**Ethics committee sifts through charges**

By HEATHER MACKENZIE
Assistant News Editor

The allegations posed in the petition of recall against Matt Griffin are nothing new to members of the Student Senate Ethics Committee. A.J. Boyd, Keough Hall senator and chairman of the committee, stated that "most of the issues in the petition were discussed earlier in the semester," and that "most of the issues have been confirmed and have been deemed inappropriate for the president to have involved himself in.

The petition, authored by Jeremy Lingenfelser, accuses Griffin of behaving unethically and unambiguously in the office of student body president.

**Project Warmth sets goal of 2,000 coats**

By LIZ NAGLE
News Writer

For the second year, Project Warmth, a campus-wide coat drive organized by Gear For Sports, is fostering the spirit of giving among Notre Dame students. Students are being asked to "share the warmth" by donating old coats for distribution to needy people, with the added incentives of receiving a bookstore discount and participating in a hall competition for cash prizes.

Sue Thompson, campus organizer of the event, explained that the hall competition was implemented last year in the hope that more coats would be donated in a group effort. This year's hall prizes will be $1000 for first place and $500 for second, determined by the number of coats donated divided by the number of dorm residents. Gear For Sports provides these prizes, as well as the 20 percent discount off all Gear brand jackets at the Hammes Bookstore for all participants.

Last year Notre Dame was chosen as the pilot site for Project Warmth, and had such great success that Gear For Sports intends to expand the drive to include four new campuses next year. Thirteen hundred coats were collected on the Notre Dame campus last year, and an additional 300 coats were donated by Gear For Sports. This year's goal is 2,000 coats, and 350 have already been collected. A total of 2000 coats have been collected thus far, even before many of the dorms have delivered their first batch. The drive will continue through winter.

The coats will be donated to the Logan Center, the Center for the Homeless and the Women's Care Center in conjunction with a larger South Bend clothing-drive.

**SMC students talk about internships**

By ARIANNA BUTLER
News Writer

The variety of internship opportunities available to students was the topic of last night's lecture in Stapleton Lounge at Saint Mary's. "I learned a lot about the opportunities available to me," Tracy Patzer said in regard to her summer internship at Ford Motor Company.

Patzer spoke last night at the student internship forum along with Ellen Newell, Tara Moonen, Tracy Grimes, Rachelle Hall, and Patrizia Yarlagadda. Christine Richardson from the Counseling and Career Development Center also contributed to the forum, which was held in Stapleton Lounge at Saint Mary's.

The lectures stressed the importance of internships in regard to resume building and job experience and as Richardson said, "opens a door for you in the business world.

Most of the internships were paid positions, but Yarlagadda did volunteer work. She runs a summer camp called WIN (Working to Instill New attitudes) which is geared towards helping underprivileged children. The camp meets only one month a year, but it takes her all year to plan and organize events and appropriate the needed funds. Yarlagadda is presently seeking camp counselors to help with the camp.

"You not only have a chance to build your resume and earn money but a chance to make a difference in a child's life," Yarlagadda said.

Richardson stressed the importance of taking internships even if they are not paid or cannot be used for credits. She said Griffin to believe that many of the petition's creators were members of the Student Union, specifically, the Student Senate. "Lingenfelser came forward that he was a front man in this petition and that other students in the Student Union were behind him," Griffin said.

"Using Mr. Lingenfelser as a front is a very cowardly thing to do, especially because the allegations are based on untruths and misconceptions about internships.

By BRAD MCDONALD
News Writer

**Roemer explains Fast Track vote**

U.S. Representative Tim Roemer of Indiana's 3rd Congressional District spoke against fast track legislation yesterday in the Jordan Auditorium.

Roemer explained that he recently opposed Fast Track legislation because of the ballooning trade deficit, which is hindering the growth of the economy. Goals were not outlined in the Fast Track bill and the Congressional looing trade deficit.

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Ranging from public drunkenness to mismanagement of student funds, the allegations will be submitted to Student Senate and force a recall vote if more than 15 percent of the local student body signs the petition. But members of the Student Senate who serve on the ethics committee dealt with those allegations earlier in the semester.

"Our course of action at that time when the ethics committee was made aware of certain charges against Griffin was to have a small committee talk to Matt and warn him that his current actions are inappropriate for someone in the office of student body president and should be remedied," Boyd said. "The last time we formally talked to Griffin was after he told me to present direct attacks on me," Griffin said in reference to the petition circulating to recall him from office. "If these people work with me or are in the Student Union, they need to have the courage to come forward and sign the petition personally."

Finally, he stated that he hoped the effects of a trade bill would move from welfare to education and training in the hope that more coats would be donated in a group effort. This year's hall prizes will be $1000 for first place and $500 for second, determined by the number of coats donated divided by the number of dorm residents. Gear For Sports provides these prizes, as well as the 20 percent discount off all Gear brand jackets at the Hammes Bookstore for all participants.

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Merry Christmas ...
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Creativity: Good

Well folks, it's that time of the year again — an exciting Christmas, figuring out what DART schedules may personally favorite, stressing about finals, looking for the snow (if it even gets here), and preparing for the absolute plethora of dances this week.

Formals, SYBs and Military Battalions are all highlights and milestones of our semesters and relationships. They are the topics of conversation before, during, and long after the event is over.

These stunning nights out on the town (or in your basement) are as central to our social lives here at MIT as football Friday nights before the big game parties and goofing off in the hallway late at night when we are overcome with silliness. It's a wacky time of the year, sometimes spazzy dances through photographs and memories, but also through the unique Notre Dame tradition of gift-giving. It is an extra special time for all MIT students.

Is anyone else sick of dumb toys or candy in a mug?! It's very sweet (no pun intended), but we're very interested individuals ... let's be original!

