Buchanan campaigns at ND

By MONICA YANT
Editor-in-Chief

Continuing his quest for the Republican presidential nomination, Pat Buchanan told a crowd at Notre Dame Tuesday that he will stay in the race through the final primaries, if only to drive home a message to George Bush that the days of one-party politics must end.

The primaries have been a vehicle for Buchanan and the American public to judge Bush back into Republican territory.

Although he has lost 19 consecutive contests and is netting only one-third of his party's votes, Buchanan said his campaign is a "strong reaction against Bush's policies... into the first tier of major policy challenges." He argued that the "insider politics" practiced by the Bush administration is nothing like what the founding fathers had in mind for America, and even more frustrating for average Americans.

"What you have now is anger and alienation. The middle-class, middle-American, tax-paying people who simply raise their kids and their families... they don't understand what is happening to them."

What is happening, he said, is government expansion at the expense of the electorate. Runaway spending, excessive regulation and a failure to address the consequences of each action are what Buchanan says are examples of Buchanan's "putting "America First.""

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"What we stand for as a party, where we are going as a nation," Buchanan said in his campaign for the presidency.

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Buchanan challenges Bush now; exposure may help in 1996 race

By PAUL PEARSON
Associate News Editor

Republican candidate Patrick Buchanan addressed a crowd of students Tuesday during a visit to Notre Dame, the latest stop in his campaign for the presidency.

Buchanan is hoping to reverse his fortunes against President Bush in Indiana's May 5 primary. He has yet to win any of the 19 primaries and caucuses this year.

He received 37 percent of the vote in a strong second-place finish in the New Hampshire primary, noting what was viewed as a major victory for the Reform party.

Now, however, some experts believe that Buchanan is preparing for the next election in four years. "I give Buchanan this mark," said a political analyst who has propped himself... into the first tier of GOP hopefuls for 1996," said Time magazine reporter Michael Duffy.

Although 53-year-old Buchanan is running as an outsider, he was born and raised in Washington, D.C., graduated from Georgetown University and was top aide to Presidents Richard Nixon and Ronald Reagan.

Buchanan is also known as co-host of Cable News Network's "Crossfire" and as a syndicated columnist with a passion for speaking his mind. Buchanan's campaign revolves around the theme of putting "America First."

"For 50 years," he said, "we have liberalized, defended and aided nations all over the world. But now we must begin to look out for the forgotten Americans right here in the United States."

Buchanan calls for tougher responses to Japanese trade barriers, cuts in federal tax rates on investments and a freeze on federal spending.

"More than anything else," Buchanan said, "I give Buchanan the credit..." for describing Adolf Hitler as "an individual of great courage," for calling AIDS "nature's retribution" for homosexuality and for accusing Israel of starting a war in the Middle East.

But those who have dealt with him in forums such as with Buchanan... see page 6.

Faculty, administration negotiating agreement

By DAVID KINNEY
News Editor

Faculty and administrative representatives agreed to an April 15 settlement that will help resolve faculty concerns about their participation in the academic governance of the University.

University President Edward Malloy, Provost Timothy O'Meara and members of the executive committee of the Faculty Senate met several times after an April 7 Senate meeting, at which O'Meara spoke to the faculty, answered questions and, listened to the opinions of faculty members on the issue.

The Senate was to consider a resolution calling for a motion of no-confidence in the administration, but voting was delayed until April 22 on the condition that discussion would proceed.

Although the Senate will still consider the vote of no-confidence at a meeting tonight, the executive committee will recommend that the resolution be withdrawn and "will speak with confidence about the agreement." 

Paul Conway, chair of the Faculty Senate, said it is unlikely that the Senate will vote on the measure.

He said that the no-confidence resolution was an impetus for the meetings. Malloy, however, said that was not determinant of the final result. "Certain values were at stake that need to be preserved in any structural change," he said. "We got to a point where we could talk about these things."

The issue centered on what kind of faculty participation would be suitable to this University, he said. "I have always believed in a collective, consultative style of administration," he said.

Among the issues that Malloy cited during the previous discussion of faculty governance was the preservation of the Catholic identity of Notre Dame. This agreement, he noted, will see FACULTY/ page 6.

HPC food dilemma settled

By EMILY HAGE
News Writer

University Food Services will cater dinner at Hall Presidents Council (HPC) meetings beginning this fall, and members' names will be taken off dining halls' lists on meeting nights.

HPC's expenditures of hall money for dinners at meetings came under fire earlier this year. Last week, members said that although they wished to maintain an image as a service organization, they also found that informal conversations during these dinners often produced new ideas.

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In other HPC business, the group passed a resolution at its meeting Tuesday asking that residence halls be permitted to hold SYR dances with a 55 percent participation rate, instead of the present 70 percent. HPC members agreed that the percentage required now is too high, considering conflicting athletic events, student trips, and other campus activities.

"If more residents want an SYR than not, they should be allowed to have a dance," said HPC Chairman Richard D'Souza.

Junior Margaret Tortorilla reminded HPC that Global Relief is trying to raise funds for the refugee in the Middle East.

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Upside down spider man

Jeff Nold exhibits his talent for "The Spider Web," an inflatable velcro wall that students jump onto while wearing a velcro suit. "The Spider Web" was set up on South Quad yesterday as part of the first day of events for An Tostail.
Catholicism is everyone's responsibility

Notre Dame has undergone many major changes in the past 25 years. In 1967, the Holy Cross Fathers of the Indiana Province turned over control of the university to a predominantly lay board of trustees and in 1972, the first women were admitted as full-time undergraduates.

Perhaps the most significant change, though, was the changing of the guard in 1987 when Father Theodore Hesburgh yielded the presidency to Father Edward Malloy.

Hesburgh is recognized as one of the most powerful leaders in American higher education. Throughout a 35-year tenure, his charisma and leadership ability, coupled with a clear mission to protect the Catholic identity of Notre Dame, lifted the University to a status above all Catholic institutions in the nation. With a dictatorial flair, he quelled all threats—or perceived threats—to the University.

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The desire for greater input has had some negative by-products, however, in hand with increased participation from students and faculty goes heightened expectations for short-term, no-improvement, do not individual's stay at the University is brief.

Such consequences have become evident in recent years with calls for increased cultural diversity and for more faculty input in the governance of the University.

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"Amidst all these changes, Notre Dame has remained faithful to its fundamental mission to be a Catholic university," Malloy said last year.

"Now we are again faced with the challenge to change and are called to a renewed commitment to do the right thing for the proper reasons."

But are the president and Notre Dame's Holy Cross Fathers the only individuals able to protect this identity?

Today's students, faculty and administrators are also charged with this duty, and all members of the University community must have a stake in it.

He emphasized that the University's history is marked by careful building and maintenance of its Catholic identity. Yet he does not specify what exactly the protection of this nature entails, nor how current changes could threaten it. Change may not have been necessary or even appropriate in past years, but circumstances are no longer the same.

While Notre Dame's Catholicity is certainly an aspect of its uniqueness, Malloy fails to realize that the Catholic nature of the University must adapt with the changing times if that identity is to continue to be relevant.

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Diplomat: democracy brings respect for Chileans' rights

By LYNN O'DONNELL

Human rights cannot be taken for granted, according to Ignacio Walker, general secretary of the presidency in Chile. Walker addressed Chile's recent transition to democracy and its human rights record in a lecture Tuesday at ND, dividing his discussion into three parts: Chile's political and social situation before the military coup of 1973, its aftermath, and the current challenge faced by its leaders.

