Regents here: to consider admission policy

The board met to discuss several topics. Admission and retention policy changes set in motion

By Lewis DoY
The State Board of Education/ UI Board of Regents met in Moscow yesterday, and in open session received the report of the Statewide Committee on Admission and Retention Standards for Higher Education.

The board, which concludes its two-day Moscow session today, also discussed routine matters and an above maintenance of current operations critical needs assessment request from Gov. John Y. Evans.

A report for the goals of increased access and broadening the State Department of Education, Idaho public

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Linda Stalley
intended to "challenge, rather than exclude."

The committee pursued its charge, briefing the board by first adopting a series of assumptions about higher education needs — the need for change in both high school graduation rates and college entrance requirements.

The committee recommendation indicates a need to coordinate graduation and college entrance requirements. The report states, "Improving the preparation of students for college is necessary for equal access to higher education.

"The single factor which best predicts academic preparation for college is successful completion of a high school core curriculum in high school."

Cooperation between secondary and post-secondary education, the recommendations state, is key to both the successful completion of high school and entrance to — and success in — the state universities and college.

If the committee's recommendations are adopted, high school students wishing to pursue undergraduate work at the state's institutions will have to satisfy a series of requirements: scores from the American College Test or Scholastic Aptitude Test will have to be submitted (there is no minimum score recommendation); graduation from an accredited high school with a cumulative GPA of 2.00.

Written into the GPA and graduation recommendation are minimum subject area requirements: English, eight credits (four years); mathematics, four credits; social sciences, five credits; natural science, four credits; fine arts, foreign language and humanities, four credits and one-half credit in speech. These recommendations, if approved, would take effect with the high school class of 1988. In addition, the mathematics and natural science requirements each would be upgraded to six credits beginning with the fall 1990 semester.

In discussing already admitted students, the admission and retention committee reported states, "... poor academic advising is as the leading cause of students dropping out. UI Student Counseling Center Director Donald Kees concurred with that finding. A UI committee, he said, "came out with exactly the same finding," poor advising is the number one reason for drop outs.

Board member Cheryl Hynas concurred, saying that potential drop outs should see a counselor to "wake up" before dropping out.

"In light of this and the existing lack between students and faculty advisors at Idaho colleges and universities," the report observes, "it is recommended that the recommendations be immediately followed with linking advising and tenure reviews, the formalization and standardization of advising procedures and the development of a peer advising program.

The report in its retention section also advocates the standardization of dismissal and readmission policies. Under these recommendations, it is recommended that only two dismissals would be allowed with readmission — a third dismissal would bar

"We must identify the academic expectations for college preparation, apply standards for academic progression, and establish policies designed to assist students."

By Ed Ulman
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Council's faces change over years, issues remain same

in relation to faculty. Many faculty members think that the administration violated procedural due process and Faculty Staff Handbook in relation to the tenure process, said Richard Heintz, a past council chairman.

"The parking issue is becoming a hassle when dealing with daily work."

The parking issue concerns the inter-campus walkway system, which does not allow automobiles access to the core of the campus. The system was initiated after the May 19, 1982 eruption of Mt. St. Helens. These issues include, faculty fringe benefits, university parking and tenure promotion.

Regents chairwoman Linda Stalley finds that the review process of the recommendations using the constituencies served and at

affected by the report — college and university students and faculty; community colleges and private institutions; secondary school students, teachers, parents, school boards; administrators and others concerned with the high school and the state psychological association. In addition, the recommendation is made that, "Subsequent to approval of any statewide institutional admission standards, it is recommended that a statewide publication be distributed and supplemented by various media presentations..."

"Any information for dissemination should be prepared and distributed cooperatively by those who ultimately must act to implement the recommendations..." and should be designated appropriate for the target audience.

A timetable for the consideration of the recommendations calls for the gathering of

reports to assist the council in making its decisions and recommendations.

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News digest

Argo still awaiting results of audit team
By Holly Rickett

The University of Idaho auditor's office said that they are unsure when the audit of the Argonaut will be completed.

The ASUI Senate called for an audit of the ASUI Communications Department on September 28 when alleged financial mismanagement were brought to the senate's attention. The alleged loss of funds was in the Argonaut editorial payroll.

The audit was at first expected to take a couple of weeks to finish but the latest report from UI Auditor John Farbo does not show an end in the near future. "We think the preliminary report will be finished sometime late next week, but that is not definite," Farbo said.

Farbo said that when the preliminary report does come out it will not be immediately open for the public to see.

Following standard auditing procedures Farbo said the preliminary draft will be presented to the auditors for discussion. The auditors at this point is Argonaut Editor Frank Hill. Hill has been suspended with pay by the ASUI Communications Board since September 28. His suspension is slated to run until the board meets within 48 hours after the preliminary report comes out to review the suspension.

Farbo said that his auditing staff and Hill will sit down privatly and discuss the "findings" of the auditors. Hill will then be asked to sign a finalization of this report.

