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"Are we ready to send our troops into a war we know nothing about..."

— Chris Williams

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'Blue buckets' will stay open



ASUI President Tina Kagi reports Marriott will hire a late-night monitor.

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Four resign from ASUI Productions

By M.L. GARLAND
Associate Editor

Lack of support and direction from the ASUI prompted her resignation from ASUI Productions, Assistant Program Coordinator Sandy Burr said Thursday.

"It doesn't matter what we do, we'll be criticized," Burr said. "Then the students have to play politics. It's not worth it."

Burr's resignation prompted a uniting of current and former student production members to report problems within the department.

A memo received today by Executive to the President Terry Armstrong, Financial Vice President Joseph Geiger, ASUI Production members and the ASUI Senate relates members' experiences and offers possible solutions to their difficulties.



BURR

"If you can't get a structure that works in three years, something is wrong," said Cyndi Lewis, student assistant coordinator who also resigned this week. "There was a lot of miscommunication in the office."

ASUI Productions began last semester with 15 student employees; now one remains, according to Burr.

"Why did all those people leave?" asked Lynn Major, ASUI vice president. "There has to be something else wrong there."

The memo, drafted by Lewis, Chris Brown, Kim Cantrell, George Parisot, Erica Viola and Fred Wallin, explains the rapid turnover rate. Their grie-

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• STOP THE PRESSES •

CLASSES MEET TODAY

Regular daytime classes will be in session today, despite the record cold temperatures, says Terry Maurer, director of University Communications. A Spokane television station erroneously reported class closures last night.

FROST-FIGHTER.



DRESSED FOR SUCCESS. Director of the School of Communication Peter Haggart braves the below-zero temperatures Thursday while walking up Line Street. More of the "Siberian Blast" of cold air is expected here this weekend. (TIM DAHLQUIST PHOTO)

Committee could axe on-campus parking

By JON ERICKSON
Editor

Parking in interior campus lots could be eliminated and new restrictions implemented if UI Parking Committee recommendations are approved.

The committee, comprised of four faculty members, three staff members and three students, is currently developing a long-range parking plan for the university.

The plan would affect everyone bringing a motorized vehicle onto the UI campus.

"It will be long-term comprehensive plan that is a guide," said Glen Utzman, Parking Committee chairperson. "Whatever happens in the future would be a planned action."

Although the plan may someday ease the parking situation, Utzman said the current parking situation is volatile.

"Parking is an emotional issue and can polarize people," Utzman said.

The committee's final proposal is scheduled to be completed within the next five weeks and delivered to Joseph Geiger, UI financial vice president.

"We are not ready to release anything at this time," Utzman said.

However, the *Argonaut* has obtained a copy of the committee members' suggestions. Recommendations include:

- Adequate parking within eight minutes walking distance for all individuals working on or visiting campus,

- Adequate parking facilities for employees working in newly contracted buildings. In addition, any parking facility displaced by building construction would be replaced as part of the building's total expense,

- Providing residents of uni-

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Faculty Council sends consensual sex policy back to committee

Profs say draft is foolish insult

By ANGELA CURTIS
Managing Editor

The director of the committee revising a consensual sex policy draft says she is pleased the UI Faculty Council didn't table the proposal altogether.

"I'm pleased they sent it that far and that there's still hope," said Affirmative Action Committee Chairperson Jan Scott in a Thursday afternoon interview.

Not without protest, the Faculty Council voted to return the policy to the affirmative action

committee for revisions before making a final decision.

"I'll filibuster if it comes down to it," said Professor of Law James Macdonald. "I object to the whole thing — it's foolish."

The policy questioned faculty members' professionalism, said Nelson Curtis, professor of art.

"We know what's professional," Curtis said. "That probably has a lot to do with why we're here."

Affirmative action drafted the policy after noticing problems last year, Scott said.

"A year ago we started having problems with a black widow who likes to suck the young men

and uses grades as an enticement," Scott said.

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— Jan Scott
Affirmative Action Chairperson

Incoming faculty members need to be warned that consensu-

al relationships are inappropriate, said Betsy Thomas, director of the UI Women's Center.

"I get calls from other faculty members and department heads asking how to tell their peers that students are not necessarily grazing material," Thomas said.

And what do department heads tell new faculty members? "Be celibate until you leave," Curtis said.

Taking the policy a step further would eliminate friendships between professors and students, said Professor of Economics Michael DiNoto.

"What's the line between friendship and romance?" Mac-

donald asked.

Sex, according to Scott.

The draft was finally resubmitted for revisions in wording.

"I support the intent," said Associate Professor of Education Pat White. "I don't agree with the language."

White said that the College of Education provides its faculty with cautionary handouts explaining the improprieties of consensual relationships, as well as discussing them.

Scott said she is unsure of what changes will be made until the committee meets at the end of the month.

Kagi: Marriott will hire Joe's security monitor

'Blue bucket' study area hours restored

By BETH PETTIBON
Staff Writer

A security monitor will oversee restaurant equipment at Joe's Cafe, enabling Marriott personnel to keep Joe's open until 11 p.m. for evening study sessions.

ASUI President Tina Kagi announced the plan at Wednesday night's senate meeting.

Until Marriott can hire a permanent monitor, a part-time monitor will watch the food establishment from 9 p.m. and 11 p.m.

Last month, Marriott officials decided to close the food establishment at 9 p.m., when the restaurant portion of Joe's closed.

The restored study hours,

which began on Sunday, were a result of student complaints issued to the service and ASUI senators, Kagi said.

Kagi said Marriott will provide a worker who will watch the restaurant equipment until the university can find a part-time employee to take over the shift. They hope to do this by Monday, Kagi said.

In other senate news:

■ The bill to provide the Tutoring and Academic Assistance Center with \$2,500 in student funds is still in committee. Sen. Mike Gotch said that he met with a university administrator who

told him he sees a chance that the university could provide the entire amount requested.

"We have a chance here to save student money and still give students the tutoring that they need," Gotch said.

■ Students looking for on-campus or community jobs can now look for listings both at the UI personnel office and at the SUB. Kagi said the listing at the SUB will be located around the corner from the ASUI office.

"I think it will be real successful," she said. "It's convenient for students."

■ Borah Hall president Ray

Horton told the senate his living group is opposed to the possible move of the post office to a new location across from the SUB. Horton said a hall resident is paid to deliver the mail, and the hall would have to pay the delivery person more money if the office is moved.

"Its current location is convenient, both for the GDIs and the Greeks," Horton said. "We would both suffer and we'll ask for help to stop the move if it goes through."

■ Two senators will be holding a meeting for off-campus students next Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the SUB in the Russet Room.

• TOMORROW'S NEWS •

ATV SEEKS VOLUNTEERS. Alternatives to Violence on the Palouse, a volunteer agency that helps victims of domestic violence and sexual assault, will hold the first in a series of training sessions for advocates tomorrow. Contact ATV for more information.

AIDS FORUM MONDAY. A panel discussion and question forum titled "AIDS: Can It Happen Here?" will be held Monday at 7 p.m. in the UI Silver and Gold Rooms. A video presentation of "AIDS: You're Not Immune" will also be aired on ITV Channel 8 Monday at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.

