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Veterans enlighten CSUSB on war

By Kermit Boyd
Sports Editor

The possibility of having security cameras installed in campus parking lots was a topic broached by Cal State University, San Bernardino Police Chief Patrick McDonald at a recent meeting.

Concerns about campus security have also prompted CSUSB President Ali Kamig to request the formation of a Crime Task Force. A formal and first meeting for the force took place on April 10.

A recent upsurge of vehicle thefts, burglaries and even assaults in campus parking lots have been the cause of unease among students and faculty. Due to this concern, one topic the Task Force plans to consider is whether security cameras might be a viable method of crime prevention on campus.

Associated Students, Inc., Vice President Executive Jacqueline Sutton believes the idea has its benefits. “I do think it’s something to be considered.” Sutton said.

“I especially think cameras in Lot D would be a good idea.” She only half jokingly added, “If you have a Honda Civic, don’t park in Lot D.”

Another idea that was thrown around was the possibility of installing cameras in areas overlooking walkways and dorms. This, however, is unlikely to happen according to Sutton. “It would be highly intrusive,” she said. “That’s definitely not the plan — it would be too Big Brother”

ASI President Erik Fallis was even more emphatic, stating, “Students have been and will continue to be intricately involved in any process to place cameras [ASI] is committed to protecting student privacy and independence.

The campus and CSUSB Police Chief McDonald have made the same commitment to student privacy.” Fallis also emphasized that no final decisions have yet been made regarding the cameras.

Fallis will serve as a student representative on the newly formed Crime Task Force, which is co-chaired by McDonald and Phelps Library librarian Johannie Ann Ralph.
Law enforcement agencies engage students with careers

By Matthew Woods
Staff Writer

If you are on probation or awaiting trial you probably steer clear of the Event Center on Tuesday, April 8, between 2 and 4 p.m. in the afternoon.

The Event Center hosted the 8th Annual Criminal Justice Career Exploration Day, allowing criminal justice students to meet and investigate possible vocational opportunities available to them from a multitude of law enforcement agencies.

Among the 22 participants taking part in the event were such agencies as the Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI), the Secret Service, Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), and several local police departments. Alpha Phi Sigma (the criminal justice honor society), and the Criminal Justice Club co-sponsored the event.

The affair was teeming with eager students who came to speak with representatives and recruiters from their desired fields and have questions answered about how they could obtain positions and also become interns.

Yoshiko Marinko and Michael Gutierrez from the United States Secret Service spoke with senior Mark Patterson about a possible career in their field. “I’m a Criminal Justice major looking to break into the Secret Service,” said Patterson. Agent Gutierrez offered his own experience to hopeful future secret service agents, “I thought I would never get hired.”

Now this twenty-something gentleman in a dark brown suit and tie is part of an elite group of Special Agents helping homeland security and traveling around the world.

Bob Nickell was representing the FBI and is also a proud alumnus of CSUSB with his Bachelor’s degree in Criminal Justice and a Masters Degree in National Security Service. “I love it, (it’s) a great job,” Nickell beamed.

The annual event was conceived for the purpose of having... 

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Invasion vs. War

The operative term

Aaron Fredericks
Asst. News Editor

Throughout the ongoing conflict in Iraq, a number of labels have been given to the struggle from a variety of sources. The nature of the terms used arguably defines those who use it, and the myriad of expressions for the current American-Iraqi clash truly illustrates the number of positions.

Examining a number of Middle Eastern news sources, their Western counterparts and the military’s use of terminology, in regards to the perspective on the war, showcases the differing opinions on the Iraqi issue.

In regards to Middle Eastern news sources, only the Israelis appear to approach the Iraqi conflict with a measure of objectivity. The independent newspaper Ha’aretz Daily makes use of the term “War in Iraq.” Arab and Iranian television vary in their terminology, but those expressions seem to indicate dis approval with the war.

The more moderated television networks of Al Jazeera and Abu Dhabi call the situation “The War on Iran.” Al Jazeera also falls into this group. As one travels further down the levels of friendliness to America, the given names make more negative connotations.

Hezbollah TV, the media outlet for the Syrian and Iranian supported group Hezbollah operating in Lebanon, and has been placed on the US terror list, reports on the “Invasion of Iraq.” The most cynical viewpoint appears to originate from Iran, as the title “War for Oil” stars out at viewers.

A wide spectrum of Western choices fills the airways, newspapers, and websites of the United States. Europe.

The most popular label appears to be simply “War in Iraq” as used by CNN and BBC. ABC and CBS have covered the conflict as the “War with Iraq” and “America at War” respectively. MSNBC has completed avoid the use of war in its title “Conflict with Iraq.”

Though the website of activist Robert Fiske is not a professional news source, his use of terminology highlights the left-leaning resistance to the war with the politically charged “Anglo-American Aggression.” The Fox News Channel (FNC) held up the other side of the spectrum by using the official American and British title of “Operation Iraqi Freedom.”

The decision for the official title falls under the jurisdiction of the Bush Administration generally and the Rumsfeld-led Defense Department specifically, with input given to America’s closest ally in the conflict, Britain.

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Health

SARS: Do we have an epidemic?

Due to the rising death toll, as a direct result of the mysterious SARS (Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome) disease, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia, has issued a warning. All travelers, health care workers, and Americans visiting Hong Kong, China, Vietnam, and Singapore should beware of the potentially life-threatening and common symptoms.

SARS has claimed 104 deaths worldwide and the numbers are rising, according to the World Health Organization (WHO). Hong Kong has been hit hard with the disease with a total of 30 confirmed cases of SARS. Multiple apartment complexes have been evacuated where residents were found contaminated. The WHO has issued that there have been a cumulative total of 2,722 cases on four continents.

Worse, the disease has remained a mystery to public health care officials because of its flu like symptoms. Symptoms include high fever, body aches, headaches, shortness of breath, and dry cough.

The CDC and WHO fear that victims that have come in contact with the disease, may wait periods of time before seeking proper medical attention with the belief that they have the flu or pneumonia; in the meantime, enabling the disease to further travel through the blood stream. China has been under fire by the WHO for failing to inform the proper health care professionals of the SARS disease outbreak, first discovered in southern Guangdong in November of 2002. The WHO was not alerted of the possible health threat until February of this year.

The CDC has been working with international health care groups for the past two weeks on developing a possible vaccine. For further information on SARS contact the CDC at www.cdc.gov, and/or the WHO at www.who.int.

Analyzing the War in Iraq

By Marie Thomson

Staff Writer

Looking at the war in Iraq from an economic perspective is different; this view is based on the costs and benefits of the war.

According to Dr. Jim Charkins of the Economics department of Cal State University, San Bernardino, "It is hard to see the point of it from an economics perspective," when referring to the war. The cost - as of right now - is a $70 billion with an allocation of 300,000 soldiers. This does not include future costs because we do not know how long the military is going to have to remain in Iraq for the rebuilding.

Another cost of the war is the loss of human life including all of the Americans, allied forces and Iraqis killed so far. The $70 billion dollars allocated as of right now for the war could instead be used for education, health care, public safety and homeland security in the United States, according to Charkins.

Other disadvantages are diverting resources to the Middle East and away from the search for Osama Bin Laden and the War on Terrorism.

The war in Iraq also stirs anti-American feelings among Muslims, increasing the probability of terrorism in the United States.

The long-term cost is also a main disadvantage looking at it in terms of economics.

The Buzz

The American Marketing Association will be having its first meeting of the Spring Quarter on April 18 at 8 p.m. in SB 216.

The AMA is looking for new members and applications will be available at the meeting. Business and Communication Studies students are encouraged to attend, but all majors are welcome as well.

AMA is excited for upcoming events and 'You won't want to miss a thing!'

