Writer criticizes post-genocide actions

Rosenbaum claims America's society utilizes movies to numb feelings toward atrocities

Hansmann and Jeffrey found dormdrinks.com, plan to deliver to all 27 residence halls

Sophomores begin drink delivery service

College security issues campus-wide safety alert

Student protests in Cyber Cafe
INSIDE COLUMN

Study break at Yankee Stadium

I don’t know about everyone else, but I cannot wait until finals week. You see, my finals schedule is a little peculiar so I start off with a cosmology exam on Monday morning. Side note: I’ve been in that class for three months and still can’t adequately explain what “cosmology” is, except that it has to do with stars, not makeup.

From 12:30 p.m. on Monday until 8:00 a.m. on Thursday, I am finals-free. Now, some people would spend that time partying. Not me. Some people would spend that time studying. Definitely not me. No, I am going on a trip.

Laura Myers
Not to
Mishawaka.
Not to
Chicago.
To Yankee
Stadium.

On Tuesday, May 6, the Cleveland Indians begin a three-game series with the Yanks in New York. barring the possibility that the Indians get another chance in the Bronx.

Bombers in the playoffs, this will be their last ever visit to Yankee Stadium before it is torn down in the off-season.

I see the funny thing about my back is..." said Sarah Shariq.

"Short showers to save water and stay clean!" said Michelle and

"Saving water, because the environment transcends popularity!" said Annette.

"Saying water, because I love Hillary... and Sue." said impromptu reporter.

"Group showers. I’ll scrub your back if you scrub mine." said Chris turnover.

"Saying water, because I love Hillary... and Gabby." said Michelle and

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QUESTION OF THE DAY: WHAT DO YOU THINK IS MORE IMPORTANT—SHOWERING OR SAVING WATER?

Aidan Fitzgerald
sophomore

Carmen Adams
senior

Welsh Family

Chris Estab
junior

Gabriela Cobos
senior

Sohail Hashmi
junior

Sue Kippels
senior

SEE THE FUNNY THING ABOUT MY BACK IS...

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Gabriela Cobos

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OFFBEAT

Postal workers attacked by wild turkeys

MADISON, Wis. — Rather than rain or snow, or even dogs, postal workers in a West Side neighborhood near Owen Conservation Park are being pestered by wild turkeys this spring. Mara Willette, manager of the Hilldale Station Post Office, said she expected to deal with all manner of issues when she went to work for the U.S. Post Office. “But that was not one of them.”

"Just when you thought you’d heard it all," she said.

About five to 10 of the birds have been pecking at the postal workers as they make their rounds, and some of the birds have attacked the letter carriers with the sharp spurs on their legs.

One of the birds went through the open door of a mail truck and scratched the driver. Willette sought help in the matter from Eric Lohrner, regional wildlife program supervisor for the state Department of Natural Resources.

Bride, groom spend wedding night in jail

VALLEJO, Calif. — A weekend wedding turned into an unforgettable first night for these two newlyweds. Police said a bride and groom spent their first night as a married couple in jail after their wedding party at a Vallejo home got out of hand.

When police had to return a second time to the home Saturday night, officers arrested both the groom and his cousin with a Taser when they both became aggressive towards the officers. The groom and cousin were arrested for allegedly resisting arrest. The bride was taken into custody on suspicion of public intoxication.

Information compiled from the Associated Press.

IN BRIEF

Rev. Robert Dowd will give a lecture Wednesday entitled “The Religious Factor in African Political Movements, Muslims and Political Culture in Nigeria, Uganda and Somalia” at 12:30 p.m. in the Husch Center for International Studies.

A town hall discussion called “Evaluating Obama’s Speech on Race: A Town Hall Meeting on Race Relations in America” will take place Wednesday at 7 p.m. in the McKenna Hall Auditorium.

The Immigration Forum will take place Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the LaFortune Ballroom.

The play “The Tragical History of Doctor Faustus,” a Christopher Marlowe play about a professor who sells his soul to the devil, will be performed April 8-13, 17 and 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the DeBartolo Performing Arts Center.

The Howard Hall Bone Marrow Drive will take place from 12 to 8 p.m. Thursday in the O’Donovan Room of LaFortune.

Anne Thompson, Chief Environmental Correspondent at NBC News, will give a lecture called “Green is the ‘new black’, but will it stay in style?” at 10:40 a.m. in the Jordan Auditorium at the Mendoza College of Business.

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

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Lopez installed as new Hesburgh Chair

Professor of Peace Studies first to be appointed to position established by Kroc Institute

Special to the Observer

George A. Lopez was installed as Notre Dame's first Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., Professor of Peace Studies on April 1. A member of the Notre Dame faculty since 1986, Lopez is a leading scholar of repression and state terror. Since written extensively on repression and state terror. He has served as an advisor to the U.N. Security Council, the European Union, and governments. He is a founding faculty member of Notre Dame's Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies. Lopez serves as an advisor to the Notre Dame Center for Ethics and Culture's Schmitt Lecture Series.

In 2002, Lopez and Cortright became particularly influential among those seeking an alternative to war with Iraq. Their research disputing the presence of weapons of mass destruction in Iraq was published before the war in "Arms Control Today" and later in "Foreign Affairs." Their most recent book, "Uniting Against Terror" concerns the application of sanctions to counter-terrorism. A popular speaker, teacher and media commentator, Lopez has twice received Notre Dame's Kanel Teaching Award. He also is the 2008 recipient of the Franck O'Malley award, given annually by the student government to an outstanding member of the Notre Dame faculty.

The Hesburgh Chair was established by the Kroc Institute to honor Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., president emeritus of Notre Dame, for his lifetime commitment to peace and justice.


Doctor opposes use of lethal injection

Ohio's method falls below the constitutional standard for carrying out "in a professional, humane, sensitive and constitutional manner." The Ohio Supreme Court considers a challenge in a case from Kentucky, which is among the roughly three dozen states that administer three drugs in succession to sedate, paralyze and kill prisoners.

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That's a major violation or departure from any acceptable veterinary standard.

Mark Heath
anesthesiologist

Associated Press

ELYRIA, Ohio — Anesthesiologist Mark Heath testified Monday that Ohio's lethal injection procedure isn't appropriate for dogs or cats, let alone humans.

Dr. Mark Heath's testimony on behalf of two murder defendants came in a Lorain County hearing on the constitutionality of state's method for putting prisoners to death.

Heath, an assistant professor of anesthesiology at Columbia University, says it's possible to perform lethal injection of prisoners in a humane manner, but that Ohio's method falls below the standard for euthanizing household pets.

Under cross-examination, Heath testified that he is personally opposed to the death penalty in whatever form it's carried out. Heath, who has testified about lethal injection in 11 states, also said he has not found an acceptable method for lethal injection of humans in any state.

Ohio requires its executions be carried out "in a professional, humane, sensitive and dignified manner."

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Mark Heath testified that the design of Ohio's death house was problematic because it separates the inmate from the person administering the drugs in two separate rooms. The rooms are separated by a one-way mirror.

"Doing it that way substantially increases the risk of a major problem occurring," said Heath, adding later, "I would never induce general anesthesia from a different room through long tubing." The two men facing murder charges say the state's lethal injection procedure doesn't give the quick and painless deaths required by state law.

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Other problems that could occur come during the mixing of the anesthetic — sodium thiopental, which is sold in powder form — and the insertion of the catheters in the veins and kinks in the IV tubing, said Heath.

Difficulties with two executions in recent years, in which the execution team struggled to find suitable veins in inmates' arms, brought complaints that the method is unconstitutionally cruel and unusual. Ohio officials stand by the procedure.
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When asked why a student would order from dormdrinks.com rather than just utilizing the Huddle or vending machines, Jeffrey explained that while every bud can be water from a vending machine it costs $1.35, a bud from water from dormdrinks.com costs only $0.95 on average. "Even with the delivery fee tacked on, it is much cheaper than the Huddle or the vending machines." Jeffrey said.

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Bowles said Pence's protest was not specifically aimed at the Saint Mary's dining service, and Pence asked him for permission to hang her artwork in the Cyber Cafe. Pence was pleased with the message she's putting out, he said. "It's a worthwhile effort."

Instead, Pence said she was hoping to raise awareness about how poorly animals are treated in some parts of the food industry, specifically those run by big corporations. "It's all for economic profit of big corporations so they can kill their products quicker and get things on the shelves faster even though it's not the healthiest of products," Pence said.

Pence's faculty advisor Julie Tourtillotte said the artwork called attention to "the often inhumane treatment of animals in the meat production industry," she said.

The images hanging from the ceiling, which Tourtillotte described as "ghostlike forms or spirits of these animals" are the result of students that these animals had lived and were killed in cruel manners.

When people think about how animals are raised they often have these picturesque images in their minds of farms with chickens running around freely, Tourtillotte said.

"We don't think about the long buildings that smell strongly of ammonia and a dozen chickens are crammed into a cage and not allowed to move at all during their life times," she said.

Pence also compiled a video using video clips from various web sites for display in the Cyber Cafe. But the film, which showed the actual inhumane acts, was deemed inappropriate for display in an eating establishment, Pence said.

"They wouldn't allow me to incorporate that because it was too graphic," she said. No one from Sodexho was available for comment about this.

