Students, corporations connect at business career forum

**Fair offers chances to meet industry recruiters**

By LAURA SEGURA

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I don't want to talk about the game. I don't want to rehab bashed coaches, questionable play-calling, or anything of that ilk. I don't want to think about the "if-only's." It's too painful. Let me just move on.

Still, the trip to West Lafayette was a valuable learning experience. It made me thoroughly appreciate being a Notre Dame student.

The corn should have been my first clue that something was amiss. We took the freeway exit that said Purdue, anticipating the sight of the stadium would prepare us to accommodate screaming Irish fans. Instead we walked for miles.

For several miles we drove on cornfields upon cornfields, with no idea what they were. The Purdue fans just two rows behind me, I have no idea what their fight song sounds like. They certainly were a disappointment.

One can only think that there's nothing wrong with this. Spirit is good, right? Well, maybe I could excuse it if there was any spirit in the Purdue stadium. But there wasn't.

Our 12 cheerleaders are able to make the entire game in Ross-Ade Stadium, with none of the sounds of "We are ND." The Purdue stadium resonated with random noise every once in awhile when Purdue had a glory moment.

After an entire game in Ross-Ade Stadium, with the Purdue fans just two roses behind me, I have no idea what their fight song sounded like. They never sang it. The band could be heard loud and clear in the Big House.

We walked away with our heads held high. Even the individual fans were a disappointment. Some universities, such as Miami, see sweatshops as a different issue.

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OUTSIDE THE DOME

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President Nathan Estep. After a few meetings, the committee decided the while the FLA was an attempt to eliminate sweatshops use, more could be done.

"We don't believe it adequately addresses women's rights, workers' rights and living wage issues," said Richard Keelber, director of Purchasing.

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**Service project enters second year**

**Saint Mary's in the City expands to new agencies**

By CRISIE RENNER

About 65 Saint Mary's students, faculty and staff members volunteered at local agencies Saturday as part of the second annual Saint Mary's in the City community service program.

Sister Linda Kors, director of the Spes Unica Volunteer Resource Center, established the program last year as a way to observe Founder's Day by assisting local agencies.

The program began last year at St. Margaret's House, a daytime drop-in center for women, children and boys 12 years old and younger. It expanded this year to also include St. Joseph's Care Center, which houses about 150 senior citizens.

At St. Margaret's, the volunteers worked alongside the agency's gardeners, cleaning and painting the first and second floors. They also organized the agency's food pantry and painted a mural.

"The women were so excited to see the agency transform before their eyes," Kors said. "They felt a closeness to Saint Margaret's — a sense of home."

"We chose Saint Margaret's because its mission is similar to Saint Mary's. Sophomore class president Michelle Nagle volunteered at St. Joseph's. She washed windows, including those inside the resident's rooms. "It was amazing being able to say just a few words to the residents and being able to brighten their day."

Michelle Nagle

Saint Mary's sophmore class president

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**Eastern Timor**

**Clinton welcomes Indonesian accord**

Associated Press

AUCKLAND, New Zealand (AP) — President Clinton welcomed Indonesia's reluctant acceptance of an international peacekeeping force in East Timor and said Monday that the mission will require a "some presence on the ground" of U.S. forces in the territory.

Clinton told reporters that the United States would supply planes and pilots to transport troops from other nations and help with logistics, communications and intelligence. He also said U.S. officials might play a role in the composition of the peacekeeping forces, "perhaps as a long-sleeved black knit shirt, black slacks and black cowboy boots.

Clinton had accused Indonesia's military of aiding and abetting savage violence in East Timor after it voted overwhelmingly for independence, and he had been rallying support for the peacekeeping mission among leaders at the annual APEC meeting.

After Indonesia bowed to pressure, Clinton praised Habibie.

"The most important thing is for President Habibie to make good on his statement, get the details worked out, get the force in on a hurry," Clinton said.

One potential snag was the composition of the peacekeeping forces. The Indonesians have expressed reluctance about allowing the Australians to lead it.

"That has to be worked out today," Clinton said. "But my view is we should work with the Indonesians in a cooperative fashion. Perhaps they should have some parallel presence, even."
Harley
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(HOG) was formed to provide a social outlet for owners and strengthen relationships between employees and owners. Today, more than 400,000 dues-paying members are sponsored by their dealers. Schmidt said, and this fosters what he describes as "feeling of family" or "spirit of camaraderie." HOG gives owners a reason to ride together, both advertising the "Harley-Davidson sensory experience" and creating a need for replacement parts and accessories, he said.

While competitors fly to major motorcycle events in business suits, Harley-Davidson employees ride in leather and jeans. These events facilitate product loyalty among customers and increase company morale among employees, resulting in what Schmidt describes as an "ether buzz."

"It doesn't matter if you are selling machine tools or widgets, you can create these experiences by being friendly and open with customers," Schmidt said.

He told the history of the legendary motorcycle company, and showed how a reputation for quality had helped it grow in its early days.

Begun in 1903, Harley-Davidson achieved a reputation for quality, surviving both the Great Depression and World War II on police and military contracts, Schmidt said.

After the war, Harley-Davidson could not compete with foreign competition. In 1969, A M F acquired Harley-Davidson and provided the manufacturer the needed capital to expand.

The rule of the day was "build and ship," according to Schmidt, and due to poor management, AMF's ownership soon became known as the "dark era." At Harley-Davidson, production increased and quality plummeted.

Schmidt described Harley-Davidson of the late 1970s, just before the employee buyout, as a company with a "reputation for pandering to outlaw bikers, a very well-deserved reputation for poor quality in the motorcycling industry with bad union management relationships."

Schmidt is now a principal executive with VSA Partners, Inc., a marketing firm that serves Harley-Davidson.

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BAYH
Islands brace for next hurricane

NASSAU

Storm-weary residents in the Bahamas braced for a brush with Hurricane Floyd as it swelled and powered up to a major storm, packing winds of up to 145 mph on Sunday.

All of the Bahamas — a 600-mile-long line of islands — was under hurricane warnings or watches. Forecasters said they might also issue a hurricane watch for part of Florida's east coast Monday.

If Floyd stays in its current path, it would hit the coast of Florida between West Palm Beach and Cocoa Beach. Forecasters expected the hurricane to begin turning north before landfall, though perhaps not much before.

A U.S. hurricane hunter airplane reported Sunday evening that Floyd's winds had topped the 131 mph mark of a very dangerous Category 4 storm.

"I didn't expect such a very fast intensification today," said Jerry Jarrell, director of the National Hurricane Center in Miami. "This is a real surprise for us."

Hurricane Andrew had Category 4 status when it struck South Florida in 1992, killing 26 people and causing an estimated $25 billion in damage.

Experts said that by Tuesday Hurricane Floyd could approach the Abacos Islands and Eleuthera, which were blasted last month by Hurricane Dennis.

"I just got back on my feet from last month's scare," sighed Marie Johnson of Nassau as she pulled out a few bills to pay for flashlight and radio batteries at the City Market grocery store.

The U.S. National Weather Service recommended people along the southeast coast monitor the storm's course.

In Florida, emergency management officials began mobilizing, with the state's Emergency Operations Center in Tallahassee calling in essential personnel for round-the-clock staffing.

Many Floridians took advantage of the weekend's final day to take care of important matters of their hurricane supplies. Osvaldo Ibarra, hardware manager at a Home Depot in Miami, said sales were brisk for batteries, nails, rope and hurricane shutter fasteners.

