Senate includes student issues in future agenda

By MATTHEW QUINN

The program will include a six-credit internship, which will provide students with an opportunity to gain practical experience in a variety of fields. The internship will be supervised by a faculty member, and students will be expected to complete a research project. The program will also offer a financial aid package to students who need assistance with tuition costs.

The committee is now putting together a survey to be distributed to a random sample of 20 percent of the Notre Dame community, including undergraduates, graduate students, faculty, and staff members. The survey will assess qualitative and quantitative data, and will include a range of topics, such as housing, food, and social life.

The survey results will be reported in December, and the committee will meet again to review these results as well as feedback from Peters' site visits of local social gathering places like Tula's and Coach's.

The second phase of the program will be to identify the variables that lead to a successful environment. We will see what themes develop.

Toby Peters

Equity and perceived inconsistencies in student discipline were also among the issues targeted by the senate's four subcommittees. After the senate divided into subcommittees, members of Student Affairs Committee identified five issues to address this year, central among them student rights and disciplinary equity.

"Currently, du Lac does not include a statement of rights. What it does include is a delineation of what students can expect in a disciplinary hearing," Arnold of Penn State explained. She noted that changes in the DU over the summer did partially address the issue.

"It's actually something of a break-through to see the word 'rights' included in there, now," she said.

The committee is very enthusiastic about the lived experience of students in the academic community. While in the shadow of Congress; in fulfillment of commitments with students from Boston University, the University of Pennsylvania, and Dartmouth College. Arnold is very enthusiastic about the living arrangements. "The physical arrangements for the students are superb," he said. "They will be living in a very attractive part of Washington."
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Student Senate reviews Ham bright’s dual positions

By TIM LOGAN
News Writer

The Student Senate voted last night on whether or not to ask Lee Ham bright to resign from his position as student government assistant controller.

The body reached a decision of 18-9 in favor of the request. However, student body president Matt Griffin said he would refuse to sign the resolution, effectively vetoing it.

"I have to sign this, and I'm not going to," said Griffin, who must put his name on all legislation coming out of the senate. The senate’s vote fell short of the five-sixths majority needed to override Griffin's veto.

Keenan senator Matt Mamak suggested that the senate write a letter to Ham bright asking him to resign his post. This letter would not need to be signed by Griffin. Ham bright told the senate last week that he will simply step down if asked to.

Ham bright’s position as assistant controller has been debated since last April because he also serves as the treasurer of Hall President's Council. Many student senate members consider this to be a conflict of interests.

In the end, senate chairman Erek Nuss said that the senate would "wait until next week to consider this issue some more."

Other issues discussed at the meeting were:

• The senate debated the Interpretive Committee for the Constitution and focused on who would serve on the committee. As it stands, the committee would consist of Jennifer Dovidio, president of the judicial council, and the council’s two vice presidents. Dovidio addressed the senate and opposed the new plan. She was concerned that “limiting the committee to members of the Judicial council raises a potential bias.” Ultimately, the issue was sent back to the Senate Oversight committee for further discussion.

• Griffin proposed an amendment to place the president of the student body on the Financial Management Board of the Student Union. It will be voted on next week.

• There was a discussion of the proposed Mother Teresa Memorial, which was assigned a place at the top of the agenda for next week. A committee is being established to decide what the student body will do to honor the late missionary.

Student body president Matt Griffin refused to sign a resolution in last night's meeting, thereby vetoring the measure. The resolution would have required Lee Ham bright to resign his post as student government assistant controller.

The senate could not override Ham bright’s veto and has decided to postpone resolving the issue until next week.

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Detlefson reported that legal and housing difficulties face international students, speakers and even professors. He labeled Notre Dame’s current procedures for accommodating these visitors as “Byzantine at best.”

The Political Action Committee was formed as a reaction to congressional legislation proposed this summer to trying voice opposition against bills to tax graduate student stipends and specific faculty pension programs. Detlefson realized no mechanism was in place for the faculty to exert political pressure.

“We’re under-organized in regards to such things, and as a single institution, we have limited pull,” he said. “But if we could join with other Indiana universities we could make a more effective voice representing our interests in Washington D.C.”

The Political Action Committee will explore establishing that link with other Indiana schools.

In other new business, Detlefson reminded senators that University president Father Edward Malloy will deliver his annual address to that University president in advance of the meeting.

When reporting to the senators, the Administrative Affairs Committee named faculty alcohol policy to its agenda.

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SMC lecturer emphasizes importance of meditation

By COLLEEN McCARTHY
News Writer

Speaking on the topic of meditation, Dr. Keith Egan issued a challenge to members of the audience at Saint Mary's College yesterday during the second installment of the "How Now Can the Old Be?" lecture series.

In his lecture titled "Me? Meditate?" Egan challenged audience members to take time out of their busy schedules and make room for leisure activities because these are what will help to make people stronger in mind and spirit and the activities can also serve as a form of meditation.

"We ought to band together, all of us - students, faculty, and staff - to make this a place where each day there is leisure for learning, for reading, for music, for plays, for the life of the mind and the life of the spirit," Egan said.

Egan dispelled many myths about meditation by pointing out the different ways that one can meditate. He emphasized that it is important for each person to find and use her own unique form of prayer and meditation. Possible ways to meditate include listening to music, singing, reading poetry, or taking walks around the lakes. The main point of meditation, according to Egan, is to give time to oneself in order to let God into one's life.

"This is no mechanical technique. Meditation is a daily approach to the source and center of life," Egan said.

Egan made reference to the late Joseph Cardinal Bernadin, who, 20 years before his death, sought out a way to grow into a more spiritually mature person. Egan used this example to encourage individuals to seek a renewal in personal prayer, as prayer may be a way to attain wholeness and peacefulness in one's life. According to Egan, through this form of commitment to prayer, change and transformation can begin to take place.

