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## Media wrongly reports on student arrests

The Stevens Point Journal and Associated Press wrongly reported that some UW-Stevens Point students who attended an informational meeting with Perrier at Coloma Grade School were arrested.

The meeting was about Perrier's plans to pump water from private land around Mekan Watershead.

The article in the Wednesday's issue of the Journal stated, "The

meeting, though mostly peaceful, was punctuated by the arrest of several University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point students who were hustled out of the gym by police as the students began chanting..."

"We were at the meeting because democracy was undermined and voices needed to be heard," said Dana Churness, a UW-SP student who was present

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## Resolution urges Chancellor George to sign on to WRC Madison's decision on similar labor rights resolution causes protest

By Pramela Thiagesan  
NEWS EDITOR

The Workers Rights Consortium (WRC) resolution, which passed during last week's Student Government Association (SGA) meeting, marks the university's step toward signing on to the WRC.

The resolution urges UW-Stevens Point to "ensure that the apparel they hold out for sale to students, alumni and the community is not produced under sweatshop conditions."

"This resolution is crucial because it showed that UW-SP students are concerned about the issue," said David Barwis, sophomore.

UW-SP is one of two campuses to have the resolution passed through senate and one of four to actively campaign the issue in the UW-System.

As stipulated in the resolution, the next step that advocates of

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## SGA protests Thompson's student regent selection process

By Andrea Wetzel  
ASSISTANT NEWS EDITOR

UW-Stevens Point Student Government Association (SGA) president Andrew Halverson proposed a piece of legislation to State Representative Julie Lassa Wednesday. The legislation concerns Governor Tommy Thompson's appointment of Joe Alexander to the board of regents and the process of the appointment.

If the legislation passes the State Assembly, the governor would no longer have the ability to appoint the student seat on the UW System Board of Regents. Thompson would have to choose from a list of students selected by their peers.

**Students feel like they've been  
shut out of the process."**  
- Jorna Taylor, United Council  
shared governance director

"What we would like to see is the possibility of statutory guidelines to hold the governor to the list," said Halverson.

The main goal of the proposed legislation is to make sure future student regents are selected by the students, not by the governor.

"I think it is something that we definitely need to look into and make sure students have a voice," said Lassa.

Many UW students and shared governance associations have protested Alexander's appointment because of the lack of student representation in the

process he was selected in and his lack of student government experience. Most of the shared governance associations in the UW System have signed resolutions opposing Alexander's appointment.

The United Council of UW Students, a Madison based grassroots organization representing 24 UW System campuses, also issued a resolution opposing the nomination.

A search and screen committee composed of student representatives selected three individuals that it felt were qualified for the student regent position. Thompson did not choose a student regent from this process, but hand picked Joe Alexander.

"The governor currently has full discretion as to the individual he would like to represent the students," said Ryann Nelson, vice president of SGA at UW-SP.

One of the applicants the search and screen committee suggested was a student government president at UW-Platteville. Another applicant is a past academic affairs director of United Council.

"The applicants have all had student government experience," said Jorna Taylor, United Council shared governance director. "They've had a solid background in working with the policies, the Board of Regents and the UW System," she added.

The process in which Thompson selected Alexander for the board of regents has been criticized for being undemocratic and for ignoring students' rights to represent themselves.

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Lassa

## Instructor evaluations argument continues

By Colleen Courtney  
NEWS REPORTER

UW-Stevens Point students and faculty met on Feb. 10 for an instructor evaluation public forum. A general background of the instructor evaluation forum was presented as well as opinion and solutions on the controversial release of instructor evaluations on the internet.

"I feel that the forum went really well. It was informative and several misconceptions were cleared up. Based on the student faculty input, I think we can begin to take a course of action," stated Jeremy Ames, moderator of the forum.

Instructor evaluations were first available to students in the early 1990s in a hard copy format found in the library. Students can use the forms to choose professors and courses. They are currently available in the public folders, but posting on the Internet could allow more data to be processed easily.

The idea of internet access was strongly opposed by most presenters

"It is inefficient to convert a paper document into an electronic one and it is a rotten idea to throw this onto the internet. Just because we can do it doesn't mean it is a good idea," said Jane Dumke, postmaster.

Kirby Throckmorton from Institutional Record added, "We still do not know if this is useful information. Evaluations vary by the students' opinion, class

sizes, the professor's gender and experience, the students' GPAs...a whole bunch of factors come into play."

Ideas were suggested to improve instructor evaluations, including using longer ones or throwing out the mean in evaluation data.

Andrew Halverson, SGA president, agreed that the information "must be presented to the students in an easy and effective way," but insisted, "hard copy is too inefficient for instructor evaluation access."

Robert Rogers, a CNR faculty representative, presented a poll in which only one of 28 faculty members was not opposed to the idea of instructor evaluations on the internet. Some of the reasons included "methods [of evaluation] are so questionable that the numbers do not evaluate teaching ability" and "the data has the potential to be viewed by the world if it is on the Internet."

Dumke counteracted the latter belief, stating that "only people on campus have access to public folders, and (that exclusiveness) can also be applied to the internet."

The forum concluded with plans for a future student/faculty group for further discussion. Halverson stated the forum was "generally an ex pos development because no dialogue has ever been bolstered (about the issue) in the past. I would like to see student voice come out about the issue."

## Senate recognizes the need for education on racial profiling

The anti-racial profiling resolution passed during the last Student Government Association (SGA) senate meeting aims to increase awareness of the issue in the community and on campus.

"Racial profiling occurs when law enforcement disproportionately targets people of color," said Sabrina Johnson, SGA senator.

The resolution, authored by SGA senators Kaylyn Jennik, Sabrina Johnson and SGA vice president, Ryann Nelson, stated that, "The problem of racially profiling students of color at UW-Stevens Point serves as a barrier to a quality, safe, comfortable, sane educational opportunity."

The resolution also stipulated the organization of a public forum opened to the community and police department staff. Organization of the forum is now the responsibility of Student Life Issues Coordinator, Catharine Tioh.

"Right now, people don't even know if they are being racially profiled and there is no place for students to go even if they do experience something like this, which is why, we think that having a forum is the first step towards our effort regarding racial profiling," said Johnson.

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## WRC

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the resolution will take is to approach Chancellor Thomas George to sign on to the WRC.

"UW-SP students have forced the issue of democracy and freedom on our campus, this marks the beginning of corporations being forced to provide democracy for workers as well as consumers," said Angie Gonzalas, senior.

The WRC is an independent organization comprised of non-governmental organizations, students, worker allied groups and religious groups. The main aim of the WRC is to ensure humane working conditions for workers in sweatshops and to urge universities to get away from the Fair Labor Association (FLA).

"The FLA is essentially a smoke screen used by many garment factories to monitor sweatshop conditions. The garment factories often tell these monitors which factories to monitor and when to monitor them," said Barwis.

Across the nation, campuses such as Brown university, Loyola University, University of Bard and Oberlin College have signed on to the WRC. The University of Pennsylvania recently decided to

pull out of the FLA after students participated in a eight-day sit-in and a two day national fast.

Though the WRC resolution also passed at UW-Madison, Chancellor David Ward decided against signing on. As a result, students and workers at UW-Madison occupied Ward's office on Tuesday to rally against the decision. Seven students locked themselves down with bicycle chains resulted in campus police entering the office with bolt cutters.

As other students entered the office, law enforcement officials resorted to using mace, injuring some students. Fifty students continued to sit in the hallway directly outside the office and more are expected to join the occupation.

"I think Chancellor George is an independent guy and though Madison is a flagship school, I think he will treat this issue not as a system issue but as a school issue," said Eric Scharenbroch, senior.

Though a common misconception, sweatshops are not only found in Third World countries. Currently, over half of the 22,000 garment factories in the United States fall under the category of sweatshops.

## Annual budget process underway

The process of allocating segregated fees to various UW-Stevens Point student organizations is underway as the last of the student organization annual budget forms were turned in last week.

Last year, Student Government Association (SGA) allocated approximately \$300,000 to 50 annually funded student organizations but expects to see an increase in the request this year due to the formation of 11 new annually funded student organizations.

"It is great that we have an increase in student organizations because it means we have a more active campus and better student involvement," said Cindy Polzin, SGA's chief financial officer.

Segregated fees are also allocated to subsidies such as Protective Services, Centertainment and the athletics department.

"I don't want segregated fees raised too much during a tuition freeze year, but I know that student organizations need funding to get the word out effectively, so we are working towards a compromise," added Polzin. The budget hearings scheduled for the weekend of Feb. 26 and 27 will give finance committee members a chance to understand the nature of each

organization's request through a short presentation by organization treasurers.

The committee will make its decision based on the justification of the request, what the organizations have done to encourage involvement and prove that the organizations have engaged in some form of revenue rollback.

After last year's budget hearing, some organizations such as the Fire Crew and United Nations Student Organization, who came up at budget revisions in October, saw increases in their annual budget.

Among the subsidies, the athletics department saw a increase of about \$35,000 over last year's request for UW-SP's women's hockey team.

"Though segregated fees were increased due to this allocation, I think it was a necessary move," said Polzin. "I cannot think of a better reason to raise segregated fees than to promote equality on campus," she added.



Polzin

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## UWSP Campus BEAT



WEDNESDAY, FEB. 9

8:10 p.m. Lot W

A student notified protective services that her vehicle had been damaged while parked in lot W.

FRIDAY, FEB. 11

1:20 p.m. Baldwin Hall

A student called protective services to report CDs and a calculator were taken from her room.

FRIDAY, FEB. 11

2:52 p.m. Hansen Hall

A student reported the theft of her laundry from the dryer located in Hansen Hall basement laundry room.

SUNDAY, FEB. 13

1:10 a.m. Pray Hall

A student reported to this office that persons unknown had smashed out a window in the first floor men's room of Pray Hall.

SUNDAY, FEB. 13

2:10 a.m. Lot C

While on a routine patrol in lot Q, a protective services officer found a vehicle with its left front end hung up on a trash can. There was no one around the vehicle.

SUNDAY, FEB. 13

2:46 a.m. Steiner Hall

A student reported to protective services that a male was passed out in the men's bathroom.

MONDAY, FEB. 14

10:12 p.m. Debot Center

A student reported that persons unknown had propped the east side elevator door open with a trash can and then dumped a blue recycle container in the elevator.

## News Editor's Note:

The contents of Campus Beat are from the logs taken from the Protective Services Office. All reports are actual events and are reprinted as entered in the logs.

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## Women's conference crosses boundaries

The 12 UW-Stevens Point students who attended United Council's 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Women's Leadership Conference at UW-LaCrosse spent three days attending workshops and presentations on crossing the boundaries of racism, heterosexism and sexism within a feminist framework.

The theme for this year's conference, "Intersection of Identity," aimed to unify various issues affecting women in today's society.

Joy Harjo, Native American poet, artist, musician and writer was the keynote speaker at the conference. Harjo talked about other powerful women and the inspiration she got from them.

"She tied the fact that we are all women though we each have our own issues to deal with," said Dana Manske, a senior.

"A lot of her presentation was about how we as women should not lose our identity of what it means to be female, even though we have other issues we deal with," Manske added.

One of the highlights of the workshop was the "Vagina Monologue" where stories written by Eve Ensler were presented. This program aimed to make attendees think about a woman's body and celebrate womanhood.

"I walked away from the workshop, proud that I am a woman," said Manske.

"Too often, we separate parts of our body; the vagina monologue made me identify with every part of my body. This is something that we don't normally do because of what society has deemed acceptable," added Manske.

There were workshops catered to the two male attendees of the conference from UW-SP as well. "Male Sexuality and Its Discontents: How Men are Taught Sexuality" was a discourse about how male and female sexuality is handed down by patriarchs.

Though most of the workshops were geared to women's issues, presentations such as "Students' Privacy Act" and "Strategy Chart" were also highlights of the conference.

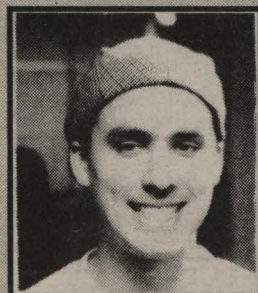
The "Students' Privacy Act" discussed the use of social security numbers and other common identifiers in the UW System, which make it easy for students' privacy to be violated and how students can take proactive action in protecting their privacy on campus.

Strategy Chart was a workshop which discussed and provided models of thinking, goal setting and strategic planning in student organizing.

