Students offer tax assistance

By BRAD PRENDERGAST
Assistant News Editor

If the thought of perusing W-2 and 1040 forms and wading through receipts makes you dread preparing your tax return, imagine preparing 40 returns in 15 hours.

Now imagine actually enjoying it.

Believe it or not, 60 junior and senior accounting majors from Notre Dame and Saint Mary's are volunteering about three hours each week to give free assistance to low-income taxpayers in preparing their state and federal tax returns, and many students say the experience is worth it.

"Last Thursday, I helped a lady get back an extra $300," said Anne Marie Atkins, a junior volunteer. "Considering that her gross income was about $7000, I felt good that I was able to figure that out for her."

In its 24th year, the Tax Assistance Program helps taxpayers with annual incomes of $25,000 or less prepare their forms at any of 11 sites in the South Bend area, including Notre Dame's Student Center for Social Concerns and Saint Mary's Haggar Center. Last year, more than 2000 tax returns were filed through the program.

Notre Dame's TAP, ranked second among assistance programs nationwide based on the number of returns filed, is available to area residents, college students, and University employees. International students can also utilize the program to determine how much U.S. tax they owe.

"It serves a great purpose," Catherine Anderson, a junior in the program, said. "Lower income people tend to have a greater chance of not knowing about credits that can get them a larger return, so any information that we can provide them really helps.

Students like Anderson gain their information and skills by completing the Accounting 474 course, Introduction to Federal Tax, and by taking a one-week, one-credit training class in preparing returns before applying their knowledge to actual forms. The thorough preparation is enough to convince many clients that the students' skills are legitimate.

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Sophomore Parents Weekend

Saint Mary's College

Friday, February 24

3-6 p.m. Registration, Haggar College Center
7 p.m. Nursing Capping Ceremony, Church of Loretto
7 and 9:30 p.m. SAB movie: "The Professional," Carroll Auditorium
8 p.m. play: "To Gillian on Her 37th Birthday," Little Theatre, Moreau Center for the Arts
9 p.m. Crack Ups Comedy Cafe, Haggar Parlor

Saturday, February 25

10 a.m.-12 p.m. Faculty Open House, LeManns Hall lobby
12 p.m. Lunch (on own)
4 p.m. Sophomore vs. Freshman basketball game vs. Anderson College, Angela Athletic Facility
6:30 p.m. Mass, Church of Loretto
6 p.m. Social Hour, Century Center
7 p.m. Dinner Century Center
9:30-11 p.m. Suite party, with band Pegasus, Century Center

Sunday, February 26

8 a.m.-12 p.m. Continental Breakfast, Stapleton Lounge, LeManns Hall

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The Professional, a comedy by Arthur Miller, also wants to create a new, universal student ID that could function at the dining hall and as a detox as well as in the laundry centers, great deal of research in making these proposals.

According to students, the return of D2 parking as soon as possible, and a better facilities in dorms (including the Quad senatorial spot: Lyons sophomore Mai Ly, Dillon sophomore Seth Miller, Alumni sophomore John Minni, and Carroll freshman o keep its campus buildings.

By TOMMORAN

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Parents should leave with a good feeling that their daughters are getting a good education," said Sanchez.

Later Saturday, the NCAA will honor Saint Mary's sophomore Lori Lagonderfer of Holy Cross Hall during the halftime of the Belles vs. Anderson College basketball game. Landon derfer, a pitcher for the Belles softball team, will receive a plaque for winning the NCAA Division III championship for the softball saves. This game against Anderson begins at 2 p.m. in the Angela Athletic Facility and will be the Belles last home game of the season.

Sanchez anticipates a meaningful 4:30 p.m. Saturday mass in the Church of Loretto.

"There will be a special time because Sunday mass is something that we can't do with our parents while we are away from home. It will be nice to share mass once again in a full and beautifully decorated church," she also mentioned the semi-formal dinner and dance at the Century Center as an opportunity for all to have a good time and an occasion for sophomores to share their parents' and friends with each other.

Marlene Johnson, advisor to the sophomore class council, said that Sophomore Parents Weekend is "a good chance for students to show their parents what Saint Mary's has come to mean to them and for parents to come to the realization that their daughters have come to be adults." This weekend, sophomores will have different ways of expressing this to their parents.

Amy Ashby and her roommates in Holy Cross Hall plan on cooking a special dinner for their parents on Friday to introduce parents to friends and vice-versa.

"This weekend I want to give my parents a chance to spend time with me and time away from working and home," says Ashby. She also adds that she hopes her parents will leave on Sunday with the sense that "his money is going to a good cause.

Julie Kerr of McCandless Hall has volunteered to serve
**World at a Glance**

In Mafia's back yard, young mayor fights old scourge

Shortly after he was elected mayor, Giuseppe Cipriani was given some advice by his predecessor, the late Corleone, Sicily....

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The Accu-Weather forecast for noon, Friday, Feb. 24

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By ANNE DELANEY

The point of being successful is to recognize, understand and use teamwork skills and behaviors, according to Diane Daly McGarry, an alumna of Saint Mary's College who spoke in Saint Mary's Carroll Auditorium last night as the Spring Shannon Executive Scholar.

In a lecture entitled "Leadership in the New Millennium," McGarry focused on the challenges and rewards of attaining the Corporate Executive Officer's position at Xerox corporation.

"The freedom of choices exists when you have a great career," stated McGarry.

The lecture was part of the Shannon Executive Scholar Program, which enables students to meet and learn from distinguished professional alumnae.

McGarry was named to her current position as Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Xerox Canada Inc. in 1993, after having held a variety of sales, marketing and executive management positions with the company. Her education at Saint Mary's left her with many valuable skills, which include gaining an awareness for diversity and becoming self-sufficient and organized.

"Learning to think, though, was by far the most important skill I learned at Saint Mary's," McGarry said. She majored in Humanistic Studies and left after three years, having entered the college at the age of 15. After college, she married and moved to Chicago.

Her start with Xerox came at a time when her focus was on survival, and not success, as she had been recently divorced and had to support her daughter as a single mother. "Academics taught me discipline; environment taught me about life."

As a woman sales representative in the early seventies, she looked upon it as a novelty, especially in small towns such as Fort Wayne. "It worked, though; they bought from me. The measure of success back then was who you were, not how well you did things."

She went from Fort Wayne to the Compton-Watts area in California, which was one of her biggest challenges. McGarry looked upon every assignment she had as a learning experience. "They weren't all different, challenging, rewarding, and included a lot of personal sacrifices for my daughter. All I needed to do was get her started with Xerox, and then I could do the rest."

McGarry has held her current position of Xerox Canada CEO since October of 1993. Prior to being appointed CEO, McGarry was director of sales operations for Rank Organization in the United Kingdom marketing Xerox products throughout Europe and parts of Asia.

