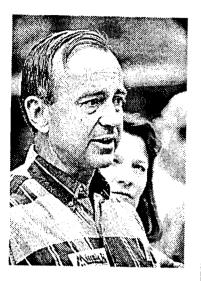
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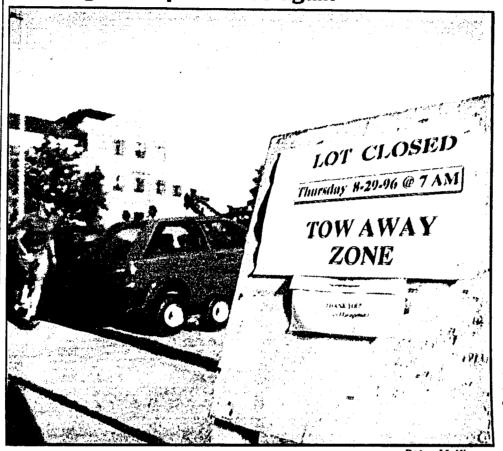
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Look for more clouds today with a chance of showers. Highs in the 80s through the weekend.

#### Parking Gestapo strikes again



Peter McKinney tents. Each owner

Several cars were towed from lot 16 adjacent to Elmwood Apartments. Each owner will face a \$100 fine for the privilege of having their vehicle relocated to the far end of the Kibble Dome.

# **Moscow bowlers bump students in Underground**

Bryant J. Kuechle

Staff

got to class this morning and I was told it had been canceled," Jason Eadon, a disgruntled bowler, said Tuesday. "They said the adult league needs the facility."

Due to the destruction of the Bowlarama bowling alley this summer, Moscow bowling leagues have begun using the Student Union Building. This created a conflict with the 10:30 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday individual bowling class.

"The bowling alley should not be there as a business, it should be a service to the students," Eadon said.

"It's our money that went into that place, we deserve priority," student Cameron Grantham said. "How can they put these bowlers over UI students who need an education?"

David Mucci, SUB director, made the decision to relocate the class to accommodate the league.

"If bowling lanes are to survive on this cam-

pus we need all the league support or we are not going to have enough money to have bowling," Mucci said. "Bowling is a break-even operation. We're looking at a system that was put in 30 years ago. Investments of a quarter-million to half-a-million (dollars) will need to be done in the future."

Students were given the option of taking the class on Monday and Wednesday at 9:30, 10:30 or 11:30. Only five students in the class could accommodate the class. The physical education department needs a minimum of 15 students in order to create a new class.

Eadon, a senior, needs the one-credit class to graduate. "Calvin Lathen (physical education director) said he could put me into another PE class but nothing fit into my schedule," Eadon

"I didn't think it was going to be a problem and it shouldn't be in the future," Lathen said. "If we had known the league schedule this fall it could have been accommodated. The crisis situation has been taken care of."

The destruction of the Bowlarama is to make way for a Wendy's restaurant at the Pullman Highway location.

"The real estate was more valuable than the profit of the bowling alley," Mucci said. "Bowling is in a decline, it's an older person's sport."

Many items from the Bowlarama have been moved to the SUB underground, including numerous awards and the Moscow bowlers hall of fame display case.

# E-mail log-on slows to a snails pace

Adam Gardels

niversity of Idaho students attempting to use their e-mail accounts on Tuesday either gave up in frustration or got through after waiting.

At about noon on Tuesday the system was running very slow because, "Our largest and most powerful Nest machine Harrier went down. That caused problems as the load on the system increased as school started up," said Kari Dickinson, acting director of computer services.

After typing in their user name at the log-on prompt, users were confronted with a long wait before the password prompt appeared. The time lag was caused by a strain on the system as the Harrier server was inoperable, Dickinson said.

The Nest — the UNIX server system devoted to general use across campus — is a series of servers named after birds of prey: Harrier, Owl, Goshawk, Buzzard and Raven, Dickinson said. There are about 12,000 accounts on the nest and usually about 200 users logged on at any given moment, said Huba Leidenfrost, systems network analyst.

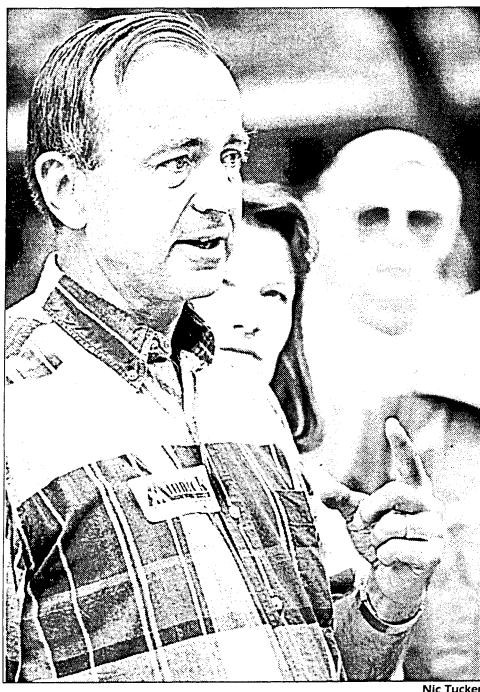
The Harrier server is also being upgraded from UNIX version nine to version 10 and Dickinson noted that this has contributed to temporary problems with the Harrier server. She warned that Harrier may experience troubles for the next one to two weeks due to the upgrade to the server.

Users shouldn't worry since the "log into the Nest" icon instantly allocates users to the quickest server to use.

Warning against users who faithfully use the same server time after time, Dickinson said, "We still need to educate people about the Nest. If a person is used to logging in on the Raven and the Raven goes down, we want people to know that they can log onto other servers and do the same things."



Peter McKinney Exchange student Kyoung Yun Lee sets up to shoot the lane down in the Underground.



Walt Minnick spoke at Friendship Square Tuesday morning.

Nic Tucker

# 'Minnick for Us' tour stops in Moscow

Senatorial candidate takes issues-based campaign on statewide bus trip

Jeff Olson

Walt Minnick, Democratic challenger to Senator Larry Craig (R-Idaho) made a campaign tour stop in Moscow Tuesday at Friendship Square.

Minnick attacked Sen. Craig's votes on education, budget and welfare but was most venomous when he discussed the deal for the storage of nuclear waste at the Idaho Nuclear Engineering Laboratory (INEL), which Craig and Governor Phil Batt supported earlier this year.

"Nevada's two senators refused to make the deal (with the federal government) while our senators just roll(ed) over and let Idaho be the only state to voluntarily accept nuclear waste," Minnick said.

Minnick and his campaign staff are on an eight-day, 54 "city, town, and hamlet" tour of Idaho which began Monday and will end in Boise on Labor Day. He is the president of TJ International, a Boise construction materials company.

Minnick's reason for the tour is his belief that he and Craig "owe the citizens of the state an opportunity to hear the discussions of the issues"

He had hoped to hold a series of 10 public debates with Senator Craig, three of which were to be held in North Idaho (in Coeur d'Alene, Moscow and Lewiston).

Minnick said the people of Idaho are

"tired of the kind of representation which allows a U.S. Senator (who is) running for re-election, (and) has all of the time in the world to have dinner with the special interest lobbyists who write \$5,000 political action committee checks, but can't find any time in his campaign to discuss issues with his opponent in front of the people."

Minnick continued to attack what he described as the "prostitution" of candidates, which he said was largely responsible for "eroding Americans' faith in government."

He suggested several reforms in the area of campaign finance, including eliminating PACs, capping campaign spending based on the overall population of the state or district, and providing equal access to the broadcast media in issue-oriented programming, instead of "sound-byte political ads."

Minnick said these reforms are "essential to restore the America we studied in high school civics courses, and the kind of America the founding fathers envisioned."

He said that the budget should be balanced in one year, and has been outlining how he would cut waste, streamline, and economize the federal budget in weekly press releases entitled "the Weekly Pork Chop."

"Once the budget is balanced," Minnick said, "then we can talk about tax cuts."

He wants scientists and specialists to form a model for forest, river, and stream management and health maintenance, and their recommendations would supersede the influence of economic authorities.

Minnick said the Republican party has moved too far to the right and has alienated itself from the people it was meant to represent. He has the same criticism of Senator Craig for his votes on education and for partaking in the "fiscal irresponsibility which is leading the country in the wrong direction."



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# New President greets faculty members

**Shelby Beck** 

The immediate challenge University of Idaho President Robert A. Hoover said he and the faculty will face together is the One Percent Initiative.

The university would suffer a 33 percent loss of income should the initiative to lower property taxes to one percent of their assessed value be passed, Hoover told his audience of faculty members yesterday in the Administration Auditorium.

While greeting the faculty members, Hoover said why he accepted the position and shared observations he has made about the university, and his vision for UI.



The university is giving the state a very good payoff in terms of its investment.

> —Robert Hoover **UI President**



UI's status as a land-grant university was one factor that influenced Hoover.
"To me, the land-grant education institution

is what this country has been about for the last 150 years," Hoover said.

Hoover related how the agriculture station of an Iowa university helped his grandmother successfully run a farm after her husband died in 1919. The station made it possible for his grandmother to greatly increase the crop yield per acre.

Hoover said UI succeeds in what he sees as the three requirements of a land-grant school: undergraduate study, research and outreach programs. The university has been named one of 100 best buys in higher education and is one of 25 Carnegie II research universities.

"The university is giving the state a very

good payoff in terms of its investment," Hoover said.

He noted, however, that like other institutions of higher education, UI is seeing its share of the state budget cuts while corrections, highways and Medicaid funds rise.

'We're not likely to increase our share of the state budget," Hoover said.

In the future, Hoover said he wants to 'grow more ivy on campus," and become the university of choice in the West.

During a question-and-answer session, Hoover was asked if there were any resources flagged to be reallocated to departments low in funds.

"We didn't get into our problem in one afternoon and we're not going to get out of it in one," Hoover said of the budget.

#### Service learning program takes off

Andrea Lucero

Life experience has become a classroom requirement in some classes, thanks to the University of Idaho's Service Learning Program.

Service learning is a program where students apply their academic learning to meaningful reallife situations. Professors using the program link academic learning with community service.

The service learning program allows students to use active, experimental learning when dealing with their classes. They learn to use knowledge acquired from their classes to solve real-life problems," said Tanya Atwood-Hoover, coordinator of the pro-

Each semester the program's staff collaborates with members of the UI faculty to include service as a course component. In a service learning course, students

have the opportunity to serve each week in a community agency and to bring that service experience into the work of the course.

"The service learning system makes everything a lot more interesting," said Jamie Retacco, a UI senior. "My psychology class kept journals about our experiences at our community agency. We used the journals for discussion about how our experience directly related to class

A few of the community agencies served through the program are: Alternatives to Violence, American Red Cross, Sojourner's Alliance (formerly YWCA) and

Gritman Medical Center.

"The community agencies are very willing to be part of the Service Learning Program. Although the program takes time away from the agencies because the students need supervision, the

agencies really appreciate the students' motivation and creativity," Atwood-Hoover said.

Some of the courses offering a service learning component include: Sociology 110 (designated sections), Sociology 315, and Psychology 404.

Although the service learning program began two years ago, it was not until recently more faculty received information and have become willing to partici-

"Currently UI is the only Idaho member of Campus Compact, a consort of 500 universities across the United States who endorse service learning," said Atwood-Hoover. "Campus compact provides resources for faculty through discussion groups and classes. The faculty have become really involved."

For more information about service learning, contact Atwood-Hoover at 885-5822.

#### **Andrew White**

The Gamma Phi Beta National Chapter Award, presented every two years to the best Gamma Phi chapter in the U.S. and Canada, was awarded to the University of Idaho chapter this year in Kansas City, Mo., at its national convention.

"We were very excited. We worked very hard and we felt all of our hard work paid off," said Gamma Phi President Sarah Berch.

Recently the Gamma Phis have been involved in recess monitoring at local grade schools, tutoring assistance for elementary schools, Christmas caroling and highway cleanup. Each year they adopt a lessfortunate family from the community and provide food and gifts to help them through the holiday season.

"It shows something for the UI Greek system. And it shows something for their house. They're definitely doing something right. It's really great for the Greek system,"

said Beta Theta Pi member Brent

Gable.

**Gamma Phis win national honors** 

The Gamma Phis had a good rush this fall and are looking forward to a productive year. "We are going to try and stay involved," Berch said. "Any new community things we can do to get involved in to promote the Greek system as well as our sorority will be

There are 111 Gamma Phi chapters in the U.S. and Canada who may apply for the award. Berch, rush chair Bonnie Spears, and standards chair Stacie McCombs traveled to Kansas City to accept the award.

The UI Greek system has come under scrutiny due to the number of alcohol related infractions. "I think it's unfair, not all the houses are causing the problems," said FarmHouse member David Glenn. He was impressed with Gamma Phi's work.

"It's pretty impressive. They're good on campus and a lot of people look up to them," Glenn said.



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#### Alcohol threatens students' health, pocketbook

Jody Paulson

Ah, the joys of an underage drinking spree.

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Maybe this went through the mind of the 17-year-old Alpha Phi pledge who was hospitalized at Gritman

Medical Center with alcohol poisoning this weekend.

"You can drink yourself to death," said the hospital's Dr. Debbie McKinnon.
"There is actually a blood level to where you can die."

According to a list from McKinnon, a blood alcohol level of .20 marks the onset of severe alcohol poisoning. McKinnon said it's possible to be severely intoxicated and still appear somewhat in control. "Body size, hydration, how fast you drink, all can effect the outcome," McKinnon said.

Aside from alcohol selected on

Aside from alcohol-related car accidents, McKinnon said, "the thing that kills people is they go out, they drink way too much, they come home and they're intoxicated to the point of coma. They vomit, they aspirate, and they are asphyxiated by their own vomit."

McKinnon says that it's important that severely intoxicated people be held under constant surveillance and laid on their side so they won't choke if they vomit.

Sue Boydston of Gritman Medical Center Admissions remembers someone who wasn't so lucky. "Last year we had one come in when his friend couldn't wake him up... he aspirated and he died. I think he was around 20."

Even the lucky ones don't get off cheap. Boydston said that a 24-hour detoxification at Gritman Medical Center would cost up to \$1,000

"Some insurances won't pay for alcohol abuse so it's out of their pocket," Boydston said.

And if the hospital doesn't get them, the

courthouse will. It's a misdemeanor to consume alcohol before age 21. First-time offenders can be fined up to \$1,000 and have their driver's license suspended for year, a representative of the county prosecutor said. Second offenders can be fined \$2,000 and sentenced to 30 days in jail.