Prior to 1973 a major power struggle existed between the left and right political powers, according to Walker. “Socialism only contributed to the erosion of people's social and economic rights and the Christian Democratic Society was not powerful enough to reverse these circumstances at this time,” he said.

With the coup of 1973 came the authoritarian leader General Augusto Pinochet. Walker said the military and the Catholic Church were the only major institutions to survive, and said Chile faced a choice between “dictatorship and democracy.”

Walker said he feels human rights call for “moral vindication and political awareness. Also, to emphasize convergence over divergence.”

The first democratic president of Chile, according to Walker, is implementing policy to challenge human rights abuse. Currently, Walker said, all political prisoners have been released, an office was created for political exiles, and twelve protective laws have been approved.

“Events remind us that human rights cannot be taken for granted. The people of Latin America will not be blackmailed,” he said. “Chile needs to assume responsibility and demonstrate democracy working. The best dictatorship can only aspire to the worst democracy. Most importantly, I believe Chile's real enemies are located internally.”

Chile in now a democratic country, said Walker, but Pinochet is still powerful. Therefore, “Chile's situation is still precarious,” he said.

Convict Harris killed in California gas chamber

SAN QUENTIN, Calif. (AP) — Double murderer Robert Alan Harris died in the gas chamber at dawn yesterday in California's first execution in 25 years, after a dramatic last-minute stay was overturned.

The Supreme Court overturned that stay and three others flown through the night by the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. In an extraordinary move, frustrated justices ended the judicial duel by ordering the appeals court not to issue any more stays without permission.

The fourth stay was issued after Harris already was strapped to the death seat. After the Supreme Court ruling, Harris, 39, was hastily returned to the gas chamber looking far more somber than earlier. But he winked and nodded at one guard and mouthed “all right.”

The gas was introduced at about 6:05 a.m., and shortly afterward Harris’ head jerked from left to right before falling slowly to his chest. He appeared to be unconscious about 6:12 a.m., and was pronounced dead at 6:21 a.m.

Warden Daniel Vasquez read his final statement. “You can be a king or a street sweeper, but everybody dances with the Grim Reaper,” he said.

Harris died 14 years after he shot to death two San Diego teenagers so he could use their car for a bank robbery. He admitted taking part in the slayings; his supporters cited his past as an abused child, among other things, as reason he should have been spared.

With Harris' execution, California becomes the 20th state to make use of the death penalty since the U.S. Supreme Court in 1976 allowed states to resume capital punishment. He was the 16th person put to death since the ruling.

Sixteen other states have the death penalty but haven't used it.

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BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Hundreds of demonstrators massed in a steady rain yesterday to begin what they say will be a two-to-four-week siege aimed at shutting the city's abortion clinics. The clinics said they would still open.

"We're going to rescue children with our bodies," Operation Rescue leader Keith Tucci said as about 200 abortion opponents gathered on Main Street in front of one of four clinics he said his group besieged.

Police kept a similar number of pro-choice demonstrators on the opposite side of the street, which was closed for three blocks by the protest. The two sides traded insults, but chanted their slogans peacefully.

At all four clinics, officials said at mid-morning that they were seeing patients. Outside a clinic on High Street, where more than 200 demonstrators pro and con gathered, an abortion foe pushed a pro-choice demonstrator and she kicked him in the groin. Police separated the pair and made no arrests.

The abortion opponent, John Saffire, said he was demonstrating because "I've just had a baby. It's the best thing that ever happened to me. She's beautiful. These (pro-choice) people have earrings in their noses."

At another clinic, about 400 abortion activists carried signs reading, "Abortion has two victims, one dead, one wounded."

About 60 pro-life activists chanted, "Pro-life, your name's a lie, you don't care if women die."

Tucci said Operation Rescue required its participants to sign a pledge of non-violence. But he said some protesters might defy a court order prohibiting them from blocking access to the clinics.

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — About 160 viewers called an Indianapolis television station Monday after it broadcast a campaign ad depicting graphic, close-up shots of dead human fetuses, a station executive said.

About 100 of those calls were against the ads purchased by 9th District congressional candidate Michael Bailey. The remaining 60 supported their continued broadcast, said Ted Linn, executive news producer at WISH-TV.

Bailey is in a two-man race for the Republican nomination in the May 5 primary. His GOP opponent also opposes abortion, under most circumstances. They are vying for the chance to challenge Rep. Lee Hamilton in November.

The ad was broadcast three times Monday, twice in the early evening and shortly after 5 p.m., where it was viewed by the largest audience.

The ads show close-up views of fetuses Bailey claims were taken from a trash bin behind an abortion clinic. Bailey, 35, is an advertising promoter for business and religious ventures.

The ad is scheduled to run 14 times this week on WISH-TV during various news programs Monday through Saturday.

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — About 160 viewers object to graphic ads

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Windows TV will air disclaimers before and after the 30-second ad, warning in a printed and oral statement, "Some viewers may find the material objectionable, particularly to children."

Linn said that calls were flooding the station's switchboard "fast and furious" when the switchboard closed at 5:30 p.m.

Paul Kargowicz, president and general manager of WISH-TV, said federal election laws require the station to air the ads.

Television stations in Louisville, Ky., also are carrying the commercial. The 9th District covers some 20 counties in southeast Indiana, including many along the Ohio River.

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Buchanan

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"Unlike his rival George Bush, he's got principles" columnist Michael Kinsley said. "Bush vs. Buchanan is a tempting illusion of the maxim that in some ways the wrong principles are better than no principles at all."

Buchanan has vowed to stay will receive a sticker for every dollar they contribute between Earth Day, April 22, and April 25. HPC is sponsoring a "Notre Dame for the Homeless Day" from 6 to 10 p.m. Saturday. A band will play on the Field-

increasing the number of elected faculty and students on the Council, thereby altering the proportion of representatives.

Conway said that charged proportion may not be necessary. "Before, we often felt that the administration voted as a bloc," he said. "If we're both working toward the same goal, we won't need more faculty members."

A second major change is an agreement to a "Fundamental commitment to openness on the issue of University finances. Conway said that certain consultative bodies, including the Academic Council, will have access to information about the financial situation of the University on a need-to-know basis.

"Faculty, when they get involved in decision-making, will know not only what is actually happening but secondly, they will know the boundaries — the limitations caused by the budget," said O'Meara.

Another component of the agreement is the expansion of the Provost's Advisory Committee to include five faculty members: one senior faculty member elected by each college, and three elected by the student body.

In the race until the June 2 California primary. By doing this, he may be able to build enough support for another run in 1996.

Time and Newsweek magazines contributed to this article.

Cavanaugh Hall is sponsoring a barbecue and volleyball tournament on North Quad from 12 to 6 p.m. Saturday.

The commission will examine the possibility of a University forum, a body Malloy had proposed that would evolve from the Colloquy for the Year 2000 and would examine all aspects of University life.

The working committee would also consider the possibility of a President's Advisory Committee to enhance communication between administration and faculty, and examine how faculty might participate in strategic planning for the University.

"There is enthusiasm on all sides to move forward on the issue," said O'Meara. "We have a strong faculty who take their commitment to Notre Dame seriously."
Agreement between administration, faculty outlined

Editor's Note: The following is a statement detailing the Faculty Senate's executive role in the governance of the University.

University President Father Edward Malloy, Provost Timothy O'Meara and the members of the executive committee of the University's Faculty Senate have been meeting, individually and collectively, over a period of ten days to resolve issues arising from the Faculty's concern over their role in University governance.