Students attending the lecture were impressed by Egan's insights. Delilah Welch, a senior at Saint Mary's and a student of Egan's, said, "I agree with Professor Egan that there is a deep need for peace in our lives. He definitely practices what he preaches."

"Meditation is not for the elite; meditation is for everyone who wants to be fully human, because to be fully human is to be connected with one's divine source and center," Egan said near the end of the lecture, reemphasizing the importance of meditation and the idea that meditation is accessible to everyone.

The next lecture will focus on another kind of meditation and will be presented by Mary Catherine Nolan on Sept. 24, at 12:05 p.m. in Stapleton Lounge in LeMans Hall.

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I have little doubt that many of you find yourselves enduring the same sensation and longing for a routine, particularly where academics are concerned, so that you can be about some of the seemingly more important things that you came to college to do. I know that when I get together with college friends these days, twelve years after the fact, we don't speak primarily about what went on in the classroom, however hard that may be to hear for even my favorite professors. More often, we talked about the rest of life. It makes me realize that if I am not attentive to my own schedule, organize my time and prioritize my activities, these precious days will get away from me. At the end of an all too often typical day I find myself wondering why I didn't take any time for exercise today, or why I didn't spend some time at the grotto, or why I didn't take a minute to just kick back with friends. I find myself more determined than ever not to let these days be less than they could be, or less than God would have them be.

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AIDS activists protest needle exchange ban

By LAURA MECKLER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON

Hundreds of AIDS activists descended on the Department of Health and Human Services on Wednesday carrying symbolic tombstones as they protested the ban on federal funding for needle exchange programs.

Thirteen people were arrested after trying to carry a 12-foot “moral backbone” into the building for Secretary Donna Shalala, who has said the needle exchange programs can be effective in fighting AIDS but has stopped short of lifting the ban.

“I have known people who have died of contaminated need­les. It’s not necessary,” said Kate Sorensen of San Francisco, one of the protesters arrested in a show of civil disobedience.

It all started with a dirty needle,” said Sheila Catherine Hair Fuoco, a Birmingham, Ala., woman with HIV. She said she was infected by her late husband, who was infected by a dirty needle. She passed the virus to her son when she was pregnant.

Shalala was in the building during the rally, which organizers said attracted 2,000 protesters.

About one-third of adults with AIDS got the killer virus through contaminated needles or sex with injecting drug users. Needle exchange programs give drug addicts clean needles for their used ones in hopes of keeping contaminated needles from spreading the virus.

There were at least 87 needle exchange programs around the country in 1995-96, operating with local or private funding. To lift the ban on federal funding, HHS must certify that the programs reduce AIDS without increasing drug use.

A panel of experts convened by the National Institutes of Health said early this year that these programs are a powerful weapon against AIDS that have been blocked by politics.

To a report to Congress in February, Shalala cited research that drug use did not increase when communities began needle exchanges, and that the programs allow health officials to offer drug treatment to addicts they might otherwise never see.

But the department is still studying whether needle exchanges increase drug use, HHS spokesman Victor Zonana said Wednesday.

“We will make a decision based on science and public health, not politics,” he said.

He added that the Clinton administration is funding other AIDS efforts including expensive research and medications.

“Local communities can take that lead in providing funding if they believe it’s appropriate,” he said.

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Ball. It seems like some sort of flashback in my mind. You know like the ones in "Days of Our Lives" that are all fuzzy and white. They are memories of the past but you know it's not real footage. We laugh and talk, it's a fuzzy, misty dream of an island paradise. After all the non-stop traveling we did — no more than two nights in a place, little

Juliana Vodicka

sleep, painfully early mornings — we needed a three-day break. Don't get me wrong, they offered classes. There was tropical drink mixing, surma tuition, yoga and tennis. We stuck to the beach and tropical drink mixing, surma tuition, yoga and tennis. We stuck to the beach and

did you wear plastic flip-flops everywhere. You figure it out.

My initial reactions to India stretch further than my sensory awakening. The people of India are like none other. Dr. Pullapilly, our fearless leader, informed us of the basic things we should prepare for while traveling in India. One of which was that you no longer have privacy or personal space. This will take me a while to get used to. Just like everywhere else we've been so far, we are the main attraction. But, unlike other countries where they just take pictures of us, here they do something about their curiosity. Spring, touching, talking and question after question. They are genuinely interested. Yet, if one more person shows a postcard or chess set in my face I'll scream! They are not hostile, they just want to be close and help you. It's going to take a long time for me to be comfortable with people trying to do everything for me. It's like a game though: can I beat that guy to the rice? Nope, then I have some man scooping out my dinner from behind but he, some man scooping out my dinner from

everywhere. You figure it out.

For the most part, Indians seem to have a strong, warm inner glow. You can see it clearly in the children. We went to a small town in the Himalayas. I had an experience I will never forget, all due to one child.

The first day that we arrived, it was too late to do anything but shop. So we all did. By this time we were used to children following us around, so the little boy in the green and pink sweater didn't bother us. He followed us from store to store to find something, then I finally waved to him. He smiled, waved then ran off out of our arrangement. Even after 10 minutes later he was back. I waved again and I asked him his name. I did not hear his name because I was looking at his eyes, so sweet and innocent. I offered to buy him a Coke, but he refused. We attempted to continue talking, but he again was embarrassed, this time of his English, and ran away. (As if my Hindi is so great!!) I had a feeling this

would not be the last of my friend so I prepared myself for our next meeting — Kit-Kat and Coke. Sure enough, 10 minutes later he was back, standing far away. I went to him again and offered his gifts. He would not take it. He kept saying, "No," and just gave it back to me. The other boy most have said, "Are you stupid? Take it!" Still, he would not. Finally I said, "Share with your friends" and he took it. Again he ran away. Soon after he left, the entire area went black, a power outage. We scrambled to find each other and the bus. After much confusion and time we were back on track. Who is it? Which one is behind but he, my new friend.

