**Trustees to meet, consider Hallahan’s report**

**BOT convenes for fall meeting**

By SHEILA FLYNN

The University’s Board of Trustees will convene one more time today, tomorrow and Saturday for its triannual meeting to discuss and vote on policy issues within the University.

The agenda for the closed meetings has not been publicized, but tradition and statements made by University officials have highlighted various issues that will doubtlessly be discussed.

Earlier in the year, Father David Tyson, provincial superior of the Indiana Province of the Congregation of Holy Cross, said the Board will most likely hear a report addressing the appointment of a new executive vice president. Father Timothy Scully submitted his resignation from the second-highest administrative post to the Board last May.

“The Chair of the Board created an Ad Hoc Committee on Organization that is preparing a report for the full Board on structural issues in the University administration,” Tyson said in a September e-mail interview. “It is my understanding that the position of executive vice president will be included in the report.”

It is unclear, however, whether a new vice president will be named within the see BOARD/page 4

**Hallahan to address Board today**

By MEGHANNE DOWNES

Student body president Pat Hallahan will address the Board of Trustees today where he plans to discuss expanding the role of the Campus Life Council to improve communication between students and the administration and faculty to more efficiently influence University policy.

The report, “A New Attitude: Student Government and the Campus Life Council,” suggests CLC’s composition be changed to include the following members: student body president, class council president, chal congrulation Council president, Club Coordination Council president, Hall President Council president, Judicial Council president, Student Union Board manager, Student Union treasurer, four faculty members from the Faculty Senate, four rectors, vice president for Business Operations and associate provost.

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**John Paul II celebrates 25 years of papacy**

By MIKE CHAMBLISS

Today marks the 25th anniversary of Pope John Paul II’s tenure as the Bishop of Rome.

Born Karol Wojtyla, John Paul II is the Church’s first Polish pope and the first non-Italian pope since 1523. As the most traveled pontiff in history, he has helped redefine the world’s attention on the papacy as the center of Church leadership, while addressing moral and social issues across the globe.

In his book Lives of the Popes, Notre Dame theology professor Father Richard McLennan ranks John Paul II as the twelfth most historically important pope. Combining a liberal approach to social justice with a conservative fidelity to Catholic orthodoxy, John Paul II has significantly influenced the global community as well as the direction of the post-Vatican II Church.

In the spirit of the second Vatican Council, John Paul II has concerned himself with the most pressing issues of the contemporary world. He has spoken out against such international issues as the nuclear arms race, capital punishment, consumerism, injustice.

Pope John Paul II celebrates Mass in Saint Peter’s Basilica in Rome in this photo. This year marks the Pope’s 25th in office.

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**McCourt to deliver lecture**

By CLAIRE HEININGER

Frank McCourt, winner of the Pulitzer Prize for his poignant autobiography “Angela’s Ashes,” will discuss his life experiences and share his literary expertise tonight when he delivers the 20th annual Red Smith Lecture in Journalism at Notre Dame.

The lecture, entitled “From Copbook to Computer: What You Write on and How You Do It,” will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library’s Cary Auditorium, said Robert Schmuhl, director of the Notre Dame John W. Galiano Program in Journalism, Ethics, and Democracy and professor of American Studies.

“Since a number of years, Frank McCourt has been known as a tremendous stylist, and the Red Smith Lecture series has always emphasized good writing,” Schmuhl said. “Much of his career has been devoted to teaching good writing, and recently he has been practicing many of these arts himself.”

Such arts came to life in McCourt’s critically acclaimed and popularly received memoirs, which include “Angela’s Ashes,” a narrative of his Depression-era Irish immigrant background, and “Til,” which chronicles his return to America at age of 19.

“Angela’s Ashes” achieved New York Times hardcover best-seller status and held the distinction for 117 weeks after its publication in January 1997. It quickly earned

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**Freshman honored for community service**

By KELLY MEEHAN

Saint Mary’s freshman Chrisi Egan knew an injustice when she saw one.

While still a high school student, Egan said that she noticed the difference between female sports and male sports in her home state of Kentucky, where she played softball. To combat the gender gap she and her teammates witnessed, Egan decided to take matters in her own hands. Her actions led to a court decision that would ultimately affect the equity of high school sports throughout the state.

In recognition of her efforts, Egan was one of 10 students to be awarded the Yoshiyama Award for Exemplary Service to Community. She was officially presented with a plaque commemorating the event at the National Press Club in Washington, D.C. on May 23.

Egan and the other nine honorees, who were chosen from among 500 national nominees, were additionally awarded $5,000 for their community awareness efforts.

“A Title IX activist in Washington board of Egan’s efforts and nominated her,” Egan said.

It was the details of discrimination that tipped Egan off that something was amiss in Kentucky high school sports.

“The girls would have to drive across the county to their games and practice fields, whereas the boys’ fields were on campus,” said Egan.

Male high school teams were allowed to play without time limits, Egan said, while the female teams were restricted by an 80-minute on their games. Female coaches in Kentucky were paid less than their male counterparts, as well.

Egan and her softball teammates approached the principal of their high school and superintendent, Judicial Council president, Student Union Board manager, Student Union treasurer, four faculty members from the Faculty Senate, four rectors, vice president for Student Affairs, vice president for Business Operations and associate provost.

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**INSIDE COLUMN**

**Say cheese: grilled cheese**

We all go to the dining hall multiple times a day, and for the most part, we all leave with a generally full feeling in our stomachs. I live in O’Neill, so every point of reference toward food and whatnot is related to the South Dining Hall. If you go to North, you might as well just skip the rest of this article and get to the obvious highlight of The Observer — the “In Brief” section. But there are those days when you enter the dining hall, and it is the particular rotation for that day or it is breakfast-for-dinner day (seriously, if you feel like eating breakfast, wake up earlier), nothing looks good. Well, I have the perfect solution for that — grilled cheese sandwiches.

Quite possibly, the most underrated food in dining hall history, the grilled cheese is often overlooked as people pass right from their chicken parmesan to their grilled cheese, is often overlooked as the reliability of the grilled cheese is related to the parts of heavily buttered bread and the versatility of the grilled cheese. Besides its obvious dipping qualities, the grilled cheese does great with any soup, no matter what the flavor.

It may not make "Queer Eye for the Straight Guy" list as top etiquette, but nothing beats dipping a grilled cheese in a warm tomato soup on a blustery South bend winter day. Besides its obvious dipping qualities, the versatility of the grilled cheese does not stop there. You can put anything between those two pieces of heavily buttered bread and it will taste delicious, including hamburgers, chicken tenders and/or hot dogs. It is not uncommon to see someone at our table having a grilled cheese dog for dinner. It’s like a hot dog on steroids — big, greasy steroids.

So as you are sitting here reading this eating your hummus, do your self a favor and go back in and find a lost piece of your childhood. Grab a grilled cheese, just like your mom made you — if she used a paint roller.

**QUESTION OF THE DAY:** WHERE ARE YOU GOING FOR FALL BREAK THIS YEAR?

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**“I’m going to go to the In ‘n Out Burger, have some beers, a few laughs, and my troubles are over.”**

**“I got a pretty nice little break planned: going to Home Depot, maybe Bed, Bath and Beyond. I don’t know if I’ll have enough time.”**

**“Travel through Europe with Gypsies.”**

**“The great state of Nebraska.”**

**“THE state of Ohio.”**

Students spend their Wednesday evening on the first floor of the Hesburgh Library, in an area commonly known as “The Fishbowl,” as they prepare for midterms in the week leading up to fall break.