Other workshops included "Activism on a National Level," "Forced Sterilization of Women of Color and Women of Poverty" and "Women and the Law: 4500 years of Differential Treatment," just to name a few.

## THE POINTER

*How do you feel about UW-SP licensing clothes from sweatshop labor?*



**Travis VanCamp**

POL. SCI. JR

"It's bad, but I think it is out of their hands."



**David Pennings**

UNDECIDED, SOPH.

"It wouldn't surprise me, they (the university) burn coal."

**Eric Ott**

URBAN FORESTRY, FR

"I think the university would be more responsible in knowing where the clothes come from... (darn) the man."



**Adrian Ackley**

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## Arrest

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Churness however added that none of the 11 students attending the meeting from Stevens Point were arrested.

In fact, the students who were arrested were from UW-Madison and were arrested on charges of misdemeanor for emptying bottles of Perrier on the floor to show their protest against the company's interest in Mekan Watershead.

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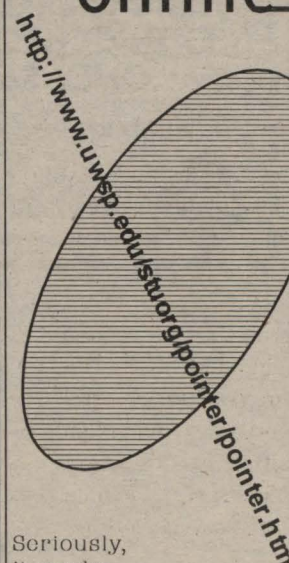
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## Mining regulation system is rigged

What has happened to government of the people, by the people and for the people in the state of Wisconsin? When millions of dollars are involved, it doesn't work. It's obvious by contrasting recent event in Eagle River with what's been happening with the Crandon Mine.

Last month a room full of citizens in Eagle River, Wis. met to protest gambling at their annual championship snowmobile race. The next day the application to permit gambling at the race was withdrawn. No multimillion dollar corporation was involved in lobbying Governor Thompson to allow gambling at the event, so the people were heard.

Contrast this with the Crandon Mine project. For months, thousands of citizens from all over the state of Wisconsin

worked to pass the Churchill Mining Moratorium Law to protect our unique clean water of Wisconsin from the pollution of metallic sulfide mining.

At this time Governor Thompson, DNR Secretary George Meyer, DNR officials Larry Lynch, Bill Tans and Chuck Hammer, and even the state's Natural Resources Board are working full time to help the mine get around the requirements of the moratorium law so the project can move forward. They're bending the rules to accept the mining company's claim that mines in desert or tundra environments are representative of what is likely to happen in the wetlands near Crandon and that parts of two different mines can be combined to create an example of a single, "safe" mine!

Why such a different outcome from the one in Eagle River? It looks like when a multimillion dollar corporation like Exxon/Rio Algom has you in its pocket, representative government does not work.

The WTO protests in Seattle mirror the same problem that we face here in Wisconsin. Large corporations are calling the shots and decisions about our precious natural resources are being made behind closed doors. The system is rigged, citizens be damned!

We as citizens of the state of Wisconsin will have a chance to stage our own protest against what's happening in Crandon. Come to the Student Rally to Stop the Crandon Mine at the State Capitol in Madison on April 29 at 1 p.m.

-Tom Ward

## Politics interferes in refugee situation

Why is it that virtually all Haitian refugees, including children, are returned to Haiti by the Coast Guard, while many Cuban refugees are allowed to stay in the United States? The conditions of life for children in Haiti are much worse than in Cuba. Children work in sweatshops for U.S. corporations like Disney in Haiti, and there is no free health care and education as there is in Cuba. Cuba is a better environment for children, even with the U.S. embargo, than is Haiti. If Elian Gonzalez had been one of the thousands of Haitian children risking their lives to flee that island, the story would have been completely ignored by the U.S. media.

A similar thing happened in the 1980s when Nicaraguan refugees were accepted into the United States while Guatemalan and El Salvadoran refugees were sent back to the brutal governments in those countries, often to certain death.

The determining factor is whether the people are fleeing a socialist or a capitalist country. The overriding concern of U.S. foreign policy is the preservation of capitalism and the opening up of

all countries to U.S. corporate domination.

The intense controversy over little Elian Gonzalez is entirely political. The Cuban exile community in Florida is utilizing the existing antagonism toward Cuba by the U.S. government to further their own ends. Many of these exiles were landowners or owners of other capital property in Cuba, who lost that property when Cuba went socialist—just as the Mafia lost its casinos and prostitution houses. Some of these Cuban exiles have a history of terrorism. On Oct. 6, 1976 they bombed a Cubana airlines plane, killing all 73 people on board, and there have been many other terrorist acts.

This little boy has suffered enough with the loss at sea of his mother and now the continuing debate over which country he should call home. If these U.S. politicians, who constantly talk of "family values" really believe in them, Elian Gonzalez should be sent back to his father and grandparents in Cuba.

-Gary Sudborough



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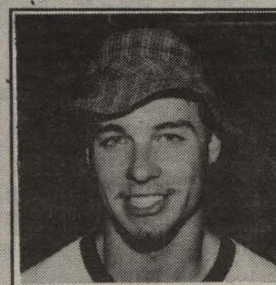
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## OUTTA SHEAD'S HEAD



## Cheer on your Pointers!

UW-Stevens Point students have something available to them that few students anywhere have—the opportunity to watch some fantastic sports teams on their home turf. Or mat. Or pool. Or court.

Whatever the case, the truth is UW-SP has a great athletic program. The last time I heard, UW-SP was ranked 7<sup>th</sup> nationally in the Sears Cup, a survey that ranks all schools in the country based on the combined performances of a school's sports teams.

Take a look at last fall's sports teams. The football team won the conference title for the second year in a row. The women's soccer team also took home the conference trophy.

The winter sports teams have also enjoyed success. The men's basketball team has had a pleasantly surprising season. The team won the conference championship and will have home-court advantage throughout the WIAC playoffs. Stop in Tuesday night and watch the cagers as they host the opening round of the tournament.

Not to be outdone, the hockey team has added another fantastic season to its list of accomplishments, winning the NCHA title for the first time since 1993. Hockey, too, will have home ice throughout the NCHA playoffs. Skate down to the Willett Arena Friday and Saturday nights as the Pointers look to net a pair of victories.

The men's and women's swim teams host the WIAC conference meet this Thursday through Saturday. Both teams are undefeated in conference and are looking to unify the conference title for the first time in Pointer history. If you've never been to a swim meet, finals can be electrifying. Stop by the pool Thursday and Friday at 5 p.m. and Saturday at 3:30 p.m.

If you're into road trips, catch the wrestlers at their conference meet on Saturday and the women's basketball team in action at the conference tourney on Monday. Both events are in Oshkosh.

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## Band makes its debut in Encore

By **Steven Schoemer**  
MANAGING EDITOR

The Westfall will be making its UW-Stevens Point debut in the Encore of the University Center on Saturday, Feb. 19.

A three-piece funk band with roots in blues, jazz and rock, The Westfall's music is made up of bass, keyboards and drums.

The band originally started as

Azz Kitchen in Milwaukee. They then moved out to Arizona to explore new music scenes.

After staying out there for almost two years, the band dropped its guitarist and moved back to Milwaukee as The Westfall.

"We are really excited to get back into the Wisconsin music scene," said Matt Turner, bassist. "Centertainment has been very good to us and I know we are going to have a great time in

Point."

"We are a very energetic band, hopefully we will have an energetic audience," said Jeremy Kuzniar, keyboardist. "I love an audience that isn't afraid to do some dancing and get a little crazy."

The Westfall is currently working on recording an album of all original material. The album is scheduled for completion within the next couple of months.

"I can't wait to hear their album," said Cheyanne Kruger. "If the album is anything like their live sound I know I am going to love it."

"After the album is completed we hope to get a little air time on the radio," Turner said. "We really want to get our sound out there so we can continue to play in cities like Stevens Point."

The concert is scheduled to start at 8 p.m. and is free with a UW-SP I.D. or \$2 without.



Bassist Matt Turner jams at a recent show. (Submitted photo.)

## School "Pointers" From the Lifestyle Assistants

By **Stephanie Wavrunek**  
LIFESTYLE ASSISTANT

### Celebrate love and friendship

Your life is surrounded by friends. Love and friendship week is a great time to notice and appreciate the friends who surround you.

A friendship can be defined as an in-depth relationship that is comfortable and relaxed. It is a relationship that includes trust, support, and communication—friends meet each other's needs. Friendships are created when people share interests and can talk about those experiences. Flexibility and openness are key, especially when situations arise requiring these skills to manage the friendship. Many don't realize how much it takes to maintain good friendships.

Since friends surround us, we can take the time to appreciate the friendships we have. Whether it is a long distance friendship or your roommate, tell them "thanks for being my friend." It can be as simple as an e-mail to say "hi," a brief phone call, or even an animated greeting card! Whatever you do, recognize the part friends play in your life. Some friends may be close enough where you can spend time together daily. Far away friendships may take some extra effort to keep. It's natural for paths to drift for a time and then rejoin—just remember to be a good friend throughout. Challenge yourself this week to do a good thing for your friends. It can be said in order to have friends, one must be a friend first. Maybe you could start there—are you being a good friend?

### Deb's Poetry Corner

Angels of the heavens,  
deep within the voice.  
Stars and moons reside in  
swirling pools of eyes.  
Below the darkened skin  
lies truth and honesty.  
Beautiful are the words  
that make one so weak.  
Lost in a vision,



Wilderness of clouds.  
Floats past like colorful  
butterflies, no care in  
this horrifying world.  
Seeing only love,  
melt within the arms.  
Never to be released,  
for the beings above  
have willed it so.

*I see God.*

*I see God in everything. I pray.*

*So how will going*

*to church deepen what*

*I already know?*

*Stop in and find out.*

***It's normal to have questions about God and church. Let's talk honestly about it.***

Join us at Frame Presbyterian Church, 1300 Main Street, for Campus Ministry Sunday, February 20th at 9:30 a.m. Brunch provided after the service.

Call if you need a ride at 341-0266.

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## Word of Mouth



### • "A Walk on the Moon" dance

On Saturday, Feb. 19, "A Walk on the Moon, A Supernova Semi-Formal" will be held in the Upper Allen Center. The dance lasts from 8 p.m. to 12 a.m. and includes a professional DJ, food, prizes and more. The cost is \$5 with a valid I.D. Tickets are available at the UC information booth and in the UC concourse.

### • Spring break 2000

There is limited space available for the trips to South Padre Island, Texas and Panama City Beach, Fl. Sign up at the information desk in the UC. For further information, call 346-2412.

### • Intramurals is hiring

UW-Stevens Point Intramurals is now hiring for the positions of Intramural Official and Intramural Activity Supervisor. Pick up your application at Campus Activities (073 Debot), or at the IM Supervisor's Office (HEC 136). Applications are due by Feb 23. For more information, call 346-4441.

### • Lonestar and Brad Paisley

Up and coming Nashville recording artists Lonestar and Brad Paisley will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 25 in the Quandt Fieldhouse. Tickets are on sale at the Arts and Athletics Ticket Office or by calling 1-800-838-3378.

### • Centertainment Productions is hiring

If you are interested in campus entertainment Centertainment might have the job for you! CP is looking for "crazy" people who like getting involved. If you are interested in a paid position come to room 028 lower Debot. Any questions Call 346-2412 and ask for Ryan.

### • Where is the Witch?

If you haven't been scared in a long time, take a walk in the Blair woods this Friday at midnight. The Blair Witch Project plays in the Allen Center, and is free with a UW-SP I.D.

### • Get registered to vote!

If you are a UW-SP student and want to vote in the presidential primary on April 4, you must get registered. Come to the UC-Concourse on Thursday and Friday and sign up! If you have any questions call Michael at 346-3723.

### • Funk...Jazz...Hip-Hop...and Rock

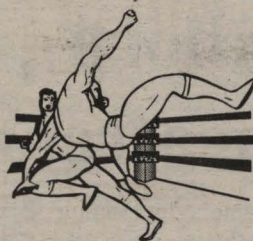
You can hear all of these sounds in the Westfall, a three piece funk band from Milwaukee. The music starts pumpin' at 8 p.m. Saturday, in the Encore. The show is FREE for UW-Stevens Point students.

