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### Sophomore's father murdered; mother missing

BY CHARLES DOUGIELLO City News Editor

The murder of a university student's father and the disappearance of his mother earlier this week continue to baffle police, who again came up empty-handed after an extensive search yesterday of the wooded area near the family's

Anthony "Nino" Puglisi, father of sophomore Michael, was found dead Monday on the floor of his Academy Hill home with a single gunshot wound to the head. His wife, Debra, has been missing since the day of the murder.

New Castle County Police said that after 50 interviews and more than 50 hours of evidencegathering later, they do not have any suspects and have not ruled anyone out while exploring all possible scenarios.

The wooded area, in the southwest corner of Newark, has seemingly become a focus for police who combed the terrain twice in the last three days with the aid of helicopters and K-9

These are the same woods Michael and his

best friend, sophomore Joe Ibrahim, have run through many times training for the university's track team.

Ibrahim, who has been a close friend of the Puglisi family for years, said Michael and his twin sister Melissa are holding up well and praying for the safe return of their mother.

Debra's co-workers at Delaware Hospice became concerned when she failed to pick up her nursing assignments at 4 p.m. Monday and went to the house to check on her. After getting help from neighbors, they noticed through a window the lifeless body of Nino.

Neighbors entered through an open door, but did not find any sign of Debra, who was seen in the backyard 30 minutes earlier.

Public Information Officer Joseph Lavelle of the New Castle County Police said there was no sign of a forced entry and they do not believe any items are missing from the house.

Lavelle said family members will be allowed to return to the house Thursday night or Friday. Debra has been listed missing since Tuesday

and local police have notified police

departments across the East Coast about her unusual disappearance.

Eleven evidence markers were visible on the property along with what appeared to be footprints or tire tracks. Police would not comment on what the markers were for or if there are witnesses who saw an automobile on

Neighbors and friends of the Puglisis said Debra and Nino were a wonderful couple and are stunned by the murder which has rocked

Chery Hamilton lives in Academy Hill and said everyone in the neighborhood is shocked

"Our neighborhood is not the type of place where things like this happen," she said.

Ibrahim described Nino as a loving husband and a very dedicated father who could be found at most of his son's track meets and practices.

Nino would stand on the side of the track yelling to Michael to pick up the pace, Ibrahim said. He would attend the meets with a neon



The Puglisi's home in the Academy Hills neighborhood off Elkton see MURDER page A4 Road is still surrounded by police tape and evidence markers.

### Grossberg pleads to manslaughter

BY MARK E. JOLLY

WILMINGTON — Amy S. Grossberg's words gradually became more and more punctuated with sniffles and suppressed tears as she pleaded s o b b i n g See editorial, guilty in Superior Court Wednesday to uncontrollably. the charge of manslaughter in the Nov. 12, 1996, death of her newborn son.

President Judge Henry DuPont Ridgely asked the former university student a series of questions under oath to ensure she was pleading of her own free will.

"Yes, your honor," was Grossberg's only answer as his questions progressed, her trio of defense lawyers huddled around her as if for protection or support. "Are you in fact guilty of this

charge?" Ridgely asked.

"Yes, your honor," the 19-year-old repeated, her voice cracking and faltering.

Both Grossberg's emotionally charged plea and a repeated emphasis from her attorney, Robert K. Tanenbaum, that the New Jersey teenager was taking "full responsibility" for her role in her son's death in a Newark motel seemed to signal some expression of remorse from the defendant.

Many believe such penitence will be a key factor in the severity of the sentence she will receive from Ridgely after a sentencing hearing that begins

Prosecutor Paul R. Wallace, however, was unconvinced of Grossberg's remorse.

"It is an upsetting circumstance to be in court [to plead guilty]," he said. "Her remorse and her contrition are things that will come out [in the next few months' pre-sentencing investigation]."

Grossberg began sobbing almost immediately upon entering the courtroom. When another of her attorneys, Jack L. Gruenstein, couldn't console her, Grossberg joined her family in the audience, clutching a disintegrating tissue and alternating between staring despondently at the floor and crying to her mother, Sonye, who brushed aside her daughter's stray

After the hearing, Grossberg and two friends from the university encircled each other in a massive hug, all

Such emotional

displays, coupled with Tanenbaum

saying Grossberg "feels the remorse and attrition of those unintended consequences," led Wallace to remind

the court of the three facts Grossberg stipulated with her plea: The child had a separate existence

and was born alive; · Grossberg, through her actions or

inactions, caused her son's death; · By her "chilling indifference," she allowed her baby to die.

"That is the factual basis for this case and for this plea," he said.

The prosecution recommended incarceration for Grossberg but made no

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### In feeding frenzy, media gets its fill

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BY RYAN CORMIER

WILMINGTON - The media circus was back in town, but this time it wasn't in front of Thompson Hall as it was 17 months ago.

With photographers dangling out of the second-floor window of the Wilmington Public Library across the street from the courthouse, Amy Grossberg left what has become her home away from

home in tears after finally admitting publicly that she played a role in the REPORTER'S death of her son.

After her sobbing courtroom appearance, she pushed through the horde of media

while her six-foot-five attorney Robert K. Tanenbaum guarded her.

death of her newborn baby.

During the flurry of activity, King Street came to a standstill.

All traffic was blocked by a mob of photographers and people walking the normally calm streets of Wilmington stopped in their tracks, glaring at the former university student who has gained international attention for the

Hundreds of bystanders gawked at Grossberg from the bus station terminal across the street - some shaking their heads, some cheering.

Meanwhile, an 18-wheeler which was barreling down the street came to a halt as 30 cameramen ran in front of it, surrounding Grossberg in hopes of a shot of her puffy, tear-stained face.

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THE REVIEW / John Chabalk Attorney Joseph A. Hurley pushes past a crowd of press.

### Sonye, as they enter court Wednesday. Grossberg pleaded guilty to manslaughter in the death of her child, ending a 17-month legal battle. advisory plan

BY JENNIFER L. TOWERS

Students who want to play an active role in city government may get their chance this fall when Mayor Harold F. Godwin will select members for what he calls

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...see page A3 Visit The Review Online at http://www.review.udel.edu the "Godwin Advisory Council."

Attorney Robert K. Tanenbaum consoles his sobbing client, Amy Grossberg, and her mother,

"The objective of having this council is so I can stay wellinformed on all issues and points of views from people of all walks of life," Godwin said.

The council will consist of selected students and residents from various districts of Newark.

"This won't be a complaint board," he said, "but a growth-

positive board." Godwin will spend this summer developing a more outlined plan. He will choose his panel from the candidates nominated by city council members, those elected by others or by people who have nominated themselves.

Although the frequency in meetings may change depending

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### Godwin solidifies DUSC election unopposed again

BY MICHAEL D. BULLARD

Not one candidate in the Delaware Undergraduate Student Congress election Monday and Tuesday will face an opponent.

This marks the third consecutive time officers have run unopposed, said DUSC president Mike

"I don't know why," Sauers said. "It's a problem we've been trying to fight all year."

The candidates agreed that the lack of choice in the election is disappointing. "It's unfortunate," said Dontae Wilson, candidate for vice president. "It allows us to see what the

participation in DUSC is like, and it shows we need to generate more interest." Sauers said although it is difficult to expect a high turnout for the uncontested elections, it is still important for students to take advantage of their

voting privileges. "I don't think students are getting involved enough on campus," Sauers said.

"A lot of people have a lot of ideas about how DUSC and student government should be run. They need to step up and put them to work."

University freshman Jer Medon said he was not aware of the upcoming elections or even what DUSC is. He said he does not plan to vote. "I'm too busy voting in my own groups," Medon

said. "I can't see that they're doing anything for me. I haven't had any contact with them and I can't see that they're doing me any good." Sauers said when the student

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See editorial, body votes it sends a message to the administration that it is unified on issues. Without solid student support, he said, DUSC has trouble showing that solidarity.

"I'd like to see DUSC return to representing students more," said Wilson, the president of the university chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. "That's a major concern of mine and the only way to see it come to fruition is to be a part of it."

Wilson said he wants students to understand more clearly what DUSC is and what it does.

"We need to change people's perceptions of DUSC," he said. "It's not just here, it's here for

Despite the lack of choice, Sauers said this year's field of candidates is a strong one consisting of students who have come up through the ranks of

Junior finance major Andrew Wiedel, the current DUSC vice president, is running for president. He said he has been thinking about running since he

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#### **Greek ticket candidates** for DUSC elections:

President — Andrew Wiedel

 Vice President — Dontae Wilson • Treasurer — John Burgo

· Secretary — Andrea Hinchey

• Faculty Senate — Bryan Weber and Betsy Lowther

### Del. bill to add funds to tourism

BY PHILANA D. GIBBS

Delaware tourism could benefit from a proposed bill to funnel \$3 million from the state's general fund into the tourist industry.

State Rep. Tina Fallon, R-Seaford, said that under the proposed bill, the state tourism office would benefit in the long run with the improvements, giving tourists an incentive to visit the

"As lodging tax revenues climb through increased tourism, so will the revenues flowing to the State Tourism Office and the county bureaus," she

Although the plan will take an initial \$3 million from the state's General Fund, Fallon said it was a worthwhile investment for the future of Delaware.

"Delaware must compete with neighboring states who are spending a lot more money than we are to attract visitors," Fallon said. "We need to concentrate on marketing Delaware, especially our underutilized natural and historical attractions.

"I believe my plan will pay big dividends in increased economic activity, which will produce more tax revenue and new jobs in the First ate" she said.

Elmore Craig, economics professor, she is unsure whether Delaware at benefit from Fallon's proposal

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- State Rep. Tina Fallon, R-Seaford

because public finance research indicates that earmarking specific funds for individual programs usually

"It may be very beneficial to Delaware, but that's not the question," Craig said.

David Gregor, director of economics and statistics at the Division of Revenue, said Delaware currently levies an 8 percent tax on fees paid by hotel and motel residents.

Of this tax, 75 percent goes into the state's General Fund, while 12.5 percent is allotted for beach replenishment and the remaining amount supports each county's tourism agencies.

Craig said, "When you earmark specific funds for individual programs, in this case beach replenishment, you usually end up overspending."

Instead, Craig said the general fund should be used to allot money to individual programs based on level of importance.

Sherri Woodruff, press secretary for Gov. Thomas R. Carper, said the governor believes the current program is sufficient in term of building

"We have a number of programs already supporting beach replenishment," Woodruff said. "There's a state match for the funding for those programs, and whatever we're doing is working."

The current programs for tourism and beach replenishment come after seeking federal funding, Woodruff

She said Carper is trying to keep the budget growth at or below 5

"The governor is trying to keep the budget growth down with most of it going toward education and crime prevention," Woodruff said. "If we can seek federal funding, we will."

### Tornadoes leave U.S. spinning

The frequency of twisters this year has left many citizens on edge

BY JENNIFER WEITSEN

Spring is a time for budding flowers and clear blue skies, but it is also a time for Earth-rocking thunderstorms and devastating tornadoes.

While most students were funneling down beers for Spring Break, the university crew team encountered a different kind of funnel when a tornado rampaged through Georgia, where they were training.

The team traveled to the Peach State for a taste of warm weather and they were especially excited to have the opportunity to train at Lake Lanier, where the 1996 Olympics crew event was held.

But on one afternoon, their workout was interrupted by an unpleasant thunderstorm, which spawned a tornado, killing five townspeople.

Already this year, 103 people in the United States have died because of tornadoes, as the twisters have torn through the Southeastern states, often becoming wrecking machines of homes and offices.

Birmingham, Ala.; Nashville, Tenn.; and Atlanta, Ga., have all felt the powerful winds in the months of March and April.

Crew member Andy Schaffer said "The torrential rain, big thunder and lightning were more powerful then anything I've ever witnessed in Delaware."

Sophomore Jeremy Walsh said the storm affected the team's end-of-the-week

"The storm made the water choppy and rough, and we were only able to practice for a short time on Thursday because a lot of water kept shifting into the boat," he

Sophomore crew member Liz White said she could not turn on the television or radio without hearing a warning about

"At first I didn't think too much of the storm and was just happy to get out of practice," she said. "But the next day when we heard about all the devastation the tornado caused, it was a little scary

and shocking."

Schaffer said he was glad the tornado did not actually hit the part of the county where the team was staying.

"The team wasn't too concerned about the tornado," he said, "but the next day it became a reality when the news reported that five people died from the county we

This twister was the second one to hit the Atlanta area within three weeks. Schaffer toured the area with a friend and saw the devastation and destruction the previous tornado had caused.

"We drove past an elementary school where all the walls were torn off of the gym," he said.

Schaffer also said it was incredible to see the path a tornado takes.

"There were three houses in a row, and only the middle house had a roof missing, while the other were untouched," he said. Joe Schaefer,

director of the National Storm Prediction Center, said tornadoes are caused by very strong thunderstorms where winds go from southwest to west 3,000 feet off the surface. The rapid turning of winds cause the thunderstorm to rotate, which creates a tornado.

"Tornadoes usually occur in states across the Great Plains,

through South Dakota, but occasionally in the past have torn through Delaware," he

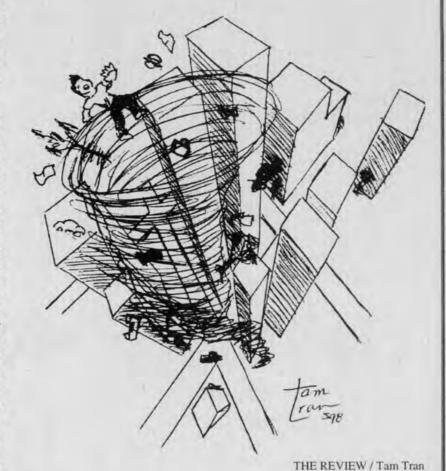
Delaware does not usually have the hot moist air and strong storms tornadoes need to form, but in 1995 two twisters hit the First State.

On June 26, 1995, a tornado tore through Delaware, but luckily the twister didn't do much damage and no one was

White said she is glad she does not have to encounter tornadoes in Delaware.

"We thought we were going down to a place with gorgeous sunshine," she said. "Little did we know we would be faced with a fierce storm.

"Next time maybe we'll just stay in good ol' Delaware.'



### Good academics, no arrests mean free ride to college

BY MARYCHRISTINE DALY

A solid academic record and merits of good behavior may be all Delaware's low-income students need to earn a free ride to any of the state's colleges if a bill aimed at providing financial aid passes through the Delaware Legislature before midnight,

Delaware Higher The Education Access Act, sponsored by Sen. Harris B. III, McDowell D-Wilmington/North District, will pay the college tuition for students who maintain a 2.5 grade point average, keep a clean criminal record and refrain from substance abuse.

"This is a contract," McDowell said. "The state will commit as much as the kid."

The DHEAA has already passed through the Senate twice, last May as well as in 1996, but failed to pass through the House. If it is approved this year, next year's incoming high school freshmen will have the opportunity to sign a written contract agreeing to meet the bill's requirements, McDowell

In return, students will be guaranteed finances for a bachelor's or an associate's degree from the University of Delaware, Delaware Technical and Community College or Delaware State University.

Even though the DHEAA will only provide assistance to students with financial need, McDowell said,

requirement may be dropped to help pass it through the House Appropriations Committee.

Currently, funding is designated for families with one child under 21 and an adjusted annual gross income of less than \$40,000. For each additional child, the income restriction increases by \$5,000. S t a t e Representative Pamela S. Maier, R-District 21, said last year the House's concerns centered around the possibility of the cut-off for financial aid discouraging families from making above the \$40,000 limit.

The house also was concerned with the effect the bill may have on the state's enrollment for the private colleges. In order to eliminate the possibility of Delaware's private colleges losing numbers of incoming students, Maier said proposals have been made to give students a voucher which allows them to choose between both private or public colleges in the state.

In addition, she said last year's committee was more in favor of establishing a loan for students rather than a grant.

"I think people appreciate things more when they've worked hard for them," she said.

McDowell said the state will only continue financial assistance if students maintain a 2.5 GPA and remain clear of crime, drugs and alcohol.

The state's support will be terminated five years following the student's first college semester, he said.

Anne Visalli, an analyst at the Comptroller General's office, said if the bill goes into effect for 1999, its estimated cost to the state would be \$3.368 million. After four years of implementation, she said the cost should level off at \$5.6 million.

Visalli said the program would use allocated funds from state revenue by the joint finance committee.

Gail De Angelo, associate director of the university's Office for Scholarships and Financial Aid, said the proposed DHEAA appears to combine the elements of both financial necessity and academic achievement.

"At this point, we only have the two different categories the academic portion and the other based on financial aid,"

Presently, students receive need-based assistance after completing an application for federal student aid, she said. The state then determines the amount of money granted to students based on their financial

Academic scholarships, De Angelo said, are determined by an in-coming freshmen's high school records during the process of admissions.

Gerald Turkel, sociology professor and president of the American Association of University Professors, said the AAUP is enthusiastic about the proposal.

"It supports qualified students who are in real financial need," he said.

McDowell said he hopes more students will pursue and complete college degrees as a result of his bill.

"As a society, we've been stuck in a rut. Only 26 percent of the population nationwide and in the state of Delaware are college graduates," he said. "We need to take it up to 35 percent in order to be competitive.'

Richard Skovronski, a student advisor for Newark High School, said he likes the idea of a bill which promises a college education, but he questions the means of funding.

"To promise college to every student with the bill's standards would take a lot of money," he said. "I think there may have to be more constraints to the bill."

If the bill passes, McDowell said, he plans to inform elementary students about the opportunities it opens for college. He said he hopes awareness of the bill will encourage students early-on to persevere with their education.

According to McDowell, guidance counselors said up to 72 percent of students do not pay attention to visiting college representatives.

"If you have in your mind you will not go to college, you will not prepare," he said.

"Passing this bill would allow Delaware to say to kids and their families, 'No one will deny them college except for themselves."

SPRINGER SHOW FACES TROUBLE

CHICAGO - "The Jerry Springer Show" is dealing with a double dose of trouble.

First, the Chicago television station where the show is taped wants to stop airing the program.

And The New York Post reports the television newsmagazine "Extra" is set to air a piece that says many of the fights on the show are staged and guests are coached on what to say and how to act.

People who have appeared on the show told "Extra" they were told to take part in outrageous acts.

A spokesman for the company that produces and distributes the show denied the "Extra" report, saying there are "strict production guidelines" for the show.

The company is also considering freeing the television station, WMAQ-TV, from its contract.

