Boat Club still afloat

By LAUREN BECK
News Writer

They called it the ship that could never sink. And despite hitting a large iceberg last January, the Boat Club seems to be living up to that reputation judging from the throngs of students on board during recent weekends.

Though the Boat Club is afloat once again, there’s a different — that is, more legal — crowd going sailing this year.

“It’s just as loud, just as hot, just as sweaty, and just as fun, but it’s just all upperclassmen there now,” senior Amie Wersching said.

That’s understandable, considering 231 underage drinkers were cited in the Jan. 24 raid on the bar.

Boat Club owner Mike McNeff said his business declined drastically after the bust.

“Everybody thought I was closed,” he said. But as people

Saint Mary’s looks for a fight song

By MICHELLE EGGERS
News Writer

The Saint Mary’s Student Government Association will offer $250 to the College community member who composes the best lyrics for the developing school fight song.

The campaign for the song, led by Athletic Commissioner Danielle Lerner, aims to unify the Saint Mary’s community by incorporating academics, athletics and leadership into a common expression of identity.

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

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

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

The development of the song will benefit the entire community, not just athletics, Rosenbush said. Student leadership organizations often travel to conferences where other schools chant their fight song. Saint Mary’s students will now be able to answer back.

Archbishop of Chicago speaks

By MATT BRAMANTI
News Writer

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

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

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

He decried modern secularism which he said looks at God as “a competitor, trying to restrain human freedom.”

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

He praised the pope’s leadership against secularism, saying “there are many reasons to be grateful to God for John Paul II and his ministry.”

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

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Justifying my choice

I always have to defend myself when trying to justify my choice college. Well, maybe not so much the college, the name Saint Mary's speaks for itself, but rather the demographic location of my choice of college. When home in southern California, people always give me the "are-you-insane?" look when I tell them I attend school in Indiana. The constant facial expressions are accompanied with some of naive but true questions such as "Do they have grocery stores out there?" or "Have you been cow tipping yet?" Hard-core Californians are more comfortable with crossing the boarder into Mexico than venturing past, say, Arizona.

While I reside here in South Bend, the response is not much better. My freshman orientation counselor asked me point-blank exactly what I thought I was doing here. Close friends still find it hard to believe that I would leave the warm weather and I always give me the "are-you-insane?" look when I tell them I attend school in Indiana. The audience may vary, but the nature of the question often speaks for itself, but rather the location of my school, I eat more custard than was suffered from a bit of culture shock. But being a Californian in this college community has proved to be incredibly fun.

First, moving to the Midwest gave me an excuse to go shopping. With the assistance of my father's credit card and the reconstructed wage of four dollars a week, I reconceived my wardrobe from top to bottom. I finally had an excuse to purchase those adorable scarves and hats that are always in the J. Crew catalogues. I went from not having a sweater to my name, to sweating onto my flight four layers thick because my mother and I could not zip my suitcase shut. I bought my first pair of boots, and much to my friends' amusement, I wore them every day starting Oct. 1. I just in case of a sudden snowstorm.

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Students produce voter’s guide

Saint Mary’s class publishes local voting manual

By MEGAN O’NEIL
News Writer

A group of Saint Mary’s students have created “The Citizen’s Toolkit,” a voter’s manual for the upcoming local elections.

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

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

Baxter said she created the idea for the project two years ago out of necessity. New to the area, she and her husband requested a voter’s guide at the county clerk’s office, but were told that no such guide existed.

"The beauty of all this," said student Lora Wilcomb. "is that it provides classroom discussion and teachable moments which you could not invest."

Her first goal, she said, was to build an opportunity for her students to publish their work and add to their professional portfolio. The second was to provide a service to the voters of South Bend and allow them to get to know their own political candidates.

Participant Laura Coristin described herself as both excited and apprehensive when she was assigned to interview South Bend Mayor Stephen Luke for the project. She said she came away from the interview, however, impressed with the candidate’s friendliness and dedication.

"It is kind of cool to do an assignment for a class that means something," Coristin said. "Professor Baxter could have just given us another paper. And it is great to be able to go to an employer and say ‘Hey look, I have been published.’"

Most students in the class were unfamiliar with the dynamics of local politics. Their work on the voters’ guide, however, has changed that, and many said they intend to keep an eye on their assigned candidates on election day.

"I would say this project is good because it lets you get to know the politicians on a personal level," said student Laura Wilcomb.

Overall, the production of the second Citizen’s Toolkit has been smoother than the first. While not all the candidates contacted this year chose to be interviewed, those who did were very gracious, students said.

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

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

Last year, hard copies were distributed at the county clerk’s office, libraries, and Walmart. A link to online version can be found on the Women’s League of Voters and the South Bend Tribune’s Web sites.

"Professor Baxter calls the success of the project a testament to Saint Mary’s and its students, and she said she plans to continue publishing the guide annually."

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

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"The race begins at 11 a.m. Saturday, and it starts across the north side of the Library Mall. The finish line is right around there too — runners will be meeting up to head towards Touchdown Jesus." Reagan said.

"And a committee of organizers have been working to put the race together since early January after a planning meeting this summer. A large part of the organizing process, according to Reagan, was to design a new course for participants to follow.