### • A Winter Wonderland of Animals

If you have a child age three and up, you are invited to the Winter Wonderland of Animals this Friday night at 7 p.m. at the Encore. There will be interactive games, live animals, and crafts. This event is FREE, and is sponsored by EENA, and Centertainment Productions. If you have questions call 346-2412, and ask for Lisa.

### • Tenth Annual Gospel Choir Festival

As part of its Black History Month celebration, UW-SP will present the 10 annual Gospel Choir Festival on Saturday, Feb. 19. The choir will perform at the Holiday Inn at 7 p.m. Tickets are available at the Arts and Athletics Ticket Office, or at the door the night of the performance. General admission tickets are \$5, students tickets are \$3 with a valid I.D. and children under 12 years of age are \$1. For further information, contact UW-SP's Educational Support Program at 346-3828.



By Ryan Lins

ASSISTANT FEATURES EDITOR

## In the Ring:

Valentine's Day blues

By Annie Scheffen

FEATURES EDITOR

Valentine's Day: the cute little cupids, the big red hearts and lace make me sick! All I see is dollar signs from this Hallmark holiday of lust.

What I find ironic is that just like an engagement ring, the man is expected to fork over his hard earned money so that she can boast to her friends how she got "surf and turf" at Red Mill.

Might I suggest another holiday. St. Linsintine's Day in which gorgeous women spend their hard earned money on me. I'm really easy to please. I don't even care if you're what they call "not bright in the head."

Its simple. Keep the lace, the stupid hard candy hearts, all the Hershey kisses and flowers at home.

In fact I'll save you money because the candle-light dinner with the expensive white wine is not even necessary. As long as you don't have a futon (my back is just not what it used to be, unfortunately) we'll be all set to rekindle the sweet embers of love.



A camera was found near the residence halls. If you think you lost it, call Julie at 346-3552 to claim it.

The reason that Valentine's Day makes Mr. Ryan Lins sick, is that he has nobody to share it with. It's hard for someone who has never had a date to understand a holiday like this one.

I always like this holiday. Even if I didn't have a date, or a boyfriend at the time, I like these small holidays that help break up the winter months a little bit. Maybe it's because I'm a girl. Lins mentioned that he didn't particularly like the lace, hearts and the frilly things that girls like. Perhaps it's because he has never had anyone to buy those things for.

As for announcing his own holiday, I don't think that's going to make the women want to come crawling. As if his own holiday isn't bad enough, he says that any women will do. Even the non-existing "not bright in the head" type. I have a pretty good place where we could stick all those chocolate hearts, ladies.

I'm a little confused on the part where it says "rekindle the sweet embers of love." Rekindle!? Whose is he going to rekindle anything with? Are you all in agreement, ladies, when I say that no woman would rekindle anything with St. Linsintine who likes his women a little dense?

If any of you out there are really, really hard up for a date, let me know how it turns out. At least you know where to stick the candy if things get out of control. If worse comes to worse, he can always rely on those 900 numbers he's been known to call.

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## Saxophonist David Sanborn appearing at Sentry Theatre

Two-time Grammy Award-winning saxophonist David Sanborn will perform at Sentry Theatre on Saturday, March 4 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, March 5 at 4 p.m.

The performance is part of the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point's Performing Arts Series. Tickets are available at the Arts and Athletics Ticket Office in the lobby of Quandt Gym, at the door or by calling 346-4100 or toll-free, (800) 838-3378. Individual tickets are also available at the ticket outlet in CenterPoint Mar-

ket place during regular business hours. Admission is \$25 for general admission and seniors, \$20 for youth and \$15 for UW-Stevens Point students with a valid I.D.

In the 25 years since his first solo release, Sanborn has recorded a total of 15 albums including six gold and one platinum. In all, he has sold more than 6 million albums.

In his more than 30-year career, Sanborn has played with many great artists including David Bowie, Stevie Wonder,

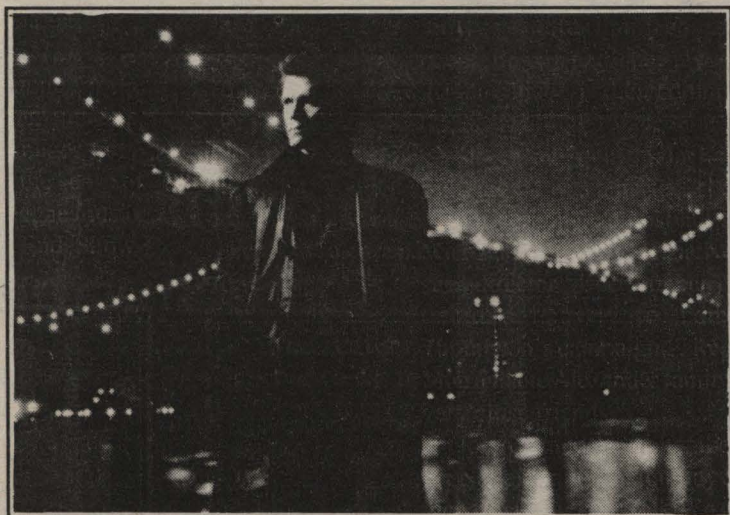
Eric Clapton, Joe Sample, The Rolling Stones, Paul Schaeffer, The Brecker Brothers, Al Jarreau, Larry Carlton, Gil Evans and Miles Davis. He performed at Woodstock with the Paul Butterfield Blues Band.

Sanborn's career has been built on musical explorations. Although he is known for his work in pop music and his early contributions to fusion, Sanborn is also comfortable playing bebop, R&B, blues, jazz and funk.

"I think emotion is the cornerstone of everything I've done," he said of his work. "I think good music, any style of music, reaches people in a direct, heartfelt way."

Sanborn also hosted the NBC show "Night Music" in the late 1980s. The program featured artists such as Miles Davis, Sun Ra, Al Jarreau, Al Green, Todd Rundgren, Lou Reed, Joe Cocker, Sting and many others.

Sanborn also has scored soundtracks for movies including "Soul Man," appeared in several movies, sat in with Paul Schaeffer on the "Tonight Show" and hosted ABC's "After New Years."



Saxophonist David Sanborn. (Submitted photo.)

## John Brown's Body to perform at Witz End



John Brown's Body. (Photo by Anthony Barboza)

Along with Shanachie Records, the band *John Brown's Body* brought its innovating roots music to a worldwide audience in 1999 with its major-label debut, *Among Them*.

John Brown's Body since won a passionate grassroots following through relentless cross-country touring. Now, the band has returned from the studio with the eagerly anticipated follow-up, *This Day*. Rooted in the classic late '70s reggae that's the touchstone for the band's music, *This Day* is a natural progression, blending anthems, melodius harmonies and spiritual consciousness. It manages to be both thoroughly new and yet still evokes in the listener the sense of joy and uplift that is historically identified with great reggae music. The CD's release party will be Sunday, March 5 at Witz End. Showtime is at 9:45 p.m. Cost will be \$8 at the door.

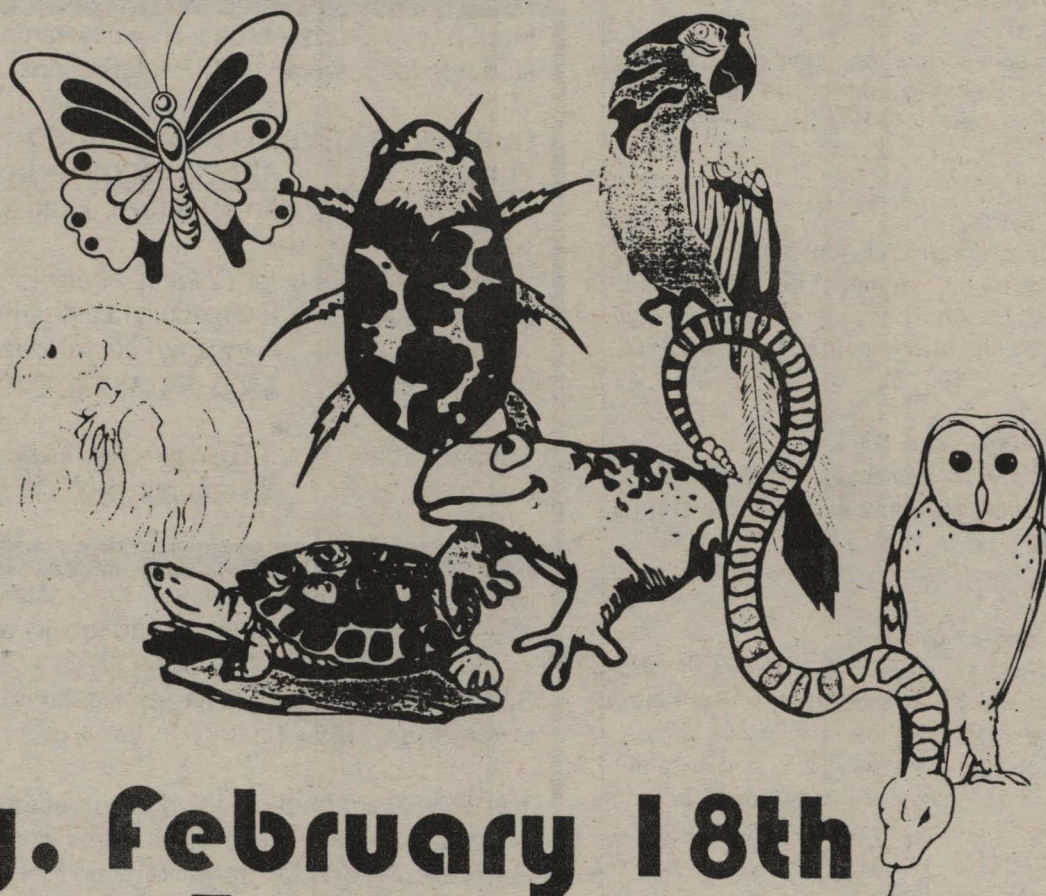
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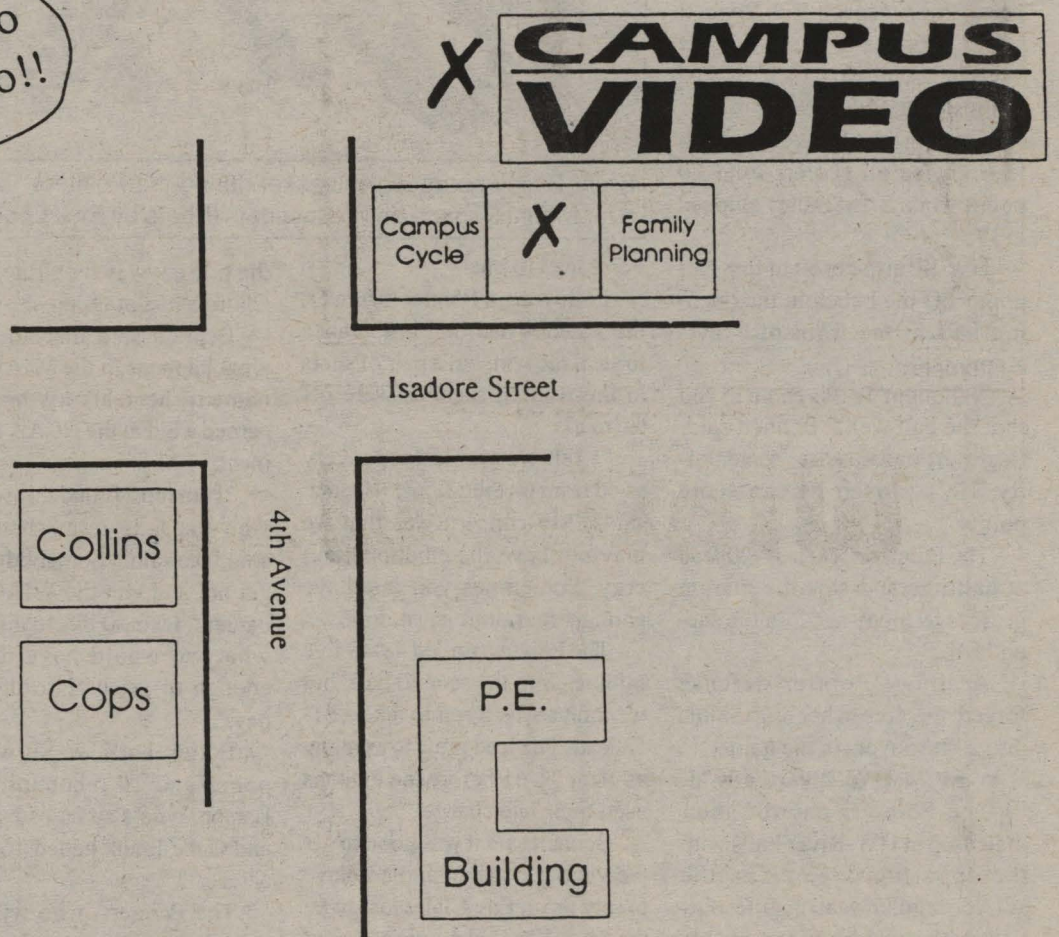
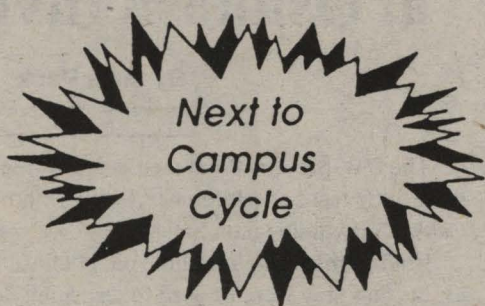
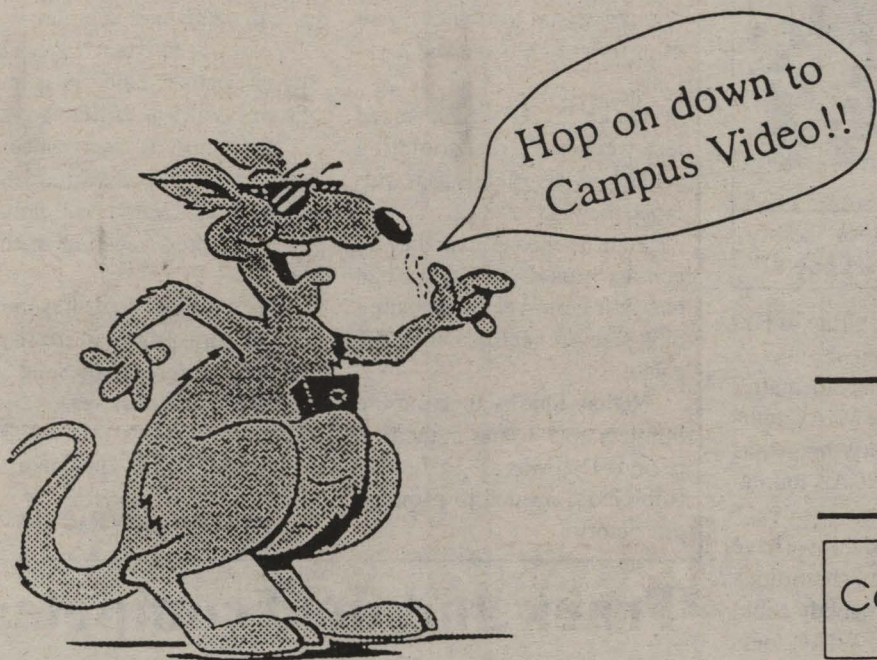