**OFFBEAT**

**Balkans fight over Mother Teresa**

SKOPJE, Macedonia — Just about everyone in this city accepts that Mother Teresa was a good person. That’s about all they agree on.

As the late nun and Nobel Peace Prize laureate heads toward sainthood, a distinctive Balkan quarrel has broken out over bragging rights in her ancestry. The world knows her as Albanian. Or should that be Macedonian? Or Greek? And what about Kosovo?

Mother Teresa’s message of borderless Christian love has run up against the historic fractures that led to six months of fighting in this Balkan country between Orthodox Serbs and Macedonian troops in 2001. The same forces are now squaring off for an inscription to be placed on her statue.

**Twemics new target of toy market**

NEW YORK — Girls like eight-year-old Kelcie Temple are a challenge for the toy industry.

Unlike boys in the 8-to-12 age group, who seem easy to please with video games and action toys, Kelcie and her peers are in a fussy, in-between stage. Kelcie, for example, likes to collect stuffed animals, but she also enjoys more grown-up activities like shopping at Claire’s Stores, creating picture frames for her room and listening to tunes by pop star singers Christina Aguilera and Britney Spears.

“I don’t like action figure toys and babyish dolls,” said Kelcie, who lives in Pembroke Pines, Fla.

This holiday season, toy makers and retailers are making a big effort to capture the hearts of girls like Kelcie, known in the industry as “twems.”

Information compiled from the Associated Press.

**IN BRIEF**

Sculptor Chakaia Booker will present a lecture at the Snite Museum of Art’s Annenberg Auditorium tonight at 7:30 p.m.

The Evening of Prayer from Around the World series will present a celebration of Hindu prayer tonight; from 7 to 7:45 p.m. in room 330 of the Coleman-Morse Center.

Irish author and Pulitzer Prize winner Frank McCourt will give a lecture today at 7:30 p.m. in the Carey Auditorium of the Hesburgh Library. The event, which is free to the public, is the 20th installment of the annual Red Smith Lectures.

The Chicago Shakespeare Theater on Tour will present their rendition of William Shakespeare’s Romeo and Juliet tonight at 8 p.m. in Washington Hall. Tickets are $15 for students and $25 for faculty and staff.

The Class of 2006 will sponsor a late-night grill on the Fieldhouse Mall tonight from 9 to 10 p.m. The event is free and open to all students.

Iron Sharps Iron will present a concert entitled “For the Love” tonight in the LaFurtune ballroom from 10 p.m. to midnight.

The marching band drumline will perform a midnight drummer circle in front of the Dome Friday at midnight.

To submit information to be included in this section of The Observer, e-mail detailed information about an event to observer@nd.edu.

**CORRECTIONS**

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Senators passed a resolution forming the Council of Representatives from the Executive Cabinet at the Student Senate meeting on Wednesday. The resolution, similar to the one that failed to pass at the Senate meeting on Sunday, calls for four Senators to sit on the council and, along with the Student Body Vice President, to be given voting membership. Also, the resolution transfers the power to amend the Student Union Constitution to this new body.

The resolution, which needed a two-thirds majority to pass, was approved by a vote of 18 to 1, with 3 abstentions.

Cavanaugh senator Jordan Bongiovanni presented the resolution at Wednesday’s meeting, but she said after the meeting that it "came out of Senate as a whole from discussions at the two previous Senate meetings and Monday’s Executive Cabinet meeting."

Bongiovanni told Senators during the meeting that the resolution was changed from the original to reflect their concerns. "We took out things that Senators didn’t feel comfortable with, and added some things to make the resolution better," she said.

Among the changes was the removal of the amendment stating that the power to approve the budget would be given to the Executive Cabinet. Also, the resolution explicitly forms the Council of Representatives, something that the first resolution did not do.

Bongiovanni said that this formal creation of the body came from the "changes of composition and purpose of the Executive Cabinet," including the new members and powers. Furthermore, the resolution now mandates that the Council of Representatives must present all Constitutional changes to the Senate prior to final approval by the Student Body President. The purpose of this requirement, according to Bongiovanni, is to have a formal requirement of communication between the Council of Representatives and the Senate.

During the meeting, Keough senator Chuck Anthony called for another amendment to the resolution requiring the Senate to periodically review the Council of Representatives’ powers and giving Senators the authority to revoke any power of the Council of Representatives by a three-fourths majority.

Anthony said that the need for this amendment came from a need for a check on the [Council of Representatives]," even though, he continued, "it’s not something we would need to use often, but only if [the council abused their powers]."

However, Senators failed to pass this amendment by a vote of 11 to 10.

Senators passed the resolution with the required two-thirds majority vote, and Bongiovanni said that this was a step towards greater efficiency within student government.

"We want to show that we’re consolidating ourselves ... We’re trying to mirror the Campus Life Council by forming an inclusive body," she said.

Work on the Council of Representatives will start as soon as possible, said Student body vice president Jeremy Lao. "Once we get back from fall break ... the Senate will elect members for the Council, and we’ll get started with any more constitutional planning. The first meeting [of the Council of Representatives] could be the Monday we get back from fall break, but it will probably be the week after that," Lao said.

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tendent of their school district with their concerns about the institutionalized gender dispari ties they had to endure.
Neither the principal nor the superintendent wished to be concerned with the situation. Egan said, so her family and those others took their case to court.
The case was settled with a consent agreement that would change things in Kentucky forever. As a result of Egan's efforts, the time limit on women's games was lifted and a sports complex was built for her school. Her determination also resulted in changes to Title VI and Title IX, equalizing pay for equal work among coaches.
Because of her convictions, Egan said, she often faced harassment from students and coaches.
"Male athletes would say things to me at lunch, and male teachers would be coaches who would make comments to me in class," Egan said.
Despite winning the award this year, Egan said that she plans on continuing to give back to the community.
"I'd love to continue volunteering in the future," Egan said. "Everyone needs to help out everyone else."
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use to the poor and destruction of the environment.
Many consider John Paul II's steadfast support of the Polish Solidarity movement as having a significant role in the Soviet Union's collapse.
While progressive in his pursuit of social justice, John Paul II has sought to limit the implementation of liberal theology and doctrine within the Church. He has attempted to move away from conciliarism toward more centralized authority in the Vatican.
Throughout his pontificate, he has been strong in his opposition of women in the priesthood and relatively harsh in his reproof of non-traditional theological interpretations.
Father Richard Warner, director of Campus Ministry at Notre Dame, characterizes John Paul II as a remarkable man for a variety of reasons.
"He's been a man whose success as a pope for so many years is as much due to his intelligence as to his prayerful spirit. He is a strong advocate of doctrinal adherence, while at the same time a strong advocate of humanism and for supporting the young people who love him," said Warner.
Some of John Paul II's most noteworthy successes, he said, include his 1979 trip to Poland, his 1980 visit to the United States, his 1995, his speeches to the Cuban people, and the 2000 visit to the Vatican by the Pope himself.
"The last 11 years of John Paul II's office have been marked by his deteriorating health. Although weakened, the Pope has visited the United States as recently as 1999. But months, concerns have been mounting about the Pope's physical frailty and inability to complete speeches, but Vatican officials insist that the 83-year-old pontiff is able to continue his work and shows no signs of resigning.
Wednesday, the Pope kicked off the 25th anniversary cele
Staten Island ferry crash kills 10

New York City faces worst mass-transit accident in decades as ferry slams pier

Associated Press

NEW YORK — A Staten Island ferry carrying about 750 passengers crashed into a pier as it was docking Wednesday, killing at least 10 people, tearing off victims' limbs and sending rescue workers leaping into the water, officials said. At least 34 people were injured.