"It's kind of a unique course," organizer Bill Reagan said. "A lot of work goes into putting the course together itself. It winds all around the university and particularly right of campus and around the two lakes."

Last year, the race boasted 3,000 participants. Reagan said he would like to see that number increase this year around three.

"I'd like to double that, but I think people are kind of watching the weather," he said. "So anything we can do to get people to sign up early at RecSports or come out that morning is really helpful.

"Reagan said organizers have tried to advertise the event through as many means possible that will attract a big number of participants. "If students are our target group to actually run in the race," he said. "We'll have six different age groups this year, and 3-mile and 3-event races. We have male and female undergraduate, grad students, and students for categories. We have a lot of great students last year and a lot of great student participation.

Sponsorship of the event by local and on-campus businesses has allowed organizers to donate all proceeds from the race to the F.A.C.O. program.

Last year, Reagan estimated about $1,000 was donated to the charity, and this year he said he hopes the race-day fee will attract new participants.

Everyone who takes part in the event will receive a T-shirt and a pasta dinner breakfast at the finish line.

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Hous e votes to restict abortion
Bill outlaws partial birth abortion, passes 281-142

Associated Press
WASHINGTON — The House voted decisively Thursday for the first ban of an abortion procedure since the Supreme Court’s Roe v. Wade ruling that women have a right to end their pregnancies. Strongly supported by President Bush, the bill could be on his desk for signature within days.

The 281-142 vote culminated an almost year-long effort by the Republican-led House to end the procedure that abortion opponents call partial birth abortion. The Senate could take up the bill as early as Friday and send it to the president.

Abortion rights groups, citing court rulings striking down similar laws, say the legislation is unconstitutional and will challenge it as soon as it becomes law.

Doctors who knowingly violate the ban would be subject to up to six years in prison. The law would not affect women having the operation.

The legislation bans a procedure, generally in the second or third trimester, in which a fetus is partially delivered before a doctor punctures the skull. The opposing sides differ on whether the bill will have far-reaching ramifications. “Abortion will stay legal,” said House Majority Leader Tom Delay, R-Texas, a strong supporter of the ban. A水分的 people have turned away from the divisive politics of abortion and embraced other divisive politics of life.”

“Don’t ever forget, this is about Roe v. Wade,” said Rep. Nita Lowey, D-N.Y., referring to the 1973 Supreme Court decision making abortion legal. “It’s about restricting access to safe medical procedures throughout a pregnancy.”

While the vote was mainly along party lines, four Republicans voted against the bill and 63 Democrats supported it.

The House has passed the bill on an almost annual basis since Republicans won control in 1995, but President Clinton twice vetoed it, saying it lacked an exception to protect the health of the mother.

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Habitat for Humanity founder to speak Sunday

By MIKE CHAMBLISS

The founder of Habitat for Humanity International will be visiting the Notre Dame campus chapter of the organization this weekend as the chapter begins construction on its tenth house in the South Bend area.

Michael Fuller, who is scheduled to speak Sunday at 1:30 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium, will talk about his own life as well as Habitat for Humanity in the South Bend area said Kevin McCormick, co-president of Habitat for Humanity's Notre Dame chapter.

"He is going to speak about the work that organizations like ours have done to eliminate substandard housing in this area, and what more work needs to be done in the future to help focus our lives on this cause," said McCormick.

Fuller, well known for his early business success and his subsequent renunciation of wealth before founding the unusually successful house-building program, since the founding of Habitat for Humanity International in 1976, Fuller has been the recipient of many accolades, including the Medal of Freedom, the Harry S. Truman Public Service Award, and the Martin Luther King Jr. Humanitarian Award. He also has many outspoken admirers of note, including former presidents Jimmy Carter and Bill Clinton.

"Millard Fuller has done as much as much to make the dream of homeownership a reality in our country and throughout the world as any living person." 

Bill Clinton
former U.S. president
Clinton has said of Fuller.

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

The club will work throughout the year at a cost of $25,000 before dedicating the house to a single mother with six children.

"This is a huge occasion of celebration for Habitat for Humanity at Notre Dame," said chapter co-president Colin Dowdell.

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Ethics education honored

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

By JOE TROMBELLO

A special section of the Sept. 17 edition of the Wall Street Journal ranked Notre Dame's MBA program among the nation's top five for producing ethical graduates.

"Today ethical values in business are fundamental," he said. "It's not an easy thing, but we have to face that."

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

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

"Today many schools are adding ethics courses, but for Notre Dame, this is nothing new," said Oliver Williams, associate professor of management.

Williams is currently serving as a visiting professor at two South African business schools in Cape Town — the University of Cape Town and Stellenbosch University — where he is helping to develop an ethics program.

"It is not enough to look at these issues (of ethics) on the personal level, as important as these are," Williams said. "We must be concerned with devising strategies which allow the world's poor to have a better life."

Enderle said that Notre Dame's emphasis on ethics could create the possibility for greater interaction and dialogue between scholars across different colleges such as Arts and Letters and Science.

"We have a unique opportunity," he said. "There are many faculty working in applied ethics. This is a huge potential and we can and should do more."

"We have a reputation of being strong in ethics," he said. "This is a recognition of what we have done but also a challenge for us that we do more in that direction."