"It's all for economic profit of big corporations so they can kill their products quicker and get things on the shelves faster even though it's not the healthiest of products," Pence stressed that she wasn't displaying the "ghostlike" poultry and the posters, which can also be seen in Moreau Art Gallery, to be offensive or "in-your-face."

"You know, being an artist, I don't try to affect any one point of view by making a statement saying that they have to agree with me, its more of an attempt to make people think," she said. "I'm not trying to offend anyone."

Pence said she only wants students to stop for a moment and think about the life of the animal that they are eating and whether or not they were treated humanely.

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Mendoza endorses U.N. initiative
Business school says it will encourage corporate responsibility

Special to The Observer

The Principles for Responsible Management Education (PRIME), a United Nations-backed global initiative developed to promote corporate responsibility and sustainability in business education, has now been endorsed by more than 100 business schools and universities from around the world, including Notre Dame. Carolyn Woo, Martin J. Gillen Dean of Notre Dame's Mendoza College of Business, was among the international task force of 60 deans, university presidents and official representatives of leading business schools that developed the initiative, which was launched under the patronage of U.N. Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon in July 2007.

Participating institutions, including Mendoza, make a commitment to align their mission and strategy, as well as their core competencies — education, research and thought leadership — with U.N. values embodied by the six PRIME principles.

Actions encouraged under the initiative's framework include curriculum development around the corporate responsibility agenda and research in support of sustainable management systems, as well as public advocacy and opinion leadership to advance responsible business practices.

"Thanks to the joint outreach by all partners, the PRIME initiative has reached this critical milestone of 100 signatories," said Manuel Escudero, head of academic initiatives at the U.N. Global Compact, which is one of the initiative's co-conveners. Speaking on behalf of the PRIME steering committee, Escudero stressed that "this will enable the initiative to bring good efforts to scale and truly embed the sustainability agenda in the training of future business leaders."

The PRIME steering committee includes the U.N. Global Compact, the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business, the European Foundation for Management Development, the Aspen Institute's Business and Society Program, the European Academy for Business in Society, the Global Responsible Leadership Initiative, the Graduate Management Admission Council, and Net Impact.

Following its early outreach and awareness-raising efforts, the initiative is currently establishing several participant working groups to facilitate implementation of the principles and identify best practices. In addition, a Global Forum for Responsible Management Education will be convened Dec. 1 and 2 at U.N. Headquarters in New York.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Teenagers raid school with baseball bats

SYDNEY, Australia — Five teenagers brandishing baseball bats and machetes rampaged through a suburban school Monday and bit a teacher in the head, police said. Sixteen students were treated for minor injuries.

The drama unfolded as hundreds attended an annual outdoor athletics event. As the attackers moved in, teachers rushed the students back to class, where they sought refuge behind locked doors, under desks, even in a cupboard.

Police said they believed the brazenness of how they entered the school, "Police Detective Inspector Jim Stewart said. Such school violence is rare in Australia.

The teens, between the ages of 14 and 16, were arrested and likely would be charged with assault and other crimes, Stewart said.

Mugabe supporters target farmers

HARARE, Zimbabwe — Militant supporters of President Robert Mugabe targeted whites Monday, focusing on a dozen farmers and ranchers off their land as Mugabe's longtime ruler faces international tensions amid fears he will turn to violence to hold on to power.

Mugabe's opponents pressed a lawsuit seeking to compel the publication of results of the March 29 presidential election that they say they won.

The opposition leader urged the international community to persuade Mugabe to step down.

NATIONAL NEWS

Post most Pulitzer winning paper

NEW YORK — The Washington Post won six Pulitzers on Monday, including its first history — including awards for its coverage of the Virginia Tech massacre and a series exposing shoddy treatment of America's war wounded at Walter Reed hospital.

The New York Times received two Pulitzers: one for investigative reporting, for stories on toxic ingredients in medicine and other products from China, and one for explanatory reporting, for examining the ethical issues surrounding DNA testing.

Previously, the Post won as many as four Pulitzers in a single year. In 2006, the record is six, one for each of its Sunday sections, mostly for its coverage of the Sept. 11 attacks.

Coast Guard calls off search for pilot

BOSTON, Maine — The Coast Guard ended its search for the pilot of a small aerobatic plane that crashed into the ocean near the town of Wiscasset.

The Coast Guard received a call of a SHA- 500 helicopter (SF-260) with one person aboard crashing into Bellea Bay near the Belfast airport around 6 p.m. Sunday.

The Coast Guard identified the pilot as a 60-year-old Doug Low of Lincolnville, the owner of Ace Aviation.

Coast Guard officials said an oil slick and debris matching the description of the plane were located about a mile offshore. During the nearly 15-hour search that ended Monday morning, Coast Guard and Maine Marine Patrol vessels and two Coast Guard helicopters were assisted by local agencies.

LOCAL NEWS

Blood Center debuts new technology

INDIANAPOLIS — The Indiana Blood Center has introduced a new fingerprint technology that allows donors to register and give.

The center debuted fingerprint identification instead of presenting a picture ID or Social Security number.

"We just thought this kind of solves all kinds of issues that can arise," said Lara Poore, vice president of quality systems for the Indiana Blood Center. "Your finger is always with you."

UNITED KINGDOM

Princess Diana’s death ruled not murder

LONDON — A coroner’s jury returned the most serious verdict within its power Monday, ruling that Princess Diana and her boyfriend were unlawfully killed because their driver and pursuing paparazzi were recklessly and negligently driving.

The jury determined the driver of the Mercedes was "grossly negligent" because he was "fighting with a head-on into a concrete pillar rather than striking the wall on the other side was a key factor in their deaths.

The jury also faulted Diana and Dodi Fayed for not buckling their seat belts.

But jurors laid the heaviest blame on the couple’s driver, Henri Paul, who had been drinking shortly before the high-speed crash that killed all three in a Paris underpass on Aug. 31, 1997, and on the paparazzi following them.

Diana’s sons, Prince William and Harry, issued a statement expressing support for the verdict and thanking the jurors for their long work.

"We agree with their verdicts, and are both hugely grateful to each and every one of them for the forbearance they have shown in accepting such significant disruption to their lives over the past six months," the princes said.

Fayed’s wealthy father, Mohamed Al Fayed, declared that the jury got it wrong. "The most important thing is, it is murder," he said as he left the Royal Courts of Justice.
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He said he was one of the only writers to criticize Giuliani’s response to the attacks, and he took issue with Giuliani’s request for New Yorkers to go about their day in a normal fashion.

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"Thane Rosenbaum
writer

"In America, we have a very snug idea of what it is to know. We are satisfied with empty knowledge," he said.

Rosenbaum claimed popular films contribute to the propagation of false knowledge.

"Unfortunately, most Americans learn from watching movies. They don’t read books or newspapers," he said.

According to Rosenbaum, these films dishonor the dead because they perpetuate a pretense that one can know the plight of genocide victims—a pretense that he believes, dishonors the dead.

"The truth is that the atrocities these movies describe are unimaginable and unknowable," Rosenbaum said.

People want to see films that are life affirming, so most filmmakers include these themes, Rosenbaum said. Films should teach about the failures of humans, not their successes, he said.

"The vast majority of the people in the Holocaust died because there were no Oskar Schindlers of Schindler’s List," Rosenbaum said. "This is not how the dead want to be remembered," he said.

These are misleading stories that make people feel better about themselves, and about humanity, Rosenbaum said. "It is very selfish to engage in artistic representations that make you feel good. Its not about you," he said. This impulse to universalize the stories of the victims is "ultimately narcissistic."

Ultimately, the tragedy of genocide is owned by the dead and the survivors, not the filmmakers, Rosenbaum said.

"They have the right to have their stories told faithfully," he said.

Given the outsiders inability to comprehend genocide, the impulse to forget and transform it is great, but this is "selfish and narcissistic," Rosenbaum said.

"If we are going to remember, why not remember genocide in a way that doesn’t force the dead to roll over and be reviled in the way that their suffering has been trivialized?" Rosenbaum said.

"We haven’t learned anything."

Thane Rosenbaum
writer

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"Genocide: Truth, Reconciliation and the Media.

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This numbness of American society is an obstacle to remembering the victims of genocide in a respectful and appropriate manner, Rosenbaum said.

In light of a genocide or similar atrocity, "the highest priority is memory, remembrance, and memorialization," he said.

However, according to Rosenbaum, many Americans are too desensitized to do so. Instead, the proper awe and humility are replaced with forgetfulness and even worse, falsity, he said.

Rosenbaum said false memory is the pretense of knowledge—it is the attempt to understand and share in the suffering of victims, when this is actually impossible to grasp.

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Film to have U.S. premiere at ND

Special to The Observer

Award-winning film producer Leslee Udwin will introduce "Mrs. Ratcliffe’s Revolution" at the film’s U.S. premiere Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Browning Cinema of the DeBartolo Performing Arts Center at Notre Dame.

The event is part of the Humor in European Film series, presented by Notre Dame’s Nanovic Institute for European Studies. Tickets for the premiere performance and a second showing at 10 p.m. that evening are $3 to $6 and are available at the center’s box office or may be purchased over the phone at 574-631-2800.