After this first discussion, the report will then be sent to UI Financial Vice President David McKinney who will request a written responses to the audit from the persons involved.

That response, which could take anywhere from 6 to 8 weeks to be finished and returned, will be sent back to the auditor's office. The auditing office will bind the preliminary report and the written response together and this finalized collateral report will then be open to the public to read.

Farbo said that after those first steps are finished the auditors will usually return and do a follow-up "check-up" in 3 or 4 months.

New policies before council
By Megan Guido

The UI Faculty Council is concerned about proposed changes in the policy on the periodic performance review of tenured faculty members.

At Tuesday's meeting, Faculty Council considered the State Board of Education/UI Board of Regents' proposed changes in its policies, and the council also considered the UI Faculty Council's response to the changes.

Richard Heinrich, a member of Faculty Council, sat in on the meeting as spokesman for Faculty Affairs.

The faculty council found some of the changes in wording by the Board's staff to be redundant. Members also disagreed with the changes in wording recommended by faculty affairs. The council recommended new wording for the proposals.

The council is specifically concerned with the rules regarding access to personal files.

Several members felt that no changes should be made at all in the current policy.

However, Faculty Council Chairman Roy Fluhrer said, "I'm concerned that we might do nothing and end up with something extremely dangerous."

After more than an hour of discussion, faculty council decided to express their specific concerns about the proposed changes in policy to Board officials during their meeting at UI this week. Fluhrer said that he would let UI President Richard Gubb know the council's concerns, and both he and President Gubb would relay them to the Board by Thursday.

In other business, faculty council approved a new master's of music degree in recreation. They also approved additional regulations relating to academic minors.

Commemoration, insurance resolutions pass Senate
By Holly Rickett

The ASUI Senate unanimously decided to oppose mandatory health insurance and support an optional health insurance plan.

The Senate passed a resolution on the proposed mandatory health insurance plan that states: "The ASUI Senate would support an optional health insurance plan as it is now under but would oppose any voluntary statewide health insurance plan."

The UI is considering changing from its optional health insurance plan to a mandatory insurance plan that was proposed by the State Board of Education/UI Board of Regents for Idaho's three universities and Lewis-Clark State College.

Under optional plans like those of the UI and Idaho, students can either sign up or refuse to sign up for insurance. Under voluntary plans, such as those at Boise State University and Idaho State University, the fee for health insurance is included with any other fees that are paid at registration. Students who do not want insurance can have the insurance fee refunded if they sign a waiver stating that they are covered by an insurance plan.

Copies of the senate's resolution will be sent to the Board of Regents; UI President Richard Gubb; Terry Armstrong, executive assistant to the president; Carol Grup, risk management officer in the UI business affairs, and the Associated Students of Idaho.

The senate also passed a resolution stating that the Commencement Committee should consider changing the commencement date so all graduating accounting students can participate in commencement ceremonies. On the planned commencement date of May 10, many senior accounting majors must take the national Certified Public Accountant exam, and they would not be able to participate in graduation ceremonies.

The resolution will be sent to the Faculty Council; Gubb; Armstrong; Bruce Pittman, the dean of student services; E. Chavez, the ASUI Dues Manager; and the Accounting Club.

Senate resolutions have no power of law, but they inform the public in writing about how the senate stands on particular issues.

In other business, SUB Board Manager Jay Decorl told the senate that students should voice their opinions about the possibility of having a fast food chain restaurant located in the Union. He said there are still many positions open on SUB board for interested students. Barb Foster, Lecture Notes Administrator, spoke on the progress of lecture notes.

Around the World in 52 COFFEE WAYS

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Alcohol liability session set

The office of Student Advisory Services is presenting a program on "The Legal Liabilities for Student Leaders who Serve Alcohol" on Saturday, at 9:30 a.m., in the College of Law Courtroom.

The purpose of the presentation is to provide student leaders with a concrete base of information by which they can make educated decisions for their organizations. UI student leaders, as well as living group presidents, are encouraged to attend.

The seminar, presented by Dave Westol, noted authority on the subject of legal liabilities, will be the first speaker in a month-long series of events relating to alcohol education.

Barnes serves as audition judge

The Fifth Annual Eleanor Anderson Lieber Awards auditions, at which UI voice professor Dorothy Barnes served as a judge, recently selected musicians who received prizes to further their careers. Barnes served with four others who selected their top prize winners from an original field of 41.

According to Robert Bailey, executive director of the Portland Opera, the auditions help pinpoint outstanding vocalists in Idaho, Washington, Oregon and Montana.

RUMPLESHIRTSKINS

ON SALE NOW
Doing our best — under constraints

Under constraints of time and experience, the Argonaut does its best to cover the news for the students, staff and faculty of the University of Idaho. In our desire to put out the best paper possible, one that contains news of both importance and interest to our readers, we need to obtain basic but crucial information.

Sometimes we are thwarted in our efforts.

The University of Idaho Board of Regents has been meeting here this week. This dedicated, hard-working volunteer group has the constitutional duty of overseeing our institution in all aspects. Wearing the titles of the State Board of Education, the same persons (plus the Superintendent of Public Instruction) are responsible for the other three Idaho institutions of higher education, plus the public school system.