In addition to its ethics requirement, two on-campus centers, The Institute for Business Ethics Worldwide and the Center for Ethics and Religious Values, allow Notre Dame's business students and faculty greater exposure to ethical questions through their research and conference sponsorships.

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Saint Mary's opens new high-tech center

By KELLY MEEHAN

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

The Husking Center is the new home for the Instructional Technology Center, which was previously located in the library media center. The center was made possible through a generous grant from the H u s k i n g Foundation Inc., in memory of Charles, Catherine and Francis Husking.

"The center has equipment that anyone would be envious of," said Dan Mandell, center coordinator. The center's equipment is comprised of state of the art computers specially equipped for video editing and a unique "Smart Board" which gives teachers access to a projection and touch screen. It will also be home to a digital video productions class, which has not been offered in ten years.

The center's video editing equipment is a scaled-down version of the equipment used at WNDU. It will be beneficial to those interested in instructional design, management, and video editing.

The center's adjacent computer center, Trumper, the Husking Center is not intended for students to accomplish simple tasks such as checking e-mail or typing a report.

"The center is intended for students who need digital help for projects," said Mandell. Students working on a serious video project also have the option of loaning digital cameras.

The center also has the resources to become a small broadcast studio. It houses a recording studio ideal for conducting interviews. The ITRC staff is currently looking into student interest in the creation of a Saint Mary's campus television network.

The ITRC employs a number of students to aid students and faculty with technological projects. There are currently about 10 students who can help students with the creation of websites and with Blackboard. These students are tech assistants whose computer expertise can aid people in a multitude of technological aspects.

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

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Women and Religion Luncheon features 'Womanist Theology'

By ASHLEY DYER

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

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

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

"The intersection of race, gender and class together shape African-American women's lives," Mitchem said.

"Womanist theologians focus on exorcising and dispersing these phils, in hopes that key areas of oppression will gradually fade and eventually be eliminated. Faith as well as hope, Mitchem said, was also incorporated when defining womanist theology.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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The pope's dramatic and poetic wording, the cardinal focused on John Paul II's use of light as an allegory.

"This is a metaphor for the holy spirit," he said.

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Stephanie Mitchem presenter

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Enforcement becoming more deadly
U.S. commander: 40 U.S. soldiers wounded weekly

Associated Press

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

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

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

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

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

In contrast, Iraqis have reported about 40 a week and getting killed in the 1st Armored Division who was shot while on patrol in the al-Mansour district of Baghdad; a female soldier from the 4th Infantry Division who died when a roadside bomb exploded about 380 yards from the main U.S. base in Tikrit; Saddam's hometown; and another soldier from the 4th ID, who died after a rocket-propelled grenade attack on a convoy near Samara, 60 miles northwest of the Iraqi capital.

While most wounded Americans are treated at two military hospitals in the area, those with more serious injuries are evacuated to the U.S. military hospital in Landstuhl, Germany.

Landstuhl has been receiving an average of 40 to 44 patients a day from Iraq, but only about 10 to 12 percent are classified as "battle injuries," said hospital spokeswoman Mary Shaw.

Since the start of the war, the hospital has treated 6,684 patients — 5,377 after May 1, she said.

"What we don't see a lot of, though we see some, is gun-shot wounds," Shaw said. "We see a lot of shrapnel wounds, some amputations, some burns — mostly from individual explosive devices." Sanchez blamed the increasingly sophisticated resistance on the addition of foreign fighters entering Iraq from neighboring northern Iran.

"We believe there is in fact a foreign fighter element. There is a terrorist element focused on the coalition and international community in general and the Iraqi people to try to disrupt the progress being made," Sanchez said.

Although Bush administration officials continue to say publicly that the trailers were part of a biological weapons program, David Kay, the CIA representative charged with leading the weapons search in Iraq, refused to comment.

"It's very clear there is local control and command structure, though there are some signs of regional coordination," Sanchez said.

"There were some people who really believed they were for making hydrogen for weather balloons. Almost no one was certain it was certain they were biological weapons," said one trailer hunter.

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Pakistani conducts missile test

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

The Hatf-VIII Ghaznavi reportedly has a range of 180 miles and can carry conventional and thermonuclear warheads.

It is considered a short-range missile, but could hit many important targets inside rival India.

“We have successfully test fired the Hatf-VIII,” said army spokesman Gen. Shaukat Sultan. The arm y would not say where the test was conducted.

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

India and Pakistan have frequently used missile tests as a form of diplomatic muscle-flashing.

Pakistan, however, denied the test was linked to politics.

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

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

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

Relations between the two countries have remained tense ever since, with India and Pakistan fighting two of their three wars over Kashmir.

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COLOMBIA

Priest negotiates for hostages

Associated Press
BOGOTA — A Roman Catholic priest met Thursday with Colombia’s second-largest guerrilla group and said he would negotiate for three European tourists, a German and a Spaniard, who are being held by the group.

The Rev. Dario Echeverri told The Associated Press he held several hours of talks at a high-security prison in northwest Colombia with Francisco Galan and Felippe Torres, leaders of the left-wing Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia, or ELN.

But Echeverri, who is also the secretary-general of the National Reconciliation Commission, declined to comment on the content of the discussions.

Earlier this week he accepted a formal government request to act as a mediator in the kidnappings.