The 314-foot ferry, carrying about 1,500 passengers, plowed into the enormous wooden pilings on the Staten Island end of its run from Manhattan, reducing the front of the mighty boat to a mass of shattered planks, broken glass and twisted steel.

The crash happened on a windswept afternoon, with gusts over 40 mph and the water in New York Harbor very choppy.

"Everyone just jumped for their lives," rider Bob McNamara said.

The ship's captain fled and was tracked down by police at his Staten Island home, he said, his face crumpling by police source, speaking on condition of anonymity. The ferry's crew will be interviewed and tested for drugs and alcohol. Mayor Michael Bloomberg said.

At least 10 people were killed and 24 injured, the police said. Mayor Michael Bloomberg said, making it New York's worst mass-transit accident in at least a generation. Some bodies were actually counted twice, leading to an initial report by city officials that 14 people were dead.

Firefighters picked their way through the debris aboard the ship, the Andrew J. Barberi, looking for victims, and Coast Guard divers searched the water. At least one body was recovered from the water.

The cause of the crash was not immediately known, although Bloomberg suggested the heavy wind as a possibility. The National Transportation Safety Board convened an accident investigation team, which will look at the weather, among other possible factors. "The ferry was coming too fast," said witness William Gonzalez, who lives in a nearby apartment complex. "They had no control to stop the boat."

Commuters were trapped in piles of debris aboard the 22-year-old ferry, and victims screamed and dove for cover as metal crashed into wood just before the start of the evening rush hour, tearing girders, splintering planks and ripping a huge hole in the right side of the three-level, bright-orange vessel, which has a capacity of 6,000 passengers.

"People who were sitting there as the ferry docked were hit by the pilings that came through the side of the boat," the mayor said.

The pilings hit on the ferry's main deck, cracking into the windows that ordinarily afford a postcard view of the Statue of Liberty.

"There were numerous injuries like fractures and lacerations," said Fire Department spokeswoman Maria Lamberi. "There were a couple of people with amputations — legs and arms."

Victims also suffered back and spinal injuries, chest pains and hypothermia from the water, which was about 62 degrees.

The five-mile trip between Staten Island and Manhattan normally takes 25 minutes. A free ride on the Staten Island Ferry is one of the city's most beloved attractions for New Yorkers and tourists alike.

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Associated Press

BEIJING — China's first astronaut in space said he was happy to return safely to Earth on Thursday when his craft touched down on time and as planned after 21 hours in orbit, the government said.

China's mission control declared the country's first manned spaceflight a success.

"The landing is successful," a China Central Television correspondent said. "The station released an image of the capsule. The country's premier immediately spoke to Lt. Col Yang Liwei and offered his congratulations."

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Economist Robert Shiller wonders why we have such faith in the utter rationality of markets when we ourselves are not rational. Bad judgment, lazy information, half-baked strategies—there are times when money brings out the worst in people.
Banker fraud trial goes to jury

Quattrone awaits his fate as jury deliberates obstruction, tampering charges

NEW YORK — The obstruction case against Frank Quattrone, an influential banker during the dot-com boom, went to a jury Wednesday with both sides offering different takes on what Quattrone was thinking when he urged employees to destroy files.

The government made a final argument to convince jurors Quattrone intended to block two federal investigations into how his bank, Credit Suisse First Boston, doled out shares of hot new stocks.

But Quattrone's attorney urged the jurors not to believe arguments by prosecutors who are "trying to put us into the box and prejudice that people feel for corporate executives these days."

On Dec. 5, 2000, Quattrone forwarded an e-mail written by a subordinate urging employees to "catch up on file cleanup" and destroy some documents. Quattrone added his own strong endorsement.

Quattrone contends he was merely following the bank's document retention policy, which requires some document destruction when employees know the papers are sought in sub­poenas or are the subject of lawsuits.

At the time, securities regulators and a federal grand jury were investigat­ing whether CSFB clients paid the bank illegal kickbacks so they could get in on hot new stocks that virtually guaran­teed instant profits.

U.S. District Judge Richard Owen told the jurors they would have to determine whether Quattrone obstructed, or would not have to conclude that govern­ment probes were hindered — just that Quattrone tried to do so.

"Success of the endeavor is not an element of the crime," Owen said before turning the case over to the jury.

Jury sent the judge a note making several requests, including copies of e-mails sent by CSFB lawyer David Brodsky, who told Quattrone two days before he sent the e­mail in question that the probes were of "extreme concern."

Prosecutor Steven Pekin said in his closing arguments that the defense's insistence that prosecutors were playing on hatred of corporate executives was insulting to the jury.

"No matter how smart, how busy, or how pow­erful, or how successful, no one stands above the law," he said.

On Oct. 2, Quattrone, a former investment banker, is accused of encouraging employees to destroy documents. The charges carry up to 15 years in prison. Although federal sentencing guidelines would likely mean a far shorter sentence if convicted.

Ask yourself if that's how an otherwise blameless, crime-free pillar of the community commits a crime," defense attorney John W. Keker said. "Is that when a man goes off the rails, in circumstances like that, and decides that he's going to commit a crime?"

Quattrone, 47, is charged with obstruction of justice and witness tampering.

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**EPA defends ads promoting Bush environmental plans**

**Associated Press**

WASHINGTON — The Environmental Protection Agency is standing by its advertising campaign, launched two weeks ago to promote President Bush's plan for reducing power plant pollution, despite House Democrats' charges that it was a serious misuse of public money.

The ads promoting Bush’s “Clean Air” legislation may violate anti-lobbying laws, say Reps. Henry Waxman, D-Calif., John Dingell, D-Mich., and David Obey, D-Wis. But EPA spokeswoman Lisa Harrison told AP that, while return on Oct. 2, were legal, “It's a moot point, because they are not advocating an action.” We're educating people about the benefits of Clean Skies.”

**EPA** said it was starting a national, Spanish-language advertising campaign on the Hispanic Radio Network, timed to coincide with National Hispanic Heritage Month. The agency also took out a full-page color ad promoting Bush's plan in a Spanish-language newspaper in Dallas.

In Tehran for key talks.

**Security Council sanctions** — weapons, the agency chief to check Iran's claims that it was starting a national, Spanish-language advertising campaign on the Hispanic Radio Network, timed to coincide with National Hispanic Heritage Month. The agency also took out a full-page color ad promoting Bush's plan in a Spanish-language newspaper in Dallas.

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He said, “We visit sites that are relevant to our work. If it's important to us to visit a site, we will do so.” The United States and its allies accuse Iran of working on a secret nuclear weapons program, while Tehran says it is only interested in generating electricity. Earlier, while flying to Frankfurt from Vienna for a connecting flight to Tehran, ElBaradei told AP that despite the outstanding questions, Tehran had increased cooperation with agency officials in recent weeks, permitting inspections to visit all sites they requested, including a military one. “We asked and we were allowed to go there,” officials close to the agency, speaking on condition of anonymity, identified that site as Kolahdouz, not far from the Iranian capital.

