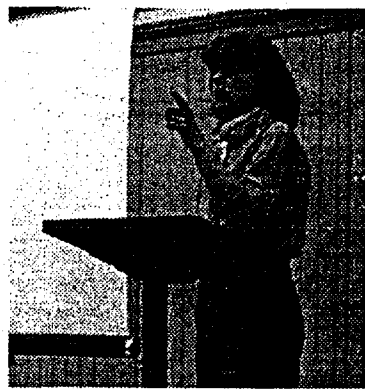


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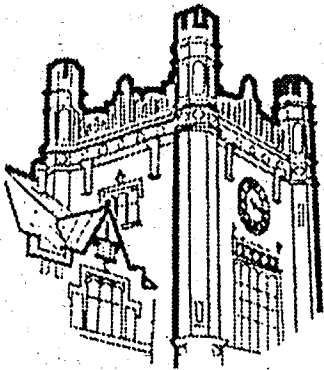
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# Student insurance mandate removed from health bill

Janet Birdsall  
Staff

A bill which would have required students in Idaho colleges and universities to purchase health insurance was amended before being passed by the Idaho House of Representatives March 14.

A provision in the bill, which dealt with health care for the medically indigent, said, "Prior to Aug. 1, 1996, the state board of education shall require all students at public institutions of higher education in Idaho to continuously maintain health insurance coverage for themselves."

ASUI Lobbyist Chris Houck and Boise State University student leaders testified before the House Health and Welfare Committee against the provision. The representatives were swayed by their testimony, said Martin Peterson, special assistant to the University of Idaho president.

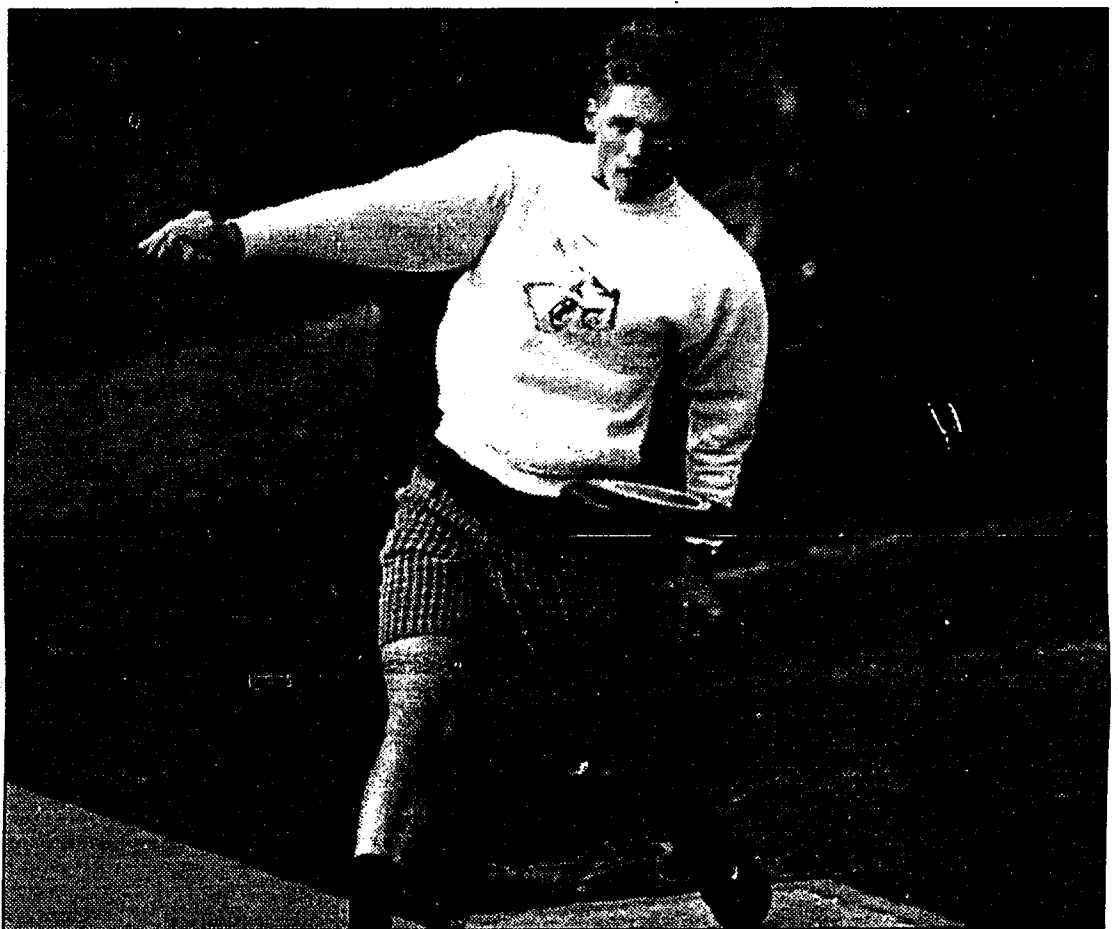
"They amended that provision out of the bill," Peterson said. "I would really give the ASUI and the ASBSU the full credit for making that happen."

Peterson said the bill was amended the day after the students' testimony, and was passed by the House the same day. The bill had originated in the Senate.

Houck returned to Moscow before the fate of the bill was decided, and said he was pretty sure the bill was going to pass. He learned of his success the day after the House amended and passed the bill.

As passed, Senate Bill No. 1576 changes existing laws to govern county assistance to the medically indigent. It deals with matters related to determination of resources, necessary services and residence. It also authorizes case management services and governs when services are provided to non-residents.

## Spring Fling



Sam Goff

Jeremiah Lundgren tees off Monday afternoon playing frisbee golf.

# Study links brain cell protein deprivation to Alzheimer's disease

Jennifer Eng  
Staff

The Northern Idaho Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association has reported a newly discovered role for an abnormal protein, B-amyloid. The study has a new theory relating B-amyloid to blood vessel abnormalities that interfere with the brain's energy supply.

"The findings of this study are a different aspect of the problem reported recently in *Nature Medicine* about triplet repeat genes

causing something approximating an 'energy crisis' in the brain, leading to several rare neurodegenerative diseases," Sharon Ostrom, spokesperson for the Northern Idaho Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, said. "This could be another mechanism that disrupts the brain's metabolism of energy which results in cell dysfunction and death."

Ostrom said this study indicates another possible health threatening role for B-amyloid, and reinforces the important reasons for studying the blood supply to the brain,

something Ostrom said health experts know little about.

Even though this new study is an important link into understanding Alzheimer's disease Ostrom said, "We must caution that this new work, however intriguing, was done with isolated blood vessels in a test tube. We don't know yet if these findings are true in a living functioning human."

The study, "B-amyloid-mediated vasoactivity and vascular endothelial damage," was done by Michael Mullan, M.D., Ph.D., Thomas Thomas, M.D., Ph.D., and colleagues at Roskamp Laboratories at the University of South Florida. Mullan received a 1995 Investigator-Initiated Research grant from the Alzheimer's Association to study a gene on chromosome 14 linked to early-onset Alzheimer's disease.

The study shows B-amyloid, one of the primary components of one of the brain lesions associated with Alzheimer's disease, appears to cause constriction of blood vessels. The constriction is caused by the generation of toxic free radicals as the B-amyloid interacts with certain cells on the blood vessels.

The researchers think this could increase the amount of free radicals and lower the amount of blood

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# Speed limits cause confusion on roads

Shawn Vidmar  
Staff

Editor's Note: Certain details in this story were obtained in the Friday, March 22, 1996 edition of the *Idaho Spokesman Review*.

Much confusion has arisen out of the recent national relinquishing of national control of speed limits to state control. Anyone driving from Spokane, Wash., to St. Regis, Mont., or beyond on interstate 90 would pass through four different speed zones.

This past November, Congress gave the 50 states control over their own posted speed limits. This transference of control eliminated the national speed limit established in 1973. This limit, initially set at 55 miles per hour increased to 65 mph in 1987. Thus in the panhandle, where traveling between the states is common, drivers need to know the limits in each state.

In Idaho, the maximum speed limit is now 75 mph for interstate freeways and 65 mph for state and local roads, according to the Idaho State Patrol. Yet, the decision of exactly which freeways, state and local roads will change

has not been made.

In Washington, the maximum speed limit on interstate freeways is 70 mph and 60 mph in the cities, according to the Washington State Patrol. Therefore, a slow down is required when the state line is crossed. However, to the east, it is a different story. When crossing the state line into Montana, drivers may increase speed. Montana received national attention when its legislature decided that there would be no upper limit during daylight hours. This absence of a speed limit confuses many motorists. Most believe it is like the Autobahn, where the speed limit is judged by the ability to go as fast as your vehicle can go. In Montana, this is not true.

Montana state patrol officer Roman Zylawy gives tickets to motorists not driving in a "reasonable and prudent" manner. What exactly is reasonable and prudent is largely up to the type of car, tires, road conditions and other traffic. Zylawy gave a ticket to Jason Anderson, 21 of Seattle, for going 98 mph.

Zylawy gave the example that a

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• **Weather** •

Partly sunny for a couple of days with highs in the 40s. Increasing clouds toward the end of the week and highs into the 50s.



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## Blacks again targeted by hate mail at Gonzaga Law School

SPOKANE—Three black law students at Gonzaga University received a racist, threatening letter from an anonymous author, a year after a similar letter was sent to four black law students, university officials said Friday.

Administrators at the 4,200-student, Jesuit-affiliated school said they had provided police security for the three students. They also asked police and the FBI for help in trying to track down the letter's author or authors.

The letter, received this week, threatened the students and said the law school was for whites only. The writer referred to similar hate mail distributed last year.

The letter also made a threatening reference to a black student who is seeking election as the law school's representative to the American Bar Association.

Two of the three students who got the letter also were recipients of last year's letter, which led to anti-racism rallies on campus and pledges by Gonzaga administrators to do more to fight intolerance.

Authorities investigated last year's case and law school faculty put up a \$2,500 reward for information leading to an arrest. No arrests were made.

Law students said the latest hate mail amounted to an attack on the entire law school, not just the targeted students.

Richard Samad, one of the students who received the latest letter, criticized university officials, saying they had created a campus

environment that fosters intolerance. Samad said he has found largely white Spokane fairly accommodating to blacks.

—Associated Press

## Environmentalists sue over mine in Kootenai River Basin

SANDPOINT, Idaho—An environmental group is suing ASARCO for allegedly discharging wastewater into two creeks near its idled Troy, Mont., copper and silver mine.

The Cabinet Resources Group claims ASARCO has been releasing the metal-laden water into Lake and Stanley creeks since 1984 without the proper permits.

Both streams drain into the Kootenai River, which runs through Bonners Ferry.

The environmentalist, based in Noxon, Mont., warn the discharges have eroded water quality and downstream fishing and contaminated fish that may have been eaten by sportsmen.

Since their suit was filed in late January in U.S. District Court in Missoula, Mont., efforts to reach an out-of-court settlement with ASARCO have been unsuccessful, group members said, although mine project manager Dave Young said ASARCO still wants to settle the dispute.

Diane Williams, Sandpoint representative for the Clark Fork-Pend Oreille Coalition, said Troy's alleged violations are a harbinger of what will happen if the Rock Creek Mine being fought by the coalition is allowed to operate.

Young said it is unfair to compare the Rock Creek and Troy mines since the Rock Creek Mine would operate under state and federal discharge permits. But environmentalists argue the two are very similar in design and potential for problems. The Troy mine was idled in 1992 because of low metal

prices.

The suit asks the judge to order ASARCO to obtain federal and state discharge permits, remove contaminants in the creeks and pay up to \$25,000 per day in penalties under the Clean Water Act.

—Associated Press

## Four members of Aryan Nations arrested

CHENEY, Wash.—Four professed white supremacists have been charged with assault in an altercation outside a pizza parlor in which a shot was fired.

John Christopher Perry, 20, Cary Sam Whitehead, 18, and two 15-year-old boys were charged last week with second-degree assault and first-degree reckless endangerment.

Perry and Whitehead were being held on \$100,000 bond each. The juveniles were released.

The four claimed to belong to the Aryan Nations white supremacist group and were wearing "Nazi regalia" when they were arrested March 14, Cheney Police Sgt. Larry Smith said.

Police also found pamphlets tied to white supremacists in the group's car, which sported swastikas.

Two 15-year-old girls with the group were charged with reckless endangerment and rendering assistance to their companions, police said.

Police contend the six were involved in an altercation with three men outside Gatto's Pizza Restaurant in Cheney, about 15 miles southeast of Spokane.

"Ironically, all the people involved in this were white," Smith said.

After the argument, the six climbed into their car and drove off, Smith said. Court documents said that someone stuck a handgun out a window of the car and fired a shot over the parking lot.

No one was hit.

—Associated Press



## High Court revives suit over KKK allegation

HELENA, Mont.—A Billings man who sued a human rights organization for accusing him of being a Ku Klux Klan organizer will get a chance to challenge the claim in court.

The state Supreme Court on Thursday revived the lawsuit filed by Roger Roots against the Montana Human Rights Network in 1994. A trial is needed to determine whether Roots worked for the Klan and whether he was a public figure at the time of the allegation, the unanimous court said.

The issue of Roots and any ties he had with the Klan became a political issue two years ago when he worked briefly on the re-election campaign of Sen. Conrad Burns, R-Mont.

Anonymous letters to the news media were used to reveal that Roots and another alleged Klan sympathizer, John Abarr, worked for Burns's campaign. Abarr acknowledged being a recruiter and organizer for the Klan; Roots denied being a Klan member.

In May 1994, the Montana Human Rights Network published a booklet about discrimination and prejudice. It referred to Roots as an organizer for the Klan.

Roots sued the organization, the Billings Coalition for Human Rights, Billings Police Chief Wayne Inman and Billings lawyer Bruce Fredrickson.

He contended that, through the courts and media, they had falsely called him a member of the Klan, accused him of vandalism, and claimed he had harassed Billings Jews and other minorities.

The other defendants were eventually dismissed from the suit. The remaining allegation against the Human Rights Network says its booklet defamed Roots, damaged his character and reputation, and cost him his job.

