South Hill upset by rent hike

Families, officials meet to discuss proposed increase for fall

Tim Helmke
News Editor

Imagine a dinner table with no food or a car with no gas.
This is the picture UI students living in the South Hill apartment complexes tried to paint for housing officials last Thursday. The residents were meeting with the administrators over proposed rent increases.

More than 40 students came with their spouses and children to the meeting to protest what they consider to be an extreme rent increase being proposed for this fall. The presented a petition against the rent hikes which they say was signed by nearly 85 percent of residents in the three apartment complexes.
The UI housing administration has proposed an increase of $40 to $50 a month of the on-campus apartments between $10 and $40 a month. "We feel $40 a month for us is hard to handle in one shot," said South Hill Vista tenant Linda Sybus. This increase is 3.5 percent to 10 percent per week, what is currently charged to the students. Other UI residence halls are facing a possible increase at an average of 4.2 percent.

The administrators told the students in attendance the rent hike was necessary to repair and maintain the apartments, improve safety, fire and disaster accessibility and give housing employees raises.

"Our salaries have not increased — we are still making $35 an hour. You have your debts and we have ours," said South Hill Terrace resident Anjum Sadqi. Administrators said they are unhappy with these increases and voiced their opinions at an open forum meeting with university officials March 24. Some sort of a rent increase is still likely.

Families of South Hill apartment residents play in the sun in the area where the university has proposed an increase of rent for the fall semester. These residents are

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Shots were fired into a crowd on the corner of Third and Main in the early hours of Sunday morning wounding one student. According to a Moscow Police press release, at approximately 2:05 a.m. Sunday, an unknown gunman fired shots into a crowd outside of Xenon.
The intended target was unknown but Joseph Oliver, a 23 year-old WSU student, was caught in the line of fire. Oliver suffered a single gunshot wound to the back of his left thigh.
The press release also states Leif Anderson and Angela Gime, both UI students, were stopped at the intersection at Third and Main. The gunman allegedly pointed the gun at Anderson and shot, striking Anderson's car. Witnesses who were at Xenon stated the police's press release was misleading as well as incomplete.

What was not mentioned by the press release was the events prior to the shooting. According to one witness, earlier that night a group of approximately 15 males were "hanging" four other males inside the club. Xenon Security separated the two groups and all was peaceful until the club closed.

After everyone had filed into the street, the two groups confronted each other further down the block. The larger group apparently reacted the four males and continued the dispute.

One of the four males reportedly reacted by pulling out a gun he had retrieved from his car and fired it in a half-moon pattern into the crowd. It was then that Oliver was inadvertently shot.

Witnesses also stated that the gunman did not shoot directly at any cars or any that were hit were not directly targeted.

According to Jess Johnson, manager of Xenon, the gun was a 9mm Smile and the guests were acting as normal. Security approached the group of arguing youths to stop between an apparent fight. "When shots were fired everyone jumped for cover," Johnson said. UI student Miguel Huma said, "when the shooting started I just hit the ground like I'd already been hit.

Benjamin Tastler, owner of Xenon, pointed out that everyone had been checked for weapons upon entering the building. The shooting took place outside the building after
Interview, résumé workshops offered

The UI Career Services Center will be offering the fol-
lowing workshops next week:
• Résumés and Cover Letters
  Tuesday at 3:30 p.m.
• The Job Search—Wednesday
  at 4 p.m.
• Interview Preparation —
  Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

All workshops are free, but pre-registration is recom-

dended. For more information, visit the Career Services Office in

Brink Hall or call 885-6121.

Colloquium continues with Thursday speech

The next Electrical Engineering Research

Colloquium is scheduled for

Thursday at 3:30 p.m. in

Jenssen Engineering Building

Room 26. Steve Gammor, assistant

professor of chem-

istry, will present "Technology in Science Education."

Landscaping for homes

planned this week

The UI Enrichment Program is offering "Home Landscaping Planning and Design-

Wednesday night. For more information, call the Program

office at 885-6486.

Dedication of tree for dis
disabled club

A Silver and Gold tree dedi-

cation to commemorate the

commitment and hard work of

the Faculty Women's Club will

be held Wednesday, April 6 at

3 p.m. at the new arborium.

The tree will be dedicated to

the Faculty Women's Club and to

the faculty sponsor.

The club served the university community for years and disbanded in 1993.

Faculty, staff, club members, alumni and students are invited to

attend. Those interested in attend-

ing who have limited walking abil-

ity can drive to the Palouse River

Drive parking lot and a van will

transport them to the site.

Women's Center plans a
two-part lunch program

The UI Women's Center is offer-

ing a two-part program today and

tomorrow entitled "The Women's

Study Minor: Courses, Curriculum

and Philosophy." Both brown bag

programs start at 12:30 p.m. at

the Center. These are also free and

open to the public.

Law school celebrations
corner for donors

On April 7, the College of Law will

present "Celebrating Idaho's Legal

History...It's Constitution...Its Courts...Its

College" at 1:30 p.m. in the col-

gel courthouse.

The program will honor L. Weldon Schinke and Fred Clagett for their recent donations to the law school and will pay tribute to the Idaho Supreme Court for its

support and assistance. Chief

Justice Charles McDevitt will offer

remarks. A reception will follow in
the foyer.

Prior to the event, from 12:30 to

1:15 p.m., the Idaho Women Lawyers student group will host a brown bag lunch in Room 104.

Justice Cathy Siikak will speak on

diversity in the law and the chang-
ing roles attorneys will play as they

begin their legal careers.

The university community and

public are invited to attend all functions.

Wille Wonka to show in

benefit of food bank

UI Residence Life and ASUI

Productions will present two

shows of the film "Wille Wonka

and the Chocolate Factory" at 7 and 9 p.m. today in the SUB Borah Theater. Admission is one food item, preferably a child's food. The food items will be given to the Moscow Food Bank. The event is part of a year-long food drive sponsored by UI Residence Life.

Free tax assistance for community

members

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance provides free tax help in the community. Volunteers help those with basic tax returns, par-

cularly elderly, handicapped and

non-English speaking taxpayers. There is no charge for this service. VITA offers assistance

Thursdays from 6 to 8 p.m. and

Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at

the UI Law School, Room 105.

Reminder to faculty of Convocation decisions

In the spring of 1987, the UI Faculty Council gave standing authority for classes to be dis-

missed to allow members of the university community to attend the annual Honors Convocation.

The 1994 convocation will be

Friday, April 8 at 3 p.m. in

Memorial Gymnasium to honor achievement of outstanding stu-

dents.

All faculty members and admin-

istrators are reminded this is a university-wide event for all members of the university com-

munity. Departments are remind-

ed to not schedule any other events for that time.

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ASUI ELECTIONS

APRIL 20, 1994

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Bovy to speak in SUB

Alissa Beyer
Staff Writer

The annual Margaret Ritchie Speaker Roundtable Sessions will take place tomorrow.

These sessions, sponsored by the School of Family and Consumer Sciences, are set up for students to listen to key speakers in order to enhance their professional and intellectual lives.

This year’s distinguished keynote speaker is Dr. Barbara Bovy of Seattle Pacific University. Bovy is a 1960 U of I graduate in Home Economics, with a minor in English. This college administrator, strategist and professor will be expressing his views on “Teaching, Learning and Leading for the 21st Century."

The emphasis is based on shaping a high performing culture and integrating humanistic approaches into the work world in corporations and small businesses. Bovy will be presenting the seminar at 2:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building Bombach Theater.

Following her presentation, Roundtable discussions will be held at 3:30 p.m. in the SUB Applecross Room. Selected students will be given the opportunity of sitting in on any given table with other distinguished professionals, introducing them to the Roundtable participants and keeping track of time so the group can reconvene at 4:10 p.m.