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World News Briefs

Armed group kidnaps
12 in Ecuador

An armed band has kidnapped an American and seven Canadians who were working on an oil project in Ecuador's eastern jungle near the Colombian border, Ecuador's interior minister said Sunday. They also kidnapped four European tourists visiting Ecuador's Cayambe ecological reserve. The oil workers were installing a pipeline in the province of Sucumbíos, 30 miles from the Colombian border and were being guarded by four Ecuadoran soldiers when they were ambushed on Saturday by about 25 armed assailants, regional commander Col. Luis Ramírez told The Associated Press. He said one Ecuadoran soldier was killed during the attack, which ended with the assigned group taking the hostages after breaking into a military vehicle, they are holding hostages.

U.N. criticizes Taliban religious army for abusing women

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan

The United Nations human rights investigator harshly criticized Afghanistan's Taliban religious army Sunday for the widespread, systematic and officially sanctioned abuse of women. Accusing the Taliban's Ministry of Vice and Virtue of deep discrimination against women, Radhika Coomaraswamy, the U.N. Special Rapporteur on Violence Against Women, called for international pressure to force its dissolution. "The Ministry of Vice and Virtue is the most misogynist department in the whole world," Coomaraswamy told reporters at the end of her fact-finding mission. "We have seen women have been banned from working and going to school. It forces them to wear the all-encompassing burqa suit. It demands they travel outside their home only in the company of close male relatives.

Health officials investigate fourth encephalitis death

NEW YORK

A fourth death is being investigated in an outbreak of mosquito-borne encephalitis that had workers spraying insecticide across the city Sunday, including in Central Park. A 79-year-old woman who died Saturday was among 10 new suspected cases of St. Louis encephalitis, Mayor Rudolph Giuliani said Sunday. Blood samples from all 10 are being sent to a Centers for Disease Control lab in Denver for testing, and at least 80 other potential cases are under investigation. Health officials have confirmed nine cases of St. Louis encephalitis in New York City, including three deaths. Giuliani said Sunday that the mosquito eradication program "will continue citywide until we are satisfied that the sources of St. LEEE have been found and eliminated." The insecticide being sprayed, malathion, is safe, officials said, but they recommended that people and pets remain indoors for two to three hours after the spraying.

Government allows peacekeepers

Jakarta, Indonesia

Under intense international pressure, Indonesia announced Sunday it would allow an international peacekeeping force to restore order in the devastated territory of East Timor. However, it was unclear what type of force would be sent to the territory and how soon it would arrive.

President Clinton, in New Zealand for a meeting of Asia-Pacific leaders, said Monday that the peacekeeping mission would require "some presence on the ground" by U.S. forces. "But no one has asked us for combat troops," Clinton told reporters. He said U.S. forces would largely serve in a support role, including pilots and planes to fly other nations' ground troops into East Timor until new Indonesia and particularly in hard-line military - had defiantly refused to permit outside forces into the former Portuguese colony, insisting as late as Saturday night that it could quell the violence itself. However, that stance crumbled under pressure from governments around the world horrified by the slaughter sweeping East Timor. The recent bloodstream started after 78.5 percent of East Timorese voted to break away from Indonesia in the ballot. Since then, pro-Jakarta militias with the active support of Indonesia's military and police have waged a campaign of terror against East Timor's people and U.N. staff.

"No one can get to these people. They have no food, shelter or medicine." Pat Burgess, an aid worker

East Timorese refugees wait in line for water Sunday in an Indonesian government organized refugee camp. The camp is in a sports stadium in Kupang, West Timor. More than 110,000 East Timorese have sought refuge in Kupang, fleeing militia violence following the Aug. 30 independence vote.

Troops seize control of two villages

Russia

Makhachkala. He said Russian troops controlled 95 percent of nearby Chabambahki. Police and riot troops there were moving house to house to clear out remaining rebels. Makarov said the underground tunnels apparently remained in rebel hands. Russian news reports said federal troops raised Russian flags around Chabambahki. Casualties were unclear. In another fighting in the region, Russian jets bombed six villages in neighboring Chechnya after rebels in western Dagastan shot down a Russian helicopter Saturday, according to Chechen authorities. The strike destroyed several villages and killed at least one family, they said.

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Former prisoners return home

Puerto Rico

Islanders give freed prisoners hero’s welcome

Associated Press

SAN JUAN

Crowds waving flags and chanting nationalist hymns hailed a group of pardoned pris­
offers of clemency for 16 pro­
sentenced to serve five more years and two

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Monday, September 13, 1999

WE WANT TO KNOW:
WHAT DO YOU THINK
NOTRE DAME’S POLICY REGARDING SWEATSHOPS
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**Recycle The Observer.**
ALGERIA

Violent past still haunts citizens

♦ Controversial prisoner release spurs criticism

Associated Press

ALGIERS

For Geroudy Massouda, the decision by Algeria’s new president to pardon thousands of people jailed for supporting Islamic insurgents is nothing but a cruel joke.

Under the plan that aims to end seven years of violence in Algeria, the religious militants responsible for the 1992 killing of her 28-year-old son, Noureddine, will be released soon from prison.

Although the public seems to support President Abdelaziz Bouteflika’s peace efforts, feelings of pain, bitterness and indignation haunt many Algerians struggling to cope with their grief.

The amnesty was approved by parliament in July but must be endorsed by voters in a referendum Thursday. It is part of a step-by-step plan for ending the bloodiest conflicts in the Arab world, which Bouteflika estimates has caused 100,000 deaths. Hundreds of Algerians — mainly families of victims — demonstrated almost daily outside the legislature as it debated the amnesty plan.

The victims of the conflict have mostly been civilians with no clear political affiliation, many slaughtered in village massacres with hatchets and knives, some by car bombings, others in street shootings.

The government blames Islamic militants for most of the bloodshed. But opposition and human rights groups have accused government security forces of contributing to the violence in an effort to eradicate Islamic extremists considered dangerous by authorities.

Bouteflika has threatened to reject his proposal, but he expressed confidence the amnesty will pass.

Algerians are “not mature enough to know where the country’s best interest lay,” he told the newspaper Liberte in a recent interview. “The lessons derived from their suffering will lead the way and determine their choices and commitments.”

“Does the government seriously expect us to just forgive and forget, to embrace the criminals with open arms?”

Geroudy Massouda
mother of terrorist victim
**Exiles’ protests cause concert cancellation**

Associated Press  
**MIAMI**  
The first Miami concert scheduled by a popular dance band from Cuba was canceled after complaints from anti-Castro Cuban exiles, including the city's Cuban-American mayor. The private company that runs the concert hall decided on Friday to cancel the band Los Van Van's Oct. 9 show after a flurry of complaints.

After the band's concert was announced Wednesday, Spanish-language radio stations urged listeners to flood City Hall with complaints. Local leaders also urged residents to oppose the show.

"This is the official Communist band of Fidel Castro," said Miami Mayor Joe Carollo. The band’s New York label, Havana Caliente, plans to go to court Monday to reschedule the concert. "We won't sit still and take it," said label president Maria Zenuz.

"There's no Miami exception to the First Amendment," said John de la Cruz, an attorney who heads the American Civil Liberties Union's Miami office.

The policies of Cuban exiles have influenced local events before, including the prevention of a Pan-American Games in the county and the cancellation of a MIDEM America music industry party last year because Cuban musicians were to have played.

**NEW ZEALAND**

**Clinton warns Russia of corruption**

Associated Press  
**AUCKLAND**  
President Clinton warned Sunday that corruption and money-laundering "could eat the heart out of Russian society" unless the government "forces out the problem.

Clinton raised the warning in a meeting with Russia Prime Minister Vladimir Putin before they both attended the opening of the annual Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation forum.

"The president said he wants to see this problem dealt with... because it could eat the heart out of Russian society.”

Sandy Berger  
National Security Adviser

The two leaders also discussed arms-control issues. Russia's economic woes and the battle by Russian forces against Islamic rebels in the southern republic of Dagestan.