—Associated Press



## Bosnian Government frees Serb prisoners in 'partial release'

GRACANICA, Bosnia-Herzegovina—The Bosnian government released 109 Serb prisoners just before a midnight Saturday deadline, marching them in a column toward a darkened bridge and waiting relatives on Serb territory.

Earlier, delays in the promised release of prisoners brought threats that further stalling by the formerly warring parties in Bosnia would be met by harsh international sanctions.

Authorities set a new eight-day deadline for release of remaining prisoners of war, while still threatening the economic sanctions.

During talks last week in Geneva, leaders of Bosnia, Croatia and Serbia agreed to release all remaining prisoners of war by midnight Saturday.

According to the Red Cross, a total of 152 prisoners had been scheduled for release by all parties. Another 62 prisoners were being held for war crimes investigations.

There was no immediate word on whether the Bosnian Serbs had released their prisoners, as promised.

Reporters were mostly kept at a distance from the men released Saturday night, who were bused from their Tuzla jail about 30 miles to a checkpoint run by Swedish soldiers near Gracanica.

Almost all in the group had been captured in the final weeks of Bosnia's war last fall. The few who did speak to reporters said they had been treated well during their six-month jail stay.

—Associated Press

## Lee vows better ties with China

TAIPEI, Taiwan—With China reportedly signaling willingness for talks, President Lee Teng-hui celebrated his landslide election victory by promising to work on improving relations with Beijing.

A Taiwanese official said Monday that China may hold another round of war games, but keep them inland and therefore less threatening to Taiwan than the naval exercises it has conducted in waters facing the island.

China, after weeks of attempts to intimidate Taiwan in the run-up to its historic direct presidential election, said it would negotiate if Taiwan gave up seeking a separate status for itself.

In a non-committal reaction Monday, the Taiwan government's chief China-watcher said the issue needed study.

He called for a resumption of the low-level, semi-official talks that China froze last July in its rage at Lee's foreign diplomacy.

So far, nothing has been said that represents a departure. Taiwan's president has given no sign he will temper his quest to raise Taiwan's diplomatic profile, and it is that campaign that China continues to view as creating "two Chinas."

Shen's remarks may have been meant to signal to Taipei that with the election over, Beijing doesn't rule out talking to Lee, despite having vilified him for the past eight months as an independence-seeker bent on splitting China.

—Associated Press

# Announcements

## Just where is Bobby Fischer anyway?

Redhawk Crossing is offering for your enjoyment this Friday night the movie *Searching for Bobby Fischer*. This movie is based on the true story of a young chess prodigy. Come on by—the movie starts at 8:30 p.m. Espresso and other snacks will be available. Bring a friend; bring a date; bring yourself. Redhawk Crossing is located on Sixth Street just east of the railroad tracks.

## John Mills discusses intellectual property

John Mills, patent attorney from Wake Forest, N.C., will be on the UI campus April 3-5, discussing copyrights, patents and intellectual property rights in three public lectures. Mills has been patent attorney for over 30 years.

Mill will discuss "Copyright: Who, What, When and Why," on April 4 at 12:30 p.m. in Renfrew Hall, Room 111.

On April 5, he will present "Patents: Searching and Securing," at 2:30 p.m. in Engineering Physics Building 214. He will also participate in a round table discussion of

"Intellectual Property Rights: Who Owns What," April 4 at 3:30 p.m. in Renfrew Hall, Room 125. The public is invited to attend all the lectures and discussions.

## Breakfast for Mom's Weekend

Treat mom to breakfast for Mom's weekend with a breakfast hosted by the Student Alumni Relations Board and the UI Parents Association. This new tradition will take place March 30 at 8 p.m. in the Student Union Ballroom.

The breakfast is open to everyone and will include a buffet and student talent exhibitions. Tickets are \$7 per person and will be available at the door.

## Career Services holds workshops

The UI Career Services Center is hosting three workshops this week. "Marketing Yourself with a Resume and Cover Letter," will be held March 26 at 3:30 p.m., "The Job Search" will be held on March 27 at 2:30 p.m., and "Preparing for the Interview" March 28 at 11:30 a.m.

All workshops are free but pre-

registration is requested. For more information, visit the Career Services Center in Brink Hall or call 885-6121.

## Campus Rec. holds first Kite Festival

UI Campus Recreation is holding UI's First Annual Kite Festival March 30 at Guy Wick's Fields. There will be four divisions in the festival: highest flying, most unusual, kite fight and drawing for Mothers Fun Flight.

Entry forms are available in the Campus Recreation Office, Memorial Gym 204.

## Cattle scholarship

The Bonner Cattlewomen and the Bonner Boundary County Cattlemen are accepting applications for their college scholarship, which is open to persons who will be juniors or seniors in the 1996-97 school year. The applicants need to be residents of Bonner or Boundary County with a background in agriculture.

The Application deadline is May 1. Applications can be picked up at the UI Financial Aid offices.

For more information call Mary Lou Naccarats at (208) 448-1988.



**Snarfin'!**



Brian Mills, Chris Batt, Brian Wallace and Jeff Tee enjoy fine dining at Gambino's before spring break.

Nic Tucker

**Scholarship for those with epilepsy**

**Jennifer Eng**  
Staff

Students with diagnosed epilepsy may qualify for a \$1,000 scholarship.

The Gregory W. Gile Memorial Scholarship Program is looking for an Idaho high school senior or continuing college student with epilepsy to be the recipient of the award.

Gile was raised in Boise and after facing several setbacks from seizures graduated from high school from Boise. Soon after he graduated from high school Gile planned to attend Boise State University when he lost his battle with epilepsy.

Gile's is remembered by his family and friends by his philosophy, "You never fail until you stop trying."

Guidelines and requirements for receiving this scholarship are: applicants must be Idaho high school graduates or continuing college students with epilepsy, they must enroll for a minimum of 12 credits, and applicants must have U.S. citizenship or permanent resident and they must have been an Idaho resident for one year.

Selection factors for this scholarship are based on career goals, two letters of recommendations, extracurricular activities and work experience and financial plans and needs for education.

The scholarship program asks for applicants involved with a local chapter of the Epilepsy League to have a representative from the League submit a letter of recommendation.

For more information and an application interested people may write to The Epilepsy League of Idaho, 310 West Idaho Street, Boise, Idaho 83702 or call at (208) 344-4340.

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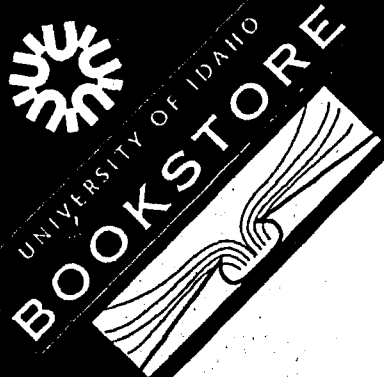


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# NIA offers new way to get into shape

**Alissa Arndt**  
Staff

The UI Enrichment Program offers a number of different classes to get in shape this spring. Among this spring's offerings is a new class of mind/body aerobics called NIA, Neuromuscular Integrative Action.

NIA is a combination of philosophies of movement from both the East and the West that creates a holistic fitness program for the mind, body and spirit. NIA integrates both dance and martial arts including Tai Chi, Tai Kwan Do, jazz, modern dance and yoga to provide an aerobic workout and

increase strength and flexibility.

Britta Von Tagen will be instructing the class which will be held in the small gym in the PE building Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., March 25 through May 3. Tagen is holding promotional classes this week for those who would like to check the classes out without making a commitment, for information or to sign up call 885-6486.

Tagen is a certified white belt, which is a first level instructor. Other levels are blue belt, brown belt and black belt. She was certified by the creators in Portland and has been holding informal classes with a group of friends. Tagen said

she uses different kinds of fun and diverse ethnic music to inspire her students and make the class entertaining.

"A lot of the women who come to my class just like the music and come to dance... There is a technique, but you don't just have to do what your teacher is doing, it's your own interpretation of the music. It's like Sat. night, turn the music on and dance," Tagen said. Next fall Tagen is looking to start a business in Pullman if the class is successful this spring.

The technique was created in Portland by Debbie and Carlos Rosas in 1983 and was first known as Non Impact Aerobics. This name

proved to be misleading and many people thought the approach wouldn't provide a good work out. This misunderstanding brought about the more appropriate name of Neuromuscular Integrative Action.

The Rosas, who have been involved in the health and fitness field since 1976, were responding to people who were getting injured doing high impact aerobics. Wanting to overcome the attitude of "no pain, no gain," the Rosas began working on a way to integrate pleasure into a workout system. They took a smorgasbord of ideas from modern ethnic dance, martial arts, energetics and differ-

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**Saving the trees**



Members of the Cove Mallard Coalition ask audience members to participate in a nonviolent confrontation demonstration. The program was held on March 15. **Jared Smith**

**UI says some jobs will go to save money**

Associated Press  
MOSCOW—The University of Idaho intends to cut back the equivalent of about 26 full-time jobs for fiscal year 1997 as part of restructuring.

Interim President Thomas Bell on Friday gave the state Board of Education a tentative plan on how the school will eliminate, reduce or restructure programs. It has 2,566 employees.

Bell earlier announced the university would set that budget at 97 percent of the year before. Gov. Phil Batt had called for a 2 percent holdback. The extra 1 percent will be reallocated for special priorities and ongoing obligations, Bell said. "This restructuring activity is intended to effect long-term reductions and changes in the way the university delivers programs and services," Bell said.

He said 17 positions would go in academics, 10 in finance and administration, one in development, one from enrollment and two from the president's area.

But he said the plan adds six positions with money returned after it was reallocated from campus operations to Idaho's Boise engineering program.

The bottom line savings from the holdback and restructuring will amount to \$3.5 million.

Financial Vice President Jerry Wallace said officials are fairly certain what positions will be cut.

"Certainly, I've talked to the directors in those departments but we haven't talked to all the individuals yet," Wallace said.

Among other suggestions to save money include reducing the number of sections in some courses, cutting travel by 10 percent, working more with nearby Washington State University and lowering the total number of credits needed to graduate.

"I think this kind of exercise is very healthy, even if it results in some reductions in academic areas," Idaho Falls board member Harold Davis said. "I salute all of you."

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available to the brain. The result of this is brain cell death caused by the reduced amount of oxygen and glucose flowing into the brain. This decrease of oxygen and glucose thus starves the brain cells of important nutrients. Free radicals also cause the death of brain cells.

Ostrom said researchers were able to prevent constriction of the blood vessels by pre-treating them

with antioxidants, such as Vitamin E, that eliminate free radicals.

This the researchers are suggesting is a new therapeutic approach to Alzheimer's disease.

"If the findings are correct, we could focus on developing compounds that would counteract the constricting effects of the B-amyloid on blood vessels," Ostrom said.

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car passing people on icy roads at 60 mph may get cited while a brand new Corvette driving 80 mph on an open and clear highway may be allowed to pass. A good top end is around 100 mph. "Basically there's no argument at all when they hit 100," Zylawy said.

When given a ticket, fines can be anywhere from \$70 to \$320 depending on the circumstances. These circumstances also come under the "reasonable and prudent" judgment call. The fines assessed

depend on how unreasonable and how dangerous the motorist was traveling.

Idaho State Patrol Lieutenant Doug Camster expects more speed related deaths. "What you're going to see is an increase in the severity of the accidents because speed is the energy that causes damage—the more you have the more damage you're going to have," Camster said.

Therefore motorists should know the speed zones for the states in

which they are traveling. They should understand the limits of their vehicle, and their own experience. A seasoned driver will know how to handle a car at higher speeds than a new driver. Although speed is definitely an adrenaline rush, it should not be taken for granted. Zylawy hopes that Montana state Legislature will set a speed limit during its next session. This set limit will take away some of the guess work and highly criticized judgment calls.

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## Waste deal opponents modify proposed initiative

**Associated Press**  
**BOISE**—A revised initiative to subject Gov. Phil Batt's nuclear waste deal with the federal government to legislative and voter approval has been filed, incorporating some of the recommendations made by Attorney General Alan Lance.

Opponents of the Oct. 16 deal deleted references in their propose initiative to requiring a legal referendum that Lance said was set up in a way that actually contradicted the referendum process. They also tightened up the definition of radioactive material intended to be banned by the proposition resubmitted on Friday.

Rather than requiring the existing agreement to be ratified by the Legislature and voters as the original initiative would have, the revised version simply voids the agreement if the proposal is adopted on Nov. 5.

"Our legal team has carefully reviewed the attorney general's opinion, and we have concluded that this initiative is constitutional under Idaho and federal law," Laird Lucas, the attorney for the Stop the Shipments Campaign, said in a statement.

"The whole point of this initiative is to give the people of Idaho a chance to vote on nuclear waste storage in the state," he said.

The attorney general's office will now assign ballot titles so that the

proposal's supporters can begin collecting the 41,335 registered voter signatures needed by July 5 to qualify the measure for the general election ballot.