Other select discusants for the Roundtable seminar include: Georgia Yuan, director of Policy and Legal Affairs; Sue Warren-Bean, Customer Relations for Horizon Airlines; Cheryl Harris, manager of Counseling Services in Lewiston; John Maxa, a manager in the Marriott corporation; Bonita Winkler, of Child Social Services for the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare; and Suzanne Laker, director of Family and Consumer Studies.

These professionals will then give students, faculty and alumni the opportunity to talk with the speakers and learn more about the field of study in which they are interested.

The Roundtable sessions are possible through a fund set up by Shirley Newcom, a friend of Margaret Ritchie to honor this retired Home Economics Department head. This fund focuses on the needs of students and developing their professionalism. The fund also deals with bringing in speakers every year who will be of interest to the students.

These sessions are free and open to the public. Attendants who have questions or concerns should contact Dorothy Hopkins at 882-7772, or Virginia Junk at 882-7264.

Fee increase brings student input

Administrators hear response to proposed increases in fees, tuition

Tim Helmke
Staff Writer

A session between roughly 25 UI students and several U of I administrators over proposed fee increases turned emotional Thursday afternoon.

UI student Lorraine Dunn, a junior from California, started to cry when she was asked if she had any financial aid and an out-of-state tuition increase could keep her from returning to UI this fall. Dunn and her sister both attend the UI and must pay out-of-state tuition.

"When you raise prices in education, it means all the work I have put in means nothing," said Dunn during the session. In the past, similar sessions have resulted in lowering of proposed increases.

A graduate student from Lewiston, Steven Peterson, presented overhead charts to the UI administrators. These charts displayed the cost of education over a 41 year period. Peterson suggested there was a "substantial historical increase" in fees.

The main portion of the student of UI State Board of Education members. These members are considered for the state-wide level of out-of-state tuition and fees for incoming students to about $7,000. This would be a 31 percent increase for students attending the UI.

According to 1993-94 figures, an increase such as the proposed by the board would widen the gap between in-state out-of-state students at the UI by more than $5,500.

The raise in out-of-state fees to nearly $7,000 would place Idaho closer to 15 states who belong to the Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education. This has been on discussion as of yet to raise the in-state fees to that average which would be charged to a 46 percent increase measured on 1993-94 figures.

The university is considering a less drastic fee hike which would result in higher equipment costs and lower professor salaries. Owen added also that if administrators did not raise the fees politicians probably would.

Reversal from the proposed increases would be used to address enrollment, inflation and maintain quality.

UI President Elizabeth Zinser will weigh student concerns and make final recommendations to the board at the April meeting. This meeting is when they have planned to set fees for the fall semester.

SHOTS

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Xenon had closed. "Xenon is a very safe place and the events which occurred outside do nothing but to unfairly hurt Xenon's reputation," Tassler stated. Tassler's statement was also supported by witnesses who were present at Xenon that night.

According to the press release, Moscow Officers and Latah County deputies checked the surrounding area for the suspect but with negative results.

All surrounding low enforcement agencies were notified of the shooting and the description of the suspects.

When asked about the future safety of Xenon Tassler stated, "this was an isolated event which could have happened anywhere. People should not be worried about their safety while at Xenon."

According to the press release, the suspect is a light skinned black male, between sixteen and twenty four years of age, five-foot-five to five-eleven inches tall, with short curly black hair on top and long curls down the back.

Anyone who has any additional information or clarification is asked to call Detective Dave Lenzme at the Moscow Police Department at 882-5551.
THE ASUI and everyone from fulfilling returns to CD-ROM database access. The council decided last Tuesday to survey a sample of faculty members and appointed an ad hoc committee to write a questionnaire and develop a scientific survey method.

In February, the Ethnic Diversity Task Force released a plan that could increase the minority student and faculty enrollment and broaden the university curriculum to include ethnic studies programs.

The university is part of a statewide higher education move-ment designed to foster ethnic diversity. The action plan, working under the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, has considered minority recruitment and retention, diversity environ-ment, hiring requirements and patterns, campus-community relations and academic reform.

The entire plan, to be implement-ed over a seven year period, would cost about $500,000. The task force’s draft plan has caused some turmoil, with newspaper columns and editorials arguing whether fostering ethnic diversity is stooping to the political correctness movement or fulfilling a need.

Some members of the council argued a survey would be wasteful because of the possible low return rate. They felt low returns would make the survey meaningless. Others claimed cultural diversity was too much of a complicated issue to survey through simple questions in survey form.

The council chose to move ahead with survey plans because of arguments that faculty opinion must be gathered.

The ad hoc committee will be led by Associate Professor of History William Swagerty. Five percent of the UI faculty are considered to be part of the minority and 4.4 percent of the students enrolled this spring are Hispanic, African-American, Asian or Native Americans.

Marvin Henberg, Diversity Task Force co-chairman is also gathering comments from the faculty through letters and discussions. Henberg was the chairman of the council task force that originally looked into the issue of cultural diversity.

Yearbook, newspaper may take part in test

Student Media Manager David Gebhart informed the Senate that the UI may be taking part in an exciting new con-cept which may change the way students use their Gem of the Mountains yearbooks.

Students may soon be able to receive their yearbooks on CD-ROM. The technology would allow pictures from all over campus to be personalized and printed for use in a computer at the touch of a button. The volume available on the disk would allow the yearbook to be preserved on and included in the yearbook.

The database technology would also allow students access to information simply by requesting all information related to a specific topic be displayed. Yearbooks on CD-ROM, which are at the Beta testing stage, could be available in two years.

Comm Board by-laws close to being done

Kathy Tyrone, chairperson of the ASUI Communications Board, has almost completed the com-pletely revised board by-laws. The by-laws were almost complete, Tyrone, who has been working with members of The Argonaut, The Game, the Daily Iowan and KUKU-FM, said the process has resulted in a great number of changes which should “address many of the concerns which have been brought up during the past year.”

Concerns were voiced last semester that the by-laws may be overly con-straining with regards to freed-om of the press and freedom from prior censorship.

ASUI elections date bumped to April 20

ASUI President John Marble gained council’s approval of the Senate to push elections back one week. Marble said some students had complained there had not been enough time for petitions to be filled out and returned. The original deadline for petitions was last Friday. Students now have until this Friday to turn in petitions with the required 75 signatures.

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Club Calendar

Mondays
Falose Adventurers will be meeting Monday in the SUB Gold GaIena Room at 6 p.m. All role-players are welcomed and beginners are encouraged to join. No dues are charged to members. Call 883-7056 for more information.

UI Students for Life, a pro-life action group, meets every Monday at 6:15 p.m. in the SUB EE-DA-HO Room. For more information call 885-8081.

Tuesdays
The UI Science Fiction, Fantasy and Horror Club will be meeting Tuesday in the SUB Pow-Wow Room at 7 p.m. All fans are welcome and no dues are charged. Call 883-0621 for more information.

The UI Women’s Rugby Club is looking for experienced and novice players for the 1994 season. Practice is at Guy Wicks Field Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6 p.m. For more information call Sig at 883-4152.

The UI Men’s Rugby Club is looking for experienced and novice players for the 1994 season. Practice is at Guy Wicks Field Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. For more information contact Mark Dobrilovic at 885-6241.

Wednesday
The Professional Simulators of Idaho will be meeting Wednesday in the SUB Appaloosa Room at 7 p.m. All miniature combat players are welcomed and beginners are especially encouraged to join. No dues are charged to members. Call 883-0621 for more information.

