Panel covers Sept. 11 media issues

♦ Faculty evaluate footage of conflict in Afghanistan

By JOE ACKERMAN
News Writer

Three faculty members explored the media's coverage of the Afghan war conflict post-Sept. 11 Monday.

In the presentation entitled "Seeing through the Media," English professor Anne Montgomery, anthropologist Greg Downey and American Studies professor Susan Ohmer presented varying ideas in regards to biases, attitudes and policies in the media's coverage of the recent events.

Montgomery, a linguist, discussed the implication of various elements of language and their impact on people's perceptions. She discussed the frequent use of Christian language by Bush in his speeches, including invoking the language of battle and how this could send a mixed message about America's intentions in regard to religion.

She talked about the semantics of the short-lived name of the anti-terror mission, "Infinite Justice," which was removed from use only 48 hours after its inception. "We te rroriz ed with this language," Montgomery said.

Downey discussed media spin and how he feels it allows democracy to be harmed. He claimed that CNN directors and information about access to birth control, planned parenthood, pharmacy visits, the morning-after pill, STD testing and AIDS ministry. The students also plan to provide condoms from their rooms, according to the e-mail.

Timm said it is not an initiative the College can support. "I am very concerned about the information being offered as it was by students at this institution. We are a Catholic institution and very clearly there are things that we cannot and will not support," said Timm.

Timm was not comment on if she would pursue disciplinary action, although she did inform the student body by e-mail Friday the mass e-mail access for all classes would be deactivated.

Alissa Blair, Sarah Edwards, Nicole Haddad, Ann Hoover, Anna Lentsz and Jen Wagner, the students behind the initiative, said that Health Services is lacking in its services regarding several women's health issues, according to the e-mail.

They claim in the e-mail they are "in no way affiliated with or supported by Saint Mary's College nor any of its representative groups." After consulting a lawyer, in place of the students involved in the initiative would make further comment.

Members of Heath Services said the information the students provided about services at Saint Mary's was misleading.

"The e-mail, in my opinion, was false in that we do provide a great range of women's health services including things like physician visits and gynecologist clinics every week," said Cathi DeCleene, director of Health Service. "I didn't feel that their e-mail was even worth responding to."

Student response on campus has been mixed, although Timm said she has received a few e-mails on the subject.

260 die aboard NY jet

NEW YORK

A jetliner en route to the Dominican Republic broke apart minutes after takeoff and crashed in a remote mountainous neighborhood Monday, engulfing homes in flames and causing initial fears of a new terrorist atrocity. All 260 people aboard were reported missing on the ground.

"All information we have currently is that this is an accident," said Marion Hukey, chairwoman of the National Transportation Safety Board. If there was an explosion on the plane — and many witnesses heard one — it was probably caused by a mechanical failure, investigators said.

American Airlines Flight 587, a European-made Airbus A300, left Kennedy Airport at 9:14 a.m., 74 minutes late because of security checks put in place after the World Trade Center attack, according to American Airlines chairman Don Carty. It took off into a clear blue sky.

Three minutes later, it spiraled nose-first into the Beckway Beach section of Queens, in a middle-class neighborhood, 15 miles from Manhattan, that lost scores of its people, including firefighters and financial workers, in the Trade Center catastrophe just two months ago.

"I just thought, 'Oh, no, not again,'" said Milena Owens, who was putting up Thanksgiving decorations when she heard an explosion.

Furious orange flames towered above the treetops, and a plume of thick, black smoke could be seen miles away.

Authorities found the cockpit voice recorder, one of the two "black boxes" from the twin-engine jet, and said it would be examined for clues.

Witnesses reported hearing an explosion and seeing an engine, a large chunk of a wing and other debris falling off the plane as it came down.

"I saw pieces falling out of the sky," said Lia D'Eliviera, who watched through a window at her home about five blocks down. "And I was looking over to my left and I saw this huge fireball, and the next thing I know, I hear this
INSIDE COLUMN

Students prevail

From Thursday to Sunday afternoon I was a speaker at the National Scholastic Press Association (NSPA) journalism convention for high school students. During this time of spending most waking moments with 3,500 high school students it became clear that journalism students have more enthusiasm and drive compared to the average student.

While many high school students would go on a school sponsored trip only to miss school, these journalists pay their own way for the honor of attending, spending money and in most cases for their own expenses to be interviewed. However, these students were not just paying for a trip to Boston for the weekend. They were expected to attend all day sessions from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. and in addition on Friday night most students participated in various on-site write-off and design competitions. Students in all classes usually look at an opportunity to travel to a city such as Boston as just that — an opportunity to see and explore.

Perhaps the most enjoyable part of the convention comes from the awards ceremony held on Saturday afternoon. It was at this time when students have a chance to be recognized as a staff for their achievements. There is nothing more satisfying for an adviser and her staff to see everyone nervous and excited in anticipation of what their usual high school has to offer. It never fails when the winner is announced and the winning staff jumps to their feet to congratulate one another, everyone falls into place, and all the long hours have seemed worth it.

Overall, the convention is a time for staffs to bond with one another while having fun, and looking for ways to improve their publications when they return to their respected states. It is a time in which advisers and their staffs get to see a more relaxed side of one another and they become more of a family than having a teacher-student relationship.

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The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.

COMPARISON

Quotes of the Week

"We have entered a new era. This new era requires new responsibilities — both for the government and our people."
— President George W. Bush

"It just took us a while to get adjusted to playing and keeping the ball on the ground. Once we started kicking the ball on the ground we were ok."
— Mia Sarkesian, senior on Big East Championship victory

"Notre Dame wants to integrate life in the residence halls more closely with the students' intellectual interests."
— Scott Appleye, director of the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies on week of peace

"I feel that I should be able to e-mail my colleagues and that everyone should be able to handle the e-mails in a mature way."
— Linda Padilla, junior on SMC's new e-mail policy

Beyond Campus

Peres addresses students in Washington

WASHINGTON

Israel's Foreign Minister Shimon Peres called for Palestinian Authority Chairman Yasser Arafat to "stop talking and start doing" and vowed Israel's support for the U.S. war on terrorism in an address to 4,000 delegates at the United Jewish Communities General Assembly Conference Sunday in Washington. The audience included about 800 college students from around the Washington area. "We will judge you by your deeds, not words," Peres said, referring to Arafat's speech before the United Nations Sunday where he blasted the United States for helping Israel for violating the cease-fire and practicing "ethnic cleansing." "We are not interested in seeing Palestinian suffering — we wish for them to stop being our enemy and start being our friend," he said.

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University of Pennsylvania

Graduate student applications on rise

Although graduates in recent years have enjoyed attractive job opportunities, leading them to put off pursuing graduate or professional degrees, figures for job market and unemployment rates reaching 5.4 percent nationwide last month, more students may be pursuing graduate or professional schools next fall aiming for graduate and professional schools next fall.

"There is a huge jump in the number of students taking the LSAT, an exam required for law school applications, jumped by 18.6 percent nationwide. While admissions officers were initially uncertain if the rise in test-takers would directly translate into a larger applicant pool, University of Pennsylvania's Law School said it would see a 70 percent jump in applicants since then, according to Assistant Dean of admissions and financial aid Janice Austin. "That is incredibly extraordinary," she said. "I wouldn't have imagined we'd be in this position if you'd asked me a year ago."