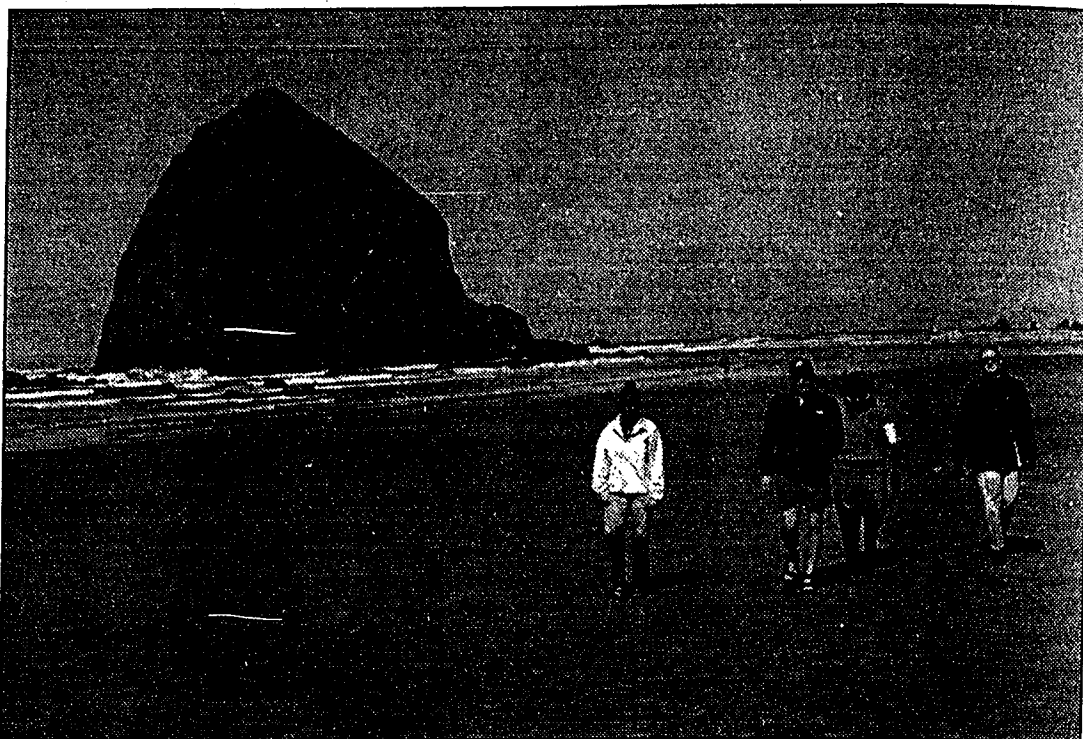
Batt agreed to permit the Energy Department to dump another 1,133 shipments of high-level nuclear waste at the Idaho National Engineering Laboratory over the next four decades in return for promises that most waste would be removed from the state by 2035.

The governor contends the deal, adopted by U.S. District Judge Edward Lodge as the order resolving the state's lawsuit on waste storage, prohibits even more radioactive material from being dumped at INEL and sets out an enforceable timetable for waste cleanup in eastern Idaho.

While the initiative attempts to involve the Legislature and voters in the waste debate, Lance's advisory opinion during the past week again pointed out that federal courts have repeatedly rejected state attempts to prohibit or limit federal shipment of nuclear material to federal installations.

Lance said restrictions could be imposed only by the federal courts, Congress or the federal agencies by agreements like the one Batt struck. He also said the governor clearly had the authority to make the deal without legislative or voter involvement.

## This ain't southern California!?!?



Cannon Beach, Ore., was a popular spring break for UI students.

Nic Tucker

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ent movement techniques to create a new form of exercise.

"The idea is to create a really holistic approach incorporating mind, body and spirit and one that is accessible to people of all ages and fitness levels," said Aimee Gould who helps with the business in Portland part time and is a NIA instructor.

Also new this spring through the Enrichment Program is a traditional karate class called Kyokushinkai. Kyokushinkai literally means ultimate truth and focuses on self-defense. This class is taught by John Adams who has been teaching the system for 10 years in Pullman. The classes will be held Fridays and Sundays, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

through May 10. Adams said the class is not a sport system and they do not usually go to tournaments, but when they do they usually do well.

Adams said the class is a "practical, efficient, self defense course; what karate is supposed to be."

The main goal of the class is to teach controlling techniques to escape and rearrange an attack situation. Adams said they have been very successful over at WSU.

"We are the only system being taught in the PE Activity program, I like to think it's because we are doing a good job," Adams said.

Adams and his colleagues teach beginning karate, intermediate karate and they have a club where they teach self defense in Pullman.

The self defense class has turned out to be 80 percent women so the focus has been more on what to do if someone tries to mug or rape you. Adams' group has also held a couple of rape prevention seminars. The main difference between Adams class and other karate classes is that they teach you what to do if someone grabs you. Adams said "we show specific ways to get out of (a hold) and put them in a controlled situation where you do not necessarily have to break someone's jaw."

The UI Enrichment Program also offers classes in Tai Chi, Yoga, Aerobics and a number of computer classes. For more information or to sign up for any of these classes contact 885-6486.

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## Representation by ASUI senate spineless at best

One of the main purposes of the ASUI Senate is to make decisions in place of the student. This is the whole purpose of representative government.

We elect senators we believe will represent our interests, who will serve in our absence. Who will make decisions. That is why we have a representative government.

That has been how representative government has always worked—until now. The senate has chosen to be representative of Generation X, to take the easy road and shirk their duties. The senate passed a bill leaving funding decisions of *Fugue* up to the students. This was a sweet political move by the senate, they look good no matter what happens. And they are no longer accountable for what happens.

In a dangerous development, the senate is now choosing not to decide the fate of the GEM of the Mountains yearbook. "Leadership and action by default" could easily be the new senate motto. Reminder: Choosing not to decide is a cowardly choice.

The bill, authored and sponsored by Senator Jay Feldman, also suffers from bureaucratic ambiguity. It reads, "Do you feel the GEM of the Mountains (yearbook) should continue to be a part of the ASUI and funded through student fees paid to ASUI?"

I think the GEM of the Mountains is

important. I believe the Gem of the Mountains is worthy of student fees. I feel the Gem of the Mountains with my fingers every time I pick it up to read it.

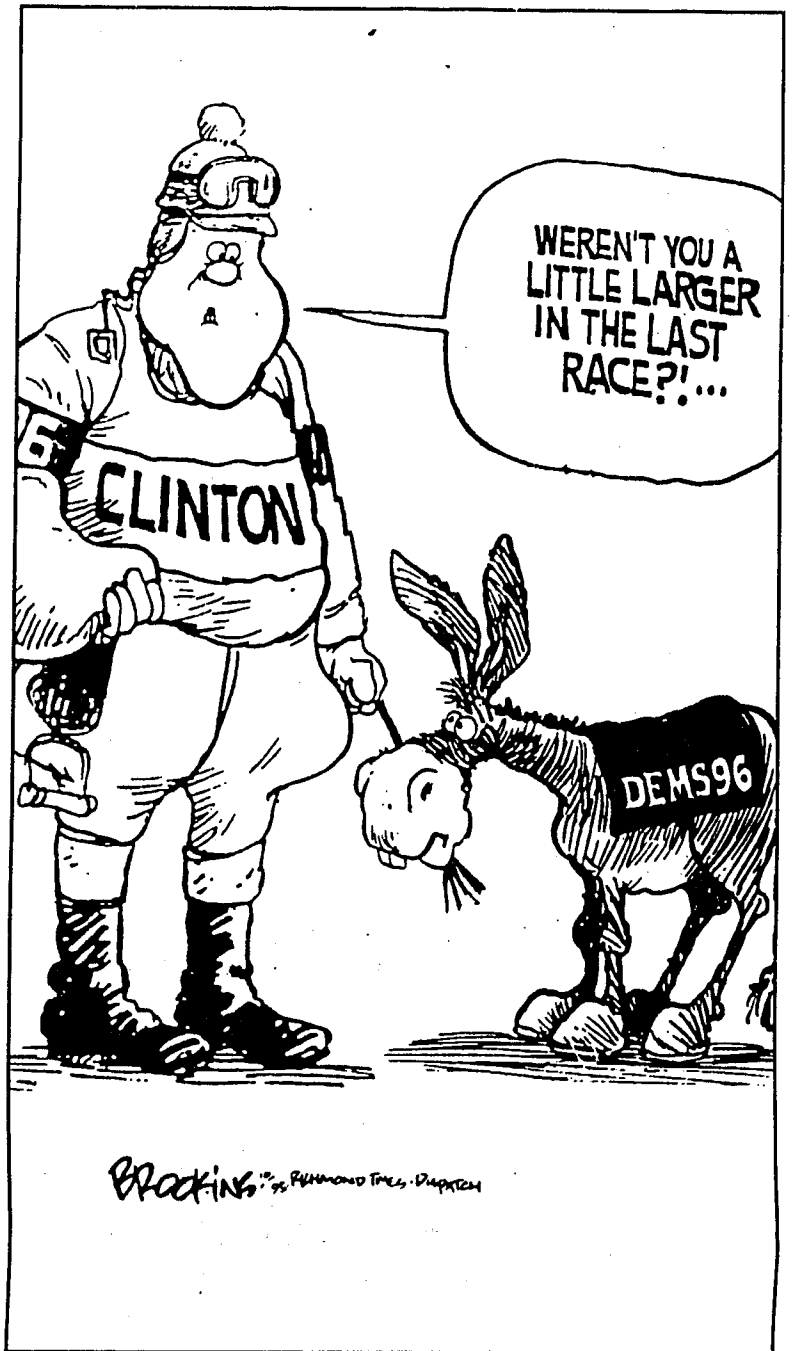
Students should be consulted before making major decisions, but should not be burdened with the responsibility. Senators are often privy to information the student body is not. Whether students don't have time, interest or access to information is irrelevant to this particular discussion.

Before break I came out in favor of placing the *Fugue* bill on the ballot and I stand by that. Some on the senate seem to believe that now any hard choice should be given away.

Habitually avoiding making tough decisions is a sign of deep psychological problems. I could go into detail about why continued funding of GEM of the Mountains is important, archival storage of information, faculty, students and administrators use the GEM of the Mountains to reminisce and recall important details and that UI is the premier university in Idaho.

This inclination to laziness is developing in the senate—why should they do the research, make the arguments and deal with the headaches involved with making the tough choices when they can pawn off the responsibility and say, "we asked the students?"

—Dennis Sasse



## Talking about my www.generation.com and pornography

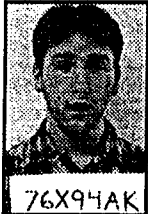
**Warning:** This is not family entertainment. If you are offended by explicit comments like "my floppy-disk is worn out" or "I've got a hard-drive," please read when nobody is looking. Those 18-years-old and under click here.

We should all be grateful we have computers.

For example, without computers, people would not think about sex, at least this is what some people believe. I wonder what people thought about before computers were around? Probably beer and hockey.

People who censor say explicit material on the Internet is the root of evil and the source of all sexual thought. Wanting to inform you

### Grim Reality



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### Michael McNulty

with a complete and accurate report, I did a bit of investigative journalism and scientific research to test this theory.

My method was to peel my eyes from the computer screen for several minutes and stare at the carpet.

The conclusion—I still thought of sex. I now believe people do not need machines to make them think about sex. I'm no biology major but I think it's natural, or possibly that carpets invoke thoughts of sex too.

I'm sure by now, being a quick-witted reader with a keen eye for sarcasm, you can understand that I might spend the next few minutes of your time scoffing the fringe group of knuckleheads known as computer censors who believe nude pictures cause rape and child molestation.

These folks seem to think, by virtue of moral superiority, they should have the power and privilege of controlling access to information for society as a whole.

Sexual expression is something

America has a hard time dealing with. Explicit materials can evoke intense responses, from embarrassment and curiosity to arousal and moral indignation. The controversy creates polarized opinions nationwide, including the opinions of Supreme Court members who make the final decisions about what should or should not be censored.

Now I could ramble on for a long time about the First Amendment by weaving my civil libertarian views into silly anecdotes about how censorship is the social lobotomy of America. And I could tell you how deranged elitists are trying to change human nature in such a way that people forget their longings for freedom, integrity, love and sex, but there is indeed a

broader issue here.

The issue is a society which has gone mad with information. Lots of information.

Where once a person had to make some effort to get information, news, books, whatever, now they are literally immersed in it every waking moment. Radio, TV, magazines, newspapers, the Internet, videos, movies and music swamp us with communication, fact and fiction, at every turn of the hour.

Now, apart from complete sensory overload, everything we receive has been diluted by the sheer amount. If the great American novel were written today, would we know it? Or would it just seem like another jostling bit of

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## Fugue funding issue clouded with hype and confusion

There has been a lot of controversy as of late regarding the funding of the University of Idaho's literary journal *Fugue*. As with most controversies there has been a lot of misunderstanding and misinformation.

Recently a bill passed the ASUI Senate to provide for a referendum in the 1996 ASUI General Election this spring. If the referendum passes *Fugue* will be funded by ASUI.

(Sideline: The bill is so vague that it does not specify whether *Fugue* will be part of Student Media or directly funded through ASUI).

In either case this funding may seem like a good idea, and in fact may seem like the only option *Fugue* has to improve itself, but it

### Pontification



### Corinne Flowers

is not the best nor the only option.

If *Fugue* is funded by ASUI it will be subject to their rules and regulations. The staff of *Fugue* believes they can work with this. I have no doubts that they can. But

the fact is that in order to succeed as a literary journal *Fugue* needs to retain its autonomy.

Under ASUI *Fugue* will either be a part of Student Media or funded as its own department.

If *Fugue* falls under Student Media it will have to account for both its content and budget to the Student Media Board and the ASUI Senate. Its editor will be chosen by the Student Media Board, they will have no faculty adviser and they may have to sever their ties with the English department, which currently provides \$600 to \$900 and space for their operations. Some of these terms would be acceptable, but some would not. Being under Student Media and/or ASUI would restructure the way *Fugue* operates

and potentially destroy what they are.

What if ASUI decides that being part of Student Media requires a certain amount of student work? *Fugue* already publishes a lot of students, but what if they were required to meet a percentage? It happened a few years ago, and rather than lose prestige, *Fugue* chose not to be funded by ASUI. Maybe a quota wouldn't happen this year, but it will happen next year or the year after that. So much for the integrity and prestige of a literary journal, it's just been turned into a students-only publication. Talk about special interest.

So maybe being a separate entity under ASUI would solve some of these problems. Not really.

*Fugue* would still be under ASUI and somewhere down the line someone is going to demand more student work and more accountability to ASUI, which really is only fair if they are providing support. *Fugue* would still have to answer to a board of people who do not have an understanding of how a literary journal works and what it requires to operate.

There exists a fundamental misunderstanding of what a literary journal is and what purpose it serves. Journals like *Fugue* must operate in a very specific way. If they cater to the needs and whims of specific interest groups they are no longer literary journals but spe-

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cial interest publications. *Fugue* is staffed by the students of UI. They enroll in a course called *Fugue* and receive a credit for completing it. By taking this class they get to be involved in a process that gives them real world experience in the selection and editing process of a literary journal.