After a Senate meeting on April 7, at which O'Meara spoke frankly, answered questions in an open atmosphere and listened intently to the expressions of disappointment of faculty members, a series of meetings was held which culminated in a lengthy session on April 15.

In an effort to take advantage of the opportunities for progress presented by these discussions and to enhance the standing of the University, the president, provost and the Senate executive committee agreed at this meeting on several important matters:

1. The Academic Council is to restructure itself, including the establishment of standing committees (but not one on budget affairs), an increase in the number of meetings each year and publication of the agenda well in advance of the meeting date. These reforms are to be worked out by the Council's own executive committee and presented to the full Council for appropriate action in its first meeting of the Fall 1992 semester.

2. The Provost's Advisory Committee is to be increased in number to five, with a senior faculty member to be elected by each college and the Law School for full membership and participation in this committee.

3. A fundamental commitment to openness on the issue of University finances and the budget will be established. All consultative bodies are to have access, on a "need to know" basis, to University financial affairs in a manner similar to the way members of Colloquy 2000 have been.

Such bodies would include the Academic Council, College Councils, Graduate Council and departments, centers and institutes. This action is taken in order that the information necessary for responsible leadership and action be available.

Further, the provost will write an annual letter to the faculty which will spell out the state of the University's financial situation, will describe current and anticipated problems and will seek faculty response and participation in resolving such problems.

4. The president, provost and the deans will make an explicit commitment to strengthen the College Councils and Graduate Council. These bodies will be revitalized, if necessary, and given a role in setting priorities, reviewing programs, looking at the allocation of resources, and seeking solutions to general policy questions in their domain.

5. The President has agreed to drop his proposal for a University Forum.

6. The executive committee of the Faculty Senate will recommend to the Board of Trustees the withdrawal of the no-confidence resolution which had been introduced into the Senate as the result of the Faculty's concerns over their role in governance. The executive committee members will speak with confidence about this agreement and the direction the University is taking for further development.

7. The president, the provost and the Senate executive committee will encourage all faculty members to participate fully in Colloquy 2000. The president will be open to maximizing faculty participation in the Colloquy so that the quality of its final report will truly reflect the academic concerns of the faculty.

8. An administrative-faculty working committee will be formed to review through the summer of 1992 the avenues for further faculty participation in the life of the University, as listed below.

This committee will consist of the president, the provost, five individuals appointed by the president and the seven faculty members who have been elected to serve on the University's Board of Trustees Academic and Faculty Affairs Committee. At least an interim report should be prepared and published by September '92.

This committee is directed to consider especially the following concerns:

• the possibility of a University Forum

• the possibility of a President's Advisory Committee, which would not interfere with the established structures of the University

• how faculty might best participate in strategic planning for the University.

9. The Senate will immediately or as soon as practical begin two studies:

• a self-study of its responsibilities, responsiveness and membership, including looking at the possibility of including as an ex-officio member the provost of the University

• a study of the role of the faculty in establishing and maintaining the Catholic identity/mision of the University; this study would look at all aspects of the question, involve the founding religious community and seek to become a permanent standing committee of the Senate, as well as the start of an ongoing dialogue among all members of the Notre Dame community on this vital issue

The president, the provost and the members of the executive committee of the Faculty Senate agree that this outcome ranks in historic significance with the turnover by the Holy Cross Fathers, Indiana Province, of University control to a predominantly lay board of trustees in 1967.

It signals an openness and reflects a degree of trust that works two ways. All parties look forward to the implementation of this agreement and the fruitful dialogue and enhanced reputation of the University which will flow from it.

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Pasquella East freshman Carolyn Smith emerges from an exhausting game of Air Volleyball yesterday on the fieldhouse mall. Air Volleyball is also taking place tomorrow from 12 p.m. until 10 p.m.

‘Silence’ sequel rights are disputed

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Less than a month after “The Silence of the Lambs” swept the Academy Awards, the proposed sequel to the serial-murder thriller has two powerful Hollywood players tearing chunks out of each other in court.

“The Silence of the Lambs” won the best picture Oscar, Jodie Foster won the best actress award for her performance as FBI trainee Clarice Starling; Anthony Hopkins won the best actor award for playing killer Hannibal “The Cannibal” Lecter.

A sequel would be based on the next Thomas Harris novel about the Lecter character. Harris, author of “The Silence of the Lambs,” also wrote “Red Dragon,” which was made by De Laurentiis into the 1986 movie “Manhunter.” He is expected to finish the next Lecter book in 18 months.

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Perot leading Bush, Clinton
in Texas, according to survey

DALLAS (AP) - Billionaire Ross Perot, a prospective independent presidential candidate, is leading both President Bush and Democrat Bill Clinton in the president's adopted home state, a new Texas survey shows.

The Texas Poll showed that if the vote were held now, Perot would get 35 percent of the vote to Bush's 30 percent and Clinton was a distant third, with 20 percent.

"I'm honored the people of Texas feel that way," Perot said yesterday on CBS "This Morning." "It gives me a great sense of responsibility."

The Bush and Clinton camps shrugged off the results, saying Perot is on a honeymoon and not destined to last until election day.

The Texas businessman appeared to be drawing much of his support from volatile, angry voters looking for change, said Democratic pollster Natalie Davis. "With Perot, the support is from the 'Mad as hell and I'm not going to take it anymore' crowd," she said.

Perot reiterated his charge that Republican operatives in Texas are engaged in a campaign of dirty tricks to discredit him and said the poll demonstrates that "the people have heard all that stuff" and reject it.

He did not mention Clinton, but challenged the Republican Party and Bush to present a positive program. "I would disapprove if they would start taking action and stop talking," said Perot, who said it is increasingly apparent to him that his backers will succeed in getting him on the ballot in all, or virtually all, states.

And if that happens, he says, it will fall on Bush, though on his promise to them to run for president.

As to underscore the growing consensus that Perot will make the race, he said he's signed Monday from two private clubs that exclude minorities.

The Texas survey, the first anywhere to show the Dallas businessman in front, raised eyebrows among supporters of Bush and likely Democratic candidate Clinton.

"It is troublesome that a Perot candidacy at this point puts him on an equal part with the president, or a little better now," said Jim Oberweiter, Bush's Texas campaign chairman. "Clearly, the president is going to have to spend more time in Texas." Bush, who spend about 20 years in Texas, now claims a Houston hotel suite as his legal residence.

Torie Clarke, Bush's campaign spokeswoman in Washington, said: "We take everything very seriously. I wouldn't call it discouraging - just a sign of a lot of work that has to be done."

Clinton is best candidate for city dwellers, he says

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Democrat Bill Clinton today offered himself as the best presidential choice for city dwellers as he juggled the hunt for primary votes in Pennsylvania with fundraising and efforts to focus on a likely fall match up with President Bush.

With one week left before Pennsylvania goes to the polls, Clinton visited a north Philadelphia block where residents joined with police to drive away drug dealers last year.

"If you can solve problems on this block, every block in America can solve its problems," Clinton said. He told neighborhood residents that if elected, he would be the best president ever for people who live in the cities.

Philadelphia Mayor Ed Rendell endorsed Clinton as they walked through the neighborhood, saying, "I am for Bill Clinton because he's the best choice to turn American cities around."

In addition to a heavy Pennsylvania ground game over the past week, the Arkansas governor has funneled $2.5 million to his campaign in April. More fund-raisers are scheduled next week in Alabama and Washington, D.C., as Clinton tries to raise roughly $8 million by the end of the primary season in June.