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

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As a peace negotiator also discussed the fate of the hostages with Galan and Torres at the Hugu prison. Colombia is the world’s kidnapping capital, with nearly 5,000 people taken hostage each year. Three U.S. military contractors and a foreign tourist are among those being held.

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SOUTH KOREA

N. Korea has fuel for atomic bombs

Associated Press
SEOUL, South Korea — North Korea said Thursday it was using plutonium extracted from some 8,000 spent nuclear fuel rods to make atomic bombs, alarming South Korea and other Asian countries that feared the assertion would jeopardize efforts to resolve the nuclear dispute peacefully.

It was unclear whether the announcement was a sign North Korea has turned its back on the possibility of giving up its nuclear capabilities, or was an attempt to gain leverage ahead of any talks on the matter.

The North has made similar provocative statements since the nuclear crisis started a year ago, but has engaged in two rounds of talks involving U.S. officials in Beijing since then.

“The North” successfully finished the reprocessing of some 8,000 spent fuel rods,” an unidentified spokesman from the communist nation’s Foreign Ministry said in the statement carried by its official news agency, KCNA.

Later Thursday, the top U.N. envoy to the region met with a top North Korean diplomat and said North Korea is still committed to abandoning its nuclear weapons program if the United States promises not to attack.

Maurice Strong met with Vice Foreign Minister Cho Se Gon for about 30 minutes at the United Nations.

“Technically, we made it very clear that his government is committed to abandoning its nuclear weapons program, to subjecting itself to internationally accepted inspections and verification procedures, and that their primary concern is their security,” Strong said.

South Korea, however, that Cho reiterated North Korea’s stance that the United States “hostile” posture means the North will continue with its nuclear program.
That ruling was later overturned Thursday by a federal appeals court. The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that requiring federal prisoners and parolees to provide DNA samples for an FBI database was declared unconstitutional in California's recall election.

The ruling could have a sweeping impact on criminal searches. The samples "constitute suspicionless searches with the objective of furthering law enforcement purposes," Judge Stephen Reinhardt said.

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

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

Blood samples taken from federal prisoners and those on supervised release have been used to convict hundreds of people, on crimes such as murder and rape. It was too early to say whether those convictions would survive, said Monica Knox, a deputy public defender of Los Angeles. Knox also said the decision, if it survives, could nullify state laws that require the taking of blood from inmates and parolees.

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

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

Judge Reinhardt said the Pledge of Allegiance is unconstitutional and that requiring DNA samples for an FBI database was declared unconstitutional in California's recall election.

The admission came just as a recall vote was being held in California's recall election for the chance to remove Gov. Gray Davis from Tuesday's historic election. Some political analysts predicted serious harm to Schwarzenegger, whose standing among women voters was poor even before the latest furor.

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Valdosta State University. Class presidents. Service leaders. Goal-oriented, ambitious, idealistic young adults. Notre Dame attracts these students — the best and the brightest — and the campus is filled with such success stories, over-achievers and perfectionists. Because of this drive to achieve and compete, the high incidence of eating disorders at Notre Dame is not surprising. Add bulimia to the list. Anorexia. Compulsive eating. Obsessive exercisers. The campus is full of them.

The diseases are a huge problem at the University, but the nature of that problem makes it hard to accept the fact. Eating disorders are private diseases; victims suffer in silence, and most on this campus are smart enough to hide tell-tale signs of their afflictions. Many don’t want treatment, they are afraid, they are embarrassed or even proud of their abilities to exert such control. But they are suffering, and they are there, and they need help.

The University should be commended for its efforts to address the problem, but unfortunately, it is. The Health Center has hired more eating disorder specialists, speakers such as Jessica Weizer have been invited to campus and multiple support groups exist. The Health Center is buying more time. Until they are in the right direction toward the treatment of eating disordered students, but the road will be a good deal longer.

The University needs to continue with and step up its efforts. Lecturers should be invited on a more regular basis, more seminars should be held and more counselors should be hired. For a student with an eats disorder, finding the right help can be a discouraging search. Rectors and hall staffs, as well, should be regularly instructed in methods of identifying and treating eating disorders. Victims of the diseases — which are mental and emotional, as well as physical — are often in a fragile mental state, and caring for the situation or confrontation could derail all efforts to help an individual. The disorders must be approached and handled with care, and a sense of absolute necessity for those who attempt to do so.

Also, on a campus so heavily concerned with exercise and athletics, more attention should be focused on informing students about the difference between healthy living and obsession. There is often a fine line between health consciousness and eating disorders, and lectures and seminars should address this issue. Normal eating and exercise patterns should be clearly explained and encouraged.

University attempts to address the problem so far have been admirable, but it must continue to be vigilantly supported and encouraged. A large number of students battle mental, physical, and emotional wars every day when faced with an activity as normal as eating, and the University must fight to help them win.

California needs a Republican

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A Voice of Reason

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Rethinking eating stereotypes

When I was 12 years old, my Grandma felt it necessary to point out to me innocently what the term "eating disorder" means. She told me that I had "eating issues." Now, I can tell you that my own personal eating issues are a product of being a small child, being raised by loving parents, and not considering myself thin enough. But my grandma might have said the same thing and you don’t even remember.

