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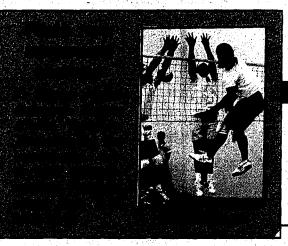
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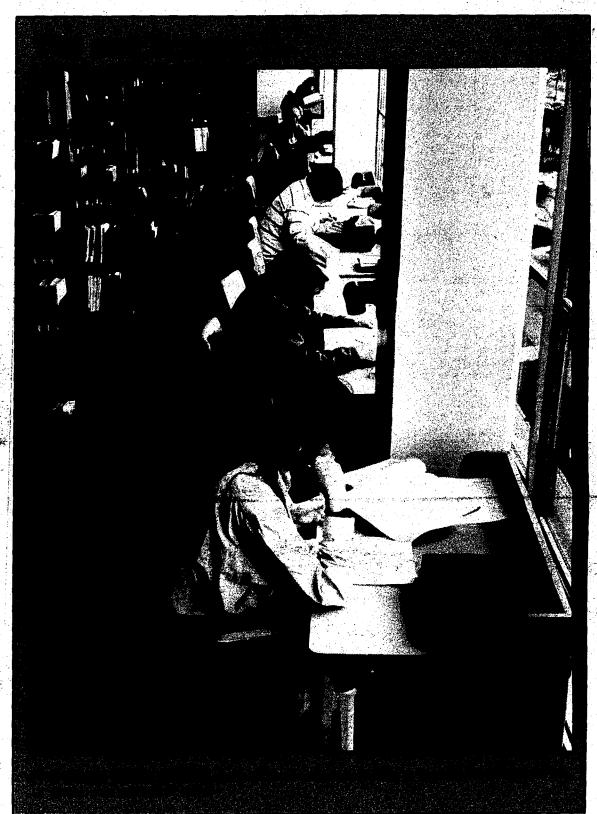
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UI student awarded for panda studies

By LARRY OLSEN Staff Writer

University of Idaho student Qiu Mingjiang was one of seven students chosen from more than 50 graduate students who applied to receive an award from National Wildlife Federation for environmental conservation projects.

Qiu received \$10,000 from the National Wildlife Federation to continue his research involving the ecological and social implications for the management of the giant panda.

Qiu's involvement in giant panda management began in 1981 while he was a research technician and park planner. His research for NWF's award started in 1988 and final recommendations concerning the management strategies will be presented in his thesis.

"The biggest problems facing giant pandas are habitat loss and poaching," Qiu said. "Over the last 15 years habitat for the pandas have decreased 52.8 percent."

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Locals who live in giant panda territory find little use for the animals, but it is those who live in Eastern China and outside of China who are interested in the furs for decoration and religious purposes says Qiu.

There are various problems researchers face that hinder the protection of the pandas.

"People around the areas where giant pandas live know who the poachers are but they keep quiet," Qiu said. "There is also a lack of incentives in nature reserves to carry out law enforcement, monitor habitat and conduct research and management."

Ways of improving the habitat for giant panda's include improving the management of existing nature preserves, including more habitat to make the reserve network as continuous as possible and eventually resettling those people who live within nature reserve boundaries, Qiu said.

Radio theater co. gets a start at UI

By ANDREA VOGT Staff Writer

heater majors, musicians, script writers, radio producers, technicians and broadcasters, advertising majors and communications students, take notice.

If you are studying or are interested in any of these fields then the Sound Abound Radio Company might provide some golden opportunities.

Sound Abound Radio Company is a new interdisciplinary program being organized by University of Idaho junior Sherry Kopel. The organization is dedicated to audio-radio theatre, a type of program the university has yet to produce. Similar to the style of H.G. Wells' "War of the Worlds," the group will produce radio comedy, melodrama or mystery using its own actors, musicians, technicians and staff.

Kopel, who moved to Idaho this semester, has received approval to launch the program from the Communications Department and KUOI. She

hopes to contact people who are interested in the company at the beginning of next semester, and to produce a show by this spring.

Kopel, who came from the University of Alabama, said the UI Communication Department ranks far above the Alabama department, which was ranked sixth in the nation.

"This school is so much better. Not only do they teach you in classes, but you also have full access to equipment," Kopel said. "I'm hyped up about Idaho, I love it here."

Kopel's bounding enthusiasm has landed her a chance to fulfill a dream which may have been farreaching in Alabama.

She hopes the finished production will be worthy of possible national syndication. The first mini-series will be a three-part light comedy, mystery show.

"Our goal is to give as many different students as much experience as possible," Kopel said.

Those interested in the program should contact Sherri Kopel.

KUOI DJ positions open

By MAT HALVERSON Contributing Writer

B ecoming a disc jockey may not be as difficult of a process as one might think.

"Anyone who's interested in experimenting, having fun and enriching the Moscow community is a candidate for being a DJ," Brent Anyan, station manager of KUOI-FM, said.

Anyan said he loves to see different people apply to become KUOI DJs since the station is continually trying to expand and maintain its diversity.

The first step to becoming a DJ is filling out an application. The application asks for eight artists the prospective DJ may feature on the radio show. It also asks whether or not the applicant has any radio experience.
"Experience is not very impor-

tant at all," Anyan said. "All you need to have is the ability to learn and an interest in what you play."

Once hired, the next step is to be trained. During training, which takes about two hours, new DJs learn how to operate KUOI's equipment and how to

After training the DJ is placed on the substitute list which is refered to whenever a regular DJ cannot make it to a show.

do radio shows.

DJs may also sign up to do shows over Christmas, Thanksgiving, spring break and finals week, during which all regular shows are canceled.

After this is done, new DJs are good candidates to receive a regular show.

When deciding who gets a show and who does not, Anyan said three major items come into

The first is seniority. DJs with an existing show have the best chance of getting one again.

Second is devotion to KUOI. Anyan said people who sign up to do shows over holidays have improved chances of getting a show.

The third factor is creativity. Anyan said he wants music on KUOI that is interesting and not heard anywhere else.

'If someone plays music that another station in Moscow plays then it's a waste of KUQI's time ' Anyan said.

New DJs infrequently get the time-slot they want. Usually, people get graveyard shifts or undesirable times and have to work their way up to better slots. Inexperienced DJs get these shifts so they can make the mistakes all beginners make without too many people hearing, Anyan

However, experience is not the only item that comes into play when KUOI sets up its programming each semester. Anyan said keeping KUOI's schedule extremely diverse is just as important.

A final requirement for being a DJ is having an FCC license. The license cost \$35, and only requires filling out a form.

KUOI has approximately 80 regular DJs this semester with about 40 substitutes.

TOMORROW'S NEWS •

POTATO FEED RAISES FUNDS. The University of Idaho campus Baha'i Club is sponsoring a potato feed to raise money for the Martin Luther King Celebration Committee which is organizing events for the January celebration. The feed will be held at 6:30 p.m. in the SUB ballroom. Potatoes and topping are \$2, soft drinks 75 cents.

HELP YOUR RELATIONSHIP. Although divorce ends about 50 percent of all marriages, research shows that people who communicate well with each other have more satisfying, happy and healthy relationships. The Relationship Treatment and Research Program at Washington State University is currently seeking couples who are interested in "making things better."

Under the direction of Dr. Gregory L. Wilson, the Relationship Program is offering low-cost services to cohabitating and married couples who want to improve their relationship. If you are interested in finding out more about the treatment program, please contact Dr. Wilson of Washington State University. The service is free for students and new referrals will be accepted until Jan. 25, 1991.

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ENGLISH FOLDERS AVAILABLE. English 103/104 composition folders from the 1990 Spring and Summer terms will be available to students Dec. 10-14. To retrieve your essays, bring photo identification to Brink 219 between 8 a.m. — noon, 1—5 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 8 a.m. — noon on Friday.

WSU SPRAYS TREES. Evergreen trees on the Washington State University campus will be sprayed with chemicals and animal scents in an attempt to reduce the number lost to vandals cutting them for Christmas trees.

SPECIAL

Professor Emeritus Boone dies

In a career of more than six decades, Lalia Phipps Boone made many contributions as teacher, author, scholar, church leader, friend, mother and grandmother. Over the years, her life, which ended Dec. 1, 1990, touched thousands of students, colleagues, associates and friends as well as an extensive family. A self-made woman born in an age of male dominance, those who knew Dr. Boone found her driven by exceedingly high standards for excellence, perseverance, kindness and stamina.

The daughter of a minister, and one of seven children, Dr. Boone was born April 19, 1907 in Tehuacana, Texas. She graduated from Westminister Junior College in Tehuacana in 1925. Dur-

In a career of more than six decades, Lalia Phipps Boone many teaching positions in public schools in Texas, the University of Oklahoma and eventually the eader, friend, mother and grand-

Then, in 1965, Dr. Boone arrived at the University of Idaho as a Professor of English. By this time she had acquired her B.A. in English, an M.A. in Medieval Literature and Linguistics, and was the first woman to receive a doctorate at the University of Florida.

