Respect Life Week centers around prayer, knowledge

By HEATHER MACKENZIE
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The candles carried a message. Last night, members of the ND/SMC Right to Life club held a litany and prayer service as part of its ongoing Respect Life Week.

"As a club, we want to focus on these areas: prayer, service, and education," said Samantha Snyder, president of the Right to Life club. "We are trying to incorporate all these areas into our activities."

Respect Life Week is a series of prayer services and talks centering around the value of human life.

"We are committed to the consistent ethic of life," explained Snyder. "We believe in the sanctity of all human life from conception until natural death."

Snyder noted that all of this week's activities are designed to give both students and faculty a greater understanding of the importance of life. Students participating are also volunteering at the Crisis Pregnancy Center in South Bend, where they work with outreach grains to educate young women on abstinence and fetal care.

The first talk was held Tuesday by Father Mark Poorman and focused on the euthanasia controversy, including reflection and discussion of the ethics behind that issue.

Tomorrow night, South Bend resident Tammy Goeks will present a testimonial on her decision to carry out her pregnancy after she was diagnosed with cancer.

By COLLEEN McCARTHY
News Writer

After an announcement at the beginning of the school year that the 24-year-old Saint Mary's College London Summer Program was being canceled due to financial difficulties, faculty and students came together in an outpouring of support for the program that led to its resurrection.

The Student Senate continued discussion of numerous residence life issues at yesterday's meeting.

Last week, the Residence Life Committee reported progress on dining times, laundry in men's dorms, and shuttle operation from distant parking lots. Last night, however, there was more waiting for further action to be taken by the University, and more waiting for resolutions to be finalized by senate committees.

"We're still working on the laundry issue," said Keenan senator Matt Balka, who noted that his dorm turned down laundry facilities in those dorms which lack adequate facilities. Mamak is preparing a resolution to present in time for the Campus Life Council meeting on Nov. 3. It may be possible to install laundry facilities in those dorms which lack them, but in most cases that would result in a reduction of social space.

Sorin Hall senator Kevin Grugan noted that his dorm turned down laundry facilities two years ago when it learned that the facilities would take up valuable social space.

Ultimately, Morrissey senator Matt Szabo observed, "We will have to weigh the administration to reconsider its decision, sending the program into its 25th year for the summer of 1998. Saint Mary's professors Don Balka and Douglas Tyler were named the new co-directors of the program by the College.

"Once faculty and students found out that the program had been ended, there was an uproar," Balka said, discussing how the resurrection of the program came about.

The efforts of the faculty and students to make sure the program continued included writing letters and talking to Brother Feigl, vice-president and dean of faculty at Saint Mary's College, as well as directly to College President Marilou Eldred. Balka held discussions with Feigl and then began the process of preparing a budget for the program from scratch.

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I love stress. I mean, I don't feel right unless I'm running myself ragged over something, and do my best under severe degrees of stress. Getting what? It's not so bad. I need stress like some people need caffeine or nicotine. My stress develops out of necessity. I cannot produce exceptual results before the last minute. So, I make time to stress, and make us for my lack of academic focus with last-minute stressing out. In other words, I procrastinate.

Am I slipping into the apathetic senior conundrum too soon? I'm not sure. Maybe it's as simple as the glorious weather, or maybe it's something in the ethanol-ridden air that gives me a new-found pride in my procrastination tactics which lead me to my needed stress.

I am most likely prompted by the march with so many seniors. I wouldn't be doing my duty to fellow students if I didn't share my perspective to enjoy more. anybody can be very productive and still make time for leisurely activities. I can show you how. Only when you're the most important thing we can't take an hour out and just chill. It's not technically, not nearly little enough. If you do try on it, you can study hard for the next case and still average out with a B. Cause you're a four year. You don't want to look back on the time you spent here and remember other little more than sitting in a library carrel.

Carpe Diem. Someday, you'll be too old to dance on that table, so you might as well do it now.

Your body won't always be able to handle caffeine or nicotine. My body may not be able to handle stress.

This gets back to the whole carpe diem thing. Time is precious and we need to use it wisely. If we don't use it well, we may never be able to do what we want to do.

It's only going to be nice outside for a few more days. Soon, the real South Bend weather will arrive, and we won't be able to handle masses quantities of Whoppers, so eat them now.

The national weather service has warned residents of the area to be prepared for severe weather conditions.

Judgy selection begins for Kaczynski

SACRAMENTO, Calif. Hundreds of people reported to the state fairgrounds Monday to complete questionnaires, starting the long process of serving a jury for the trial of Unabomber suspect Theodore Kaczynski. About 600 people were summoned to a tent at Cal Expo to fill out the surveys, the first time in a federal case in Sacramento that prospective jurors have gathered other than the downtown courthouse. The judge will then eliminate prospective jurors who serve on the jury and will impose a hardship. There will be a second round of surveys, followed by individual questioning to begin Nov. 12. The judge has ruled that the questionnaires will continue until the jury is selected. Jury selection could last three to four weeks, followed by a trial of several months.