Clinton assured Putin that the United States "would continue to support the direction of democracy in the form in Russia that he has supported for the last 6 1/2 years." National Security Adviser Sandy Berger said. For his part, Putin said corruption was a matter of concern, but suggested "there were some political dimensions to it," Berger said.

But he acknowledged that money-laundering problems exist in Russia, as in other countries, and that we must develop a cooperative approach to dealing with the problem." Berger said.

A team of Russian prosecutors visited the United States last month to meet with FBI officials on the problem.

Berger said it was significant that Putin recognized the money-laundering problem.

Several Russians have been linked to an alleged money-laundering scheme at the Bank of New York, where $10 billion or more may have passed through accounts illegally, according to U.S. newspaper reports.

In addition, Swiss and Russian prosecutors have been investigating whether the Swiss firm Mabetex paid millions of dollars in kickbacks in connection with a contract to renovate the Kremlin. Acceding to newspaper reports, a senior Kremlin official received more than $1 million, and subsequently made the money available to President Boris Yeltsin and his family. The Kremlin has said that Yeltsin did nothing wrong.

Putin said Yeltsin was prepared to sign a law to combat money-laundering if it corrected "constitutional deficiencies" that prompted him to veto an earlier measure.

"The president said he wants to see this problem dealt with, hopes that Russia will deal with it, because it could eat the heart out of Russian society, if the problem of corruption is not dealt with," Berger said. "He said he wants Russia to be strong.

On arms control, Putin bluntly said that ratification of the long-stalled START II arms-reduction treaty "would be difficult" but that he said "we're trying our best," Berger said. For years, Yeltsin and other officials have spoken optimistically about the treaty's chances, but it has remained sidelined.

"He thought there was some wavering among the signatories to START II and that we should continue our discussions on START III (proposed treaty for even deeper nuclear cuts) which would facilitate ratification of START II," Berger said.

At Clinton's urging, the United States and Russia are discussing possible changes in the landmark Anti-Ballistic Missile Treaty which limits both countries from developing anti-missile systems. Clinton argues that a limited missile defense system is needed to protect against possible attack by rogue nations or terrorists.

Putin said he understands Clinton's concerns but that they must be addressed in a way that takes into account the security concerns of other countries. Russia has opposed development of an American anti-missile program.

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**Pass it on.**

(No-Surcharge ATM at Reckers...)

(Located at the entrance of Reckers facing the South Quad)
The free expression of all opinions through letters is from the Associated Press. Columns, as well as cartoons, reviews and breaking news, is available to all readers. Commentaries, letters and columns present the views of the majority of the Editor in Chief, Managing Editor, and rates of print ads to search for the comment. You're too hard-nosed and aren't open to discussion. "You've just a stupid woman" was the most frequent comment I heard, but the content was close behind. That's just plain insulting. I take pride in being open to discussion. Discussion is vital to an open and intellectual state of being. In the interests of furthering such a state of being, I present to the Notre Dame community the following questions. Read them. Think about them. Discuss them with your friends, classmates, and professors. Let these questions enlighten you and bring you to a higher existence. Try not to fight about them. Arguments I try to stimulate. Fistfights I do not abide. Who on earth looks at a hunk of mozzarella cheese and says, "Gee, I should bread this and fry it"? And who goes to markets that market mozzarella and dining halls as a cheese stick? And who eats that fried, breaded mozzarella? We don't do that to cheddar, do we? Of course not! That's because it's weird and cruel to fry cheese. While I'm on the subject... what are the origins of meat? Who looks at a cow and says, "Gee, I should kill this thing and eat its muscle tissue"? And who else, upon seeing this idea put into practice, says, "Hey, we should probably put that muscle tissue in the fire for awhile before we eat it"? How long did it take us to figure out that eggs are better cooked than raw? Why don't we eat acorns anymore? Are clouds really flat on the bottom, or do they just look like they are? How lazy do you really have to be to use an electric stove? I'm not talking about the kind capable of stapling hundreds of pages together; I'm talking about the kind that staple three or four pages together automatically with no effort required on the part of the stapler operator other than sticking the papers in the stapler. Do you die in church, do you go straight to heaven? How about if you drown in holy water? What happens if you're at Confession and you're confessing along and just as you get to the part about hooking up with an MBA student after a late night at Senior Bar, the priest falls over dead of a heart attack? Is that your fault? Would you have to confess that the next time you went to Confession? Or would you be absolved of the sin of killing a priest by virtue of having done so while at Confession? Which would be easier: If they found oil under the old bookstore construction site or if they found dinosaur bones? How about if they found a Potawatomi settlement? That would give those Badin women something to gripe about. What is the average depth of an avalanche? If you are the Chief of Police in a mid-size midwestern city and you are arrested for drunk driving, do you think the best course of action to take following your arrest would be to criticize the police department for its handling of the case? Or would it really be better to keep your mouth shut and cut your losses? How much of a numbskull do you have to be to drive drunk anyway? If you were a doctor researching a strange disease that afflicts many people and you managed to come up with a set of symptoms or a cause for this disease, would you really want your colleagues to name that disease after you? I mean, how do you think Little Susie Alzheimer feels every time they study Alzheimer's disease in biology class? Do you justify using masculine pronouns for God? What will Notre Dame be like in the year 2000? I call be there anything even reminiscent of what we experience today in 2000? Speaking of old things — you know the Grand Canyon? Isn't that amazing? I've never actually seen it, but think about what it takes to create something like that. Go back to when that was nothing but desert. Then a little creek begins to grow. Eventually it turns into a raging river that erodes and erodes and erodes. Before you know it, you have the Grand Canyon. Isn't that just incredible? At the beginning of the year, CRDL handed me a list of international calling codes. Included in the list was Antarctica. Several questions arise from this: Who am I going to call in Antarctica, and what's the number down there? This is something I really wonder about and have searched for the answer to and cannot find. I can't be the only person who wonders about things like this. If you have suffered from curiosity about this and have satisfied it with knowledge, please let me know. I will put your answer in my next column and Antarctica will be flooded by flocks calls from Domers trying out their CRDL calling abilities. Which will, of course, just provoke more discussion between us up here and those scientists frozen down south. And the purpose of this column will have been served. Kate Rowland is a senior pre-med and Spanish major with a minor in science, technology and ethics. The views expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.
When we learned of the policy implemented by the administration of systematic discrimination against any advertisements from GALA, our hearts were deeply saddened and angered.

One year ago, in an open letter to the Notre Dame community, the officers of the University rejected the addition of sexual orientation to the non-discriminatory clause in response to certain legal implications of such a statement. There would be great difficulty they claimed, in differentiating between sexual orientation and sexual activity. Instead, the officers decided to adopt a different — the Spirit of Inclusion — which would embody a new spirit by the administration regarding homosexuals. This verbose and vague document, while well-intended, has no legal standing. The lack of legal protection made us nervous.

However, the administration promised that we would not encounter discrimination on any basic level. "We do not believe there is discrimination here," said University spokesman Dennis Moore.

The Spirit of Inclusion states that the University strives "to create an environment of mutual respect, hospitality, and warmth." However, in such an environment, surely a group of Notre Dame alumni united by their experience as a sexual minority during their years at Notre Dame would be invited to participate in the campus community just as any other alumni group might. The administration has presented the agenda of GALA is contrary to the agenda of the Catholic Church. As a group comprised of people of conscience, we have thus far failed to see how GALA or OUTreach is contrary to the teachings of the Church. Many members of the group espouse personal beliefs in complete harmony with the teachings of the Church. In fact, we see GALA as a beneficial and supportive fellowship between people who have experienced similar trials in their lives. These Donors are just like any other random sampling — wonderful, successful people, who are largely active Notre Dame alumni.

What is clear is that the Spirit of Inclusion’s promise of a supportive, loving atmosphere is just empty words on paper. In reality, the administration sends letters forbidding us to advertise our scholarships, invite people to our meetings or hold meetings anonymously, as any other student group would. Instead of support, we feel quietly, hidden and oppressed. Of course, this act is also a blatant act of censorship.