The Career Development Center

The Career Development Center will be setting up job interviews with employers in the business industry and government profession.

April 21 through June 9, interviews will be set up.

To participate, visit the Career Center's website at http://careercounseling and click on "MUNSTER/RA/INTERVIEW/".

To be eligible to participate in the program, students must be a senior (graduating no later than June 2003), graduate student, or alumni.

Two special workshops entitled "Find Your On Campus Interview!" will be held in the Career Development Center Conference room UH-S29 on Monday, April 14 at 1 p.m.

For more information contact the Career Development Center at 909-885-5260.

Police Reports

April 7

Incident: Vehicle Burglary
At approximately 12:10 p.m., officers responded to Lot B regarding a vehicle burglary. The vehicle’s driver side window was broken, and property was taken without the owner’s permission.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Assault with Deadly Weapon
At approximately 3:55 p.m., officers responded to our station regarding a report of an assault. A CSUSB student reported that his ex-girlfriend attempted to force his vehicle off the freeway造成了 the pellet to penetrate.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Violation of Restraining Order
At approximately 3:05 p.m., officers responded to the Coyote parking lot regarding damage to the Coyote pen.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Vehicular Hit and Run
At approximately 2:31 p.m., officers responded to Lot D regarding a non-injury hit and run. An unknown vehicle struck the rear bumper of a parked vehicle and left without making contact with the owner.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Vehicle Burglary
At approximately 2:04 p.m., officers responded to Lot D regarding a vehicle burglary. The driver’s side window was broken, and property was taken without the owner’s permission.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Unlicensed Driver, Wrong License Tab
At approximately 1:49 a.m., officer conducted a traffic stop on the Ralph’s parking lot on a vehicle displaying the wrong license tab. The driver was cited for driving without a driver’s license, displaying the wrong tab (12-04) and unregistered vehicle.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Attempt Vehicle Theft
At approximately 3:46 a.m., officers responded to Lot F regarding suspicious circumstances. The CSUSB student found the driver’s side door of her vehicle open. The under side of the dash was damaged, exposing the ignition assembly.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Traffic Collision, Minor Injuries
At approximately 3:55 a.m., officers responded to Northpark Blvd. and Serrano Village Dr. regarding a report of a traffic collision. Three vehicles were involved in a collision when one vehicle crossed the path of another vehicle, causing a chain reaction.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Petty Theft
At approximately 11:47 p.m., officers responded to the CSUSB parking Lot D regarding a report of a vehicle burglary. Unknown person(s) broke the driver’s side window to his vehicle and stole the CD player and amplifier.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Petty Theft
At approximately 10:08 a.m., officers responded to the CSUSB parking Lot D regarding a report of a vehicle burglary.

Unknown person(s) broke the driver’s side window to his vehicle and stole the CD player and amplifier.

Disposition: Report taken.

Incident: Assault with a Deadly Weapon
At approximately 11:12 a.m., officers responded to Mojave dorm regarding a Hoisting Staff member shot with a pellet gun. A student while inside the Mojave dorm was aiming a shotgun, shot a pellet gun outside the window hitting a hoisting staff member on his left side causing the pellet to penetrate.

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The Scene

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The Roving Reporter

“My mother always told me to?”

By Marilyn Valdez

Staff Writer

Name: Yvette Vasquez
Major: Kinesiology
Year: Junior

“Make the guy fight for you, not fight for the guy.”

Name: Ricky Renteria
Major: Civil Engineering
Year: Sophomore

“Keep it in my pants.”

Name: Danny Ibarra
Major: Criminal Justice
Year: Junior

“Take out the trash and clean my room.”

Name: Mario Rocha
Major: Math
Year: Graduate Student

“You are who you hang out with.”

Name: John Ringold
Major: Communications
Year: Sophomore

“To strap it up.”

Look for the Roving Reporter
all over campus.

Have a question you would like to see students answer?
Email us at stfrm@csusb.edu

A dose of Laughter

By Marilyn Valdez

Staff Writer

Tears ran down CSUSB students’ faces, tears of laughter that is, as they laughed the night away at ASI’s “SockA Punch” Comedy Night, on Thursday, April 10 at the Event Center. The Comedy Night was put together by the Cross-Cultural Center and sponsored by ASI. ASI board member Juan Luna and comedian Adam Nadow, former CSUSB student, coordinated the two-day event. The show featured nine comedians that perform in comedy clubs such as The Icehouse, Improv, and The Comedy Store and other locations in southern California as well as outside of California.

Master of Ceremonies Sean Bailey gave the crowd a work-out with his jokes ranging from dating, religion, George Bush and San Bernardino. Some of the subjects were fairly taboo and the audience wasn’t responding, but most of the night was filled with laughter.

“At sometimes the audience wasn’t as receptive, but then again, we’re not used to making jokes with a sober crowd,” said David Pavao.

Former students of CSUSB, David Pavao and Adam Nadow sparked up the night with issues that affect us as college students. Everyone was able to relate when Nadow joked, “I say if Iraq bombs here, their first target should be the 215 freeway, I’m tired of all the traffic.”

“I liked their jokes about our tuition prices going up,” said freshman Yesenia Ayala.

Approximately 60 people showed up to the show. The event started at 7:30 p.m. and students did not leave until 10:30 p.m.

“The crowd was great and I think everyone had a fun time,” said Pavao.

The night not even finished when the comedians started to use a lot of their improv antics. Many started poking fun of audience members. Several students were made part of Comedians routine when they made fun of the audiences’ clothing style.

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All week long, Sigma Chi fraternity and Alpha Delta Pi, Kappa Delta, Alpha Phi, and Zeta Tau sororities participated in the events. The Derby Days event included a barbeque with the sororities and fraternities on campus, obstacle courses and quiz competitions in front of the library, a luncheon at the lower commons and a midnight bowling session at Del Rosa Lanes.

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NEW CSUSB BUILDING GETS SPECIAL INTRODUCTION

By Jennifer Jackson
Staff Writer

April 10, 2003 marked an exciting day for faculty, staff, and students at Cal State San Bernardino. The College of Social & Behavioral Sciences Building celebrated its grand opening.

The ceremony which had been postponed for several months due to scheduling issues and the unfinished landscape, included speeches from President Al Karning and Dr. Conley, dean of Social & Behavioral Sciences. It also included music from the CSUSB Jazz Band playing in the background.

The College of Social & Behavioral Sciences is a great expansion to CSUSB. The five-story building is 135,639 square feet and cost $29,365,000. The building houses the college’s nine departments which include; anthropology, criminal justice, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, social work and sociology. The building is the most technologically advanced at CSUSB, with 31 new computer and research labs.

Dr. Karning said in his speech, “The building will help us do what we need to do. The growth here marked by our Social & Behavioral Sciences Building will allow many more Inland Empire students to go to college. This is a building that will improve educational opportunities.”

The building adds one large auditorium, two large lecture halls, nine small classrooms, six conference rooms, and a museum of anthropology exhibits (coming soon). Other resources located in the building are a Psychology Communication Center, a Child Development Center and a Political Science Debate Room. The building also includes 102 faculty offices and 21 staff offices. Dr. Patricia Little, an assistant professor of Sociology says “The school made the move easy providing boxes and people to help with the move. The move has been positive and the building is lovely.”

When students were asked how they like the new building Junior Rachael Pennell said, “It’s the best building on campus.” Sophomore Claudia Mendoza thinks “The new building was nice and clean and all the classrooms have comfortable seats.”

The only complaint about the building is that the stair system is confusing.

The College of Social and Behavioral Sciences offers many new opportunities for everyone here at CSUSB, and is just the beginning for what is to come at Cal State San Bernardino.

In Dr. Conley’s speech he said “The college is not just a building” Cont. on page 17

Coyote Dating is back!