#### FATHER ACCUSED OF INJECTING SON WITH HIV-TAINTED BLOOD

ST. CHARLES, Mo. - An Illinois man is accused of injecting his infant son with HIV-tainted blood to avoid paying child support.

The 31-year-old man was charged yesterday with first-degree assault. The charge carries a maximum penalty of life in prison.

Police said Brian Stewart injected the boy with blood six years ago when the child was hospitalized with breathing problems at a Missouri hospital.

Authorities said Stewart told the boy's mother she would never collect child support payments because their son would not live very long.

Doctors said the boy - now 7 - has full-blown

#### DOLLY HAS A LITTLE LAMB

EDINBURGH, Scotland - Dolly is a mom. The cloned sheep gave birth last week, scientists in Scotland said. Both Dolly and her lamb are in good

Scientists said the birth confirms Dolly is able to breed normally and produce healthy offspring, despite her unusual origins.

The Roslin Institute, which cloned Dolly from the cell of another sheep's udder, has already proved cloned animals can reproduce. Two sheep conceived through a different cloning process have lambs of their own.

The institute said Dolly is the first mammal to be cloned from a cell taken from an adult mammal.

#### BEER COWS

EDMONTON, Alberta - How does a life of free beer and wide open spaces sound? Pretty good, especially if you're a cow.

The Molson's Brewery has found a way of recycling its outdated brew. The company is giving it to cows.

Beer has lots of nutrients cows need, and giving away the old brew is saving Molson money. The Canadian brewery used to pay a fee to dump thousands of gallons of the stuff into the sewers.

The cows seem content, but experts said they are not experiencing a bovine buzz. Research shows cows can chug-a-lug quarts of beer and not feel tipsy.

#### IRAQ DEMANDS LIFTING OF U.N. SANCTIONS

Iraq is again insisting the United Nations lift its sanctions against the country.

Iraq said it wants the seven-year embargo called off - without any conditions. The U.N. Security Council takes up the issue next week.

Baghdad's demand comes in a 22-page document to U.N. chief Kofi Annan from Iraqi Deputy Prime Minister Tariq Aziz.

It was sent in response to the latest inspection report from U.N. weapons monitors. According to the report, in recent months there has been "virtually no progress" in verifying whether Iraq has destroyed banned

The sanctions cannot be lifted until the inspectors certify the weapons of mass destruction are gone.

#### TOPLESS CLUB BUYS CHAMPION STEER HITCHCOCK, Texas - An 11-year-old boy has

sold his grand champion steer — to a topless bar. Chad Campbell's animal won the blue ribbon at the Galvaston County Fair and Rodeo in Texas. And now,

the boy is \$8,000 richer. That was the winning bid from Mike Seczyk, president of the Lipstick Gentlemen's Club. He said he bought the steer in the hope of buying some respectability for his nightspot.

It is not quite clear just what role the steer will play at

#### VOODOO RESIGNATION

DULUTH, Minn. — You don't see many exorcisms at school board meetings, but they had one Tuesday

School Board chairman Harry Welty stabbed a straight pin into a voodoo doll and asked it to drive out evil spirits from the board.

Then, he announced he is resigning after four months

as chairman. He will remain a board member. The board has been in a confrontation with teachers, who have been working without a contract since July. They have voted to authorize a strike if negotiations fail.

- compiled from AP wire reports by Brian Callaway

### CAMPUS CALENDAR

Start your weekend off by going to see the Who's rock musical "Tommy." The Harrington Theatre Arts Company will be presenting it the Pearson Hall Auditorium at 8 ght and Saturday, and at 2 on aday afternoon.

more musical entertainment, to two operas, "The Songstress" The Poor Sailor," tonight or icday at 8 p.m. in the Loudis tal Hall, Amy E. duPont Music

Professional Theatre gining Program is presenting rd Brinsley Sheridan's "The of for Scandal" tonight at 7:30 Sunday afternoon at 12:30. shows will be in Hartshorn

Saturday is Ag Day, so head over to the Townsend Hall grounds from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Also on Saturday afternoon, X.J.

Kennedy will be giving a poetry reading at 3 in 006 Kirkbride Hall. For information, call 831-2361. There's a comedy program

Saturday night. Elvira Kurt will be performing in the Multipurpose Rooms of the Trabant at 8. Sunday night there will be the Black Arts Festival Annual

Multipurpose Rooms in the Trabant. Admission is \$3 for students. The foreign film festival's latest installment will be showing on Sunday night. You can see "La Promesse," a Belgian film, in the

Gospelrama at 5:30 in the

Trabant Theatre at 7:30. There will be an program on Monday called "AIDS 101." A representative from AIDS Delaware will present the program at 7:30 Monday night in the Alumni Room,

Alison Hall. - compiled by Liz Johnson

### **Police Reports**

DOMESTIC DISPUTE ON ELKTON Newark Police were called to West Knoll Apartments on Elkton Road at 7:01 a.m. Monday when a woman reported that her 19-year-old son had attempted to run her over with her own vehicle, choked her and attempted to hit her with a metal

According to police, the female victim said she had told her son that she was going to use the car to drop off the younger children at school. Her son, the suspect, said he needed the car so he could get a drug test and be fingerprinted for a job he was applying

He took one child outside and put him in the car, and then the mother brought her 2-year-old son out to the car and put him in the car seat, police said. As she was securing the child in the seat, the suspect got behind the wheel of the car and put it into reverse, almost hitting his mother. When the car was stopped, the woman got her 2-year-old son and carried him

The woman attempted to call 911, and her son followed her and pulled the phone jack out of the his mother and tried to hit her with a metal statue. He instead hit the younger son, who was still in his mother's arms. The boy sustained a swollen lump on his forehead.

The case is still pending active, and there is a warrant for the man's arrest. He may face charges of reckless endangerment, offensive touching. menacing, third-degree assault and endangering the welfare of a child.

I HAVEN'T BEEN DRINKING, OCCIFER! An officer on patrol found a man sleeping on the sidewalk of the Apple Road bridge Thursday at 2:05 a.m. and tried to transport him home when he realized the man was under the influence of alcohol.

The defendant, 33-year-old Timothy Whallon, was found with a backpack containing a bottle of Gilbey's vodka that was two-thirds full, along with an open blade in his back pants pocket, police said.

The officer attempted to drop Whallon off at his mother's house, but the officer reported that Whallon asked to be taken to jail, and not to his mother's house. According to police, the man was unable to wall. According to police, he then proceeded to choke remember where his mother's house was. They were

eventually able to drop him off at his mother's house on West Shetland Court when he recalled its location.

#### IT'S GOTTA BE THE SHOES

Newark Police were called to the Pathmark at College Square at 10:20 p.m. Wednesday when an employee caught a 23-year-old man from Wilmington stealing \$144.04 worth of merchandise.

The employee told the officer that the defendant, Dennis Prado, had tried to conceal 12 packages of razors, Zostrix cream, Zostrix and a bottle of Tylenol beneath his clothing when he noticed him.

When police took Prado into custody, they learned he was wanted by J.P. Court 15. Prado was issued a summons, and then transported to Gander Hill prison. The defendant was searched when he arrived at

Gander Hill, and an officer found a plastic bag containing a trace amount of heroin under the tongue of his right shoe. Upon the discovery, another warrant was drafted for Prado, he was released on unsecured bond and

sent once again to the Newark Police station. He was subsequently transferred to Gander Hill again. -compiled by Veronica Fraatz

BY RYAN CLEMENCY

The growing success of Astra Plaza on Main Street has opened the door for two more complexes which are currently being constructed on Newark's busy strip.

The luminous Little Green Drinks sign, located on the Astra Plaza at East Main and Chapel streets should be accompanied with an actual store in a month, according to building management.

Luke and Georgette Poulos, owners of Little Green Drinks, have been in Florida with family and their newborn child, which has led to the shop's delayed opening.

"The spaces have been fairly easy to fill with retailers,"

said Angela Matulas, manager of Astra Plaza. Six of the 10 available spaces are currently occupied and

open with such specialty shops as D.P. Dough, Campus Surf, Nail Stop, Wings To Go, You've Been Framed and its newest addition - Mi Ranchito, a Mexican food market.

Of the four remaining spaces, one is Little Green Drinks and another will become Beauty-Biz, a full service hair salon and superstore, owner Mark Hutton said.

The beauty store, located between Wings To Go and Little Green Drinks, is scheduled to open in June and will carry over 10,000 beauty products, Hutton said.

The second vacant space will be an office for Astra Plaza management, which will be opened over the summer. The final vacancy has not yet been leased. However,

Matulas said plans are "in the works for some type of a professional office."

Wings to Go manager and co-owner John Papili knows all about the delays of opening a store within the Astra Plaza. "This store was initially scheduled to open last August but was delayed until late November due to setbacks in the

construction of the plaza itself," Papili said. Since opening, the store has seen a steady increase in business along with its "mini-food-court" partners, Freddy's Roast Beef and the recently joined Fruit Freeze, Papili

D.P. Dough is another business within the plaza which has been successful since opening last semester, owner Ed

"We have met and exceeded many of our initial goals,"

The most recent project on Main Street is the construction of two apartment complexes, both by Commonwealth Management

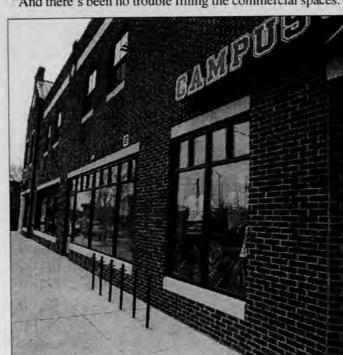
The first site is located at 325 E. Main St., the site of a vacant medical center. It will now house a 42-apartment complex with three medical offices occupying the first floor. Complete with a courtyard in the middle, the site is scheduled to open in August.

The second construction site at the former Newark Home and Farm Supply, 123 E. Main St., will consist of 20 apartments and three commercial stores on the first floor.

The complex is also scheduled for an August opening, except for The Learning Station, so far the only leased commercial space, which will open on July 1.

According to Jeff Lang, president of Commonwealth Management, all 20 apartments have been filled already.

"There's been good interest in the apartments," Lang said. "And there's been no trouble filling the commercial spaces."



THE REVIEW / Dan Cullen Several Astra Plaza businesses are still vacant.

### Main St. businesses thrive Tarrant requests re-opening of Godwin ethics complaint

BY APRIL CAPOCHINO

Shirley Tarrant has once again filed a petition to re-open her ethics complaint against Mayor Harold F. Godwin.

Tarrant said she has new evidence and witnesses to support her case, which she refiled April 2.

"I was never given a chance to present my case," she said. "We're now prepared to subpoena some people."

Tarrant said the new evidence is contained in the minutes of a City Council executive session from last June, which were released after the decision by the ethics board.

In the minutes, Councilman Gerald J. Grant Jr. questions Godwin's memory on a lawsuit filed against him by Leslie Goldstein, a university professor.

In June, Tarrant filed her first complaint against Godwin, accusing him of attempting to block the nomination of Goldstein to the ethics board.

Tarrant said she felt Godwin was motivated by the lawsuit Goldstein had filed against him in 1981 after her car was damaged while in the care of his service station. Godwin told the ethics board he had no recollection of the lawsuit.

In the June 9 minutes, Grant recalls a conversation he had with Godwin

In looking back at her original ethics complaint, Tarrant said she was not advised that she could present any evidence at the first meeting, which she thought was to be informal.

When she arrived at the meeting, she said, the meeting was more formal than she had previously believed, and Godwin was well-prepared.

"I felt like I filed a lawsuit and was in a courtroom," she said. "I was caught with my pants down because I didn't have affidavits."

Tarrant appealed the first ethics board decision because the board

#### "I was never given a chance to present my case."

- Shirley Tarrant, who filed a petition to re-open last June's ethics complaint against then-Councilman Harold F. Godwin

discussed how they planned to handle the case in private, which was in violation of the Freedom of Information Act.

The state attorney general's office agreed with Tarrant and recommended the ethics board redeliberate the case. The case was once again reviewed on March 6, and Godwin was once again cleared of any

Mark Sysk, Godwin's lawyer, said the mayor believes the case is unfounded and politically motivated.

"We will file a formal response to

the board of ethics no later than Friday [April 24]," Sysk said, "Our format filing will say we don't think [Tarrant's] evidence demonstrates a significant difference than that of what Godwin has said in the past."

Frank Forster, chairman of the ethics board, said the board is waiting to receive the response from Godwin's attorneys.

"Once we receive their written response," Forster said, "we will determine if there is a trial."

City Solicitor Roger Akin said it. will be about two weeks after the board has received the written response before a decision is made about whether the case will go to trial.

"It would be improper for me to talk about the case until we have Mr. Godwin's response," Akin said.

Sysk said he believes the board will treat the case fairly.

"The board has found in favor of Godwin twice before," Sysk said, "and we believe she is beating the same dead horse.

Goldstein said she will not take part in the ethics board decision because of her past experience with Godwini

"I have no vote in the decision [to re-open the case] because I am

biased," she said.

Goldstein eventually was appointed to the board, but Tarrant will not let the case rest and said she is out to seek

"They played games with me and pushed me around," Tarrant said. "I am mad — and I want justice."

### Pizza wars claim 375 victims

BY BETSY LOWTHER

Eight local restaurant owners shared a common goal Tuesday night - to be

as cheesy as possible. Several hundred pizzas later, only one would become the winner of Newark's Best Pizza Contest, and for the second year in a row, Papa John's

walked away with the coveted title. Main Street newcomer Peace-A-Pizza was voted second, and Pizza Hut placed a close third in the contest, cosponsored by the Brickyard and honors

fraternity Phi Sigma Pi. More than 375 students packed into the Brickyard to cast their ballots and

pile their plates high with cheese pizza. After trying all the slices, each participant was allowed to vote for their three favorite kinds. Pizzerias received five points for first, three points for second, and one point for a third-place

"This is wild," said junior Jeremy

Muratore as students elbowed their way through the crowd. "It's like a huge frat party with a lot of pizza."

Papa John's general manager Mike Iverson said he had expected to win

"[The competition is] a lot tougher than it was last year," he said, "but we still use the best ingredients and have the best pizza."

Other contestants were not as happy with the final results.

Peace-A-Pizza co-owner Aaron Nocks said he thought because Papa John's also gave out garlic butter and jalapeño peppers, the voting may have been influenced.

"You're supposed to be judging apples and apples," he said. "You can put [garlic butter] on anything and it will taste better."

Peace-A-Pizza's second-place standing but thought the contest was a great idea.

Nocks said he was disappointed in

"Next year, I'll be giving out

cheesecake with each slice of pizza," he

Some students were disappointed in the representation of pizzerias.

"Personally, I'm voting for Margherita's," said senior Eli Lesser, who was disappointed the pizzeria wasn't in the contest.

year, decided not to participate because owner Rico Dellamonica recently had would definitely enter the next contest.

noticeably missing from the ballot were Domino's and Pat's Pizzeria, last year's second-place winner.

Pi member Drew Volturo, who coorganized the event, said he thought Newark's pizzerias were wellrepresented.

come out," he said. "I'd have to say it was a really big success."

BY BRIAN CALLAWAY

laboratory. He has good benefits and says he can take

Unfortunately, not everyone lives like Joe.

million people go to bed hungry every night.

Joe is a scientist who works in a research

The statistics on hunger boggle the mind.

More than 34,000 children die every day from lack

In the United States alone — which consumes

Outraged over these chilling facts, the Student

Environmental Action Coalition, the campus

Amnesty International chapter and the Resident

Student Association sponsored a Hunger Out dinner

Tuesday night to raise awareness about world

evening was aimed at teaching people about the perils

people," she said. "Poverty is a human rights

dinner, held in Perkins Student Center, helped expand

people's world views to include more than just the

Junior Alexa Hook, president of Amnesty, said the

"People can be educated about how poverty affects

Becky Crooker, co-president of SEAC, said the

"It's for people to realize what the rest of the world

more than one-third of the world's food supply — 30

Worldwide, 800 million people suffer from starvation.

The fraternity charged \$3 to participate in the contest, Volturo said, and some of the funds will be donated to Read-Aloud Delaware.

price," said Moore, who voted for Grotto's. "I'm stuffed."

"I was supposed to try the pizzas in

Silcott said, "but some of the places ran out for awhile. We finally just went our own way." Volturo said some contestants

hungry students.

Galleria," he said, "but people were very patient and cooperative. We're just glad they didn't riot."



THE REVIEW / Bob Weill

Alyssa Graver, Piyush Shukln, Tonie Stevens and Joe Ferrario sample Newark's finest cuisine at this year's annual pizza contest.

### Students take back respect

BY KRISTEN POILLON

Taking back the night means taking back humanity and demanding respect for womanhood, according to assistant professor of philosophy

Harry Brod. Brod, who spoke to an abounding crowd of 450 students in Smith Hall on Wednesday night, said pornography is the main culprit in promoting sexual assault.

He said pornography encourages violent behavior among men toward women and allows them to believe violence and aggression is normal and acceptable.

The audience, which was comprised mainly of fraternity and sorority members, learned about what it means for women to be free of fear and any sense of responsibility for sexual assault in the annual Take Back the Night program, sponsored

by Delta Gamma. Take Back the Night is a program directed at students to heighten their awareness and discuss the problems

of sexual assault. Take Back the Night stemmed from women feeling unsafe, silent and threatened," Brod said. "This is a positive program that asserts women's voices and draws strength to what they have to say."

It is important for people to reject pornography, he said, because it displays poor taste that now passes for normal male behavior and contradicts how women and human beings should be treated.

He stressed that pornography, in many cases, takes away a male's sense of reality and reason, making him begin to see women as sexual objects and nothing else.

'If you do not consider the person's will that you are having sex with to be as important as your own, then you are not actually considering them to truly be a person, but rather a sex object," Brod said.

He stressed that when men refuse to hear a woman say "no" or assume that because a woman does not say "no," they can do what they please, they are not truly having sex, but in essence only masturbating.

This occurs because they do not see the other human being as a sexual partner, he said, and men in this case are simply pleasing themselves and using their partner as a live sex toy.

Brod concluded his speech by explaining that he did not speak of all men and did not intend to insult anybody. He said he was essentially speaking on behalf of all women who feel fear whenever stepping into the night air, which he explained no man would ever experience, including

He said with this event, men as well as women must make an effort to regain safety, stop dehumanization of women and shed light on sexuality.

Directly following his speech, senior Lexi Doyle, a member of Delta Gamma, spoke on her own personal experience, which she explained affected not only herself, but her whole family.