Underage drinking on campus is also a violation of Ul's code of conduct. Violators may end up paying for the alco-

hol awareness classes they'll have to take.

# Pi Kappa Alpha ordered to hold dry parties

Associated Press

MOSCOW — The Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity at the University of Idaho has been ordered to hold seven dry parties this semester as part of its punishment for serving alcohol to pledges at a summer rush party in McCall.

Police cited seven potential Pi Kappa Alpha pledges for underage drinking July 7 during a rush event at the Shore Lodge.

Besides the dry parties, the UI Interfraternity Council ordered the fraternity last week to pay \$1,500 to bring a national alcohol awareness speaker to Moscow and to write apologies to the parents of all the minors who were served alcohol at the party.

Serving alcohol at any scheduled rush activity is a violation of the IFC's rush rules.

"We wanted to be fair to them; we didn't want to undermine their ability to further their house for the next couple years, and we didn't want them to get off with a slap on the wrist," IFC President Justin Stiefel said Tuesday. "There are a lot of things we can't do, so we try to keep a bal-

Pike Rush Chair Tim Eichelberger said the fraternity already has sent out letters of apology and paid the fine.

Because the event happened off-campus, university officials said the school could do little in the way of punishment.

The Pike national fraternity office in Memphis, Tenn., was notified of the violations and Stiefel said a representative was planning a trip to Moscow to review the incident.

#### **Announcements**

## **Enrichment Program holds** test prep classes

The UI Enrichment Program is offering prep classes for the GRE and LSAT. The GRE course will be held Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 18 through Oct. 9 from 7-9 p.m. in Niccolls 12. The LSAT course will be held Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, Sept. 16-30, from 7-8:30 p.m. Both courses have a \$65

fee and have required texts. For more information or to register, contact the enrichment program at 885-6486.

#### ASUI Senate meets

The ASUI Senate will hold its first meeting Wednesday, Sept. 4 at 7 p.m. in the Galena Gold Room of the Student Union Building. All interested are invited to attend.

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# Craig adoption federal tax credit made law

**Justin Oliver Ruen** 

Financial costs of adopting children may be less painful thanks to legislation co-authored by Idaho Senator Larry Craig.

An adoption tax credit, coauthored by Craig and Alabama Senator Richard Shelby, was included in the minimum-wage legislation which President Clinton signed Aug. 20. The provision would allow up to \$5,000 in non-refundable tax credit for general adoption costs, deductions for employer-provided adoption assistance and up to \$6,000 for expenses in adopting "special needs" children.

"The average cost of adopting a child in our country is about \$10,000," Craig said in a prepared statement.

"That financial burden is just too much for many families. The adop-

tion tax credit would help defray that cost, and will go a long way in overcoming the financial obstacles families face when trying to adopt a child," Craig said.

Craig, an adoption advocate for many years and father of three adopted children, first introduced adoption tax credit legislation in 1991.

There are many costs involved with adopting a child, said Donna Euler, child welfare coordinator for Lutheran Social Services of Washington and Idaho.

"There are legal costs in most adoptions to have the parents' parental rights terminated...(as well as) finalization costs," Euler said. "That's where you go to court and the adopting parents receive permanent custody of the child. Every adoption entails two different hearings, one to address the parents' parental rights and sever those and then one to ensure that the adopting

parents have custody of the child."

In addition to legal costs, counseling and medical expenses also occur, said Euler. "For some families, adoption simply is not an option because of the costs involved."

"I think (the legislation) will make adoption more affordable for many people and perhaps make it an option for people that could not otherwise (afford to adopt)," Euler said

# Microsoft Windows 95 anniversary overshadowed by Internet browser battle

Associated Press

SEATTLE — Don't expect Jay Leno monologues, prime-time TV ads or color changes at the Empire State Building.

The one-year anniversary of Microsoft Corp.'s release of Windows 95 promises to be a much quieter, less glitzy affair.

Microsoft estimates that 40 million copies of the software product, a major upgrade to the company's popular operating system for personal computers, have been sold since its release in August 1995 amidst a \$30 million publicity blitz.

That makes it the fastest-selling computer software product in history.

But the hoopla over Windows 95 has largely been overshadowed by a fierce battle arising on another front of new-age computing: the Internet. Microsoft, based in suburban Redmond, is taking on Netscape Communications Corp. of Mountainview, Calif., in the race to set a standard for "browsing" the World Wide Web.

Browser programs allow people to find and work with information on the Web. Netscape's Navigator is used by about 80 percent of people who browse the Web. Microsoft's Explorer is used by about 10 percent but is rapidly making inroads.

"The Internet almost immediately overshadowed Win 95 after it was shipped last year, with the browser being the most tangible product associated with the Internet," said Dwight Davis, editor of the independent

monthly newsletter Windows Watcher.

Both companies have released new versions of their products in the past two weeks.

Netscape has complained to the Justice Department that Microsoft is violating its antitrust agreement by using its dominance in personal computer operating systems to persuade computer makers, Internet service companies and others into giving Microsoft's Internet software prominence over competitors like Netscape.

Microsoft denies playing unfair.

Netscape and others believe the browser can eventually replace the operating system and be the platform around which software developers and computer system designers will fashion their products.

Microsoft's strategy is that the operating system is the platform on which the Internet rests.

"We view the whole growth of the Internet as highly synergistic to Windows 95," said Jonathan Roberts, marketing director for Windows 95 and its big brother, Windows NT.

This fall, hundreds of thousands of shrink-wrapped boxes containing Windows 95 disks will be opened to replace Explorer 2.0 with the newer Explorer 3.0, then will be re-sealed for shipment and eventual sale to con-

"We needed to update that at a more rapid rate than we could update the rest of the package," Roberts said. "The incredible and rapid growth of the Internet is an amazing phenomenon that the whole company is being reorganized to handle."

Microsoft's Internet platforms and tools division, created in February, has swelled to 2,500 employees.

Roberts says Explorer now has about an 18 percent market share. Recent outside estimates have put Explorer's share at 10 percent.

"Microsoft is gaining ground," said Suzanne Snygg, an industry analyst at Dataquest Inc., a market research firm in San Jose, Calif. "Microsoft has told a really compelling story in the past year."

Whether Microsoft succeeds in eventually eliminating the need for a stand-alone browser remains to be seen. But it has deep pockets and a hegemony on the PC.

"Microsoft isn't an 800-pound gorilla, they're like a whole colony of 800pound gorillas," said Frank Catalano, a computer industry analyst and consultant. "It's been shown over and over again that you don't knock off the dominant player by fighting them head on."

As for Win 95, sales have been good for Microsoft but some software makers who hoped to ride the coattails of its success have been disappointed.

Symantec Corp. of Cupertino, Calif., reported disappointing earnings after concentrating heavily on new utility programs for Windows 95.

Another utility manufacturer, TouchStone Software Corp. of Huntington Beach, Calif., was hit with a shareholder suit over disappointing sales of Windows 95-related products.

# Free computer classes aid students

**Erin Schultz** 

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When it comes to the Internet, sometimes it's a jungle out there.

Computer Service's help desk is once again offering free classes to help students find their way around on UI computer systems

"We'll have students come in to get e-mail accounts with us, and often times we'll see them back in line with more questions the next day," said Joyce Davidson, help desk coordinator.

Topics covered in the sessions will include: World Wide Web, Pine, Pegasus, and Logging In & File Management. Students can learn how to use their e-mail accounts, how to set up a homepage on World Wide Web, or how to create their own files.

Students can choose either a half-hour lecture session or an hour hands-on experience. Both sessions will cover the same topics. There is no need to sign up. Classes are offered on a first come, first served basis.

Lecture sessions are conducted in Niccolls 6, which is in the Family and Consumer Sciences Building. Hands-on classes are held in Administration 24. Fifteen computers are available for these sessions, which means that space will be limited.

Trained student help desk consultants teach the classes. A question/answer session is included in all classes, and students should come prepared to take notes. If the session entails hands-on work, your account number and password will be needed.

The first sessions were offered Wednesday and the final sessions will be held Sept. 13. Most are conducted in the afternoon. To get a complete schedule of class times and topics, visit the help desk office in Admin 22, use Internet address helpdesk@uidaho.edu or call 885-2725.

Last fall the help desk offered these classes for the first time. "They were well-attended and successful. It helps us avoid lines in our office and it informs people," Davidson said. Classes will be offered in the beginning of spring semester as well.

# Student Organization Forums

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#### The Forum opportunities for September are:

- 1. Tuesday, September 3rd, 3:00 pm in the Student Union Silver Room
- 2. Thursday, September 5th, 7:00 in the Student Union Silver Room

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- · ASUI funding and reimbursement
- UI and Student Union policy and procedures for student organizations
- Student Union room reservations
- Student Leadership Education opportunities



#### THE ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND

Thursday, September 5
Doors 6:30pm Show 7:30pm
WSU Coliseum

Tickets are \$22 and \$28 and are on sale Monday, August 5 at all G&B Select-A-Seat Outlets or charge by phone at 800-325-SEAT.

# Labor day fuel gauge shows prices up 3 cents

Associated Press

BOISE — Gasoline prices at Idaho pumps have gone up 3 cents a gallon in the past month, bucking a three-month national trend, according to Idaho's AAA affiliate.

The AAA Idaho's Labor Day Fuel Gauge Survey found the average price for a gallon of self-serve unleaded gas at \$1.36 — 11 cents higher than the national average price and 17 cents higher than a year ago.

The AAA said average pump prices ranged from \$1.33 in southeastern Idaho to \$1.422 in the Panhandle. Prices in southwestern Idaho, including Boise, averaged \$1.347.

Gas prices moved sharply higher starting in early April and peaked at an all-time high of \$1.48 a gallon just before Memorial Day. Prices then moderated, dropping to an average of \$1.34 in late July before inching higher in the past month.

"Idaho's gas prices took a sharp break from the historical trend line this year," AAA Idaho spokesman Dave Carlson said. "Idaho motorists paid as little as \$1.10 a gallon in January and as much as \$1.48 in May."

Nationally, AAA's monthly Fuel Gauge Report shows the average price of self-serve unleaded gas dropped for the third consecutive month to \$1.25. Based on the latest national report, Idaho's price for self-serve unleaded is the seventh-highest in the continental United States.

Nevada posted the highest average price at \$1.45, and Georgia had the lowest price at \$1.099.

In other surrounding states, Montana's average price was \$1.40, Utah's \$1.298, Washington's \$1.42 and Wyoming's \$1.267.

# Cougar visits worry residents

Associated Pres

MULLAN, Idaho — Cougars are roaming the streets here this summer, stalking house cats and alarming residents

The cougars, also called mountain lions or pumas, are blamed for at least three feline fatalities in Mullan, the last Idaho outpost before Interstate 90 crosses into Montana

Two weeks ago, a federal game officer shot a 180-pound male cougar near a highway. Last week, state game warden Doyle Reynolds shot a 50-pound yearling after Mullan resident Letta Hiatt found it on her front lawn.

"I was out rolling up the hose when

one of my kittens ran by, and I caught something out of the corner of my eye," she said. "I looked up and it was a cougar. We looked at each other and I screamed, 'Oh my God,' and it ran away."

Reynolds said there are many cougars in the area "but for one to get this close to humans is highly unusual."

Residents of the town are both frightened and fascinated by the big cats.

In July, resident Ron Hayes was riding a motorcycle and saw a mountain lion crossing streets in Mullan with a fur ball in its mouth. He stopped after seeing Cathy Welker on her porch and discovered the lion had been chasing her cat.

"I figured out what was in its mouth," he said. "Let's just say they don't have a kitten any more."

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The cougar visited the Welkers' yard several more times, at first mesmerizing but eventually worrying the family.

"The big one was gorgeous — at least 4 feet tall," Welker said. "But we have a family with a little girl moving in next door."

No shootings have been reported since last month, but Byrdine Clark isn't taking any chance.

She stopped taking her daily stroll along the railroad tracks on the off chance the cougar she saw is still lurking

## **U.S.** monitoring Chinese technology

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Amid reports that Pakistan is getting help from China in building a missile factory, Vice President Al Gore says the United States has a "very active, vigorous program" of monitoring Chinese technology exports.

Gore, however, refused to comment on a Washington Post report Sunday that Pakistan was secretly building a mediumrange missile factory using blueprints and equipment supplied by China.

"I'm not going to comment on the intelligence reports," Gore said on ABC's "This Week With David Brinkley." "We have an active ongoing dialogue with the Chinese on this very point."

The Post, citing unidentified U.S. intelligence officials and a classified document, said the factory near Rawalpindi, Pakistan, is expected to be capable of producing most of the major components of a missile modeled after the Chinesedesigned M-11 in a year or two.

China issued a one-sentence denial

Monday, with Foreign Ministry spokesman Shen Guofang, saying "This report is totally groundless." He would not elaborate.

If the report is confirmed, China would be violating commitments it made to Secretary of State Warren Christopher in October 1994 not to deploy M-11s in Pakistan. Such missile transfers also would violate the Missile Technology Control Regime, a 31-nation pact designed to head off arms proliferation.

"We expect that they (Chinese) will comply with the provisions of the laws and treaties," Gore said.

Responding to a question as to whether the Chinese were being cooperative, Gore said the dialogue between Washington and Beijing was "much more open and productive now" after a visit by White House national security adviser Anthony Lake to China in July.

Asked about the Post report, State Department spokesman Glyn Davies would say only: "We continue to examine any reports we receive of possible military-related transfers from China to Pakistan."