Anyone interested in finding the perfect match, just fill out the questionnaire and turn it in to the Chronicle Office in UH 037.

1. Gender: Female Male
2. Year: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior
3. How do you describe yourself?
   A. Party Animal until the early dawn
   B. Hardworking and rarely can go out
   C. Lazy and won’t ever get up from the couch
4. Of the following, which is your perfect date?
   A. A romantic walk on the beach
   B. A rockin concert featuring your favorite band
   C. A bowling game
   D. Stay home and do nothing
5. If any actor was going to portray you in a movie, who would you be?
   Girls
   A. Vince A. Fox
   B. Jennifer Lopez
   C. Lucie Garofalo
   D. Lucy Liu
   Boys
   A. Benicio Del Toro
   B. Brad Pitt
   C. Toby Mcgraw
   D. Omar Epps
6. Who did you vote for?
   A. George Bush
   B. Al Gore
   C. I don’t waste my time with politics
7. What personality traits do you value the most in another person?
   A. Sense of humor
   B. Humor
   C. Looks
8. Would you prefer to date a female or male?
   A. Female
   B. Male

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Students enjoy the success of the Lakers

Marilyn Valdez  
Staff Writer

Cold drinks were plentiful and popcorn flew through the air as cheering fans in the Student Union watched the Lakers win their 25th consecutive home game victory.

Lakers fans gathered in the Student Union Game Room on April 8th and 10th for "Lakers Lounge," an event sponsored by the Student Union. This event attracted nearly 30 students each night. Students were able to receive free sodas, popcorn and a lot of Lakers action.

"The Student Union has become a hangout place, when I can't make it home in time to watch a game, I'll watch it here," said junior Eddie Arroyo. The Student Union has become a place to relax in between classes and eat lunch breaks while white at the same time watch TV on a big screen.

Aaron Burgess, operations manager for the Student Union, believes it is important to bring these types of activities, such as the "Lakers Lounge," to our commuter campus.

"Students can come in here and watch the Lakers four peat," said Burgess. The Lakers' Lounge gave students an opportunity to interact. The room was filled with enthusiastic fans who watched the game closely. Cheers went up every time a shot was made.

Despite the Lakers' performance earlier this year due to many injuries, fans still showed their support.

"Most of the guys in the team aren't stepping up, leaving Shaq and Kobe by themselves," said graduate student Greg Resendez.

With the starting lineup of O'Neal, Bryant, Horr, Fox and Fisher and the array of slam-dunks that night, the Lakers came through to defeat the Mavericks, 106-99.

"The Lakers will be put to the test against the Kings," said student Gabriel Martin. On Thursday April 10, the game against the Sacramento Kings attracted more Lakers fans than ever.

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The Coyote Chronicle will be on the prowl looking for people for our Coyote Dating and for the Roving Reporter...Look out for a writer and a photographer near you.

Also if you want to write for the Scene email sbchron@csusb.edu

Campus marks Thai New Year

By Beatriz Barragan  
Scene Editor

For at least one day, CSUSB transformed itself into the beautiful country of Thailand. On Saturday, April 12 the Thai Student Association presented "Thai Night" to CSUSB.

As people arrived outside the Event Center, chemically a atmosphere ch a n d Colorful banners. The stage was also decorated with red, blue, green, orange umbrellas along the bottom and bun­

aments. Those who arrived to the event were also treated to a buffet of Thai food, making it difficult to choose among a vast selection of foods such as chicken fried rice. Pad Thai Chicken, Fish Cake, Fruits, and drinks.

Thai Night also presented its audience with a tour of Thailand starting at Chiang Mai province, Phuket Island, Khon Kaen Province, and finally the array of slam-dunks that night, the Lakers came through to defeat the Mavericks, 106-99.

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Bangkok. At each location stop, the audience was able to get a fashion show that represents the different styles of clothing worn in different parts of Thailand. There were also various dances performed by the Thai Temple dance group, and each representa­
ted the different locations of Thailand.

"It was very educational for me to learn about the culture," said student Paolo Ortiz. "I knew a lot from Thailand from my parents, but it was great seeing the event today," said L.-m. Aranuya. The event was a success. Many students and faculty members showed up.

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In Need of Legal Advice?

The College Legal Clinic offers FREE consultation and lawyer referrals to students. Staff and Faculty pay a $15 fee.

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April 24

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April 29

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Balancing kids and class
By Rae Nguyen
Staff Writer

Single parents are faced with a dilemma: to go to school to seek a better life for their children or to continue living on the nickel and dime wages of a fast food restaurant.
Multiple single parents would rather not choose the latter option, but unless finances keep them at home, they can apply this knowledge and ambition and where education can lead them to create a better educational example for their children.

Most single parents are more likely to miss more hours of a two-year old and the diapers while taking care of their young children. Faced with the demanding hours of a two-year old and the creeping deadlines of midterm papers, single parents tend to be more stressed out than the average college student. Jomna St. John, a senior English major, explains, "there is little time for socializing especially when you stay up late and get up early." Finally, and fiscal help that doesn't pay the bills and most parents end up not seeing much of their children due to having pick up a full or part-job time to meet expenses. Tola Hoo, a junior literature major, "made barely enough for diapers while maintaining school priorities."

It is true that single parents are more likely to miss more classes than their peers due to several reasons: the babysitter bailing out, a sick child or having to take your child to the pediatrician. There are few instructors who are reluctant to go that extra mile for single student parents but. Tola Hoo, a junior literature major "made barely enough for diapers while maintaining school priorities."

The Inland Empire Single Parent Organization is a dance last Friday, April 11, which is open to all day long or each day. It is for Latin Americans and their identity in the United States. The conference will be held on April 17, which is open to all age groups from 21 and over.

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The meltings pot: Events to watch for Latin American Conference:
The Latin American Studies Program is putting on a Latin American Conference. The goal of this conference is to talk about Latin Americans and their identity in the United States.
The conference will be held on Thursday and Friday of this week (April 17-18), all day long or each day. It is for CSUSB faculty and students as well. On the 17th, Nancy Morejon, internationally acclaimed Cuban poet and author, will be speaking. She is the winner of 2001 Cuban National Literary Prize and recently induced member of the Royal Academy of Cuban Language. On that day, lunch will be served for $20 a person at 12 noon. Her presentation will begin at 1 p.m.

Henry Cisneros, former United States Cabinet Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, will be giving the keynote address at 7:30 p.m. on April 17, 2003. Cisneros is also the President and Chief Operating Officer of Urban Development Communications, and the first Hispanic mayor of San Antonio, Texas. (A social hour will be held starting at 6 p.m. and dinner will be held from 6:30 to 7:30 for $35 a person.

On April 18, Dr. Raymond Williams, internationally recognized scholar of the Colombian novel and the writings of Carlos Rheniz, Mario Vargas Llosa, and Gabriel Garcia Marquez. On this day lunch will be served at 12 noon for $20 and William's presentation will be given at 1 p.m.

Take Back the Night:
Take Back the Night will be held on Thursday, April 24. It is designed to honor survivors of violence against women.
The audience can view clothing design projects all day in the Student Union Events Center. T-shirts are free but will become property of Women's Resource Center (WRC) to be displayed during Take Back the Night. All Students, faculty and staff are welcome to come in and make shirts at anytime. Supplies will be available until April 23.

An open mic will be held in the Student Union Courtyard from 12 p.m.

Entertainment and music by Disposable Boys Toys and Teresa Reif in the Student Union Courtyard from 5-7 p.m. There is free pizza and soda to those who come to the event.

For more information stop by WRC or call x7203.