Even with a huge delegate lead over rivals - relax, Jerry Brown, Clinton aides want to spend as much money as possible in advertising as possible in late primary states including Ohio, New Jersey and California.

Serbs increasing their attacks

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) - Mortars slammed into a Sarajevo TV transmitting facility and snipers fired on a police station Tuesday as Serbs stepped up their bid for control of Bosnia's capital.

Victims were reportedly lying in the streets, but rescuers were unable to reach them because of gunfire.

Serb militants have gradually taken over this city of 600,000 people, site of the 1984 Winter Olympics, shelling its Muslim-dominated towns near the Serbian border since Sunday after seizing about six districts.

There is speculation Serbia will eventually seek to annex the occupied area.

Ethan Serbs make up about 28 percent of Sarajevo's population and want the city to be the capital of a self-proclaimed Serbian republic within Bosnia.

In Belgrade late Monday, Ralph Johnson, a U.S. deputy assistant secretary of state, met with Serbia's President Slobodan Milosevic.

Washington accused Belgrade of fomenting the violence in Bosnia.

Fighting has escalated in the ethnically mixed republic of 4.4 million people since its independence was recognized by the United States and the European Community two weeks ago.
Earth Day means more than recycling-change in attitude just as important

Earth Day is upon us again. What does this mean to the University of Notre Dame? Probably, it is one day to remind us to be extra careful in the way we treat our "Mother Earth." But it is only for one day?

We are currently surrounded by products claiming to be recyclable. Many people go in good faith believing that by recycling they are helping the environment. It is true that self-helping helps to preserve our planet. For instance, if we recycle only half of the world's paper, we would free 20 million acres of forestland. If Americans recycled all of their newspapers, 36,000,000 acres each week, or 26,000,000 years would be preserved. However, recycling is not the solution; it merely eases the problem, temporarily. Recycling addresses the consequences of our actions rather than the cause of the problem. The issue that threatens us all is our production of waste.

In America, everything is right at our fingertips. Convenience is what makes America "great." We have fast food-drive-ins, microwave ovens, disposable contacts and razors, throw-away food containers, and TV dinners. This sensibility of convenience is that Americans produce three times as much waste as our European counterparts. For example, the paper cups that are used in the Huddle are coated with a thin layer of wax. Because of this, these paper cups cannot be recycled and therefore are landfill-bound. Each disposable plastic cup also means one less tree cut down. This might give one a burden of carrying it around, but eventually, it will provide the solution.

In other cases of waste, food is thrown for granted in the dinging halls. People take excessive amounts of food and even neglect to use all of the food which is placed on their plate. Approximately 9,000 unused napkins are wasted everyday at North Dining Hall because people insist on grabbing more than they can use.

According to EarthWorks, "every day Americans buy about 62 million newspapers... and throw away around 44 million of them. That's the equivalent of dumping 500,000 trees into landfills each week." Paper is known to take up 40 percent of the U.S. solid waste. These landfills are quickly filling up. The United States has about 5500 landfills now and a third of these are expected to close by the mid-1990s. Few are expected to be developed because nobody wants them in his or her back yard.

Currently at Notre Dame a campaign is starting in the dining halls for each clean observer to be reused several times instead of being thrown into the recycling bin after one reading. With enough encouragement, the Monday issue of The Observer may be reused several times which would reduce the need for more paper being produced.

By integrating respectful habits into our daily lifestyle, we are not only taking steps to save our planet, but we are saving money. Remember that it is Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle—in that order.

Anton Salud and Ihamas Sinars are members of Students for Environmental Action and fellow earth citizens.

Earth Day events at Potawatomie Park

**SOUTH BEND** - Indiana University at South Bend is sponsoring Earth Day activities on April 22. The School's student government and environmental group will provide activities for children including environmental games, a nature walk, earth crafts, garbage pick-up, and information on environmental groups.

Ozone season arrives in Indiana

**EVANSVILLE** - Evansville, Indianapolis, South Bend and Owensboro, Ky., are among 98 areas in the United States cited for "invaluable." For example, at Indianapolis, ozone standards are considered too high, an area will be bumped up from "marginal" to the next category, moderate. And if it is classified as moderate, results will show vehicles inspected for emissions and will pay more for things such as gasoline and dry cleaning.

Stars march to save Walden Woods

**CONCORD, Mass.** - Musician Don Henley led about 1,000 volunteers on a march walk through Walden Woods last Sunday to raise money to buy land in the area immortalized in the writings of Henry David Thoreau. Also walking were former Massachusetts Sen. Paul Tsongas and actors Ed Begley Jr., Harry Hamlin and Kirstie Alley. They called for a halt to proposed development in the pristine woodland that provided the setting and subject for much of Thoreau's 18th-century writings.

ND Environmental Task Force makes progress in its first year

BY STEPHEN ZAVETSKOSKI

**NOTRE DAME** - Notre Dame's Environmental Task Force (ETF) is one committee that has had an impact on the university, according to Thomas Mason, vice president for student affairs and chair of the task force.

"I think that what we have been doing for the most part deals we have been going as far as student-administration cooperation is concerned," he points to the projects accomplished by the ETF in its first year of existence.

"We had people come to us saying the water tasted funny, so we looked into that and ended up having the pipes changed in a number of buildings," Mason said. The water problem was solved by a contract done by the ETF which showed the water going into the building was drinkable, but the water coming from the taps was contaminated by sediment carried by the old pipes.

In more recent projects, Mason said he feels good about the cooperation the ETF has had with others. For instance, "in the current energy saving competition sponsored by Student Pollution for Environmental Action, the ETF agreed to help with monitoring each dorm as well as put up the prize for the winning dorm. It's a win-win situation because we really have common goals with the students," said Mason.

According to Anton Salud, co-chairman of SEA, the ETF has been open to suggestions and listens to concerns. Salud also attended an ETF meeting once a semester to update the task force on SEA's activities as well as whenever there may need help.

According to Mason, the recycling of waste products has been a student initiated. The idea for a reusable mug in the Huddle, for instance, came from an idea a student got from another university.

"That we've reduced our disposable trash by 40 percent in one year is among the more Ma­son. He also pointed out the task force's work on the switch to natural gas for six university vehicles, as well as the smoking policy, and the current work that is going on to preserve natural areas around campus.

The success of the ETF, however, does not translate into administrative power. According to Mason, the ETF looks into things but cannot support, and then submits the report to University president, Edward Malloy.

"We haven't yet made a re­commendation to the president that he act on," said Mason. "It's not a question of author­ity, we are dealing in an area where we have to get things done.

Environmentalism provides more jobs

BY STEPHEN ZAVETSKOSKI

**NOTRE DAME** - Today environmental law boasts a slightly longer record. According to Conrad Kellenberg, Notre Dame professor of environmental law, the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), passed in 1969, made clear how the environment's place in Amer­ica's courts.

Yet, with the vagueness of many environmental laws on one hand and the persistence of environmental action groups on the other, the court system has become a key player in the protection of the environ­ment.

According to Kellenberg, the statutes that have passed to protect the environment, begin­ning with NEPA in 1969, have been very broad and very vague—a compromise that had to be made in order for the statutes to be passed. Consequent­ly, corporations have been able to disregard or "cheat" the NEPA by allowing large oil businesses to continue practices hazardous to the environment.