• TODAY •

MARDI GRAS TICKETS. Tickets for the Feb. 17-18 Moscow-Pullman Mardi Gras celebration are on sale today at the following Moscow locations: Bogart's, John's Alley, the Mark IV Motor Inn, Mingles, Murdoc's, Ratz, Ticket Express, and the University Inn-Best Western. Ticket prices are: \$12 for students, \$15 for adults, \$20 at the door.

UI date rape rate above U.S. average

By CHRISTY KRETSCHMER
Staff Writer

The number of date rapes occurring at this university is higher than the national average, the director of the UI Women's Center said Thursday.

Director Betsy Thomas said that about one in three women attending school here would be raped during their lives.

Thomas spoke during a date rape prevention teleconference broadcast from University of Georgia Thursday. A microwave television hookup allowed viewers in the SUB Silver and Gold Rooms to ask questions and make comments during the teleconference.

The UI was one of more than 180 colleges participating in the event.

Sponsored by Student Advisory Services, the teleconference defined the problem of date rape, explained how attitudes and expectations of our society invite rape and introduced programs and ideas designed to correct the problem.

Barry Burkhart, one of the

nation's leading authorities in the area of acquaintance rape, said that 20 percent of all college females are victims of date rape.

Dean of Student Services Bruce Pitman said that the university doesn't ignore the problem.

"This is not a new thing for us," Pitman said.

He proposed setting up a self-defense program for female students, along with a mutual Greek-dorm rape education program.

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versity housing with adequate parking adjacent to their residence,

■ Acknowledgment that the university shall not be required to provide parking facilities for any privately owned property or residences,

■ Establishment of an interior campus "loop" with parking limited to administrators, the handicapped, visitors and service vehicles.

However, Utzman said no suggestions have yet been voted upon.

"Nothing has been formalized," Utzman said. "Our minds are not made up yet."

In a Thursday committee meeting, members set a tentative definition of the campus loop.

The area would be marked by Blake Avenue, Nez Perce Drive, Rayburn Street, Sixth Street and an imaginary boundary from the Buchanan Engineering Laboratory to the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity.

The loop would essentially eliminate parking for faculty and staff from six current gold lots. However, this parking would be replaced by changing current red and blue lots near old Greek row to gold lots.

The group most affected by the proposal could be residents of fraternities and sororities in the Elm Street area who would lose parking space.

The committee will hold a hearing for public comments on the recommendations once the final document is completed.

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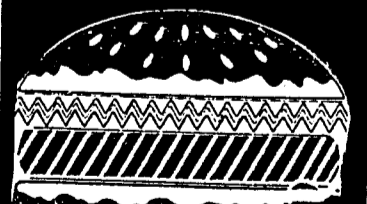
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U.S. fuels repression in El Salvador, SISCA speakers say

By BEN LONG
Senior Staff Writer

In November 1988 Chris Darrow went to El Salvador for a lesson in human rights. As guest of one of the country's labor unions, his group's plan was to escort union officials to work, hoping the presence of U.S. citizens would deter attacks from the U.S.-backed government.

The plan worked in the morning, but that afternoon one of the American escorts was tortured and killed.

"Basically what we're supporting is a government at war with his own people," Darrow told about 50 people gathered in the SUB Borah Theater on Tuesday evening.

He was invited there by Students in Support of Central America, a loosely organized student group that made headlines soon after its first meeting by teaming up with UI Campus Democrats for an anti-inauguration rally and party in January.

But Tuesday there were no effigies or snowballs. Instead, Darrow of Seattle, and Phil Hellesto of Bellingham, Wash., gave their interpretations of recent events in the small Central American nation of El Salvador, where civil war has claimed 70,000 lives in the last nine years.

The pair said that recent advances by the FMLN revolutionary army, increased urban warfare, lack of popular sup-

port for the government and a failed U.S. policy in the country have brought revolution, and perhaps a U.S. invasion, closer.

"Things are moving really fast," Hellesto said. The pair predicted victory for the anti-government guerrillas as soon as March, 1989.

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— Chris Darrow
SISCA Guest Speaker

"The U.S. government is caught off-guard," Hellesto said. "The policy is crumbling fast."

He said that if the rebels take power, El Salvador risks an invasion by the United States.

Darrow illustrated his stance with a tray of slides taken during his November trip to El Salvador. He showed pictures of an anti-war parade where speakers were censored by noisy military helicopters buzzing the procession, stirring up clouds of dust.

"This is your El Salvadoran democracy," Darrow said. Along with groups from American churches, Darrow visited villages bombed by the government.

"It looks like 19th century ruins," Darrow said of one slide. "But this is very recent damage."

Darrow photographed both soldiers of the government and of the rebels, many of them teenagers with machine guns. He also showed pictures of the often-closed down University of El Salvador.

"It is pretty evident why the government isn't too fond of this school," he said, flicking images of walls painted with anti-government poetry and murals of Cuban revolutionary Che Gueverra.

The pair, now representing the Committee in Support of the People of El Salvador, said they highly discredited the fairness of elections slated in El Salvador in March, saying that the far right ARENA party will remain in power of the military.

"There's a difference between holding office and holding power," Darrow said.

Answering questions regarding funding for the rebels coming from communist countries, Darrow said: "I believe they are fighting a fair fight and should be allowed to get weapons from where they can."

Members of the student group said they found the presentations informative.

"He really did his homework," SISCA member Kevin Werre said. "The slides really gave me the travel bug."

Thief nabs \$1,500 of UI Library software

By LEN ANDERSON
Staff Writer

University librarians are now reviewing their security systems and checking how they store library materials, after \$1,500 worth of software disappeared last weekend from a third floor office.

"It's very difficult the way our building (library) is configured to lock off rooms," said Ron Force, associate dean of library services. "We do have some high security areas and those are very well taken care of. Since we don't have private offices for most of the faculty here, security becomes a concern."

Force said he hopes the library will undergo a reconstruction soon, in which security problems will be better taken care of. The library office walls are only a few feet high, making it easy for someone to hop over the walls and steal something.

A thief did take advantage of the short walls last weekend by leaping over the top of a partition located on the third floor and stealing \$1,500 worth of software, Force said.

"She (the librarian) normally keeps this (the box of disks) locked up, but was doing something with it late on Friday and left it sitting on the counter," Force said.

The box of disks was on the desk one minute and was gone the next, Science Librarian Donna Hansen said.

The disks contained programs for office use. Force said the disks

included general office-type programs such as word processing programs, graphing programs and statistical programs. Many of the software programs would not be of use to the thief since they were created specifically for library use.

"I can't believe that somebody would actually steal something from the library."

— Jean Crawford
UI Library

Librarians had made a copy of the disks prior to the theft, so the library was not at a real loss. However, Force still had to contact their insurance company and the places where they purchased the disks.

"We have to notify each of the vendors that sold us the stuff to tell them that the original copy of the software had been stolen so that they will not accept service or replacement claims from the thieves," Force said.

Security can be a big problem for the library in cases such as this, he said.

Last summer, librarians reported a different set of software disks missing.

Security is a problem when people can walk in and out of the library 109 hours each week, Force said.