Anyone from anywhere can write about anything and submit it to *Fugue*, or any other literary journal for that matter. Most people do not get published. This is not due to the content of their pieces, for if a piece has literary merit it can be published regardless of its subject matter. The fact is that it is very difficult to get published, even in collegiate journals, and doing so garners a considerable amount of prestige for the author. Part of the prestige comes from the fact that a journal has accepted an author's work blindly without knowing their identity. The prestige also comes from the fact that by definition a literary journal has high standards for submissions. If their standards are not high they do not receive quality writing. If they do not receive quality writing they cannot produce a quality publication.

The ongoing campaign of misinformation, whoever is perpetuating it, is creating mass confusion in an issue that is really quite simple.

Fact: *Fugue* is not going to run out of funds, the English department has always and will always provide its usual amount.

Fact: *Fugue* will not have budget autonomy, there is no such thing when a publication is funded by ASUI. *Fugue* does, however, need autonomy, the kind of autonomy that does not place quotas or stipulations on submissions.

Fact: Contrary to some reports, *Fugue* does publish a great deal of student work. Five of the 10 writers in the last issue were UI students.

Fact: Some people think that *Fugue* is a publication of the English department for the English department. Considering the fact that its staff and submissions are open to anyone, this is not accurate. *Fugue* is a publication for people who are interested in literature, and in this way is no more a special interest publication than the Argonaut being special interest for those interested in news or the GEM being special interest for those interested in yearbooks. Whether or not *Fugue* is a special interest publication is a matter of opinion.

Fact: In order to become a better and more competitive publication *Fugue* needs to improve its packaging, this requires more money.

Fact: *Fugue* feels that money gained through the referendum has already been paid, so it will not be an additional cost to students. Unfortunately any money paid out has to be returned. It may not be reflected directly in student fees next semester or even the one after that, but eventually it will.

There are other options.

*Fugue* is not student media, at least not in the conventional sense whereby Argonaut, GEM of the Mountains and KUOI are student media.

*Fugue* is not an "English department publication." They receive a relatively small amount of funding from the English department, but you do not have to be in the English department to be a part of *Fugue*. Labeling it an English department publication makes it special interest and limits its access to those outside of the department.

There are other very good options available to *Fugue*.

One: They can petition the dean of the English department for a general fee increase (70 cents per student) which would go to the English department and then on to *Fugue*.

Two: They can petition the provost for a fine arts fee increase (again, 70 cents) which would be payable directly to *Fugue*.

The most logical and best place for *Fugue* is within fine arts.

Each semester you pay a certain number of dollars for fine arts events at UI. Your fees are going to do nothing but go up. Your student fees fund several things: trips for university officials which have no apparent purpose, "landscaping" (read big mess outside of library), sporting events that you may or may not attend, clubs that you could never be a part of, etc. Considering the fact that you already pay a fine arts fee, and considering the fact that the fee will go up regardless, and considering the fact that *Fugue* has the potential to become one of the best literary journals around, wouldn't you like to have your 70 cents fund something of quality rather than another tailgate party?

There is a lot of controversy and hype going around, and on April 10 you will have the chance to vote on all of the confusion. Now you can make a little more informed decision.

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media competing for our attention?

And now the World Wide Web has supplied us with a big dreary crock of shit with which we must wade through to pick out the good stuff which inevitably involves passing by the beer, hockey and sex pages.

Endless hours which could have been wasted some other way are now squandered staring open-mouthed at an endless cesspool of colorful screens while trying to finish a report which would have taken 30 minutes on a manual typewriter. People in offices and schools nationwide are flipping past raunchy joke pages, downloading pot-brownie recipes and gazing at the new swimsuit calendar. The extended trips to the coffee machine or bathroom of yesterday are now spent searching for nude photos of the cast of *Friends* on the Internet.

Experts say computer technology is changing how we work, live and think. More processing power means these machines and their content will weave their

way into most aspects of our environment. This is OK, just remember to bring along a shovel wherever you go.

Human nature has a dynamism which reacts to the violation of basic human needs and rights and this nature attempts to change an inhuman society into a human one. People are not born as a blank sheet of paper on which society writes its text. Human strivings like love, sex, justice and solidarity help form our individuality, not cyberporn.

Sure, computers and the media have poisoned our water. But this doesn't mean we can't fight back. We can't just sit around loathing the system with the reluctant grin of anxiety on our faces.

A society which tolerates nude pictures is just a start to adapting to this crazy, brazen information age. Stopping censorship is just a piece of the puzzle.

In the mean time if the garbage gets too deep to wade through, take a can of it down and dump it on the Administration Building steps.

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# Letters to the Editor

## Cooperative Ed needs help

I am deeply concerned about the cutbacks facing Cooperative Education. This hardworking little office on the second floor in the Education Building gives 100 percent to find internships for students. When it comes to finding a job in the real world, internships are every ounce as valuable as a college education. They provide the much-needed experience every business requires these days. Ask me, I know. I blew off my chance to get an internship while I worked for my first degree. I ended up with a huge debt and a job as a prep cook. My friend got a good internship in college, and upon graduating, immediately got a job with the company. Now she's the head of her department. I had better grades than her, but that doesn't hold much water in a job interview.

The people at Cooperative Education are among the most polite and hardest-working service organizations on campus. They stand in sharp contrast against throngs of rude bureaucrats that are supposed to be serving the students. These people genuinely care. There's a lot more useless things to cut. Leave our future alone.

—Jody Paulson

## Information on Fugue inaccurate

I want to correct and clarify a few points brought up by Shelby Dopp in her 8 March editorial about why UI's sole literary digest, *Fugue*, shouldn't be funded as part of Student Media:

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• *Fugue* is not an "interest publication," by which I assume Dopp means "special interest publication." It's available to all students, and apparently read by many: its 250-copy print run is usually gone within 48 hours of its appearance.

• Most *Fugue* material does not, as Dopp claims, "come from outside sources," by which I assume she means "non-UI writers." At least 50 percent of the poetry, fiction, and creative non-fiction usually comes from UI students, and a good 25 percent more from UI faculty, staff, alumni, and members of UI's Distinguished Visiting Writer series.

• Nor is it accurate to say the English department "can no longer afford to fund the *Fugue*." While it's true the English department has suffered large cutbacks, it is also true the English department is committed to funding *Fugue* to the best of its ability, which I understand will translate into a sum very close to the usual. Unfortunately, that commitment—traditionally between \$600 and \$900—simply isn't enough to produce the quality product students involved in *Fugue* (and UI in general) are interested in producing. That will take about

\$7,500 a year.

• Nor has *Fugue* ever been interested in being funded by Student Media. Rather, *Fugue* representatives were told by several ASUI senators to approach Student Media for funding. If for some reason that proves unadvisable, *Fugue* is happy to seek funding from some other ASUI branch.

The larger question here, of course, has to do with whether government (in this case student government) should fund the arts. In Washington, D.C., the National Endowment of the Arts was cut by 40 percent this year. To put that in context, each American now spends about 38 cents of his or her taxes on the serious arts—much less than he or she does, for instance, on military marching bands.

And much less than most other economically solid countries do. Britain, for examples, spends the equivalent of five dollars per person on the arts, France \$27, and Germany \$32. *Fugue* asks each student on campus to contribute about 70 cents to UI's literary arts—less than three postage stamps—a sum, by the way, that students have already contributed to ASUI through student fees.

I should also point out that most colleges and universities in the United States fund their own literary digests—LCSC, for example, to the autonomous tune of \$7,000, Eastern Oregon State \$10,000. UI, in other words, is the atypical (even slightly embarrassing) situation, and one I believe (along with many students) that is in need of remedy.

I hope the ASUI won't take the same misstep Congress is currently making. The arts are hardly frivolous by-products of a culture. They are rather a culture's heart and soul. They tell us where we've been, where we are, what we value and where we're going.

—Lance Olsen  
director of Creative Writing  
*Fugue* faculty advisor

## Time for sexual bias to end

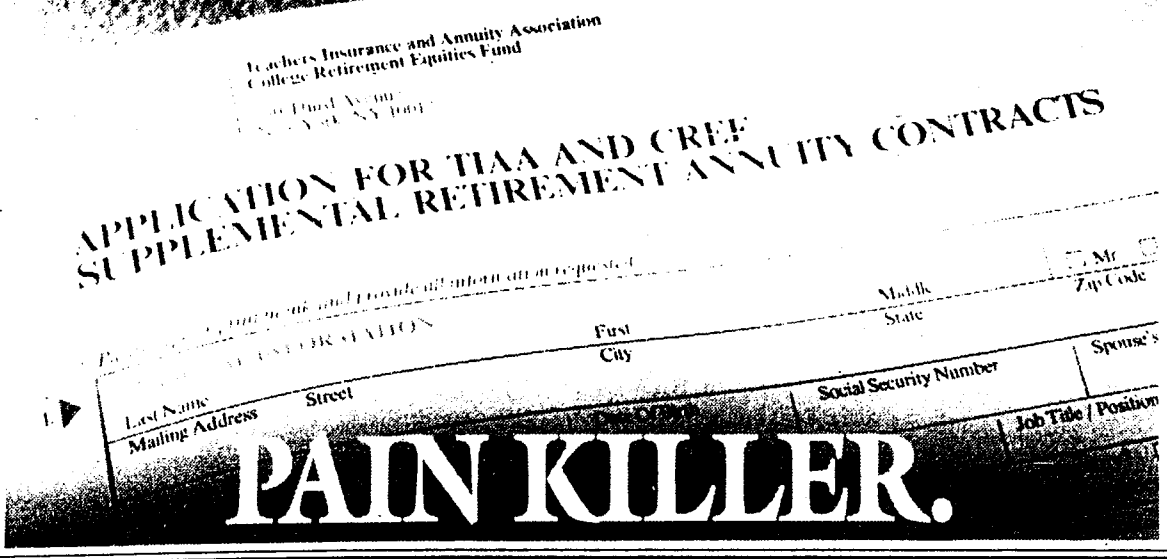
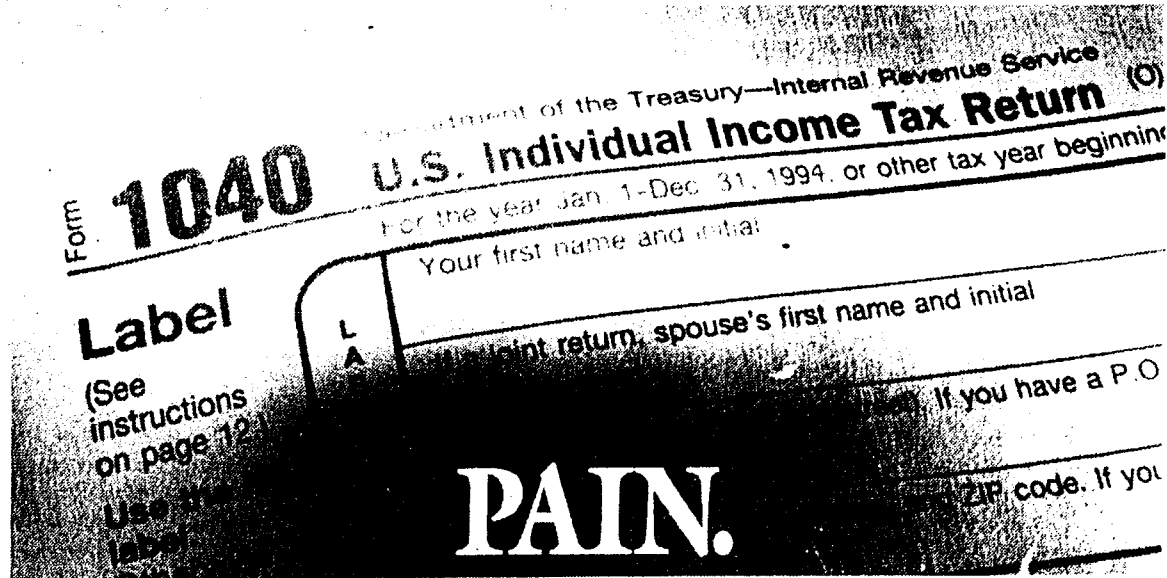
"Come on, Billy, it's not cool anymore to be homophobic." This line from a recent *Chicago Hope* episode says it all. Real men no longer feel the need to loudly and frequently proclaim their heterosexuality. Like Dennis Rodman or Patrick Stewart or Stephen

Dorff, they enjoy hanging out with their gay friends. Educated, sophisticated, with it, they refuse to conform to the rigid, damaging gender roles of their grandparents day. Confident of their own masculinity and their own sexual orientation, they enjoy their lives instead of buying into the shrill anxieties that can make men as old as Pat Buchanan sound like childish idiots.

I think we're getting there. Every semester I try to come out to my students so they'll know that not every single professor and every single student at UI is straight. Just because we have a sheltered, "white bread" campus doesn't mean we have to be totally ignorant. I look forward to the day when Utah school boards, as Michael McNulty's column suggested, don't punish all students just to deny support to a handful of gay students and their straight allies, when it's cool to jolt the parents a little in Buhl or Meridian by telling them you have a gay or lesbian professor, when we can all go to "The Birdcage" downtown and simply enjoy it because it's a funny movie and a good time.

—Susan Baumgartner

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### COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT PROGRAM BULLETIN AVAILABLE

The spring Community Enrichment Program class bulletin is available, with listings for a variety of classes starting earlier this month through May. Included are offerings in the arts, careers, computers, foods, health, home and garden, home schooling, recreation, travel and writing. Programs for young people include a new after school program, the Academy. Bulletins are available in area racks and newspapers or from the Enrichment Program, 885-6486.

### BANFF FESTIVAL OF MOUNTAIN FILMS AT WASHINGTON STATE

The Banff Festival of Mountain Films, presented by Eagle Creek Travel Gear, will be bringing its "Best of the Festival" tour to Washington State University's CUB Auditorium April 3rd and 4th. The tour follows the three-day event in Banff, Alberta, Canada which featured 100 top-quality international film entries and an audience of over 5000 people. The program begins at 7 p.m.

### ASK THE IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME

Question: I would like to hunt for small nongame species such as prairie dog. Does Fish and Game have any suggestions or advice?