She retired from teaching in 1973, her final year as Professor of Education at the University of Idaho. Dr. Boone was exceptionally active in place name research and published a substantial amount on this subject. Her larger work, Idaho State Place Names

is currently being republished as a part of Idaho's centennial celebration.

Dr. Boone once wrote: "My entire scholastic and professional background has been characterized by an interest in the language of the common man. Place names fall in that category, for man bestowed every name on every map."

Dr. Boone is survived by three children, Joe Ardis Boone of Gainsville, Fla.; Martha N. Robinson of Lewisetta, Va. and Doris Dowden of Lancaster, Calif. She was the grandmother of nine and the great grandmother of three. She is also survived by two brothers, Wilbur Phipps and Joe K. Phipps of Texas.

Seminar focuses on safety, environmental issues

The 1991 University of Idaho Plant Protection Seminar will focus on farm worker safety regulations, groundwater contamination and regulations, what groundwater is and the transportation of pesticides.

This year's session is Jan. 2—4 at Templin's Resort Hotel in Post

The seminar is designed to provide participants with knowledge of new laws and regulations governing use of pesticides, knowledge of some toxicological terms as well as basic facts and procedures needed for good pest control. The information will be helpful to agricultural chemical dealers, applicators, fieldmen, feed and seed crops, agricultural consultants and agricultural law enforcement personnel.

In addition to the general session topics listed above, a variety of special seminar sessions will be offered on such topics as calibration, integrated pest management and its application, new herbicides, new insect problems,

new weed problems, nonpathologenic injury, pesticide fires and spills, pesticide and pesticide container disposal, plant diseases — both new and resurgent, protection of groundwater and weed identification.

The seminar has been approved by both the Idaho State Department of Agriculture and the Washington State Department of Agriculture for 15 hours of credit toward recertification for commercial and consultant applicator licenses.

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Gift giving can fit into budget

Just because cousin Audrey gave you a \$30 widget for Christmas last year doesn't mean you have to give her a \$32.50 widget this year.

"Don't be pressured into buying too expensive or too many gifts that you'll regret when the bills are due," advises Linda Kirk Fox, extension family economics specialist at the University of Idaho.

A good rule of thumb when budgeting for Christmas shopping is to not spend more than 1.5 percent of your gross income, Fox said. If your gross income is \$30,000, you might figure spending about \$450. It's also a good idea to set aside 10 percent of your gift budget for last minute shopping, she said.

What if a person can't afford expensive gifts? Higher costs for transportation, clothing, child care and household maintenance have reduced the amount of money available even for twoincome families for discretionary items like Christmas gifts, Fox said. To keep costs down, she recommends the following:

Shift gift choices to items that have increased in price less than the average as measured by the Consumer Price Index. Perfumes, games, small appliances and small electronics fall into this category.

Shop early, use a list and stick to your price limits.

• Follow published advertisements, but stick to purchasing the bargain items.

■ Know the rights when ordering mail-order merchandise.

What about paying for all your Christmas gifts with credit cards and delaying the payment until the New Year?

"It sounds tempting — but tance certificate don't do it," Fox said. "If you're short of cash now, you'll probab- year, she said."

ly be just as financially strapped the next couple of months."

The benefits of buying gifts on credit and delaying payment are usually offset by increased costs in finance charges and interest, she said.

"Before you purchase on credit, know how much you can afford," Fox said. "A common rule of thumb is that credit use should be limited to 15 or 20 percent of your take-home pay, not including mortgage payments."

Fox said one way to solve the problem of what to get that hard-to-buy-for person is to give money.

"With tightening budgets and increasing individualism, gift certificates and gifts of cash are more frequent and appreciated."

Sales of telephone long distance certificates, for example, are expected to double from last year, she said.



KUID. Katrina Giles, Bill Strong, and Cathy Rouyer participated in the Fundraising efforts at KUID. (TRAVIS GADSBY PHOTO)

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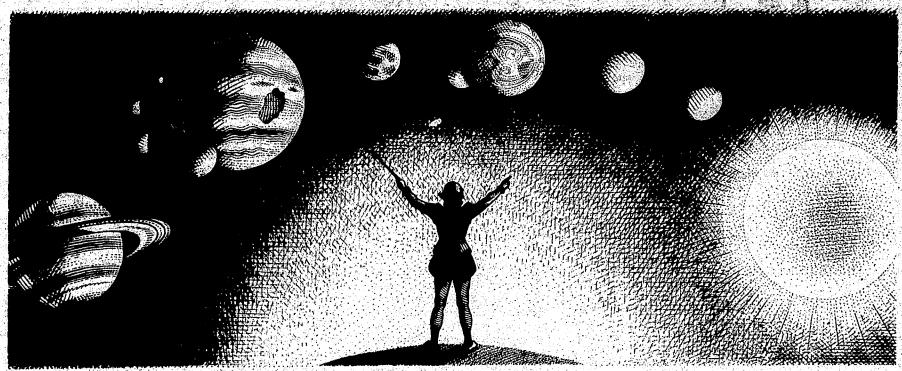
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Dead Week should be renamed 'Walking-Dead' Week

Since my freshman year, the term 'dead week' has always conjured some horrid images. The first semester I attended the University of Idaho it was explained to me that dead week was a time when class activities were "dead."

I've since come to know dead week as the time period where there are no actual tests, but only papers and projects due.

Dead week is usually accompanied by a dropping of morale among students. You know it's dead week when you see Communications and Architecture students taking off the heads of loved ones as they scramble to get their final projects done.

Dead week is usually preceded by a week-long effort on the faculty's part to cram information into the brains of students and throw last minute tests at them before they can really hurt them with the comprehensive final. In boxing this would

be considered the 'ol 1-2 punch.' Hit them hard, then again when they're weak.

Let's call a spade a spade. There are three final's weeks at the University of Idaho. The first comes before the mythological "Dead Week," when we all get the last round of normal tests, all of which usually land on Friday of that week. Then dead week comes, along with a plethora of reports, research papers and presentations. Lastly, the traditional final's week hits us with all the joys that common finals and scantron sheets bring. Merry Christmas.

There are actually people out there that wonder why it takes students five or more years to get through school. If a student takes that long to get through school, that person will have endured 30 finals weeks by graduation. It's a wonder they survive at all. We should all get honorary degrees in

stress management when we leave the university.

The term "Dead Week" should be eliminated. It only spawns false hope among the younger s t u dents, which transforms into despair when they reach finals. These last three weeks need to be renamed.

We need to be realistic when we rename our final's weeks. The first week should be known as "Cram Week." The second, should be altered to "Walking-Dead Week," rather than "Dead Week." The third, and final week should be third and final week should be known simply as "Reckoning."

It's going to be a long road to get back to good 'ol days when students could take 18 credits, get a 4.0 and work a full-time job while babysitting 4 kids like my parents say they did.

— Mike Markley

Undergrads getting raw deal in education system

resource is dwindling quickly. It's a shortage more dire than the oil crisis, more urgent than the California drought. Fortunately, this resource is very easy to replenish, but those responsible for its welfare have long been shirking their responsibilities. The resource is the American undergraduate student.

Chuck Brockway

Commentary

Harvard College was founded in 1686 with a mission of excellence and a vital interest in the honing of undergraduate students. With the 19th century came large land-grant institutions and the gradual shift of emphasis toward graduate-level research and away from teaching itself. Furthermore, after World War II, state universities became broad-based centers for federal war research and the lowly undergrad was virtually mothballed.

This dismal evolution left the excellence. Putting up with professor indifference and vague instruction, while struggling through poorly-written textbooks became a way of life. Appallingly, the trend has not subsided; it has heightened! The hiring of new professors today is based on qualifications not dictated by common sense, the least of which is the ability to teach. In fact (make sure you're sitting down), some universities actually lure top professors with promises of no undergraduate classes! This and other disgraceful practices have pushed the undergraduate education system into a large pit with very slippery sides.

At first reflection, it may appear that university faculty is readily aware of the problem. In fact, the faculty admits change is needed, but is confined by the momentum of decades of tradition. The situation might be brighter if that were the case, but statistics from a recent disturbing poll suggest otherwise. A pitiful

The nation's most valuable 21 percent of professors at research institutions like the University of Idaho feel that teaching should be the primary concern for the promotion of faculty, compared with 76 percent at liberal arts colleges. Professors are unable even to recognize the problem, let alone take any remedial steps. It's time for universities_to_quench, the myopic research craze, redirect their focus and stop cheating their undergrads.

What should be done?

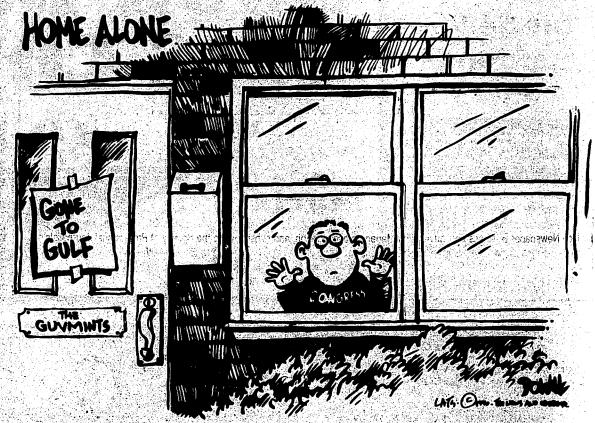
*Do away with the illogical tenure system. It is an affront to fundamental capitalistic convictions when professors cannot be terminated for poor performance. Ineffective teachers should be fired just like inefficient office clerks or shoddy construction workers.

