



Congressman Larry LaRocco will hold an open meeting tomorrow in the SUB at 9:30 a.m.

SAEs admit to alcohol charges

By DOUG TAYLOR and JIM VOLLBRECHT Staff Writers

Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity has admitted to serving alcohol to rush participants on SAE property this fall, the University of Idaho announced Thursday. The fraternity is already on probation through May 1, 1992 for hazing incidents which occurred last year.

Mike Lincoln, SAE President, said that while the fraternity plead guilty to having a function in which there was alcohol and rushees present together, the SAEs did not admit to serving alcohol to rush participants.

The Intra-Fraternal Council conducted a formal investigation into the matter after hearing allegations from other greek houses. They concluded their report and turned the matter over to the IFC Tribunal which found the fraternity guilty. The council is expected to announce sanctions next week.

According to Hal Godwin, UI Vice-President for Student Affairs, the university is waiting on the tribunal's decision before it launches its own investigation into the matter.

"The IFC takes these sorts of infractions very seriously and we support their efforts and await their recommendations in this case," said Godwin. David Burns, the IFC Presi-

dent, indicated that the IFC is taking this matter very seriously. "They were barred in the last set of sanctions from violating the

IFC constitution and its bylaws again," Burns said. "Although not cast in stone, the tribunal may have no other option or recourse than to ask the SAE nationals to revoke their charter."

Mike Smole, chairman of the IFC Tribunal, echoed Burns statements about the seriousness of the matter.

"Further sanctions, including the withholding of IFC recognition and requesting closure of the chapter, are under consideration," said Smole.

Jim Pilcher, the head of the alumni board of control for the local SAE chapter, declined comment except to reiterate the fact that the IFC Tribunal is deciding sanctions at the current time.

Lincoln said that the SAE's tried to work with the IFC.

'Rather than hurting the house by pulling the charter, we gave the IFC suggestions that might help the house and put the house in the right direction," said Lincoln.

Lincoln added that the local chapter has the support of the SAE nationals, and that they are the only body that can pull their charter.



Senator Larry Craig responded to questions at UI Wednesday afternoon. Students drilled Craig with questions concerning environmental issues. (Anne Drobish PHOTO)

Residents form crime watch group

By ALISA STOFFEL Staff Writer

Monday evening, Latah County Sheriff's Deputy Gina Morris met with tenants, mobile home dwellers and businesses to discuss a neigh-

turn on lights. These types of preventative measures lower the risk of robbery and vandalism.

"Most of the crimes you are being subjected to are crimes of opportunity. When you start taking the opportunity going away, the crimes are start going down," Morris said.

cultural differences.

The first step is sitting down and talking to neighbors about where to start. Meetings are usually held in one home with one person as a host. The host position can be elected for a period of

during visit to UI campus law is causing controversy over ideas and attitudes

Craig answers questions

about public lands. Arctic National Wildlife

Students in the audience questioned Craig about the Refuge (ANWR) issue, which, if approved, would provide for fuel exploration in the arctic area. Craig said that the environmental impact of the area would be limited due to the size of allowed exploration. He also said that under strict Environmental Protection Agency regulations, there would be very little environmental damage. Other students asked Craig about his recent cosponsorship of a bill concerning wetlands. This bill would determine what a technical wetland is by the amount of standing water it holds during the year. Craig said that man-made wetlands (caused by contruction, etc.) would be open for use as they were created by man and, therefore, could be manipulated by man.

campus wednesday to discuss the recent controversy about mining laws.

U Larry Craig visited

the University of Idaho

By SHARI IRETON

Staff Writer

nited States Senator

Craig, a former ASUI Student Body President, spoke to a geology class about the Mining Law of 1872, which gives access to mine on public lands. Congress has debated changing the law for environmental reasons.

The Mining Law of 1872 is one of the last western development laws, Craig said, and consists of many public policies of the time. He said the law basically states if a claim is staked on public lands and a monetary profit can become of it, the individual can preserve the right of discovery.

"I would to prefer to leave the law alone," said Craig.

Craig also said that the

borhood watch program.

The section between 3rd to 6th streets and Jackson to the railroad has the highest crime rate in Moscow. People from that area are considering a block watch program to help solve some of the problems. Essentially, neighbors become 'thy brother's keeper' and help look out for each other.

"What makes neighborhood watch work is the fact that the neighborhood assumes an identity," said Morris. Everyone gets to know the patterns of their neighbors and can recognize when something is out of the ordinary. Neighbors also develop a support system to protect property of vacationing neighbors. If one member is leaving for the weekend, he or she can ask others to park a car in front of the house and

According to Sarah Tingley, the meeting organizer, a lot of burglaries and property thefts have occured due to poor lighting and heavy traffic.

Businesses in the area are also affected. Tim Cowin, owner of Tim Cowin Photographic, has suffered property damage. "I have had my store windows broken out several times," Cowin said.

To maximize resources (people, time, ect.), business owners and residents must work together and focus on their goals.

"You need to blend together to find what you both need and want," Morris said.

The meetings are flexible and give people time to break down language barriers and

time or rotated among members.

By effectively organizing, a neighborhood will need to call the police less often. In essence, the police become 'the neighbors down the street.' A decrease in the need for the police will be matched by an increase of security from the block watch.

The police are basically a reactive organization; they are called after a crime is committed. That role is beginning to change as officers are being trained in preventive measures. Police are taking on a more proactive approach in order to prevent crime. This change requires a change in training, and is a specialized field. Right now, Deputy Morris is the only full-time com-

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NEWS

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TOMORROW'S NEWS •

T—SHIRT DESIGN CONTEST. Ad Club is sponsoring a t-shirt design contest for the Boise State football game. Drop your design off at the Communication building in the Ad Club box by Oct. 30. The winner receives \$2599 mead

EXPLORING GLOBAL ISSUES. The last of the series on global issues will focus on Global Communications and Electronic Media. Alex Tan, director of WSU Edward R. Murrow School of Communication will moderate a panel of journalists and researchers from a variety of cultures to explore the effect of broadcast media on national and global identities. Those interested meet in the Gold room Tuesday, Oct. 15 at 7:30 p.m.

R.A.A.C.E. Recognizing African-American Concerns for Education will meet Tuesday, Oct. 15 at 7:30 in the SUB. For more information contact Kasey Dunn at 883-3809.

THE VISION OF RACE UNITY. A public forum focusing on the problem of racism and the role of education and awareness will be held Saturday, Oct. 12 at 7 p.m. Sponsored by the Baha'is of Moscow, the forum will be held at the Eggan Youth Center at Mountain View Dr. and D Street in Moscow.

HUMAN RIGHTS IN SOUTH ASIA. Mr. Subhash Chandra Birla, an advocate of the Supreme Court of India will speak Monday, Oct. 14 at 3:30 p.m. in UCC 112.

MUSIC OF MOZART. A faculty recital will be held as part of the Mozart celebration in the Lionel Hampton School of Music recital hall Monday, Oct. 14 at 8 p.m. The concert is free and open to the public.

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BACK PORCH BLUES. Concert starts at 8:30 p.m. in the SUB Ballroom. Tickets are available through ticket express in the SUB or call 885-7212.

SENIOR PICTURES. All seniors come to the Vandal Lounge to get your picture taken for the yearbook.

CAMPUS CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP. Those interested meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Appaloosa room.