Answer: In some states the opportunity for hunting nongame "critters" has diminished. Subsequently, Idaho has seen an increase in the popularity of such hunting by residents and nonresidents alike. Idaho's only prairie dog population, comprised of the white-tail prairie dog, is found in the far southeast portion of the state and isn't considered huntable. However, Idaho does offer excellent rockchuck and ground squirrel populations. The rockchuck is a marmot, sometimes called a "whistle pig," that can be found in colonies scattered across southern Idaho. Rockchucks prefer lava rock habitat with farm lands adjacent. The Columbian ground squirrel can also be found in southern Idaho. Its best habitat is in the Camas Prairie region. Only a valid Idaho hunting license is required to hunt these nongame species. Permission must be given to hunt on privately owned lands.

### OUTDOOR TIP 'O THE WEEK

Where on the Palouse should you go to camp? The best place to pitch camp is on level, reasonably clear ground that has good drainage and nearby supplies of water and fallen wood. High promontories are much too windy, and low valleys are likely to be flooded in a heavy rain. (For the same reason, avoid choosing a spot that is too near the water.)

# 'Ducks in the Desert' informative

Tricia Francis

Staff

Excavation of wetlands generally brings to mind visions of destruction of valuable habitat.

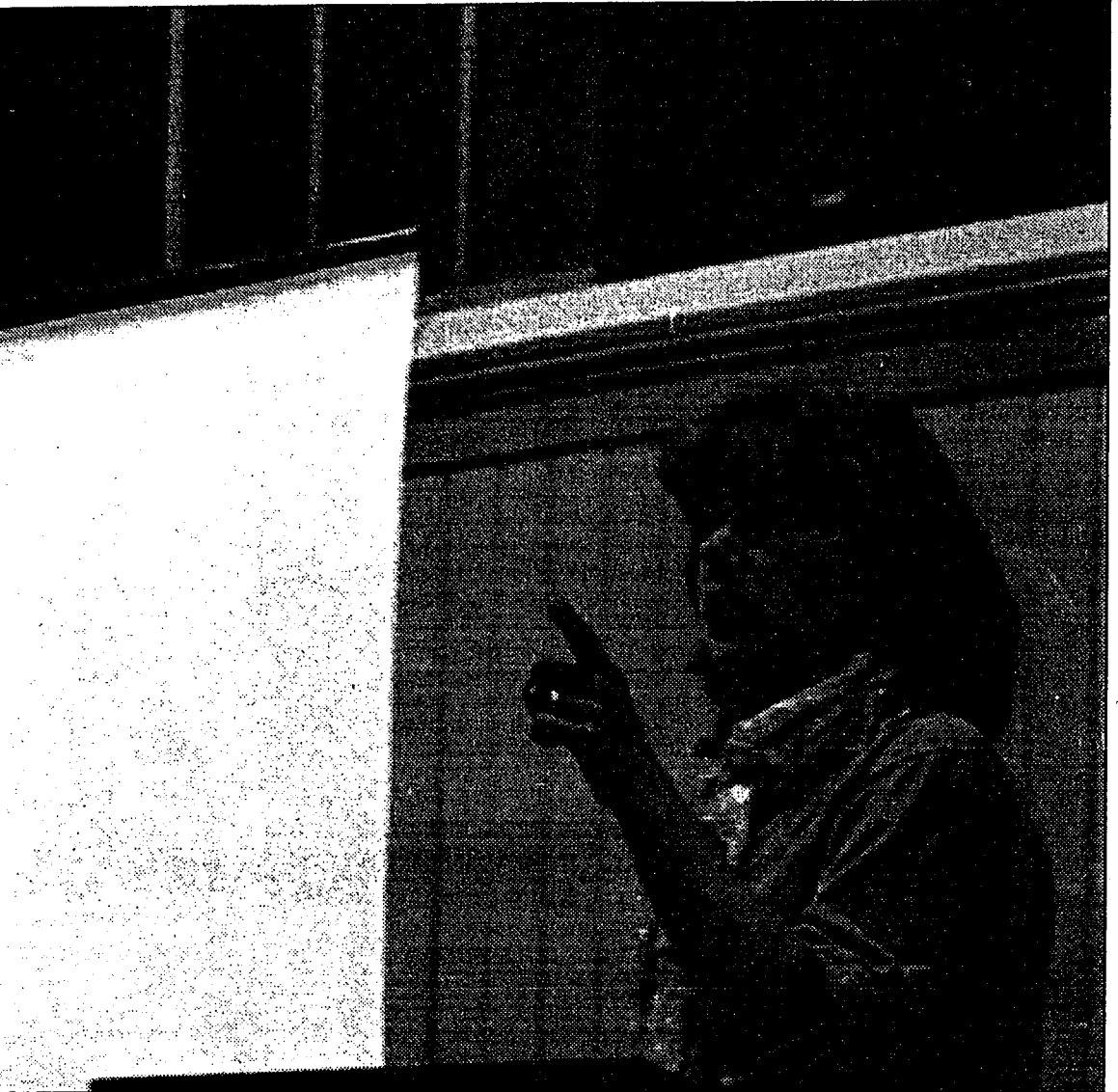
However, in her research of ponds in the Potholes area of Washington, Janean Creighton has found excavated ponds are productive and vital habitat for many types of birds. The area is managed by the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, and is open to the public.

Janean Creighton is a graduate student at Washington State University studying wildlife biology. Her research area lies approximately 20 miles west of Moses Lake. The Columbia Basin Irrigation Project, which diverts water for crop lands "really altered the landscape very dramatically," Creighton said. The irrigation project raised the water table so the area which used to have only seasonal waters now has year-round wetlands.

Prior to the irrigation project the region went through a disturbance regime of wet periods followed by drying. Because there is no longer a drying out period, "humans have to act like that disturbance regime," Creighton said.

Creighton observed nearly 60 different bird species using the ponds either on their migratory paths or to raise broods. "The area is very important for a lot of birds at different times of the year," Creighton said. There are also land animals that can be found in the area, such as mule deer and coyotes.

Cattle are grazed in the region, and sometimes disturb the vegetation at the perimeter of the ponds. Disturbances to the pond edges creates a problem for some of the species that live around the water. Open ground is prime space for the colonization of foreign and invading plant species. "One of the disturbances is grazing. Some of the study sites are very heavily



Janean Creighton discusses how environmental changes can affect wildlife.

Jared Smith

grazed," Creighton said.

The excavation of new ponds is done with nothing more than a large bulldozer.

Some of the wetland areas are completely choked off with cattails, and there is no standing water. These are the prime targets for excavation. A high water table and sandy soil make the project fairly simple.

The new shoreline allows for the establishment of a variety of plants suitable to different bird species.

"Part of the reason (for excavation) is diversity of birds, diversity of vegetation," Creighton said.

There is not much stress on the birds that use the ponds. "Predation pressure in this area is very low," she said.

Some of the predators are raptors, but most of the predation pressure is from coyotes. While some of the ponds are protected, others are open to hunting. Certain areas are hunted heavily, particularly early in

the season.

After two years studying the area, Creighton found that most of the avian species responded positively to the wetland excavations.

A few species of rails, however, preferred the untouched areas of cattails, and could be negatively impacted by a decrease in that type of habitat.

Ultimately, Creighton said there needs to be an appropriate mix if these habitats are on a larger landscape scale.

## Anglers get your reels ready: fishing season is near

Jerri Lake

Staff

You can be fishing this weekend at several different locations within an hour and a half drive from the University of Idaho. Although the main fishing season in Washington and Idaho does not open until Memorial Day weekend, there are several lakes and rivers that are open all year.

The closest lake is Spring Valley Reservoir up by Troy, Idaho. This lake has trout, Largemouth bass, Bluegill and Tiger Muskies. If you have a boat, no gas motors are allowed, however, electric motors are.

If you fish from shore, trout can be caught almost anywhere. Some of the best fishing is on the road side where it is deeper. Across the lake in the shallows is better for Bluegill and small bass. The bigger bass seems to be caught around the dam area and from the dam to the boat launch area.

To the south in Lewiston is Mann Lake. This lake has trout, Largemouth bass, bluegill, crappie. Mann Lake is located east of Lewiston Orchards about four miles out Powers Avenue off Thain road. Trout are caught at all loca-

tions around the lake. Bass, Bluegill and Crappie seem to do better at the north and eastern sides. A boat ramp is located on the south side at the dam. Boat restrictions are the same as Spring Valley.

About 30 miles south of Lewiston is Winchester Lake and State Park. This mountain lake is nestled in the pine trees and is full of trout, Largemouth bass and Bullhead catfish. There have been some trout as large as 28 inches taken from this lake. The biggest I have taken is 26 and a half inches.

The trout respond very well to many different types of flies and lures as well as bait. The best fly I have found is a wingless Royal Coachman that is very beat up. The better the fly looks, the less the fish like it. I take a new fly, remove the wings and rub it in my fingers to distort the remainder of the material to make it work better. The spinning lure I have done the best with in most of the lakes is a green bodied roostertail with a brass spinner.

I have caught trout everywhere around the lake. However, the bass seem to like the south end

and the west side better. The boat ramp is located within the state park and you have to pay to use it. No gas motors allowed, electric motors are okay.

The Snake and Clearwater are open all year. They have trout, Largemouth bass, Smallmouth bass, Channel catfish, carp and Squawfish. Any trout over 20 inches is considered a steelhead and is regulated accordingly.

Channel catfish in the 15-18 pound range have been caught, but three to eight pounders are more common. Carp to some may be considered a trash fish, however, they're good eating and a lot of fun to catch. Many will weigh five to 10 pounds, and are great fun on light tackle.

Squawfish can run up to around 20 inches, are fun to catch and during some times of the year bring you a bounty. You can get paid to remove them from the river because Squawfish eat steelhead smolts.

Smallmouth bass fishing in the Clearwater River is best up toward or above Orofino. Several five to eight pound smallmouth bass have been taken in this stretch of water from the shore.

Farther south is Waha Lake, which has trout and Smallmouth bass. Even farther south is Soldiers Meadows Reservoir.

East of Moscow is Dworshak Reservoir. The Kokanee and bass are legal now and trout will open Saturday of Memorial Day weekend.

You can also tour the dam and visit the information center located at the dam. The tours are fun and informational. All class of boats and mos are allowed on Dworshak as well as fishing from the shore.

Palouse River and all of its tributaries are located north of Moscow and is open for fishing all year. I personally have not fished this area; however, I understand it is quite good fishing.

For those of you waiting for the spring archery bear season, it will open in April.

If you are not archery certified in Idaho you must take an archery class before they will sell you your tags.

Check with the Idaho Department of Fish and Game for class dates, times and locations.

Regardless of where you fish this weekend, may your reel sing and your stringer be full.

Tuesday, March 26, 1996

## Idaho Wildlife magazine explores Owyhee County

Full of history and hunting opportunities, the southwestern corner of Idaho that once lured miners and cowboys now entices river runners, botanists and all manner of wildlife aficionados, from herpetologists after snakes and lizards to photographers after bluebirds and butterflies.

The spring 1996 issue of *Idaho Wildlife* magazine opens up this little-known country in a 12-page "Driving Guide to the Mud Flat Road" written by Jack Trueblood, who grew up working in and hunting this country with his dad, *Field and Stream* writer Ted Trueblood.

Jack's curiosity about the hardy souls who chose to make their lives in this rough-and-tumble land in the early days led him to track down histories of the old stage stops and ranches that dot the area. He reveals the genesis of geographic names like "Nip 'n' Tuck" and "Hurry Back" creeks and repeats anecdotes about early settlers from

the *Owyhee Avalanche*, Idaho's first daily newspaper.

The Driving Guide checks off noteworthy sites mile by mile, starting at Grand View just south of the Snake River and meandering around South Mountain to Jordan Valley, Ore. In 1995, the route, known as Mud Flat Road, was designated a National Back Country Byway by the U. S. Bureau of Land Management, which manages the more than 3.6 million acres of public lands it accesses.

The Driving Guide features outstanding photographs by Mark Lisk, William H. Mullins, Colleen Sweeney and others illustrating sights to be seen along the route, from windcarved sandstone to petroglyphs to remnants of human habitation.

Would-be springtime travelers will see fields of daisy-like white mule's ears and find a recipe for the huge edible puffballs they could come across. Sources of

maps and other information are given, as well as a warning about travel conditions on the unpaved but well graded main road.

In addition to the Driving Guide, the spring '96 issue contains feature stories on three career paths with the Department of Fish and Game: conservation officer, educator and biologist. Rob Brazie, John Gahl and Sue Nass describe what these people do and how they prepared for their work, educationally and vocationally.

*Idaho Wildlife*, the award-winning bi-monthly magazine published by the Idaho Department of Fish and Game, is sold for \$2.50 a copy at all Fish and Game offices, some PayLess Drug Stores (in the sporting goods department) and at The Book Shop, Borders Books and Coffee News in Boise.

To order a one-year subscription for \$12.95, call 1-800-IDA-WILD anytime to charge Visa or MasterCard.

## Radio auction for Fish and Game raises money for nature center

The sixth annual Idaho Department of Fish and Game/KBOI Radio Auction held March 11 set a record for money raised to help support the operation of the Morrison Knudsen Nature Center in Boise.

The three-hour auction brought in \$14,940 with bidders calling into the Boise radio station from as far away as Cheney, Wash.

The total was not the largest raised in the event when more items were auctioned but the 35 donations this year brought the most money ever per item.

The largest amounts were bid for trips including several offered by Idaho outfitters and guides and working trips to be provided by IDFG personnel doing biological or enforcement tasks.

For the first time, a similar auction will be held in Pocatello March 18. That auction is set to begin at 6:05 p.m. March 18 on KSEI.

Proceeds from that auction will go to support the new Edson Fichter Nature Center at Pocatello.

IDFG Funding Coordinator Kit Freudenberg said many bidders in the Boise auction called to buy the same trip they had bought in previous auctions.

Freudenberg said the outfitters and guides, program sponsors and the radio station, along with enthusiastic bidders, made auction the most successful ever.

## No point of sale machines for deer, elk, antelope

Applicants for controlled hunts of deer, elk and antelope will skip the new Point-of-Sale Machines this year and will file paper hunt applications as in the past.