There will be a Pahellenic Council meeting at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at Gamma Phi Beta. Chapters are reminded to send their representatives.

There will be a Greek Week meeting Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Delta Delta Delta. Chapters are reminded to send their representatives to these meetings because they are worth points for the overall competition.

Friday
The UI Graduate Student Association will hold its third annual research exhibition April 8 at the SUB Vandall Lounge. The exhibit will be open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Graduate students will compete in the following divisions: arts/music/architecture; engineering and computer science; natural, physical and agricultural sciences; and education, social sciences and humanities. Prizes will be awarded in each division. Rules for entering research or projects are available by calling Tom Hennigan at 883-7576. Abstracts for posters and exhibit descriptions are due by March 11. An awards banquet will be held April 8.

The Gay/Lesbian/Bisexual Association meets every Friday at 6:30 p.m. Call 335-4131 for more information on these meetings.

There will be a Panhellenic Council meeting at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at Gamma Phi Beta. Chapters are reminded to send their representatives.

Thursday
Curious? Idealistic? Sexually frustrated? If you are any of these, you are encouraged to join the members of Amnesty International. Meetings are Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. at The Beaumont. Everyone is welcome and information is available from Cara Harrison at 883-5540.

UI recognizing African-American Concerns in Education meets every Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the SUB.

For more information on B.A.A.C.E., call Walter at 883-2581 or Al at 885-8046.

Latin American Night will be offered at Chaser’s Lounge April 7 after 9 p.m. The event, sponsored by the Latin American Student Association, is for people over the age of 21 is free of charge.

Saturdays
The Idaho Orators, a Toastmasters Club, meets every Friday from noon to 12:55 p.m. in Forestry Room 200. All faculty, staff and students are invited to attend and learn public speaking and leadership skills. For more details call David Christian at 885-5597.

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For more info contact: Todd Geld, 882-7921, Todd Keel, 882-9217, Rachelle Young, 885-7877 or Sean Kaufman, 885-6980

Application Deadline is Friday, April 11
Task force distributes survey

ASUI Senator Laura West, head of the Campus Safety Task Force, has worked with ASUI Senator Tom Sheffield to develop this survey. Results will be used to determine what areas of safety need to be targeted by the task force. This survey is one way the task force felt they could get input from students on what they would like to see done as well as determine what areas on campus need to be worked on the most. West said she hopes students will take the survey seriously so the task force can be the most effective in what they work on. Surveys should be turned in to the ASUI Office in the Student Union Building. For more information about this survey and its results call 885-6331.

Walt said more people are also welcome to join the task force.

CAMPUS SAFETY TASK FORCE

SURVEY QUESTIONS

1. Are you Male ___ or Female ___?
2. Where do you reside in the residence halls, Greek residence or off-campus ___?
3. What year are you in school?
4. Do you have classes or work on campus at night (after 5:30 p.m.)?
5. Do you travel on campus to various places at night often? What areas?
6. Do you notice the lighting on campus?
7. How would you rate the following on a scale of 1 to 5 (with 1 being very poor, 3 being fair and 5 being very good)?
   a.) How well does the existing lighting cover campus?
   b.) How well does the existing lighting work?
   c.) How well do the Moscow Police patrol campus at night?
   d.) How well does the Campus Nightwatch system patrol at night?
   e.) How well does the university offer educational programs regarding campus safety?
   f.) How well does the university offer support programs for victims?
8. What types of changes, in your opinion, should be made to make for a safer campus environment?
9. What issues would you like to see the Campus Safety Task Force address?

Please clip and return this survey to the ASUI Office in the SUB. Call 885-6331 for more information on this survey.

A “Seriously hypnotic tale of sexual obsession populated with ordinary people doing odd things.”

Wednesday, March 30, 7pm
Student Union Borah Theater.
$1 UI undergrads
$2 general admission

102 min. A Canadian production
The University of Washington, including its Washington Alaska Montana Idaho medical school partnership with the UI, has been named No. 1 in the nation for providing medical education in primary care.

The U.W is also recognized for its exceptional medical research program, spanning basic medical science research to the WAMI Community Health Services Development program.

The U.W was named the top medical school in family medicine and rural medicine in the March 21 issue of U.S. News and World Report.

UI President Elizabeth A. Zinser was a member of the founding team of WAMI, and expressed her satisfaction last week with the magazine's ranking.

"It is exciting and gratifying to see WAMI recognized for its great success. Students trained in family medicine and rural practice—indeed, all areas of primary care—are vital to providing quality health care to Idahoans, and this program is held up as a national model," said Zinser in a prepared statement.

U.S. News and World Report annually ranks the best graduate schools and colleges in the nation. Criteria for the ranking included student grade point averages and scores on the Medical College Admissions Test as well as faculty resources, reputation and research activity.

"It is great to see such creativity, leadership and innovation in rural medical education through the University of Washington medical school, and Idaho, achieve such national acclaim."

—Elizabeth Zinser
UI President

WAMI education, he will study obstetrics and gynecology in Anchorage, Alaska, and pediatrics in Pocatello, Idaho.

WAMI was designed to provide state residents access to quality medical education at a reasonable cost. Idaho WAMI students take their first year at the UI, their second year in Seattle and part or all of their third and fourth years in clinical rotations at Boise, Pocatello or other WAMI instructional sites.

In addition, students assist in WAMI's pre-med programs to inspire Native American students and other diverse high school and college students to consider and prepare for health science careers.

Making The World Safe For Foxholes.

Protecting the environment is an important part of the U.S. National Guard's peacetime mission. The Guard has planted over 20,000 trees in parks that have been devastated by fires and storms. It also has reforested contaminated areas on its own property where trees were destroyed in decades past.

As a result, the Guard is an active participant in the nation's peacetime mission. It has helped clean up hazardous waste sites and restore degraded lands. It has also helped fight fires and storms. It has worked to improve the nation's infrastructure, including roads and bridges.

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Palouse trades haven for Harlem

The country life welcomes.

The ease of daily life is desirable.
The quiet hills surrounding Moscow beckon.

But now, the quiet is disturbed, the peace has been broken and the safety a small town usually affords can no longer be counted on — or so many people think. Was the Palouse ever any safer than any other area of the country or do people just like to believe that?

Last month the Palouse was startled by a drive-by shooting in Pullman. Two months before that a Good Samaritan was shot for having only $17. This weekend at least three shots were fired with the intent to harm for no apparent reason.

One of the bullets met its mark.

Joseph Oliver, a 23-year-old WSU student, was shot in the back of the left thigh Sunday. Two other people were shot at while in a car near the campus. The man toting the gun fired several other shots into the air and into the crowd.

Unlike many shootings in America, this one didn’t end with the body bag being zipped. Many local residents are thankful for this fact, but many others are angry this shooting happened. We should be thankful only one person was hurt with the number of times the gun was fired, but we shouldn’t be accepting of the fact that this was “just” one person.

Oliver may have been randomly selected from a group.

Many people breathe easier when they realize this may have been a “random and violent” crime, but Oliver doesn’t. Oliver wasn’t the only victim of the crime. In addition to the others in front of Xenon that morning, Moscow and all Palouse residents are victims.

This small pocket of America has been relatively free from random violence, hate crimes and the sort. This occurrence put a stop to that. Many people living on the Palouse have maintained that crimes “like that” don’t happen here. Crimes against people, those crimes which violate them as persons, happen everywhere. For years rape has been trivialized on the Palouse as something that doesn’t happen.

In order for people to realize those crimes do happen local-ly, sometimes right next door, someone like Oliver must be injured.

People must not turn any farther than the local daily newspapers to see how busy the law enforcement agencies are with wrongdoing and complaints. As more people flock to the area, it is going to become more and more like any other large city.