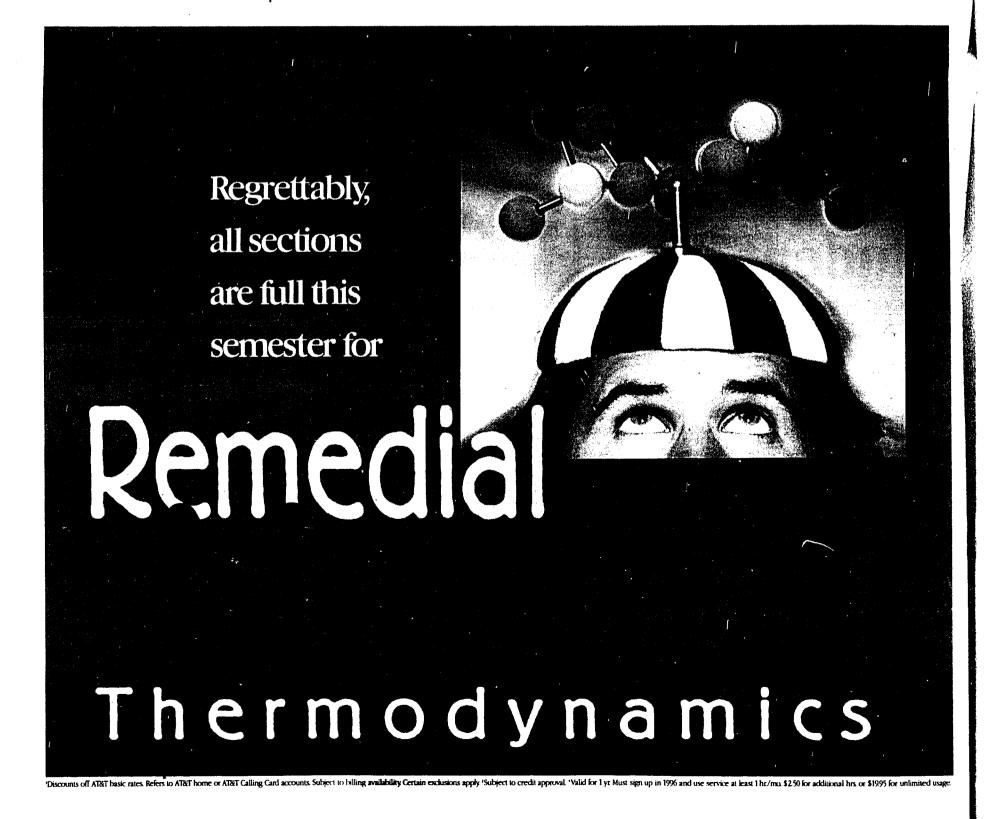
But another official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said the administration has come to no conclusions about the activities mentioned in the article.

The report comes a few weeks after the United States resolved a dispute with Beijing over allegations that China sold Pakistan ring magnets, a technology that could be used in a nuclear weapons program.

William Triplett, former chief Republican counsel for the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said the Chinese are assisting the domestic Pakistan missile program by transferring technology.

But he said he could not confirm the Post's report of a partially completed factory in Rawalpindi.

Triplett noted, however, that there is a history of the Chinese passing blueprints to Pakistan. He said Pakistan got the plans for its nuclear weapons from China.



# Air force fighter crashes; pilot ejects safely

Associated Press

MOUNTAIN HOME AFB, Idaho — An Air Force F-15 Eagle fighter crashed in a remote area of southwestern Idaho about 60 miles west of Grasmere, but the Air Force said the pilot ejected safely.

It was the first crash of a plane from Mountain Home Air Force Base since 1988, but the latest in a rash of military air crashes around the nation.

The pilot in Tuesday's crash, 1st Lt. Evan

Dertien, was taken to the Mountain Home Air Force Base hospital. The base released few details about the crash, and listed no possible cause.

Capt. Melissa Miller said Dertien was flying with three other planes when he ejected about 12:30 p.m. in the Owyhee Military Operating Area. The wreckage was found in a flat area of the rugged Owyhee country.

The plane was one of 20 F-15C Eagles stationed at Mountain Home with the 390th

Fighter Squadron of the 366th Composite Wing of fighters, bombers and tankers. The \$15 million, single-seat aircraft was first deployed by the Air Force in 1972, and is a highly maneuverable tactical fighter.

Last Friday, a Marine EA-6B Prowler electronic-warfare plane crashed in the desert near Yuma, Ariz., killing all four people aboard.

A day earlier, an Air National Guard A-10 warplane crashed in a marsh on the Eastern

Shore of Maryland, and a Marine F/A-18 Hornet fighter went down in the Atlantic off Ocean City, Md. And a C-130 cargo plane crashed in Wyoming earlier this month while carrying a Secret Service communications van for the White House.

The Air Combat Command, the arm of the Air Force which commands combat planes such as the F-15, took a one-day hiatus in training flights last Friday to reemphasize safety.

## Family wants answers to infant daughter's death at hospital

Associated Press

HARTFORD, Conn. — Four years since little Jessica died at St. Francis Hospital and Medical Center, her father is still trying to find an answer to her death.

Jessica was born 13 weeks premature on July 2, 1992 and weighed 1 pound and 6 ounces. Doctors and father Freddy Isaza agreed that the infant's chance of survival at birth was 50 percent.

She died eight days later in the hospital's neonatal unit.

An autopsy listed "Prematurity, immaturity with respiratory distress syndrome," as the cause of death. But the autopsy failed to show exactly why the infant died.

Isaza's search for answer led to investigations by the State Department of Public Health, which found the hospital had six violations of the state health code. But the investigations concluded that there was no evidence faulty medical care contributed to Jessica's death.

The state later did find that Jessica received higher-than-ordered dosages of a powerful medication, aminophylline, which was supposed to help the infant breathe. Because of a transcription error, Jessica received incorrect dosages six times, The Hartford Courant reported.

When Isaza search for clues as to whether the high dosage of medication contributed to his daughter's death and who was responsible for the error, he came up empty.

Jessica's doctor, Peter Kurtis, told a state investigator that the only way to know whether the medication dosage contributed to her death was to find out the level of medication in her blood.

Isaza said he asked Dr. Celedonio Asuncion, a veteran pathologist at St. Francis who was to perform an autopsy on Jessica, to test the infant's blood for levels of amino-phylline.

The tests were never done. Asuncion and his boss, Chief of Pathology Dr. George Barrows say tests probably wouldn't have yielded meaningful results post-mortem anyway.

"It depends on when the last dose of medication was given or how long the body sat before the autopsy was done," Barrows said.

Isaza and his wife, Katherine Martinez said they believe they were misled. They said Asuncion had promised a full blood analysis.

Asuncion, who under questioning from the state initially denied even drawing the blood, now says he recalls the parents making a request, but does not remember if he told them whether he would follow through with

He, however, did acknowledge that he ordered a blood screen to test for drugs such as cocaine.

A state investigator looked at Jessica's medical records to find out whether the over-

dose killed the infant.

Records from a resuscitation attempt showed inconsistencies — including conflicting dosages — for three medications. The records didn't identify\_who\_gave what. Jessica's doctor and two nurses could not recall who was responsible for the dosages.

After the resuscitation, the state found, Jessica's doctor, Kurtis, changed notes taken by two nurses. He initialed the changes, but didn't discuss them with the nurses, the

newspaper reported.

The inconsistencies and alterations on records, the absence of physicians' orders, and the use of an incorrect form to document medication during the resuscitation led to three health code violations.

An examination of the autopsy led to two other health code violations — no hospital records show blood was drawn for test and Asuncion didn't follow hospital lab procedures for logging blood tests.

The state Department of Health finished the second of two probes last fall and cited the hospital for a total of six violations of the state health code.

The most serious violation was the incorrect dosage of aminophylline Jessica received. That violation prompted the state to demand a mandatory conference with hospital officials. These conferences, which take place after complaint investigations, have occurred only six times since 1994, The

Courant reported.

Changes have been made at St. Francis to keep better track of medication administered and personnel present during a resuscitation effort, the newspaper reported.

State officials say the hospitals have always been required to document who gives what medication during an emergency.

"This is not a change in practice. This is a standard to which all hospitals have been held and will be held," said Warren Wollschlager, chief of the bureau of regulatory services.

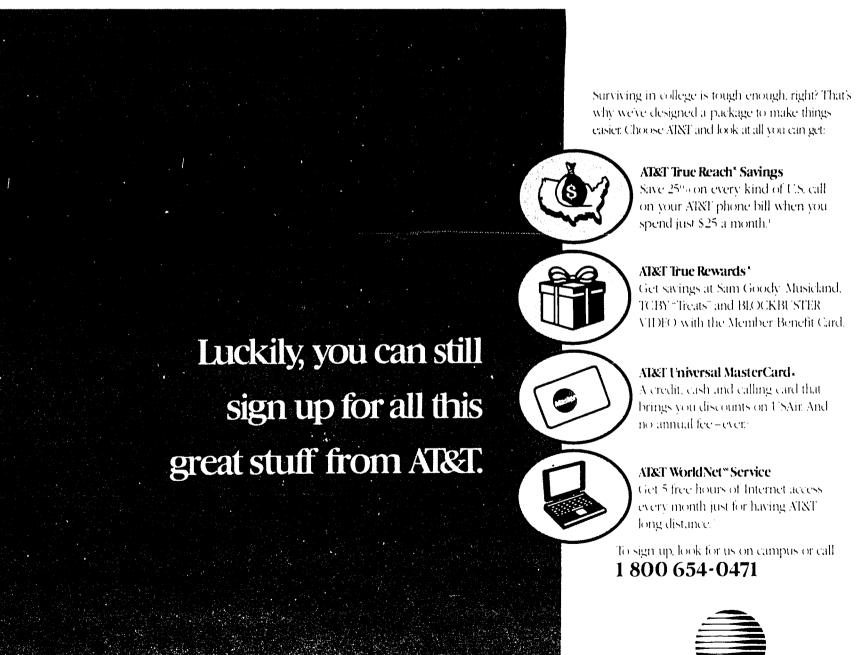
But officials at Yale-New Haven Hospital, Hartford Hospital and The University of Connecticut Health Center say they document the staff present during emergencies and the medications given. But none document which staff member gives which of the medications.

While practices may differ with each hospital, Isaza is focusing on his case, his loss, his lessica

"It's like she's telling me, 'Dad, what you're doing is right,'" he said.

But with more questions than answers four years after Jessica's death, Isaza has found it hard to put the incident behind him.

"For people who need to know why, it becomes very hard to get on with the grieving process," said Dr. Charlotte Guest, clinical chief of the department of psychiatry at the University of Connecticut. "There isn't always a reason why."





Welcome Back Students!

Join us every Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday during the first two weeks of classes (8/28, 8/29, 8/30, 9/4, 9/5, 9/6) as we welcome you back to school and celebrate the many changes on campus, including our move to the Big West athletic conference.

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**Blues Brothers** Film

Borah Theater

7:00pm \$1 UI Undergrads, \$2 all others

First ASUI Senate Meeting Gold Room 7:00pm

#### **Thursday, September 5**

Paul Siegel, Gay Rights Speaker Ballroom 7:30pm FREE

#### Wednesday, September 11

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The pod people are here

veryone and everything seems to be nicely around here.

Beer is purchased by the shopping cart-load by smug young men who look 21 if you squint real hard. Droves of squeaky-clean (and short) freshman mill and gaggle and knot on every "thumpa-thumpa" trucks (you know, trucks with

audio systems with enough bass boost to levitate an entire school of fish well into the outer stratosphere) roll merrily along the under-construction streets. Old friends meet old friends and start to make new friends.

Something odd is going on around here. It's got to be the pod people.

The pods have taken over our university lock, stock and Dolores. They're controlling the faculty. They're controlling the staff. They're controlling all of us. They have but one goal: smoothness.

Example: Computers have sprouted up like mushrooms growing in the musty muck on the floor of old-growth forests in our own univer-

Some wise soul - or a committee of pods—has replaced the library Used Book Bargain Bin (you remember, the bin offering cut-rate prices on 1930s calculus and engineering textbooks and agricultural pamphlets

titled "Detection and Eradication of Fungus, Spores and Buggenworts in Grain Elevators") and the record collection (which according to library records had not been disturbed since 1978) with row upon row of computers that, for all purposes, appear to be Cadillacs.

Smooth.

Example: A physical facilities administrator (or a pod person doing a very good job of imitating someone in such a position of high authority) decided putting carpet in some UCC classrooms would be a good idea.

Good idea, yes, since carpet reduced the decibel ratings of the affected rooms by at least 75 percent. Future improvements are rumored to include a UCC cloaking device and laser beam Death Cannons and eventual use of the building as Pod People Invasion Base or the next Republican presidential convention. Smooth.

Example: For the first time in three years, I didn't have to go to the Kibbie Dome to stand in Soviet-style lines either waiting to collect a residual financial aid check or buy cabbages, whatever the case may have been.

Residual financial aid was deposited in my feeble checking account automatically.

Pas d'andouilles ici



corner of the campus. Those Brian Davidson

I already had a copy of my class schedule.

All this thanks to the pods in charge of direct depositing and an extremely streamlined registration and scheduling system.

Smooth.

Example: Parking. Even parking, the bane of many students past, seems not so bad this year. Maybe these

pod people levitate to school through aid of friendly drivers of "thumpathumpa" trucks. Maybe they all have cars but finally realize this campus - this town - is small enough that walking is indeed an option. Maybe they're just excited to finally have legs and a chance to use them.

Smooth.

Example: The library

Imagine soon the core of our campus resembling a terraced garden filled with places for people

The pods have taken over our university lock, stock and Dolores.

> (pods or otherwise) to relax, rather than resembling what it looked like all last year: a demilitarized zone prime for blue gravel, garbage and horridly ugly modern sculpture. True, we will have to play Dodge the Dump Truck for at least a month before this vision of Nirvana becomes reality, but it's exciting to see something finally being done to improve upon the infamous UI Mudpit.

Smooth.

And then there's that certain Argonaut columnist—criticized in the past for unfairly berating the ASUI Senate---who, grace aux pods, promises to be a good boy and not reveal, according to a source who required anonymity, that the collective IQ of the present Senate would not be greater than an average person's shoe size.

Well, pods aren't all smooth and

perfect.



# The best maps on campus: the saga continues

I found it! It's a real map of the University of Idaho campus, complete with the new Engineering/Physics Building.

Unfortunately, it's 2 feet by 5 feet, on the third floor of the Student Union and very few people have seen it.

I hear someday it may be offered to the Registrar's office or to Parking and Information for use in their publications, but for now it sits up here, unused.

In the meantime, there is a really great map you can pick up that has several of the buildings not listed in the time schedule map. You can pick this up at, get this, the Registrar's office.

Like I said before, bless them for trying. This map really is terrific in that it has a clear three-dimensional view of campus in black and white, with red numbers over top to pin point each building. It looks very much like someone

took this map, photocopied it and threw it in the time schedule. This map is clear, the time schedule one is not.

The really great thing about this map is it does, in fact, list the Niccolls Building. It also tells you where McClure hall should be, although the little building isn't drawn on the map. The Engineering/Physics building still isn't mentioned but, hey, it's a start.

If you are going to have an effective, working campus, you've got to have an effective, working campus map. You have to keep it up to date because new things pop up all over campus every semester.