Besides, RA's have actually been received by students and are simply unacceptable: Spanx, chocolate-covered Edix, glow-in-the-dark-rubberbats, condoms, gin (both of this is not Dame, a granola bar, and a ham sandwich. But for Pete's sake, do not show up empty-handed — you are not enough!

Be thoughtful and pay attention to your date's interests. That's why you have at least a conversation with her. You know, a conversation?

Gentlemen: if you go with flowers, climb out on another branch and get her an orchid. Or a tulip. Or a sun flower. Or a poimientia! Roses work for those wacky traditionalists out there, but please ... never yellow (unless of course you want to keep it by the stallion in the corral). Get to know her interests, not just asking her two hours before. (You know you do, don't you? It ladies around here fret for ears, even MONTHS about this!)

said it all about baking. I conducted an Accent last January, and I received a collage of campus photos, a granola bar, and a ham sandwich. Lee has filed four separate complaints against the stallion in the corral.Get to know her interests, not just asking her two hours before. (You know you do, don't you? It ladies around here fret for ears, even MONTHS about this!)

Creativity and homemade gifts are by far the best ways to go. The most memorable gift I ever received was a beautiful collage of campus photos taken by my date.

You can look back with just the T-shirt. Sorry. Board games are way cool though, and they will actually be used as an orchid. Or a tulip. Or a sunflower. Or a poimientia! Roses work for those wacky traditionalists out there, but please ... never yellow (unless of course you want to keep it by the stallion in the corral). Get to know her interests, not just asking her two hours before. (You know you do, don't you? It ladies around here fret for ears, even MONTHS about this!

Fish are pretty rad too. Even through roommate's committed suicide by jumping out of its dorm. It won't be long before the classroom feels the way it used to. Lee said.

A series of continuous classroom disruptions came to a crescendo when she received two separate anonymous messages. While sitting in her office Nov. 5, the phone rang. "You fat siger b itch," snarled a male voice. The next day, an unsigned letter appeared in her campus mailbox. Lee said it was a "detailed and vicious assault on my personality and person."

Lee has filed four separate complaints against students in her class, three against one group of students and one against another group. She claims the groups of students continually created disruptions during lectures.

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Outside of the Dome

University of Virginia students admit to assault on freshman

We remember these sometimes special, sometimes deplorable, events. Well folks, it's that Colleen Gaughen viewpoint time again! Let's face up to 20 years behind bars and the laudable, meaningful movie or a huge bowl of ice cream; not drinking just because people are doing it. We find that people are at fault, there could be severe consequences when you are not enough!

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Freshman council elects officers

By ERIN LUM
News Writer

The freshman class can look forward to being more involved and aware of class events next semester, according to newly elected Freshman Council president Gerry Olinger.

In a meeting held early last month, the Freshman Council voted for officers who will lead the way for Notre Dame's first year students.

Officers elected included president Gerry Olinger (Morrissey), vice president Anna Benjamin (PEI), treasurer Brian O'Donoghue (Keough), and secretary Maggie Wood (Cavanaugh).

Also elected were five committee chairpersons: Andy Villier (Fisher) for the spiritual committee, Megan Stadler (Farley) for the social committee, Geoff Heiple (ID Oil) for the fundraising committee, Mike Heintz (St. Ed's) for the service committee, and Diana Boyer (Lyons) for the publicity committee.

As head of the Freshman Council, Olinger outlined his ideas to help create a more unified class. Among them was a plan to change the location of council meetings from LaFortune to individual dorms on each of the quads. Olinger said this will encourage more student involvement and input into the council’s decisions and operations. In addition, Olinger said a Freshman Council website is currently under production and nearing completion. The site will include a list of class officers, committees, upcoming events, and representatives’ e-mail addresses.

“My biggest goal is to get in touch with the freshman class,” Olinger said. “The hardest part is making people feel they’re a part of the class because if they don’t feel they’re a part of it, we won’t be effective.”

Publicity committee chairwoman Diana Boyer agreed. In addition to the website, Boyer said a freshman newsletter is also being discussed as a way to keep students informed. Minutes from council meetings, upcoming events, and other information related to the freshman class would be included in the newsletter.

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Matt was two months ago. Since that time we haven’t had any problems with him serious enough to merit the attention of the committee.”

Although Boyd attests that the committee “never submitted any formal recommendations to the senate for a review or impeachment of the president.”

“Our job is to investigate any allegations against any Student body treasurer Nerea

O’Donoghue (St. John’s) for the finance committee, and Olinger (1) for the executive committee.

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“As for the $15,000 and the computer incident which occurred at the beginning of the semester,” Boyd continued, “the committee deliberated that they could have been simple mistakes. Griffin has never been accused by our committee of pocketing any money.”

Student body treasurer Nerea Arrien said that the charges against Griffin involved student government funds are “mistakes” and not true.

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Arrien said that because this incident happened in the beginning of the year, “it was an easy mistake to make.”

The allegations against Griffin represented the need for $15,000 for the publication of The Campus Hook-Up was “as student body treasurer Nerea Arrien said. “I was just trying to give him more money so he could continue to publish the magazine.”

Griffin acknowledged that many of the charges presented in the petition had already been discussed with him privately by members of the Ethics Committee and Arrien.

“All the issues in the petition were things that happened with my predecessor,” Griffin said. “It was just a case of errors I had where I didn’t follow proper procedures or submit the necessary documentation to the council.”

Griffin concluded that the Student Union has no problem with him as president because there have never been any formal charges brought against him within the Student Senate.

“There have never been any formal allegations, so therefore, in my view, I have done nothing wrong,” he said. “I honestly think I have learned from my mistakes and corrected my ways, and now I live up to every expectation in that constitution and more.”

Michelle Kuppa contributed to this report.

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what you want to do."

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The Counseling and Career
Development Center and the
Notre Dame job fairs are the best
places to discover internships,
and the best way to secure an
intership is, according to
Pazner, it is to be "ambitions and
aggressive.