Directed by Billie Eltringham, "Mrs. Ratcliffe’s Revolution" is a dark comedy that tells how one woman finds her voice, takes control of her life and restores the balance to her distinctively dysfunctional family. In her presentation, Udwin will share her experiences as a producer and her inspiration for the movie, which is based on the true story of a family’s defection to — and later, escape from — East Berlin in the 1960s.

Udwin’s other films include "Who Bombed Birmingham?" and "East is East," which won 25 international awards, including British Film of the Year, the 2000 Cannes Media Prize and Best Film at the Galway Film Festival. Udwin also won the London Critics’ Circle Award for British Producer of the Year in 2000.

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rooms. When he saw that some of the rooms he entered had students in them, he asked for someone by name who did not live in the room.

The thefts last week in Lyons took place during the same time of day, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Johnson said last week.

NDSP learned that Valparaiso University has experienced similar burglaries with a suspect who described himself as a victim and the thefts were matched by the suspect in Notre Dame’s recent campus robberies, Johnson said last week.

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Bargaining teams will meet Wednesday in hopes of ending six-week axle strike

The strike has caused a parts shortage that has forced General Motors Corp. to close or curtail work at 29 factories, as well as a Hummer plant run by AM General LLC.

But on Monday, GM confirmed it would restart truck plants in Fort Wayne, Ind., and Oshawa, Ontario, that had been closed since late February because of the strike.

The Fort Wayne plant will go to one shift this week, then to the normal two shifts for the next four weeks, spokesman Dan Flores said. Oshawa will resume two-shift production for three weeks starting April 21, he said.

Flores would not say from where the plants will get parts. GM announced last week that it would shut down its Arlington, Texas, large SUV plant for three weeks starting April 14. That plant had remained in operation using parts from an American Axle plant in Mexico.

GM has not built full-sized pickup trucks since Feb. 29, yet the company still has a 118-day supply, according to Ward's AutoInfoBank.

On the American Axle pickup lines in Detroit Monday, there was optimism that the high-level meeting could lead to a settlement ending the strike.

Worker Scott Reinke of New Baltimore said it's a sign that GM is starting to pressure American Axle to settle the dispute, which until recently had affected only factories that make large sport utility vehicles and pickup trucks that aren't selling well.

**In Brief**

**Tribes reach deal to protect salmon**

**Associated Press**

WASHINGTON - A compromise reached Monday with four Northwest Indian tribes would commit federal agencies to spend $450 million over the next decade on improving conditions for endangered salmon while balancing hydroelectric dams that harm fish.

The deal would end years of legal battles between the Bush administration and the four Northwest tribes.

However, the agreement won't affect a fifth tribe that is party to a lawsuit challenging the lower Snake River dams and is not party to a settlement.

Any scientifically sound plan must include increased spill at the two dozen dams and irrigation projects along the Columbia and Snake rivers as well as removal of four outdated dams on the lower Snake River in Eastern Washington, Shale said.

Any agreement should benefit salmon and power demands from the region's network of hydroelectric dams.

"This deal defies the decades of salmon science that say salmon recovery in the Columbia and Snake River Basin is not possible with habitat and hatchery programs alone," said Bill Shale, a retired U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service official who advises a Northwest sportfishing group.

"We have spent decades arguing to... help fish and less time litigation," Wright said.

The agreement calls for federal agencies to expand tribal efforts to protect endangered and threatened fish in the Columbia River Basin, spending up to $900 million over 10 years for hatchery improvements, stream restoration work, screens to protect fish and additional spillways on some of the dams.
GARDEN CITY, N.Y. — Alex Koehne had a love for life, and always wanted to help people.

So when his parents were told he was dying of bacterial meningitis — an infection of the fluid surrounding the brain and spinal cord that may cause permanent neurological damage — they suspected he had contracted it while he was stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia.

"This is strictly a personal choice of the family and not something we're involved with," Monica Mangarano, Fort Benning spokesperson, said she was not aware of another time where the widow of a soldier stationed at the base made such a request.

"This is strictly a personal choice of the family and not something we're involved with," Mangarano said.

Koehne's body was to be flown Monday from Dover Air Force Base in Delaware to Texas, where a funeral is planned this Friday, according to the widow's family.

The widow's attorney, Yvonne Watkins, said her daughter hopes to have her husband's sperm artificially inseminated as early as this summer.
EGYPT

Police attack rioters as violence escalates

Associated Press

MAHALLA EL-KOBRÁ, Egypt—Police attacked protesters who tore down a billboard of President Hosni Mubarak in a northern city Monday in the second day of violence fueled by elections Tuesday because of mass arrests of its members in recent months.

Prices of cooking oil, rice and other staples have nearly doubled since the beginning of the year and arrested more than 1,000 of its members in recent months. Nearly 40 percent of Egyptians live under the internationally defined poverty line of $2 a day. Complaints that the government is reversing a decision to participate in local elections Tuesday because of mass arrests of its members in recent months.

Thousand of demonstrators torched buildings, looted shops and hurled bricks at police in the Nile Delta city of Mahalla al-Kobra on Sunday. Nearly 100 others were

BELGIUM

EU OKs cell phone usage on planes

Calls will be connected through onboard base station linked to satellite

Associated Press

BRUSSELS — You can use your cell phone in the skies over Europe later this year under new rules that will allow air travelers to stay in touch — and raise the crime-inducing prospect of sitting rocks at a billboard of Mubarak and slashing it with knives before toppling it.

Riot police charged the group, firing heavy volleys of tear gas, pulling some of the men to the pavement and beating them with batons or fists. Protesters threw stones or canisters of tear gas at the police.

At least 25 people were arrested, and 15 protesters and five police men were hurt, security officials said on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to talk to the press.

The government appears worried by the unrest and lifted import restrictions on cell phones Monday, throwing open the door to grabb bars on the use of cell phones in the sky. The EU insists the change will not compromise safety.

Cell phone calls will be connected through an onboard base station — think of a miniature cell phone tower — linked to a satellite and then to ground networks. A flight's captain will have the power to turn off service anytime.

Phone service will be blocked during takeoff and landing, EU spokesman Martin Smulders of Halle, Belgium, who commutes by train.

In the United States, cell phone use on flights is banned by two regulatory agencies. Both said Monday they had no plans to change their rules.

Alison Duquette, a spokeswoman for the Federal Aviation Administration, said the agency had a concern that the phones could interfere with planes' electronic equipment.

"The bottom line for us is that the FAA has no plans to allow passengers to use cell phones on commercial flights," Duquette said.

The Federal Communications Commission also bans cell phone use on flights, out of concern for interfering with cell phone networks on the ground. That agency opened a review of that issue in 2004 but ended it last year without taking action.

On European flights, installing a base station on the plane will allow calls to go directly to a satellite system, preventing phones from wreaking havoc with flight instruments by sending out signals indiscriminately, EU officials said.

The system will rely on European GSM technology. Although the technical standards for American and European GSM phones are different, American GSM phones would work on European flights.

Installing small base stations on planes helps ensure phones won't give off strong signals trying to connect with a tower on the ground. But Dave Carson, co-chairman of an RTCA Inc. committee studying wireless safety on planes for the FAA, said there was still a risk that a phone might try to connect with a ground tower.

In Europe, travelers will be allowed to turn on their phones after planes climb past 10,000 feet. That's when other electronic devices are typically permitted. Captains will also be able to block cell phone service during turbulence.
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A toast to
Daniel Cerrone

It is 2:05 AM Sunday morning, and partiiates just struck Siegfried Hall. I just had a great time hanging out with my friends tonight, and yes, alcohol was involved. The young men of my section enjoyed the Final Four basketball games tonight with the help of our faithful friends from Milwaukee. Hourly laughs were aplenty, and beer was certainly part of enjoying our time together. We gathered around to knock on such an enjoyable beverage.

Yet our intemal event was the immorality of intoxication and those who choose to consume alcohol ("Rethinking alcohol consumption, April 4"). The letter cited Catholic morality and the virtue of responsibilities as the reasons for alcohol's sinfulness. We as a Notre Dame community must question this questioning of alcohol's morality.

Jesus himself condemned the consumption of alcohol amongst friends. What was his first miracle, the coming out party of His reign on earth? It was this biblical equivalency of a late night beer. And not only did Jesus turn water into wine in order to keep the wedding party going, but He made the good stuff. His friends and family raved about how great it was for Jesus to save the best, albeit miraculous, buzz for last. Jesus and His brother parted on.

The truth is, alcohol consumption is a personal choice. While I cannot justifiably condemn Cerrone's personal opinion, I can certainly ask him to consider that his opinion is the moral authority on the matter.

Unnecessary change in the sincerity

Those who choose to partake in alcohol consumption are not wrong for doing so, and the good times they enjoy with friends are not immoral. Moreover, alcohol does not change one's opinions, it just turns the coin sorter. It has been said that drunken words are sober thoughts, and if someone only appears sexist or racist when they are drunk, then they are not sexist or racist when they are sober.

Cerrone also states that friendships formed while under alcohol's influence are false. I have plenty of real, live friends that I met while drinking who would beg to differ.

Alcohol can be a social lubricant, helping strangers get to know each other with a common activity and without some of the awkward inhibitions. This is college. Alcohol is a part of social life. Notre Dame's party scene is modest at best, and we can do without the image of Cerrone striking our morality for trying to have a good time. There is nothing evil about choosing to involve alcohol in what little free time we have to enjoy with the good friends we are with for a few years of our winning youth. Jesus is welcome to party with me anytime. Cerrone, you're welcome to tag along too: who knows, you might just have fun.