Kaczynski, a 55-year-old former math professor turned backwoods hermit, is accused of being the anti-technology terrorist known as the Unabomber. The 16 Unabom attacks between 1978 and 1995 killed three people and injured 23. Kaczynski is charged in California in four of the bombings. He could get the death penalty.
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Huck examines effect of liturgy

By SEAN O'CONNELL
News Writer

Notre Dame has been selected to launch a major study of American Catholic life in the 20th century. The research project is being funded by Lilly Endowment Inc.

"This is a project which a great Catholic university is particularly well-suited to undertake," said University President Father Edward Malloy.

The project, titled "Studies in Twentieth Century American Catholicism," will be headed by the faculty in the Charles and Margaret Hall Cushwa Center for the Study of American Catholicism.

"We are grateful to Lilly Endowment for the recognition it signified," said Cushwa Center director R. Scott Appleby, noting the support will focus on changes in the American Catholic Church and how it relates to the Church as leaders in their communities.

"We want to examine the ways in which American Catholics have responded to these changes," Appleby said.

The Cushwa Center estimates that about 15 books will be published as part of the project. These books will be coordinated with the Cushwa Center' s website and other digital resources.

The Cushwa Center also hopes to publish numerous articles for pastoral and scholarly periodicals and to coordinate conferences and seminars.

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Dr. Feigh has worked very hard on the budget in trying to nail everything down for the College and to make sure everything is accounted for," Balka stated. "We spent two Friday after­noons in her office for many hours working out the details."

Saint Mary's senior Bridget Sullivan, who participated in the program this past summer, was one of the many stu­dents who was driven to action when she heard the London Summer

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Two concerns. One is that of the men who have to leave their dorm to do laundry. The other is that of the women who have men doing laundry in their dorms."

In other Student Senate news:

• "We're working on establishing need for a campus shuttle," said PE senator Julie Reising. The Residence Life Committee is in the process of developing a report on the pros and cons of having a shuttle run from South Quad dorms to the D2, D6 and off-campus parking lots.

• Last week, progress was reported on the senate's propos­als to extend lunch and break­fast grab-and-go hours. At yester­day's meeting, Szabo said he was "still waiting to hear back from [director of Food Services] David Prestowski" on those issues and on adjustments to the meal plan.

• Julie Beirne, of the student government Department of Ports to the Board of Trustees, briefed the senate on the government's upcoming report to the board. The report will focus on the development of a transportation pool to be run by the University, taking the responsibility of providing trans­portation for student groups from the Center for Social Concerns.

The proposed program would have five main benefits. Beirne says that it would "free up more resources for the CSC to put into its services, instead of van main­tenance." With additional vans, SafeRide could potentially oper­ate more nights each week.

Additionally, under the pro­gram, there would be more vans available for use by clubs, pro­gram had been extended.

"When I heard the program was question­able, I talked to President Eldred about it and shared my experiences with her," Sullivan said.

After speaking to Eldred, Sullivan said that she felt a renewed sense of hope that the pro­gram would continue.

"She wanted to hear about all of my experiences and I was confident that they would keep the program, judging from President Eldred's reaction to the student response," said Sullivan.

Now that the pro­gram is firmly re­established, Balka is enthusiastic about encouraging students to partic­i­pate.

"Students from Saint Mary's, Notre Dame, Holy Cross, and other universi­ties are welcome and invited to participate," Balka stat­ed.

The program will also be run in the same way it has in the past, with visits to Ireland, Scotland, Paris and London. During the month-long program, stu­dents can take classes in history, psy­chology, sociology, international busi­ness and theater, a course not previ­ously offered.

The first meeting for interested stu­dents will take place at 7:30 p.m. in Carroll Auditorium at Saint Mary's College on Monday.

"The program will go on at least for the near future. This has been an ongoing program and everyone is pleased because the opportunities are tremendous," said Balka.

"My experiences through the London Program shaped my personality and I grew so much," Sullivan agreed. "I would recommend it to anyone with the time, money or desire."
Minority engineers team up with local middle schools

By EMILY PARKER
News Writer

Notre Dame’s Minority Engineering Program (MEP) has joined with several local middle schools to form the Ameritech Pre-College Minority Engineering Program. About 80 middle schools are involved.

The University’s college of engineering dean’s office founded the MEP in 1987 as an outgrowth of a national program designed to attract, support and retain minority students in the engineering program.

"In 1987 the College of Engineering looked at its program and realized, 'We could do a lot better,'" said Joy Vann, director of the MEP. "Since 1987, the number of minority participants retained in the engineering program has jumped from 25 percent to 97 percent." The Ameritech Pre-College Minority Engineering Program

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In order to participate a student must have scored at least a 65 on the Indiana Statewide Testing for Educational Progress, or ISTEP, exam. They must also have maintained at least a B average and have two letters of recommendation from school officials.

The program is designed to both enhance and augment the regular curriculum of these students. The program begins October 15th and continues on the first and third Wednesdays of each month through the month of May.

While involved in the program, students must do three things. They must give an oral presentation of at least a minute, complete their "pre-activity assignments," and take part in the Family Engineering Activities.

In the family activities, students are to work with their family members on various activities. There are two Family Engineering Activities Days during the school year, one in the fall and one in the spring.

"We are firm believers in the family experience," Vann said.