Senate funds new KUOI book

Staff Writer

KUOI-FM now has the ability to look up and define F.C.C. rules and regulations, and can quite probably avoid potential fines in the future. The ASUI senate has granted the station the money to order the rule books and updates that will enable them to all F.C.C. guidelines. This decision, which resulted in the passing of Senate Bill #210, would replace the FCC rulebooks in use, which date back to 15 years ago.

Other news from the Oct. 9 ASUI Senate meeting involved a debate on whether or not to limit ASUI senators to three terms. As of now, ASUI Senators are able to serve for an infinite number of terms. Senate Bill #207 was introduced in an effort to increase student participation in the ASUI Senate. The main argument presented was that there are only 13 Senate seats available to almost 10,000 students and having an indefinite term was unfair to the rest of the student body. Other Senators, chiefly Sen. Allison Lindholm, argued that it is not right to terminate those who are doing a good job, no matter how long they have served. The bill ultimately failed to pass.

Another bill that sparked debate was Senate Bill #188 which opted to raise the salary of up to five Election Board members from \$25 to \$40 for the upcoming ASUI Fall General Election. Sen. Charles D'Alessio felt that the five board members should receive at least as much as the people that they are supervising. Also he explained there are special circumstances, namely these people would be working 20 hours in a 24 hour day. Other arguments, however, pointed out that members of other boards do not receive compensation for their time and they equally work a minimum of 20 hours in a semester. The bill was passed.

Senate Bill #197, which would establish an emergency fund for students who lose their belongings to fire or other natural disasters, was withdrawn. Senator Bill

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UI minority population rises

By LANE GRACIANO Staff Writer

As of Sept. 5, this year's total fall semester enrollment on the UI campus was 9,492 students. Of that number, 454 are minority students. That modest number constitutes a substantial 20.74 percent increase in minority student enrollment over the last semester.

The largest influx increase was accomplished by Hispanic students, with a 40 percent rise in their number, while 20 percent upped the Native American student population. The number of African Americans and Asian Americans on campus climbed by 9 percent and 19 percent respectively.

Part of the minority student increase can be traced to the efforts of Ben Coronado; UI's assistant director of New Student Services. Coronado recruits high school seniors around the country from as far away as Alaska, Montana and Southern California.

"I go out and visit with students," he said, "let them know what's going on at the UI and bring them here. I try to make their transitions from their own cities to Idaho a little more comforting, having seen me in their schools and seeing me very much involved in activities here on campus."

Last spring Coronado's duties were expanded to coordinating on-campus retention programs, another major factor responsible for the enrollment rise. "We don't want to overplay recruitment," said Coronado. "Recruitment and retention go hand in hand."

Agreed Bruce Pittman, dean of Student Advisory Services, "Part of our enrollment increase is directly attributed to people being successful here as much as it is that we are being successful in bringing people here."

in bringing people here." Overall, the population of returning enrollees this semester rose by 5.4 percent to 6,394 students.

According to Pittman, the university has created more minority student scholarship resources, which contribute to the success of its recruitment-retention package.

"Through retention programs we are working in conjunction with Washington Water Power and with student organizations to try to provide more coherent services for minority students on campus," said Pittman.

Providing those services falls under the list of duties and goals of UI Minority Student Advisor Dianne Allen. Although new at her position this year, Allen became a major driving force behind the formation of the stu-

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--- Ben Coronado Asst. Dir. New Student Services

dent association RAACE (Recognizing African-American Concerns in Education). According to Allen, their increase in number does not necessarily equate a louder minority student voice in the university; rather, "it's the attitude or climate around the campus that affects their representation more," said Allen. "The university has made strong commitments to diversity."

Coronado is presently submitting long-term plans to UI Vice President Hal Godwin on mentoring programs, a student-peer and faculty-student project dealing with academic and nonacademic assistance.



UI student seeks city council spot

By KELLY TYNON Staff Writer

Former ASUI President Tina Kagi has announced her candidacy for the Moscow City Council. She is the only student running.

Kagi is a political science major and plans to enter the UI Law School next fall. She served as the ASUI President in the 1988-89 school year.

"My main focus is the housing issue," said Kagi. She advocates solutions to Moscow's shortage of low and middle-income housing. "I support incentives for landlords to rehabilitate old houses. We should be staying one step ahead of our housing needs," said Kagi.

Kagi would also like to see increased interaction between students and the community.

"Most students don't feel a part of the city of Moscow, they feel a part of where they come from," said Kagi. "My goal is cooperative relations with UI students and the Moscow community."

Kagi would like to implement student volunteer programs within the community.

The students take all they can for nine months and don't give

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anything back," said Kagi. How-ever, she said, "I've noticed that basically all you need to do is ask and the students will help."

Another issue important to Kagi is bicycle safety. "There is a real need for the city to provide bicycle and pedestrian saftey campaigns." As Kagi was handing in her petition for candidacy, she saw a person on a bike get hit by a car, proving her point.

Kagi has lived in Moscow for five years, and plans to live here after graduation from law school. She has participated in many community activites and organizations, including the United Way Board of Directors, the League of Women Voters, the National Organization for

*Glass shelving

Women, the Latah County Housing Task Force, and local voter registration drives. She also gained experience working as a liason for the Spokane City Council while still in high school.

Kagi was encouraged to run for the city council by current Councilman Bill Voxman. The recent fire at the Zepher Apartments helped finalize her decision to run with a strong position on housing.

In an effort to get more students involved, Kagi will provide a car pool on election day to the 4-H building, where the polls are located.

The last date to register to vote in Latah County is October 25. Election day is November 5.

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Environmental candidate running for city council

Fri – Sat

By SHARI IRETON Staff Writer

Environmentally and community aware candidates running for the Moscow City Council election felt it was time to give a little more to the community of Moscow.

Pam Palmer, the first announced candidate, has already been previously involved with several community services in the past and has many plans for improving the local quality of life .

"I am not a single issue per-

son," said Palmer. "That's part of my strength as a candidate."

Palmer supports the payper-can proposal that may soon be reality and the reduction of solid waste in general.

"Moscow can be a leader in sound waste management by implementing a comprehensive waste reduction program," she said. By educating the public about composting, precycling and recycling, she hopes to reduce the amount of

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PINION

Edited by Larry Olsen Opinion Desk - 208-7715

Men vs. Women: Let's find a solution

Oh! Excuse me for being such a sexist pig, but I was only speaking my mind. That's right, I almost forget if you're a man and give an opinion these days, you're either sexist or just some sort of evil mutant creature.

I know by writing this small literary work that I will probably upset 99 percent of the female population, but something in the way men and women deal with each other has been troubling me lately. There seems to be a lot of anger and hostility between the two genders and I don't quite understand it.

Who knows? Maybe I'm reaching for something that isn't there, but something in the pit of my stomach tells me that there is.

I see and hear it everyday. Women complaining that men are cheats and liars. That we don't understand the challenges which face them. Insisting we think with merely our loins. We must be sensitive, yet masculine. Men are no different, they speak the same sort of trash. If woman doesn't "put out" she is labeled a bitch, or cold. Then when the rumors fly she is a whore or a slut. How can you like her? She's fat.