Having attended a female liberal-arts college, McGarry believes that her education prepared her for the obstacles she faces as CEO. "Saint Mary's provided me with a multi-faceted education. I learned how to think and generalize management skills," McGarry said. "Saint Mary's enabled me to deal with others from different backgrounds, skills and lives."

According to McGarry, a certain degree of humility allows one with the means to become a better corporate leader. "Humility makes you listen more. Great leaders listen to what everyone has to say and brings it together to make sense of it all."

McGarry describes her success story

Saint Mary's Alumni Kathy Hank Collett ('75), Spring Shannon Executive Scholar Diane Daly McGarry ('70), and Mary Lou Gorno ('72) gather at last night's lecture.
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Patrick Belton proposes "a platform of communication and efficiency." He could not be reached for further details. The only other on-campus senatorial race is in Mod Quad, as candidates from both God and North Quads ran unopposed. The two Mod Quad candidates are Grace freshman Timothy Bowers and Siegfried sophomore Kate McShane. Bowers firmly opposes the idea of using a platform consisting of promises he may not be able to keep because "it frustrates the student body." He instead hopes to support whatever proposals that his quad favors in regular votes on various issues, to be held in the individual dorms. "I have no personal stake in this," Bowers said; "I would be speaking for a larger population" through this system.

Kate McShane presents a more traditional group of proposals for Mod Quad. She advocates increased study space for the quad, possibly in North Dining Hall; improved communication between the Student Senate, Campus Life Council, and the students themselves; and two new events, a Mod Quad Beautification Day and a Fall Volleyball Fest. Cavanaugh freshman Catherine McCarron, who ran unopposed, is the new North Quad senator. She plans to "keep North Quad students aware of the Student Senate and bring their concerns to Student Senate Meetings." She also intends to work with the University's gender relations program.

Sorin junior Christian Shields also ran unopposed for his quad's Senate seat. He stated that he "has no set list of ideas," but that he will "try and act on the concerns of all the students of (God Quad) to the best of my ability."

Off-campus students will have the opportunity to vote for their 1995-6 co-presidents on Monday. Andy Greff and Matt Schindler are running against Kevin Duerr and Keith Eastland.

Both parties advocate an increased focus on the off-campus newsletter, which was infrequent and not particularly well-distributed last year. Duerr and Eastland are particularly interested in the idea of improving the newsletter, using it to keep off-campus students informed of such things as appearances by local bands, scheduling of placement tests, and other important deadlines.

Both parties also propose better organization of off-campus participation in interhall athletics. Duerr and Eastland advocate a bulletin board to help create off-campus teams that can consist of more than just groups of friends, while Greff and Schindler believe in better organization as well as continuing the policy of the University's paying the entry fees of off-campus RecSports teams.

Greff and Schindler also hope to procure new uniforms for the off-campus football team and possibly the soccer team as well.

Both parties also have ideas for different off-campus events. Duerr and Eastland hope to run a trip to Chicago for off-campus students, as well as a dance for off-campus students and "Duerrpalooza," a concert featuring local bands and possibly a bigger name band, whose profits would be used to benefit local charities.

Greff and Schindler propose an off-campus barbecue, as well as an "open house" in which off-campus students leave their apartments open for a day near the end of the school year. This would give students planning to move off-campus time to examine and purchase furniture and other items for their new apartments.

Voting will take place on Monday in South and Mod quad dormitories. Off-campus students can vote in LaFortune Student Center.

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as a Eucharistic minister at Saturday's mass. "I want my parents to see what happens here and to feel that I am doing something important with my life."

She would like for her parents to leave Sophomore Parents Weekend "with a good feeling about Saint Mary's, and to leave [her] with some money."

Sophomores agree on the significance of the weekend, which has been an event at the College for over 10 years.

"We are always looking for people who are confident and not afraid to try new things," McGarry said.

McGarry said true success came when she felt that her employment with Xerox added value to both her corporate and personal life. McGarry was able to advance in career because she had fun with a career she valued.

"It's been nice having the freedom of choice in my position with Xerox. You learn the most about yourself when you find a job you like," McGarry said.

Because stuff* happens.

*Hey this is corporate America. We have to keep it clean.
Homophobia education suggested

By SEAN O'CONNOR

The Gender Studies Program at Notre Dame concurs with numerous other campus groups in supporting recognition of GLND/SMC.

The discussion, held yesterday afternoon in DeBartolo, featured a panel of four speakers: Carlos Jerez-Farran, Mary Rose D'Angelo, Mark Jordan, and Ava Preacher Collier. Each presented a position paper on a different aspect of homophobia.

According to Jerez-Farran, a professor of Spanish with the University, the forum with "Homophobia Affects Everyone," an examination of the wide reaching repercussions of Homophobia.

Jerez-Farran, who leads to the erroneous notion that "homosexuality represents a threat to the traditional nuclear family."

Additionally, homophobia leads to "rigid and insincere marriages" among gay individuals who turn to marriage as an escape from society's revulsion of homosexuals.

The climate of hostility prevents intellectuals from openly expressing their thoughts on homosexuality. Jerez-Farran calls the failure of the educational system to deal with sexuality a "conspiracy...the subject is being ignored deliberately."

This causes a separation in people's minds between homosexuals and other human beings, fostering "bias, ridicule, and hatred which is incompatible with our humanistic ideals and the role a university has to play."

Mary Rose D'Angelo, a theology professor, followed Jerez-Farran with "Homophobia, Sexism, and the Bible." D'Angelo proposes that homophobia is inseparably tied to sexism.

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Mark Jordan, Medieval Philosophy, followed D'Angelo with "Homophobia and the Medieval Church." A dissection of the Church's position on homosexuality.

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University Director, Hyder, receives ORAU appointment

Anthony K. Hyder, associate vice president of the Graduate School at the University of Notre Dame, was appointed to the Observer Board of Directors Feb. 9 at the 156th board meeting at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas. The 21-member board manages the property and affairs of ORAU for its Council of Sponsoring Institutions.

Hyder has been an ORAU councilor since 1993 and served on the ORAU Science and Technology Policy Committee in 1994. Prior to joining the University of Notre Dame in 1991, Hyder held positions with Auburn University, the Office of the Secretary of Defense, and the Air Force Office of Scientific Research.

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Congress approves more cuts

By ALAN FRAM

WASHINGTON

House subcommittees approved $10.5 billion more in cuts in housing, environmental and other programs Thursday despite Democratic accusations that Republicans were demolishing vital social initiatives with "vicious" reductions.

A day after five House panels approved $7 billion worth of cuts in summer programs for youngsters, food aid to poor women and children and other programs, four more subcommittees found new targets. That brought to $17.5 billion the amount the House would chop from the budget, which would become law.

