Malloy delivers annual address

University President Father Edward Malloy speaks Thursday in his annual address to faculty members.

By BETH ERICKSON
News Writer

In his annual faculty address on Thursday, University President Father Edward Malloy presented the University’s most recent 10-year strategic planning report, entitled “Notre Dame 2010: Fulfilling the Promise.”

The 2003 version of the decennial report highlights Notre Dame’s “providential mission” to be one of the great universities of the world, which relates to the University’s position as a great Catholic academic institution, Malloy said.

“We must take the next step and measure our success by the highest standards in conso-
nance with Catholic tradition,” said Malloy. “The time has come to fulfill our potential for historic greatness.”

“Notre Dame 2010: Fulfilling the Promise” proposes three essential goals for the University over the next decade: improvement in the relationship between teaching and research, emphasis of the centrality of community in educating the “whole person” and the fostering of a pre-eminent center of Catholic intellectual life.

Malloy said teaching and research are “two facets of the same academic reality.” The University can maintain its success programs in teaching and research by striving for innovations in teaching and forging for itself an acknowl-
edged position among peer institutions in terms of both graduate programs and faculty

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Saint Mary’s looks for a fight song

“I’m hoping to bring together not only the present four classes of Saint Mary’s, but the future and past classes, for unity of all Saint Mary’s women,” Lerner said.

As liaison between athletics and student government, Lerner said her job is to encourage student support and involvement in athletics. When she first took office, she said she was surprised to learn that no fight song existed.

“There has been talk amongst students for a few years about wanting a fight song, but the interest to develop one always fell through,” director of Student Activities and Board of Governors Association President Georganna Rosenbush said.

The development of the song will benefit the entire commu-
nity, not just athletics, Rosenbush said. Student lead-
er organizations often travel to conferences where other schools chant their fight song.

Saint Mary’s students will now be able to answer back.

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Archbishop of Chicago speaks

Cardinal Francis George, the archbishop of Chicago, delivered a keynote address Thursday night to kick off an ecumenical conference entitled, “Fermentation and Renewal.”

George said he appreci-
at ed the invitation to speak at the conference, which runs through Saturday. “At Notre Dame I see so many Chicago names and the results of so much Chicago money,” he quipped.

His remarks in McKenna Hall focused on “The Legacy of Pope John Paul II,” specifically how the pope has addressed post-
Enlightenment conflict between faith and reason.

He decried modern secularism which he said looks at God as “a competitor, try-
ing to restrain human free-
dom.”

“And if God is a threat to our freedom, then he must be killed, because we kill for our freedom,” George said.

He praised the pope’s lead-
er against secularism, saying “there are many rea-
sions to be grateful to God for John Paul II and his min-
nistry.”

“This papacy has an image of a God who is pre-
occupied with humanity. And if God is a humanist, then the humanist should be godly,” George said.

In speaking about the
INSIDE COLUMN

Justifying my choice

I always have to defend myself when the topic of my choice college. Well, maybe not so much the college, as the name Saint Mary’s speaks for itself, but rather the demographic location of my choice of college.

When home in Southern California, people always say, "you are-you-insane?" look when I tell them I attend school in Indianna. The contrast between the two is accompanied with some of naivete but truly sincere question such as "Do they have greasers that are over there?" or "Are you ever cow tipping yet?"

Hard-core Californians are more comfortable with crossing the boarder into Mexico than venturing past, say, Arizona.

While I reside here in South Bend the response is not much better. My freshman orientation counselor asked me point-blank exactly what I thought I was doing here. Close friends still find it hard to believe the decision is all that irrational. My yo-yoing across the country with yo-yoing friends still find it hard to believe the response is not much better. My yo-yoing friends still find it hard to believe the decision is all that irrational.

My friends excitement made me an excuse to go shopping. With my family's Volkswagen van. We hit the superstore. In my first few weeks at college, as the name Saint Mary's, I thought I was doing here.

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I took my first freez ing dive into Lake Michigan and made my first attempt at water-skiing. I was pretty lucky on my first ever. I always have to defend myself when the topic of my choice college. Well, maybe not so much the college, as the name Saint Mary’s speaks for itself, but rather the demographic location of my choice of college.

The exchange has not been one sided. I was able to give my college friends their first taste of west coast life ever since I decided to move from California and live in Indiana. The Midwest gives me an excuse to go shopping. With my family's Volkswagen van. We hit the superstore. In my first few weeks at college, I thought I was doing here. Close friends still find it hard to believe the decision is all that irrational. My yo-yoing friends still find it hard to believe the response is not much better. My yo-yoing friends still find it hard to believe the decision is all that irrational.

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On South Quad Thursday, engineering students execute one of their biggest projects of the fall semester — launching objects to hit an exact target. This project takes weeks of preparation, and the students get only one chance to hit their targets.

In Brief

The Notre Dame Center for Ethics & Culture invites students to join in exploring sources of moral and spiritual renewal, renewal, reform and formation available in a culture marked by the loss of meaning and direction. This conference takes place all day today in McKenna Hall.

Enjoy lunch with Multicultural Student Programs and Services, co-sponsored by Johnson & Johnson today from noon to 1:30 p.m. in the LaFortune Ballroom.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer/Megan O'Neill at oon0907@saintmarys.edu.

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OFFBEAT

U.K. dog sniffs out suspicious cash

LONDON — A real pound pooh pooch trained by police to sniff out banknotes helped authorities confiscate more than $39,000 in cash when Joe Francis' truck was stolen, he didn't get his part for driving the truck and drove it away.

He trailed the truck until he knew the key gets stuck in the ignition. so I figured I swung around and followed. "It was pretty lucky on my part and pretty stupid on his part for driving the truck around here," Francis said.

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Victim of theft steals his truck back

CRESCENT CITY, Calif. — When Joe Francis' truck was stolen, he didn't get his part for driving the truck and drove it away. "I knew the key got stuck in the ignition, so I figured it would be in there. That's probably why it got stolen in the first place," Francis said.

Information compiled from the Associated Press.

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QUESTION OF THE DAY: WHAT'S YOUR PREDICTION FOR THE FOOTBALL GAME THIS WEEKEND?

WHO ARE YOU PLAYING?

Alan Choo
Freshman O'Neill

Really good!
Chloe Risto
Senior Off-Campus

I'm going to stick with 'em, 20 points over the Panthers!
Gabriel Rosanio
Sophomore Morrissey

There's no way we can lose!
Spencer Quiel
Senior Fisher

Better than Michigan.

Tommy Fark
Freshman O'Neill

"Who are we playing?"

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Students produce voter's guide

By MEGAN O'NEIL
News Writer

Students in Professor Susan Baxter's journalism course compiled the booklet, which follows last year's inaugural edition. The Toolkit includes biographical information and campaign goals for candidates seeking eleven different municipal positions, including those running in the South Bend and Mishawaka mayoral races.

As a result of the smaller-scale elections this year, the Toolkit will only be available in an online form.

Baxter said she created the idea for the project two years ago out of necessity. New to the area, she and her husband requested a resource was available although it was unfamiliar to the dynamics of local politics. Their work on the Toolkit has been smoother than the first. While not all the candidates contacted this year chose to be interviewed, those who did were very gracious, students said.

Last year, one student's assigned candidate left the interview abruptly and it was forced to pay for a large breakfast bill herself. In another more serious incident, students discovered that a candidate did not have a legal address in South Bend, a requirement for someone seeking public office.

Members of the South Bend community have welcomed the Toolkit warmly. When word of the resource got out, voters began to request the guide specifically.

Last year, hard copies were distributed at the county clerk's office, libraries, and Wal-Mart. A link to online version can be found on the Women's League of Voters office. The Toolkit is available on the Tribune's Web site. Baxter calls the success of the project a testament to Saint Mary's and its students, and she and students plan to continue publishing the guide annually.

"I wasn't surprised with the product last year, and what has come in this year so far," Baxter said. "I wouldn't do this project with a lesser group of students."

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Campus-wide Fair to be held

By AMANDA MICHAELS
News Writer

In a showcase of Notre Dame's diversity of culture and talent, the third annual Campus-wide Fair will take place on North Quad from 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday, with enough music, dancing and free food to fill up the void of a football bye weekend.

Sponsored by, among others, the Student Government, Student Union Board, Multicultural Student Programs and Services, Student Activities, Campus Ministry and the Class of 2006, the Fair involves over 40 clubs of all interests from around campus, including multicultural, performance, and media groups.

An excellent venue through which the cultural clubs can do a big event and share their culture with those who have never experienced it," said Garcia. Besides being regaled with free entertainment and food, students will also be given the opportunity to win raffled prizes, such as gift certificates to Legends and tickets to see David Spade at the JACC that evening. The dorm with the highest attendance will also be rewarded for its efforts.

"Held early in the year, during a football bye weekend, the Fair represents a taste of what each cultural club has to offer throughout the rest of the academic year. It speaks a message of welcome," Garcia said.

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die each year from prostate cancer, and one in six are at some risk of developing the disease. The event is sponsored primarily by RecSports and the Alumni Association, is divided into three components: a six-mile run, a three-mile run and a two-mile walk. All the money raised by the event will begin and end near the quad in front of the library and follow a course designed to highlight the most scenic aspects of campus.

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research Malloy said. "We will not grow substan­
tially in size, but rather in qual­ity," Malloy said of the planned expansion of on-campus research and research programs. Notre Dame hopes to estab­lish a rich, robust community of scholars creating learning opportunities for increas­ing numbers of students and faculty.

"We've got a long way yet to go, but I think we are making
great progress," Malloy said. "The University will strive to strengthen the bonds we are making" and provide a "vibrant, healthy learning community by increas­ing the number of students and faculty.

"Ethics ought to inform all that we do," Malloy said.

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The first phase of the project is to generate lyrics through a competition open to the Saint Mary's community. Lerner said that more than 100 entries were received for this first phase of the project, which was held a year ago. The competition was open to the campus community, and Lerner said it was an "eye-opener" for some of the students and faculty.