The whole next day, as we hiked through the mountains, I wished I had gotten a picture of him with my camera. The day went on and I soon forgot. Our final day there, a group of us went again to the shopping area. Not once did I think of seeing him. As we were walking back to our bus, there was a small tap in the middle of my back. A child I had not seen before handed me a pen and said, "It's from your friend." I did a still looking everywhere for him, he came out and smiled stylishly in the same pink and green sweater. I waved him over and we hugged. It was so natural. We got my picture, and I found out that his mom had made his sweater and he loves her very much. His English is perfect in my book.

When we came on the trip the 27 of us were told to bring gifts for beggar children, like little shampoo, combs and pens. They don't get this stuff. Who said I was to be so special to receive a pen? Again, I learn from a lesson, from a young child nonetheless. I'm not here to change this world, I'm here to experience it and let it change me. A constant reiteration of my broken world. What a memory, what a

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The views expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily of The Observer.

"The whole secret of the study of nature lies in learning how to use one's eyes."

—George Sand
We are writing to let the entire student body know exactly what has occurred since the publication of our letter in The Observer. We have received too many responses to be counted. However, much to our shock, a lot of them have been extremely vulgar, obscene, and of a violent nature. We fully expect—indeed, we fully describe the reciprocity that exists between the Notre Dame and SMC populations.

We are here to say that the students of Saint Mary’s and Notre Dame should work together to establish some sort of connection. Given the amount of history that the two sister schools have shared, it is absurd not to take advantage of this opportunity. Fuller and Syner have already shown that they are willing to agree to the “minor inconveniences” Rachel Torres described in her column, and also that they are willing to open up the facilities of both schools to each other.

In the case of Saint Mary’s students, we are certain that they would never have set up a combination of classes if they had not been aware of these facts. This should come as no surprise. We believe that the women of these two schools are the women who have supported the policies of Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s, long before I included the resources on the other side of the fence in my own institutions. The two schools have a reciprocal relationship (if not for Saint Mary’s College, where would all of the nursing, education and communication majors at Notre Dame be?) that will allow Notre Dame students to take advantage of this. This is not "using,” it is a mature relationship between two excellent schools which add...
sneaker pimps & aphex twin at the vic

Despite the digital on-screen stimuli, the crowd soon noticed that the energy generated on stage remained there, probably because the audience didn't really give them any reason to reciprocate. They swayed and followed with distracted attention, and the set seemed to lose intensity until "Spinning," the Vic halfway through the show thus causing the collective pulse to strengthen.

The recent release of their Becoming X, one of the most buyable albums of 1997, earned the Sneaker Pimps a spot on "The Saint" soundtrack, resulting in the rise of "Underground" to international stardom in clubs and on MTV. Commercialism aside, the band deserves every bit of the attention. They played the Becoming X tracks with some interesting changes in chord progressions and tempos, only Turning off the track. Lukewarm applause followed the encore, the video graphics ensued and the Sneaker Pimps strode from stage.

An accomplished dregg filled the time in between with refreshments and drinks and city dwells. At the encore, the video graphics ceased and the audience went wild. With mixers in front of him, he created his unique techno cloud. After several songs, three 20-foot men bear with identical demonic faces danced onto stage as the music danced around them. Enthusiastic audiences with their friends, they bounced around and on each other, interrupted only when a man walked out and proceeded to shave his own head. The audience radiated appreciation, and the crowd greeted the Sneaker Pimps and Aphex Twin delivered quality performances with the audience as the most significant factor separating them. Regardless of who they came to see, all surely left content in the knowledge that technology and music continue to develop, and that talented artists still strive to experiment and entertain.

ani difranco

Larry Berger, a member of Ani DiFranco's Size 14 road crew, praised the title of DiFranco's double-live CD, Living In Clip. Defined as a "stage amp's reaction to a signal that is too strong for the amp, living in clip" describes her performance with apt precision. DiFranco, a native of Buffalo, grew up largely on her own and left home at the age of 14; her musical career beginning with local performances of Beatles covers. Now 26 years old, she has released seven albums in seven years with her own label, Righteous Babe Records, and has shunned signing with a major label to preserve her autonomy.

Her performance is as uncompromising as her business tactics: it is marked by highly percussive, original guitar harmonies and pointed, brutally honest lyrics. DiFranco calls herself folk-punk, but her product encompasses far more. Living In Clip marks her first live release, and it captures every aspect of her music in the natural arenas of the live performance.

DiFranco's lyrics span the entire gamut of human emotions with striking sincerity, as she interposes humorous stories and sometimes innocent, sometimes sarcastic giggles throughout her intense performances. Whether addressing "ambisexual" encounters, pressures of the music industry and fame, or affirmation of the feminine gender, DiFranco succeeds in presenting her controversial ideas more emotionally and incisively than any recognized female lyricist.