Obviously, because the University owns the student paper [Editor’s note: The Observer holds approximately 15 percent equity in The Observer, the administration clearly has the right to control its advertisements. Legality is not the question — justice is. Where is the justice in censoring an ad that congratulated gay and lesbian students upon their graduation? What is it that makes this university scarred to allow free inquiry of ideas? And why can a group of gay students not assemble while non-Catholic religious groups are invited to gather?]

We beg to know what differences do we from any student group on campus.

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Mike Marchand is an off-campus junior English major. The views expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.
Though there is an indoor no-smoking policy set on campus, butts are found filling ash trays throughout Notre Dame.

Passing the cancer stick

To smoke is to relieve the body of unwanted stresses and discomfort.

To smoke is also to kill the body and the bodies of one's peers.

By COURTNEY KERRIGAN
Scene Writer

Everyone has been affected by smoking at one time or another. For some, smoking is a necessity for surviving the drudgery of everyday life. For others, it is simply an annoyance to be dealt with, or maybe even embraced only in social situations. And for a few, smoking is an evil presence that stole away loved ones through lung cancer, heart disease or other smoking-related diseases.

These days, one can't make it through junior high without hearing that smoking is deadly. Teachers and special anti-smoking programs throw statistics at children as young as fourth grade. They tell horror stories of individuals whose lives were changed drastically from the effects of smoking, hoping that they will scare kids into never trying their first cigarette. Public Service Announcements are played during commercial breaks of popular TV shows, advertising that one doesn't have to smoke to be "cool."

Strangely enough, although the Notre Dame student body is considered to be one of the more intelligent ones in the United States, many continue to light up before classes, between classes, after classes, during study breaks and even before bed, even though most are well aware of the consequences. Why does this happen? One word: Addiction.

The Surgeon General's report of 1994 confirmed that the majority of adult smokers were addicted to nicotine by age 20. The amount of cigarettes smoked usually increases in the few years immediately after leaving the constraints of high school. Those who do not smoke prior to high school graduation are unlikely to pick up the habit in college.

People who began smoking in high school, and have continued in college, most likely need to smoke for the calming and stimulating effects of nicotine. Nurses Kara Harvath, Diane Schlatterbeck and Pat Willkom of the Notre Dame Health Center said that nicotine is a stimulant, meaning it increases the heart rate and blood pressure, and causes blood vessel dilation and constriction. Longer-term smoking can also increase metabolism, cause hypertension (high blood pressure), stained teeth, premature wrinkles, low birth weights and black lung. It is clear that the disadvantages of smoking greatly outweigh the advantages.

When one inhales cigarette smoke, the aerosol reaches the small airways and the alveoli of the lung. The nicotine is quickly absorbed, and within minutes the blood concentration of nicotine rises to a maximum and the smoker can feel the calming effect. However, an addiction develops when a tolerance to nicotine forms such that the calming and stimulating effects of smoking become minimal, and higher doses are needed to obtain the desired effect, which is more commonly known as "a buzz." This is apparent when mood, behavior, thought and physiologic function require the continued presence of nicotine to enable a person to feel normal.

Unfortunately, prolonged addiction to nicotine not only makes it extremely difficult to quit without a program (such as the patch or a counseling group), but also has been linked to many diseases. Smoking greatly increases a person's chances of developing coronary heart disease, obstructive pulmonary disease, stroke, cancers of the lung, larynx, esophagus, mouth and bladder, and it contributes to the development of cancers of the cervix, pancreas and kidney.

In a large study conducted by the American Cancer Society, smokers were:

- 22 times as likely to die of lung cancer,
- 27 times as likely to die of lip, oral or pharyngeal cancer,
- 10 times as likely to die of chronic obstructive lung disease and cancer of the larynx,
- eight times as likely to die of esophageal cancer and
- twice as likely to die of heart disease and stroke.

In 1990, it was determined that 20 percent of all deaths in the United States could be attributed to smoking. In 1985 health journalist Jacob Sullum determined that 57 percent of people dying of lung cancer had been long-time smokers during their lives. Most cancers caused by cigarette smoke are at increased rates among regular cigar smokers as well.

Sadly, smokers are not the only ones affected by their deadly habit. Those around them are also put at risk when...
Brees blows Boilermakers past Irish

By BRIAN KESSLER
Sports Editor

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind.

If you don’t learn from the past, you’re doomed to repeat it.

Notre Dame (1-2) learned that the hard way in Saturday’s 28-23 loss to Purdue (2-0), as it watched the clock run out for the second-straight week.

“It’s disappointing because, once again, we beat ourselves,” tailback Tony Fisher said. “We’re right there ready to put the ball in and we didn’t capitalize on it.”

Trailing late in the game, the Irish pinned the Boilermakers deep and freshman Julius Jones returned a punt to the Purdue 41. Six plays later, the Irish were knocking on the door, faced with first-and-goal from the 9-yard line with one minute to play.

After a reception and a rush, senior fullback Joey Goodspeed took the Irish to the 1-yard line with 16 seconds to go. Following a timeout, the Irish set up in the wishbone and planned to run an isolation play to Fisher.

The backfield, however, heard an audible to the option, and Jarious Jackson was tackled for a nine-yard loss. As Notre Dame frantically set up for a final play, the clock ran out, and Boilermaker fans poured onto the field.

“It’s just miscommunication,” Fisher said. “We thought Jarious called one play, and it was related to us as another play. Unfortunately, we didn’t get the right play in the backfield.”

Communication was not a problem for Purdue head coach Joe Tiller.

“I figured the last play of the game we were going to roll the dice, and I said let’s hit them,” said Tiller, whose team has now won eight straight. “We’re going to give our players a chance to make a play.”

Head coach Bob Davie’s team never had a chance.

“I thought we did a tremendous job coming down at the end and giving ourselves a chance with two plays left, where they wouldn’t have any time to get the ball back,” Davie said. “I take responsibility that we didn’t have the backs going the right way.”

Everything went Notre Dame’s way early on. The Boilermakers turned over the ball over twice on its first three plays from scrimmage, and the Irish quickly capitalized. Jim Sanson connected on a 20-yard field goal, and Jackson scored on a 15-yard run to give the Irish a 10-0 lead midway through the first quarter.

Purdue answered with a 74-yard drive capped off by a Drew Brees touchdown run, but another Jackson score pushed the Irish lead to 16-7.

Late in the second quarter, Brees completed a 30-yard touchdown pass to Randall Lane to cut the Irish lead to 18-14 at halftime.

“Defensively, I think we hung in there and played hard,” Davie said. “That’s an excellent offensive football team, and I have great respect for their quarterback.”

Purdue and Notre Dame swapped touchdowns in the third quarter. Purdue’s Joy Crabtree scored on a 1-yard run and Brees leaped into the end zone on the two-point play. With the Boilermakers ahead 22-16, Jackson found Bobby Brown in the corner of the end zone.

Purdue took the lead for good in the fourth quarter with 28- and 38-yard field goals from Travis Dorsch. Purdue’s Chris Daniels (13 catches for 123 yards) and Lane (5 catches for 121) were the game’s leading receivers.

Brees, however, was the only quarterback to lead his team to victory.