If anyone has information pertaining to the shooting Sunday morning in front of Xenon in downtown Moscow, please call the Moscow Police at 882-5551.

—Katé Lyons-Holestein

I've heard all sides of the story. I've read and heard enough to make me a tad queasy. I've let all the media hit me like a powerful, white waterfall. And I've finally drawn a conclusion. This Whitewater thing is no big deal.

It hasn't been easy learning about this big and complicated soap opera that may come second only to the Kent State-Harding story in terms of scandal. Reading about Bill and Hillary’s possible wrongdoing while back in Arkansas proved about as exciting as President Clinton’s commencement speech last year.

Now basically, people have a general idea about what Whitewater is. They know that it has to do with President Clinton and whether he and his wife did some naughty things back when he was running the state of Arkansas. But, I also get the general idea people really have no clue what the details are.

That's understandable. After all, figuring out the situation is more complicated than trying to put together a 1,000 piece jigsaw puzzle. I will do my best to tell you briefly what it is.

Basically, Hillary was practicing law with the Rose Law Firm, where she worked with James McDougall, a friend and president of Whitewater Development Company, which built condos in Arkansas. The Clintons invested a bunch of money in Whitewater, but Whitewater bit the bullet and the Clintons took a financial beating. McDougall was also connect- ed to one of the famous savings and loans that failed and will eventually be bailed out by Uncle Sam.

There are numerous charges involving this First, it is thought the failed savings and loan, through McDougall, funneled some of this money into Bill’s 1984 gubernatorial race. It is also thought Clinton didn’t pay his fair share of taxes on his Whitewater investment. There are other ques-tions of ethics involving Hillary and her role in the Rose Law Firm and whether important documents relating to Whitewater were shredded.

That’s just a brief synopsis, and things certainly don’t look like they are going to get any easier.

Now, Robert Fiske has been appointed to investigate the mess and Clinton has denied he had anything to do with any illegal stuff. I believe him. Not because I want to, but because everything I’ve read so far seems to support his denial. I don’t believe this is “White Watergate” as some Republicans have challenged. At best, I think the Clintons may have done something questionable ethically speaking, but I don’t see the law being broken.

I very rarely criticize the media, but I have to take exception to its handling of Whitewater. With the exception of National Public Radio and elitist papers like The New York Times, the media has done a much better job of figuring out who’s to blame than explain-ing what Whitewater is. As a result, we should be:

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Smoking ban would kill bar aura, save 100,000 idiots

There’s only two reasons to use smoke in this world: 1) It usually means fire, which is a bad thing when you’re lost in the wilderness as it’s getting dark and salivating wolves are closing in, eating your husky sled team while your fingers are getting numb, and 2) It’s good for making nasty bathroom smells.

Other than the above, smoking ought to be banned. As an odor, it slips through the air and shoots straight at people, clinging with the toxicity of super-glue to people’s clothes, hair, tongues. As a fashion statement, smoking is downright tacky. As a snack, it tastes terrible. And oh yea, it’s bad for your health, too.

But it shouldn’t be banned yet. There are millions of twisted people out there who are addicted to something they can’t control. It’s not their fault. Smoking used to be cool, and now, as some sort of alternative rebellion against soci-ety, depression, regression and depression, smoking is again the thing to do. They can’t control themselves. That’s what makes it a big deal and smokers shouldn’t be censored for it. A lot of people are the same way with red eye treatments and Hostess Cupcakes. Even if people are backing up phlegm and having lungs removed, there’s a federal propos-al in the works that will ban smok-ing in all public buildings in which ten or more people enter on any given day of the week. That also includes bars. This ban would be disastrous to American business as we know it.

For instance, if smoking were no longer allowed in bars, the entire environment would change. The lazy nether-world would die a cosmic death. Just imagine a crowd of 1,000 fans looking at a different arena for fights that show tenintense packages in scope. There would be no agitation:

* SEE SMOKE PAGE 10
Letters to the Editor

Native people will overcome

Greasy Grass, Whitebird, Sand Creek, GI. These are all battle grounds in which we native people have had to fight the oppression of another culture. Unlike others, the battle we face here at UI is for an education and has gone on for years and will continue for many more.

We, as native peoples, have been guaranteed the right to an education whether it be through treaties with different tribes or by our citizenship. Which, by the way, wasn’t granted to us until 1924. The problem we face as native students is looking through the lies, ignorance and deception to find out who our allies are.

Is the university our ally? Is this the same university that at every pressure point it gets states it is striving for cultural diversity? The same university that offered us a cultural center in the Student Union then opened it up for use by any campus organization? The same university that says it is increasing its minority faculty and personnel?

They try to justify this statement by hiring people with a trace of native blood who have never been around native peoples and know nothing of the barriers we face.

Many of us have been asked to sit in and grade prospective employees, but our input has meant little and asked only after the hiring is completed. Professors, are they our allies? These icons of wisdom and knowledge that we in our culture have been taught to respect and listen to. Is that the same professor on the Diversity Task Force who submitted an anonymous letter criticizing this group’s effort to achieve a more culturally diverse university.

One of his comments said he did not see how the university could benefit “by lowering its standards to hire more minority.” Maybe it’s the professor who was listening to a discussion on your Supreme Court’s ruling that reduced the Ute Reservation’s area by one-third. He, through his ignorance, said to one of our native students, “What are you crying around for, you gave that land to you anyway.” I wonder who could really benefit from a continued education.

Our fellow students, are they our allies? Is it the student who, through her own ignorance, accused a native student of smoking marijuana. While our student was only burnig sage to purify her room in the way she have been taught to do for generations. Is it the “wanna-be” Indian students with their beads, braids and New Age ceremonies that mock our native culture. These people do more to us in that they can possibly fathom by their mimicking of our sweat ceremonies and the carrying of our sacred pipes.

But, we are not ignorant people and we see all these things that go on around us and we will prevail. Although we are from many different nations, we have strength in our unity. We, as a people, have survived the injustices, oppression, racism and culturalization forced upon us for 500 years. In the next 500 years we will not only survive, but we will overcome barriers set before us and thrive as a people.

—Brian Ahtupaheki Native American Student Assoc.

Can make case of truine nature

In reference to Ralph Nielsen’s March 23 letter

As a monotheistic culture there would be no way for Jesus to equate himself as being one with the father without being understood that he was making himself out to be divine (John 10:24-33); a claim by the way that is blasphemy only on the basis that it is false.

In regards to both his divinity and role in creation in the opening chapter of John, we discover the WORD or LOGOS of God as being WITH GOD and as GOD.

We further discover in v. 14 that this WORD (God) was made flesh in the person of the man Jesus, who was the Christos/Logos, or the physical incarnation of the Divine or Spiritual Word of God. In an attempt to try to prove his case that Jesus is not the creator, Mr. Nielsen refers us to Genesis 1:1, but if you continue reading at least through v.3, you can discover not only God, but God’s Spirit moving and God speaking, and so even in Genesis we can make a case for the truine nature of God is 1 John 5:7.

Now, concerning the notion of whether or not we can find support for the belief in a Resurrection, Heaven and Hell in the Old Testament, Jesus himself believed in these things and even refers to Moses at the burning bush to support his belief that even Moses understood that God was the God of the living, not the dead, so therefore Abraham, Isaac and Jacob were not dead according to the Word of God.

—T.A. Dahl
FIASCO  
FROM PAGE 8

Clinton's approval rating dropping when a majority of American's probably couldn't begin to explain Whitewater.

Of course, these fun-loving goof-balls in the Republican party have done nothing to discourage all the negative media attention.