The program is funded by a "distance-learning" grant from the Corporation for Educational Communications, a non-profit organization set up by Ameritech.

The grant allows the college to purchase the video-conferencing equipment needed as well as plan the curriculum development of this unique program.

The classes will originate from a classroom in DeBartolo Hall and using the video-conferencing system, will allow the students and teachers to interact with the Notre Dame faculty and students in the engineering program.

According to Vann, the program will have an impact on both local and global communities.

The video-conferencing system will not only allow people from across the globe to participate in the engineering program.

There has already been interest shown from the Indianapolis school district as well as from abroad.

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**Calendar of Events**

**Weekly Eucharistic Adoration**
Beginning Monday, September 22; and each Monday thereafter during the Academic Year. Campus Ministry will sponsor a 24-hour period of Eucharistic Adoration in Fisher Hall Chapel. Adoration will begin with Mass at 11:00 a.m. on Monday nights and end with Mass at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday nights. For more information please call 631-7800 or 631-5240.

**Respect Life Week**
"Beginning-of-Life Declaration: A Personal Response"
Tommy Grooke, cancer patient
Music by Coro Primavera de Nuestra Senora
Thursday, October 9
8:00 p.m.
Walsh Hall Chapel

"Capital Punishment: The Catholic Response"
Charles Rice, Law School Professor
Music by Voices of Faith Gospel Choir
Sunday, October 12
10:00 a.m.
Hesburgh Library

**Pan Dulce y Jugo**
Monday through Friday, October 13-17
Celebrante: Padre David Scheidler, C.S.C.

**Music by Voices of Faith Gospel Choir**
Sunday, October 12
1:30 pm Stanford Keenan Chapel
Celebrante: Padre David Soeteleir, C.S.C.

**Notre Dame Encounter Retreat**
Sign-up for Retreat #49 (Nov. 24-26)
Monday/Friday, October 13-17
103 Hesburgh Library

**It's a Matter of Life**
Jim Lies, C.S.C.

Some of you know, I was born eighth in a family of ten children. My parents had their first nine children in ten years. At our house, we used to joke that my dad would come home from work and ask my Mom, "What’s new?" and she would reply, "Look in the crib!" As big as my family is, however, most of you know that it wasn’t that unusual in the days following WWII. Ten, twelve, fifteen, even twenty kids wasn’t unheard of. It was a time when you simply took what was comin’ to ya. My Mom and Dad didn’t have much money. My Dad was a Catholic grade school teacher and my Mom was kept mighty busy at home, as you might imagine. But it wasn’t about money, it was about life. And when my Dad died six months before their tenth child was born, and some suggested she give up the baby, Mom’s decision wasn’t about economics, it was about life. She would keep that child because it wasn’t about convenience, or even security, it was about life.

This is Respect Life Week here at Notre Dame. And during this time we remind ourselves that indifference will never be enough. To sit idly by, will never be enough. But it isn’t only about the major cultural threats to life that we have to concern ourselves. If we are as we say we are, "Pro-life," then we need to promote and support life wherever we are.

It will never be enough to say that I am opposed to abortion, and then fail to care for the needy child. It will never be enough to stand in protest against capital punishment and not concern ourselves with the care of the death row inmate. It will never be enough to preach against euthanasia and never visit the sick, and the suffering, and the dying. It is no small task we undertake. We who call ourselves pro-life must stand up for life, for all life! We must stand in solidarity with thousands and millions who disdain the culture of death which pervades our time.

We must stand in solidarity with the millions of children whose lives were cut short by abortion. We must stand in solidarity with the young women who, out of fear, seek abortion because they see no other way out of an unexpected pregnancy. We must stand in solidarity with those whose lives are somehow deemed unworthy. We must stand in solidarity with the prisoner, and the death row inmate. We must stand in solidarity with the mentally and physically disabled. We must stand in solidarity with those who are sick with terminal or seriously debilitating illnesses. We must stand in solidarity with all in whom the sanctity of life is denied.

We are, all of us, called by God to stand together against death, and to stand together for life. In his 1995 encyclical, Evangelium Vitae, Pope John Paul II reminds us:

"We are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the "culture of death" and the "culture of life." We find ourselves not only "faced with" but necessarily "in the midst of" this conflict: we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life.

It is no small matter. It is truly all that matters! If we are to be truly pro-life, however, we do not stand only with the unborn, the prisoner, the infirm and the elderly. We must, as believers in the Lord Jesus, stand together for one another. We must acclaim and affirm the life in ourselves, and in others! It is for us to see and nurture and support the life in all those around us. We must stand with our enemies as well as our friends. We must stand with our roommates, with our professors, with our families, and with all men and women, regardless of race, creed, nationality, or orientation.

John Paul II urges each of us, in Evangelium Vitae, to adopt a new scale of values— to give primacy to being rather than having, to persons rather than things. "This renewed life-style," he tells us, "involves a passing from indifference to concern for others, from rejection to acceptance of them." Together, says the Holy Father, "we sense our duty to preach the Gospel of Life, to celebrate it in the Liturgy and in our whole existence, and to serve it" through "programs and structures which support and promote life". As Christians, we are people of life. Now, more than ever, we are called to live what we profess!
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SMC housing incorporates wellness into community

By MOLLY COOPER
News Writer

In recent years, Saint Mary's College has promoted a wellness program that emphasizes a student's spiritual, physical, intellectual, career, emotional, environmental and social health. The College has stood behind its conviction that every aspect of the student's health is important in fostering an environment for the well-rounded individual. This fall another significant step in the direction of this emphasis is in the beginning stages of development.