The Student Activity Council
sponsored the lecture, one in a
series called "Life of the Mind."

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By Lingenfelser, the petition is not
what you want to do,
using internships as rule-outs,
supporting this petition under
the table.
But he reiterated his con-
tention that the petition conveys
a general sentiment of much of
the student body, not just
members of the Student
Unions.

"It is not just political people
who are mad," he said. "The
average students are embar-
assed by Griffin's actions. If I
am a front, I am a front for
the student body, and hopefully one
that will be effective. Matt
Griffin is guilty."

Lingenfelser would not com-
ment on whether or not he had
gathered enough signatures for
Senate to hold a recall vote, but
he said that the belief that he
will not gather enough signa-
tures is "a joke."

"I think we will get 50 per-
cent of the student body to sign
this very easily," he said. "I've
gotten phone calls all day from
people who support me and
want to sign the petition. I've
got the support of the stu-
dents."

Roemer
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Bill Clinton invited Roemer
and several of his colleagues
to the White House for dinner.
The president expressed his
grateful for their "whipping"
the most favored nation bill and
attempts to gain similar support on his
Fast Track legislation. Roemer
was not swayed, however, as
he professed his staunch
opposition to the bill for ethi-
cal reasons.
Roemer also stressed the
importance of ethics and leader-
sash as the influential factor
in congressional decision
making rather than party
bias, although it is difficult at
times. Roemer followed by
expressing his fondness for a
quote by Thomas Jefferson,
"When it comes to matters of
style, you swim with the cur-
tent, but when it comes to
matters of principle you stand
firm as a rock."

Course Offerings in the Department of Classics, Spring 1998

Classical Antiquity

CLASS 306 01 (HIST 306, 306A) ROMAN HISTORY Mazurek
Sure, you've all heard of Julius Caesar — but what do you really know about the culture that produced him? This course traces the development of Roman civilization through the major political, religious, and social institutions of the Roman Republic and Empire. Major topics will include Rome's conquests in Europe and the Mediterranean, the careers of Julius Caesar and the emperor Augustus, and Rome's treatment of foreign peoples and institutions, e.g. Christianity.

CLASS 309 01 GREEK LITERATURE IN TRANSLATION Schlegel
The literature of the Greeks has exercised a perennial attraction on the Western imagination, from the Romans down to our own times. Don't let it be "all Greek to you!" Find out what some of the attraction is in this course, an introduction to the major literary and historical writings of ancient Greece, from the archaic period to Hellenistic times.

CLASS 423 01 (ARHI 423 01, 523) GREEK ARCHITECTURE Rhodes
We've all admired images of ancient Greek temples in travel brochures — but what did they mean in their context to the people building them? This course traces the development of Greek monumental architecture from the 8th to 2nd c. B.C. and treats themes like the relationship between landscape and religious architecture, symbolism and allusion through architectural order, and the humanization of temple divinities.

CLASS 424 01 (ARHI 424 01, 524) ANCIENT ITALIAN ART AND ARCHITECTURE Rhodes
You probably knew that "the glory that was Rome" produced a rich artistic legacy. But do you understand its growth and development? And did you know that Rome also had a few neighbors on the Italian peninsula? Find out about the art and architecture of the Roman Republic and Empire and of its Italian neighbors in this course, which isolates and traces the origins and development of monumental architecture, portraiture, painting and other genres from the first millennium B.C. to the fourth century A.D.

CLASS 455 01 CLASSICAL EPIC (ENGL 413A 01) Vaccaro
How does struggle create identity? Homer's Iliad and Odyssey and Virgil's Aeneid pose such perennial questions in a rich formal and thematic vocabulary that has influenced writers from Dante and Milton to the present day. Learn about the form, and grapple with the big questions of struggle and identity in this course, which also considers two contemporary novels that draw on such epic themes.

Irish

CLIR 301 01 THE IRISH IN THEIR OWN WORDS: READINGS IN IRISH LANGUAGE POETRY 1600-1900 MacQuillan
You may be familiar with some Anglo-Irish literature, but did you know there are also literary productions in the native Irish language? Consider some of them in this course, in particular those from 1600-1900, a period of crisis for the Irish and their cultural and linguistic well-being. The texts will be read in English translation but students will gain some working familiarity with the Irish through facing translations.

Near Eastern Literature

MEIC 255 01 (GSC 255 01) WOMEN'S MEMORIES, WOMEN'S NARRATIVES Alfarahin
What do the women of Arab societies have to say for themselves? This course is the place to find out: it examines, in English translation, women's memoirs, autobiographies, and fiction to analyze the construction of the feminine self and identity in modern Arab societies.

FOR INFORMATION ON THESE COURSES, AND ON COURSES IN LATIN, GREEK, ARABIC, AND IRISH, CONTACT THE DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS (1-7195).
Outbreak of monkeypox sweeps the Congo

Ending smallpox vaccinations has led to the largest-ever reported outbreak of monkeypox, a similar and potentially fatal disease, according to the World Health Organization. So far, at least 511 suspected cases of monkeypox have struck children younger than eight in a remote section of the area, said the WHO. So far, the disease has been limited to the area, but there is no need now to reintroduce the smallpox vaccine, which is effective against monkeypox but was phased out when smallpox was declared eradicated worldwide in 1980. The vaccine can be deadly to people infected with the AIDS virus, which is widespread in much of Africa. But 500,000 doses of the vaccine are being kept in storage so new stocks can be produced if necessary. WHO said Monkeypox causes fever, breathing problems and horrific blistering and scarring on the face and hands. But it is not quite as contagious or deadly as smallpox — once known as the “plague of death.” The 511 monkeypox cases in Congo were registered between Feb. 1996 and Oct. 1997.

Reno decides not to use independent counsel

WASHINGTON - Attorney General Janet Reno declined Tuesday to seek an independent counsel for her investigation of telephone fund raising by President Clinton and Vice President Al Gore, saying their actions were outside the scope of federal election law. Under strong pressures for months from all sides, Reno said the decision was mine and it was based on the facts and the law, not politics or any other factor.