- Clinton is receiving, Republicans like Jim Leach and others are scramble to cover up. Clinton is not cooperating and there's some sort of scandal of Nixon proportions coming from the Oval Office.

It wouldn't hurt if Sen. Bob Dole came through this smelling like roses as he launched his bid for the president while Clinton came through smelling like Socks litter box.

In politics, you have to remember the enemy always has something to gain when the other guy has a rough spot.

Now if through all these hearings we find out Clinton really did do something horrific, I'll be the first one to eat my own words on whole wheat bread. But like many others, I think this situation will instead be used by Republicans to fabricate something that will make their boss look bad.

Overall, I'm impressed with Clinton's presidency. Despite the twisted truths Rush Limbaugh feeds us, he's done a lot. His budget should bring the deficit to a decade low number, and I'm pretty impressed with his desire to at least try and do what's best for America.

Ever President since the dawn of the nation has suffered some sort of scandal. Harding had the Teapot Dome Scandal. For Nixon it was Watergate, and both Reagan and Bush were tied into the Iran-Contra mess.

So if Clinton can get through this fiasco with that cheesy grin on, I think America will be better off.

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**Music**

**Vandaleers help alumni celebrate**

As part of the UI Alumni Association’s Silver and Gold Celebration, on Tuesday, March 29, the UI Vandaleers under the direction of Tim King will perform at North Idaho College in Sandpoint.

The performance, at 7:30 p.m., in the NIC Auditorium in Boswell Hall, is free to the public and will feature a variety of music from folk to opera, to Dixieland to traditional Idaho songs.

A social will precede the event, complete with hors d’oeuvres and a no-host bar, at the Catcher in the Rye restaurant.

At the social, which is sponsored by the UI and the Kootenai county chapter of the Alumni Association, Cœur d’Alene resident Mel Spolde, class of 1987, will be presented with a Silver and Gold professional award.

After the concert, a reception will be held: It will cost $7 at the door, and will include dessert, coffee and a glass of champagne.

Please RSVP for both pre- and post-function events. For the pre-concert social, call Jack Dawson at the UI Cœur d’Alene Center, (208) 667-2588; for the reception following, call Betty Jo Angell, (208) 262-8974.

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**Movie**

**Sheikh hosts women’s program**

“Once Around the Baha’i Calendar” will be presented by Chris Vaughan at 2 p.m. March 26.

This International Women’s Association Program will be hosted by Susan Sheikh at her home at 920 South Logan Street, Moscow.

The program is open to all interested women in the community.

Those needing transportation should meet at the Student Union Building parking lot at 1 p.m. or 1:30 p.m.

The International Women’s Association is one of the programs of the International Friendship Association jointly sponsored by the ASU and the International Programs Office (IPO). For further information please call the IPA office at 885-7841.

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**Wardrobe door opens at Admin**

**C.S. Lewis’ children’s story melds fantasy, Christian themes**

**Mark McReynolds**

**Contributing Writer**

**What better material for children’s theater than C.S. Lewis’*The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe*?**

What better place for children’s theater than the Administration Building? What better audience for children’s theater than children? Sometimes all seems perfect in the universe, and March 24 ASU Productions and Theatreworks/USA brought the universe of Narnia to the Administration Building Auditorium for a presentation of C.S. Lewis’ famous children’s story, *The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe.***

For all of you who never experienced a childhood, *The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe* is the story of four children from Blitz ravaged London sent to the countryside for safekeeping. During their stay with “the professor” they are magically transported via a dusty, old wardrobe (that’s English for shant, kind of) to the land of Narnia—a land where a witch, wolves, and other evil things struggle against a lion king, bishops and other evil things. At the same time if winter will reign or spring will return. The children, Susan (Allison Friend), Lucy (Pamela Mackenzie), Peter (Andrew Pedrash), and Edmund (Mike Statz) are drawn into the struggle and through the course of the conflict come to learn something about themselves and the world in which they live. Such is the way with children’s stories. But don’t be deceived. C.S. Lewis consistently flirts allegorically with Christian themes and symbols, and in doing so transforms the fantastical world of Narnia into a morally instructive vehicle. Such is the way with good children’s stories.

For instance, the children are consistently referred to as the son’s of Adam and the daughters of Eve. Araval (Tim Gadzinski), the lion king, becomes a willing victim, giving himself up to death so that another could live, and later comes back from the dead because “when one is innocent sacrifices for one that is guilty, he is granted another life.” See the connection? But let’s not wax too theological.

This was, after all, a children’s production, resplendent with singing and dancing and sword fights galore.

In this spirit, the stage and costume design was creatively simple, but very effective. More impressive was the exhausting performance of the five actors/actresses. All had to assume multiple roles, continually change costumes and manipulate props. They did so without surprisingly minimal distraction.

More impressive still, the presentation never lost the undivided attention of the children in the audience. What better praise in an age of Nintendo, MTV and notoriously short attention spans? What better praise for the cast and the crew of The Lion, The Witch, and The Wardrobe?

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**VIRTUAL REALITY**

**Seth Als (left) and Huba Leidenfrost try their hand at entering cyberspace Friday afternoon in the SUB Vandal Lounge. The Virtuality equipment was brought in by ASU.**

**Photo by Karin Yahr**

Belize, where is Belize? This is one of the questions that any Belizean traveling abroad is bound to answer innumerable times.

While some people will, for the first time, be taken through a verbal lightening tour by an eager Belizean, others will no doubt wonder when Belize is referred to as former British Honduras as it was known up to 1981 prior to its independence.

Well, now that you asked about Belize, I’ll gladly share my home. Belize is the youngest country swiftly nestled on the eastern part of Central America just below the Yucatan Peninsula of Mexico.

It shares its borders with Mexico in the north and north-west, the Caribbean Sea on the east and Guatemala on the west and south. Its size is about 8,866 square miles with its longest and widest points measuring 174 miles and 68 miles respectively. It is approximately the size of the state of Vermont.

Like most of its Central American neighbors, Belize has a subtropical climate with temperatures ranging from 50 to 70 degrees Fahrenheit.

Its topography is etched with coastal mangrove swamps, low, flatlands, vast tracts of rain forest and agricultural areas, as well as, plane covered mountains. A magnificent Caribbean coastline featuring five beaches and over 200 cays (islands) amidst the longest coral barrier reef in the western hemisphere further enhance the Belizean territory.

Having been a British colony, it is expected that Belize would have close historical and cultural ties to Britain and the Commonwealth Caribbean nations. This is attested by the fact that a Westminster democratic parliamentary system of government reigns there.

With many systems in place, Belize has flourished and today it prides itself as one of the most stable and peaceful nations in the region.

The Belizean society consists of a kaleidoscope of ethnic groups. The diverse cultural-cross-fertilization and heritage of the Belizean people is truly interesting. This "potpourri"

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**D-III make glue**

**Song, dance make magic combination**

**Tristan Trotter**

**Staff Writer**

They danced. They dreamed. And we all shared the dream. The Dance Theater and the Lionel Hampton School of Music’s 3rd annual “Dancers, Drummers and Dreamers” made magic Friday and Saturday night.

The charming, litigious percussion ensemble provided a kind of musical glue between dances. The group opened the show with a stylized, technologically appropriate rendition of Edgar Allen Poe’s “The Bells.” This full-ensemble stage takeover, and the entire recital to follow, was a dedication to Provost Tom Bell for his hard work and support of the departments.

The first dance had Middle Eastern flavor, with performers dressed in baggy, gold-tiled pants and belts around their ankles, arranging themselves in various tableaus: rhythm in which stanzas were created by moving pictures.

Several dances followed, dealt with some issues, including harassment, intolerance, and prejudice, and performed with sensitivity and successful communication through movement and music.