"There were some really amazing ideas," Lerner said. "There were some students who really stepped up their game with some really exciting ideas." Lerner said that the second phase of the project will take place later this year and will involve the creation of a new song for the Notre Dame Spirit. The second phase will involve the creation of a new song for the Notre Dame Spirit, which will then be performed at the Saint Mary's football games.

Malloy said. "We've got a lot of exciting opportunities for students and faculty to get involved in this project. We want to make sure that everyone has a chance to participate." Malloy said that the second phase of the project will involve the creation of a new song for the Notre Dame Spirit, which will then be performed at the Saint Mary's football games.

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have heard that isn't the case. McNeff has seen a slow, gradual increase in revenue. As McNeff has increased the speed of the bar, he has also increased the number of customers.

"And there are still the same specials," he added, alluding to the fact that the old Boat Club it always was, McNeff said.

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MEN'S HOCKEY GOLD GAME vs. Western Ontario @ the JACC 7:30 PM

FREE 2 Tix to Pizza to first 250 fans

Hockey long-sleeve T-Shirt to first 800 ND students

FREE ND Gold Game T-shirts to first 100 fans

CROSS COUNTRY ND INVITATIONAL @ Burke Course (9 Hole)

Women @ 4:15 PM · Men @ 5:00 PM

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Sunday, October 5th

#2 WOMEN'S SOCCER vs. Villanova @ Alumni Field 1:00 PM

FREE Marco's Pizza seat cushion to first 200 fans

FREE Marco's Pizza to first 250 fans (while supplies last)
INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Israel will build settlement homes JERUSALEM — Israel announced Thursday it would build settlements homes in Jewish set-

tlements in the West Bank, violating a U.S.-

backed peace plan and angering Palestinians

already struggling to meet obligations

since then, the couple will receive no jail time or fines under

the deal, and the misdemeanor conviction

expected Thursday beyond the White House and

destroy"

Ball

Joseph Wilson, who has accused the Bush

pleaded guilty to custodial interference. The

Jensens smiled

Nakamura,

said they accepted

goal

climbed onto them

No WMDs in Iraq, U.S. official reports

All we want for [Gilman] is to do his legal

work, and there was almost

effect, he said, and there was almost

sign that a significant nuclear

weapons project was under way.

We have not found at this point

actual weapons," Kay said. "It does

not mean we’ve concluded there are

no actual weapons.

In addition to intent, we have

found a large body of ongoing activities and equipment that were

not declared to the U.N. inspectors

when they returned in November of last year," he said.

He cautioned that the search was

still under way and said he should

know within six to nine months if there

was more to be found.

The lack of substantive findings so

far brought immediate negative reactions from both Republicans and

Democrats in Congress — and also

seemed certain to raise new questions

among allies overseas about the Bush administration’s justification

for going to war.

"I’m not pleased by what I heard

today, but we should be willing to

adopt a wait and see attitude — and

that’s the only alternative we really

have," said Sen. Pat Roberts, R-Kan.,

the chairman of the Senate Intelligence Committee.

Sen. Jay Rockefeller, D-W.Va.,
said of Kay’s briefing: "There was talk

about facilities that might. There was

talk about intent. But there was

not talk about weapons of mass

destruction. ... There’s nothing to

point to and they’re asking for another six to

nine months."
The founder of Habitat for Humanity will be visiting the Notre Dame campus chapter of the organization, this weekend as the chapter begins construction on its tenth house in the South Bend area. Michael Fuller, who is scheduled to speak Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium, will talk about his own life as well as Habitat for Humanity in the South Bend area.

"Millard Fuller has done as much as to make the dream of homeownership a reality in our country and throughout the world as any living person." - Bill Clinton, former U.S. president

The construction of the tenth house is a significant accomplishment for the Notre Dame chapter, which is among the top three college chapters in the country. These houses are fully funded, organized and built by students, which is very unique," said McCormick.

The club will work throughout the year at a cost of $25,000 before dedicating the house to a single-mother with six children. "This is a huge occasion of celebration for Habitat for Humanity at Notre Dame," said chapter co-president Colin Dowdell.

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**Ethics education honored**

Wall Street Journal ranks Notre Dame in the top five for ethical graduates.

By JOE TROMBELLO

A special section of the Sept. 17 edition of the Wall Street Journal ranked Notre Dame's MBA program among the nation's top five for producing ethical graduates. The program tied for fourth place in ethics while the Mendoza College of Business ranked 31st in a survey of nearly 2,200 MBA recruiters.

"Today, ethical values in business are fundamental," he said. "It's not an easy thing, but we have to face that." Notre Dame's two-year MBA program requires its students to take several classes that focus on ethics. Students must take a 1.5 credit class entitled "Conceptual Foundations of Business Ethics" during their second semester and at least two additional 1.5 classes on more specific ethics topics, such as "Marketing Ethics" or "International Business Ethics."

"We must challenge students about how much their values are worth and develop an awareness in them of the ethical implications of business decisions," Woc said in the article.

As a Catholic University, Notre Dame has always focused on teaching ethics. According to Mendoza faculty, ethics have been integrated into the business curriculum since the 1970s, well before many other business colleges added ethics courses and requirements in response to recent corporate scandals.

"Today many schools are adding ethics courses, but for Notre Dame, this is nothing new," said Oliver Williams, associate professor of management. "Williams is currently serving as a visiting professor at two South African business schools in Cape Town — the University of Cape Town and Stellenbosch University — where he is helping to develop an ethics program.

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In Brief

Guidant names Lorell to position

INDIANAPOLIS — Guidant Corp. said Thursday it has named Beverly Lorell to the newly created position of chief medical and technology officer, effective Nov. 1. Lorell is professor of medicine at Harvard University Medical School and the director of a national program at Boston's Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center. At Indianapolis-based Guidant, Lorell will help direct the technology and telephone development priorities and influence the company's strategic research.

Guidant, a leading maker of defibrillators and pacemakers, also said Lorell will act as an advisor on public policy initiatives. She was also named vice president and a member of Guidant's management committee. In addition, Lorell will join the board of Compass, Guidant's investing and business development group.

Lorell will report to Ronald Dollens, president and chief executive officer of Guidant. Shares of Guidant closed Thursday at $47.89, down 14 cents on the New York Stock Exchange.

Isabel heights unemployment

WASHINGTON — More people submitted new claims for unemployment insurance last week as laid-off workers who were prevented from filing because of Hurricane Isabel applied for benefits.

For the week ending Sept. 27, new applications for jobless benefits rose by a seasonally adjusted 13,000 to a two-week high of 399,000, the Labor Department reported Thursday. New claims hit a high this year of 459,000 in the middle of April. While layoffs have eased somewhat, economists said the current level of claims still points to a sluggish labor market.

The unemployment rate, now at 6.1 percent, is expected to nudge up to 6.2 percent for September. The economy also is expected to add around 250,000 jobs during that month, which would mark the eighth straight month of job losses. The government on Friday was releasing the employment report for September.

FDA targets counterfeit drugs

New problems with counterfeit drugs force government to rework guidelines

WASHINGTON — The government is considering major changes to fight the growing problem of counterfeit drugs, including making manufacturers ship bottles in single-serving sizes rather than bulk and adding holographic or special seals, according to the first report, released Thursday, of the FDA's new counterfeit task force.

In addition to new technology, the agency plans to try to tighten security in the complex supply chain from manufacturers to wholesalers and repackagers before prescription medicines arrive in drug stores.

"At every stop, there are gaps where fake drugs can sneak into the supply," said Cameron Carter, the FDA's deputy assistant commissioner for counterfeiting and high-tech crime. "This is where the dollars are, this is where organized crime is being attracted," Carter said. The FDA investigation of counterfeit painkillers now see faking prescription drugs as an easy sideline.

"We know the drugs available in the United States today are among the safest in the world," Carter said. "But we need to keep it that way until we need to remain on guard." 

But buying drugs over the Internet can increase the risk, and counterfeiters are sneaking into regular drugstores more often, too. The FDA has investigated about 20 counterfeit cases a year since 2000, compared with five a year in the 1990s. One of the biggest cases came last spring, when more than 150,000 bottles of the cholesterol medication Lipitor were recalled. Consumers complaining of a bitter taste alerted the FDA that knockoffs from overseas were mixed into the real version.

The report outlines options that the FDA wants the public as well as drug makers and sellers to comment on before final recommendations are issued in January. 

Also, the FDA is working to tighten security in the complex supply chain from manufacturers to wholesalers and repackagers before prescription medicines arrive in drug stores.

Drugs ordered online, including these shown here at Beau Dietl and Associates, come from foreign companies without quality control and with terrorist ties.

Isidore Powell

Indiana improving tech economy

INDIANAPOLIS — Indiana's No. 36 ranking in tech and IT jobs in the state improves by one place this year of the states in each category.

The rankings for the number of patent applications, the number of tech jobs in the state economy, and educational attainment are significantly by the study's authors expect Indiana to improve on its current ranking of 34th for educational attainment and expected attainment by 2005.

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Indiana is also projected to improve from 23rd to 21th by 2005 in the number of scientists and engineers. And Indiana's No. 36 ranking in venture capital is expected to improve to 31st by 2005.

However, research and development in the state are projected to decline, from 19th to 28th by 2005. The rankings for the number of patents per worker and the number of tech jobs are not expected to change significantly by 2005. Indiana is 27th and 31th, respectively, in those categories. 

Indiana should create a friendly environment for all high-tech companies, not just spend capital trying to attract certain businesses to the state, Carter said. It's important we stay on track with the 2002 tax reforms and that we not change things in midstream that create uncertainty," he said.

The summary scorecard was developed by William Sheldrake, senior vice president of research and policy analysis at Thomas P. Miller and Associates. It covers Indiana's current attainment and expected attainment by 2005 in the six areas, with the goal of reaching the top quartile among all the states in each category.
Saint Mary’s opens new high-tech center

By KELLY MEEHAN  
News Writer

Some of the most advanced computer technology available has found a home in the Husking Instructional Technology Resource Center, located in the lower level of Saint Mary’s Cushwa-Leighton Library.