Smoking and college students: why we do it
By Gayle Edwards
Staff Writer

Despite all the health risks and warnings of smoking cigarettes, young people, specifically college students, continue to light up.
According to the American Cancer Society smoking cigarettes puts people at risk for several serious health conditions such as lung cancer, as well as other diseases, for example disease, diabetes, high blood pressure, and emphysema, which can contribute to heart attacks. Unfortunately all of the health problems that are associated with smoking are not enough concern, and students still continue to light up. Possibly unknown fact is the fact that smoking cigarettes especially starting at a young age can cause irreversible health effects— that is, permanent damage to organs, urinary tract, eyes, throat etc, and even after a smoke quit, there are still certain health risk, depending on the level of exposure.

Smoking is slowly becoming a larger issue on campus campuses. For a long time the issue of smoking cigarettes has been ignored, mainly do the fact that alcohol is more of a problem among college students than smoking. But recently it has become a subject of debate and concern because of the typical health reason associated with smoking and also because the college years are crucial in making or breaking an addiction.

While some students began experimenting with cigarettes in high school, they begin to smoke more heavily in college, while others do not even smoke their first puff until college.

There are various reasons students begin to smoke. According to CSUSB student Matt Lee, he began smoking in college simply as a result of being bored. "I was 18 when I started smoking, it was my first year in college and I was in the dorms with my roommate and we were drinking one Friday night. One of our friends came over, bringing more liquor and a pack of cigarettes...there was nothing else to do, so I smoked with them..."

Although boredom may be one reason students start to smoke, it is not the most common one. The most common is peer pressure. According to the American Lung Association, the most common situation in which young people try a cigarette is in the presence of a friend who already smokes.

Most people begin to smoke before the age of 25, causing it to be more of a social issue. Lee claims he continues to smoke because he likes it. "I don't see what the big deal is, I enjoy a couple of cigarettes daily because it relieves me of the daily pressures and stress...and I don't worry about health problems."

As for the health risk, Lee compares smoking to something else that is unhealthy, such as...
This Day in History:

TIGER WOODS WINS FIRST MAJOR:

On April 13, 1997, in Augusta, Georgia, 21-year-old Tiger Woods won the prestigious Masters Tournament by a record 12 strokes. It was Woods' first victory in one of golf's four major championships—the U.S. Open, the British Open, the PGA Championship, and the Masters—and the greatest performance by a professional golfer in more than a century.

Born in Los Angeles, California, on December 30, 1975, the only child of an African-American father and a Thai mother, Woods was encouraged from infancy by his father for a career in golf. At the age of two, he teed off against comedian Bob Hope on television's Mike Douglas Show. At five years old, he was featured on the television show That's Incredible. At age eight, Tiger won his first junior tournament. At 15, in 1991, at age 15, he became the youngest amateur champion in the United States. He won the 1994 U.S. Junior Amateur


By this time, he was already attracting considerable media attention and attracting throngs of new fans to the sport. After claiming his third U.S. Amateur title, Woods left college and turned professional in August 1996. Playing at a pro in eight Professional Golfers' Association (PGA) events in 1996, he won a title and was named the PGA Tour's outstanding rookie. In December 1996, he was celebrated by the magazine Sports Illustrated as its "Sportman of the Year."

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In 1995, Tiger played the Masters, his first professional major championship. The Augusta National Golf Club, which runs the Masters, had not let an African-American join its membership until 1991. Woods finished 41st in his first Masters appearance. In 1996, he won the collegiate title. By this time, he was already attracting considerable media attention and attracting throngs of new fans to the sport. After claiming his third U.S. Amateur title, Woods left college and turned professional in August 1996. Playing at a pro in eight Professional Golfers' Association (PGA) events in 1996, he won a title and was named the PGA Tour's outstanding rookie. In December 1996, he was celebrated by the magazine Sports Illustrated as its "Sportman of the Year."

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CSUSB will be competing in the national intercollegiate Ethics Bowl for the first time ever in February 2004. The fall course Philosophy 490 will be preparing students for the competition.

The national Ethics Bowl will be held in Cincinnati and will include 40 colleges and universities from all over the country.

There is a regional competition that will be held in Chico, Calif., to prepare for the national competition. The game consists of 20 simultaneous competitions of two teams each.

In the Ethics Bowl, students are asked questions like he following: from criminal justice, "Is California's 'three strikes' law morally justified?" from military ethics, "Is the U.S.'s refusal to accept the jurisdiction of the International Criminal Court morally justified?" from philosophy, "What should the policy be regarding follow-up care for Americans who travel to China to receive organ transplants from executed prisoners?"

The first team which gets asked a question has one minute to prepare and ten minutes to answer. Next the second team answers for five minutes and then the first team responds for five minutes.

Each team must tie their answers to moral theory. They are scored on their cogency and how well reasoned their answers are.

The judges (many from law, business, medicine, government, and etc.) next ask both teams questions about their responses. There are three matches, and the top eight scoring teams will make it to the quarter finals.

In Philosophy 490, students will be given 15 practice cases and will prepare briefs for them. The cases that they will compete with will be given to them in January to be used in the February Ethics Bowl.

Chris Naticchia, the instructor of Philosophy 490, hopes to have students from a variety of majors in this course. The saying that the best teams are made up of students from many different majors. The only prerequisite is Intro to Philosophy or the consent of the instructor.

Taking this course and participating in the Ethics Bowl is important because, according to Naticchia, the educational value of the activity enables students to integrate their views of philosophy and to see the relevance of their studies to everyday ethical living.

So, if you are interested in learning more about ethics or would simply like to travel and represent CSUSB, enroll in Philosophy 490 in the fall and show your ethical side.

For more information contact Prof. Chris Naticchia at naticchia@csusb.edu or call x5469. Also see www.it.csusb.edu/departments/cep/EB.
Lent. "Serving fish is a courtesy in observance of Lent," says Tito Calderon, the food service manager who is in charge of catering and residential dining at the Mountain View Plaza Commons.

"Some people have actually requested fish," says Calderon, even though he said that there have been fewer requests for fish this year than in others. Mt. View Plaza is now serving fish on Wednesdays and Fridays.

On Wednesday, the fish served is red snapper for $5.75 with rice and veggies. There is a higher demand for fish on Fridays, according to Calderon. This Friday, the Commons, for $4.25, will be serving three fish tacos, rice and a small drink. Lent began in the Apostolic era and was universal in the ancient Church. For this reason, Lent is observed by the various Prosthesyn, Methodist, Lutheran and Anglican denominations, by Roman Catholics, and by Eastern Orthodox Churches. "In Christianity, fish has always been a symbol of faith," states humanities professor Dr. Jack Jackson.

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In the religious world, fasting means going on a disciplined diet. The purpose of a fast is to find out who is in control, you or your belly, and to win that control. Fish is a food that is allowed by the various religions in accordance for the fast of Lent. One uses the appetite as a spiritual alarm that moves you to pray, according to ordained minister Ken Collins and his website kencollins.com.

"I think that serving it is a good idea that they’re doing that because there are some people with really strong religious beliefs," says Jasmine Collins website, people call the day of the crucifixion Good Friday only in English because of a peculiarity in the English language. For example, in German, it is called Karfreitag, which means mourning. So, in German, it is Mourning Friday. The word ‘good’ used in Good Friday has a secondary meaning of ‘holy’ or that Good Friday is a contradiction of God Friday. Ken Collins sees validity in either calling it Good Friday or Mourning Friday.

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Some people went to church on Sunday... I saw Bad Religion on Friday!!!

By Marcos Landin
Special to the Chronicle

On April 1, 2003, when I was checking my voice mails, I almost died when my good friend Ivan told me, "Cancel what you’re doing on Friday. I got us free tickets for Bad Religion and we get to interview the band!"

The first thing I did was jump for joy in the middle of the elementary school parking lot (where I work as a teacher in training). I was so excited, so the first thing I do is what anyone else in my position would do...start calling anyone I know and start bragging.