The common division between spoken word, rap and melodic voicings does not exist for DiFranco, and consequently, her lyrics achieve a fresh and inviting perspective. As she says in "Hear And Seek," a new song contrasting innocent games of youth with its own two plus two, and "Amazing Grace" and "Both Flavors" with distractingly more perfect animal harmonics, which are highlighted in "The Dinner." Her ability to execute intricate hammer-ons, pull-offs, and harmonics, which are highlighted in "The Dinner." Despite these minor shortcomings, DiFranco has compiled a noteworthy and unilaterally moving collection of songs and poems on this release, her most compelling effort thus far. She has created a band's adventures in a beat up Datsun 5-1-0 hatchback. Linus, the group's singer and songwriter, embraces good times and geekdom they wrote these songs. Linus, the group's singer and songwriter, embraces good times and geekdom they wrote these songs. Linus confesses his passion for cheesy love songs in "Formula Guy" which the band also heralds as the "most terrifying song in the group's arsenal." Their dynamic songwriting and rhythm are enhanced, but the band's raw talent is almost entirely unapologetic to the oftenいちばん努力している人。彼女の歌声は、彼女がこの音楽にどれほど情熱を持っているかを示しています。彼女は、このアルバムの制作において、彼女の自己表現の自由度を追求し続けています。

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A Guiding Force
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**Midseason showdown will live up to billing**

How often do you have an opportunity like this? How often can you say you have the chance to watch an athletic event pitting the top two programs in the country against each other? How often do you get to see the No. 1 and No. 2 teams face off in a midseason showdown? How often does an athletic event offer so much excitement and entertainment that the whole family can enjoy?

When the top-ranked Notre Dame women's soccer team comes to town for the first time tomorrow to take on the second-ranked Fighting Irish, all the soccer eyes in America will be focused on Alumni Field. And only select fans will get to observe in person what is sure to be one of the best matchups in the country against one another.

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Since midseason showdowns don't happen too often, the Notre Dame/North Carolina rivalry has developed into one of the best annual series in the country. Some of the players are familiar with each other from playing on national teams during the off-season. Both teams respect each other and look forward to the challenge of facing off to see what they've got.

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### Senior midfielder Holly Manthei has established herself as one of the top athletes in a team sport who are as individually known as Hamm is. There are not many female athletes in a team sport who are as individually known as Hamm is. Notre Dame's Holly Manthei has surpassed Hamm's women's collegiate record for career assists. Her next one will be her 100th. Along with Jen Renola and Cindy Daves, Manthei will be remembered as one of the key players in Notre Dame's recent rise to the top through the last five seasons.

The UNC/UND rivalry is even fiercer now, but that people remember forever," Rick Brewer writes. "These women can full speed for 120 minutes with only a short halftime break. There was only one timeout in each half so they got little rest." Friday's game may not take two hours to settle. But every minute the two teams are on the field, it is sure to be exciting, aggressive, satisfying soccer.

### Notre Dame Women's Soccer Team

- **Head Coach:** Chris Petrucelli
- **Record:** 137-18-8
- **Season:** 6-0
- **Starters Returning:** 7

### Starting Lineup

**Forwards:**
- 9-Monica Gerardo
- 10-Meotis Erikson
- 12-Jenny Streiffer

**Midfielders:**
- 3-Kara Brown
- 5-Shannon Boxx
- 8-Anne Makinen
- 16-Holly Manthei

**Defenders:**
- 2-Kelly Lindsey
- 6-Jen Grubb
- 13-Kate Sobrero

**Goalie:**
- 1-LaKeysia Beene

### Duke Women's Soccer Team

- **Head Coach:** Bill Hempen
- **Record:** 119-65-12
- **This season:** 5-0
- **Starter returning:** 8

### Starting Lineup

**Forwards:**
- 11-Kasey Truman
- 14-Andi Melde
- 22-Emily Feeney

**Midfielders:**
- 2-Kristy Whelchel
- 3-Mariana Muiruri
- 6-Kim Daws
- 10-Sherrill Kester

**Defenders:**
- 7-Amanda Berny
- 16-Lauren Cyran
- 20-Samantha Baggett

**Goalie:**
- 1-Dana Piper

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**PLAYER TO WATCH**

**Notre Dame:** 1-LaKeysia Beene

**Duke:** 1-Dana Piper

Junior forward Monica Gerardo is coming off a big game against Portland in which she scored the winning goal.
North Carolina

PLAYER TO WATCH

UNC Head Coach: Anson Dorrance
Record: 396-16-10
Season Record: 6-0
Starters Returning: 8

Starting Line-up:
Forwards: 7-Robin Confer 18-Raven McDonald 22-Cindy Parlow
Midfielders: 12-Aubrey Faulk 21-Laurie Schwoy 30-Rebekah McDowell 5-Tiffany Roberts
Defenders: 4-Nel Fettig 27-Staci Wilson 14-Lorrie Fair
Goalie: 1-Siri Mullinix

Rivalry intensifies as another year passes

By ERIK KUSHTO

One of the newest and most exciting rivalries in college athletics will be renewed this weekend when the second-ranked Notre Dame women's soccer team hosts top-ranked North Carolina.

In what could be a preview of this year's NCAA final, both teams bring in undefeated records and a desire to be recognized as the best team in women's collegiate soccer.

Notre Dame and North Carolina have met several times in the past few years, most recently in the 1996 NCAA finals. According to senior co-captain Kate Sobrero, the season-ending loss to the Tar Heels left a sting which has yet to subside.

"It was a hard time after the loss. I had a knee injury and couldn't play 90 minutes. There were a lot of regrets. A lot of people were unhappy with the way they played," Sobrero said. The Irish have no lack of motivation coming into this weekend's game.

"We worked really hard because of the loss," said Sobrero. "We may have faltered because we had won the year before. Having lost last year, it really makes us appreciate what we had and makes us want to get back to where we can be."

The Irish expect an exciting contest from the visitors, but do not view this weekend's match-up as a make-or-break game for the 1997 season.

"Everyone is looking forward to a great game. There is a lot of respect between both teams. Since this is a regular season game, it really doesn't matter if we win or lose. It is important to see where we are, but in the grand scheme of things it really isn't that important."