Require education courses as both prerequisites for new recruits and for present faculty. It is odd indeed that a secondary education program demands fully 25 credits of education courses, while universities require none! Does poor teaching suddenly become acceptable once a student graduates from high school?

*Require all professors, everythe dean of the college, to teach at least two undergraduate classes per term. Since fears of faculty shortages are looming, perhaps some office-bound staff should roll their desk chairs into a classroom or two.

*Limit the number of foreign graduate students allowed to lead labs and recitations. While tolerating an apathetic professor is difficult, enduring a semester of mangled English is unbearable.

The redirection of any institution must stem from something deeper than mere administrational reforms. Teaching ought to be viewed through the eyes of Harvard's founders who appreciated the art of fine teaching and knew better than most what a dynamic and stimulating undergraduate experience should be. The responsibility, ultimately, lies with the professors. They alone must be the stimuli to overcome decades of shameful



Card Farm products degrading to society

Editor:

Some Moscowites are literally frothing at the mouth, saying these raging, book burning, fundamental Christians are trying to take away their freedom to see/ be as sexually permissive as they

And, the crass, lewd material from the Card Farm was judged as only distasteful and not

Oh how far we have lowered our standards of decency! Just look at the old movies on television to see what was risque for adults then, and that is what we now unabashedly show our children. Here's an example of how far we have come:

"Is it wrong to have sex before marriage?"

1969 Yes...... 68 percent Yes...... 36 percent No...... 61 percent Our country began with an even stronger and firmer set of

biblical values/morals than that, and we were consequently blessed for it as God promised a nation that adhered to His Word. Thus, prompting French philosopher, DeToqueville to tour America to find out why America was so great. He traveled from cities to rural areas, factories to country churches and concluded: 'America is great, because America is good. As soon as America ceases to be good, she will cease to be great.'

An exhaustive study of 88 civilizations was made by anthropologist J.D. Unwin, Each culture began with a strict code of sexual conduct and ended with the demand for complete freedom to express individual passion. Unwin reported that all these societies that extended sexual permissiveness to their people were soon to perish. There were NO exceptions!

Everyone is screaming for freedom in this and every area in our country, distorting the First Amendment that its writers would turn in their graves! True freedom is NOT the ability to do/ say anything that you want that's licentiousness and finally leads to corruption and bondage. People can't exist under these

conditions. There must be standards, values and morals to function in peace. True freedom is the ability to choose, not to do/say that which is harmful to individual and corporate welfare.

It is too bad that there is steaming and snorting when "fundamentalists" ask that we adhere to God's good standards. People see Him as a Cosmic Killjoy trying to take away all their fun. Quite the opposite is true. God created sex and the sex organs (the woman's clitoris having no other function but that of pleasure), so that we could enjoy ourselves. (Check out the book 'Song of Solomon" in the Bible.) But, because He wants us to experience maximum sex, He puts a protective badge around the act — marriage for a lifetime. He knows that unfaithfulness, which is fueled by the flames of pornography, (and other sins) will destroy the family, His cornerstone of a healthy, prosperous society.

The items in the Card Farm make fun of, make light of and degrade something God has called holy, private and reserved for marriage. "Let the marriage

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Cook's comments to the point

Editor:

Tim Cook brought up some excellent points in his commentary Dec. 7. I enjoyed his sarcastic wit in bringing up the point that Mr. Bush has failed to explain to the American public why in the hell we are involved in this conflict.

Sure, some of you are upset at his approach, but look at the points he brought up. We are not fighting for Democracy; and what gives us the right to dictate the balance of power in all corners of the world?

Why does Mr. Bush's justification for his position change with the opinion polls rather than maintaining a philosophical position? It is becoming a case of the blind following the blind; and we are doomed to fall in the pit with George Bush.

So what is our military position really like over there. As it stands now, the Iraqis outnumber us two to one along the Kuwait border. In about a month, when the rest of our dedicated troops are deployed, we will still be out numbered. How in the hell are we going to kick the Iraqis out of Kuwait with those odds. American jingoistic nationalists say we can. Look at the numbers, if Mr. Bush attacks the Iraqis, at least 100,000 Americans will be maimed or killed, not to mention lost. For what, and is it worth it? Wake up America, we are not

invincible; we have lost before. Besides, is it really in our interest to defeat the Iraqis? Can we afford an imbalance of power in the Middle East to be determined.

by a power struggle between our current "allies."

Mr. Bush will soon try to bring up the humanitarian reasons to remove the Iraqis from Kuwait. Then why do we support Israel?

I am also embarrassed to be an American, Tim, because we are foolish and hypocritical.

-John Goettsche

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be held in honor among all, and let the marriage bed be undefiled, for fornicators (sex before marriage) and adulterers God will judge," Hebrews 13:4. Our children, young adults and adults see and believe this form of advertising, telling them sex is no big deal, so they enter into it lightly and we see the plethora of problems befall our communities:

teen pregnancies, abortions, adultery, divorce, sexually transmitted diseases, etc.

I am not saying pornography also causes all these ills, but it has been proven. Our own Idaho Code/Supreme Court says: "It is found that such materials are a contributing factor to crime, and also a factor in impairing the ethical and moral development of our youth." Also, recall Ted Bundy admitted that pornography had been a major impetus in committing his horrendous murders.

Is it wrong for me to take this to the police and spend a minuscule amount to challenge the law and our "contemporary community standards"? This is compared to the \$500,000,000 spent over the past 15 years on sex education in the public schools to help curb the massively increasing teen pregnancies, which have been multiplying despite all these efforts!

We are shooting ourselves in the foot (allowing sexually explicit, enticing things to be flaunted before our minors), while spending millions to repair the ills that we have caused because we keep lowering our standards, moving away form God's protective ones. It seems that Someone up there loves us.

Will the moms, dads, singles for decency, health and blessings on our community please take a stand and say "NOI" to those items the Card Farm sells? We will continue to reap the problems if we continue to sow low moral standards.

"God is not mocked. For whatever a man sows, this he will also reap." Galatians 6:7.

-Heidi Scheibe

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RHA raises over \$2,500 for March of Dimes

By JEFF FINN Staff Writer

The University of Idaho Residence Hall Association raised \$2,539 for the March of Dimes with a Jail and Bail fund-raiser held Dec. 6 and 7 at the Palouse Empire Mall.

RHA president Ray Horton said at the RHA meeting Monday night that they had hoped to raise about \$1,000.

"It was beyond our wildest dreams," Horton said.

Horton said that the success of the fund-raiser was due in part to the participation of a large number of students.

RHA secretary Amoreena Roberts, who organized the event, said she wanted to thank everybody who participated or helped to set up, including Pepsi-Cola, who donated the materials for the jail.

In other business Monday night, RHA elected its officers for next year. The new officers are as follows: Ray Horton re-elected president, Amoreena Roberts vice president, Erin Musgrave secretary, Jennifer Ostrom treasurer and Kim Pence service officer.

The 1991 RHA officers' terms will begin on Jan. 15.

Tests to find perfect tree

Braving the icy wind and blowing snow, you searched every lot in town until you found the perfect Christmas tree. You brought it home, put it in just the right spot in the living room and decorated it with care.

And a few days later the needles started falling off.

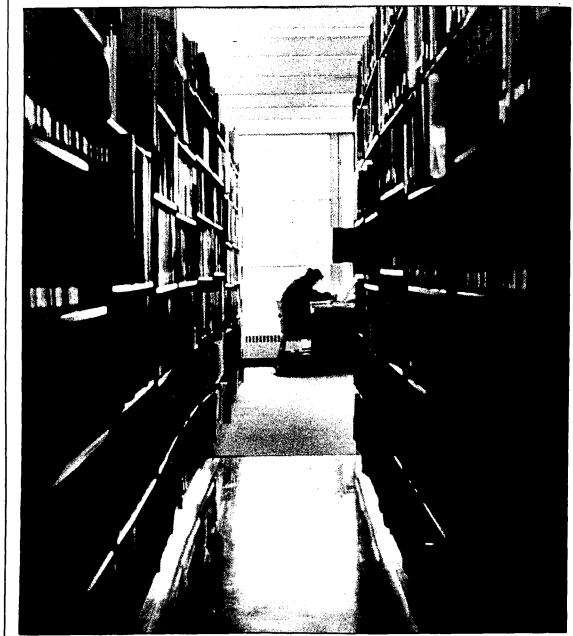
Unfortunately, countless people go through this scene every year. But it doesn't have to happen. University of Idaho Extension Forester Kon Mahoney says three simple tests will determine if a tree is fresh enough to remain healthy and attractive throughout the holiday season.