Two hours later I run out of people to talk to and open up the yearbook, which has 5 years worth of dust on it. I continue to brag and call people I haven’t spoken to since I graduated five years ago.

The conversation went something like this... "Hey what’s up man what have you been up to cool, well I’m going to interview Bad Religion. I wanted the whole world to know. Literally, meeting Bad Religion is on my "Things I have to do before I die" list."

And YES, I do have a list.

So, I’m on top of the world, I’m calling people I never thought I’d talk to again, I feel like Leo D’Caprio when he’s “flying” with Rose on the Titanic. I AM "the King of the World." So I run out of numbers again. I decide to call my "future" brother-in-law. If anyone would be happy for me, it would be him since he is also a huge Bad Religion fan (thanks to me).

I call him and the first thing he says is, “Dude, it’s April Fools Day, how do you know it’s not a joke.”

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After that, I was getting no response from Ivan whether we were going to do this or not. I was feeling like this was one of the best April Fools jokes ever, because I actually thought I was going to meet and interview Bad Religion.

For some people, it’s like meeting the Pope. Bad Religion has contributed some much in the evolution of Punk.

Luckily, it was all true. The show was great! It was held at La Luna Club, a part of Gotham in San Bernardino.

Since they have over 150 songs, I obviously didn’t get to hear all of them. The songs they did play were awesome.

They truly are a band that doesn’t suck live. This has been my fourth Bad Religion show. Their unique sound of harmonizing voices with distorted guitars in the background and the whaling pounds of the drums is great. They have survived since 1980 and with their latest opus, “Process of Belief,” I feel that they have 20 more years in them.

I’ve written a review for the paper, only The Movie Ticket with Ivan (chanceless plug). Therefore the interview portion of this will be in a Q&A format. I was lucky enough to interview the bass player, Jay Bentley. Without further ado, here is the interview.

—Interview

Photo courtesy of badreligion.com

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Noontime Bands

Swinging the Union

By Frances Chavez
Staff Writer

The Noontime Band series, presented by the Student Union Program Board, was back in full swing last Wednesday as Stan Watkins and his swing jazz band gave students an excellent chance to relax for an hour between classes.

Singer and trumpeter Stan Watkins captivated students and passers-by with his smooth, lounge-like voice as well as his crafty trumpet playing. Though students expected a quartet, a drummer could not be found on short notice. This didn’t stop the trio, which also included upright bassist, Arnold Jackery and Jerry Shreorder on keyboard, from delivering a quality jazz sound.

Watkins, former lead trumpeter for the Brian Setzer Orchestra, said that he formed his trio at the last possible minute. “With bands like this, you have to start with basic songs and improvise," said Watkins, “and that’s what we did today.” There was no set list to rely on yet they were cool under pressure.

The songs flowed for a little over an hour and, at one point, a few students even decided to show off their dancing skills. Ed Campbell and Danielle Williams, both seniors, were among those exhibiting their talent.

“I listen to all kinds of music including jazz, blues and R & B,” said Campbell, “and I like to dance whenever possible.”

Williams said that she likes to attend Student Union Program Board activities as often as she can. "I support everything that the program board does," said Williams, "I also admire people who get involved on campus." It was a perfect day for being outdoors and a respectable crowd gathered for the entire set. There was an eclectic crowd of music fans in attendance, but everyone had positive things to say on the quality of the band.

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Michael Moore with the rifle he received for opening a new account at a that doubles as a gun dealer you back to reality with actual footage from inside the Columbine massacre meshed with real 9-1-1 calls from victims and dramatic music. Any individual who attended the showing could feel the grief and heartache amongst the crowd in the countless airs of silence and goose-bump raising depictions inflicted by this film.

Moore flaunts his ability to change moods in his film direction and editing by causing you to laugh your "ebonies" off at any given moment, only to gravitate to a moral life lesson.

By Ivan Fernandez & Marcus Landin Staff Writers

PLAYING GAMES in the Phone Booth

Colin Farrell looking like he just saw you through the whole movie and earned its R rating, but in the end, it turned into a PG flick. Although it is still worth watching, I disagree with the way it was wrapped up. Final Verdict: A "mildly attractive female" in a two-piece bikini (but she's trying hard). *E-mail us at coyotemovieticket@hotmaill.com. Say something funny or interesting and you may just get quoted in our section. YOU'LL BE FAMOUS!"
Monday 4/14

The Ataris @ HOB (OC)
Dogwood, Lonely Kings, Demdose, Skrateline, Second Chance @ Chain Reaction (OC)
Taking Back Sunday w/From Reaction (DC)
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(L.A)

Chemical Romance @ The Palace
Disturbed, Taproot, Chorelle, Un Love @ The Wilten (L.A.)
The Deldelos @ The El Rey (L.A.)
A Static Lollaby @ Troubadour
Agent S @ Knitting Factory
Social Conflict @ The Gig
Steve Hustler Big Band @ Jazz Bakery
The Starvations, The Flash Express, Rolling Blackouts, The New Detectives @ Spaceland

Tuesday 4/15

Taking Back Sunday w/From Reaction (DC)

Chemical Romance @ The Palace
Biju Banton @ Belly Up (L.A.)
Foos Fighters, Transplants @ The Gig (L.A)
Sum 41 @ Grove of Anaheim
Aesino @ Key Club
The Art of Sakegokku, The Midnight Evils @ Spaceland
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Wednesday 4/16

Hollow @ House of Blues (O.C.)
Keb Mo w/ Larry Johnson @ House of BLOG (L.A.)
Apple In Stereo @ Knitting Factory (L.A.)
Seven Witches, Cage @ Galaxy Theater (L.A.)
Astrochimp @ Roxy
 Fallout @ The Gig

Thursday 4/17

The Anthem, Half-Nelson, KNOX, MPD @ Manana @ Knitting Factory (L.A.)
Foos Fighters, Transplants @ Universal Amphitheater
Anthem, Keepsake, Over It, Anatomy of a Ghost, A Fall Farewell @ Chain Reaction (O.C)
Automatics @ The Joint
High or Hellwater @ House of Blues (L.A.)

Friday 4/18

No Use For A Name @ Majestic Ventura Theatre
Manz Numbers @ Troubadour (L.A.)
Yeah Yeah Yeah w/Taurus Line, Radio Vago @ Henry Fonda Theater (L.A.)
George Thorobred, Joe Bonamassa @ House of Blues (L.A.)
Jeffery Gaines, Club Rythmdave @ Knitting Factory (L.A.)
Fool Fighters, Transplants @ Universal Amphitheater
Tori Amos, Rhet Miller @ Arlington Theater
Zwan, The Children's Hour @ The Viper Room
As I Lay Dying, Scars of Tomorrow, The Hooods, 13, Cynde Raven @ Chain Reaction (O.C.)
The Kills @ The Grog House
The Tubes @ The Galaxy
Bastard Sons of Johnny Cash @ The Glasshouse

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Saturday 4/19

Patty Larkin w/Julia Fordham @ House of Blues (L.A.)
Sepulturaw/Wolvo@The Palace
Sean Healy Presents: Beat and Path, The Unknown Project, Echo Cell, Stanford @ El Rey
Alana Davis @ The Roxy
The Notwist @ Themselves @ 8:00 Knitting Factory
Kennedy, The Manifolds @ 11:00 Knitting Factory
Tori Amos, Rhett Miller @ Arrowhead Pond
Zwan @ Wiltern
The Faint, Les Savy Fav, Schneider TM @ The Glasshouse
Buckside, Union 13, Ann Beretta, Black Cat Music, Skiptrace @ Chain Reaction
12 Hour Mary @ The Viper Room
Bitter Bitter Weeks @ Spaceland
California Love (DEEPSKY, AK1200, DJ SWAMP, and more) @ (L.A.) 9:00-2:00

Sunday 4/20

The Faint w/L.A Savvy Fav, Schneider TM @ Henry Fonda Theater
I AM SPOONBENDER @ Spaceland
Black Cat Music @ Anarchy Library
Holy Mole, IRXXR, EX Models @ Chain Reaction
Ann Beretta, Swindles, Call For Arms, Skiptrace @ The Cafe
Sunday Sober Citizens Day, All Day
Rock & Punk @ Coach House

As the page turns

By Charissa A. Collins
Staff Writer

We know him as the best selling author of "Kin the Girls" and "Along Came a Spider," but this month that discovery wasn't bad enough. Hugh de Luc soon finds out that his beloved wife was kidnapped from the town by the knights of the enemy. The enemy destroyed the town in search of a specific momento that has a mystery behind it. To stop the enemy and his knights, and rescue his beloved wife, Hugh de Luc does the unthinkable. He enters the world of the enemy disguised as a jester.