While the game is shaping up to be a Battle of the Titans, it was just a short time ago that it was more like a fight between David and Goliath. The rivalry began in 1994, when an up-and-coming Notre Dame squad tied North Carolina 0-0 and broke the Tar Heels 92-game win streak.

"It was a huge win for our program, especially for recruiting," said Sobrero. "It showed that Notre Dame could get to the level of North Carolina."

Although the Irish dropped the next two meetings between the schools, Notre Dame beat North Carolina for the first time en route to the 1995 national championship. Meeting in the semifinals, Notre Dame utilized an own-goal by North Carolina to advance to the finals and became only the second team ever to defeat the Tar Heels at home.

The Irish then confirmed their place among the nation's elite by defeating North Carolina 2-1 in a regular-season match last year to become the only team ever to beat the Tar Heels in consecutive games.

Portland

PLAYER TO WATCH

Portland Head Coach: Clive Charles
Record: 126-27-8
Season: 3-2
Starters returning: 10

Starting Line-up:
Forwards: 14-Kylee Barton 13-Wynne McIntosh 12-Vanessa Talbot
Midfielders: 9-Holly Pierce 4-Jenna Johnson 7-Justi Baumgardt 11-Michelle French
Defenders: 16-Kristen Eaton 3-Sarah Charles 2-Kimberly Stiles
Goalie: 00-Angela Harrison

By ERIK KUSHTO

Senior Holly Pierce will team up with senior Justi Baumgardt to provide a solid midfield for the Pilots.
By ALLISON KRILLA
Sports Writer

As the starting goalkeeper for the second-ranked Notre Dame women's soccer team, LaKeysia Beene has five shutouts under her belt in this young season, having allowed only one goal in six games. But having a rock solid defense in front of you can make any goalie's job seem cushy, and even Beene readily admits that she hasn't been tested at all this season.

Three-time All-American defender Kate Sobrero, the more Big East defender of the week Jen Grush and freshman Kelly Lindsey form an imposing wall in front of Beene. "I have a great defense," said Beene. "I have confidence in my defense... Our team just seems to rise to the occa­sion."

Beene has faced a minuscule 20 shots on goal, recording only eight saves thus far. While the Irish have mastered the ball control offense, firing 203 shots at opposing net minders.

Since she was 10 years old, Beene, a sophomore from Gold River, Calif., has been a force to reckon with on the soccer field. Beene played halfback at first. Beene had two years of her career before making the move into the net, a tribute to her pure athleticism.

LaKeysia Beene feels this weekend's test of the season.

By KATHLEEN LOPEZ
Assistant Sports Editor

According to Notre Dame women's soccer head coach Chris Petrucelli, what makes a great coach are the players he guides. If the definition is true, you will find only a select few in the women's soccer community who fulfill this criteria.

Petrucelli is one of them. Under his eye, he has guided the 1996 NCAA player of the year, nine All-Americans, nine Soccer America freshman All-Americans, seven NCAA all-tournament team members, 12 members of the all-Big East conference team, and the Big East rookie of the year, not to mention numerous other award winners throughout the seven years in which he has been the head coach.

"My moments are a lot different than other people's," Petrucelli said of his highlights throughout his term here. "My moment was when Jen Renola told me that she was going to come to Notre Dame and when Holly Manthei told me. Those are my moments because this all about players and having great players. You are a great coach when you have great players."

In 1988, Notre Dame welcomed a women's soccer program. Just two years later, then-athletic director Dick Rosinthal hired a young Petrucelli to take the program to a new level. He did just that, and in five short years, the women's program won the national title.

"When I came here, I came here with the goal of winning a national championship," said Petrucelli. "It seems like lately we have been losing him to recruiting plays a vital part in being a national contender. In the past few years, Petrucelli has managed to sign the best crop of players in the nation."

"Right now, we are looking at the best players in the country every year," said Petrucelli. "That's what we are trying to recruit every year. We have never worried about what position they played. How big they were, how small they were, anything like that."

One thing which Petrucelli prides himself is the academic draw that his program can boast.

"There are two things which attract players," Petrucelli said. "One is you are going to get a great education here, and two is you are going to have a chance to compete for a national championship. If you put those two things together there are very few places where you could find that combination. We are obviously one of them. So that really is big selling point."

Sophomore Jenny Streiffer is one Petrucelli's top finds in the past few years. Streiffer caught the soccer world's eye with her winning-goal performance at Notre Dame in the regular season.

"What attracted me most was the overall success of the program. I didn't know much about him at first but it seemed everybody loves him," she said.

Streiffer characterized Petrucelli as "very dedicated." Often times he would come to practice minutes after stepping off a plane on a recruiting visit. "He works incredibly hard," said Streiffer. "I think he is a lot more honest than any coach I have ever come across.

The majority of the team feels that one of the best attributes of Petrucelli is his honesty. "He was very honest and well respected," said senior Kate Sobrero. "No one bad mouthed him. His name is well known in the Big East or Division I."

Petrucelli has turned a fledgling program into one of the top women's soccer programs in the nation. Along the way, he has been honored with several awards including back-to-back NSCAA coach of the year accolades in 1994 and 1995, as well as the 1996 Big East coach of the year award.

Petrucelli's record at Notre Dame is 137-18-5, with an 80.6 winning percentage that is second-best among NCAA Division I women's soccer coaches.

But for the modest Petrucelli, his players, not the honors, will forever deter­mine his coaching ability.