The Husking Center is the new home for the Instructional Technology Center, which was previously located in the library media center. The center was made possible through a generous grant from the WNDU.

“The center has equipment that anyone would be envious of,” said Dan Mandell, center coordinator.

“The center is intended for students who need digital help for projects,” said Mandell.

Students who wish to use the center’s video editing equipment will need to sign up for a scheduled time.

The center’s equipment is comprised of state of the art computers specifically equipped for video editing and touch screen. It houses a recording studio ideal for conducting interviews. The ITRC employs a number of students to aid students and faculty with technological projects.

Mandell said that currently about 10 students who can help students and faculty with technological projects. The center is open to all students.

The center also has the resources to become a small broadcast studio. It houses a recording studio ideal for conducting interviews. The ITRC employs a number of students to aid students and faculty with technological projects.

The Husking Instructional Technology Resource Center is a place where students can access the support and equipment they need to successfully create a technological work of art.

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Mitchem speaks at SMC

Women and Religion Luncheon features ‘Womanist Theology’

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News Writer

Saint Mary’s annual Women and Religion Luncheon was held Wednesday and highlighted Stephanie Mitchem’s presentation, entitled “Womanist Theology,” which discussed the incorporation of black women’s experiences and lives holistically within theology.

Mitchem, who is from the University of Detroit Mercy, said the womanist theologian’s primary goal is to first strengthen the voice of the black woman, which will, in turn, strengthen the black community.

The second goal is to create a theology that is used as a tool to liberate all people regardless of race, gender or class.

“The intersection of race, gender and class together shape African-American women’s lives,” Mitchem said.

“Womanist theologians focus on exposing and dissecting these points, in hopes that key areas of oppression will gradually fade and eventually be eliminated.”

Faith as well as hope, Mitchem said, was also incorporated when defining womanist theology.

Mitchem said she began developing her own insight into womanist theology while pursuing degrees in ethics, theology and history.

While reflecting on her own journey in developing her spirituality, Mitchem said she feels womanist theology has deepened her faith.

It made the connection between the study of theology and its practice in her life as a black woman.

Mitchem said she feels as though she takes action through her work as a professor and the effect she makes while engaging students with dialogue.

Making connections between subject matter whether history, ethics, theology, ethnography or medicine and womanist theology liberates students she said.

By liberating students, womanist theologians are taking steps towards achieving their secondary goal in liberating everyone she said.

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Cardinal

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The pope’s dramatic and poetic writings, the cardinal focused on John Paul II’s use of light as an allegory. One of the pope’s poems includes the lines, “the element of light; brightness breathes from every side.”

George said the pope’s frequent use of light imagery is manifested in John Paul II’s push for increased public devotion to the rosary. In 2002, the pope added five new “Luminous Mysteries” to the rosary’s existing 15 sections.

He explained the pope’s devotion to prayer, saying, "This is a contemplative life. Constantly, he’s in touch with the Lord."

George said the pope’s prayers give him “the courage we’ve seen.”

In his nearly 25 years as pope, John Paul II has made 102 trips to foreign countries and survived a 1981 assassination attempt.

The speech was eerily timely, as one of his fellow cardinals, Austria’s Christoph Schoenborn, said that the pope was near death.

The conference, sponsored by the Center for Ethics and Culture at Notre Dame, is the first in a three-part series dealing with "reflec-

tion on the renewal and formation that lie at the heart of the culture of life," according to program literature.

Philosophers, theologians, and other academics from around the country will be in attendance. In addition, under-graduate and high school students will present papers.

Senior Jennie Bradley, who helped coordinate the conference, said that past conferences have been successful because of the people they drew.

"We’ve brought a lot of high-level, well respected academics. Each person adds their own little bit of expertise, and it adds up to this awesome whole." - Jennie Bradley, student

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Iraq

Enemy becoming more deadly

U.S. commander: 40 U.S. soldiers wounded weekly

Associated Press

BAGHDAD — Between three and six American soldiers are killed and another 40 wounded every week in Iraq by an enemy that has become more lethal and sophisticated since the fall of Baghdad in April, the commander of coalition forces said Thursday.

Nearly six months after the fall of Baghdad, U.S. soldiers are still facing 15-20 attacks a day, including roadside bombs, Lt. Gen. Ricardo Sanchez said.

Seven to 10 attacks a day involve small groups of fighters. "They're getting attacked every day," Sanchez said of his soldiers. "I'm having soldiers wounded at a rate of about 40 a week and getting killed anywhere from three to six soldiers a week."

Most attacks occur in Baghdad and the surrounding Sunni Muslim stronghold to the west and north of the capital, although it's unclear whether Iraqi or foreign forces account for the majority.

"The enemy has evolved — a little bit more lethal, a little more complex, a little more sophisticated, and in some cases, a little bit more t cautious," Sanchez said.

Since May 1, when President Bush declared the end of major combat operations, 90 American soldiers have been killed by hostile fire in a low-level, guerrilla-style insurgency. A total of 317 Americans have died since the war began March 20, according to the Pentagon.

"We don't see a lot of, though we see some, is gun-shot wounds," Shaw said. "We see a lot of shrapnel wounds, some amputations, some burns — mostly from individual explosive devices.

The two metal flatbeds stocked with cooling equipment, a compressor, and a battered fermentor were first described as Iraqi defectors as part of a weapons program. But that assessment was challenged by U.S. defense analysts, who have become the latest prewar intelligence analysts in Iraq, including many weapons inspectors who have found so far, in fact, equipment and facilities with dual-use capabilities. There is no indication that any of these materials or places are now or were known to U.S. inspectors.

Although Bush and administration officials continue to say publicly that the trailers were part of a biological weapons program, David Kay, the CIA representative charged with leading the weapons search in Iraq, acknowledged Thursday that those findings are "still very much being examined."

"We have not yet been able to corroborate the existence of a mobile BW (biological weapons) production effort," Kay told a Congressional hearing. In fact, a re-examination of the trailers has been under way for several weeks in Baghdad. Led by a CIA representative, the senior military officers told AP, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Photographs of the trailers on the CIA Web site reveal few details but a more recent photo obtained by AP this week offers physical proof of the re-examination carried out by a CIA representative, the senior military officers told AP, speaking on condition of anonymity. The trailers, which were found in April and May, remain at Baghdad's airport, where the weapons teams are based and where the review is being conducted.

In a paper issued May 28, the CIA called the trailers "the strongest evidence to date that Iraq was hiding a biological warfare program." But intelligence analysts from the State Department and the Defense Intelligence Agency have said they believe the trailers were probably used to fill hydrogen weather balloons.

Kaye said an investigation of the trailers "yields a number of explanations including hydrogen, missile propellant and chemical production, but technical limitations would prevent any of these processes from being ideally suited to these trailers."

Military scientists are who analyzed the pair of trailers duration the summer doubted they were designed to function as mobile weapon-delivery systems, according to the three military officers involved in the weapons hunt.

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One of the U.S. scientists who spoke on condition of anonymity, said some of the trailers were "mobile laboratories" that the Iraqis could have tried to produce biological agents and facilities with dual-use capabilities. There is no indication that any of these materials or places are now or were known to U.S. inspectors.

Also, it would have been hard, if not impossible, to hide the evidence. No traces of anthrax, or any other weapons, have been found during more than a hundred tests on the trailers.

Last month, Vice President Dick Cheney repeated the claim that the two trailers "belonged to a biological weapons program."

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Pakistan conducts missile test

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ISLAMABAD, — Pakistan successfully tested a nuclear-capable, surface-to-surface missile early Friday, saying it was the first of several such tests to be conducted over the next several days, the army said.

The Hatf-III Ghaznavi reportedly has a range of 180 miles and can carry conventional or nuclear-warhead weapons. It is considered a short-range missile, but could hit many important targets inside rival India.

"We have successfully tested the Hatf-III," said army spokesman Gen. Shaukat Sultan. The army later released a statement saying that India and other neighboring countries were informed before the test, and that it was the first of "a series" to be conducted in coming days.

In New Delhi, the Indian Defense Ministry had no immediate comment on the Pakistan missile test.

Sultan would not say where the test was conducted.

The missile test came as Prime Minister Zafarul Khan Jamali was visiting the United States, and days after he met with President Bush.

India and Pakistan have frequently used missile tests as a form of diplomatic muscle-flexing. Pakistan, however, denied the test was linked to politics.

The timings of the tests reflect Pakistan's determination not to engage in a tit-for-tat syndrome to other tests in the region," an army statement said. "Pakistan will maintain the pace of its own missile development program and conduct tests as per its technical needs."

Pakistan's last missile test came on March 26, when it fired off a short-range missile shortly after India announced a similar test.

In 1998, the two countries conducted tit-for-tat nuclear weapons tests, shocking the world and earning years of sanctions.

Relations between Pakistan and India had appeared to be on the mend after Indian Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee said in April that he sought peace talks, including over the issue of Kashmir.

The two countries have fought two of their three wars over Kashmir.

COLOMBIA

Priest negotiates for hostages

Associated Press
BOGOTA - A Roman Catholic bishop traveling Thursday with imprisoned commanders of Colombia's second-largest rebel group in an attempt to secure the release of four Israelis and three European hostages.

The Rev. Dario Echeverri told The Associated Press he held several hours of talks at the high-altitude, flag-draped mountains in northwest Colombia with Francisco Galan and Felipe Torres of the leftist National Liberation Army, or ELN. But Echeverri, who is also the secretary-general of the National Reconciliation Commission, declined to comment on the content of the discussions. Earlier this week, he accepted a formal government request to act as a mediator in the kidnappings.

Gumen seized eight backpackers - four Israelis, two Britons, a German and a Spaniard - from ancient jungle ruins in the Sierra Nevada mountains on Sept. 12.

The ELN has said it carried out the abductions to raise awareness about the plight of impoverished villagers, but has not issued ransom demands.

One of the British hostages, Matthew Scott, later escaped and has since been reunited with his family.

Galan, speaking to the AP from the prison by mobile phone, also declined to provide details. A senior commander of the ELN, Galan was captured more than a decade ago but retains influence with the Cuban-inspired group and has mediated in past kidnappings.