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They said the bleeding was detected during President Clinton's visit to Los Angeles. On the physician's advice, Christopher had his security staff take him to Ottawa Civic Hospital shortly after 6 p.m.

Doctors at the hospital said they stopped the bleeding with medication. They said he probably incurred the ulcer from an anti-inflammatory drug he was taking for arthritis. "The secretary is stable, he's acquiring props. "Basically we ran it."

Over eighty people auditioned for the plays in mid-January, which Rose attributed to wide interest and clever planning. "The (Freshman) Dean's Newsletter had an announcement, and everyone read the newsletter while waiting to register, so everyone knew about it."

No experience was required of the actors who auditioned, and the directors did not know who any actors intending to major in Communication and Theatre. The talent shown in the auditions, though, was immense, according to Andrea Oess, director of "No Why" by John Whiting.

Both actors and directors noted the difficulties of being of the same class. Leilani Pascale of "Nobody Sleeps" stated, "It was hard for the director because we are his peers, and it was hard for me since I had never worked with a student director before, let alone one of my peers."

Rose said that "communicating (this) vision into something the cast could understand" was made harder by working with other freshmen.

Both, however, stated that the talents of both actors and directors made the final result better. "They brought ideas I never thought of to their roles," he said, a point which "Ticket to The City" director Nikki Valenti echoed. Pascale was proud "knowing it was something that a bunch of freshman did by themselves."

Through the hectic work inherent in only a month of planning and rehearsals, Wolf remarked on the commitment of the actors, who took their tasks seriously while keeping it fun. They now want to share that fun with everyone else. Admission is $2 at the door.
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The Catechism of the Catholic Church states that "They (homosexuals) must be accepted with respect, compassion, and sensitivity. Every sign of unjust discrimination in their regard should be avoided (2258)." The administration's actions and attitudes toward GLND/SMC are examples of "unjust discrimination." And they are showing no signs of the acceptance that the Church, and Jesus himself, call on us to extend. Notre Dame claims to be a family, let’s love, respect and accept everyone as families should.

As a dorm that is a safe haven we cannot abide by the administration’s decision to ban GLND/SMC from meeting on campus.

The daily press and the telegraph, which in a moment spreads inventions over the whole world, fabricate more myths... in a day than could have formerly been done in a century.

—Karl Marx
Pro-Choice not pro-abortion

Dear Editor:

I was shocked as I read the letter from Maureen Kramleich. After picking my jaw up from the floor I felt the need to respond. Kramleich claimed that I identify myself as a pro-choice advocate is to say one is pro-abortion. In my opinion this is a complete misunderstanding of the term. By definition, "pro" means "for" or "in favor of." According to Random House Webster's College Dictionary, "choice" is "the right, power, or opportunity to choose; option."

When I identify myself as a pro-choice it means that I am in favor of allowing each woman the constitutional right to decide for herself what she considers to be morally consistent with her beliefs. I personally do not think I could ever terminate a pregnancy. Yet, right do I have to tell every other woman she cannot hold a different opinion? Why is my opinion superior? If I don't feel it is ethical to keep a weapon in my home, does that mean I should force others to share the same risk? We should just be able to live my life abiding by my personal standards.

There are many circumstances to any pregnancy. The choice to end a pregnancy is just as difficult and private as the choice to begin pregnancy. In order to insist that there shall be no safe, accessible way to end a pregnancy for a sick mother, a victim of rape or incest, or a scared immature child to choose to end a pregnancy is to take away our country's citizen's most fundamental freedom, the freedom to think for oneself. KERRY MULVANEY

Women must decide their own fate

Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to Maureen Kramlieh's letter to The Observer which was titled, "Pro-choice advocates really pro-abortion." I consider myself to be a pro-choice advocate. This does not mean that I am pro-abortion. I believe that one can be pro-choice and pro-life at the same time, and that the two positions are hardly mutually exclusive.

Pro-choice merely means that I am in favor of keeping abortion safe and legal for those who choose to end their pregnancies. I am also pro-life, that is, pro-human life, in that I feel women whose lives are endangered by their pregnancies should be allowed to legally terminate them.

These women should be able to end their pregnancies in a hospital with qualified staff, rather than back door back-alley butcher's in the guise of a doctor.

"Women need to have control over their own lives and their own bodies."

I believe that no woman is capable of deciding to end the life of her child without going through intense pain. I also believe that abortion should not be used as a method of birth control, and that its practices should be regulated and restricted to protect unborn life. However, because there are always exceptions to the rule and there will always be instances of extreme circumstances, abortion must be kept safe and legal.

Women need to have control over their own lives and their own bodies. I would never personally choose to have an abortion, it is not my duty to take that same right of choice away from others. It is not my place to condemn another for her decision unless we walk a mile in her shoes.

I am not pro-abortion, but I am pro-choice. And I am pro-choice, yet I remain pro-human life.

RENE RIMELSPACH

The 1970 underground document, "Sexism at Notre Dame," was a study in self-criticism by as well as by authors. In its very introduction, it took swipes at men on both sides of the era's cultural divide. Mainstream Domers, those aiming for a life of finan­cial security and business success, were accused of tarring two women as "men's auxiliary wives, very passive, responsive and dependent." and "his wench, beautiful, silent, sexy and lower class, bought for a night, or kept for a few, cut out of sight." As undergraded­ates, the document charged, these are the Saint Martin's girls, "as insignificant as their dresses." But the hipster who might have joined in the sniers directed at his more traditional brothers also took a broadside, as "Sexism at Notre Dame" pegged him as someone who "grows his hair long to organizations used sexual come-ons..

A working-class girl gets parental approval and pros­ults such meaningful phrases as "drag" for "broad" and "c--" for "broad" in the connum, she is "liberated" from her "sex hangups" but remains marred by the homework and if there are children, from their care.

No, the politically correct radical miss the knife, as he was nalled for "knowing quotes from Lenin, Mao, Che, Cohn-Bendit and Marcuse, and making drama­tic 'revolutionary' speeches, while the 'liberated' woman does the typing, printing and coffee-making, and is always ready for bed after a hard day of 'revolu­tionary' action."

If the men took the brunt of the criticism in "Sexism at Notre Dame," it is hardly surprising. At that time as now, women were to be empowered and were not perceived as having power anywhere, so that the notion of complxity was never raised. But the document is less accusatory than it is descriptive, and, considering the bad lives and the related relations it descended at that time, this one-sided approach was not entirely unwarranted.

They are asking for "freedom," without a thought of the women in any other sense than as sexual objects, in name as an objectification that has been taught all their lives: that women, especially lower-class women, are inferior and passive before men. It is in the language they use: to be a k---a and thus a recep­tive among her peers for dating an ND man; a "rabbit" to a "r--" would be an alternative to low-paid, low-status factory or service work, or to house-bound drudgery and to the safe of a wife to raise and care for the non-ND men she meets. Male supreme­acist values teach women to trade sexual favors for material security. That's the status quo and is always exceptions to the rule and there will always be instances of extreme circumstances, abortion must be kept safe and legal.