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Spiritualized

Ladies and Gentlemen, We are Floating in Space

Spiritualized offers an enjoyable album which has its moments but fails short of being brilliant. Sounding rather like Primal Scream in a certain kind of mood, Ladies and Gentlemen... is mostly memorable for its combination of slow, almost spoken lyrics with varying degrees of background intensity; on some tracks, "Broken Heart," for example, languid, minimal accompaniments provide a pleasant change from the more industrial wall of noise found elsewhere. Instrumental pieces such as "The Individual" and "No God Only Religion" are relatively mediocre and do not insinuate a desire in the listener for repeat playing, while the vocal tracks are mixed in their quality. "I Think I'm in Love," perhaps the highlight of the album, has a subtle bass motif which is perfectly suited to the well-produced and harmonious vocals, while, on the other hand, the slightly annoying lyrics contained within "All of My Thoughts" sound very similar to the mediocre epees album Stormy Monday.

The biggest problem with Spiritualized is that it has no definable edge, nothing that encourages the rapt attention of anybody who happens to be listening. This is good background music but not the sort of thing for which one is going to rush home from class, meaning that failure to capture and hold an audience condemns the album to be treated with indifference. A better version of all this comes in the form of Primal Scream's classic "Screamadelica," and Spiritualized suffers badly in comparison to its predecessors in this regard; unfortunately Ladies and Gentlemen... contains a track entitled "Come Together," as did "Screamadelica," and this is most revealing. Primal Scream's song was a brilliantly produced and unforgettable exercise in ambient-rock excellence, while Spiritualized's number is a let down by utter predictability. There may be improvement in the future for the latter band, but for the time being it is probably best for us to save our money and wait for something better.

by Julian Elliot

**Spiritualized**

Ladies and Gentlemen... we are floating in space

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Blueberry

The Holy Cows

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The Holy Cows are a guitar-centered band with heavy influences by The Replacements and Uncle Tupelo. The band formed 10 years ago when its four members were in high school in Chelsea, Mich., just outside of Detroit. They survived the simple test that most high school bands fail: staying together after graduation. Their latest offering, Blueberry, has the feeling of your best friend's garage band finally making it. Possessing a very intimate, sincere, and somewhat edgy sound, the 11-song album has a continuity that demonstrates the band's experience in song writing.

Even after the second listen, you find yourself singing along to the hooks that vocalist John Popovich wails out. The heart of sincerity of this album takes its cue from his vocals, with the emotive wall of another Midwestern son of the soil, Dave Perner, but without the voice cracking more in place at a junior high cafeteria. There are fine examples of this in "Punched a Friend" and "Dear Abigail." The songs were clearly not written around these hooks, as much grunge and post-grunge song-writing seems to be, but written in spite of them. The guitar riffs are distinctive and sound like a band which deserves much more than limited playing time on local radio stations. Song eight, "Larry (Your Garbage Man)," clearly shows the band's confidence in taking on mature composition elements, such as a guitar solo, in a way that does not detract from the vocals. Also it is evident that the vocals do not take themselves more seriously than the music.

Overall, the Holy Cows have a character and distinctive skill that manages to remind us what rock was about before the grunge explosion, and the album has a refreshing new feeling as well. The Holy Cows are definitely a band on its way up and out to mainstream. Hopefully they won't lose that "my friend's band" feel that they manage to distill into every song.

by Dominic Caruso

upcoming concerts in the area

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wwfi top 10

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6. Jon Speer Blues Explosion- Controversial Negro
7. Stereolab- Dots And Loops
8. Teenage Fanclub- Songs From Northern Ireland
9. Yo La Tengo- I Can Hear The Heart Beating As One
10. Luna- Pup Tent

nocturne top 10

1. Size 14- Size 14
2. Soundtrack - "I Know What You Did Last Summer"
3. Cherry Poppin' Daddies- Zoot Suit Riot
4. Crystal Method- Vegas
5. Teenage Fanclub- Songs From Northern Ireland
6. Save Ferris- It Means Everything
7. Oasis- Be Here Now
8. Reel Big Fish- Keep Your Receipt (EP)
9. The Refreshments- The Bottle & Fresh Horses
10. Tanya Donnelly- Love Songs for Underdogs
Wednesday night. Atlanta holds a six-game lead in the NL East over the Marlins, who split the series and are now at least a wild-card berth in the National League. The Braves reduced their magic number to six over Florida for winning a six-straight division title. Atlanta holds a six-game lead in the NL East over the Marlins, who split the series and are now at least a wild-card berth in the National League. The Braves reduced their magic number to six over Florida for winning a six-straight division title.

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FREE: "The Worm"

The problem is that Rodman was suspended for six games for shouting obscenities in a game at Milwaukee’s Joe Wolf in the fifth game of the 1991 series. The profanity is not considered the same as playing a dirty game. Rodman can be the opposite of Michael Jordan, as he loves to tell stories about his days with the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse in college, his multicolored hair, his much-derided bodyguard.

Roxy was the MIBs.

Hey! Here come the MIBs.

Water: Do you have any ideas about playing his final NBA games? What’s up baby, the dynamic duo is back at Corby’s on 9/19 and the Alumni Senior Club is the only place to buy tickets. Support Nebraska football.

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White Sox easily top Royals behind the Big Hurt

Kansas City, Mo. — Frank Thomas had a two-run, two-out single in the eighth inning as the Chicago White Sox beat the Kansas City Royals 8-4 on Wednesday night.

James Baldwin (12-14)

White Sox beat the Kansas City eighth inning as the Chicago run, two-out single in the night.