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DNA sampling unconstitutionally

SAN FRANCISCO — In a move that could impact hundreds of criminal cases, a three-year-old law that requires federal prisoners and parolees to provide DNA samples for an FBI database was declared unconstitutional Thursday by a federal appeals court.

A three-judge panel of the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that requiring blood samples for the database amounts to an illegal invasion of privacy because they are taken without legal suspicion that the convicts were involved in other crimes.

The court said that is a violation of inmates' Fourth Amendment rights against illegal searches. The samples "constitute suspicionless searches with the objective of furthering law enforcement purposes," Judge Stephen Reinhardt said.

The San Francisco-based 9th Circuit is the most liberal and overturned federal appeals court in the country. The court's three-judge panels are known for several contentious rulings, including one that declared the Pledge of Allegiance unconstitutional in public schools and a decision last month that postponed a recall election.

That ruling was later overturned by a larger 9th Circuit panel.

The ruling could have sweeping impact on criminal cases in California and other states.

Blood samples taken from federal prisoners and those on supervised release have been used to convict hundreds of people, on crimes such as murder and rape. It was too early to say whether those convictions would survive, said Monica Knox, a deputy public defender of Los Angeles.

Knox also said the decision, if it survives, could nullify state laws that require the taking of blood from inmates and parolees.

"Most states have similar laws," Knox said. "This could gut those laws.

"The court covered Arizona, California, Hawaii, Oregon, Idaho, Washington state, Montana, Nevada and Alaska. FBI spokesman Paul Bresson said the bureau's database holds roughly 1.4 million genetic profiles, most of which came from prisoners and parolees. The FBI does not track the number of samples in the database that match physical evidence collected from unsolved crimes.

But U.S. Attorney General Bill Lockyer said that has happened in California about 400 times, including one that led to the conviction of a man in the 1993 rape and murder of two San Diego youths.

Scott Erskine, 40, was serving a 70-year term on unrelated rape charges when his blood was taken for testing from the 1993 crime scene. Last year, his blood also was linked to evidence taken from the 1989 rape and slaying of a Palm Beach County, Fla., woman.

"It was not immediately clear whether the decision would apply retroactively, meaning that those who had given blood could have it withdrawn from the database.

The database was created as part of the federal DNA Analysis Backlog Elimination Act of 2000. Under the law, the FBI analyzes the DNA results and places them in a database open to law enforcement nationwide.

The Justice Department did not have immediate comment on the court's 2-1 decision Thursday.

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Knox said she expected legal challenges ahead. "The decision Thursday concerned Thomas Kincade, a California parolee previously convicted of robbery who refused to give a sample. A lower court judge had upheld a parole violation."

"I believe the opinion applies to prisoners, too," Knox said.

"There will be more litigation on this, I'm sure." The 9th Circuit said the decision in Kincade's case does not overturn rules that, for example, allow random drug testing of students who play school sports.

Arnold admits to indiscretions

SAN DIEGO — Confronted with fresh allegations that he groped women, Arnold Schwarzenegger said Thursday he would prove he is a "champion for the women." As he took the stage, the crowd interrupted him with cheers.

The California governor's troubles have worsened after the Los Angeles Times reported the accusations of sexual harassment against Schwarzenegger of sexually assaulting women over the past three decades.

Three of the women told the Times that Schwarzenegger groped their breasts. One said he tried to take her bathing suit off in a hotel elevator, and another said he put his hand up her skirt and grabbed her buttocks.

Still another said he pulled her on his lap and asked if she ever had a particular sex act performed on her.

"All is not forgiven. He's got a pattern of this for 30 years. It just doesn't just go away," Karen Pomer, a former bodybuilder and the women's group CodePink, said after the apology.

USDA ignored outbreak warnings

WASHINGTON The Agriculture Department ignored warnings from its own inspectors and failed to recognize that harmful bacteria was becoming a problem at a Nebraska Beef plant months before a food-poisoning outbreak sickened 46 people, an audit by the Agriculture Department's inspector general says.

In the report obtained by The Associated Press, the inspector general said the Agriculture Department's Food Safety and Inspection Service and ConAgra failed to keep harmful E. coli from contaminating hamburger meat at the Greeley, Colo., plant before recalling 19 million pounds of meat linked to the outbreak.

According to the audit to be released Friday, records kept by federal inspectors and by ConAgra showed E. coli — a bacteria found in cattle feces — was a continuous problem at the plant from January 2001 until the summer of 2002, when ConAgra issued the recall.

Although meat inspectors issued several warnings that ConAgra for falling to comply with meat safety requirements, "FSIS took no decisive enforcement action," auditors said. Instead, it continually allowed ConAgra to introduce superficial stopgap measures, such as increasing supervision or retraining an employee.

Fed. inspectors who checked meat at ConAgra repeatedly warned their managers about samples testing positive for E. coli, the auditors said, but we could find no evidence that FSIS managers responded to the concerns raised.

The audit also found the inspectors "did not perform their own tests and did not review other test results that were available to them," even though law requires them to.

However, the auditors blamed some of the inspectors' shortcomings on loyalties in the Agriculture Department's meat safety program.

For instance, the meat safety agency exempted processors like ConAgra from government testing of their products, in effect allowing the company to run tests for bacteria. Because of this, the company did not share some of its results with inspectors, the audit said.

The auditors did not ask to see some of ConAgra's test results because they determined FSIS had no clear authority to review non-government tests, even though they knew those tests showed the presence of the E. coli pathogen, auditors wrote.

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The latest California gubernatorial poll placed actor Arnold Schwarzenegger ahead of more than 130 candidates. Polling at 40 percent, Schwarzenegger outdistanced his nearest rival and the only prominent Democrat in the race, Lieutenant Governor Gray Davis, 29 percent. Davis, a moderate Democrat who has appealed to moderate Republicans, hopes to capture the fancy of California voters.

"They have compared Schwarzenegger's political rise with the career of fellow actor Ronald Reagan. They contend that both were political outsiders whose rise to the top of the California gubernatorial race launched their political activism. Nothing could be farther from the truth. Reagan's political expertise runs "Hummers" over Schwarzenegger's political past. Reagan served as director of the Screen Actor's Guild and wrote a syndicated political column. Haw, having once been a Democrat, converted to Barry Goldwater's conservative philosophy and became a prominent political force. Schwarzenegger, in a 1964 televised proposal for Goldwater. Schwarzenegger's strength emanated from his role as a star and his firm set of beliefs. Schwarzenegger has shyly declined the great responsibility of being a statesman on the national stage. He broadly proclaims that he will not have "obstacles, no taxes and bring stability to the state government. He offers his "outsider" status as the solution to the state's problems.

Political cycles are as regular as weather cycles. A political party in office will eventually lose favor with the public regardless of how well matters are run. Those on the outside are always itch to enter, often can change or often change when dis­­­­­­­­cords. However, "outsiders" who are elected can become a realistic answer, the fact is that the outsider is an elected leader who can bring a new perspective.

Three factors determine how an outsider will perform in office — common sense instincts, campaign funding and political staff. Any candidate can rubbish his or her campaign to include an insider into the system, which only helps the insider. While ideology plays a role in all political administrations, it cannot play the primary role in every decision. Elected officials often become paralyzed when an ideology becomes a theology.

Presidential history in the past decade is a good gauge of how well outsiders have fared in politics. A war-weary electorate chose General Eisenhower to end the American involvement in the Korean War and for the better part of the 1950s. Eisenhower's pragmatic principles were not skewed by a zealous ideology or philosophy.

Watergate weary Americans turned to outsider and born-again Christian Jimmy Carter who promised to be truthful. Carter's hand-on work with ethical overwhelmed him in the Oval Office. His "honest" rhetoric describing a national malaise served to demoralize the public. More importantly, his inexperienced inner circle clashed with fellow Democrats on Capitol Hill, creating an appearance of ineffective government.

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The latest California gubernatorial poll placed actor Arnold Schwarzenegger ahead of more than 130 candidates. Polling at 40 percent, Schwarzenegger outdistanced his nearest rival and the only prominent Democrat in the race, Lieutenant Governor Gray Davis, 29 percent. Davis, a moderate Democrat who has appealed to moderate Republicans, hopes to capture the fancy of California voters.

"They have compared Schwarzenegger's political rise with the career of fellow actor Ronald Reagan. They contend that both were political outsiders whose rise to the top of the California gubernatorial race launched their political activism. Nothing could be farther from the truth. Reagan's political expertise runs "Hummers" over Schwarzenegger's political past. Reagan served as director of the Screen Actor's Guild and wrote a syndicated political column. Haw, having once been a Democrat, converted to Barry Goldwater's conservative philosophy and became a prominent political force. Schwarzenegger, in a 1964 televised proposal for Goldwater. Schwarzenegger's strength emanated from his role as a star and his firm set of beliefs. Schwarzenegger has shyly declined the great responsibility of being a statesman on the national stage. He broadly proclaims that he will not have "obstacles, no taxes and bring stability to the state government. He offers his "outsider" status as the solution to the state's problems.

Political cycles are as regular as weather cycles. A political party in office will eventually lose favor with the public regardless of how well matters are run. Those on the outside are always itch to enter, often can change or often change when dis­­­­­­­­cords. However, "outsiders" who are elected can become a realistic answer, the fact is that the outsider is an elected leader who can bring a new perspective.

Three factors determine how an outsider will perform in office — common sense instincts, campaign funding and political staff. Any candidate can rubbish his or her campaign to include an insider into the system, which only helps the insider. While ideology plays a role in all political administrations, it cannot play the primary role in every decision. Elected officials often become paralyzed when an ideology becomes a theology.

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Ordinary music for the peoples

By SARAH YABULAS
Scene Editor

Friday night at Legends promises to be a night full of energy and spunk. The Ohio hip-hop trio Ordinary Peoples will perform a two-hour set beginning at 9 p.m. Art "Scraps" Goldstein, the emcee of the group, Gerard Garrelts, who plays drums and duets out samples, and Ben Levels, who plays the keyboard and does most of the vocals, make up the band Ordinary Peoples. A guitarist, Pat Edwards, recently joined Ordinary Peoples which the band hopes will add more flair to their style.