Doyle said she was sexually violated when she was 13 years old, an experience she would never forget. She was given an ultimatum and forced to give in to sex that she was in no sense ready or willing to

participate in. "I felt scared, and my whole life changed in a matter of a couple of hours," she said. "I went from worrying about getting my braces off to worrying about pregnancy and disease."

She continued to tell of the grief this experience caused her during her impressionable years, the pain it caused her family and the confusion which arose, warping her sense of what love and sex meant.

The restless crowd became still, seeming to take her story to heart.

Freshman Amanda Podlas said. "Her story was really moving in the sense that it made you realize that this type of thing happens when you least

The speech was followed by a silent, candle-lit procession on The Mall in which all were invited to participate.

### Margherita's, which placed third last

surgery. However, Dellamonica said he Other possible contestants

Despite these absences, Phi Sigma

"I think we got eight of the best to

a day off whenever he wants.

starvation.

Junior Kim Moore said she thought

the admission charge was well-worth it. "It was a lot of food for such a small

Other students found the atmosphere a little too crowded for pizza-eating

the order on my ballot," junior Vickie

underestimated the initial rush of "I was a little worried when I saw the line [of students] stretch across the

Students feast, fast at SEAC event

Proceeds from the dinner, totaling \$500, will be turned over to Oxfam America, a non-profit

Margarita is a 40-year-old woman from El

The 28 people in attendance each were given a

Seven people were given personalities from

Other people were assigned to Second-World

The majority of those in attendance represented

people living in Third-World nations. They were

forced to sit on the floor, eating a cup of rice without

utensils and drink water dyed with yellow food

Junior Rachel Humphrey, SEAC's secretary, said

"They drink [unclean water] and then they get sick,

the water was healthy to drink despite its odd color,

but hundreds of millions of people worldwide are not

coloring (meant to represent unsanitary conditions).

organization aimed at bettering the world's food

Salvador who lives in the United States. She works as

a cleaning woman and sends money home to her

character, such as Joe and Margarita, at random. Then

those characters were divided into economic classes to

industrialized nations. They were seated at a table and

feasted on assorted foods, including fried chicken and

nations and given chairs - but no table. They each

ate a bowl of rice and beans with a fork and drank a

determine what they would be able to eat.

children in El Salvador.

Anna lives in a village in Mozambique. Her village has suffered through a cholera epidemic as well as being victims of war. She comes from a Third-World country, and her life often is a picture of misery.

plans switched with other options, Humphrey said, so they could experience "how random it is what all of" us eat in our lives.'

Once seated, several people then had their meal

Several students in attendance said the evening helped change their perceptions on hunger.

Sophomore Robin Hershkowitz, who ate at the industrialized-nation's table, said she felt guilty for "At first, I felt lucky that I'd picked a first-class

card," she said, "but then I felt really bad because these people eating rice were watching me eat all this

Arun Ivaturi, another sophomore, also said-the

dinner made him reflect on the problem of widespread "I think it's appalling that you have people subsisting on a cup of rice," he said. "It's pretty

Freshman Anne Wake said the dinner made her reflect on how lucky most students are to be so

blessed with their lives. "It reminded me of a time when a friend of mine was complaining that life wasn't fair," she said, "and my other friend said, 'Well, if life was fair, we'd all be

#### is like outside the little bubble of Delaware." and they die," she said, "or they don't die, and they go Mayor, council sworn into office

BY CHARLES DOUGIELLO

The new mayor of Newark and three council members were sworn into office Tuesday in what was has been by far the shortest council meeting of the

Former Mayor James L. Gardner administered the mayoral oath of office to his former deputy mayor Harold F.

Godwin then took the center seat of the council table and carried out the same ceremony with Councilman Gerald J. Grant Jr., District 6; Councilman Frank Osborne, District 5: and Councilman Karl Kalbacher, District 3.

Godwin defeated political newcomer Marguerite Ashley by 289 votes in the April 14 elections. Osborne snatched his council seat

from incumbent Nancy Turner. Grant and Kalbacher ran unopposed. Gardner told friends, residents and

family members gathered in council chambers that his only role in the organizational meeting was to give Godwin the oath.

"Notice the smile on my face," he said about his last official act as mayor. Councilman Thomas Wampler was elected as the new deputy mayor, Susan Lamblack was re-appointed as treasurer, and Loreto P. Ruffo was re-

elected to the position of alderman. Godwin was first elected to council in 1987 and has been re-elected every year since. For the past three years, he has served as deputy mayor.

After posing for many pictures with his constituents and joking about the abnormally short meeting, Godwin said it doesn't feel much different to be

"The seat feels the same as my old one," he quipped. Godwin will hold his first full council meeting on April 27 at the

Municipal Building at 7:30 p.m.



Mayor Harold F. Godwin swears in fellow council

members in a ceremony Tuesday night.

### Murder upsets community, neighborhood

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stop watch he would use to time his

Nino would lie to Mike, telling him he needed to pick up the pace even though Mike was always on pace," Ibrahim said.

James Fischer, the university men's track coach, said Nino had more than a parental role with his som and followed his entire career.

He was a coach as far as yelling

encouragement, telling him to relax, or go catch the next guy," he said.

Sophomore Tory Windley, Melissa's best friend, said Nino, who was known for his incredible sense of humor, was like a father to

Anything you asked for wasn't enough Nino wanted to do more," she said.

his greatest achievements were the chievements of his children."
Indley said Melissa, a

sophomore at East Carolina University in North Carolina, and the entire family are "running on adrenaline and just want to find

"Everyone is guardedly optimistic; they are hoping to bring hef back," she said.

Fischer said while Nino's death has been totally draining to the team, it has also brought them

"Something like this brings home how important family is for each of us," he said.

Ibrahim said the track team has been very supportive of Michael and the rest of the Puglisis.

"Mike has been going to a couple counseling sessions and the team has been going with him," he said. "Many members of the team have been staying with him all night to make sure he is all right."

Nino was director of advanced planning for the Beeson Memorial Services where he had worked since 1993. Debra, a registered nurse, works nights visiting terminally ill people.

The Puglisis, who used to live in Elkton, Md., moved to the affluent neighborhood, located off of Otts Chapel Road, a year ago.

The viewing for Nino will be held at the Beeson Memorial Services of Christiana-Elkton on Sunday from 4 to 8 p.m. The funeral will take place the following day at 11 a.m. in the Immaculate Conception Church on Bow Street Extension in Elkton.



THE REVIEW / John Chabalko

Police dogs and crews comb the woods and neighborhoods near the Puglisi home in search of Debra Puglisi. As of press time, the wife of murder victim Anthony Puglisi was still missing, and police had no suspects in the killing.

### Journalists discuss depression

BY NOEL W. LLOYD

An internationally syndicated columnist and a reporter for the Washington Post related their personal experiences with depression and spoke about overcoming the stigmas associated with it to more than 600 people Monday night at Clayton

It is kind of funny. You can go on 'Jerry Springer' and say anything," said reporter Tracy Thompson. "But depression is still a stigma."

Thompson said the only way to get around stereotypes put on depression is to "blast the myths

Art Buchwald, a columnist since 1949 whose column now is syndicated in more than 550 newspapers across the country, agreed with Thompson's assessment.

We are not out of the dark ages yet when it comes to depression," he said, "but things are getting better due to meetings like this."

A noted humorist, Buchwald sprinkled his speech with anecdotes and personal experiences that frequently drew laughter from the crowd.

related a story of how he and a friend ued over who had the worst depression.

I was arguing with a friend on Martha's eyard," Buchwald said. "He told me his ression was like a 9.5 on the Richter scale. He compared to his, mine was like a cold, wet

Buchwald noted how medical professionals netimes do not know how to properly deal with depression in their patients.

Doctors have no idea about depression, unless they have had it," he said. "If a doctor says he feels your pain, he is full of it.'

The gray-haired, bespectacled Buchwald, who suffers from manic depression, was sometimes

ne guicide in the past.

achwald helped himself overcome his depression by doing what he called "tricks." example, when Buchwald would feel chal, he said, he would look at a picture of his

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children - it would help him get through his critical period.

Buchwald added that the best way to overcome depression is to "let the skeletons out of the closet," as people need to discuss their problems

Thompson agreed that people need to talk more openly about issues of depression.

Not talking about mental illness leads to such popular misconceptions as depression cannot be controlled and mental illness makes people unable to function, she said.

Thompson gave a personal illustration of how she dealt with the prejudice against mental illness upon returning to work after a leave of absence due to her depression.

"After I came back to the Post, I was met with complete silence," she said. "At first I

was embarrassed, but then I got angry." Because of the negative reaction she ceived, she channeled her anger into the writing of a book, the purpose of which is to dispel popular misconceptions.

Thompson also related the history of her battle with depression.

"I was a can of kerosene just waiting to be lit." she said.

Thompson cited a strict, religious upbringing and a horrible car accident at the age of 13 as catalysts for bringing on

It was not until she reached her mid-30s that Thompson finally confronted her

"I decided I could not lick it - suicide was the only way I could get out of it,"

Only a last-minute phone call to a friend who understood her problems saved her, Thompson said, and she was

then able to get help. After three years of a healing process, 40s, said she overcame the depression.

Senior Taylor Hilligoss said she believed the speeches were essential to understanding issues concerning mental illness.

"I thought the speeches were great," she said. "The speakers put a face on depression."

The event was dedicated to the memory of Drew Sopirak, a manic depressive who took his own life in 1996. Sopirak's father, Andy Sopirak, spoke about his son and the purpose of the

"We hope people will learn about the illness," Sopirak said, "and those who have it will come forward and seek help.'

Also included in the third annual fund-raiser for New Directions Delaware Inc., were exhibits by more than 20 local pharmaceutical companies and counseling centers.



Thompson, who is now is in her early Art Buchwald, an internationally syndicated columnist, spoke about his depression on Monday.

### DUSC candidates alone

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came to the university.

"I'm excited and I think it'll be fun," he said. "I was president of my high school and this is something I've been working for."

He said he hopes to continue many of the programs DUSC has initiated this year, including internal reorganization, improved publicity, raising membership numbers and student advocacy issues.

Sophomore Jay Farley agreed that DUSC needs more effective publicity. "I don't really have any idea what

they are or who's running," Farley said. "I probably won't vote; most likely I'll just forget about it." Wiedel said he is also interested in

discussing a reworked occupancy ordinance with the city, as well as creating new policies concerning class assessments. "Making course evaluations public

and easily accessible is important," he said. "It would be helpful to students at registration time to be able to see how others rate professors and classes."

Another candidate is Andrea Hinchey, a sophomore business administration major who is running for secretary. She is a member of the Kappa Delta sorority and used to be in the University Singers.

"I've been involved [with DUSC] since first semester last year," she said. "I've been head of several committees, and this seemed like the logical move to

Hinchey said she would like to see more organization and smoother transitions to new officers from year to

"I think with those candidates coming up we'll be able to do that," she said. "I'd also like to get organizations on campus to know what each other are doing and maybe work together once in

Wilson, a junior family and community studies major who is also a minister at St. John's, agreed.

"Most of the programs DUSC does should be in cooperation with other student organizations," he said. "That should be the main thrust - to see what student organizations have in common.

He said doing so would cut down on competition, increase the quality of programs and allow groups to pool their financial resources.

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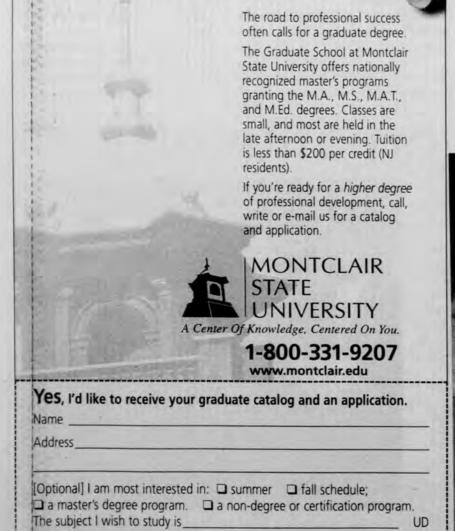
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### - Continuing Coverage: Grossberg pleads guilty

### Finally, university has closure to tragedy

Students still emotional, even after guilty plea

BY AMY KIRSCHBAUM

Following Amy Grossberg's guilty plea Wednesday, students at her former university are satisfied with the outcome.

"She made the right decision," said Sabrina Johnson, whose boyfriend was Brian Peterson's roommate at Gettysburg last year.

"I don't think she meant to hurt the baby on purpose," Johnson said. "They just handled the whole thing wrong."

Sophomore Katie McCulloch agrees: "Obviously they were wrong. But Peterson would've just gotten her in more trouble if she went to trial."

Delaware Undergraduate Student Congress lawyer Mark Sisk said he thinks the guilty plea is perfectly appropriate.

"She had the risk of being convicted of a more serious crime," he said.

Although most agree pleading guilty was a smart thing for Grossberg to do, the amount of punishment she deserves is still in

Grossberg can face up to 10 years in jail. She will have a presentencing trial July 9.

"I think zero to 10 years might be a little lenient," sophomore James Hendrickson said. "Ten to 20 would be more sufficient."

Sisk disagreed: "If she got 10 years it would be too much. Two years seems about right to me."

Johnson said she doesn't think Grossberg would be able to walk away totally free.

"They know they made a student. mistake," she said, "but they shouldn't spend their lives in jail.



"Legal punishment in jail is hard, but having to live the rest of her life will be harder. Everyone has a different view of her now."

- Sophomore Katie McCulloch

"They just handled it wrong. They were scared."

After hearing about the Grossberg story for so long, students seem sorry for the former

"There's no way she'll recover," Hendrickson said. "Everyone will always know her as baby-killer.'

"Legal punishment in jail is hard," McCulloch said. "But having to live the rest of her life will be harder. Everyone has a different view of her now.

"I don't think she's insane. She just did it out of desperation."

McCulloch also said since the trial took so long to start, Grossberg had a lot of time to strategize how to get a lesser sentence.

"The trial would take forever and she would sit there thinking of how her baby would be a yearand- a-half-old now, and how her life has changed," McCulloch

Sisk said he hopes students learned some positive lessons from the Grossberg case.

"Number one would be: Don't try to handle this on you own," he said. "Healthy babies can be adopted.

"Number two would be to tell the truth. My impression is that if they didn't fight this to the nail, they could've gotten a better

Sisk said if Grossberg and Peterson had followed those guidelines, they would not have destroyed their lives.

Most students now are just eager to see the whole situation come to an end and find out what happens to their one-time classmate.



Relatives of Amy Grossberg leave the Daniel L. Herrmann Courthouse in Wilmington Wednesday.

### Media melee a scene unto itself

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While honking his horn, the driver shouted out at the cameramen to get out of his way and they ignored him.

The massive truck, still honking its deafening horn, inched closer, finally nudging a startled photographer.

Before the dramatic Grossberg departure, a court employee was pushing through the mob to get to her job and screamed, "This is ridiculous" in frustration.

And it was.

CNN, MSNBC, FOX, CBS, NBC, ABC and several other television stations were outside of the courthouse, along with several reporters from newspapers and radio stations across the country — a classic turnout for a story rich in sensational qualities.

Before Tanenbaum could explain the plea bargain to the waiting journalists, a yellow school bus drove by filled with young children.

As the bus pulled up, stuck in traffic, the children cheered and screamed at the gathered throng - stopping the interview for a short period.

With the nation's eyes on Tanenbaum, waiting for him to say why Grossberg pleaded guilty to the death of her son, he was interrupted by a bus of children. Nearly everyone sensed the

Earlier, the reporters questioned the prosecutors on the plea, one asking. "Will we ever know what happened in that motel room?"

Deputy Attorney General Peter LeTang took no time in taking advantage of the question to answer with

a chilling remark — bringing the focus of the case back to where it originally was — the lost life of a newborn baby.

"There were only three people in that room, and one of them is not talking," he said dramatically.

Shortly after that exchange, Brian Peterson's loud-mouthed attorney took time to crack a joke.

"Can you comment on the mostaccomplished attorney you have ever faced?" Joseph A. Hurley asked, making yet another media event into a circus.

Letang joked, "Yeah, is Eugene Maurer here?" in reference to another high-priced Wilmington attorney.

Hurley laughed, the press giggled, the prosecutors chuckled, and then continued answering questions about a dead baby and its mother who admitted to being responsible for its death.

THE REVIEW / John Chabalko

Grossberg's team of defense lawyers told the press Wednesday that their client wanted to accept responsibility for what she did.

### Grossberg plea reached

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suggestion to Ridgely for how long her jail term should be. Manslaughter can carry a sentence of up to 10 years in prison, but general guidelines usually suggest a sentence of up to

Outside the courthouse, lead prosecutor Peter N. Letang defended the plea from suggestions that it is an inadequate charge in a case originally slated as a capital trial.

"We think that the plea we negotiated with them is appropriate for what we believe happened," he said.

Grossberg did not request to have her monitoring bracelet removed as a result of the plea, as her former lover, Brian C. Peterson Jr., did when he pleaded guilty to the same charge March 9 and agreed to testify against his former girlfriend.

Joseph A. Hurley, one of Peterson's attorneys, attended the hearing and said in an interview with MSNBC that he believed the decision could be intended to elicit sympathy from Ridgely for the lengthy house arrest she has already served.

John S. Malik, one of Grossberg's attorneys, later echoed this same sentiment on the same

"She is going to remain in the monitoring and abide by all those conditions from now until the time of her sentencing," he said. "It is something that can be argued to the court [to reduce her sentence].'

Another provision of the plea bargain requires Grossberg to pay the state restitution for, as Letang put it, "wasting the state's time."

The defense protested the requirement in court, and Ridgely will eventually rule on whether it remains in the bargain.

Tanenbaum and the defense maintained much of the story Grossberg told prior to her plea, emphasizing the child's death was

unintentional. Grossberg was taking responsibility for her failure to seek care. Tanenbaum said, which "placed in jeopardy the lives of her child and of herself." He never said she was admitting to actively killing the

Tanenbaum maintained the defense's assertion that Grossberg would have been vindicated of the charges for which she was

"We were prepared to go to trial," Tanenbaum said, "but Amy wanted to take responsibility.'

The defense emphasized what it characterized as Grossberg's virtuous decision to publicly own up to a guilt of omission she had been admitting privately since the beginning of the trial.

The lawyers' insistence on maintaining that she contributed to her son's death only by omitting action to help the child but not by committing any act to kill the child may be a move that will detract from a perception of her as remorseful, Wilmington defense attorney Joseph Bernstein said.