Kellenberg did, however, add that there have been successful court cases for the environmen­tal movement. "Sierra Club and other such groups have been suc­cessful in forcing the EPA to change very specific environmental statutes." But the problem, he said, lies in the attempt to pro­tect the environment.

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EARTH BRIEFS

A concert on Saturday at St. Stephen's Catholic Church will culminate a week of activities in recognition of Earth Day on April 22.

From lectures and a nature walk, to a mass and a special demonstration by Students for Environmental Action (SEA), a full slate of events are planned at the university's recognition of the earth.

The ND/SMC Earth Day celebration, which will be held Saturday in conjunction with the observance, will take place from 11 to 7 p.m. Information booths will be set up with representatives from campus and local groups.

Students will include World Peace Action Group, Women United for Peace and Justice, SEA/ND/SMC Biology Club, SMC Social Action Group, Amnesty International, Pax Christi, and others.

From 1 to 3:30 p.m., the ND/SMC Outreach Program will be present to talk about activities about the environment.

Finally, a special mass will be offered at 11:15 a.m. by Father Michael Himes at 5 p.m. at the Grotto.

Thursday, SEA will display a wall of newspapers collected from around the world in recognition of the paper wasted by providing a copy of the Observer for every student. Each three-foot-square section of the wall will represent one tree.

For details about those events, contact Anton Salud at 277-1112.
Change frightens administration

The debate brewing over the past several years on the issue of faculty participation in governance reached a climax this spring when the Faculty Senate considered members of the executive committee of the Faculty Senate faculty gained access to a greater role in University governing the running of the University.

The agreement appears to be a genuine compromise. The mounting faculty pressure, University President Father Malloy's desire to protect Notre Dame's governance, while Malloy's own concern and not the norm.

The Faculty Senate is right. I expected the introduction in the Bulletin of Information to be true when I applied to be a freshman. Foolish me. The family here is nothing like mine at home. ND abuses the children when it does not recognize the fact that they are adults with a good deal of intelligence.

The Faculty Senate is right. I have no confidence in Monk or the current state of this college. I exhibit the HPC and the Student Senate to join with the Faculty Senate and protest the leadership of this community. Our uncurbing heads of administration have gone too far. A sign in the Registrar's office says, "We exist for the students." What do Monk and the administration exist for?

Michael J. Kluck
Flanner Hall
April 13, 1992

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Knowledge and reason can't replace revelation

Dear Editor,

To respond to the essay by David Lutz which was published in the March 25th issue of The Observer. I agree with the insight of the essay but was saddened by the tone in which it was used. But as Charles Keitering said, a problem well stated is a problem half solved.

When my son came to Notre Dame I was delighted to find it to be a place of faith. Where else can you see undergraduate college students who are not embarrassed to be seen praying and going to Mass as a regular part of their daily lives? But what Mr. Lutz is saying is that all this is being undermined in an effort to conform to the rest of the world. It should be the other way around.

Mr. Lutz is correct when he says that the Protestant churches are irretrievably lost as far as the Catholic Church is concerned. The richness and truth embodied in the Protestant tradition may be gone forever from our country, to our loss.

The Catholic Church was one of God's great gifts to civilization, protecting and guiding Catholicism. Our country was begun largely on the foundation of the Protestant churches. I was a lapsed Catholic and was brought back to the Church because of what others had done.

The Protestant churches are conforming themselves to the world. As Mr. Lutz points out, they have become democratic institutions, tolerant of beliefs and practices, with the tenets of the faith only a majority vote away from changing. They will continue to sway with "every wind of doctrine" and be lost unless the Holy Spirit acts to rescue them.

The idea that all values are equal is pervasive. As a result, too many Americans do not know how to decide what is right and wrong, or even how to distinguish fact from opinion. You are considered right if most people agree with you. There are no absolutes to be applied, no reference points. I had one friend tell me that if 50% of Americans plus one believed that sexual abuse or ritual sacrifice of children were right, then it would be the thing to do. The Catholic Church and Notre Dame are not innocent witnesses to this state of affairs. We have contributed to it. I recently had a discussion with a group of Notre Dame undergraduates and recent graduates about the nature of God. All of them felt that it is possible (if not probable), that God is female.

When I challenged this idea on the basis of the scriptures and the fact that Jesus is male, I found myself on the defensive. They said that the only reason God was considered male was because that our religion was begun in a patriarchal society, which therefore defined God as male.

What was wrong was not so much their conclusion, as the premise that God is something we can invent. Rather than letting God reveal his nature to us, we may define God as we feel necessary to fulfill our current needs. If it is felt that there is a need for a greater role for women in the Church, we must allow believers to define God as female.

I am sure that what people arrive at Notre Dame believing is that God is evil or female. They see this," God is indeed a sad state of affairs, when certain elements of the Notre Dame community are not honored to have themselves for their Protestant work ethic.

It is clear, however, from a perus of the book titles mentioned in Mr. O'Donnell's letter (The Japanese Conspiracy: Agents of Influence and The New Master's) that he has a warped, narrow-minded way of thinking about the Japanese. His kind of scholarly reading is that.

I also attended the March 21 lecture given by Professor Cummings, and I think Mr. O'Donnell should stop his fulminations against the Japanese as a scapegoat for America's economic woes and instead, pay heed to Cummings' remark that an American version of Japanese capitalism is needed, particularly an investment in human capital.

So while I am on the subject of education, I think Mr. O'Donnell can either remain in his blighted ignorance, or he can avail of the opportunity as a student at Notre Dame to take some Japan or Asia-related courses from the government, history, literature, or philosophy departments. My point is, Mr. O'Donnell, you will never truly understand Japan unless you learn about its history, culture and really get to know its people and culture.

Jenny Wang
Lyons Hall
April 13, 1992

Letter only fanned flames of bigotry

Dear Editor:

I was appalled by the fudged statements of Mr. Jeffrey O'Donnell, and it is sad to see the likes of him on this campus, for his hatred-filled rhetoric will only fan the flames of racial bigotry towards Japanese and Japanese-Americans.

Just because the Japanese were there doesn't mean that they are out to "conquer the American market," as Mr. O'Donnell claims. As an Asian, I can tell him honestly that we grow up under the influence of Confucian culture, which places a high premium on education and hard work, just as Americans have long prided themselves for their Protestant work ethic.

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Two questions remain. Does the Holy Cross religious community realize the extent that sex is abused and do they have the courage to speak in such a subject? If so, how many students would be compelled to re-examine the Catholic/Christian teaching and embrace Our Lady on the Dome rather than our society's hero, Sam Malone?

Is ND better represented by Moynihan?

Dear Editor:

I was disappointed to see that Notre Dame's graduate faculty members and students are not pleased that President George Bush will address the 1992 graduating class at the Commencement exercises in May (The Observer, March 31).

It is indeed a sad state of affairs when certain elements of the Notre Dame community are not honored to have the President of the United States address its graduating class and pay tribute to the University as it commemorates its sesquicentennial.

I was particularly struck by the comments of Sister Kathleen, rector of Lyons Hall. Sister Kathleen says that the President's policies are not consistent with the standards of Notre Dame. Is Sister Kathleen as upset with the policies of another commencement speaker Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan of New York?

Does someone else who sits in Moynihan's shoes, who has long supported the abortion rights movement, have better policies for Notre Dame?