But the document did not stop at accusing individual male students of exploitive behav­ior. The chapter noted that campus organization's efforts to attract support from students, including a raffle in 1968-69 for a date with a Playboy centerfold.

"The pitch, used to sell many tick­ets, was to get unregistered women to the show. An eastern university resulted in the winner always a good friend of the president. "Sexism at Notre Dame" is steeped in Marxist rhetoric and the unworkable concept that students and workers would unite in the United Students to make service not just a part of life, but a way of life. This session explores how prayer and service go hand in hand.

We are excited about this upcoming series and encourage all to join us in this unique opportunity to pray and grow in faith as members of the Notre Dame family.

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Develop spirituality by 'Keeping the Faith'

Dear Editor:

With the season of Lent approaching, we would like to take this chance to invite all of the Notre Dame family to take part in the upcoming "Keeping the Faith" series offered through Campus Ministry. As students helping to coordinate this program, we see this as a unique opportunity for all who participate to strengthen their faith and relationship with God. The third part series focuses on different aspects of prayer with the overriding goal of developing a deeper personal relationship with God.

Each segment includes the reflections of featured speaker and the possibilities for growth in faith with the exploration of new forms of enriching prayer that can be incorporated into daily life. The first night is devoted to the discussion and experience of prayer. The second night is devoted to making service not just a part of life, but a way of life. This session explores how prayer and service go hand in hand.

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KERRY MULVANEY

Friday, February 24, 1995
The Hesburgh Library frightens me. The only library I went to all my life was called something like, "The Happy Fun Romping Bunny Library." It carried on by doing what other than Seuss, and most of the titles found there were prefaced by the words "Little" and "Good.

I went on a required tour of the library early in my career, but it only increased my fear. The tour guide told us that there were something like 9.89 trillion books on pocket. Every single one was built by the handy computer system.

"Now, you might look up a book on Socrates. All you have to do is go to the key word index and type in the word 'kumquat,' and all the books about Socrates will appear. Now, what word would you like to find?" I asked.

Uh, Pascal?"

"No! The word, of course, is 'ruthabaga.'"

I went to the library once last semester when I had to write a paper about a book I didn't understand. Big mistake. Not only was the Hesburgh library any of the literary stylings of my favorite author, Clift, the books explaining obscure books are even less coherent than the originals.

I found one book that seemed like it would be helpful, except that it was covered with dust, held together by rubber bands, and written in Aramaic. As I opened the book, it creaked and a small bat flew out. I dropped the book on the floor and a cloud of dust flew up, and I stood there on the 11th floor hiding my face with my khakis that would be spared suffering humiliation from the totalitarian regime of my freshman professor.

I was beginning to feel apprehensive again, but then I saw the graffiti on the library desks.

"There's always covered with comic strips and other feeble reminders that humans dwell within."

I think what these graduate students did was to make sure that I would pursue the path of the study of philosophy.

"Oh no! Bob's birthday is coming up, and I have no idea what to get him."

"Well, it's always been my view that a 5th floor of a library that makes it hard to focus. As a bonus I found a "Biggest Complaint About ND" list. Some of the notable additions to this list include: 'No such thing as enough drugs' and 'khaki pants.' I agree with this last one.

It seems to me that the entire country of Korea could be supported by Notre Dame students alone. Think of all of the khakis that would be spared suffering humiliation from the loss of their coats if ND students dressed less conservatively. But I digress.

I was beginning to feel apprehensive again, but then I saw it—"METALLICA" carved in blue. The Metalllica graffiti took me back to those days in my high school "art" class when I was nosing around that station that played "Mandatory Metallica" every hour or the Spanish station.

As I worked my way up the library, I began to notice engraved plaques on every floor commemorating those that gave the floor as "a gift." I wonder how these people decided why they got it... to face my fears and explore the Hesburgh. Hesburgh Library

"Why are we all here at Notre Dame?"

"This is a question debated by many a philosopher here at Notre Dame. Just ask your parents and they will say, "to study, of course." However, in the world of crazy college kids all and their antics it is sometimes hard to get focused. At ND/NMC the many popular study areas on campus offer a place for students to get focused. The various study areas on campus allow for anything from neuron-bursting studying to a happy hour atmosphere. So we visited them all. They whispered all. We sat down, we kicked back, we snuck food in. And we graded them all, just for you.

Hesburgh Library

Studying in the Hesburgh first floor is quite an experience. An indiscernible vibration runs almost constantly. There is almost a cult following to studying in the fishbowls. Day after day the same people study there, sitting in almost the same seats. I wonder how they make it to the books. The environment does not lend itself to studying, the furniture is old and uncomfortable, the tile is loud under the traffic, and the lack of food makes for a boring setting. The amount of traffic through the library transforms it into more of a social setting rather than an atmosphere conducive to study. Junior Tom Teg explains, "Some people go to the bars to socialize, others go to parties, and finally there is that small minority of people that go to the Hesburgh." For a more studious atmosphere, I would say that the Hesburgh's first floor is a good location, but for any deep studying it's best to look elsewhere.

Hesburgh's Second Floor

Random orange chairs and green carpeting symbolize the chaos of student life. The second floor has no functional rooms to devote to the section of the library this decor, but for sleeping and playing there is no substitute to the imitation leather. The spinability of the chairs rates high on the universal scale developed by the chair spinning club, the amount of people that gather there tends to detour any simple build-up of momentum. The chairs, though, are not really conducive to studying, are also great for naps. Much of second floor Hesburgh can be categorized in the same way unconventionally. The noise level is high, the seating is vast, but the usefulness is low except for in cases of group study.

For any type of group work, the second floor is the place to do it. Other good features include the computer lab with accessibility with 2 a.m. and the windows which reveal how much time has been wasted by the passing of the day.

Hesburgh's Upper Floors

This is the most boring, yet effective, studying location on campus. Just in Malley sums it up best by saying, "If I have to have a lot to do, no matter what the subject, the 10th floor is where I know I can get it done; there are no distractions." People in upper Hesburgh sit in little study carrels and study for hours on end with no breaks. If motivation is hard to come by, the upper Hesburgh is perfect, one falls under strong pressure to conform to a studious state while up on the top floors. Beware, going to upper Hesburgh is hard and will almost always result in an unwanted unconsciousness.