Attorney General Janet Reno said her decision was wrong and perhaps affected by loyalty to the White House. Democrats called it coddling and courageous. She also rejected a special prosecutor to investigate former President Jimmy Carter. Reno concluded that O’Leary was unaware that a contribution to one of her favorite charities may have been illegal and unreported. She also rejected a special prosecutor to investigate former President Jimmy Carter. Reno concluded that O’Leary was unaware that a contribution to one of her favorite charities may have been illegal and unreported.

Associated Press

Fire ravages suburbs of Sydney

A thick blanket of ash from bushfires around Sydney obscured the harbor yesterday with the famous Sydney Opera House just visible. Bushfires are burning out of control for weeks with fires now threatening homes in the suburbs. The fires have burned four people and two others were injured as the fires raged across Sydney's suburbs Tuesday and instead focused on saving lives and property. The toll — two firefighters dead, 38 homes destroyed and a half-million acres scorched — raised fears that the blazes could be even more destructive than those that killed four people and razed more than 200 homes around Sydney in January 1994.

"Quite clearly the protection of life and property will take precedence over any other attempts," Rural Fire Services commissioner Phil Koperberg said.

The air over Sydney was thick with smoke Tuesday, and weather forecasters said pollution monitors measuring soot were off the scale. More than 160 fires burned out of control across the southeastern state of New South Wales. On Sydney's southern fringe, more than 1,000 people were evacuated as fires moved toward their homes.

Two firefighters died of burns while battling a blaze near Lithgow, a rural center across the Blue Mountains to Sydney's west, and two others suffered serious burns and smoke inhalation near Coonabarabran in the state's northwest.

Evacuation plans were in place for Coonabarabran and the nearby town of Narrabri.

"Clearly we have a grave situation," Koperberg said. "The conditions under which those firefighters are operating... is beyond anything I have seen in 30 years." Urban sprawl extending out into woodlands on Sydney's fringe makes it vulnerable to summer bush fires in this Southern Hemisphere nation.

The city has been gripped by more than a week of hot, dry weather, often above 40 degrees, and lightning has been a common feature. Evacuation plans were in place for about 200 homes in the area.

Clearer skies are forecast for the next few days, giving firefighters a chance to mop up the blazes.

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Russia

Coal mine explosion traps 67 workers

Associated Press

Trapped methane gas exploded in a deep shaft of a Siberian coal mine Tuesday, and searchers said they had little hope of finding any of 67 miners alive. Rescue workers counted 54 bodies in the shaft by late Tuesday, while 13 other miners remained unaccounted for. Col. Yuri Krasnikhin of the Ministry of Emergency Situations said

Authorities said most of the victims died of burns or inhalation of poisonous gases, although the blast also caused cave-ins. The explosion — 1,080 feet below the surface — happened so quickly that the miners had no time to don emergency breathing gear, NTV television reported.

Six miners had left the shaft and were on their way out of the mine when the methane exploded early Tuesday morning. They were hospitalized with gas poisoning. The blast obliterated the shaft in the Zyryanovskaya mine, in the Kuzbass region of southern Siberia. Rescue teams were sent from Moscow to Novokuznetsk, 1,850 miles southeast of the capital and 300 miles north of the Mongolian border.

Russia's mining industry has been plagued by deteriorating safety and working conditions, due largely to a lack of funds. Prior to Tuesday's explosion, accidents in Russia killed 191 miners so far this year, Vladimir Boskinik, the chief safety inspector of the Russian Coal Miners' Union, told the Interfax news agency.

President Boris Yeltsin, on a state visit to Sweden, promised to assist the miners' families.

"Nature is like that, and we often cannot cope with it," he said.
Clinton: Pump, Pass or Climate Control?

Leaders from 150 countries are gathered in Kyoto, Japan, this week to negotiate the 1997 Kyoto Climate Treaty, an international accord aimed at limiting emissions of greenhouse gases. The Clinton Administration, America's most outspoken and well-versed politician on issues relating to the environment, has been there sent by President Clinton to advocate a non-starters policy stance that panders too heavily to business interests and does not reflect the expressed opinion of a majority of Americans.

The Clinton approach entails reducing emissions to the 1990 level by 2012. The proposal was accompanied by an announcement earlier this week that the U.S. will contemplate allowing for differentiation in target levels among countries, crippling an already fragile plan. In a speech on Oct. 22, Clinton stated that "we are not in a position of moral superiority for meeting these limits." Translation: any agreement on emission standards made in Kyoto is for show and can be easily gotten out of.

Clinton's anemic recommendations are further accompanied by a host of tax and regulatory incentives to encourage private investment in, and a commitment to, emission reduction. These incentives will do little good without stricter targets and a meaningful enforcement mechanism, devices which the U.S. refuses to institute voluntarily and which certainly will not arise from any agreement made in Kyoto.

This is the case despite public opinion favorable to global climate control. The delegate president who governs according to public opinion polls has finally managed to ignore one — unfortunately this one he would actually result in good policy. A recent Newsweek poll indicates that 82 percent of Americans would pay an additional $50 for an energy-efficient appliance; 74 percent would purchase a car with healthier fuel economy; and 51 percent would tolerate a 12 cent hike in gas prices (gas prices which, incidentally, are currently the least expensive in the world).

Granted, the same poll also reports that just over 70 percent of Americans worry seriously about global climate control, but much of that has to do with the issue's diminished news coverage and declined visibility (at least before Kyoto). Besides, a one-year-old poll released by a public interest group reports that while only around 30 percent found the issue to be extremely pressing, over 70 percent are markedly concerned, genuinely opening a window for policy change. Overall, it seems that Americans are prepared and willing to pay a modest price for the long-run benefits their kids will experience as a result of aggressive action within a market system.

