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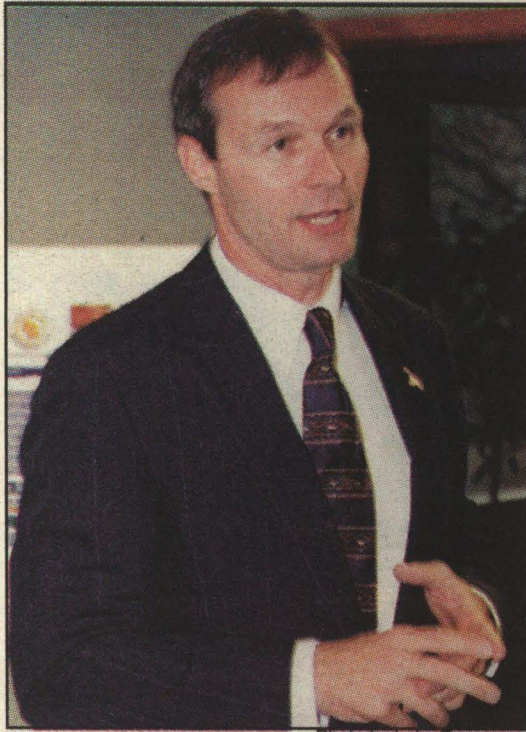


Photo by Luke Zancanaro
Governor McCallum spoke to campus and community members in the Visitor Center Tuesday.

McCallum visits UWSP on tour

Governor brings "Moving the State Government" tour to Stevens Point

By Vikki Nason
NEWS REPORTER

Governor Scott McCallum called UW-Stevens Point a "jewel in the UW system."

McCallum spoke to community and faculty leaders, including Chancellor Tom George at a luncheon Tuesday as part of the Governor's "Moving State Government" tour of central Wisconsin.

McCallum added that "the country is catching on as well," citing UWSP's recent number four ranking in *US News and World Report's* masters level universities, as well as the national and international recognition of its College of Natural Resources and national recognition of its fine arts program.

He also applauded the university's Central Wisconsin Idea, which offers coursework to non-traditional students throughout central Wisconsin.

He proudly cited the university's "excellent tradition of training teachers," a tradition from which his sister graduated back in the early seventies.

McCallum said "the population in central Wisconsin is prepared for the jobs needed" thanks to UWSP and urged the community's continued support to carry on this tradition.

He said it is our challenge "to educate so we can build a better lifestyle for generations to come."

In reference to the state budget, he added that the government needs to live within its means and make sure the state of Wisconsin is getting a good return on its money, which he believes investing in the university system accomplishes.

McCallum barely finished his salad before he was whisked away by Chancellor George to tour the rest of the university before his final stop at Schmeekle Reserve Tuesday afternoon, where he held a cabinet meeting.

Senator believes he'll become next governor

Gary George vies to become first African-American Wisconsin governor during campaign stop at UWSP

By Casey Krautkramer
NEWS EDITOR

Sen. Gary George, believes the state is ready for change, which is why he believes he'll win the governor's race in 2002.

George, Democratic senator of the sixth district of Milwaukee, made a campaign stop at UW-Stevens Point on Thursday, Oct. 25, to talk to Chancellor Tom George about regional and economic development.

Sen. George believes it's time for the Democratic Party to take over the governor's seat.

"Over the last 50 to 60 years, the governor's seat has been dominated by the Republicans," Sen. George said. "The Republicans have been in control for such a long time. They dominate the Board of Regents, they dominate the DNR board and they dominate all of state government. We need to have a different candidate, a different approach, and that's what I'm trying to offer."

He also believes Wisconsin is ready for a governor of a different race, due to the increase in the diversity of the state's population over



the years. Sen. George compares himself to former Virginia Governor Doug Wilder, who is African-American. Wilder was a 20-year state senator, a lawyer and Virginia governor. Sen. George has served in the Wisconsin Senate for 21 years.

"I think if I can cut the income tax to below five percent, if I can help Chancellor George build his new \$70 million initiative that he's building here, I don't think the people will care what color I am or what planet I'm from,

as long as the check clears," he said. "That's the kind of governor I want to be, a check-clearing governor."

Sen. George is impressed with UWSP's Central Wisconsin Initiative - which facilitates the transfer from UW colleges and Wisconsin Technical Colleges.

"You see these initiatives because the UWSP administration recognizes the need to reach out," he said. "The reaching out is limited now because you don't have adequate state support. Relying

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Photo by Luke Zancanaro
Sen. Gary George spoke about his campaign on "The Stevens Point Scoop" show on 90FM.

Task force vows to end stereotyping

Speakers voice their disgust over school Indian mascots

By Amy Zepnick
ASSISTANT NEWS EDITOR

Oneida Nation members Barbara and Christine Munson discussed their disapproval of Native American mascots and their role in the Wisconsin Indian Education Association task force on Wednesday, Oct. 30, in the University Center's Encore.

According to Barbara Munson, the task force was developed as a response to the Superintendent of Public Instruction. Over 40 Wisconsin public schools use Native American mascots.

"People began to realize the mascot might be discriminating," she said. "Indian educators considered changing their mascots by going to the school board."

When she brought the idea to her hometown of Mosinee, Barbara Munson thought UW-Stevens Point and UW-Green Bay would back her up.

"It's difficult to live in a community who does not take this seriously," she said. "Indian people were being forced out of communities or had problems in the communities. The mascots stayed."

Promoting her motto "Indians are People, Not Mascots," Barbara Munson published a pamphlet in response to common themes and questions

about the use of Native American logos.

According to her pamphlet, logos stereotype Native Americans - intimidating and harming Native American children. Indian men are not limited to the role of warrior. The depictions of Indian "braves," "warriors" and "chiefs" also ignore the roles of women and children.

The film presented, "Images of Honor: The Remnants of Racism in Wisconsin Schools," showed children's perspectives of



Photo by Lyndsay Hice
(L to R) Barbara Munson, Christine Munson and Jon Greendeer.

Indians. According to the film, children thought fighting was an Indian's job; they do not drive cars and they live in teepees - even today.

Barbara Munson's daughter, Christine, emphasized the discrimination she and other Native Americans feel in an academic

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Senator

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on tuition increases is so unfair to the students. The state government, legislature, governor and the Board of Regents have really fallen down in their obligation to keep the state a financial partner in tuition. Tuition has gone up compared to overall costs. I've voted against that trend."

The environment is most important to Sen. George. He isn't in favor of the massive power line that will extend from Duluth, Minn. to Rothschild, the Crandon Mine or water bottling companies extracting the state's ground water.

"I wish there was a way the public service commission and the other branches of state government could've re-evaluated that plan and those critically to provide for our energy needs in the future," he said. "We don't want to end up like California,

but at the same time I think this power line is going to be so disruptive to our environment that it does pose a threat to Wisconsin's way of life.

"In terms of the Crandon Mine, I've joined the other members of the legislature to express concern about the use of cyanide in the mine and the long-range impact on the Wolf River. I think the fact that the mine hasn't gone forward is proof that there's not a consensus how best to protect the environment. I want to be a governor who puts the environment first and puts the environment ahead of campaign contributions, and if there's one legacy I would have, that would be the one proudest to have."

Sen. George intends to let people know what type of governor he will be, and said he will be ready to govern in Jan. 2003 if he can get the support of Wisconsin citizens.

Coalition to hold protest

The UW-Stevens Point Peace and Unity Coalition is holding a three-day protest against the war in Afghanistan from Tuesday, Nov. 6 thru Thursday, Nov. 8.

"It's a way to show that I'm not going to give up my civil liberties, and I'm going to take advantage of my right to speak out and rally," said Chris Talbot, member.

On Tuesday, the group will partake in a day of complete silence. Members will participate in normal daily activities while not talking. People will show off a card with a message on it stating why they are being silent.

On Wednesday, members

will hold a controlled rage. People will carry articles on the war around campus, quoting from them loudly. Students will also chalk out bodies on sidewalks, portraying dying Afghanistan civilians. The group will hold a speak-out at an undetermined time and site.

On Thursday, the group will celebrate its right to speak out about the war. Festivities include a potluck, singing, street parties and games, such as capture the flag.

The coalition will hold a meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Nelson Hall lobby. Anyone can participate in the three-day protest.

Greens give money to fund

A student organization at UW-Stevens Point is making a donation to a scholarship fund for the spouses and children of victims of the Sept. 11 attacks on America.

The College Greens – a group that works to advance the Green Party on campus – is giving \$225 to the Families of Freedom Fund. They raised the money by taking donations for baked goods outside the University Center on Oct. 8-9.

"We wanted to help in some way and touch lives more directly than by giving to a general

relief fund," said Rebecca Heitzinger, a member of the College Greens, adding that they hope to help fellow college students.

The Families of Freedom Fund was established by the Citizen's Scholarship Foundation of America – the nation's largest private sector scholarship and educational support foundation – and the Lumina Foundation for Education, which is a private charitable foundation dedicated to expanding access to higher education.

Student killed in car accident

A UW-Stevens Point freshman was killed in an automobile accident on Thursday, Oct. 25.

Jonathan T. Pritzl, 19, Park Falls, was pronounced dead at Wausau Hospital Thursday night, according to a Price County Sheriff's Department report.

The two-vehicle accident between Pritzl and Steven M. Grant, 35, St. Paul, Minn., occurred at approximately 6:27 p.m. Thursday on Highway 8 near the intersection of Stibbs Road in the town of Prentice, according to the report. Grant and

his passenger, Glen E. Upchurch, 34, St. Paul, Minn., were not injured and did not require medical attention.

The Wisconsin State Patrol and Price County Sheriff's Department are investigating the accident.



Hansen Hall

Wednesday, Oct. 24 3:37 p.m.

A student reported that two bras were taken from her room.

Hansen Hall

Wednesday, Oct. 24 3:37 p.m.

A student reported that some of her property was missing from her room. She decided to report it after hearing that other residents on her wing were reporting items missing.

College of Fine Arts

Thursday, Oct. 25 9:55 a.m.

Someone reported that a light table had been removed from room A107.

CNR lawn

Thursday, Oct. 25 2:07 p.m.

A student reported vandalism to her moped while it was parked near the west entrance area.

Hansen Hall

Friday, Oct. 26 2:45 a.m.

A student reported that while he was walking through the DeBot Circle, he noticed a male throw a garbage can lid at a window in Hansen Hall, breaking the window.

Lot V

Saturday, Oct. 27 11:29 a.m.

A student reported that his vehicle had been vandalized while parked in the lot.

Lot P

Monday, Oct. 29 2:54 p.m.

A student reported vandalism to her 2001 Pontiac Sunfire while it was parked in the lot.