This page-turning novel will make you laugh, cry and might make you slide off your chair in suspense. To find out if Hugh de Luc ever gets reunited with his wife and to learn the mystery of the momento, be sure to pick up Patterson's newest novel.

And, if you're like me, this book will entertain yourself with some of Patterson's other novels, "1st Chance," "The Beach House," " Kiss the Girls" and "Along Came a Spider."
Uncensored: The Randy Coyote

By: Jenn Gardner
News Editor and
Matthew Taylor
Managing Editor

We began contemplating this article and decided that it is always hardest to begin a column than it is to keep a heart.

So we required a little assistance from an unnamed concept for the column, she offered a question to help get us flowing.

"My partner won't teach me how to make him climax, I don't know how to please him and he's of no help. What are my options besides feeling inadequate?" — Confused, Highland

M. Act like you're an action figure, and get a "kung-fu grip.
F. Why, that's a "Sublime" idea! No, really. You could offer to hold him like he holds his dearest bong.
M. Yeah, arm with one hand and suck.
J. But that does involve a mouthful more than just masturbation...
C. If you wanna help your man, ask him what pleases him.
J: The direct option is good. Or you could arrange what I call a 'M and M'-session [mutual masturbation]. I recommend this for people who are tactile learners.
M. Tuck-who?
J: The best way - for some people - to learn is by practice. My lover learns quickly now that I've "whipped" him into shape.
M. Hmmm . . . Become a tease - a temptation. Make it into a game; where he's your boss and you, you're his executive assistant.
J: He, he. Copy machines help make wonderful souvenirs. . . . Memories...
C: Folks, just be glad you can't hear here.

Survey says:
Confront him! Take what you want, with good reason. He will thank you for it later!

If you have a question - or comment - for the next installment of "Uncensored," email them to sbchron@csusb.edu or bring them to UH-037. All submissions will require a name; name(s) will be withheld only upon request.

Ms. Ashbell

Again, as if I did in the previous letter to Ms. Rhodes, would like to thank you. Your reply shows that people do care about the campus and the information displayed therein. I would like to say that I was not being "hostile" or "dismissive" of her claim.

It was taken into consideration. We at The Chronicle do take all of our letters very seriously.

Your reply mentions the Chronicle standing by offensive wording. Our last issue was just an acknowledgement to our faults. I do also recognize that this is a large problem for you and some of the others who have interest in this publication.

So to make our publication better we will try to make an effort in changing some of the language.

I am an open mind and willing to make any changes you think should be taken to correct your grievance with the Chronicle.

Mathew Taylor
Managing Editor

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**Editor, Coyote Chronicle**

I do not appreciate the hostile and dismissive way in which you handled Jacqueline Rhodes' criticism of "Coyote Dating."

Think about reading a column that contained the question "What do you look for in the opposite sex?" What is it assuming

The wording of the question "What do you look for in the opposite sex?" glosses over differences in sexual orientation. Why is it still used to say "opposite sex"? As an English major, I understand that there are countless ways to word what I am trying to say. Why do you stand by wording that you now know offends a significant part of the CSUSB population?

Also, please reflect on why, when you solicited gay readers, "most [did] not respond." Like most gay folk, I would never submit personal information to a publication that has such an obnoxious bias.

If you want to represent the population of our school, you should listen (with an open mind) to what the population claims to represent is saying — instead of getting "offended."

Angela Asbell

Letter to the editor

Heterosexualism or politically incorrect

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Bombing in my backyard

By Jenn Gardner
News Editor

Before I begin my opinions and such, I would like to put forward the statement of anything I can say about "Operation Iraqi Freedom." I think of our soldiers daily, and hope for their expeditious and safe return home.

I am fortunate to have all the people that I love and care for, that are in the services, home and safe. But that is not the only way to be influenced by this war. But, my hometown has, at last count, lost five soldiers from our local base.

By Yazmin Alvarez
Op-Ed Editor and Karla Buchman
Special to the Chronicle

A moment on your lips, a lifetime on your hips. Thats's how comfort food goes, straight to the hips. But because of where my hometown is, I have a small-scale lifetime on your hips. That's comfort food for me. The sound of bombs being tested every quarter of an hour is not enough to make a person a walking, talking nerves breakdown. Everything in your life that could possibly be complained about is magnified. I feel as though my life has changed, forever different because I know that this isn't just 'practice'. This is preparation.

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My friend and I cannot help but wonder, if at some point, we had shot a game of pool with one of these 'casualties of war'. Perhaps I served them a Grand Slam or Double Del Cheeseburger in the past few years.

This war impacts my daily life: yellow ribbons are strung along the highway that I drive on to get to school. The businesses in my hometown display messages to the troops on their windows. But because of where my hometown is, I have a small-scale lifetime on your hips. That's comfort food for me.
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Student Union Board Room
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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Student Union Board Room
12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 16

"Painters with Band"
Sponsored by:
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12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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graduates of CSUSB who had done well in various fields of law enforcement return to inspire students and give them advice on how to focus their academic energies toward their chosen careers.

The Criminal Justice Club, which is in its first year of operation, is one of the sponsors of the event. Gritilda Martinezarena, who is the president of the club, wants to be a detective and work her way up into the police force. Two other key people responsible for the event were Mary Schmidt, the office manager for the Criminal Justice Department, and Melanie Tenen, who is a graduate student in Criminal Justice.

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lack of exercise, fatty foods, caffeine etc. "Too much, or too little of any of these things can also be hazardous to your health."

Let's talk about the health risks associated with smoking as a common one among students. Young smokers are aware of the possible consequences, but they assume health problems are something that will happen way up on the justice ladder. Two other key people responsible for the event were Mary Schmidt, of Chronic Disease Prevention, smoking also effects young adults 30 and under.

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characters who are dark skinned and villainous. The opening song of the film says, "Oh, I come from a land. I rom a faraway place. Where the caravan camels roam. Where they cut off your ear if they see you crying."

By context to make subjects appear unintelligent or is this objective media that portrays all sides to stories? Does Moore's technique of investigative journalism purposely vilify his subjects to get his point across? The answers to these questions are in the eyes of the beholder and it is up to you to decide if Moore's works are trustworthy.

Some people call Michael Moore anti-American, a distributor of propaganda, a socialist, a Marxist or even a Trotskyite. Others think Moore is a revolutionary activist who utilizes film and print to raise awareness of important political and social issues concerning American life.

At the least, "Bowling for Columbine" is entertaining and a thought-provoking film that is certainly worth viewing and examination of its credibility and accuracy.

"Bowling for Columbine" has already grossed over 320 million at the box office and has won countless cinematic awards. The film is set for release on DVD and VH-S this week. For more information visit www.bowlingforcolumbine.com.