“We have to digest what happened and move forward,” Davie said. “The positive is that we have a lot of heart and a lot of resilience on this team, and we’ll bounce back against Michigan State next weekend.”

player of the game
Jarious Jackson
The Irish quarterback had another stellar performance completing 22 passes for 267 yards.

quote of the game
“We have a real good team. Coming up short two weeks in a row is frustrating.”
Tony Driver
Irish tailback

stat of the game
128 yards rushing
Notre Dame gained 202 yards on the ground in last year’s 31-30 victory. This year, the Irish ground game stalled and they took home a loss.
The Observer  ♦  IRISH INSIDER

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IRISH INSIGHT

“Communication was a problem.”
Bob Davie said after the game.
Before the telephone, communica-
tion was a problem. On the Irish
sidelines, communication was a
disaster.
Davie spoke about crowd
noise and bru-
ken headsets as
factors in Notre
Dame’s inability to
communicate.
But when it
comes right
down to it, the
coaches are ulti-
mately responsi-
ble for play call-
ings, substitu-
tions and gener-
tal team cohe-
sion on the field.
To improve
these areas in the future, the fol-
lowing game plan is offered.
Football 101 midterm exam:
1. On second-and-20 from your
opponents 40-yard line and with 25
seconds left in the first half, your
fifth-year senior captain and star
quarterback completes a pass to his
talented receiver for a 17-yard
gain. Facing third-and-three on the
23-yard line with no timeouts, what
is the correct call?
A. Spike the ball to stop the
clock and trailing by five with no
timeouts, your team lines up in the
field goal and surveyed the defense, he called
the ball to the outside.
B. Run the field-goal team out
of the backfield and try to set up for a
field goal.
C. A and B at the same time.

Answers:
1. If you chose A, you are correct.
2. If you chose A, you are correct.
3. You can’t stop Brees,
adding up the numbers
kicks blocked by the Irish this
year -3
1 9 9 9 Notre Dame turnover
margin
1 3 2 . 3 7
fourth-quarter Irish points 0

Jarius Jackson’s rushing yards on 13 carries 1981
8
points scored by Robby Brown in 1989 — two more than his
total last year
13
number of Irish players on the
field when time ran out
16
seconds it took the Irish to run
the final play of the game that
lost nine yards

Mike Connolly
Associate
Sports Editor

Ill Communication

Jackson and the Irish offense lined
up in their goal line formation.
Davie had called for an isolation
run by Tony Fisher.
Realizing Purdue might pinch up
their linebackers closer to the line
expecting a run up the middle,
Davie also gave Jackson the option
of calling an audible and running
the ball to the outside.
When Jackson stepped to the line
and surveyed the defense, he called
a fake audible.
Fullback Joey
Goodspeed, however, didn’t hear
the “fake” part of the audible and
relied on an audible call to tailbacks
Tony Fisher and Tony Driver.
Thus, when the ball was snapped,
Jackson ran the isolation because
he hadn’t audibled while the backs
ransacked the line for the outside run
because they had heard an audible.
Not surprisingly, the play was a
complete disaster, and Purdue
sacked Jackson for an 8-yard loss.
The game was over.
Bonus Question:
What is the purpose of a fake
 audible?

Answer:
There is not a good reason to call
a fake audible.
The defense doesn’t know the
audibles anyway. Whether the
audible is real or just a ploy to con-
fuse the defense, the defense can’t
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Therefore, one wonders why
coaches would have a fake audible in
the playbook.
Davie has blamed the last two
losses on himself and poor coach-
ing. Davie has no problem commu-
nunicating the obvious.
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Secondary stands tall in strong 'Brees'

By TIM CASEY

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As Ron Brazil lay in the middle of the field away from the action, an already thin secondary was depleted in a blink of the eye. A guy cut-blocked me, a distraught Brazil said following Saturday's 28-23 loss to Purdue. I felt it right under my roll, it popped on me.

The Irish could hardly afford to lose the junior safety. In Brazil's spot, head coach Bob Davie inserted a rotation of Justin Smith and Donald Dykes. The reserves combined playing one on the season previous to Brazil's injury was just 35 minutes.

"We lost a big part of our dime package when Ron Brazil went down," defensive coordinator Greg Mattison said. "We have to scramble and put some replacements in. Obviously it didn't like Ron in there but that's part of football. Those kids [Smith and Dykes] hung in there."

"Jus tin Smith came in and subdued a bit," Davie said. "Then we moved A.Jani Sanders back to safety to replace the dime and moved Donald Dykes up. He got picked on a little bit. But they competed."

Facing one of the top quarterbacks in the nation, the spotlight shone on the defensive backfield.

The secondary did not shut down the explosive Boilermaker offense, but its play was not the reason the Irish lost for the second straight week.

Brew Brees threw for 317 yards and a touchdown. He ran two touchdown plays and completed 60 percent of his passes. His two-point conversion with six minutes, 20 seconds left in the first half was highlight material.

But they competed. "A guy cut-blocked me," a noticeably distraught Sanders picked off a Brees' pass in the first quarter, said Lee Lafontaine, who covered Lane on the touchdown strike. "I actually had the flats; the safeties didn't come over. Brees read that and threw the pass."

In the third quarter, Brees dropped back three steps and found a streaking Chris Daniels to his left. Daniels fumbled with the ball for a second, then darted 40 yards for the first down.

After J. Crabtree was stopped for a loss of three, Brees again picked apart the backfield. His completion to Lane set up Crabtree's 1-yard touchdown run and gave the Boilermakers their first lead of the afternoon.

A noticeably distraught Mattison lamented his defense following the game. "To me, I've always been one of those guys that believes if you don't win, you didn't play good defense," Mattison said. "That always be the case. But our kids battled out there."

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Notre Dame free safety Justin Smith chases down Purdue wide receiver Chris Daniels. Daniels, who caught 13 passes for 123 yards, was Drew Brees' favorite target on Saturday.

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Out of time, out of luck

For the second-straight week, Notre Dame saw its comeback hopes averted as time expired. The Irish drove the ball to the 1-yard line with 16 seconds left, but miscommunication in the backfield led to a 9-yard loss and a Boilermakers victory. It was only Notre Dame's second loss in the past 14 meetings between the two teams. Purdue, however, has won two of the last three games, including two straight at home.

Tailback Tony Fisher fights off a Purdue tackler. Fisher finished with a game-high 63 yards on 14 carries.

Defensive end Grant Irons (44) and safety Deke Cooper (1) bring down Chris Daniels in Saturday's 28-23 loss to Purdue.
they light up. Secondhand smoke contains oxides of nitrogen, nitrogen, carbon monoxide and a number of carcinogens.

Environmental tobacco smoke pollutes the air and has invited public concern as an environmental and a health hazard. It has been the cause of lung cancer and respiratory disease in children (in population that should not have to be subjected to such infirmities). In the 1980s, health researchers Joseph DiFranza and Robert Lew showed approximately 70 percent of children in the U.S. were exposed to secondhand smoke in their homes by at least one adult smoker. Secondhand smoke is a serious risk factor for heart disease in adults, and causes between 2,500 and 4,000 lung cancer deaths per year in the U.S. It causes a total of 50,000 deaths per year in the U.S., and as a result of this the 1992 Environmental Protection Agency added secondhand smoke/passive smoke (a combined term that includes exhalation of smoke. Some have best friends who smoke. Some had grandparents who smoked. Some are related to smokers themselves.

Many people have made an effort to educate the public about the effects of smoking, if not to smokers themselves. As It Gets," and Clowes, the golden retriever who played Shadow in the

Vonnegut worries about future of art

ST. PAUL, MINN.

Kurt Vonnegut will visit, he will talk. Just don't ask him to read aloud.

"I've never done a reading. It's the lowest art form imaginable," Vonnegut said.

When he comes to St. Paul next weekend, Vonnegut will be acknowledging his new short-story collection, "Bagombo Snuff Box" — gathered with the help of a local professor — but he's got too much on his mind to merely recite old prose.

"I'll talk about stuff that bothers me, like the way people are being cheated out of the experience of 'becoming.' It's the computer which becomes now. People think, 'Oh, boy, wait until I get this new program.' Bill Gates will give you a program to write a perfect gram. 'Bill Gates will give you a program to write a perfect gram.' Bingen said, "It's the computer which becomes now. People think, 'Oh, boy, wait until I get this new program.'