"It's a learning process to find people to complete the sound we were going for," Scraps said. "We had a guy who played saxophone for O.A.R. and guitar for us, but he left after we decided what was best. We are all about the future."

Ordinary Peoples is in based in Columbus, Ohio and has traveled throughout much of the Eastern United States, playing shows in various cities and campuses, but their main audience remains mostly college students.

The trio has been hoping to play Notre Dame for a while. "Notre Dame always seemed like a great place to perform. It's a great thing to have the opportunity to do play there," Levels said, who handles most of the rap freestyle. Levels has also contacted WVFI, the student-run Notre Dame radio station to see if they would play any Ordinary Peoples music.

Ordinary Peoples has three CDs out, but Scraps said, "Urban Sprawl, our most recent, is the best representation of us. We don't really sell the other two anymore."

The CD "Urban Sprawl" has a great sound with a lot of energy. Each track has a different feel for it, using many different instruments and methods in creating catchy music with potential.

"We are an urban band with a hip-hop feel," Levels said. "We use different elements of our background and our music rules as urban rockadelic. We have a big hip-hop, reggae rock influence."

The band uses both acoustic and electronic instruments to make their distinct sound.

"I play a combination of acoustic and electronic drums. With the electronic drums, we have a lot of energy with a clear, crisp, banging sound," Garrelts said. "The computer runs live while running samples and loops to give out sound a lot more body. It helps to flatten out our sound a lot. I'm half-man, half-machine up there."

Ordinary Peoples finds inspiration from all over for their music. "It is really just random. Inspired by other music. We get inspiration from watching the news, watching everyday life," Scraps said. "My most recent purchase is the new OutKast album. But we also find inspiration from Pink Floyd, Bob Dylan, the classics. Even Salt 'N' Pepa. The new thing is this emo hip-hop music."

The name of the band, Ordinary Peoples, explains the band's view on life. "It's our thing. It's our way of spreading to the masses," Garrelts said. "Something they can latch onto. Ordinary Peoples means just for the people."

Ordinary Peoples is working hard to continue breaking out of the Midwest area. "We're getting a lot of national attention," Levels said. "We are on a new track for a new movie coming out, 'Winter Break.'"

Scraps has performed with the reggae and roots-rock jam band O.A.R., also from Ohio, on a regular basis. O.A.R. has become national known with albums quickly selling and concerts highly populated. His most recent tour was on their Spike Tour. Ordinary Peoples has been establishing relationships with all sorts of bands from all over to continue their venture into the mainstream music of young America. They are beginning to gain interest from various labels and companies, pushing them to become a larger scale band.

"It's a matter of deciding who we're going to go with," Scraps said. "We're trying to get on a national tour."

Their current record label is GAB records, their independent label. Ordinary Peoples writes and produces the album on their own. "We do all the stuff ourselves," Scraps said. "We always seem to do just as much, if not more, on our own. We go that extra length to get it done."

Levels admits that the band draws inspiration from all sorts of genres of music. "We are all into The Roots and Black-Eyed Peas. We also draw from Bob Marley," Levels said. "Those were the initial things. I also like listening to a lot of classic rock like Jimmy Hendrix, Pink Floyd, Simon and Garfunkel, The Doors and Peter Frampton. I'm drawing from the rock of the '60s and '70s," Garrelts said.

Ordinary Peoples tours mostly independently. Scraps and Garrelts split up the duties of booking the shows. They have shows planned in Morgantown, W.Va., along with a slew of Ohio dates. Their biggest show will be at Ohio University. "We do a lot of stuff with fraternities and organizations," Levels said.

They spent a week on tour with O.A.R. and have local bands they have linked up with occasionally. "It's just us doing our thing," said Scraps. "We're working on a New York show, but the place we used to play shut down, so we are finding a new place to play."

The show is going to be energetic and high energy. Our music is danceable. Most of the songs will be heard and sing along. It's a fun time," Levels said. "It's an exciting thing. A big party. We play good music. We are a great, energetic band with music you can dance to."

"We take [the show] to a different place. It has a good vibe. The music is cool. The music is accessible. We plan to get the crowd involved. There is an essence of hip-hop. We do spontaneous jams and vibe on the crowd. We freestyle. It's a fun show. It's a party."

Ordinary Peoples plans to play songs from their newest album, but also play some new material not on an album yet. "We might even play a few covers. We're not sure what we'll do for this show. We might play some John Lennon, The Fugees, Snoop Dogg and OutKast," Levels said. "We will definitely include some freestyle both musically and lyrically. There is structure about it, but at the same time, we just let the spirit take over."

The band loves to play for a lively crowd. Touring gives them a boost of energy and brings them joy. "My favorite thing ever is when we're playing a live show and the look on people's faces is that they are having the best time of their lives," Garrelts said. "They are just living in the moment."

Ordinary Peoples will play at Legends tonight. Doors open at 8:30 p.m. and the band goes on at 9 p.m. Admission is free for Notre Dame, Saint Mary's and Holy Cross students. For further information about the band, visit the Ordinary Peoples official Web site at www.ordinarypeoples.com. For more information about the show, or for a list of upcoming events at Legends, visit the Legends Web site at www.nd.edu/~legends.

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Keough hosts chariot race

Keough Hall sponsors their 6th annual signature chariot race on Saturday

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THE OBSERVER

Keough Hall has a winning tradition in this annual event, according to Sweigart. "We feel it sets the tone for our whole year."

The planning phase is a daunting process. "We have our own in-class line commissioner and a social committee," explained Sweigart, "and Keough Hall's Residence Life Committee." The social committee is in charge of all the activities throughout the year, which include the chariot races from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., food and drinks from Subway and Pizza Hut, a performance from the Notre Dame Poms Squad at 12:30, and a movie at 4:00. The committee works hard to ensure the smooth running of the event.

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NEW YORK — Now that's more like what New York fans expect from a postseason game at Yankee Stadium.

Andy Pettitte pitched another gem under pressure, Jason Giambi turned the boos to cheers and the Yankees beat the Minnesota Twins 4-1 Thursday night to even their best-of-five AL playoff series at a game apiece.

After a sloppy loss during the day in Game 1, the Yankees got their big ballpark in the Bronx rocking with a three-run seventh inning that snapped a 1-1 tie. Alfonso Soriano hit a go-ahead single off LaTroy Hawkins, and this time it was the Twins who made defensive errors that opened the door.

"Something about a night game at Yankee Stadium, I guess it comes alive out there," Pettitte said. "I could sense it, I don't usually get too emotional, I don't usually get too excited. There were a lot of fans tonight. It was a fun game."

Yankees manager Joe Torre took no chances, bringing in Mariano Rivero to pitch the final three innings of the victory.

"When you take Andy Pettitte out with the kind of courage he showed tonight, it would have been tough to replace him with anybody other than Rivero...I don't think anybody more than I trust Andy," Torre said.

The victory came on the 25th anniversary of one of the Yankees' most famous wins — the day Bucky Dent homered at Fenway Park to help beat Boston. That was the first playoff game for the AL East title.

Athletics 5, Red Sox 1

Barry Zito got plenty of rest and no relaxation on the night before he dominated the Boston Red Sox.

While his Oakland teammates worked late for a 12-inning victory in the division series opener, Zito was wide awake in bed. He turned the radio on and off, called his parents — and finally stayed occupied until the Athletics were finished.

On Thursday, Zito had a spring in his step and a nasty dip in his curveball — and he put the A's in command of the best-of-five series by striking out nine over seven impressive innings. Oakland sent bleary-eyed Boston to the brink of playoff elimination with a 5-1 victory in Game 2.

The teams took the field for batting practice slightly more than an hour after Eric Chavez scored the winning run in Game 1 on Ramon Hernandez's daring bases-loaded bunt.

"I think I pictured it pretty well," Zito said. "But I still came in the clubhouse and watched the tape of the last couple of guys, just to make it real and get me fired up for the game today."

Mission accomplished: The Cy Young winner's looping curve was in top form, and Boston's record-setting offense spent the afternoon flailing at his best stuff. The A's didn't score again after an impressive second-inning rally, but Zito and relievers Chad Bradford and Keith Foulke easily made it stand up.

"Everybody was here early, even though it was a really tough night," said Hernandez, who had an RBI single.
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COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Miami survives big scare to beat W. Virginia

Associated Press

MIAMI — Miami freshman Jon Peattie was singing along with the music playing in the Orange Bowl, trying to stay calm. He had to walk through three times — called by West Virginia as he set up again and again and again for the game-winning field goal.

Peattie then calmly kicked a 23-yard field goal with 11 seconds remaining as the second-ranked Hurricanes staved off an upset with a 22-20 victory over West Virginia on Thursday night.

"Peattie said. "But something I learned when I came to college was that every game matters, no matter how short it is."

Peattie finished with a school-record field goals, his biggest coming after Miami drove 66 yards with 9:30 of playing. Peattie's other field goals were 22, 32, 43 and 49 yards.

In his final game of the regular season, Peattie made a game-winning field goal with 11 seconds remaining as the second-ranked Hurricanes staved off an upset with a 22-20 victory over West Virginia on Thursday night.

"We played badly, but we won," said Miami's Jarrett Payton, the game's defensive MVP.

Miami's Jarrett Payton is chased by the West Virginia defense in the Hurricanes' 22-20 win over the Mountaineers Thursday.

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Bryant accuser will not be forced to testify

Associated Press

EAGLE, Colo. — In a setback for Kobe Bryant, the judge in the rape case Thursday refused to force the basketball star’s accuser to testify at a preliminary hearing and said the proceedings will probably be kept open to the public.

The decision to keep the hearing open could prompt Bryant’s defense team to waive the Oct. 9 proceeding and head straight to trial. Either way, Bryant still must appear next week for a bail hearing, Judge Frederick Gannett said.