The next best map on campus is the parking map. This one isn't in the time schedule, either, but it does list the Niceolls Building and, I believe, the Engineering/Physics Building. This map is so with it that it has the site for a pro-

posed parking lot listed. This lot won't be built for a while, but it's on the map!

The problem with this map is that you wouldn't look on it for your classes, you'd use it for parking.

The time schedule is one of the only places where you can find a listing of the location for each class. Next to the class number is an abbreviation for the building, such as ADMIN or UCC. When you get an abbreviation like NICCO or MCCL you don't automatically know where

So, like me, you look it up in the front of the time schedule.

Sometimes it's not listed.

Sometimes it's listed, but it's not on the map on the next page.

This is the problem.

—Lisa Lannigan

# Yes-on-Proposition 3 campaign makes Bruce Willis a star

a know, I've never been much of a Bruce Willis fan. It's nothing personal about Bruce or anything. No, it has more to do with the fact that to be a fan I'd probably have to do some awfully weird things. Like actually watch

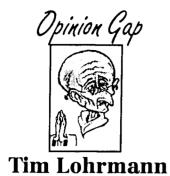
weird things. Like actually watch those *Die Hard* films or reruns of "Moonlighting," or worse yet, the truly disgusting parts of *Pulp Fiction* that I had to fast forward when I rented it. Sorry, Bruce,

life's just too doggone short.

Then there's the Republican thing. Bruce is one of 'em. Yep, turn on the tube or open up a slickmag and you'll sometimes see ol' Bruce schmoozing and boozing with all those Doles, Kemps, Newts and things. I'm not sure why this bugs me so. It's not like I'm some kind of big Democrat or anything, but I sort of used to be. Maybe it's some kind of residual nausea effect.

So no, I can't honestly say I've ever been much of a Bruce Willis fan ... until now! That's right. Now Willis is way up there for me! Why? He's way out in front politically and financially for the Stop the Shipments — Yes-on-Proposition 3 campaign, that's why! What's all this Stop the Shipments — Proposition 3 stuff? Well, if you plan to live in Idaho for any length of time in the next few thousand years you might want to find out. Stop the Shipments is the group that did all the leg work so citizens can at least vote on whether or not Southern Idaho is gonna be the nuclear waste dumpextraordinaire for not only the United States but Japan, Iran, Germany and God-knows-where

Now having world-class nuclear waste dumped in our backyard is unappealing at best, agreed? But as Bruce and his Stop the Shipments - Yes-on-Prop3 buddies point out, the particular backyard picked out for this scheme makes the whole



plan nothing short of insanity. This radioactive stuff will be sitting above an unstable fault line in a volcanic area right smack over the massive Snake River Aquifer: the aquifer that supplies drinking and irrigation water to

most of Southern Idaho. So, duh ... does that mean we're talking probable earthquakes or leaky waste containers equals free "hot water" for a bunch of folks from Idaho Falls to Boise? Sure 'nuff. Hot "glowing" water.

Think maybe you at least deserve a chance to vote on this little deal? When you filled out "permanent address" on all those registration forms it might be somewhere down south, right?

Willis thinks all this should be out in the open. He coughed up \$30,000 for Stop the Shipments to get the word out. Not all his fellow G.O.P.'ers like that fact. Why Gov. Phil Batt, who had a big hand in cooking up this dump plan, even snubbed poor Bruce by not being very sociable at a Planet Hollywood bash during the San Diego Republican confab.

Don't worry, Bruce, like they say, "If you haven't made anybody mad then you really ain't done nothin'."

Maybe Gov. Phil isn't your fan anymore, but you've got me, now. I'll be easy to please. You don't have to scream and shoot big loud guns or take your shirt off like in all those macho movies either. As a matter of fact, please don't. But Bruce, if you're listening in Hailey or Ketchum or Sun Valley or wherever it is you hang out, could you do me a couple of favors? If these Stop the Shipments - Yes-on-Proposition 3 folks need some more bucks to inform voters this fall, could you write some checks? And, Mr. Willis, can I have your autograph?

Thanks, Bruce, you're the greatest!

#### OUR FRAGILE ENVIRONMENT...





# Lockheed trashes Idaho law when nuclear waste makes money

ill Lockheed, a corporation with a \$2-billion annual profit, openly and repeatedly mock state laws? Do the laws that apply to the rest of us also apply to arrogant dispensers of corporate cash?

Twenty-two years ago, Idahoans determined to see who was paying politicians behind closed doors, voted overwhelmingly to create the Sunshine Law. Now, before a campaign begins, a political committee must be created and name a treasurer and register with the state. The committee then must disclose the source of large political contributions. Large expenditures must also be made public.

Idahoans can then judge for themselves the motives of those giving large sums of money. Citizens can also judge the sincerity of hired spokesmen who receive this money.

The records are public. Reporters and opponents can read these Sunshine reports and tell voters who is influencing our politicians. We have the right and ability to know.

Lockheed, the huge corporation running the INEL, obviously feels this essential law applies to every-

# Guest Commentary John Peavey Idaho State senator

one but them. Storing nuclear waste in Idaho, over our aquifer, near violent and active earthquake faults, is enormously profitable. Lockheed wants to keep it that way. After Lockheed flaunted Idaho's Sunshine Law, Stop the Shipments/Yes-on-3 filed a complaint with the state naming three flagrant violations:

1. Lockheed openly hired ex-Gov. Cecil Andrus and ex-Sen. James McClure as consultants to help defeat the Stop the Shipments initiative at a cost of \$192,000. As Lockheed pitchmen, Andrus and McClure wrote a guest opinion for Idaho newspapers in an attempt to convince voters not to sign the Stop the Shipments petitions eight days before the signatures were submitted to the state. This enormous paycheck has never been reported to the state, nor has Lockheed registered as a political action group.

2. Since May, Lockheed has toured Idaho towns promoting its

desire to the press and public to see Stop the Shipments defeated. These were clearly campaign activities, but neither the tour nor the expenditures were reported.

3. Lockheed and a group of 10 corporations calling itself the 'Committee for Ballot Integrity" hired some of Idaho's larger law firms to ask the Supreme Court to remove the Stop the Shipments/ Yes-on-3 initiative from the ballot, a crass attempt to override the wishes of 52,000 registered voters who signed petitions. Though this action was filed Aug. 8 (and thrown out of court the next day), not one of these 10 corporations filed under the Sunshine Law. Not until Aug. 13, after Stop the Shipments complained to the Statehouse, did the so-called Coalition bother to register. So much for ballot integrity.

Surely with its high-paid attorneys, its retired governor and its retired senator, Lockheed was aware of the law. These are willful violations and show callous disregard for both the law and the citizens of Idaho. In their cash-addled arrogance, they decided our laws don't apply to powerful folks like

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themselves.

Lockheed has a huge financial stake in keeping shipments of nuclear waste coming into Idaho. They know once it arrives it will never leave. They will spend whatever it takes to keep those shipments coming, even though they put the health and safety of hundreds of thousands of Idahoans at risk and trample on our laws in the process.

On behalf of every Idaho citizen, Stop the Shipments/Yeson-3 filed an official complaint with the Secretary of State on Aug. 15 demanding that the Statehouse uphold the Sunshine

Law. If a huge corporation is trying to buy our state, we have the right to know. We await an answer.

Editor's note: John Peavey is a 20-year veteran of the Idaho state Legislature (both Republican and Democrat. Senator Peavey is the spokesman for Stop the Shipments and was the principle sponsor of the Sunshine Act. The Argonaut welcomes guest columns from anyone, but student columns are preferred. Ideas expressed are not necessarily those of the Argonaut or its staff.



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# SPORTS

# Is image as important as it used to be?



Byron Jarnagin

et's talk for a minute about image among professional athletes in any sport. Consider if the effort of some of these players is for their public personalities more than a true representation of who they are.

In the world of professional sports, there is a lot of hype stirred up by media trying to get the latest tabloid-selling story, or personal agents of professionals determined to sell an endorsed product of one kind or another. There are really two sides to the story, and there are athletes who represent both sides of the spectrum.

Many professional athletes endorse products and some of the most visible are basketball players in the NBA. Players like Dennis Rodman, Grant Hill, Shaquille O'Neal, Michael Jordan, Charles Barkley, and even Magic Johnson have there own ways of portraying who they are for fans young and old.

Each of these players has their own personality, but a few of them are so unique and stand-offish there personality seems like nothing more than an act or publicity stunt. However, others share their true feelings that does not keep viewers wondering if the person is different in real life.

Charles Barkley comes right out and says what he has to say in a literally genuine manner. When Sir Charles tells you he is not a role model, he means it. But when Dennis Rodman wears a wedding dress to his book signing, the publicity surrounding the event escalates.

The image Rodman is trying to portray is an arguable topic, but is that kind of behavior necessary or what fans want to see from athletes as public as Dennis is? Grant Hill's commercial for Sprite tries to send the message "image is nothing" and by partaking of the product an individuals basketball skills won't be NBA level after one bottle or one case of Sprite. Still, it is the mere image young kids see of their favorite athlete which makes moms and dads go out and buy Michael Jordan or Shaquille O'Neal-endorsed products.

Beyond the many endorsements and the on-court, spectacular play that makes these athletes objects of public recognition, the extra antics by individuals like Rodman, Johnson, and O'Neal draw media, and make athletes into supernatural people or sometimes freaks in the public eye.

Again, Dennis Rodman is one of the most visual in this medium. Becoming more and more known as the tattoo-covered athlete with the colored hair, nose ring, and strange style of dress, his behavior attracts what Rodman lives for — publicity.

Still, Rodman does his job and remains the top rebounder in the NBA, which is what he was initially known for before all of the cross-dressing jazz to attract media attention

One of the more interesting images is the one following Earvin "Magic" Johnson around these days, besides trying to figure out whether the L.A.

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# Vandals get I-A taste in Laramie

Damon Barkdull

Staff

ast season, the Vandals were ousted from the I-AA playoffs by a group of Cowboys — the McNeese State Cowboys to be exact. This Saturday, Idaho begins a new era in the Big West Conference facing a different group of Cowboys.

These Cowboys, stationed at the University of Wyoming in Laramie, have been picked in some preseason polls to finish as high as No. 1 in the Western Athletic Conference's Pacific division.

"They're a very solid football team and they've got some great players," said second year Vandal football coach Chris Tormey. "Marcus Harris is one of the best receivers in the country, if not the best."

Harris, a senior wide receiver and Heisman Trophy candidate, led the nation in receiving yards as a sophomore and finished second as a junior. He needs just 1,490 more yards to become the NCAA's career receiving leader.

"He's got size and great body control, catches the ball in his hands as well as any receiver I've ever seen, "Tormey said. "He makes you miss. He's got that knack of making you miss in the open field."

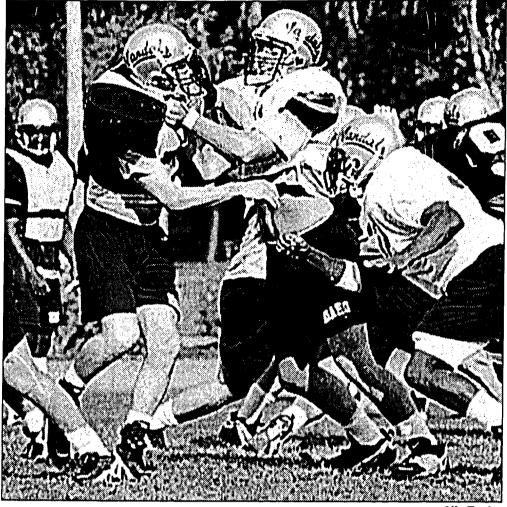
Harris isn't the only weapon Tormey may lose sleep over.

"They're real solid at quarterback with (Josh) Wallwork back," Tormey said. "The thing that's sort of scary about their passing game is that they've got a number of good receivers, so Marcus isn't the only one."

A much improved UI secondary will try to slow down Wyoming's onslaught of receivers. Returning this year is Arnold Gunn (cornerback) and Tommy James (strong safety), both of whom are expected to start Saturday. Also starting in the secondary will be Pacific University transfer Ryan McGinnis at the right cornerback spot and Bryson Gardner at free safety.

"We've improved a lot the last week," Tormey said of the secondary. "We get tested pretty good with Fien and our receivers. We need to get better pressure on the quarterback."

Obviously, even Vandal receivers Robert Scott and Antonio Wilson can't prepare the Idaho secondary for what they might see on Saturday. Though, Tormey is hoping that UI's front seven, touted as the best in Vandal history, can get enough pressure on Wallwork.



Nic Tucker

After beating each other for several weeks, the Vandals are ready to rope the Cowboys.

"If we're good enough up front to get fourman pressure, that takes a lot of pressure of the secondary. You can do a lot with it," Tormey said. "I still believe the key to pass defense is pass rush."

Leading the Idaho front seven is All-American Ryan Phillips, who recently made the transition from defensive end to outside linebacker. The move to linebacker keeps Phillips from getting double- and triple-teamed and keeps the offense wondering where he's coming from. Senior Jason Shelt and sophomore Yaphet Warren join Phillips in a solid linebacker corps. Warren, who played wide receiver last season, moved to linebacker in the fall

Projected defensive line starters include seniors Barry Mitchell (right defensive end), Robert Mulder (left defensive end), Tim Wilson (left tackle) and Ryan Smith (right tackle).

Idaho's beefy defensive line will have their hands full with guys like Outland Trophy candidate Steve Scrifes, who's only allowed four Cowboy sacks in his four year career with

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# Alumni game last practice for Vandals

Kindra Meyer

eams can be speculated upon endlessly but the real test comes when they are seen in action. This is the case for our Idaho volleyball squad, who officially open their 1996 season in Lafayette, La., on Monday.

Before UI embarks into the great wide open, we do get a taste of what's to come in the form of the annual alumni match. The stage is set for 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 30 in Memorial Gym. And it will be worth dragging yourself out of the house for.

Alumni competition is sure to be tough with returnees such as: All-American Mindy Rice, Leah Smith, Jessica Puckett, and Nancy Wicks Dalquist. Also playing alongside these former UI stars is Tulsa's head coach Dawn Colston, who is out west for her team's Friday afternoon match with WSU. This is the perfect way for Idaho to prepare for their approaching eight-day road trip, and provides a needed break from repetitive preseason practice.

"It's fun to have the alumni back," coach Tom Hilbert said, "plus our players want to play someone besides themselves."