Royals 8-4 on Wednesday

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After finishing last season around the .500 mark, Breen-Phillips hopes to put an end to the last three years. This year, the P.E. team had been in the playoffs in three of the last three years, but this year, they won. Julie Wernick, a junior running back for Breen-Phillips, her junior year will have to figure out the defenses they will face, and how she will fit in. However, her junior year will be better than last year. According to Breen-Phillips head coach Steve McMullen said, "I think we've done a pretty good job this year. We've won the Championship, and we're looking for a better year this year." The team has been preparing for this year, and they have had a lot of practices to get ready for the season. They have been working hard to improve their skills, and they are ready to take on the challenges that come with playing football. The defense has been working hard to improve their defense, and they are looking forward to the season. The offense has been working hard to improve their offense, and they are looking forward to the season. The team has been preparing for this year, and they are ready to take on the challenges that come with playing football. The defense has been working hard to improve their defense, and they are looking forward to the season. The offense has been working hard to improve their offense, and they are looking forward to the season. The team has been preparing for this year, and they are ready to take on the challenges that come with playing football.
Men's IH Football Preseason Poll

Sunday 9/21

Stepan North 1 p.m.  Keough vs. Alumni
  2 p.m.  Stanford vs. Dillon
  3 p.m.  Off Campus vs. Keenan

Stepan South 1 p.m.  Siegfried vs. Fisher
  2 p.m.  Zahm bye
  3 p.m.  Knott vs. Sorin

Sunday 9/28

Stepan North 1 p.m.  Morrisey vs. Stanford
  2 p.m.  Keough vs. Keenan
  3 p.m.  Dillon vs. Off Campus

Stepan South 1 p.m.  O'Neill vs. Zahm
  2 p.m.  Siegfried vs. Sorin
  3 p.m.  Knott bye

Men's interhall squads vie for bragging rights

Dillon

Dillon Hall, coming off of a disappointing 1-2-1 record in the '96 season, will be led by QB Stefan Molina. The team returns 13 seniors from a year ago, giving it much experience and leadership. Dillon's defense is anchored by MLB Jared Elliot and CB Shawn Wyten. Many freshmen and off-campus players will contribute this year, including freshman Jason Vosmer, who will see action at the fullback spot. Coach Jeremy Cole is anchored by ML LB Jared Yorkery and RB Nate Yerg. Dillon's defense will lead a team that has high expectations when he said, "We will win the championship." O'Neill

The Angry Mob of O'Neill Hall will take the first week off with a bye. Tryouts have brought the team a large crop of freshmen, led by last year's Iowa all-state quarterback Matt White. Junior middle linebacker Shane Lutzander once again leads the team. But, as captain Dave Butz points out, "our main ingredient is a bigger and more experienced offensive line." Finishing last season with a record of 1-3, Butz is sure that this year's squad is definitely better and will turn in a top finish.

Sorin

After building a team that landed a playoff spot last season, the Screaming Otters began this season with 35 players trying out for 24 spots, making it the first time they needed to make cuts. "Hopefully," comments captain Anthony Netto, "we'll be able to continue on last season's success." With the leadership of linebackers Greg Belden and Mike Vieten and running back Tim Slattery, O'Neill is off to a great start. But, as captain Dave Butz points out, "our main ingredient is a bigger and more experienced offensive line." Finishing last season with a record of 1-3, Butz is sure that this year's squad is definitely better and will turn in a top finish.

Zahm

With their first game against Carroll Hall canceled because of the team folded, Zahm Hall will start its season with a forfeit win. Eager to get their team on the field, they will instead scrimmage Morrisey this weekend.

The team return 17 upperclassmen from last year's playoff-clinching team. Notable for the team is the offensive pairing of quarterback Dave Zorn and receiver Mike Bailly and offensive line leader Tim Murch. According to captain Liam Knott, the heart of the offense, the Otters "are in a good position to take our incredible defense." Led by end Eddie Hulff, the defense led the Otters to a 6-4-1 regular-season record of last year's squad is confident. "Our goal is to again reach the post-season.

Fisher

Fisher Hall's schedule begins Sunday at 1 p.m. as they take on Siegfried. The Green Wave hope to coast to victory on the strength of their offensive and defensive lines, led by captain Sean Lynch and senior Chris Ebye, both offensively/defensive tackles.

Lynch comments the team is "excited about Sunday, what with our plays working for us. We're just eager to get out there and win." Morrisey

Morrisey is expecting another strong performance after last year's 4-0 season. Their defense will be their strong point. They are returning nearly all of their starters from last year's defense which only gave up two touchdowns. On the offensive side of the ball, they will look to running back Alex Gese who'll be a key role in bringing the Dawgs back to the play-offs.

The captain is aware of the tough road ahead, but states "We'll be surprised if we don't make a good run for the title.

The Knights had a disappointing season last year, going 1-2-1. However, Stanford was able to put together a solid squad despite only having six returning players from last year's squad. Sophomore Matt Lord and junior Tom Wood appear to be rising stars for the Knights. They will lead the inexperienced line-backer core. Chris Hult is excited about returning to play on offense. The Knights are currently looking for their final game of the regular season against rival dorm Keenan.

Off Campus

The Off-Campus team is faced with a tough challenge this year, namely, to repeat the performance of last year's championship team. However, they are at a disadvantage this year. Off-Campus was given a new role allowing off-campus students to play for their old dorms. As a result, the Off-Campus team had a small turnout at tryouts and is planning on coming up with a full roster. This means a lot of players will have to play both offense and defense. Since the team is made up of students living off-campus, they have difficulty getting everyone together for practice and have to deal with a constant change of personnel from year to year. As a result, the Off-Campus squad will stick to a rather simple game plan on offense and defense. According to captain Brian Kessler, the team's defense is "the offense is run-oriented, with the amount of players on both sides of the ball, they have difficulty getting a good defense." With the amount of players on both sides of the ball, they have difficulty getting a good defense.