WRC focus on environment

The relationship between women and their environment will be the focus of several presentations sponsored by the Women's Resource Center (WRC) during November.

The first program will kick off with a potluck meal at 6 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 5, at the University Center (UC) Encore Room. At 6:15 p.m., artist Meg Rotzel will examine landscape in culture in her talk "Two Birds, One Stone – searching for a Landscape." Student Matt

Fillipiak will provide musical entertainment at 7:30 p.m.

On Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 7:30 p.m., in the Green Room of the UC, women activists Dana Churness, Deanna Erickson and Jessica Krueger will talk about their experiences.

Mark Anderson of Sunny Sky Farm will discuss organic farming and community supported farming at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 12, in the UC Green Room. For more information contact 346-4851.

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Mascots

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setting. She is the chair of the youth component for the same task force.

"I went to Mosinee High School and I was always looked at," she said. "I felt alienated, like I was the only Indian in the community."

She described instances of discrimination among Native Americans.

"It's these stories coming out that are going to change things," she said.

Jon Greendeer, Student Government Association multicultural issues and diversity director, expressed his need to deteriorate stereotypes.

"Stereotypes are tied with imagery," Greendeer said. "People have an idea of what an Indian should be like without ever having to see one. These stereotypes should not be in public schools. I wear clothes like this everyday. I drive a 2000 Stratus. I study the same book you do. These mascots depict me as a savage."

The progress to eliminate Native American mascots from schools has been slow but steady.

"We have an important job on the Wisconsin Indian Education Association task force," Barbara Munson said. "We need to provide education until all Indian mascots are removed."

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Potential teachers need to be aware of Act 31

UWSP looking to add Native American studies minor to help future teachers gain licensure

By Vikki Nason
NEWS REPORTER

Students in education must know their Native American history and culture in order to teach in Wisconsin.

Since 1991, legislative Act 31 requires teachers to receive instruction in "history, culture and tribal sovereignty of the federally-recognized American Indian tribes and bands" located in Wisconsin before being awarded licensure to teach in the state. It also requires these areas to be taught at three levels between fourth and twelfth grades.

Although Education 205 fulfills the requirement, teachers may find they fall quite short when the time comes to teach this subject on the job. Because of the great diversity and depth of Native American culture, potential teachers are urged to check out courses offered in other departments such as anthropology, philosophy, history, natural resources, religious studies and English. It's also possible for students to acquire credit through independent study. Classes offered for next semester include Philosophy 381 and

History 382/582.

Although students now have to find coursework related to Native American studies, the university is considering implementing a minor in this area to help alleviate this problem.

Sharon Cloud, director of UWSP's Native American Center, said the minor has already made it through many administrative levels but still has a few more to go before approval is final. She adds that courses offered in the minor will not only help students in education but also help students looking to fulfill the minority studies general degree requirements.

While speaking to professor Thomas Johnson's Anthropology 371, Cloud explained how she became active in Act 31 legislation. She reminisced about the time she was asked to speak to her daughter's kindergarten class about Indians. She recalled being greeted by the class sitting "Indian" style around a tee pee, exclaiming "How" as she entered the room. Cloud lamented that like so many others, her daughter's teacher was totally unaware that she had inaccurately characterized Indians into one stereotype.

Spokespersons from the Indian Mascot Logo Task Force reiterated this sentiment to a gathering of students at the UWSP Encore

Tuesday evening. Barbara and Chris Munson and Jon Greendeer asserted the need to eliminate stereotypes of Native Americans, particularly those that are institutionalized by schools whose teachers are ill-equipped to teach American Indian studies and those that use Indians as mascots. One of the points of their presentation was the need to discard stereotypes of Indians as people of the past, such as raiding warriors on horseback, and replace them with accurate portrayals of modern Indians in street clothes in the work force and at universities. Accurate portrayals are also one of the central issues of Wisconsin's Act 31.

Wisconsin appears to be at the vanguard of this type of educational legislation, leading many other states to follow suit, most recently California. Two weeks ago, Gov. Gray Davis signed SB41; a bill designed to ensure accurate historical accounts and portrayal of Native Americans and their culture in the state's schools. The difference might lie in how much "tooth" each state gives to these laws, meaning how well they will be carried out. Other states are expected to create similar legislation, not only as a step toward political correctness, but most importantly, as the Mascot Task Force explains, because "stereotyping leads to racism."

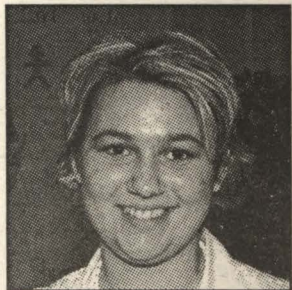
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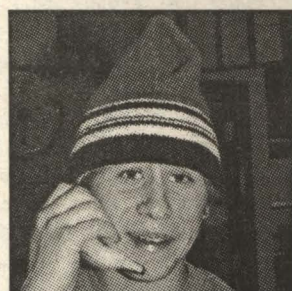
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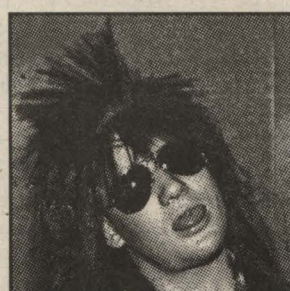
JB Brown, Sr. Communication
Talk to my mom and dad.



Gwen Krogwold, Fr. Undeclared
I'm going to play the lotto
scratch off game. You can
win \$500.



Tony Bergman, Jr. Wildlife
Flip my finger on 4th and
Main.



Steve Schweiger, Jr. Comm/Business
I'm going to work myself
because I'm ridiculously broke.



Heather Ryan, Jr. Communication
Sell myself to Justus
Cleveland.

All Saints & All Souls

All Saints Day
It's TODAY, November 1

Mass

6 PM Today, Convent Chapel
just west of K-mart

9 PM Today, Newman Center
just next to Pray-Sims Hall

All Souls' Day

A day to pray for those who have died
Friday, November 2

Mass at 6 PM, Newman Center

All are welcome in this place



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The Roman Catholic Parish at UWSP

Every Lord's Day

Mass at 5 PM Saturday

10:15 AM Sunday

6 PM Sunday

Convent Chapel, 1300 Maria Drive

Words of Wisdom From the Editor

American patriotism has become too trendy.

By Josh Goller
EDITOR IN CHIEF

In the weeks following the Sept. 11 attacks, an outpouring of patriotism was revived within many aspects of American culture. At first, it was refreshing to see this newfound support for our country in a nation that had seemed complacent and shallow. It gave me hope to think that our culture would begin focusing on the substantial. That hope quickly faded.

It seems that intense media coverage has bombarded us with pro-American messages in such quantity (some seeming dangerously like thinly veiled propaganda) that corporations and the entertainment industry have come to a dangerous realization: patriotism is now trendy.

I didn't believe it at first. I naively believed that the barrage of patriotic commercials that were clogging every television station were sincere displays of emotions. But it didn't take long for me to realize that there were other intentions behind these commercials: money.

Associations with patriotism have become big business these days. While I watch football (in addition to seeing an American flag patches on the same jerseys as athletic manufacturers') constant "patriotic" commercials. These advertisements look heartfelt on the surface but, without exception, after their stirring message of goodwill and unity, a corporate logo flashes across the screen. I've seen cred-



it card, automobile and even beer commercials using these tactics to express nothing else besides association with their product and patriotism. They're using the death of 6,000 people to make money! And there's no more depressing and demoralizing tactic than that to sell beer.

Meanwhile, clothing and novelty retailers make a haul from the surge to purchase patriotic clothing, little plastic flags and USA buttons. While the retailers pocket the profit, our shallow society chooses to wear these items to associate themselves with a cause that they make no further effort

in which to involve themselves. It's become "cool" to advocate a nation when few people have extensive knowledge about its policies and government.

Both citizens and corporations have embraced this "trendy" patriotism to associate themselves with a cause they know nothing about.

Instead of striving to make a difference in the world today, our "patriots" wear their USA T-shirts and attach their mini flags to their car and feel good about themselves while they do nothing else for the cause. Instead of donating money to families of the victims, corporations take advantage of the tragedy on the East Coast to make money.

Yay, capitalism!

Casinos need to be dealt with

Cards and other games are splendid leisure time pursuits. But these very innocent games become a monster when the greed of the profit motive spoils the fun. Albert Hoyle was one of the great movers and shakers of the playing cards world. Justice is served if he is now rolling in his grave due to the offensiveness of out-of-control gambling.

Playing poker or blackjack should be fun enough on their own. Unfortunately, many people don't think so. Casinos thrive on the belief that these games must have monetary rewards to be entertaining. The thrill of playing a romantic game of cards is an intrinsic reward. Implicit in the gambling act is that the gambling community does not value the rewards of card and other games demeaned by the gambling profession.

Card sharks of the past loved exciting card games for their own sake. But the profit ideal always demands prostituting an activity for monetary gain. The cornucopia of card games is to be relished by all and I still have fond memories of playing cards with my card-loving grandmother.

Card playing is fun, but these decadent casinos treat card and other game playing as a job. The patrons of these dubious casinos treat fun games as a job by virtue of seeking compensation for fun activities. When we view something as a job, it is never as fun as our leisure pursuits.

Casinos deviously manipulate lighting and refuse to have windows so the gamblers will rot in these infernal casinos forever. Casinos do not care first and foremost about the well-being of the gamblers, but rather about making lots of profit. It is very healthy to have windows which allow the radiant beams of the sun's and moon's rays to shine on the flesh of humans. Furthermore, casinos often operate around the clock. This promotes disturbances in humans' natural rhythms and it also discourages people from getting proper rest. Casinos are also bastions of drunkenness and smoky air. The food that casinos do serve is usually laden with animal products and often junk food. Casinos are clearly the nightmare of exuberance-minded natural hygienists. We must also be reminded that organized crime lurks like mildew in the unclean havens of casinos.

The stakes of gambling are just too high. Crestfallen kindly folks must drag themselves out of perverse casinos because they just lost the farm to a greedy casino. Then, desperation may cause the forlorn soul to bite the farm. Addiction to gambling and lives down the drain are reasons enough to banish this foul activity from our land. Do not partake in the sinful activity of filthy gambling. You are all too good for that!

All roulette is Russian Roulette for your pocketbook. Gambling itself is Russian Roulette for your pocketbook.

I recommend that we ban casinos. Like our drug war ideals, I do not recommend draconian penalties for gamblers. I do recommend a fierce law to initiate a campaign to shut down these buildings of soulful slime. Casinos prey on the suffering of humanity. Casinos are a drawback and will have no place in a liberating society. Casinos shall perish.

The revolution calls you.