Don Dunphy
April 7, 1992

We've received several anonymous letters regarding the Bookstore Basketball controversy. If you have the courage to sign your name to one, send your views to:

Viewpoint
P.O. Box Q
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President of the United States
Calling for an immediate coup d'etat

Dear National Defense Department,

I write to you today because I believe that there is a small community being ruled by a dictator in South Bend, Indiana. This dictator is rapidly gaining power and is stifling the intellectual and moral growth of the community. His steady increase in power threatens the stability of our democracy. I firmly believe that some action must be taken to assure the individual freedom of this community.

The people who live here are free to leave, they have such pride in their community and heritage that it tears them apart to think of leaving. These people, whom I will refer to as 'toumbers,' have repeatedly tried to make changes in the current government, all to no avail. Their biggest and last failure was their attempt to give some of the lower-power cups a voice over matters concerning them and the average citizens with whom they work most closely. Everyone approved of it; except for the Grand Dictator. He merely vetoed it, thus maintaining his absolute priority and refused to discuss the issue further for weeks. He finally consulted his advisors on this matter and decided to shut it out. I firmly believe that some action must be taken to assure the individual freedom of this community.

Renee Blasi is Production Manager of The Observer. Her columns appear every third Wednesday in Accent.
By KEVIN SULLIVAN

The Morris Inn. Notre Dame's hotel on campus, has such a long and impressive list of famous guests and such a collection of Notre Dame anecdotes that it's hard to believe it's only 40 years old. Yet, the Inn is celebrating that anniversary this very week.

On April 21, 1952 the Morris Inn opened its doors to provide service and hospitality for the guests and friends of the University. The Inn's first guests were Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Schwinn of Boston, Massachusetts, who, incidentally, were on their honeymoon.

The Inn was founded as a gift to the University back in 1952 from the late F. M. Morris. At that time, the building had an "ultra-modern" look of brick facing, and single rooms cost $6 per night.

Since 1952, the Morris Inn has served some of the biggest names in the world and under the Dome. Several U.S. Presidents have slept under its roof, including Jimmy Carter, Richard Nixon, and this year's Graduation speaker, George Bush.

The Inn has also hosted show business legends such as Bob Hope, Debbie Reynolds, Wayne Newton and Liberace.

In addition to the many famous names, the Morris Inn has also served countless conferences for institutions like The Center for Continuing Education. In 1987, the hotel was proud to play host to that year's Special Olympics.

That year, the Morris Inn played host to famous fans like Bill Cosby, Jon Johnson, William Hurt, and Arnold Schwarzenegger.

Many famous guests popping in and out, the Morris Inn has some interesting stories to tell. The subject of one tale is N.D. alum and benefactor, Roy Siegfried.

In the late 1970's, Mr. Siegfried came to South Bend for an Irish-U.S.C. football game. Because of the unpredictable weather of South Bend, he was "fogged-in," and the Morris Inn regretfully told him that there was no room in the Inn.

However, the hotel and Mr. Siegfried were able to work out a compromise, and Siegfried spent the night sleeping on one of the Morris Inn's banquet tables.

The Morris Inn has long been a hospitable member of the Notre Dame family and a representative of the University's tradition. The Inn falls under the Business Affairs department of N.D., so the University constantly works with the Inn in renovations and modernizations. Manager David Harr reported that today the Morris Inn is currently "a 92-room, full-service hotel."

To that effect, the Morris Inn recently completed full renovations of its dining room and cocktail lounge.

The fine cuisine of the Inn has also moved into the 90's. Chef Don Miller took over in 1987 and changed the menus to keep pace with today's more health-conscious diners. The dining room now features entrees that are lighter and fresher. For instance, Chef Miller has fish flown in six days a week.

The new menus and the renovations make the dining room a highlight of the Morris Inn today. It is also open to the general public as well as hotel guests. Harr said that the dining room "will really give you a feel for the Inn."

Despite these newer aspects of the Morris Inn, however, Harr pointed out that like the University it serves, the hotel has a long-standing family atmosphere. The employees of the Inn tend to stay on for unusually long terms. Some departments average upwards of 26 years per employee, and former Chef Ted Tarzowski retired after 35 years at the Inn. Harr claimed that this type of thing is, "Unheard of in the hotel business."

There have also been only eight head managers in the Morris' forty years - a very low number over that amount of time.

The Morris Inn has a lengthy history. Because this week is the Inn's 40th anniversary, now would be a good time to stay at the Inn and simply visit.

Harr and his staff have put together a display of the Inn's history in the lobby and have other events planned to celebrate the 40th anniversary. So take a minute to wander in and take in a living piece of Notre Dame history.

Many famous people have passed through the lobby of the Morris Inn since its opening in 1952.

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Todd Herman

third place over the 1500 meters, with a time of 3 minutes 56.9 seconds, shattering teammate J.T. Burke's time of 3 minutes 56.9 seconds in the same event.

J.R. Melors ran the 5000 meter course in 15 minutes 03.6 seconds to finish sixth.

Coach Plane was quick to credit runners who overcame the conditions. "I was very happy with J.R. Melors' performance, and the quality of the mile relay team, which qualified for ICAAAAs," he said.

Melors, a freshman, was equally pleased with his run, "I ran a personal best," he said, "and any time you do that you have to be happy.

Phil Caspar ran on the distance medley team and the mile relay squad in addition to his individual events.

Coach Plane made particular note of Phil Caspar's efforts, calling him "one of our overall great weekend." He also made sure that the athletes pleased with my re­

"but, he noted, the weather affected my individual events, so I think I failed to qualify for ICAAAAs. Now, I only have to more meets to perform well enough to qualify."
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THE ACADEMIC CODE OF HONOR:
A REPORT TO THE NOTRE DAME COMMUNITY

While it is recognized that the faculty has the responsibility to establish academic requirements, it is the responsibility of the community of students and faculty to strive to assume honorable behavior in academic work (The Academic Code of Honor Handbook).

One of the goals of the University's Academic Code of Honor Committee is to increase understanding and awareness of the Code. Last semester, the Committee held an open forum to foster dialogue about the Code. Soon you will be seeing the Honor Code pledge printed on University examination booklets and ads in the campus newspaper encouraging awareness about the Code. In addition, the Committee is working with the Admissions Office to include a description of the Code on University applications.

This ad continues the practice begun last year to publish statistics of Honesty Committee hearings. Over the past three years ('89-'92), a number of hearings have been heard in the four colleges. In order to preserve confidentiality, only a summary of the results is presented below:

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Mierer selected as Samaritan All-American
Special to The Observer

Notre Dame quarterback Rick Mierer will be one of 11 Samaritan All-American college football scholar-athletes honored in the Phoenix area, May 9-11, at the 18th annual Fiesta Bowl Spring Banquet, which is made possible through a grant from The Samaritan Foundation.

Mierer and the other 10 Samaritan All-Americans were selected by a panel of Phoenix-area and national sports media for exhibiting high standards of excellence in academics, citizenship and athletics.


The Fiesta Bowl Spring Banquet, which annually attracts 1,500 spectators to the Phoenix Civic Plaza, will feature Arizona State's new head football coach, Bruce Snyder, as keynote speaker.

The Samaritan All-American recipients will be interviewed at the Monday, May 11 Spring Banquet by NFTY national president Gary Bender, who is also a Fiesta Bowl Committee member.

While in the Phoenix area, each student-athlete will tape a public service announcement for the Boys and Girls Clubs of America, which will be distributed nationally as part of the Fiesta Bowl Youth Development Program.

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five innings on the mound giving up seven hits and five runs which includes the four in the ninth inning.