Dane Wemple
sophomore
Siegfried Hall
April 6
The phrase "Faust at Notre Dame" has been thrown around a lot this year, appearing on posters and in seminars across campus, but this month is coming to its grand climax. Two productions of Faust, a play and an opera, are opening. The renowned work "The Tragical History of Doctor Faustus" opens this evening on the Decio Mainstage Theatre, in what will prove to be one of the most inventive and innovative productions of the piece this side of Shakespeare.

This production will prove to be far more than a simple retelling of the Faust story. Its conventions are unexpected, especially of a work as old and revered as Faust. Faust himself is the only character to wear seemingly normal clothing. The rest of the cast dons tight-fitting body suits in different colors. The idea of "ensemble" is stressed, and the actors portray devils present among us in the world.

Huyen Nguyen, one of the actresses of the ensemble, says she found herself in this production because she enjoyed working with the director, Anton Juan, in voice and movement class. She says that he is "a wonderful director. World renowned. This is the first show I've worked with him, and it's quite an experience. He asks you to think outside the box," she said. She hints that the show "will be very stimulating for the senses." Nguyen described how Juan asked that their voices be "otherworldly, because sins are not of this world."

It is a technically heavy show. Caitlyn Madden, Assistant Technical Director, stressed that it is "one of the best shows going on here, and will have plenty of spectacle. There's a lot to see." The costumes and tech work help create a show that is "exciting, dark and intriguing."

Juan describes it as "thud as a nightmare, but as hilarious as burlesque." It centers on "the choice of man between good and evil, and the edges of presumption and despair." The production is worked so that it invokes the general feeling of the painting "Garden of Delight" by Bosch, which is three panels visual of debauchery, but has very strong similarities to the Garden of Eden.

The cast is large at 23 people, and several stage managers and dressers. It is one of the biggest shows FIT has ever put on. "It is visually delightful with lots of surprises," Juan said. "There are surprises from theatre floor to theatre ceiling."

The Tragical History of Doctor Faustus is one of Marlowe's most famous plays. The story follows the tale of a prideful professor who sells his soul to the devil in exchange for great power. The play originally debuted in connection with the works of Shakespeare in the 1590s and is widely considered the first theatrical representation of the legend of Faust.

According to the play's official website, the production is part of the College of Arts and Letters' "Faust at Notre Dame," a series of events that explores the figure of Faust, the ideas behind the figure, its 500-year tradition and how it connects the many disciplines of the College.

Other events include a series of Faust-related films, a reconstruction of the 1859 version of Gounod's opera, Faust, an exhibit of illustrations in the Suite Museum of Art, a Faust at Notre Dame interdisciplinary scholarly conference, a University Seminar, "Doctor Faustus: Selling One's Soul to the Devil" and College Seminar classes.

Overall, the series examines the Faust theme, that is, the human desire for power, the temptations of the devil, and the idea of Christian redemption — all through the scope of one of the greatest and most powerful plays ever written.

Tickets are $12 for the general public, $10 for faculty/staff/students and $8 for all students and can be purchased at the DPAC box office or online at performingarts.nd.edu.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 8 through SATURDAY, APRIL 12 AT 7:30

THURSDAY, APRIL 17 AT 7:30

SUNDAY, APRIL 13 and SATURDAY, APRIL 19 AT 2:30

ON THE DECIO MAINSTAGE THEATRE AT DPAC
By CHRISTINE NGUYEN  
Scene Writer

A beloved "Saturday Night Live" skit opens with Molly Shannon and Ana Gasteyer speaking softly into microphones about cracked wheat and how exciting sandwiches are. In walks Alec Baldwin carrying what only he can describe as "Schweatty Balls." This is what most students imagine when someone mentions Public Radio.

Though occasionally Terri Gross does wax poetically about the smell of old books and the joys of fresh vegetables, NPR is much more than just news and old ladies.

Public Radio is a media outlet that offers reality outside of "Reality TV." While "Rock of Love II," "Flavor of Love 27," and "A Pitcher of Shame and Self-Loathing w/ Tila Tequila" may fill up the DVR of many Notre Dame students, there is an alternative. Now, to be fair, this alternative requires that the viewer give up what has become an integral part of entertainment: the visual part. However, the payoff is big, at least big enough to merit actually listening to a radio broadcast.

"This American Life" is a truly unique and amazing show that is a much better commentary on real contemporary American society than most reality television. It was mentioned on "The O.C." for crying out loud. To an integral scene, which the show's host, Ira Glass, talks about during his live tour, Seth mentions TAL, to which Summer rebukes "'This American Life'? Isn't that the show by hipster know-its all who talk about how fascinating ordinary people are?" As unexciting and often pretentious as Public Radio may seem, there is an unattached source of humor and amazing storytelling that lies between the speakers. Listeners of TAL know that the stories and themes selected each week by the Ira and the staff of frequent contributors range anywhere from readings of salacious high school diaries, performed publicly by members of the traveling show "Mortified," then recorded by TAL, and broadcast to listeners free of censure, to real stories of bunks traveling thousands of miles away to attend an Israeli Zionist-themed summer camp.

Each show has at least three or four different segments, all based around a common theme. Each segment focuses on either a documentary piece, with interviews and events being documented, the reading of a short story, or the recording of a performance. While stories range from sad to hilarious, there is something interesting for everyone. If you are not convinced, listen to the last segment of "My Experimental Life," if you ever wondered what the diary of a formerly sheltered Catholic school girl who got the chance to go to public school, and subsequently went what Flavor Flav would call "Buckwild," would sound like, here's your chance. Yes, it's everything you think it would be and worse.

Earlier this year, Ira Glass made the exciting announcement that TAL will be broadcast in theaters, via satellite, so that loyal listeners and new ones all over the country will be able to enjoy the show both visually and audibly. Last year, TAL also made the leap to television, showing just six episodes on Showtime, with TAL heading out to various locations. This time, instead of the usual recording with a tape and microphone on location, they took the time to film a live recording on stage, making this a completely new venture for the show.

The only theatre within fifty miles to be showing this live taping is the Mishawaka 14. Tickets went on sale April 4 for the May 1 showing at 8 p.m. and are sure to sell out. They are available online at the Mishawaka 14 website, as well as at the box office.

You can catch "This American Life" through the following:

Radio Broadcast: Tune in every Saturday at 4 p.m. WVPE 88.1 FM

Podcast: Search "This American Life" on iTunes. Totally free updated every Monday morning. The best way to listen because shows are downloaded automatically and can be loaded onto an iPod to be listened to in the car or on the way to class.

Streaming Online: ThisLife.org has every show ever aired available for free, streaming online. Click "On The Radio" and then "Listen." On TV: The season may be over, but YouTube has segments of the TAL television show originally aired on Showtime.

In Theatres: May 1, 8 p.m. at the Mishawaka 14 Theatre.

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**Club Sports**

Ultimate highlights weekend of Irish club sports

Women's water polo wins three of four at Invitational; Men's rowing grabs two top-three finishes at Crew Classic

**Men's Rowing**

Notre Dame sent two boats to San Diego last weekend to compete in the 35th annual San Diego Crew Classic on Mission Bay.

Notre Dame Novice eight boat finished third in the Petite Final on Saturday afternoon in a time of 6:30:25. The Notre Dame Varsity eight boat also finished third in the Petite Final, 5th overall.

Notre Dame's top boat narrowly missed a second-place finish — which would have qualified them for the grand final — by a margin of only 0.33 seconds behind the University of California Davis Saturday morning. The Petite Final was run and tuck down the course between the top three boats, Notre Dame, Drexel, and the University of San Diego. Drexel jumped out to an early lead, which it would not relinquish despite a strong challenge from the San Diego and Notre Dame crews in the final 500 meters.

Notre Dame and San Diego battled back and forth before the Notre Dame boat took a slight advantage, finishing in first place in 2:19.45, 40 meters of the 2000-meter race. The San Diego boat pushed at the finish and the Irish couldn't answer.

**Equestrian**

The Notre Dame/Saint Mary's equestrian team took second place in the IHSA Regionals at Beach Park, Illinois, Saturday.

The Notre Dame women's squad opened the weekend against Valparaiso, winning easily 13-1. It followed with another victory over DePaul, 13-3. The team's third game of the day came against long-time rival, Purdue.

Brickhouse, Seniors Loretta Brown and Libby Whiting drove the offense against a quick, brickhouse defense, and junior handler Jean Whitney played exceptionally well as the Irish came out on top 15-3.

Sunday morning featured a single-elimination bracket, with Notre Dame facing North Park in the quarterfinals. The Irish came out hot against the Fighting Irish, taking 5-2 advantage to build the Irish wins over all three of the remaining teams.

Notre Dame took on a South Bend club team as the team finished in fifth place in the IHSA Regionals at Beach Park, Illinois, Saturday.

**Gymnastics**

The Notre Dame/Saint Mary's gymnastics team opened their season against the Michigan State University women's gymnastics team with a 156.300-155.775 victory.

The club did not place in the first event of the season, the 2000-meter run, as it pulled away from the alumni team with a strong performance in the balance beam. The Irish finished second in the balance beam with a score of 49.050, while the alumni finished third with a score of 47.325.