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NRA's American dream not for everyone

The American Dream: A house, complete with white picket fence, a couple of kids, a nice car parked in the garage and a sub-machine gun in the closet.

At least that's what the National Rifle Association would like you to believe.

Tuesday, the Executive Vice President of the NRA will present a lecture titled *Will the American Dream Survive the 20th Century*. I didn't realize the American Dream had come under their domain.

But let's forget for a moment just how pretentious it is for the NRA to assume that the American Dream should include guns. Tuesday's presentation offers a great opportunity to get some answers out of this, one of America's biggest lobby groups, representing 2.8 million NRA members.

This is a powerful group. During 1984 elections, 90 percent of candidates backed by the NRA's Political Victory Fund were elected into office. In 1986, 84 percent were elected.

Certainly a group this large and powerful should be able to answer a few questions.

■ *Why work to defeat legislation requiring a seven-day waiting period before purchasing a gun?*

According to an article in *U.S. News and World Report* the NRA spent \$4 million last fall lobbying against House legislation requiring such a wait.

As of 1987, 22 states required similar waiting periods for gun purchases. This gives police time to determine whether the buyer is a drug user, mentally ill or a convicted felon. This also helps deter impulse violence. Those contemplating a crime or, more likely, suicide, have a waiting period during which they can calm down and rethink their motives.

Since it has been determined that most deaths caused by hand guns are suicide (approximately 12,000 out of 20,000) it is obvious that such a waiting period would be worthwhile.

What is the big hurry about buying a gun anyway? It could prove a little inconvenient if your gun konks out right before or during a big hunting trip, but a few disappointed hunters compared to 12,000 suicides makes the wait worthwhile.

■ *Why condone sales of plastic guns?*

Such guns can pass undetected through airport and courthouse metal detectors. The NRA's answer is to allow manufacturers to make guns containing only minimum amounts of metal. Sounds reasonable, but some experts contend that for a metal detector to spot such a weapon, it would have to be sensitive enough to be activated by a zipper.

■ *How does one justify such weapons as*

Saturday Night Special handguns?

The Saturday Night Special is the common name for the cheap pistol used for impulsive crimes which often are committed on Saturday nights. These guns are not used for sport, they are used to kill.

The NRA's answer, *Guns don't kill people, people kill people*, sounds good at first, but let's think about it. *Drugs don't make people high, people make people high*. Does the NRA want to take off all restrictions on drugs?

You can say it's illegal to do something, but aren't you just asking for trouble by making the means readily available?

Another famous NRA quote is *If guns are outlawed, only outlaws will have guns*. As mentioned above, more than half of all handgun deaths are suicide. In addition, 1,000 handgun deaths are accidental. That leaves 9,000 deaths which can be classified as *murder*. But most of these deaths are crimes of passion caused by drunkenness, anger or carelessness. Only 10 percent of all handgun deaths are caused by outlaws (Source: *The Washington Monthly*).

I guess this just proves that my version of the American Dream is a little different from the NRA's.

My closet is full of clothes.

— Jill Christine Beck

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Helmick exposes known truths

Editor:

Here are some widely known truths that have gone unnoticed. Does that sound oxymoronic to you? Well, here are a few more.

The Pope is Protestant.

Gadhafi is a pacifist.

Sylvester Stallone is witty.

The UI ticketing department is understanding.

But here is the best one of all. According to Matt Helmick "the SSCA demonstration (against George Bush) was ultimately a giving and generous one (act)."

— Mathew Manweller

Educate rather than test athletes for steroids

Editor:

The athletic department wants mandatory drug tests for all athletes. We think such a policy would be unwise and urge the department to use less authoritarian and more educational methods to address potential drug usage by student athletes.

The athletic department and student athletes should recognize that mandatory drug tests are constitutionally suspect. While the constitutionality of drug testing has not been settled, every federal court that has heard the issue has acknowledged that drug tests constitute a "search" under the Fourth Amendment. Some courts have found that overriding governmental interests, such as public safety, may justify a search without probable cause, but such interests can hardly justify mandatory tests of athletes. Student athletes may have certain obligations to the public and student body, but forfeiting a constitutional right of privacy isn't one of them.

Mandatory drug testing is also ethically suspect. It creates a reverse onus: student athletes are

presumed "guilty" of substance abuse until they prove their "innocence". It also misplaces responsibility. The pressure to use drugs, especially those that enhance performance, rarely originates with the athletes themselves. Coaches, athletic administrators and boosters, often unwittingly, put enormous pressure on student athletes to improve their play, even if it means better performance through chemistry. Mandatory drug tests demand no accountability for the coaches and others who victimize the athletes; the tests may simply victimize the victims again.

UI athletic officials should keep in mind that as educators we should instill values in our students through reasoned argument, a commitment to fair play and respect for the privacy and dignity of individuals. Saying that because we were embarrassed by two football players who tested positive for steroids, we should therefore subject all athletes to drug tests shows neither devotion to reason nor a commitment to treating students with respect. Such a position is about as valid as saying that since a couple of athletes stole a motorcycle, all athletes should be subject to random searches of their personal effects.

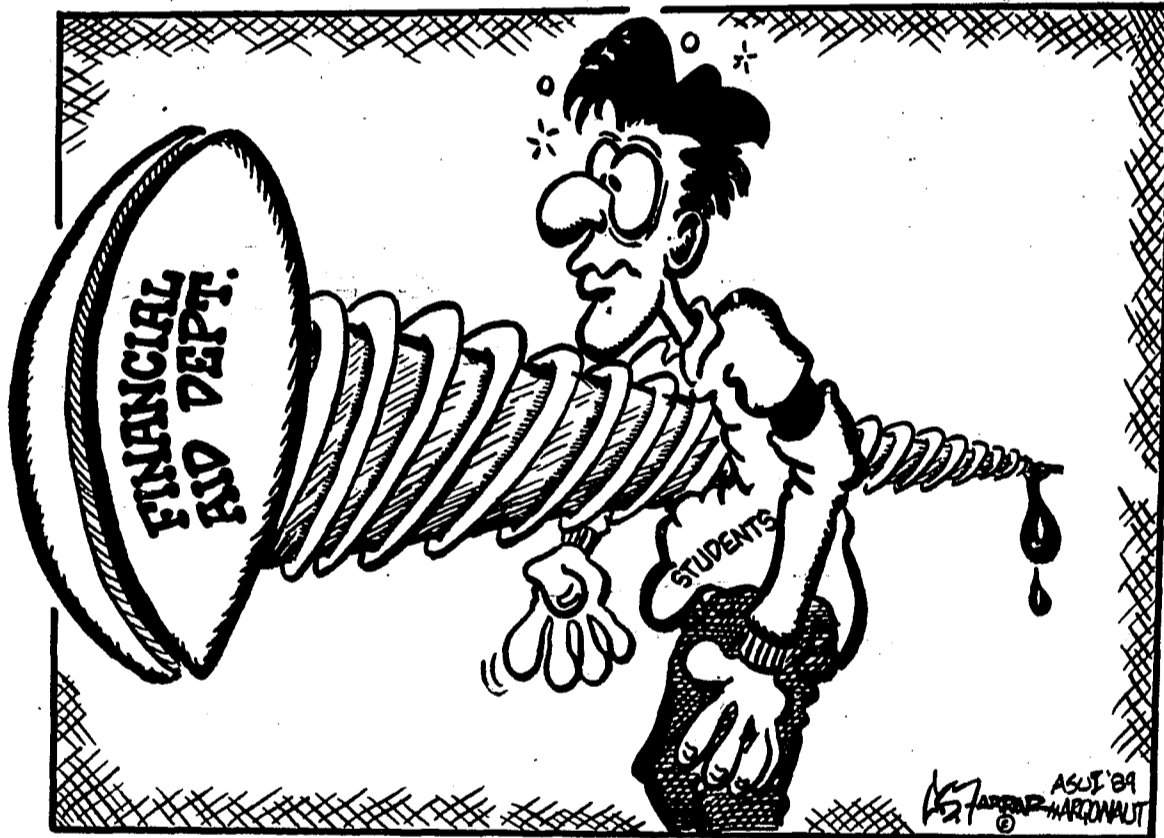
Certainly we should educate student athletes that using steroids and other drugs can be dangerous to their health. The athletic departments should develop a program of lectures, films and counseling to warn athletes of the dangers of recreational drugs. Expose them to the evidence that the allegedly performance-enhancing drugs like steroids aren't worth the long-term risks to their health. Such methods are consistent with the role of an educational institution. Mandatory drug tests are not.