Notre Dame’s six-game win streak started on Thursday afternoon with a 4-0 rain-shortened victory over Purdue. Once again masterful pitching was the key for the Irish. Notre Dame starter Tom Price (2-1) used his curveball to hold the Boilermakers to only one hit through the five innings of play.

The Irish leaped to an early lead with lead-off hitter Greg Layson singling and Cory Mee, the second batter of the game, sending his third home run of the year sailing over the left-field wall. Notre Dame notched two more runs off of Purdue starter Jeff Loom in the second inning, thanks to a parade of Purdue errors.

The weekend brought conference play to South Bend as the Bulldogs cruised into town, but left with their tails between their legs after the Irish swept Butler in four straight games.

In 36 innings of baseball, the hot Irish pitching staff allowed only five runs. Al Walania won the series opener 10-0 to notch his fourth straight complete game. The junior pitched a five-hitter while being backed up by 13 Irish hits. Paul Failla had a field day at the plate with a double and a triple while Ed Hartwell and Dan Bautch contributed two RBIs apiece.

Game 2 was much closer with the Irish down 3-1 headed into the seventh inning, but Notre Dame pulled out the 4-3 win. In the seventh frame, Counsell and Joe Binkiewicz drove in the runs with doubles to even the score. The rally set up Greg Layson’s game winning hit off a double in the eighth inning which scored Dan Bautch. Reliever David Sinnes was the winning pitcher in the game.

In the third game, Chris Michalak regained his form after a rough game against Illinois last week to pitch a one-hitter for the Irish. The junior hasn’t given up an earned run in his last 29.7 innings on the mound. Sunday’s game was his third shutout of the year.

Butler also rebounded to hold Notre Dame scoreless on Ryan Fox’s effort on the mound. Michalak and Fox shut down the respective hitter’s scoreless through seven innings. Then, the Irish scored on back-to-back doubles from Craig Counsell and Eric Danapilis for a 1-0 victory.

In the final game of the series, Craig Allen earned his first collegiate win with five innings of solid pitching. Notre Dame won the game 6-2 thanks to a balanced offense. The win brought Notre Dame’s conference record to a perfect 6-0.

On Monday, the Irish cruised Indiana State 18-7 scoring runs in every inning but the fourth and fifth. Price turned in another solid effort, going eight innings while allowing 13 hits and six runs and striking out eight against the nationally-ranked Sycamores.

Counsell and Failla produced for Notre Dame knocking in six and five RBIs respectively. Failla contributed early in the game with four of his RBIs coming in the first three innings. Counsell hit the only Irish home run of the game, a grand slam, bringing off of Jason Thomas which put the Irish out of the Sycamore’s reach.

Notre Dame bashed Indiana State’s pitching crew of Randy Keafaber, Thomas, and Rick Forshee for a season high 19 hits including seven extra base hits.

Six of the seven were doubles hit by Counsell, Binkiewicz, Mee, Failla, and Haass.

Without a day to rest, the Irish took on Northwestern to day in Evanston. The Wildcats are tied for last in the Big Ten and should not be too much trouble for the Irish with their recent pitching brilliance. Walania will probably be on the mound for Notre Dame.
of discouraging news from the Denver game, as Chris Nelson was left for the Ohio State contest. The senior captain was ejected from the Denver game for unsportsmanlike conduct, which carries a one-game suspension. Even with Nelson’s absence, the Irish are high on their chances against the two Big Ten schools.

“We feel pretty confident going into these two final games,” said Sutton. “We basically had three steps to take to get the NCAA bid. Beating Air Force was the first step, and Michigan St. and Ohio St. are the next two.”

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The Observer/Jake Peters

Notre Dame’s Tom O’Brien chases down an opponent in an early-season matchup. O’Brien and his teammates will face Michigan State and Ohio State this week to close the regular season.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Sports Briefs are accepted in writing during business hours Sunday through Friday at the Observer office on the third floor of LaFortune. Please submit your name, brief, telephone number, and the dates the brief is to run.

Antioch Hotshot 3-point contest on Wednesday at 3 p.m. at Bookstore Courts. Just bring $5 to courts to participate.

Irish Guard informational meeting for anyone interested in trying out next year will be on Tuesday at 5 p.m. in LaFortune’s TV lounge. Questions? Call 283-2449.

Earth Blade 1992 consists of 3K and 10K in-line skating (rollabrade) races on Riverside Drive near Pinhook Park. The $18 registration fee goes to the Indiana Conservation Society.

ND ROTC will sponsor the 2nd annual Tri-Military run for charity on Friday at 5 p.m. All are welcome to participate. Registration will be held on the day of the race beginning at 4 p.m. behind the Security Building. The cost is $5 per runner with proceeds going to the Special Olympics.

Our Notre Dame physician Steve Simons was among the estimated 10,000 participants in the 96th annual Boston Marathon. Simons finished the 26.2-mile race in 2:59. Simons said Terry “Opey” McGuire also ran the race.

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Irish end weekend early
54-hole Purdue tourney shortened

By MIKE HOBBES
Sports Writer

The Irish women's golf team competed in a rain-shortened Purdue Invitational over Easter break.

Scheduled to play 54 holes over two days, the tournament was shortened due to torrential downpours that instead resulted in a 36-hole tournament.

The Irish were led by Kathy Phares who played solidly throughout the tournament. "Kathy is a real consistent player. She is always shooting approximately 80 every time out on the course," said Irish coach Tom Hanlon.

Unfortunately for Notre Dame, the weather caused some major obstacles that were not to be overcome. "We were having to wait to play while the greens-keepers squeegeed the greens," said Hanlon. "The rain really affected the putting of some of our players and therefore their total score."

The Irish are searching for a more consistent score at the fourth position to help boost their chance at moving up in the final standings for their future tournaments.

"We are normally able to have three golfers shoot in the low 80s, but we really need that fourth score to increase our chance at knocking off some of the bigger teams in the tournaments," said Hanlon.

"Once we start consistently doing that we will be able to compete more past many of the teams that used to beat us." For the weekend, the Irish finished eleventh of seventeen in a tournament that was won by Iowa State.

Notre Dame plays in the 1992 Lady Buckeye Spring Invitational, hosted by Ohio State University, this weekend.

Blue and Gold to clash on Saturday

Observer Staff Report

The 62nd annual Blue-Gold game will kick off at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25 in Notre Dame Stadium.

Tickets are free to Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students with identification.

The Blue-Gold Game is the final intrasquad scrimmage of the 29-day Irish spring football practice session.

Scrimmage rosters will be announced Thursday afternoon.

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Irish softball disappointed after losses and rainout

Observer Staff Report

The Notre Dame softball team (23-19) was disappointed that Monday's game at Butler got rained out.

Not only did it waste a trip to Indy, but it also wiped out an opportunity to play one of their best conference opponents.

Furthermore, the Irish were anxious to get back on the winning track and forget last Thursday's two losses against visiting DePaul.

In both games, DePaul (17-14) jumped ahead in the first frame and proceeded to shut out the Irish offense for the entire game.

In the first game, DePaul's Amy Benson led off with a single off Notre Dame sophomore Carrie Miller and stole second base. Senior catcher Kelly Kavanaugh then knocked her home.

That was all the Demons would need, as sophomore Christy Roodie (2-1) and Kim Blackmore shut down the Irish on three hits and two walks, as only one runner reached second.

In the second game, DePaul's Amy Benson led off with a single before hitting a two-out double. Junior pitcher Missy Nowak and Kavanaugh, each with a single, that to Bruno, and seventh, when center fielder Meg Rievers preserved the victory by snaring a wallop from pinch-hitter Casey McMurray.