I'm not going to lie. I've been guilty of these same indiscretions in the past. A woman turns me down for a date and I call her these types of names. I take it personally and badmouth her to myself or my friends. I realize, after nearly 23 years of living on this earth, this sort of bitterness wastes energy and is unhealthy. I also must learn to be man enough to walk away when my male friends are speaking of the escapades of various women.

But women too must throw away the bitterness that many of them have locked away inside. Communication, or lack thereof, is the root of tension. Women and men must learn to really talk and listen to each other. Petty things such as changing the English language to fit gender insecurities are both needless and unnecessary. I mean listen to feelings and learn to care for one another a little more.

Women, when a man has the fortitude to give you an honest opinion, stand there and listen, don't walk away in a huff. Maybe men are a little aggressive and obnoxious in their approach, but that speaks of their insecurities. Both men and women hold similar insecurities.

Men, when a woman has the fortitude to tell you that you are indeed being a

chauvinist pig, stand and listen. Drop the ego and brush the chip off your shoulder. People spend too much time walking away. Maybe that's why we have a 50 percent divorce rate in this country.

I'm not going to be silly enough to suggest that women have never been suppressed. They weren't allowed to vote until 1920, and after toiling in the factories while the boys were off fighting World War II, they lost their jobs and identities when the men returned home. And women still make 30 percent less than men in the workplace.

But whether women and men want to admit it or not, we all need each other. Every person has a gift to be shared with one another. Yes, we have fundamental differences. Thank God we have separate locker rooms, but we all have similar wants. The want to be loved, desired, respected and understood. This I know to be true. As two groups we make a complex puzzle. Until we understand that, we're traveling in circles.

- Chris Gatewood

• LETTERS TO THE EDITOR •

Let's not legalize pot

Editor;

"Legalize pot? Why? Why not." Let's think about that. Of course people are going to use drugs but just suppose our government decided to adopt your suggested passive attitude for other issues? Oh well, we know that people are going to murder steal and rape so why not legalize everything and minimize the frustration? Obviously this is a ridiculous argument.

The American educational system may be on the decline but

would the legalization of marijuana really benifit our educators? Drugs in school have already proven themselves a hinderance, do our schools need more of the same? Marijuana is a mind altering drug, meaning it changes the way we think, feel and act under its influence. Doesn't it make sense that if it were legalized, education would only be made more difficult? In this great country we call the

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well, NOW, I THINK IT'S time we DID A Sequel BITTLE IN- THE HOWS AND ORACHER . LATS

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to think about forests 1 me 1s now

Maybe there was a time in the history of the United States when mowing down vast tracts of timber was a necessary condition for national development. And perhaps, once-upon-a time, people actually believed the resources of the American West were unlimited.

And maybe, just maybe, peo-ple really used to think that as one forest was chainsawed into a graveyard of stumps, another one full of majestic firs and towering pines would magically spring up just over the next hill.

Those days are over. With the heated debate about preservation of old growth timber and the fate of the northern spotted owl, a critical point has been reached --maybe surpassed. What we have on our hands is an ecological civil war

A line has been drawn in the

sand. Standing on one side are business interests intent on promoting economic concerns over ecological needs. The pursuit of the almighty dollar, which is not always a bad thing, often takes precedence with these peo-



ple. They see greenbacks intermingled with stands of old growth Douglas-fir.

On the other side are individuals and organizations that look at the sad condition of much of our public land, the silted streambeds, the cut-over forests and the degraded rangelands, and say "Enough!'

Supporters of business interests and the timber industry are prisoners of their pocketbooks. It should be expected that loggers are vocal proponents of further exploitation of America's natural resources. After all, their economic future is at stake.

Still, anyone who would deliberately annihilate a species of animal, such as the spotted owl, for what may be just a few more years of economic comfort deserves neither respect nor sympathy. Self-interest is one thing; blind greed is another.

Environmentalists, on the other hand, are prisoners of conscience. They are people who look beyond immediate economic gratification and see the

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• LETTERS TO THE EDITOR •

Time to let positive change happen

Editor;

Awareness can be achieved if the information about a subject is heard, then understood. Three cheers to Meyla Bianco and her report of the multiple uses of hemp. The Assasin of Youth of the 1930's may be an economic and ecological savior of the 1990's. Science has done its part in showing us what can be done, now its up to us, the people of the planet to decide on how to put this information to work. Possibly the devil will delight with glee as we clean up our world from deathly pollution, oh God, imagine such a solution. I wrote a

paper once on the legalization of marijuana in an English 104 class, but my teacher said the idea was "pie in the sky." Thanks. As long as people refuse to listen to new ideas because of irrational mental blocks restricting the flow of reason, we live in ignorace. The situation reminds me of an overweight heart patient consuming jelly doughnuts while running up to a convenience store to purchase filterless Pall Malls. That person is stupid. We are stupid. We have the possibility to partially halt our planet's destruction from deforestation and air pollution yet we remain

convicted of stubbornness in cells constructed of handed-down notions regarding the devil's weed. Perhaps we can make parole by at least realistically listening to science's results. The powers that be (our economic ruling oligarchy) have determined that enlightenment is harmful to their health so we continue to live and breathe in a cloud of misinformation which is becoming increasingly toxic. As long as Mr. Money can comfortably afford his fifth car, etc., the problems of the world are oblivious to his appe-

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Check-bouncing not important

Editor;

I am so happy that Mr. Rock chose such a vital piece of information to focus on especially since it is obvious that check bouncing (Arg, Oct, 8) is such an important issue. I feel good that he is able to research deep into the heart of matters pertaining to U.S. government and their mistakes.

days,

That's a bunch of crap. People all over America bounce checks. Does that mean they should lose their jobs or better yet, not even get hired for jobs. Mr. Rock, who cares about Stallings' mistakes. Why don't you report on something worth while and add something positive to the scene for once.

-Charles D'Alessio



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intrinsic value in *not* harvesting stands of old growth timber. They see the virtue of maintaining a diversity of species, if for no other reason than to preserve the animals for the aesthetic enjoyment of future generations.

"Extinction is forever" may be a tired cliche, but it is also a statement of fact. However much hardship may be involved, logging families can move elsewhere and adapt to new situations. New job skills can be learned, and new doors of opportunity can be opened.

Not so for endangered species. Animals are completely dependent upon their habitats; once their habitat disappears, so do they. They cannot pack up and make a go of it elsewhere. When their habitat is gone, these animals will be memories found only in zoos and museums. Life is full of uncertainties, and

the real world can be a cold, harsh place. Loggers must learn to accept the fact that just because their fathers worked all their lives in the lumber industry is no guarantee that they will be able to do the same.

Some knowledgeable people in the timber industry have seen the handwriting on the wall and have attempted to adapt, while more stubborn individuals are content to engage in fingerpointing and name-calling. They are merely postponing the inevitable. There are two strategies environmentalists can use to win the ecological war. First, they can attempt to put some tangible monetary value on the preservation of old growth forests, thereby preempting the economic

arguments of the timber industry. It would amount to beating the industry at its own game.

Second, environmentalists can try to convince American society as a whole to shift its emphasis away from purely economic values, and place more importance in preserving old growth forests in a natural state.

In any respect, the first shots in the war for the future of the American West have been fired. The time to choose sides is now.

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US of A we have a drinking age of twenty-one because we know that young bodies and minds are more prone to addiction. What about the progression from pot to harder drugs? Even if it was "only" marijuana, how could we control its purity? After all, lacing pot with more dangerous drugs seems to be quite a common occurance.