— Roy A. Atwood

— Donald W. Crowley

— Marvin Henberg

— William D. Royalty



U.S. supports non-democracy

Our country is spending 1.5 million dollars a day to uphold the "democratic" government of El Salvador. There is no democratic government in El Salvador.

What are the democratic values we Americans hold self-evident? A portion of these are freedom of speech, assembly, association, religion, the press, a system of equity, private ownership of property and a right to a public education. These are just a few of the freedoms that the "democratic" government of El Salvador continues to violate.

The U.S. has pledged \$3.6 billion of aid, 80 percent of which is military, towards the "democratic" regime. They have also sent more than four hundred military advisers who commute daily in and out of El Salvador to bordering Honduras. This action is subversive to the limit of 55 advisers set by Congress. All of this aid and advisement has been appropriated to El Salvador to promote

CHRIS WILLIAMS

Commentary

"democracy" and to stop the insurgency of communism. It has in fact brought the opposite.

By means of extensive corruption and appalling human rights violations, the U.S.-backed government of El Salvador has brought the country to civil war. The weight of oppression by the Salvadorian government has produced an environment where civil strife is inevitable.

The government uses terror and murder as its tool to suppress any conscientious opponents of the government (i.e. trade unions and the Catholic Church) to protect itself from overwhelming opposition towards its policies. The government has been implicated in the murders of

Archbishop Oscar Romero and two AFL-CIO members, Michael Hammer and Mark Pearlman.

The government has done nothing to investigate these murders or to put a stop to the infamous death squads running rampant in El Salvador. The government itself has been linked to these death squads and now ARENA, a far-right extremist party, has taken control of the government through the last elections. Their leader, Roberto D'Aubuisson, has been linked to various death squad activity.

Another form of terror used by the government of El Salvador is to bomb the villages of civilians. This is done to discourage the support of those in dissent with the government. These bombing attacks have caused thousands of villagers and peasants to flee their homes. These thousands of refugees have no way to support

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Ask Lois

What is Rituals Chairperson?

Q. What is a Rituals Chairperson, and what does it do? It sounds very medieval.

A. The Rituals Chair is the keeper of Greek secrets in which the remainder of society isn't all that interested: secret handshake, songs, stolen property room, etc.

Q. Why is cheese?

A. What a clever question! It was difficult to research, too. The best answer I could come up with: to make quesadillas.

Q. What makes "Marridiott" think they can tear out a popular student study area just to put in another eating facility?

A. This question reminds me of a quote in the Jan. 20 Arg, where Lynn Morrison says that students want "the best possible University Dining Service ... because they're putting money into it." Note how this quote shows attention to the monetary aspect of the issue. Isn't good food important to the students because they have to eat it? Reality check: this is capitalism, and Marriott isn't here to try to improve student nutrition and lower the median cholesterol count. Their aim is to sell you food - so it's far more profitable to rip out the bucket study chairs and



LOIS GRIFFITTS
Commentary

put in food vendors than let you use the area for studying. Study areas do not maximize the profit for Marriott, obviously, so why keep them? Why let the students study? It's only a university for God's sake. When Marriott people say "Whatever will happen will be for the best use of the area," that means "Whatever we do should give us more food sales

"Maybe they'd also like to change the name of the Student Union Building to Marriott's Wonder Gorge."

— Lois Griffitts
Ask Lois

per square foot." Maybe they'd also like to change the name of the Student Union Building to Marriott's Wonder Gorge. Also, note when they were planning to do the work: in the summer, when no students are around to protest.

Q. Are Tina Kagi's eyelashes real?

A. Hey that's a sexist question. Are Brian Long's? For publicity purposes, most ASUI Presidents retain their natural eyelashes. Mascara is sometimes used for special occasions, however.

Q. What's the deal with the fountain in between the UCC and the Library? I think I've only seen it work three times in more than four years. If the university can't get it to work why don't they fix it or get rid of it? It is nice when they have it going. Of course the best thing I ever saw it used for was the preaching podium for Brother Jed and Sister Cindy (most students are probably too young to remember that fun couple — are they coming back soon?).

A. The fountain was pretty, but created a safety hazard for the campus infestation of Skate Punks (dude). No, not really. Jed and Cindy saw the question about avoiding the Christians at registration and decided the campus was too depraved to save.

Question for readers: I am curious to see how many students remember Jed and Cindy — please bring your favorite Brother Jed quote or anecdote to the Arg!

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themselves, and the government shows no concern. The total carnage of these bombings and death squad activities has brought the death total to more than 70,000, mostly innocent civilians.

The El Salvadorian regime's policy also calls for an all-out assault on education. There have been numerous death squad killings of educators and university professors. The government has also cut off spending to all elementary and higher education. The university in the capital city of San Salvador has also been bombed in efforts to terrorize the educated. These acts of terror have led to extensive illiteracy. Only 50 percent of people in cities are literate and only 30 percent in the country areas. The goal of these atrocities is to prevent the peasantry from gaining the skills required to elevate themselves from their subservient roles within El Salvador.

These acts of terror discourage those opposing the government from using their voting rights. Only 30 percent of eligible voters cast ballots in the last election. It is not apathy but lack of real candidates which causes 70 percent of the voters to refuse to vote. Leaders of labor unions and opposing political parties are threatened and even killed in efforts to crush opposition. It seems these elections are

nothing more than symbolic; an attempt to justify the spending of \$3.6 billion in U.S. tax money.

As the March elections of 1989 draw near, the casualties continue to escalate. With no real representation of the people these elections loom as a foreboding of continued conflict. A myth surrounding the guerrilla forces is that they are supported by communists. This is an unsubstantiated rumor, as the rebels have never been seen with AK-47s, the preferred weapon of communist military units. Nor has any other supportive military article with communist association been found with the guerrillas. The rebels' arsenal consists of such prestigious weaponry as grenade launchers made from metal tubing, homemade land mines and M-16 rifles stolen from the government of El Salvador.

