredible, but that makes the satisfaction of finding one even stronger.

My best advice to anyone who wishes to start shed hunting is to be persistent. Do your homework before you walk and success won't be far behind.

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**Stereolab**

**Dots and Loops**

By Mike Cade

Entertainment Reporter

Unfortunately, Stereolab sometimes gets described as a band with great "kitsch" value. To me this implies there's an element of trendiness present. And yeah, Stereolab always has an iota of trendiness about them, but I think dismissing the band as nothing more than "kitschy" fun is a mistake.

True, Stereolab has forged an unmistakable identity with their space-age, "future/past" overtones, but there more than just at-home, easy listening music for fashion club-goers.

Yep, Stereolab is too intelligent to fall into any pop culture quicksand. Twelve years from now, you will not find them on a K-Tel Records collection entitled "Lounge Rock! or Generation FLACCATIOL.

**Cocktail**: If you do, it will be criminally unjust. The group's latest release, Dots and Loops, is a fairly solid work throughout, with "Flower Child Nowhere" the best of ten tunes. In addition to the band's French pop and Musak influences, it's also become increasingly obvious that Stereolab is prone to the occasional Beach Boys style arrangement. Though oddly constructed, such arrangements are pieced together in a way that, to the casual observer, all that's noticeable is a hummable tune. To the trained ear there's also much pleasure in knowing that at least some bands in today's wretched state of music have enough savvy and smarts to avoid the cliche-ridden trappings of "modern sounds."

Not bad for a band that once reminded me of an interstellar version of Canned Heat.

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If the Pointer men’s basketball
team came with a warning label, it
might read something like this:
“Do not force this team into over­
time; the end result may not be
appealing.”
For the third time in four
games, UW-SP was pushed to an
extra session and for the third time
Point came away victorious.
River Falls became the latest
victim on their home court on Sat­
urday night as Point came away
with the 90-80 victory.
Brant Bailey continued his hot
play, pacing the Pointers with 24
points on 9 of 11 shooting. Dan
Denniston added 17 and seven as­
sists.
UW-SP found itself down by
five at 67-62 before Denniston hit
a three-pointer to cut the lead to
two with 2:31 left in regulation.
Trailing 69-67, the Pointers
turned to Bailey who hit a jumper
with 49 seconds left to force OT.
In overtime, Dave Grzesk’s
layup capped an 11-2 Pointer
spurt out of the gates to put the
game out of reach early at 80-71.

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