It used to be that the board’s Office of Higher Education in Boise would mail to the media (the Argonaut included) the schedules, agendas and proposed actions of the upcoming meetings. This mass of material, pages color-coded for comprehension, used to arrive six or seven days before the meeting-to-be. The reporters would have several days to sift through, read and sometimes digest what was usually as interesting as a public administration textbook.

The university presidents requested and received from the board’s permission to disseminate the agenda and schedules of their respective institutions to the media. Rather than the OHE sending all material to the newspapers press directly, this vital information now travels through another layer of the educational bureaucracy.

Presumably this change in policy was to ensure the inclusion of any last-minute corrections or additions. The reporters of course begrudged, but at least they had equal inconvenience with each other.

The board’s official policy on the matter reads in part, “...the material will be mailed to news media representatives according to a list maintained by the executive director. The chief executive officer (of each institution) also will distribute agenda materials to anyone deemed... to have need of such materials...”

Repeated requests to the OHE to have non-UI items, such as the agendas of the board when it meets in a joint session, to be mailed to the Argonaut, have been referred to the UI president’s office. This is apparently a deference by the executive director of OHE to Gibb.

The Lewiston Morning Tribune and the Idahoan report not only on UI material, but on the workings of the joint board. They receive their copies of the schedules and agendas directly from the OHE. Apparently, University of Idaho President Gibb does not deem the Argonaut to have needed of this material. Even when it gets to his office, it is not forwarded to this paper.

The university president’s desire to control the flow of this public information causes inconvenience and creates inefficiency. It is petty and unnecessary.

This treatment of the Argonaut, which has served as a crucible for many of the reporters in this state, including a majority of those that are covering the board today, is a disservice and insult to our readers.

It is also a violation of the board’s own written policy, and the matter needs to be corrected. This morning, while the board is meeting on our campus, is the best time to start.

John Hecht

This cup’s for you

The CIA gave me a great idea the other day. In case you missed it, it turns out that our intelligence agency has written a booklet on how to be a successful terrorist, and has distributed it to the Nicaraguan Contras.

That’s not a bad idea, but I think they’re missing the market. I think they could have had a better seller on a college campus.

I don’t mean that they should invite the ROTCers to violence, but I think a booklet on surviving midterms would be right up their alley. After all, they do claim to deal in intelligence.

And isn’t a week of tests similar to lighting a little way? We’re under orders, expected to be alert, we are poorly and drink gallons of red-rot coffee.

Right this minute I’m running enough Folgers through my system to keep Mrs. Ollens up at my time for years.

I’m convinced that there’s a covert pact between test schedulers and coffee beam growers. Why else would we be put through a battle like the past week?

I felt like the civil defense sirens should have been sounding for the number of times I heard “This is a test, this is only a test”, we are doing this for your own good. At the end of the hour place your head between your knees and kiss...” Well, you know the feeling.

And if that wasn’t bad enough, for good measure, they stacked all of my exams on top of each other the day after all of my papers were due.

Talk about subterfuge. They should award us purple hearts, but I guess we’ll have to settle for our bloodshot eyes.

A few of us got together at my place and tried to fight back with sheer numbers. For six agonizing hours my apartment was turned into a smoke-filled den of confusion.

We figured four caffeine addicts could deal with the problem a lot faster than one could.

It was an extremely stimulating experience. In fact I haven’t slept yet. If Joe Dimaggio every decides to retire, I’m putting my name in for the next Mr. Coffee.

I’m not convinced yet that a college education is worth the price of my kidneys, but I know they’re taking the brunt of the assault.

So with finals only a deep breath away, I figured that a survival guide could be as hot an item as lecture notes and old texts.

It could cover things like: “Crazin Crammin: What is Your Brain’s Limit?”; “Exams: A Caughr Worth Dying For?”

One that my study group could relate to is “Find Yourself to Listen to the Study Group From the Bathroom While Relieving Your Kidneys,” and “How to Master Short-Memory Term.”

The first booklet that I mentioned earlier also suggested that the Contras should involve themselves in actions that would get at least one of them killed per day — the old merry play.

I don’t know if I’d go that far yet, but as long as we made it through the week I’ll volunteer to feed the mission to happy hour this afternoon for a little rest and relaxation.

Three poor kidneys, they never get a break.

Paul Baier
SHELTERS A COMFORT

Editor:

I am comforted to know that the UO is prepared to offer surrounding communities "excellent fallout shelters" in the event of a nuclear holocaust. Now that I am secure in the knowledge that safety is with in walking distance, I feel much more at ease with Reagan's foreign policy and the nuclear arms race. And although these shelters are not currently equipped with food, we are assured that if disaster strikes, water, crackers and candy will be plentiful. In addition, food from a Sunkist distributor will be provided by some heroine, self-sacrificing delivery man.