As the conflict intensifies, the U.S. government has planned to position more than 6,000 soldiers along the Honduran border for so called "maneuvers". Is El Salvador our next Vietnam? Are we ready to send our troops into a war we know nothing about or have no business in anyway?

These questions can only be answered by an informed American public. Is this the type of democracy worth spending U.S. dollars and lives on?

I think not. If you don't fight it, you support it.

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vances include inadequate support and interest from the senate and Programs Director Jim Rennie, lack of job training and monetary incentive and insufficient time requirements.

"The memo is a positive expression, but contains some inaccurate information," Rennie said. "We have a major turnover because they (students) don't fulfill the minimum requirements."

The memo suggests the program could be improved by a restructuring and possibly a consolidation of the assistant and director positions.

According to Rennie the two separate positions are necessary,

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because the assistant deals with programs and the director handles the administrative aspects.

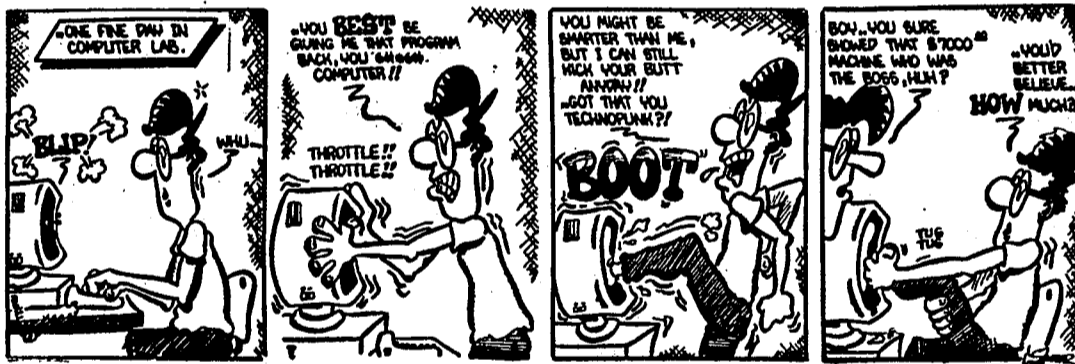
"What that (the proposal) is saying is all the hours that Sandy's been doing aren't necessary and that isn't true," Rennie said.

Regardless, ASUI Productions will most likely see a number of changes due to the resignations.

"Because it's empty, you have a unique opportunity — the door is wide open," Burr said. "If you get some energetic and creative people in there it can be whatever you want."

Burr has accepted a position on the production crew of the cabaret-style Bolder Theater in Boulder, Colo. Her resignation will be effective Feb. 10.

DWEEZIL / By C.S. FARRAR



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SPINNING RIGHT ALONG. KUOI-FM 8 disc jockey Kirk Laughlin cues up the next record for his show. KUOI DJs will continue to be able to play songs which are considered "indecent" under a Federal Communications

Commission ban. The U.S. Court of Appeals in Washington D.C. granted a motion for a stay of the FCC decision on Jan. 23.

(TIM DAHLQUIST PHOTO)

Python meets its match in Moogi

By DAVID KELLY
Staff Writer

Make sure and watch ITV 8 tonight at 8:30 p.m. for Dr. Moogi's Mechanical Mayhem.

"The program, Dr. Moogi's Mechanical Mayhem, is a hodgepodge of original ideas and satire," said Jerry Heaner, theater arts major and co-producer of the program.

The idea all started when Jerry Heaner, Jim Showers and Steve Taylor (co-producers of the show) were looking at the types of television programs that were running on ITV 8 and decided to include more comedy.

"The comedy we write will be in good taste, kind of like Monty Python, only funnier," Showers said.

This comedy program is completely designed and run by students enrolled in the Comm 404 Drama and Video Class.

Heaner and Taylor are both theater arts majors and Showers is a telecommunications major. All three are UI students.

Today's show features a comedy skit called *Ultra Vision* about study glasses for the future. These glasses will enable the wearer to cheat on tests, but will be so stylish that the no one will be able to tell that the wearer is cheating.

Other things to look forward to this semester from Dr. Moogi's Mechanical Mayhem will include fake commercials, practical jokes, a mock UI magazine/TV show and many more comedy skits.

The program has already run twice and it will continue every other week through the end of the semester, alternating with Dr. Moogi's talk show.

The talk show will be aired live and will feature guest speakers with a large diversity in topics, Showers said.

Ideas are welcome, say the producers.

"We are open to suggestions and would appreciate feedback," Showers said.

Court of Appeals grants stay on FCC ban

By MIKE LEWIS
Staff Writer

KUOI-FM, the university's radio station, will not have to subscribe to a Federal Communications Commission 24-hour ban on "indecent" material which was to have gone into effect last week.

The U.S. Court of Appeals granted a motion for a stay on the decision Jan. 23, and the ban will not be in effect until further court action can be taken, Michele Farquhar of the FCC Policy and Rules Division said Thursday.

Implementation of the ban would eliminate the so-called "safe-harbor" period, which permits the broadcast of indecent material between midnight and 6 a.m., and opponents of the proposed ban say that it violates First Amendment rights.

"It's an abridgement of the First Amendment," said Matt Kitterman, KUOI's program director. "It's an attack on the First Amendment under siege."

The current policy provides the safe-harbor period to allow indecent material to be aired at hours when there is not a "reasonable risk that children might be in the audience," according to the Federal Register's text of the FCC action.

A special report issued to KUOI by the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System said that the courts originally eliminated the period because the FCC "had not fully supported with appropriate data just why this specific time period had been chosen."

"We basically could play anything," said KUOI Music Direc-

tor Christina Hendricks of the current policy. Hendricks said that if the ban is implemented, "We can't even play any song with 'f-k' in it. No matter what. No matter how many times it's in a song."

Hendricks explained that had the ban gone into effect, she would have had to spend more time listening to entire albums, which the station receives at the rate of about ten per day, in search of the indecent *f-word*. She added that some albums, particularly those recorded on smaller record labels, would not be usable at all because groups that tend to use indecency more than mainstream contemporary musicians.

Hendricks also said that up to 10 percent of the material which

the station receives would be unplayable under a new indecency ruling.

"I feel that (the proposed ban) is a negation of our right of freedom of speech," said KUOI disc jockey Eva Jo Hallvik. "I'm not in favor of this law, it's scary. Pretty soon we'll have numbers on our foreheads. We want to have the freedom to play what we feel like playing."

"My feeling has always been that if someone doesn't want to listen, they can turn it off," said Hallvik's broadcast partner, Erika Cunningham.

The FCC interprets broadcast indecency as "language or material that, in context, depicts or describes, in terms patently offensive as measured by contemporary community standards for the broadcast medium, sexual

or excretory activities or organs," according to the Federal Register text.

The new policy was passed by Congress as a rider to an appropriations bill, and was signed by President Reagan Oct. 1, 1988. The rider, attached by a Congressional faction headed by Senator Jesse Helms (Rep.-S.C.), stipulated that the FCC regulate enforcement of the 24-hour ban no later than Jan. 31, 1989. The ban was to have gone into effect Jan. 27, 1989.