DeBartolo Study Area

There could be nothing less for such a great building than great farousibility. To study, I would suggest DeBartolo on the other hand. The layout is perfect for studying. DeBartolo study area has it all: vendelion, accessibility with its round the clock computer access. The inspiration of its windows look out on the historic Notre Dame Stadium, and great computer access. This is one study area that seems to have it all. Because this lounge is mostly used as a waiting room for future computer users, the lounge is quiet as these same computer users tend to use the lounge to do homework, then hit the keyboard. The twenty-four hour access of the lab also adds to its social atmosphere, everyone ends up at DeBartolo at some time to cram for a last minute paper. The furniture in the lounge is very comfortable and conducive to studying, making DeBartolo a great place to go for all variations of studying. The only drawback to intense test studying at DeBartolo is the Starke-like voice that calls the future computer users into the lab.

Grace Coffee House

This quaint nook in the basement of Grace has with very limited seating is great for all types of informal study. Grace has hit a nice spot coming from Sarge's which serves to keep the sanity. In addition to the noise, Grace has equivalent to in study breaks: video games, pool, food, and cable television. These things offer students viable options during their breaks. The coffee house is itself a construction of study carrels in a swanky 70's style with mirrors, light wood, and orange wallpaper. The major drawback to Grace coffee house is the technology, the closest computer user is Hesburgh, the closest phone is upstairs. But, the lack of technology is more than made up for by diversity in snack food, including pizza.

Flanner First Floor

The study lounge is good for medium to short term study sessions. The mere fact that it is on the dorm's first floor makes it quite susceptible to distractions. The layout and construction of mostly study carrels makes it conducive to the individual study seting. The study lounge is close to a snack shop in its basement, but, like Grace's study lounge, has a major drawback in the lack of computer accessibility. For really intense studying, the study lounge has its fair share of distractions that make it hard to focus. As a bonus to female students, the fact that it's in a guys dorm tends to make it quite a male-dominated study area.
...77 days ’til Finals
(Sorry to remind you)

LaFortune Student Center
The library has a social atmosphere which attracts many study groups and makes a perfect meeting place for friends to talk over a cup of coffee from the Allegro coffee shop. The level of noise is tolerable for reading, working, and discussions, but it’s not acceptable for serious exam studying. The Allegro Cafe and nearby vending machines boost the food factor. It is conveniently located down the hall from the LaFortune computer cluster. It’s a nice walk for South Quadrants, a short jaunt for North Quad residents and a bike for some Mod Quad inhabitants. Although it can get crowded during the day there should be no problem finding a seat in the evening. Actually, the seats are quite comfy oak wood frame chairs, tastefully upholstered in a sleekly subdued cloth with a stripes and matching wood end tables. Although the basement did receive a respectable grade due to the convenient services, its nice to go in the Alumni Room and get away from everyone and then be able to come out here and socialize.

As a South Quad resident, Martin says that LaFortune Computer Center is conveniently located further than the library. In the food and vending category, it’s hard to find a study locale more endowed with dining and snack options. The Huddle offers delicious and nutritious burgers and pizza while the convenience store has every cream-injected sponge cake, candy bar, and beverage imaginable. Again, in the immortal words of P.E. Norton, a junior from Fisher Hall, sees the Engineering Center as a well-kept secret, more Notre Dame students, both undergraduate and graduate students, come here to study. Though no food or beverages are allowed in the library (except in the basement), the vending machines are adequately stocked with everything from graham crackers to candy and soda. The gal to guy ratio is roughly seven to one, so take that for what it’s worth. “I can definitely depend on getting a lot of work done at the Saint Mary’s library. It’s really quiet and if I stayed in my room to study, I would accomplish nothing,” freshman Jennifer Kovaliack said. “The atmosphere is very pleasant, but the only drawback is that males have to leave at midnight, except during finals week when they can study until 2 a.m.” Junior Joe Carney said. The lower level of Cushwa-Leighton is stocked with e-mail computers. “Okay, okay, there are only two, but there are two hour limits!” Catch the shuttle or hop on your bike or blades and make the trek to the Saint Mary’s library. It’s worth the trip because you’re almost guaranteed to get your work done, especially if you work best when it’s quiet.

Haggar College Center Parlor
Another well-kept secret as far as study spots on campus go, the Haggar parlor and snack bar provide a good facility for concentrating. “I usually grab a soda and study in Haggar. It’s fairly quiet and it’s not overcrowded,” sophomore Ashley Orchard said. “I can definitely depend on getting a lot of work done at the Saint Mary’s library.” Though food and beverage are not available, students can pretty much count on getting their work done here. “The atmosphere is relatively quiet,” Orchard said. “The snack bar closes at 11:30 p.m., which is ideal for all of those ‘early to bed’ people.”

Fitzpatrick Library
Surprisingly enough, the library has a social atmosphere, a far cry from the serious study space expected from one of the most challenging majors on campus. Study cubicles in the library offer a quiet getaway from any distractions. Fitzpatrick also benefits from lots of important-looking books. There’s easy computer access to the Fitzpatrick computer cluster down the hall. Sean Norton, a junior from Fisher Hall, sees the Engineering library as an ideal place to study in that “it’s close to my dorm, it’s close to the computer cluster, it has all the reference books I need for my class work, and it gives me a place to do some small group studying—that when it gets loud.” The seating availability could be a problem in the evening, so be sure to get there early. An added plus for the library are vending machines right outside the hall.

The Oak Room
Located in the South Dining Hall the popular Oak Room is a great study atmosphere and is perfect for taking study breaks, meeting up with friends, and making new friends. They also cater to those late night cravings with their famous buffalo wings (don’t forget, Wednesday night 25 cent wings) and a variety of other snack items, beverages and FREE popcorn (must be where our tuition money is going). The Oak Room merits a well-deserved food factor of 4. The big screen TV offers a great place to catch your favorite late night show but it is very distracting for those not studying. We did find one person actually studying there—Howard Hall sophomore, Jackie Jackman. Jackie says “I need open spaces, I don’t like cubicles. I like a more relaxed environment,” which is something the Howard Hall sophomore says the library does not offer. Overall, the Oak Room can be a really great place to hang out and socialize. Grab a bucket of 30 with your friends and go to town. Clearly the Oak Room is not that place for serious studying but rather serious eating and chatting with friends.

Cushwa-Leighton Library
Composed of four extremely quiet study rooms and one rather noisy study lounge with plenty of seating available, Cushwa-Leighton is the favorite study spot of most Saint Mary’s students. A previously well-kept secret, more Notre Dame students, both undergraduate and graduate students, come here to study. Though no food or beverages are allowed in the library (except in the basement), the vending machines are adequately stocked with everything from graham crackers to candy and soda. The gal to guy ratio is roughly seven to one, so take that for what it’s worth. “I can definitely depend on getting a lot of work done at the Saint Mary’s library. It’s really quiet and if I stayed in my room to study, I would accomplish nothing,” freshman Jennifer Kovaliack said. “The atmosphere is very pleasant, but the only drawback is that males have to leave at midnight, except during finals week when they can study until 2 a.m.” Junior Joe Carney said. The lower level of Cushwa-Leighton is stocked with e-mail computers. “Okay, okay, there are only two, but there are two hour limits!” Catch the shuttle or hop on your bike or blades and make the trek to the Saint Mary’s library. It’s worth the trip because you’re almost guaranteed to get your work done, especially if you work best when it’s quiet.