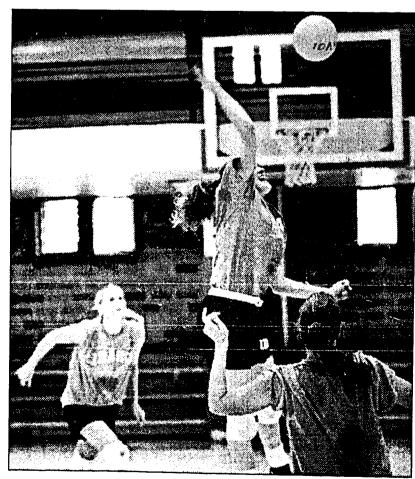
Real business will begin versus Southwestern Louisiana on Sept. 2 in Lafayette at 5 p.m. The Cajuns return four players to a team that finished tied for seventh in the Sun Belt Conference a year ago. Back for the Cajuns are 1995 kill leader Nia Kiggundu, who averaged 5.29 kills per game as well as assist leader Jay Rayman, who averaged 7.27 assists per game.

Hilbert said next week's contest is a "good fit" for his Vandals. The match-up isn't predicted to have quite the level of intensity that Idaho will face in the Big West, but for a young team still adjusting to new roles and faces, it should be an adequate warm-

up.
"I think it's going to be good for us," Hilbert said of the season-opening trip. "It's medium in terms of competition, but it'll be a good trip. We need to get out and travel. We can try some new lineups.

"The best of the first three teams we'll come up against (Southwestern Louisiana, Louisiana State, and Tulane) will be

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Louisa Kawulok puts the ball away as the Vandals prepare for their upcoming road trip.

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LSU. But we are going to take them all very seriously. I think we need to play well against all of them. And this road trip in general we need to approach like it's going to be a very difficult trip. It's a lot of time on the road, and it could really get to us. We need to make sure that we are mentally focused during the entire trip. It will be a really good test for

Hilbert said a strength of his 1996 team is the "overall athletic balance. We have strong hitting in four of five positions and we've got a setter who can really move the ball around. So we will have a team where everyone will make contributions."

However, the Vandals aren't perfect. Hilbert said his team needs to pass the ball better and improve both service returns and defensive blocking.

Communication will be a key factor for Idaho's team unity. "We want them to talk a lot to each other, but it needs to be at the right times and the right things to say," Hilbert said. "It shouldn't just be random bantering. I think they get along with each other well, and we're really trying to push people into emerging as leaders. They are communicating more and they're being much more competitive - that's really what we want."

So far the tentative lineup for the

Vandals is: senior setter Lynne Hyland, senior Louisa Kawulok at middle blocker alongside sopho-



The freshmen are doing great. They're going to play a big role in the future of this program. We have some very talented athletes in this group and I'm really happy with them.

—Tom Hilbert UI volleyball coach





more Jessica Moore, and sophomore outside hitter Beth Craig. Competing for the last two hitting positions are juniors Jemena Yocom, Shalyne Lynch and Kyle Leonard, and senior Jeri Hymas.

Choice returnees for Idaho are Hyland, Moore, Kawulok, and Craig. Hyland finished the 1995 season ranked third in the NCAA for assists with an average of 13.99 per match. Hyland has 3,444 career assists, and only needs 1,300 this year to become Idaho's all-time assist leader.

Last year, Moore became the fourth Vandal in five years to be chosen the Newcomer of the Year in the Big Sky Conference. Moore led the Vandals with a .324 percentage. Kawulok returns as Idaho's middle blocker with 1.4 stuffs per game. Craig will contribute power to the offense. Last year she ranked second on the squad for kills with 3.4 per game.

Top newcomers for Idaho will be an array of intimidating freshmen full of potential, all standing at 6foot-1 or above --- Sandpoint sensation Ali Nieman, the team's only red shirt, Shalyne Lynch and Sally Powers.

"The freshmen are doing great," Hilbert said. "They're going to play a big role in the future of this program. I don't know how many of them will contribute at this point right now, but we have some very talented athletes in this group and

I'm really happy with them."

Idaho will be without sophomore outside hitter Kelly Holzer for the season who injured her ankle. Hilbert would only refer to the cause of injury as "horseplay."

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Wyoming.

"There are some really interesting matchups," Tormey said.
"Ryan Phillips, Barry Mitchell
and Robert Mulder against their All-American tackle.

Offensively, the Vandals are confident in both their run-andpass offensive game. Returning junior running back Joel Thomas leads the Vandal run attack. After missing 10 regular season games because of injury, Thomas has looked good in both spring and fall practices. Thomas needs just 676 yards to move into fifth place on the alltime rushing list at UI.

With the additions of UCLA transfer quarterback Fien and junior college transfer Antonio Wilson at wide receiver, the puzzle is near complete. The returning sophomore Scott adds versatility to a very talented wide receiver corps.

"Offensively we just have to execute and score points," Tormey said. "When you have seven new starters you wonder how efficient they will be in the first game. I'm optimistic, but we haven't been tested."

Graduation took its toll on the Vandal offensive line where only one starter returned this

"The areas where we're most inexperienced are the offensive line," Tormey said.

Richard Zenk (left guard) is a return starter on the offensive line, along with his brother Steven (right tackle) who also returns. Dan Zeamer (right guard) also joins the newly constructed offensive line after playing defensive line last season. Sandpoint native Crosby Tajan has progressed from walk-on in 1993 to starting left tackle this season. At the center

position is junior Bill Verdonk, who also is a key returner from last season.

"We're very pleased with the progress they've made," Tormey said. "We're not there yet, but I think we'll get better every week."

The Vandals will face a Cowboy defense that improved from fifth to second in total defense by the end of last season in the WAC. Last season the Cowboys didn't allow a 300-yard passing game until its final game against UTEP.

Eight starters return from last season's Cowboy defense.

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Coach Tormey knows the odds that are against him on Saturday. The Cowboys are a top-of-the-line team, in a great conference and it's at their place. Idaho will be playing in front of 33,500 drunken Cowboy fans in the middle of Wyoming. Not to mention that the UI secondary will be untested for this first game against arguably the best receiver bunch in the nation.

However, don't count on the Vandals being a bit scared.

"I don't think we're going to be intimidated," Tormey said. "We've got guys that have been in this situation before. Playing at home is an big advantage. It's an advantage for them to have us come into their place.'

Wyoming owns the overall series record against Idaho with a 2-1-0 showing. However, Idaho's record against the WAC in recent years is impressive. The Vandals beat Utah 28-17 in 1993 and in 1992 Idaho grabbed a comeback 37-34 win over the Colorado State Rams.

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legend is coming or going.

Magic's image resembles a player who is always out to help the public. You could say his off-court personality is a bit on the conservative side compared to most. Shaquille O'Neal is another who has an active off-court lifestyle which one includes movies along with all of the endorsement

deals. O'Neal's move to the Lakers makes him even more the Hollywood athlete.

All of these athletes have the same thing in common. Whatever image they want to show to the public can be radical, conservative, fake, or sincere all of these images draw the media - especially the various personalities of Rodman. One thing is for certain, the images of some athletes are becoming a hot tabloid sell-

Most professional sports have their "Dennis Rodmans" and these individuals definitely add some spice, and life, to the game.



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# Paull returns to Idaho after 17-year absence

Mark Vanderwall

Sports Editor

When starting a career fresh out of college, many students take whatever job opportunities arise, and for one former and born-again Vandal, that meant a trip to Bronco territory for a 17-year regiment at the *Idaho Statesman*.

Well she's back in Vandal country now, with a new outlook on life and a new regiment to conquer as UI's Assistant Sports Information Director, and graduate student as well.

Becky Paull returns to her old stomping grounds after leaving UI



After I get off work, I really don't need anyone in my bathroom, so I try to grant the players the same luxury.



the first time to pursue a career in journalism. Paull took her journalism skills to the forefront and became the first female sportswriter in the state of Idaho.

This Lewiston High School graduate and Vandal alumnus returns to campus with new enthusiasm and desire after her long stint in sports journalism. She takes over the responsibilities of media relations for the volleyball team as well as women's basketball and track. Paull also will tackle a full graduate course load in the process, working towards a master's degree in public administration with an emphasis in sports management.

"This was a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for me. I am able to go back to school, and learn a great deal about sports information in the process," said Paull.

Along with being the first female sportswriter in Idaho, came both praise and discomfort for Paull. Once after a football game, Paull was pinched on the butt by one of the players in the locker room, a place she generally shies away from.

"It really didn't bother me, in a sense I was flattered, but I look at it like this. After I get off work, I really don't need anyone in my bathroom, so I try to grant the players the same luxury," said Paull.

With the progress that has occurred over the past few decades, Paull could be viewed as a female sports journalist pioneer. She set the tone for other counterparts to follow in her footsteps, but more importantly opened a door that had hinged just slightly ajar for so many years.

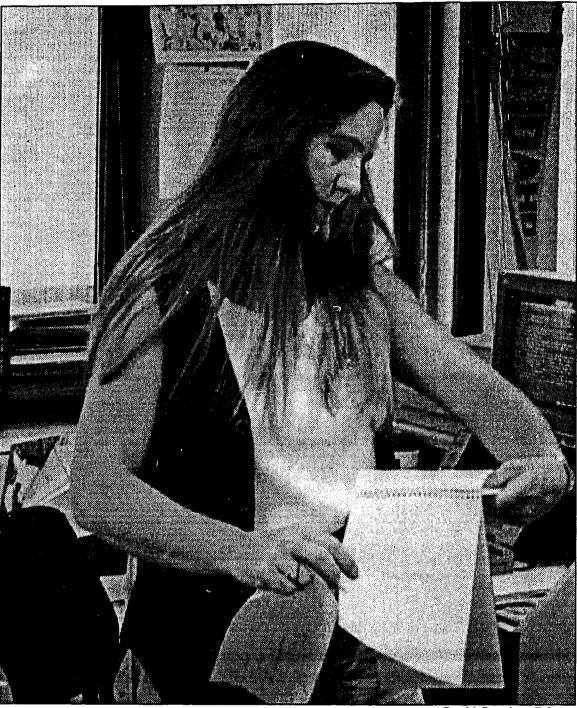
"My mom's generation really paved the way for our generations to do many of the things we take for granted today," said Paull.

Interviewing the likes of Reggie Jackson, George Foreman and an array of other sports greats, Paull tried not to get caught up in the moment, but rather tackle it head on and savor the memories for a lifetime.

"Part of the job is to interview these people, and you can't get star struck or you won't get what you want from them," said Paull.

Traveling the pavement of Highway 95 to Boise, Paul left behind memories of the Corner Club and even some of the Argonaut as well. She covered Boise State athletics for many of those 17 years and, despite the rivalry, did a good job of praising them when they did both good and bad.

When asked which team she would root to victory in their move to the Big West, a smiling Paull cheerfully said, "When you are a journalist, you can't be a fan of anyone."



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Becky Paull is hard at work after being named the new assistant sports information director.

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# **Search still underway**

#### Idaho looks to hire a new athletic director by the end of September

**Nate Peterson** 

Since Pete Liske resigned as athletic director in mid-July, Senior Associate Athletic Director Kathy Clark has filled in as interim athletic director at the University

UI President Robert Hoover, though, has made a push to find a new athletic director by late September. Until then, Clark will remain as the interim.

The dean of business and accounting, Byron Dangerfield, is spearheading the committee to replace Liske. Liske, who initiated move to the Big West and Division I football, left Idaho for the higher-paying athletic director position at the University of Toledo.

"We are in the middle of the process at this time," Clark said. "We have advertised, searched, and gotten a large pool of candidates. At this point we are working our way through the selection process."

The committee is looking for a leader with a competitive nature and the ability to raise funds for the athletic program.

"The university is seeking someone with good leadership skills, good communication skills and the ability to run a top-notch, competitive sports program," Clark said. "We need someone with the vision and the plan to lead the University of Idaho sports program

into the 21st century."

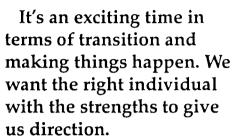
The move to the Big West will make the future athletic director's job much more substantial. The level of competition increases for basketball, football, and volleyball. Besides the performance of the athletics, new

resources will open up for the university.

"It's going to provide more visibility, give us more market, particularly in Southern California and Texas," said Clark. "More areas will open up to recruit, (there will be) increased opportunities for television and a larger following at home.'

The athletic director is an intensely important job. The leader of the department sets





—Kathy Clark **Interim Athletic Director** 





the tone and direction and provides the opportunity of success.

'It's an exciting time in terms of transition and making things happen," Clark said. "We want the right individual with the strengths to give us direction."

As of now, Clark is at the helm. She has been affiliated with UI since 1974. She has coached volleyball, track, and acted as the physical education director.

Člark competed in softball, basketball, volleyball and bowling at Oregon State University.

#### Following in the footsteps



Ryan Fien prepares to play his first game as a Vandal.

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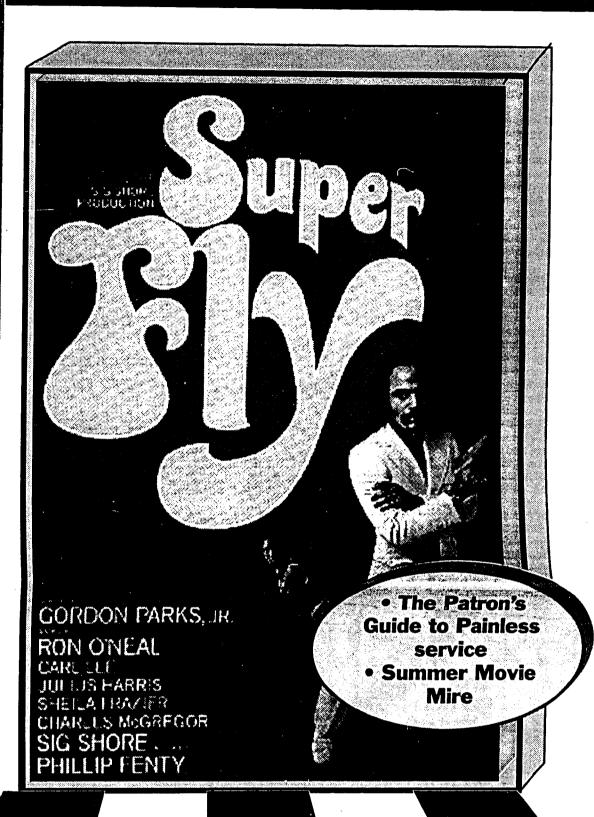
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# A patron's guide to fast food

**David Camden-Britton** 

erhaps today is payday and you are tired of cooking. Perhaps you have a generous friend, parent or acquaintance. Or, you have recently cashed a student loan. Whatever the reason, you have chosen someone else to make your meal. Enter, then, the world of the Fast Food Service Industry.