The first thing to check is the needle appearance. If the green of any of the needles has faded and become slightly whitish, or if the

needles appear shrunken rather than well-filled and firm, the tree has begun to dry out. Because branch tips and the upper third of the crown will usually keep a fresh appearance longer than the crown's lower interior, it is better to check the inside part of the crown on the lower two-thirds of the tree. If you detect no signs of dryness, the tree should be in good shape.

The second concern is needle brittleness. Needles that have begun to dry will usually respond differently than fresh needles to a simple "pull test." To test for brittleness, take hold of a few needles with your thumb and forefinger, bend them over

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A QUIET PLACE. A University of Idaho Student finds a place to study in the depths of the library. (BRIAN JOHNSON PHOTO)

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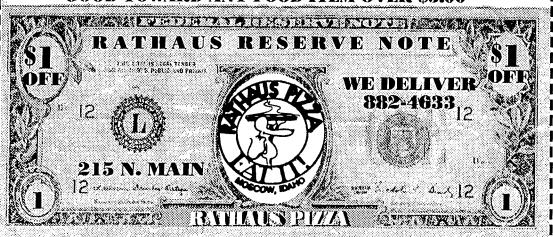
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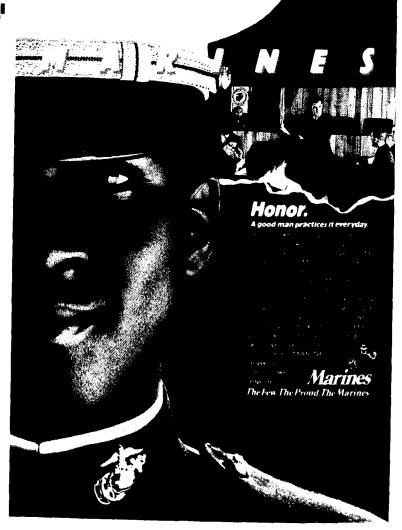
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Perry making adjustment to point guard spot

By CHRISTOPHER GATEWOOD Staff Writer

It's commonplace in sports for athletes to sometimes switch positions. Defensive linemen become offensive linemen and infielders become outfielders. But asking a guy who has never played point guard to do so is like asking Michael Jordan to

stop scoring points.

A lack of depth and experience in the Idaho Vandals' backcourt coming into the season forced first-year coach Larry Eustachy to switch 6-foot-2-inch, 197-pound senior guard Leonard Perry to point guard to start the season. Playing point guard is probably the most demanding position on the court. Not only do you have to be the team leader, but you have to know the whole offense and have the poise to run it. It's a position that Perry had never played and didn't particularly relish.

"Coming into the season Coach Eustachy told me he wanted me to run the point," Perry said. "I wasn't too sure I could do it. I have played every position over the course of my basketball life, but never the point. Point guard is so tough because you can never let down mentally."

"The main reason we put Leonard there is because of a lack of depth," Eustachy said. "It's so tough for somebody who has never played the position."

So far in five games this year Perry has done an admirable job of handling the point guard

duties. He hasn't been spectacular, averaging 6.2 points and just 3.8 assists, but following in the footsteps of All-Big Sky performer Otis Livingston is no picnic. Perry's strong point, however, is his defense where he is as intense as it gets. He has been known to shut down the teams best scoring guard. Evidence of this came earlier this year when he held Jarrod Davis, Gonzaga's leading scorer, to just 3 for 11 shooting.

"I couldn't be more happy with Leonard's defense," Eustachy said. "Playing the great defense makes it even tougher for him to play the point because besides playing great defense he has to run the offense.'

"Defense is an attitude," Perry said. "Everybody wants to score points but you have to be mentally tough to play defense. I take pride in it. I look at is a

personal challenge."
Challenges are something that Perry is no stranger to. Growing up in south Dallas -Dallas' roughest neighborhood Perry had to learn to watch his back and use sports to keep himself away from negative influences.

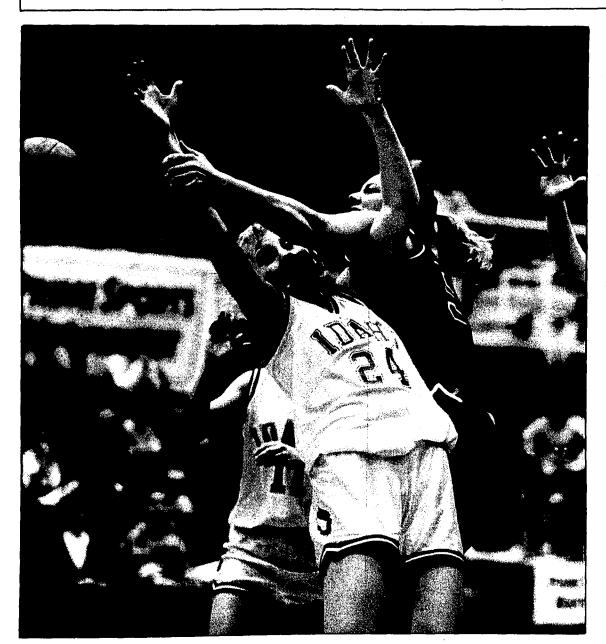
"I hate to say this but you could really compare my neighborhood to New York City,' Perry said. "We've got it all. Crime, gangs, drugs, you name

Perry credits strong family ties for keeping him out of trouble and heading him into the

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TAKING CONTROL. The Idaho basketball team had a question mark at point guard at the beginning of the season. Vandal coach Larry Eustachy has called on Leonard Perry (above) to run the Idaho offense this year. (JIM VOLLBRECHT PHOTO)



FOUL. Krista Smith is fouled by a EWU player on Saturday. (JIM VOLLBRECHT PHOTO)

Idaho crushes Eagles

By TOM BITHELL Staff Writer

Washington State University cruised to their fourth straight Wheatland Classic championship this weekend in Pullman, while the University of Idaho women had to settle for third

By virtue of the tournament's yearly rotating bracket, the Lady Jandals (4-2) faced off against WSU (5-1) in the first round Friday night, while Gonzaga University (2-6) played Eastern Washington University (1-4).

WSU was favored to win the tournament and they showed why against the Lady Vandals, beating them 64-48.

The Cougars put on tough defensive pressure, forcing Idaho into 17 first-half turnovers and 7-of-20 shooting from the field for 35 percent.

"They play a really good pressure defense," Idaho forward Hettie DeJong said. Dejong was held below double-figures for the first time.

Meanwhile, when the Cougars had the ball they worked it around the perimeter and into the middle, often finding center Kristin Metson in the paint. Metson scored a game high 25 points and at times seemed unstoppable. Karen Poncina and Kelly Moeller both got into foul trouble early defending the WSU senior.

"Our two post players got into foul trouble. They had four and three fouls in the first-half, so we played the last nine minutes of the first-half without a post player," Idaho Coach Laurie Turner said. "At that time it was 19-10 and it ended up being 40-18 at the

Despite trailing by 22, the Lady Vandals came out fighting in the second half and ran off nine unanswered points against the Cougars to make things interesting.

Idaho Peterson played intensely, trying to keep the Vandals in the game. Peterson was 2-of-5 from the field for 40 percent, but a perfect 10-of-10 from the line to lead the team with 14 points. Moeller was the only other Vandal to score in double figures with 12.

"They hurt us on the boards,"

Turner said. "We gave them too many offensive boards. Every time we got close they came back and answered."

Still Turner found some good in the teams play.

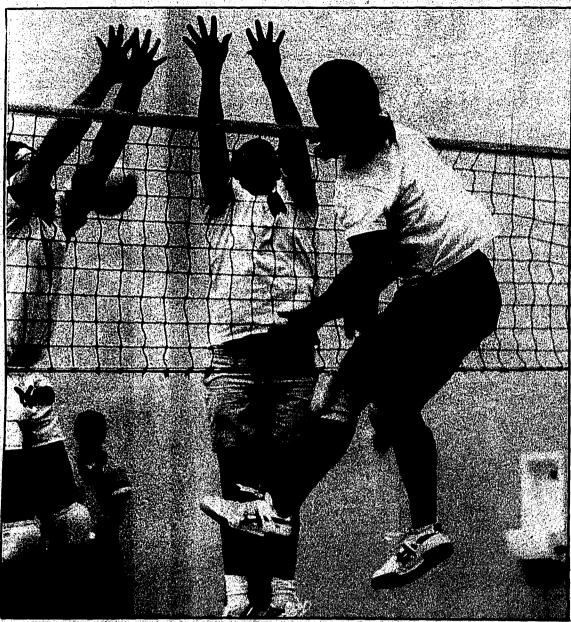
"Defensively we did a good job. We shut them down a little bit," Turner said. "We forced them into 31 turnovers."

Besides Metson's 25 points, only one other WSU player scored in double figures. All-Pac 10 forward Angie Miller was held to seven points by Krista Smith and Dawn Allinger was held to

six by DeJong. Saturday night, things flip-flopped for the Lady Vandals

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Pikes capture intramural volleyball championship



SPIKE IT! Travis Holycross spikes over two SAE players. (BRIAN JOHNSON PHOTO.)