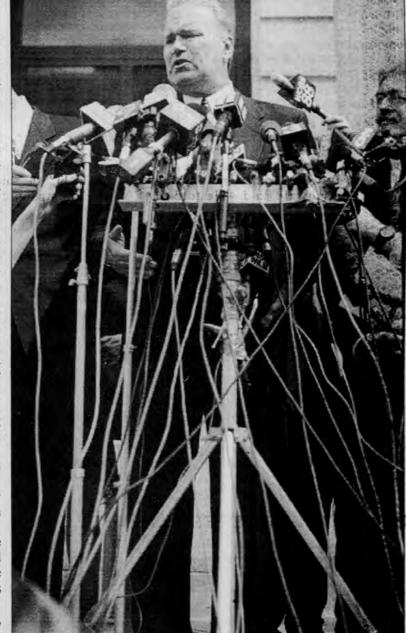
"If you're going to plead, you're accepting responsibility," he said. "And every time you minimize that responsibility, that hurts you."

The degree that will harm Grossberg's case in sentencing is up for debate, however.

Thomas Foley, a former state deputy attorney general, said he believes Tanenbaum and the defense are proceeding as they must.

"It's kind of walking a tightrope. On the one hand, you have to jump on the grenade and accept responsibility," he said. "But on the other, she doesn't want to adopt the state's version of what happened."

The defense's goal, according to Foley should be to try to "provide the context of the crime" or convince the judge Grossberg's portray during the sentencing hearing.



crime was less odious than the prosecutors will Attorney Robert K. Tanenbaum addresses a sea of media after his court appearance.

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### Concrete canoe worth bronze

BY AMY KIRSCHBAUM

A cement canoe built by a group of civil engineering students placed third in an annual competition run by the American Society of Civil Engineers Saturday.

Student members of ASCE built the 18-and-a-half-foot canoe and raced against six other schools in the

The team placed third in both the women's sprint race and the women's long distance/slalom race. Beth Kenderdine and Joy Ressler, who rowed in the canoe, were only three seconds behind the secondplace finisher.

The reason a canoe made of cement is able to float. Kenderdine said, is because concrete density is less than water density.

She said winning third place was a pleasant surprise: "Joy had only learned to row two weeks before, and I haven't paddled in years."

The girls started to practice rowing just three weeks before the

Dan Feinblum, a junior who helped build the canoe, said there were 10 paddlers, but about 15 people helped construct the boat.

"We pick 10 people to represent us in the race: five females and five males who know how to row," he said.

Kenderdine said professor Kevin Folliard, the group's new advisor, helped the team a lot.

"He was very into it and got people interested," she said.

Feinblum said 40 percent of the competition was based on races, but the rest was based on out-of-thewater activities.

third for presentation, overall final product and board display, where pictures of the canoe were pasted. The third-place finish is the only

win for the university in the last five years it has been competing.

Three years ago, the canoe that was built cracked in half on the way to the race, Kenderdine said.

Last year, the boat was 13 feet long and 700 pounds. "It's quite an improvement this year," Kenderdine

The team could not have been more delighted with its placing. "We were the happiest third-place team ever," Feinblum said.

"It was so great because we spent so many hours on it," Kenderdine said. "I didn't do homework for three weeks because I was working on the

"Up until then I got sick of the canoe, but it was all worth it."

The team started working on building the canoe right after winter break. They would sometimes stay up until 4:30 in the morning to work

Hard Core DuPont, a local engineering company, spent a large amount of time and money helping to make the mold for the canoe, Kenderdine said.

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### Local artists highlight of Earth Week events

BY ERIC J.S. TOWNSEND

More than 25 students turned out for a concert Wednesday night in the Perkins Bacchus Theatre as part of a series of events celebrating Earth Week

The concert, hosted by the Student Environmental Action Coalition, featured local artist Mary Arden Collins and the university a

capella group the Deltones. Sophomore Melissa Clark chaired the SEAC committee responsible for organizing programs to commemorate Earth Week.

"Earth Week is a week for the whole university to celebrate and become more aware

of environmental issues," Clark said.

Both Collins and the Deltones incorporated themes which emphasized Earth awareness and protection into their selections.

The Deltones sang renditions of John Cougar Mellancamp's "Jack and Diane" and Third-Eye Blind's "Semi-Charmed Life" with environmental themes intertwined before Collins took center stage.

Collins, a native of Wilmington, participated in an environmental club while studying at St. Joseph's University in Philadelphia. She was asked to sing at this university after Clark attended one of her concerts.

"I have a lot of environmental undertones to

many of my songs," Collins said. "I was really happy to be invited here to play by Melissa."

One of the selections performed by Collins, "Rain," was inspired by her trip to the rain forests in Costa Rica.

Not all of Collins' songs dealt with environmental issues. "The Power We Hold" expresses anger and promise at events in life.

"It's a song of hope," she said, "and we really do have a lot of power to voice our opinions and stand up for what we believe in."

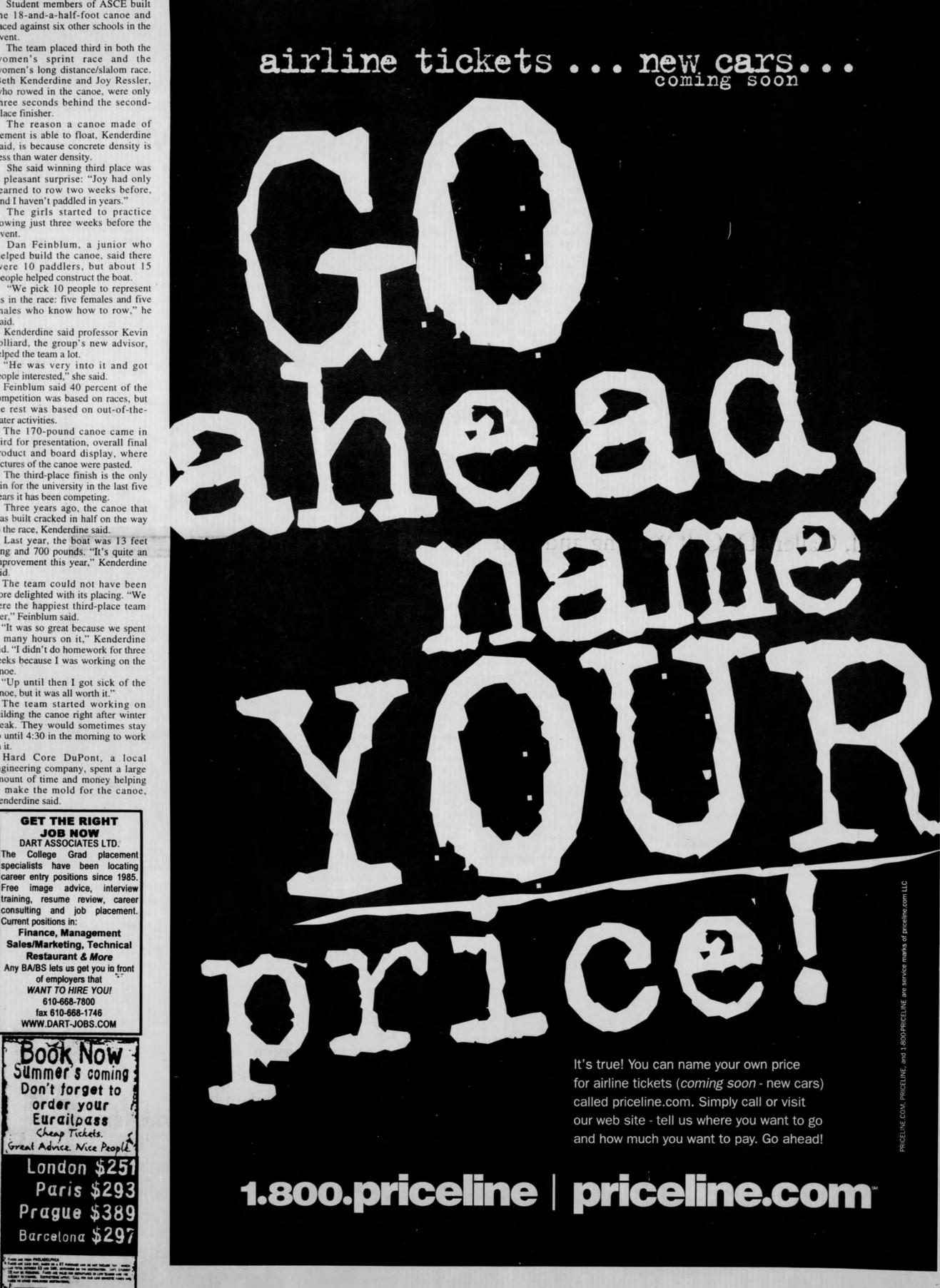
The concert was the pinnacle of a week long program series designed to make students aware of problems facing the planet. Additional activities included a campus clean-up, a world

hunger banquet and an annual reading of Dr. Seuss's "The Lorax" in front of Gore Hall at 3 p.m. today.

SEAC co-president and university sophomore Becky Crooker said even though she is thankful for those who attended events this week, she was disappointed with the

overall turnout from the student body. "I'd like to see people at least be more aware that, OK, it is Earth Day," Crooker said. "It's always the same SEAC people who come to these programs.

"I know that environmentalism and trash isn't everyone's big thing, but at least be aware and at least be willing to listen."



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### Grossberg plea does not justify attorney general's incompetence

The biggest tragedy in the Amy Grossberg murder case is that the entire affair could have been prevented if Jane Brady, the state attorney general, had looked before she leapt into this mess.

Days after Grossberg and Brian Peterson were taken into custody, Brady appeared on an episode of "Geraldo" where she announced the state would seek the death penalty for

the two teenagers. The statement effectively poured gasoline on an affeady burning media

On Wednesday, prosecutors announced that Grossberg's plea of manslaughter was the appropriate penalty for her crime, as opposed to the first-degree murder charge initially leveled by the attorney general's office.

Instead of the electric chair, Grössberg will likely serve only a fraction of the 10-year maximum that charge carries.

Whether it was Brady's intention to scare the pair into copping a plea, or if the state's judiciary is merely that unable to evaluate their own investigations, may never be known. Either way, Brady has failed in her job.

- The role of the attorney general

is to step back from the chaos presented by cases like this and be the rational voice citizens expect. Declaring all-out warfare against the defense on a national talk show is a far cry from the efficiency and professionalism expected from the Delaware courts.

Despite their maneuvering, the prosecution seems not to

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be at fault for the legal melee which has stretched over the last 18 months. They appeared only to be performing the impossible task of making Brady's

ill-conceived remarks fit their handling of the case.

The defense is not faultless in this mess, but they too had to deal with Brady's remarks. When their client was overcharged by the state, the defense saw a capital punishment threat being dangled over their heads and had no choice but to overreact as well.

Now, the state is insisting that Grossberg pay for the lengthy litigation and for wasting the state's time. Instead, it was Brady's remarks a year and a half ago that, more than anything else, caused the court battle to last this long.

Hopefully, the voters will remember that when Brady is up for re-election in November.



### No clear choice

### Uncontested DUSC elections show a lack of focus within the group

See story,

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Delaware Undergraduate Student Council elections next week will feature only one party for the third year in a row. If the polls are as active as they were last year, less than I percent of the student population will elect the new student council president. That's sad.

Obviously, the student body is largely to blame for their apathy in the workings of their representatives. But the current executive board of DUSC must also recognize where they have

failed to solicit any genuine response from the student body as a

Too often this year, the student souncil has focused on improving their internal structure to accommodate the interests and talents of the students smart enough to get involved. While improving the image and structure of any group are noble goals, leaders must make sure that their internal focus does not distract them from their

external goals. This year, DUSC has spent too many hours trying to figure out how to represent students and not enough time doing things that would actually support their concerns. In effect, they have failed to attract more students because, for all their talk; they haven't done much that interests students.

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The student government has effected almost no change on campus this year, both in the actions and minds of students.

The excuse that not enough students are involved in DUSC for it to change campus is just an excuse. In the past, a small handful of students have taken important issues

and thrust them into the university spotlight, thus gaining public support.

Next year's executive board must realize they must take the initiative to draw apathetic students into their organization.

Circulate petitions, not surveys. Sit in the Trabant and let any passerby complain about the university. E-mail every student leader once a week to get suggestions.

Take stands on every issue, not just the non-controversial ones. If DUSC continues to remain silent on topics concerning the student body, it will never gain the students' respect.

Already, executive board members have voiced their desire to regain control of the allocation of student group funding. The Review would love to see this happen.

Get students to e-mail Roselle. Write an editorial every week. Take the issue to a public forum and show the administration how DUSC can mobilize students.

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Just do something.

#### Letters to the Editor commercial interests, but to me they All work are realities and examples of what drives our market economy. and no play Whether we like it or not, we are going to college to become "qualified" to participate in the job makes market, not to sit in class and listen to a professor.

This response is in reference to Garold Murdachaew's criticism of the "Teen People, MTV hold UD makeover." Few people would disagree with Mr. Murdachaew when he says, "I wonder why this event was allowed to be held on a weekday and, given the volume of music, in a location where it would so clearly cause a disturbance." There is no excuse for interrupting a classroom setting; this event could have certainly taken place during the

students sad

weekend. Where I would disagree with Mr. Murdachaew is in regards to his position on the "tug of war between the actual work of education and commercial interests" and the function of the university to only be "learning and teaching."

Now, I realize Mr. Murdachaew has a biased opinion because he is a professor, but he is naive to think that the function of the university, or any university for that matter, is for teaching and learning only.

Certainly, we as students came to college for an education, but there are a whole host of other reasons, including learning outside the classroom environment. Mr. Murdachaew may think that Teen People and MTV are only

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incorrectly identified the

organizers of the car

smash fund-raiser as

Theta Chi. The fraternity

running the event was

In the story titled "Step

dance groups compete at

the Bob," the winning

sorority is identified as

Theta Xi Beta. Zeta Phi

Beta sorority was the

actual winner of the

actually Theta Xi.

compension.

### destroys future

It is no secret that more and more underage teens are testing their luck in casinos. I don't know if they are doing it for the rush of simply getting one over on the security guards or if they are doing it to satisfy some sort of addiction they may not even know they

In fact, most of what we learn

takes place outside of the classroom

setting: our peers, responsibilities

and finances all influence our lives

and little of these teachings are

The "tug of war between

education and commercial interests"

has existed, does exist and will

continue to exist in our society. The

key is to find a balance between the

two. It is up to us to decide when it

is time to work and when it is time

to play; that is one of the best

lessons I have learned; and it was

Gambling

not taught to me in a classroom.

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preached by professors in class.

No matter how nonchalant the topic of gambling is, due to the area in which we live, the fact is, it is the law that you must be 21 to gamble. You do not have to place a bet to be gambling - whether you realize it or not, you actually gamble as'soon as you step onto the casino floor!

Let's say you happen to get past the security guards and get onto the casino floor to gamble. After an hour you discover you have lost \$200 and have visited the nearest MAC machine twice. Little do you know, you haven't even begun to lose yet.

As the blackjack dealer asks for your bet, you are rudely interrupted with a stiff hand on your shoulder. Someone says: "Can I see some ID please?" You now forget about that \$20 hand that seemed so important a moment ago and are trying to total all the fines and penalties not to mention the possible criminal record that will haunt your career, your family and your life for a long time.

So when you are taking that long walk with security to the Division of Gaming Enforcement, your face breaks out with little beads of sweat while your complexion slowly changes to a pale white, and you begin thinking to yourself, "This is one hand I can't

The topic of underage gambling really hits home with me. A couple of years ago a good friend of mine was caught gambling while underage. That night basically changed his life.

The incident took place in the summer, and he was planning to go away to college in the fall.

School was put on hold and the fines are being paid with the money that should have been used for a better

Unfortunately, people like my friend think the laws are for everyone but them. We have laws for many things we do in our everyday life: driving, drinking, hunting, fishing and smoking. It takes someone with respect for the law and a sense of maturity to obey these laws and be a good law-

Bill Adamson Sophomore

### Typo offends Greek community

I am sure you have heard from many people already on the mistake in Tuesday's Review. In the issue, Theta Chi was written throughout the entire article when in fact Theta Xi was the fraternity holding the car-bashing event.

I understand that the staff at the Review probably considers this a simple typo. But in fact, coming from the perspective of any member of a Greek organization, this mistake can be very serious. By switching these two letters, the newspaper has caused members of two entire fraternities to become

You must understand that students at Delaware use the paper to become informed of what organizations such as our fraternities are doing on campus. By misrepresenting us in this

fashion, reputations can be altered, and images can be changed.

In the Greek world, we consider this mistake to be very powerful. The Review should take the short time needed and the small amount of effort required to learn the Greek alphabet.

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### Entertainment not found in murder Pro-life



Jill Cortright Perception of Reality like "Homicide:
Life on the
Street" and "Law
and Order" make
murder cases and
violence into
entertainment.

That's OK — those programs are supposed to be entertainment. Even when the scripts are based on real cases, what is being depicted on the television screen is a fictionalized version.

But Anthony and Debra Puglisi are real, and their case is being presented by the media as entertainment.

That's not OK.
Earlier this week, student Mike Puglisi's father,

Anthony Puglisi, was found dead in his Newark home, a victim of a gunshot wound to the head.

His wife, Mike's mother, Debra Puglisi.

was still missing as of press time.

A Tuesday night Philadelphia newscast tagged the story "Murder Mystery," like it's

some Sherlock Holmes tale.
Wednesday's News Journal had a giant headline reading "Where is Debra Puglisi?" as though the search for her is some kind of Waldo-esque scavenger hunt. Meanwhile, facts about her personality were given in the past tense, suggesting the search can only turn up a dead body.

The media is making the murder/disappearance into a game of Clue.

Newark residents are snatching up copies of the News Journal. The question on everyone's lips is "whodunit?"

Was it the wife in the bedroom with a revolver? Or was Debra kidnapped by the murderer, meaning one of those ransom notes made up of words torn from magazines will appear, requesting millions of dollars neatly stacked in a briefcase under the bridge in exchange for her safe return?

It's like "Homicide" has moved up I-95 from Baltimore.

But this isn't TV. This isn't for entertainment.

This is real life.

We are so intrigued by this murder mystery right in our backyards that we forget there are

real people involved.

A university student has had his whole world turned upside down, and we want to ask him if he thinks his mother did it.

With Brian and Amy pleading guilty to manslaughter and the Capano-Fahey case solved, Delaware was about due for a new

unsolved mystery.

Conveniently (and sadly), someone stepped in and provided one. And the press

jumped on it.

The media should not be condemned simply for covering this story — it is a big deal. And the more press given to any missing person case, the better chance the person will be found.