The Clinton Administration is dropping the ball, opportunities like this do not come around every day. Much of Americans' passivity toward costs to climate change likely has to do with the strength of the economy and the existence of no pressing predilection in the foreseeable future. Nevertheless, Clinton should seize the moment and pursue a more activist and aggressive policy. Constantly in reelection mode (need be or not), he is obviously too scared of how big business will react.

Admittedly, Clinton faces a difficult challenge in dealing with global climate control. Unilateral emission reduction would result in some short-run losers. Hybrid action could spoil America's economic growth rate and erode our international competitiveness. However, aggressive action within a market system that will simultaneously reduce global warming and enhance economic prospects is possible. It requires a true commitment to a plan often referred to but rarely investigated intensively.

The market-based solution would allow credits to industries which emit greenhouse gases. Each industry would allocate credits to companies for emitting these gases. Over time, the amount charged would increase while the number of credits allotted would decline. Companies which do not spend their credits in a given year may sell them to other companies who need to exceed their allotment. The price of these credits would go unregulated by the government, creating a competitive market for them. Companies which exceed their allotted credits for a given year, and which are unable to purchase more to compensate, would be heavily penalized through taxes and fines.

Such a system would give companies a tangible incentive to reduce their emission levels while developing innovations to make their respective products and industries more efficient. The government would be an aggressive time table for emission reduction, out of necessity, companies would find a cost-effective way to adhere to it. Some costs would be pushed over to the consumer, but Americans have expressed a willingness to bear modest ones. The Clinton Administration has put forward some plans with notable success in the area of environmental pollution and dumping. While such a system basically amounts to allowing companies to pay to pollute, making many of my environmentalist friends cringe, it is a realistic model through which a combative policy can be pursued. Such a system in effect encourages positive behavior over a period of time, and allows the private sector to develop its own solutions to the problem within a specific time limit. It certainly beats our current global warming policy, which amounts to much less than a hill of beans.

Politicians are scared to death by the potential costs of present activist environmental policy. However, the political and economic climate is ripe for action, and the policy tools to induce cost-effective changes are available. The bill is in Clinton's court to pick up and run with — our nation's children can only hope he is brave enough to do so.

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VIEWPOINT

Bears Your Cross if You Want to Rise

There can be no resurrection without the cross. While decidedly a Christian view, this statement can be applied to almost every facet of life. "Out of hard work comes success" is one inter-epithet for "suffering is good for the soul."

Julie Ferraro

And we all do suffer. Perhaps not from cancer, asthma or even AIDS, but there are many who could easily be labeled as suffering from that cause. It might be no more as a car accident or a shatterd marriage/relationship, or as minor as a broken television set when we're ready to watch a favorite sitcom. No matter what the sorrow, it comes to us through the emotions of annoyance, anger, disappointment, defeat.

We don't have to be defeated, though. Christ wasn't. When all seemed momentous, He was labeled a failure and unjustly put to death. He rose from the dead, putting his hopes there for more to life than just "life." Christians are urged to "carry the cross." The British might put it, "keeping a stiff upper lip." There are numerous ways to express the idea that we should make the best of any situation, good or bad.

This could be applied to the forthcoming exams. When registering for a course, students understand that their knowledge will be tested at the end of the semester. Sometimes it's hard to try to ignore the anxiety that comes with the test dates approaching, but the days following will yet be a stomach-full of burdens, may still be a stomach-full of anxiety, may not agree with their choices, their ideals that were so dear to their hearts. Perhaps they may not be bosom friends, but they will have to live with each other.

Early on he felt the pressure of being a Notre Dame quarterback when Beano Cook predicted he would win at least two Heisman Trophies, and he would become the greatest Irish quarterback ever. Erickson wanted him. He chose Notre Dame.

1995 brought renewed hope, but it was dashed early by an upstart Northwestern squad. My family and I were in South Bend area, including three churches - St. Pius X in Granger, Queen of the Peace in Bend, and I knew both on the Notre Dame campus and in the School of Architecture's Rome Program. He was the recipient of a Fulbright scholarship for his work in his teaching career, and he maintained an active architectural practice while teaching at Notre Dame. He was responsible for the significant number of works of architecture in South Bend area, including three churches - St. Pius X in Granger, Queen of the Peace in Bend, and I knew both on the Notre Dame campus and in the School of Architecture's Rome Program. He was the recipient of a Fulbright scholarship for his work in his teaching career, and he maintained an active architectural practice while teaching at Notre Dame. He was responsible for the significant number of works of architecture in South Bend area, including three churches - St. Pius X in Granger, Queen of the Peace in Bend, and I knew both on the Notre Dame campus and in the School of Architecture's Rome Program. He was the recipient of a Fulbright scholarship for his work in his teaching career, and he maintained an active architectural practice while teaching at Notre Dame. He was responsible for the significant number of works of architecture in South Bend area, including three churches - St. Pius X in Granger, Queen of the Peace in Bend, and I knew both on the Notre Dame campus and in the School of Architecture's Rome Program.
The Hall

By ANNE KEARNS
Saint Mary's Accent Writer

You can go there to test your running and kicking skills, or to measure your agility and flexibility. You can learn about sports medicine or the evolution of sports media coverage. You can do all of this and more at the College Football Hall of Fame along with honoring the coaches and the athletes who have brought so much to the sport. And what better place to have a College Football Hall of Fame than South Bend, Ind.?

The idea for the College Football Hall of Fame dates back to the late 1940s when the National Football Foundation began holding a series of charity balls in order to finance building costs for the hall. After years of sponsoring these events, the National Charity Association began to pressure the Football Foundation to start the construction. Initially, the site was Rutgers University where the first intercollegiate football match took place between Rutgers and Princeton. The last site was King's Island in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Although it was thought that building the hall of Fame near an amusement park would result in it being more successful, it did not work out this way. The National Football Foundation decided to close the hall at King's Island and build a new one in a community that would be willing to finance and operate it. After bids from several major cities such as Atlanta and Houston, South Bend was chosen. The choice was based on the guarantee from former Mayor Kernan to the Football Foundation that the South Bend community would fully support the hall.