Andrew Bushard

Britain trip proves magical

I never thought that something as exotic and strange as traveling over the Atlantic Ocean to another country would happen to me. When I was younger, the concept of actually being in a land as far away as Britain seemed like something out of a fairy tale. I am not even sure that I considered such places as being real in the strictest sense. I read stories about King Arthur and Robin Hood and felt sure that the British, if they even existed, must be composed of the very stuff that make up dreams. Farfetched preteen fantasies of travelling to London to rescue the Queen from the return of St. George's dragon and receiving knighthood for my pains flashed through my head. I had proof in the books that, in Britain, lions magically appeared inside wardrobes and any boy could be king if he could just manage to pull a rusty old sword out of a rock. The magic of Britain was so foreign to my ten-year-old world of school lunch and recess that it seemed that the island was even further away than it actually was. To me, it might as well have been the moon.

But, last semester, finally inching close to the end of my time at UWSP, I received a letter from International Programs detailing the various trips being offered for the following fall semester. The London trip caught my eye right away. I thought again about my childhood fantasies and thought, why not? I was ready to move into a completely different and more complicated world with my imminent graduation: why not have one last fling at the fantastic? Also, it would certainly never be so inexpensive to travel to Britain again.

Guess what? The magic is here. And this magic is the kind that you feel when you're standing next to the great rocks of Stonehenge and wondering about the druids that made them. It's in the air when you climb amongst the cattle of Cadbury Hill and your guide tells you that Lancelot and Guinevere stood on this very spot. The magic is all around you when you stand on top of a hill in the greenwoods of Hampstead Heath and, seeing St. Paul's in the distance, you can feel the spell that keeps the city at bay as it skirts the leaves and trees above you and under your feet.

My advice to you is to get out and try to discover some of the world's magic that you felt as a child. Drudgery and what your parents call "reality" have been trying to steal that magic from you since you were old enough to open up a science book, but you can recapture it. Get out; take advantage of these travelling options that International Programs offers. Trade in next semester on a little bit of wonder. You will not regret it.

Matthew Bates
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POINT OF VIEW

WHERE WOULD YOU RATHER EAT? Debot or da Spoon?

By Barrett Steenrod
FEATURES EDITOR

I'd rather eat at da Spoon!

By Kristin Sterner
ASSISTANT FEATURES EDITOR

Debot is da best!

Is it really that hard of an argument? Do I really have to spell it out for you? Your dining choice on this campus should be the Wooden Spoon. I know how many of you reading this are eating at Debot right now. I know what kind of agony you are putting yourselves through. I know that you are making shrewd jokes and pitiful complaints about the food you feel you are forced to eat as part of living in the dorms.

I have news for you. You are not forced to do anything. You are willingly eating at Debot for a whole host of lame reasons. Convenience (the food still tastes the same). Laziness (the food still tastes the same). You paid for it (the food still tastes the same).

You complain about how you feel bloated or get sick from eating at Debot. You complain about the selection (even though it has the greatest). You just whine and complain.

Now that we have established that you really don't like Debot and you are just too lazy to do something about it, let me explain the benefit of hiking over to the Wooden Spoon.

First of all, there is the hike to the Wooden Spoon. You get to work up your appetite in preparation for the good, wholesome, well-prepared food, which awaits you in the University Center.

Once you get there, you will not have to worry about fighting through the crowd of overanxious hungrier-than-they-think-they-are students to get a quarter-glass of 2% because the skim already ran out. You will not have to wait in line for 15 minutes to get served. In the event that you do wait in line, no worries, because in the Wooden Spoon, there is a friendly group

of professional servers ready to dish food out to you.

The biggest benefit to eating in the Wooden Spoon isn't any of the fringe benefits, it is the food. It is good food. You will get an entire meal and it will consist of something more appetizing than the classic combination of lima beans, french fries and pork chops.

How does baked fish, chicken stir fry

How does baked fish, chicken stir fry, or vegetable rotini sound?

A lot better than what you've been having at Debot, right?

having at Debot, right?

Now I know that the issue of paying for food can be cause for concern for poor college students like yourself. Again, no worries. You can pay with your student ID via meal plan or food points as normal, or if you so choose, you can pay with cash or some combination of the two.

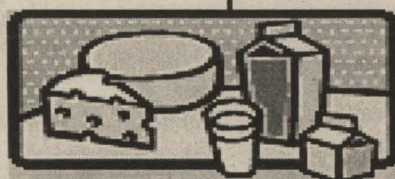
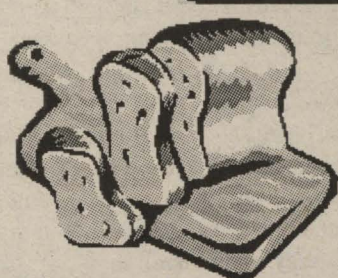
You know how the tray carousel in Debot tends to overflow with dirty dishes and half-eaten food during meal-times? There is no such problem at the Spoon. Simply drop off your tray without any hassle, or wait after you're done eating and head to the Brewhaus to let all that good, healthy, great tasting food digest.

Once the blood returns to your brain from your stomach, you'll never question where to eat on campus again.

or vegetable rotini with alfredo sauce sound? A lot better than what you've been

For the past year when I've been hungry and needed a meal, the Elizabeth Pfifner Debot Dining Center has been there through thick and thin. Debot gets a bad rap here at UWSP because it's the main "university dining center" and everyone knows that college cafeterias suck, right? Wrong.

Debot has a variety of healthy foods that are sure to fill up that empty hole in your stomach. Each day, Debot has several hot dishes on the main line, a salad bar, pizza bar, sandwich makings, fresh fruit and tasty desserts; vegetarian options are usually plentiful to boot. Nighttime diners also get the extra option of a pasta bar during the week and a choice between soft-serve or old-fashioned ice cream. None of the other dining centers have as much



home doesn't contain as many options, either.

Does your mom have that variety of food ready for you on-the-spot, at any time, for eight and a half hours every weekday? I didn't think so. Besides its accommodat-

ing hours during the week, Debot is also open for four hours on Saturday and three hours on Sunday. All of the food that is offered in the U.C. is not available on the weekends but Debot still remains open.

Debot serves, on a good day, nearly 900 people during each meal. Now we all know that the logistics of keeping buffet-style food hot, for that amount of people, over the extended hours required, is no easy task. To this end, the Debot Center is equipped with a microwave to warm up cold food.

Other conveniences, such as a toaster and spices, allow for the possibility of personalizing your food to your own tastes. One of my favorites is adding honey, cinnamon and butter to the plain white rice they always have for a warm breakfast treat. Instead of making a plain old sandwich, why not toast the bread? You'd be amazed at what a difference a little effort will make in your dining experience.

Finally, for on-campus students, Debot is also more centrally located than the U.C., thus making it a more ideal location to dine. Freshmen that snub it now may be singing a different tune come February when those swirling Stevens Point winds really start howling. A nice short walk to a comfortable, well-lit and warm cafeteria can sound pretty inviting when faced with the choice of trekking all the way across campus after a long day of classes.

UWSP seeks common ground with landlords

First annual landlord fair to help students secure off-campus housing

By Nathan Kofler
FEATURES CONTRIBUTOR

The Residence Hall Association and the Student Government Association are hosting a landlord and tenant fair on Nov. 7. It is an opportunity to give off-campus students more residential options, as well as more time to sign or renew leases.

"The myth that there's a need to sign leases in September or October hangs

over the heads of students," said Student Life Director Jeff LaPlant. "Our hope is that, through an annual landlord fair, students will not feel the need to sign early. We also hope to ease the pressure landlords have with renewing leases in early fall."

"The students of the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point have shown a growing interest in improv-

ing relations between the university and community at large. One of the biggest links between the university and the community is that of the landlords and off-campus students. We want to strengthen this link," LaPlant said.

Landlords will have informational booths set up in the University Center concourse. No lease signings will occur; however, there

will be sign-ups to view residencies. Representatives from the Police Department, Fire Department, Legal Services and Residential Living will also be present.

The fair will take place 7-9:30 p.m. in the University Center's Laird Room. For more information, please contact Jeff LaPlant at 346-4592 or via email: jlapl169@uwsp.edu.



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UWSP environmental activist practices what she preaches

By Kristin Sterner

ASSISTANT FEATURES EDITOR

Do you ever wonder how campus-wide events, such as the Environmental Unity Festival held three weeks ago, get put together? What about the small changes like the disappearance of styrofoam in Debot? These things don't just happen. They are the goals of a network of activists on campus who are determined to make UWSP a better place to be.

Deanna Erickson has put forth a great amount of effort into these causes. Erickson has been active with various groups on campus, including Environmental Council (EC), Student Government Association (SGA) and Progressive Action Organization (PAO) for the past two years. Through these organizations, Erickson feels that she has a forum from which to present her concerns.

Erickson has loved the outdoors ever since she was a child and even told her mother at the tender age of five that she wanted to be an ecologist! This is Erickson's fifth year at UWSP; and, true to her childhood desires, she will graduate this winter as a natural resource management major with an environmental education emphasis. Erickson is not so much interested in making a career of her activism as she is in following her interests.

"What I am really interested in is management of exotic species, and there is a lot of education involved in that, and a lot of it is adult education which I really like doing."

Rather than becoming a career organizer, Deanna would also like to run for local office in the future. She feels that a good way to get ideas recognized is to move out of the self-con-



Photo by Lindsay Rice

It was Erickson's vision, hard work, and dedication that helped put together the first Wisconsin Environmental Unity Festival here at UWSP.

tained realm of activism, and be more involved with the actual process of the change.

"A good way to reach those who make decisions is to become one of them," Erickson said.

Erickson wasn't always involved in activism but came into it over time after learning more about social issues worldwide.

"As I learned about more and more problems in the world, I started to feel like people have a social responsibility to act on them, that every person has a responsibility to act on them."

Throughout her activism career here at UWSP, she and the groups she's

involved with have worked to change campus policies on energy, organized campus events to educate students on controversial issues and also petitioned and protested major corporations for contrasting statements and actions.

More than anything else, Deanna emphasizes that activism is not just for her or other specific individuals, but for anyone who realizes his/her own potential.

"There's not certain people who can speak up, anybody can do that. You just have to accept the fact that you are able to, and let your passion flow from there," Erickson said.

UWSP forestry student wins national logging competition

A UWSP forestry student took first place at the national Game of Logging collegiate competition at Southeastern Illinois College in Harrisburg, Ill.

Mark Diesen, a senior forest administration and utilization major in the College of Natural Resources, received a \$1,000 scholarship and a new chainsaw for winning the recent Soren Erikssen's Game of Logging national competition.