'They just should be treating it more like the tragedy it is.

There's a continuing debate over whether the media creates news or merely reports it.

It is impossible for the media to be completely objective. In choosing which of two murders to place as their top story, producers of news broadcasts are implying to the public that one dead body is more important than another.

mportant than another.

The presentation of those stories also sends

Television shows a message to the public. Murderers can be made to look like "Homicide: look like cold-blooded killers or victims who can't be held accountable for their actions because they were abused as children.

In the case of the Puglisi family, the media is turning the news broadcast into a case from "Unsolved Mysteries." All that's missing is Robert Stack in a trench coat and some eerie background music.

Perhaps that's the wrong show to be picking on. Based on the frequent updates, their dramatizations of crimes often helped solved them.

Maybe the media's murder-mystery spin on the Puglisi case will get people excited about the death and disappearance, leading to a speedier apprehension of the person responsible and, with luck, the discovery of an unharmed Debra Puglisi.

In other words, maybe the ends will appear to justify the means.

However, even if the murderer is found, that doesn't mean it's acceptable for the press to present the case like an Agatha Christie novel. Can you figure out who the culprit is before Miss Marple or Hercule Poirot does?

A university student has lost his father. He doesn't know where his mother is. That's not entertainment.

"Homicide" is on tonight. Watch that if you're looking for a good murder mystery — not the 11 o'clock news.

Jill Cortright is copy desk chief for The Review. She enjoys playing Clue and watching "Homicide" and wishes there were less real-life murder cases. Send e-mail to jilibean@udel.edu.

# Pro-life movement too narrow, simplistic

I recently encountered a pro-life advertising supplement. As a feminist who stands up for her



Melissa Braun Batwoman

As a feminist who stands up for her principles, I feel it's necessary to balance such

anti-abortion propaganda with a pro-choice treatise.

I am pro-choice. This doesn't mean I go out and advise pregnant women to have abortions. It means I support a woman's right to choose an

I have two major problems with the so-called "pro-life" movement.

First, I am astounded by the hypocrisy of certain anti-abortion factions who insist on bombing abortion clinics, killing and injuring people in the name of saving lives.

Second, I find it extremely irresponsible that the pro-life movement wishes to outlaw abortions but does not advocate nationwide assistance in the care of these unwanted children.

Thousands of abortions are performed every year. If abortion were suddenly made illegal, who would care for these children? Somehow, I doubt each member of the pro-life movement would be willing to take in eight newborns.

Somehow, I doubt each member of the pro-life movement would be willing to take in eight newborns.

I don't know which I would prefer: being born into an overpopulated world where I am unwanted by my mother and face a life of poverty, or not being born at all.

I refuse to debate when life begins, because no human being knows for sure. Nor will I get into the autonomy argument which involves weighing women's rights against fetus's rights.

Regarding the state's and a family's rights in a woman's abortion decision, my opinion is quite simple.

In our society, women are still seen as the primary caregivers for children. The decision to abort a fetus should be made by the individual, and only by the individual, it affects the most.

Because they will be responsible for the child before and after its birth, women should have the sole responsibility for making the choice of whether to carry their baby to term or have an

The most successful argument for the prochoice stance involves accepting the fact that women are, as a group, sexually oppressed.

And as professor of philosophy Sally Markowitz wrote in her paper about abortion and feminism, "When one social group in a society is systematically oppressed by another it is impermissible to require the oppressed group to make sacrifices that will exacerbate or perpetuate this oppression."

In other words, Markowitz's "Impermissible Sacrifice Principle" states that anti-abortion laws force women to make special sacrifices which in actuality further their oppression.

Until women live in an equal society where men and women share the responsibilities of child care, the right to an abortion is a necessity.

If people object to the morality of abortion, then they should move quickly to make society more egalitarian instead of furthering this oppression.

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by Ryan Cormier and Andrew T. Guschl



# University elective policy restricts students from any real learning



Veronica
Fraatz
Bring It On!

After a semester of taking all gigantic, lecture-hall-sized classes I enlisted in to meet my required amount of electives, I looked forward to getting my hands on the Fall Semester registration book. I'd had enough of classrooms where I need a pair of binoculars just so I can see the professor.

When the course book came out, I looked forward to getting back to the intimate setting of my usual English classes, where the professors know who I am and don't have to identify me by my social security number.

Classes where there are evil multiple choice tests and very little discussion between class members, to me, have been nothing but a waste of time and

But unfortunately, according to the university, that's just too bad.

Despite my course selection dreams, due to university restrictions I have taken so many English classes I am only flowed three more classes in my major. was warned by an advisor last semester that if I took any more classes within the major, I would receive no credits from

hose classes towards graduation.
However, I could take all the hilosophy, art history or geology ourses I could ever want to fill up

So, like every other writer at this university, I am limited to 53 credits within the English major. And I'm not sure I really understand the logistics of

this rule.

I took my required E110 class, my required math class, and I met the language requirement. I understand those are all classes that every freshman schmuck in every nationwide university is required to take.

required to take. Whatever — that's fine.

And I understand the breadth requirements. They make me better-enlightened about the world around me, more well-versed, more well-rounded, yadda yadda yadda. I don't have a problem with that either.

What I do have a problem with is that once I've done that and reached the limit on the amount of English and journalism courses, all I have

left are the dreaded electives.

I understand many people would rather take electives than a lot of other courses required by the university. However, this does not apply here. I have not taken an elective at this university yet that I remotely enjoyed, with the exception of IFST 401: Foundations of Human Sexuality. (Anyone may draw whatever conclusion they

The bottom line is classes outside of English don't hold my interest. That's not what I came

to school for.

I came to school to read some literature, as pathetic as that sounds. I came to become a better writer, and I'm being told I can, but only to a certain point.

After that, I'd better find a new interest in anthropology or animal science, because I shouldn't waste my parents' money on classes I won't get credit for.

I can't tell you how many psychology, philosophy and anthropology classes have dragged down my GPA because the stuff just doesn't interest me. And the same thing has happened to countless friends of mine.

It just doesn't seem to make any sense.
My suggestion is this: keep the regular
freshman pre-requisite classes. Keep the
breadth requirements, and let those be the
classes that keep us well-rounded. And it
goes without saying, keep the major

But let students take their liberties with electives if they choose to use them

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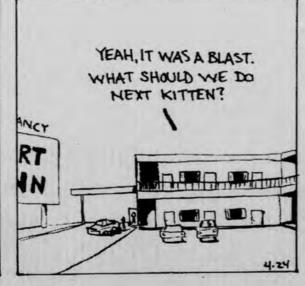
Allow g students to choose whatever elective: hey want is not limiting their educatic?—they'll choose what will truly e grate them the most. The universit is that to learn to trust us for once.

Veroni Fraatz is a city news editor for The K & ew. She is going to fail an anthropolog, class, a nutrition class and a philosophy class this semester because she had to take the classes against her will. Send e-mail to veronica@udel.edu.

### PULP CULTURE

requirements.







"I wouldn't call it tasteless. But it's not tasteful

### Advisory council plans announced

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on how the board develops, he currently plans for the entire panel to meet once or twice a year and for smaller groups to meet on a monthly basis.

Councilman Jerry Clifton said he is in absolute support of Godwin's efforts to bring students and the community closer to each other.

"This board will play a critical link in understanding what the people we represent want," he said. "This is a bold step since it is the first time a chief executive is willing to hear a clear voice of the student body in the form of an open dialogue.'

Gerald J. Grant Jr., also a councilman, said he believes the new mayor has a good idea, but is uncertain if it will work.

"Some of my concerns are there may be too much of a duplication in assorted boards," he said. "It may end up being another layer of government."

What Grant said he did like was

the fact that students will be council can work. represented since much of his district does include students.

"Maybe this will make students feel more connected and give them a sense of being part of the city,"

Senior Michael Sauers, president of the Delaware Undergraduate Student Congress, said he also thinks the board is a good idea, but he predicts

"From my past experiences on panels," Sauers said, "I think Godwin's panel has too broad of a

"Also, I think it should be the students that vote on who represents the student body — not Godwin who picks."

However, Clifton disagreed with Sauers' belief that students should pick the panel.

"We must remember Godwin should be able to choose," he said. "It is his committee - not the city's."

Students on campus are skeptical if this new type of

Freshman Kate O'Connell said she thinks Godwin has good intentions.

"Whether or not it will work will depend on if he follows up on his word, and it will take time to find out," she said.

Peter Byer, a senior, said he doesn't believe the board can work because of the unwillingness of the previous committees' attempts to compromise.

"People of the city have their ideas, students have theirs, and no one is going to budge," he said.

Dean of Students Timothy Brooks said he is generally supportive of advisory groups.

"Any type of group that increases communication between constituencies can be very helpful in the city, and I am pleased to hear that students will be on the advisory committee," he said.

Sauers said the main factor that will determine if Godwin's team will work is Godwin himself.

"It will all come down to his follow-up on his goals."

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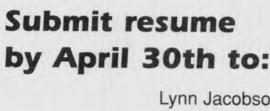
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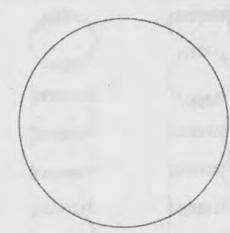


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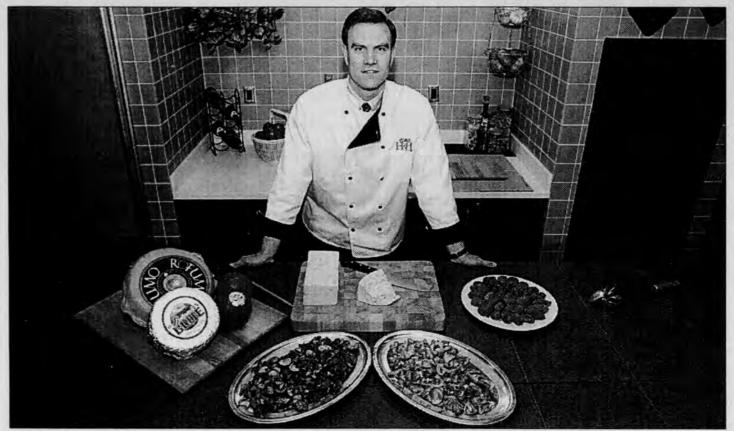
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"Culinary Survival Skills," hosted by professor Robert Nelson, is broadcast from Vita Nova in the TUC.

### UD kitchen serves it up on cable

### Prof goes national with 'Culinary Survival Skills'

BY RACHELLE KUCHTA

Dressed in all white, he stands alone in a blue-tiled room with an eager smile on his face.

They are vulnerably unaware of the imminent end to their existence.

But he decides to spare a life.

"Ladies first," he says with a chuckle as the strong lights catch his every move.

He picks her up high and slowly lowers her body into the scorching water.

begins cutting off her limbs. It's dinner time and the smell of the succulent lobster is

slowly making the audience's mouths salivate.

Meet the man behind the kitchen counter — university professor Robert Nelson.

When he is not teaching hotel, restaurant and institutional management courses, Nelson serves as host of "Culinary Survival Skills," a weekly television show produced by the university to increase culinary awareness among the country's food service professionals.

But Nelson does not have to go to Julia Child's kitchen to find air time; "Culinary Survival Skills" is taped in the studio kitchen at Vita Nova, the student-run restaurant on the second floor of the Trabant University Center, and also on location at various regional sites.

From the posh Vita Nova, the half-hour show is aired on Jones Cablevision Knowledge TV network (Channel 27 of UDTV). It is then broadcast out to 26 million homes nationwide. But don't get the wrong impression -

Nelson's status as a household icon is still in the works. He really doesn't parade down Main Street like Martha Stewart. The tall, brown-haired man takes his fame lightly. Considering there are so many channels now. Nelson says,

He also says he enjoys what he does in bringing together television, the Internet and a live classroom.

"The lecture can be pretty dry," he says. "This makes it a more exciting learning experience.'

But how interesting, one might ask, can a show be when its second name is HRIM 321? Besides being prime TV material, the show serves as a laboratory for several HRIM

320 students to pick up a credit. Though HRIM 321 sounds like a boring name for a He has an evil plan for the male and female who sit course, the techniques which Nelson utilizes in the name of culinary education are far from mundane.

Instead of repeating topics in monotone, Nelson excitedly educates those watching the show about meat, poultry, seafood, stocks and sauces, vegetables and baked goods even duck-shaped cream puffs.

The show is divided into two 12-minute segments. For the first part of the show, Nelson takes a TV crew out to the real world in order to examine how the food industry After a few seconds, he retrieves her out of the water and thrives and fails under the pressure of '90s competition.

During recently taped shows, Nelson toured Philadelphia's Wells Meats Co., a cornerstone for the Pennsylvania meat industry. He also visited the Old City Coffee House and the Philadelphia Wholesale Market, two great examples of how businesses can operate and produce quality goods in the competitive Philly food and beverage

And after visiting the Chadds Ford Winery in Chester County, Pa., Nelson illustrated to students the precision of quality wine-making.

And if you question his ability to go out of the way for his cooking passion, you should see who Nelson is bringing to his May 13 taping.

Fresh from the cuisine capital of Manhattan, famous wine expert Andrea Immer, a host on Food TV, will demonstrate to students just how soothing the proper wine A Cornell University graduate, Nelson has been teaching

at the university since 1990 and says his television series serves as a magnet to bring experts like Immer to campus. Although a little shy of expert status, campus celebrity and mascot YoUDee was invited by Nelson to appear on a

see CHEF page B3

### 420 FEST: MARIJUANA ADVOCATES MOVE MOUNTAINS ONE STONE AT A TIME

BY LAURA SANKOWICH

The people sitting on the brick wall outside Terrapin Station on Baltimore Avenue in College Park, Md., were squinting in the bright sunlight. They sat there dressed in long Indian-print skirts or patchwork bell-bottoms and Tshirts, smiling, enjoying the day.

Inside Terrapin Station, on a wooden floor at the dark bar, there were the sheer dresses, waves of hair and the jostling limbs of a modest dancing crowd. And they were dancing to the bluegrass music of Smokin' Grass, the band on the stage in front of them.

The 420 Fest had only just begun.

The dancers, who later filled the bar, the bands and the day's many speakers, each with their own sense of what the day meant to them, were all there for a common reason: They all wanted to have fun while protesting the prohibition of hemp and marijuana.

Jason Koornick, mandolin player and vocalist for Smokin' Grass says, "4:20 is a time of day for people to get together with their friends and relax a little bit."

The number 420 is also the police code for marijuana. Every April 20, pro-legalization advocates embrace it as a

time to celebrate and support their cause. "It's a sort of springtime holiday for all the people who know what it means," Koomick says.

Smokin' Grass was just one of eight bands to throw their talents and energy into Monday's 12-hour benefit show. Following their performance, a speaker known to many in

the audience as "Crazy Larry" took the stage. He provoked chants from the audience in the spirit of a '60s demonstration. The crowd testified its support for what Larry was saying about free will and the right to consume

marijuana. Juggling Suns had the honor of playing at the magic moment where the audience counted down to 4:20. The band's lively acoustic-jam-style music aroused the crowd

once again, and they were on their feet dancing. Casey LaPerle, the band's drummer, has been involved with pro-legalization efforts while playing benefit shows. He

said he thinks that it is very important to educate people "You can picture a lot of different ways that things would

be better if marijuana were legal," he says citing the effects the criminalization of marijuana has on society. He also said legalization of the marijuana plant will lead

to less abuse of it. "If everyone was allowed to grow a marijuana plant, they could use it instead of abuse it.

"I have an 8-year-old son and 1-year-old daughter and I hate to think of them growing up in a society where people look at you differently because you choose to do something. Humans have medicated and altered their beings throughout

Between bands, speakers such as Greg Schaffer, president of the University of Maryland's chapter of the American Civil Liberties Union, and activist Bob Richardson spoke about personal freedom and changing anti-drug laws.

changing these laws to the story of a farmer who tried to move a mountain so that he could grow his crops closer to his



### Trip with a Heroin Addict

### The needle marks on Don's arms haven't healed. Before rehab, he makes one more stop in Philly

BY JASON SHORT Staff Reporter

virtually anyone can be on TV.

It all starts out innocently enough: a glance at a flyer posted in a Main Street shop. Drawn in by the picture of a smiling girl, I read the words.

Erin, the 21-year-old girl in the picture, is dead. Erin's mother put the flowers there. Erin died last June of a heroin overdose. The flyers are posted all over downtown Newark.

The next day, I meet Don, a guy who could be the next face I see on a flyer posted on Main

Street. "I'm a heroin addict," Don says to all those within earshot. He is sitting casually on a bed, playing a guitar. Don informs me that he's just gotten out of prison. He has been clean for nine

days now. He hates his life.

"I need heroin. I'm going crazy and I can't cope," he tells me. Don started out on softer drugs before discovering heroin. "I've done cocaine, PCP, LSD, marijuana. I've done them out for four all. But heroin — it's heroin, you know?" I don't know.

Don rolls up his sleeve and shows me the track marks left there from sticking needles full of heroin into his veins. They run up the length

of both arms. What looks like one long slice is actually a series of puncture wounds. "They've healed a lot in the last nine days,"

he says. "They used to be a lot better. They don't look as good as they used to."

Don is a high school dropout. He lives at home with his parents. Even though his car has a flat tire, his parents still hold his car keys they fear he'll go out to get more heroin.

Don tells me he's going to start rehabilitation next week, and he seems anxious to get it under way. Before that begins, however, he has to make a court appearance. He was arrested with two bags of heroin on him.

Even in jail, heroin haunted him.

You can get heroin in Gander Hill Prison for \$40 a bag," he says. On the streets, it's

"They rip you off because they know you

"If you smoke cigarettes — that craving you get for a cigarette - I would be happy if heroin was like that.

"I can't live without it."

Don doesn't want to be sober. "Being sober is so boring," he says. "Why would you want to do anything when there is heroin? When you stick it in your arm, it's so incredible. An awesome rush, almost orgasmic, sweeps over you. And then, then everything is all right after

Although he has been clean for more than a week, Don is going to Philadelphia to pick up some heroin. "It's not for me," Don tells himself. "It's for my girlfriend, Kelly. Don and Kelly have been going

months. Like Don, Kelly addicted to heroin. meet Kelly the following day. The three of us

are in Kelly's car, already halfway to Philadelphia at 9 in the "I've been going to Philadelphia

for a full year," Kelly says. "I take this trip every morning. It's safer in the morning. I went at night once and was scared to death."

I'm scared to death. We drive down the highway and although Don is driving and the heroin is for Kelly, I'm uneasy.