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## Point clinches WIAC title outright Men down Mt. Senario on the way to tournament

By Nick Brilowski  
SPORTS EDITOR

The last thing the UW-Stevens Point men's basketball team needed Wednesday night was a letdown.

Thanks to a hot start in their game with Mount Senario, the Pointers stretched their winning streak to seven with a 75-61 victory.

UW-SP (20-4 overall, 12-4 WIAC) jumped out to a 24-8 lead midway through the first half and was able to coast the rest of the way.

The Pointers used an 18-2 spurt to gain the early advantage.

"They were champions of their league and we were champions of ours," Pointer coach Jack Bennett said. "Twenty and four. That just has a magical ring to it. It just sounds better than 19-5."

Freshman forward Josh Iserloth led all scorers with 20 points while Brant Bailey chipped in 19.

UW-SP also got eight first half points off the bench in the opening half in the form of Travis Komowski.

"I thought Travis came in and shot the ball well," Bennett said. (Iserloth) has a scorer's mentality. He's proven he can score points."

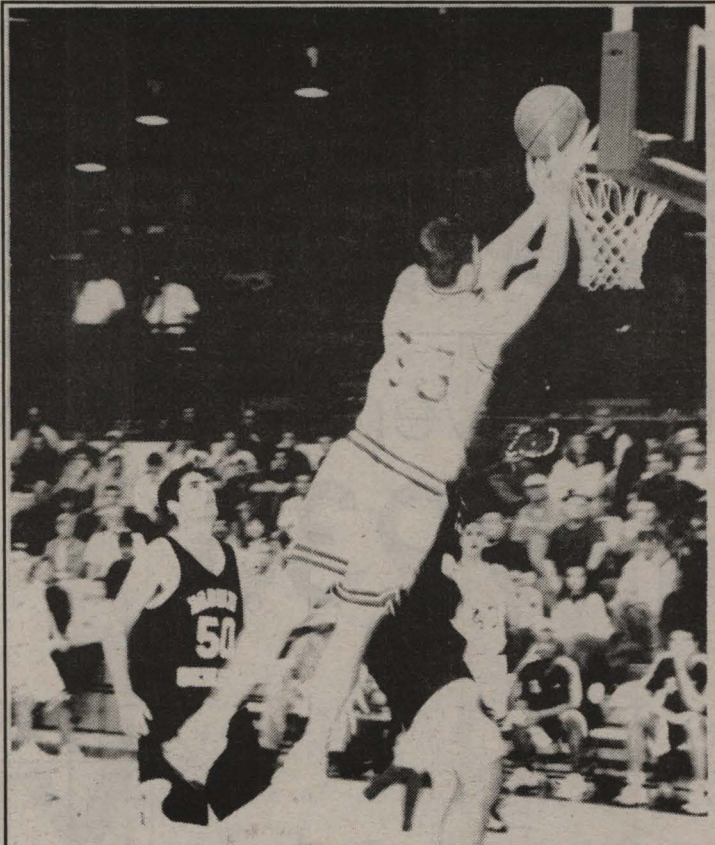
The Pointers held a 37-20 lead at halftime and saw the margin grow to as many as 22 in the second half.

A stingy Pointer defense forced the free-wheeling Saints into 23 turnovers in the game.

**UW-SP 74, UW-River Falls 73**

The Pointers entered their match-up at UW-River Falls with the opportunity to claim the WIAC regular season title outright with a victory and were able to hold off a frantic finish by the Falcons to win, 74-73.

UW-SP took a 71-61 lead on a lay-up by Joe Zuiker with 4:44 remaining in the game, but River Falls didn't quit, scoring 12 of the game's next 15 points to cut the



Brant Bailey soars to the basket during the Pointers' victory over Mount Senario on Wednesday. (Photo by Rick Ebberts)

Point lead to one.

Following a Pointer turnover, the Falcons had one last chance to steal the win, but a pair of shots in the waning seconds were off the mark.

"I felt we would face a very good team on their floor," Bennett said. "My concern was that we may not have the emotional energy. Sometimes you just have enough energy to get it done."

The Pointers trailed 48-43 five minutes into the second half, but went on an 18-5 run to take a 61-53 lead. The lead grew to as many as 10 at 71-61 before the Falcons used their late charge.

Bennett said it was good to get the victory outright and not have to rely on an Eau Claire loss to be the sole WIAC champion.

"It was nice to get it done on our own," Bennett stated. "I thought the best hope we had at mid-year was to share (the title). To win it outright and by two games is surprising."

UW-SP would have gained

the title anyway by virtue of Eau Claire's loss at Oshkosh.

Bennett said that no matter what happens in the WIAC tournament, he feels his team has earned a bid in the NCAA tournament.

"I am most proud that we have won the long-term championship," he said. "Somebody could get hot and win the WIAC tournament. I would like to think that what we would have done is enough to get us into the tournament."

Bailey led UW-SP with 24 points and 10 rebounds. Brent Larson, who also had six assists, and Gabe Frank added 16 points apiece.

The Pointers, who will have the home-court advantage throughout the WIAC tournament, will take on the winner of the Whitewater-La Crosse match-up on Tuesday night at the Quandt Fieldhouse. Tip-off is 7 p.m.

**UW-SP (75)** Zuiker 3-4 0-0 6, Benesh 0-1 0-0 0, Bailey 6-15 7-12 19, Larson 3-5 1-1 8, Frank 1-10 1-2 4, Kind 2-5 0-0 5, Bennett 0-1 2-2 2, Holen 0-2 0-0 0, Iserloth 4-6 11-12 20, Komowski 3-3 0-0 8, Pritzl 1-3 0-0 3. Totals 23-55 22-29 75.

**Mt. Senario (61)** Taylor 6-13 0-0 12, Nikolaidis 4-6 1-1 10, Brown 0-1 0-0 0, Eppes 2-9 1-2 5, Bullock 5-9 1-2 11, Parker 0-0 2-2 2, Willis 4-6 5-7 14, Hechtler 1-2 1-2 3, Krakovic 1-4 2-2 4. Totals 23-50 13-18 61.

**Rebounds:** UW-SP 31 (Bailey 7), MS 35. **Assists:** UW-SP 16 (Zuiker, Larson, Vosters 3), MS 6. **Turnovers:** UW-SP 14, MS 23. **Attendance:** 725

**UW-SP (74)** Zuiker 4-6 2-3 10, Larson 6-9 0-0 16, Bennett 3-7 0-0 8, Bailey 9-14 6-7 24, Frank 7-10 0-0 16, Vosters 0-1 0-0 0, Iserloth 0-3 0-0 0, Kornowski 0-1 0-0 0, Benesh 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 29-52 8-10 74.

**UW-River Falls (73)** Been 3-5 1-2 10, Timm 6-14 2-2 18, Becker 2-5 0-0 6, Ptacek 5-10 2-2 12, Johnson 7-9 1-1 15, Ott 1-1 0-0 2, DeWyre 1-6 0-0 3, Holman 2-6 0-0 5, Schrankel 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 28-57 6-7 73.

**Rebounds:** UW-SP 32 (Bailey 10), UW-RF 21. **Assists:** UW-SP 18 (Larson 6), UW-RF 20. **Turnovers:** UW-SP 14, UW-RF 8. **Attendance:** 825

## Hockey team captures NCHA season title

By Mike Peck  
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

The UW-Stevens Point hockey team won the Northern Collegiate Hockey Association regular season title last weekend, but still have a long road ahead of them before it reaches its ultimate goal.

"We are playing for the big game," said Pointer coach Joe Baldarotta referring to the NCAA playoffs.

"The first-place regular season champion very seldom wins the NCHA playoffs, but we are looking at this as a must win."

The Pointers wrapped up the regular season title with a pair of victories over Stout and River Falls.

On Friday, UW-SP avenged last weekend's disappointing setback to River Falls as it walloped the Falcons, 6-2.

Point jumped all over the Falcons early as Ryan Maxson had two first-period goals including one just 45 seconds into the game.

Nathan Shasby then put the Pointers up 3-1 later in the first period. That was all goaltender Bob Gould needed to preserve the victory.

On Saturday, the Pointers hopped on the back of Gould as he shut out the Stout Blue Devils for the second straight game, 2-0.

The Pointers wrapped up their first NCHA regular season title since 1993.

David Boehm and Randy Enders tallied goals for the Pointers.

Gould recorded 32 saves in the shutout effort to help secure home-ice advantage for the entire NCHA playoffs.

"We are the team to beat because we won the regular season title," said Baldarotta. "We don't care who we play. They have to come here and play."

Point will entertain College of St. Scholastica in the first round of the playoffs at Willett Arena.

"Right now St. Scholastica is the most dangerous team on the planet for us," stated Baldarotta. "They can knock us out of the playoffs."

The Pointers feel that they need to earn a little more than just another banner to hang in the rafters this post season.

"No one thinks that we are real good," said Baldarotta.

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## Track and field competes at Oshkosh Invitational

By Mike Peck  
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

The UW-Stevens Point men's and women's track and field teams got a little taste of conference competition as they competed in the Oshkosh Invitational on Saturday.

Both teams struggled a little bit, but the athletes were competing in events that they weren't used to, especially on the men's side.

"Nobody really showed much of anything," said men's coach Rick Witt. "It wasn't as good as a meet as everyone thought it would be."

On the bright side for the Pointers, Shane Suehring and Robbie Pieper finished one-two in the 3,000.

The distance-medley finished third in a stacked field, while Joel Schult also pulled out a pair of third-place finishes in the 35-pound weight toss and shot put.