The site was identified in the summer by the National Council of Resistance of Iran as the alleged location of efforts to enrich uranium. They said centrifuge equipment there was reputedly meant to operate as a supplement to the uranium enrichment site, in Natanz. IAEA experts have a list of several other military sites they hope to visit, the officials confirmed. ElBaradei said he would not comment on his Iran probe before presenting his report to the next board meeting. The board convenes again on Nov. 20: “I think we need all the information that we requested, and so far we have not received all this information.”

ElBaradei said, “The key issue is the enrichment program — to make sure we have seen all nuclear experiments that have taken place in Iran, that we have seen all the nuclear material in Iran.”

If the agency's board of governors finds next month that Iran has not answered all questions about its nuclear program, it could refer the issue referred to the U.N. Security Council for possible sanctions.

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**IRAN**

Inspectors visit Iran to check for nuclear weapons

**Associated Press**

TEHRAN — U.N. atomic agency inspectors will visit any site considered necessary to check Iran's claims that it doesn't want to make nuclear weapons, the agency chief said Thursday after arriving in Tehran for key talks.

International Atomic Energy Agency chief Mohamed ElBaradei traveled to Iran to warn that an Oct. 31 deadline leaves the government little time to prove its claims.

Two weeks ahead of the ultimatum — and the subsequent threat of possible U.N. Security Council sanctions — there are still outstanding issues to be resolved before suspicions are dispelled, ElBaradei told The Associated Press after landing.

ElBaradei said it wasn’t too late for Iran to assist U.N. nuclear inspectors. He would not give details of ongoing inspections, but suggested reviews of both military and civilian facilities.

“If it’s civilian or military sites doesn’t matter much,” he said, “We visit sites that are relevant to our work. If it's important to us to visit a site, we will do so.”

The United States and its allies accuses Iran of working on a secret nuclear weapons program, while Tehran says it is only interested in generating electricity. Earlier, while flying to Frankfurt from Vienna for a connecting flight to Tehran, ElBaradei told AP that despite the outstanding questions, Tehran had increased cooperation with agency officials in recent weeks, permitting inspections to visit all sites they requested, including a military one. “We asked and we were allowed to go there,” officials close to the agency, speaking on condition of anonymity, identified that site as Kolahdouz, not far from the Iranian capital.

The site was identified in the summer by the National Council of Resistance of Iran as the alleged location of efforts to enrich uranium. They said centrifuge equipment there was reputedly meant to operate as a supplement to the uranium enrichment site, in Natanz. IAEA experts have a list of several other military sites they hope to visit, the officials confirmed. ElBaradei said he would not comment on his Iran probe before presenting his report to the next board meeting. The board convenes again on Nov. 20: “I think we need all the information that we requested, and so far we have not received all this information.”

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I am not boasting when I say that I dress better than I dance. It would be hard to imagine more damningly faint self-praise. The last time that I made an ill-advised foray onto a nightclub dancefloor, a complete stranger wrenched me to the floor and injected me with insulin. My friends, many of whom had seen me dance on previous occasions, agreed that it was an understandable mistake, although it did have the unfortunate consequence that my blood-sugar level now goes through the roof whenever I hear even a few bars of “Come on Eileen.”

My experience with clothes has only been marginally better. In my mid-teens I used to dress in the abstract expressionist style. You could have approximated my look at the age of 16 by going into a clothing store with a semi-automatic rifle, opening fire, and then wearing whichever items of clothing ended up with the most holes.

Nowadays almost everything I wear is black. Some people wear black as an outward sign of inward angst, and a tortured yet profound spirituality. I do what I can to encourage such misapprehensions, but in my case the real reason is far more mundane. When it comes to the Elements of Style, I still haven’t mastered anything beyond proposition 1.1: black doesn’t clash with black. Although personally I do neither, I think it’s important to distinguish between dressing well and dressing fashionably. Dressing well need not be competitive, but for the fashionable Gare Vidal’s dictum applies: it is not enough to succeed, others must fail.

The fashionably dressed wish both to be admired by the crowd and to stand out from it. This requires that their clothes be tantalizingly out of reach for most people. Good clothes may be expensive, fashionable clothes must be necessarily. A good test of whether you are motivated by the desire to be fashionable is to ask yourself before buying an item of clothing “Would I still want this if it cost significantly less?”

The frenetic speed at which fashion changes is just as necessary as the expense of dressing fashionably — to which, of course, it contributes. Again the point is to guarantee that while many try to keep up with the trends, only an enviable few succeed.

In the ninth century Charlemagne paraded the sumptuary laws that decreed that a person must dress in accord with his place in the social hierarchy. Of course the hierarchy was much more static than our own, but there is a long history of people going bank­rupt trying to dress according to their station. I suspect that if Congress passed a law which obliged citizens to wear Star Trek-style jumpsuits, color-coded according to tax bracket, a substan­tial minority of people would be secretly pleased. After all, such a system would have all the advan­tages of conspicuous consumption without the financial cost, not to mention the sheer effort of keeping track of which brands are in vogue.

But fashionable dress signals more than just wealth. It is also a way of showing skill at anticipating trends, an enviable skill in a modern market economy. There is much money to be made by being ahead of the curve just as (and partly because) there is much money to be spent trying to get there.

Clothing is just one arena in which the urge to be fashionable is made manifest. Cars, foods, jobs, even eth­nicities are subject to the whims of fashion. Of course, one cannot change ethnic group, but one’s eth­nicity does affect one’s ability to set trends in dress, speech, and music. In America the day of the WASP is long gone. Today’s majors clothing brands test market amongst blacks in the inner cities, which reveals interesting things about both the nature of modern marketing and about the complex state of race relations in this country.

In most contexts the urge to be fashionable is a venial sin, but in the realm of opinion its effects are more serious. What disgusted many peo­ple, myself included, about the anti­war rhetoric of Hollywood celebrities was not the position they took, but the unshakable feeling that they were choosing their stance in the same spirit that they decided what to wear to the Oscars. But to be free from the lure of fashion is a difficult thing, and I wouldn’t be the first person to note that being anti-fashion can itself be an exercise in vanity, placing oneself above the fashions. So for many people are too quick to congratulate themselves on holding “unfashionable” opinions.

The ideal must be to be not against fashion, but blissfully oblivious to it. A blessed state very difficult to achieve. Why even try? Well, perhaps the best reason to ignore the lure of fashion in clothing is as a training to ignore the same lure on matters of belief. But I would say that; I dress almost as badly as I dance.
Security officer should not be paid

Monday's news of the alleged actions of NOSP officer Tim Clark is horrid. A seven week old baby broken in numerous places, what could be worse? How about the University still paying this man even though he admitted to the abuse?

I am appalled that this man is still on the payroll because in our recent past we have expelled four student athletes for only rumors of rape. We expect them before they were even charged. Not only did the administration dismiss them before the charges were brought, the men maintained their innocence the entire time.

Not only did they claim their innocence, but none were found to be guilty of rape. How can our University so quick to judge its students but overlook its employees? Is it because they want baby and so they could adopt a child? It seems that the University would not want to work for them. Could it be that they know that football players get paid and so they felt they had to work with their employees, no one would want to work for them.

Concerned that Rice does not understand the meaning of love and intimacy. To claim that homosexuality is a "disordered" just emphasizes Rice's ignorance and prejudiced thought.

Support the Irish this weekend

Throughout this lovely week of midterms, I've heard many discussing their excitement over leaving early for Fall break. I would like to remind these people, in this case they have forgotten, that we are playing USC Saturday. That's the big one here on campus, located right between DeBartolo Hall and the Joyce Center.