Contained herein are several tips, helpful suggestions, and reminders so that you may have a more pleasant meal. These are compiled from various sources in the food service industry and are meant for external use only. Internal use may result in dizziness, internal bleeding and

Tip No. 1: Ordering. When placing an order, it is important that one speak in a firm, clear tone. Attempting to speak rapidly, or in Esperanto, will probably garner you a delightful helping of blank stares. Although these are free, you will not receive any food as a result. Clear communication of your order will prevent many mistakes from ever occurring.

Tip No. 2: Special Orders. If your favorite sandwich contains a small mountain of Peruvian Red Chilies, be sure to ask for them by name. Asking for "peppers" or other varied items will probably result in your disappointment, and an increase in the heat death of the universe. So ask for your special order by name, genus, phylum, whatever gets the point across. Doing so will bring a bright ray of light into an oppressed worker's day.

Tip No. 3: Standing in Line. The fine art of standing in line is one not easily mastered. For some, it is an eternity of suffering, punctuated by the wails of unhappy children. For others, it is an opportunity to gossip about

anyone not currently in earshot, and at whatever volume they feel is comfortable. However, food lines are there for a reason and that reason is so that you may place your order. I mention this only because some patrons forget to even consider that one day it will be their turn at the counter and they must then choose what to eat. As such, it is not only downright cour-

teous, but more efficient if you have your order already prepared when you step up to the marbled counters of fine food pur-

> Eventually, despite your cheerful demeanor and careful enunciation of your order, the person on the other side of the counter will make an error. Whether slight, or grievous in nature, errors usually have some basis in low pay, sleep deprivation, or workplace malaise. It is, then, your duty to be a gracious guest in this place and calmly accept that something is not quite right. Raising your

voice, especially using four-letter curses, tends to limit constructive dialogue and reduces the chances of a speedy rem-There, your lesson is complete. You have learned to speak clearly, make

special orders properly, become aware of how to stand in line, and know what to do when things go wrong. You are a complete and much more likable customer. As such, you will find that employees of these food vendors are more likely to go out of their way to make sure you have a satisfying meal. A smile is a powerful tool in making someone else's day complete.



The Associated Students of the University of Idaho will be showing films in the Borah Theater at 7 p.m. beginnning Sept. 4. Admission is \$1 for undergrads and \$2 for all others.

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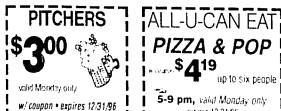


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# Rollin' with Superfly

Miah Miller

uperfly. Just speaking the word brings thoughts of long, black Coupe De Villes, pimps in white suits, hustlin' and all that is supremely funky — namely the soundtrack. That's because all songs (words and music) on the Superfly Soundtrack were orchestrated by Curtis Mayfield — smooth, cool, hip and also known as the Man.

"Little Child Runnin' Wild" opens the soundtrack and features the funkiest orchestra I've ever heard (if there is such a thing). It just goes to show you how broad Mayfield's musical talent really is. The story line tells about life in the ghetto as a child growing up in the drug game. "Child" also boasts a nasty sax solo throughout and afterwards leaves you with emptiness. The percussion drivin' "Pusher Man" opens with bongo knocks, rim shots and shiney, vibe sounding guitar chords. Mayfield's signature-smooth, high-pitched voice tells about the life of the '70s drug pusher. "Ain't I clean, bad machine, super cool, super mean, feelin' good for the man: Superfly! Here I stand! Secret stash, heavy bread, baddest bitches in the bed...I'm your pusher man.'

But there's another side to living this life "...I've got a woman I love desperately, want to give her somethin' better than me, it's hard, I can't be nothin' else, just a hustler in spite of myself...'

Oh well, this song's tougher than your mother after you've eaten her secret stash of cream-filled Twinkies, and you don't have to push drugs to listen to it. "Freddie's Dead" combines the best of "old skool" and "slow jams." Oh, wait, that's Mike J and J.T.....sorry! While it may not be "Da Bomb" I think you'll find that Curtis Mayfield is a little more original. Anyhow, this track is pure soul, provided by a fuzz-face inflicted bass, horns and a sharp flute track, with a crusty organ thrown in for good funks-

The funky orchestra is again on hit in



this one, and just when you think it can't get any better, Mayfield astounds us with one of his philosopic remarks, "We can deal with rockets and dreams, but reality: What does it mean?" Good question.

Gliding in on cocktail-bar piano runs and Hendrix-like waterfall guitar riffs is "Give Me Your Love." This song is smoother than you could ever hope to be. Wah guitar riffs throughout make for a real '70s retro trip, with Mayfield's smooth, high voice as your guide. This is some serious make out stuff. The title track is by far the best. "Superfly" opens with crazy tom solos, congas, high hats and a bass line to groove for. And just then, Mayfield switches up the track and brings in the horns: break beats galore!

The lyrics aren't too shabby either, in fact, they're down right pimpin'. "Superfly; you're gonna make a fortune by and by, but if lose don't ask no questions why. The only game you know is do or die!" You can just see Superfly strollin' off into the technicolor sunset in his long black El Dog, after slappin' all suckas and rollin' by the cops without a care in the world.

#### Summer movies make money, not culture

The past couple of years, summer for the movie industry has revolved around the principle of releasing the most action-packed, high-budget films of the year, usually with staggering to modest monetary

These past three months were no different. Twister, Independence Day, The Rock and The Arrival were just a few of this season's

works which relied more on glitz and great special effects than on a creative plot and emotional

This is certainly much more of an observation than an expression of discontent. Still, the slightest hint of insult lies beneath this pattern of hugegrossing films in the summer and quality, Oscarcaliber pieces in the winter. Certainly we are not to believe that only during certain parts of the year are producers able to put out intelligent, thought-provoking works, while during the months of June, July and August, the silver screen turns into cinema's version of sweeps

Not too long ago, there wasn't such a mass quantity of these mega-action flicks all coming out at once. Jurassic Park realistically had no competition in the special effects and whiteknuckle departments, while Star Wars, The Black Hole and 2001: A Space Odyssey were about the wildest action rides you'd take all decade when they came out.

These gaps in large-scale action pictures left room in the past summers for eventual award winners like Forrest Gump, My Left Foot, or Spike Lee's X to share the spotlight.

Leaving Las Vegas, this year's "Best Picture" recipient, was released well before the summer began, and subsequently grossed a little under what past winners of the award have. This is not to say that one of the stipulations of a great movie is that it should garner huge amounts of money, although recognition and financial success often go hand in hand.

The point, if there is a definite one here, is the same one made since the beginnings of the entertainment industry: money talks. Cliché as this may sound — and it does — it's true, and what we're possibly seeing is the start of a trend here. Eventually, summer movies of classical merit

and intellectual substance will get pushed further and further back on the priority list of producers and executives. Maybe not long from now, summer movies will be nothing more than a multi-media roller coaster of car chases, fight scenes and bringing the unlively to life. The line between quality and super-Justin Cason ficial will be drawn right around mid-May, then let the explosions begin.

Unfortunately, some of the best films on the market today, documentaries, are a sad reminder of the effect money has had on the industry. While a few works make it big — Hoop Dreams, for instance - most quietly find their niche among the cobwebs of video stores or, if they're exceptionally good, on The Discovery Channel or the A&E network. Movies like Under Siege 2: Dark Territory, on the other hand, graced the screen for over a month. Documentary films need a spokesman, and I don't think Paul Reiser's character on television's "Mad About You" is going to cut it.

Still, the adage, "if it ain't broke, don't fix it," is quite applicable here. A far greater percentage of Americans would rather watch a mind-number than a mind-stumper. If money makes the world go 'round, most big-budget directors and producers are on the ride of their life.

Much as this may sound like a knock on action films, it's not. I've probably been to more of these movies and comedies than actual Oscarcontenders. Furthermore, the vast majority of high-budget action pictures uses those large budgets effectively and creates an entertaining end

It just seems unfair that the better, most awardnominated movies don't always achieve the public standing they deserve. Maybe it's because they're not as marketable. It's difficult to imagine a Joe Pesci or Robert DeNiro talking action figure - complete with profane mouth - on the toy store shelves when Goodfellas was released.

Movies are almost always supposed to be a much-needed break from reality, though, no matter what kind of film it is. People go to get away from their everyday lives and see what a different existence would be. I mean, if I was dating Kyra Sedgewick in real life, I wouldn't have needed to go see Phenomenon last month now would 1?

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# PalousaFest '96

Jeremy Birdsall Janet Birdsall

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PalousaFest '96 was filled with food, music, and giveaways. Students collected coupons, posters, candy, Frisbees (as if there aren't already enough) and fliers of all kinds.

ROTC offered rappelling and a shooting range. Policemen handed out green glo-sticks. Students also got a chance to try sumo wrestling and "The Trampoline Thing."

The main draw of PalousaFest is always the music. This year saw a wider spectrum of musical genre than past years' festivals.

The first band to take the stage was Moscow's own Kingpins. A glorified blues band, the Kingpin's instrumentation was drums, bass, two guitars and a lead singer (who also played keyboards and alto sax).

Their set consisted entirely of loosely played blues covers of Robert Cray, Stevie Ray Vaughn, Hootie and the Blowfish and others. The drummer began the set with little sense of time, but improved throughout. The lead singer was good, but the background vocalists had intonation problems.

In general, the Kingpins utilized three-chord swing and straight blues, but did bless us with a nice pseudo-salsa groove on "Who do you love?" This piece also had a fiery sax

Homeward Bound, a country-rock group, came on after the Kingpins. Their instrumentation is drums, bass, vocals/guitar, guitar, keys and fiddle.

The fiddler was talented and very fast. The vocalist was accurate in pitch, but twangy in tone. The rhythm section

played tight. Overall, the band played well together—if you like country.

The University of Idaho marching band gave a brief, choreographed concert which concluded with UI's fight song "Go Vandals." Their performance was as loud, tight, and enthusiastic as always.

Naked to the World took the stage at 7 p.m. They should have been the headlining band, because the Six Million Dollar Band had a hard time following their act.

Their songs had very singable choruses with brilliant segues between them. Their lyrics were deep, thought-provoking and sometimes elusive.

Naked to the World has a unique instrumentation featuring acoustic bass guitar, vocals/acoustic guitar, mandolin/acoustic guitar, fiddle, and drums/percussion.

The percussionist's set-up was unusual in that he didn't have a drum set. He had bass drum, snare drum, and cymbals, but added congas, shakers, vibraslap, and chimes. He sang

well on the few songs that he sang.

The fiddle player was, in a word, unreal. Her solos showed years of classical training, study of blues and jazz, and serious showmanship. Naked to the World used her classical solos (including Bach's "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring") as segues between pieces.

They started one piece as a four-part Renaissance madrigal, with fiddle starting and being joined by mandolin, then bass, guitar and drums respectively. Once the song got going in its swinging six-eight meter, the fiddler quoted melodies from Rossini's "Overture of 1812," Mozart's "Eine Kleine Nacht Musik," and the folk tune "Lord of the Dance."

During the second half of their set, the fiddle player continued to dominate the segues, but now added distortion, delay,

reverb, chorus and flange. These added an edge and another level of depth to the pieces. When using delay, she sounded

like a whole band all by herself. All of Naked to the World's songs had some things in common. The most noticeable was the unique chord progressions. Also, the vocal harmonies were written and executed well.

In a rare verbal segue, the band's singer/guitarist said, "This song started out about earthquakes 'cause we're all from California. Then it started getting religious, then it started to backslide." The song rocked. It was an up-tempo blues tune in strict 12-bar form with a solo from everyone.

It's hard to get an acoustic band to rock. Naked to the

World found the formula and it worked.
Unfortunately, the Six Million Dollar band came on at 9 p.m. They began with a very danceable drum solo and a lot of fog on the stage.

The group included drums, bass/vocals, guitar/lead vocals, and fiddle. If the punk group Green Day hailed from Ireland and hired a violinist, this may be what they'd sound like.

In general, the drumming was good. The talented fiddler played enjoyable Celtic-esque melodies.

The vocals were significantly lacking in intonation and conviction, sounding like a poor rendition of Green Day's Billie Joe. Additionally, the bass playing was simply uninspired.

In short, if the Six Million Dollar Band would practice for about two years, learn how to end a song together, and find some stage presence, they'd be a tolerable experience.

Throughout the concerts, the sound technicians did not do justice to any band's sound. Rarely could the guitars be heard. and occasionally bass and vocals were lost as well. Members of the audience went to the sound booth to give suggestions, which happens at any concert. This time, they were right.

## **Looking Forward to Go!**

#### Book review

by Shawn Vidmar

Two for The Dough Janet Évanovich Hard Cover, Fiction/Mystery ISBN 0684196387 pp 301 \$22.00

Janet Evanovich's second book, Two For the Dough, leaves the reader anxiously anticipating the assumed follower, Three To Get

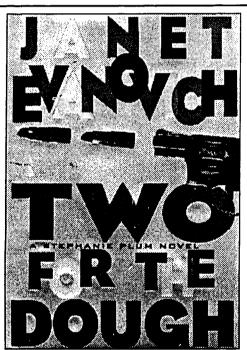
Ready. In Evanovich's first book, One for The Money, the reader is introduced to the protagonist, Miss Stephanie Plum. Plum appeals to any number of us. She loses her job as a lingerie buyer, only to discover times are tight and she isn't necessarily qualified for any kind of work.

Evanovich cleverly constructs a family much like our own, with a meddling, kindhearted mother, silent, suffering father, and a slightly bonkers but hilarious grandmother living in the family home. Ms. Plum does not mean to go into the skip tracing business, but she needs money and she needs it fast.

Plum's inexperience is laughable and she often finds herself in way over her head; but like most of us, she figures it out as she goes along. She buys her first gun, but is afraid to use it. She fills her bounty hag full of pepper. spray, a stun gun, and mace from the sale of her couch and television. Her reactions at first are slow and therefore her injuries are predictable, but she learns quickly

An out-of-commission bounty hunter named Ranger helps her in a way that seems like pity, but grows into respect. Where Plum makes mistakes, she makes up for in sheer tenacity. She is motivated by pure need, she is broke and she will not move home with her parents.

During the various meal scenes at the Plum household, the character of Grandma Mazur stands out. At one time she gets a hold of Plum's gun and shoots the turkey on the table in the "gumpy." She also goes to funerals like



one would go to cotillions. In Two For the Dough, Stephanie Plum and Grandma Mazur join forces to investigate a scandal apparently stemming from several funeral parlor businesses in their area.