The judge also decided to turn down defense requests to see the woman’s medical records. She was treated earlier this year at a hospital after police at the University of Northern Colorado, where she was a freshman, determined she was “a danger to herself.”

The defense request suggested that Bryant’s attorneys wanted to raise questions about the woman’s mental stability. Prosecutors and attorneys for the woman and for hospitals argued that such records are protected under state and federal privacy laws. And Gannett said the issue should be decided by the presiding judge if the case goes to trial.

Bryant’s attorneys did not return calls for comment Thursday. Bryant was charged with felony sexual assault after the woman said he attacked her June 30 at the mountain resort where she worked and he was a guest. The Los Angeles Lakers’ star has said the two had consensual sex.

Prosecutors are expected to present key evidence at the hearing, including photographs of what they say are injuries to the woman, a videotaped statement from her and an “electronically enhanced” statement by Bryant that supports much of what his accuser told investigators.

However, Gannett said prosecutors plan to withdraw the video and audio statements if the preliminary hearing remains open.

A spokeswoman for the prosecution did not return a call for comment. The judge plans to meet with attorneys to decide whether parts of next week’s hearing should be closed to preserve Bryant’s right to a fair trial.

Preliminary hearings determine whether there is enough evidence to put someone on trial.

In Brief

Rose investigation to be published

NEW YORK — Details of the Pete Rose gambling investigation will be available to the public but not for several years.

John Dowd, the lawyer who head­ed the probe that led to Rose’s lifetime ban from baseball, has donated boxes of materials on Rose to the Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N.Y. “It is some neat stuff,” Jim Gates, library director of the Hall of Fame, said Thursday.

Dowd sent the material to the Hall last winter. Gates said. But don’t expect to be thumbing through the once-secret files anytime soon.

“We’re looking at several years before they are properly indexed, put in proper boxes and files and made available to researchers,” Gates said.

Leftwich starts Sunday after elbow injury

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. — Jaguars quarterback Byron Leftwich will start Sunday against San Diego, leaving a healthy Mark Brunell on the bench.

For the second straight day, Leftwich said, he took the majority of the snaps with the first team during Thursday’s practice. Brunell said he didn’t take any.

The left-handed Brunell is listed as questionable for Sunday with a cut on his left elbow. He said the elbow is fine, however, and he looked good throwing in individual drills early in practice.

“It’s better than yesterday,” said Brunell, who wore a small Bandage on the elbow. “No problems whatever.”

Clearly upset with the decision, Brunell gave no theories for why it was made.

“You’ll have to ask Jack,” Brunell said.

Del Rio respected Brunell’s frustration.

“I’m pleased with the way he’s battled and the way he’s battling to come back from the injury,” Del Rio said. “He’s been great working at it and trying to get back, but in my estimation, Byron gives us the best chance to win.”

Brunell, 33, is 6-34 as Jacksonville’s starting quarterback, but only 19-30 since the start of the 2000 season.

Astros players scheduled for surgery

HOUSTON — Astron right-hander Roy Oswalt and outfielder Jason Lane are set to have surgery next week for different ailments.

Oswalt will undergo groin surgery next Wednesday in Philadelphia and Lane will have a hernia repaired in Massachusetts the following day, Houston general manager Gerry Hunsicker said Thursday.

Oswalt, 26, was 10-5 with a 2.97 ERA in 21 starts this season. He spent extended time on the disabled list because of the groin injury.

Lane, 26, hit .296 with four home runs and 10 RBIs in 18 games.
Dillon seeking revenge versus rival Alumni

By RACHEL SCHIROS, BOB GREEN, and STEVE COYER
Sports Writers

"Whichever team wants it the most will win," said Dillon captain J.T. Arseniadis, and likely when Alumni and Dillon square off this Sunday at the biggest game of their interhall season, the will to win will make all the difference.

Last year Alumni handed the Big Red their only losses, once during the regular season and again in the playoffs. Dillon overpowered Keough for a season-opening win last week and thinks that game is an indicator of the team's strength.

"We have great skill players and our line has more depth than last year's team," Arseniadis said. Still, they recognize the disadvantage of having played fewer real games than Alumni so far.

On the other hand, while Alumni would be happy to have the same results against Dillon, they are frustrated to have again started their season with a second-game loss to Morrissey.

Regardless of the record each team brings to the field, both are dedicatedly preparing and eager for the challenge of meeting their "favorite" rivals on the turf.

"Alumni is our biggest rival in the league (and) we are looking for revenge...The teams know each other well and we both get pumped up. This is always our toughest game of the season, both physically and mentally. It means a lot to our two dorms," Arseniadis said.

The greatest strengths of the Alumni team right now are its defense and a solid group of experienced upperclassmen.

We have seven seniors who are our real captains and leaders...a large group of [junior] has been playing together for four years," Alumni captain Larry Rooney said. Leading the team are seniors Chris Cottingham, Alex Rodhouse, Tom Kerestes, TJ Strachota, Corey Harkins, John Wahoske and Chris Seponski.

The Dawgs are satisfied with the quality of their play so far except we know we can do better," said Rooney. In practice they've focused on developing the fundamentals and their unity as a whole team.

A big loss for Dillon came in the form of a preseason knee-injury for defensive end/linebacker Rick Hasty. The team looks to Ben Butwin and Kevin McCarthy to lead their attack and to Robert McBride, Dominick Erk and John Kolly as the backbone of the defense.

The Big Red also credits its veteran leadership as an important asset.

"We all have been in the system for a few years now and know what we're doing," Arseniadis said.

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"Our defense has been solid, and we are happy with last week's shutout," he added. "But still need to work on better pass coverage. We need to create more points off turnovers."

The team has been very pleased with the play of its offensive line, including Mike O'Donnell and Mike Milligan. This strong offensive line will be crucial in continuing to move the ball effectively on the ground as well as through the air.

"Our offensive line has really been great this year," Enterline said. Keenan has looked impressive in its opening game, beating Stanford 6-0 with help from an aggressive running attack. Tough defense and high intensity also proved to be factors in the win.

Running back Alex Staffieri played especially well in Keenan's opening win, overpowering Stanford's run defense. This same aggressive running attack could be instrumental in moving to 2-0.

Both teams are eager to further the success they have had this year, and eliminate the mistakes that they have suffered.

With solid play from both sides, this Sunday afternoon matchup could be especially exciting.

Stanford vs. Morrissey

Morrissey and Stanford square off this Sunday in a critical game with playoff implications for both teams.

The Manorites look to beat Stanford after coming off a huge 9-0 victory over Alumni. The win last week put them at 2-0 on the season and has given the team a big confidence boost.

The Griffins have struggled in their first two games, but their 0-2 record doesn't show the fact that the both games were decided by a margin of less than a touchdown.

"We've been working hard in practice to step up our play and make it into the playoffs," said Stanford captain Dave Marques.

The success of the Manorites in their first two games has in large part been due to their dominant defensive play. Lead by Brian Dinmore and Jason Wise, Morrissey's defense has forced key turnovers and put pressure on opposing quarterbacks.

Stanford likewise has had quality defensive play this year especially from safety Nick Refra who has anchored the defensive backs. On offense, Stanford will rely on quarterback Rich Whitney to provide a spark for the rest of his teammates.

After getting off to a quick 2-0 start this year, Morrissey realizes that they have to stay focused on their final two games.

"We're hoping not to have a letdown from the big win last Sunday over Alumni," said Morrissey captain Aaron Ronsheim.

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Ducks looking to get back to winning ways

Utah, led by former Notre Dame assistant coach Urban Meyer, hopes to hand Oregon its second straight loss

Associated Press

SALT LAKE CITY — Utah coach Urban Meyer is still a little shaken when he looks at the final statistics from Oregon's embarrassing loss to Washington State.

Seven interceptions, two fumbles and two blocked kicks in the 55-16 rout were just a run of unbelievable bad luck as far as Meyer is concerned. And he doesn't expect to see anything like it when the No. 19 Ducks (4-1) visit the Utes (3-1) on Friday night.

"That's just very uncharacteristic," Meyer said. "Oregon is going to be 0-0-0. They're a fast, talented team. I'd say a Top 10-sen timental team."

Fortunately for the Ducks, the wait between games wasn't as long as it could have been. The rare Friday night game was scheduled to try to forget what happened against the Cougars.

It was no better game for coach Mike Bellotti as he was filling the game tape where the Ducks felt it belonged — in the garbage.

"When you have a game like this here, you unfortunately you commit so many turnovers and make so many mistakes, I don't think anybody could say there was one play that cost us the game," Bellotti said. "But a week before, the Ducks had been celebrating after upsetting then-No. 3 Michigan 31-27, a win that pushed Oregon's ranking from No. 22 to 10.

"I think we were still living it up from the Michigan and think­ ing everybody was going to roll over for us. But that's not what happened," Oregon wide receiver Samie Parker said. "We've got to bounce back this week."

After finishing the 2001 season at No. 2, the Ducks ended last season with a 7-6 record. Oregon lost its last four games and six of its last seven.

The Ducks appeared to be back among the contenders after the Michigan win. But that was before the drubbing at the hands of the Cougars.

"We've got a lot of things to prove to ourselves and show," Parker said. "This isn't the same team we had last year where we had lost a lot of guys."

Oregon hasn't played Utah since 2001, when Joe Harrington led the Ducks to a 24-10 win in Eugene. Paris Warren was a freshman receiver on that team and threw a 50­yard pitch pass for the Ducks, then transferred to Utah after the season.

Warren, who leads the Utes in receiving with 24 catches for 245 yards, doesn't attempt to hide his dislike for Oregon or how much he desires to beat his old team. But Meyer prevented his receiver from providing any bulletin board material to the Ducks with a gag order this week.

"I'm a big believer in just shutting your mouth and playing football," Meyer said. "All you ever say is great things about your opponent. That's the rule here at Utah."

The rest of the Utes seem to have gotten the message.

"I think they're trying to be more dangerous," strong safety Dave Revill said. "I don't think after last week had any reflection of what they are. I think they're a really good team. I think they just had a little bit of bad luck last week."