I want to remind those freshmen or even upperclassmen who might be unacquainted with the significance of this match up that this is the greatest and most storied rivalry in college football, one whose lore began with Knute Rockne taking his 1914 Notre Dame team packed with Fishburne's to California and whose storied 78-year history has seen countless legendary players and games, from Notre Dame's FrankStamps' nearly decapitating Rodney Peete to Carson Palmer's fumbling the Notre Dame defense last year.

As if this were not enough, the Trojans are ranked fifth in the country right now, still holding on to national championship aspirations - aspirations that a hungry and revenge-minded Notre Dame team could squash with a monumental victory on Saturday.

Where do you fit into this picture? For God's sake, it's USC week. Midterm's are over and you cannot possibly have any academic work to do. If you don't practice this ritual each football Saturday already, go wild and immerse yourself fully in the Notre Dame football experience. Tailgate as if there were no tomorrow, even if you are an underclassman. Wake up early on Saturday and fight against the Monk-oian forces of repression by experiencing the unparalleled joy of shutdowning a Keystone Light with 10 of your friends and a few elimination alums in sight of the stadium on a crisp, beautiful fall day.

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ALBUM REVIEW

**Big Boi and Andre 3000 show skills as solo artists**

By KENYATTA STORIN
Scene Music Critic

Outkast’s Big Boi and Andre 3000 have been among the best in rap since the late 1990s, and are among a small group of elite rappers that have achieved both critical and commercial success. Unlike other duos in rap, like Mobb Deep or The Clipse, over time Big Boi and Andre have distinguished themselves as individuals under the name of Outkast. Big Boi is the more conventional street-smart hustler, while Andre is the flamboyant out-of-this-world poet. Perhaps it is no surprise then that their latest and likely last installment together, Speakerboxxx/The Love Below, is a double-disc split into two solo albums. As many might expect, Big Boi’s disc, Speakerboxxx, is the more conventional of the two. Nonetheless, the album remains unique through its eclectic selection of experimental production, and Big Boi’s ability to rap quickly and creatively. He fires out rapid rhymes on “Chenghtomskit,” in between intermit­tent slow seductive female vocals, suc­cessfully shifts between hard rhythms and a soothing chorus on the single, “The Way You Move.”

Andre 3000’s The Love Below, is notably eccen­tric, drawing from jazz, pop, soul, funk, and hip-hop all at once. As a result, it is really anything but a hip-hop album. In fact, he does not rap until late into the fourth track, and rarely raps there after. Many listeners will be disappoint­ed by this decision to stash hip-hop away in the backseat, but if one is able to get over this and the over-the-top eccentricity of the album, a lot can be appreciated. Several critics have even regarded the work as a lost prince album of sorts. Andre produces the entire album, showing great range with superb results. He doubles in soul and electro-funk on the catchy “Hey Ya!”

The first single from Outkast’s Big Boi and Andre 3000’s The Love Below, is notably eccentric, from the logic and direction of Big Boi. Nevertheless, the two show much potential as solo artists, and this probably just the starting point of two great solo careers.

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**Kings of Leon enter the spotlight with latest release**

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Scene Music Critic

Some bands spend years trying to get reviewed by top music magazines like “Rolling Stone” and “Spin,” but for the band called Kings of Leon, this is not an issue. Not only is this up-and-coming garage-rock band being reviewed by these magazines, it is also featured as No. 2 in a list of the top 10 rising bands by two magazines, it is also featured as No. 2 in a list of the top 10 rising bands in England. However, they found in England. However, they are by no means being overlooked either.

The Kings of Leon definitely have a sound uniquely extreme to current rock and roll. The closest current compar­ison would be The Strokes with their little­ less melody and a bit heavier rock. Growing up on The Rolling Stones, Neil Young, and Bad Company, the group has a distinct sound that mixes rock, punk, jazz, and southern bluegrass beats. The music is a mix of scratchy vocals of Caleb Followill, a jazzy instrumental track, “My I i l#0%JJBH

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Kings of Leon have quickly gained fame for the raw and edgy sound found on their latest release, Youth and Young Manhood.

“California Waiting,” Another high point is “Holy Roller Nova­caine.” the name of their first album as well as their last song. “Holy Roller Nova­caine” begins with a bass-­­­­jazz beat and then jams into a punchy rock chorus. The song tells the story of passion in a relation­ship crumbling in the chorus, “Don’t worry baby, you won’t feel a thing / close your eyes .... Holy Roller Nova­caine.”

That is, perhaps, the best advice one can have when approaching the Kings of Leon’s Youth and Young Manhood, don’t worry and close your eyes. These are not necessarily songs one sings along with, but the sound is not easily forgotten. Time will tell if Kings of Leon are deserving of their critical acclaim, but the band that is currently “kicking off a golden ear of southern garage rock” certain­ly deserves all of the attention they are receiving.
Songs About Jane, an album with music and message

By C. SPENCER BEGGS
Scene Music Editor

Maroon 5's Songs About Jane is one of those rare albums that manages to find a middle way between the age-old problem that plagues classic rock and pop songs alike: musicality versus accessibility.

The album's opening lines from Led Zeppelin's famous rock anthem "Whole Lotta Love" provide a glimpse into what Oakenfold fans have come to expect — a mix that's both accessible and cutting-edge.

"Whole Lotta Love" is a rock anthem in its own right, but Oakenfold's version takes it to a whole new level. The song starts with a slow, build-up, and then erupts into a high-energy track that's sure to get any dance floor moving.

The album's title track, "Songs About Jane," is another standout. The song features a driving beat and catchy chorus that's sure to be a hit at radio stations worldwide.

But it's not just the music that makes "Songs About Jane" special. The lyrics are intelligent and thought-provoking, offering a deeper level of meaning to the songs.

The album's third track, "Have a Little Faith," is a particularly powerful track. The song's message is one of hope and resilience, and it's sure to resonate with fans around the world.

Overall, "Songs About Jane" is an album that's sure to please both Oakenfold's existing fans and new listeners alike. It's a testament to Oakenfold's ability to create music that既能 be Accessible and cutting-edge, while still delivering a message that's both relevant and important.

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The Great Wall of Paul Oakenfold

Warner Brothers Records

Famous DJ Paul Oakenfold recently released a double album that showcases his talent for creating mixes.

"The Great Wall of Paul Oakenfold" is a collection of two albums: "Frontman Adam Levine is able to throw funky blues and hip hop sensibilities into the otherwise clean-cut tracks like "Through With You" and "Not Coming Home," and even the wildly, love-struck "Secret.

But what really makes Songs About Jane stand out among the dregs of album releases is that it manages to be a cohesive album that feels like it's about something as well as fun to listen to. Maroon 5 may not have revolutionized the music business overnight with the release of Songs About Jane, but they've managed to put together something fresh and new. Who knows? Maybe they'll eventually send Justin Timberlake back to schoolin'."

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Boston Red Sox players Damian Jackson, Manny Ramirez, Johnny Damon and Trot Nixon added a two-run shot in the seventh inning that tied the AL championship series. It was the first time the championship series has all the makings of a classic, Roger Clemens versus Pedro Martinez, who set off fireworks and fights during Game 3 at Fenway Park. "It does mean it's going to be an exciting day," Boston manager Grady Little said.

Slumping Nomar Garciaparra had four hits, including a wind­blown triple that started the third-run seventh and atoned for a 0-4 day by Jason Varitek. Varitek hit a third–inning homer off starter Andy Pettitte, and Trot Nixon added a two-run double off Alfonso Soriano to New York's 4-1 lead. But reliever Jose Contreras couldn't finish the job.