"Everyone was kind of flat," said Witt. "They are just at the peak of their training."

The men finished fourth in the meet that featured the other two top teams in the conference, Oshkosh and La Crosse.

"I'm not worried yet," said Witt. "You expect these things to happen at this point of the season."

The women's team fared a little better, as they placed third. "I thought that we competed well against the top two teams in the conference," said women's coach Len Hill. "I felt Saturday we started competing, not just showing up and running."

Missy Kraemer led the women, winning the 600 while Leah Juno ran away with the 800.

Jodi Butkowski qualified provisionally for the national meet in the triple jump when she leaped 11.20 meters, good for second place.

Becky Lebak also captured a second-place finish as she ran a personal best 18:01 in the 5,000.

Megan Lundahl also qualified for Nationals in the high jump.

"We are in position where all of them can improve," said Hill. "I like the idea of stepping up. Each week you can improve and set a new personal standard."

Both teams will travel back to Oshkosh this weekend for a meet.

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## Women's basketball team closes out regular season play with victory

By Michelle Tesmer  
SPORTS REPORTER

The UW-Stevens Point women's basketball team finished off its regular season with a 65-51 victory over Marian College on Tuesday night at Berg Gym.

"After laying an egg against River Falls, we needed to get our confidence boosted," Pointer coach Shirley Egner said.

The Pointers started the game with a 9-0 run and never trailed throughout the game. Amie Schultz had 16 points and seven rebounds in the first half as UW-SP led 42-23 at halftime.

"That was probably our finest first half of the year," Egner stated.

"Our purpose for tonight's game, after dropping the game against River Falls, was just to play well and gain some confidence heading into the conference tournament."

Point dominated the boards in the first half, outrebounding the Sabres, 25-12.

Jessica Ott, who was honored in postgame ceremonies on Senior Night, added 12 points to her impressive career totals. Carry Boehning added 17 points, 13 of which came in the first half.

Schultz finished with a game-high 18 points and eight rebounds.

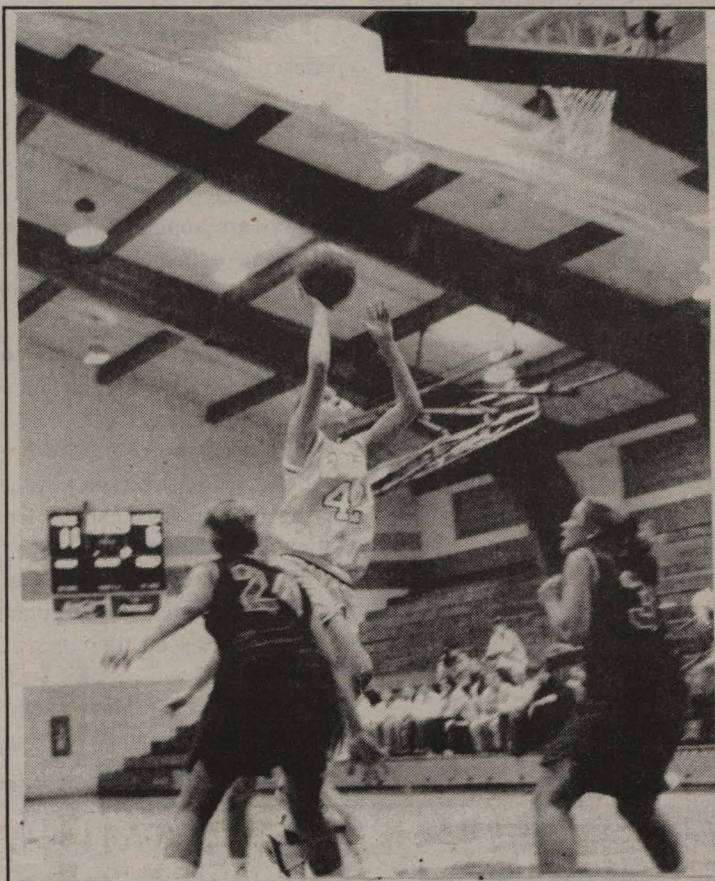
"Schultz has been our most consistent player the last two years," Egner added.

The Pointers led by as many as 28 in the second half, 51-23, before Marian was able to close the game on a 13-2 run as UW-SP cleared its bench.

The win was a positive lift as the Pointers were recovering from a 72-59 loss to UW-River Falls last Saturday.

After trailing by 17 early in the second half, the Pointers went on

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Carry Boehning goes up for a shot in the lane during the first half of UW-SP's game on Tuesday. (Photo by Rick Ebberts)

## Wrestlers get momentum heading into postseason

The UW-Stevens Point wrestling team rebounded from a shut-out loss to the top team in the country to capture a pair of dual meet victories over the weekend.

Friday night, the Pointers traveled to Minneapolis, Minn., to take on Augsburg College but were blanked by the number one ranked Auggies, 47-0.

Augsburg recorded three victories by pin, two by technical fall and four by major decision.

Bob Weix at 165 pounds was the only Pointer to hold an Auggie to a regular decision, falling to Tony Abbott, 10-6.

On Saturday, the Pointers rebounded to defeat a pair of WIAC opponents.

UW-SP opened the day with an impressive 39-8 victory at UW-River Falls.

Weix and Mitch Gehring at heavyweight recorded pins for the Pointers.

Darren Drummer, Brady Holtz, Mike Nechuta and Wes Kapping earned victories via de-

cision for UW-SP, while Jason Kleinschmidt and Nathan Preslaski benefited from forfeits.

The Pointers continued their busy Saturday by traveling to Eau Claire for a showdown with the Blugolds.

UW-SP showed no signs of weariness, defeating Eau Claire, 21-15.

Weix started off the meet with a 7-3 victory at 165 over Ryan Hayden.

Following a Pointer victory by Kapping, Eau Claire fought back to capture three of the next four matches to take a 12-9 lead.

Holtz got Point back on track with a 9-5 win at 133 pounds over Andy Franko and a Kleinschmidt decision by forfeit.

Following a Blugold win at 149 to cut the Pointer lead to 18-15, Preslaski sealed the victory with a 5-2 win in the final match of the meet.

UW-SP (3-8 overall, 3-3 WIAC) will travel to Oshkosh for the WIAC championships on Saturday.

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## The Week Ahead... UW-Stevens Point Athletics

**Hockey:** (NCHA Quarterfinals) St. Scholastica, Friday, 7:30 p.m.; St. Scholastica, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.

**Men's Basketball:** WIAC Quarterfinal vs. UW-Stout/UW-La Crosse winner, Tuesday, 7 p.m.

**Women's Basketball:** (WIAC Quarterfinal) At UW-Oshkosh, Monday, 7 p.m.

**Wrestling:** At WIAC Championships (UW-Oshkosh), Saturday, 9 a.m.

**Track and Field:** At UW-Platteville Invitational, Saturday.

**Swimming and Diving:** WIAC Championships, Thursday thru Saturday.

*All Home Games in Bold*

### Point lacrosse club competes at tourney

The UW-Stevens Point lacrosse team made a strong showing at its first-ever Upper Midwest Lacrosse League tournament, Feb. 4-6 in St. Cloud, Minn. This first tournament of the season played host to 12 club teams from three states.

Point took its first game Friday night with an 8-5 victory over St. Cloud State.

The Dawgs then played nationally-ranked Mankato St. Minn. and went down 11-2.

Midfielder Mark Gonzalez was the lone bright spot, putting in both Pointer goals.

Point ended the tourney with a thrilling game against league veteran St. Thomas (Minn). Midfielder Mike Whitehouse put together a multi-goal game, but the Dawgs couldn't overcome an early deficit and came up one goal short, 9-8.

The lacrosse team has a chance to avenge both losses at upcoming spring tournaments.

### Basketball

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a 17-5 run to get the game within five points, but River Falls hit 12 free throws in the second half to hold on for the victory.

Ott led UW-SP with 21 points while Boehning added 16 points and Megan Hodgson grabbed 12 rebounds.

UW-SP finished the regular season with an 11-13 overall mark and 5-11 in the WIAC.

They head to UW-Oshkosh on Monday night for the first round of the WIAC tournament.

**UW-SP (65)** Hodgson 2-3 0-0 4, Ott 4-13 0-0 12, Schultz 9-11 0-1 18, Boehning 8-10 1-1 17, Granger 0-1 0-0 0, Duven 0-5 0-0 0, Seaman 1-5 0-0 2, Peternell 0-1 0-0 0, Knier 1-2 0-0 2, Bauer 0-1 1-2 1, McGurk 2-5 0-0 5, Danielsen 1-1 0-0 2, Arndt 0-1 0-0 0, Trice 1-3 0-0 0. Totals 29-62 2-4 65.

**Marian (51)** Reckelberg 4-11 3-4 11, Harmsen 3-7 0-1 6, Engel 0-2 0-0 0, Holz 3-7 2-3 10, Covert 1-4 0-1 2, Doornek 1-2 0-0 2, Welch 4-11 0-0 10, Beyer 0-0 1-2 1, Jesuit 4-6 1-1 9. Totals 20-50 7-12 51.

**Rebounds:** UW-SP 37 (Schultz 8), Marian 26. **Assists:** UW-SP 16 (Schultz 5), Marian 10. **Turnovers:** UW-SP 15, Marian 15. **Attendance** 100.

**UW-SP (59)** Hodgson 3-3 1-2 7, Schultz 5-15 2-4 12, Bauer 0-1 0-1 0, Ott 6-14 7-8 21, Granger 1-1 1-3 3, Duven 0-1 0-0 0, Seaman 0-4 0-0 0, Knier 0-1 0-0 0, Boehning 7-11 2-3 16. Totals 22-51 13-21 59.

**UW-RF (72)** Sieburg 1-4 8-10 10, Stouvenel 7-9 2-2 18, Long 4-6 5-6 13, Reif-Wenner 0-1 0-0 0, Olson 5-13 3-3 14, Nelson 1-2 0-0 2, Gefeke 1-7 0-0 3, Bartsch 0-2 0-0 0, Pollock 2-5 0-0 5, Wakefield 3-3 1-2 7. Totals 24-52 19-23 72.

**Rebounds:** UW-SP 33 (Hodgson 12), UW-RF 31. **Assists:** UW-SP 9 (Schultz 3), UW-RF 16. **Turnovers:** UW-SP 24, UW-RF 19. **Attendance** 358.

### Hockey

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"Not everyone respects us yet and they don't think that we are very deep.

"We are deep and are very experienced. We have about 16 guys that have played in the national championship game."

St. Scholastica will be looking to pull off the major upset, but the Pointers are hoping to take full advantage of the home ice.

"I don't think anybody wants to come here to play us," said Baldarotta. "By having home-ice it's worth about two goals, plus we have the crowd."

The sixth-ranked Pointers head into the post-season having played five of the other top ten nationally-ranked teams.

"We don't care who we play because we've played just about everyone that's up there," said Baldarotta.

This weekend's first round NCHA playoff games with the

Saints face-off at 7:30 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday.

If the teams split the first two games there will be a mini-game immediately following Saturday night's showdown.

**UW-SP** 0 1 1 -- 2  
**UW-Stout** 0 0 0 -- 0

**Second Period**

**UW-SP** - Boehm (Strassman, Salienko), pp, 13:14.

**Third Period**

**UW-SP** - Enders (Boehm, Kochan), pp, 9:05.

**Shots on goal:** UW-SP: 31, UW-S: 32.

**Goalie saves:** UW-SP: Gould 32; UW-S: Wiskie 29.

**UW-SP** 3 0 3 -- 6  
**UW-RF** 1 0 1 -- 2

**Scoring**

**First Period**

**UW-SP** - Maxson (Toninato), 0:45. **UW-RF** - Kragthorpe (Hanrahan, Reres), 9:31. **UW-SP** - Maxson (Drayna), 13:46. **UW-SP** - Shasby (Salienko, Boehm), 17:01.

**Third Period**

**UW-SP** - Drayna (Toninato, Strassman), pp, 6:49. **UW-SP** - Michalski (Salienko, Westergaard), 9:30. **UW-RF** - Toninato (Maxson, Enders), 12:22. **UW-RF** - Martinson (Bernard), 16:36. **Shots on goal:** UW-SP: 51, UW-RF: 27. **Goalie saves:** UW-SP: Gould 25; UW-RF: Vezina 45.