And if this doesn't lift one's spirits, think of all those books stored unopened in the science library. Why it's entirely possible that a student could continue his or her education under these conditions. And when the nuclear winter blows over and nuclear spring beckons us from our underground sanctuary, employers will undoubtedly be waiting anxiously above. And all $6,000 of us will emerge with bottles full of crackers and candy, jubilant with the prospects of a new beginning with less competition on the job market.

The article came just in time for me. I was about to make a commitment to work for the reduction of nuclear arms, I had finally come to terms with the fact that the arms race is the paramount issue facing the world and must be actively addressed and won. But now I can slip back into my academic apathy and know that once again we are safe under the protective wing of the U.S. Government.

Harry McCarty

NOW a forum on gap

Editor:

The Moscow community is cordially invited to a program entitled "The Gender Gap", to be held on Oct. 19 at 8 p.m. in the Moscow Community Center. Moscow NOW is sponsoring the event, which will include a short, entertaining film by Nicole Hollander; local columnist and community activist Linda Pall will be speaking about the gender gap and its influence on U.S. politics.

We hope to see many people there, and extend a warm invitation to all who are interested in learning more about the gender gap and Moscow NOW. The evening looks like it will be fun, so plan now to be there. Child care and transportation are available at no charge, by calling in advance. See you there.

Marlene Howell
Moscow NOW

WHY, WHY, WHY, B.S.

Editor:

Why does the Argonaut carry Bruce Silver's column? Do you understand that he has not yet accurately researched or represented an opposing opinion? His misinformation and ignorance insults the individual, the community and the nation.

How informed is an author who argued against the classification of Alcoholism as a disease because there are no Alcoholic germ? Has anyone ever heard of Diabetes germ? Further, what is a germ? Shouldn't Bruce have contacted a representative of Alcoholics Anonymous to learn more about the organization and the disease it helps treat.

Oct. 19 Bruce wrote a column attacking the National Organization for Women. He associated some disturbing quotes with the organization by claiming the quoted individuals were leaders of NOW. Oct. 24 a letter appears in the Argonaut correcting Bruce: "The people he quotes at the beginning of his column are not leaders of NOW." Bruce's column was based on fact but pure, ugly prejudice.

Who is responsible for the iniquity of the Argonaut if its editor permits sloppy journalism by someone whose lacks come from personal prejudices and a pocket dictionary? We the students are. As one, I am asking the Argonaut to reevaluate Bruce's contribution to the paper. I want a right-wing columnist who can give logical arguments based on fact, not knee-jerk generalizations fueled by lies.

Joseph Coughlan

"...hard and fast"

Editor:

Scott Green is right — the Argonaut is in need of "a hard and fast payroll policy."

Not only has the Argonaut been operating on an unwritten policy — but an unfair one.

If the current audit of the paper brings about any changes in policy, let's take care of both problems. Let's come out with a written payroll standard — one that takes the reporter's efforts into account — and one that accords and for all corrects the discrepancies between the advertising staff and the editorial staff.

Since the ad manager position has been made, the Argonaut has had to reevaluate the ad manager position and the entire management of the paper.

Gloria Stonecipher, the ad manager has been making substantially more money than the next highest editor.

Saturdays and Sundays, the Ad Manager makes roughly eight times more than the editor and four times more than the managing editor. While the editor made $5,147.60 (combined fall and spring semesters), the ad manager made $9,659.30.

The managing editor made $2,478.35 over the course of the year.

Under the current payroll scale, the editor would have to write every story in the remaining 21 issues of this semester to exceed the ad manager's earnings, assuming the average paper page has 16 pages.

Although no organizational chart exists for the Argonaut, the ad manager position should correspond to that of the managing editor. Obviously, the ad manager and the managing editor are both subordinate to the editor, since the editor hires them.

Since the ultimate responsibility for the paper lies in the editor's hands, why shouldn't he be duly compensated?

Frank Hill
gary Lundgren
Kathy Amidei
Laura Hubbard

Editor's note: the letter writers are all current Argonaut editors. All have been suspended (with pay), pending the outcome of the audit requested by the ASUU Senate and currently being conducted by the university. All were involved in Argonaut payroll procedures last semester.

PARKING

Do You Have Something to Say?

In order to make suggestions on improving campus parking problems, the Parking Committee is gathering comments from the university community. Everyone is encouraged to contribute to the meetings with grievances, suggestions or comments.

To make sure everyone gets a chance, please be prepared to speak no more than five minutes. A written copy of your comments will be helpful in keeping accurate records of parking concerns. At the entrance a roster will be available; those signed up will be called upon to speak.

If you are unable to attend, written comments (keep it short, please) may be sent to Beth Grubb, Information Services, by Oct. 30.

We want to hear your opinion!

Oct. 23 1:30-3:00 pm and Oct. 30 1:30-3:00 pm
Law School Court Room
SUB Silver & Gold
Wool: Agricultural success story

Don’t let anyone pull the wool over your eyes. Sheep research projects at the University of Idaho have the potential to be of great benefit to the sheep industry. Research currently being done at the College of Agriculture may one day give sheep growers larger, healthier animals and greatly increased profits.