Major highlight: the dance/percussion improvisations with hula hoops, in which dancers and musicians bounded in and out of hoops on the stage, eliciting different percussive beats from players in a semicircle. A playful, folkloric game, the dance ended with performers being corralled into the hoops and moving offstage.

The UI percussion ensemble’s brief, random songs for two between acts, through the audience and across the stage, were grand: hard-driving, precise, strident, and a good time. The group is a family — they have a better time on stage than most when playing.

Major highlight: “Percussion Ensemble Interlude #2, Ring My Bell,” in which one member’s shaved head became another’s instrument. Rhythmic slurring of the poor guy’s head made bells ring in the background with each significant down-beat.

Also of note: the Irish, wooden floor of much of the show’s second half, with dancers set in forest-like lighting, overhead scenery and live music made with traditional instruments like the viola de gamba, the Irish bouzouki, the bodhrans and the tin whistle.

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**Conference to examine learning, art**

**Dave Lewis**

**Vice President for Administration**

Learning and the Arts, a confer-
ence sponsored by the Lionel
Hampton School of Music and the
Fine Arts Committee of UI begins
at 4 p.m. Wednesday.

The conference followed an
sym\bo\l\ic development, the theory
of media technology and the role
of the arts in the learning process.

The keynote speaker Bruce Torf
is a research psychologist and
teacher at Harvard University.

Harvard University’s Project Zero.
The Wednesday Music Program in
the School of Music Room 116, will
feature Karen Mazz, member of the
College of Education, presenting
“Whole Language.”

Lola Black Blackburn, School of
Music, will present “Whole Music”
during this session.

The final program will begin at 5
p.m. John Holte will introduce
Howard Gardner’s videotape,
“Theories of Multiple Intelligence.”

The program continues in the
Administration Auditorium at 8
p.m. The speaker is Fred Chapman,
professor emeritus in Drama.

Thursday in the Hampton Music
Building Recital Hall Diane
Walker, professor of Dance, will
present a session at 4 p.m. Marilyn
Billups, McDonald Elementary
School music specialist, will follow
at 4:30 p.m. in Room 116. At 5
p.m., also in Room 116, Melanie
Stiebe an art teacher at Moscow
High School will speak.

The finale will begin at 7 p.m. at
the Administration Auditorium and
will feature music from the
combined fifth grades of Moscow
elementary schools.

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The purpose of this health minute is to inform you about the most common tests that the UI Student Health Service conducts for HIV testing. Any student who has had sexual intercourse may be at risk for HIV infection. Students are welcome and encouraged to come in for HIV testing. Every effort is made to guarantee confidentiality—no reference to HIV testing is made in the medical record and blood samples are sent by code number to the laboratory, so results are processed without names attached.

The first step in HIV testing is what we call "pre-test counseling," in which one of the clinicians at the SHS explains the confidentiality procedures and the important aspects of HIV infection. The student is informed there is a long time of several weeks or months after someone becomes infected with HIV before the blood test turns abnormal. Each student is also informed that if the test shows infection, the State of Idaho requires the Public Health Department be informed. However, the individual's privacy is still protected. The role of the Public Health Department is to explain to the individual available treatments and how not to spread infection and to maintain current statistics regarding HIV infection in Idaho.

The student is then given an informed consent form to read. This form explains the test and provides general information about HIV. The student is asked if he or she has any questions. Then a blood test sample is taken.

No love in produce aisle

Mike Edwards
Contributing Writer

Hello, this is Mike Edwards writing to you from Graz, Austria. The beautiful capital of the province of Steiermark (Styria) and possible home of the 2002 Winter Olympic games.

I have been in Graz since the first of March, when I came here via a long and winding journey from Frankfurt and Rosenheim, Germany. My trip from Frankfurt to Graz was filled with a lifetime of experiences I will never forget—meeting new and interesting people, carrying an insane amount of luggage and a broken baggage carousel, and seeing some of the best and most disappointing scenery I have ever encountered.

My trip lasted about one and a half days and took me from Frankfort to Munich to Rosenheim to Salzburg, Austria, to Bischofshofen to Tinsel. Each town represents a different train I had to take. I never again want to feel the feeling of carrying a suitcase and two overstuffed duffel bags from train to train. I need to find bathrooms, customs offices and departure schedules.

It was a journey I never want to repeat (although it did not blacken my taste for travel). However, I made it, more or less, intact to Graz, and after an eternity of waiting at the train station for Irene Trenner, my program coordinator, to pick me up, I was just settled into my apartment in Graz.

Even after a horrendous journey, I was not too disappointed with my new surroundings. My housing consists of a room, a kitchen, a living room, a five-person bathroom or apartment as it is commonly known in the States. I share a large studio-like room with Andreas Krothb, an Austrian from Carinthia, in the southern portion of the country. Spacious, with a wooden floor and a high ceiling, the room overlooks Keplerstrasse (Koppler Street). Unfortunately, Keplerstrasse is one of the main arterial streets in Graz, and it is perpetually noisy and busy.

Andreas and I share the Wohnung with Sandra and Laura, two French women, one an art student and the other a double, and Dana Heindorf from Germany.

The situation is not too conducive to my German abilities, because Andreas and Dana speak too fast and Sandra and Laura have a distinctly French accent that confuses their speech. I do, however, enjoy living here, despite sharing a bathroom, shower, phone and cleaning chores.

‘Mother’ tugs at sensibilities

Tristan Trotter
Staff Writer

Thank God they’re not our mothers. But goddess and goddesses in their talent and creativity. The U of I theater creation, We’re Not Your Mother’s was an eccentric tug at audience sensibilities. A conglomeration of original pieces and performances, it challenged thought, evoked tears, probably raised a few danderers and definitely made waves of laughter.

We spent an evening with Andy Wyke’s diorama, how much fun do you think you could have watching someone eat frozen fruit and drink Mountain Dew? You would probably underestimate the amount, unless you had seen Wyke’s opening bit in which he answered audience questions while he chewed his beans and cheese.

Jodie Fenzly “mystified” us with a piece about one man’s drug and dream-like experience, with Ben Flynn’s silhouette, lighted behind a too-dyed sheet. Fenzly’s voice and words lacked the kind of sweet closure we too often settle for in theater, and I enjoyed being deceived and disrupted by her macabre story. “If We’re,” featuring Gabrielle Korten, Anne Jemsen and Kelsey Hartman as black-booted, heavy-breathing Fomats, gave new amplitude to our vocabulary of F’s, proving that you don’t have to use the big ones to make your point.

Don Garrott offered stand-up comedic relief with “My Aunt, Orphans,” sharing his most embarrassing moment (snaked on a jet ski), as well as his impression of a late-night WHFP’s Wyke. Korten and Hartman all returned in the next scene, portray ing an AIDS victim, WWII concentration victim and Irish Roy Croghan victim, respectively. In virtual darkness and on candles on black boxes, the performance was an exchange of images and impressions and together in a frightening patchwork of experiences no one should have to endure.

We even got a touch of silent Fred Astaire, performed on a TV screen in the famous on-the-ceiling dance that gave crystalline one-liners and moved around each other in separate worlds and actions.

Kirst Bouchard charmed and delighted her original monologue, Hair, about a misunderstood

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- Peanut butter and finely ground curry
- Cheese and ham
- Sliced cheddar cheese and tomatoes
- Egg and tuna mix

For a hot pita roll, put the filling in cold and put the filled pita back in the toaster or in the microwave oven for a a minute.
I enjoyed my apartment mates, so much that last week I cooked them a gourmet Mexican feast. Unfortunately, the small jar of salsa I bought was so hot that Sandra and Laura began to cry.