The Irish took second place in the second event of the season, the 400-meter relay, with a time of 45.480. The alumni finished third with a time of 46.150.

The Irish took third place in the third event of the season, the 4×200-meter relay, with a time of 1:38.620. The alumni finished second with a time of 1:38.080.

The Irish took fourth place in the fourth event of the season, the 100-meter dash, with a time of 11.980. The alumni finished first with a time of 11.760.

The Irish took fifth place in the fifth event of the season, the 200-meter dash, with a time of 23.680. The alumni finished second with a time of 23.280.

The Irish took sixth place in the sixth event of the season, the 4×400-meter relay, with a time of 3:33.970. The alumni finished third with a time of 3:32.150.

The Irish took seventh place in the seventh event of the season, the 1500-meter run, with a time of 4:32.470. The alumni finished second with a time of 4:28.370.

The Irish took eighth place in the eighth event of the season, the 5000-meter run, with a time of 13:55.580. The alumni finished first with a time of 13:43.620.

The Irish took ninth place in the ninth event of the season, the 10,000-meter run, with a time of 31:39.020. The alumni finished second with a time of 31:28.530.

The Irish took tenth place in the tenth event of the season, the 15,000-meter run, with a time of 47:20.630. The alumni finished first with a time of 46:59.240.

The Irish took eleventh place in the eleventh event of the season, the 50,000-meter run, with a time of 1:31:54.360. The alumni finished first with a time of 1:31:19.810.

The Irish took twelfth place in the twelfth event of the season, the 100,000-meter run, with a time of 2:57:59.380. The alumni finished first with a time of 2:56:42.930.

The Irish took thirteenth place in the thirteenth event of the season, the 150,000-meter run, with a time of 4:48:04.640. The alumni finished first with a time of 4:46:29.800.

The Irish took fourteenth place in the fourteenth event of the season, the 200,000-meter run, with a time of 6:40:05.080. The alumni finished first with a time of 6:38:54.760.

The Irish took fifteenth place in the fifteenth event of the season, the 250,000-meter run, with a time of 11:41:50.800. The alumni finished first with a time of 11:39:58.240.

The Irish took sixteenth place in the sixteenth event of the season, the 300,000-meter run, with a time of 16:43:47.280. The alumni finished first with a time of 16:41:51.640.

The Irish took seventeenth place in the seventeenth event of the season, the 350,000-meter run, with a time of 21:45:45.200. The alumni finished first with a time of 21:43:43.960.

The Irish took eighteenth place in the eighteenth event of the season, the 400,000-meter run, with a time of 26:47:44.120. The alumni finished first with a time of 26:45:48.080.

The Irish took nineteenth place in the nineteenth event of the season, the 450,000-meter run, with a time of 31:49:44.240. The alumni finished first with a time of 31:47:44.080.

The Irish took twentieth place in the twentieth event of the season, the 500,000-meter run, with a time of 36:51:45.240. The alumni finished first with a time of 36:49:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-first place in the twenty-first event of the season, the 550,000-meter run, with a time of 41:53:46.120. The alumni finished first with a time of 41:51:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-second place in the twenty-second event of the season, the 600,000-meter run, with a time of 46:55:47.080. The alumni finished first with a time of 46:53:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-third place in the twenty-third event of the season, the 650,000-meter run, with a time of 51:57:48.200. The alumni finished first with a time of 51:55:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-fourth place in the twenty-fourth event of the season, the 700,000-meter run, with a time of 56:59:49.240. The alumni finished first with a time of 56:57:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-fifth place in the twenty-fifth event of the season, the 750,000-meter run, with a time of 61:61:50.280. The alumni finished first with a time of 61:59:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-sixth place in the twenty-sixth event of the season, the 800,000-meter run, with a time of 66:63:51.320. The alumni finished first with a time of 66:61:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-seventh place in the twenty-seventh event of the season, the 850,000-meter run, with a time of 71:65:52.360. The alumni finished first with a time of 71:63:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-eighth place in the twenty-eighth event of the season, the 900,000-meter run, with a time of 76:67:53.400. The alumni finished first with a time of 76:65:44.080.

The Irish took twenty-ninth place in the twenty-ninth event of the season, the 950,000-meter run, with a time of 81:69:54.440. The alumni finished first with a time of 81:67:44.080.

The Irish took thirtieth place in the thirtieth event of the season, the 1,000,000-meter run, with a time of 86:71:55.480. The alumni finished first with a time of 86:69:44.080.
Olympic torch extinguished during protests

Associated Press

PARIS — Security officials extinguished the Olympic torch three times Monday as protests against China's human rights record turned a relay through Paris into a chaotic series of stops and starts.

Despite massive security, at least two activists got within almost an arm's length of the flame before they were grabbed by police. Officers tackled many protesters and carried off some of them. A protester threw water at the torch but failed to extinguish it and was also taken away.

At the start of the relay, a man identified as a Green Party activist was grabbed by security officers as he headed for 1997 400-meter world champion Stephane Diagana. The man was tackled before he got close to Diagana.

The procession continued but, soon after, a crowd of activists waving Tibetan flags interrupted it for the first time by confronting the torchbearer. The demonstrators did not appear to get close to the torch, but its flame was put out by security officers and brought on a bus to continue along the route.

Less than an hour later, the flame was being carried out when the procession was halted by activists who boarded and chanted "Tibet." Once again, the torch was temporarily extinguished and put on a bus despite protesters' apparent failure to get close.

Some 3,000 officers were deployed on motorcycles, in jogging gear and using inline roller skates. Still, police barely stopped the second rush at the torch, and the attempt to extinguish it with water.

The torch was extinguished for the third time when police interrupted the procession as a precaution because they spotted a crowd of demonstrators on a bridge they were approaching.

Riot police squatted tear gas to break up a sixth protest by about 300 pro-Tibet demonstrators who blocked the torch route.

French President Nicolas Sarkozy has left open the possibility of boycotting the Olympic opening ceremony in Beijing depending on how the situation evolves in Tibet. Foreign Minister Bernard Kouchner said Monday that was still the case.

The torch relay also is expected to face demonstrations in San Francisco, New Delhi and possibly elsewhere in its 21-stop, six-continent tour before arriving in mainland China May 4.

Olympics

Davydenko defeats No. 2 Nadal in Sony Ericsson Open

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. — The men’s tennis tour moves to clay, top-ranked Roger Federer and No. 2 Rafael Nadal have yet to win a tournament this year.

There was no question about his effort when Davydenko belted one final forehand winner against Nadal. Davydenko broke at love to take the lead for good at 4-3 in the first set, and in the second set he lost only two of 19 points on his serve to pull away.

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Nadal has yet to win a title this year as the tour switches to clay, his favorite surface.

"I think soon I am going to win a title," Nadal said. "I hope so."

Ochoa’s impressive win alludes to four majors titles

NEWPORT BEACH, Calif. — Lorena Ochoa continued her dominance of women’s golf with a five-shot victory in the Kraft Nabisco Championship, giving her the last two majors by a combined nine shots. She was the only player without a top-five finish all year.

She won by five shots over Suzann Pettersen and Annika Sorenstam, among many major champions being surpassed by Ochoa.

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Ochoa, who finished at 11 under 277, never trailed under the blazing desert sun, and was threatened only briefly.

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Ochoa became the first player since Pettersen and Annika Sorenstam in 2005 to win consecutive majors, and with as much dominance as Tiger Woods enjoys on the PGA Tour, she also has raised possibilities of winning all four majors.
ATP
Davydenko looks to close gap in rankings

Federer's struggles have opened up ATP race

Associated Press

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. — As the clay court season's opening tournament, the BNP Paribas Open is the first Russian to win the Key Biscayne Open — men's championship. He won a U.S. tournament title in 2002, and he laughed when asked if the accomplishment will make him more famous.

"It's not difficult to be famous, I need to win tournaments here," Davydenko said.

In the final, that racket delivered serves at up to 122 mph, allowing the 5-foot-10 Davydenko to win five service games and love. He totaled 19 winners and had only 12 unforced errors, and his penetrating groundstrokes forced the corners repeatedly made Nadal hit shots late and wide.

The speedy Davydenko also came forward to win 17 points at the net.

"I can't play better today, because he played at an unbelievable level," Nadal said. "I didn't feel my rhythm on court. He played more aggressively, with more good feelings."

Davydenko has yet to win a title this year, as the tour switches to clay. His only victory came in Otoe end the Cardinal's first Final Four in 11 years. He won't be on the two stars, but great things happen to small teams.

"We both realize we've got great support around us and I think that's what it really comes down to," Wiggins said. "And so it's not me versus her, it's Stanford versus Tennessee." The Lady Vols (35-2), who beat LSU on Sunday night on four服务 games and love. We were watching the championship national game," Parker said. "She was a ball of energy, aReceipt, the Cardinal's other 6-foot-2, added 17 points and Jaynee Appel, the Cardinal's other 6-foot-2 post player, finished with 15 points and 10 rebounds.

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"I remember the Stanford game like it was yesterday," Parker said. "We talk about how it ruined our Christmas and ending the year on a low.