Movies

LEGENDS OF THE FALL 1:30, 4:15, 7:10, 9:55
BILLY MADISON 1:45, 4, 7, 9
DUMPS & DUMBER 2:45, 4:30, 7:15
THE HUNTED 1:40, 4:40, 7:20, 9:40

UNIVERSITY PARK EAST
PULP FICTION 2, 5:15, 8:45
QUIZ SHOW 7, 9:40

UNIVERSITY PARK WEST (IN MALL)
BRADY BUNCH 2:15, 4:30, 6:45, 9
BOYS ON THE SIDE 1:45, 4:20, 7, 9:40

ACCENT
**MEN'S VOLLEYBALL**

Spartans upstart by coaching

By SHAWN HOCHSTETLER

The men's volleyball team stepped back into the court Thursday night to host national powerhouse Michigan State University.

The Irish dropped a match earlier in the season to the Spartans, proving that the Irish are a man, on-wall, and outside the less experienced Irish team. However, this time around, the Spartans could not do what was expected. The Irish team, which Steve Hendricks made a game time decision to switch up the unusual lineup, went with a two-setter lineup in an effort to throw a challenge to the mighty Michigan State.

The change worked perfectly for the Irish as they emerged from the locker room with intense energy that has seemed to evade the team throughout the entire season. The Irish took the Spartans by claiming the first two games 15-8 and 15-10. Senior John Vandemore led the Irish with his effective jump serve as he led the team on two consecutive aces. "John felt confident with his jumps tonight. He concentrated on every ball served up into two huge points for us," coach Hendricks explained.

Michigan State led the Irish hitters with 13 kills in the first 2 games. "Our team was fired up tonight. That caused me to have better, have more fun, and put ball down in front of the defense," Ascencio commented. The Spartans spotted the match as they refused to allow the Irish to claim the victory. They took the next three games to win the match 15-11, 15-13 and 15-12.

The match was a first step toward the national powerhouse Michigan State team. Two-setter lineup in an effort to throw a challenge to the mighty Wilson Invitational at the Loftus Sports Center on Saturday.

Irish host Wilson Tournament

Notre Dame as it is to schools around the country, such as Arizona and Stanford, and the Spartans, and Notre Dame's presence has been known to significantly improve its national-caliber competition, but also for the oval it's run on: The Alex Wilson Invitational is held at Princeton March 4-5.

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Best," Miller said. "They put up more points than I do, and the media loves that so they get the attention. But I'm more of a complete player. People overlook my defense and my ability to run the team."

In the 1993 and 1994 seasons Marquette became just the sixth team in NCAA history to bring the top field goal percentage defense in the nation in consecutive years. Even without Jim McIlvaine at center, who is now playing with the NBA Washington Bullets, their field goal percentage defense of 57.3% is not far off from last years leading 35.8%.

One cannot overlook Miller as being the reason for this continued success on defense. Last Tuesday evening Golden Eagle head coach Mike Deane matched Miller against one of the nation's leading scorers in DePaul's senior swingman Tom Kleinschmidt. Kleinschmidt, who averages 21.6 points a game, had only one lay-up in a one for 13 shooting performance. Miller had 20 points and five assists.

"I won't get you 20 points every night," Miller, a 10.9 ppg scorer, commented. "But I will get double (digits), be consistent and play good man-to-man defense. In high school I learned how to get through screens, and all the great players get screens off the ball. So I could get up close on him (Kleinschmidt) and take away his three-point shot, and I was quick enough to keep up with him on the drive."

With this blend of court awareness, leadership ability and defensive excellence, Miller has made a name for himself. His selection as an All-American candidate and nomination for the Francis P. Nainiash Award, for best player under six feet tall, attests that people are taking notice.

"Tony has developed into one of the best, if not the best point guard in the country," Tennessee head coach Kevin O'Neil said.

O'Neill recruited and coached Miller for three years at Marquette before taking the job at Tennessee.

The job was basically given to him after the then Warriors beat Kentucky. Tennessee's main conference rival, to advance to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA tournament last season; a victory that was keyed by the play of Miller. He embraced the Wildcats' nationally acclaimed full court press by repeatedly driving down the full length of the court for an easy lay-up or one of his nine assists.

O'Neill is fully aware of the effect Miller has had on his career. "Miller is the reason for my success, the biggest," O'Neill said. O'Neill recruited Miller to fill the void that was created by the departure of Tony Robinson last season. Robinson was the team's leading scorer with 21 points against West Virginia in the NCAA tournament.

Miller's most prominent contribution has been on defense. In high school I continued to play my high minutes back-up at point guard, he commented. "I knew that the team did not have a proven player at point guard, and I continued to play my high minutes in extreme situations, from undermanned in his left wrist, and led his team into the 1993 NCAA tournament. This was the team's first NCAA appearance since 1983.

"I definitely think Tony's the reason the program got turned around," McIlvaine said. "His guidance on the court made it all come together. He pulled all the pieces into one. He was the ultimate in smoothing everything out and making it work together."
Irish cruise in first round

By TIM SHERMAN
Assistant Sports Editor

Some reward.
The 15th-ranked Notre Dame women's tennis team cruised to a 5-2 victory yesterday over California-Santa Barbara in the first round of the USTA/ITA National Indoor Championships in Madison, Wis. Their prize is a second-round showdown with no. 1-ranked Georgia.

"Every team here is very good," coach Jay Louderback noted. "We just hope to win and keep advancing."

On the strength of their depth, that is exactly what the Irish against the Gauchos.

The 5-3 Irish swept the bottom half of the singles draw, as freshmen Molly Gavin, Kelley Olson, and sophomore Erin Gowen all won in straight sets. "One of our strengths is depth," Louderback noted. "We've always been pretty good top-to-bottom, especially this year."

In addition to their singles win, Gavin and Gowen notched their third doubles win in their past four outings to clinch the match. The Irish led 4-2 after the singles competition, thus, after the doubles point gave the Irish the win, the final two doubles matches were suspended.

The other Irish point was earned by no. 1 singles player Wendy Crabtree. The junior All-American breezed by UCSB's Jean Okada 6-4, 6-1 to earn just her second singles win in the past five matches.

Banked 26th in the nation entering the tournament, Crabtree had been struggling. "Wendy was a little down because she has had so many close matches that she's lost," Louderback said. "But she is tough and bounces back."