Plum is also paired with the neighborhood stud who not only kissed her and told, but blew her off as well. As a result she hit him with her father's Buick. Neither have ever really forgiven the other, but the chemistry between them is electrifying.

Evanovich cleverly portrays the feelings we all carry around. We know that first encounter and speculate on how we would treat him/her if we saw that person again. We experience the desperation of Stephanie Plum as she tries to make ends meet, understand the business, and press on despite being shot at, bullied, misled, threatened and sent unsightly members of people's anatomy through the mail.

One For the Money was named as a New York Times notable book, a Publisher's Weekly "Best Book of 1994," and a USA Today "Best Bet." It won the Dilys Award, and was a finalist for the Edgar, Anthony, Agatha, Shamus, and Macavity awards. Two For the Dough will undoubtedly follow in its footsteps and surpass the acclaim of its predecessor.

Evanovich is one of the best new talents to hit the mystery-fiction scene in a long time. Her prose is jocular and apt as well as resourceful. Once you pick up this book, it is close to impossible to set down.





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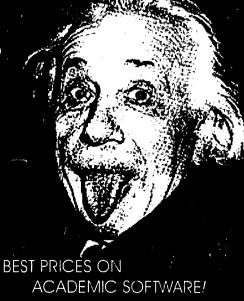
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**Amy Smith** 

Well, you've lived with these people for this first week of school now. How's it going? If you're finding that you're not getting along with your roommate(s) as well as you had anticipated, I just might have the answers to all your problems.

SWOON, a new site about relationships from CondéNet, is packed with great stuff about people and interactions with them. If you like to dabble on the net occasionally, as I do, SWOON is a humorous and interesting place to

Under the "Friends" section I found the "No B.S. Roommate Contract." With this, SWOON allows you to construct and produce a contract with you and your roommates. It sets the record straight on how you all want things to go in your place of residence.

The contract, when completed, is four pages long and covers almost everything roommates could disagree on. Parties, furniture, bills, and whether the toilet paper is to hang over the top of or down on the wall are but few categories you can include in your contract.

When setting it up with your roommates you could take a humorous approach and just do it for fun. If you're really serious about it, you could use it as a tool to set things in stone and sue them later if they decide not to abide by the terms you all set forth.

Accompanying this contract, SWOON offers a forum for some cyber-chat about roommate war stories. This forum also allows surfers to talk about or comment on whatever else they want to dealing with relationships and dat-

This site is also equipped with links to related magazine stories from such publications as Glamour, Mademoiselle, Details, and GQ. SWOON attempts to provide a full-package relationship service on the net with this magazine rack. They even give you the option of subscribing to these magazines after reading the sto-

SWOON also has a horoscope section which is updated daily. My horoscope was a little wacky. The writers of SWOON's horoscopes are unique to say the least, yet mine was entertaining and if nothing else made me chuckle.

In addition, SWOON provides a personals section at no charge.

The personals are broken into such categories as women seeking men, men seeking women, as well as women seeking women, and men seeking men. The service claims to be completely anonymous, many people create aliases when creating their ads. The ads I read were from both coasts -- mostly from New York and Seattle.

As if that weren't enough, under the "Others" section in SWOON they have a Q&A archive of interviews with famous people. The type of questions these celebs answered were very straight forward about sex, dating, body art, among many others. A few on the list were Gabrielle Reese, Iggy Pop, Shannen Doherty, and k.d. Lang.

The site slightly mimics a newspaper setup in that they have a daily headline and a changing survey on random topics. When I checked it out, the pole asked, "Marriage license or license plate?" OK.

In any event, SWOON held my attention. Although I am one of the lucky few who don't have to deal with roommate conflicts, in the event I had any I would most definitely sit down and whip out one of the contracts they've put

# They aren't all laughing now

CD review: Adam Sandler

'm not sure what the hell happened to Adam Sandler, but his new attempt at comedy fares poorly compared to all of the other projects he has done along the way.

His first release, They're All Going To Laugh at You, has very funny moments. Sandler's way of looking at the world with the childlike innocence and black humor is refreshing if not just odd. With songs like "Lunch Lady Land" and tracks like "The Severe Beating of a High School Janitor" or "The Severe Beating of a High School Spanish Teacher," Sandler establishes himself as a comedian and singer of sorts. His variety of "stories" have points and a punch line. It's enjoyable to hear and repeat.

Sandler's following release of What The Hell Happened To Me? leaves the listener asking the same questions. The CD contains a bitter quality which is not present in his first attempt. His series on "How and Excited Southerner..." just sounds like he is making fun of a stuttering person. There contains no evidence that the poor soul is south-

The stories sound like recordings

of a bunch of immature guys saying key words to evoke shock. The mentality feels much like an episode of Beavis and Butthead. Compared to Sandler's previous release, this one lacks the innocent, fun qualities.

The songs have Sandler screaming out lyrics which contain anger and cynicism. "Steve Polychronoplous" is certainly funnier in video form than purely audio. "Mr. Bake-O" contains moments verging on humorous, but then Sandler goes over the top and becomes purely absurd.

Perhaps the rage the listener detects is simply exhaustion on Sandler's part. His stints on Saturday Night Live, plus various movies, video production, and a live tour, could have worn him out. His instant fame and sudden demand might be a contributing factor to his cynicism.

Overall, What The Hell Happened To Me? is a pass. If you want to sink your money into his work, try They're All Going to Laugh at You, because he gives the listener material to do so.

—Shawn Vidmar

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> — Charlotte Perkins Gilman

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Cheese Blitz\*

1 pkg. mushroom soup mix
2/3 cup
6 oz. cheese — Swiss, Jack
or Ceddar
1 cup whole wheat flour
1 cup unbleached white flour
1/3 cup instant powdered milk
1/2 tsp.
4 Tbis butter/margarine
1/5 tsp.

Prepare mushroom soup mix, using half the amount of water recommended on the package. Slice cheese into thin pieces.

In a bowl, mix together milk, flour, and salt. Add 1/2 cup of water and stir. Dough out to bind together. Add remaining water, a tablespoon at a time, until dough becomes tacky. Divide dough in half and shape into two balls.

Flatten dough balls into two nine-inch diameter crusts. Fry in hot-oiled skillet briefly on one side: Place cheese on half of fried crust and cook with lid until cheese melts. Fold in half, spoon over mushroom sauce and sprinkle paprika on top.

\* Courtesy Steve Antell's book on Backpacker's Recipe Book, on Purett Publishing Co. Boulder, CO, 1980 p72

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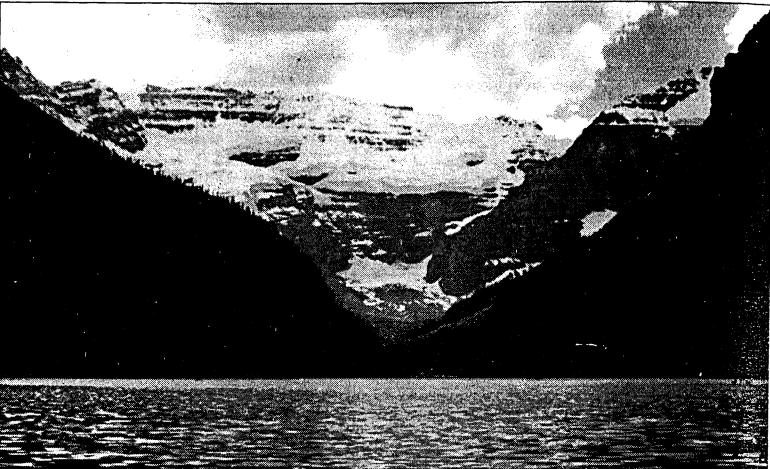
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Victoria Glacier overlooks bountiful Lake Louise in Banff National Park.

Shawn Vidmar

Outdoors Editor

B elieve it or not, Moscow is situated about six hours south of Banff, Canada, or rather the Garden of Eden for geologists and outdoor enthusiasts.

You can hop on Highway 95 to Sandpoint into Canada where you can take a left on 93 at Radium Hot Springs entering Yoho National Park. The majestic Castle Mountain greets you as you enter Banff National Park from the highway.

When you reach the junction of the Trans Canadian Interstate 1, you need to decide whether to go north to Lake Louise or southwest to Banff. Along 93 you pass the exit for the Columbia Icefield. This glacier is left over from the last ice age and many of its counterparts, which helped mold the area into the incredible scenery around you, have long since melted away.

The Columbia Icefield is 125 square miles and covers about the same surface area as Yellowstone Lake. It even reaches thickness of over 1,000 feet in places. If you have never ventured onto or around a glacier, this is an excellent time to do it. It is truly amazing to feel the cool breeze come off the ice and be dwarfed by its immense size. You immediately realize how these massive ice rivers carved the valleys and mountains before you.

About 12 miles after that pullout, the turnoff for either Lake Louise or Banff. Lake Louise offers a wonderful chalet on the lake in the shadow of the Victoria Glacier. Many people flock to this resort, founded by the Canadian Pacific Railroad in 1890.

Lake Louise Chalet (now Chateau Lake Louise), the brainchild of then-CPR general manager W.C. Van Horne, continues to be updated to offer the most modern conveniences. Horne realized that many high-society people traveled upon this scenic leg of the CPR line so he began offering first-class service, akin to the Titanic and Oriental Express in their heyday and extravagance. Unfortunately the route proved to be too windy,

hilly, and bumpy to serve meals on fine china and to sleep in silk beds. Therefore, he decided to arrange stop-overs at Lake Louise and Banff Hot Springs and then built luxurious hotels to accommodate his posh customers. (The Empress in Victoria and the Hotel Vancouver in Vancouver are a part of this "chain.")

Banff Springs Hotel looks much like a magical Gothic castle nestled into the forest. Located at the base of Sulfur Mountain, which received its name from the sulfur smell caused by the natural mineral pools, it offers multifarious services including a complete spa, mineral baths, shuttle services, several great restaurants and a nice golf course.

It is a bit unnerving to walk along the street and look over your shoulder to see a cow elk and a calf grazing in the soccer field. These animals are untouchable because Banff township is located within the Canadian Rocky Mountain Parks World Heritage Site. This site protects 8,000 square miles of massive rock, ice, snow and evergreens.

Banff, situated as an "island of civilization among a sea of wilderness," is a short drive from breathtaking scenery sans any evidence of humans. Natives from the lower Rocky Mountains which offer seemingly higher peaks from the numbers, are astounded when these newest members of the chain dwarf the Fourteeners. An international photographer commented that the mountains in Banff put the Swiss Alps to shame. Moraine Lake and the Valley of the Ten Peaks, within driving distance of Banff, are a sure bet for the tourists; however, if you want to narrow the scope, Banff is also the place to be.

Banff and Lake Louise offer over 1,120 miles of well-maintained trails. Some campsites are equipped with suspension lines for food because bears cause some problems in the area. Most campsites, accessible regardless of the season, provide a great foray into the wilderness

The longer days of summer offer over 16 hours to hike and set up

camp. Not all trails go straight up. Many skirt the many glacial lakes in the area. For instance, along Minnewanka (Spirit) Lake, two campsites, one at six kilometers in and another at 22, shank the pristine waters. The trails gain little elevation and the water remains safe to drink. Yet diving in on a hot day is not recommended since the lake's temperature seldom exceeds 40 degrees Fahrenheit.

The same lake and campgrounds in the winter are wonderful to ski or snowshoe into. The lake never freezes over because of a manmade dam at the outflow which supplies the electricity for the ski areas in the vicinity.

If downhill skiing fits your passion, Mt. Norquay, Lake Louise and Sunshine Village challenge even the expert skier. Long, steep cirques and fresh powder fuel the dreams of any extreme enthusiast. The rugged mountains also offer a great habitat for many local wildlife.

Any number of animals live in the area at any given time. Among others, they include: bighorn sheep, elk, marmots, pikas, cougar, bobcat, mountain goat, muskrat, coyote, buffalo and bear. Hiking at any time requires forethought and bear whistles. As always, hikers should be aware of their surroundings by allowing the native animals the right of way and knowing first aid.

Any season provides a good time in Banff. Summer offers wildflowers and green pastures. Fall paints the hillsides hues of a fire with the changing Aspens and Larch trees. Winter sports remain bountiful indoors and out. Spring thaw presents a chance to see newborn wildlife, fresh patches of meadowlands and glorious waterfalls from the snowmelt.

For further information, contact Banff National Park Visitor Centre, Box 900, 224 Banff Ave., Banff, AB TOL OCO or call (403)762-1550.



Shawn Vidmar

Sonya Lenzi relaxes after a day on the trail.

# Challenging the body and mind

Heather McCoy and Kevin Murphy

Staff

Many students at the University of Idaho turn to rock climbing as a way to release the build-up of stress.

Super senior Ryan Gelok gets in a good climb at least two times per month, but some of his die-hard friends go a couple of times per week.

With the proper equipment and training, the sport proves exhilarating, yet obtaining all of the essentials costs a fair amount. A good rope retails for about \$120, decent shoes around \$100 and harnesses at least \$60. This is the basic equipment rock climbers need. Webbing, carebeaners, and quickdraws also add cost in this sport.

According to Ryan Gelok, it is important to buy new, maintain your existing gear and replace it when necessary. "I never buy used gear because I never know how well the gear was treated before I got it. It's scary not knowing if the rope is going to hold or not when you've placed your life in the strength of the gear."

Despite the expense, students manage to find ways to climb. One good spot in the area is only 90 minutes away. Post Falls, secluded by forests and granite rocks, offers great terrain to begin. A river nearby welcomes hot climbers.

A closer location to rock climb is Granite Point. It's only 45 minutes away with six good mid-range climbs. Granite Point is usually fairly crowded, primarily because of its location on the side of the highway. It's best to go during the week because during the weekend the place resembles a jungle gym.

"Pullman has some pretty good climbing," freshman Tony Slama said. "But a lot of it is underdeveloped." There still aren't any chains for climbers to clip into, but they're coming along. Slama's favorite spot in the area is in Spokane, because it's loaded with "bitchin' crags."