The Department of Housing is exploring the possibility of creating a Wellness Community within the context of a residential community. Katherine Rosswurm, director of Housing, leads a committee that is currently pursuing the idea of offering students opportunity to become part of a community that would collectively focus on all aspects of health.

The committee consists of Rosswurm and students from the Housing Committee. Together, they are working on a proposal for a wellness floor to be located in one of the residential halls. According to the proposal, "the floor would be for students who are interested in maintaining a lifestyle that supports academic success, personal development and well-being and positive life choices."

The finished proposal along with the results of several student focus groups will be submitted for consideration to Suzie Orr, the director of Resident Life and Linda Timm, vice president of Student Affairs. Although the wellness community is still in its planning stages, the committee working on this project has already drawn up specific guidelines. Students choosing to live in these quarters would reside on LeMans Queen's Court, located on the second floor housing 20 students and a resident advisor.

The committee feels, according to Rosswurm, that the community should start out as a small group of women for its trial year. This idea would not be of its first. Many colleges and universities have entire resident halls devoted to students interested in actively pursuing a healthy lifestyle. Rosswurm, the director of Saint Mary's Housing program said, "Students are struggling to find a balance between all the aspects of wellness."

By encouraging this kind of environment to experience college in this type of atmosphere, more students of this orientation will be able to find an appropriate balance.

"To become part of this community," stated Rosswurm, "students would have to go through a selection process much like that of Annunciation Hall."

Interested students would complete an application and have their own night for room selection. The proposal also states, "The wellness community will be substance free and all residents will have to sign a contract agreeing not to smoke, drink or use illegal drugs in this community."

A defining characteristic of this community would be cooperation between students and the resident advisor. Students will take an active role in designing their own activities and rules such as quiet hours.

Rosswurm stressed that this living arrangement would not be set up for students not interested in having fun. Rather, it would be an environment to foster the seven aspects for well-being.

PreProfessional Society

Second Meeting

Medically Related Service/Club Opportunities at Notre Dame

Come hear about your options to become more involved on campus also discussion/organization of a new Preprofessional Society sponsored event

HEALTH WEEK

7:45 pm
TONIGHT, Thursday Oct. 9
Cushing Room 303

New Members Welcome

The Montana Power Company

Presents

For Undergraduate and MBA Students in All Majors

• Robert P. Gannon ('66) vice chairman, president and chief executive speaking on "Chaos Theory And The Emerging New Energy Industry," Thursday, October 16, at 3:30 p.m. in Jordan Auditorium.

• Steve Dee ('62) vice president of Corporate Marketing and former Notre Dame College of Business Administration professor, teaching an OMEGA class on "Leadership Management and Marketing," Friday, October 17, from 8:45-10:15 a.m. in COBA Room 159.

• An informal, university-wide discussion of the energy industry and full-time and summer internship career opportunities with Gannon, Dee, and Jack Haffey (MBA '72), executive vice president and chief operating officer of Montana Power's Energy Communications and Services Division, Friday, October 17, from 10:30-11:45 a.m. in COBA Room 162.

• For those students with a strong interest in the energy industry or The Montana Power Company, there are a limited number of opportunities for one-on-one interviews from 1-4 p.m., Friday, October 17. Contact Sarah Knapp at 631-8671 (e-mail at "Knapp.9") no later than October 13 to schedule an interview.

The Montana Power Company (NYSE:MTP) is a $1.1 billion revenue, diversified energy and telecommunications company based in Butte, Montana.
Father Benedict Ashley

about God's purpose in creating us as sexual beings. Jesus interpreted the Old Testament teaching on marriage to show that God created man and woman to complement each other in marriage for two purposes. First, that they might be united in a union which is not only physical, but psychological and spiritual since we are told in Ephesians, this is a union of love. In Christ, our own love for our profession at the end of life. And is irreversible? There are cases of persons who, after years of homosexual activity, settle down to a happy heterosexual marriage. In fact, research seems to have shown that between complete homosexuality and complete heterosexuality, there is a range of bisexuality.

Thus young persons who wonder if they are homosexual or who have experimented with gay activity ought to seek psychological and spiritual counsel before labeling themselves as gay. Moreover, gay activists ought seriously to consider their responsibility to pursue research on the prevention and cure of this condition, as so many with other personal problems have done, rather than to discourage such research on the grounds that it stigmatizes a helpless condition. Those who cannot achieve heterosexual reality should realize that sexual fulfillment in marriage, the only kind that fulfills God's purposes, is not their vocation and that therefore for every Christian single, heterosexual or homosexual, chastity celibacy is the true vocation. In the course of choosing chaste homosexuals should kindle not pity, but admiration, and a encouragement not to despair or to Transgender News.