Diesen was one of 18 contestants from eight states that took part in the event. Fellow UWSP forestry student, Anthony Rynish, also participated. He is a senior majoring in urban forestry.

"I give credit for my victory to UWSP's forestry program and my involvement in the Society of American Foresters (SAF) student chapter, which helped foster my interest in this competition," said Diesen.

An active member of SAF, Diesen won first place by amassing the high-

est point total in five events - bore cut, timed cut, precision stump, spring pole and precision bucking. He also took part in a tree felling competition. This is the second time in three years that he has competed.

In a "timed cut," every contestant uses the same saw with the same chain to slice a piece of wood off a log doing a down cut and an up cut.

The "bore cut" is an event in which competitors plunge a chainsaw bar into a block of wood and the score is determined by how well the cut stays in the box.

In a "precision stump cut," contestants take a short section of log, stand it on end like a tree, then cut a notch at a minimum angle of 70 degrees.

The "spring pole cut" involves bending a sapling so the top is all the way to the ground. Each contestant has to shave the underside of the tree in the right spot to gently release the tension of the tree.



Submitted Photo

Mark Diesen after winning top honors in the logging competition.

"Precision Bucking" is cutting a slice off a log without cutting any designated buffers.

Diesen plans to graduate in December 2002.

LittleHorse to put on big show Friday

It ain't easy to describe LittleHorse, but here's one take: Imagine serving up Billy Joel, Sting, Santana, Queen and Ben Folds Five with a tall glass of funk and a side of full harmony, topped with hilarious lyrics and unforgettable melodies. Smother that with some sauce of red-hot piano, hold the guitars and let LittleHorse remind you of how good life can taste.

Joachim (who goes by "Jo," pronounced "yo") and his brother, Eric, are the chefs responsible for all the writing and arranging of the LittleHorse entree. Jo, the lead vocalist, takes on the role of rock 'n roll storyteller, and both brothers play the piano, sometimes dueling simultaneously. Together, they have cooked up something for which you'd better be seated before you listen: their debut CD, "Perils & Thrills," the first product of LittleHorseMusic.com.

The Horsley brothers grew up outside of Boston in a house filled with music. In addition to studying piano from an early age, they also learned clarinet, saxophone, accordion, drums, guitar and voice. Their father inspired the boys with Jerry Lee Lewis, Jellyroll Morton, Professor Longhair and Chuck Berry recordings, engaging in them music (and piano) as their main passion. At eight years old, Eric learned boogie-woogie piano, while his little brother, usually sitting right next to him on the piano bench, taught himself to improvise. As the boys grew older, they wrote and performed their own music at Harvard University. They spent three years in Germany playing piano (and sometimes drums) at night while working in investment banking in the daytime.

Heavily influenced by the jazz and boogie-woogie styles in Joya Wendt and Martin Schmidt, Jo perfected his craft overseas. Jo continued piano and bass in the U.S. where he studied with Chris Brubeck, son of great jazz pianist, Dave Brubeck, and composed and arranged classical and jazz for a cappella groups and instrumentalists.

Now LittleHorse has regrouped in Boston and teamed up with producer Tim Bruhns. The two cooked up their first EP with special guests, the Tower of Power horn section. On the road, they are joined by bandmates Bill Vint on saxophones, flute and percussion, Sergio Bellotti on drums and Tino D'Agostino on bass and trumpet.

LittleHorse's first album has been officially released in November by the independent label and web site, LittleHorseMusic.com (also owned by the two brothers). LittleHorseMusic.com aims to redefine the traditional relationship between a record label and music fans.

LittleHorse will be performing in the UC Encore Friday, Nov. 2 at 8 p.m. The event is free with valid UWSP I.D. or \$3 for the general public.

Nude art exhibit to be displayed Friday and Saturday

The Adam Celing Art Exhibit takes place Friday, Nov. 2 and Saturday, Nov. 3 from 1 to 4 p.m. in the Legacy room of the U.C.

Adam Celing was born outside of Chicago, in Deerfield, Ill. Soon after, his family moved to Wausau, where he grew up. He attended Wausau East High School taking an avid interest in the arts and was pushed along those studies by his teachers. After graduation, he pursued theatre at UWSP before changing majors to graphic design.

It was in the art department where he first learned to draw the nude figure. Adam is now a fifth-year design student aiming to graduate in the spring.

Upon graduation Celing has plans to move to Minneapolis to start a career in graphic design while continuing to study the human figure and photography.

This art exhibition is a culmination of six semesters of studying the human figure. The exhibit is dedicated to Shiela Sullivan.

Young hockey squad has impressive debut

Men's team earns split with 10th ranked Elmira

By Lucas Meyer
SPORTS REPORTER

Starting the new 2001-2002 hockey season, UW-Stevens Point welcomed 15 freshmen to the squad. Many newcomers instantly got a taste of Division III hockey in UWSP's debut home game against 10th ranked Elmira (N.Y.) College.

In their game on Saturday night, UWSP switched things around, positioning SPASH native Ryan Scott at goalie. The Pointers put on a stellar performance, defeating Elmira 5-2.

In Saturday's contest Elmira instantly got underway scoring 35 seconds into the battle. However, the Pointers plucked the Eagles from there. Scott put on an impressive show, putting up 22 saves in his first start with the Pointers. Freshman Ryan Feil recorded his second goal of the weekend, tying everything 1-1. Kelly

Kisell tacked on another goal six minutes later with a slap shot reaching the net.

The scoring rampage didn't end there, with 4:13 left in the second period Mike Broisma scored his first goal as a Pointer. Scott dominated the period, stopping 14 Elmira shots.

UWSP started the third period with a 3-1 lead and built on it without delay as Ryan Kirchhoff scored, improving the lead to 4-1. Elmira wasn't able to recover. Broisma stacked on his second goal of the game, ending any chance of an Eagle recovery.

The Pointers, dropped the first game in the season opener for only the second time in the past eight seasons. 1,060 fans watched as the Eagles defeated Point 6-3.

Elmira's Pierre Rivard opened the scoring with a goal at the 1:54 mark of the first period. They quickly extended their lead to 2-0 when Clark McPherson slapped one through

two minutes later.

Then in a quick turnaround, senior Bryan Ficke sliced through Elmira's defense to score his (and UWSP's) first goal of the season. On a power play at the 14:23 mark, Josh Strassman evened the score at 2-2. Elmira scored the only goal in the second period to take back the lead.

With a more defensive look this year, UWSP kept fighting back. Feil cashed in during the third period for UWSP, but it was the only offense they could muster. Elmira slipped past UWSP's defense three more times in the period. Rivard and McPherson combined twice ending the first game at 6-3.

UWSP (1-1) will travel to UW-Stout on Friday and UW-River Falls on Saturday.



Photo by Lydsay Rice

Pointer senior Randy Enders brings the puck up the ice in UWSP's game against Elmira on Saturday.

Season comes to a close for inexperienced spikers

Team loses tournament opener after splitting weekend games

By Dan Mirman
SPORTS EDITOR

Chemistry can be a funny thing when it comes to sports. Some teams have it, and some teams can never seem to find it. That was largely the case for the UWSP women's volleyball team, whose season came to a conclusion Tuesday night in Oshkosh to the Titans.

The Pointers were dealing with a red-hot Oshkosh team that had won 17 straight, including a victory last week over first ranked UW-Whitewater. Senior Amy Smolcich led the way for UWSP with ten kills and contributed a solid hitting percentage of .316 in her final game as a Pointer.

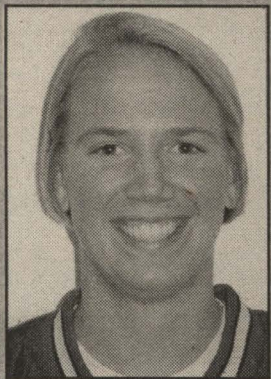
"We had every opportunity to win that game, we capitalized on some of our opportunities and had a solid game, but we just let down after that," said Head Coach Stacey White. "Going in, we thought we had a good chance to win because nobody is unbeatable, we just didn't get the job

done."

Prior to their playoff match-up with the Titans, UWSP went 2-2 last weekend in a tournament at Oshkosh. Nikki Kennedy had a solid tournament for the Pointers leading, or tying, for the lead in kills in three out of the four games.

"We played very well in that tournament. The team played hard in a tough loss against Oshkosh and bounced back with a hard fought victory over Ripon,

everyone just really stepped forward," said White. "Overall, this season to me was a success. It's always hard when you have a new coach and a new system, but the players worked hard and stuck in there and I'm proud of them for that."



Smolcich

The two victories came over Finlandia College and Ripon College. The style of win couldn't have been more different, with UWSP completely dominating Finlandia in straight games, with five players all hitting over .300. The Ripon victory that took the full five sets for UWSP to win. It was the first five set victory of the year for the Pointers.

UWSP finished the season with an 8-19 mark, including 1-7 in conference play.

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Soccer team downs Eau Claire for fifth straight conference championship



Photo by Craig Mandli

UWSP junior Molly Cady steals the ball from Blugold defender Maleia Damato during Saturday's WIAC conference championship game.

Jacob heads in winning goal in 1-0 win

By Craig Mandli
SPORTS EDITOR

The UWSP soccer team should be used to this. On Saturday, the Pointers defeated the Eau Claire Blugolds to gave them their fifth straight conference championship, and the ninth in the last ten years.

"We knew Eau Claire was going to be tough from our earlier game this season against them, so it was just a matter of doing what we know how to do best," said Pointer coach Shiela Miech.

Senior midfielder Mickey Jacob continued her habit of coming up big when it counts for the Pointers, scoring the lone goal in the team's 1-0 victory over UW-Eau Claire.

Jacob headed in a corner kick by sophomore forward Jenny Bruce at the 23:24 mark of the first half for the game's lone score.

The senior co-captain also scored the winning goal in the first half of the Pointers' 2-0 title match win over UW-Eau Claire last year and set up the winning goal with an assist in a 1-0 overtime victory against UW-La Crosse in 1999. The goal was Jacob's fourth of

the season and first since Sept. 29. Bruce, celebrating her 21st birthday Saturday, tied a WIAC tournament record with five assists in playoff competition this season.

"Mickey has had opportunities to head in shots all year, and for whatever reason, she hasn't been able to do it," said Miech. "The cream always rises to the top in this sport, and with that shot, Mickey proved that."

Eau Claire had several opportunities to score in the first half, but couldn't break the strong goal-tending of senior co-captain Brianna Hyslop. Hyslop made six saves - all in the first half. "I think we came out a little on the back of our heels in the first half," said Miech. "After settling down a bit, we were able to play some good defense, especially in the second half."

And play defense the Pointers did, outshooting Eau Claire 23-9, including an 8-1 margin in the second half.