A swirling 25 mph wind float­ed napkins across the field all game, and the conditions made it difficult for fielders on both teams, since they had to use their eyes to crosswiggling twisters.

"It's all over the place," said Boston said after batting practice.

Trailing by two runs and nine outs, the Yankees had been hitting just .107 entering the top of the seventh. But Boston manager Joe Torre said of Heredia, "I don't know two clubs that are quite like this." Little said: "They typified our whole season.

Boston and New York will play for a world championship for the 26th time Thursday — and the 31st overall if you count the best-of-five playoffs of the post-1903 World Series.

"I've never been around a club quite like this," Little said.
NFL

Dungy requests replay review

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS — Tony Dungy thinks the NFL’s replay system needs to be reviewed, and he believes the last two weeks have provided indisputable evidence the system does not work.

On Sunday, the Indianapolis Colts lost an interception because of a reversal, a decision that still confounds Dungy.

A week earlier, the Colts’ miraculous comeback at Tampa Bay began with what the league now describes as an illegal onside kick — a play Dungy believes could not even be challenged.

Dungy wants answers.

“I want to know how it can happen and how it can be prevented,” he said Wednesday. “I understand that a mistake was made or whatever, but if we say this is the process, then how should it be followed?”

Dungy, the easygoing, soft-spoken Colts coach, is a liaison to the NFL’s policy committee and has been an outspoken opponent of replay since his arrival in Indianapolis last year.

The recent incidents have cemented his position — and apparently that of the Colts, too.

“I think that it’s safe to say in March, when replay comes up to a vote, our stance will be obvious,” team president Bill Polian said during his weekly radio show. “We’ll be proponents of the doing-away with a system that simply doesn’t work.”

The current system gives coaches two challenges per game and requires conclusive evidence to overturn calls made on the field, something Dungy believes did not exist Sunday.

“If the call on the field is upheld, the challenging team loses a timeout.

Dungy said replay was installed primarily to rectify what he called “gross” mistakes on critical plays, but he believes it is not being used properly.

He cited Sunday’s play as an example.

Colts defensive end Chad Bratzke picked off a Jake Delhomme pass, then had it ruled out by a Carolina player. Indianapolis’ Raheem Brock fell on the loose ball, which was ruled a fumble on the field, at the Panthers 5.

After reviewing the play, referee Larry Nemmers announced Bratzke never had control and called it an incomplete pass.

Dungy acknowledges the play did not dictate the outcome in the loss, but he was still upset three days later because he believes the replays were inconclusive.

NHL

Brui ns’ Raycroft shuts out Stars

Associated Press

DALLAS — Boston Bruins goaltender Andrew Raycroft was good, but he admitted that he also had a little luck on his side.

Raycroft had 27 saves for his first career shutout, and Brian Rolston scored twice as the Bruins won for the first time this season, beating the Dallas Stars 2-0 Wednesday night.

“We dodged a bullet tonight against a hungry team and a talented group,” Bruins coach Mike Sullivan said.

The Stars hit the goalpost four times — twice by center Jason Arnott — and failed to capitalize on six power plays.

“They worked the net and created some chances,” said Raycroft, who raised his career record to 7-9-2. “We needed some breaks and we got them tonight.”

Rolston scored in the first period and then added an empty-net goal with 3.7 seconds remaining to provide all the offense for the Bruins, who were ousted 27-11.

The Bruins, 0-4-3 in their last nine meetings with the Stars, killed four Dallas power plays in the third period.

“We created a number of quality chances but we couldn’t finish.”

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Bryant defense presents compelling evidence'

Associated Press

EAGLE, Colo. — Kobe Bryant's accuser showed up for her rape exam wearing panties containing another man's sperm, a startling discovery that defense lawyers called "compelling evidence" the NBA star is innocent.

But Bryant's preliminary hearing ended Wednesday with prosecutors telling a judge there was "uncontradicted" evidence that the Los Angeles Lakers' guard raped the 19-year-old woman at a mountain resort.

"He held her by the back of the neck with his hand during sexual intercourse," prosecutor Greg Grendtten said. "He lifted up her skirt. She said 'no.' He pulled down her underpants and she said 'no.' He penetrated her from behind and she cried."

"She is not worthy of your belief," Mackey said.

Eagle County District Attorney Mark Hurlbert said, however, he was confident the judge would send the case to trial.

"No prosecutor puts on their whole case at preliminary hearing," he said. "In this case you saw kind of a sanitized version."

If the two-day preliminary hearing wasn't the entire prosecution case, it still contained graphic details about an encounter that began with the woman excited to meet the basketball superstar, escalated into consensual kissing and hugging, and ended with sex across the back of a chair.

"When it was the defense's turn in question, the predicate evidence in the case, Mackey tried to poke holes in the woman's story, raise doubts about whether she told Bryant "no" and show she had sex with someone else two days before the alleged assault June 20.

"This is an extremely thin case based mostly on hearsay," Mackey said.

She wasted no time getting Detective Doug Winters to say that the yellow underwear the woman wore to her rape exam the next day contained sperm from another man, along with Caucasian pubic hair.

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defensive backs had good coverage.
"We've been working on our passing game all year," Gorman said. "We had to start a freshman quarter- back, but he's really starting to step up." St. Ed's wide receiver Joe Pomereneke had a valiant effort in his team's loss with 82 yards on five receptions. The Green Wave needed only five plays to score on their opening drive, with Cullen completing passes of 23 and 40 yards before handing off to running back Kameron Chappell for the touchdown. The two-point conversion failed.

St. Ed's was forced to punt on its first possession of the game, and Fisher opened the lead to 12 points with a 13-yard touchdown pass to Gorman. Again, the conversion failed.

St. Ed's got the ball back and drove down to the Fisher 25-yard line, but had to turn the ball over on downs. With time running out in the first half, the Green Wave engineered a seven-yard scoring drive that culminated in a 60-yard touchdown reception by Gorman.

Fisher increased its lead to 20-0 by running for the two-point conversion. The Green Wave would score once more near the end of the third quarter, with running back Andy Piester scoring on a 1-yard touchdown run at the end of a seven-play drive. The two-point conversion was successful.

St. Ed's made one last attempt to get on the scoreboard in the fourth quarter, driving down to the Fisher 26-yard line before again turning the ball over on downs.

"We really played our hearts out," Pomereneke said. "We really had a good season and I think we showed something to other teams this year.

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Edward said he's not selfish, he just wants to make plays. He just needed to focus his energy in a different direction.

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**HOCKEY**

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One was a star on the ice for Notre Dame and was drafted in the fifth round of the 1997 National Hockey League Entry Draft by the Chicago Blackhaws. The other was a hard-nosed player in Canadian junior hockey who went undrafted by the NHL before the Atlanta Thrashers signed him as a free agent.

Ben Simon and Dan Snyder came from different back-grounds, but they each shared a common love of hockey. Eventually joining as teammates on the minor league Thrashers, the pair would form a friendship.

On Sept. 29, that friendship came to an abrupt end.

That night, Dan Snyder was leaving a season-ticket holder event in Atlanta with teammates Dany Heatley and Snyder had recently learned that he would be offered a roster spot on the Thrashers, while Heatley was. The pair were eager to play against the up-and-coming superstars, having led the Thrashers in points during the 2002-03 season.