According to J. Dahmen, professor of animal sciences, depending on market conditions and feed costs, growers could increase the number of sheep sold each year by $3 to $4 for each $50 they produce. Dahmen said the average market weight of lambs grown in Idaho has increased by about $7 per pound over the last seven years.

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Dahmen said that these large breeding facilities could decrease the cost of processing the carcases by as much as 18 percent.

The sheep industry is now recognizing the benefits of heavier, leaner market lambs. Some meat packers have begun offering a premium for some types of heavily muscled lambs within the last year. In the past, packers have usually checked the price on such lambs.

Idaho’s sheep market bears witness to the increasing popularity of heavier market lambs. Dahmen said the average market weight of lambs sold in Idaho has been increasing by about $7 per pound over the last seven years. The average weight of market lambs in 1980 was 118 pounds.

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The next phase of Sasser’s research will be to try to develop a test to detect the presence of twin lambs.

Peter J. South, associate professor of veterinary medicine at the UI, wants to study the possibility of developing a strain of sheep genetically resistant to foot rot.

Foot rot costs sheep growers thousand dollars each year. Affected animals can’t move properly, and severely affected rams will not breed. South said, “Foot rot ex-ists throughout the United States, and is one of the most difficult conditions to control.”

John Daon, professor of agricultural engineering at the University of Idaho, heads a team of researchers who are working to increase the survival rate of lambs.

Daon and his associates hope to give sheepmen guidelines for increasing lamb survival rates by using better lambing facilities and better controlling the lamb’s environment.

The research is aimed at reducing the number of lambs which die shortly after birth.
English Professor Recognized by Evans

By Paul AllLee

Poetry is alive and well in Idaho, partly because of the efforts of UI English Professor Ron McFarland.

Appointed by Gov. John Evans last fall as Idaho's first Poet in Residence, McFarland, considered an expert in 17th-century and modern poetry, was chosen unanimously to be the State Writer in Residence by a panel including three poets from neighboring states and representatives from the Idaho Commission for the Arts and the Association for the Humanities in Idaho.

Ron McFarland

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Ron McFarland

(Photo by Tim Frates)
Mama's Boys, a touch of heavy metal

Mama's Boys
Victor E. "Here is some well-done heavy metal that's less simplistic than the Def Leppard — Quiet Riot type rock. MTV shows down our throats (on heavy rotation). The music is good but somewhat standard. Metal enthusiasts will enjoy the biting lead guitar work of Pat McManus. Strongly recommended."

Alberts Cane: "Well, it certainly didn't change your mind — I still hate rock and roll. I will give some credit to Pat McManus, lead guitarist, and he plays a mean fiddle! I have one question: how many more times will a heavy metal band record Mama. We're All Crazy Now600!"
McFarland said the panel considered more than 40 applicants but chose him because of his vast teaching experience and his ability to write fictional stories as well as poetry.

In 1983, the Writer in Residence program replaced the traditional position of Poet Laureate in Idaho.

"The Poet Laureate was just named — it was a high honor given to a state poet, but which had no specific responsibilities," McFarland said. "The difference in this position is that it is a two-year job with specified duties." McFarland is required to give a combined total of 10 lectures, workshops and readings throughout each year of his two-year term.

"I try to balance the readings and workshops so that I'm hitting reasonably small towns throughout all three sections of the state, as well as the University towns," he said.

Last spring McFarland gave a reading in Lewiston, and in September, he read in Fossil, Idaho Falls and Rexburg. Earlier this month, he spoke before groups in McCall, Mountain Home and Boise.

He said he receives an honorarium of $500 per reading but is expected to give several free workshops along the way.

"The pay is not enough to live on, but it makes a great supplemental income," he said.

McFarland has written hundreds of poems and short stories, and has had nearly 200 of them published. His books include Certain Women, a chapbook published in 1977, Eight Idaho Poets, an anthology which he edited for the University of Idaho Press in 1979, and Composting at Forty, his first full-length collection, which was published last spring.

"I like poems that have a sense of the dramatic," he said. "Some of them are comic, and most are whimsical."

Many of McFarland's writings are about basic human relationship-ships, including personal experiences he has had with his wife and three children.

Certain Women is a collection of descriptions of women that McFarland knew or created.

Composting at Forty includes several poems based upon his relationship with his family, including the problems that his teen-age daughter faces while growing up.

McFarland next book will be based upon his travels throughout Idaho as the State Writer in Residence. Tentative-ly titled Sometimes Idaho, the book is scheduled to be publish-ed sometime next year.

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Rust — All of Me (PG-7), 7:15 and 9:15 p.m.

Old Post Office Theater (Pullman) — Revenge of the Nerds (PG), 7 and 9 p.m.
SUB Films — Rocky Horror Picture Show, showing in the Boise Theater Friday at 6:30, 8:30 and 10:30 p.m.
University 4 — Phar Lap (PG-13), 5, 7 and 9 p.m. — Ghostbusters (PG), 5, 7 and 9 p.m. — Teachers (R), 5, 7:15 and 9:30 p.m. — Little Drummer Girl (PG-5), 7:15 and 9:30 p.m.