Local Weather

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National Weather

The AccuWeather.com forecast for noon, Tuesday Nov. 13.

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The Observer

Former Chicago Tribune managing editor and Notre Dame professor Richard Ciccone signs copies of his biography of Chicago Tribune columnist Mike Royko titled, “Royko: A Life in Print” Monday at Notre Dame Hammes Bookstore.

The Observer

Attention Students! Sign up for a New Course!

Managing Differences and Conflict: A Lecture Series

What Is This?

A one-credit-hour course sponsored by Dean Carolyn Woo, Professors Ram Ramanan, Renee Tynan and Jim O’Rourke. During Spring Semester 2002, we’ll examine those differences you’ll encounter as you enter the workplace. We’ll hear what business leaders from across the nation have to say on the subject of culture and conflict. Join your classmates and friends as we examine the role of ethnicity, race, gender, age, ability, faith, and preference in post-industrial America.

When Is It?

We’ll meet on Friday mornings in Jordan Auditorium, Mendoza College of Business, from 10:40 a.m. to 12:10 p.m. during Spring Semester 2002. You will hear from knowledgeable, thoughtful executives, including:

- Cathleen Black, President of Hearst Magazines
- Juan Johnson, Vice President, The Coca-Cola Company.
- Alan Wurtzel, Chief of Standards and Practices, NBC Television.
- Fr. Theodore Hesburgh, President Emeritus, Notre Dame
- Joseph McLaughlin (Attorney for PGA golfer, Casey Martin)
- Anne Donnellon, Professor of Management, Babson College.
- Ray Hood-Phillips, Vice President, Advantica Corporation (Denny’s Restaurants).

A complete list of guest speakers will be available in November.

Who Can Enroll?

“Managing Differences and Conflict: A Lecture Series,” listed as BA 320 and MBA 520, is open to any Notre Dame or Saint Mary’s Student via DART. There are no prerequisites to enrollment. See your academic advisor or your department chair for additional detail.

What Are The Course Requirements?

We’ll ask you to attend eight Friday morning lectures. This is a “Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory” course in which you must be present for at least six of the scheduled meeting sessions to receive a grade of “Satisfactory.” There are no examinations and no term paper requirements.

In other BOG news:

Lilly Morales, president of the Student Diversity Board, requested co-sponsorship of $800 for the production of “Womyn with Wings.” This play deals directly with many issues that interest and influence the student body including eating disorders, rape, female mutilation in Africa and breast cancer. It follows each of these issues and shows the transition from victim to victory.

This demonstrates a great educational resource for the student body. It is also supported by many other departments within the college including the Office of Student Affairs.” Nagle said.

After little debate, BOG decided to grant the co-sponsorship so that they may continue with the production of “Womyn with Wings.”

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Crash
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big rumbling sound. I ran to the door and all I saw was big black smoke."

An engine was found intact in a parking lot at a Texaco station, where it had missed the gas pumps by no more than 12 feet. Close neighbors ran to the scene with garden hoes and fixed fire hoses. The vertical stabilizer — the tail fin — was pulled from Jamaica Bay, just offshore, Mayor Rudolph Giuliani said.

Americal Airlines said there were 251 passengers on the plane, including five infants sitting on their parents' laps — and nine crew mem-

bers. The plane was carrying 11,000 gallons of fuel. As night fell, several hundred people were still working under the glare of klieg lights — the kind of lights used at ground zero at the Trade Center — frantically looking for bodies in the burned ruins of the Twin Towers.

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WORLD NEWS BRIEFS

First black Miss Colombia elected: Vanessa Alexandra Mendoza has become the first black woman to win the Miss Colombia title. Black Colombians are underrepresented in politics and discriminated against socially and economically. The only black member of the national congress said Mendoza's selection suggests attitudes may be changing.

Police swarm Macedonian villages: Hundreds of Macedonian police officers converged on two villages in the Balkan country's ethnically tense northwest on Monday, attempting to prevent the escape of ethnic Albanian gunmen they said killed three police officers and took dozens of hostages. Police fanned out around Semsovo and Trebis, where the three officers were killed.

NATIONAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mandela meets with Bush: Former South African President Nelson Mandela appeared in the White House Rose Garden on Monday with an unconditional message of support for Bush's war on terrorism targets in Afghanistan. Mandela told reporters he came to see Bush to deliver this message: "I support him to continue until those terrorists have been tracked down."

Catholic Bishops discuss war: The nation's Roman Catholic bishops began reviewing their position on the war on terrorism Monday, acknowledging a moral right to a military defense but warning that force alone is not the answer. The authors of a draft proclamation took pains to say that poverty, violence and human rights abuses, if not addressed, generate resentment that nothing justifies terrorism. Still, they argued that poorly, violence and human rights abuses, if not addressed, generate resentment that terrorists can exploit.

INDIANA NEWS BRIEFS

Men hid marijuana in microwave: Police have arrested two men after tracking 22 pounds of marijuana concealed in a microwave that was delivered to an apartment. Jose Juan Urena, 26, and Carlos A. Pena, 18, both of Logineur, were being held without bond in the Noble County Jail on charges of possession of more than 10 pounds of marijuana, conspiracy to deliver a controlled substance and maintaining a common nuisance. Police found the marijuana packaged in small bricks concealed inside the casing of a microwave oven that was delivered to the residence Friday.

Crash shakes airline industry

Associated Press

NEW YORK

Even if it's ruled an accident, Monday's plane crash rattled an already nervous nation and threatened to undermine efforts to woo travelers back into the skies for the holiday season.

"It was like being hit hard in the stomach," said Robert Trever of Syracuse, N.Y., describing how he absorbed news of the crash while waiting to pick up his son at the local airport.

"I'm too scared to fly," said Christianna Toler, who was trying to get back to New York after a theater audition in Chicago.

"You can't stop your life," said Anabela Correia, 24, of New Bedford, Mass., who was in Miami en route back home from a Caribbean cruise.

Opposition closes in on Kabul

Associated Press

RABAT, AFGHANISTAN

As northern alliance forces closed in on Kabul, trucks brought hundreds of reinforcements to the front lines, while other vehicles headed in the opposite direction, evacuating the dead, the wounded and captured Taliban fighters. His voice cracking over the radio, an opposition commander ordered his fighters to capture four Taliban tanks.

The Shomali plain, about 25 miles north of the capital, was covered in the wreckage of American Airline flight 587 is lifted out of Jamaica Bay in Queens. The crash killed all passengers on board and caused panic among other air travellers.
**Taliban fighters flee Kabul**

Associated Press

WASHINGTON The Bush administration cheered signs that the Taliban were retreating from the Afghan capital as defense officials said Monday they planned to base U.S. aircraft in the bordering country of Tajikistan.

Taliban fighters could be seen streaming out of Kabul after a Tuesday night. A U.S. official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said large numbers of government forces have been moved to the center of the city.

"I think it is great news. It means the initial phase of the campaign is going well," Army Secretary Thomas White said.