The Otters had a disappointing season last year, winning only one game. They did make the play-offs, however, they lost in the first round. This year's team is a young group with a solid core and several returning starters. They have a solid mix of offense and defense and will definitely be hard-fighting. According to D.J. Hartman, "The Knights are just looking to take one game at a time and are hoping to return to the play-offs. After Sunday, Keenan will battle Off Campus, a team they lost to twice last year. They will look to get their first win of the season that bounced them from the play-offs last year."
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Battle of New York goes to Rangers in preseason

Associated Press

UNIONDALE, N.Y. — Pierre Sevigny, Alexandre Karjovtsev and Daniel Gouze scored in a 4:41 span early in the second period to lead the New York Rangers to a 5-1 exhibition victory over the New York Islanders on Wednesday night.

Peter Ferraro and Mike Eastwood also scored in the second period for the Islanders, who won for the second time in three games. Mike Rouch scored for the Islanders, who started No. 1 goalie Tommy Salo as the Islanders' goaltending tandem of Robb Stauber and Jason Muzzatti.

The Islanders lost their second straight game.

The teams meet again Thursday night at Madison Square Garden.

The Rangers, who won for the second time in three games, got 22 saves from the York Islanders on Wednesday night.

Tim Sweeney had three assists for the Rangers, who went 2-1-1 in exhibition play.

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Lady Blue Devil wants her chance to take the field

By EMERY P. DALESIO

Associated Press Writer

Raleigh, N.C.

Duke coach David Goldsmith has a new problem to go with the longest losing streak in major college football: a sex discrimination suit filed by a kicker who wanted to be the first woman to play in Division I.

"I have no response," Goldsmith said Wednesday. "At the proper time any response will come from the attorneys at Duke University. That's it. I'm a football coach. I'm going to stick to answering questions about football."

Heather Sue Mercer filed a lawsuit in federal court in Greensboro on Tuesday. She contends she wasn't treated fairly by Duke coaches after Goldsmith initially welcomed her to try out as a kicker in 1995.

"I know Heather Sue has worked extremely hard," said Moseley, the NFL's Most Valuable Player in 1982. "From 40 yards in she was pretty deadly."

"Mercer did not respond to interview requests made through her lawyer."

Duke attorneys referred inquiries to a university vice president, who did not immediately return a call.

Mercer, a freshman walk-on from Yorktown Heights, N.Y., made the winning 26-yard field goal in the team's spring scrimmage in 1995. Goldsmith said after that scrimmage that Mercer had made the team. But she was left off the team once Goldsmith trimmed his roster that summer.

"I shouldn't have said it," Goldsmith said after changing his mind. "I'm going to have a summer training and season training that year. I was carried away at the time.

Mercer said she was neither the best nor the strongest kicker but still deserved a spot on the team. A third-team all-state kicker in high school, Mercer was allowed to practice with Duke's other five kickers. But she was never issued protective padding or a uniform, her lawsuit said. As late as this year, Mercer participated in the team's endurance training in her effort to win a roster spot.

In February, Goldsmith told her to leave a training session and that she had no right to be there, her lawsuit said.

The lawsuit seeks unspecified compensatory and punitive damages. It contends Duke violated Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, which prohibits sex discrimination in educational programs that receive federal money.

The 2-year diary of change and growth, transforming sex life into a "solid Christian psychological counselling, Mr. Falzarano successfully left behind his homosexual dispositions. He has been happily married for almost 14 years and has two children. He has ministered to over 500 former homosexuals and is the East Coast and European media spokesperson for Exodus International. He is used as an expert source of information by CBS, ABC, The BBC, The Washington Post and USA Radio Network. He has testified before the Maryland General Assembly regarding homosexual issues, and he filed an affidavit in the case which went to the Supreme Court.

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The speakers will briefly share their histories as homosexuals and their spiritual journeys away from that way of life, and will then answer questions from the audience. They hope that their stories will contribute in a positive way to the campus debate about homosexuality.

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CHICAGO

Mark McGwire hit his 53rd home run of the season Wednesday — the most since Roger Maris set the record of 61 in 1961 — as the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Chicago Cubs 12-9.

McGwire connected leading off the third inning for his second homer since signing a three-year, $28.5 million contract with the Cardinals Tuesday night. The 53 home runs top his previous best of 52, which he hit last season with Oakland, and put McGwire one ahead of Seattle's Ken Griffey Jr., who was to play Wednesday night at Texas.

McGwire, who was cheered during batting practice when he hit at least seven balls over the left field bleachers onto Waveland Avenue, went 1-for-4 with a walk in his first regular season game at Wrigley Field. He was 0-for-2 in the 1990 All-Star Game played at Wrigley.

Royce Clayton hit a two-run homer in a five-run first, Gary Gaetti added a three-run double and Sammy Sosa hit his 19th since joining St. Louis on July 31, to make it 6-0.

Mark Grace hit an RBI single in the third off reliever Rodney Myers, his 19th since joining St. Louis, to make it 9-3. He then scored on Plantier's single.

Lance Johnson hit an RBI triple and scored on Robin Jennings' sacrifice fly in the Cubs seventh. Doug Glanville drove in two runs with a pinch double and Sammy Sosa hit his 35th home run of the season.

The Cardinals loaded the bases in the seventh and Gaetti cleared them with a double, making it 9-4.

The Cubs seventh. Doug Glanville added a three-run homer giving up five runs on seven hits over seven innings and striking out seven.

Miguel Batista (0-5) took the loss in his shortest appearance in six starts, giving up five runs on four hits and two walks over 1-3 of an inning.

The Cardinals went eight batters to the plate in the first.

Delino DeShields walked on four pitches leading off and Clayton followed with a hit into right. McGwire flew out and Ray Lansford walked. Gaetti singled and Planter doubled, scoring Lansford and Gaetti for a 4-0 lead. Then Mike DiFelice singled, scoring Planter and chasing Batista. DiFelice had a two-run homer in the sixth.

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