Interview

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Jay: Any details on the next album?

Jay: Ya, there's gonna be another album. I heard 4 or 5 songs at Ben's (lead vocalist) party a couple days ago. We're working on Eagles of Death Metal's Record Label house, yesterday and a few in Greg's (vocals) car. So it's coming together.

Me: Why did you tour with Blink 182?

Jay: That was my call. I wanted to do something that was completely mindless.

Me: I still think that they should have opened for you guys.

Jay: I've been performing with you, but in a very simplistic mathematical formula we sell 2,000 tickets. They sell 30,000 tickets and have almost 18,000 people would have left. I have nothing, but good things to say about those guys, they never disrespect us in any way. Within two or three shows, being sandwiched between Blink 182 and PHNX, (another band I fangirl out of what our role was on this tour. Our role was to scare the @!# out of the little kids. And that's what we did.

Me: What kind of movies do you like?

Jay: My favorite movie right now is "Panic and Phillips" and "Fire" which is a movie in a movie (South Park).

Me: So you're into the com-edy genre.

Me: I don't really care. I don't like bad movies. I thought "The King of Pork" was pretty good.

Me: Any music video DVD coming out? (Since nothing good ever plays on MTV)

Jay: Ya we've talked about that. I think we have 20 something videos and all they suck. There's a people that are good. I think we've achieved the status of the band that makes the worst videos ever.

Me: (Sarcastically) Don't bad mouth the hand now!

Jay: I'm allowed too! (laughs)

Me: How was it working with Eric Estrada (CHIPS) in the video "Infected?"

Jay: He was cool. He was very funny and I'm glad he was there. Nothin' against Eric Estrada who I really enjoyed working with, initially we were tryin' to get Don Knotts. We want- ed to get him dressed up like Barney (Andy Griffith Show) and have him come out shaking his gun. He was actually quite an- gry when I called him, so I offered him drugs. And he still said no. So I said we'll give you money and drugs. NO! So we got Estrada, which was the next best-known stuntman.

Me: Who's idea was it to mix bar- rons with punk?

Jay: That would be Steve Soto and Bretts (lead guitarist and founder) role was to scare the sh#% out of the kids. And that's what we did.

Me: What was the biggest show you've ever played? That's his legacy: Who's the chief Mr. President "YEE-HAH!!"

Jay: I feel sorry for him, he will go down in history as the man who started the war in Iraq. And now his son is following in his footsteps. It's sad and depressing. The times that this is where the world is going to for 2 1/2 years. We went from laughing about someone putting a cigar in a woman's vagina to now being in WWII.

Me: Do you think it all goes down to oil?

Jay: Ya, everybody's going to admit it. It's all about corruption.

Me: What's your take on doing songs for movies...soundtracks...

Me: Are you guys pretty flexible?

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Tennis over-matched in CCAA conference

By Wesley Collins
Assistant Sports Editor

The CSUSB Women's Tennis Team has fallen short of its preseason expectations. A lot of good things were expected of the Lady Coyotes, who were coming off their first winning season in their Division II history.

"The league was the toughest, by far, it has ever been in my five years here," says head coach Tom Starzyk of the 2003 CCAA conference. "If we would've had II history.

The CCAA conference consists of four legitimate West Region contenders. Those teams include Cal State University Los Angeles, Grand Canyon University, Sonoma State and Cal Poly Pomona.

Coach Starzyk points out that all these teams stay competitive by adding excellent foreign players in the off-season.

"The record isn't what we hoped for, but in light of the strength of our conference I can't say that I'm disappointed," admits Starzyk of his team's 1-7 CCAA record. The ladies are currently 1-7 in the CCAA conference and 4-7 overall.

The Lady Coyotes finished undefeated in non-conference play for the second straight season, however CCAA Championships are not won in non-conference play.

"Hopefully we can step it up and we can be competitive in the league," says Starzyk of his team's future aspirations.

The future only gets tougher in the season ending CCAA Conference Tournament, which begins April 16 and continues through April 20.

The ladies are looking to surprise some people in the tournament.

Predictions: Searching for Stanley's cup

By Anthony Cruz
Staff Writer

After 82 regular-season games, there are 16 teams that are only thinking about one thing, the Stanley Cup.

There will be some double overtime games and one to nothing games, so don't miss any of the action.

Who will hold that cup above their head? I have a good idea of who will.

This NHL season has been very surprising, and it's not over yet. The NHL playoffs started Wednesday.

There are six teams, Tampa Bay Lightning, Washington Capitals, Dallas Stars, Edmonton Oilers, Minnesota Wild, and the Mighty Ducks of Anaheim, that are in the playoffs this year, but did not make it last year.

In the Western Conference, the Dallas Stars will play the Edmonton Oilers. If you like the Oilers, that's too bad because this is a squash match-up, Dallas wins in five.

Then, the Vancouver Canucks will play the St. Louis Blues. This is a very even match-up, but the slight edge has to go to Vancouver because St. Louis goalie Chris Osgood is more questionable than Vancouver goalie Dan Cloutier. So Vancouver in seven.

Then, the Detroit Red Wings will play the Mighty Ducks of Anaheim. It's good to see the Ducks back into the playoffs, but it sucks because they won't be in the playoffs for long I'll be nice and say Detroit in five.

The Colorado Avalanche will play the Minnesota Wild. Unless a big injury occurs to Peter Forsberg, Joe Sakic, or Patrick Roy during this series, Colorado will win in six.

So, Dallas will play Vancouver. This will be interesting to watch because Vancouver will challenge Dallas to the last game, but Dallas will win in seven with the help of Mike Modano.

Then, Detroit will play, I mean fight, Colorado. If you don't like fighting in sports, especially hockey, then don't watch this series. This series will probably be the most anticipated match-up in the western conference.

And it's hard to say, but as long as Curtis Joseph, the goalie for Detroit, can stop a very good Colorado offense, then Detroit in seven.

In the Eastern Conference, the Ottawa Senators will play the New York Islanders.

I know there are a lot of New York fans, but they are not Islander fans because Ottawa will sweep this series.

Then, the Philadelphia Flyers will play the Toronto Maple Leafs.

I love both these teams, but Philly's goaltenders are more questionable, so Toronto in six.

Then, the New Jersey Devils will play the Boston Bruins. Not much to say. So New Jersey in five.

Then, the biggest surprise, the Tampa Bay Lightning will play the Washington Capitals. But there will be no surprise when Tampa Bay wins in five.

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Toronto.

Two of the best Canadian teams will play one another. There is way too much talent on one frozen pond to not watch.

Look for Owen Nolan and Ottawa to revenge last year's loss to Toronto in the semi-finals by winning in seven.

Then, New Jersey will play Tampa Bay. And the surprise won't stop when Tampa Bay upsets New Jersey in six, even though New Jersey has goalie Martin Brodeur.

This leaves four teams. Dallas will play Detroit in the Western Conference finals, but Detroit will win in six.

Look for former Dallas Star, Brett Hull to be the big factor in this series.

Then, Ottawa will play Tampa Bay in the Eastern Conference finals, but it's sad to see Ottawa whip Tampa Bay in five.

This leaves Detroit against Ottawa in the Stanley Cup Finals. The last time a Canadian team won the Stanley Cup was in 1993 when the Montréal Canadiens beat the Los Angeles Kings in five.

And it is not going to happen this year. Even though Ottawa has goalie Patrick Lalime and forward Daniel Alfredsson, they cannot and will not stop Detroit.

Detroit will repeat and win in seven.

That's my opinion and I am sticking to it.
Baseball struggling to stay above average

By Wesley Collins
Assistant Sports Editor

The CSUSB Men's Baseball Team is having an average 2003 season. They currently own a sub-par 10-13 CCAA record and an 18-16 record overall.