Military alliance forces began moving into the capital in pickup trucks loaded with soldiers armed with rifles and rocket launchers. There was no sign of a night attack, government officials told a military barrage that only hours before had been in Taliban hands.

White said on CNN's "Larry King Live" that he believes "a combination of well-targeted air power along with movement on the ground by northern alliance forces" prompted the Taliban to flee Kabul.

The news on the Tajik base follows an on-site assessment by U.S. military advisers of the feasibility of using as many as three airfields in the former Soviet republic.

The Taliban government had offered the bases for U.S. use against Afghanistan, and the decision to go ahead could mean more air force fighter-bombers will be sent there soon.

The U.S. defense official, who discussed the matter on condition of anonymity, said it was not yet clear how local improvement would be needed before the airfields could be put to use. An official was not certain which airfield in Tajikistan was chosen out of three offered: Kulyab, Khogand and Kurgan-Tyube.

"We already have a military presence in Uzbekistan, where at least 1,000 soldiers of the U.S. Army's 101st Airborne Division have been deployed.

"The Taliban has already been using one airfield in Uzbekistan, and today from underage to 21!

"The head of a money-transfer service that the United States accuses of diverting money to Osama bin Laden's al-Qaeda network is likely to be extradited to the United States.

Lahrian Al-Hussein, 31, was taken into custody under an extradition warrant, Royal Canadian Mounted Police Cpl. Louise Laflance said. He was scheduled to appear for a bail hearing in Ottawa on Tuesday morning.

Hussein and his brother, Mohamed, operate Barakaat North America Inc. out of offices in Ottawa and Massachusetts.

Last week, the U.S. Treasury said the company's assets should be frozen for allegedly financing terrorism.

Mohamed Hussein was arrested in Boston last week and faces a court hearing Thursday.

U.S. Attorney General John Ashcroft has called the Boston business and others around the country "offices" of the Al-Barakaat network, one of two organizations on a list of entities with suspected terrorist ties.

Investigators believe tens of millions of dollars a year are being transferred overseas through Al-Barakaat. Many of the dollars, federal officials say, are going to residents of the United States to relatives, with the networks skimming money off for allegedly financing terrorism.

The FBI had already investigated Barakaat and terrorists over a year ago, Ogadigie said last week. At a meeting in September 2000, the FBI met with Ugandese and a company trustee who would not identify himself.

Powell: War on terrorism is war for democracy

Associated Press

UNITED NATIONS The war on terrorism must be fought with increased support for democratic reform, and alleviating poverty so there will be less reason for terrorists to exist, Secretary of State Colin Powell told the U.N. Security Council on Monday.

Powell spoke at the first meeting of the 15-member council since the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks and just hours after another plane crash in New York City sparked fear that terrorist attacks may have struck again. Powell said preliminary information indicated "that it's an accident -- and let us hope that that turns out to be the case."

The meeting focused on the urgent need for democracy. The council unanimously ordered its delegates to support a U.N. counter-terrorism committee to help nations strengthen measures to stop financing, supporting and providing sanctuary to terrorists, as required by a landmark council resolution adopted on Sept. 28.

With public support for U.S.-led military action on Afghanistan waning in some nations that have joined the global war against terrorism, the foreign ministers stressed that military efforts alone will not succeed in eradicating terrorism.

"The war on terrorism starts within each country," Powell said. "It will be fought with increased support for democracy programs, judicial reform, conflict resolution, poverty alleviation, economic reform, and health and education programs."

"All these together deny the reason for terrorists to exist or find safe havens within borders," Powell said. "If in U.S. diplomas said his strongest statement on how must be addressed to win the war on terrorism."

The Russian foreign minister along with Lavrov agreed.

"Military means alone are not sufficient. After all, poverty, unemployment, absence of equal access to the benefits of scientific and technological progress force desperate people to join the ranks of extremists," he said.

Ireland's Foreign Minister Brian Cowen said the international community ignores these underlying problems "at our peril."

"We must reject a world order in which the 200 richest people have greater access than the two billion people at the other end of the spectrum," he said.

Chinese Foreign Minister Tang Jiaxuan also joined Russia's Ivanov in warning that there should be no double standards in the fight against terrorism.

Both countries are combating separatists who they regard as terrorists.

Rusia says Chechen rebels are supported by terrorists abroad, and Tang said: "China, too, has been threatened by terrorism."

The Muslim "East Turkistan separatists in the western Xinjiang region "have long received training, financial aid and support from international terrorist groups," he said.

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Claire Bloom, born in London, made her first appearance on stage with the Oxford Repertory Company at the age of 16. Later, she made her first London appearance as Alizon Elliot in Sir John Gielgud’s production of Christopher Fry’s The Lady’s Not for Burning, opposite Richard Burton. Recently, she played Clytemnestra in a Broadway production of Electra, for which she receives a Tony nomination.

Claire Bloom’s television and film roles include Brideshead Revisited, in which she and Laurence Olivier played Lord and Lady Marchmain, Philip Roth’s The Ghost Writer, Charles Chapman’s Limelight, Woody Allen’s Crimes and Misdemeanors and Mighty Aphrodite, and Shadowslands, for which she won Britain’s BAFTA Award for the best television actress of the year.

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Judge fines IBP for unpaid work

Associated Press

YAKIMA, Wash. — A federal judge has ordered meatpackaging giant IBP to pay $3.1 million to 815 current and former production line employees for unpaid work at its Washington state plant. IBP, based in Dakota Dunes, S.D., said it plans to appeal the ruling by U.S. District Judge Robert Whaley in Spokane. IBP was purchased by Tyson Foods of Springdale, Ark., in September.

The limited class-action lawsuit contended that IBP violated state and federal wage and hour laws at the plant by not paying workers for time spent preparing for and cleaning up for dinner.

"The company started paying the people with the first cut of meat an average of 1 hour and 30 minutes, and the second cut of meat an average of 1 hour and 45 minutes early and stayed another 20 minutes after they shift to remove, wash and store equipment," IBP said in a statement.

Mark said employees were also required to remove their contaminated work gear before lunch and then put it on afterward, all of the clock.

Whaley based his decision against IBP on the case of Wilson v. IBP in a bench trial a year ago. His decision was reversed by the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals and then sent back to the workers issued a press release about the ruling on Monday.

The lawsuit covered a period from June 1995 until May 2000. Last week, Mark and the law firm of Schroeter, Goldmark & Bender in Seattle filed a second similar lawsuit that makes the same allegations for a subsequent time period and for different workers. The case has been assigned to U.S. District Judge Edward Shea in Richland.

For years, IBP has paid its workers $6 to $7 an hour less than what federal and state laws require. In 2000, IBP paid $1.50 more per hour for its production line workers than its laboratory and office staff.

"Contrary to the claims made, we pay our team members for all of the production time worked," IBP said in a statement. "We also pay for the time they spend immediately before and after work, putting on and taking off the clothing and equipment required for their jobs. In fact, our practices have been determined by the U.S. Department of Labor to be in compliance with the Fair Labor Standards Act."

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"Most of the people who work for IBP...are NOT working people," said Martina Martinez, who worked at IBP for 12 years and had lead a monthlong wildcat strike over wages and working conditions at the plant in 1999.