"Relax," Kelly tells me. "We do this all the time." But I can't find any comfort in her words wound as Kelly tells as Don talks about the day before.

"We got pulled over vesterday by a cop," he

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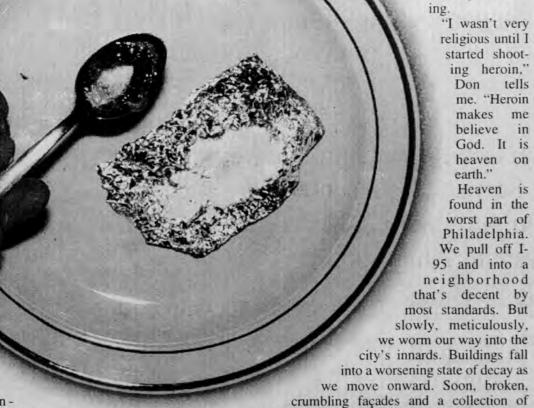
"Little Red Riding Hood went to visit her

a joke:

Detoxification has not helped his craving. tells me as a matter of fact. "They can pull you over if you have an out-of-state plate. The cops didn't find nothing 'cause Kelly puts the dope in her bra. The cops aren't allowed to search

> Both Kelly and Don talk non-stop about their lives. Don shows off





condemned, surround us. Children are playing on litter-covered playgrounds, impervious to the filth around them.

abandoned, boarded-up edifices, long-since

grandmother one day in the city. Because she

knew it was dangerous, she brought a gun with

her. While in the city, the wolf confronted her.

'I'm gonna fuck you,' said the wolf. So Little

Red Riding Hood pulls out her gun and says to

the wolf, 'No you're not. We're going to follow

Kelly starts to laugh. An unnerving, unpleas-

the book and you're gonna eat me.'

Born into poverty, they know of nothing else but the dusty, dirty streets.

We maneuver through the streets until all sense of direction is gone. They blend into one another. Drug dealers hang out on the corners, waiting for people to look at them. Stop signs are ignored. This is not a place for outsiders. A bend in the road, and our destination is in front of us: a decrepit building.

"If a cop comes by, tell him we're lost," Don says as he gets out of the car and enters the building. A man is standing outside smiling. My heart spends an eternity in my throat while Don buys the dope. I'm scared out of my wits. At last, Don returns with the heroin. "We have to get needles now," he says.

More winding through filthy streets and we find another man on the corner selling needles at \$2 a piece. The exchange of money for needles takes less than a minute.

As we pull up to the corner, a cop car drives slowly by. Both cops look over at each of us and give us an ugly stare. They know we don't belong here. At last, they pass by without inci-

I can't breathe.

tells

We work our way back out of the maze of streets toward I-95 South. We stop at a gas station to get some drinks. My mouth is dry and I feel like throwing up. The bottle of water I buy doesn't help.

We reach I-95 again at last; and I finally let out a breath. My heart is still racing.

For the most part, the ride back is uneventful. In Wilmington, we stop at a Howard Johnson's. Kelly needs to shoot up now. Don gives her his shoelace. She uses it to tie her

Kelly goes inside and we wait. Don is getting agitated. The need for heroin is overwhelming. His head is in his hands as if he has a migraine. My words of encouragement -"stay off heroin" - fall on deaf ears.

Kelly comes out feeling a lot better, and Don feels better when Kelly gives him one of her bags. She had bought 13. She has 10 left.

"This is my last bag before rehab." Don says. "One bag doesn't mean I'm addicted."

bject of My Affection wentieth Century Fox ating: 公公 1/2



BY ERIN K. LIEDEL

He's gay, she's not.

The catch? Heterosexual girl is head over heels in love with homosexual boy.

So what happens now?

Nothing, according to "Object of My Affection," a supposed exploratory film that only skims the surface of love, sex and friendship with a cursory and depressing glance.

Director Nicholas Hytner ("The Madness of King George"), though managing to draw sympathy for the film's lead characters, takes Wendy Wasserstein's adapted screenplay and crafts a hopeless story of two best friends thwarted by conflicting desires. The result is

#### The Gist of It

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GREASE

After 20 years as a musical cult classic,

"Grease" is back with a bang on the silver

screen — and it's just as electrifying as it was

who sing and dance their way through senior

year is still silly, amusing and even slightly

Sandy Olsson (Olivia Newton-John) is as sweet

and sappy as ever. After a whirlwind romance

at the beach, both teen-agers go their separate

ways at summer's end. Danny returns to Rydell

High in the fall, and Sandy, who presumably,

returns to her native Australia, shows up at

Rydell after moving to America for her senior

of rowdy teen-agers and their adolescent prob-

After 20 years, "Grease" is still the word.

Tems make for mental popcorn.

This film is, above all, pure fun. The antics

The story of the Rydell High delinquents

The tale of Danny Zuko (John Travolta) and

as confusing as the actual relationship itself. The plot unfolds when Nina (Jennifer

Aniston), a smart and attractive social worker, meets George (Paul Rudd), a handsome and friendly first grade teacher, at a pretentious gathering of New York's finest publishers.

> Both were invited to the party -Nina by her wealthy stepsister and George because he teaches the children of the well-to-do. They are fish-out-of-water among the rich and because of this, connect with each other immediately.

> Nina is personable and charming; George is sensitive and unassum-

She mentions that she has a vacant bedroom in her apartment for rent, and when George breaks up with his lover the very same night, he takes her up on her offer.

George is, of course, openly homosexual, so when he and Nina take up ballroom dancing and begin spending every spare moment with each other, no one is in the least suspicious.

Even though Vince (John Pankow), Nina's boyfriend, doesn't see George as a threat, he is still peeved because she won't allow him to move in with her. She says she needs her

Nina and George kiss, hug, share ice cream and watch television in bed together, all very

George sees Nina as his new best friend, but Nina, despite her better judgment, begins to fall in love with George.

The real problem arises when Nina becomes pregnant by Vince, but decides she would like George to be the surrogate father. Naturally, Vince is upset.

Her reasons for wanting to involve George entail more than just the baby's welfare; they now concern her own deep involvement with



When George decides to help her but cannot return her affections in the same way. Nina is left to discern the difference between what she truly wants and what must be.

"Object of My Affection" then ends as it begins. The ride along the way, however, is often as confusing and frustrating as George and Nina's haphazard feelings.

While certain issues involving sex, love and friendship are intelligently and appropriately addressed, there is no resolve. Indeed, the movie comes full circle and does not help but rather adds - to the uncertainty of the question, "What is love?"

Jennifer Aniston is appropriately befuddled as the warm and sensitive Nina. She is the only cast member of "Friends" to have a successful film career, and it is easy to see why by her performance.

Paul Rudd as George is equally warm and compelling, though his character is at times too weak and passive. His pretty boy face and magnetic smile often work when words do not.

"Object of My Affection" is provocative in that it asks many questions - just don't expect any answers.

#### PRIMARY COLORS

The opening scene of "Primary Colors" shows a politician who has mastered the essentials of his vocation. He makes his way along a crowd, able to emotionally sway those fortunate enough to receive a measured hand-

He is possessed of a cursed gift: The ability to seduce that makes him personally and politically irresistible which also proves to be the source of his potential downfall.

Director Mike Nichols' choice of John Travolta to fill the hip-gaiters of Governor Jack Stanton, who plays a dead ringer for President Clinton, is uncanny and remarkably prescient. Only a star with the charisma and charm of Travolta could make this Clinton caricature soar as high as it does.

One can draw at least cursory conclusions about a nation or society based on whomever it chooses to grant its greatest honor, prestige, and power. What Nichols and May have done in "Primary Cotors" is to make those conclusions harder to draw, even for those who do not consider themselves Clintonites.

-Justin Jones

CITY OF ANGELS "City of Angels" explores ideas of human spirituality and the strength of love.

Angels Seth (Nicolas Cage) and Cassiel (Andre Braugher) wander around Los Angeles, contemplating the human qualities which they do not posses: taste, smell, and touch.

In an operating room, while waiting to escort a dying man, Seth is captivated by surgeon Maggie Rice (Meg Ryan), as she engages in the futile struggle of saving her

Making himself visible, Seth spends time with Maggie and they inevitably fall in love. Guided by Mr. Messenger (Dennis Franz), Seth must decide whether to take the proverbial fall, trading existence as he knows it for human qualities in order to spend his life with Maggie.

The mere mention of angels, especially in the title, is generally enough to thwart moviegoers. However, this remake of the 1987 Wim Wenders film, "Wings of Desire," is a surprisingly beautiful and thought-provoking film.

-Emily Davis



For all the innocent ones out there, 420fest in College Park ruled. Hey man, they don't have to pay for parking down there! So if you missed the best concert of the year, you'll have to settle for these piddly runner-ups. Nah, they don't compare.

FRIDAY



Bouncin' round the Bouncin' room. round the room. NOFX/Bouncing Souls are gonna jam it up at the

Trocadero. Tixs are \$12 and doors chance. Call 368-2000 for the scoop. open at 7 p.m. So hop on up to Philly for some cheesesteaks and music.



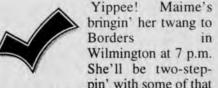
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Dance Party and Hot Legs Contest at the Balloon. Again. Man I am sick of typin' in this one. Does anybody even win these things? Call 368-2000 for

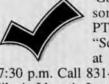
See me, feel me, touch me, heal me. Oh baby! Get it on for HTAC's version of "Tommy." He's deaf, dumb, blind and grooving it up in Pearson Auditorium,

baby, at 8 p.m. The "greatest living guitarist," Feliciano, is bringing his wicked strains to

woo the Grand Opera House at 8 p.m. My question is, when he dies will he still be the greatest musician be buried 6 feet deep? Tickets are from \$25 to \$35.



pin' with some of that Piedmont pickin' Mississippi Delta and Texas-style blues. Catch this soul bandaid at the Borders on Route 202.



"School For Scandal" at Hartshorn Hall at 7:30 p.m. Call 831-2577 for tickets. I like it, I love it, I want some more of it. SATURDAY The Trocadero will

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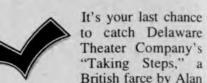
concert kick. Y100, WSTW, WVUD, now 94WYSP. Everybody's cashin' in. Tickets are \$10 in advance and doors open at 2 p.m. They got Pummel, so go and get pummeled.

Newark entertainment; if you haven't

caught them before here's your



It's a seal? No, a beach boy! It's that ol' cover band, Flip Like Wilson, paving the path back to the Stone Balloon. More of that regular



British farce by Alan Ayckbourn. It's about six people whose lives get all turned upside down. Sounds like "Days of Our Lives." There's two showings, one at 4 p.m. and the other at 8 p.m. Tickets are

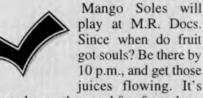


going on. Nah, they got "As Good As It Gets." Jack Nicholson is at his obsessive best, and they got him at the Trabant Theater at

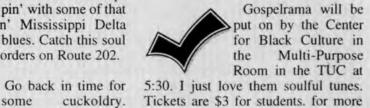
SCPAB's got it

10:30 p.m. All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy.

#### SUNDAY



sure to be another rockfest from those Review fans at M.R. Docs (Liz wants her T-shirt!)



PTTP will perform info, call 831-2991. Whoa, li'l doggy. For some unexplainable reason, I got country twang

on the brain. It might be Maime, but then again, maybe some of the below the Mason-Dixon line affliction got

-compiled by Liz "the hick" **Beukema** 

### Surf down Broadway; explore the Dark Side of the Web

Dilbert teoms up with Ben & Jerry's

Discover the early connections between Dilbert and the

Are Dilpert-like activities the norm at your campasy?

"The Dilbert Zone" goes beyond the realm

Playbill Online

http://www.playbill.com Within all the useless boring Internet sites lies an extremely useful and insightful one for theatergoers of all kinds.

-Erin K. Liedel

For those who sing the lullabies of Broadway and want to be a Broadway baby, the publishers of Playbill Magazine, which is handed out at every Broadway show, have designed an accurate and upto-the-minute website that gives anyone the information all about the Great White Way that they'll need.

Complete with dozens of color and black and white photographs from current productions, Playbill Online has everything from chat rooms to feature forums.

The most frequently viewed aspect of the page is its "Extra Extra News" section. Updated daily, the news section provides short blarbs of the most recent Broadway reports that tells who's replacing who in "Rent" and a listing of scheduled Broadway openings until the year 2000.

Another strong element of the page is the feature articles called "Stagestruck" written by Peter Filichia,

the New Jersey drama critic for the Star Appearing every Wednesday,

Pilichias' columns delve into many interesting topics for theater lovers. For example, in response to VH-1's recent "100 Greatest Artists of Rock and Roll," Filithia did "The 100 Greatest B'way Musical Performers."

Besides featuring columns and news stories, Playbill Online also gives theater Histings for Broadway, off-Broadway, regional and national tours of just about every show being performed currently.

Playbill Online will entice even the most subtle theater-goer and is the main source for top-notch Broadway news.

#### Dilbert Invades the Net

http://www.dilbert.com That wacky and crazy subtlehymored man of the office has jumped off the comics pages and into the pages of cyberspace with his own site called "The Dilbert Zone."

However, this site goes deeper then the funny pages will allow. "The Dilbert Zone" explores the hysterical side of Dilbert and lets its author, Scott Adams,

use his funny talent. On the main page, the current Dilbert comic strip is posted and will provide the surfers a quick laugh that will force them of the funny pages.

to further investigate the site. Since Dilbert works in a white-collared monetary-fixated world, the site offers a financial page that gives basic business advice to the

eweryman in society. This weeks tip is to buy American health-care providers. Why? Because Chinese authorities free dissident Wang Dan because of his

dire medical condition. [He] checks into a U.S. hospital and suddenly has nothing more than a 'chronic cough.'"

Dilbert also knows how stressed out everyone can get. "If your business day is as intellectually stimulating as watching moss grow, Dilbert's Daily Mental Workout can help."

Spring Sale

Dilbert gives the surfers a long-winded sentence full of confusing words and jargon, that when broken down, is just a short famous saying: "If you live in a glass house, don't throw stones."

"The Dilbert Zone" offers comic relief, but in an intellectual way that will exercise the mind and touch the funny bone. As he says, "It's your brain, work it out!"

Pinkish Floyd

http://www.pinkfloyd.com "One of the million tear-stained fans" has brought to the Internet "The Pink Floyd Homepage" which is the perfect shrine to that not-just-another-brick-inthe-wall band.

Although not as completely extensive and in-depth as other fanatic sites, this page gives all the basics that any somewhat-interested Floyd fan might want to

Like any other band homepage, it contains an comprehensive discography from their first album "Piper at the Gates of Dawn," to their latest release "Pulse," a live performance from 1994. Some of the featured albums in the discography offer lyrics to help understand the slurring voice of Roger Waters.

The band got their name from two jazz artists, Pink Anderson and Floyd Council, but not before they waded through a trough of names like Sigma 6 and the Screaming Abdabs.

If the need to chat with other crazed fans arises, there is a Pink Floyd chatroom where Floyd followers can rap with others about their fanatic ravings. However, the one thing the site over-

looks is the conspiracy that Pink Floyd composed "Dark Side of the Moon" to coincide with the action in the movie, "The Wizard of Oz," a topic that even after a year is still hot.

Still, "The Pink Floyd Homepage" is nicely set up and will have Floyd listeners logging in to check up on their beloved band.

-John Yocca

### What the flick?

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"If it turns out there is a God, I don't think he's evil. The worst thing you can say about him is that he's an underachiever."

Answer: Woody Allen in "Love and Death" (1975).



ELECTRIC FACTORY (215) 569-2706 Foo Fighters. \$17.50. 8 p.m. May 6 THE TROCADERO (215) 922-6888

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NEWARK CINEMA CENTER (737-3720) (Since movie times change frequently, call the theater for show times) City Of Angels, Species 2, Major League 3,

Tarzan & The Lost City

<u>CINEMARK Movies 10 (994-7075)</u>

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### How to ary those sweaty palms

### Interview etiquette will help you land the right job

BY ALLISON SLOAN

It's a short conversation with a perfect stranger, not unlike exchanges people have every day. The difference lies in the result; for in the stranger's hands the future rests.

It is the ever-feared nightmare that keeps aging students awake at night. It brings on sweaty palms and dry mouths - the dreaded interview.

According to Duane Hansen, a recruiter for IBM, the interview is the

Students

most important part of the hiring process.

"Even a stellar résumé cannot save a lackluster interview," Hansen says.

According to a career guide published by Career Services, research has proven that recruiters

within the first four to nine minutes of an inter-

Lynn Jacobson, coordinator of the Campus Interview Program at Career Services, offers students tips for making it through those first minutes effectively.

For students who are unsure of their skills, Career Services offers mock interviews that are videotaped for the students to watch later. By watching themselves on tape, they can objectively determine which skills need work.

Jacobson says one of the most important things to remember when interviewing is that a first impression can mean everything. Appearance is crucial.

Jacobson recommends business suits in dark or neutral colors for both men and women. For typical business jobs, she encourages females to wear skirts, regardless of the company's dress code.

"Often times," Jacobson says, "the way you dress during an interview will be nothing like the way you will dress at the actual company.'

According to Nate Zahn, a recruiter at Diamond State Financial, neatness counts.

"I understand a college student's wardrobe may be limited," he says. "But they should be neat with combed hair and clean fingernails. These things are definitely important."

Beyond appearance, one of the first things a prospective employee will notice is what time the applicant walks in the door. In the career guide, jobs you did? the comment "was late" was listed as an observation frequently made by recruiters.

Junior Shana Berry knows about this first-hand. On a recent interview for a summer internship, she arrived 15 minutes early. But the first building she walked into was the wrong one.

"Thank God I got there as early as I did," she says with a laugh. "As it was, I still had to run to to predict. Although it's

the right building in my high heels!"

Berry says the moral of the story is to always allow a cushion of time for just such unexpected circumstances.

Beyond promptness and an immaculate appearance, however, there is still the actual interview to get through. Doing background research is very important, according to Jacobson.

One of the most often-asked questions in an interview is: "What do you know about our com-

pany?" If the answer is "nothing," things can go

downhill quickly. Hansen says researching the company ahead of time can help an applicant in several ways.

"Being knowledgeable about the company shows more than a surface interest,' decide whether to seriously consider an applicant he says. "It shows you've put some thought into

the interview. Also, he says, it can help the applicants to ask better questions and give them a better idea of

what area they'd like to work in. "You have to hire yourself as an employer instead of the other way

around," Hansen asserts. Jeff Kawalek, a senior business administration major who works at the Career Services Center, has made somewhat of a hobby of interviewing through the Campus Interview program. He suggests taking some of the pressure off by preparing answers to commonly asked questions.