Night Music
The Capricorn — Western Justice, Tues.-Sat. 9 p.m.
Garden Lounge — Cross Current jazz music, Wednesdays 9 p.m.
No-Name Tower — Wild Debbie, Fri. and Sat. at 9 p.m. Johnnie Adult plays Tuesday. Both are rock and roll based.
Ruthskeller — Baby Blue, top 40 and rock and roll. Tues.-Sat. 9 p.m.
Scoreboard Lounge — Moxy, Tues.-Sat. 9 p.m.

Hang-up Photographic Gallery — Watercolors, Moscow artists display their works.

Handcolored photography — LisaBeth Thorius is currently displaying her works of art at the SUB Gallery wall.

Things of Interest Recital! — UI Faculty Recital, at the music building recital hall. Performers will be Betty Mohr cello and Richard Neher, piano.
Flare — The UI Theatre Arts Department will be performing Lilian Hellman’s The Little Foxes Oct. 19, 20 and 21. This will be held at the Hartung Theatre and tickets are available at the door.

Brown Bag Program — There will be a Candidate Forum at the Women’s Center Oct. 21 at 12:30 p.m. This is open to the public.

Fund raiser — Currently there is a phonathon taking place to raise money for UI Callers are phoning homes from the Alumni Lounge and will continue to do so for 14 nights.

Futuristics
Guitar musician — Bill O’Brien, guitar instructor at Idaho State University will perform in a UI guest recital at 8 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 25 at the Music Building Recital Hall.

Son of Mradi Gras — Hotel Moscow will become the sight of this year’s event. It will be held Oct. 27 and starts at 8 p.m. There will also be a costume contest and a haunted house. Decorating for the event will be just as fun, for more information call Charlotte Buchanan at 882-0830.

Ninth Annual Young Artists Competition — Young artists compete in the Washington Idaho Symphony’s annual competition, Oct 28 at WSU Bryan Hall Room 305.

Outdoor recreation and Tourism Conference Topics — Will look into the future connection between recreation resources and tourism Oct. 30 through Nov. 1.

Fourth Annual Physical In-hand Empire States Bodybuilding Championships — will be held in the Beasley performing Arts Center at Moscow State University Oct. 27 at 7 p.m.

This year’s Homecoming royalty sit upon the throne of the Homecoming parade last Saturday. The Queen, Linda Birkenberger(center) shares the throne with First Attendant Debbie Eismann and Second attendant Janice Roberts. Linda is the Resident Advisor for Houston Hall, Debbie is a member of Delta Gamma sorority and Janice lives in the Gamma Phi Beta house. (Photo by Michael Swanson)

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Last night, the Idaho Spikers defeated the Eastern Washington Eagles in four games, 15-1, 15-1, 14-16 and 15-3.

After winning the first two rounds last night, the enthusiasm was still great at the beginning of the third round as it was at the beginning of the match.

The home team quickly recovered the nerve and it looked as though the Eagles of EWU would recover the period. Surprises come in all the sizes that spectators come in, though, and the EWU women's volleyball team stunned the Spikers and won the third round 16-14.

It was all for naught as Idaho defeated their opponents in just four of the five possible rounds. The scores speak well of the game that Idaho all but dominated the match.

"We played well," Head Coach Pam Bradtchen said. This simple statement outlined her opinion of the match.

"I was real pleased with the execution," she said, "We followed the game plan and really played intensely."

This was not the only factor that she really enjoyed about her team's play of the game. "It was team oriented. Everyone trying to help the team. Everyone contributed well," she said.

"I have eleven really solid players on the team. We can play well together and had some good play tonight," she said.

This month's Vandal Booster Club's Woman Player of the Month and the player with most assists in the match, Kelley Neeley said, "We played good for the first two games tonight. And then we lacked off, but we came back in the end."

Jenny Frazier, the leading server in the game, said, "We started the game like we had control, but for a while in the third we lost a little momentum, lost a little control. If you don't have every individual concentrating it can be disruptive to your game." Of that third round in the match the coach said, "They got some fire and played well in the third. Even then we came back and tied it 14 all. That allowed the team's character to speak.

Some have expressed the thought that the Spikers have lost some of their momentum with their loss to Portland State. Well, if there was anything lost it was regained.

"The loss brought us closer together and made us work harder," said Janine Peard who tied Laura Burns for the most kills of the game.

Another factor in the game was the tremendous cheering that the spectators provided for the Spikers. "They all had great," Coach Bradtchen said, regarding the added influence to the home court.

"They've adapted us. They're our own booster club, and one of the things that makes us a tough team to beat at home." Other interesting stats in the game were the Spikers Robin For- dan and Michelle Laub who led the team in digs at 8 each. Kelly Gibbons who ran a close second in kills with 9.