"For all of us, a dollar means a lot and we should not be cheated out of receiving fair wages for doing what is required of us at our jobs."

Online giants collaborate on high-speed net connection race

Associated Press

LAS VEGAS — Media titans AOL Time Warner Inc. and Sony Corp. will jointly develop a home networking environment to deliver online entertainment over high-speed Internet connections.

The collaboration is aimed at developing easier ways of linking televisions, stereo, game consoles and other devices to always-on broadband networks that are now primarily used by personal computers.

"Consumers want the Internet to play a greater role in their lives, and are looking forward to the day when broadband can deliver all of a family's home entertainment, information and communications needs over a wide variety of devices," said Steve Case, AOL Time Warner's chairman.

Few product details or timelines were disclosed during an announcement at the Comdex trade show, but the agreements are not exclusive, and any network software and services will be developed with an open architecture.

The collaboration pits the biggest names in consumer electronics and Internet access against Microsoft Corp., which this week is releasing its Internet-enabled Xbox video console.

Under the joint program, Sony and AOL will develop home gateway technologies that will allow the sharing of connections and content among multiple devices.

The technology will employ copyright management -- an important element for media companies.

AOL and Sony also plan to design an Internet browser specifically for consumer electronic devices. It also could be a device available to other electronics manufacturers.

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"We believe this collaboration will offer consumers an enhanced broadband experience and create new business opportunities for the whole industry," said Kunitake Ando, Sony's president and chief operating officer.

On Sunday, Microsoft Chairman Bill Gates outlined his vision of a "digital decade" in which consumers are always connected to the Internet through personal computers and an array of other gadgets.

The Sony-AOL deal shows Microsoft will not have the only label on next-generation devices, said Richard Doherty, an analyst at the EnvisionGroup.

This clearly has put a new challenge to Microsoft and any broadband relationship that Sony would have with Microsoft," he said.

Starsbucks enforces fair labor practice

Associated Press

SEATTLE — Starbucks Corp. on Monday unveiled a plan to pay coffee suppliers up to 10 cents more per pound if they protect the environmental needs of local coffee producers.

The program, scheduled to be announced at a coffee supplier conference in Costa Rica Monday, comes as the coffee industry faces a worldwide glut that has pushed wholesale prices down 40 percent, to around 40 cents per pound.

With prices so low, Starbucks CEO Howard Schultz said he and other executives are overhauling the company's coffee buying and roasting operations to increase the quality of coffee Starbucks needs.

"We want to be part of our supply line into the future by making sure the people who supply our coffee are paid well for it and cared for," Williams said.

The company pledged to continue the program through the 2002 crop season. Williams said a full program will evaluate its effectiveness and market conditions.

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A Week of Peace and War Education

A series of talks and panel discussions that goes beyond the media’s portrayal of the events and aftermath of September 11th

Sunday Nov. 11
Collections in Basilica and Hall Masses to benefit Catholic Relief Services Refugee Camps

Monday Nov. 12
4:00 pm, Hesburgh Center Auditorium
“War, Peace and Imperatives of Justice: An Islamic Perspective”
Presented by John Knezevich, Florida State University
7:30 - 9:00 pm, Quad Panel Discussions
Kemen/Sanford, “Justice in War and After War: Is U.S. Foreign Policy Ethical?”
McGinley, “Students Take a Stand: A Call to Action”
Montiour, “Seeing through the Media”
Paquinella East, “Religion and Displacement”

Tuesday Nov. 13
4:00 - 5:30 pm, 137 Hayes-Healy Hall
“The Aftermath of Terrorism: Understanding the Psychological Impact of Trauma”
(Sarrell, Joseph, Notre Dame University)
7:00 pm, 101 DeBartolo Hall
“Appalachia, Sept. 11, and Broader Implications”
Presented by Appalachian Seminar by George Lopez, Kroc Institute
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I fear nothing more than those who don’t question religion. I find nothing more frightening than the idea that a group of seemingly rational people could act violently to kill 6,000 other human beings that they didn’t know and with whom they had no personal issues. I fear not out of worry for my own personal safety. Rather, I am frightened because someone was able to convince them that not only were their decision correct, but that God actually wanted them to do it. Religion frightens me with its power. A man can justify an act if he feels that it is God’s order. No, I don’t fear a terrorist attack on Alumni Hall, I fear religion in the absence of reason.

I find it very easy to look towards Afghanistan and proclaim, “The Taliban is wrong, the Koran doesn’t teach that.” It is easy for Bush to proclaim to the world that Islam is a faith based on peace.

Unfortunately, these sentiments do nothing to convince those who believe these attacks were ordered by God that their course of action is in error. After all, in their minds, who are humans to doubt God’s will? They have been taught that what God wants to happen, that other humans attempt to debate or contradict what they have been taught is pointless, as God is the ultimate authority. They believe so blindly (they would say so wholly or ultimately) that they are incapable of stepping back and taking a look at religion objectively.

So what caused the tragedies of Sept. 11? It wasn’t Islam. It was a group of humans’ unwillingness to question their faith and what they have been taught. That is the direct cause of the tragedies. What’s worse is that I don’t think there is anything we can do from here to stop this faith without intellect.

Of course, I write this article in my theology class, so I shouldn’t be too hypocritical. There are people here, at Notre Dame no less, guilty of the exact same crime as the Taliban. There are those that believe so blindly as to never question their faith, no matter what it tells them. They are just as big a danger. I am not saying there is some sort of overcoming plague of these types here at Notre Dame, but you know as well as I do that they exist.

Originally I was going to use the arts like “Fight Hatred with Love” as my example of religion without reason here on campus. I have to agree that it is a good sentiment, but most agree it is lacking in practicality. The problem I find is that along with such articles comes the message, “God does not want us to retaliate.”

That statement is the exact same statement as, “Allah wants us to kill the infidel.” Step back. Look at the situation. How arrogant for someone to assume that they know of what God does or does not approve. This is what frightens me, because the perceived absolute knowledge of God’s plan can and will motivate a person to faith to do whatever they can to further that plan.

It is unsafe to proclaim full knowledge of God’s desires when such claims cannot be validated. You can say “I don’t think God wants us to retaliate,” but, believe it or not, no one at Notre Dame is a divine intermedi­ary, and thus no one can speak for God.

I fear the charismatics and the rhetoric that they use. It is most of us who irrational persons that irrational actions are the correct path. I am frustrated by the idea that, with just a little effort and intellectual pursuit, as well as an open mind on the part of those who so blindly believe, these religion-based problems could be avoided. But most of all I am saddened that for some people, in the Taliban, and right here at Notre Dame, their closed-mindedness denies them true, mature faith. Their malformed faith causes them to take actions in the name of God that most would think, or hope, is not reflective of His will.

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John Little
Frankly Obnoxious

LETTER TO THE EDITOR
Put protests aside, support military

The Center for Social Concerns is supporting the protest of a minority group from the University of Notre Dame, a group that feels that the military should not be in the Middle East. They are protesting on the basis that the military trains Latin American soldiers in fighting and combat. They are also protesting that the S.O.A. and the Center for Social Concerns are trying to make peace in the Middle East a priority. These protesters are putting their protests aside, and supporting the military, because they feel that the military needs to stay in the Middle East to promote peace.