By MATT LAWSON
Sports Editor

Pi Kappa Alpha rallied for the Intramural volleyball championship over Sigma Alpha Epsilon in three games by 7-15, 15-7 and 15-5.

Sweet and Petite won the women's title with a 15-4 and 15-9 victory over Bact-Bio Chem.

The Pikes fell behind in the best-of-three match with their 7-15 loss, but captain Eric Hillerns wasn't worried by his team's slow start.

"We always lose the first game against the SAEs," Hillerns said. "The Pikes have a reputation of losing the first game (in their matches)."

The Pikes had a talented team this season, but had problems playing as a team at times.

"We didn't play well together as a team (this year)," Hillerns said. "But individually we had a lot of talent."

The Pikes had no problems getting to the final match as they failed to lose a game until the finals. They had victories over Chrisman Hall (15-10, 15-8) and Upham Hall (16-14, 15-8).

The Pikes and SAEs play against each other all the time since they both have outdoor courts at their respective houses.

"It is always a great match between us (the Pikes and SAEs)," Hillerns said. "We are good friends and we love to compete against each other."

The SAEs reached the finals by defeating Farmhouse (15-8, 15-3) and Sigma Nu (15-2, 15-10).

Sweet and Petite dominated the tournament while not losing a single game in three matches.

They won most of their games in a dominating fashion.

Sweet and Petite won their first match over Gamma Phi Beta (15-4, 15-1), and overwhelmed Houston Hall in the semi-finals (15-0, 15-5).

The champions had no problems sweeping through the 16 team tournament.

Bact-Bio Chem had to battle to reach the finals. They had to go to three games to win both of their matches before the finals. Bact-Bio Chem won their first match over the Spud Whackers (15-13, 13-15, 15-3) and rallied in the

semi-finals to defeat the Stud Muffins (15-13, 5-15, 15-13). This was the closest match in the tournament as the teams matched up more evenly than any other two teams.

The fall schedule for the intramural season is now over for the semester and competition will continue in January. Next semester's sports include basketball, softball and frisbee golf.

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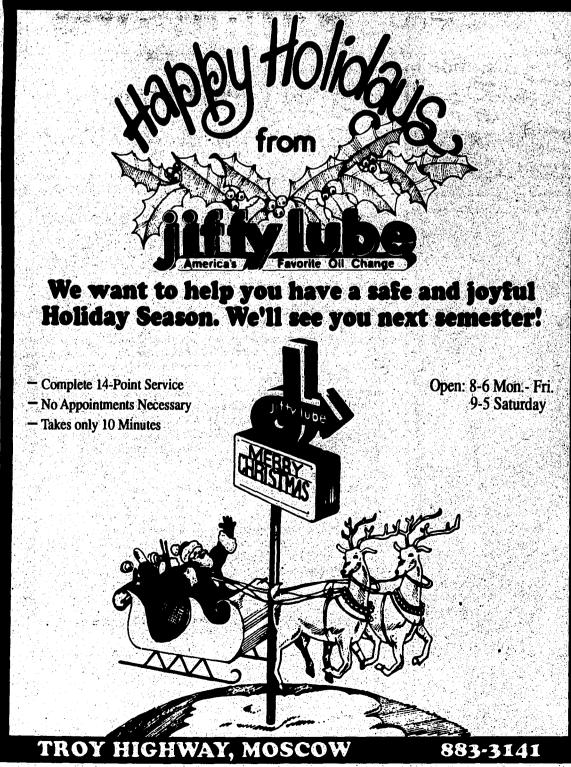
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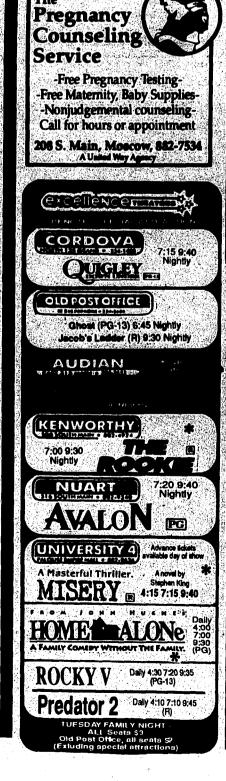
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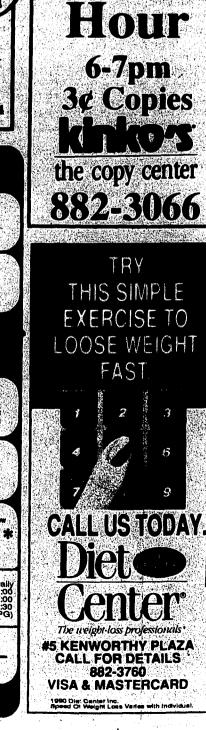
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when they took on EWU. The Eagles, who lost to Gonzaga 72-55 in the other first-round game, were no Washington State.

"They struggled. They didn't shoot the ball very well at all," Turner said of EWU's 24.5-percent field goal shooting. "Our goal was to force them into 30 turnovers. They had 27, so we were close.

Idaho blew the Eagles out of the game with a 20-6 run in the first-half to lead 39-23. The Vandals went 19-38 from the field for 50 percent, while the Eagles were a miserable 7-27 for 25.9-percent.

It didn't get better for Eastern in the second-half. Idaho's women came out to run off 13 points to EWU's two and the Eagles never got within 20 points of the Vandals.

Idaho was led by senior DeJong with 19 points, who hit 9-of-16 shots from the field for 56

percent. DeJong continues to lead the team in scoring with an average of 15.3 ppg.

"I think we're learning how to play with each other more lately," DeJong said.

Dejong and Peterson were both selected to the alltournament team for their efforts. "I really didn't expect it," DeJong said. "Pete deserved it. She played very well."

Joining DeJong in doublefigures was center Moeller with 10 points. Moeller was the only UI player to score in double figures both nights.

"It was good for us to go out and dominate, which I thought we did, from five minutes left in the first-half throughout the

entire second-half," Turner said. The Lady Vandals will return home this Friday to play Lewis and Clark State College before going on the road Saturday at

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right direction.

There was a time between junior high and high school where I could have gotten involved with the wrong crowd," Perry said. "I lived with my grandmother and she always kept my head straight. Whenever I got out of line she would always keep me focused."

It was at Kimball High School where Perry first honed his game. Perry was a varsity starter from 10th grade on, and played with former Vandal football player Marvin Washington as a sophomore: As a senior Perry averaged nearly 20 points a game, was a USA Today Honorable Mention All-American, First Team All-State and All-Metro League. In Dallas, which has become a hot-bed for hoops, Perry lived right down the street from UNLV star and All-American Larry Johnson.

Perry, however, wasn't recruited after high school because of a grade mix-up between his coach and recruiters. Perry had a 2.3 average but his coach told recruiters that he had just a 1.9, an average too low to be eligible for Division I teams. By the time his coach realized the mistake it was too late for him to get a scholarship.

"I had a 1.9 as a junior and coach just assumed that I still had the same when it was time to be recruited," Perry, said.

So Perry enrolled at McLennan Junior College where he averaged 16.2 ppg. as a freshman. Then things got a little ugly for Perry. He had to red-shirt the next season because of poor grades and, in his final season, had to leave the team mid-way through the season because of personal problems with his

"I was kind of a wild man in junior college," Perry said. "I partied Monday through Friday and

chased after all the girls. In my second year I signed with Idaho early and my coach never liked that because he thought it would hurt my intensity. He didn't like my lifestyle either. He wanted me to date just one girl and thought my social life was bad for the team. I was shocked when he asked me to leave."

Needless to say, coming to Moscow has helped Perry grow up. From Perry's business-like attitude you can tell that he has matured. He will get his degree in general studies next December

If Perry can continue to progress, the Vandals will have a legitimate shot at a Big Sky Championship and their third straight NCAA appearance.

"I will be elated if I can take care of the ball and provide lead-

ership," Perry said "How good our team is going to be depends on how quickly Leonard can progress," Eustachy

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your thumb at about a right angle and give a steady pull. On most trees, needles that have begun to dry will break when pulled in this way. Needles that are fresh will normally pull loose at their base, where they join the twig or branch.

The final test is needle resistance to shock. On the spruce and Douglas fir, the needles' points of attachment to twigs begin to weaken as soon as they start to get dry. To test for dryness lift the tree about 16 inches and let it free fall so the butt of the tree hits hard ground or pavement. If any green-colored needles fall from the tree, it is a sign of dryness. If very few green needles are loosened by the fall, the tree is safe to use with the proper care.

In addition to the tests, Mahoney recommends that Christmas tree shoppers look for trees that were grown in the Inland Northwest.

"These trees are naturally conditioned by colder growing conditions and will usually retain needles and color far better than trees shipped in from coastal areas," he said.

You can keep the tree fresh and safe by following a few tree-care suggestions:

Store the tree in a cool, shaded place until you take it into the house. Saw off a half-inch or more from the bottom of the stem and place the tree in water. The fresh cut will enable the tree to take up water more readily. Don't shave the bark from the sides of the stem.

■ Be sure the tree stand is stable and that it will allow the butt of the tree to rest in water. Keep the stand's water basin filled to prevent the tree from drying out.