Farquhar said that further court action on the ban is expected in two or three months. She said that should the plan go into effect, violators would be subject to forfeiture, fines or in the most serious cases, suspension or revocation of the station's license.

Mardi Gras shirts glow on you

By STEPHANIE BAILEY
Staff Writer

What glows in the dark, raises money for a good cause and can get you discount drinks? The new Moscow Mardi Gras T-shirts offer that and more.

Area merchants are offering discounts until Feb. 18 for people who wear their shirts.

Gary Welch, manager of Mingles, said they are participating because they want to be a part of the event and because it draws good business.

"The T-shirts are a good idea and are done very well,"

Welch said. "It's a good way to create enthusiasm amongst the public and puts people in a festive mood."

The shirts are black and feature the same design as the Mardi Gras poster designed by Pat Silver. They can be purchased for \$10 at local merchants including: One More Time, The Prichard Gallery, Galloway's, John's Alley and Mingles.

T-shirt deals vary at the different participants and include Happy hour prices anytime one wears the shirt until Feb. 17, free pop, discounts, drink specials and food deals.

NRA discusses American dream

By DAVID KELLY
Staff Writer

ASUI Productions presents *Will the American Dream Survive the 20th Century* by J. Warren Cassidy, executive vice-president of the National Rifle Association Tuesday in the SUB ballroom at 8 p.m.

The discussion will cover current issues pertaining to gun control, second amendment right to bare arms, individual liberties and the American dream, as well as other pro-NRA topics.

"We are looking for topics that will be stimulating and interesting to the students and still fit within the fiscal budget," said Jim Rennie, ASUI program coordinator. "We also try for a large diversity of speakers to interest as many stu-

dents as possible."

Cassidy has been at the forefront of NRA's legislative efforts, which resulted in the passage of the McClure/Volkmer Firearms Owners' Protection Act in 1986.

Cassidy has also been involved in the election of a significant number of pro-gun candidates to political office. He is also a retired Lieutenant Colonel of the United States Marine Corps Reserve.

Admission to the lecture is \$2. Tickets are available at the door or in advance in the SUB.

Among other programs that will be sponsored by ASUI productions this semester will be *The First Amendment, Use it or Loose it* by the Playboy Foundation and *Earth First*, a far leftist environmental group.

MRF searches for poster

By **BETH BARCLAY**
Staff Writer

UI students interested in putting their artistic talents to the test can enter their designs for this year's Renaissance Fair poster and program guide cover.

The winning designer for the poster will receive \$200. The person who designs the best cover for the Fair program will win \$50.

Nadine Olmsted, president of the board of directors of the Moscow Renaissance Fair Inc. said the fair began as "a good excuse for a celebration of spring."

The term *Renaissance* refers

not to a specific time period, but to a time of rebirth, and artists should design their posters with this in mind, she said.

The fair will feature free music, arts and crafts booths, ethnic foods and other entertainment. There will also be a dance each night.

Designs for the poster and program should be submitted in two colors, mounted on mat board, in the size of the final copy. Both should contain the following information: Moscow Renaissance Fair, East City Park, P.O. Box 8848, Moscow, ID. 83843, May 6 and 7, 1989.

Possible themes for the fair are spring, music, art, gaiety, color, costumery and flowers, Olmsted said.

All entries are due Feb. 27 at 5 p.m. at R Design, located behind the Moscow Hotel. For assistance, contact Melissa Rockwood.

The entries will be judged by the Moscow Renaissance Fair Committee.



MARDI GRAS HEADLINERS. The Untouchables will headline the Mardi Gras Beaux Arts Ball Feb. 18. The group recently released a new album. (FILE PHOTO)

Untouchables shun categories

By **CHRISTINA HENDRICKS**
Staff Writer

For those who haven't yet seen the posters or caught it by word-of-mouth, The Untouchables are the headline band for Mardi Gras, playing in the SUB Ball-

room on the eve of Feb. 18.

Lucky for us that they happened to release a new album only weeks ago — Jan. 20. Knowing that they are coming for Mardi Gras, I went into this album review with a completely different mind-set — I asked myself not only questions concerning the quality of the music, but also how well it will fit into the Beaux Arts Ball scene as I see it.

Keeping in mind that this is an album review and not a commentary on the choice of bands for Mardi Gras, I will try to focus on the album itself, but forgive me if I can't help lapsing into comments on what you'll see at the ball.

Agent Double O Soul is the second full-length album for the

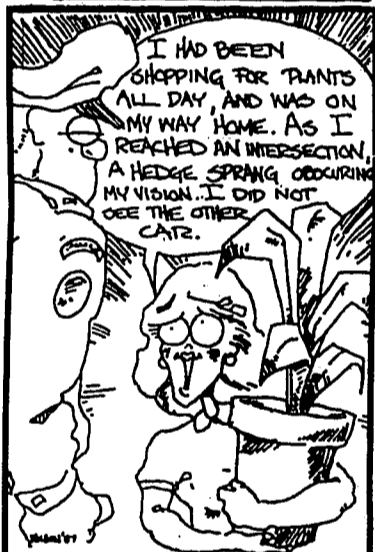
L.A.-based band, which sports no less than six band members and a full five-member horn section. The front cover portrays what could easily be a mutant psycho rap dude from the depths of the Inferno.

This could be the sort of violence and carnage in music that Mrs. Gore and the Parents' Music Resource Center warned us about. But the name of the album implies a somewhat mellow groove whose anger is controlled by constant puffs on a cigarette. The puzzle isn't solved by listening to the album, either. This is one of those sounds that if forced into a category it would have to be divided up by several slashes.

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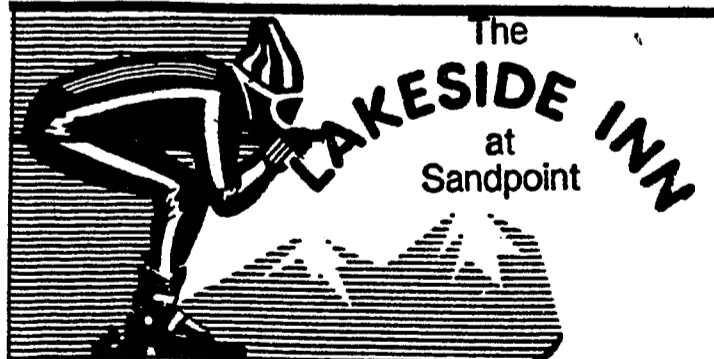


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Theater group presents musical

By DENA BANDAZIAN
Staff Writer

The Moscow Community Theater will present Gilbert and Sullivan's musical, *The Pirates of Penzance*, Feb. 17 and 18 at 7:30 p.m. and Feb. 19 at 2 p.m. in the Moscow High School Auditorium.

According to Andrea Chavez, theater member, the production will be farcical rather than Victorian.

"The play is old but we have changed the tempo of the show," said Edmund Chavez, director and founder of Moscow Community Theater. "It is more upbeat and modern, not rock and roll music of course, but different music than would have been done 100 years ago."

Approximately 16 university students and faculty are involved in the production along with 28 members of the community. Local junior high school students round out the cast.