John Little

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John Little is a junior MIS major who hopes to make people think more than to make them mad. He will however use the latter to achieve the former. His column runs every other Tuesday. He can be contacted at jlitle@nd.edu.

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Tuesday, November 13, 2001

THE OBSERVER

Putting together a news organization is one thing, but understanding the audience is another. I try to do that each year with the help of a survey that we conduct.

I ask students about the news that they read, what they watch on TV, when they listen to radio, and how they get their news online. I then assess how that affects what they put into the Observer.

Today I received the results from the latest survey. It is a fair representation of the student body here, so I thought you all might want to know about it.

According to the results, 74% of Notre Dame students get their news from The Observer, 44% from local television, and 41% from the Internet. Only 29% get their news from the student newspaper in their hometown.

I was not surprised to see that the Observer is the most trusted source of news here at Notre Dame. I am happy to see that we are so important to the student body, but I was a little surprised to see how many students rely on television and the Internet for their news.

I think this is important because it affects what we put into the Observer. If students are getting their news from television and the Internet, then we need to make sure that we are providing them with news that is relevant and interesting.

That is why I spent the summer developing new content for the Observer. I worked with our editors to come up with new ideas for content that would interest students.

I think we have done a good job of that this semester. We have had a lot of great stories, and I think students are enjoying what we are putting out.

But I still need your help. I need to know what you want to see in the Observer. I need to know what you think of the content we are putting out.

I want to hear from you. I want to know what you think. I want to know what you want to see. I want to know what you want us to do.

So please, take a minute to fill out the survey that is attached. I would greatly appreciate it.

Thank you.

M. Connolly
My office is a mat under a tree in Mauritania. My clients know where I live, and I am available to them 24 hours a day. I am a business consultant like many Notre Dame graduates. I help businesses develop more efficient systems of operations. I do not yet specialize in any particular area. I can work on the internal accounting system, marketing, administration, investment planning and project selection. But unlike many consultants, my office is not in New York or Chicago.

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My major problem now is not knowing where to start. Should I start on the garden department because once that is successful the overall nutrition of the village will increase? Or I could start on getting the millet grinding department operational because this service would free up time for girls and women who currently hand-grind the millet? With the school year starting soon it is important beyond that. I do not understand much about business here. I only took a few business classes in the United States, but being born and raised there exposed me to many common business practices. Whenever I want to buy something like ice or hard-boiled eggs I have to ask someone who goes. The woman who sells ice uses her house with no distinguishing characteristics. My supply of hard-boiled eggs depends on whether the vendor for the chicken laid any eggs and also whether there is a wedding or baptism that day. For some reason people buy eggs at these events, and when either of them occur I have no eggs for the day. People here do not use television or the radio to advertise for local businesses, instead they depend on word of mouth. Lack of corporate media management gives me freedom to have my own successes as well as my own failures. These challenges become less overwhelming and are simply becoming part of my daily existence. Now I have to figure out where to start.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Attend volleyball

Gold Game

Earlier this fall, the University’s Student-Athlete Advisory Council (SAAC) announced a new concept for promoting selected home athletic events. A series of Gold Games was announced — with one home event in each varsity sport to receive special promotional assistance. The goal is to increase attendance at these games among student, faculty, staff and other members of the University community.

The last of our fall Gold Game events takes place at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the Joyce Center floor in 2001. We hope to see you there and at future Gold Games!

Kevin White
Director of Athletics
Nov. 12, 2001

Argument against sex is inadequate

This is in response to Mary Blazwicz's letter from Monday, Nov. 11. Looks like someone paid attention for a day in her theology class and is now an authority on sex and the devastation it causes. I think that one of the worst arguments I have ever heard is in this letter. Du Lac supports your claim? Please, this isn’t meant to offend, but you need something that holds water better than that.

Also, Mary, one should realize that not everyone here on campus turns to God or Jesus in their time of sexual desire. This "incredible gift of human sexuality" is shared between my partner and myself, not God. A god has no part in whatever sexual activity I may or may not participate in. The sex life I live off campus, Mary, I can tell all the "lies" with my body that I desire to, thank God (a pun), with no recourse from Du Lac.

In conclusion, I agree that having sex with someone who means that you are making a profound and emotionally deep connection. It, to me at least, does not coincide with marriage and an instantaneous childbirth. I doubt Ms. Blazwicz has much experience on this topic, I would rather see a critique of sexuality from someone other than a celibate.

Peter W. Prina
junior
from off campus
Nov. 12, 2001
Scene Music Critic noted his father's ability to drive women crazy. Earth-shattering greatness, Escape brings his boyish good looks and soothing voice together, creating a surprise. Enrique Iglesias really is a nice surprise. Iglesias' newest release, Escape, brings his boyish looks and soothing voice together, creating a surprisingly solid album. The son of Latin-great Julio Iglesias, Enrique has inherited his father's ability to drive women crazy in the process of creating some not-tapping tunes. And as long as the pop gods allow, this compact disc into their player do so with an open mind and few expectations of earth-shattering greatness, Escape really is a nice surprise. The album's single, "Hero," may be an end-of-the-night favorite at Heartland, but its cheesiness makes it a beautiful love song. "I can be your hero baby! I can kiss away the pain! I will stand by you forever! You can take my breath away." Destined to be a classic at weddings for years to come, the song perfectly pairs Iglesias' sex appeal with his voice. Iglesias also treats his fans to a Spanish version of "Hero," the album's last track. No one thought it was possible to get any sexier, but listening to him sing a new classic in Spanish proves everyone of his naysayers wrong. The album opens on a strong note with tracks make up this album, "Alive." Love songs make up this entire album, and this one sets the tone nicely. "If you feel like leaving, I'm not going to make it easy for you to leave. I'm coming for you once and for all. I want to hold you close and kiss away the pain. I can be your hero baby. I can kiss away the pain. I will stand by you forever. You can take my breath away."

Image takes priority over music for Spears

By LAURA ROMPF

On VH1's "Before They Were Stars," eight-year-old Britney Spears was discovered singing songs and big hair, belting out a familiar '80s pop hit. Her voice was crystal clear and she hits notes that could make even Mariah Carey cringe with jealousy. After listening to Spears' latest album, Britney, one wonders where that voice went. Either she lost it through her years in the studio and touring or she's traded it in to help enhance her image of a sex kitten. On several of the tracks, Spears sounds like she should be working as a 1-900 number, not Fifth Records.

In the first single off the album "I'm a Slave 4 U," Britney reiterates: "Baby don't you want me/ Baby say you want me/" and "Get it, get it, get it get, get it/" over heavy painting in the background. Quite interesting lyrics and background noises for the most famous "virgin" in the world.

"I'm a Slave 4 U" is different from previous Britney hits. One has to listen to it several times before becoming attached to the melody. This will leave you either an eternal fan of the song, or so annoyed you won't even turn on the radio for fear of hearing its chorus. Just as several pop stars have fallen prey to singing about the complex lives of being young, rich, famous, lost and confused, several tracks on Britney's album are similar diary entries. "I'm not a girl, not yet a woman," is one of the only slow songs on the album. It's as cheezy and cliched as it sounds. However, if Britney is trying to be a classic at wedding, this track sounds familiar to classic rock fans, but for Britney's audience, it will not become a hit.