Despite having South Bend's support, the Hall of Fame does much on its own to promote itself. It is an innovative product complete with interactive displays, life-sized exhibits, a stadium theatre, and a Hall of Champions.

Upon entering the hall, you are greeted by the "Pursuit of a Dream" sculpture. This is a three-story multi-media sculpture depicting a player's journey to becoming a college football player. It includes videos of old games, pep talks from coaches, and fight songs from his past schools.

A great place to start your tour is at the Hall's Stadium Theatre. This is a 360 degree theatre with seven screens that continuously flash different scenes showing the thrill of college football, including everything from great plays to tragic upsets, to the cheerleaders and the band.

There's also a video explaining the responsibilities, joys, and heartaches involved with being a coach. This 12-minute video is located in a replica of a locker room.

As a part of the interactive displays, the Hall offers visitors a chance to become a sportscaster in a simulated press box known as "You Call the Play." The visitor can choose the play and game, and then record his own play by play call.

Other interactive displays include a practice field where you can test your running, kicking, and passing skills. Also, there's a fitness room where you can see if you have the skills needed to be a football player, such as flexibility, balance, agility, strength, and reaction time. There's also an entire room dedicated to the festivities surrounding the game. Here, the fans, the cheerleaders, and the marching bands are honored.

The Hall of Fame also has life-sized exhibits depicting various aspects of the sport, and how it has evolved over the years. This includes the changing media coverage from print to radio to television, as well as the evolution of equipment. This display portrays the old uniforms and how these changed over time into modern protective gear.

Another way visitors get a chance to really see what they want is through the hall's various touch-screen monitors. These allow the visitor to choose what specific areas they want to learn about. Touch-screen monitors, for example show highlights of the founders of college football in the Hall of Champions 1939 and of modern athletes and coaches in the Hall of Champions 1940 to present. The Pantheon, which honors recipients of the 10 (individual football) awards, including the Heisman trophy, contains a Pantheon of Champions.

The faces of the college football greats are enshrined in this passageway in South Bend's own College Football Hall of Fame.
Theatre with touch-screen monitors so that the visitors can see a video exhibit of the players of their choosing. Other displays include memorabilia from the five major bowl games as well as mementoes from each NCAA and NAIA division champion. The Hall of Fame is continuing to grow with more events and more exhibits. Just recently, the Hall unveiled its latest exhibit, "Get Your Programs," which features game programs from the early days of college football to present day programs.

One of the interactive displays challenges Hall of Fame visitors to test their passing skills on a replica football field. Another one of the many interactive displays tests accuracy, dexterity, and college football knowledge.

**BY ARWEN DICKEY**

Charlie breaks on everyone. He tells Claudia about his cancer, but makes it sound like it's the big bad. Claudia gets very upset when she finds out the truth from some pamphlet she got, and proceeds to lecture Charlie on his disease.

Charlie tells Claudia she is only making him feel worse by reminding him that he is sick. When Bailey learns of Charlie's cancer, he proceeds to give advice on the techniques he learned in Alcoholics Anonymous. For example, he tells Charlie to take it one day at a time. Charlie tells Bailey to shut up because he doesn't have a clue about what cancer is like. According to Bailey, Charlie, drinking and cancer are not the same. Bailey can stop drinking. However, Charlie can not stop the cancer. Bailey takes his anger out on Sarah, irrationally yelling at her for taking banana bread over to Charlie. (Charlie said that he had appreciated Sarah's banana bread more than anything Bailey had to tell him.)

Charlie doesn't tell Julia right away, because he knows that she and Griffin are having money problems, and don't want to bother them. Claudia ends up spilling the secret, and gets yelled at by everyone.

The brother and sister have a screaming match because Charlie didn't think Julia cared, and Julia thinks Charlie feels he can't depend on her. To quote Charlie directly, Julia needs to "get over herself" and join the family in supporting him.

Julia and Griffin decide to move back to the house to help out. To recap: Griffin's business was lost, and they couldn't maintain their lifestyle, so they have to move away. They decide to move into the Salinger garage so they will be near the house, but will have their own separate place.

Another person Charlie can talk to about his cancer is Kirsten, but she is afraid of saying or doing the wrong thing. After alienating everyone, Charlie goes by himself to get his test results. He finds out he has cancer in a number of lymph nodes, and is in Hodgkin's stage 2A. Charlie must have six weeks of intensive radiation therapy.

The rest of the family has a meeting and decides how to put up with Charlie's "crap" since he put up with theirs. They say that no matter what, they won't complain to him, but to each other instead. Charlie comes in and tells everyone it was too much to handle at once, and he is sorry, and wants to start over.

**TONIGHT:** Charlie starts getting radiation. Julia tells Charlie he won't let anyone help and that things have changed. Charlie says the last thing he needs is a lecture on reality. Bailey does not know how to help his brother.

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Wednesday, December 3, 1997

Freshman Ricky Davis was 10-of-11 from the field and scored 26 points in his first start Tuesday night to lead No. 10 Iowa to a 90-60 victory over Drake.

Ryan Bowen, who had 20 points and a career-high 19 rebounds in last Saturday’s win over Long Island University, scored 13 points and grabbed 13 boards for Iowa since 1968.

Davis, who had been backing up senior Darryl Moore, had a hot hand from the start for Iowa, which failed to break the 100-point mark for the first time in four games.

He was 7-of-8 shooting in the first 20 minutes helped Iowa to a 52-28 halftime lead and the Hawkeyes didn’t let up. Davis had averaging 17 points — second-best on the team — and he repeatedly beat defenders with quick moves to the basket. He also showed he could score from the outside, hitting a 3-pointer near the top of the key that gave the Hawkeyes a 77-45 lead with 10:39 to play.