"An eating disorder is just a symptom of a bigger, deeper problem." I was quoted in yesterday’s Observer. However, after struggling for eight years with anorexia and bulimia, I can’t say I was eating disorder because it serves a purpose. It outwardly appears that purpose is to lose weight. In reality, it provides an escape mechanism for coping with feelings. The desire to "perfect" one’s physique, the careful monitoring of food intake, the purging behavior or exercise are methods for the sufferer to exert control in her or his life when all else seems out of immediate control. For some, eating is a way of self-medicating or self-nurturing. In our fast-paced, work-driven society, these behaviors can even be the only way one can slow down to "take care" of oneself, as twisted as it may sound. There is a reason not all eating disorders are people ordered to "fix" their problem; it somehow makes them work and for them.

If we are really going to tackle this immense problem on campuses, it is imperative we break down the stereotypes that my quotes may have seemed to perpetuate. If we are really going to help our girls and boys, we need to get to know what we’re missing and let them know how to get help for these problems. I spent last year in Innsbruck, Austria. I’ll admit that I didn’t know what to expect when I got there. I spent four months living and studying in Europe. If I believed traveling is unfulfilling, he has that understanding of living abroad on his own, not just in a classroom setting. Being on campus was for me, as a freshman, my world, second home and unfortunately my "bubble." How could I leave a place this great? But after the year I could, I can tell you that leaving the comfort of this "bubble" was a fulfilling, life-changing experience.

Ralph Waldo Emerson in his letter and that he thinks traveling to gain experiences is unfulfilling and hollow, I don’t know if most people know this. I didn’t until I looked it up, but Emerson, in his own life, traveled extensively and spent much of his time meeting new people in Europe. If he believed traveling is unfulfilling, he has that right too, since he spent much of his life in transit. I don’t know if you have ever been abroad, but if you have not, I feel that you do not have the right to pass judgment on those of us who have been abroad or on the programs themselves.

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October 2

Studying abroad expands horizons

In responding to Will McDonald’s Oct. 2 letter, I do not feel the need to state the great benefits of studying abroad. We, who have experienced them, those who went to college and are those who have not. We have had the opportunity to travel and meet new people. This is one of the main reasons why I believe that traveling is fulfilling, and that it is important that everyone does it.

In the October issue, I wrote about my experience traveling to Europe. I had the opportunity to meet new people and learn about different cultures. I also had the chance to see the world from a different perspective. This is something that I believe is important for everyone.

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Ordinary Peoples, a hip-hop group from Ohio, plays at Legends tonight

By SARAH VARULAS  
Scene Editor

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

Scraps and Garrelts met in 1998 during their sophomore year at Ohio State University, coining the name Ordinary Peoples. In 2001, Scraps graduated with a degree in electrical engineering. The group needed a keyboard player for some shows after establishing themselves. Ben Levels was the resolution to this predicament. He joined the band prior to a large run of shows through Ohio and made his place with Ordinary Peoples.

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

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

The trio has been hoping to play Notre Dame for a while. "Notre Dame always seemed like a great place to perform. It's a great thing to have the opportunity to do play there," Levels, who handles mostly the digital side, said.

Levels has also contacted WVFI, the student-run Notre Dame radio station to see if they would play any Ordinary Peoples music.

Ordinary Peoples, which generates a reggae, hip-hop mix of sounds.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The new thing is this emo hip-hop music.

"The name of the band. Ordinary Peoples, explains the band's view on music. "We're trying to keep our music close to the masses," Garrelts said. "Something they can latch onto. Ordinary Peoples means just for the people."

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Photo courtesy of Ordinary Peoples
By JONATHAN RETARTRA
Assistant Sports Editor

After a seemingly endless September filled with harder classes, later hours and shorter weekends than last year, the month of October has rolled in with several surprises. Who would have thought that the winter gear would have been dragged out so early, or that we would still be watching Gusb baseball at this point? It is in uncertain times such as these that campus traditions take on a whole new meaning around campus, and this weekend’s Keough Chariot Race promises to live up to expectations.

The men of Keough Hall have been working since the beginning of the school year to prepare for their signature event. Keough’s two hall co-presidents, Chris Dove and Joe Sweigart, spearheaded the preparations for the 6th annual Chariot Race. As leaders in the dorm, both recognize the importance of the event in establishing a close-knit community in the dorm, and building a solid reputation for the dorm.

“It’s the first big event of the year,” Sweigart said. “We feel it sets the tone for our whole year.”

The planning phase is a daunting process. “We have had numerous meetings with a planning committee and co-social event commissioner,” explained co-treasurer Jimmy Flaherty. The social committee is in charge of all the daytime events, which include the chariot races from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., food and drinks from Sunday and Papa John’s, and a performance from the Notre Dame Pom Squad at 12:30 in the Oak Room. The Keough dorms also host a popular mud-wrestling event. The Dance committee is in charge of organizing the Keough hall dance at the Oak Room Saturday evening. “We have stared the season of jousting tournaments, and the ever-popular mud-wrestling event. The dance committee is in charge of organizing the Keough hall dance at the Oak Room Saturday evening,” Sweigart proudly notes that, “planning has been going really well.” The hall officers are also quick to recognize the contributions of the freshmen in organizing this year’s event.