Unfortunately Britney signed some of the songs about her life were written by Spears herself — which may be the biggest mistake of all — but some of the songs like "Overprotected," "I'm not a girl, not yet a woman," and "Cinderella" were written by pop music industry moguls Max Martin and Rami. Straight from Sweden, these masterminds wrote "I Want It That Way," "Bye Bye Bye," "I Want You Again" and nearly every other pop hit one can imagine. Unfortunately, even Martin and Rami didn't escape the temptation to write biographical songs about Spears' life.

In the same way, Britney tried to remake the Rolling Stones " Satisfaction" on her debut, her attempt to remake Joan Jett's "I love rock 'n' roll" falls short. Sure the chorus sounds familiar to classic rock fans, but for Britney's audience, it will not become a hit. Britney's latest album Britney Spears' is a sign of the future, this pop sensation may see her fame, at least on the music front, begin to dwindle.
ALBUM REVIEW

Individual talents stand out in Oysterhead

By TOM O'CONNELL

The Grand Pecking Order
Oysterhead
Elektra Records

Trey Anastasio was looking for a way to occupy his time. Recipe for Oysterhead: Two parts underground cult favorable weirdoes One part classic rock legend One ounce THC Two Thap. spare time Combine ingredients in a converted barn/studio in Vermont. Serve over ice.

Following the pseudo-breakup of Phish, front man Trey Anastasio was looking for a way to occupy his time. When a group plays together for 17 years, they can reach a point in which they have temporarily exhausted their creativity. Anastasio decided to use this opportunity to play with some of rock's truly great musicians.

Les Claypool, frontman of Primus, is arguably one of the greatest bass guitarists of all time. Armed with his legendary custom made bass, he has spent the last decade redefining the role that his instrument plays in rock music. In Primus, the bass actually takes the lead. Les Claypool's playing is no sense to be made. However, the purpose of this band is not in the words, but in the forum they create to showcase the impressive music talents of each member.

Keeping the beat for Oysterhead is Stewart Copeland, the legendary custom made bass, he has spent the last decade redefining the role that his instrument plays in rock music. In Primus, the bass actually takes the lead over the guitar, occupying the majority of the riffs and solos. Claypool is the perfect complement to Anastasio's subtle, skillful guitarist work.

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The overall music of the album is good, so it's a shame the lyrics aren't a little better. Perhaps David Mamet could be convinced to join the band as a lyricist. But whether that happens or not, hopefully, Oysterhead will record another album together. A group like this only get better with time.

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Ravens overcome bizzare ending, win 16-10

† Last second Titan touchdown nullified by defensive penalty

Associated Press

WASHINGTON, D.C. — This time, the game wasn’t over when Kevin Dyson came up a yard short. But Steve McNair couldn’t crack the Baltimore defense and the Tennessee Titans lost again.

In the wake of some most dramatic finishes in years, the Ravens beat the Titans 16-10 Monday night by stuffing McNair into the goal line on a 1-yard TD.

As the teams frantically lined up, McNair took the snap and crashed into the end zone as time expired. Officials originally ruled the play a touchdown, but after a long huddle they changed the call to offside against the Ravens and ordered a final untimed play that would decide the game.

McNair tried to sneak it in, but never got close as the massive middle of the Baltimore line stopped him and Corey Harbin threw him to the ground.

“I guess if you’re in this game long enough, you think at times that you’ve seen it all, then you experience this,” Titans coach Jeff Fisher said. “This will be a defining moment for our football team. To have this game come down to inches and seconds and hand it to someone else. We do not like the interpretation of the call. I don’t agree with it.”

Baltimore (6-3) moved within a game of Pittsburgh in the AFC Central, but Tennessee (3-5) dropped into a tie last in the six-team division with St. Louis.

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As he so often does, Ray Lewis made a game-turning play, forcing a fumble by Eddie George early in the fourth quarter that Peter Boulware recovered. That set up Matt Stover’s go-ahead field goal from 31 yards.

But it opened up in the third quarter as McNair threw a 22-yard pass to Dyson to give the Titans a 10-3 lead.

Maryland fans roared when Stover added a 33-yarder with 2:10 left to go, when McNair passed the snap over the head of his center for an incomplete pass. There was no defensive penalty on Michael McCrary put the ball on the 1.

The Ravens made it a six-point game when Stover added a 33-yarder with just over three minutes left.

But the Tennessee offense then began to move. A 15-yard roughing-the-passer penalty on Michael McCray put the ball at the 20. The Titans eventually got to the 6, where McNair threw two incomplete passes into the end zone before finding Dyson at the 1.

Baltimore defenders Carnell Lake, left, and Jamie Sharper stop Tennessee running back Derrick Mason during the Raven’s thrilling 16-10 win against the Titans Monday night.
Major League Baseball

McGwire retires, frees up $30 million for Cardinals

Associated Press

ST. LOUIS

Mark McGwire's retirement creates a $30 million windfall in the St. Louis Cardinals' budget.

Now they have to decide how or if to spend it.

Among the options to replace McGwire, who retired Monday, are Jason Giambi, who has admired McGwire since their days together in Oakland, replaced Big Mac on the Athletics in 1997 when McGwire was traded to St. Louis.

Giambi won the AL MVP last season and could win it again this season after hitting .342 with 38 homers and 120 RBIs. But he will be expensive.

The Cardinals will probably have to compete with Oakland and the big-spending New York Yankees to bring in Giambi. It might take as much as $20 million a year to sign Giambi. The Cardinals have $30 million to play with over two years.

McGwire, the former single-season home run king, announced his retirement now instead of closer to opening day to allow the Cardinals to find a replacement, like Giambi.

"I believe I owe it to the Cardinals and the fans of St. Louis to step aside, so a talented free agent can be brought in as the final piece of what I expect can be a world championship-caliber team," McGwire said in his statement Sunday.

Another possibility at first base is Tino Martinez, a free agent after winning four World Series titles in six years with the Yankees. The Cardinals also could move NL Rookie of the Year Albert Pujols to first base and sign an outfielder like Moises Alou.

On the other hand, the Cardinals might prefer keeping costs down a bit. The payroll was $74 million last year and projects to $80 million this year, with 22-game winner Matt Morris, among others, due for a large raise.

General manager Walt Jocketty said last week that he's trying to reduce the payroll to $70 million, which would leave next to nothing even with McGwire's departure.

McGwire, 38, batted just .187 in his final season with the Yankees. The team did not see it until Monday morning.

McGwire declined all interview requests through his public relations firm.

How much will the Cardinals have to compete with Oakland and the big-spending New York Yankees to bring in Giambi?
**Center for Social Concerns**

**Happenings**

Week of Peace and War Education Continues

**Tuesday, Nov. 13**
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Len Hickman, Wendy Settle, Suhayl Nasr

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"Celebrating Internships, Creativity and Service"  
Opening Reception for Marie Petulla's Photographic Exhibit  
Thursday, November 15  
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She is looking for a Chemistry and Algebra II tutor for her high school daughter. Flexible regarding times, please call for location.