"The atmosphere, the crowd, everything for this game was great to see," said Miech. "All four of our sen-

ior leaders from last season (Jenny Schmit, Marie Muhvic, Marge Domka and Abby Rabinovitz) were there to cheer us on. It's awesome to see that this game is still so close to their heart."

With the victory, the Pointers tied the NCAA all-divisions conference winning streak, winning their 55th consecutive WIAC match. The team tied the record held by perennial power University of North Carolina from 1994 to 2000. The Pointers are now 27-1 in WIAC tournament matches, having outscored opponents 115-8 in the history of the tournament.

For the season, UWSP is now 17-1 overall and ranked ninth in the NCAA Division III rankings. The Pointers have now won 18 straight home matches and eight straight overall, outscoring opponents 32-1 over the span.

Next up for the Pointers is a game on Friday versus Webster (Mo.) College in the first round of the NCAA Division III tournament. The game begins at 5 p.m. in Wheaton, Ill.



Jacob

Pointer swimmers sink Oshkosh

Team hopes to defend conference championships

By Craig Mandli
SPORTS EDITOR

The UWSP swim team has a lot to live up to this season, after sweeping their conference schedule last year.

On Saturday, the UWSP women's and men's swimming and diving team got off to a good start with matching victories over UW-Oshkosh.

The Pointer men's team ran its WIAC dual meet winning streak to 29 straight, while the women's team was also victorious Saturday. The men won 142-93, while the women won 138-101.

On the men's side, sophomore Peter Nowak won the 1000m freestyle in 10:49.51 and the 500m freestyle in 5:09.55 to lead the men's team. Sophomore Erik Johnson also won the 50m freestyle in 22.70 and was on the winning 400m medley relay with senior Mark Hanson, freshman Andy Janicki and sophomore Matt Sievers to finish in 3:47.21.

Other individual winners for the men include sophomore Sam Clausen in the 200m freestyle, junior Thad Gunther in the 400m individual medley, senior Anthony Harris in the 200m butterfly, freshman Aaron Marshall in the 100m freestyle and freshman Cory Prince in the 200m backstroke.

On the women's side, senior Christine Sammons won the 400m medley and the 200m breaststroke. She also was a member of the winning 400 medley relay with junior Laura Latt,

freshman Heather Harris and senior Amy Rockwell.

Other top finishers for the Pointers were sophomore Alisa Bartz in the 50m freestyle, senior Mary Thone in the 200m butterfly and freshman Jean Hughes in the 100m freestyle.

Sophomore diver Patricia Larson paced the UWSP springboarders for the second straight meet with third-place finishes in both the one-meter and three-meter springboarders.

The Pointers will compete in two more WIAC duals this weekend, including their home opener Friday at 6 p.m. against UW-Eau Claire. They will also travel to UW-Whitewater on Saturday.

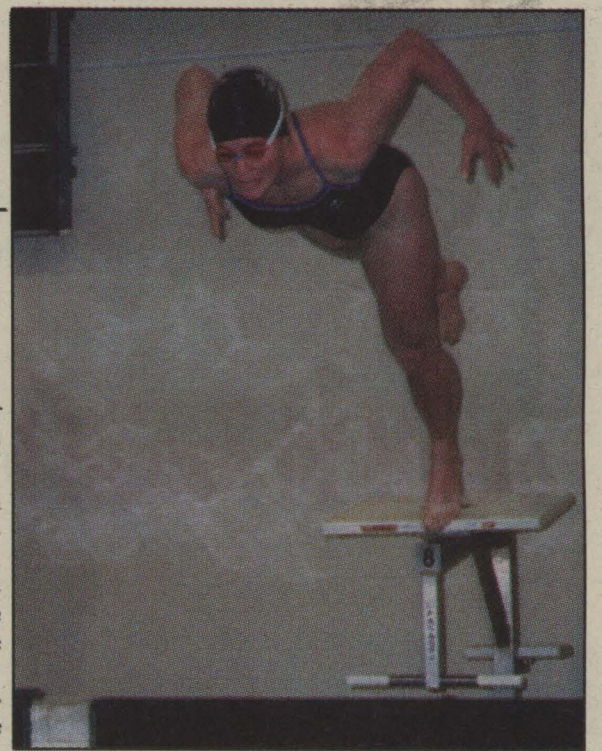


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Pointer senior captain Amy Rockwell jumps at the gun for the 200m freestyle. She finished second.

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Pointer football runs over Stout

Veteran runner Gast has career day as team stays alive in conference hunt

By Craig Mandli
SPORTS EDITOR

The UW-Stevens Point football team had no trouble getting up for this past weekend's game against UW-Stout. It was these same Blue Devils who laid a 16-8 undressing on the Pointers last season, and UWSP was out for revenge on last year's conference champions.

The Pointers got off to a quick start, scoring in just two plays and taking a 7-0 lead only 33 seconds into the game. Sophomore quarterback Scott Krause hit freshman fullback Kurt Kielblock for a 20-yard screen pass and then scrambled 42 yards on a quarterback draw for a touchdown.

"That play got us off on the right foot," said Coach John Miech. "Our offense had confidence, and things just sort of snowballed from there for us in that first half."

After a first quarter UW-

Stout field goal, the Pointers used an 11-play, 82-yard drive capped by a Krause one-yard sneak to give them a 14-3 lead.

The Pointers scored twice more in the final two minutes of the half as Krause found sophomore wide receiver Ross Adamczak for an 11-yard score and, following a Blue Devils' punt, hit senior tight end Steve Jones down the right sideline on a beautiful 10-yard touch pass that Jones took in stride. Jones was able to outrun Stout defensive back Eric Moe to the end zone, giving the Pointers a 27-3 half-time lead. That score marked just the third time in the past 20 games that the Pointers have led at halftime.

Having such a large cushion gave the Pointers a chance to dust off their ground game, and the backs didn't disappoint, gaining 254 yards on a Stout defense that was only giving up 73 yards per game to that point.

Senior running back Lance Gast lead the UWSP runners with a career-high 141 yards on only 19 carries, while Krause added another 59 yards to that total.

Stout threatened in the sec-

ond half with quarterback Nick Ohman throwing a 29-yard touchdown to wide receiver Adam Moiles with 20 seconds left in the third quarter and a 12-yard strike to Brian Johnson early in the fourth quarter to bring the Blue Devils within 10 points, 27-17. However, Gast broke free for a 39-yard touchdown with 5:35 left to give the Pointers a 34-17 cushion.

UWSP is now 3-2 in the WIAC and is tied with UW-Platteville and UW-La Crosse for second place in the conference behind 4-1 UW-Eau Claire. UWSP can clinch the WIAC automatic berth to the Division III playoffs with wins over next week's opponent UW-Platteville and UW-Eau Claire in the regular season finale.

The Pointers travel to Platteville for the second time this year, hoping to repeat their 51-13 drubbing of the Pioneers on Sept. 22.

"This is a difficult game to prepare for, but our back is against the wall for a win," said Miech. "Sometimes when you play a team twice and win the first game, kids can tend to



Photo by Craig Mandli

Senior tight end Steve Jones hauls in a touchdown late in the first half in the UWSP's game against Stout this past weekend.

expect the same result without really trying for it. Our team has to come out with intensity this weekend, because Platteville's back is against the wall too."

Kickoff is set for 2 p.m. at Ralph E. Davis Pioneer Stadium in Platteville.

SENIOR ON THE SPOT BRIANNA HYSLOP- SOCCER



Hyslop

UWSP Career Highlights

- named WIAC player of the week after trip to Texas last season
- scored first career goal against Superior last season.
- recorded shut-outs in 14 of her last 15 games

Major - Biology

Hometown - Madison, WI

Most memorable moment - Last year when we won the game to go to the final four.

Who was your idol growing up? - Steve Largent, former Seattle Seahawk wide receiver and current congressman, because he was always known for his hard work and he caught everything that came his way.

What are your plans after graduation? - I would like to go to nursing school and become a nurse.

Will you continue with soccer at all after graduation? - I will hopefully find some way to play competitively somewhere. Maybe a club team.

What is your favorite aspect of soccer? - Playing with the same people year after year, and just sharing the sport with all my teammates.

Most embarrassing moment - Once while I was stretching before a game, I told a really bad secret that I'm still hearing about.

If you could be anyone for a day, who would you choose? I would be a really big, strong, dumb, muscular guy. I would like to see what its like to walk around like that and then be happy to be me and I would feel smart

If you were going to be stranded on a desert island and could choose only three things to bring with you, what would you choose?

1. Electronic Yahtzee
2. Really comfortable pants
3. A freezer full of "Bomb Pops"

What will you remember most playing soccer at UWSP? - All the people I've met and all the friendships I've made over the years.

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Cross country teams garner 3rd place finish

By Dan Mirman
SPORTS EDITOR

If you didn't look closely at the final standings for the men's and women's WIAC conference meet last Friday, you would think they were copies of each other. The top four teams were the same in both the men's and women's meets.

Both teams ending up placing third and both had just 24 places separating their first and fifth runners. Both teams also finished behind dual champion UW-La Crosse and UW-Oshkosh, as well as finishing ahead of UW-Eau Claire.

Becky Lebak paced the Pointers, and the rest of the conference for that matter, as she finished first overall with a time of just over 18 minutes. Lebak's victory marks the second year in a row that that UWSP has had the top overall runner. Leah Juno accomplished the feat last year.

"It was a real nice accomplishment for Becky, especially with the course favoring [Liz] Woodworth (second overall) because of the downhill finish, and that tends to favor a runner with more leg speed," said Head Coach Len Hill.

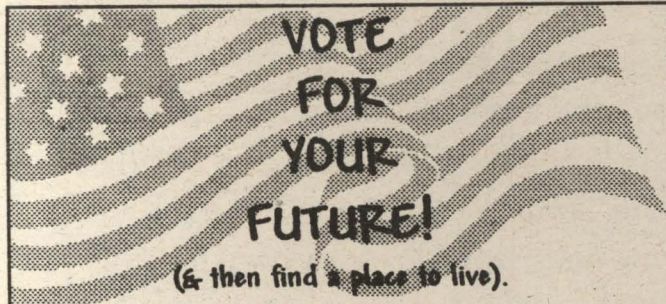
Kara Vosters also cracked the top ten for UWSP, finishing tenth overall. She was followed Meghan Craig, who was only a few seconds back coming in 13th. There was a short gap to Teresa Stanley, who ran her best race of the year to finish 23rd, just ahead of 25th placed Maureen Ruka.

"I was very pleased with our effort and where we finished," said Hill. "Very few of our runners have big meet experience and I thought they did very well. Teresa Stanley did an excellent job. She came in as our eighth runner and she ended with our fourth best time, so that was a pleasant surprise."