The smaller Bulldogs were outbounded 43-22 and hit just 27 percent, compared to 29 percent for Iowa.

Xavier 88, Central Michigan 54

CINCINNATI

Ninth-ranked Xavier (CIN) flattened out and flat out of sync Tuesday night, but Lenzy Brown scored a season-high 18 points and the Musketeers heartily pulled away to an 88-54 victory over Central Michigan.

Xavier (4-0), playing for the first time in a week, forced Central Michigan into four turnovers and had four players score in double figures as it slowly ground down overmatched Central Michigan (1-8).

The Musketeers have had a different leading scorer in each of their four games, and at least four players have reached double figures in each. Dan Schell led Central Michigan with 11 points.

Shooting was the problem early as Xavier missed nine of its first 11 shots against Central Michigan’s man-to-man defense. Once the shots started falling, Xavier got into its full-court pressure defense, forced turnovers and took control.

A blocked shot and two turnovers set up a seven-point spurt that put Xavier ahead to stay, 14-9, eight minutes into the game. T.J. Johnson hit four consecutive free throws and made Xavier’s first 3-pointer after Central Michigan misses as the Musketeers opened a 40-20 lead in the first half. Xavier scored nine points in a 17-6 spurt that pushed the lead to 73-33 midway through the second.

Central Michigan tried to slow the pace with the tight man-to-man defense, running down the shot clock when it got the ball and fouling a lot. The Musketeers took their toll as starters Curtis Caleyson and Jon Borrowch and backup Aaron Brown picked up their fourth fouls less than six minutes into the second half. All three ended up fouling out.

Utah 64, Providence 58

CHICAGO

Hanno Motolola scored 17 points, including a three-point play to start a pivotal 7-2 second-half run, as No. 11 Utah passed its first test of the season by beating Providence 64-58 Tuesday night.

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It was the opener of the two-day Great Eight event, featuring six of the teams that reached their final eight of last season’s NCAA tournament.

Utah won its first five games by an average of 27 points but had trouble pulling away from the young and undersized Friars.

Ben Perkins scored 15 points and his three-pointer cut Utah’s lead to 45-44 with 9 1/2 minutes to go. The Friars trailed 47-45 when Motolola grabbed a rebound, made a short jumper, hit a free throw by Llewellyn Cole and hit the free throw. The Utah forced a foul with four more fouls to take a 54-43 lead.

Providence failed to make a basket for 5 1/2 minutes after Motolola’s free-throw line to stop a 10-point deficit but remained close because Utah also struggled offensively.

The Utes finished with 65 points and 10 fewer rebounds, while 6-11 Dolace and 6-9 Davis provided a good frontcourt as Utah outproceeded Providence 43-17.
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49ers’ DeBartolo to be indicted for gambling fraud

Associated Press

Baton Rouge, La. Edward DeBartolo Jr. resigned as the head of the San Francisco 49ers Tuesday amid reports that he and former Louisiana Gov. Edwin Edwards are to be indicted by a federal grand jury for gambling fraud.

In a statement from Youngstown, Ohio, DeBartolo’s sister Denise DeBartolo York said she was assuming the position of chairman and chief executive officer of the 49ers. “Because my brother needs to put his full focus on his legal issue, he has resigned as an officer and director of the Edward J. DeBartolo Corp. and its subsidiaries, including his resignation as an officer and director of the San Francisco 49ers,” she said.

She said club president Carmen Policy would continue to run the team’s day-to-day operations, and would become a minority partner and replace her brother as the team’s representative in the NFL for league business.

Edward DeBartolo Jr., who purchased the 49ers in 1977 “Because my brother needs to put his full focus on his legal issue, he has resigned as an officer and director of the San Francisco 49ers,” she said.

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Edward DeBartolo Jr., who purchased the 49ers in 1977 and has presided over five Super Bowl championships, and Edwards were among at least six people who were notified that they will soon be indicted on gambling fraud charges.

The others who were sent “target letters” included Edwards’ son, Stephen Edwards, the newspapers said. The letters are used to notify recipients of imminent indictment and invite them to testify before the grand jury if they wish to offer evidence that could absolve them.

DeBartolo’s presence on the list could mean the indictment concerns events surrounding the awarding of a gaming license in March to a partnership that included DeBartolo and Hollywood Casino Corp. DeBartolo withdrew from the project after the Louisiana State Gaming Control Board demanded that he turn over all documents he gave to the grand jury. They included an “unexecuted agreement” between DeBartolo and Stephen Edwards, according to a copy of the grand jury subpoena.

“We have been aware of the grand jury investigation in Louisiana since Mr. DeBartolo appeared before that panel last June,” said NFL spokesman Joe Browne. “We will have no comment on today’s media reports until our office has had further discussions with Mr. DeBartolo.”
Krysten Schuler, a senior biology major from Bradford, PA, has left her mark at Notre Dame as the guiding force behind the success of the Notre Dame Equestrian Club. After serving as the treasurer for two years, she is currently the President of the club. Under her leadership, the Equestrian Club placed 3rd in the 1996-97 Team Regional and is one of only 12 teams invited to participate in the 1997 Collegiate Invitational to be held in Columbia, South Carolina. Krysten's personal success includes the 1996-97 Reserve Regional Champion and a two year representative in the Zone Championships. She is a former member of the Notre Dame Ski Club and has participated in Women's Interhall Football.

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Irish to a 85-69 win.
"We know that we have to step up and take some of the load off Pat," said MacLeod.

"Later in the season, if he's not having his best night, we have to know that we have other people who can make things happen and give us a chance to win."

After topping Northeast Louisiana before falling to Hawaii over the weekend, the Hoosiers stand at 2-2 on the year.