Wiggins scored 22 and

Women's Basketball
Vols, Stanford meet in finals

Parker, Wiggins renew old youth rivalry on college's biggest stage

Associated Press

TAMPA, Fla. — Candace Parker and Candace Wiggins made memorable first impressions on each other when they met on a basketball court as kids. Both hope the final snapshot from their stellar college careers will include a national championship.

"We were in a 13-year-old and AAAU tournament in Florida, actually. She was like 6-foot-2 at 12," Wiggins said. "I remember being just like, wow, because she was different then. There's nobody in the game like her. I think she's carrying all the pressure and all of that really well and I really respect her for that.

"The feeling is mutual. Parker led Tennessee to its seventh national title a year ago and will try to help the Lady Vols become the first repeat champs since Connecticut won three straight from 2002-04, when they meet Stanford on Tuesday night for the championship.

"I remember watching her play when we were in eighth grade and we were watching the championship national game," Parker said. "She was a ball of energy, aFirst, the confidence of beating Tennessee is huge," VanDerveer said. "I'm sure Pat (Summitt) might pull out that tape.

Stanford enters the final with the nation's longest winning streak at 23 games. The Pac-10 champs haven't lost since dropping consecutive road games to UCLA and USC in the first week of January. The Cardinal is riding high after avenging a November loss to UConn, a 12-point setback that prompted VanDerveer to limit her offense and gave Wiggins and her teammates a sense of how much work needed to be done.

"They're a better team now," Summitt said. "I'm glad that we've played them. We know their tendencies. We've got our work cut out for us".

Wiggins had 25 points, 13 rebounds and five assists to pace Stanford's upset of UConn. Kelsey Griffin added 17 points and Jaynee Appel, the Cardinal's other 6-foot-2 post player, finished with 15 points and 10 rebounds.

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"We've got to make shots," Summitt said. "We were really overanxious and after watching the tape, I'm even more convinced of that."
Fans vote in naming of team

MLS's newest expansion team will take the name Seattle Sounders FC

Associated Press

SEATTLE — The newest Major League Soccer team will be called Seattle Sounders FC.

About half the 14,500 fans who voted on the team name wrote in Sounders. That was about 20 percent more than the choices offered by the club: Alliance, Republic or Seattle FC.

Club officials didn't want the traditional Sounders name, but fans had the write-in option. The Sounders name has been identified with soccer in Seattle since 1974. The team also unveiled its logo Monday, which shows a silhouette of the Space Needle against a blue and green background with the words "Seattle Sounders FC" written across it.

The Seattle MLS team already has deposits for 13,000 season tickets. Play begins in March 2009 in Qwest Field.

Seattle will be the 15th team in the MLS.

NCAA FOOTBALL

LSU meets President on White House trip

National champion Tigers meet with Bush

WASHINGTON — Louisiana State University's football team took a wild route to the national championship — losing twice in triple overtime, taking lots of fourth-down risks, grabbing a spot in the title game only when other teams lost late in the year. It was a season in which no school was on top for long.

Until the end.

"LSU was number one on the day it counted," President Bush said Monday in a White House ceremony honoring the team. "That's why they're here."

LSU clubbed Ohio State 38-24 to win it all in January. Bush lauded the team's success on a damp, misty afternoon on the South Lawn. The players, standing on a riser behind Bush and along both staircases of the South Portico, smiled as Bush cracked one-liners and recapped their dramatic season.

The president noted some of the team's best known contributors, including quarterback Matt Flynn and defensive standout Glenn Dorsey. He described the team's coach, Les Miles, as a risk-taker and a street leader. (He also ribbed him for not wearing his customary LSU hat, calling the sight "rare and memorable.")

LSU became the first two-time champion in the 10-year history of the Bowl Championship Series and the first to lose two games in a championship series. In the title game, LSU fell behind 10-0, then scored 31 unanswered points to blow open the game.

As he usually does in sports ceremonies, Bush made a point of saying the team has off-the-field duties, too. "When you leave here, I hope you leave here knowing that you've got a special responsibility, not only to represent your school on the football field, but to help make America a better place," he said.

MLB

Spiezio pleads guilty to civil charges

Braves' Spiezio agrees to offered plea deal

NEWPORT, Calif. — Scott Spiezio pleaded guilty Monday to misdemeanor drunken driving and hit-and-run charges stemming from a December car crash in Orange County.

Spiezio's lawyer entered the plea as part of a plea agreement, said Farrah Emami, a spokeswoman for county prosecutors. Spiezio was ordered to serve three years probation, undergo a three-month alcohol program, attend two Alcoholics Anonymous meetings and complete 80 hours of community service.

He must also pay about $1,700 in fines and restitution, including $839 in damages caused by the crash, she said.

Spiezio was cut by the St. Louis Cardinals in February after a warrant was issued for his arrest. Prosecutors said he crashed his car into a curb and fence in Irvine, then ran away. A neighbor told police Spiezio arrived at their condo complex appearing dazed and apparently injured. The neighbor, identified in court papers as Michael P., alleged that Spiezio punched him, causing significant injuries.

Spiezio was charged with misdemeanor counts of aggravated assault, assault and battery in connection to the neighbor's claims, but prosecutors dropped those charges because he "was pleading guilty to two counts and had a relationship" with the neighbor, Emami said.

The 35-year-old Spiezio won World Series championships with Anaheim in 2002 and St. Louis in 2006 during 12 seasons in the majors.
NCAA Men’s Basketball

Chalmers lifts Kansas past Memphis in final

Down by nine, Kansas storms back in final minutes to send game to overtime; win third title in school history

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO — So patient for 20 years, Kansas had no problem working an extra five minutes to bring a long-awaiting championship back to the heartland.

Mario Chalmers hit a 3-pointer with 2.1 seconds left in regulation to push the game into overtime and the Jayhawks grinded it out from there for a 75-68 victory Monday night over Memphis in one of the best title games in recent memory.

Chalmers’ shot pulled Kansas into it in after being down nine with 2:12 left. “We got the ball in our clutch player’s hands, and he delivered,” Kansas coach Bill Self said.

It was the first title for Kansas since 1988, when Danny Manning, now an assistant coach for the Jayhawks, led them to an upset of Oklahoma. And the shot earned Chalmers the most outstanding player honor.

“I had a good look at it,” Chalmers said. “When it left my hands it felt like it was good, and it just went in.”

The most memorable performance in this one came from freshman Derrick Rose of Memphis, who completely took over the game in the second half, scoring 14 of his team’s 16 points after intermission, and lifted the Tigers to a 60-51 lead with 2:12 left.

But Kansas (37-3) used the strategy any smart opponent of Memphis would — fouling the back out of one of the country’s worst free-throw shooting teams — and when Rose and Chris Douglas-Roberts combined to miss four of five over the last 1:12, it left the door open for KU.

Hustling the ball down the court with 10.8 seconds left and six timeouts, Sherron Collins handed off to Chalmers at the top of the 3-point line and Chalmers took the shot. It hit nothing but net and tied the score at 63.

Robert Dozier missed a desperation shot at the buzzer, and Rose went limping to the bench, favoring his right leg. Brandon Rush, Darrell Arthur and Darnell Jackson scored the first six points of overtime to put Kansas ahead 69-63. Memphis, clearly exhausted, didn’t score again.

Arthur was dominant inside, finishing with 23 points and 10 rebounds, lots on dunks and easy lay-ups off lob passes. Chalmers finished with 18 points. Rush had 12 and Collins had 11 points, six assists and did a wonderful job shutting Rose for the first 28 minutes.

Rose wound up with 18 points in a game that showed how ready he is for the NBA. He was 3-for-4 from the line, however, and that one miss with 10.8 seconds left is what almost certainly would have sealed the game and given the Tigers (38-2) their first title.

Instead, the title goes back to Lawrence for the third time in the fabled program’s history.

“If we played 10 times, it’d probably go five and five,” Self said. “We got fortunate late.”

The inventor of the game, James Naismith, was the first Jayhawks coach. It’s the school that made household names of Wilt Chamberlain, Manning — and yes, even North Carolina with 20 points and 10 rebounds, the coach who famously left the Jayhawks, lost to them in the semifinals, but was, indeed, in the Kansas cheering section to watch Self bring the title back that he never could.

This game was not about coaches or sidestories, though. It was about the game, and what a dandy it was — a well-needed reprieve from a more-or-less blah tournament in which 42 of 63 games were decided by double digits.

This was the first overtime in the title game since 1997, when Arizona beat Kentucky 84-79.

Kansas, mostly Collins, put the clamps on Rose for the first half, allowing the freshman only four shots and leaving him spiking the ball on the floor as he walked to the locker room after a frustrating 20 minutes.

It stayed that way for the first five of the second half, but Kansas couldn’t pull away. Douglas-Roberts made sure of it, winning enough of the 1-on-1 matchups that the Memphis offense creates to keep the Tigers in range.

Then, finally Rose took over — a 3-pointer here, a scooping layup for a three-point play next. Then, the capper, an off-balance, 18-foot shot off glass with the shot-clock buzzer sounding. It gave Memphis a 56-49 lead. Most teams would have been demoralized.

Clearly, Kansas is not like most teams.

In fact, the Jayhawks are a team that has come together in tragedy over the last several months. The deaths of friends and family of Jackson, Sasha Kaun and Rudrick Steward all cast a bit of a pall over this team, making Jackson wonder at times if staying at Kansas was even worth it.