If we do not fully understand the causes of homosexuality, how can we say (as gay activists usually do) that homosexual orientation is always determined early, and is irreversible? There are cases of persons who, after years of homosexual activity, settle down to a happy heterosexual marriage. In fact, research seems to have shown that between complete homosexuality and complete heterosexuality, there is a range of bisexuality. Thus young persons who wonder if they are homosexual or who have experimented with gay activity ought to seek psychological and spiritual counsel before labeling themselves as "gay." Moreover, gay activists ought seriously to consider their responsibility to pursue research on the prevention and cure of this condition, as so many with other personal problems have done, rather than to discourage such research on the grounds that it stigmatizes a helpless condition. Those who cannot achieve heterosexual reality should realize that sexual fulfillment in marriage, the only kind that fulfills God's purposes, is not their vocation and that therefore for every Christian single, heterosexual or homosexual, chastity celibacy is the true vocation. In the course of choosing chaste homosexuals should kindle not pity, but admiration, and a encouragement not to despair or to Transgender News.

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**freddy jones band**

The most recent release from the Freddy Jones Band, *Lucid*, is exactly as the name indicates. The word, meaning "to be easily understood or mentally clear," describes the music on the album well. September marked the release of the Chicago-based group's fourth album on the Capricorn record label, but the album surprisingly received little notice in the South Bend area, which was once one of the band's early feature performance spots.

On their latest studio effort, the Freddy Jones Band returns with 12 songs that blend a relaxed, easy-going sound with hardened rock. The opening track, "Wonder," is a return to the unique harmonies put out by vocalists Wayne Healy and Marty Lloyd and some great guitar solos reminiscent of their early album, *Waiting for the Night*, which popularized the song "In a Daydream." "Waiting on the Stone" is the next track displaying the easy-going sound with Lloyd providing soulful lyrics and Bob Bonaccorsi highlighting on slide guitar, a key to the F5 flavor. "If I Could" is an almost romantic slow tune which strikes as a little too broadly, although some of that breathiness gives passion to the song. Listeners will notice a certain trance-like echoing effect to both the lyrics and instruments of this song and many others on the album. Highlights abound on other tracks from the CD including "Blue Moon," which gives a first time listener a taste of the Freddy Jones Band's gritty Chicago rock accent.

**kula shaker**

*Shakersmaker? No, Kula shaker!! When Vanity Fair did its recent review of London's cultural renaissance, music was front and center. Beyond the full-page shot of Liam and Patsy in bed (John & Yoko anyone?), particular attention was paid to the emergence of Kula shaker and its recent release, simply titled *K*. Kula shaker fancies itself the inheritor of The Beatles' quest to explore India, in particular that country's rich musical and spiritual heritage. How ironic then, that 1997 is India's 50th anniversary of independence from who knows why. By the way, in case you can play bass or sing lead vocals in Blur (i.e. you are totally ignorant) India is that big place in between Pakistan and Bangladesh.*

In terms of geopolitics, I don't think Kula shaker knows Kerala from Punjab. However the music on this record is of top quality and should not be missed. The opening track, "Hey Dude," is to be played at your local radio station. I am sure that you will hear from the Sundays, one listen to *Static & Silence*, and you'll be glad you did.

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The next track, "Goldvinda," is completely indiscernible and rather annoying. Not only is there not a sound of English in the song, but there is a reminiscent of some '60s Top 40 selection, and it fails short of anything which is supposed to move the listener to spiritual heights. But, just when you think you've been had by your local HMV dealer, you sense a rhythm with their new uplifting "Into The Deep." Kula shaker really shifts it into high gear with Tavita and blows your head off with "Still." It soon becomes clear why Kula shaker is Noel Gallagher's favorite new band of 1997.

Let's be honest. The closest this band will ever get to grasping India is hanging out with Donald Trump at The Taj Mahal in Atlantic City. But, that didn't stop Neil Young and Beck from inviting Kula shaker to join last summer's H.O.R.D.E. tour of USA. This band has potential and friends in the right places. Get this one. You'll be glad you did.

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The most delicious moment, however, occurs on the languid, Mazar Star-like "I'm Thinking About You." Instantly captivating, David Gavarine's gentle strumming exquisitely complements Harriet Wheeler's ethereal singing, as she yearns: "Hope I'll never wake/When I'm thinking about you." The arrival of a delicate piano arrangement toward the end of the song adds to its overall loveliness.

Another highlight of the album was the guest appearance of Chris "Hambone" Cameron whose appearance of Chris "Hambone" Cameron whose inventive work on keyboards elevates several tracks. In an August 14 interview, members of the band explained of the new album that, "No matter what song came on ... you could tell it was the Freddy Jones Band." This unquestionably distinct sound was achieved in a studio, but some good lyrics and great instruments indicate that the Freddy Jones Band's great concert reputation and strong grass-roots following is well deserved. For those interested in that genre of music, or those looking for some unique new sounds, check out the Freddy Jones Band's new release *Lucid*.

**by Sean King**

**by Anthony Limjaco**
The Velveteens come to town this Friday, don't expect to sit back and listen to their music. Matt Larsen, trombonist, says they're "east coast sound will be loved by those in the Midwest."