Place the tree as far as possible from a radiator, woodstove. fireplace or other source of heat.

Locate the tree so all exits from the room remain accessible.

Check the cords and connections of the electric lights to be used on the tree; frayed cords or faulty connections are dangerous. Avoid plugging tree lights into an overloaded circuit.

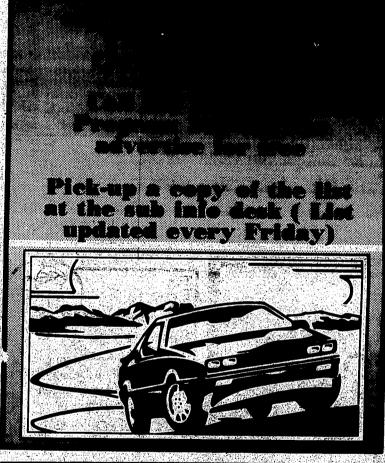
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Allow no playing with electrical toys under the tree.

Keep all used wrapping paper and other flammable materials away from the tree.

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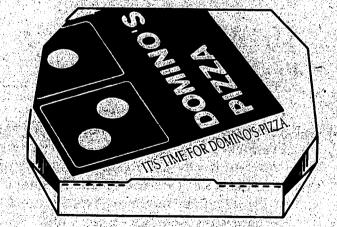




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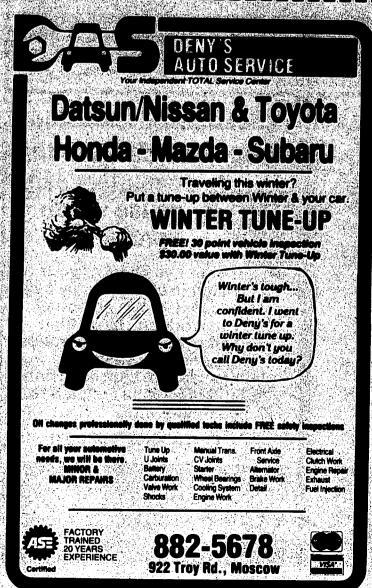
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Vandals show unlimited potential for season

Five games into the season, the Idaho Vandal basketball team has already made an impression.

After a win over hapless Simon Fraser, two tough losses in Mississippi and two questionable wins at home, the Vandals have left a lot of questions. unanswered.

Of course, that should be expected with a team that has a new head coach, six new players and no true point guard on the

Things won't get any easier for Idaho as the Vandals are set to play three strong teams in the Phenix NCAA Ball in Tokyo this weekend.

Traveling so far away as a unit can only further unify the team and Idaho will come back with more than souvenirs and memories.

Idaho has played tough defense, but mental lapses on the offensive end have hurt the Vandals in this young season.

Leonard Perry is doing an admirable job trying to play the point guard after the graduation of Otis Livingston. Perry will be the first to admit that he has never played point guard and is still adjusting to the responsibilities that the position entails.

The Vandals arguably have the best front line in the Big Sky Conference. They are on the verge of exploding and it is just a matter of time. Keith Stewart will speed up the clock for the Vandals. The 6-foot-9-inch transfer from New Orleans will become eligible on Dec. 21. Stewart will help Idaho in more ways than one. He will add height to a team that is already becoming a strong rebounding unit. His best asset may be his ability to push Clif-ford Martin and Sammie Freeman when they are not playing up to their potential. The addition of Stewart will create the biggest starting line-up possibly in the conference. Coach Larry Eustachy has already considered playing Ricardo Boyd at the shooting guard to allow Freeman, Martin and Stewart equal playing time.

The Big Sky is not known for height, especially at the guard positions, and a 6-foot-5-inch

Boyd would have no problem shooting over any guard in the conference.

Idaho may have their problems with LaSalle and Baylor in Japan, but it may be the best thing that can happen to the Vandals.

Matt Lawson Opinion



Athletic teams only get better by playing players that have equal if not more ability than themselves. LaSalle has played well this season, and Baylor may be one of the most improved teams in their conference.

The Vandals are in the middle of a ten-day layoff without a game, and this may be beneficial to a team that had Eustachy burdened by frustration after Idaho's win over Gonzaga.

Idaho will have to work hard to win more than one game in Japan, but the experience will be worth a few losses.

can coach, and more importantly, has proved that he will not let his players play without an intense attitude. Eustachy benched four starters for the last 12 minutes of the first half against Gonzaga. This move proved that the Vandals have one of the strongest benches they have had in recent

Mike Gustavel, Terrell Malone, Otis Mixon and Deon Watson have proved that they can contribute and their potential may only be limited by a lack of playing

With impressive talent and coaching, Idaho's potential is far from limited. The expectations for success in Moscow have flowed throughout various media predictions. However, Eustachy has reiterated the fact that he is the last person to listen to predictions.

Pardon me Coach Eustachy, don't read this next sentence. Idaho will win their third straight Big Sky Conference title.

Eustachy has proved that he Results-Schedule

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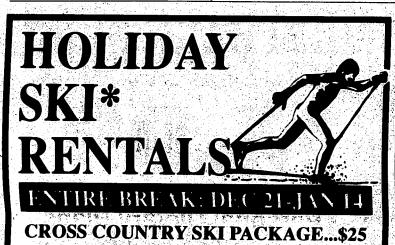
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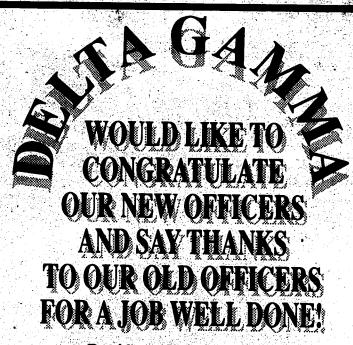
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Tickets for Jazz Festival on sale now at SUB

By SALLY GILPIN Arts/Leisure Editor

Tickets are selling fast for the University of Idaho's 1991 Lionel Hampton/Chevron Jazz Festival. Feb. 20-23, according to Ticket Express general manager Claudia Dambra.

'We've had a good response so far," Dambra said. "So far they are selling at the same rate as last

Tickets for the internationally acclaimed, four-day event went on sale yesterday morning at Ticket Express in the SUB. Prices are \$13 — \$15 for a single performance and \$50 for a four-day pass, which lets the bearer into all six Festival concerts.

This year will mark the 24th year the university has hosted the Festival. The Festival features internationally renowned artists,

musical competitions and clinics. It takes place over four days, with one international night and one guest night.

One more artist has been added to the list of famous jazz performers scheduled to appear. Billy Eckstine, "Mr. B" to millions of fans, a legendary vocalist who has topped every major American musical poll during his 40-year career, has been added to the Jazz Festival lineup.

Eckstine had a band in the 1940s which included Sarah Vaughn, Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie, Miles Davis and Art Blakey. He began his singing career during high school in Pittsburgh.

He joined Earl Hines' band in the 30s, and had his first million-

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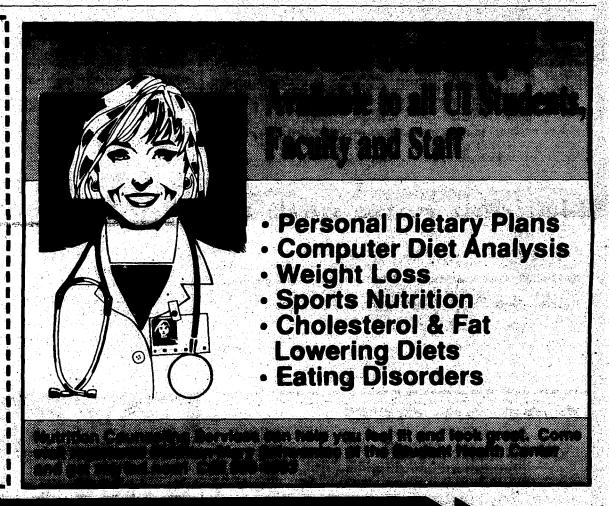
WAITING PATIENTLY. Students and community members waited in line to purchase Jazz Festival tickets early Monday morning. Tickets can be purchased at Ticket Express. (JIM VOLLBRECHT PHOTO)

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Exodus' latest calls for large amounts of patience

Review By SALLY GILPIN Arts/Leisure Editor

Well, it's that time of year again. Time for the Argonaut's Arts/Leisure editor to open her mind and her ears to an up and coming band.

This year I picked Exodus, a

This year I picked Exodus, a good-looking bunch of emotionally void and hygiene-deprived young individuals. Their latest album is titled Impact is Imminent, a name that seems appropriate, for after listening to this thrash metal masterpiece all I wanted was for this album to have impact with the bottom of my trash

My neighbors at the sports desk remind me that I should not be so hasty or harsh with. my comments. They're right. I will admit thrash metal is not a genre that I am an expert on, however, I have not been completely devoid of thrash metal exposure. In fact, I have been known to listen to an occasional tune by Megadeath. And in rare moments of extreme patience I have been known to sit through an Anthrax video during Headbangers Ball on MTV

Exodus was formed in 1981 in San Francisco, a hotbed of thrash metal talent(?). Its members include guitarist Gary Holt, bassist Rob McKillop, guitarist Rick Hunolt, drummer John Tempesta and lead vocalist Steve "Zetro" Souza (no relation to John

Phillip Souza)

Over the years Exodus has lost its violent image and begun to take up such causes as toxic waste with surprising vigor. On *Impact Is Imminent* Exodus discusses topics like drinking and driving, the Iran-Contra affair, gangs and cameras in the courtroom. Some of these topics are discussed with taste, however, most are given a shoddy treatment at best.