Her comeback will need to continue today as the Irish look to knock off the Bulldogs.

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1995 Bengal Bout Matchups

135 Pounds
Eric Garcia vs Frank Diorio
Avalino Velez vs Bob Payne
Todd Belio vs Pete Bancroft
Matt Peacock vs Dan Zepf

135 Pounds
Greg Marks vs Paul Villa
Pete O'Rourke vs Ben Decio
John Connection vs Tony Bechinski
Dennis Joyce vs Andy DiCello

145 Pounds
Dan Couri vs Ron Jadotte
Lucas Molina vs Rob Dancy
Ted Pagan vs Jake Radermacher
Tony Atalos vs Rick Rogers

150 Pounds
Matt Kowalski vs David Bradshaw
Shaw Hamer vs Damon Affinito
Tim Irwin vs Joe Hartzell
Tom Kelly vs Nate Mick

155 Pounds
Chris Rosen (Bye)
Ben Carr vs Brendan McGuire
Jesse Barrett vs Pete Tilton
Chris Marando vs John Kmetz

160 Pounds
Mike Maney (Bye)
Dave Harris vs Chris Neumann
Matt Mulder vs Tom Robertson
Ryan Dark vs Chad Harrison

195 Pounds
Troy Phillips (Bye)
Dave Monahan vs Dan O'Rourke
Joe Orsino vs Jake Lustig
Dave Baker (Bye)

Heavyweight fights are to be held on Wednesday

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creation of a 157-pound division, which features sophomore Butch Cabreros, who spent his time training in South Bend.

Sources have said that captains and coaches experienced difficulties finding a place for Cabreros, who could present problems to any of the returning finalists.

Heavyweight action will begin Wednesday during the semifinals. There are only three fighters in this category, but all three are true heavyweights, dwarfing the closest next heaviest division, 195 pounds.

"We have three people between 220 and 240 pounds," Goddard said. "We usually try to keep everyone within ten pounds of their true weight, so these guys have to be in their own division."

Each bracket is filled top to bottom with boxers as well as brawlers, which should produce some exciting quarterfinal matches. Overall, the 145- and 170-pound divisions look the strongest, with both Dan Couri, a champion a year ago, and Goddard returning as top seeds.

Couri could be challenged by a many number of boxers, including Rob Dancy and Lucas Molina, with a possible finals bout with junior Rick Rogers on the horizon.

Goddard, who has increased his weight by five pounds every year of his career, will have possible clashes with seniors Chris Peterson and Clay Schetz as well as junior Mike Farrell down the line.

New boxers to watch are freshmen Chip Farrell, son of Bengals Bouts coach and former champion Pat Farrell at 170 pounds. Pat Delan at 165, and senior Frank Diorio, a hard-throwing left-hander in the 130-pound division.

"We have a very strong sophomore class, and most our freshmen were in the novice tournament, so we got a lot of extra work in," Goddard continued. "We're really looking forward to this year's tournament."
Midwest Championships next on agenda

By JOE VILLINISKI
Sports Writer

This weekend, the JACC will host the 1995 Midwest Fencing Team Championships on Saturday and Sunday. However, due to changes in the format of the NCAA championships this year, no teams or individuals will qualify out of the Midwest Championships as in previous years. Qualifying for the NCAA's will occur next weekend in Appleton, Wisconsin.

For the Irish, this merely changes the focus, not the importance. Some of that incentive involves competing against each other for the last few spots on the team that will travel to Appleton. While the lineup remains set for the most part, this will provide a little healthy competition between teammates over the weekend.

For some, the weekend also provides the opportunity for the fencers to monogram. "If you concentrate on the team wins, the individuals wins will take care of themselves," junior Mindi Kalogera said. Heading into the championships, the Irish also will use the valuable knowledge they gained on their east coast swing to help them.

"Our most difficult competition is behind us now," sabre captain Chris Hajnik said. "But we're not going to let up." Because of the rule changes, the matches will be fenced in a regular dual meet format. In fact, each of the numerous teams the Irish fence this weekend will count on their record as a dual meet.

A sampling of these teams includes Michigan, Michigan State, Ohio State, Wayne State, Cleveland State, and Tri-State. "We're hoping to sweep it like last year which will help give us momentum," senior fobist Liz Caruso said. When reflecting on what will occur this weekend, it is hard not to remember last year. It was at these championships that the Irish won all five weapons, allowing them to compete with Penn State in every weapon, leading to their championship season.

"If we can generate that same emotional team spirit we had last year, we will all be happy," Irish coach Mike DeCirco said.

Cardinal proves too strong for Irish

By B.J. HOOD
Sports Writer

The No. 15 Notre Dame men's tennis team fell victim to another talented opponent Thursday, falling 6-0.

Stanford's Jeff Salzenstein, ranked 6th in the nation, beat Notre Dame's 16th rated Ryan Siskove 6-1, 3-6, 6-2. Stanford (9-0), involved in a top ten team in Texas, was retired) at No. 4; and Stanford's Christian on Friday. Stanford won the doubles point by winning two matches. The tandem of Goldstein and Humphries defeated Pun and Sprouse of the Irish 8-4, and Elliot and Salzenstein defeated Notre Dame's Flanigan and Pietrowski 8-0.

Notre Dame (3-4), will play another top ten team in Texas Christian on Friday.
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Irish challenged by expanded MCC

By BETSY BAKER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame swimming and diving teams are going out with gusto as they host the Midwestern Collegiate Conference championships for the last time this weekend. Next year, the Irish will move to the Big East, and with their performance thus far this season, it is safe to say that the other members of the MCC are not sad to see them go.

The women's team will enter the championships with a school-record 14-1 dual meet record in the 1994-95 season. They will be looking to defend a seven-year rule of the MCC by achieving their eighth consecutive conference title.

The team is led by another school-record holder, freshman freestylist Shelley Hutchik who will strengthen the team in the distance events and sophomore Erin Brooks, the top Irish contender in the backstroke.

Hutchik looks to post an NCAA qualifying time while Brooks pool-record time in the 200 backstroke during the National Catholic Championships this past December has already given her NCAA consideration. Junior Jesslyn Peterson will also be looking for a second straight qualification.

An added challenge for this year's talented squad is the recent expansion of the MCC. A record number of schools will be traveling to South Bend seeking to destroy the Irish reign.

"The expansion of the MCC makes this meet the deepest in the history of any MCC competition," said head coach Tim Welsh.

On the men's side of the pool, the Irish team will be looking to regain their five year reign of the conference which they lost two years ago to La Salle. This year's competition is looking to be stronger and faster than anything the Irish have seen in the past. There is also the added pressure of finishing out strong in the MCC. Junior Ry Beville, the top prospect for the Irish in the butterfly event, will be looked upon to help the Irish return to the top as the Irish wave the conference good-bye.