Knight's group returns four starters from last year's squad, including leading scorer Andrae Patterson, 1996-97 Big Ten freshman of the year A.J. Guyton, Jason Collier, and Charlie Miller. "Indiana is one of those programs that has a lot of talent and is always competitive," said Garrity. "We know that we will certainly have our work cut out for us. That's the way it always is when you go up against Indiana."

Indiana basketball. Special might just be the best way to describe it.

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**Taurus:** This is a day to go places. You could launch a new idea, climb the corporate ladder, or run with the wolves. The best risks are the ones based on your deeply held principles.

**Gemini:** Despite your powerful message, your voice is muted today. Formalities may be more than you can handle. Do whatever it takes, and worry about the damage control tomorrow.

**Cancer:** You may need to take the active role in a relationship if anything is going to happen. Move things to the next level by becoming the spokesperson for your family's goals. Someone needs yourobjectivity.

**Leo:** Free your cargo of dead weight today. Leave an opening in your plans for the element of chance, just to see what happens. Disliking your teacher is no reason to be afraid of learning something new.

**Virgo:** Today you find special delight in sticking to your title role. Let your mind wander into uncharted realms, driven along by a comforting rhythm. Others come to depend on your innovation. Libra: Finish all older business today before starting anything else. Giving friends special treatment will not endear you to your regular customers.

**Sagittarius:** You are distracted by background noises today. Other areas of your life begin to press in on you from the outside. Your goals are important enough to be worth risking what others think of you.

**Capricorn:** Today's impulses are probably worth pursuing. Take all these good feelings in the air and make something happen with them. The weight of the moment is temporary and should be spent, not just admired.

**Aquarius:** Today your personal life beckons, making your external world irrelevant. You are happy to change your mind at will, despite what you may have said yesterday. Shake things up just to see what happens.

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**Arianna:***

To the Observer staff.

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**Women's Basketball**

**Women to face two challenging conference foes**

By JOE CAVATO

In the midst of a challenging out-of-conference schedule, the women's basketball team will take on two conference foes this week. Although they are not national powers, Big East opponents Rutgers (tonight) and Connecticut (Saturday) will provide just as stiff of a challenge. Rutgers and Connecticut are atop the preseason Big East coaches polls in their respective divisions. Although the season is still just getting out of the gates, the 3-1 Irish are hoping to get off to a quick start in conference play.

"It's a big game, especially early on," junior co-captain Sheila McMillen said. "We can't let this game get away from us. It is early in the season, and it is a conference game so we need to come out ready to play and give us a good standing in the Big East right away instead of digging ourselves into a hole.

The Irish will travel to Rutgers after winning two contests in California over the Thanksgiving weekend. Notre Dame rebounded from its loss to Duke a week earlier by knocking off UC-Santa Barbara and UCLA. Win Rutgers will present yet another challenge under the leadership of head coach Vivian Stringer.

Stringer, the fifth winningest women's collegiate coach, is in her third year at Rutgers after 12 seasons at Iowa where she took her team to the NCAA Tournament nine of those 12 years, including one Final Four appearance in the 1992-93 season.

Stringer has assembled two of the best recruiting classes in the nation in her first two seasons at Rutgers. Sophomore guard/forward Usha Gilmore was named to the second team preseason all-Big East by the coaches, and freshman Natasha Pointer was named preseason rookie of the year.

"I think Rutgers is a really athletic team," McMillen said. "I think we'll have to slow them down and stop their penetration. We really need to contain the ball."

That will put pressure on the perimeter defense and senior Mollie Petrick and junior Danielle Green, who have both been productive in recent games.

Green, who missed all of last year with an injury, is coming off back-to-back 19-point performances in California. Green is also known for her defensive pressure and quickness, which could play a vital role in tonight's contest.

Petrick, the team's lone returning starter, has been a solid floor leader for the Irish. McMillen has taken on the role of scorer for the Irish, coming off 23 and 29-point performances. But if the Irish are to be successful tonight, they will need to concentrate on staying within their game.

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**Men's Basketball**

**Irish set to face the Hoosiers**

By MIKE DAY

Sports Editor

It's hard to describe and even more difficult to put a finger on. Simply put, there is something special about Indiana basketball.

There's the history, the tradition, and the mystique. The game is even played in the state where basketball is believed to be born and perfected in. Add the legendary Bobby Knight to the mix, and you're talking about more than your average basketball game.

"Playing Indiana is one of the highlights of the season," said Irish head coach John MacLeod. "They always have a good team, and you know you'll have your work cut out for you in a game against Indiana. But you kind of get a feel that it's something special to play against them."

The Irish travel to Bloomington tonight to take on the Hoosiers at 7:30 p.m. After reeling off a pair of victories at the Joyce Center against Sam Houston State and Northeastern, Notre Dame will attempt to improve its record to 4-1 on the season.

For that to happen, they will have to overcome a bit of recent history. The Hoosiers have won the last two meetings, including a 76-75 victory last season, and the Irish have not won at Assembly Hall since 1973.

"In recent years, we've struggled against them," said MacLeod. "But we have a different team now, so hopefully things will go differently. If we take care of the ball and hit our free throws, we'll be fine."

Senior All-American candidate Pat Garrity was certainly fine in Friday's win over Sam Houston State Bearkats. For the first time this season, Garrity found his rhythm from the field, scoring a season-high 32 points to go along with eight rebounds.

However, for the Irish to be successful, it is Garrity's supporting cast that must step to the forefront tonight against the Hoosiers. After being completely shut down at Marquette, the group enjoyed its best effort of the season in the 19-point win over the Bearkats.

Against Sam Houston State, sophomore guard Keith Priel was the story of the game, coming off the bench to tally a career-best 16 points. If that weren't enough, center Phil Hickey added 14 points, and swingman Antoni Wyche poured in 11 to help stave off 23 and 29-point performances. But if the Irish are to be successful tonight, they will need to concentrate on staying within their game.

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