Vonnegut will share his thoughts Saturday at General Presbyterian Church in St. Paul.

Frasier' dog acts as true professional

NEW YORK

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"I adopted Moose in '93 when he was 3 years old," owner-trainer Mathilde de Cagny says in Sunday's New York Post. "And he'd already had a couple of owners before me who gave him away, because he was misbehaving: chewing, barking, digging, running away.

But Cagny saw potential in the Jack Russell terrier now beloved by the veteran trainer knows canine acting talent when she sees it. "We're like an old married couple," Cagny said. "I'm 10 feet away from him at all times, and there's a lot of silent communication between us, with hand signals and eye contact that only the live (studio) audience can see.

"The American President" star Annette Bening returned to the stage recently in the L.A. production of "Hedda Gabler."

NEW YORK

For theater-trained actress Annette Bening, performing is all about adapting.

"After years doing theater productions in San Francisco and New York, Bening suddenly found herself in front of a movie camera. "When I first started doing movies, I struck me as so bizarre that you would be acting for two minutes as a time — just walk through a door and scream, whatever those little moments were," Bening says in Sunday's Daily News.

"Because I learned from that other perspective where you're doing 45 minutes of 'acting. I didn't understand it. I thought I was going to be too big and too loud."


"Slowly over the last 10 years I've evolved into a film actress, so when I was rehearsing the play I realized I'd forgotten what it was like," Bening said. "It struck me on day in rehearsal — I was about halfway through the play and I just thought: 'I can't concentrate anymore. Why does this go on so long?' Just emotionally to stay conscious for that length of time was new to me."

Return to theater baffles Bening

"People should practice an art in order to make their souls grow and not to make money or become famous. Paint a picture. Write." Bingen said, "I can't concentrate anymore. Why does this go on so long?"

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Dallas then recovered an onside kick, but had to punt. On their next possession, however, the Cowboys drove 66 yards to score on a 37-yard touchdown pass to Irvin with 3:51 left, tying the game at 35-35.

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EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. New York Jets coach Bill Parcells wanted the defending AFC East champions to start from scratch this season. Now he’s got his wish.

Quarterback Vinny Testaverde ruptured his Achilles’ tendons eight minutes into the New England Patriots’ 30-28 comeback victory over the Jets on Sunday. It will miss the rest of the season.

And, just like that, the Jets no longer look like Super Bowl contenders and will have to drastically reshape their offense after only one game.

“What? I’m going to put up the white flag? No, I’m not going to do that,” said Parcells, who also lost running back Leon Johnson for the year with ligaments in his left knee.

“You know what? Nobody cares. ... We just have to try and adjust and go forward.”

Chris Slade intercepted a pass from Jets backup Rick Mirer to set up Adam Vinatieri’s 23-yard, game-winning field goal with three seconds left. Drew Bledsoe completed 28 of 34 yards, including a 58-yard touchdown pass to Tony Simmons.

The Patriots got their first win in a four-game against their former coach, who led on 10 straight years before leading them to the 1997 Super Bowl. Two seasons later, Parcells had the Jets in Super Bowl XXXV.

Parcells was expected of them this year.

But Parcells said in training camp that he wanted the Jets to "start from scratch," because he feared his team would be complacent after last season’s success.

There’s no danger of that happening now. Testaverde fell to the turf untouched after making a quick cut to the ball when Curtis Martin fumbled in the second quarter. The 35-year-old quarterback immediately grabbed his left leg and writhed in pain.

He limped off the field, using two crutches. Two teammates held him up before support and lifted him to a game-worthy ceremonious announced he would have surgery Sunday night and will miss the rest of the season — a sudden, stunning blow to a team considered poised for a championship run.

“I feel terrible for Vinny,” Bledsoe said. “Vinny’s a guy that’s been through a ton of hard times and been on some terrible football teams. Finally, last year, he gets a chance to win a good team and extremely well.

“This year it looks like he’s going to be very strong again and all of a sudden he’s out for the rest of the year. It’s really disheartening on a personal level to see that happen.”

Although punter/quarterback Tom Tupa filled in admirably — blowing a 53-yard touchdown to Keysthawn Johnson to tie it 5-5 in his first play — the game was largely an afterthought.

“When we lost Vinny, it took a lot of air out of us. We just can’t do that. They come up, they come over, they put them up. We have to stop that,” Johnson said. “It’s a pretty hard one to deal with it. They are one of nine Patriots with a reception.

That forced rookie Akili Smith, who held out for most of training camp, into the game. He finished off two drives started by Blake with simple hand-offs as Cincinnati settled for field goals of 33 and 38 yards by Doug Pelfrey for a 35-26 lead with 7:56 remaining.

McNair, who twisted his ankle the drive before, led the Titans back on the field to a chorus of boos, and he responded with a scramble for nine yards. He capped the drive by tossing a short pass to Eddie George who ran 17 yards for a touchdown, pulling Tennessee to 35-33.

Cincinnati turned to emergency quarterback Scott Covington, but he failed to get a first down as the Titans defense forced the Bengals to punt after a three-and-out.

He had 27 more practices than anything going on offense, and he was ready for their opener, thought a solid performance on national TV against the Browns opening Sunday would help them build momentum in their inaugural season.

Instead, it showed Browns starting quarterback Ty Detmer was unable to get anything going on offense, and rookie quarterback Tim Couch, who made his debut with just 9 rushing yards on nine carries. The 43-point margin was the second-worst loss in Browns history, surpassed only by a 51-3 defeat to Minnesota in 1969.

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Red Sox sweep Yankees to inch closer in AL East race

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The Boston Red Sox surged back into the pennant race Sunday, beating nemesis Roger Clemens and completing their first three-game sweep at Yankee Stadium since 1986 with a 4-1 win over New York.

A sellout crowd of 56,028 watched a bruising battle between Clements and Brett Saberhagen, two home-plate collisions and a heated exchange between Jose Offerman and the Yankees dugout.

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Bonds reaches homer milestone as Padres top Braves

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. — Barry Bonds hit his 442nd home run, tying Dave Kingman for 22nd place on the career list, and the San Francisco Giants beat Greg Maddux for the first time in more than three years, defeating the Atlanta Braves 8-4 Sunday.

Maddux (18-7), who had won his previous eight starts overall since a July 21 loss at Florida, had been 5-0 against the Giants since July 25, 1996. He walked five for the first time in 140 starts since Aug. 9, 1995, allowing six runs — five earned — and 10 hits in five innings.

Maddux had walked just five in his previous eight starts combined and hadn’t walked anyone in 31 consecutive innings going into the second inning. His ERA, which had dropped from 5.02 on May 21 to 3.36, rose to 3.56.

Rich Aurilia homered and drove in two runs, and Joe Nathan (6-3) allowed four runs and six hits in 5 1/3 innings.

Brett Boone and Chipper Jones hit consecutive home runs in the sixth inning for the Braves (91-53), who still have the best record in the major leagues. It was Jones’ 40th of the season.

Brian Jordan’s RBI single in the first inning put Atlanta ahead. The Giants tied it on Nathan’s second-inning infield single, his first in 222 at-bats.

A throwing error by Andruw Jones in center allowed the Giants to take a 2-1 lead in the fourth. Armando Rios singled, took his lead and scored on Barry Bonds’ sacrifice fly. Bonds’ single, his first RBI in 22 career at-bats, gave the Giants a 2-1 lead in the dugout.

San Francisco scored four runs in the fifth on six consecutive singles. Doug Mirabelli’s hit drove in two runs, and Mueller and Aurilia each drove in one.

Atlanta closed to 6-4 on the home run and Jones homers. Aurilia hit his 19th homer of the season against Kevin McGlynn, leading off the seventh and Bonds hit his 31st homer off Derrin Ebert leading off the eighth.