In the title cut "Impact is Imminent" Souza screams "As you tip the bottle/and swallow some cheap wine/you're a living time bomb/waiting to explode/you'll just be a statistic/when you're dead and cold."

Ahh, what power, what beauty, what drivel. Anyone who is able to interpret Souza's screams as words, without the use of the album cover, deserves a full-ride scholarship to a school specializing in translation of camel mating calls.

Actually most of the album's lyrics would make great rap songs. They all rhyme. I can just picture Vanilla Ice wiggling his little bottom and spitting out the words to "Thrash Under Pressure".

"We do what we do 'cause we bleep want to/never give a bleep what others say to you/they try to give advice just to find we're cold as ice (ice, baby)/worthless options not



KINGS OF THRASH/TRASH. (From left to right) John Tempesta, Gary Holt, Steve Souza, Rob McKillop and Rick Hunolt the members of Exodus put out a new album. (FILE PHOTO)

be spoken twice (twice, baby:

Word to your mother!)."

Musically, the album is free of innovation or originality. In fact, I am sure I heard the melody of "Impact is Imminent" once before...when my neighbor's cat got backed over by a garbage truck, twice.

Don't get me wrong. I did not hate every song on this album. "Lunatic Parade" a slower tune (120 words per minute), has some variations from the usual ear-wrenching riffs and stinging vocals. The words are somewhat intelligible, and I was able to find the melody for about 15 seconds. I even listened to this song at a volume level above four.

Exodus is a supposed leader in the thrash/trash music scene, but that is not evident on *Impact is Imminent*. Thrash metal is supposed to be wicked, innovative, raw and disgusting. It is supposed to

push the limits of rock and roll to the twilight zone. The only limits Exodus pushes with this album are the limits of my patience. I wasn't disgusted, I wasn't shocked or even surprised. I was bored and annoyed.

I would recommend *Impact* is *Imminent* only if you need to kill some house plants before you leave for break.

Holiday pops with the Spokande Symphony Saturday

Bruce Ferden will conduct the Spokane Symphony and Chotale in two Holiday Pops concerts, on Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sunday at 2 p.m., in the Spokane Opera House.

Randi Von Ellefson, chorale director, will also conduct the Symphony Chorale in three selections.

The audience will be invited to join in singing several traditional carols. Symphony officials announced that a recent communication from the North Pole indicates that a "right jolly old elf" and his helpers will make special guest appearances at the

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The 1989 Holiday Pops concert was so popular (it was completely sold-out) that the Symphony added a second performance for 1990: This added concert on Sunday afternoon is billed as a family matinee and will have a few added features to appeal to youngsters

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ing Leroy Anderson's "A Christ-mas Festival" and "Sleigh Ride,"
"The Twelve Days of Christmas,"
Susa's "A Christmas Garland"
and "Troika" from Prokofiev's
"Lt. Kije" Suite. The audience sing-along will include some of the season's best-loved carols, such as "Deck the Halls," "O Christmas Tree" and "Joy to the World."

To conclude the concert, Ferden will lead the Orchestra and Chorale in Handel's "Hallelujah!" from "Messiah."

Tickets are \$10 to \$23. Children 13 and under, accompanied by an adult, will be admitted to the Sunday family matinee for \$12. Tickets are available Monday through Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Spokane Symphony Ticket Office on the Skywalk Level of the Seafirst Financial Center (West 601 Riverside) or by calling (509) 642-1200. Tickets are available through G & B Select—A-Seat outlets.



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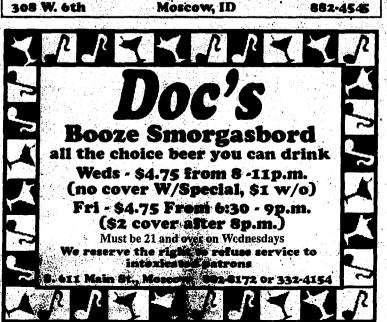
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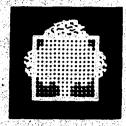
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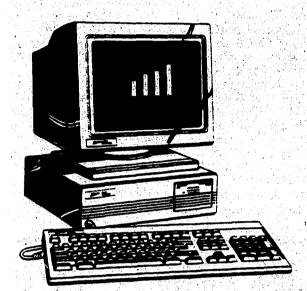
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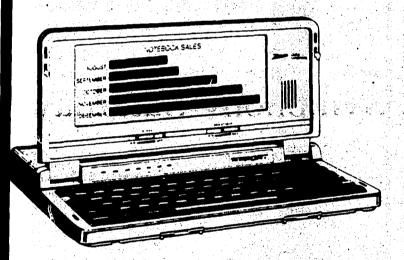
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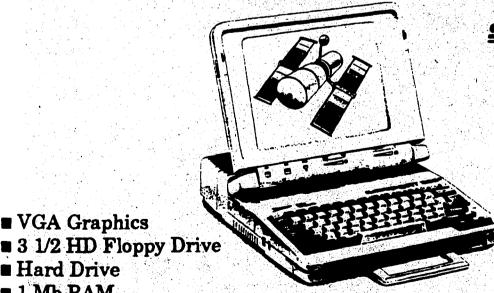
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seller with the release of "Jelly, Jelly." A string of major hits followed over the years, including gold records for "Fools Rush In," "Caravan," "Everything I Have is Yours" and "Prisoner of Love."

Eckstine has been added to the "Guest Star Night" lineup of the Jazz festival and will share the stage with Lionel Hampton, bassist Milt Hinton, sax man Stanley Turrentine, The Ray Brown Trio and vocalist Marlena Shaw.

Other guest stars previously announced for the 1991 jazz Festival include: Dizzy Gillespie, Paquito D'Rivera and his New York-Havana Ensemble, trumpeters Pete and Conti Candoli, the Hank Jones Trio, vocalist Dianne Reeves, alto saxist Phil Woods, trombonist father and son Al and Mike Grey and a Soviet Quartet, the Raimond Raubisko jazz-tet.

During the festival as many as 10,000 college, high school and junior high student musicians come to the UI campus for the event. They come to perfom, watch and learn from the head-liners, as well as from each other.

The participation of all of the students is what helps make this festival unique, according to a Festival press release.

The performances usually fill the ASUI/Kibbie Dome to near capacity and Ticket Express officials recommend buying tickets early for best selection.

"Saturday night usually sells out," Dambra said.

Also, local hotels and motels report that space is filling up fast. The Best Western University Inn is booked for Feb. 21 and 22, a hotel spokesperson said. People who are coming to the Festival and need motel space should contact local inns immediately.

Tickets for the four nights of the 1991 Jazz Festival may be purchased with major credit cards by telephoning the Ticket Express offices at (208) 885-7212.

Groups bail out on party

Analysis By PATRICK J. TRAPP and TRENT YOUNG Staff Writers

Smiles, happy spirits and alcoholic beverages turned sour as rock fans invited to party with Cheap Trick and Heart learned that their dream of becoming groupies just wasn't going to come true.

The party with the two rock bands was intended as a reward for lucky listeners of Z-FUN who'd called and won during a telephone contest, but fate intervened and kept Heart and Cheap Trick far away. Winners, though disappointed, found solace in the buffet spread, and in the chance to meet and gab with Z—FUN's Steve Shannon and other gods of pop radio.

If any true agony was felt over the party, it was not caused by the absence of the famous bands, but because the guests were not treated to complimentary beverages, alcoholic or not.

"I'm not disappointed because the bands aren't here because we didn't have to pay for this," contest winner Dennis White said, "I just wish we didn't have to pay for our drinks."

Without the bands to provide a focal point, the guests looked for other entertainment — MTV, sex and cigarettes. We, as objective reporters, weren't allowed to

indulge ourselves in this idle debauchery, but two seniors from WSU did invite us to go hottubbing. Other, more moral individuals, grazed openly at the buffet of chicken wings, microwave cheese puffs, somethings that looked like tiny pot pies and fresh mushrooms. One woman who lingered at the table for over 15 minutes ate at least 200 carrot sticks — a record which even Steve Shannon couldn't break.

Fog in Seattle was the cause of Cheap Trick's absence at the party and Heart couldn't make it because they needed those valuable few hours before the concert to apply their make-up, and to think-up new ways to hide Ann Wilson from being seen by the concert-goers. Despite their absence, contest winners were generally happy just to be able to see the show for free.

"It's really difficult," Shannon said. "You plan some hing like this for months, and on the day of the show, everything changes."

Besides being promised free tickets to the concert, and back stage passes, all winners were also awarded copies of both groups' new releases. Although there was by no means a gushing tide of good will over the whole fiasco, the invited guests seemed quite pacified by their gifts and their free eats.