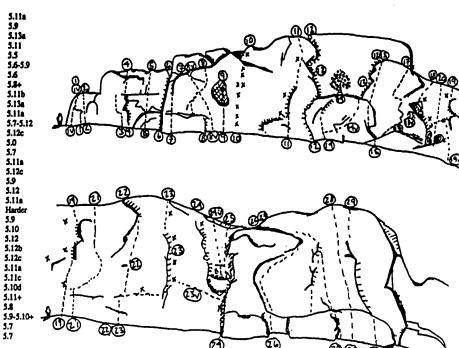
Gelok rates rock climbing as one of his favorite activities. "Climbing is like chess, except it's physical," he said. "You always need to be thinking a few moves ahead. You have to think about your balance, your body situation, and all of the holds."

Unlike chess, you really can get hurt climbing. Gelok's friends have fallen between 15 and 30 feet and have broken ankles, ribs, arms, and wrists. Despite the falls, they keep on climbing.

There are also those climbers out there who are still beginners and may be a little less than eager to try their skills on the rocks. For those climbers, the only answer is — the wall. UI provides its own climbing wall in Memorial Gym, and the outdoor program runs several training sessions for beginners and inter-

**Granite Point** 





mediate climbers.

Mike Beiser, outdoor program coordinator, said, "The easiest way to learn how to climb is to go with a close, patient friend. And if you don't have one of those, we'll be happy to help."

Slama said, "It is good for training in the winter, but if you don't get the adrenaline rush, the danger

isn't there."

For anyone who enjoys climbing, but doesn't want to use the wall the outdoor program's office carries a booklet titled, *Trail Notes: 13 Local Climbing Areas*. It's packed with descriptions of the climbs, directions on how to get to them and a big map of Granite Point on the back

The map on the back also has each climb and its rating labeled. But, if you are interested in using the wall, contact either the outdoor program's office, or the outdoor rental center. And if they don't have everything you need, the nearest all-out climbing gear store in the region is Hyperspud, located on Main Street in Moscow.

# Diversions briefs

#### Crane season opens

The Idaho Fish and Game State Office stated in a press release this week that Sept. 1-8 will now be recognized as long—necked crane season. Apparently the commission agreed that by taking 20 cranes per season, one bird per hunter, the population reduction will reach an acceptable level. Ironically crane is not known for its edibility and basically the birds are killed purely for sport — kind of like shooting fish in a barrel.

These native cranes evidently trespassed upon Idaho farmers' land causing damage to grain, barley and potato harvest. They also trample the crops. There are, however, "lure crops" which farmers could plant in order to keep the cranes away from their cash crops. Yet the farmers complain of work overload worrying about the cranes.

#### Stubborn as a Steelhead?

The steelhead are back, and in such force the Fish and Game Commission decided to deem them legal for fishing. Last year, the Clearwater River steelhead fish run had such low numbers that many became afraid there would not be enough fish to sustain a successful spawning season. Plainly, the fish did enough because they are open season for those who fish.

#### Enthusiasts save Idaho \$303,840

Many volunteers around the state pulled together to mend fences, clear out flood debris, and other odd jobs, saving the state from paying for the estimated 27,418 hours they put in.

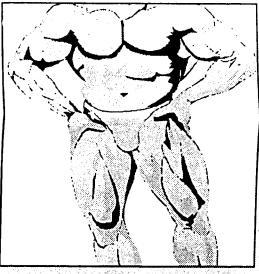
#### Forest activist out of the doghouse

Jake Kreilick, a long-time Cove/Mallard campaigner, was granted his freedom after 28 days in the poky. Kreilick violated a federal order which closed a portion of the Nez Perce National Forest. The conflict lies between the campaigners to protect the Cove/Mallard roadless area and the Forest Service's roadless area policies in the country.

#### Who pays for it all?

A meeting in Lake Tahoe will join the leaders of America's tourism industry and the nation's public lands figureheads. They will meet Sept. 24-26.

The idea is to "Seek Common Ground," or rather come to an agreement as to who is responsible for trail maintenance, access,



infrastructure to and from the destination, fees/management, environmental concerns, information and marketing.

These figureheads must find a way. If not, we will lose our most precious resources to independent investors who may or may not have the same vision as those who previously ran the National Park Lands and other scenic public places.

# Tourism second industry in world trade

Shawn Vidmar
Outdoors Editor

Tourism maintains the top three to four industries in the world. Its importance to world trade is surpassed only by the petroleum industry.

As many of the baby boomers reach their 50s, they find they have more money than did their parents at that age, and they are in better health. This trend, not limited by the United States' borders, compounded by shifting governments, gives many the desire to travel not only stateside but abroad as well.

A newly retired Hong Kong man spoke of his mistrust in the Chinese government in the upcoming takeover. He carefully stored his pension in Australia and America. He traveled extensively with his company, Shell Oil; but his retired plans involve only his wife and world destinations.

The Vietnamese government is targeting the youth of the world to visit. They treat touring youngsters as revenue; however, for those returning to the place they once fought, the North Vietnamese can be obtrusive and suspicious.

The Canadian government opened its doors

to every nationality. The feeling of a purely international community permeates the streets as every child is treated equally and every adult smiles at one another.

Tourism is defined by business groups as revenue gained from hotels, transportation, and the provisions needed for goods, services and food. Anyone in Atlanta will tell you just what the increase in tourism generated this summer for the centennial games. Every person interviewed walked away with a souvenir, even after the terrorist acts.

The mishaps in Atlanta proved what many world leaders already knew, the U.S. is not at a national level to encourage tourism. America has done everything to discourage international tourism in the past; however as it proves to be profitable, more states are jumping on the bandwagon. Just think of the increase in adds to travel to one state or another.

Many groups have linked their studies with tourism. Economists look for models of how much money will be generated. They assess the impact and project how many minimum wage jobs will be generated.

The anthropologists look into how people

of two different cultures interact when they meet because of tourism. They wonder if this will motivate change in any way, good or bad. For example, there is the fear that those visiting will bring in images, ideas, and ideals that the host culture deems extravagant.

The physical scientists wonder about the impact on the environment as a result of tourism. This is extremely pertinent since an increase in people often results in more waste, more erosion, and more traffic on perhaps an already poor infrastructure.

A good example is the ski industry, which clears the forest for runs, it causes misplaced habitats for the wild ones who previously inhabited the forest, erosion and the neverending battle concerning artificial snow. Manmade snow draws water from under and above—ground streams causing distress to the wildlife further downstream.

In city centers, tourism causes wear and tear on the facilities themselves. Places like the Louvre, Notre Dame Cathedral, the Coliseum, the Parthenon, and Mesa Verde suffer the damages of oily hands, smoking and pollution generated to get there. People have a difficult time following directions.

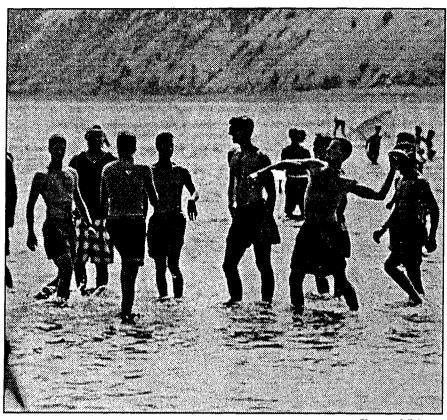
Therefore, closed off areas are seldom respected and "do not touch" signs never pertain to them.

Tourism is also a study of civil engineers, those who plan the town's streets, parking lots, and transportation to the facilities. Psychologists often ask who are those who travel? Why do people travel? What age group travels the most? And so on.

They even break down tourists into international tourists, those who cross a border and domestic tourists. They have agreed that a person can only be a tourist for one year in one country, then you become a nomad. They also look at how long the person is at a destination, overnight deems a tourist, not spending the night results in an excursionist classification.

The U.S. is just beginning to realize the cash attached to presenting the country in a positive manner. Yet it still seems the only ones traveling are those of middle to high class. This may be historically contingent on the aristocratic tradition of sending their child on a yearlong European adventure to finish his or her education. This was to be the ultimate teaching experience.

# Surf, sand, su



A group cools off as they throw the football around in the Snake River.

Shawn Vidmar **Outdoors Editor** 

Imagine the temperatures soaring to the 100s, the pools are crowded and the sprinklers are few. Where to go? The

The Dunes, a sandy outcropping along the southwest bank of the Snake River, provides a welcome oasis to the recent high temperatures. The "beach" is what you would expect in California, but without the surf. Therefore, there's no undertow. The soft, grainy white sand warms and begs for games of volleyball and catch, or sunbathing, barbecuing and throwing the Frisbee.

Arriving early is the key, for it crowds quickly on a hot weekend. To avoid parking miles away and finding a "stuff" spot equally as far, hitting the road before noon is preferable. The drive, easy but sometimes congested, begins in either Moscow or Pullman.
Take Highway 8 out of

Moscow which becomes 270 at the Washington border. Follow

signs to Wawawai about halfway though town, take a left and drive up over the hill. The Wawawai/Pullman road, labeled as Highway 194, will take you within a few turns of the spot. Continuous highway signs become scarce, so also keep and eye out for a right turn onto a road called Wilbur Gulch Road to Union Gulch, whereupon you turn left (still on 194) but also called Goose Creek Road for about six miles. Then turn left again toward Almota on Almota Road. There consists a few switchbacks as you travel down to the Snake River. At Almota turn right (the only way you can turn) and follow the river to the Lower Granite Dam. Cross the dam by following the signs.

Once across the dam, turn right (north) to follow the river once again on Almota Ferry Road, follow the signs for the Boyer Park and Marina. Go past the marina less than a mile to find a parking lot and restroom facility seemingly out in the middle of nowhere. Later in the day, the parking lot will

be packed and you need to find the first available parking spot.

All that remains between you and the fun is a fairly long hike through the sand to the water. Many boaters often pull up and beach their crafts as well. This is certainly easier than lugging the coolers, snacks, and barbecues through the sand.

The music gets louder throughout the day. The trolling for scenery — you know, the kind in bathing suits becomes crowded so much that it becomes impossible to throw a Frisbee or football for any

As always in the sun remember to hydrate with water, put on sunscreen and even wear a hat. Then the standard rules for a natural area ensue - pack out what you pack in and don't leave evidence of your stay. In short, pick up your trash.

Be aware also that the later you depart, the more traffic you will run into. The sheriffs and other officials are also prevalent, so be careful when driving, for they will do sobriety and speed tests.



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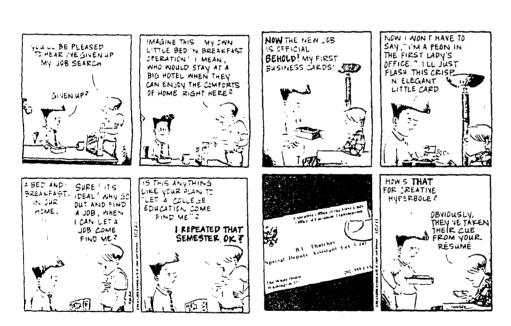


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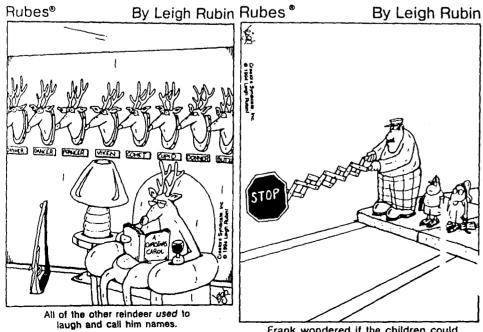
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#### 30 Alumni Volleyball Game, 7:30 p.m., ■ Palouse Empire Fair, Colfax Memorial Gym Play: "Oliver", Jones Theatre, WSU Farmers Market, Gallery Opening: Rimma Gerlovina and Valeriy 8 a.m., Moscow City Center Gerlovin, Prichard Gallery, 5 p.m. Palouse Empire Fair, Colfax. Play: "Oliver", Jones Theatre, WSU Palouse Empire Fair, Colfa 9 10 Faculty Art Exibit opens, WSU Museum of Fine Arts Faculty Art Exibit opening night lecture, Keith Monaghan, WSU Fine Arts Auditorium 11 Stephen Lyons Poety Reading, 7:30 p.m., **UI Law School** ASUI Film Night: The Blues Brothers. ASUI Film Night: Rush, 7 p.m., Borah Theatre 7 p.m., Borah Theatre 12 Concert: The Allman Brothers Band & Swamp Concert: Ann Yasinitsky, flute & Greg Yasinitsky, Brothers Band, 7:30 p.m., Beasley Collseum, WSU saxophone, 8 p.m., Kimbrough Concert Hall, WSU Palouse Empire Fair, Colfax Latah County Fair, Moscow

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Parks and Rec registration imminent

Today is the last day to register for Moscow Parks and Recreation's youth soccer and flag football. Football is being offered for children in grades three through six and soccer from grades one through seven. Both programs run from midseptember through October. Volunteer coaches and paid officials are also needed for both sports. For information call 883-7085.

#### Life Skills training course

The Community Action Agency of Moscow is offering a Life Skills training course on Sept. 10. The series of classes are designed to help people improve skills such as: getting and keeping a job, household finance, parenting, stress management, and conflict resolution. For information call Kevin or Debbie at 882-3535.

#### **GLBA** hosts lecture

The University of Idaho Gay Lesbian and Bisexual Association will hold a lecture Sept. 5 on the subject of lesbian and gay rights as a free speech issue. The lecture's keynote speaker will be Prof. Paul Siegel and the talk will encompass the topics of gay marriage and child custody. For information call John Streiff at 882-5188.

## Psychology dept. holds group therapy sessions

The UI Department of Psychology will be conducting a series of group therapy sessions for depression beginning the third week of September. The sessions will cost

\$10 each and financial aid will be available for those who qualify. For information call 885-7297.

#### Pre-Vet club holds BBQ

The UI Pre-Vet club will hold its annual BBQ, Saturday, Sept. 7 at 7 p.m. in Mountain View Park, Moscow. For information contact Khaliela Wright at 883-8716.

# 'Follies' open Civic Theatre season

The Lewiston Civic Theatre opens its fall season Sept. 6 with the "Will Rogers Follies" and is the first in a series of plays to include: "Dracula: The Musical," and "Annie." For more information call (208) 746-3401.

#### Students can nominate for Homecoming royalty

Off-campus students are now eligible to make nominations for Homecoming 1996 royalty. Forms are available at the Alumni Office, Student Advisory Services, or the SUB Information Desk. Forms are due by noon Friday. For information call 885-6154.

## Roundup Parade looking for participants

The Lewiston Roundup is accepting applications for the 1996 Lewiston Round-up Parade to be held Sept. 7. Organizations or individuals wishing to participate in this year's parade can contact Janet Smith at (208) 799-2000 to receive applications.