So our country is spending millions of dollars per year on the anti-drug campaign but how many billions does it spend to

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tite. The choice is ours, should we eat stale doughnuts between drags of cancerous 'grettes, or should we digest useful information bursting with positive change? It appears now that the pastry is tasty, but for how long?

develop nuclear weapons or the

space program? It seems to me

that the money could not be used

in a more beneficial manner. The

money we'd save now to try to

prevent drug abuse would surely

be spent later to mend the end

family counseling, and even wel-

fare (how many drug addicts do

you know that can earn a decent

living?). You're right, society

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-Kristin Greig

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Good Luck!





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Sports

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UI awaits air show with Weber

By TOM BITHELL Senior Staff Writer

After losing the last two games at home, the Vandals will try to turn things around on the road this Saturday at Weber State University.

Idaho (3-2, 1-1) will face the Big Sky Conference leading Wildcats (4-1, 3-0) at Wildcat Stadium in Ogden, Utah in what could end up being an offensive shootout.

"I really think it doesn't matter to those guys if we get into a situation where it's a horserace to see whose going to win," Idaho Coach John L. Smith said. "I think they like that kind of deal. They have a lot of confidence in their offense."

WSU Head Coach Dave Arslanian confirmed Smith's suspicions.

"I think we have a good level of confidence in our offense regardless of who we are playing," Arslanian said.

Weber State is Smith's Alma Mater, and Arslanian his former college roomate and teammate. Perhaps that is why both teams operate similarly.

[•] The Wildcats run an offense that mirrors that of the Vandals. While Idaho has the Big Sky's best receiver in Kasey Dunn, WSU has the best quarterback in All-American Jamie Martin, a junior.

Martin leads the Big Sky in total offense ahead of Doug Nussmeier, while WSU leads in team total offense.

Smith has a great deal of respect for Martin and the Wild-cat offense.

"I think Jamie Martin is the best quarterback we've played, and also he might be the best I've seen in the league since John Friez," Smith said.

Martin has some talented receivers to go to in Alfred Pupunu and Dave Hall. Pupunu is second in the Big Sky in receiving behind Dunn, and Hall is fourth.



Jamie Martin leads a potent Weber State offense

But the Wildcat's offense isn't limited to just passing. They can run the ball too.

WSU running back Geoff Mitchell is averaging 110 yards a game. Last weekend against Montana State he rushed for five touchdowns.

"It's probably the best offense we've seen so far from the stand-

point of yardage and being able to put points on the board," Smith said.

Last year when the two teams met in the Kibbie Dome, they

combined for 1,012 yards of total offense in a, 37-27, Idaho win. This years battle could end up the same.

The only thing stopping the scoring at Weber State games this season has been the clock. And that includes WSU's opponents too. The Wildcats are dead last in the Big Sky total defense.

An example why: On Sept. 28, in Ogden, WSU held on to defeat Eastern Washington University in a scoring fest, 63-59.

"We've got to play better

Defense all around," Arslanian said. "We have to cover better, tackle better, and line up better. We've had some big plays result against us because of that."

(WEBER STATE PHOTO)

After playing against the league's second best defense and the nation's number one ranked Division I-AA team in Nevada last week, it could be just what Idaho needs.

"Defensively they're giving up a lot," Smith said. "They're giving up a lot on the run, and Please see **VANDALS** page **9**≻

CHRIS GATEWOOD

Hot Dogs Food for thought

Halftime of the University of Idaho football game vs. Nevada. The Vandals are leading 23-10 and things are looking pretty good. Hell, I'm feeling pretty good.

Usually about halftime is when I start to get pretty hungry. They serve hot dogs on press row, but I can't wait for them to get down there. When I get hungry, just please keep all limbs away from my mouth.

I head upstairs to the grill where the hot dogs are lazily rolling around. If it's one thing I've learned — if you want something, go get it.

I'm eating my hot dog and I notice a gentlemen in a Washington Redskins sweater, who also happens to be enjoying a hot dog. I want to speak to this person very much, so with the same ferociousness in which I attacked the hot dog, I approach this gentlemen.

The man's name is Gene Bates and he is indeed a scout for the Redskins. He is from Clarkston, Wash., and has been working for the Redskins for 13 years.

"Hot dogs — the steak of the scouts," explains Bates as he takes another bite form the mustard-laden meat.

Yes, it would make sense. Being a scout doesn't allow for too many trips to the steakhouse. Who has time to dine on sirloin when you spend 200-plus days a year on the road scouting for the player that might someday make or break the furture of his team.

Bates could probably write a handbook on the finer points of hotels throughout this great land of ours.

"I spend more time than anything watching films," Bates said. "I probably watch 30 hours of film a week on various players. I'm all over the West Coast. I know that next week I'll be in California after that who

Vandal hoops open with Midnight Madness

By SEV HOINESS Staff Writer

The dunkfest at last year's Midtight Madness pumped Vandal season on a positive note for the community and students," commented the Vandal's head coach Larry Eustachy. The remaining activity is campus-related and consists of fraternities, sororities, and dorfraternity and Pi Beta Phi sorority. The three part competition involves a rapid shooting portion, mens/womens dunk, and

fans adrenalin at a fevered rate, but this year's *Midnight with the Vandals*, which is scheduled to begin Monday evening at 11 p.m., is potentially so intense, it may change your political views.

Last year onlookers were awed by Otis Mixon's Jordan-like rim crushers as he easily defeated a talented field of hoop wizards.

This year Mixon will face stiff competition coming in the form of newcomer Chauncey McBride and redshirt basketball player Orlando Lightfoot. Senior Terrell Malone might have had the best chance to dethrone Mixon, but is more than likely sitting this one out.

"I've got the new 1991, cuff power slam for you all!" announced Lightfoot. Although Mixon may be favored, a little inner-squad rivalry will make dunkfest '91 a bit more interesting.

"I think it (Midnight with the Vandals) is more for the fans than the coaches. It's a way to start the Acrobatic dunks and a peek at the '91 Vandals is only the tip of the iceberg. To begin, at the entrance to Memorial Gym, Wild Pizza will be serving pop and pizza free of charge. Please no food or drink in the gym.

Upon entering, students will receive a raffle ticket that may or may not be good for a numbeer of prizes donated by local merchants such as TR Video, The Bon, Howard Hughes, Tri-State, and Bonanza to name a few.

Other raffle items that could be called grand prizes are a ski pass to Brundage in McCall, free passes and S30 certificates to the Greyhound Park, and a suite at the Wallace Inn near Silver Mountain.

Another scheduled event is the dash-for-cash. Two individuals are chosen via the raffle and forced to shoot three pointers. When, if they do, make a three, then they flip over halved basketballs where there might be \$50 cash.

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> Larry Eustachy Vandal Head Coach

mitories battling for bragging rights in the living group competition. The current champs and proud owners of the traveling trophy are the Delta Sigma Phi best bannner.

Although the evening centers around community and campus activities, the coaches hope to get a feel for what the team's weaknesses and strengths seem to be.

"It will give us a good indication of the kind of shape they're in (the team) and the athletic ability they have," said graduate assistant Jay McMillin.

The players have been practicing together at Memorial Gym for several weeks, but the coaches are restricted from even watching them by NCAA rules.