Idaho Department of Fish and Game licensing chief Steve Beig explained that the company which supplied the new computerized system for purchasing licenses, tags and permits was not able to guarantee that the system would be totally reliable for the hunt drawing application period.

Department officials decided to take no chances with the application process and opted to continue the old system for one year.

G-Tech, the computer system company, agreed to absorb any extra cost caused by staying with the paper process.

Beig said all applicants will be sent a postcard after the hunt drawing to tell them whether or not they were successful. Those who draw a permit can then take their card to a point of sale machine station to purchase their tag.

The application process has been shortened this year, at the request of hunters who want more time to plan their fall vacations.

Applications for deer, elk and antelope controlled hunts must be filed between May 1 and May 31. Prior to this year, the application period came in June.



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## Editor gets SportsCenter highlight



**Dan Eckles**

I could happen so you better watch. Well it did happen and I was there. ESPN is the ultimate in sports journalism and last Friday I got my chance to show the big boys I belong among the best. For those avid ESPN watchers you've probably seen the commercial promoting SportsCenter where the young intern boasts of working with his ESPN hero, Craig Kilborn, and the sports guru likens him to a pizza delivery boy. Well if all goes well that gopher at ESPN could be me... oh and what I wouldn't do to be a low life errand boy for the big show.

Last weekend's trip to Connecticut marked the first time the Big Eck Kid had ventured further east than Colorado. It was educational. Not to insult your knowledge of American history, but many British outcasts colonized the area in the 1700s and these folks were among the first Europeans to hit the modern day USA. All the names in New England, at least central Connecticut, reflect this. For instance I paraded through New Britain, Southington, Middletown, Hartford and many other English sounding (and speaking) towns.

ESPN is headquartered in Bristol Connecticut. Apparently Bristol is Pilgrim for Palouse. I had to pinch myself to make sure I wasn't having a nightmare. Bristol, the home of my beloved ESPN, is based in Moscow, just 3,000-plus miles to the northeast. The village is only about 15,000 people and is surrounded by brown rolling hills. ESPN was supposed to be in a rustic rich suburban environment, NOT MOSCOW. At least that's the way I pictured it in my dreams.

To top it off, directly across the street from the Radisson hotel where I shackled up stood a large storage building. I thought for sure I was going to see some rickety old truck pull away from the huge shed hauling a bunch of grain and sporting a famous potatoes license plate. Bristol was way too much like North Idaho for my taste.

But anyway, to move the story along I'm waiting Friday morning to catch the shuttle down to ESPN Plaza, but the bus is a no show. So I turn to the other guy waiting and offer him a ride (since I had a rented car). Turns out the guy's name is Sergio and he heads up all ESPN broadcasting back to his native Brazil. Hopefully the stunning Serge puts in the good word for me.

I parked in a visitor parking spot. I thought it was a good idea seeing as I was a visitor, but some Starsky and Hutch looking guy comes running at Serge and I yelling at us and asking if we worked there. After answering his question three times that I was there for an interview and not to bomb the place Starsky took himself and his 1970s attire back to his security station. The way this guy accosted me

• SEE ESPN PAGE 14

# It's official, Davis in at Idaho

**Mark Vanderwall**

Staff

The announcement's final, and Kermit Davis has found a home again on the Palouse. After days of speculation, Idaho announced this past week that Kermit Davis would take over as the next men's basketball coach.

Davis comes to Idaho for the second time with a tarnished track record, after getting slapped with recruiting violations at Texas A&M. He seemed to be Idaho's man from day one, as no other real prospects ever surfaced. Terms for his contract have not been disclosed, but it is rumored that he will earn somewhere in the vicinity of \$95,000 for the 96-97 season. The University of Idaho is still attempting to zig-zag the state law that prohibits longer than one year contracts for new employees, by using the reasoning that Davis has been employed here before.

Davis takes over after assisting former Idaho Coach Larry Eustachy, who currently heads the Utah State program. He left Idaho the first time as the winningest

coach in school history at 50-12 after back-to-back 25-6 seasons.

Davis's hiring was not hampered at all by the recruiting violations at Texas A&M, and UI officials feel he has learned a great lesson from what happened there. He will take over a group that loses Harry Harrison, Shawn Dirden and James Jones, but should be fairly competitive during its first season in the Big West.

The move to the Big West may bring a whole new challenge for Idaho, but Davis is very familiar with the conference, as Utah State is a member. He brings this added knowledge with him to Idaho, in hopes of adding to his record as Idaho head man.

Idaho hired Davis after letting former Idaho coach Joe Craven's go without renewing his contract. Craven was released from his coaching duties after posting back-to-back dismal seasons at Idaho in which his teams didn't manage to win over 50 percent of its games. Davis's hiring marks the fifth coach in the last ten years for Idaho, and the third in the 90's.



**Kermit Davis**

## Freshman making instant impact

**Mike Stetson**

Staff

Rebuilding usually takes a long time. You bring in a few new faces each year, hoping for some ray of sunshine, but expecting long spells of frustration. For the Vandal Tennis Team, the possibility for a long spell of frustration disappeared when Tennis Coach Greg South appeared last year, bringing in some of the best junior tennis players in the world.

"I was brought in to make the team competitive," South said.

But competitive may be an understatement. South's team's consist of six freshmen this year, four women and two men, who have helped pace the Vandal's on a new road to respect in tennis circles. South's men are regionally ranked and the women just returned from defeating both Nebraska and Cal-State Fullerton handily before losing in the Tournament finale to Northern Arizona 6-3, in a Mar. 15-17 tournament.

Freshman Rachel Dive has been just one of the many standouts for South's team this season. Going into the Fullerton tournament, Dive had recorded eight straight victories in singles and has won 9 of 10 matches in doubles. The Auckland, New Zealand, native has been enjoying this season and the opportunity to play.

"It's an opportunity of a lifetime," Dive said.

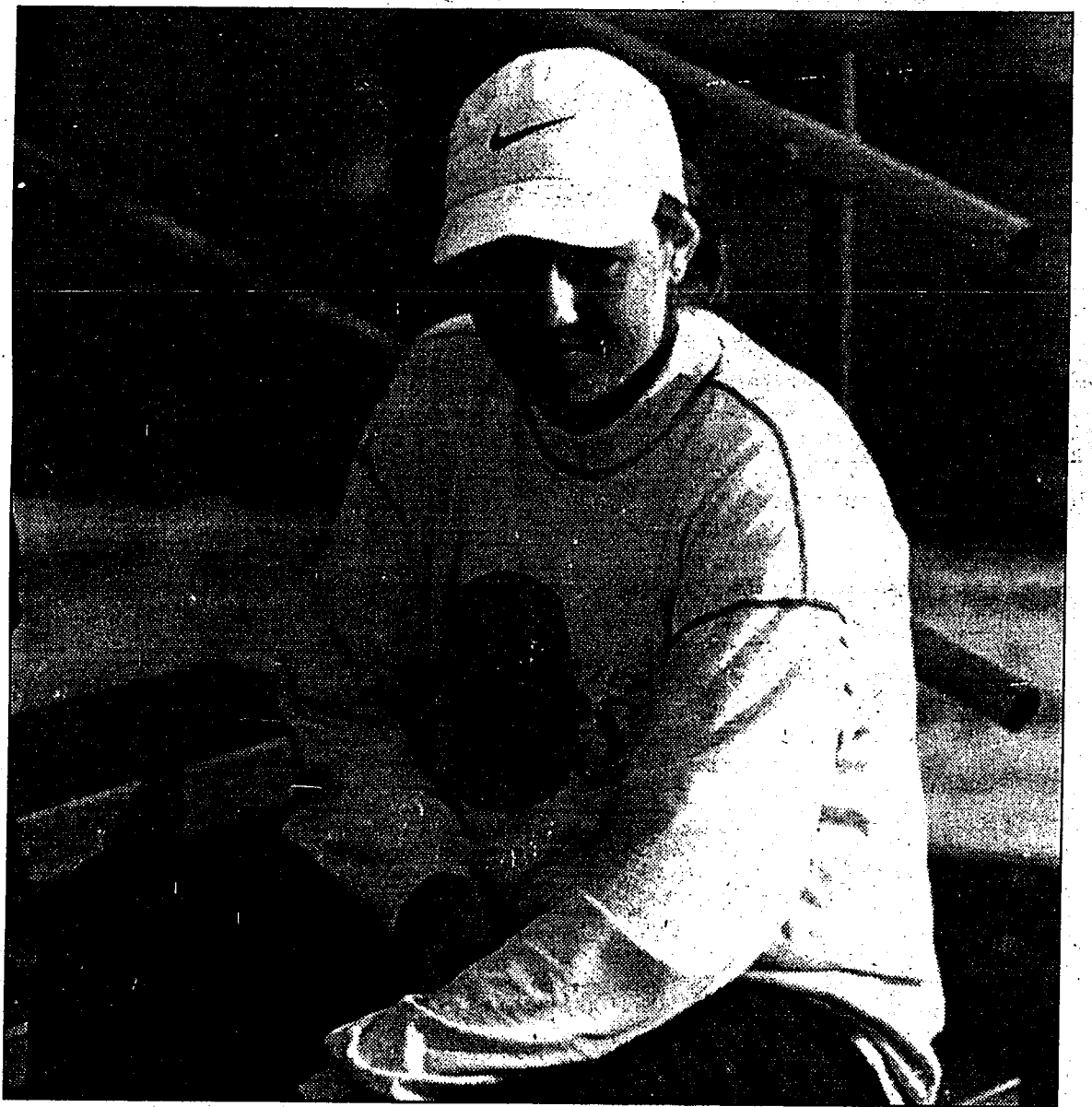
Dive's double's partner, another freshman, Katrina Burke, currently is the number one seed on the team. While she has not managed to put together the string of victories Dive has, Burke does face the number one player from other schools on the court. One of Burke's opponents included a woman from Princeton who advanced to the semi-finals of the Rolex Invitational Tournament, formidable competition.

"I like to play nationally ranked opponents, but I like to win too," Burke said.

Burke, who comes from New South Wales, Australia, looks forward to the team's future this year following close matches against NAU and Boise State, last year's conference champions, as well as in the coming years.

"We're such a young team, we have a good chance. We haven't been beaten really easily," Burke said.

Another member of the team putting together an impressive season is Andrea Ehling, a senior



**Sam Goff**

Rachel Dive takes time out due to bad weather. She has played a key role for the tennis team.

from Bacholt, Germany, who transferred to Idaho from Fresno State to play for South. Ehling also held a seven match win streak going into the Fullerton Tournament.

Ehling, who only began playing tennis at Yuba College in California where South previously coached, is finishing here final year of eligibility and hopes to help the team place in the top three in the Big Sky. She also looks forward to the opportunity to possibly help as an assistant coach next season while she finishes work on here degree.

"We had no expectations, but we've done really good. It's very satisfying," Ehling said about the team's performance this year.

What may look like a rebuilding year has become a season of unexpected success for Idaho.

"We've become much more well

known, we have more matches with other schools" Burke said.

Ehling adds, "we've played some new teams that Idaho hasn't played before."

All of this is part of the team's motto that South says he has on his computer, "Vandal Tennis, Moving Forward."

The Vandal tennis currently is moving forward toward the Big Sky Championships in April. The tennis team competes in the longest of all college sports seasons, 144 days. The team began play last fall with matches against Gonzaga, the Montana schools, Lewis and Clark State, Eastern Washington and Idaho State in October followed by a mid November tournament in California.

This semester, the women's team has played in seven different events since the start of February, and the

men are currently in Irvine, Calif., for their fourth event since early January.

South and his team look forward to the Big Sky Championships that begin Apr. 19-21 for the women and end with the men on Apr. 26-28.

"We've got a great bunch of kids, they keep pushing. They're here for a reason, to get their academics accomplished and athletics."

Members of this year's Vandal tennis team include seniors Chris Daniel, Doug Andersen, Erin Cicalo and Ehling; juniors Keith Bradbury, Scott Petersen, Gwen Nikora and Courtney Peters; sophomores Danny Willman, Steve Moyer and Erin Wentworth; and freshman Dustin Hinson, Jorge Aldrate, Barbara Perez-Martinez, Liza Mulholland, Burke and Dive.

# Weather may put damper on intramurals

**Damon Barkdull**  
Staff

Rain, snow flurries and any other kinds of wet stuff that has fallen out of the wacky Moscow skies have initiated a plethora of rumors about intramural softball getting pushed back a week because of lousy field conditions.

Let the rumors cease. "We're going," said UI intramural director Greg Morrison. "They've had time enough to dry out and there's no major damage. It's not a scientific decision. People want to start practicing soccer and

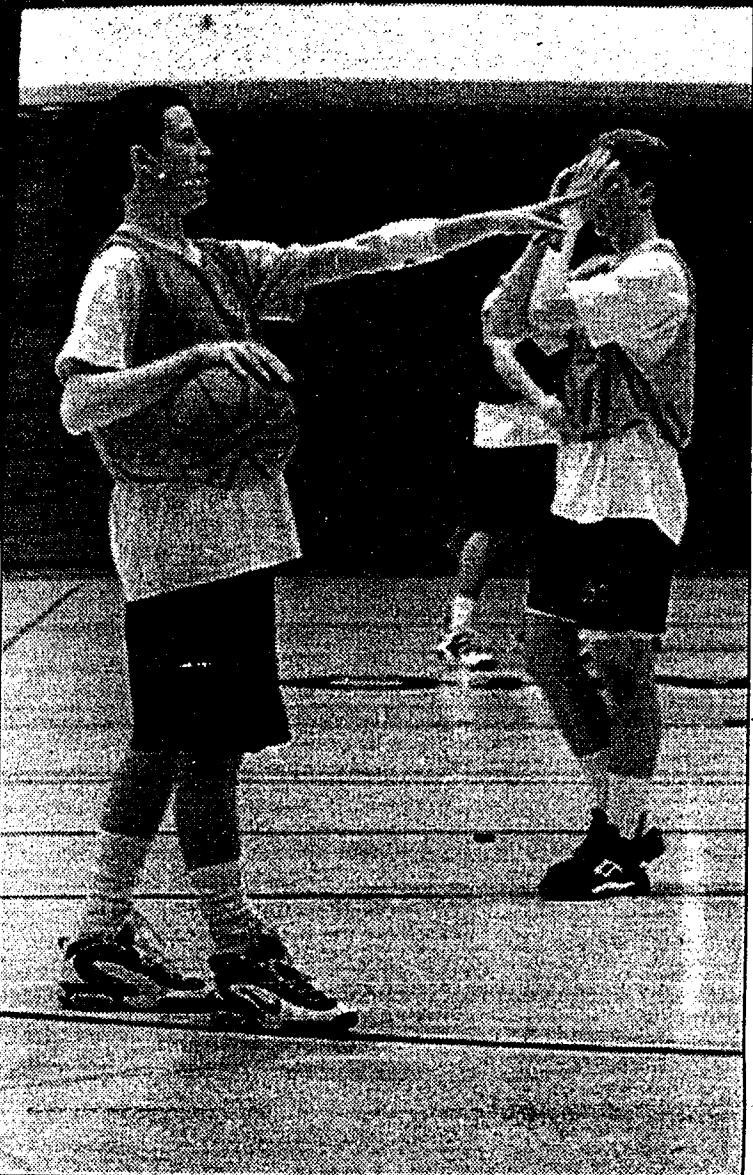
sion once we get there." Morrison declared this year's intramural basketball a success and gave most of the credit to some outstanding officiating.