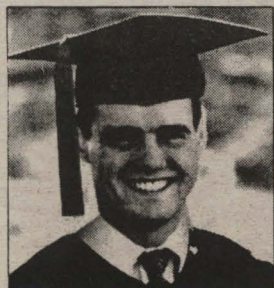
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### Quote of the Week

“ Me and David Stern need to clear our differences. Like I said last night, let's get into the ring. He gets naked, I get naked and let's go in and get it on, brother. ”

-Dennis Rodman following the announcement of his one-game suspension after getting ejected during the Dallas Mavericks' game with the Milwaukee Bucks on Tuesday night. -ESPN.com

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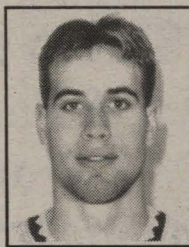
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## SENIOR SPOTLIGHT BRANT BAILEY - BASKETBALL



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### UW-SP Career Highlights

- Holds UW-SP record for points in a game (39)
- Holds WIAC record for free-throws attempted and made in a season
- First-team all-WIAC (1998-'99)

**Hometown:** Wisconsin Dells, Wis.

**Major:** Communication

**Most Memorable Moment:** Going to the Elite Eight my freshman year.

**Who was your idol growing up?:** Michael Jordan. I always watched him play and I always bought his shoes and posters. He was the man.

**What do you plan to do after you graduate?:** Hopefully play basketball overseas or in the CBA.

**Biggest achievement in sports:** Winning the conference title this year.

**Favorite aspect of basketball:** Just the camaraderie of all the teammates. All of the friends I've had and all of the friends I've lost.

**Most Embarrassing Moment:** Getting chewed out for ordering a strawberry milkshake for a pregame meal.

**What will you remember most about playing basketball at UW-SP?:** Going out every night and playing the best, knowing you've got 12 guys to back you up every time and be your best friend.





## SGA

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"Students feel like they've been shut out of the process," said Taylor. "The student regent is a non-elected position and students don't feel like Joe is representative of the approximately 142,000 students in the UW System," she added.

Alexander is a UW-Madison junior majoring in political science and business finance. He has not served in student government in Madison or any of the other shared governance committees. He also has never been a member of any student organizations.

In a November press release, Thompson was quoted saying, "(Alexander) brings to the board a rare leadership quality that can motivate and inspire young people to get and stay involved in their schools in their communities."

"Because of his family upbringing he was a perfect choice for Governor Thompson," said Michael Roth, SGA legislative issues director. "Joe's father contributed heavily to Tommy Thompson's campaign... Regent Moh and the Alexander family are very close friends."

Joe Alexander is a member of the National and Community Service Board, AIDS Walk Wisconsin Team Leader, and has volunteered with Habitat for Humanity. He also ran unsuccessfully for Dane County Board of Supervisors in 1998.

UW-SP Chancellor Thomas George, who met Alexander on his two visits to campus, said, "He has shown a dedicated interest in the UW System and this campus."

The 17-member Board of Regents governs the UW System, sets admission standards, approves the university budgets, plans for the future of public higher education in the state and appoints some high ranking administrators in the UW System.

Because of the power the Board of Regents holds, UW students want to see themselves fairly represented.

"There is no higher form of governance than the Board of Regents," said Halverson. "The process violates shared governance because of the fact that this individual was not forwarded by the search and screen committee


that was composed of students," he added.

Representative Lassa said she "would be happy to help with the proposal and possibly get the ball rolling."

Lassa noted that the State Senate still has not yet confirmed Alexander's appointment to the Board of Regents, and if students want to voice their concerns they should call State Senator Kevin Shibilski.

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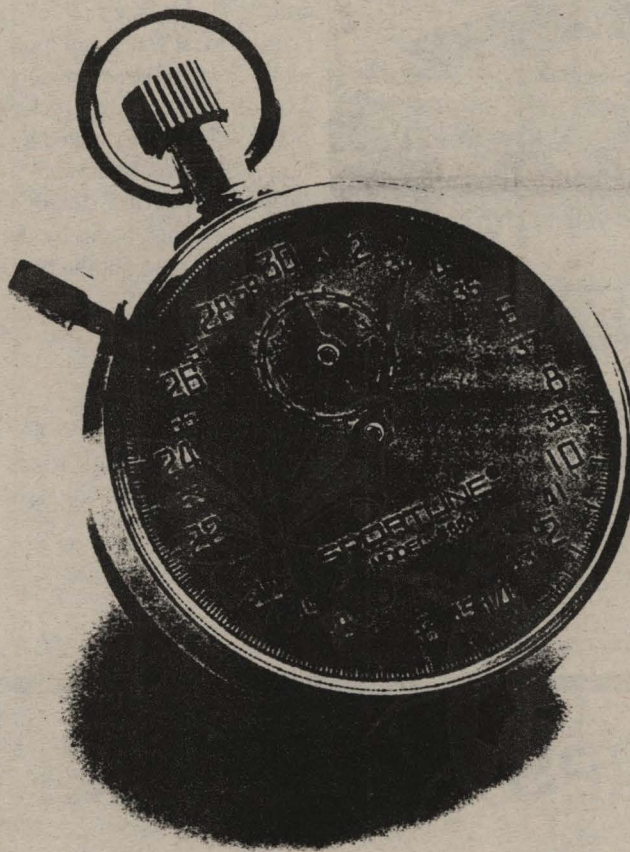
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## Don't give up on late-winter walleyes

By Ryan Gilligan  
OUTDOORS EDITOR

The eager, hungry walleyes of early ice have long since disappeared from local waters. Yes, those fish that forgave your willy-nilly tip-up spread and less than lively minnows, feeding voraciously through low pressure systems have vanished. Or have they?

The fish are still there, but have most likely transformed themselves into ornery, stubborn

creatures determined to resist the temptation to open their toothy mouths to even the juiciest looking shiner that wiggles in front of their noses.

Catching this new breed of fish is a daunting undertaking. Along with the fact that fish activity always seems to naturally dwindle in February, anglers have also been putting pressure on the best spots all season, making already sluggish fish extremely finicky.

Using lighter tackle and a more delicate presentation is sometimes all it takes to trigger

a few strikes from otherwise inactive fish.

Lately, I've had success with replacing my monofilament tip-up leaders with new "superlines" such as Fireline. Their lower visibility seems to help persuade fussy fish to bite when action is slow. Such lines have greater strength and are less likely to break on the edge of the ice as fish make runs near the hole.

Using small jigging spoons tipped with small fatheads or just a minnow's head is also worth a try when jigging.

Perhaps the best way to put some walleyes on the ice at this time of year is to be brave enough to set out on your own and try the places no one else has been fishing.

Usually, most people seem to be a little reluctant to steer clear of the usual cluster of ice-shanties that sits on just about every lake. Rather, they find comfort in the typically false impression that if so many other people are fishing in the area, they must be catching fish.

Instead of following the crowds, buy a lake map of your favorite local water and look for subtle areas of structure such as drop-offs, channels and rock piles that have been overlooked by the hordes of other fishermen.

When scouting out one of these new spots, begin by doing your best to map out the bottom.

Drill a long line of holes across the area you expect to find the structure, taking the exact depth of each hole until you find the structure. In situations like this, electronics are a huge help.

When you find the hump or drop-off you plan to fish, spread out

your tip-ups as much as you can over the drop-off and the surrounding area. Since action at this time of year is usually hit or miss and fish are concentrated in certain spots, it's not uncommon to catch most fish out of just a few holes. Don't be afraid to pull lines out of slow holes and concentrate your holes around the areas that are producing fish.

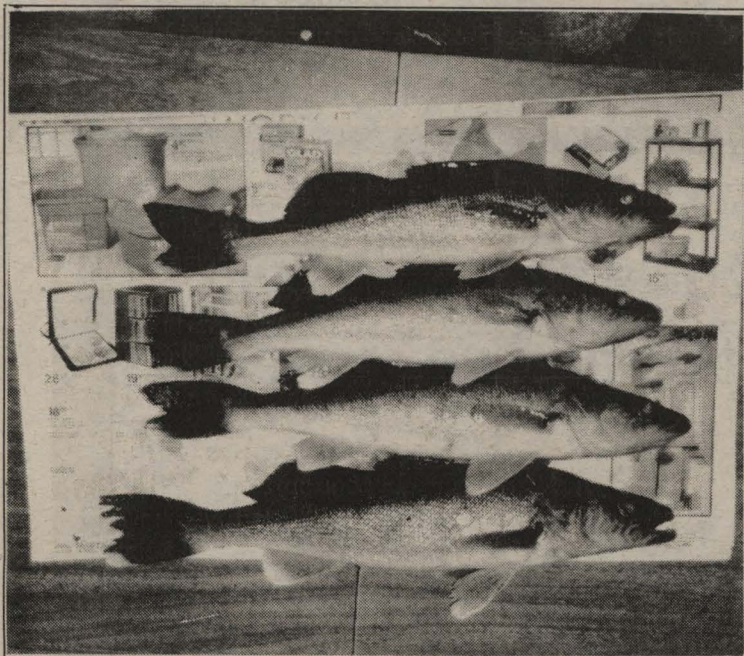
For example, on a recent trip, 90 percent of the walleyes we caught came out of about a 10 by 10 foot area. There was no depth difference between the holes in that area and all of the others we had drilled.

When the action picked up, we moved all of our other tip-ups into that small area. Who knows why that spot produced fish while others holes just feet away didn't, but by moving our lines into the area, we were able to capitalize on the opportunity and caught fish we would have never caught by being patient with our other spots.

Finally, though it may be easy to get frustrated by long days on the ice that don't always result in fish dinners, with a little patience and persistence it is possible to haul in some lunker walleyes in late winter.



Toby Witkowski caught this 22 1/2-inch walleye on a recent fishing trip. (Submitted photo)



Getting away from the crowds can help you catch nice walleyes like this. (Submitted photo)



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## UW-SP to host colloquium series Programs will focus on conservation

The College of Natural Resources and Biology department at UW-Stevens Point will present a colloquium series focusing on the theme "Current Issues in Conservation Biology" this spring. The seven-part series will feature experts from a variety of backgrounds and disciplines.

The objective of the series aims to expose the UW-SP faculty, students and the general public to new research, issues and ideas.

The series will be held Wednesdays from 4 p.m. to 4:50 p.m. on Feb. 16 and 23, March 1, 8, 22 and 29, and April 19 in Room 170 of the CNR building. A double colloquium session will be held on March 1, with the first session from 3 p.m. to 3:50 p.m., followed by another from 4 p.m. to 4:50 p.m. The public is invited to all sessions.

The speaker for Feb. 16 will be Kris Brye, a research associate in the department of soil science at UW-Madison. Brye's presentation will be "Nitrate Leaching and Groundwater Quality: The Saga Continues."

Brye, who received a bachelor's degree in soil science from UW-SP in 1995 and master's and doctorate degrees from UW-Madison, has research expertise in evaluating water balance, nitrate and carbon budgets and drainage characteristics in natural prairies and agricultural ecosystems. His work has been published in several national soil science and agronomy publications.

Future presentations include: "Salmon, and Mice, and Bears, Oh My! Using Conservation Genetics to Monitor Animal Dispersal" by Peter Waser, professor of biology at Purdue University; "The Once and Future Land Ethic: Strengthening the Foundations of Conservation in the New Century" by Curt Meine, UW-Madison; "Sustainability of Healthy Ecosystems: Can Forest Certification Make a Difference?" by Fred Clark, Clark Forestry of Baraboo; "Cranberries, Wetlands and Water Quality: Wisconsin's Favored Fruit" by Charlie Luthin, director of the Wisconsin Wetlands Association; "Exotic Species Invasions: Purple Loostrike in Wisconsin's Inland Waters" by David Blumer, Wis. DNR, Chetek; "Status of Elk Reintroduction in Wisconsin" by Bill Mytton, Wis. DNR, Madison; and "Delisting of the American Bald Eagle" by James Grier, professor of zoology, North Dakota State University.



## Wanderings

By Lisa Rothe  
ASSISTANT OUTDOORS EDITOR

I've decided to tell Winter what I really think. That's right, throw at it some colorful words and a right hook, knocking sense into its frozen head.

Honestly, do you think we deserve the cold front, warm front, the sun, the clouds, snow and rain all to visit us on the same day? Wisconsin, land of cows and frozen tundra, where the sun doesn't wink in the morning until after the roosters cockle-doodle-do a million times, curls beneath a scratchy, wool blanket once the snow falls.

Winter drifts in with moodiness as we shovel out beneath its crystalline wrath, piling its crankiness beside sidewalks and driveways.