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ICHIRO, Pujols named Rookies of the Year

Associated Press

NEW YORK

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Pujols got all 32 first-place votes in the NL, becoming the ninth unanimous rookie pick in the NL. The others were Frank Robinson (1956), Orlando Cepeda (1958), Willie McCovey (1959), Vince Coleman (1985), Raul Mondesi (1993), Raul Mondesi (1994) and Scott Rolen (1997).

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Seattle mariners outfielder Ichiro Suzuki watches a hit fly toward the outfield. Suzuki was named the American League Rookie of the Year Tuesday.

Elyria, Ohio.

I just felt that Sabathia better met the criteria of what a rookie is in the truest sense of the word," said Assenheimer, who was surprised he was the only voter not to have Suzuki No. 1 on his ballot. "That's nothing against Ichiro." Sabathia disagreed with that view and thought Suzuki was the top rookie.

"The award is for first-year players in the big leagues, and he's definitely deserving of it," he said. "There's not an argument about that at all."

New York Yankees second baseman Alfonso Soriano was third with 35 points, and Angels shortstop David Eckstein was fourth with six.


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ND Women’s Tennis

Irish wrap up fall season at Eck Classic

By COLIN BOYLAN
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women’s tennis team finished off its fall schedule in dominating form over the weekend, with a strong showing against opponents from Indiana, Arizona and Texas A&M.

The Irish played host to the Eck Classic, a three-day dual-match tournament that featured alternating singles and doubles competitions among the four schools.

Although no official scores were reported, when all was said and done, the Irish clearly held the upper hand in terms of total victories.

Such a fact did not escape head coach Jay Louderback, who was clearly pleased with his team’s performance.

“All of our doubles teams played really well, and some of our key players like Katie Cunha were able to play through injuries and earn some tough wins,” Louderback said.

The tournament started suspiciously enough for the Irish when the team won 10 of its 16 Friday matches against Arizona and A&M.

Senior Nina Vaughn, sophomore Alicia Salas and Emily Neighbors and freshman Sarah Jane Connolly all had solid days — each earning three combined singles and doubles wins without dropping a set.

On Saturday, the Irish doubles teams shined, earning four victories in five matches and drawing attention from some lackluster singles play.

For the Irish, Becky Varnum strug- gled to a 2-6, 7-6, 6-1 loss to A&M’s Jessica Roland, but righted that ship by teaming with Lindsey Green to coast to a surprisingly easy 8-3 doubles victory over Indiana’s Karrie Schukeibir and Linda Tran.

Alicia Salas, however, continued to shine, earning one singles and one doubles victory on the day.

“Alisia has really had a great fall and has continued to step up her play during this tournament,” Louderback said.

During the Sunday competition, the Irish singles players got back on the right track winning five of their six matches in convincing form.

Katie Cunha shook off a back injury to defeat A&M’s Danielle Lee 6-1, while Salas wrapped up a perfect 6-0 tournament record with a win over Indiana’s Martinis Grimm.

While the two month layoff that will now occur between the end of fall season and the beginning of spring comes right in the middle of Salas’ hot streak, she’s not complaining.

“I think I’ve had a good season so far,” she said. “But I think this time off can really help us heal from some injuries and improve certain aspects of our games.”

Louderback agrees with Salas’ assessment.

“For the next few months, we’re going to be focusing on our conditioning and on getting healthy,” he said. “Hopefully we can really work on tuning up each player’s individual game and get ready for spring.”

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Men’s Swimming

Notre Dame splits weekend dual meets

By NOREEN GILLESPIE
Sports Writer

There were only 5 points that separated the men’s swimming and diving team from Rutgers last year at the Big East Championships.

But this weekend, three months before the Irish and Scarlet Knights face off again in the conference meet, there were 21 points that separated them in dual meets.

And while the Irish were able to defeat the University of Connecticut 184-115 at a Big East tri-meet over the weekend, the loss to Rutgers gave Notre Dame a sense of what they’ll need to do in February, when they meet Rutgers again.

“We’re highly motivated,” said head coach Tim Welsh. “We did well after the 160-139 weekend loss to Rutgers. ’It definitely clarifies what the Big East field will be like.’

Notre Dame struggled for the first half of the meet, unable to get many swimmers past Rutgers. It was a late surge in the second half of the meet and three individual wins from senior co-captain Jonathan Pierce that put Notre Dame within reach of Rutgers.

“We count on Jonathan week to week, event to event with his individualmedal in the distance freestyle events, capturing a victory in the 1,000-yard freestyle by five seconds against Rutgers’ Joe Orsini. Pierce also won the 500-yard freestyle, and toppled off his day with a victory in the 200-yard individual medley.

“We didn’t know he could go that fast,” Welsh said. “I don’t know if he knew he could go that fast. That was a pleasant surprise for us.”

Seniors Andy Maggio won for the Irish on the boards, grabbing a first place finish in 1-meter diving. Freshman Frank Krasowski was the only other individual winner for the Irish, winning the 100-yard butterfly in 51.90 seconds.

Sophomore J.R. Teddy also had a strong day in the pool, taking second place in the 200-yard butterfly. Senior David Horak also had a second place finish in the 100-yard backstroke.

Overall, Irish swimmers dropped considerable time on individual swims.

“If you have to choose at this point in the season, we want the faster time,” Welsh said. “We were faster than we’ve been all season long in critical events. We’re clear to us that we have to work a little harder, and out-prepare if we want to move up (at Big East).”

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The Notre Dame women’s golf team completed the first two rounds of the Texas A&M at Corpus Christi Islander Fall Classic in fourth place after rounds of 322 and 324 for a 646 total.

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Baylor goes into Tuesday’s final 18 holes with a 16-stroke lead over North Texas State (309-319-628) and a 29-stroke lead over the tourna-
Irish stab Nittany Lions

By MIKE CONNOLLY
Sport Writer

The Notre Dame fencing team went into the Nittany Lions' den this weekend and emerged with a victory against its toughest rivals.

Irish fencers took four of six weapons at the Penn State Open while the Nittany Lions were left with just two, Irish fencers also finished second in three of the weapons, while placing 10 fencers in the top four of individual weapons events.

"It was pretty exciting to go over there and fence those guys from Penn State," said junior Matt Fabricant, who finished second in men's sabre. "They have a really good team. It's always rough to go up against them." Fabricant said.

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play more physical because Alumni had outplayed them in that area during the first meet between these two teams.

This week, he feels the Big Red did just that.

"The first game we played them, they were physically best us and I don't think that happened today, especially on the defensive line," said Odom.

Linsbroth feels Dillon will be tough to beat in the final.

"Our players played great," he said, "but Dillon's a great team and (Sunday) they came out and they earned it. My money's on them."

Siegfried '17, Fisher 0

After a rigorous regular season and two rounds of the playoffs, No. 2 Siegfried has put itself into a position to win it all after a 17-0 victory against No. 3 Fisher.

Although this game was expected to be extremely close, the Ramblers played consistently well throughout the game, and held a convincing lead until the end.