"The officials did a wonderful job," Morrison said. "Instead of staying stagnant they learned throughout the season. The mainstay of this department is the officials and how they do."

Besides crediting the officials, Morrison gave praise to a new system of sportsmanship rating. Based on a team's sportsmanship during and after a game, the officials give letter grades for a team's behavior on the court - A being the best, E

being the worst. "The sports rating has helped. People are starting to realize what sportsmanship is about," Morrison said. "Teams are starting to control themselves rather than the officials doing all the work. We're putting ownership back into the hands of the players."

The April 11 intramural manager's meeting has been moved to April 18. Also, some other deadlines are quickly approaching, including: power lifting rosters are due Friday, co-rec soccer rosters are due April 1 and co-rec ultimate frisbee rosters are due on April 2.



Nic Tucker

Chris Krasselt points out what play to run during IM basketball.

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If we get rain this week, then something will have to be done. We'll make a decision once we get there.

—Greg Morrison  
UI Intramural Dir.

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baseball teams want to start using the fields. Hopefully we won't ruin them."

Both competitive and recreational softball teams started the competition off on Monday. Although Morrison has decided to go ahead and let the teams play, future games could pend accordingly to weather conditions.

"If we get rain this week, then something will have to be done," Morrison said. "We'll make a deci-

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## Announcements

• Applications are due by May 15 for people competing in the Idaho Sawtooth Relay.

This team relay running event begins in Boise on June 21 and finishes in Stanley, Id. on June 22.

The relay team consists of no more than 10 members, who will compete equal portions of the 125-mile race. A 60-mile Short Course Run and Walk was also added to the event this year for people who don't wish to compete at such a high level.

For more information about this event or an entry form, you may contact either Mark Van Gulik (race director), Jerry Nichols (administration) or Scott Brocke (marketing/promotions) by calling 208/331-3588.

• It is still not too late to register for the seventh annual Washington State University 100K Relay and Solo Run. Registration materials for the April 14 run are available at several WSU spots including the Activities/Recreational Sports Office, the Compton Union Building (room 337) or by calling 509/225-9666.

## Ex-hockey player trades stick for pooper-scooper

Associated Press

KENNEWICK, Wash. — They were easy to forget when the dark, frigid winter formed an icy crust over the back yard.

Pet owners fervently hope the "doggy land mines" beneath the snow will just disappear. But the warmth of spring exposes dog-doo duty so massive it could take weeks with shovel and bucket to clean up.

Steve McNutt knows how it feels. He does it for a living.

McNutt, a former center for the Western Hockey League's Tri-City Americans, started Bowser's Poop Scooping Service more than four months ago, borrowing the idea from a billboard at the Canadian border that advertised a similar business.

"It had a picture of a smiling dog," McNutt, 26, recalled. "I thought it was a good idea."

McNutt sniffed around the Tri-Cities for any competition and asked his friends and co-workers for advice. Some said they had heard of services in Seattle and Portland, but no one knew of any in the Tri-Cities.

"I guess I'm the pioneer of poop," the good-humored McNutt boasts.

You could say McNutt has a nose for the waste-removal business. He works full time as a grounds-maintenance worker at the Richland wastewater treatment plant.

"The smell doesn't bother me," McNutt said. "You get used to it."

His co-workers at the treatment plant have made his new business the butt of many jokes. Example: "Hey McNutt, how's business picking up?"

But McNutt says, "They can joke all they want. As long as it's a conversation piece, I don't care."

A native of Canada, McNutt came to the Tri-Cities in 1987 to play hockey for the Americans. He left the team after three years to go back to school, but says his injury record and his age were deciding factors in his departure. He graduates with a bachelor's in environmental science from Washington State University Tri-Cities in January.

When he was temporarily out of work in December, McNutt distributed business cards for Bowser's Poop Scooping Service to pet stores and pet grooming shops.

Today, he is marketing his services to landscapers, developers, golf courses and senior citizens.

He was reinstated at the treatment plant, so McNutt devotes Saturday mornings to his side business. He has clients from Burbank to Kennewick and jobs on yards ranging in size from a half-acre to the typical residential lot.

"My first job was a customer in Finley," he said. "I must have retrieved 15 bags of the stuff the first time out there. Now it's just maintenance."

McNutt charges \$7 per week for up to two large dogs. Any more animals than that and the rate is negotiable.

One of his customers, Teresa Rohde, wouldn't care how much McNutt charged. Dismayed by the mess her two large dogs leave behind each week, Rohde called as soon as she learned of the business.

"He'll pick up anything," she said. "I send two kids out to play in the yard as soon as he leaves."

McNutt hopes demand will be so high when the weather warms that he'll have to hire extra scoopers.

"It's a great business because there's no overhead," he said. "All you need is a bucket and a shovel. The pets do the rest."

## ESPN • FROM PAGE 12

you'd think ESPN was hiding the blueprints on a new Star Wars program not producing sports news.

Once again my dreams were thrown a curveball when I saw ESPN Plaza. I thought the Plaza would be a 30-story new age World Trade Center replica, but the tallest building on the ESPN campus was only four stories. There was easily 30 satellite dishes on the property. If you didn't know any better you might think ESPN was a subdivision of NASA.

I must however give credit where credit is due. I need to find out who ESPN's interior decorator is. These people have a sense of style. The walls are lined with huge 10-foot by 10-foot wood framed sports murals, ranging from a classic Florida State-Miami football clash to a jockey and his horse breaking away from the field in the Kentucky Derby.

As I expected the interview was tough. I know a lot of information about professional and college sports, but I admit Al Jaffe, ESPN's talent recruitment coordinator, had me on the spot. He asked me who I thought the top running backs coming out in the NFL draft were, who was the most improved player in the NBA, who was the top candidate for the Vizzenna trophy (the NHL's top goaltender) and many other grueling questions. Basically it was a pop verbal essay quiz. Wow good thing it was about sports and not US History or something because I could have taken a doughnut if that were the case.

I know the competition for a job at ESPN is way more than stiff, but I felt good about my ESPN experience. I actually had my first SportsCenter Highlight. I hope there are many more.

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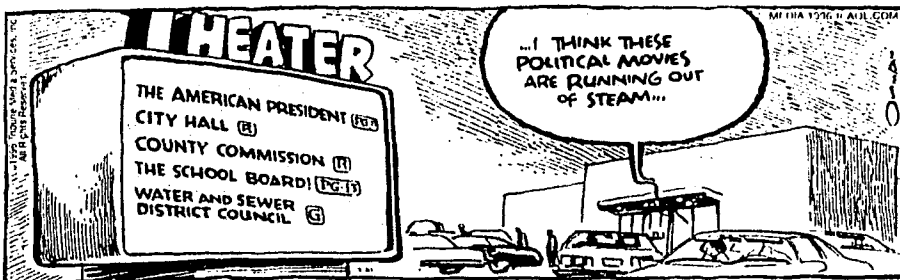
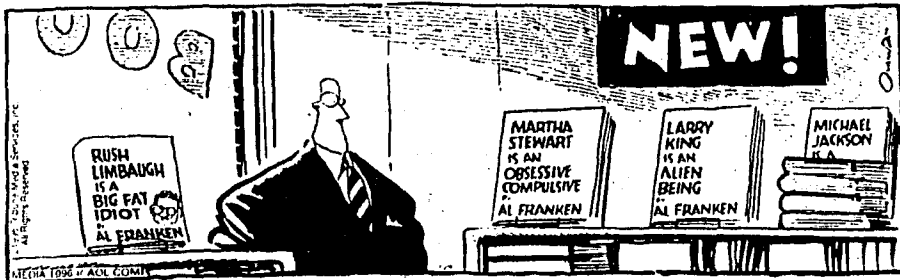
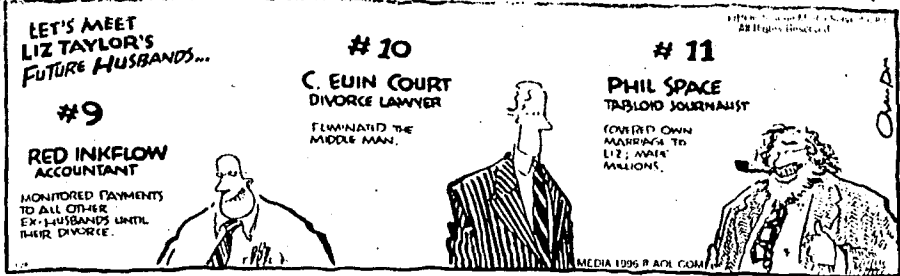
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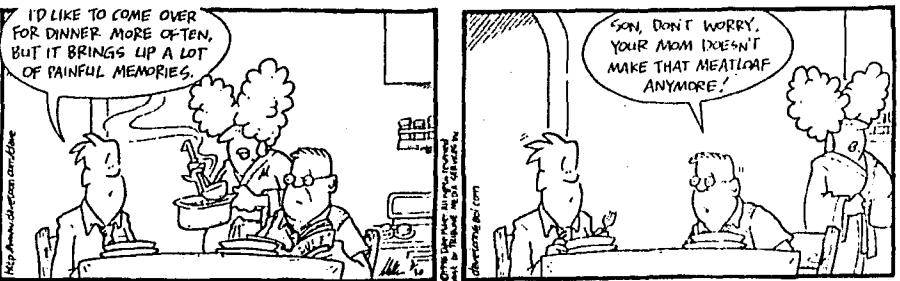
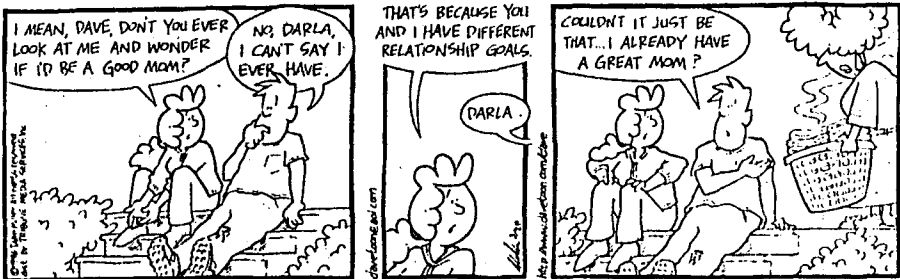
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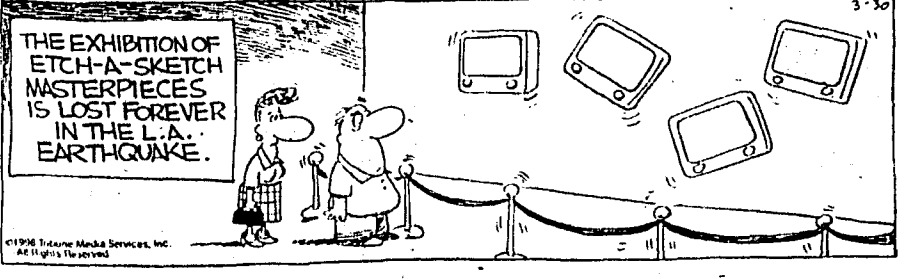
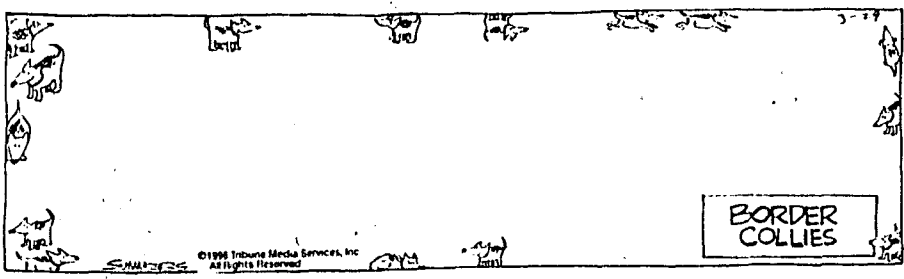
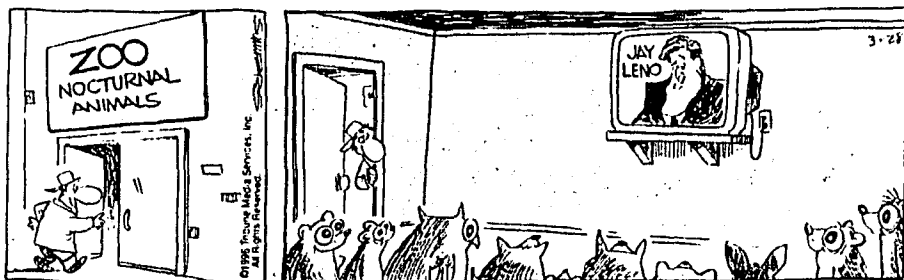
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In order to sit next to an empty seat 44.9 percent of us cover the seat with a coat; 10.6 percent lie, saying the seat is "saved"; 6.8 percent avoid eye contact; 5.5 percent fake being asleep and 3.2 percent glare.