The men's team was once again without number one runner Curt Johnson, who was sidelined with a foot injury. The LaLonde brothers helped make up for the loss as they grabbed the top two positions for Point. Sophomore Mark LaLonde had an excellent race finishing sixth overall to lead the team. Senior Jessi LaLonde came in 13th place for the Pointers. Eric Fisher, James Levash and Josh Blankenheim rounded out the top five for UWSP finishing 17th, 23rd and 30th, respectively.

"We thought that Mark was capable of a top ten finish, and it was just a matter of him going out there and doing it and it's the same thing with Jessi," said Head Coach Rick Witt. "I was really happy with how we did. Coming in, Jessi was the only guy with big meet experience. We thought we could give Curt some more time to get healthy for the regional meet and still get third, and we did that."

The season continues to heat up this weekend, as both teams will be heading to Rock Island, Il., for the regional meet. The top four teams from each regional will advance to nationals the following weekend.



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Grusczyński will join Pointer men's basketball team

By Jim Strick
UWSP SPORTS INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Kyle Grusczyński, a former second-team All-State performer at Seymour High School, has announced he will join the men's basketball program at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, transferring from UW-Madison.

Grusczyński will enroll at UWSP at the semester break in January 2002 and will have three years of eligibility with the Pointers. He will likely redshirt for the 2001-02 season.

The 6'6" perimeter player appeared in six games last season for the Badgers, scoring two points and grabbing two rebounds. He was recruited to Wisconsin by former Wisconsin and Pointer coach Dick Bennett, whose brother, Jack, coaches the Pointers.

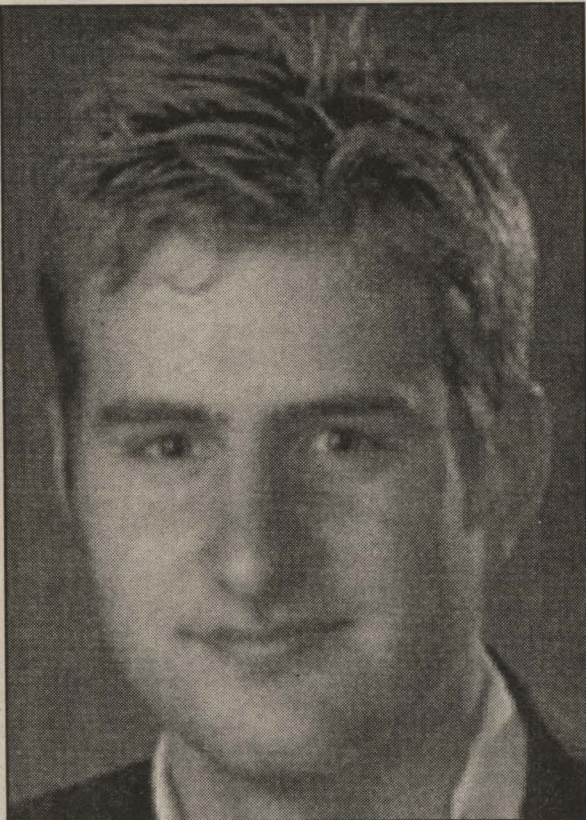
"We're very pleased he's joining an already strong team here at UWSP," said Jack Bennett, whose teams have won two straight WIAC titles. "He evaluated the pros and cons and, in the end, I believe he made the courageous and right decision."

Grusczyński is the all-time leading scorer at Seymour High School with 1,187 career points. He averaged 17 points, 11 rebounds and six assists as a senior, while helping the team to a WIAA Division II runner-up finish.

As a junior, Grusczyński was an honorable mention All-State performer while posting 20 points, nine rebounds and five assists per game. He was named first-team All-Bay Conference during his junior and senior seasons.

"He has the kind of background, both in high school and college, that will do him well in our system," Bennett said. "He sees the floor extremely well and is an excellent player. We hope his natural love of the game will be rekindled here at UWSP."

Grusczyński was a three-year starter at Seymour



UW-Madison basketball media guide photo
The 6'6" Grusczyński will likely play small forward for the Pointers next season.
under Coach Jon Murphy and was a reserve on the Seymour's Division II state championship team in 1997.
UWSP was 18-7 last season, while claiming its second straight WIAC title. The Pointers have advanced to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Division III tournament two of the past five years.

The Week Ahead...

FOOTBALL: at UW-Platteville, Sat. 2 p.m.
WOMENS HOCKEY: St. Thomas, Fri. 5:45 p.m and Sat. 2:35 p.m.
SOCCER: at Wheaton Il., vs. Webster (Mo.) NCAA Division III tournament, Sat. 5 p.m.
SWIMMING & DIVING: UW-Eau Claire, Fri. 6 p.m.; at UW-Whitewater, Sat. 1 p.m.
MEN'S HOCKEY: at UW-Stout, Fri. 7:30 p.m.; at UW-River Falls, Sat. 7:05 p.m.

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Return of the lady beetle

By Steve Seamandel

OUTDOORS EDITOR

In the past three weeks, I think I've killed more lady beetles than I can count. They're always in my room, on my bed and in my clothes.

I've discovered a few things about them though. For starters, they really gravitate towards light and bright colors. They do not bite, ruin clothing, lay eggs inside or eat away at building foundations. The only true thing I've heard about them is that

However, at the photo-op for this article, a beetle thought to be deceased for upwards of two weeks sprang to life when ejected from the box. Life is a miraculous thing sometimes.

Seeing these beetles around everywhere really does drive me crazy and makes me long for the cold harsh winter that is coming. The true test will be to see



photo by Luke Zancanaro

Superman has kryptonite, and lady beetles may have bay leaves as their one weakness. My experiment remains unresolved.

when you squash them, they emit a yellow fluid that smells rather unpleasant and can also stain clothes and fabrics. This is their only defense mechanism.

The Internet has helped me learn a lot about lady beetles, but I still can't get rid of them. Every day, there are a few lingering in my room.

Scientists claim that the only effective way to prevent them from getting into your home is to caulk and seal all of the cracks and possible entry ways into your home. But even I know that if I did that, they'd still get in.

Somewhere along the line, my mother said that she heard lady beetles hate bay leaves. She gave me a box and said to try it out. While having an open box of bay leaves hasn't completely eradicated them, they do appear less frequently. And let me tell you, the stragglers that appear will be sure to face a horrible gruesome death in the box of bay leaves.

how many of these make it through the winter.

Apparently, they do not feed during the fall or winter. They survive on nutrients and fat that they store in their body and when it gets cold enough, they go into a state of hibernation. They awaken in the spring when the temperatures creep into the 60's.

I think it's safe to say that the days of these lady beetles is numbered before they shut down for another winter of hibernation. Every time I look outside my window, I will simply laugh in a Mr. Burns-like tone and think about how those beetles outside only wish that they could be in my room.

We'll see who has the last laugh though. Come next spring, I'm sure that I'll be cursing them just as much as I am now.

DNR secretary addresses issues

By Joe Shead

ASSISTANT OUTDOORS EDITOR

UWSP students and community members got a unique opportunity Tuesday when Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Secretary Darrell Bazzell conducted a half-hour long question-and-answer session in CNR Room 120.

Bazzell was in town traveling with Gov. Scott McCallum during the "Move State Government" program in which McCallum's cabinet traveled around the state and attended various community functions.

After an introduction by College of Natural Resources Dean Victor Phillips, the public was allowed to ask Bazzell any question about Wisconsin's natural resources.

One of the first topics raised was talk of a state hiring freeze. Bazzell said that he expected the freeze would come soon, but indicated that about 120 of the 160 Wisconsin conservation officers will retire in the next five years, which should create job openings within the DNR.

Another question raised was the status of state parks funding. Bazzell said that state parks have good funding from camping revenues and from deals worked out in legislation and that they are in good shape.

One person wanted to know about wetlands protection. The Army Corps of Engineers was responsible for all wetlands until earlier this year when the Supreme Court took away its jurisdiction on isolated wetlands, meaning wetlands not connected to rivers or streams. Bazzell said that Wisconsin citizens were very concerned about this issue and took actions to create a new law protecting Wisconsin wetlands.

"We're the first state in the nation to pass protection laws, so we're right back where we started from," Bazzell said.

A concern was raised on restoring the Wisconsin/Minnesota Water Commission, but Bazzell said Minnesota Gov. Jesse Ventura has made no moves in this respect and nothing will likely be done until there is a change in leadership.

One student was very concerned with a bill regarding cyanide in Wisconsin. Bazzell said that the DNR has no stance on the, but will take the role of providing expert testimony on the matter.

The question of whether or not the DNR

would remain an integrated agency was also raised. Bazzell thought and hoped it would.

"It's important to have our air quality staff sitting at the same table as our fish managers," Bazzell said.

Chronic wasting disease, which has been found in elk in Western states, was also addressed. No occurrence of this disease has been found in Wisconsin, but there is concern with importing elk into Wisconsin game farms. Bazzell said the DNR hopes for stronger laws on elk brought into



photo by Luke Zancanaro

Darrell Bazzell conducted a question and answer session on environmental issues in the CNR Tuesday.

Wisconsin.

Bazzell wrapped up the session by speaking about how valuable Wisconsin's citizens are to the DNR's legislation process.

"One of the most fundamental tools that we have is that every time we consider developing an administrative rule or policy that we would implement, we go to the public and we ask the public what they think. We take their input very, very seriously."

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Winterize your fishing gear now

By Steve Seamandel

OUTDOORS EDITOR

By now, most of us have officially cast the last worm of the year. The days are getting shorter and instead of counting down the days of this year's fishing season, we now look forward to next year's season.

After docking the boat for the last time in 2001, you've got to put the gear away. You have two options: either throw it in the ol' fishing cabinet and worry about it next May, or organize it now and avoid the hassles when others are prepping all of their equipment next year.

I always opt for the latter. It's so much easier to organize everything now and know that when the time comes next year, you won't have any lines to untangle, no reels to respool with line and no lures to pick through and throw away. The whole process of doing this now is pretty harmless.

There's really a lot to do, but if you make a list of what needs to be done, things will go a lot more smoothly. You'll have to deal with rods, line, jigs and hooks, tackle boxes and, in some cases, a boat and motor.

Rods and reels are pretty self-explanatory. You'll want to take all of the hooks off your rods

to avoid bad tangles and at this point, you'll realize that the more rods you own, the more important this is.) Cut about the last five feet of line off of the spool, as it can be prone to developing kinks and weak spots from fishing and tying hooks. Tie something (a metal ring, hook, etc.) to the end of the line and reel it in all the way. If it's a two-part rod, break it down, rubber-band the parts together and store them in a semi-warm and dry area. Some of the more diehard fishermen may want to respool their entire reel in the spring. However, this can get pricey.