"Career Power," a job search help guide by Neil C. Kalt, Ph.D., lists some of the most frequently asked interview questions. These include:

· Why are you applying for this particular position?

· Why did you go to the college or university you

· Why did you take the · Why did you leave?

· Why should we hire

Kawalek says such standard questions are almost always asked along with a few curve balls that are hard easy to say what the company wants to hear, Kawalek cautions against this.

"Say you tell an interviewer you would be willing to travel when you really don't want to," he queries. "You may end up getting the job only to find out you'll have to spend 50 percent of your time on the road. That's not going to make you or the employer happy."

Kawalek believes there is a perfect job out there for everyone. With this attitude in mind, he takes rejections in stride, by telling himself it wasn't his qualifications that cost him the job.

"If I don't get a job, there's probably a reason for it," he says. "I probably wouldn't be happy there anyway.'

By combining this self confidence with the skills he's learned from past interviews, Kawalek is now attending call-backs from his first round of interviews.

Both recruiters and career guides agree the key to a good interview is to "sell yourself." So remember, with a dash of politeness, a pinch of assertiveness, a neat appearance and an optimistic smile, that dream job or internship may be only an interview away.



THE REVIEW / Bob Weil

HTAC's "Tommy" is opening tonight at 8 in Pearson Hall.

### Rock opera stage set to dazzle audiences

BY JOHN YOCCA

A different show. That's the best way members of the Harrington Theatre Arts Company can describe their spring musical, "Tommy."

HTAC is going out on a limb with the production, which is opening tonight at 8 in Pearson Hall it's unlike any other Broadway play. It's simply a staged rock concert.

After doing traditional musicals like "Grease," "Guys and Dolls" and "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," HTAC codirector Joe Fulcher says, his troupe wanted to try "something more challenging.'

And "Tommy" is definitely chal-

The music was composed by the Who's Peter Townshend way back in 1969. The album is about a young boy, Tommy, who, after witnessing his father murder his wife's lover, becomes deaf, dumb and blind. Tommy's uncle molests him. His cousin taunts him. But the boy excels in one thing - pinball.

The album made history in the late '60s when it rocked musical world as soundly as the Beatles' Sergeant Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band" had only a few years before.

But the four-member band got heat Cover stars as the teen-age Tommy, for trying to portray all the different characters.

So in 1975 Townshend decided the album would work on the big screen. The movie featured Jack Nicholson, Tina Turner, Eric Clapton and Elton John, whose rendition of "Pinball Wizard" became a standard at many of his concerts. But Hollywood's version of "Tommy" was looked upon more as a long-winded video than a motion picture.

"Tommy" remained a dead product until 1993 when it was adapted as a Broadway musical -and again made history.

But with so many special effects, the complex rock opera doesn't really lend itself to non-professional productions.

Fulcher remains undaunted. "I think we were just ready to do a show of this caliber," he says. Co-director Steve Toth, a senior, awesome.'

agrees this semester was time for a

"We've been doing traditional musicals for too long," Toth says, "The first time I listened to the soundtrack it sent chills down my spine, and visually it does the same.

The greatest obstacle the crew has faced has been the show's elaborate set, he says. "All our other shows were basically simple sets. That's not the case with 'Tommy."

That's why HTAC acquired stage crew of about 30 engineering students who started working the first day of Spring Break and haven't stopped since.

They worked that week, from & in the morning till 2 in the morn, ing," Fulcher says. "They basically lived here for that whole week. was making food runs for them."

But all the hard work has paid off. Handmade pinball machines litter the set and two overhead projectors flash renditions of the credits and ads bought by local businesses.

Toth says the busy set hasn't presented much

of problem for acting crew, who adapted quickly to the clutter. "They knew it wasn't a usual show," Toth

expected the spectacular. Senior Greg senior Luke Brown as Tommy's dad

(Capt. Walker) and sophomore Sue Rosciszewski as Mrs. Walker. Three of the 28 cast members stand out as yet another anomaly in "Tommy." They don't attend the

university - they're in grade Three younger sisters of HTAC members play Tommy in the early stages of his life. Assistant director Brenna Barringer's 12-year-old sister, Jean, plays Tommy at age 10.

Lamborn, 10, will alternate shows, playing 4-year-old Tommy. "Tommy" marks Toth's last show with HTAC. He's directed "West Side Story" and "Grease" during his

Christy Kobasa, 6, and Julie

tenure with the company. "To be honest, I haven't stopped to think about it being my last show, but I will go out with a bang," he says, laughing. "'Tommy' is just

### University chef slices and dices on television

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show about cooking poultry.

The jolly bird pounces onto the set and seconds later is flat on the floor. He passes out when he realizes that Nelson was about to cut up a chick-

In disgust, the big and brawny hen pretends to come after Nelson with Nelson jokingly comments to

YoUDee that maybe the meal of the show should be the "Villanova Wildcat Stew" instead.

Nelson really does have a more down-to-earth side which incorporates working with students on the

Along with guest experts appearing on the show, which Nelson says operates on a shoestring budget, he also invites his classroom students to help him on the set.

"I received good experience because we cooked the same things we study in class," junior Ben Nemser says. "Everything that we made we ate in the end."

And how could a show be that bad when students get to eat lobster for

But it wasn't just free food and fun for Nemser during his semester of culinary experience. After all, it's no McDonald's commercial.

When eight volunteering students dressed in white chef outfits sat in the audience all semester. Nemser thought nothing of it. Yet it still was

a shock when during one taping he had to cut a gizzard off a chicken on national television.

When it comes to favorite foods, chicken is low even on Nelsons' totem pole. His favorite foods to cook include seafood and "anything on the grill."

Nelson says he first became interested in cooking at a young age when he started "puttering around in Mom's kitchen.

"I can't remember not cooking. While the other boys in the eighth grade were taking metal workshop classes," Nelson says, "I was hanging out with the girls in home economics class.

"Cooking used to be an uncool thing to do. But the fact that I was a big guy and played football balanced out the fact that I was taking the

The series, "Culinary Survival Skills," taped during Fall 1997, is now airing. Following it up will be "Food Facts," a series being taped this semester. "Food Facts" will air as a seven-part series in the summer. "Survival Skills" starts at 10 a.m. on Thursdays.

Nelson's future plans include a book deal tied in with the course, though he also wants to finish his dissertation and receive a Ph.D.

Viewers and students will no doubt benefit from Nelson's innovative shows and lectures, but it's the lobsters whose misfortunes will still lay on the kitchen floor.

### It's spring. Go outside.

### Greater Newark area offers parks with camping, hiking, fishing and even Frisbee golf

BY NOEL W. LLOYD

Although they lack the majestic peaks of Yellowstone or the boundless forest of Yosemite, the state parks of the Newark area nonetheless provide a dazzling array of natural wonders and outdoor activities to satisfy even the most hard-core outdoor enthusiast.

While there are plenty of opportunities on campus to augment the physical pursuits of students, the Newark area also abounds with a surprising variety of state parks waiting to satisfy a person's need to get back to nature.

#### Lums Pond

While some parks specialize in one theme, Lums Pond State Park in Glasgow has something for everyone.

Andrew Roy, assistant superintendent of the park, describes it by saying: "This place is a mixture of natural and recreational areas." An oasis of nature surrounded by an urban

sea of development, Lums Pond contains over 1,800 acres of water, woods and recreational

The centerpiece of the park is the pond itself. The 189-acre pond is a popular summertime destination for swimmers. In addition to swimming, other aquatic

options include fishing for large-mouth bass or renting a sailboat. "The pond is the main draw because it is a

family draw," he explains. "A family can spend a lot of time on the pond." The park also offers a variety of athletic

areas for fans of all sports, including a popular Frisbee golf course.

Camping facilities and hiking trails are also available to the public.

#### **Elk Neck**

Just a 30-minute drive from Newark, located at the headwaters of the Chesapeake Bay on 2,200 acres, Elk Neck State Park offers panoramic views of the Elk and Northeast Rivers. The park, in North East, Md., also has various hiking trials and 310 campsites.

"Camping is our biggest single draw," park ranger Floyd Spinner says. "It is the focus of

our park." The park campsites can accommodate everything from tents to recreational vehicles.

For \$15 a night, up to six people are allocated a campsite equipped with a lantern post, a picnic table and a cooking area. Hot showers and running water are also available.

A camp store accommodates those campers who forgot to pack their toiletries or s'mores

"It's our 7-11," Spinner quips. Two of the biggest attractions for campers at

the park are the wildlife and the water. "If you spend a weekend here and don't see a deer, then you had your eyes closed," Spinner says, making note of the large deer population in the park.

One unique aspect of the park is that it is home to one of the rarest birds of the Eastern seaboard - the bald eagle. And all manner of wildlife is abound in the forest of Elk Neck.

Another of the park's main draws is an area called Turkey Point, a portion of the park which offers an incredible view from its heights. Gazing down from high bluffs, visitors encounter a breathtaking view of the water.

While Elk Neck is a paradise for campers, White Clay Creek State Park caters to both avid and recreational hikers.

Cradling the Delaware-Pennsylvania border and just five minutes from campus lie the rolling hills of White Clay.

Situated on 2,300 acres of unblemished landscape and with 13 trails totaling 25 miles, White Clay is a hiker's dream "The natural setting is beautiful out here,"

park ranger John Wales says. "White Clay Park is an area that is undisturbed." According to Wales, the beauty of White

Clay is one of Delaware's best-kept secrets. The 13 trails meanders through woodland, meadows and by the creek itself. Numerous

many areas accessible by automobile. Yet even though trafficked roads are a part

public roads also cut through the park, making

of the landscape, the park can give a feeling of "This isn't an island or an oasis. We have a

lot of continuous woodland," Wales says. "People can go out by themselves and gather their thoughts." Picnic tables and a pavilion are also on site

to accommodate people hoping to enjoy a meal In addition to the 2,300 acres in Delaware,

an additional 1,200 acres of park land are connected to White Clay in Pennsylvania. Wales says the park continues to buy new land, including a recent purchase of 200 acres

adjacent to the park.

The park is also user-friendly. In fact, a nature center with a full-time naturalist is available for any one with questions about the wildlife of the park. Besides hiking, the park is also popular for its spring trout-fishing.

Both Lums Pond and White Clay Creek charge a \$2.50 entrance fee for in-state residents and a \$5 fee for out-of-state visitors. The charges apply to weekends and summer months.

Away from the congestion and noise of urban life, an escape is waiting for those who seek to bask in the solicitude of nature.

The diversity and beauty of the parks in the Newark area give a refreshing selection to the individual who wishes to pursue his or her desire to escape the pressures of city life, big or



THE REVIEW / John Chabalko Mark Thornton, 16, enjoys some fishing while his wildlife class from Christiana

High School visits White Clay Creek.

### **Feature** Forum



BY ELIZABETH BEUKEMA

Well I'm a-runnin' down the road trying to loosen my load. Got a world of trouble on my

mind. There is a omen for every defining moment in life, the moments we discover just who we are.

Mine was the putrid, chipping, teal-blue paint and the huge rusted sign declaring the dilapidated building had once been a functioning "motel." It told me the road trip to Colorado this summer was going to change my life.

The need to go home, to the place where I had been born, drove me to make the whirlwind decision last May to leave my family in Newark and trek across the country.

I imagined I'd find a summer of fun. What I discovered was a life-altering experience, a lesson that changed the way I think forever.

I'd spent my life disconnected from my parents. Most of the time, we were strangers living under the same roof. Between classes and work, my life was cluttered and empty.

It was Spring Break when I decided I needed to leave. A fight with my best friend spurred me into action. I had my employer transfer me and Road trip teaches how to 'take it easy' arranged to take my finals after the summer.

Then I prepared to break the news to my parents. I knew they would try to discourage me. My mom had watched my older sisters move into their own lives, and I knew how much it had hurt to let them go.

We may lose and we may win, though we may never be here again - so open up. I'm climbing

On May 27, 1997, I said good-bye to my parents. My mother pulled me aside and asked me not to go. For the first time ever, she told me that my family needed me.

I felt my heart break, but my resolve toughened. I had to prove to myself that I could live on my own before I graduated and found myself tossed out on life's cold steps.

With the momentos of my childhood packed tightly in the trunk and the back seat, I pulled my blue Mercury Topaz out of the driveway the next morning. The Eagles' "Take it Easy" was playing on the radio, coincidentally. Its theme has stayed with me ever since.

I picked up my friend Mark and sped down I-95 toward Baltimore, toward life.

That first morning, I was lost in thought, mumbling along with the radio, praying I had not made the biggest mistake of my life.

Before I knew it, we were in West Virginia, pumping gas into my car and standing across the street from the disgusting motel - the one with

As I stared out over the endless miles of highway and trees, I told Mark what was in my heart. "I'm really going, aren't I? I'm leaving my life behind and I'm beginning a new one. I can

be anything I want to be or nothing." "I'm really going, aren't I? I'm leaving my life behind and I'm

beginning a new one. I can be any-

thing I want to be or nothing."

Mark looked at me and smiled. He reminded me stoically that it would be all right. He soothed away the crying child and helped me to see my

I bade farewell to the landmark and in min-

utes we escaped West Virginia to Ohio. The first day we drove 14 hours, switching off as we rolled down the road.

Take it easy, take it easy. Don't let the sound of your own wheels drive you crazy.

Driving to Colorado taught me more than any in foreign world, navigated the giant city. class ever could. I saw my aunt for the first time since my grandmother's death when I was 5.

We routed our trip through the Quad Cities in Illinois, where my Aunt Colleen lived. I remember the anticipation as I pulled into the Hampton

Inn, thrilled to see her. When we met her that night, I didn't even recognize her. Colleen may have grown 15 years older, but in my mind I still expected a petite heart-breaker, the college student I remembered from my childhood.

What I found was a loving aunt whom I barely knew but who accepted me nonetheless.

I spent the night reminiscing, learning about my mother, my grandfather and, most importantly, my grandmother Alice, whose name I had taken for confirmation.

Then Colleen sent me off on the next leg of my trip, Omaha, Neb., to my mother's childhood

Day three brought me to my family's beginnings, to the town that had raised my mother. (Back then, more than a half-century ago, it was the town, the community, that raised the children, not just their parents or the schools.)

With scant directions, Mark and I, strangers

And then I saw it: the place where my mother's house once stood, long since torn down to make room for apartments.

I felt a special connection to my family, to my roots, as I walked through her neighborhood. imagining my mother in pigtails, playing in the

street with her brother and sisters. From there, we went to her old church, her high school, her favorite pizza joint (still open 30

In those few hours, I missed my family terribly, and I thought about turning the car around

and heading back to Delaware. The following day, as we crossed the state

line into Colorado, I was again lost in thought. My mother had told me before I left that my family needed me. She had begged me not to leave. But it was then that I realized, for the first time, that I needed my family, too.

Lighten up while you still can. Don't even try to understand. Just find a place to make your stand. Take it easy.

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The Grand Opera House, on North Market Street, brings culuture to the Wilmington.

### Market Street venue offers a rand old — and new —time

North Market Street in Wilmington, one building gleams amid the brick red cityscape.

With its tiers of columns and arched windows, the white giant known as the Grand Opera House introduces more than unusual architecture to the area.

It brings a melting pot of cultural

From dance troupes and symphony orchestras to comedians, the Grand Opera House strives to present a wide variety of performing arts to a diverse audience, says Executive Director Kenneth A. Wesler.

The building was not always as elegant as it is today.

In the 1920s, Warner Bros. owned the theater and used it to showcase Bmovies. After that time, the theater's appearance and prestige declined, and by 1968, Wesler says, the Grand Opera House was in a state of "horrible disrepair.'

It remained dilapidated until a group of Wilmingtonians banded together and began restoring it. Six

and we have to do it one stone at a time."

are followers of the Rastafarian religion and to them, cannabis sativa is a reli-

Ras Pidow, to whom the other members refer as an elder and the leader of the band, says: "It lifts me up great to know we are all one. Herb grows every-

where. It's from God. It's salvation. It's

should be illegal, especially not one

that's a healing plant. There are many poisonous plants that are not illegal."

combined with their powerful lyrics -

which grooved away as the sun slowly

ed on what the day means to him.

dom," he says. "More concretely, it's about standing up for it, working the grass roots organizations and trying to

For Ryan Wick of the band Blue

Miracle, the use of marijuana for medic-

inal purposes is a personal issue. "We all

pretty much believe pot has its good

Ras Sd agrees and says: "No plant

Ras Pidow and Ras Sd of the band Ras Pidow and the Modern Antique have their own beliefs about the virtues of what they refer to as "the herb." They

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gious sacrament.

for God's work.'

began to sink outside.

make a change.

million dollars later, the Grand Opera House had returned to the limelight.

Since its renovation, the non-profit theater has become home to such talents as the Delaware Symphony Orchestra. It's in use 320 days out of

In addition to the classical side of performing arts that the Grand Opera House is known for, organizers are looking to add more contemporary artists to the calendar, Wesler says.

The theater's busy schedule requires shows to be booked 18 months in advance, but contemporary artists usually plan tours on relatively

The Grand Opera House is also expanding its range of entertainment with a flood of come-back films beginning in August. Patrons will be able to watch "A Clockwork Orange" and "West Side Story" in the immaculate theater in a unique way. The movies will be shown on a 30-foot screen, and spectators will be able to

watch from plush balcony seats. Wesler is not the only force behind the ornate walls of the Grand Opera House. The edifice was built in 1871

420 Fest stoners unite in College Park

as part of a Masonic temple. Freemasons still congregate on the building's upper floor.

This explains the Masonic symbols that adorn the Grand Opera House's facade. The fraternity's trademark, the Square and Compasses, can be seen

over the building's main entrance. "Its programming will reflect and celebrate the cultural diversity of our community," reads the theater's mission statement, "and will provide educational opportunities helping to ensure culturally literate future gener-

With an onslaught of assorted performers and films lined up for the future, it seems as though it will live up to its proclamation.

ations of audiences."

The Grand Opera House is currently boasting Sesame Street's Bob McGrath, Los Lobos (a Latin band famous for their rendition of "La Bamba") and Art Garfunkel for its 1998-99 season.