I felt like my first night in Graz. I arrived at 4 p.m. and unpacked my meager belongings by 5 p.m. Unfortunately, almost everything in Graz closes down by 6 p.m. (Except restaurants, theaters and sex shops), so I did not have much time to experience the town. Hungry, yet too scared to spend large amounts of money or to speak German in a local, I sat down at Hofer, a popular butcher with dozens of pastries and eating establishments. I wanted to eat and so I thought to spend 8-100 Austrian Schilling for dinner and since the dark ($1.00 is about 10 Schilling).

Wandering up and down Keplerstrasse like a lost tourist, my map of Graz faithfully in my hand, I finally settled on Greek food at a small restaurant across from my apartment building. I did not want waste or the local variety of beer (Reilinghaus or Punigamer—they both taste like Heidelberg). Thus, I ordered a beef gyro and a Coke. The Coke did not have ice, just as I expected. The gyro was delicious, but for 60 Schilling I was still hungry.

The local grocery stores, Hofer, Konsum and Spar, had all closed for the night, so I returned to the apartment. There was not much I could do on my first night in Graz. I had 8500 Schilling to spend, but I had no idea where I could spend it. For the first time in my life, I felt like a confused foreigner.

The next day I visited my first Austrian grocery store. I had heard Hofer was the cheapest in town, so I went there to buy staples. Unfortunately, I did not know how to operate the locks on the grocery carts. Someone later told me that the lock required a 5 Schilling deposit that would be returned when the cart was pushed back in place. At the time I thought that each usage cost 5 non-refundable Schilling, so I did not bother with a cart. Going into the store, I was surprised to see how small it actually was and how little variety it offered. I found hardly any recognizable brands, and when I did, I was forced to translate the product from German to English. Without a cart I had to carry everything, and when I went to check out, I was surprised to find harga 2.5 Schilling price (8390).

The checkout lady finished the transaction at lightning speed, speaking unstintingly in German and pushing my purchases aside faster than I could collect them.

When she asked for money, I could barely understand what she had said and fumbled to find the right amount in my wallet. Customers waited patiently behind me, and my groceries waited to be collected in front of me. Giving her the money, I had to gather my purchases as the checkout lady helped the next customer. Fortunately, Hofer offered free carrying boxes, and I managed to put my belongings in one before I went home.

My experience at the grocery store taught me a valuable lesson—although Austrians are generally not as busy as Americans, they don’t tavelle in the grocery line.

BELIZE

While each group is distinguished by certain attributes, the genetic mixture and interaction that occurs among Belizeans is very interesting and unique. While English is the official language and the medium of instruction at all schools other languages such as Spanish and Creole are also spoken. In addition, other languages to be heard are Garifuna, Maya, Ketchi, Chinese and a few others. A U.S. anthropologist states, “Belizean culture is a dynamic complex of languages, cultures and races.”

Demographically, Belize is the least populated country in Central America with a population of about 280,000. As a result, demands and impacts on the natural resources have been kept to a minimum. In recent years, however, it has been rapidly increasing especially with the influx of other Central American refugees and with developmental pressures. In the rain forests, a myriad array of rare and endangered species such as tapirs, jaguars, howler monkeys and other animals are found in large numbers. In addition, one of the richest ecosystems, the coral reef, is home to countless species of exotic living creatures and is also a rich support for both the fisheries and tourism industry. Belize is rich in Maya heritage, remnants of this ancient civilization are evident throughout the entire country. Mayan temples, tombs and artifacts and the presence of the descendants of the Maya are all part of the Belizean legacy. All in all, Belize is a small, young and independent nation that has much to offer not only to the Belizeans, environmentalists, archaeologists, but all who want to meet friendly people in a friendly country.

Two essential ingredients for a perfect date: A date and this. Two essential ingredients for a perfect date: A date and this.

Two essential ingredients for a perfect date: A date and this.
Intramural softball, Frisbee golf wrap up '93-'94 season

Opportunities supplement sports activities outside intramural competition

Bridge Lux

Two events remain in the continual struggle for the intramural championships at the UI. Living groups need to warm up their bats and practice their Frisbee because after softball and Frisbee golf, it's all over.

Delta Sigma Phi holds first overall in the men's competition after about three quarters of the events with Sigma Nu trailing by a mere 11 points. However, these figures do not include powerlifting which the Sigma Nu's won, giving them 100 more points. Delta Sigma Phi came in second and Farmhouse was third.

Individual powerlifting champions were Rick Willer of Delta Sigma Phi, Bob Matt of Sigma Nu, Dave Uheruaga, independent, Mike Lincoln and Shawn Mann of Sigma Nu and Tom Shefield of Delta Chi.

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The Frisbee golf competition is scheduled to be held on April 23. April 22 is the entry deadline. One hundred points will be given to the winner of the final event.

Co-rec ultimate Frisbee begins soon with the entry deadline today at 5 p.m.

Also, the Intramural manager's meeting, worth 25 points, has been moved from April 7 to April 14.

This meeting will be held in UCC 110 at 4:30.

The Frisbee golf championship social will be held May 5 from 3:30 to 5:00 at the campus recreation office.

Sports Briefs

The 4th Annual Beta 4-Man Golf Scramble, benefiting the National Children's Burn Awareness Program, will be held Saturday, April 9 at the UI golf course.

Ten times are from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The cost is $18 per player.

Prizes are awarded to 1st and 2nd place winners, the longest drive and closest to the pin.

Contact Tommy or Chris W. at Boosters to hold annual banquet Apr. 5

The Latash County Vandal Boosters' annual banquet honoring the UI men's basketball team will be April 5 in the Convention center at the University Inn in Moscow.

The social hour begins at 6 p.m. and dinner begins at 7 p.m.

The event costs $18 for adults and $8 for children.

For more information, call 885-6466.

BASKETBALL

1994's Final Four has arrived

Andrew Longoteg

In ten short, high-flying, trash-talking, basketball-playing, action-packed days, the men's NCAA basketball tournament went from 64 teams to four. Yes, the world-renowned Final Four is upon us, but not without a few surprises.

Perhaps the most astonishing team isn't even in the Final Four — Arizona College.

The Eagles, after defeating top-dog North Carolina and injury-ridens Indiana, were finally beaten by the Florida Gators. It's hard to believe BC beat a regionally overrated Washington State team by one point.

It was a shame, that someone had to lose, because both Florida and BC were deserving of advancing to the Final Four.

The Gators, nonetheless, are pretty astonishing themselves. Head coach Lon Kruger turned a 7-21 team into a contender for the national title. In the last two years, they earned an NIT bid, which is equivalent to kissing your sister-in-law.

Meanwhile, the Arizona Wildcats impressively defeated the No. 3 seed in the West, Louisville, 82-70. Two days later, No. 1 seed Missouri was their next victim. Missouri couldn't hit their three-point shots, but Arizona could in a 92-72 thrashing.

The Fab Four of Michigan played reasonably well until the Sweet Sixteen, when they beat the Maryland Terrapins. The four players, Juwan Howard, Jalen Rose, Ray Jackson and Jimmy King failed to reach the championship game in their mythical college careers for the first time.

They played well against tournament favorite (if that has any meaning anyway) Arkansas, but not enough. The Wolverines were only 3-17 from three-point territory, while the Razorbacks rooted on by Arkansas faithful Bill Clinton. After losing 14 of 21 attempts, Michigan's Howard, not a real fan favorite, was left with no points and all 13 rebounds. After the game, the coach displayed his pride and defied his supporters by saying he would return to Michigan for his senior season. We'll wait and see.