"It will mainly be observation from a coaching standpoint," said Eustachy. "They'll play about 20 minutes of more or less a pick-up game."

Remember, the coaches will be seeing for the first time their '91 Vandals. Their first organized practice will be Tuesday afternoon.

Doors open at 10:30 p.m., and the entire ball of wax is sponsered by Z-Fun 106. California, after that, who knows?"

Bates has a smile on his face that's contagious. Here is a man that truly enjoys his work. He wears his Redskins sweater with pride. Bates is one of only four scouts the Redskins employ.

Maybe the reason Bates is smiling is because of the class of the Redskin organization. The Red-

skins are one of the model franchises in the National Football League. They were consistent winners throughout the 1980's, winning two of three Super Bowl appearances and having a winning percentage of approximately 80 percent.

Head Coach Joe Gibbs and the rest of the Redskin organization obviously know what they are doing. So far in 1991 the Redskins have done just about everything right. They are 6-0 with three shutouts at home and appear to the best team in the league.

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Chris Taylor's leadership has been important to the Vandals. (JIM VOLLBRECHT PHOTO)

Taylor leads Vandals silently

By MATT LAWSON Editor

Commitment and hard work weren't always at the top of

Chris Taylor's list of priorities. Taylor had a celebrated high school career while lettering in basketball, football and track, but scholastic problems prevented him from taking a track scholarship at the University of Kentucky after his senior year.

As a result, Taylor, who was born and raised in Louisville, Kent., had to leave home for the first time to play football at Merced Junior College in California.

"When I first went to Califor-nia I cried like a baby," Taylor said of leaving his mother and

his older brother, who he really feels close to. "I missed them a lot and I grew up real quick."

Taylor played at Merced for two years while earning All-Conference honors and after being recruited by Memphis State, Pacific and Idaho he decided to come to Moscow.

"I was really happy with the winning tradition here and the coaching staff and players," Taylor said about his decision to play for Idaho.

Taylor redshirted his first year and caught six passes for 132 yards and a touchdown last season. Taylor also carried the ball three times for 91 yards and another score.

It was a mediocre year for the

wide receiver and at the end of the season his attitude changed.

"Chris came to me at the beginning of the season and said I would see a different Chris Taylor this year," Vandal Head Coach John L. Smith said. "He has a great attitude this and has worked hard to become a better player."

For the first time in Taylor's college career he has began to take his academics seriously along with pursuing other leadership opportunities.

Taylor is the President of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., the first traditionally black fraternity in Idaho that was chartered

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For UI football players, it's also dealing with class

This is a two-part series on Vandal time commitments By CHRISTOPHER GATEWOOD Sports Editor

Jeff Robinson, University of Idaho defensive end is sitting in the Marriot Cafeteria and looking a little tired. Of course many of the Vandal football players look

tired this year.

Robinson looks a little tired because he was up late the night before studying. Yes, studying. Contrary to popular belief, the Vandal football team does study every once in a while. Proof of this was the 2.6 grade point average the team earned last spring. But how important to the Vandal football team is doing well in the classroom?

"Academics are No. 1 at Ida-

ho," Robinson says holding up two fingers.

Actually that answer isn't too sarcastic. The Vandal football team is no different than any other team in the country. Between August and December football comes to the forefront and Vandal coach John L. Smith makes no bones about it.

"You can't help but have football become No.1 during the season," Smith said. "My job as coach is to win games. I get paid to do that. The players under-

"I look at it like a job I have to do," Robinson said. "I'm on scholarship at this school to play football and during the season I think playing sometimes becomes more important."

How can football not be more important? Being a student/ athlete is not easy to balance. Robinson only takes 12 credits during the fall semester, but he also has to deal with spending 17-20 hours a week watching films, practicing and playing the

"I was in a class and a professor was making fun of football pratice, saying how easy it was,"

Robinson said. "She said: 'Have you ever seen a football pratice? They hit a little, walk back to the huddle and then hit a little more." I'm sorry, but you can't understand college football until you've done it."

After practice Robinson is still faced with the thought of having to study. Tired, he comes home and sees the couch calling his name. Should he start now or relax a little while?

"Studying is like anything else, you have to discipline yourself to do it," Robinson said. "If I sit down on that couch and relax, it's all over. I'll admit it, there are times when I just skip studying."

But Robinson is no different than anybody else. Many students work to support themselves. There are plenty of evenings students work late into the night, come home and crawl into bed without even looking at a book.

There are also many students who are just lazy. Many who don't work spend countless hours wasting time. Smith thinks that many players actually do better under the rigorous discipline of football.

"I think with all the study tables we have many players do better under the system," Smith said. "They might think they don't, but I think some do."

"I'd like to see some sort of study done in that area," Registrar Matt Telin said.

Even during the football season offensive line coach Art Valero, who doubles as an academic coordinator, sees to it that his players stay eligible. The Vandals have study table four nights a week for all freshmen, junior college transfers and athletes that are in academic danger. Danger meaning a 2.3 gpa or below. "I think the biggest thing a player can learn is time manage-ment," Valero said. "It's so important, but some players have a hard time figuring that out." One player that does have that figured out is the other defensive end, Billy Simms, who has a 3.89 gpa in zoology, not exactly a bonchead major. "I don't think I'm that special," said Simms. "I just think I'm good at time management. You have to have a good mix. Football, school and some social life. If you don't have the mix, you're going to get all screwed up." Simms will admit that right now is when he takes a lighter load. In the spring is when he will load up and take 18 credits, as will Robinson. But Simms has a





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When this team has problems, they don't drag them through the press like most teams, they solve problems like a family.

"This team is like one big hap-py family," Bates said. "I don't mind working for this organization because they treat everybody like they are important."

And they don't just treat Bates with importance, but everybody that comes in contact with the organization. This includes the way way they deal with college players. The Redskins aren't influenced by the stigma that bigger is better. Most NFL teams struggle with the idea that you have to be from a football factory like Notre Dame or USC to play in their league. Not the Redskins.

"We don't really care where you're from," Bates said. "Big school, small school, it doesn't matter. As long as you can play the game."

Maybe that's why the Redskins have 20 players on their team from schools that are Divsion I-AA, Division II, and NAIA. The list includes three players from Big Sky schools. One of those three happens to be Mark Schlereth from UI. He is a starting guard, and the Redskins love him.

"We really make no conscious effort to recruit from the Big Sky Conference, we just think Mark is outstanding," Bates said. "It doesn't matter what school they are from. That's what our team is about. We give everyone a chance to show they can play."

That's what Bates represents, an opportunity turned success. He is a classy person, working with good people in a great organization. Isn't that what we'd all like to have in a job?

Hey! I'm still hungry, pass the mustard.

Chris Gatewood is the Argonaut Sports Editor, His column runs every Friday.

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"Gate", 4-5, 44%	"Gate", 36-17, 73%
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Montana - 14	Montana - 24
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Nevada - 45	Nevada - 41
Idaho State - 10	Idaho State - 7
Montana State - 24	Montana State - 28
Northern Arizona - 20	Northern Arizona - 27
Eastern Washington - 31	Eastern Washington - 38
Portland State - 17	Portland State - 24
Miami - 31	Miami - 28
Penn State - 24	Penn State - 24
Tennessee - 21	Tennessee - 24
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California - 28	California - 31
Oregon - 20	Oregon - 27
Georgia - 24	Georgia - 21
Mississippi - 21	Mississippi - 17

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they're giving up a lot on the pass. It's just a matter of us being able to come out and control the football and run it when we need to.'