So I'm wondering how I can convince Spring to kindly coax the snow to rain and the grayness to patchy clouds with sunshine. What kind of peace offering would be appropriate to the season that encourages blooming of wildflowers and softly nudges animals to crawl from their burrows and tree trunks? I don't think a naked twig and a hardened, sand-saturated slush puppy would be enough to bring Spring early. Until then, stay warm, stay clean and watch out for deep puddles.

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## Public to vote on permanent early trout season

Trout anglers will have the chance to vote on a proposed permanent early catch and release trout season on April 10.

The season, proposed by the state Natural Resources Board, will be one of the issues featured during the Department of Natural Resources Spring Fish and Wildlife Rules Hearings, which will be held April 10 in all 72 counties in conjunction with the Wisconsin Conservation Congress' county meetings.

The hearings are open to all citizens, and the Natural Resource Board will consider the vote results when it weighs whether or not to adopt the proposed permanent season.

Under the proposal, the early catch and release season would open March 1 on specific streams in northeast counties and on all trout streams—with the exception of a few sensitive streams in the rest of the state.

Local DNR fisheries biologists in northeast Wisconsin recommended streams in their area that would be reasonably fishable using spin-casting and fly-fishing equipment and easily regulated. They also had the option of closing sensitive streams to protect spawning areas or concentrated trout populations.

Anglers would be required to

use artificial lures and flies, and to use and possess only barbless hooks. The season would close five days before the regular season opener to give fish a rest and allow stocked fish to acclimate to the streams.

The proposed permanent season structure was developed by the early trout season task force, which was appointed by the Natural Resources Board in 1999 to come up with a compromise to the current early season in effect since 1997.

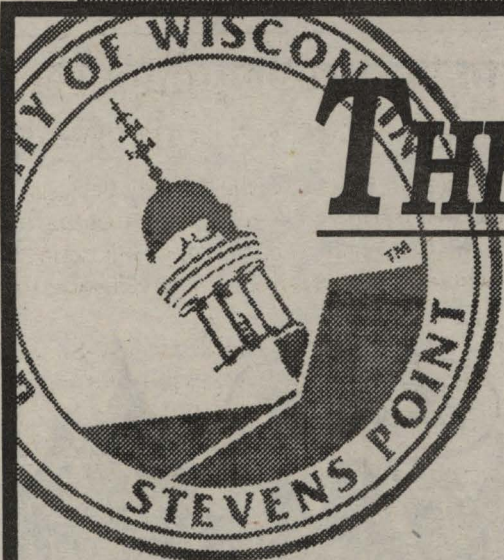
"The task force worked hard to develop a proposal that every-

one could live with," said Larry Claggett, task force co-chair and a DNR trout expert. "Now anglers, particularly people who like to fish in the northeast part of the state, will want to look at the list to see if they agree with it and make their wishes known at the spring hearings."

The DNR supports making an early catch and release season a permanent part of Wisconsin's outdoor calendar because many people enjoy having the additional fishing opportunity and trout reproduction isn't affected, Claggett said.



Joe Shead caught this brown trout on opening day of the 1998 early trout season. (Photo by Joe Shead)



## THE WEEK IN POINT!

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Recreational Services SUPERIOR HIKING TRAIL WINTER CAMPING TRIP (Sign-Up at Rec. Serv., AC)  
Campus Act. Presents: BUDDY HOLLY WINTER DANCE PARTY, 7:30PM (Sentry)

Mainstage Theatre Prod.: *AS YOU LIKE IT*, 7:30PM (Jenkins Theatre-FAB)

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19

Recreational Services SUPERIOR HIKING TRAIL WINTER CAMPING TRIP (Sign-Up at Rec. Serv., AC)  
Suzuki Marathon, 9AM-12N (FAB)

Wrestling, WIAC Championship, 9AM (Oshkosh)

GOSPEL CHOIR FESTIVAL, 7PM (Holiday Inn)

Mainstage Theatre Prod.: *AS YOU LIKE IT*, 7:30PM (Jenkins Theatre-FAB)  
"Walk on the Moon," Supernova Semi-Formal Coordinated by Roach Hall, 8PM (Allen Center Upper Level)

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### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Carlsten Art Gallery Exhibit: STATE-WIDE STUDENT GRAPHIC DESIGN EXHIBITION Thru 3/10 (FAB)  
Recreational Serv. Mini-Course: SNOWSHOE CONSTRUCTION, 6:30-8PM (Sign-Up at Rec. Serv.-AC)

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Planetarium Series: NIGHT SKY PROGRAM, 8:00 PM (Sci. Bldg.)

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Centertainment Prod.-Issues & Ideas Presents: SWING DANCE BEGINNING COURSE, 6:30 PM & BEGINNING LATIN DANCE COURSE, 8PM (Alumni Rm.-UC)

Perf. Arts: REBECCA BLOOMFIELD, Actor, 7:30PM (Laird Rm.-UC)

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CASIO, Career Serv. & SOURCE Presents: An ETIQUETTE DINNER, 4:30-7PM (Alumni Rm.-UC)

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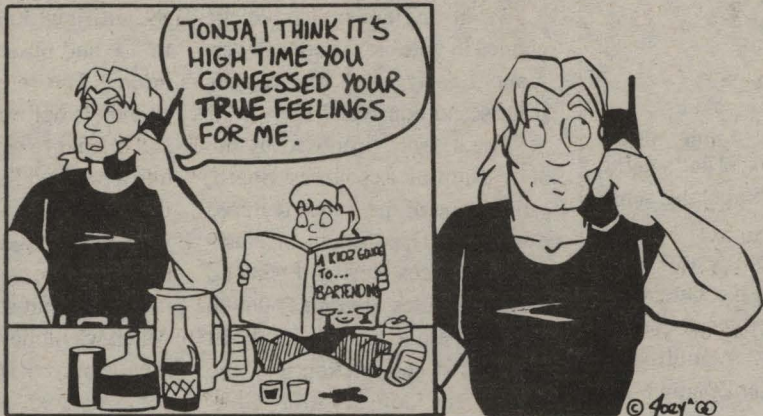


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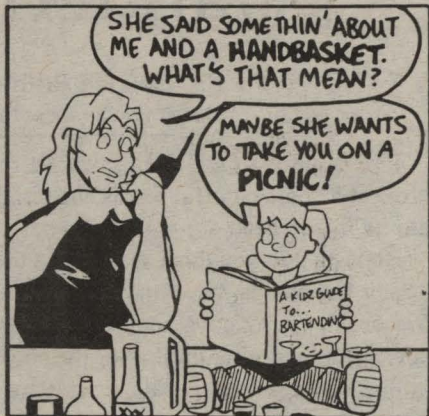


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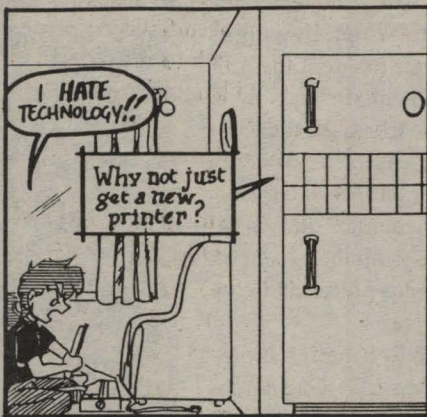


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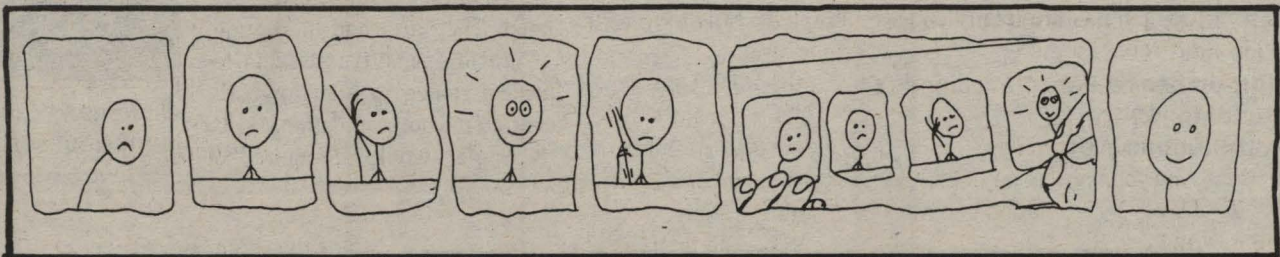
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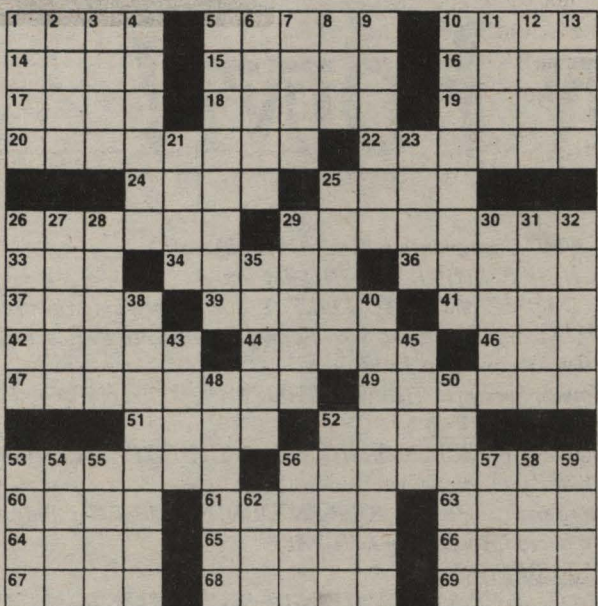
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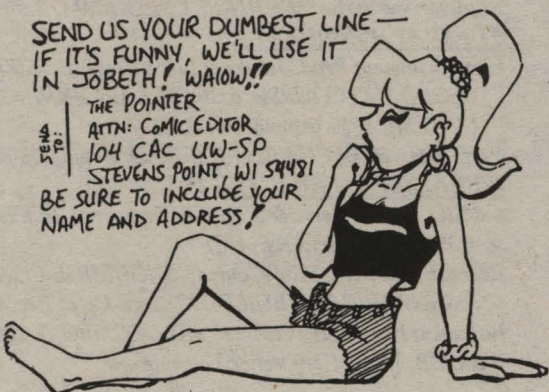


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## Your College Survival Guide Anatomy of a JoBeth

By Pat "Help Me" Rothfuss  
with additional reporting by BJ Hiorns

I recently had the opportunity to sit down with the sweetheart of the comics page, JoBeth. She's been called "the epitome of stupidity" and "everybody else's girl," but I wanted to dig deeper into what makes this girl tick. The deeper I dug, the more I found out that with JoBeth, there is no "deeper" and nothing really ticks.

Pat Rothfuss: So JoBeth. Thanks for coming out to the Pointer office today.

JoBeth: [giggles] You're like, cute in a fuzzy kinda way.

PR: Thanks. Anyway, um, just out of personal curiosity—

JB: Oh, they're totally real.

PR: Er. That's good to know. But I was going to ask what your last name is.

JB: Oops! My bad! [giggles] Let's see.....ummmm.....I really don't know. But my maiden name is JoBeth.

PR: Okay... Any siblings? Your parents?

JB: My parents are totally cool! They kept my room absolutely the same as it was before I still lived with them!

PR: And your siblings?

JB: Oh, that cleared up.

PR: And your current boyfriend—

JB: Davey? He's soooo into me, it's like, wow!

PR: Last I heard he tried to drop a piano on you.

JB: Isn't that cool? Nobody's ever done that to me before! And like, I know he's kinda bashful n'stuff, but that's just the way he is. Can I say hi to

him? Is he gonna read this?

PR: Probably not.

JB: [waving at my tape recorder] Hiiiiiii Danny!

PR: Has fame gone to your head?

JB: No, silly! But I got hit in the head with a volleyball once.

PR: That must've hurt.

JB: HUUUUH?

PR: Getting hit in the head with a volleyball.

JB: Oh, you poor thing!



PR: Never mind. Well, I'm sure a lot of the people on campus want to know—

JB: [starting to lift her top] Okay!

PR: NO! NO NO!! I just want to know what it's like, having your own comic strip.

JB: Oh! Oopsie! [giggles] Well it's totally bitchin'! I like, drive to the studio in my car—I named it "Car" 'cos I can't remember if I call it anything else.

PR: Lovely.