Reds 31, Marlins 5

Greg Vaughn drove in a pair of runs, becoming the first Cincinnati player to reach 100 RBIs in 10 years, as the Reds beat the Florida Marlins for their sixth straight win.

After losing various records by hitting 29 homers in their last nine games, the Reds didn’t challenge the walls — Sean Casey’s fly to the warning track was the only close call — and still won going away.

Aaron Boone drove in four runs with a bases-loaded double and a bases-loaded single, helping Cincinnati score seven runs in the fifth and sixth innings to pull away.

Vaughn, acquired from San Diego in an offseason trade for Reggie Sanders, had a sacrifice fly and a run-scoring single off A.J. Burnett (12-2) that put the Reds ahead to stay in the third inning.

Florida’s Preston Wilson hit his 25th homer off Ron Villone (8-6), a solo shot gave him the fourth-highest total by a NL rookie in the last 25 years. Todd Helton also hit 25 last year.

McGwire, the home run king, tied 1989.

Steve Trachsel (6-17), coming off his first consecutive winning streak of the year, allowed four runs and eight hits in six innings. He is trying to avoid becoming the first 20-game loser in the majors since Oaktal’s Brian Kingman in 1980.

Everett, who put Houston ahead with an RBI single in the fifth and sixth innings, became the first 20-game loser since beating Pittsburgh since Aug. 14, allowed one run, four hits and four walks in six innings, striking out seven.

Two relievers completed the six-hitter.

After Sosa singled and Grace doubled to lead off the ninth, Holt struck out Rodriguez and Shane Andrews, then retired Javy on a groundout.

Craig Biggio’s 14th homer off the Astros 2-0 lead in the third, and Tony Eusebio’s RBI grounder made it 3-1 in the fourth. Daryl Ward hit a sacrifice fly in the sixth.

Houston added three runs in the eighth offerry Adams on Ken Caminiti’s RBI double, Eusebio’s run-scoring single and Ross Johnson’s RBI groundout.

Expos 8, Padres 4

Dustin Hermanson took a shutout into the ninth inning against his former team and Michael Barrett drove in four runs in the Montreal Expos’ win over the San Diego Padres.

Hermanson, the Padres’ No. 1 pick in the 1994 amateur draft, allowed seven hits in the first eight innings before giving up singles to Chris Gomez and Ben Davis to open the ninth. David Newman, who was hitless in 23 at-bats, followed with his first career homer, knocking Hermanson out.

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NFL

Buccaneers turnovers prove costly in home opener

Associated Press

TAMPA, Fla. - The New York Giants proved once again that defense is their offense.

Christian Peter scored on a 38-yard fumble return and rookie Andre Waters ran back one of New York's four interceptions for a touchdown as the Giants beat the Tampa Bay Buccaneers 17-13 in the season-opener Sunday.

New York won its fifth straight game with Kent Graham at quarterback, but its offense had virtually no success against a Bucs defense that did everything it could.

Peter scored on the Bucs' third offensive play when Jesse Armstead sacked Trent Dilfer and forced a fumble that bounced right into the hands of the 300-pound defensive tackle. Waters erased a 10-7 Giants deficit with his 8-yard field goal as time ran out.

“I'm sure glad he was here,” said Andy Reid, who lost his debut as Eagles coach. “I wasn't looking down field, I was looking at the line­men. I hadn't played since Tennessee, and things are faster than in the preseason.”

Arizona snapped its seven-game losing streak in season openers and dealt a devastating blow to a team already picked by odds makers to lose.

“With 12 minutes left, I don't think I had to say it, but I did anyway. I said, ‘We're down, but we're still in it,'” Plummer said.

Then he walked down the benches telling his teammates, “You gotta believe!”

Plummer, nursing a strained thumb on his throwing hand and doubtful to play, went 25- of-48 for 274 yards and a touchdown. After throwing three interceptions in the first half, he led the Cardinals to two touchdowns and two field goals in the second half.

Plummer said his hand felt fine. He was just rusty after missing Arizona's last two exhibition games following the injury Aug. 20 against Tennessee.

“I was just getting my feet wet in the first half,” Plummer said. “I wasn't looking down field. I was looking at the linemen. I hadn't played since Tennessee, and things are faster than in the preseason.”

The Cardinals missed key players from last season to free agency, injuries and contract disputes, but got breaks this week when Plummer decided to

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would have despised this — people dressed in suits making a fuss over him. He was buried Sunday several hundred yards from the high school field where he began a baseball career that would send him to the Hall of Fame.

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Agassi uses fifth set to claim fifth Grand Slam title

Associated Press

NEW YORK

Andre Agassi never lost his serve or his nerve, even when Todd Martin seemed to have him beat, as he capped one of the greatest summers in tennis history by capturing his second U.S. Open.

Agassi came up with his most spectacular shots — none better than a lunging return from the court that broke Martin’s serve and spirit — in a dominating fifth set to win 6-4, 6-7 (7-3), 6-3, 6-2.

Agassi’s fifth Grand Slam title ended a summer run that began with his surprising surge to the French Open championship and continued with his runner-up finish to Pete Sampras at Wimbledon. No man since Ivan Lendl in 1986 had gone to three straight Grand Slam finals in the same year.

No man had fought back to win the U.S. Open from a 2-1 deficit in sets since John Newcombe in 1973, but that’s exactly what Agassi had to do against an inspired Martin playing one of the finest matches of his life.

Martin always had all the tools of a champion — the big serve, the sweet groundstrokes, the heart of a fighter — and he almost became one at age 29.

After losing his first service and the first set, Martin went toe-to-toe with Agassi for the next two sets, staying with him through long rallies and clubbing him with aces to force a pair of tiebreakers that he won with unexpectected ease.

But Agassi, who had never lost his No. 1 rating after beating Yevgeny Kafelnikov in the semi-finals, responded the way the best player in the world should.

Agassi broke down on Martin’s serve early in the fourth set and broke him to change the tenor of the match. On one point in that game, Agassi almost knocked Martin out, literally, slamming an overhead from point-blank range that missed Martin one more time.

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Andre Agassi
1999 U.S. Open champion

Martin, the outcome seemed certain.

Agassi made it five games in a row when he won the first three in the final set, and he closed out the match by breaking Martin one more time.

“I’ll tell you what, how can you ask for anything more than two Americans in the final of the U.S. Open playing a great five-set match?” Agassi told the crowd after accepting the trophy and the winner’s check for $750,000.

“Win or lose, this is the greatest time of my life. I’ll never forget New York right here.”

Martin looked like an unhappy loser. He knew he had given all he could in a tournament in which he had almost been taken in two previous five-setters, including one against a qualifier in the first round and another against No. 9 Greg Rusedski in the fourth round. After that match with Rusedski, Martin was so drained he needed to be rehydrated intravenously.

“Present your revenge for his Wimbledon beating. Against Martin he faced a player who was almost, but not quite, as good,”

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the second half, we just picked it up a bit and ended up playing more of our game.”

The Irish game included much more scoring. In the first half, the lone Irish goal came off of a header by Mestis Erikson. Erikson picked up her first goal and fifth point of the season after defender Kara Brown crossed the ball to her from the right side of the box.

The second half scoring began at the 53rd minute. Jenny Heft fired a shot from 30 feet away after St. John’s failed to clear the ball.

Grubb connected with fellow captain Jenny Streiffer off a free kick from 25 yards away. Grubb’s kick from the right side of the net was redirected into the upper right corner of the net by Streiffer with a header at the near post.

Grubb said that scoring off a free kick was a goal of the team heading into the game.

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Golf
Belles place third at Pine River

By SARAH RYKOWSKI
Sports Writer

The Belles’ golf team brought home third place Saturday at the Pine River county tournament.