In order for the 19th ranked Vandals to win they must control the ball, particularly in the second half. The last two weeks Idaho has had the ball for only 16:08 in the second-half compared to opponents 43:52, and has been outscored 44-0.

"The main thing is to control their offense a little bit," Smith said, adding that the way to do that is to keep them off the field.

There is no doubt Idaho has the tools to score on the Wildcats. If the offensive line provides the time for Nussmeier to find his talented receivers, and the offense continues to execute in the second half, Idaho should win.

"With all the weapons that Idaho has we need to keep them off the field as much as we can," he said.

Turnovers could also play a factor in deciding who wins.

Against Northern Iowa two weeks ago Idaho turned the ball over four times. On the season the Vandals have given up four more turnovers than its opponents. WSU has taken nine away from theirs.

WSU has won four straight games with their only loss coming to Division I Air Force, 48-31. But they have yet to make the top 20 in the national polls. That is likely due to the same reason they are 3-0 in the Big Sky — their opponents thus far.

WSU has defeated Big Sky rivals Northern Arizona University, 43-38, Eastern Washington University, 63-59, and Montana State University, 36-25 - all lower-rung Big Sky teams.

A win over Idaho would go along way towards proving the Wilcats are for real and it would put them in the top 20.

WSU hasn't beat Idaho since 1987 in the Division I-AA playoffs, and the Vandals have won the last three in Ogden.



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Vandals to play Montana teams

By KATE' LYONS—HOLESTINE Staff Writer

After taking a week off from Big Sky Conference volleyball action, the Idaho Vandals are spending the weekend at home entertaining some formidable guests.

The Vandals open the weekend with the Montana State Bobcats Friday and offer their home court to the Montana Grizzlies Saturday. Both matches will begin at 7:30 p.m. in Memorial Gym.

"We have a big weekend coming up, we have the Montana schools at home," University of Idaho coach Tom Hilbert said. "It's going to be important to play good in both matches."

The Vandals' record stands 3-2 at the mid-point of the Big Sky Conference season and this weekend could be the turning point. "It'd be nice to come away with two wins," Hilbert said. "I don't like to predict, but I feel we're in

the ballpark with both teams." Montana is currently leading the Big Sky with a record of 5-0 and riding an eight game winning streak.

The Grizzlies also lead the conference team statistics with 15 kills, 13 assists 20 digs and 3 blocks per game. Adding to these outstanding file of are two players. Colleen fantz and Angie Bellinger leading the UM with 30 and 38 kills respectively over the past weekend. Jantz is an all around player at the net, posting 11 blocks for the same weekend.

Jantz and Bellinger, seniors at UM have both been chosen as the CENEX/Land O'Lakes Volleyball Player of the Week.

Nancy Wicks, a Vandal sophmore who will face Jantz at the middle blocker position this weekend was also given this award recently. Another obstacle at the net for the Grizzlies will be freshman Brittany VanHaverbeke, who leads the Vandals with 72 total blocks this season.

"To beat Montana we have to play our best," Hilbert added.

Last season, the Grizzlies defeated the UI twice. In the first match-up, the Vandals won the first game, but Montana domi-

nated the next three. In their second meeting, Montana swept the match in three games.

"Montana gets very fired up to play us every year," Hilbert said.

Montana State is ranking among the cellar dwellers in the Big Sky with a record of 1-4. Last season the Vandals split with the Bobcats in very tight matches both meetings.

Strong field set for meet

By DOUG BAUER Staff Writer

Ready and waiting for any competition to step upon the course, the University of Idaho Vandal cross country team will host the Idaho Invitational tomorrow at the ASUI golf course.

There will be plenty of teams raring and ready to compete, included among them are Washington State, Eastern Washington University, and Boise State University.

"We're still waiting for Darren (Kotsovos) to get over his stress fracture," runner Mark Olden said. "Ty (Koellman) is getting better weekly and his confidence is improving. If everything goes right we should be right up there." Koellman has been running

Koellman has been running strongly as of late for the Vandals. Last week at the Eastern Washington Invitational, he edged out Olden for a respectable twentieth place.

Olden himself is still in the recovery stage, however. He is still feeling pains from an achillo-bursitis injury that he incurred last spring.

"I'm feeling a lot better," Olden said. "I've got a bit of the flu, but I'm really looking forward to this weekend."

The women's race will be the first to get underway tomorrow as they begin running at 10:30 a.m. The men will start around 11:15 a.m.



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"It was a great feeling for all us knowing that we put in all the effort and got what we worked for," Taylor said. "I feel like my life is more complete now. When I focus on things other than football I am able to play football better and I'm able to be a better student."

Things have gone better for Taylor this season, but the limelight has still not found him entirely. The 5'6", 150 pound senior has caught only four passes, but his average of 19.5 yards per catch is top among all Idaho receivers.

"Eventually everyone is going to have a big game, but I can't concentrate on that," Taylor said. "I need to focus on getting better the same.' Taylor also ran a blocked punt

back for a touchdown against Montana State, but he doesn't look at that play as the highlight of his career.

"The greatest feeling I've had was last year traveling back East to play Georgia Southern in the playoffs," Taylor said. "We felt like we deserved to win that game (Idaho lost 28-27) and in my mind we are still number one in the nation and we can still prove it."

Taylor has always been a favorite amongst his teammates for his carefree attitude and willingness to help the younger players in learning the system.

"He's really a great motivator," Vandal wide receiver Yo Murphy said. "He works his butt off and gets other people excited

by the way he works."

Taylor hopes to be a lawyer someday and even has a dream to eventually be the Mayor of Louisville.

"He may not be having the best of days, but he always pushes us to do better," Idaho receiver Walter Saunders said.

But Taylor is used to dealing with adversity which makes his perspective on life today all that much better.

"I am just glad that I am a part of this program," Taylor said. "I just want to be remembered as a player who was loyal to his coaches and teammates and who was a hard worker and a leader."

No matter how long the memories of Chris Taylor last, this athlete has made his mark at the University of Idaho in more ways than one.

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problem that is unique among the players. Being a pre-med major means that he has to take plenty of labs. Many of these are in the afternoon, right in the middle of football practice. He takes a parasitology lab at Washington State University along with guard Chris Schneider. The coaches make allowances for their absences at practice.

"If a player has to miss some of football practice to go to a lab, then that's what has to be done," Valero said. "The most important thing our players do is graduate."

Many players have trouble getting classes, similar to the problem Simms has getting labs. Players are advised not to take classes

after 1:30 p.m. and that presents a problem for the older players who need certain classes to graduate.

"We definitely have a problem with enough classes to go around," Telin said. "I see the day when we will to go to a lot of night school classes, similar to what Boise State does."

The bottom line is that football players are much like general students, some are good students, some are bad. A 1991 study done by the Chronicle of Higher Education on athletes stated that 33.3 percent of football players graduated within five years compared to 31.3 percent of general students here at UI.

"The dumb athlete is a myth," Valero said.



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Corda discovers future mate had royal connections in past life

By STEVE CORDA Asst. News Editor

G lenda Marie Rock III sits on the metal of the set of Do I believe her?