Friday is Utah's final non-conference game. The Ducks opened Mountain West Conference play last week by upsetting defending MWC champion Colorado State 28-21 on an 80-yard fumble return with 1:33 remaining.

The Rams were well within field goal range before Arnold Parker came up with the big return. So instead of being 2-2 entering Friday night's game, the Rams have a chance at starting Meyer's first season at Utah 4-1 and doing it in front of a national television audience.

"This is huge. This is once again an opportunity for us to showcase our program," Meyer said.

Boilermakers hoping to run against Illini

Associated Press

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — In Joe Tiller's offense, Purdue usu­ally passes first, runs second. Tiller may change tactics Saturday.

He has spent the past month hoping No. 22 Purdue could get its running game off the ground, and the Boilermakers may not have a better opportunity than in their Big Ten opener against Illinois.

"If we were running the ball a little better, we might do that," Tiller said.

Typically, Purdue's wide-open offense has succeeded or failed through the air.

Drew Brees' accurate, efficient style carried the Boilermakers' to the 2000 Big Ten title and a Rose Bowl bid.

A mistake-prone passing game in 2001 and 2002 led to mediocre records and quarter­back controversy.

This season has been different. Kyle Orton shares the Big Ten lead in yards passed despite playing in one fewer game than any other conference starter and his on­interception is the lowest among all starters.

Yet the Boilermakers are averaging just 224.2 yards passing, their second-lowest total since Tiller's arrival.

Orton doesn't mind because Purdue is winning.

"I'd take 25 points and no turnovers every week," he said. "That's a good game."

But Tiller knows that Purdue needs a stronger running game if it's to challenge for a Big Ten title.

The Boilermakers are averaging 149.8 yards per game, seventh in the league and nowhere near last year's average of 196.3 numbers that must improve significantly before upcoming trips to Wisconsin, Michigan and Ohio State.

Illinois' struggles against the run should at least give Purdue a chance to remedy their ground game.

"If we're not going to be more physical, maybe we need to do some things to help them be more physical," Illinois coach Ron Turner said of his coaching staff and defensive line.

There's more good news for Purdue.

Sophomore running back Jorod Void carried 17 times for 68 yards in a victory over Notre Dame last week and appeared the edge of a breakout game.

The Illini also are dealing with other problems.

They've lost three straight, two at home, and enter Saturday with the Big Ten's No. 9 rushing defense.

Opponents are averaging more than 151 yards rushing each game and last week Wisconsin ripped Illinois for 307 yards and five touchdowns on 63 carries.
Men's Interhall Football — Blue League

Defending champion Siegfried determined

By ANN LOUGHERY, KATHERINE GALE and ANDREW KIRKSEY
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Frogs' receivers blow up in fourth Badin win

By MATT PUGLISI, KEVIN O'NEILL AND LAUREN OSTERHUS
Sports Writer
Bullfrog receivers Liz Shappell and Erin Diminick each caught touchdowns and Laura Huarte picked off a pair of second-half passes as Badin (4-1) converted on each of its first two drives to shutout McGlinn (2-2) 13-0 and take over sole possession of second place.

"Coming out early and scoring is always one of our big attack plans," Diminick said. "It really changes the momentum if you can score and then stop the other team." After shutting down the Shamrocks on a quick three-and-out to start the game, the Bullfrogs took over at the McGlinn 30-yard line and went to work.

Converting a fourth-and-5 on a quarterback keeper, Badin set up a first-and-goal at the 19. Following a pair of incomplete passes and a 12-yard reverse by Meagan Charlebois, the Bullfrogs once again faced fourth down. However, for the second time in as many attempts, Badin ran an exciting quarterback Erin Zachy rolled right and found Shappell in the end zone for what would be the winning score.

Quarterback Stephanie Heath battled Molly Donnelly in the back of the end zone for the conversion and a 7-0 Badin lead.

Three Shamrock incompletions later, Badin used a 15-yard punt return by Huarte to start-off at the McGlinn 25-yard line. Following a trio of short completions, Heath alertly sensed her pocket collapsing, scrambled to her right and connected with Diminick for the touchdown and a 13-0 Bullfrog advantage with five minutes remaining in the first half.

"I was trying to protect a post but I saw Steph scramble so I made a move to get by my girl," Diminick said. "She made an awesome throw and it just connected in the end zone."

Lyons 19, Howard 0
Quarterback Roxie Trevino threw for two touchdowns and ran for a third as Lyons ended its season with a 19-0 victory over Howard Thursday night at the West Rifle Field.

On a bitterly cold night, both teams struggled to find their offensive rhythm in the first half. "The cold was a factor, you could say that," said Ducks captain Shannon Trevino.

Neither team was able to mount much of an offensive drive until late in the first half when strong play from the Lyons defense forced a Howard punt from deep within Duck territory that gave the Lions the ball at the Howard 27-yard line. From there, Roxie Trevino put together a 24-yard scramble that set up her first touchdown pass, a 3-yard strike to Allison Shoel to give Lyons a 6-0 lead.

On the ensuing Howard possession, the Lions defense intercepted a pass from Ducks quarterback Shereena Ketchum and returned it to the Howard 12-yard line. Trevino and the offense wasted no time cashing in the turnover, scoring on three plays with a 2-yard pass from Roxie Trevino to Jenni Delaney.

Following the successful conversion, Lyons took a 13-0 lead into halftime.

"Our timing in the passing game really came together tonight. We didn't start practicing until a week before the first game, so it took a little longer to get everything down," Roxie Trevino said.

The second half saw Howard make a valiant effort to generate offense behind a strong running game and some innovative trick plays sent in by the coaching staff of Mike Flanagan, Mike DeMonz and Eric Blinski.

Twice the Ducks were able to mount long drives into Lyons territory but were unable to push the ball over the goal line to get on the scoreboard. On the second of these drives, facing a fourth-and-goal from the Lyons 17-yard line, Ketchum faked back and found a receiver over the middle near the goal line. However, a sure tackle stopped the play at the 1-inch line, preserving the shutout for the defense.

Leh, Pasquarilla East 0
No. 1 playoff seed Lewis shut down and shut out the Pasquarilla East Pyros as it continued its march to the Stadium last night on the west Rifle field.

The stellar Lewis defense caught three interceptions in the first half alone, all of which were converted into touchdowns by an equally impressive offensive line.

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SMC Cross Country

Belles to compete in second Division I race of season

By PAT LEONARD
Sports Writer
The Saint Mary's cross country team has a good speed. The Belles, however, also have a race to run.

Before the team gets a much-needed break leading up to the MIAA Championships Nov. 1, it must run two important races. The first of the two will happen this Saturday at the Sean Earl Lakefront Invitational at Loyola Chicago. And the team needs its top runners even more in a bitterly cold night, both

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well and lose, and sometimes you can play badly and win. We can sometimes criticize wins more than losses."

Junior defender Kevin Goldthwaite and senior forwards Justin Detter and Devon Prescod had four shots on the night.

Irish goalie Chris Sawyer made two saves.

Notre Dame now heads to Pittsburgh to take on a Panthers squad that has a 3-1-3 all-time series lead on the Irish. Notre Dame's only win in the series came in a 3-0 victory at Alumni Field in 1996. The Panthers have won the last two meetings, 3-2 and 1-0, respectively.

"Syracuse was a tough game," Clark said. "Pittsburgh will be a different game altogether. We just take it one game at a time." Notre Dame faces Pittsburgh on Sunday at 1 p.m.

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The Irish have been impressive through 10 games this season. They have scored 40 goals thus far, and have only allowed the opponents to take 26 shots on goal. In addition, no team has scored more than one goal against the Irish this season, while the Irish are averaging four goals per game.

Still, the Irish know that West Virginia and Villanova boast them last year, and they expect difficult games this season as well.

"West Virginia is very good and very athletic," said Irish coach Randy Waldrum. "They're close to matching us athletically, and like Stanford they are very organized and very difficult to break down defensively. Villanova, while not as highly regarded nationally as West Virginia, is also a very solid team. "Villanova is very blue collar and hardworking," said Waldrum. "They don't really have any stars, but they're all solid. They beat us at their place last year and have a quality program."

Heading into the conference season, the Irish appear to have their scheduling advantage by playing their toughest opponents at Alumni Field. Either way, the winner of this weekend's contest will have a huge advantage in the conference standings.

With that thought in mind, the Irish will be looking to get off to a good start as they look to re-establish themselves as the team to beat in the Big East and continue their march toward attaining one of the all-important top four seeds in the NCAA Tournament.

"Every game is important for the NCAA seeding," said senior forward Amy Warner. "Plus these games are really important for the Big East. These games are important because ultimately we want to get one of the top four seeds so that we can host all the way until the Final Four."
Battle of the unbeaten as BP faces Cavanaugh

By MIKE GILLOON, KEVIN O'NEILL and ANNE BRUKSY
Sports Writers

Cavanaugh and Brenn-Philips' meet off Sunday in a matchup between two teams with spotless records. The Habes are 3-0-1 and are coming off a 13-0 win over Welsh Tuesday night. The Chaos is 4-0 and defeated Farley 12-0 in their last game. Neither team has given up many points this season and both look to pick up victories going into the playoffs.

The Habes are led by sophomore quarterback Trace Kazmerski and senior wide receiver Kelly Deckelman offensively. According to Kazmerski, freshman wide receiver Maureen Johnson and Megan Olsenfrost have been practicing very well so far this week. Kazmerski said senior defensive lineman Mina Chemion should make an impact.

Kazmerski said her team has practiced well this week for Cavanaugh and did not do anything different than usual. "We are as confident as can be expected going up against a team like Cavanaugh," she said. "They are renowned to be the best team in our division but I like our chances if we can stop their running game and look to score.

Cavanaugh sophomore middle linebacker Leslie Schmidt is also confident about her team's chances going into this game. "We are a pretty strong, deep team and we have plenty of depth on both sides of the ball," she said.

The Chaos feature sophomore quarterback Lisa Zehrbach and senior wide receiver Jenny Nokes while junior Sara Walsh is a strong offensive threat on the offensive line. The Habes are led by Bergen and senior linbacker Bridget Cramer.