“Surprisingly, we’ve been very lucky,” Flaherty said. The freshmen have received praise for taking on some major booking and planning responsibilities, as well as offering a great deal of help in preparing Keough’s chariots.

Sweigart attributed the success to the character of Keough’s men. “Our guys get together, we put together a great event,” he said.

Arguably the most popular event of the day other than the races is the mud-wrestling. In explaining the popularity of the event and why people should attend, Flaherty was quick to note the key draw of “girls rolling around in the mud.” One of the only events of its kind, the mud-wrestling offers both men and women a chance to prove their mettle against their dorm mates. Flaherty goes on to explain the event as “pretty much all out, uncontrolled mayhem.”

Promotion and media attention have been huge for this weekend’s festivities. This year, Sweigart notes, “publicity is huge.” ESPN has approached Keough showing interest in filming the event. The event will be featured in the Sports Illustrated On Campus issue for this weekend.

It is no surprise that the event falls on a non-football weekend for the Irish. The Keough men plan to capitalize on the lack of activities this weekend, and hope to draw at least a thousand people this weekend. Sweigart also adds that the event has gained such popularity in just six years because if offers the stu-dent a chance to share the kind of unity experienced throughout the football week-end on a weekend when it would probably be better to do something of anything. “People want something to do,” Sweigart said.

He acknowledges that the event would be nothing without the great support by the dorms. Twenty-six dorms have regis-tered chariots for the tournament. In addition to the other dorms, each of Keough’s seven sections will compete. While the forecast on Saturday only calls for a small chance of scattered showers in the early cold snap inflicting Michiana serves to offer more of a con-cern to the planning committees. “There will be fewer people in togs,” Sweigart said, who recognizes that the cold may deter people from attending.

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Keough Hall co-president Joe Sweigart, chairperson for this year’s Chariot Race, assists in measuring the lumber fashioned to be a chariot in Saturday’s race.

A group of Keough men pause to think about the design for what they hope will become a winning chariot in Saturday’s race.

The Wild Women from Walsh Hall join other dorms as they race to the finish line in last year’s women’s heat of the Keough Chariot Race.

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**Major League Baseball**

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**Athletics**

5, Red Sox 1

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

While his Oakland teammates worked late for a 12-inning victory in the division series opener, Zito was wide awake. He turned the radio on and off, in his earbuds — having to stay occupied until the Athletics were finished.

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

The teams took the field for being practice style more than 10 hours after Eric Chavez scored the winning run in Game 1 on Ramon Hernandez’s daring bases-loaded bunt.

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

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

“Everybody was here early, even though it was a really tough night,” said Hernandez, who had an RBI single.
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Miami survices big scare to beat W. Virginia

Associated Press

MIAMI — Miami freshman Jon Peattie was singing along with the music playing in the Rentschler Field press box Thursday, trying to stay calm. He had to wait through three timeouts called by West Virginia as he set up again and again and again for the game-winning field goal.

Peattie then calmly kicked a 38-yard field goal. It was the second time Peattie had to wait through three timeouts as the second-ranked Hurricanes staved off an upset with a 22-20 victory over West Virginia on Thursday night.

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

Peattie finished with a school-record five field goals, his biggest coming after Miami drove 66 yards with two minutes remaining. Peattie’s other field goals were 22, 32, 43 and 30 yards.

Then came the fourth-down completion to Kellen Winslow to keep the drive alive. On fourth-and-13 from the Miami 25, Berlin hit Winslow over the middle. The tight end made a leaping catch for an 18-yard gain.

Berlin finished 37-of-54 for 352 yards with a touchdown and two interceptions. Winslow caught 10 passes for 104 yards.

"Winslow’s probably the best in the country," West Virginia coach Rich Rodriguez said. "He made a great play and made it happen. That’s why he’s going to be playing on Sundays.

After Winslow’s catch, Berlin completed three straight passes to move the Hurricanes into field goal range. Then a pass interference call against West Virginia’s Brian King turned Peattie’s final field goal into a chip shot.

West Virginia spent all three of its timeouts trying to rattle the Longhorns it was a statement win for a team that was poised to pull off the biggest upset in a season of upsets when Quincy Wilson ran around and over Miami’s defense for a 33-yard touchdown with two minutes remaining.

Wilson took a screen pass from Marshall on third-and-13, juked a tackle and then bowled over and jumped over safety Brandon Meriweather at the 10 and scored to give the Mountaineers a 20-19 lead.

It was the first third-down conversion of the game for West Virginia. Wilson finished with 142 total yards. 99 rushing and 43 receiving. His last reception dampened a strong defensive performance for Miami.

"We played bad, but we won," said Eric Winston, Miami offensive tackle.

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

Two great efforts out of them," offensive tackle Orlando Pace said. "It’s bare­ly. Our team’s been in this position, so it can run the table and win the conference. The loser gets pigeon-feathered goal posts.

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Bryant accuser will not be forced to testify

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**Eye on Irish Opponents**

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Actions at Washington State (4-1) vs. Florida State (2-2)

Associated Press

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

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

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

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

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**NBA**

**In Brief**

Rose investigation to be publicized

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

John Dowd, the lawyer who headed the probe that led to Rose's lifetime ban from baseball, has donated boxes of materials on Rose to the Hall of Fame in Cooperstown, N.Y.