I believe she believes it. Just like I believe the St. Jude medal around my neck gives me good luck, and Wade Boggs believes that eating chicken before a game helps him hit home runs. If you have enough faith in some-thing, then it's true. These things have as much power as people give them, and everyone has the right to have their beliefs heard.

In this life, Glenda Marie Rock is, for want of a better in this life, Glenda Marie Rock is, for want of a better word, a psychic. She is also a healer, a writer, a certified counselor, and expert in past life regression. During a past life regression, the client achieves an altered state during which they "access their own past." Ms. Rock and her client try to find an experience that can help them colve problems in their life. solve problems in their life

I met with Glenda for an interview and over an hour

and a half long psychic session. She explained her spiritual beliefs as revolving around a cycle that includes reincarnation. According to Ms. Rock, the goal of existence is "cosmogenesis." Cosmogene-sis is "the continual refinement and rarification of the

sis is "the continual refinement and rarification of the human being into a work in progress." At the beginning/end of the cycle we exist in a state where "we are as we are in God and we are consciously perfect." Then the spirit moves on to "the physical realm, where we are consciously imperfect." The step which completes and begins the cycle is one where the human being becomes "self-consciously perfect." "We all have guides," she explained. She describes them as "angel beings" who are perhaps waiting to come back to the physical plane. She consults her guides and invites the client's guides to participate if they wish. The client then tells Glenda a list of things they wish to discuss.

to discuss

As she closed her eyes to zero in on my energies and any guides, which may have been present, I remember feeling as though the air I was breathing was crackling with some kind of electricity. I don't know whether it was the effects of the incense in her living room, some kind of parlor trick, or maybe even a genuine charge of some energy I don't understand, but I could sense a defi-tion physical chapter as the horsen

some energy I don't understand, but I could sense a dem-nite physical change as she began. The first part of the session had me a little skeptical. She told me that I would be successful in my career and would travel the world. I had known my future wife in a previous life, and when I knew her she was a ruler of some kind. She was also tall, beautiful and exotic. I will be struck when I worth her and we will have a lowing be struck when I meet her, and we will have a loving, challenging relationship. So, in other words, I will have a great job, a beautiful wife, and live happily ever after. great job, a STANDARD.

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Moscow gets a dose of the blues

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By PATTI CROW Contributing Writer

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he band Back Porch Blues. They have been called the "best new blues band" by the Cascade Blues Association, who recognized their musicianship with a Muddy (Waters) Award in 1989, one short year after their first public perfor-mance in August 1988. Since that time, the pow-

erful recordings and perfor-mances from this Portlandbased band have received national acclaim from audiences and critics alike. Down Home, their debut album, is, according to Two Louic's Magazine, "an appeal-ing record with a fine blend

According to Peter Basoa, local concert promoter and personal friend of band member and ex-Moscovite Jeffrey "Sweet Lips" Dawkins, "he (Dawkins) likes to come back to Mos-cow because its a hometown for him, and its a great audience." In fact, Dawkins "used to be a a local disk jockey" on KUID's Radio Free Moscow program,

and he has also been on Basoa's KUOI radio show. Dawkins and Basoa knew each other, first, as kids in the Bronx, where they "hung out" together at a

book and record store called The Spinning Disk. Several years later in Moscow, Idaho, they continued to be friends, and Dawkins played in a guitar and harmonica duo. "He also did some synthesized music with a violinist," Basoa said. "but he now sticks to the harmonica."

Basoa said that the group feels "like (they are) a solic unit, (they have) an unpresolid tentious and friendly sound, with very strong individuals (who have) gained their strengths from experiences in their lives." Indeed, Back Porch Blues

Broadway "circus" tumbles into Pullman

By KATE McLAUGHLIN Contributing Writer

Who says that you have to be in New York to see a Broadway musical? A 8 P.M. tonight, at the Bea-sley Coliseum in Pullman, a Broadway musical? At Festival Dance and Performing Arts is sponsoring the

touring musical Barnum. Barnum is part of Festival Dance's Great Performances series, and proves to be like nothing else produced on the Palouse. Joann Muneta, Executive Director of Festival Dance, summed up the rea-son for bringing the com-pany to the area: "The intention was to bring a show that hadn't been done in the area before and one that was colorful and upbeat."

Barnum is the story of the greatest shownan on earth, P.T. Barnum, and the development of his famous circus. The show (and the life of Barnum) are described by an insider as being "filled with more ups and down than the man on the flying trapeze, more fantastic characters than Ripley's Believe it or Not, and more colors than

a crazy quilt." This show was named the Best Musical of 1980, and garnered three Tony Awards. It's a circus within a Broad-way musical. There will be live circus acts going on in the lobby, such as Bruce Block who holds the record for balancing boxes on his chin. Probably a sight worth the price of admission in itself.

Tickets can be purchased at the Beasley Coliseum and Depot in Pullman, Cava-naugh's in Moscow, Albertson's in Lewiston, or by phone at 1-800-325-SEAT.

Ticket prices are \$25 for the first seven rows, \$20 for the center sections, and \$12 or \$16 for the upper (student) sections

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know what they are singing

and playing about. The band is composed of Dawkins; vocalist Sheila Wilcoxson; Whit Draper, a bass and guitar player whom Taj Mahal has said is "a very good player"; and Jon Wei, (also a bass and guitar) who has been noted for his dynamic playing in songs that are featured in

the band's performances. The concert will start at 8:30 P.M. tonight in the SUB Ballroom. Tickets are wailable at Ticket Express. UI Students are admitted free with LD., while the general public admission price is 55. Don't miss Back Porch Blues!



Serry, but the names of the clowns weren't avail-

LIVING WITH MEN By Heidi Kenyon

PART TWO: LAUNDRY DAY

Just so you remember, I live with two men. Their names are not Jake and Danny, but we're pretending. Jake is my ball and chain; Danny lives in the other bedroom.

Laundry Day is something I have come to regret. Not that the boys and I are organized or effective planners or anything; no, Laundry is simply a euphimism for the Day of the Last Pair of Underwear. The boys are used to being bachelors. One of the keys to bachelorhood (or so I gather) is having plenty pairs of underwear. If you have thirty (that's ten packages, as Haines go) pairs, then you only have to do laundry once a month. I, however, am not as practiced at being a bachelorette. I do not have thirty pairs of underwear, therefore, I always run out first. Guess what that means?

We used to have a washing machine. Correction: we do have a washing machine. Right there in the hall closet, behind the fold-out doors designed to pretend there aren't a washer and dryer behind them, are, indeed, a washer and dryer. They are army green. I'm sure this fact has nothing to do with their performance.

Whether by coincidence or not, however, the washer emits sounds similar to those of a dying pterodactyl (hypothetically speaking) when it enters its wash cycle. The dryer is not so outspoken. It merely nurses its broken element in sullen silence, and takes three hours to dry a pair of jeans. I also have it under suspicion of sock theft, although no conclusive evidence has arisen (the argyle, I suppose, could have made into last night's dinner instead).

So we go to the laundromat. Ever been to a laundromat? No, no, feel free to cringe, I won't look. All those stories about people meeting, falling in love, dancing in laundromats ... makes you wonder, doesn't it? Am I the only person who spills her detergent, drops all her quarters, overloads the washing machine, and remembers much too late (with horror) various embarassing stains? Please have the courtesy not to tell me, if I am.