"There is a lot of pressure because it is the last year since we will be going to the Big East next year," said Beville.

"Also, this year's competition is probably the fastest we've seen."

Finishing the season with a disappointing dual mark of 5-9 and the fact that this is the last shot at the MCC and taking its crown back from La Salle gives the Irish added incentive.

"We lost four swimmers to either overseas programs or medical reasons," said Beville.

"But we are all pretty excited and ready to catch up to La Salle."

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Spartans rolled to an 8-4 victory

After making significant strides on both sides of the puck over the last month, Notre Dame is anticipating an even closer contest tonight.

On the offensive end, sophomore left wing Terry Lorenzo has been playing like a man possessed, scoring 10 points over his last four games. Junior center Jamie Ling, sophomore right wing Tim Harberts and junior right wing Brett Brunninks must come up big for the Irish to pull off what would be one of the biggest upsets of the NCAA this season.

The Spartans enter the game in a three-way tie for third place in the CCHA with an 18-10-3 mark.

Center Anson Carter (27 goals), left wing Rem Murray (44 points), and left wing Steve Gudla (43 points) compose one of the nation's most potent offensive trios. Goalie Mike Buzak has been solid this season, compiling a 11-8-3 record and allowing just 3.28 goals per game.

As tough a test as MSU will present, it won't come close to the challenge the Irish will face against the Wolverines on Saturday.

Michigan, ranked No. 2 in the nation by most publications, enters the game having already locked up the CCHA's regular season championship with a 24-5-1 overall record. The Wolverines, who walloped the Irish 12-2 and 9-3 in both meetings this season.

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Irish open with Lions

By DAVID TREACY
Sports Writer

It's time to face reality. This Sunday, the Notre Dame lacrosse team will travel to Penn State to face the 18th ranked Nittany Lions. After an unchallenging scrimmage against Denison last weekend, the Irish must step up their play to the next level.

The team starts the 1995 season with four straight road games. Notre Dame will be led by tri-captains Colley, Iorio, and Billy Gallagher. Colley, an honorable mention All-America pick on attack last season, also captained the squad in '94. Iorio has been a third team All-American on defense for the past two seasons, and Gallagher, a starter on defense, is a strong competitor and leader.

This has lead head coach Kevin Corrigan to assert, "They shouldn't be hungry to upset Notre Dame after being dismantled in last season's opener 12-9. As far as the Nittany Lions go, the Irish don't seem to be worried. "They should be the same as last year, with just another year of experience. We handled them well last year," said defenseman Mike Iorio.

"We couldn't scout their team, so we concentrated on improving ourselves in practice. We just want to play our own game," he added.

On attack, the team has been stressing that patience is key. "We want to take our time and maintain possession," said attackman Randy Colley. "We just need to wait for the best opportunity, not the first one."

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Second year captain Randy Colley and the Irish will face Penn State this weekend to open their season. Colley was an All-American last year.

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**Women's Basketball**

Fields adds a bit of spice to Irish

By KC Goyer
Sports Writer

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Irish to open season in California tournament

By MEGAN McGrath
Sports Writer

Two great college sports programs meet on the baseball diamond today in the Anaheim Hilton and Towers Tournament in Fullerton, California: The University of Texas versus the Notre Dame team. The match-up of perennial baseball power with an 11-2 record this season. Sunday Notre Dame battles Pepperdine, 5-4 and ranked 24th in the country.

“We’re starting off with three easy ones,” says Mainieri facetiously. “But there’s only one Notre Dame; they have to play us.”

The Notre Dame team that will take the field at theAnaheim tournament has some familiar faces from last season’s team, who won a fourth straight NCAA title and advanced to the NCAA championship round for the third year in a row. Senior first baseman Craig DeSensi, who batted .256 last season, is at the helm. Sophomore Scott Sollman has off an impressive gridiron season to take over left-field and lead-off responsibilities. Sollman led the team with a .420 average last season and earned MCC newcomer of the year honors.

Notre Dame opens the season with 17 RBI. Sophomore Mike Amrhein batted .297 in 79 at-bats last season, but spent his freshman year playing left-field.

Those players have wasted their chances to turn around,” says Mainieri. “They will get their chance this season, and I have no doubt they will be quality contributors.”

Sophomore right-hander Darin Schmalz will start against the Longhorns. Schmalz posted a 4-3 record with a 3.59 ERA last season. Seniors Craig Allen and Tim Kraus will come out of the bullpen and will be relied upon heavily.

Kraus was expected to be the team’s number one closer, but he has had tightness in his throwing arm and will start the season in the bullpen.

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By MICHAEL DAY
Sports Writer

From extreme jubilation to severe anxiety. That is the type of roller coaster ride the Notre Dame hockey team has been on for the last two weeks.

Following an impressive two-game sweep of Ohio State on February 10-11, the Irish have had the last 13 days to think about national powers Michigan and Michigan State.

Despite coming off their best performance of the season, Notre Dame knows they will have to be connecting on all cylinders to have any chance of pulling off a pair of upsets when they visit Michigan State tonight and host Michigan on Saturday.

“We will have to be at our absolute best, beat one of the top teams,” said freshman goaltender Matt Eiler. “It would be a great boost for the program if we were able to come away with a victory."

The Irish played heavily favored Michigan State off their feet for two periods in their last meeting on January 20. The score stood at 3-3 after 40 minutes of play before the Irish played above himself against Michigan last year.

Marquette's Tony Miller: the complete package

Talented guard a serious threat to struggling Irish

Ask most Marquette men's basketball fans and they'll tell you the same thing: if God were a point guard he would be Tony Miller.

Miller has been the savior for the once Warrior and now Golden Eagle program. He came to a struggling team with consecutive starts later has led his team to two straight NCAA appearances.

This Saturday at 4:00 pm in front of a national audience and a packed JACC, Miller and his resurgent Golden Eagles will look to avenge last year's loss to the ready and waiting Fightin' Irish of Notre Dame.

Miller will look to control the tempo and do what he does best, record the assist. He enters the game as the 12th all-time assist leader with 867, and only one of 18 Division I players to record over 800 assists. He has led his class in assists as a freshman, sophomore and a junior. This class includes Tyrus Edney, Damon Stoudamire and Travis Best.

His career average of 7.70 assists per game ranks 11th on the NCAA Division I all-time list. This average is better that most Marquette men's basketball fans and they'll see IRISH / page 19

Baseball Opens Season

Notre Dame baseball opens its 1995 season this weekend at the Anaheim Hilton Towers Baseball Classic in Fullerton, California see page 22

The Women's Basketball team defeated Northern Illinois last night, 58-51. For details see Monday’s Observer.