As for the attitude about the future matches, specifically the University of Washington this coming Saturday night, all those interviewed had very optimistic attitude about the upcoming rival match.

This was displayed when Jen- ny Frazier said, "We're really looking forward to it." The future looks bright for the Vandal Spikers, who have their next match Sat., Oct. 28 against University of Washington at Seattle.

"This will be the second time we play them," Coach Pam Bradtchen said. The other time was at the BYU tourney where we beat them the beat two out of three (15-4, 15-11)."

Although the match against Washington is not a conference battle, the women are preparing for it as though it were. "We realize anytime that we have a chance to play such a prestigious team, we prepare for it as though it were a conference match."

"We're really looking forward to gaining more momentum tomorrow night."
Vandals try for Cup, victory

By Greg Kleiner

There will be some extra incentive for both teams Saturday afternoon when the Vandals of Idaho travel to Spokane’s Joe Albi Stadium to take on the Eagles of Eastern Washington.

Starting this year, the Governor’s Cup will be awarded to the winner between the two Inland Empire schools. Governor Gary Evans and Spellman will be at the contest to dedicate the trophy.

The two athletic directors have set up a contest extending the rivalry through 1980. This might be the only chance Idaho may have to claim a trophy this year after dropping to 5-3 in the Big Sky race.

“We’ve got to get back on the winning track,” Head Coach Dennis Erickson said. “They’re making a big mistake by going against us.”

Erickson was referring to the geographical closeness of the Cheney school to Moscow and Eastern’s interest in joining the Big Sky conference.

Against Big Sky teams this year, the Eagles stand at a very respectable 1-1-1. The Eagles, 4-1-1, grabbed a 21-16 win over Montana State two weeks ago and fought off Montana last week in Missoula for a 14-14 deadlock. Earlier in the year, Eastern dropped a 45-17 decision to the Broncos from Boise, even though being tied at halftime at 17.

“Their offense is more improved this year,” Erickson said. They’re throwing the ball more than last year and they have good running backs.”

Eastern is averaging nearly 233 yards through the airways and 125 yards on the ground.

Leading the aerial attack is quarterback Rick Warrick. The Eagle’s signal caller has thrown for over 1,000 yards and 10 touchdowns in the first half of their season.

His receiving core is well balanced, as the top four receivers average over 15 yards a grab.

On the ground, the Eagles are led by James Townsend and Maurice Owen. Townsend is averaging right at eight yards a pop, while Owens is getting around four yards a jaunt.

“They really have good D,” Erickson said. “They’ve got a very solid bunch.” The Eagle defense is a stingy group, as they have only given up an average of 17 points a game this year. They have stolen 11 passes this year, producing at least one interception a ball game. The Eastern defense, although will be without the services of stand-out linebacker John Eddy. Eddy was injured in last weekend’s stand-off with Montana and is listed as doubtful.

Game time is set for 2:00 at Albi. An estimated 5,000 fans are expected for the intra-state rivalry.
Turkey Trot — (men/women) today is the last day to sign up for the race. You will not be able to register the morning of the race. First prize is a turkey, second prize is a chicken, third prize is a cornish hen and last place is a hard boiled egg.

Pool — (men/women) entries are due on Tues. The one day tournament will be held at the Corner Pocket on Sat. Oct. 27.

Three on Three Basketball — (men/women) entries are due on Tues. There is a big possibility that there will not begin on Mon., Oct. 29 because of the extensive volleyball schedule. Play may be delayed for a week.

Handball doubles — (men/women) entries open on Tues. and are due on Tues., Oct. 30.

Ultimate Frisbee — play begins on Mon. in the ASUI-Kibbie Dome. Check the posted schedule for game times.

Wrestling — (men) the scheduled date for play to begin in incorrect on the IM calendar. The correct date for play to begin is Mon.-Wed., Nov. 12-14.

Bowling — (men) due to a heavy schedule of bowling leagues at the SUB, you will not have a 10 minute forfeit item. You must begin bowling no later than 4:30 in order to be finished by 7 p.m. You will be allowed to warm-up at 4:20.

UI Rugby team at home, at Seattle

The UI Blue Mountain Rugby Side will host three sides on the Intramural Fields at noon on Saturday, Oct. 20. The three sides that will be going into action on the fields west of the Wallace Complex will be Washington State University, Gonzaga University and Eastern Washington University.

Each side will play two games tomorrow. After these matches, the UI will play their next league games Nov. 10 and 17.

But in the limelight are the two members of the UI side who have made their way onto the Washington Select side who will be playing the Oregon Select Side on Sat., Oct. 20 also. These two members are Lance Levy and Deezer Peterson and they will be traveling to Seattle to join the other 19 members who will make up the team which will be composed of the best players in the Washington rugby league. Besides Idaho, the other teams in the Washington Union are WSU, University of Idaho, Western Washington University, St. Martin’s and Washington State University.

Though the goal of this team is not to win, but each member will be striving to become a member of the Pacific Northwest Junior Rep Side which will go out against the best of the players in California.