While driving away from the event, Heatley’s Ferrari crashed into a wall in the Buckhead area of Atlanta, throwing both players from the vehicle. The two were taken to nearby Grady Memorial Hospital, and Snyder was diagnosed with a depressed skull fracture.

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Heating up the Thrashers while driving away from the Thrashers’ offices in Elmira, Ont., on Friday afternoon, Simon would attend Snyder’s funeral, along with former friends and teammates, including Heatley.

"It just didn’t really seem real," Simon said. "I was almost waiting for Snyder to jump out of the coffin and say ‘Gotcha!’" Simon was one of my good buds, and it’s not something I’ll ever want to go through again.

Although he suffered by the loss of his friend, Simon doesn’t blame Heatley.

"Danny’s a real good kid who just made a mistake," he said. "It’s just unfortunate that his mistake took another person’s life.

"He’s going to have to live with this his whole life and it’s just a real tragedy.

On June 25, 2000, the Blackhawks traded Simon to the Thrashers. Simon would receive several call-ups to the Atlanta club, but spent most of his time with the Thrashers’ minor-league affiliate in Orlando, and later, Chicago.

A constant through those years was his teammate Dan Snyder.

Simon and Snyder won a Turner Cup, the now-defunct International Hockey League championship, in 2001 with the Orlando Solar Bears and a Calder Cup, the American Hockey League championship, with the Chicago Wolves in 2002.

During the Wolves’ playoff run, Simon and Snyder often practiced together.

Although Simon spent more time in the minor leagues than the Thrashers, the two were teammates on the Thrashers for a few games in late 2003. In a 4-3 overtime win over the Buffalo Sabres on Feb. 17, Simon scored his first career NHL goal on an assist.

The player whose goal would be assisted? Dan Snyder.

"There’s so many memories, probably some you can’t print," Simon said with a laugh. "Growing more serious, he recounted the kind of person Snyder was both on and off the ice.

"He was full of life, full of energy," Simon said. "He was the kind of guy you always wanted to play with and the kind of guy you never wanted to play against.

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**INTERHALL FOOTBALL GOLD LEAGUE**

One undefeated team to fall in Dillon-Keough matchup

**By KATHERINE GALES and CHRIS SINUTKO**
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The Dillon football team looks to continue its perfect record Thursday night as they face the 2-0-1 Keenan Knights.

The Knights finished last weekend against Morrissey, allowing 12 unanswered points and ending in a tie.

"Morrissey is one of the top teams here," said head coach Langton. "We hung with them to a point. We scored two touchdowns on Sunday. "We came out ready to play and showed we could hang with the best teams in the league.

"Dillon, on the other hand, is coming off of a 42-0 demolition of Stanfield."

"I think we played very well and consistently," said Kevin McCarthy, his head coach. "We were a lot of backs and a lot of motion." McCarthy said. "The misdirection keeps the defense on their toes." Defensively, "Our defensive backs are amazing — all veterans," he said.

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O’Neill vs. Keough

Although this game might not mean much in the overall standings of interhall football, it will not affect the mindset and strategy of O’Neill and Keough. Neither team can make the playoffs this year, but they are still coming to play.

"We’re going to still try to play our game," said captain John Enterline. "This season has been a little disappointing, and we want to end on a good note with a win."

Enterline said that this game would come down to whoever executes and whoever is more physical.

O’Neill wants a little revenge from last year’s loss to Keough.

"It would be a nice change if we pulled off the victory and beat our next-door neighbors and rivals," Enterline said.

Keough quarterback Brian Kusper waits to receive the snap in a game earlier this season against Dillon.

"This is great for the future of O’Neill football," Enterline said.

On the other side of the ball, this has not been a good year for Keough. They have been outscored by a combined 52 points in their first three games, and have not scored a touchdown this season.

They have only managed a field goal in a loss to Dillon. Despite their lack of offense, the Keough defense has been steady. They, however, have one flaw — they give up big plays in almost every game.

These plays come at crucial junctures of the game and are very hard to overcome. Keough must play the full four quarters and not give up game-changing plays against O’Neill.

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Colin Falls will look to fill the shooter's role that Matt Carroll played so well on last season's team.

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idea who his top six are — guards Chris Thomas, Torrian Jones and Chris Quinn and big men Torin Francis, Tom Timmermans and Jordan Cornette. Based on how Notre Dame's fall practices have shaped up, Brey believes Falls and sopho­more Rick Cornett are on the verge of cracking Notre Dame's elite eight.

"Those six guys, if we had to tos it up, we'll feel pretty good about that," Brey said. "It's a matter of who is going to join those six?"

Cornett's emergence as a piv­otal player for the Irish comes after a season last year that he considered frustrating. He only played in 12 games and aver­aged just over five minutes and 2.5 points a game. But part of his slow develop­ment came from the 6-foot-8, 255-pound forward's need to adopt a strenuous lifting pro­gram and time to adjust to col­lege competition. The adjustment from his high school level ... was almost a shock," Brey said. "He had never lifted weights before. Now, he's in there and is one of the stronger guys.

"He's a little crisper, too," Falls on the other hand, came to Notre Dame expecting to play a major role. He just wasn't as pre­pared for how easily he would mesh with a team that finished last year on 3-point shooting. "I think (the team) knows I can shoot the ball," Falls said. "They're pretty confident that if they get me the ball and I'm open, I'll make it."

Yet Falls admits he doesn't quite know the Irish offense yet and is still trying to figure out exactly where he fits into Notre Dame's plans. He envisions a role this year where he comes off the bench, but the Irish coaches are harping on the freshman guard about the importance of finding his shot when he is in the game.

"A high school kid joining this program, he's thinking maybe I should swing it," Brey said, "but I want him to hunt his shot.

How exactly Falls and Cornett fit with the rest of the Irish six will be determined during the team's fall break trip to Barbados. In Notre Dame's three scheduled exhibitions there, Brey plans to sink around with a variety of different lineups to find out which ones are the most effective.

"Maybe you can get a Rick Cornett and a Colin Falls some extended minutes," Brey said. "After all, there's not a lot on the table, so to speak."

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Men's Basketball
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Tancredi invaluable to success of No. 2 Irish

By ANDY TROGER
Sports Writer

For most college athletes, playing in a foreign country, missing an entire season due to injury, or knowing their positions would be a difficult challenge to overcome. However, for Tancredi, it would be able to conquer all three in time to become an All-American candidate.

But that only begins to describe the importance of central back Melissa Tancredi to the women's soccer team.

"Tancredi came to Notre Dame from Ancaster, Ontario after being on the Canadian Under-19 National Team," coach Randy Waldrum said. "My parents definitely fell in love with her. Tancredi said: 'I didn't want to leave Canada at first, but I really changed my mind. I had no idea that the soccer team here was this good.'

Tancredi's soccer career did not get off to a good start as she missed her entire freshman season due to an ACL injury suffered during preseason.

"It was very frustrating," Tancredi said. "But it was good at the same time because I didn't really know what I was getting myself into just watching the team and how they play was good for me."

She returned to emerge as a forward in 2001, starting 10 games as a forward alongside classmates Amanda Guertin and Amy Warner.

She scored 10 goals in that season, finishing with four goals and four assists. Then as a junior, Tancredi was one of many Irish players affected by the rash of injuries suffered in the Irish defense. She was forced into the central defense early in the season against Hartford, and then became a fixture at central back later in the year before becoming a force at the position this season.