“We started off this season with a big bang,” Mary Claire Hathaway said of the opener. The Belles scored 351, only one stroke behind Alma, the second place team, who earned a 350 team score.

“Mary Claire Hathaway scored 87 and tied for fifth in the individual tournament. Captain Kyle Veltri led her team with 85 and a three-way tie for fifth in the individual standings. She was supported by Natalie Cook, who shot 86 for sixth place, Mary Claire Hathaway scored 87 and tied for ninth, and Molly Lee rounded out the team’s performance with a 99 for 26th place.”

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Albion was second with a 363, Alma was third with a 368, and the Belles brought home fourth with a 383.

Sev of the Belles played in the tournament. Captain Kyle Veltri led her team with 85 and a three-war tie for fifth in the individual standings. She was supported by Natalie Cook, who shot 86 for sixth place, Mary Claire Hathaway scored 87 and tied for ninth, and Molly Lee rounded out the team’s performance with a 99 for 26th place.

“I was excited to hear my score,” Cook said.

Cook, a junior transfer, has not played competitive golf since her senior year in high school.

“I was very happy with the team’s performance,” Pekarek said.

Due to illness, Heather Goodrich was unable to play in this weekend’s meet. Freshman Kara Harms traveled in her place, shooting a 95, good enough for 20th place overall, although it did not count toward the team’s score.

“A good day for us and good experience for the younger girls,” Pekarek said.

The Belles place third at Pine River. Heather Podraca rounded out the team’s performance with a 99 for 26th place in the individual standings.

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28 shots on goal while the Irish came up with 13. Panthers midfilder Ben Garry led the scoring attempts for Pittsburgh with 11 shots on goal. Irish forward Erich Braun had the most shots on goal for Notre Dame with three.

Pittsburgh came out on the offensive in the first overtime period, outshooting Notre Dame 8-0. It was a different story at the start of the second overtime period, as the Irish put the Panthers on the defensive from the start, delivering five shots on goal, while not allowing the Panthers to get off a single shot.

“I was more interested in getting things done that we had probably helped us get some more shots on goal in the second overtime.”

Irish goalkeeper Gerick Short and the Panther’s Gaul kept their teams in the game, recording career-highs in saves. Short came away with six saves while Gaul tallied nine on the afternoon.

Lyskawa’s first-half goal is only Notre Dame’s third goal in four games. Freshman offensive players have been instrumental in the team’s victories; Lyskawa joins first-year players Rafael Garcia and Braun as the lone goal scorers.

Ranked 16th, the tie moves Notre Dame to 2-1-1 on the year and 1-0-1 in Big East play. Pittsburgh has compiled a 1-2-2 record this season and has yet to earn a conference win at 0-1-1 in the Big East.

The Irish take the field again on Tuesday when they host Cleveland State on Alumni Field.
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WOMEN'S SOCCER

Storm unable to match Irish fury

By MIKE CONNOLLY
Assistant Sports Editor

St. John’s hung with the No. 4 Notre Dame women’s soccer team for the first half before the Irish woke up in the second half to pick up the 4-0 win.

The Red Storm held the Irish to just one goal on five shots in the first half. However, St. John’s played at halftime and matched St. John’s 16-3 in the second half.

“I don’t think it was what we were expecting [to be so close at halftime],” senior captain Jen Grubb said. “And I don’t think we were happy with our performance but we never doubted that we would score some more points in the second half.”

Playing on Astroturf affected the Irish in the first half. The faster play and strategy hurt the team, according to Grubb.

“It is no secret playing on Astroturf,” she said. “The ball was bouncing differently and people were slipping — stuff that doesn’t happen normally.”

The Irish also dominated the Red Storm in their previous four meetings — picking up four wins and not allowing a single goal. LaKeysia Beene and Elizabeth Wegner contrasted the Irish in the second half.

Despite being outshot 10-5 in the first half, the Irish came out more fired up and better mentally prepared to win.

“We just stepped up our intensity and came out to play like we normally do,” Grubb said. “I felt like we were a little bit soft in the first half. They were beating us to balls and things that we could control. In the second half of play when he capitalized on a ball from junior midfielder Connor LaRose to lead Pittsburgh 1-0.

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The Panthers took control of the game in the second half, delivering nine shots on goal to Notre Dame’s three.

The Pennsylvania native netted the winning goal from the penalty spot off the assist of junior midfielder Connor LaRose. The Irish fell to 6-5-3 overall.

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Men’s Soccer

Notre Dame, Pittsburgh battle to Big East stalemate

By KERRY SMITH
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men’s soccer team played their second straight overtime game and tied 1-1 Saturday against Big East rival University of Pittsburgh.

Pittsburgh was a real solid team,” said freshman midfielder Alan Lykawka. “They played a hard man-to-man and didn’t give us anything. They challenged every ball and played us really tight.”

The Irish found themselves on unfamiliar ground. Pitt Stadium uses Astroturf instead of natural grass, which caused the team a few problems.

“It was a hard situation to play in and so we had to adapt,” said Lykawka. “Turn’s a lot faster and harder. The game is much faster pace and it’s a lot harder to control the ball.”

Lykawka put Notre Dame on top just 13 minutes into the first half of play when he capitalized on a ball from junior midfielder Connor LaRose. Lykawka headed the ball past Panther goalkeeper Justin Gaul off a header from LaRose to lead Pittsburgh 1-0.

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Pittsburgh tied the game at 1-1 36:50 when sophomore forward Mark Silvara took advantage of a pass from senior midfielder Beagan Bender.

The game remained locked at 1-1 through two overtime periods. Both squads had many scoring opportunities, but neither team capitalized. The Panthers finished the game with the Irish in their 1-1 tie against Pittsburgh.

NFL opening weekend

Quarterback Vince Testaverde’s 1999 season ended abruptly, when he was injured in the Jets’ loss to the Patriots.

By KATHLEEN O’BRIEN
Assistant Sports Editor

The Notre Dame men and women’s cross country teams began their season in style Saturday, with the men bringing home the title from the Valparaiso Invitational and the women placing second.

Sophomore Mark Rose Strivis led the Irish, winning the 8-kilometer meet in a time of 24:48. He broke the old course record of 25:18 by 8 seconds en route to the victory.

Sean McManus, Pat Conway, John Dudley and Antonio Lopez followed Strivis to the finish line. All five scoring runners finished in the top nine overall, and the top seven scoring runners were in the top 15 overall.

Scoring is based on the totals of the top five runners’ places, with the lowest score taking first place. Notre Dame dominated its competition, tallying only 26 points, and Purdue, the next closest team, scored 72.

“We knew we had a chance to win if the kids ran well,” said head coach Joe Piane. “They ran probably even a little bit better than we anticipated. It bodes well for the future.”

The Irish captured the championship without running several of their top runners, instead choosing to rest them for the National Catholic Invitational, set to begin this Friday at Notre Dame.


The women finished second to a solid Marquette team, 21-20. The race was closer than the numbers show, however.

“We had seven of the top 14 finishers,” said Piano. “Unfortunately, so did Marquette.”

Freshman Jennifer Haniford won the 5,000-meter (3.1 miles) in 18:00. It was her first competition on the collegiate level, but she displayed her talent and potential by leading throughout the race.

“I was happy with my performance, but we have a lot bigger meetings coming up,” Handley said. “It’s still kind of early to get excited about anything. I went out pretty fast and just kind of held the lead the whole race.”

Erin Luby, a senior captain, was second for the Irish and 10th overall in the meet. Bridge O’Brien, Krissy Kusties, Molly Schmidt, Carrie Eaton and Cara Mutter crossed the line shortly after Luby.

The Irish, expected to compete for the top spots in the region this season, preferred to rest their top five returning athletes for this Friday’s meet.