Mike Long

A case of the Vandal blues

The sport of the season is football, and for Vandal fans that means unhappiness. In other words, you’re experiencing a severe case of the Vandal blues.

Let’s face it, the men of the grid-iron just aren’t what they used to be, and the last thing I’m going to do is bemoan the loss of Vandal star Kenny Hobart. (If some of you don’t recognize that name, thank God.)

But you will want to support the team and do it with enthusiasm, you can. Even though the season does look bleak since the men have only won three of their last seven games, and they are currently seventh in the Big Sky eight.

Take hope! They haven’t hit the bottom yet, and there is a sure cure for the Vandal blues. You can still take pride in being a Vandal and not only that, but you can also take pride in the Vandal athletes of this season. Right now just take some time from the busy study schedules that I know you all have, and stop by the Memorial Gym one cold night in the future. There you will see some of the most exciting play in your life. That should start the blood flowing.

Dig! Spiked Volleyball! and more, including Vandal pride from real successes. Yes, there are Vandal out there who are winning, and going unnoticed by most of the student body at large. They are the Vandals volleyball team or the Spikers, as they have been nicknamed. A name that does not conjure up to mind the typical sorority prattle.

Instead, it brings to mind the hard-fighting, stick-with-it and give-it-all-you-can-give gal who is a Vandal Spiker. This does not mean, however, that they can not be ladies, or that they chew mow on their way to classes, either.

It does mean that these are women who have been grown and are not ashamed to dedicate themselves to a sport that is not always in the limelight.

Such is the case for these women who not only go to school but also train and make up piles of homework because their games are scheduled on strange nights so that the games won’t distract in any way from the men’s sports.

Maybe they should! I mean, what can men put the mustards while the women are winning their games and stand a close second in conference? I wonder should we put Vandal basketball on the schedule to keep that matter, Vandal basketball — on pedestals to be worshiped and enshrined.

Free from the pool of writers and fresh from the pool of rookie writers, this editor was assigned to cover the women components of the basketball team.

Let’s not mention the record that the Vandal men made for themselves this past year in basketball. I don’t remember it, and I don’t really want to. In fact, I never have been a sports basketball fan.

No, that’s not sacrilege, and if you think it is, then you just saw my point. The men are the mecca of Vandal sport and we should support them since they are the ones who are writing the tickets.

You see, I was either conducting interviews with the unnoticed winners who had just warmed up in the court, or I was too exhausted from all the excitement of the Vandal women’s game. (Also, the seats in the Arena isn’t the best.)

Yes, they were winners and took third place in the second year in a row in the Mountain West Athletic conference. And that happened to be their second year playing A-11, period.

And you, were they exciting. As I said since high school, women are certainly more exciting and will be the future of the game. The Vandal Spikers have a great team and are going to put some shock in the future, but the basketball is going to be a different story completely.

But do how all this help you go back and support the men, as I would also advocate, for the good Lord knows they certainly need all the help they can get.

It’s simply, after a night of seeing all that your cheering, shouting and screaming does come some good, your batteries will be recharged for another night.

So bundle up, cheer on a sure winner and carry your enthusiasm to the Dome and the “o” pile. Thank you.
Harriers run at Seattle

The University of Idaho men's cross country team looks to get back on the right foot this weekend as it travels to Seattle to compete in the University of Washington Invitational.

The meet is to be held at the Lower Woodland Park with the course to be 8000 meters or around five miles.

"We really didn't look good at Whidbey," Head Coach Scott Lorek said, referring to last weekend's run at Whidbey Island in Washington.

Compared to Whidbey, Lorek feels that there will definitely be different results this week.

"We really need a good show," Lorek said. "They've been running good in practice. Now we need to put it together in a race.

Of the 15 teams entered in the Seattle meet, Lorek pointed out Portland, Washington, Clark Northwest, the Evergreen Harriers and the UI to be the first to reach the finish line.

Making the trip to the "Sound" for the Vandals will be the sophomore Tom Bohannon, sophomore Chris Williams, sophomore James Tennant, freshman Kurt Messersmith and senior Jim McKean.

"Tom (Bohannon) is having a super year," Lorek said. "Kurt (Messersmith) is improving every week and Chris (Williams) is probably our most improved; he was our sixth and seventh man last year."

Herald names Sorting and the Vandals will be traveling to Spokane to participate in the Spokane/Wanderers Invitational, October 27. From there, they plan to travel to Prov in the District VII—Big Sky Conference Championships, November 10. All qualifiers in Prov will be eligible to run in the ESCA Championships, November 19 in University Park, Pa.

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"He's been hurting since before Whidbey, it up in the air as he will be ready for the conference championships."

Next week the Vandals will be traveling to Spokane to participate in the Spokane/Wanderers Invitational, October 27. From there, they plan to travel to Prov in the District VII—Big Sky Conference Championships, November 10. All qualifiers in Prov will be eligible to run in the ESCA Championships, November 19 in University Park, Pa.
Because the music matters.