1991 Mardi Gras to feature changes

By KARIN MASON Staff Writer

If you've enjoyed attending Moscow's Mardi Gras celebration in the past, just wait until this year's new additions to the fun.

The 12th Annual Mardi Gras will be held March 9. Mardi Gras is an annual celebration of arts on the Palouse with plenty of festivities.

A parade featuring different living groups, clubs, organizations and businesses and anyone who wants to participate, begins the celebration according to Johanna Hays, Director of the Prichard Gallery.

The Gong Show, featured that afternoon, is a crowd-pleaser. The main event, the dance in the SUB ball-room, is that evening. The downtown bars will be

filled with bar-goers garbed in black and white enjoying the bands booked especially for the occasion.

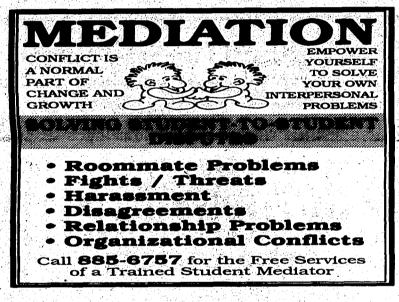
"It's a full day of festivities," Hays said.

The parade and Gong Show during the day are usually the main attractions for parents and children, while the bars and dance in the evening are directed more for students and adult community members.

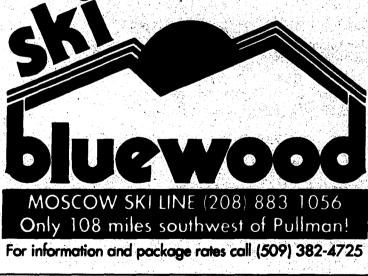
Two new activities will be added this year for Mardi Gras: the Living Color Parade and a poster contest.

Usually Mardi Gras is a black and white affair, but this year it will be brought into vivid, living color. Parade entries are open to everyone and floats can be any color, shape or form.

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Xmas videos full of fun and frolic

By Trent Young Staff Writer

In the spirit of holiday giving and friendship, I've decided to share with you my list for the 10 best Christmas movies of all time now on video. Athough you won't find such goodies as *Prancer*, or *Santa Claus: The Movie* contained herein, there are indeed some tasty treasures.

Ernest Saves Christmas. A film among films. Watch in amazement as Jim Varney first destroys the chances for a merry Christmas and then turns the situation around, with the help of a little girl and some elves. The child in all of us loves crazy films, and this is the kingpin of Jerry Lewis-ish comedies. Watch for a sidebending scene where Ernest pilots Santa's sleigh, and another where flying reindeer harass airport freight workers.

It's a Wonderful Life, but I hope that this semester ends quickly. Was there arty doubt that this movie would be listed among the ranks of great holiday entertainment? (If you said "yes," shoot yourself). Watching this movie is like listening to your Grandpa tell stories about the Great Depression and how he once ate a tractor tire whole. All in all, a wonderful film.

Santa Claus Versus the Martians. Martians invade Earth, but Santa and the elves fight back and win a decidedly

cheery victory. This may not be quite as stunning or believable as any other movie with a plot, but it does have Pia Zadora as an elf. A great video for parties, or to entertain small children (or pets) with, since it has the intellectual value of a UPC symbol on a Woolite bottle.

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- Trent Young

A Miracle on 34th Street. Natalie Wood drives everyone insane by claiming that Kris Kringle is going to give her a \$100,000 house in her stocking. Personally, I always believed this story suffered without Burl Ives as Santa (although Boxcar Willie would've given the role new meaning as well), but I could be wrong.

A Christmas Story. Darrin McGavin, and that kid from Real People and the "Messy-

Marvin" Nestle Quik ads, create a rousing and hilarious tale of the holiday season during the early '50s. My grandfather said that this movie "labored under a Communist ideology, since the boy never gets spanked for breaking his glasses," but my uncle who collects rocks thought it was "dang good." I must admit that watching this tale of a boy wanting a BB gun brought on a surge of painful memories, though, since I never got that Shogun Warrior action figure that shot missles and fought Godzilla that I wanted.

I'm drying my eyes - just a minute.

Scrooged. Another attempt by Bill Murray to make hellish amounts of money after the Meatballs saga. All things considered, the best parts of this movie come from Karol Kane's role as the sadmasochistic Ghost of Christmas Present, and the remake of "Put a Little Love in Your Heart" by Annie Lenox and Al Green. Richard Donner (Lethal Weapon I&II, and Romancing the Stone) could've done a better job directing, but I suppose working with Murray, Kane, Buster Poindexter and Mary-Lou Retton was just too much for any man.

White Christmas: Forget about Holiday Inn, this is the ultimate Bing Crosby Christmas film. Ignoring the great cast (Danny Kaye, Rosemary Clooney), and the Irving Ber-

lin songs ("White Christmas," "Count your Blessings") this is still a great film about love, human kindness and winter sports in Vermont.

Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer. Probably more so than any Christmas film, this claymation TV special sent children into shivers of holiday anticipation. I can remember watching this as a wee babe during the 70s and wanting to ride on Santa's sleigh and get a nose that turned red, too. The

Abominable Snowman may be a little too gruff for tots (I recall hiding behind the couch when he came on), but the rest of the video is indeed a treat.

Frosty the Snowman.
Another great cartoon full of memories, although I can never seem to remember the whole song. This one is better suited for younger kids, since it has nothing really shocking — except for when the bad guy locks Frosty in a greenhouse and he melts.

Lastly, my favorite Christmas video of all time:

The Grinch that Stole Christmas. There's something about watching a creature that resembles an iguana stealing a Christmas tree that appeals to everyone. I still almost fall out of my chair everytime I see the part where the little dog with antiers is pulling the sleigh and it runs-over him. Probably the best thing to come out of television in the last 20 years.

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son for the change in the black and white tradition is the College of Art and Architecture, which usually creates the white floats, will not be building them this year. This change brings an opportunity for a colorful change which may make Moscow Mardi Gras more festive.

"It will make everything more colorful like Mardi Gras," Hays said.

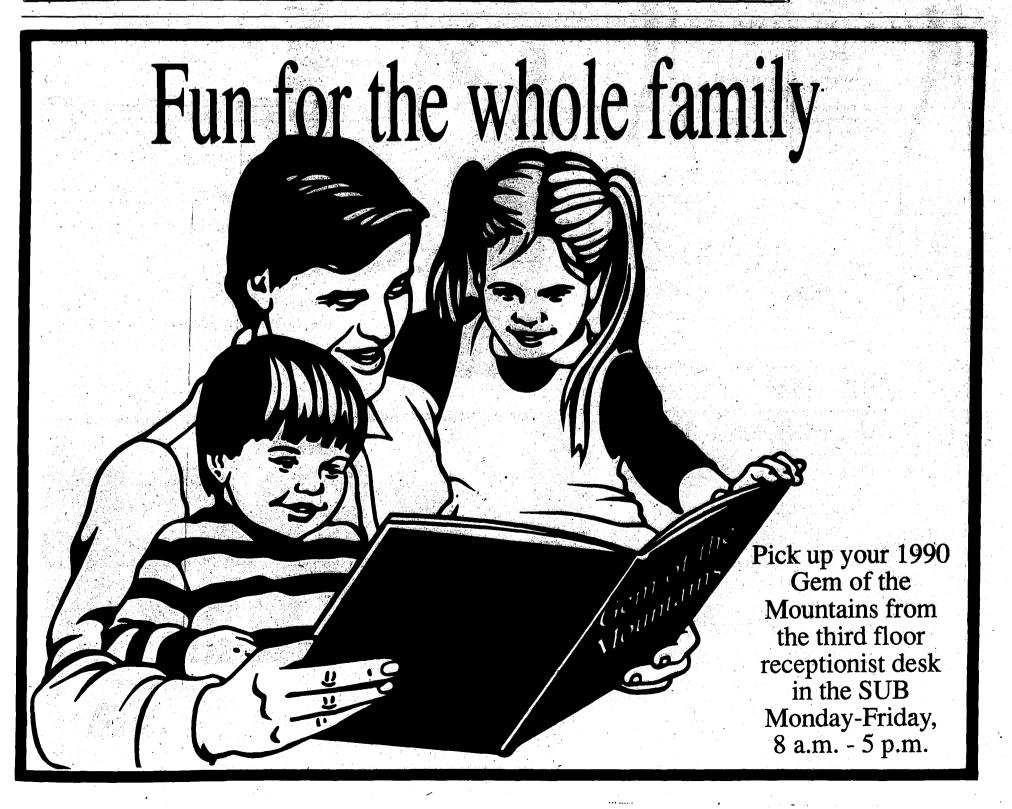
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— Johanne Hays Prichard Gellery Director

The one aspect of Mardi Gras that will remain black and white is the poster contest which invites all junior high, high school and college students to enter the competition. One winner will be chosen from each age group and the designs will be used on posters, fliers, tickets, T-shirts and decorations.

In the past, artists have drawn up designs for publicity, but the poster contest will enable students across the Palouse to show off their

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