JB: And then they have me hold stuff or pose and like I really use all my acting skill and then they sit down and they draw me and they tell me not to scratch my nose and they draw some more and they tell me to stop looking out the window and they draw some

more and then I hafta pee, and then they draw some more—

PR: Which is why it's only a weekly comic strip.

JB: Fer sher! [giggles] But they're all really sweet and we have so much fun!

PR: So who comes up with the joke each week?

JB: HUUUUH?

PR: Who writes your dialogue every week?

JB: Oh I hate cell phones.

PR: Who.....writes....what you say?

JB: Oh, I just say stuff, y'know? [Creators] BJ [Hiorns] and Joey [Hetz] usually write lots of stuff when I'm modeling, and I just talk to them and they keep writing and laughing and pointing at me and stuff. It's way neat!

PR: Great. Look, could you do me a favor?

JB: [starting to lift her top] Okay!

PR: NO! NO NO! I just want to ask you what color your eyes are.

JB: HUUUUH?

PR: Your eyes. They're always closed.

JB: They are?

PR: Could you open them for me?

JB: They're not open?

PR: What color are your eyes?

JB: [giggles] I dunno.

PR: Please open your eyes.

JB: HUUUUH?

PR: Would you just open your stupid eyes, you dumb, blonde, useless—!!

[At this point there is a scuffle, during which the tape recorder is knocked off the table and unplugged. We regret we cannot bring you the remainder of the interview at this time. Mr. Rothfuss will continue the interview following extensive rehabilitation.]

## The Pointer 10 With 90FM

Premiering this week, The Pointer is proud to present the top 10 most requested songs played on 90fm! So stay tune to find out what are your friends listening to! We also invite you to tell us what are your top 10 favorites. Please send your submissions to kchen040@uwsu.edu with the subject heading- Top 10.

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7. **King of the Road**  
Fu Man Chu
8. **Hello My Friends, Do You Read Me?**  
Tam!
9. **Monte Carlo**  
Digger
10. **Build Nothing Out of Something**  
Modest Mouse

## An Illusion of Masculinity

By Kelvin Chen

How will you like it? To be honest, if the production of "As You Like It" were some drag show featuring a bunch of women cross-dressing it would totally flop. The illusion of masculinity is as superficial as the mascara and lipstick, and not to mention the acting of the lead actress.

However, if we were to look at the play as a serious Shakespearean comedy then there is little to laugh about. The cast lacks the natural mirth and merriment as depicted by their characters; and the performance of the comedy sadly descends into what looks like a punishment on the some of the actors' part a recitation of Shakespeare.

The fault with the performance is the over play of the masculine "theme" as we see the lead actress doing her best to act like a guy to the point where it is just overdone. An occasional grab of the crotch and swagger is fine. The masculinity works well on a subtle level; but too much of swaggering and over the top campiness misinterpreted as masculinity just to make the

audience laugh, makes the production look like some cheap carbon copy of "Victor Victoria." There is not enough testosterone on the stage to redeem the act. Added to that is the stereotype of the male species as crotch-grabbing animals is just offending at times; besides this is not a Michael Jackson impersonation contest.

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Kurt Meyer who plays the dual roles of the Duke Senior and Duke Frederick plays the latter role as if participating some shouting contest to the point where you expect him to have a heart seizure any moment on stage.

One of the most farcical scenes in the play is the wrestling match between the characters Orlando and his opponent, Charles. Watching the WWF on television is more convincing than watching those two guys in a performance of wrestling.

What makes "As You Like It"

likable is the Erté inspired costumes for the Duke Frederick's court. Costume designer Susan Sherwin did a fantastic job highlighting the richness of the court with the ivory and cream hues of the costumes in contrast with the more earthtone-based clothing to depict the court of the exiled Duke.

What makes the play enjoyable as well is the innovative stage design. The creative use of stain glass panels to represent the forest with its changing seasons creates an elegant and simple design that compliments well with Susan Sherwin's costumes.

Luke Gibson delivers an excellent performance as Orlando. He delivers his lines with a natural flair for Shakespeare albeit a little awkward in the beginning. Clare Arena does a great job as Celia, the cousin and sidekick to Rosalind. She is vivacious and never is a scene with her boring. On several occasions, it is her supporting performance that made the play lively.

"As You Like It" will continue to run until Feb 19, 2000 at the Rodgers Theatre.

## Snap Into It!!!

90 FM CD Review

by Aric Otzelberger

It's always refreshing to hear a heavy band with positive messages of individuality and self-realization. After all, that is the true nature of the hardcore genre. One of the most influential hardcore bands in the nation is Buffalo's Snapcase.

Snapcase's latest release, "Designs for Automation," will soon be a classic in heavy music. The album is a dynamic, complex effort that transcends the limits of hardcore music. In fact, "Designs for Automation" will even strike a chord with non-hardcore fans. As long as you enjoy heavy music, this record will be up your alley.

"Designs for Automation" is filled with multi-layered guitars, driving drumbeats, and heart-felt vocals. The whole album is solid. For starters, I recommend "Target," "Energy Dome," and "Ambition Now."

Explosive and emotional, Snapcase plays to have fun and convey a positive message. They have been sought out by many bands to be part of some high-profile tours, the most notable of which being the Warped Tour and the Deftones U.S. tour. Both tours have not only added to Snapcase's fan-base, but have also caused the respect of their peers and the music industry to grow.

If you are a fan of heavy bands like the Deftones or hardcore bands like Sick of It All and Good Riddance, you will love Snapcase. I also highly recommend their 1997 release "Progression Through Unlearning." If you want to check them out live, they will be playing at The Globe East in Milwaukee on February 26th.

Check out Snapcase on 90 FM. The request line is always open at 346-2696. If you are in the mood for some great live music, Vent will be playing this Friday at Witz End. The show starts at 9:30 with opening act The Weizenheimers.





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## Racial

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In a move to curb racial profiling, universities, organizations and government officials across the nation have been advocating racial profiling provisions. These provisions require police officers to record all searches conducted, if the person consented to the search and whether the search resulted in the person's arrest or citation.

Governor Tommy Thompson vetoed this racial profiling provision because, "it creates an unfunded burden on local law enforcement and the Department of Justice."

The governor's veto decision was not met with approval by many state representatives. State Representative Antonio R. Riley, led democrats in the Assembly to push to override Thompson's veto.

In a November press release, Riley said, "Governor Thompson's first priority is to make sure the police aren't overworked. But what about the rights of citizens?"

"I think the rights of citizens, including the rights of African-Americans who drive, should take precedence over inconveniencing the police who are, after all, our public servants," added Riley.

Senator Gwendolynne Moore is also a strong supporter of the bill.

She included a measure to collect statistics in response to the growing problem of racial profiling used by Wisconsin's law enforcement agencies.

"Termed 'Driving while Black' or 'Driving while Hispanic' by those patrons affected, the problem of racial profiling is a national phenomenon which targets minorities for increased stops and searches of motor vehicles by law enforcement officers," said Moore in her memorandum to Wisconsin legislative Black & Hispanic Caucus Members in July last year.

Senator Moore also pointed out that President Clinton issued an executive order in June of last year to all federal law enforcement officials to collect data on the race and gender of people they stop to question or arrest. In her memorandum, Moore quoted Clinton, saying that he called racial profiling a "morally indefensible, deeply corrosive practice."

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	Small	Medium	Large	X-Large
<b>Creole Topper™</b>	\$8.99	\$12.99	\$14.99	\$20.99

New Orleans cookin' on a pizza! Cajun sauce with spicy chicken, andouille sausage, onions, jalapeños, red peppers, tomatoes and cheddar and mozzarella cheeses.

	Small	Medium	Large	X-Large
<b>Bacon Cheddar Cheeseburger</b>	\$7.99	\$11.99	\$13.99	\$18.99

We load it up with lean ground beef, real bacon and a cheddar-mozzarella blend. Tomatoes and onions on the side.

	Small	Medium	Large	X-Large
<b>Maul Topper™</b>	\$7.49	\$9.99	\$12.99	\$18.99

A tropical feast without the jet lag. It's loaded with ham, pineapple and a sprinkle of real bacon.

**Second Pizza of same value: Small - \$6; Medium - \$8; Large - \$10; X-Large - \$12**

## GRINDERS

Topper's oven-baked grinders are a sandwich-lover's dream with fresh deli meats and cheeses toasted to savory perfection on French bread. Top it with crisp lettuce, ripe tomatoes, onions, oil & vinegar, mayo, mustard, and brown mustard.

6-inch	\$3.69
12-inch	\$6.79
potato chips	59¢

**Ham and Cheese**  
Piled high with lean ham and provolone cheese

**Turkey and Cheese**  
Mounds of turkey smothered in provolone cheese

**Veggie**  
Provolone cheese melted on mushrooms, onions, green peppers and tomatoes

**Italian**  
A classic combination of ham, salami, pepperoni and provolone cheese with Italian dressing

**Club**  
Ham, turkey and bacon covered with provolone cheese

**Pizza Grinder**  
Hot pizza on a bun. Your choice of two pizza toppings.

## cold DRINKS

Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Coke, Diet Coke, Cherry Coke, Dr. Pepper, Mountain Dew, A&W, Sprite  
Cans 65¢ each  
Six Packs \$3.29

## BUILD YOUR OWN pizzas

Just pick your favorite toppers. We'll pile them high and smother the whole thing in mozzarella. Regular or thick crust - same good price.

	Small	Medium	Large	X-Large
Cheese	\$5.99	\$7.49	\$8.99	\$12.99
Add'l Toppers (price per topper)	89¢	\$1.09	\$1.29	\$1.89
2nd Pizza	\$4.99	\$5.99	\$6.99	\$9.99

### Pizza Toppers

pepperoni, mushrooms, pineapple, tomatoes, ground beef, sausage, onions, green peppers, anchovies, cheddar cheese, extra mozzarella, ham, bacon, banana peppers, ripe olives, spinach, green olives, jalapeños

## SALADS

Cool, crisp, entree-sized salads that will satisfy your hunger for a healthy choice. Dressings: Ranch, Fat Free Ranch, Parmesan Peppercorn, Blue Cheese, Caesar, Thousand Island, Italian or Vinaigrette.

**Garden Salad**  
Tomatoes, cheddar cheese and croutons with mixed greens and your choice of dressings \$3.39

**Chef Salad**  
Turkey, provolone and cheddar cheeses, plum tomatoes and seasoned croutons on mixed greens \$4.99

**Chicken Caesar Salad**  
Mixed greens topped with baked marinated chicken, roma tomatoes, black olives, fresh Parmesan cheese and Caesar or your choice of dressings \$5.49

**Taco Salad**  
Taco meat, tortilla chips, diced tomatoes, olives, cheddar cheese and green onions on mixed greens. Sour cream, salsa or your choice of dressings \$4.99

## BREADSTIX™

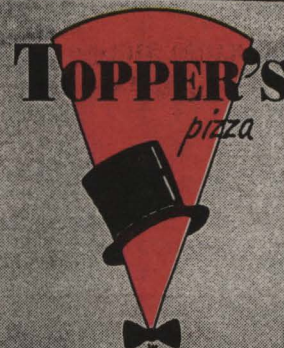
These are the breadstix™ that are making Topper's famous. Fresh from our kitchen and served with your choice of pizza sauce, garlic butter, nacho cheese or ranch dressing.

Single Order \$2.59  
Triple Order™ \$6.99

## BUFFALO WINGS

Topper's wings are plump and juicy, baked with your choice of seasonings: mild, barbeque, hot and nuclear.

10 wings \$4.99  
20 wings \$9.49  
50 wings \$19.99



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**11 a.m. to 3 a.m. Daily**

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## The Topper's Pizza Guarantee

We unconditionally guarantee that your order will be fresh, prepared as ordered and delicious. If you are not completely satisfied, please let us know and we will gladly replace your order or refund the purchase price.

**\$3.99 Triple™**

Buy 1 Triple Order of Breadstix™ at the regular price, and get the second order for only \$3.99.



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**\$6.99 Large Pizza**

Buy 1 Large "Build Your Own" pizza at the regular price, and get second for only \$6.99.  
Second Small\*: \$4.99,  
Second Medium\*: \$5.99  
Second X-Large\*: \$9.99



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**\$7.99**

• 2 6-inch Grinders  
• 2 Bags of Chips

Choose from six fresh oven-baked sandwiches



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**\$13.99**

• Large 2-Topping Pizza  
• Breadstix with dipplin' sauce  
• 4 cold drinks



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