Tackle boxes are usually nasty and the most cumbersome. By the end of the fall, they're usually a mess and a complete disaster to clean. Start by taking everything out of your tackle box and throw out anything that no longer works, looks appetizing (to a fish at least) or is discolored. It may be hard to get rid of some older favorites, but, if you really can't stand to throw them away, you can always make a nice wall hanging by whittling a stick down and hooking your favorite lures and jigs on the stick. After you're done discarding all of the obsolete things in your tackle box, categorize everything and put them all in their appropriate

compartments. Heck, that's why tackle boxes have so many corners and compartments. Be sure to note what you need and don't need because there are usually some good deals at tackle stores at this time of year.

If you've got a boat, then you're in for a real treat. Not only do you have to take off the motor and everything for the year, but you've got to store the motor, drain the gas, clean the boat and flip it. Depending on what kind of boat you've got, you may have to put it into some type of storage.

I've got a 16' aluminum fishing boat, so it's pretty safe to flip it over for the winter. If you've got any cords from fishing locators attached to the boat, be sure to take them off and store them inside because they surely won't survive the winter. Also, be sure to take anchors inside. Being out in harsh cold will eventually wear the anchor ropes down, and eventually you'll pull up nothing but the end of a rope instead of your anchor.

Of course, you could go on forever about how to prepare your gear for next spring. The possibilities are endless, but this is definitely an adequate start for the average fisherman.

Governor buys first online hunting license

By Joe Shead

ASSISTANT OUTDOORS EDITOR

Gov. Scott McCallum made Wisconsin hunting history Tuesday, Oct. 30 right here on campus. At 3 p.m. that day, McCallum purchased the first-ever Wisconsin hunting license online in the Schmeeckle Reserve Visitors Center.

McCallum purchased a small game license in the presence of a small gathering of people including Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources Secretary Darrell Bazzell, UWSP chancellor Tom George, politicians and members of the press and the public.

Wisconsin hunting licenses can now be purchased online by both residents and non-residents at <https://www.wildlifelicense.com/wi/> via a four-step process. Those seeking to purchase a license must first identify themselves with their DNR customer number or provide information in order to get one. The next step is

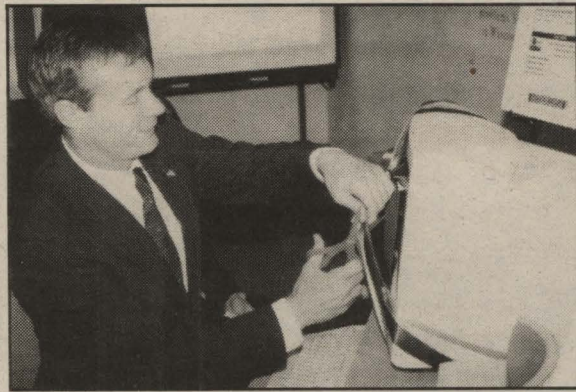


Photo by Luke Zancanaro

Gov. Scott McCallum cuts a ribbon on a computer in the Schmeeckle Reserve Visitors Center on Tuesday.

to choose the type of license, paying with either a Visa or Mastercard. A \$3 convenience fee is charged for the service. Lastly, the customer can print the actual license. However, some licenses cannot be printed. Licenses that cannot be printed will be mailed to the customer within seven days of purchase.

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Battle of the Bands Review

By Zack Holder

ARTS & REVIEW EDITOR

Last Thursday evening, I was asked to be a judge for the 2001 edition of the Battle of the Bands at the UC-Encore. I'm a sucker for live music and, because it was free and I got gift certificates from the Brewhaus, it was a no-brainer for me to jump at this opportunity. The musical diversity that covers this campus was well-showcased at this event. The night consisted of five bands, each playing their best set that they could fit into 30 minutes.

The night kicked off with the mellow grooves of Zack Attack. This band, which consisted, from song-to-song, of anywhere from four to nine members, brought a mix of different musical instruments the the UC-Encore stage. They had the crowd up on their feet and dancing from the get-go. The use of male/female vocals brought a unique dynamic to the night and the cover of Rusted Root's "Send Me on My Way" was a great way to end their set.

The second band on the bill was Samoni. This four-piece band played a set of all covers that ranged from the work of gui-

tar-god rock groups to Top 40 pop princesses. The band took full advantage of their familiar material by keeping the crowd into the set the whole time. The crowd reaction grew to a peak with their set-closing take on Britney Spear's "Baby One More Time."

Next up: the Bulldogs. This five-piece band played a set of '50s garage rock mainly influenced by bands from the other side of the pond. Like most of the other bands of the night, the Bulldogs played a few covers interspersed with their own originals. They played the most poignant cover of the night with Oasis' "Rock And Roll Star," proving that even a little band at UWSP can be rock and roll stars, even if only for a night.

The fourth band was arguably the crowd favorite of the night, Hooked on Pisces. With a set of music that ranged through a wide spectrum of tastes, this band had the now-dwindling crowd behind them full force. Not only were they musically tight, but the smooth delivery of the lyrics provided a set guaranteed to win over anyone in attendance.

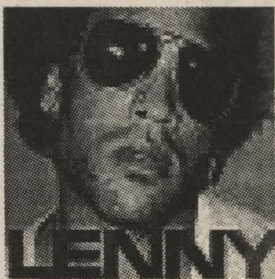
Last, but definately not least,

was two-time defending Battle of the Bands champions Self Proclaimed Nickname. They opened their set with a cover of MxPx's "Chick Magnet" and continued with a high energy set that ran over their allotted time. This band had by far the most animated live show of the evening, with no members standing still for any extended period of time. Their brand of pop/punk/rock was a great finish to a great night of young, underappreciated bands.

Although they provided a great set, the extra time may have cost Self Proclaimed Nickname their threepeat as champs. After some adjustments on the score cards because of the overtime penalty, Hooked on Pisces came out as the new musical champions of the UWSP campus.

All in all, it was a great night filled with music from all different types of genres. Now that you know that these, and other, great local bands are around, don't sit and complain about having to go to a bigger city to see live music. Track down where they are playing and support your local music scene, no matter what kind of music you listen to.

1,000 apologies to anyone who expected an article from Pat Rothfuss this week. Once again, he didn't recieve any letters from you, his loyal audience, so he couldn't write anything to make your school days less miserable. Hopefully Pat will return next week. Until then you're stuck with the Arts & Review Editor. Any submissions, complaints or various other comments can be e-mailed to zhold695@uwsp.edu.



CD Review

Lenny Kravitz

Lenny

By Colleen Courtney

90FM MUSIC DIRECTOR

I have three preconceptions about Lenny Kravitz. Number one, he's not really alternative music. He was sucked up by mainstream radio long ago, so what's this disc doing on my desk? Number two, he ditched perfectly hot *Cosby* wife Lisa Bonet for an affair with Madonna after he wrote "Justify My Love." (Lenny, what were you thinking?) Number three, "Again" was cute the first time I heard it, but now it makes me feel like stabbing a fork into my arm and twisting it until it hurts.

So why is Kravitz the subject of my review? Simple. *Lenny* is an album for the anti-Kravitz person. People who were convinced "Are You Gonna Go My Way" was Kravitz's last stroke of genius should check this out. Kravitz returns to his original recording creed that a finished product should only feature real instrumentals, not electric ones. By separately recording all of the instruments himself, Kravitz has even brought diverse instrumentals to *Lenny*, producing songs

that do not sound like all of his previous songs.

Yes, there is a mainstream hit for all the kiddies. "Dig In" is optimistically upbeat instrumentally and a lyrical inspiration. "Once you dig in you'll find/ You're coming out the other side and once you dig in/ You'll find you'll have yourself a good time." My personal favorite is "Battlefield of Love" with its wake-me-up guitar, heavy drums, and lyrics you'd swear were too deep for Kravitz to crone. "Yesterday is Gone (My Dear Kay)" is a nice ballad with a soft acoustic guitar, contrasting heavily with the sassy bouncing guitar and self-defining lyrics of "Stillness of Heart."

If you are willing to give Kravitz one more chance to be creative and original, this is the disc to pick up. Every song is different and fits every mood. Hardcore Kravitz fans will recognize it as one of his best. Even if they still don't understand the whole Madonna fascination.

DVD Review

Star Wars Episode I: The Phantom Menace

By Zack Holder

ARTS & REVIEW EDITOR

Like just about every male child who remembers the 80's, George Lucas' *Star Wars* films touched me. Except something went awry with some of us, and the *Star Wars* universe expanded from just being movies, to being intricate parts to the way we lead our lives. To the dismay of my fiancée (and I'm sure she's not alone in this department) I can't count the number of times I have tried to get the remote control to come to me from across the room using a Jedi mind trick. So, it was with unbridled excitement that I took the opportunity to review this film once the immense DVD version of *The Phantom Menace* became available.

I've always wanted to see these films in DVD, but with Lucas being the marketing genius he is, and knowing he has a pretty decent percentage of the world population at his beck and call, I wasn't sure how long it would take to see one of these films in the new format. I'm also sure, before it's all said and done, I'll also own four different copies of *The Phantom Menace* on DVD, all with some new added feature that I must have for my very own. It doesn't matter what is put on the subsequent versions of this DVD, the added features on this version will blow the mind of anyone, from the casual fan to the die-hard.

The film itself is gorgeous on the new DVD version: there's nothing like seeing the distinct crawling titles that open the new film in DVD format. The sound and special effects are also enhanced on the DVD, making it as close to a theater experience as any privately owned film can. The film itself is even expanded; there are scenes which are longer on the DVD than in the theater or VHS version, sometimes up to three minutes in certain cases.

But, the crown jewel of this two-disc set is not the film itself, but all the added surprises that come with it. The addition that I checked out first was the deleted scenes. These included an expanded and quite impressive second lap on the pod race and an introduction to the crowd of all the pod racers. My personal favorite deleted scene showed Anakin wrestling in the street with young Greedo. After Qui-Gonn Jin breaks up the fight, another youngster tells Greedo that he better watch himself or some day he'll, "come to a bad end." This is proven prophetic, as true fans know, by Han Solo who shoots Greedo in *A New Hope*. Other new feature are a music video of "Duel of the Fates," trailers, audio commentary and 75 pictures from the making of the film.

This DVD will please anyone who is even remotely interested in the *Star Wars* films. It hasn't left my DVD player in the week that I have owned it. I would even recommend it to the uninitiated *Star Wars* viewers. Go buy this today ... and may the Force be with you all.

Concert Update

Friday, Nov. 2

Littlehorse-UC Encore-8 p.m.

You're Pretty and Descent-Mission Coffee House-8 p.m.