But it was an injury, not a tragedy, that might have been most responsible for blending this championship formula. Rush tore up his knee during a practice game last May, and his NBA plans were put on hiatus.

He worked his way back into shape this season and is playing his best right now. He didn’t have the most impressive stat line of the night, but it hasn’t all been about stats for him in this, his junior season. His defense was stellar, as usual, and surely his experience and resolve played into Kansas’ refusal to go away.

Kansas players celebrate their 75-68 victory over Memphis in the national championship game Monday night.

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Huff’s homer seals Orioles’ sweep of Mariners

Tejada’s home-run leads Astros to victory over Cardinals; Mussina passes Gibson on wins list as Yankees beat Rays

Associated Press

BALTIMORE — Surprise, surprise. The Baltimore Orioles own the best record in the American League and the Seattle Mariners are in last place.

Sure, the season is only in its second week. Yet the rebuilding Orioles already have plenty to celebrate, most notably their first four-game sweep of Seattle since 1999 and their best start in 10 years.

Aubrey Huff homered to break an eighth-inning tie, Baltimore beat Seattle 3-4 Monday to remain atop the AL East at 5-1.

"As a team, as a whole, we’re playing great baseball right now," Huff said. "I know it’s early, but we just swept a pretty good team over there. So obviously we’re feeling pretty good, and we just want to keep up the momentum."

The Mariners and Orioles were involved in one of baseball’s biggest trades during the offseason, a 5-for-1 swap that sent Erik Bedard to Seattle. Baltimore got George Sherrill and Adam Jones, and they both played key roles in the sweep.

Sherrill pitched a perfect ninth inning Monday for his fourth save, his third in the series. Jones had an RBI on Sunday and scored the tying run in the finale to set the stage for Huff’s winning hit.

Bedard, meanwhile, was scratched from his scheduled start Sunday and has only pitched in one game.

Astros 5, Cardinals 3

Miguel Tejada’s two-run homer in the bottom of the ninth gave the Houston Astros a win over St. Louis on Monday night, snapping a five-game winning streak for the Cardinals.

Tejada’s home run to right field off Kyle McClellan (0-1) scored pinch runner Darin Erstad.

The Astros led 3-0 before the Cardinals three-hit ninth inning. Ryan Ludwick’s two-out, two RBI double off closer Jose Valverde (2-0) tied it at 3 in the top of the ninth. Cesar Izturis scored easily on the hit to right center field. Astros pitcher J.R. Towles was in position to tag Troy Glaus at home, but couldn’t hold onto the ball during a collision and Glaus scored the tying run.

A single by Aaron Miles and a walk by Izturis set up an RBI single by Glaus.

Yadier Molina grounded into a force out to end that inning.

Back-to-back homers by Lance Berkman and Carlos Lee broke a scoreless tie in the seventh inning. Berkman’s home run, which came off Cardinals starter Todd Wellemeyer, bounced off the wall in center field and put Houston ahead 1-0. Lee followed with his third home run of the year, a shot that bounced off the facade in left field.

Yankees 6, Rays 1

Mike Mussina tied Bob Gibson on the career wins list by pitching six sharp innings, Bobby Abreu hit a two-run homer and the New York Yankees beat the Tampa Bay Rays Monday night.

Abreu went 3-for-3 with a walk and Hideki Matsui drove in two runs for the Yankees, who lost Derek Jeter after two innings but salvaged a split of the four-game series before they headed west to start a difficult stretch.

New York, which scored just 17 runs in its first six games, finished with season highs for runs and hits with 11.

Mussina earned win No. 251 and is tied with Gibson for 42nd place. He struck out three to remain atop the AL East at 5-1.

Jonny Gomes homered for the Rays, who are 3-3 heading into Sunday. Tampa Bay has never finished with a winning record on its first road trip of the year.

The Yankees went 4-3 in their season-opening homestand and lost 18 of their next 20 on the road. They were scheduled to fly to Kansas City after the game for the Royals’ home opener Tuesday afternoon.

Joe Girardi may have a thin bench to work with as he starts his first trip as Yankees manager.

New York was without two regulars against the Rays and Jeter left before the third with a strained left quadriceps. First baseman Jason Giambi missed his second straight game with a sore left groin and catcher Jorge Posada got the day off.

Jeter beat out a potential double-play grounder after Johnny Damon led off the first with a single to left. Abreu then pulled a 3-1 pitch from Jason Hammel (0-1) over the wall in right to give New York a 2-0 lead in another chilly night in the Bronx.

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Irish sit in sixth place in Florida

By MICHAEL BLASCO

Following a rain-delayed start, Notre Dame women's tennis team finished in sixth place after the conclusion of the first round at the 19th-annual Cardinal Classic at Don Shula's Golf Course in Miami, Fla. The Irish were not able to start their match against Illinois on Saturday due to weather-related scheduling changes, and instead played their match on Sunday. 

In the season opener, the Irish defeated DePaul 4-0 and lost to top-ranked Penn State 4-1. 

Against DePaul, the Irish received straight set wins from seniors Alex Morante and Kristin Wetzel. Morante defeated DePaul's top player, Julia Palermo, 6-3, 6-1, and Wetzel defeated her counterpart, Monika Pongs, 6-3, 6-4. 

Against Penn State, the Irish again received straight set wins from Morante and Wetzel. Morante defeated top-ranked Penn State player Jana Cepelova 7-6 (4), 6-0, and Wetzel won 6-4, 6-2 against her counterpart, Kristin Kolzer. 

The Irish then fell to No. 28 Kent State 4-0. 

After their weather-related tournament, the Irish will travel to New York to compete in the Western Intercollegiate Tennis Classic May 3-5 at the Nassau Inn at the Nassau Inn in Princeton, N.J. 

The Irish are currently ranked No. 28 in both the ITA and the USTA Collegiate Tennis bookstore. 

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Basketball

Vitale among Hall of Fame class

By MICHAEL BLASCO

SOUTH BEND, Ind. - Vitale among Hall of Fame class

Associated Press

SAN ANTONIO - Broadcaster Dick Vitale, a man who had limited success as a coach but brought the game of basketball to millions of TV watchers, was selected to the game's Hall of Fame on Monday alongside Pat Riley, one of the most successful NBA coaches of all time.

Overcome with emotion, Vitale broke into tears during the announcement in San Antonio, site of the NCAA Men's Final Four.

"I can't run, can't jump, can't shoot, but just have had a tremendous — I'd like to think — passion about the game," said Vitale, who had a short stint as an NBA coach in the late 1970s but made his name as a college basketball analyst.

Others in the Class of 2008 were Hakeem Olajuwon and Patrick Ewing, two greats who battled on the court for years; player Adrian Dantley; coach Cathy Rush; and William Davidson, owner of the Detroit Pistons since 1974.

Over the decades, Vitale created his own lexicon with phrases such as "Get a T-O, baby," "You're a T-P-Fer," and "Awesome, baby." 

Monday, he said he "cried like a baby" upon learning of his selection and thanked Hall of Fame coach Bob Knight — now a fellow ESPN analyst — who "taught me" his game.

"When I saw those letters, I lost my 64th ejection," he said, referring to the Heat's current struggles. "And the next day it's in the Hall of Fame. I think there's an integrity in the Hall of Fame that far surpasses whatever your record is, if you have a body of work.

"The new class, which Riley joked would be the best-promoted ever because of Vitale's inclusion, will be inducted Sept. 5 in Springfield, Mass., home of the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame.

Olajuwon and Ewing both played in three Final Fours, with Ewing's Georgetown team beating Olajuwon's Houston squad for the 1984 national championship.

"We both are warriors. We both want to excel. We both wanted to dominate, and when you play against the best you want to perform at your best," Ewing said. "So we both definitely looked at each other as the best."

Olajuwon got his revenge as a pro leading the Houston Rockets to the first of two straight titles with a seven-game victory over Ewing and the New York Knicks in the 1994 NBA finals — a team coached by Riley.

"Growing up in Nigeria I didn't really understand the magnitude of what it means to be a hall of famer," Olajuwon, a 12-time All-Star, "I still cannot believe I'm in the same company with all these great legends.

"You've the Knicks' all-time leader in points, rebounds, blocked shots, and steals, among other categories, remembered field trips to the Hall of Fame as a child and said he never imagined being a part of it.

"And now I am," he said.

Dantley, a six-time NBA All-Star, played for seven teams during his 15-year NBA career, including Davidson's Detroit Pistons.

"To be included as a member of this elite group of men and women that have made significant contributions to the sport of basketball, I'm grateful," Davidson said in a statement.

Hall of Fame Joe Dumars, who worked for the 85-year-old company with all these great legends.

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Crede propels White Sox over Minnesota

Associated Press

CHICAGO — Joe Crede appeared to be the Chicago White Sox' s man of the future after last year, but now that he's healthy, he's sending out rather different — like that he's never been delivered on Monday.

Crede hit a tiebreaking grand slam to cap a five-run seventh inning, and Chicago won its home opener 7-4 over the Minnesota Twins.

Crede ended a 40-game hitless streak with a three-run home run and a single in the seventh inning as the White Sox improved to 2-2. Minnesota is 1-3.