"We have a wide range of community people involved," Andrea Chavez said. "It is really neat because if we need a 36-year-

36-year-old woman."

The Moscow Community Theater was founded in 1976 by Edmund Chavez, former UI Theater Arts Department chairman and Kibbie Dome manager, because he wanted to offer the community the opportunity to perform. The Moscow residents used to participate in the Idaho

they needed an outlet," Chavez said.

The group is a non-profit organization and this year, for the first time, the theater applied for a grant from the Idaho Arts Commission which provided them with matching funds.

"The money went a long way for scenery, costumes and royalties," Andrea Chavez said.

In addition to grants like this, the Moscow Community Theater receives donations from the community. Funding comes from ticket sales as well.

"What we make from one show we use for the next one," Andrea Chavez said.

The performances occur during Mardi Gras weekend but the group still expects a large turnout because the production is short and party-goers could attend both the play and the Beaux Art Ball.

Tickets for *The Pirates of Penzance* go on sale Monday in downtown banks.

"This is tremendously good family entertainment," Chavez said. "The play is something everyone would enjoy."

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— Edmund Chavez
Director

Repertory Theater's summer productions until it became more student- and professionally-oriented.

"The community was at a point where they needed something,

"Shama Lama," one the most upbeat, catchy tunes on the album.

My favorite, however, has to be their cover version of "Under the Boardwalk." The Untouchables have recorded several covers throughout their musical career, and they always do justice to them, adding their own distinctive style and inexhaustible energy.

Agent Double O Soul has been said to frame a new direction in the band's music. Much of what I've heard from them earlier has

been mostly upbeat, dynamic rock in the ska vein, much like The Specials and Fishbone.

It's true that this album expresses a more laid-back R&B and, at times, reggae sound; but if you're worried that you'll be standing around at the ball swaying your hips and tossing your head to a mellow soul groove, I think I can quell your fears. The Untouchables' live show is sure to be a party in the most energetic sense.

They're bringing twelve people to Moscow, most of which will no doubt be performing on stage. They're sure to do their old party faves, such as "I Spy (For the FBI)" and "Free Yourself." Since the natural energy inherent in a live performance will be multiplied by the natural energy inherent in the Mardi Gras, this year's ball will be, as always, the quintessential party of the year and certainly one not to be missed.

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This one would be something like: soul/funk/ska; but it wouldn't be complete without adding some classic reggae beats thrown in here and there.

The title track has a definite soul groove which, if one added a few distinctive "wow" sounds of the disco era, would fit right in with a Curtis Mayfield soundtrack to a '70s classic cop film. But the band easily jumps into a more danceable ska beat, such as on

PRSSA hosts regional conference

The Northwest District of the Public Relations Student Society of America is holding their 1989 District Conference in Moscow, Feb. 10-12.

The University of Idaho and Washington State are hosting the event, which will draw over 100 students from around the Northwest.

Business, marketing and communication majors will benefit from the seminars and professional contacts, said Deron Kosoff, a senior communication student.

The conference is at the University Inn and the registration fee of \$40 is due today.

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Ronald Klimko, Professor of bassoon and theory at the Lional Hampton School of Music, presents a faculty recital Feb. 7. The recital begins at 8 p.m. in the school's recital hall.
Anne Saunders, flutist, presents a graduate recital at 8 p.m. in the music school's recital hall Feb. 9.
- PIZZA PERFECTION DONATES TO SCHOLARSHIP**
Tonight is the last night to participate in Pizza Perfection's Memorial Scholarship donation promotion.
According to Dara Sellers, Pizza Perfection manager, her business will donate part of the proceeds from pizza sales to help establish a UI Memorial Scholarship Fund.
Currently, it costs parents about \$2,000 to create a scholarship in memory of a student who dies. Parents of students who die often can't afford to donate this amount, but want to have their children remembered.
So Sen. Mike Mick decided to create a scholarship pool. Pizza Perfection is the first business to help raise some of the \$2,000 needed to create the fund. Once the scholarship has been established, parents will be able to donate any amount to it, Mick said.
Pizza Perfection will donate \$1 to the fund for each \$1.50-off coupon redeemed tonight.
- ZANY COMEDY FEATURED IN THE SUB**
ASUI Productions and Howard Hughes Appliance and TV Video Series features *Zany Comedy Night* Thursday beginning at 5 p.m. in the SUB.
Down and Out in Beverly Hills begins at 5 p.m. followed by *Ferris Bueller's Day off* at 7 p.m. and *Blazing Saddles* at 9 p.m.
Cost for the triple feature is \$1.
- THE EYES HAVE IT**
WSU's Compton Union Gallery features *The Eyes Have It*, the work of second year architecture students. The exhibit opens Monday.
- CORRECTION**
It was reported in the Jan. 27 *Argonaut* that Theater Arts Department Office Coordinator Selma Nielsen said the Collette Theater lost money last year. Collette Theater Representative Angel Katen reported that the theater made a profit last year.

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Vandals seek more wins

By DERON KOSOFF
Staff Writer

The UI men's and women's basketball teams are streaking toward one common goal: The Big Sky Title.

However, both teams' biggest challenges lie ahead.

The Big Sky Conference-leading men's team will have had a week off before playing a rematch with Eastern Washington on Sunday at 2:30 p.m. in the Kibbie Dome. Idaho whipped Eastern Saturday, 73-54 in Cheney.

Weber State dropped the Lady Vandals last night, 71-55 in Ogden, Utah, making Idaho's road to the Big Sky title even tougher. Christy Van Pelt and Sabrina Dial led Idaho with 13 points each.

The Lady Vandals, who have won four out of their last five, are on their way to Pocatello to face Idaho State Saturday.

The men's 17-3 start is the fourth-best in school history, while their 7-1 Big Sky record is the third best.

But will the week layoff help or hurt the Vandals?

"Sometimes you can take the break either way," said Idaho Head Coach Kermit Davis.

"It's going to be good for our guys to concentrate on their studies for a solid week and not having to go on the road," Davis said. "Mentally and physically it's a chance to get away from basketball a little. The stretch run is yet to come. We have to get geared up to play the best basketball we can in the last eight games."

The Vandals seem to be peaking right now, riding high on a seven game win streak. Can they get even better?

Idaho senior point guard Lorenzo Nash thinks so.

"We try to get better each quarter we play," Nash said. "We'll go in at the half, come out and try to

play even a better second half." Will all this winning catch the Vandals off-guard?

"To win the (BSC) championship is our first goal," Nash said, stating they also want to be one of the 62 teams in the NCAA Division I tournament.