The team has currently won three games in a row and is looking to continue the streak throughout the second half of the season.

Two of those three victories have come against CCAA foe UCI Davis, the other victory came against Concordia University.

The Coyotes are looking to go into the CCAA Conference Tournament with a head of steam.

The Coyotes have 13 remaining games before the May 8-10 tournament begins. The Coyotes are coming up on a 3 game home stretch, which begins April 11 and runs through April 13.

During these three days the Coyotes will play host to CCAA division rival Cal State Stanislaus.

Other remaining home games will include: Vanguard University on April 23 at 3:00 p.m. and San Francisco State May 2 at 7:00 p.m. and May 3 and 4 at noon.

All games are played at nearby Fiscalini Field.

April 23 against Vanguard University and the May 2 game against San Francisco State will be broadcast live on your CSUSB Coyote Radio.

Visit www.radio.csusb.edu to listen to the game live or enjoy the game in person.

Softball playing ‘soft-ball’ down the stretch

By Wesley Collins
Assistant Sports Editor

The CSUSB Women's Softball Team is having an average 2003 season. However, the morale and enthusiasm of the team has still remained high throughout the season.

"I think there were games that were very close in which we had opportunities to win," says first year head coach Dawn Castaneda of her teams tough losses this season.

Castaneda feels the teams loss of mental focus in key innings is the reason for a season marked with so many defeats.

"Our one hurdle is our mental focus," admits Castaneda.

Even though one player does not make a team, Coach Castaneda believes her teams tough season has made an impact.

"I at least want to finish the season with the girls having confidence in who they are and what they're about," says Castaneda.

"All I hope for is that they give me their best effort so they can say their last three months of playing ball made an impact," Castaneda adds.

The Lady Coyotes will be looking for support during their last two home games of the season.

Both of their remaining home games are doubleheaders which are played on the baseball field, which is located next to Cosoauils Arena.

The first doubleheader will be held Friday, May 2 at 1:30 p.m. followed by the second game at 3:30 p.m. The second double header will be Saturday, May 3 at noon followed by the second game at 2 p.m. So come out and support your CSUSB Women's Softball Team.

Coyote Radio sports talk show making waves

By Wesley Collins
and Robert Marino

Coyote radio has its one and only sports talk show "The Dugout" beginning and running every Thursday 10-12 p.m. starting on April 17.

It includes two dynamic hosts Wesley Collins and Robert Marino, your own campus sports know it alls.

Listen up this week to the show by logging onto www.radio.csusb.edu and/or call in at extension 3822 and talk to us live in the studio.

We dare you to challenge our sports knowledge!

Some popular topics in the past have been the Lakers Dynasty, the Pete Rose debacle, and why Hootie Johnson won't let women play golf on the Augusta links.

The "Dugout" also gives out two dubious awards every show, which includes an MVP of the week and a Bag of the Week.

The MVP award focuses on an individual's achievement from either a CSUSB team or a professional team. Past MVP winners include L.J. Reed, Kobe Bryant, and the entire CSUSB Men's Basketball team.

The other award that is given out is the "Bag of the Week", which is given to a controversial sports or non-sports figure who has fallen out of favor.

Such figures that have received the bag include Karl Malone, Mike Tyson, and George W. Bush.

Our newest segment will be the Prediction of the Week which will feature us making a prediction about one up and coming game and who we think will win.

It is also a competition to see who is the better sports prognosticator on campus.

All of our shows include an hour dedicated to your CSUSB sports and a second hour dedicated to professional sports.
Finwall dives into new coaching position

By Wesley Collins
Assistant Sports Editor

The CSUSB Women’s Water Polo Team has a new coach and a new attitude this season.

Along with a strong will to win, Tom Finwall has brought experience and wisdom to the successful high school water polo coach. During his time at J.W. North High School Finwall led his team to three consecutive CIF Championship appearances. He has also coached in the USA National Youth Development programs.

“It’s just fun to teach the game,” says Finwall of his past coaching experiences. “Coming from the high school level to the college level has been a very pleasant surprise,” says Finwall of his first year as CSUSB head coach.

He also points out that he has simple objectives he wants to establish at CSUSB. These same objectives are the ones that have guided his team throughout his coaching career.

“I wanted to establish a tradition of winning,” says Finwall who then points out his team is eight games over .500. Finwall also says he wants to establish a good work ethic and a positive team image.

When all of these are working in harmony a coach can be successful on any level. “Expectations in the water and in the game are very high,” says Finwall.

Along with these objectives are three simple components Finwall feels are essential to a successful water polo team. His three components include: good defense, which includes developing a good goalie, a strong counter attack and a strong 2-meter defender (like a center in basketball). Coach Finwall also brings a strong desire to compete against the best teams possible.

The Lady Coyotes have played several Division I college teams, which include Indiana University, Notre Dame, UC Irvine and Michigan.

“I want to play the toughest schedule I possibly can,” admits Finwall. Finwall believes playing these teams will help come WWPA Tournament time.

The WWPA Tournament is coming up and the Lady Coyotes are currently sitting at the No. 6 seed.

If they can bring everything coach Finwall has been teaching this year they will have a chance to accomplish Finwall’s ultimate goal this season, which is to qualify for the NCAA Championships.

A WWPA Tournament title would automatically clinch them a spot in that tournament.

“I want us to finish no less than in the top four in the WWPA,” says Finwall of a team he has extreme confidence in.

The Coyotes remember two more home games left this season before the WWPA Tournament in Bakersfield.

The first of those games is against Cal State Hayward on April 13 at 10 a.m.

The final home game of the season is against Caltech on April 19 at 11 a.m.

The CSUSB Men’s Basketball Team had an outstanding 2002-2003 season - one in which expectations were surpassed, records were broken and honors were received.

The 2002-2003 season was supposed to be a rebuilding year for the CSUSB Men’s Basketball Team. It was a year that brought a brand new head coach to the team, only returned one starter from last year’s West Region Championship team and added ten new players.

However, all of the players on this year’s team set out to silence their preseason doubters.

The Coyotes started out their season on a positive note by beating their former head coach, Larry Reynolds, Division I Long Beach State team on their home court.

Although it was only a meaningless preseason game it showed the heart of this year’s team.

It seemed as though the Coyotes would live up to preseason expectations when they lost their first four games of the year. However, after that dismal start the Coyotes never looked back.

The Coyotes went on to break the school record for consecutive wins, which was set at 17 last year, by winning their next 21 consecutive games.

This streak helped build confidence and fueled talk of them hosting the West Region Tournament.

They Coyotes won on to lose the last two games of the season thus losing the chance to host the tournament, but the streak was still a huge feat.

The 20 game win streak helped the Coyotes capture an unprecedented fourth consecutive CCAA title and gave them a No. 2 seed going into the West Region Tournament, which was hosted by BYU-Hawaii.

The Coyotes made it all the way to the championship game in Hawaii before losing a heartbreaker in double overtime to CCAA foe Cal Poly Pomona.

Cal Poly then went on to lose in the first round of the Elite Eight Tournament.

A couple of the Coyotes received individual accolades to reward them for their outstanding effort during the year.

Senior standout Bobby Burries was named to his third consecutive National Association of Basketball Coaches (NABC) all-district first team. Burries also received the CCAA MVP Award for the second time in three years and was also named to the All-American second team for his second consecutive year.

Fellow senior Lance Ray was named to the NABC all-district second team.

First year head coach Jeff Oliver received NABC “Coach of the Year” honors as well as a two year contract extension to become the permanent head coach of the Coyotes through the 2005 season.

Even though the Coyotes did not repeat as West Region Champions they still silenced the preseason critics who had the Coyotes finishing some where in the middle of the CCAA conference and not even contending for the West Region title.