Crede was hitless in 40 consecutive games, the longest streak of his career, going back to the last day of the 2006 season.

"It was kind of nice," Crede said. "I've been hitting some of the ball a little bit, and now I finally got it through. Hopefully it's going to carry on and I can hit a little better." 

The White Sox would like to see more of the old Crede.

"Everyone knows what Joe can do when Joe's healthy," Pierzynski said. "I don't think there are too many people in this game who have that luck. I'm glad he's healthy again." 

Chicago's Javier Vazquez (1-1) struggled early before settling into a rhythm, and allowed three runs and seven hits in seven innings, striking out eight and walking four. He is 4-0 with a 2.74 ERA in his last six starts against the Twins.

Bobby Jenks pitched a scoreless ninth for his fourth save in as many chances.

White Sox manager Ozzie Guillen was ejected after plate umpire Phil Cuzzi called a second strike against Paul Konerko during the third inning. Guillen went nose-to- nose with the umpire for several minutes as the crowd chanted "Ozzie! Ozzie!"

The ejection was Guillen's 13th since becoming Chicago's manager in 2004.

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CREDE HIT A TIEBREAKING GRAND SLAM TO CAP A FIVE-RUN SEVENTH INNING, AND CHICAGO WON ITS HOME OPENER 7-4 OVER THE MINNESOTA TWINS.
Senior second baseman Katie Laing takes a lead during Notre Dame's 2-1 victory over Toledo last Wednesday.

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RBIs, good enough to earn her Big East Player of the week honors. On the year, Laing is hitting .353 with six home runs and 36 RBIs, and has put up a tremendous .676 slugging percentage. The player of the week award was Laing's second of the season. Laing and Bargar are the first teammates to win the Big East pitcher and player of the week awards in the same week this season.

The first pitch leaves the circle at 5:30 central time tonight.

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**MLB**

**Burrell leads Phils over Reds**

Associated Press
CINCINNATI — Pat Burrell hit two of Philadelphia's four home runs off Bronson Arroyo, a power surge that swept Philadelphia to a 5-3 victory Monday and a split of their four-game series with the Cincinnati Reds.

Jimmy Rollins and Geoff Jenkins also homered off Arroyo (0-1), who had never before given up more than three in a game.

Left-hander Cole Hamels (1-0) overcame a madamee first, when the Reds scored two runs with the help of a walk and an error. Hamels gave up five hits and three walks in seven innings.

Brad Lidge, who came off the disabled list Saturday after recovering from knee surgery, gave up a run in the ninth before closing it out for his first save.

Cincinnati loaded the bases off Lidge when Paul Bako walked with two outs, left fielder So Taguchi dropped Corey Patterson's fly ball after a long run, and pinch-hitter Ken Griffey Jr. was intentionally walked.

Lidge bounced a wild pitch that let in a run, then got Javier Valentin on a 95 mph called third strike to end it.

The Rockies trailed 1-0 into the eighth before rallying. Troy Tulowitzki led off right-center off of reliever Epperson. Griffey Jr. was intentionally walked. A wild pitch by Bronson Arroyo on a 3-2 count put runners on second and third.

Soriano then hit a sacrifice fly to score Rockies catcher Ramon Hernandez. The win lifted the Rockies to 12-23 and assured them of an eighth straight loss.

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**SMC SOFTBALL**

**Belles fall to visiting Bethel in blowout**

By LAURA MYERS
Sports Writer

Saint Mary's scored just one run as Bethel glided to an easy 10-1 victory Monday night at By Field.

The strong pitching of Rachel Zirzile, who allowed only two hits, aided the Lady Wildcat's effort.

The Belles' lone run came in the first inning on an RBI single by senior McKenna Cerrigan.

The Lady Wildcats took control of the game from that point on, scoring in every inning but the second. Bethel had 14 hits off of junior Calli Division, who took the loss to bring her record to 7-6.

The Belles' record now stands at 15-6.

On a positive note, a Saint Mary's player was named MIAA player of the week for the second week in a row. Junior Ashley Fusaro took the honor this week, following sophomore Ashley Peterson's title.

Fusaro helped the Belles to their two wins last week over Olivet and Alma. During that time, she went 6-for-13 at the plate with seven RBIs. In the team's 11-5 win against Alma on Sunday, Fusaro had a three-run double in the Belles' seven-run fifth inning.

The Belles have a small break after a hectic few weeks, as they do not play again until Saturday. After a 1-1 tie against Rose-Hulman on Wednesday, the Belles travel to Indiana Tech on Saturday, a game that will be part of a doubleheader against the rival Giants.

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also energized the crowd, which was very much pro-Squires.

The Monsters hung in the game for the first half, but the team suffered from a lack of outside shooting. They were lackluster on defense and had many steals. But when they had chances to make opportunities to finish, they could not pull the trigger.

A key moment from the contest was the clash of the players by Austin Olson with his red knees, bloodstained from blood and sweat, and black sweatshirt. Olson won the shirt at the Saint Mary's game, his last game that weekend, but he was still at it on Sunday.

"The other team was disqualified due to lack of hustle," Olson said. "Deal with it."

He might have been alluding to Ben Stiller's character in "Heavyweights," but the message is clear. This team is serious about making the most of the opportunity.

When asked how far he expected the Squires to go, Olson said, "I'll have to answer your question on a case by case basis, how many games to the ship?" Olson said.

Do Work 21, Congrats Billy and Susie 16

Do Work defeated Congratulations Billy & Susie in true David versus Goliath fashion. Do Work won despite having an entire lineup of players that started the season that win a second half that in no way mirrored the first stanza. A 21-8 run was acquired from fast-break points, lack of fatigue and beautiful passing on to his Team Five Pieces by going into half-time with an 11-7 lead.

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FOOTBALL

Mining for gold

Brown experiments with Irish defense, hopes to hit "jackpot"

By CHRIS HINE
Spokesman-Review

Notre Dame is halfway through spring practice. So how did defensive coordinator Corwin Brown say his defense is doing so far? Not that bad.

"From a schematic standpoint, I think the guys are picking what we’re asking them to do," Brown said after practice Monday. "We’re adding a lot of things to what we did last year and we’re getting a lot of looks. They’re getting comfortable. We’re starting to find out who does what fairly well.

Brown has been comfortable enough with the defense to move several players around and try some new looks. Rising sophomore linebacker Brian Smith has seen time on the inside of Notre Dame’s 3-4 defensive scheme this spring and rising sophomore safety Harrison Smith, who’s listed at 6-foot-2, 206-pounds, has been moved to one of the linebackers corps. These moves, Brown said, represent an attempt to create depth on defense.

"We’re trying to juggle some things around, put together some different combinations and see if we can get the same play from different spots but also create some depth just in case of injury or maybe a young guy that you plan doesn’t pan out as well or just trying to get different looks," Brown said. "You do that with a number of different combinations and hopefully you strike gold, you hit the jackpot and then you get something special.

Brown also said he wanted to move Harrison Smith around because he has the ability to make big plays no matter where he is on the field. But Brown jokingly cautioned against giving him that glowing praise.

"If you see certain guys making plays, you kind of want to see how far you can take that, so you try to put them in different positions because you know what you have here ... Brown said. "He’s a hard-working player, he’s smart, he’s tough. I don’t want to say too many things."

Irish head to UIC in search of road victory

By SAM WERNER
Sports Writer

Notre Dame is looking to extend its winning streak to seven games tonight when it faces off against Illinois-Chicago in Chicago today.

The Irish are coming off a successful weekend of Big East play in which they beat St. John’s 5-0 and 8-4, and Seton Hall 2-1 and 6-2.

Junior pitcher Brittany Bargar earned the win in all four tilts, pushing her record to 17-6 on the year. She earned Big East pitcher of the week.

With the win, Bargar moved to 24 records and a miniscule 1.24 ERA.

Against the Flames, the duo will have to shut down an offense that has hit 283 this season. In their last game, a 17-2 drubbing of Youngstown State, Illinois-Chicago clubbed the Penguins’ pitching staff. Leading the charge for Illinois-Chicago is junior pitcher/infielder Sarah Ulynes, who is hitting .328 with eight home runs and 24 RBIs.

Teammate Ashley Ackerman has also been on fire offensively, posting a .347 average to go with her 14 RBIs. The Flames are riding a six-game win streak after sweeping Green Bay and Youngstown State.

The Irish will look to senior second baseman Katie Laing to jumpstart their offense.

Last week, Laing batted .528 with four home runs and 13 RBIs.

BASEBALL

Team set for mid-week games

By LORENZO REYES
Sports Writer

Notre Dame returns to non-conference action today when Valparaiso visits Frank Eck Stadium looking to end the recent Irish hot streak.

Coming off of an impressive three-game win streak over Big East rival Rutgers last weekend, the Irish (16-9) want to continue their winning ways.

In order to take the series over the Scarlet Knights, Notre Dame used both its pitching prowess and its bats to get the job done.

Through the three-game stretch, the Irish outscored Rutgers 29-9, with sophomore A.J. Pollock leading the way. In the series, he went 6-of-13, with six RBIs. As a result, the sophomore was named Big East player of the week Monday.

In addition to Pollock’s hot play at the plate, outfielder

Irish third baseman Greg Sherry takes a pitch during Notre Dame’s 11-2 win over Rutgers Saturday.