"It is some neat stuff," Jim Gates, library director of the Hall of Fame, said Thursday.

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

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

**Around the Dial**

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Dillon seeking revenge versus rival Alumni

By RACHEL SCHIROS, BOB GRIFFIN and STEVE COYER
Sports Writers

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

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

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

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

Regardless of the record, each team brings to the field, both are dedicatedly preparing and eager for the challenge of meeting their "favorite" rivals on the turf. "Alumni is our biggest rival in the league (and) we are looking for revenge," Arseniadis said.

The greatest strengths of the Alumni team right now are its defense and a solid group of experienced upperclassmen. We have seven seniors who are our real captains and leaders... A large group of (us) has been playing together for four years," Alumni captain Larry Rooney said. Leading the team are seniors Chris Cotttingham, Alex Roohouse, Tom Kerestes, TJ Strachota, Corey Harkins, John Strachota, and Rick Hasty. The team looks to Ben Butwin and Kevin McCarthy to lead their attack.

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McCarthy to lead their attack and to Robert McBride, Danielle Eck and John Kelly as the backbone of the defense. The Big Red also credits its veteran leadership as an important asset.

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

"We have great skill players and our line has more depth than last year's team," Arseniadis said. But we still need to work on our defense," said captain John Enterline.

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

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

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

Both teams are eager to further the success they have had this year, and eliminate the mistakes that they have suffered. With solid play from both sides, this Sunday afternoon matchup could be especially exciting.

Stanford vs. Morrissey
Morrissey and Stanford square off this Sunday in a critical game with playoff implications for both teams. The Manorites look to continue their success this season after coming off a huge 9-0 victory over Alumni. The win last week put them at 2-0 on the season and has given the team a big confidence boost. The Griffins have struggled in their first two games, but their 0-2 record doesn't show the fact that both games were decided by a margin of less than two touchdowns.

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

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

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

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

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

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Ducks looking to get back to winning ways

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

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

"That's just very uncharacteristic," Meyer said. "Oregon has been to the Rose Bowl. They're a fast, talented team. I'd say they have a Top 10-talented team."

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Boilermakers hoping to run against Illini

Associated Press

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — In Joe Tiller's offense, Purdue usually gains first, runs second.

Tiller may change tactics Saturday.

He has spent the past month hoping No. 22 Purdue could get its run game going. If the Boilermakers do, it could be a really good team. Tiller said. "I think they're going to be a really good team. I think they just had a little bit of bad luck last week."

"I'm a big believer in just shutting your mouth and playing football," Meyer said.

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

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Defending champion Siegfried determined

Siegfried is hoping to get back to the top this season. (TAP/ANDREW KIRKSEY)

Siegfried determined to bounce back

By KATHERINE GALES

Siegfried coach John Torgenson is hoping to get his team back on the top this season. (TAP/ANDREW KIRKSEY)

Torgenson said, "The guys are working hard and we..." (TAP/ANDREW KIRKSEY)

"We have to pull out a win," said Tarnowski. "This game is of great importance to us." (TAP/ANDREW KIRKSEY)

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Frogs’ receivers blow up in fourth Badin win

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Bullfrog receivers Liz Shappell and Erin Diminick each caught touchdowns and Laura Huarte picked off a pair of second-half passes as Badin (4-1) converted on each of its first two drives to shutout McGlinn (3-2) 13-0 and take over sole possession of second place.

"Coming out early and scoring is always one of our big attack plans," Diminick said. "It really changes the momentum if you can score and then stop the other team."

After shutting down the Shamrocks on a quick three-and-out to start the game, the Bullfrogs took over at the McGlinn 30-yard line and went to work.

Converting a fourth-and-5 on a quarterback keeper, Badin set up a first-and-goal at the 11. Following a pair of incomplete passes and a 12-yard reverse by Meagan Charlebois, the Bullfrogs once again faced fourth down. However, for the second time in as many attempts, Badin converted with quarterback Erin Zachry rolled right and found Shappell in the end zone for what would be the winning score.

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

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

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

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

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

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

On the ensuing Howard possession, the Lion defense intercepted a pass from Ducks quarterback Sheena Ketchum and returned it to the Howard 12-yard line. Trevino and the offense wasted no time cashing in the turnover, scoring on three plays with a 2-yard pass from Roxie Trevino to Jenii Delaney. Following the successful conversion, Lyons took a 13-0 lead into halftime.

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

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

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

Lewis 18, Pasquerilla East 0
No. 1 playoff seed Lewis shut down and shut out the Pasquerilla East Pyros as it continued its march to the Stadium last night on the west Bleih field.

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

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SMC Cross Country

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The Saint Mary’s cross country team has wounds to heal. The Belles, however, also have a race to run.

Before the team gets a much-needed break leading up to the MIAA Championships Nov. 1, it must run two important races. The first of the two races will happen this Saturday at the Sean Earl Lakefront Invitational at Loyola Chicago. And the team needs its top runners even more urgently than they’re battling injuries. Freshmen Sara Otto and Katie White have been two of Saint Mary’s best runners this season. But each is nursing injuries, with Otto hobbling on a bad toe and White fighting Achilles tendon problems in her feet.