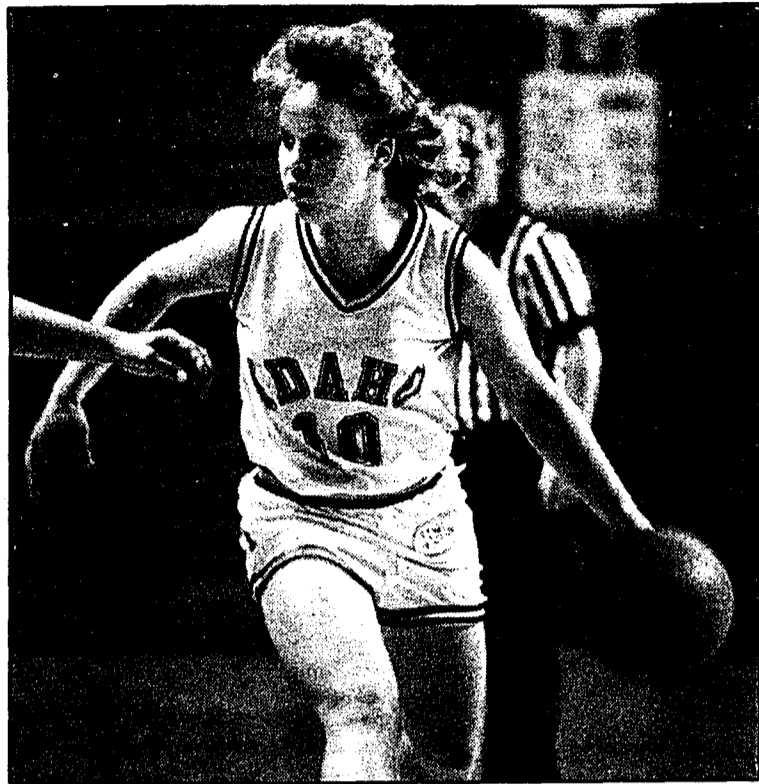
"No, we won't overlook anyone. That's what happened to us against Southern Utah State and Montana," Nash said, referring to the only back-to-back losses of the season. "We learned from our mistakes and hopefully we'll look at all our games as championship games."

Eastern enters Sunday's game at 5-17 overall, 2-6 in the Big Sky.

The key to the Eastern game, according to Davis, will be stopping their point guard Ron McMahon and forward David Peed.

"They're (Eastern) a good transition team, so we've got to get back defensively," Davis said.

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HEADING DOWN THE COURT...Sophomore guard Jennifer Ballenger dribbles through traffic in a Lady Vandal game earlier this season. (TIM DAHLQUIST PHOTO)

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Brown: Big Sky Player of Week

After his fifth and sixth straight outstanding all-around performances for UI, senior forward Raymond Brown was named Player-of-the-Week by the Big Sky Conference.

Brown scored 38 points on 67 percent shooting and had 20 rebounds, f o u r blocked



BROWN

shots, six assists and eight steals in victories over Weber State College and Eastern Washington University last weekend.

In his last six games, Brown averaged 19.0 points on 61 percent shooting, eight rebounds, 2.7 blocked shots and 2.3 steals.

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However, the Vandals are the only team to have held Peed under 10 points, and they have done it both meetings.

Ironically, the game features the number one and two assist leaders in the BSC, EWU's McMahon and UI's Nash with 6.9 and 5.5 assists per game respectively.

Meanwhile, the Lady Vandals desperately need a road win, entering Saturday's game at Idaho State with a 12-8 overall record, 6-2 in the Big Sky, but only 2-6 on the opponent's court this season.

Idaho State enters the game at 4-14 overall, 0-8 in the Big Sky.

Christy Van Pelt remains Idaho's cornerstone. Before the Weber State game, she averaged 17.3 points, 5.7 rebounds, 6.2 steals and 4.2 assists per game. Idaho's nominee for Big Sky Athlete of the Week, Van Pelt rolled up 41 points last weekend on 19-of-27 field goal shooting.

Sabrina Dial, Idaho's starting center, is the Lady Vandals leading rebounder, snaring an average of 6.3 per game to go with a 7.1 scoring average.

Let's keep up the good support for the Vandals and Lady Vandals, as we may have two Big Sky titles coming our way.

Golfers swing into action Team heads to Lewiston to practice

By LYNNETTE PIXLEY
Sports Writer

Despite current weather conditions, the UI men's golf season is underway.

Because of the abundance of snow in Moscow, the UI team has been traveling to Lewiston to practice.

UI was the winner of the last Big Sky Championship held three years ago in Lewiston and has continued to play competitively against Big Sky teams and other Division I teams located in the Northwest.

"The Big Sky does not have a championship game any longer," said Golf Coach Kim Kirkland. "Three years ago a couple of teams dropped out of the conference. Hopefully the conference will be reinstated next year."

Kirkland said though the team does not belong to a conference they still work hard at qualifying for the NCAA Championship.

"Though we are classified as Independents, we try to qualify for the NCAA Championships," Kirkland said. "We go from place

to place each weekend to play."

Kirkland said he would like to see a women's team installed at UI. A women's golf team has been nonexistent at Idaho since 1974 because of a limited budget.

"I would like to see a women's team started, but only if the funds were there, so that it would do well," Kirkland said.

The team's spring season looks promising with senior Steve Johnston returning as the number one player. Johnston has been the Vandal's number one golfer for the last four years.

Other seniors Gordon Nelson, Matt Gustavel and Mark Wilhite also play with great consistency. Along with some competitive juniors and a few sophomores, the men are looking forward to a great season.

"If they get out and practice every one of them is capable of playing very well," Kirkland said.

The team will compete against 15 or more teams from the Northwest and a few from California in their first tournament March 19-20 in Portland Ore.

• OUTDOOR BREAK •

3-POINT SHOOTOUT SEMI-FINALISTS: The next round of the Nike 3-point shootout is tomorrow at 3 p.m. in Memorial Gym. The semi-finalists are: Scott Anderson, Chris Baird, Rob Byrd, David Chapman, Bill Coba, Scott Dahlquist, Mark Erikson, Mick Goff, Phil Hopson, Chris Hunt, Marcus McCune, Mark Obermeyer, Ken Pratt, Doran Thomas and David Whitfield. Final round action takes place Feb. 16 during halftime of the men's basketball game against MSU.

HUA IS INTRAMURAL TABLE TENNIS CHAMP: Toan Hua of Upham Hall defeated Cooper Lau also of Upham for the Intramural Singles Table Tennis Championship last weekend in Memorial Gym. Doubles Table Tennis takes place Saturday with the women's action starting at 10 a.m. and the men's at 11 a.m. Both contests are in Memorial Gym.

DOMES CLOSED: The Kibbie Dome field area will be closed through Saturday, for the Idaho High School State Wrestling Championships.

UI MEN'S TRACK TRAVELS: The Vandal Men's Indoor Track and Field Team heads to Cheney, Wash. Saturday for a meet against Eastern Washington. The UI men defeated EWU last weekend in a dual meet in the Kibbie Dome.

UI WOMEN LOSE: The Lady Vandals lost to Weber State 71-55 last night in Ogden, Utah. UI is now 12-8 overall, 6-3 in conference.

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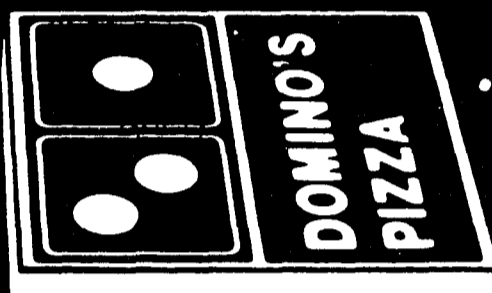


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