The Hip to that Quintet-The Keg-9:30 p.m.

The Dangers-Witz End-9:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 3

Samoni-The Keg-9:30 p.m.

Irene's Garden-Witz End-9:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 6

Open Mic hosted by MOON-Witz End-9 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 9

Hooked on Pisces-The Keg-9:30 p.m.

Northbound Train-Witz End-9:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 10

Planet Melvin-Mission Coffee House-7 p.m.

The Jim Schwall Blues Band-Witz End-9:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Nov. 13

Open Mic hosted by MOON-Witz End-9 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 15

The Hip to that Quintet-Mission Coffee House-8 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 16

Maggie and the Molecules-Mission Coffee House-8:30 p.m.

The Danger Project-The Keg-9:30 p.m.

Trio Bovre-Witz End-9:30 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 17

Irene's Garden-Mission Coffee House-8:30 p.m.

The Sweet Potato Project-Witz End-9:30 p.m.

If you know any bands or establishments who would like to be included on 90FM's Local Concert Update, have them e-mail clubwi@hotmail.com. Entries must be submitted seven days prior to the event or occasion.

Benefit for Great Green Macaw at the Mission Coffee House Nov. 1

Friends of the Great Green Macaw invite you to a benefit concert at the Mission Coffee House on Thursday, Nov. 1, featuring Northbound Train, The Danger Project, Onomatopoeia and guests. Friends of the Great Green Macaw is a non-profit organization founded by UWSP graduates that is working to preserve biodiversity by protecting and restoring habitat of the endangered Great Green Macaw in Costa Rica. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. and music begins at 8. For a \$5 donation, you will be able to find out more information about Friends of the Great Green Macaw, and enjoy great music. Stickers, t-shirts and patches will be available for sale. There will also be a sign-up to adopt a tree for reforestation in Costa Rica. For more information, call Bobbie at 421-4712 or Lynn at 343-0252.

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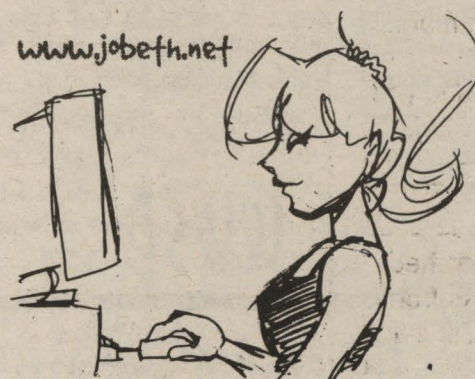
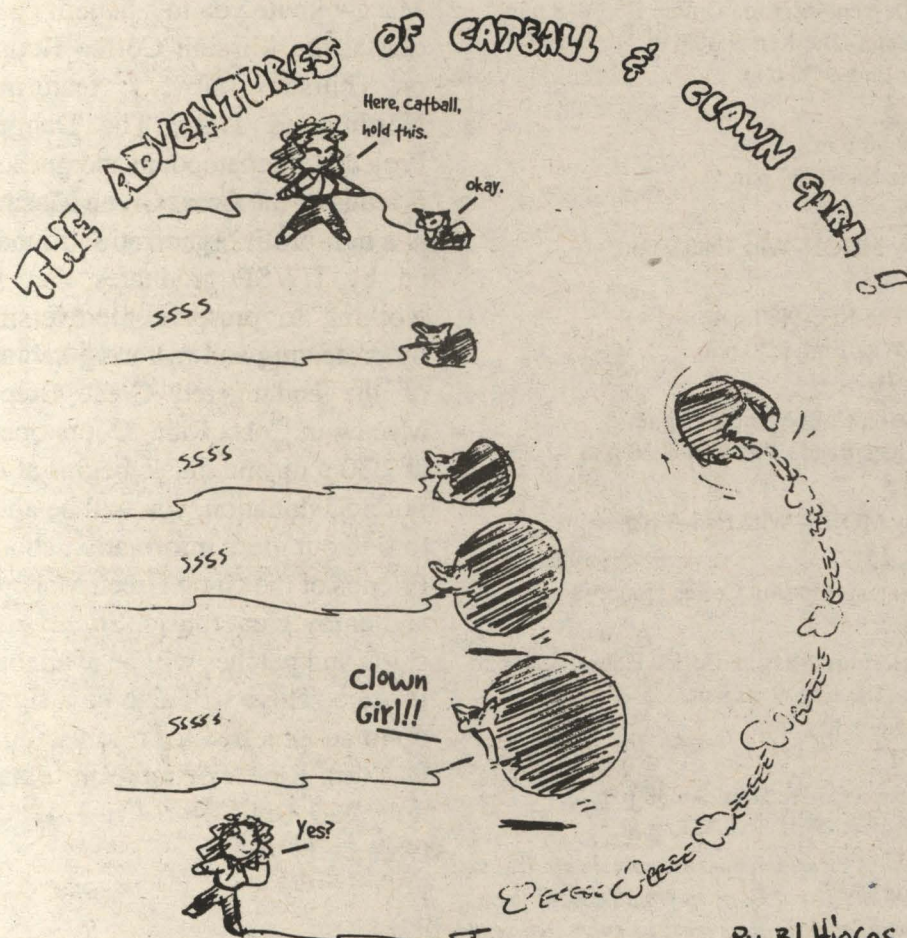
Jackie's Fridge



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- 1 gin and tonic, Ah, Ah, Ah!
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By BJ Hiorns

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Taco Topper™	\$9.39	\$13.49	\$15.89	\$22.49
Our most popular pizza has taco sauce and is piled high with Mexican goodies like spicy taco meat, mozzarella and cheddar cheeses, tortilla chips, crisp lettuce, tomatoes, black olives and green onions. Sour cream and salsa on the side.				
Potato Topper™	\$8.29	\$12.49	\$14.59	\$19.99
Lightly buttered crust and steaming chunks of baked potato covered with cheddar cheese and topped with bacon. Garnished with green onions and sour cream on the side.				
California Topper™ ☉	\$8.99	\$12.99	\$14.99	\$20.99
Spinach, artichoke hearts, fresh crushed garlic, feta cheese and plenty of mozzarella. Cowabunga, Dude!				
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Meat Topper™	\$8.79	\$12.59	\$14.59	\$19.99
The perfect combination of traditional meat toppings: pepperoni, ham, sausage and bacon on our zesty homemade tomato sauce, smothered in mozzarella.				
Chicken Cordon Bleu	\$8.99	\$12.99	\$14.99	\$20.99
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Veggie Classic™ ☉	\$7.89	\$10.99	\$13.79	\$18.99
This pizza highlights traditional veggie toppings like sweet green peppers, fresh mushrooms, ripe Spanish olives and tasty white onions with our zesty homemade tomato sauce.				
Maui Topper™	\$7.49	\$9.99	\$12.99	\$18.99
Tons of ham and pineapple with a sprinkle of real bacon on a slightly sweet sauce.				

	Small	Medium	Large	X-Large
Fajita Chicken	\$9.49	\$13.99	\$15.99	\$22.49
Go south of the border with this mild Mexican treat of fajita chicken, onions, green and red peppers, mozzarella and cheddar cheeses on pesto sauce. Traditional Mexican sauces on the side.				
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Big Topper™	\$8.79	\$12.59	\$14.59	\$19.99
The perfect amount of ten traditional toppings: pepperoni, onions, mushrooms, ham, sausage, banana peppers, green peppers, tomatoes, black olives and extra cheese.				
BLT	\$7.49	\$9.99	\$12.99	\$18.99
Crisp bacon sizzles on top of a tasty garlic butter sauce and mozzarella cheese. Topped with chilled lettuce, tomatoes and mayonnaise.				
Topper's Classic™	\$8.79	\$12.59	\$14.59	\$19.99
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Spinach Caesar ☉	\$7.99	\$11.99	\$13.99	\$18.99
Fresh spinach tossed in olive oil and garlic with roma tomatoes on a creamy Parmesan white sauce with mozzarella cheese. Mushrooms or bacon on request.				

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Topper's great oven-baked grinders are a sandwich-lover's dream!

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Veggie ☉

Provolone cheese melted on mushrooms, onions, green peppers and tomatoes.

Italian

A classic combination of ham, salami, pepperoni and provolone cheese with lettuce, tomato and Italian dressing.

Pizza Grinder ☉

Two pizza toppers on homemade pizza sauce covered with cheese.

Club

Ham, turkey and bacon covered with provolone cheese plus lettuce, tomato and mayo.

Three Cheese Grill ☉

A classic blend of three cheeses melted on garlic-buttered French bread.

Roast Beef & Cheddar

Cheddar cheese melted over slices of tender roast beef and topped with lettuce and tomato.

BBQ Chicken

Chunks of barbecued chicken in tangy BBQ sauce with onions and mozzarella cheese.

Giant Pickle Cut in 4 spears **\$1.19**

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**Build Your Own Pizza**

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 Pizza	\$5.99	\$7.49	\$8.99	\$12.99
Each Topper	\$0.89	\$1.09	\$1.29	\$1.89
2nd Pizza (any number of toppings)	\$5.99	\$7.49	\$8.99	\$11.99

Pizza Toppers MEATS: pepperoni, ham, bacon, chicken, ground beef, sausage, anchovies CHEESES: cheddar, Swiss, extra mozzarella VEGGIES: mushrooms, pineapple, tomatoes, ripe olives, banana peppers, spinach, green olives, jalapeños, red peppers, green peppers, onions, fresh garlic

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Original Breadstix™ ☉	\$2.99	\$7.99
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Taco Stix™	\$3.99	\$9.99
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Pepperonistix™	\$3.99	\$9.99
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Veggiestix™ ☉	\$3.99	\$9.99
Raid the garden with this delectable veggie-covered delight.		
Cinnamonstix™ ☉	\$1.99	
This sweet treat is a whole different approach for adding spice to your life.		
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Pizza Sauce, Nacho Cheese, Ranch, Garlic Butter, BBQ, Salsa, Sour Cream.		

Buffalo Wings

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

10 wings	\$6.99	20 wings	\$12.99	50 wings	\$29.99
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Chef Salad **\$5.49**
Turkey, provolone and cheddar cheeses, plum tomatoes, onions and seasoned croutons on mixed greens.

Chicken Caesar Salad **\$5.99**
Mixed greens topped with baked marinated chicken, roma tomatoes, black olives, fresh Parmesan cheese and Caesar or your choice of dressings.

Taco Salad **\$5.49**
Taco meat, tortilla chips, diced tomatoes, olives, cheddar cheese and green onions on mixed greens. Sour cream, salsa or your choice of dressings.

Drinks

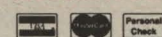
Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Sierra Mist, Mountain Dew, Mug Root Beer, Lemonade.

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