"I told the team that Fisher was going to be our hardest game of the year," said coach Rob Plumby. "Fisher is a good team, and we knew we had to play hard.

And that is exactly what the Ramblers did.

Free safety Pete Aguiar played an excellent game, leading the defense to hold Fisher scoreless.

On the other side of the ball, wide receiver Bill Bingle and running back Travis Smith made for a powerful offensive duo.

Despite big efforts, Fisher just could not match Siegfried.

"Everyone played really hard," said captain Tony Amatulliano. "I suppose it's the best way to lose.

Characterizing the toughness of the Green Wave was Tom Goodman, who played most of the game through a broken thumb injury that he suffered in the first half.

"It's the first time we've lost, so it is tough," said Amatulliano.

"But 19 out of 21 players are returning next year, so we have a good shot."

While Fisher waits for next year, the Ramblers are preparing for their next game.

"We are making sure to run the offense effectively," said Plumby. "We aren't doing anything different, we just want to play our game."

The Ramblers, however, will be without fullback Joe Gagliardi, who went down with a knee injury.

"(Gagliardi) is one of our hardest workers and toughest players, we will miss him," said Plumby.

Mark Ryan will replace Gagliardi at fullback, and Plumby has every confidence that Ryan will fill the role.

"Playing in the Stadium will be an incredible experience," said Plumby. "This is really exciting, I think we deserve to be here. We have played tough and worked hard all season to get this opportunity."

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This Week in CM Campus Ministry

Campus Bible Study/ CBS 7:00 p.m.
114 Coleman-Morse Center Fr. Al D'Alonzo, csc, Director

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Make-Up Session #5
7:00 p.m.
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Lounge, Coleman-Morse Center

Interfaith Christian Night Prayer
10:00 p.m.
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B-ball
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change in leadership will be key. With the graduation of Ruth Riley, Nicole Ivny and Kelly Simon, Notre Dame will be looking to its sole senior, Ericka Haney, as well as junior Alicia Ratay and sophomore Le’ Tania Severe to take the
initiative on the court.
During last week’s victory against the
Ohio Girls Basketball Magazine
something the Irish will have to focus
on.
Consistent play isn’t a guarantee; it’s
like last year where we expected to win
everything. To direct the team. And Ericka is
our only senior. We expect Ericka and Alicia to lead really through examples.”
But leadership isn’t the only change the
team faces. Last year’s squad of veterans could be counted on to turn in a consistent performance and McGraw could do much of her coaching from the sidelines as the team ran past her
down the court.
This year, that has changed.
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something the Irish will have to focus on.
“I think last week we didn’t know what
expectations have taken a turn from
last season as well. At the start of the
2000 season, the world of college bas-
ketball had seen most of the Irish
squad play and knew what to expect.
That’s got to be real college experience.
But at least the people of
Minnesota is not New York, support a third team?
But forget that Minnesota’s
baseball consumption market
were sold for less rich baseball men, and a
slightly lower level of play.
We’re young. We’re going to make a lot
of mistakes. We’re going to be making a
lot of them through lack of experi-
ence and a lot of them just because it’s
new.
Just when we thought it was safe to
get caught up in
one of the best World Series
times, as well. McGraw said. “I think
probably the number one thing we’d
like to see is consistency. That’s got to
be the Twin Cities doesn’t grow
exponentially overnight, our
attendances, while still below
attendance, while still below
high level of play. But why
stop there? We could go back
to eight teams in each league,
concentrate all the talent, and
have a season-long all-star
game.
So pick your poison: richer
baseball men, and a
slightly higher level of play, or a little
less rich baseball men, and a
slightly lower level of play.
We’re a long way from a
field of dreams and sadly
can’t have both ways.
But at least the people of
Minnesota could still have a team.
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the ball was tipped by a Badin defender. The ball never hit the ground as it was caught by a Lewis receiver, who ran in for the touchdown to give Lewis a 6-0 lead.

Thanks to their defense, that's all the margin they needed.

The sporadic Badin offense was never able to make a scoring drive, as it couldn't get enough yards to keep moving.

Quarterback Erin Zachary had her moments in the spotlight, though. She connected with several different receivers for long gains, but was never able to keep the momentum.

Following the first score for Lewis, Badin did begin to put together a drive, but it was abruptly ended by an interception.

Lewis capitalized on the turnover on the next drive.

Nasrallah commanded the Chicks swiftly down the field. Badin's defense remained on its toes the whole game, as Lewis mixed the run and the pass very effectively.

The drive was eventually capped off by Nasrallah's second touchdown pass.

"The plays kept working. Everything seemed to go right for us," said Nasrallah.

Everything seemed to go right for Badin's Lindsay Talarico as well, defense, she picked up a sack and several tackles. On offense, she dominated Badin defenders. One Chick came across the line of scrimmage on a blitz, but that was ended quickly as the swift feet of Talarico stepped over and stood her ground, sending the defensive lineman to the ground.

She and linebacker Katie Bears led the defense to stop Lewis, giving the ball back to the offense. The momentum seemed to start swaying towards the Bullfrogs, but a quick sack and much pressure from the defensive line of Lewis kept Zachary from having time to settle in the backfield and throw.

The final touchdown for Nasrallah and the Chicks only topped off a dominating playoff victory.

Lewis 18, Badin 0

Erin Nasrallah connected with different receivers for three touchdowns to push the Whirlwinds up 13-0. They continued their defensive onslaught with a second interception, this time by Welsh's Mary Prendergast, who returned the football to Welsh's 10-yard line.

Welsh once again converted that turnover into a touchdown which produced an insurmountable 20-0 lead for Welsh.

[(Welsh's) defensive line] put a lot of pressure on us. It forced our quarterback to get the ball to the ground, sending the defense back to the front line.

"That turnover on the next drive... that was all the margin they needed."

Welsh looks to cap off their undefeated season with a win in Notre Dame Stadium.

"We've worked hard in practice and in games all year," said Zeringue. "That's where we belong."
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Irish earn NCAA 7th seed

By JEFF BALTRUZAK Assistant Sports Editor

The Notre Dame women’s soccer team was awarded the No. 7 overall seed in the 2001 NCAA Women’s College Cup after winning the Big East Championship last weekend. The tournament is the competition that determines the national champion.

The seed means that Notre Dame will host the first two rounds of the tournament in the Joyce Center. The Irish will play the winner of the first round game, which will be played on the 17th.

The Irish received the seventh overall seed, which includes Stanford, UCLA, Wake Forest, William and Mary, Liberty and Virginia, none of which were ranked higher than the Irish in the final poll.

Defending champs have all-new look

By KATIE MCVY Associate Sports Editor

Sitting court side and watching the Irish play this year, any fan is watching a new team.

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Top seeds to meet in finals

By JOE HETTLER and MATT DENICOLA Sports Writers

As expected No. 1 Dillon and No. 4 Siegfried roll into final game

Irish earn NCAA 7th seed

By DAVE COOK and ANTHONY BISHOP

Siegfried quarterback Rob Plumb rolls out during a game earlier this season. The Ramblers beat Fisher Sunday to advance to the Interhall championship.

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ND Women's Basketball

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