The Velveteens have arrived in South Bend at the perfect time, amidst a campus-wide dialogue concerning the music scene and its treatment of original material. Their current tour is promoting their forthcoming CD, entitled, You won't be able to stop dancing. The trombonist, says their "east coast sound will be loved by those in the Midwest."

The Velveteens are a traditional ska-soul band from the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia. They've been together now since June of '96, and have amassed an impressive repertoire of both original and cover material. Their current tour is promoting their forthcoming CD, entitled, You won't be able to stop dancing. Larsen has already had his share of fame as the trombonist for the popular Chicago ska ensemble, Hot Ska Jimmy. However, he warns listeners not to expect that famous Jimmy-esque style, as the Velveteens have achieved their own autonomous and exciting feel. "We don't model our sound off of any band, we try to play what we hear inside of us. Our music combines lyrics that are humorous and relevant with a bevy of horn solos, resulting in a big and boisterous sound that makes you get off your butt."

Larsen also adds that they first brought the traditional ska sound to William and Mary and have sent the campus into a frenzy that would last more than a year ago. With a 10 piece band and five piece horn section, the Velveteens have mastered a respectable sound and a faithful following out east. They will be at Jazzman's on Friday night, and will surely prove why this is the case. The show will begin around 10:30 p.m., and Stomper Bob will also appear on the bill.

Experience east coast ska-soul in South Bend this Friday!

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**Brass-Hop (out of five stars)**

For anyone who has enjoyed chicken and waffles or a peanut and jelly sandwich, it is fairly obvious that unlikely combinations can produce delicious results. However, it is also true that seemingly natural unisons can result in something extremely distasteful. For example, the popular integration of sampled jazz and hip-hop would make most musicians and fans believe that a rapper working with a live jazz band would be a natural, and successful, musical endeavor. Unfortunately, those individuals are very, very wrong.

USJ tried to bring the jazz-rap fusion to the mainstream in the early '90s, and they even scored a hit with "Cantaloop." However, despite that hit song, it became apparent that the mix of live, mellow funk and intellectual rhymes would simply not work out. The latest group to attempt such a live jazz and rap album would be Coolbone with Brass-Hop. Give these guys credit for producing a consistent album, consistently good. The band's musicians and listeners have retained both their senses of hip-hop and jazz. For those listeners who have not waste a lot of time with sonic experimentation or elaborate solos, they create hard, simple, adrenaline-pumping songs that can be easily and naturally plugged.

Because of their influences (New Orleans brass, John Coltrane, and many others), Coolbone should realize that live jazz is the world's most sacred, art form. By trying to limit jazz, Coolbone creates a messy mixture that destroys the expansive possibilities of hip-hop and jazz. For those listeners who have been anticipating an MC Hammer-Kenny G collaboration, this album will be an instant classic. But for those listeners who have retained both their senses of hip-hop and jazz, it would be a good idea to skip this album.

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soccer team following a successful year being granted a soccer field at the collegiate and national level. Dr. Erikson said, "This has been one of the most fun teams I've ever played on," raved Erikson. "Luckily, there are a few people you don't get along with, but that's not the case here."

Although the Irish soccer career has just barely begun, Erikson, the youngest player on the 1997 (under 20) Nordic Camp, has aspirations of playing soccer, among other things, after graduation. "I'm just going to keep doing what I'm doing," said Erikson. "Afterwards, I'd like to have a family, maybe become a coach or elementary teacher. I understand the communications field. But if that opportunity presents itself, I'd like to continue playing soccer.

If Erikson's solid play for the Irish so far is any indication of her ability, any future Irish recruits exist only in her mind.

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improvement as of yet, but our team, I really geared more towards running 10,000 meters which is what we need to do at our district meet." And they say that the youngest stars burn the brightest. That is certainly the case for the Notre Dame squad. The Irish expect great things from two of their juniors, sophomore, John Devlin for the women, and freshman Ryan Shay for the men.

"Joanna placed 3rd in NCAAs as a freshman," said Plane. To put that little performance into perspective, there are roughly 10,000 athletes who participate in cross country; she's third. That's pretty good. Can she replicate that this year? Only time will tell."

Said Plane of Shay, "He has done a great job. He is doing it without the help of an outside coach."

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Mixer struggles in Bears' offense

The Associated Press

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yanked quarterback Mirer struggles in Bears' offense

Mirer, acquired from Seattle in a trade that cost the Bears a
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to his team.

And on Wednesday, Mirer
Nine days ago, Chicago Bears
Mirer lost his starting job to
Erik Kramer.

"Yeah, I'm upset," Mirer said.

"I wish the communication
that the Bears have had with
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But he's been struggling and
hasn't generated a touchdown
in his three starts this season.

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imenting with Mirer as he strug-
gled to learn a new system,
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Glavine tosses win, ties series

Atlanta's fielders, meanwhile, had a return to respectability. A day after several mistakes made all five runs off Greg Maddux unearned in a 5-3 loss, the four players guilty of the misplays — Jones, Klesko, Fred McGriff and Lofton — each turned in poor grade.

Klesko and Jones each homered for the second straight day. Jones drove in three runs with three hits, while Keith Lockhart had three hits and scored three times.