My views on the necessity of folding laundry are changing quickly. I usually do Jakes's and my laundry together, since it has, after all, been stinking together in the same hamper. I have always been in the habit of folding the laundry when it comes out of the dryer. Now, though, I'm not so militant about it that I jump on the clothes as soon as the buzzer goes off. I have learned that folding the clothes is part of doing the laundry.

There are those of us, however, who do not seem to think so, like Jake for instance. Jake sorts the laundry again after it is washed and dryed, as an alternative to folding. By sorting, I mean that he opens up all of his drawers and tosses the various articles of clothing into the receptive storage areas. If he misses, that's okay.

A shirt is just as wearable from the floor as it is from the drawer, right? Oh, and just for the record, whether his clothes have already been folded before this sorting operation takes place is not a matter of consideration. Men

l think l'd better buy some more underwear.

Action movie falls flat

Review by SEV HOINESS Staff Writer

Bang? How about more like click! Even I, an eternal optimist, that can find some kind of sick, twisted salvation for even the most putrid of films, could barely eek out a reprieval for a cinematic flop like *Ricochet*.

It's really too bad that Denzel Washington was stuck with supporting actors/actresses that were this bad, but he does the best he can with a substandard cast and an ill conceived script.

John Lithgow (Harry and the Henderson's) is not even close to portraying a believable villain. Yes, he is mean and nasty, but at the same time, laughable. Lithgow rams a steel rod through this guy's guts and I can't keep from cracking a smile. Don't get me wrong, it's hard to explain, it isn't funny, but I want to laugh at Lithgow's terrible acting.

Please see RICO page 14>





This guy found a great deal in the Argonaut Classifieds!!



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Lithgow also attempts oneliners that only the Big Oak, Arnold Schwartzenneger could get away with. Lithgow did manage to tickle my funny bone once. The prison guard asked Lithgow if he flossed and he replied,"I did, with your wife's pubic hair," too little, too late. I didn't expect a performance this poor, but Lithgow, bok-bok, lays an egg.

Washington, a police officer studying to become a lawyer, begins the film walking a deadend beat. Washington's big break comes when he shoots Lithgow in the act of killing and robbing some drug dealers. A civilian with a camcorder catches it all on film and Washington is suddenly thrust

that eventually land him in the assistant District Attorney's shoes. I believe it.

Washington's partner, Kevin Pollack, shares in his success and tags along to become a special investigator for the District Attorney's office. Pollack, unlike the other co-stars, provides a sufficient job of acting, but can't keep his head above water in this doomed plot.

The casting for Ricochet was a lost cause, but did manage to place one actor in his correct role: rapper Ice T as Washington's ghetto friend that becomes some-what of a drug lord. Ice T's oneliners at the end of the film saved some face, but at that point resurrection for this movie was out of the question.

Lithgow eventually escapes from prison, in a scene so ridiculculously unrealistic, I couldn't keep from covering my eyes and chuckling indignantly.

The revenge portion of the plot then begins and the movie drags on and on and on. The general concept of Lithgow's revenge is sound, but the director dwells on the details and Washington's dilemma, as everything he built is slowly disassembled piece by piece.

I found myself apathetic as Washington's life was crumbling and he couldn't do anything about it. Eventually Washington and Ice T get together and fight back.

Besides a few redeemable acting attempts, this film gets the "gas face."

Ricochet plays nightly at the University Four at 7:15 and 9:15.

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SHARIN Dear Karin and Kim,

Recently I was at my local supermarket doing my weekly grocery shopping when, out of nowhere, these small elf-like creatures came zooming at me with Fisher Price plastic miniature grocery carts.

These youngsters ran amok, causing many near misses with other grocery shoppers and myself. Just as I was wondering why the hell any parent would let their child have their own control over a shopping cart, I realized that these little carts were, in fact, provided by the store!

How can they be so stupid? Don't they realize someone could get hurt or worse yet, a little old lady could trip over one and break her hip?

Signed, Put a Leash on Your Kids

Dear Leash,

Karin: Why doesn't the store have a separate romper room for kids to romp in instead of terrorizing the entire store and all of the shoppers? I've seen this before and it seemed to work out fine. If not, why not leave the little brats at home?

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Karin: Bulk food is a great distraction, however, I prefer my snacks minus the grubby little fingerprints on my gummy bears. A romper room, or a babysitter, is a much better idea.

Kim: Yes, I believe leaving children at home until they are at least old enough to shop safely is a wise idea. Parents of America, keep your snot-nosed little monsters at home!

Dear Kim and Karin, Why don't women shave their legs more often? Signed, Clean Cut

Dear Clean,

• Kim: First of all, I was unaware that women were obligated to shave their legs. If ever meet the idiot who started this standard for women I'd like to make him (I'm sure it was a male's idea) drink Nair! The real question is: Why don't men shave more often? There's nothing worsc than seeing a guy with a pubic area on his face!

Karin: I agree. Facial hair is much more noticeable and twice as disgusting as hairy legs. Guys have hair on their legs, so why can't women? Don't be a hypocrite, I bet your face is stubbly right now.

Hair is natural, learn to live with it.



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waste sent to the local landfill. Palmer hopes to someday have access to downtown compost containers for food waste and maybe even a Moscow compost business.

Palmer would also like to see more of the leaf pick-up that was started last year. The program started with citizens tying pink tape around the bags of leaves so they could be separated from the regular garbage. She would be happy to see days when sanitation would pick up just leaves.

Palmer is also an advocate of improving bicycle routes and starting a regularly scheduled bus service in the local area.

One of the ways Palmer would like to improve the community is by starting an after-school enrichment program.

"It would be nice for latchkey kids," Palmer said "to do something more than go home and turn on the TV after school." She hopes to have all kinds of activities for children to do after school like art classes, sports and field trips, but

always emphasizing fun.

Palmer said that most of the programs could be paid for by the parents themselves, at a low cost, instead of raising taxes.

After the recent fire, Palmer sees a need to ensure the safety of Moscow's renters. Different groups need to get together seek solutions, she said.

Palmer is also interested in helping small businesses on the Palouse. Like the recently formed Paradise Farms Falafel, she believes we need to give assistance to businesses expand if they want to.

► PSYCHIC from page 12

Then she told me that I was turning into a weasel, and my guides wanted me to knock.

The last thing I did was give her a list of four names: Joel, Heather, Kim, and Becky. She nailed them all. She gave a per-

► CRIME from page 1

county.

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The Sheriff's Department

helps with an initial security

help with security checks.

do a security evaluation of

survey to identify problems in the neighborhood and can

"Any officer can go in and

fect description of my relationship to my brother, Joel, my girlfriend, Heather, and my high school friends, Kim and Becky. She went back to my previous lives to try to explain the reasons for some of the problems I have with these people.

We talked a while longer, and I left. I walked home, and as my Saint Jude medal thumped

your business or your home ... This is especially important for female students, who may unwittingly put themselves in danger," said Morris.

For tenants, organization in a group can give an individual more legitimate complaints with which to pressure uncooperative landlords. Problems such as poor lighting and concealing bushes can

against my chest, I thought about how some of the things Glenda Marie Rock III said she believed in matched my own beliefs.

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be brought to a landlord's attention. Landlords do have a measure of responsibility for their tenants' safety, and by lowering crime risks, landlords may be able to lower insurance rates and vandalism.

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