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## *Mom's Weekend Begins New Tradition*

*By Shawn Williams  
Phi Kappa Tau*

This year the University of Idaho will again host a weekend dedicated to the mothers and families of its students. Mom's Weekend, formerly named Parent's Weekend, continues its tradition of acquainting families of students to the UI.

The name change to Mom's weekend coincides with its increasing popularity. After Parent's Weekend last year, several students requested the change to Mom's Weekend in order to complement Dad's Weekend, which is held in the fall. Various alumni groups then began seeking student input on the change. Backed by overwhelming student support, the Mom's Weekend label was adopted, along with an increasing commitment by the Planning Committee to offer events and activities for

students and parents to enjoy together.

The committee stresses that even though the name has changed, the calendar of events remains the same. Mom's Weekend begins at noon of Friday, March 29 and lasts through Saturday evening. It is highlighted by events such as the Northwest Guitar Festival and the Phi Delta Theta Turtle Derby, along with the presentation of the first annual Mom of the Year Award during Saturday's SARB/Parent's Association Mom's Weekend Breakfast.

Mom's Weekend gives families a chance to meet UI administrators, faculty, and staff, as well as learn about the opportunities provided through academic programs and campus life. It is a positive example of building on the continuing tradition of parent involvement here at the UI.

## *California, Here We Come*

*By John Marble  
Alpha Gamma Rho*

California, here we come. The Idaho Colony of Alpha Gamma Rho will be petitioning nationals for their charter in Monterey, California June 25-30. As founding members of the Idaho Colony, we have spent the last three and a half years preparing for this event. Since our founding in November of 1992, with eleven brothers, AGR has grown to an active roster of twenty five members. Our recruitment goal is to have 30 men by this spring.

The AGR principles of scholarship, involvement, and professional development in the fields of Agriculture, Forestry, and Natural Resources are evidenced throughout the colony. The men of AGR are developing themselves

academically and professionally through involvement in many of the clubs and organizations in their fields. Scholarship is a priority for all our members. The colony is developing innovative academic mentoring programs to further the educational goals of all members. AGR is highly supported in the professional development of its members through strong regional and campus Alumni support.

The past three years have been rewarding, yet challenging, as AGR prepares to become the Idaho chapter. Through its many activities, strong alumni support, and dedication, the Idaho colony is prepared to become a chapter of the National Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity. This dream will become a reality for us in Monterey, California.



## Greek Life Rewards ASUI President

By Scott Wise  
Delta Chi

The political road has not been a short one for ASUI president Brian Kane. In fact, it's taken him from one side of this nation to the other. Here in Moscow, he's been an important figure in everything from improving student involvement to helping design the school's future Recreation Center.

Kane began his college career at Embry Riddle Aeronautical University in Daytona Beach, FL. He first became active in Greek life there, joining the college's chapter of Delta Chi. Commenting on fraternity and sorority life there, Brian said that it was "smaller -- only five percent of the students on campus belonged to it."

After transferring to the University of Idaho, Kane

became very involved in campus life. He has been active in the Idaho Chapter of Delta Chi, serving as Alumni Relations Chairman, Vice-President, and currently as Rush Co-chair for the chapter. He has been a delegate on the Interfraternity Council, has held an ASUI senatorial position and was elected ASUI President at the end of last semester.

Brian doesn't seem to be showing any signs of fatigue. "It (the ASUI Presidency) keeps me busy, but I like it, especially when people come to me with a problem or concern and I can help them with it."

He credits a great deal

of his personal and political success to being in the Greek system. "It has given me a lot of opportunities," he said. "The opportunity to grow as a person, to meet a lot of diverse and interesting people, and to create friendships I might not have otherwise had." He also credited fraternal life with giving him some of his first leadership experiences.

Brian also has some goals that he would like to see Idaho's Greeks achieve. He commented that putting together a functional alcohol policy was something he would like to see the Greek system at the U of I achieve, as well as improving the number of people brought in for fraternity and sorority rush each year.



Brian Kane (far left, with his fraternity brothers) has worked diligently at his job of ASUI President.

## G.A.M.M.A. Still "Growing" Strong

By Mandy Horton  
G.A.M.M.A. Intern

G.A.M.M.A. is still working hard this year to promote the safe consumption of alcohol and provide alternate ways to conduct parties here on campus. Greeks Advocating the Mature Management of Alcohol has been on campus for three years

now and deals with health and wellness issues for students at the University of Idaho. G.A.M.M.A. sponsors many events like National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness which is a national week encouraging college students to be aware of their drinking habits. Safe Spring Break Week is another

special week that reminds students not to drink and drive and chose safe ways to party over their spring vacations. G.A.M.M.A. also sponsors sporting events like basketball and football games along with other fun campus activities.

G.A.M.M.A. is a growing organization,

almost doubling their size every year. Involvement and participation are increasing as well as the number of involved campus activities. If you are interested in joining G.A.M.M.A., please call Mandy Horton, President, at 885-6138, or contact the Student Advisory Services in U.C.C. 241.

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# GREEK CALENDAR - SPRING '96

## MARCH

26	Interfraternity Council	6:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	Panhellenic Council	7:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	GAMMA	8:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
29-30	Mom's Weekend		
30	Intramural Powerlifting Play Begins		

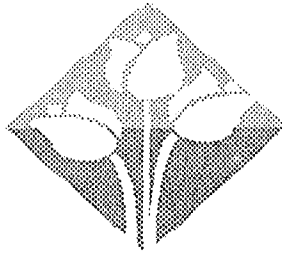
## APRIL

2	President's Meeting	6:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	Order of Omega	7:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
3-10	GREEK WEEK		
4	House Director Meeting	12:00 noon	
8	Intramural Co-Rec Soccer Play Begins		
9	Intramural Co-Rec Ultimate Frisbee Play Begins		
9	Interfraternity Council	6:00 p.m.	TBA
	Panhellenic Council	7:00 p.m.	TBA
	GAMMA	8:00 p.m.	TBA
21	Intramural Palouse Triathlon Play Begins		
23	Interfraternity Council	6:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	Panhellenic Council	7:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	GAMMA	8:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
25	House Director Meeting	12:00 noon	
26	Vandal Friday		
27	Intramural Frisbee Golf Play Begins		
27	Special Olympics		

## MAY

1	President's Meeting	6:00 p.m.	Silver Room (SUB)
	Order of Omega	7:00 p.m.	Silver Room (SUB)
6-10	Dead Week		
7	Interfraternity Council	6:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	Panhellenic Council	7:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
	GAMMA	8:00 p.m.	Appaloosa Room (SUB)
13-17	Finals		
18	Commencement		





# UI MOM'S WEEKEND MARCH 29-30, 1996

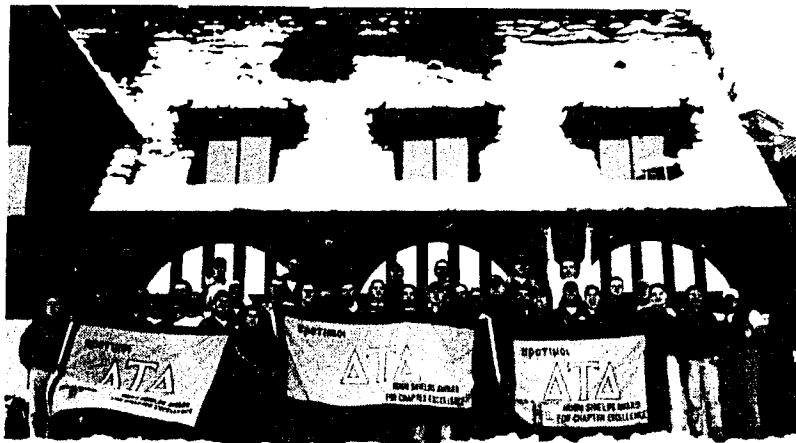
## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<b>Friday, March 29</b>	<b>Noon - 8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Preregistered families can pick up packets and souvenirs at the 1 Carpet on main floor of Student Union Bldg.</b>
	<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Honors Convocation (Memorial Gym) FREE</b>
	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>President's Reception (Gold Galena, SUB) FREE</b>
	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>ASUI Awards Ceremony (Admin. Aud.) FREE</b>
	<b>8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Guitar Recital (James Reid) (Music Recital Hall) \$4-6</b>
	<b>8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Coffeehouse (Irene Ferrera) (SUB) FREE</b>
	<b>8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Dancers, Drummers, &amp; Dreamers V (Hartung) \$4-7</b>
<b>Saturday, March 30</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>SARB Breakfast (Ballroom) \$7</b>
	<b>9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Mom pictures (Vandal Lounge \$6 (\$4 for extras)</b>
	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	<b>39th Annual Turtle Derby (Phi Delta Theta) FREE</b>
	<b>Noon - 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Free bowling and billiards (SUB Underground)</b>
	<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Phi Kappa Phi Reception (Silver and Gold Room) FREE</b>
	<b>3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Alpha Lambda Delta Initiation and Reception (Appaloosa, SUB) FREE</b>
	<b>7:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Blue Key Talent Show (Ballroom) FREE</b>
	<b>8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Guitar Recital (Gerald Klickstein) (Music Recital Hall) \$4-6</b>
	<b>8:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Dancers, Drummers, &amp; Dreamers V (Hartung) \$4-7</b>

# Delts win another Hugh Shields

By Jeff Pidgeon  
Delta Tau Delta

On February 24, officers from the U of I chapter of Delta Tau Delta attended their national conference in Los Angeles. At the convention there were several awards given to chapters that pursued excellence within the fraternity. The Idaho chapter won an award in academics, a Court of Honor award for the top twenty chapters of the fraternity, and the Hugh



Delta Tau Delta shows off the awards they received during their recent national conference.

Shields Award, the most prestigious of all. After undergoing a rigorous examination of all aspects of chapter management and operations, only ten chapters emerge as winners of the Fraternity's "Hugh Shields Award for Chapter Excellence." Delta Tau Delta at the University of Idaho took one of those home making it there thirteenth honor.



## GOOD JOB! KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!

Fall Semester 1995 Grades

### WOMEN

Kappa Kappa Gamma	3.28
Gamma Phi Beta	3.21
Delta Gamma	3.19

### MEN

Phi Gamma Delta	3.03
Delta Tau Delta	2.96
Sigma Nu	2.89

### AVERAGES

All Sorority Women	3.03
All Residence Hall Women	2.91
All On Campus Women	3.00
All Fraternity Men	2.73
All Residence Hall Men	2.64
All On Campus Men	2.71
All Greek	2.85
All Residence Hall	2.76
All On Campus	2.83

HOW DO YOUR GRADES COMPARE??

## Kappa Sigma philanthropy: A year round effort

By Kevin McCall  
Kappa Sigma

This fall the men of Kappa Sigma Held their annual Powder Puff Tournament to raise money for Stride for Gold and UI Women's Athletics.

This spring Kappa Sigma held its other annual philanthropy, Basketball Marathon, to raise money for cancer research at Mountain States Tumor Institute. Most of the fraternities, sororities, and residence halls participated and made both of these events a success. In addition to these philanthropies, Kappa Sigma also participates in the Idaho Adopt-a-Highway program and other Greek philanthropies throughout the year.



## Intramural Sports

Event	Entry Deadline	Play Begins
Powerlifting (Men & Women)	March 29	March 30
Co-Rec Soccer	April 1	April 8
Co-Rec Ultimate Frisbee	April 2	April 9
Palouse Triathlon	April 12	April 21
Frisbee Golf M/W	April 26	April 27

## Sigma Nu, going once, twice . . . **SOLD!**

**S** The annual spring Sigma Nu Bachelor auction is approaching fast. The date is set for March 27th, in the Sigma Nu chapter house at Washington State University. This years auction is expected to be better than ever. For those of you that don't know what a bachelor auction is, take a minute to read on. University of Idaho and Washington State University Sigma

Nu's team up in an attempt to raise money for the Wishing Star Foundation. The Bachelor Auction provides a chance for all female living organizations to buy an eligible Sigma Nu group. Each group performs a skit, and the women bid on these men. These men are then required to serve as "Helpers for a day."

Last year the Sigma Nu Fraternity received the special service award

from the Wishing Star Foundation. There were over 16 sororities from the University of Idaho and Washington State University. They had a chance to bid on over 100 men. This is a time for fun, but let's not forget what a great cause it is. The Wishing Star foundation helps less fortunate kids' wishes come true. Along with the money raised from the sororities, businesses

around the area are always happy to pitch in.

This is going to be a great time, for a great cause. On behalf of the University of Idaho and the Washington State University Sigma Nu's, we hope to see you at the end of March. Please, come with your hearts full of love (for the Wishing Star kids), and your minds thinking of men (Sigma Nu's).

*The Men of Sigma Nu*

## Phi Kappa Tau adopts new philanthropy

*By Shawn Williams  
Phi Kappa Tau*

The men of Phi Kappa Tau have proudly announced the adoption of a new national philanthropy. The Hole In The Wall Gang Camp, founded primarily by actor, and Phi Tau alumnus, Paul Newman, is a nonprofit residential summer camp for children with cancer or other life-threatening illnesses. Newman and other founders named the camp after the Hole In

The Wall Gang- the band of bandits led by Newman and Robert Redford in the film "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid."

Eight hundred children between the ages of 7 to 15 come each year, free of charge, from all parts of the world. The camp is a 300- acre farm in a backwoods setting, complete with a 44- acre pond, located in eastern Connecticut. Campers and their families find it to be an enjoyable and

reviving outdoor experience. Hiking, fishing, camping, and circus- type stage acts are just a few of the many events that occur each summer. Camp sponsored programs such as the "O.K. Corral", a fully- equipped clinic located in the camp, provided round- the- clock health care and assistance for all those involved. In addition, health education seminars are given each week to provide campers with

access to the latest information and products available.

The Hole In The Gang campers experience more than just an enjoyable summer. This camp is a crucial life experience, enlarging the heart, empowering the mind, and strengthening the spirit. It is an act of kindness the make the members her at Phi Kappa Tau proud, and honored, to be a part of.

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