Fernandez, one of several key players the Marlins imported in the offseason to beat the Braves, was 2-0 against them in five playoff games, it will be his first error of the season on the left side of the plate that Johnson reached quickly. But he threw low past first base on a play scored as a single and an error.

Johnson had gone 175 games since June 23, 1996, without an error, and set a major league record for catchers this year for most consecutive games (133) in a season without a miscue.

The Marlins, who did not make an error in Game 1 and never trailed, fell behind when Lockhart followed with a triple off the wall in right-center. Two outs later, Klesko stood at home plate and watched his high drive sail halfway up the right-field stands for his eighth postseason home run and a 3-0 lead.

Lockhart, playing in place of injured second baseman Mark Lemke, singled and scored on Jones' seventh postseason home run in the third. Lockhart doubled in the seventh off Felix Heredia, Jones hit an RBI single and Javy Lopez had a sacrifice fly for a 7-0 lead.

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Opponent injuries play to Knicks' advantage

The Associated Press

PURCHASE, N.Y. — Scottie Pippen is out for two to three months and Alonzo Mourning will be sidelined, too. This is a good thing, it would seem, for the New York Knicks. Problem is, they don't see it that way.

"Chicago absolutely will not be affected at all," coach Jeff Van Gundy said Wednesday. "They're a great player, but the only guy on that team that has an effect on winning or losing is Michael Jordan. That's it."

If Van Gundy and his players are privately high-lying each other over a Pippen- and Mourning-free start to the season, they weren't letting on during their first full day in New York after training camp opened in Charleston, S.C.

Pippen had surgery in New York on Monday on his left foot. Mourning is out until at least Dec. 14 while Pippen is on the other guys — hold the fort until Scottie gets back and then peak into the end of the season and the playoffs.

"We don't need Scottie Pippen's injury to inspire us. We should have been inspired anyway," Grunfeld said. "They still have a formidable club, they are by far the best club in the East." He also noted they are privately high-lying each other.

We can only concern ourselves with how the Knicks play," said Larry Johnson. "We can't relax at all. Jeff already told us this. We don't have to worry about what's happening around the league."

Van Gundy and general manager Ernie Grunfeld maintain that Chicago remains a threat to win 70 games.

"Twenty percent of our scoring is off the floor. Someone else is going to have to fill it up," coach Phil Jackson said Wednesday, the day after the team announced that Pippen had undergone foot surgery and will miss up to three months.

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Bulls need Jordan to step up

The Associated Press

DEERFIELD, III. — The biggest problem with Scottie Pippen's injury is not that the Chicago Bulls might lose too many games but that Michael Jordan might expend too much energy.

"We have to start thinking about how to handle this without Scottie Pippen's injury to inspire us," coach Phil Jackson said Wednesday. "They still have a formidable club, they are by far the best club in the East."

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Pitching dominates ALCS, Indians

The Associated Press

Baltimore

Hey, the American League has great pitchers, too.

Scott Erickson shut down Cleveland on just four hits over eight innings, and Brady Anderson and Roberto Alomar homered Wednesday night to lead the Baltimore Orioles over the Indians 3-0 in the opener of the AL championship series.

With all the attention focused on the superb starters of Atlanta and Florida, pitchers in the AL series have been overlooked. Erickson managed something no NL pitcher has accomplished, carrying Baltimore to the first shutout in this year's postseason.

Winless in seven postseason starts before beating Seattle last week, Erickson got 14 outs on grounders and struck out three, and Randy Myers followed with a perfect ninth, extending the Indians' scoreless streak to 13 innings.

Anderson, meanwhile, opened the series exactly the same way he began the Indians-Orioles matchup in last year's playoffs — with a home run.

And Alomar, whose 12th-inning homer in Game 4 won last year's series clincher, hit a two-run shot in the third off loser Chad Ogea.

Anderson also made a great defensive play, leaping to catch Manny Ramirez's first-inning shot, headed for a home run.

Baltimore, seeking its first AL pennant since 1983, will try to take a 2-0 lead Thursday night when Jimmy Key pitches against Charles Nagy of the Indians.

Erickson, making his first appearance against Cleveland this year, walked none and allowed just the singles to David Justice in the second. Big Roberts in the third, Marquis Grissom in the sixth and Matt Williams in the eighth.

Justice was stranded at first. Roberts was left at third.

Grissom was erased when Roberts lined into a double play and Williams was rubbed out when Sandy Alomar hit a comebacker that Erickson turned into a double play.

On a night that felt like summer — the game-time temperature was 75 — Anderson showed flashes of his 1996 form, when he hit 50 homers and set a major league record with 12 leading off games.

On Ogea's very first pitch, he crushed the ball over the 25-foot scoreboard in right field.

Last year, he had opened the first-round series with a homer off Nagy. Anderson doubled up the left-center field gap in the third and Alomar followed with a homer nearly to the same spot as Anderson's.

Ogea, 0-2 against the Orioles coming in, didn't get into much trouble except for the homers, allowing six hits in six innings, striking out three and walking two.

Attention Students

In order to prepare for Spring Semester we will begin returning unsold textbooks to the publishers on Friday, October 10, 1997.