With a medley of the new and the nostalgic, the Grand Opera House has overcome a tumultuous past and continues to prove that it can live up to its

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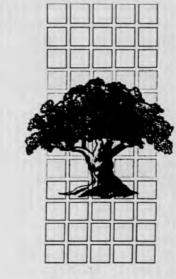
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The band's roots — reggae music entrance the audience. They were followed by the trip-hop band Lake Trout In the day's waning light, members of the next band to perform, Jook, assembled behind the club. Sax player Bran Knutson and trumpet player Kym Clarke warmed up for their band's performance while guitarist Eric Bloodsworth reflect-This is celebration of personal free-

> points and its bad points," he said. "Our bassist had cancer and it got him through a lot of trouble with his chemo, so we all

believe in it in some respect." The acoustic jams of the Recipe moved and rocked the night to a close.

When the party was over, the people who came together for the day walked out into the cool night, some to go on to other gigs, some to go on to other parties and others - perhaps - to move a few

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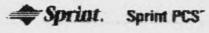
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### After 16 years of work, Ripken should sit

Michael D. Bullard

That's No Bull

Baltimore Oriole third baseman wouldn't? It's crazy to expect him Cal Ripken Jr. is a living legend, no doubt about it.

He has gone to work almost a single one. He shattered the previously unreachable record, set by Lou Gehrig, in 1995 and still hasn't though that's probably not his style. taken a day off. He'll turn 38 in August, and by that time, if the streak continues, he will have played more than 2,600 continuous games.

But is Cal slowing down?

Unfortunately, yes.

However sad it will be to see the streak end, it is time for Cal to sit

out a game. He certainly deserves it. That is

indisputable. And Ripken needs the rest. Who to compete day in and day out with men 15 to 20 years younger than he.

Cal ought to take the initiative 2,500 days in a row without missing and take himself out of the lineup. He could pick the day in advance so the O's could throw a celebration,

> But wouldn't we all like to see him end the streak on his own terms. not those of the manager? Or worse, due to an injury (probably his back)?

Wouldn't there be a lot more dignity for Cal if he just sits one or two out to conserve his strength and increase his dropping productivity?

Think about what kind of position Orioles manager Ray Miller is

He's already under fire for keep-

than any other club's in the majors.

Then imagine the feeling of being the man who ended what will probably be the most unattainable record in professional sports. It's unfair to June? Or what if the pain is not

put him in that position if Ripken isn't performing. And chances are, Miller will be that man before the season is

Last year, Cal moved from shortstop over to third

base. He committed 22 errors, second among American League third basemen.

In September, back pain nearly took him out of commission. to recuperate.

But what if his back goes out

debilitating, but just enough to seriously effect his productivity? What then?

Answers are hard to come by. When faced with similar ones last year, he answered with an

offensive streak that quieted critics for a few weeks. So far this season, Ripken is producing as well as the rest of the team. Cal is hitting .266, fourth on

the team of players with over 40 at-

ing players whose salaries cost more Luckily it was near the end of the . bats. In fact, Ripken is near the top the bases. season, and he had the whole winter of all offensive categories for the Orioles, with 17 hits, 11 runs, two home runs and 10 RBIs. He does, again this season, only in May or however, also have 11 strikeouts, which ties him for second on the

> Although he is doing well on the team, how long can he last this season? It's likely he'll burn out as the

> season progresses. Cal probably should have retired at the end of last year.

Ripken is making \$6.3 million this year. He's the third-highest paid player on baseball's highest-paid team. If he had retired, that's \$6.3 million that could have paid several younger guys quite handsomely, probably a third baseman among them who can still be aggressive on

Most other great athletes have known when to call it quits. Walter Payton, Bonnie Blair, Mario Lemieux and Larry Bird hung up their respective footwear when they stopped playing as well as they would have liked.

And with Bird's success with the Pacers this year, maybe Ripken could make a name for himself as a manager.

After all, he wouldn't be the first Cal Ripken to lead a team.

Mike Bullard is an assistant entertainment editor for the Review who rather enjoys spending time on his backside. Send comments to bullard@udel.edu.

### DiMaggio joins Hens

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and 22 RBIs. He has started all but one of the Hens' games this year.

DiMaggio's baseball road started early. He started playing around age 4 with his mother, then advanced to tee-ball and the Little League ranks, and ultimately to Babe Ruth, high school and college. He recalled Father's League, a youth league between tee-ball and Little League where the fathers do the pitching. "My dad used to pitch, and I hated it because it always seemed he would pitch harder to me," he recalled.

Dad had some athletic ability himself. Frank Sr. was an accomplished quarterback at Temple University who had a brief stint with the New York Jets in the early 1970s after time in the World Football League and

"Ever since I was little, I think my dad always wanted to play football," said DiMaggio, who played football, basketball and baseball in high school. "But my mom really discouraged me from that. Until my sophomore year in high school, I thought basketball was going to be my sport because it was one of my loves. But I started to see a lot of success in baseball, and I realized that baseball was definitely was going to be my game." In his little spare time outside of baseball, DiMaggio still likes to play basketball when he can, as well as reading, watching out, and watching movies.

DiMaggio's father has had a lasting impact on him. While many might expect him to idolize his famous relative, he says that's not the case.

"The person that I truly idolize is my dad," he said. "He went through a lot of adversity through his sports, and he was able to see his way through it and play professionally. People who have played with him really have a lot of respect for him."

It seems success runs in the family perhaps Frank has inherited it.

### Hens blow out Retrievers 17-3

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Mench, is now two away from the career Delaware record for home runs of 46, currently held by Jim Sherman.

In all, the Hens had 19 hits, with every player in the line-up having at least

one hit on the day. The much-used pitching staff plowed through the 11 games in the past

five days, only falling once, giving up only two runs to Villanova. Hannah said that with the active schedule, keeping pitchers from being

over worked has been a task. "The toughest part is to keep arms ready to see you through the rest of the

The Hens travel to Boston this weekend to face the Huskies in two double headers starting at 11 a.m. Saturday and 12 p.m. Sunday.

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Cal Ripken, Jr. hasn't missed a day of work in more than 2,500 days. Don't you think he could use a rest?

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### Baseball pounds UMBC with six homers

### Mench, Pulito each go deep twice

And they came two by two. For the first five innings of Wednesday's game against UMBC, the Delaware baseball team posted a pair of runs in each home half, easily defeating the Retrievers 17-3 at Delaware Diamond.

The Hens (31-7) received a strong offensive effort against the Retrievers (8-29), with six home runs, and 11 extra-base hits overall.

It was quite the opposite of Tuesday's 3-2 loss to Villanova, a defeat in which freshman starter Vic Sage went the full nine innings for the loss.

Hens coach Bob Hannah said the previous game could not be compared to Wednesday's victory.

"It was just a different game," he said. "[Villanova] shut down our offense. Today's pitching wasn't quite as good."

improved to 3-1 on the season, UMBC went through six pitchers in the contest, with starter Jeff Fraley taking the

Leading the Hens on the offensive end was sophomore right fielder Kevin Mench, who had two home runs (giving him 25 to lead the NCAA Division I in home runs per game) and a triple with four RBI.

In the top of the first, Donovan appeared to have some early trouble with the Retrievers' line up, letting the first two batters reach on singles with only one out.

BASEBALL

Delaware

**UMBC** 

Donovan found his control, when he induced first baseman Ryan Schneider to hit into a 5-4-3 double play, getting Delaware out of the

inning unscathed. Senior left fielder Brad Eyman 3 started the Hens' scoring spree in the first inning, with a solo home run off Fraley. Senior first baseman Darren Pulito followed with a shot of his own, drilling a 1-2 offering over the left-field

After a scoreless UMBC second inning, the Hens posted

As Delaware senior right-hander Matt Donovan two more runs after junior designated hitter Ken Giles added his 10th home run of the year.

The Retrievers got on the board in the third, after Donovan gave up a lead-off walk to center fielder Brendan Mahoney. Catcher Ryan Tomashack followed two batters later with a hard double to right field, allowing Mahoney to

But the Hens still had a few more runs to score — 13 to be exact.

The next home run opportunity for Delaware came in the fourth in the form of Mench, who, after his RBI triple in the two-run third, nailed Fraley's first pitch over the center field fence for an 8-1 lead.

UMBC made an attempt at a come back in the fifth inning, tagging Donovan for two more runs. The Retrievers would not score again, however, as the Hens added nine more runs over the final four innings.

In the seventh inning, Mench blasted a first-pitch offering from UMBC reliever Eric Weltmer, this time over the left-field fence. The home run followed a five-run sixth inning, which included Pulito's second homer of the game.

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THE REVIEW/Bob Weill

Delaware shortstop Mike Koplove fires to first during the Hens' 17-3 victory over UMBC Wednesday afternoon at Delaware Diamond.

Joltin' Frank DiMaggio

### Third baseman is a relative of Joe D

BY BRIAN SMITH

Staff Reporter So maybe the nickname doesn't fit quite as well. But Delaware third baseman Frank DiMaggio has baseball royalty in his blood.

little ball. Former New York Yankee career." great Joe DiMaggio, who was induct-1955 and whose 56-game hitting streak in 1941 is still a major league best, is a cousin of Frank's grandfather.

"The first time I met him, I was 12 years old, and I met him at a golf convention," DiMaggio said. "The next time I met him was at an Atlantic City autograph session when I was about 17. Anytime he's in my area, I try to get to see him for a little bit."

DiMaggio, a junior, doesn't get too much baseball advice from his kinfolk - he says it's more support than tips - but he may have inherited enough as it is. The West Chester, Pa., native hit .470 with 20 home runs and 24 doubles in his tenure at Archbishop Carroll High School, which earned him first team All-American honors.

One of the highlights of his career came at the end of his senior year at Archbishop Carroll, when the team played in the Carpenter Cup tournament at Veterans Stadium in Philadelphia.

"About three weeks before we were supposed to be in our first playoff game of my high school career, I went to a summer league game and broke my ankle," he said. "I missed the playoff game — we lost in the first round - and they weren't sure I was going to be able to play in the Carpenter Cup, which is kind of a big deal because you get to play in Veterans Stadium in high

DiMaggio was able to come back, though, and in the semifinal game he played first base "I was going into my last at-bat, and this was going to be the last at-bat of my high school career because the score was 11-3 and it was the top of the 9th inning," he said. "I was sitting on the on-deck circle, and

I'll never forget thinking to myself that this was going to be my last high school at-bat ever, and it would really be something to hit a home run. And the third pitch of the at-bat I hit a home run at Veterans Stadium, and it was by It was cousin Joe who could play a far one of the biggest thrills of my

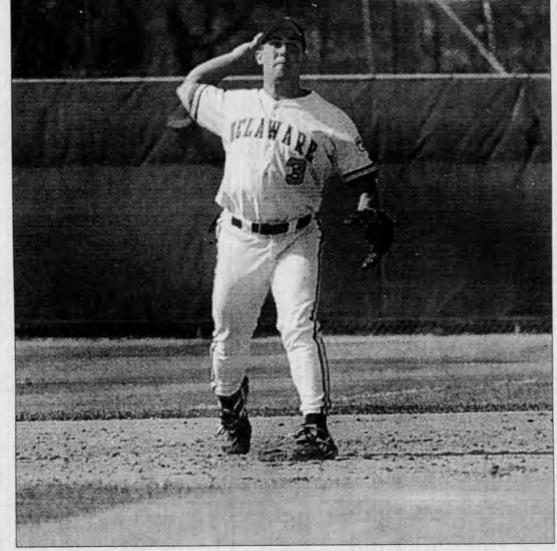
That success took him to ed into the Baseball Hall of Fame in Northwestern University, where he spent his first two college years. But he was dissatisfied with his tenure at Northwestern and transferred to Delaware last summer along with pitcher/shortshop Mike Koplove. The closer-to-home advantage that has been popular with Delaware transfer athletes in recent years was among the reasons he cited for the move.

> "We were second-to-last place both years I was out there," he said. "The weather was also a factor - some of the worst weather anywhere is out there - and I didn't like being far

> DiMaggio said he hoped to come to a place where he could play every day, and that made Delaware a perfect fit for him. The Hens were provided with a rather cavernous gap at third base when 1997 America East Player of the Year Brian August signed with the Yankees. August, who hit .432 with 20 homers and 82 RBIs last year, is now with the Tampa Yankees, which is a high Class A team. That is the same level as the Carolina League, in which the Wilmington Blue Rocks play.

"We were scrambling because Brian didn't sign until July," said Delaware head coach Bob Hannah. "We found out late that Frank was available, and it worked out that he could be here. It's a tough thing to try to fill a gap when you get to the summer without knowing if you have to fill that gap or not. But it worked out well for us and it worked out well for

That left some big shoes for DiMaggio to fill, but he said he tries not to let that affect him. "I just wanted to try to fill my role on the team and play solid every day," he said. "I'm not



The Review/Bob Weill

Delaware third baseman Frank DiMaggio is a distant cousin of former Yankee great Joe DiMaggio. He is currently batting .297 with 22 RBI.

really worried about trying to fill those kind of really helped to make it a really smooth adjustnumbers, because those are pretty unrealistic for my first year here."

"Mike and Frank have both been a plus for us because we needed to fill some gaps," Hannah said. "I think he's played reasonably well as a defensive third baseman, which was a void for us after losing August."

Hannah said there is an adjustment period that transfers go through which can seem like starting all over in some ways, but despite that, DiMaggio has had a solid year.

"It's not unlike the freshman year in that you have to get used to a new program of coaches and the way things are done. They feel the pressure of the change to the new program. I think Frank will probably play better next year than he does this year, but he's played well enough this year. We've been pleased with him."

DiMaggio agreed that there's always going to be a little bit of adjustment, but said it hadn't been too bad at all. "All the guys and coaches ment," he said.

One of the things DiMaggio has enjoyed most this season is being able to go out and win almost every day, which is about the opposite of what happened at Northwestern.

"We played Arizona State, UNLV, Tulane, Clemson — teams that are nice to see, but it's not really nice to lose by 10 or 12 runs," he said. "You've got to come out in a place where you can compete a little better and be the team that wins by 10 or 12 runs." DiMaggio said the highlight of his year thus far was a game against Maine in March, when he had a home run and a solid defensive game.

As the America East tournament approaches, DiMaggio will be a big asset for the Hens. Through Wednesday's 17-3 squeaker over Maryland-Baltimore County, he was batting .297 with two doubles, a triple, three homers,

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### Tennis looks to contend in championship weekend

BY JENNIFER WEITSEN Assistant Sports Editor

The men's tennis team (9-7) will wrap up its season this weekend at the America East championships in Vermont.

The Hens are the defending champions of the tournament and are hoping to repeat their triumph this year.

Everyone on the team is ready, so we're expecting to play our best whether it brings us a conference championship or not," said Delaware No. 1 singles player Ira Bernstein.

And if we perform the way we have all season, a conference title is definitely within reach," he said.

Bernstein (9-7) has climbed up the singles ladder from playing No. 4 singles last season and is the only returning starter on the

Coach Laura Leroy Travis said the team has done a really good job this year even though they were young and inexperienced. Junior second singles player Ken Lovell said despite being a

rebuilding year, he feels there was just as much talent this year as

"The new guys learned how to play at a college level and win this season, and that will carry over to next year," Lovell said.

Jason Schwartz is the only senior on the roster and holds the team-best 12-4 singles record. He said the team really had a chance to gel when they trekked down to Florida to play four matches dur-By everybody staying together in the villa, it was a good oppor-

tunity to get to know all the new faces of the team off the court," he The sun and wind factor will definitely not affect the Hens' per-

formance this weekend because the matches will be held indoors. Although Delaware has only competed in one indoor match this season, the indoor facilities will actually be an advantage for them.

The surface will make the ball skip faster off the serve, and will favor players like Bernstein and Lovell who like to play a serveand-volley game style.

Today is the first round of the tournament, in which Delaware is scheduled to play No. 5 seed Drexel. The Hens are positive about the battle, especially since they conquered the Dragons 6-1 during regular season play.

The only team Delaware has lost to in the conference is Towson, but they are not in the Hens bracket. Boston University poses as Delaware's biggest threat. The Terriers have not gone head-to-head with the Hens since last year's conference championship final, where Delaware upset them 6-1.

Bernstein said the team which not only plays strong tennis but also stays mentally focused will be the one who takes home the tro-

"Tournament play actually makes it easier for me to stay mentally focused," he said, "because I have to get intense for every single point, knowing we could be eliminated."

Schwartz said that even though tennis is thought of as being a very individualized sport, it is in reality a team sport.

"We count on everybody to do well, for the team to do well," he said. "Anything can happen this weekend, and the better we do the more icing we'll have on the cake."

### Defense helps men's lacrosse down Yale

### Lavey nets three in final home game of season

BY JAMIE AMATO

Midway through the first quarter, the Hens could have thrown in the towel and called it a season.

But instead, the No. 20 Delaware men's lacrosse team stepped up its defense and rallied to beat unranked Yale 9-3 at Delaware Mini-Stadium

Wednesday afternoon during the Hens final home game of the season. After falling behind by two goals in less than eight minutes of play, the Hens (7-6) mounted an MEN'S impressive scoring attack led by junior attacker LACROSSE Kevin Lavey, who finished with three goals and an

Lavey now leads the team with 35 goals and is Delaware second in assists with 14.

"I knew we were going to come back," Lavey said. "Our defense played a great game for us."

Junior goalkeeper Ron Jedlicka anchored a Delaware defense that held the Bulldogs scoreless for the final 47 minutes of play. Jedlicka finished

"It took us a little while to get going, but we responded well," Jedlicka

Yale opened the scoring less than six minutes into the game when the Delaware defense failed to clear the ball out of its

After working the ball around the Hens' goal, Yale freshman attacker Mike Morris fired a shot that Jedlicka stopped but couldn't control. Bulldogs' senior attacker Brian Shure picked up the rebound and scored to give Yale a 1-0 lead.

Following another Bulldog goal, the Hens then took over. With 2:48 remaining in the first period, Lavey took a ground ball and ran around the Yale goal. Bulldog junior goalkeeper Joe Pilch reacted late to Lavey, allowing the third-year starter to tuck the ball inside the right goal post and give the Hens their first lead of the game.

"That was just a reaction thing." Lavey said. "That's the name of the game: capitalizing on opportunities."

Although Yale knotted the score at 3 by the end of the first quarter, Delaware's defense shut the door on the Bulldogs for the remainder of the game.

"We had a hard time cranking up," Delaware coach Bob Shillinglaw said. "Our defense played well and Ron made some

The Hens will travel to play No. 13 Penn State tomorrow before playing at No. 19 Drexel next week. "We've got some tough games ahead," Shillinglaw said

"But hopefully we can finish strong."



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The Delaware men's lacrosse team defeated Yale 9-3 Wednesday afternoon