On the season, opponents have outscored the Irish 24-15 in the first inning, by far the biggest total of any inning.

DePaul, the most frequent opponent in Notre Dame's four-year history, hold a 13-4 edge in the series. The two meet again for two in Chicago on April 30th.

Sweet, Bennett picked in USBL; Rivers leads Catbirds to seventh

Observer Staff Report

The United States Basketball League's Philadelphia Spirit picked up Notre Dame's Texas Express Tuesday, choosing Irish guards Daimon Sweet and Elmer Bennett with its second and third round picks, respectively.

Sweet was the seventeenth overall pick of the annual USBL draft, held in Jacksonville, Fla., with Notre Dame star David Rivers scoring the 25th pick of the round, the 25th overall selection.

The Spirit, defending USBL champions, were excited about their picks Tuesday.

"We're very pleased with our draft choices," said Spirit vice president and general manager Miller.

"Daimon's fine effort was squandered. She allowed just one more hit, that in the third, and a walk in the fifth, as her record dropped to 8-5.

The second game was a mirror of the first, as shortstop Jenny Bruno's RBI single scored Missy Nowak and Kavanaugh, both of whom drew walks off Staci Alford. The Irish junior hurler would allow only one single, that to Bruno, and no walks the rest of the game, but still took the hard-luck loss to also dip to 7-6.

Meanwhile, DePaul's Susanne Wiegner suffered three hits, escaping trouble in the third and seventh, when center fielder Meg Rievers preserved the victory by snaring a wallop from pinch-hitter Casey McMurray.

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Women's track team travels south
Two-mile relay team finishes third at Kansas Relays

By JOSEF EVANS
Sports Writer

It was a mixed bag of results for the Notre Dame women's track team over break, as they fielded athletes in three events at the Kansas Relays in Lawrence.

Tops among the performances of the weekend was that of the two-mile relay team, which finished third. The team's run produced a surprisingly strong time of 9:20.9. Still, the women competing were left with a twinge of disappointment when the weather took a turn for the worse.

"It was cold at North Carolina (for the Raleigh Relays), it was raining this past weekend. We hadn't gotten the weather we would like at all this season," added Alfieri. "The weather has been a recurring problem for the women, who have been faced with less-than-ideal conditions on many occasions in the outdoor season."

The distance relay runners, on the other hand, were not quite as happy with their finish, a disappointing seventh out of nine. They ran to a time of 12:26.45, 44 seconds behind the winning team from Barton Community College.

"It's not what we were used to," said team captain and distance relay runner Diana Bradley. "We'd never run it before. Most of (the relay team) were running shorter distances than usual."

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Today
DiLucia climbs to Volvo rankings’ summit

By JONATHAN JENSEN
Sports Writer

It has been a long haul, but after being ranked in every Volvo Tennis/Collegee Rankings during his four years at Notre Dame, Irish senior Dan DiLucia has finally reached the pinnacle.

Today, DiLucia is the number-one ranked collegiate tennis player in the nation.

After spending most of the year at third in the computer rankings, this week DiLucia ranked ahead of San Diego’s Jose Luis Noriega and Stanford’s Alex O’Brien, the former first and second-ranked players.

DiLucia’s recent victories over 16th-ranked David Kass of Michigan and 19th-ranked Dan Kronauge of Ball State helped vault him to the top.

“It’s a good feeling,” said DiLucia, the first player in Notre Dame history to attain the top singles ranking. “It has been a goal for this last year, so it’s one goal I’ve accomplished.”

One factor that makes his achievement even more outstanding is that DiLucia also joins junior Chuck Coleman in producing the fourth-ranked doubles team in the country. The two debuted at number one this season, becoming the school’s first doubles team to achieve that goal. No other player this year is ranked as high as DiLucia in both the singles and doubles polls.

There is also the fact that the rankings are made purely by computer, so the player’s results are the only things that enter into the equation.

And DiLucia has certainly produced plenty of those. He has posted a 23-3 overall record, including a perfect 17-0 mark in dual-match play—his with every opponent gunning for him.

“Rankings are really for publicity, and this one is objective and there’s no politics,” said Irish head coach Bob Bayliss. “So this is a tremendous reward for him at this point the number-one college player.”

One would think that with all the publicity that surrounds the best college player in the country, the ranking could go to DiLucia’s head. His coach knows that this is not the case, especially since he still has to produce come the NCAAs in May.

The Irish ahead 12-9. He has a great perspective on these things,” said Bayliss. “And he knows that the number-one ranking after sixty cents will get you a Coke from the pop machine.”

Might a national championship would go a little farther.

Notre Dame baseball upended by Illini

13-12 loss terminates six-game win streak

By JENNY MARTEN
Associate Sports Editor

The Easter break was good to the Irish—ranked Notre Dame baseball team (24-11) with the Irish winning six straight games, but Illinois ended the streak last night with a 13-12 comeback win.

The Illini (26-14) scored the four runs in the bottom of the ninth inning including the winning run with two outs to take the victory from the Irish in Champaign, Ill.

Illinois jumped to an early 2-0 lead in the first inning with some heavy hitting against Irish starter Pat Leahy. Andy Small opened the game with a homer to left followed by Dave Wohlwend’s double to left. Keith Torian’s single scored Wohlwend.

Four runs in the second propelled Notre Dame into the lead, but it was short-lived, as the Illini scored three in the bottom of the inning.

The Czech was came of a Craig Counsell ground slam, his second in two games, which scored Cory Mee, Ed Hartwell, and Dan Bautch.

Notre Dame tied in up in the third with a single run, but Illinois scored also this time put up two runs on three hits, first and one in the fourth. The Irish had another big inning in the fifth with three runs.

Both teams scored a run in the sixth and two runs in the seventh and a run in the eighth putting the Irish ahead 12-9. He has a great perspective on these things,” said Bayliss. “And he knows that the number-one ranking after sixty cents will get you a Coke from the pop machine.”

Leahy pitched four innings, allowing nine hits and eight runs while walking three and striking out five. Tim Kranitz took over Irish pitcher Al Walania tosses his curve in the Notre Dame bullpen. Walania, who pitched a five-hit shutout in his last start, will likely be on the hill tonight for the Irish.

Irish lacrosse squad moves toward NCAAs

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame lacrosse team completed a successful two-game weekend through Colorado, topping both Air Force and the University of Denver.

The pair of wins places the Irish two games from an NCAA tournament berth. The Irish must beat both Air Force and the University of Denver to capture the western regional bid, which carries a twelfth seed.

Notre Dame was put into position after dropping both Colorado teams in the final standings of spring sports with rainouts and rearrange travel plans.

Despite Loftus’ size, a realistic weather factor, the Irish must beat both teams on Saturday and Sunday to earn a berth in the NCAA tournament.

Both teams benefit from an advantage in recruiting. Schools in the South hold much more appeal to seniors in high school than cold weather northern schools such as Notre Dame. Schools from high schools in the Midwest and Northeast are leaving their respective regions and are heading south.

The recruiting disparity has helped contribute to the dominance of spring sports by schools in warmer climates.

It’s obvious that something needs to be done to change this inequity, but what?

I think that the solution is in scheduling. The start of the spring sports seasons needs to be moved back and the season needs to be shortened so that these teams aren’t playing until the middle of the summer. The changes need to be country-wide and they need to be made soon. With the greenhouse effect, the springs aren’t going to get any better.

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