Bergen has been pleased with the way the Chaos have played all season. "We don't feel we have any major weaknesses on our team. We have been working on the basics and seeing what kind of game BP will go against, she said.

Pasqueolla West vs. Welsh

The Pasquella West Purple Weasels and the Welsh Whirlwinds will both be looking to bounce back from disappointing results when the teams square off Sunday afternoon.

The Purple Weasels, with a record of 1-1-2, are coming off their loss to Farley in which they allowed the game-winning points in the final seconds without putting costly penalties to keep Farley in the game. "This is a big game for us," said captain Leslie Schmidt.

Shields will lead the attack from the quarterback position and look to find receivers Heather Van Hoogeland and Maureen Spring. Schmidt will look to improve her passing efficiency to spark the offense, saying, "I need to be more consistent with my passes." The offense will look to shake a trend of poor early play and get everything going early," she said.

The solid Purple Weasel defense is led by pass-rushing specialist Gina LoPresto, and is complemented by a line in which they intercepted three passes. They'll come up against a Welsh offense led by quarterback Melissa Sands, a Welsh vocalist captain Jamie McEldowney says has really stepped into the role with great success.

McEldowney gave Pasquella West credit, saying, "They're a good team. We're coming off of a tough loss, but we're going to put that behind us and move on."

That tough loss was a 13-0 blanking at the hands of Brenn-Philips and has left the Whirlwinds with a 3-2 on the season, looking to prove that they are capable of being a contender in the Blue League. "We're a better team than how we performed Sunday," said McEldowney, "We're looking to pick ourselves up."

McEldowney was firm in asserting that the Whirlwinds have no stars but win games on the strength of a total team effort. "We've made some new steps up," she said.

The game will take place at 2 p.m. Sunday on the West Quad fields.

Walsh vs. Farley

They may not have the best records in the league, but the Walsh Wild Women and Farley's Finest are both hungry for a win.

The Wild Women (1-3) know they need to step up at Sunday's game if they want to make the playoffs and the Finest (0-3-1), while most likely out of playoff contention, are hoping to end the season strong.

With that in mind, both teams are coming out prepared to play a hard-fought, physical game. "We're going to go out there, give 100 percent, play our game and control the tempo," Walsh junior Amanda Borys said. "And I think we're going to win."

Playing center and linebacker, Borys has been a dominant presence on both sides of the football thus far this season. With quarterback Carrie Campbell, centerback Marilena Klinger and a strong defensive line including Karla Bell and Mary Ellen Botta, Borys has her sights set on the Stadium.

Walsh dropped a close game against Pangborn on Tuesday, giving the Phoxes their first win in four years, but the Wild Women are looking to rebound from the loss.

"We got a really bad break last game," Borys said of the controversial pass interference call in the waning moments of the game. "I don't think it [Sunday's game] will be easy, but we're pretty confident." Walsh took a 7-3 lead into halftime and said their biggest concern about the game although they believe Walsh's loss to Pangborn carries any significance.

"It all comes down to game time, who comes out wanting to win it more" said Farley captain Angelina Zehrbar. "All that matters is if we go out there and play our best game possible."

Farley has greatly improved over the past few weeks and, although they lost, their stellar performance against Cavanaugh last week makes the next two matchups look promising.

"We want to win out. And not just win, but win by a lot," Zehrbar said.

The Finest boast a talented defense and a strong team in quarterback duo, not to mention what they believe is some of the best spirit in the league.

"We love to get crazy and we're not afraid to get dirty," Farley said.

"We have some secret plays out and little rituals we do if we accomplish certain things," he said. "We have a great time and we'll use it to our advantage."

"Definitely be on the lookout for us."

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Belles lose match, but gain some confidence

By JUSTIN SCHUVER
Associate Sports Editor

As strange as it sounds, there are times when a loss can mean more than a win. The Belles had such a loss Thursday night.

Saint Mary's (10-7) fell to non-conference opponent Bethel at home by a score of 26-30, 28-30, 22-30.

Despite losing in straight sets, the team's coach believes that a loss can help her team more in the long run than their two earlier wins against less-talented opponents.

"It was a good match," Julie Schroeder-Biek said. "I felt a lot better coming out of there with a loss than after our two earlier wins.

"We definitely lifted our level of play. The Belles came into the match on a two-game winning streak, one against Olivet — the worst team in the MIAA standings — and another against a less-talented Manchester team. Bethel was not the same caliber. Right away, Saint Mary's knew that they were facing one of their best opponents of the year.

"This team was probably the best blockers we've seen so far," Schroeder-Biek said. "We didn't pass well so it was difficult to get the middle established, and they really parked our outside hitters.

"Outside hitter Kristen Playko led the team with 12 kills, a relatively low stat which was almost certainly affected by a stellar Bethel defense. Bethel wasn't the only team who could play defensively, though.

"We were very, very scrapy out there on defense," Schroeder-Biek said. "The ball didn't go down without a fight."

The Belles go on the road Saturday to begin the second half of their MIAA season. Saint Mary's will face Kalamazoo Saturday at 11 a.m.

Earlier in the year, Saint Mary's dispatched Kalamazoo at home in five sets, one of the Belles' two conference wins this year. But just because they beat them once doesn't mean that Schroeder-Biek is expecting an easy encore.

"When we beat [Kalamazoo] at home it was a really tough match," she said. "They've played really well since that loss; they've been competitive in every conference match.

"I'm glad we had this match tonight because it really raised our level of play, which we'll need on Saturday."

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Saint Mary's players Lauren Temple and Shelly Bender try to block a shot during the Belles' win over Manchester Tuesday.

Dr. Luft

Dennis Stark Relays this weekend

By MATT LOZAR
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Friday, the Belles get a chance to swim with the best.

The 2003 season gets kicked off at 6:30 p.m. with the Dennis Stark Relays. Besides Saint Mary's, the Notre Dame men's and women's teams will compete in the relays. With the Belles competing at the Division III level and the Irish women winning most of their Big East Championships, the Belles use this meet to see what it is like to compete at the Division I level.

"It gives us a bench mark; they are the class of the Big East," Saint Mary's coach Greg Petcoff said. "Locally, they are the class probably in Indiana. It's nice to set up a mark to chase.

"We'd love to say we compete with them, but we chase them."

While competing with the Notre Dames of the world is a dream for Saint Mary's, this meet just's about the Belles coming in last. Petcoff says his team can stay even with Division I programs like Illino State and Valparaiso.

In the 2002 Notre Dame Relays, the Belles finished fifth of six teams.

With the calendar saying it's the beginning of October, the actual competition cycle of swimming is still a few weeks away from getting into full swing. Petcoff wants to use this meet to see how successful the pre-season training has been.

"It's kind of early to compete, but one of the reasons we like it is that it's only three to four weeks into the season," Petcoff said. "(Waiting) two months would be a lot of training. It's nice to have a meet. We want to be aggressive, find areas where we aren't ready to compete yet. I'd rather have mistakes here than at the [MIAA] championships."

In 2002, Megan Ramsey won the conference title in the 100-meter butterfly. Ramsey's time earned her an NCAA provisional spot and allowed the then-junior to compete in the NCAA qualifying meet. Ramsey wasn't able to qualify for the NCAA Championships, but she is one of the seniors Petcoff is hoping will lead the talented freshman class.

"We have a fairly talented group of freshmen to combine with a group that set team records throughout their careers," Petcoff said. "I'm looking not only for leadership in the water.

"We have Megan Ramsey who has an NCAA time, two [butterfly]s by a freshman try to close her down. We have Maureen (Palchak) who is a sprinter record-holder."

Petcoff and the Belles haven't been trained for too long and aren't dying to compete in a meet. However, the Belles want to use this meet against tougher competition as a tune-up for their next meet at Carthage College, in which fellow MIAA conference member Hope College will be competing.

"It's a nice little combination at this meet," Petcoff said. "We are going to try and go after one of two of these relays, and see how close are we to a very competitive time."

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**Strong ties**

No. 4 Irish dominate Orangemen, but don't pull out win in 1-1 draw

By PAT LEONARD
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's soccer team dominated in ball control and in every statistical category, but the Irish could not capitalize on chances and Thursday's game at Syracuse ended in a 1-1 tie.

The Irish (6-1-3, 2-1-1) received a goal in the second half from junior defender Jack Stewart, his first of the season. Notre Dame out-shot Syracuse 22-10 and played up to par with its No. 4 national rank.

"We played exceptionally well," coach Bobby Clark said. "We dominated most facets of the game, except perhaps the hardest — goals. But we out-shot them, out-cornered them. We actually played very well." Syracuse moves to 2-2-3 overall and 0-2-2 in the Big East.

Neither team scored in the first half. The Irish went into halftime with a 7-2 advantage in shots.

"[Syracuse's] record doesn't show it, but they have a great team," Clark said. "They gave us some problems in the first half."

Orangemen goalie Alim Karim gave the Irish the most problems, making eight saves and keeping his team in the game. Stewart was the only Irish player to speak one by Karim, heading a Chad Riley free kick into the net for a 1-0 lead at the 73:40 mark.

Riley is now just one assist away from tying for second on the all-time assists leader list for Notre Dame.

Later in the half, Syracuse forward Jeff Evans was dragged down in the box. The Orangemen tied the contest at 1-1 on Illas Calastolid's penalty shot.

The 20 minutes of overtime saw three shots from each squad and relatively even play. Notre Dame did not get the victory, but Clark and the Irish remain positive.

"It would have been nice to get the three points [for a win], but we just try to learn from every game," Clark said. "We still have to look and see what happened on the game tape."

The Irish have six wins on the season so far. That number easily could have been increased to nine if Notre Dame had made the first score reflect its dominant play in all three of its ties.

The results of the game, however, is not Clark's first concern.

"We never talk winning or losing," he said. "We talk about how we play. Obviously it's a disappointment because we did enough but didn't finish the game. But sometimes you play your top runners a rest while focusing on developing the less experienced runners, particularly the freshmen. Essentially, the first two races were a warm-up for the season.

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