"She's been phenomenal," Irish coach Randy Waldrum said. "It's been an ongoing process, but now she's finally comfortable with the move and with reading the game from a different position. She picked it up so quickly and has become a leader in the defense."

"I really didn't want to change originally," Tancredi said. "Then as first it was OK because I figured I was doing it for the team. Then I eventually really started liking it."

"Having been a forward, I definitely think I have an edge because I can anticipate where the forwards are going to go from past experience."

Tancredi's defense through her physical style of play and her ability to win the ball in the air. She adds an added dimension by being able to attack from her defensive position.

"She's got so many dimensions," Waldrum said. "She's a great defender with the ability to come forward into the attack. The opposition has a real tough time dealing with that.

"Opposing players fear her, and she has the ability to send a message with some of her tackles."

"Along with her stellar play this season has come an increased leadership role for Tancredi."

"Along with the way she's played, she's got those leadership qualities," Waldrum said. "I think the other players have looked up to her ever since she got here, but she needed to have confidence in her own play before she could really become a leader."

"She's goofy, a blast to be around, and a great competitor, but until this year she didn't understand how much people on the team look up to her," Warner said. "This is the first year she's really taken advantage of that because her teammates really see her as a leader."

The rest of the Big East has noticed Tancredi's play as well, as she has been named Big East Defensive Player of the Week twice in a row. Over the team's last seven games, Tancredi has scored two goals along with four assists, in addition to being the leader of a defense that has not allowed a goal in their last 584 minutes, including six consecutive shutouts.

"Her impact is not lost on her teammates, either. If there's a center back in the country I wouldn't want to play against, it would be her," Warner said. "We talk about being second in the country in goals against average and in goals scored and I think they go hand in hand."

"Part of the reason we do so well offensively is because we have to play against defenders like Tancredi every day in practice."

"The Irish, now 14-0-1, face a stiff test against No. 14 Connecticut on Friday night, but Tancredi and the Irish feel the change in attitude from last year will continue to propel them through the rest of their schedule."

"It's amazing how much confidence we have all the way from the freshmen to the seniors, in both ourselves and team," Tancredi said. "It's a different quality of play and the effort and intensity given in practice shows on the field."

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Aries (March 21- April 19): Expect your mate to be ready for a good argument. Try to discuss the situation into a passionate affair instead. Showing humor and offering to get your back up will help.

Taurus (April 20- May 20): You will have to be careful while traveling. Traffic violations will plague you sadly. Make sure that all your transportation documents are in order.

Gemini (May 21- June 20): You'll be in the mood for love. Spend some time with your partner and let him or her know exactly how you feel and what your intentions are. Think ready to make personal changes. Suggested by the above cartoon.

Cancer (June 21- July 22): Depression is apparent when dealing with family or children. You may want to put some energy into beautifying your living quarters. Make everyone pitch in, they'll be glad you did.

Leo (July 23- Aug. 22): Opportunities to take trips should please you. Visiting friends or relatives you don't see too often will leave you feeling good about yourself. Don't let someone you live with stand in your way.

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Sagittarius (Nov. 22- Dec. 21): Secret affairs may be tempting, but they certainly won't be too enough to make up for the problems they will cause in the long run. You need to have a little integrity when dealing with love.

Capricorn (Dec. 22- Jan. 19): Overindulgent friends will not be a wise choice. You are still a little confused regarding your emotional matters. Let your outlet be self-improvement, not attraction.

Aquarius (Jan. 20- Feb. 18): Consider investing in country that will spark your interest from a cultural or philosophical, point of view. Deal with relatives and in laws who may have wrong perceptions.

Pisces (Feb. 19- March 20): Help others with their personal problems. Don't lend cash, just give good advice. Your interest in philosophy and the study of human nature is growing.

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FOOTBALL

Making the first push

Young Harris shows unusual maturity along offensive line

By CHRIS FEDERICO
Sports Writer

Notre Dame running back Julius Jones’ record-breaking 262-yard game was more than just an outstanding performance by the Irish running back. In fact, it was due largely to the play of the Irish offensive line, which for the first time Saturday saw significant success in moving opposing defenses off the line.

One key member of that line was freshman Ryan Harris, playing in his first collegiate game. The right tackle was a big part of Notre Dame’s success running the ball against the Panthers.

“He performed very well. I think to put a freshman in his first start in that situation against a highly ranked team, I think he performed very well,” Irish head coach Tyrone Willingham said. “But again, he still has a lot of room to go, and he would be the first to say that.”

In fact, Harris has been the first to say just that, and he has been hasty to give himself too much credit for his performance and the performance of the offensive line last Saturday.

“I feel like I played okay — nowhere near what I’m happy with, and I feel I can do a lot better, and I will get a lot better,” Harris said. “It was my first game, and I feel I did okay. There is definitely room for improvement, and it will happen.”

But even the fact that Harris could come in as a freshman and start along the offensive line — a position that requires both physical and mental maturity — is a testament to the youngster’s ability.

“He really has done a great job of developing. It was a process that started even back in fall camp,” offensive line coach Mike Beaudenbrook said. “He came in here with a special ability and showed a lot of maturity before the season had begun. The biggest question about Harris at the beginning of the season had been his lack of size. Harris entered the season listed at 6-foot-5, 270 pounds, which is a little undersized for a Division I tackle.

“The thing we worried about was that there’s a guy that reported at 270 pounds,” Denbrook said. “Can he hold up? Can he do it and be consistent, and do the things you need him to do?”

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OTHERS

INTERHALL FOOTBALL

Green Wave shuts out St. Ed’s

By JUSTIN SCHUYER
Associate Sports Editor

So far, this season has been a disappointing one for Fisher. Wednesday night, they got the chance to take out a little frustration and perhaps have the chance to back into the playoffs with a 20-0 win over St. Ed’s.

Wide receiver Tom Gorman had two touchdowns and the Fisher defense held strong as the Green Wave posted the shutout.

“This was a huge game for us,” Gorman said. “We expected to play like this all year. It was good for us to come out and show people we can play like this.”

Despite starting a freshman at quarterback in Casey Cullen, the Green Wave were able to pick apart the St. Ed’s passing defense, with Gorman carrying most of the load with 83 yards on three receptions. Cullen finished the game 7-for-15 with 163 yards. He also collected several key scrambles when the St. Ed’s defense could not mount an attack on the Fisher defense Wednesday night at Rifle fields.

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MAJOR LeAGUE BASEBALL

Interfering fan a Notre Dame grad

By ANDREW SOUKUP
Sports Writer

Television cameras captured the image of that Fan reaching up to deflect a foul ball away from the glove of Cubs outfilder Moises Alou Tuesday. His face was broad across the nation, depicted on newspaper pages and mocked on ESPN’s SportsCenter, as everyone tried to pin the Cubs 8-3 loss on that Fan.

But until the Chicago Sun-Times named him in the paper’s Wednesday editions did the sporting world learn that that Fan was a 26-year-old Notre Dame graduate.

Steve Bartman, a self-described lifelong Cubs fan, lived in Keenan Hall and graduated from Notre Dame in 1999 with a degree in finance. When he arrived at Wrigley Field Tuesday, he was employed as a consultant for Hewitt Associates, Bartman, on the advice of the company’s human resources department, did not come to work Wednesday.

Bartman became an infamous part of Cubs history when he reached up to try to catch a foul ball in the eighth inning of Tuesday’s game when the Cubs led 3-0. He reflected the ball away from Alou and the Marlins went on to score eight runs in the...