Both freshmen will run Saturday, which possibly could endanger the team’s season if they’re not at their best. In addition to senior Jackie Baustes, Otto and White have finished in the top three in all of their races thus far. A loss of either runner would have a devastating impact on the team.

Last season, the Belles also faced a similar season. Both freshm en will run this weekend and two sixth-place finishes. Each varsity race count to the team’s final score. In contrast to having just three runners place relatively high in its previous races, Saint Mary’s saw junior Elizabeth Connors join the three usual leaders at 52nd place in the invitational.

The Invitational is one of two races that will take place before the MIAA Championships. The Belles also have the Eagles Invitational at Benedictine University on Oct. 10.

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

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

Irish goalie Chris Sawyer made two saves.

Pittsburgh solos from them at Alumni Field in 1996. The Clark said. “Pittsburgh will be a different game altogether. We meet them in a 3-0 victory at Alumni Field. The Panthers have won the last two meetings, 3-2 and 1-0, respectively.

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

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The Irish have been impressive through 10 games this season. They have scored 40 goals thus far, and have only allowed 12 goals in the process. "West Virginia is very good and very athletic,” said Irish coach Randy Waldrum. “They’re close to matching us athletically, and like Stanford they are very organized and very difficult to break down defensively.

Villanova, while not as highly regarded nationally as West Virginia, is also a very solid team. “Villanova is very blue collar and hardworking,” said Waldrum. “They don’t really have any stars, but they’re all solid. They beat us at their place last year and have a quality program.”

Heading into the conference season, the Irish appear to have the scheduling advantage by playing their toughest opponents at Alumni Field.

Either way, the winner of this weekend’s contest will have a huge advantage in the conference standings.

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

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

— The Irish are undefeated after three years old.

— Irish goalkeeper Erika Bohn is 18-1-1 in her last twenty games.

— Senior Amanda Guertin’s goal against Indiana State moved her into the top ten in Irish history in career goals (43).

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to be led by junior Lauren King, sophomore Molly Huddle, senior Megan Johnson, and freshman Amy Cohlester, who will all be running their first races of the season. Senior Katie Wales, sophomore Jean Marinangeli, sophomore Elizabeth Webster and junior Kerry Meagher, who took first place at the National Catholic two weeks ago, will also be among the varsity Irish runners.

The Irish men, who were third last season at the Notre Dame Invitational, will be led by sophomore Tim Moore, senior Todd Mobley and freshman Kurt Benninger, who will all be participating in their first competition of the fall. Sophomore Caleb van Orti and junior Sean O’Donnell, who were second and third, respectively, at the National Catholic, will likely play major roles for the Irish.

Both Irish squads are fresh off a win at the National Catholic Invitational, but today’s competition will be a much more significant test for the Irish as both teams embark upon their mission to win the Big East Championships and to finish near the top at the National Championship meet.

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Battle of the unbeaten as BP faces Cavanaugh

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Cavanaugh and Breen-Phillips will face off Sunday afternoon in a matchup between two teams with spotless records. The Babes are 3-0-1 and coming off a 13-0 win over Welsh Tuesday night. The Chaos is 4-0 and defeated Farley 12-0 in their last game.

KelelA Bergen said, "I don't know if this is the team's chances going into this game. We are on a strong offensive team, but I like our chances if we play well." Cavanaugh sophomore midfielder Kerri Bergen is game and long passes. We are as confident as can be expected going up against a team like Cavanaugh," said Maureen Spring. Schmidt will lead the offense. "This is a big game for us." Cavanaugh and did not do anything different than usual.

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Belles lose match, but gain some confidence

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

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

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

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

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

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

Outside hitter Kristen Playko led the team with 12 kills, a relatively low stat which was almost certainly affected by a stellar Bethel defense.

Bethel wasn't the only team who could play defensively, though.

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

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

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

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

"I'm glad we had this match tonight because it really raised our level of play, which we'll need on Saturday."
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LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You can make money if you invest in bonds, stocks, or property. Job prospects look favorable if you want to make professional moves.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): New romantic encounters will develop through travel or friends. You may experience difficulties with older family members if they decide that they don't like the choices you're making.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You may have problems with co-workers or your boss. Try to complete your work without getting involved in the personnel problems that are going on around you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Spend more time with friends. You should be choosing to help others whom you care about.

PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 20): Travel and adventure will lead you into romantic entanglements. You will attract members of the opposite sex readily. You can find fabulous boys if you entertain them around the clock.

Birthday Baby: You're a real go-getter, always into something and definitely not easy to keep up with. You're involved in everything. Your interests will be vast, and you need to prove yourself useful.

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MEN'S SOCCER

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

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

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

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The results of the game, however, is not Clark's first concern. "We never talk winning or losing," he said. "We talk about how we play. Obviously it's a disappointment because we did enough but didn't finish the game. But sometimes you play into the net for a 1-0 lead at the 73:40 mark. Riley is now just one assist away from tying for second on the all-time assist leaders list for Notre Dame."

Later in the half, Syracuse forward Jeff Evans was dragged down in the box. The Orangemen tied the contest at 1-1 on Ilias Calaitzidis' penalty shot. The 20 minutes of overtime saw three shots from each squad and relatively even play.

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