The Duke Blue Devils are the best team in the tournament. They may not have the best athletes or even good basketball players, but coach Mike Krzyzewski has them together like a 12- piece jigsaw puzzle. In their third-round victory over Purdue, they shut down Boilermaker Glenn Robinson, holding him to a season-low 13 points.

It will be Duke's seventh Final Four appearance in five seasons.

A No. 1 seed, two No. 2 seeds and a No. 3 seed comprise the Final Four. More fun predictions:

In last week's game, my predictions were respectable, but nothing to write home about. So please, if it didn't happen, Marquette over Duke and Louisville over Arizona. My closest prediction was Arkansas Victory over UCLA 103-84 in which I saw it as a 10-point UCLA win. In other words, you are not expected to be impressed because I correctly picked, picking the NCAA winner is like picking a tea out of Bob Marley's dead-breaks.

The best two teams in the Final Four, Arizona and Duke, will play Saturday night. Fortunately, someone has to lose. The teams combine for a 58-10 lead in rebounding, arguably the best backcourt in the nation with Khalid Reeves and Derek Lambrecht.

They will have to utilize every ounce

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ON THE ROAD AGAIN

Photo by Anne Drobish

Three women head for the finish line during the Palouse Road Run on Kamiak Butte. Women were required to complete a one lap race - the men three to four laps.

Uphill, downhill

Amy White
Staff Writer

Mountain biking has become very popular across college campuses and there are several people in the area who have taken the sport more seriously than riding to class.

People were able to test their riding ability at the UCI Campus Recreation Mountain Bike Rodeo race last Sunday. The race was held behind the UI sheep barns. The event coordinator was Paul Manzanto, graduate assistant for Terry Shelker. This is the second year for the race. The event began at noon and lasted approximately two hours. Luckily, the weather was warm and sunny which put the competitors and spectators in a spirited mood.

There were three races: uphill, downhill and circuit races. This format is common for most mountain bike races. The circuit race was four miles in length.

The rules in mountain bike races are much different than those of a street race. The slalom courses on a mountain bike course are often very difficult. In the uphill competition, if it is too tough the racer may carry his or her bike up the course without being disqualified.

There were 29 participants divided into two age groups: 14-17 and 18 and over. Dan Shelker was the only participant in the 14-17 age group. There was also a men's and women's competition. Marcia Stephens participated in and won both the uphill and downhill races, in the

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of quickness when they play the quickest team in the nation in Arkansas. The team is rightly nick-
named Forty Minutes of Hell because of their relentless pressure defense and their unhesitating three-point shooting. This game will be a doozy. Tentative prediction: Arkansas 96, Arizona 93.

The matchup between Duke and Florida will be a game of inspired teams. Duke rebutted their naysay-
ers who said they didn't have a chance this year to make the Final Four. Senior forward Grant Hill has had to work the hardest to attain his superstar status. He may be the smartest collegiate player in the nation.

Florida is in their first Final Four ever - enjoying every minute of it. They will enjoy it even more if guard Craig Brown continues his hot three-point shooting. He connected on three 3-pointers in three consecutive possessions to help the Gators break away from BC. Duke is playing too well to lose but Florida may win on their emotion alone. Tentative prediction: Duke 72, Florida 66.

If Arkansas faced Duke in the finals, it would be quite interesting. Arkansas' fast-paced, speed racer basketball versus Duke's mellow style. Duke would have a good chance to beat Arkansas because they excel at both the half-court and transition game. The Razorbacks are not very adept when they are patient. No prediction will be offered.

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women’s competition for the 18 and up age group. Her time for the uphill was two minutes, 49 seconds, for the downhill it was 1:24.

The range of the competitors in Sunday’s race ranged from novice to semi-professional. Anyone was welcome to compete, regardless of their experience.

Results for the circuit race in the 18 and over division were: 1st place, Greg Snorheim timed at 13:52; 2nd, Dave Plagian at 14:13; and 3rd place, Allen Wood at 14:17. Snorheim has been competing on his mountain bike for the last three years. He took second in the Monroe Mountain Madness race and claimed Sunday’s race as a simple one. Snorheim added, “I think it great that UW Campus Recreation puts on a race to test the skills of area riders.” However, he would like to see a larger race. Snorheim said, “There was enough support this year that they should be able to put on a bigger race next year.”

In the downhill competition, Brad Gillette won with a time of 0:51. One second behind Gillette was Todd Kesl. There was a tie for third between John Terry and Greg Snorheim at 53 seconds.

In the toughest leg of the competition, the uphill climb, Brad Gillette came in first again at 1:51. Eric Scott and Jeff Davis came in second, both at 1:56. Todd Kesl pulled into fourth with a time of 1:57.

Eric Scott, second place in uphill competition, has been racing for two years in places like Look Out Pass and Priest Lake. He trained for a month — his training paid off. He added about this weekend’s race, “I thought it was fun and challenging!”

This race was fortunate enough not have any serious injuries. One competitor became ill and another fell resulting in a scratched leg.

Chrisy Marceclus, a WSU Sophomore and Pre-Vet major, practices for the Logger Jamboree. Biring, also known as log rolling is one of the events being held this weekend at the UI sponsored event.

Climbing, rolling jamboree

Matt Andrew
Sports Editor

With the smell of spring in the air, there is no better time than now to enjoy some of the great benefits it has to offer.

One of the great ways to enjoy the Spring air is to surround oneself with it and there is no better way than with logger sports.

At the UI a group of students have organized themselves to form their own club, the Logger Sports Club. It is a group of students from the university, with a couple making their way from Pullman to compete with regional colleges and universities in a variety of events. Overall, there are 13 events made for both men and women or a combination of both.

The UI Logger Sports Club will hold a Logger Jamboree April 1-2 from 8 a.m. to roughly 5 p.m. It is free to the public and stands are provided.

Biring, the familiar log rolling event, requires one stay on the log longer than others opponents as it spins the water forwards and backwards.

The pole climb requires women to climb a 30-foot pole and men a 50 foot pole faster than the others. There is also a variation to this event called the obstacle pole. Here a competitor must show agility and speed. Competitors travel up the incline pole with a saw. At the top, competitors saw off the log with the chainsaw.

There are three contests that involve the action of chopping. The horizontal hard chop asks the individual to chop the log into two pieces within a time limit, the fewest wins.

One that is similar is the horizontal speed chop. The objective is to chop the log into two pieces in the shortest time possible. The vertical speed chop is similar, however, the log is perched on a stand and the time stops when the top half hits the ground.

The double buck is a team of two men or women, and the object is to saw through a log in the shortest time possible.

Jack and Jill is the same event but is a mixed team of a man and woman. Single buck requires that a single competitor do the same event.

The ax throw allows each contestant a practice and to complete three throws during competition.

The object is to stick the ax on a log target. The maximum amount of points is 15. There is also a multitude of different events. The choker setting is the crowd pleaser. A log is fastened to choker cable with the other end fastened to the contestants leg. The object is to drag the choker through an obstacle course.

Men and women come together in the team relay. This is a timed event which utilizes many of the events mentioned like the horizontal speed chop, obstacle pole, ax throws, pole climb, choker men and double or Jack and Jill sawing.

Every individual sport has a suicide event. In track it’s the decathlon, in skiing it’s the downhill, in logger sports it’s the suicide logger. The event is similar to the team relay except in this event the suicide logger does all the events.

The Logger Jamboree concludes with an awards banquet and dance. Fundraisers for the UI Logger Club include donations, selling concessions in the ASUI-Kibbie Dome and a firewood sale in the fall. This is their largest fund-raiser.

For more information on the UI Logger Sports Club contact Dr. Richard Folk at 885-5850.
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