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Saint Mary’s loses to Kalamazoo

By LYNETTE MALECKI
Sports Writer

The sun was shining brightly with blue skies overhead as the SMC soccer team took the field Tuesday afternoon in their fourth home game of the season. A win was not meant to be however, as Kalamazoo, a leading team in the M1AA division, won 8-0. This brings the Belles’ record to 4-10-0.

Kalamazoo’s offense attacked the Belles during the first half, unable to counter Kalamazoo’s intensity level. One reason the Belles may have had difficulty was position compensation for ill and injured players.

Despite Tuesday’s loss, the Belles have made many improvements in the second half. The Belles have a tough weekend ahead of them with games against Albion College at noon. This promises to be an emotional match up as Albion seeks revenge after last year’s 1-0 loss to Saint Mary’s. The Belles have a tough offensive and defensive continuing struggle. This allowed Kalamazoo to score five more unanswered points.

Despite a losing record, the Belles are optimistic their improvements will pay off. The Belles have made many improvements since the start of the season and are optimistic. “We are starting to play as a team and have gotten use to each other’s playing styles,” said junior midfielder Mary Hoffman.

The Belles have a tough weekend ahead of them with back to back home games. Saturday the Belles play Albion College at noon. This promises to be an emotional game as Albion seeks revenge after last year’s 1-0 loss to Saint Mary’s Sunday they face Wisconsin-Whitewater at 1 p.m. The Belles will need to improve movement on the offense as well as ball control in order to defeat their opponents.

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Saint Mary’s gives to Kalamazoo

By ANGELA OLSEN
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Taurus: Every action yields profit, whether material or spiritual. Friendships or relationships begun today could last a lifetime.

Gemini: People around you are playing mind games today, and no one has bothered to explain the rules of engagement. Take notes about what happens, whether your intention is defensive or offensive.

Cancer: Coming home at the end of the day feels like the right thing to do, no matter what kind of reception awaits you.

Leo: It seems to be cleanup time, and today you have been nominated head juror. You might begin with showing up your own act.

Virgo: You are a bit of a process person today, fascinated by watching the wheels go round. Put your accomplishments in writing.

Libra: When feeling weepy and self-absorbed today, remember that we're all water. A larger awareness helps defuse possible conflict with authority.

Scorpio: This is a day to give power to the people and see what they do with it. A defiant mood manifests itself in the spirit of motivation.

Sagittarius: Whatever gets you through the night is completely acceptable, as long as you are discreet when discussing it.

Capricorn: Everyone admires you for your loyalty and dedication. Time proves you right once again.

Aquarius: Instant karma seems to have caught up with you today. Recognize the consequences of your actions while there is still time to reverse them.

Pisces: Today you find it easy to imagine a perfect world, if you are not yet there. Work your connection among the rich and powerful to get what you need.

■ Of Interest

Holy Cross Associates will hold two information sessions today at the Center for Social Concerns at 4 and 6:30 p.m. Holy Cross Associates is a post-graduate service program with placements in the U.S. and Chile.

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For those of you who don't know me, I'm Dan Sullivan. Really. I've had plenty of bad haircuts. You can see my pictures on the back of the last crossword in which I wrote my column. I know my family's name. I'm not a virgin. I'm not a zombie. I'm also not a Mormon. I'm from New Hampshire. I'm a libby. I'm a real liberal. I'm an obnoxious liberal.

DAN SULLIVAN

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Freshman forward Erikson helps fill offensive void

Meotis Erikson takes opposition by storm, netting eight goals

By ALLISON KRILLA
Sports Writer

When the Notre Dame women's soccer team lost its all-time scoring leader, midfielder Cindy Daws, and talented forward Amy VanLaecke to graduation, the team lost its all-time scoring leader, but the standout performers for the class on championship run.

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But the adjustment to collegiate level soccer was not the most difficult for Erikson, who was home-schooled until ninth grade.

"I'm really close to my family, and I get really homesick sometimes," said Erikson. "I'm now just starting to get my head screwed on straight. Slowly but surely, I'm getting used to things; it's getting used to school, being away from my family and a whole new soccer environment."

For Erikson, a love of athletics and competition run in the family.

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By ERIK KUSHTO

The Irish hope to stay ahead of their opposition as they take on Syracuse this Friday.

Irish harriers run up big gains

Despite lack of limelight, ND cross country squads turn in notable finishes

By ERIK KUSHTO
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's and women's cross country teams may be two of the best teams that you have never heard of.

Despite their relative lack of publicity on campus, the national press has picked up on the Irish. USA Today featured sophomore All-American Joanna Deeter in its Oct. 8 edition.

The two teams have competed well without the local coverage, quietly collecting five first place finishes between them and confidently looking forward to rest of the season.

"So far it's been a pretty interesting season," said Irish coach Joseph Planse. "From the women's point of view, the first meet of the year they beat a team that was ranked 15th or 16th in the country in Penn State and they go off and win the National Catholic meet very handily, so that is a great start for them. They placed second in the adidas/Notre Dame Invitational, and one of our top three runners didn't run because she was injured. The future looks very bright for [the women]."

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