Obama continues military tribunals

By OMAR GUZMAN
Staff Writer

President Barack Obama has decided as of March 8 to continue military trials of Guantanamo Bay detainees two years after he promised to close the military prison.

Whether or not the Guantánamo Bay detainees should be tried under civilian or military tribunals is an issue that has captured the attention of some CSUSB faculty, who gave their opinion on the matter.

“The best way to handle these prisoners is to bring them to a fair justice system whether or not they are re leased or prosecuted, but not by military tribunals, where some have been tortured and broken now to where they act like children. It is a disgrace to this nation,” said Dany Doueiri, assistant professor of World Languages and Literature.

Kevin E. Grisham, faculty executive board member for the center of Islamic Studies at CSUSB said, “The problem with trying the prisoners in civilian courts is that they may have to use secret information that if made public can endanger the lives of many people. There may also be more serious problems if some of these prisoners are

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No more smoking on campus

By LINDSEY MARTINOVICH
Staff Writer

Smoking on campus is prohibited...or nearly so.

The following smoking policy was recommended by the CSUSB administrative council and approved by CSUSB President Albert Karim in the beginning of the 2010-2011 school year.

According to the new smoking policy, “Smoking is prohibited on all CSUSB property and in all indoor and outdoor spaces owned, leased, licensed, or otherwise controlled by CSUSB, with the exception of designated smoking areas.”

This policy shall be assessed in two years from its inception date to determine its effectiveness and appropriateness.

Also stated in the policy, “Smoking is prohibited in all vehicles owned by CSUSB and at any event or activity on campus property.”

The policy expects all CSUSB students, faculty and staff to comply.

Optimistically, CSUSB believes that with time and patience, this policy will eventually become widely accepted and followed.

In addition to the policy, non-smoking signs are placed throughout campus. All ash cans are to be removed on campus unless they are in the designated smoking areas.

According to the Student Health Center (SHC), “The success of this policy depends upon the courtesy, respect and cooperation of users and non-users of tobacco products.”

Any member of the CSUSB community may respectfully ask individuals to stop smoking on campus.

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Students sound off on Spring Break plans

By ANGEL BELTRAN
Staff Writer

Mexico remains on top of the current travel warnings list issued by the U.S. Department of State, although it remains one of the most popularized destinations for spring break travelers.

Travel warnings are issued by the Department of State when a country is deemed far too dangerous for Americans to travel to.

According to the Department of State website, more than half of all Americans killed in Mexico in 2009, whose deaths were reported to the U.S. Embassy, were killed in the border cities of Ciudad Juarez and Tijuana.

The Texas Department of Public Safety also issued warnings to college students about traveling south of the border for spring break.

However, Cancun and Puerto Vallarta made it onto this year’s MSNBC top ten spring break destinations.

Ty Perry, immigration specialist at CSUSB’s international center, said, “The majority of arrests, accidents, violent crimes, rapes, and deaths suffered by American students on Spring Break. Disturbing the peace, lewd or indecent behavior, littering, driving under the influence, drinking and being a victim in class and we connected as friends. Before this happened to her, she used to be an active student in class and we connected as friends. Before this happened to her, she used to be an active and involved student in class and we connected as friends.”

“People go to drink and party and become easy prey and they don’t even realize it.”

“One of my students was given the date rape drug, and she was raped. Before this happened to her, she used to be an active student in class and we connected as friends.”

According to the Department of State website, alcohol is involved in the vast majority of arrests, accidents, violent crimes, rapes, and deaths suffered by American students on Spring Break.

Students are advised to check the state department website for travel news and alerts at www.travel.state.gov.

“I wish she would have talked to me. I wasn’t her counselor but I could have directed her to the correct person to talk to for help.”

“If an incident of this nature occurs while on vacation, it is best to report and seek help as soon as possible. Students are advised to check the state department website for travel news and alerts at www.travel.state.gov.

The benefits of riding the bus, even once a week, add up. Plus, a Student Pass can help you save even more.

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Alumnus finds higher purpose

By MACKENZIE VON KLEIST Staff Writer

Former CSUSB student receives a high honor for campus leadership.

Once a young college student, he was eager to learn and strived to become the successful college student he knew he could be.

Mark Hartley, director of student leadership and development, returns to the CSUSB campus as an inspirational speaker and author whose purpose is to have each student be as passionate about their college career as they are about their social life.

Hartley has won the 2011 Best Performer and Fastest Rising Star from Campus Activities Magazine.

“How cool is this?” said Hartley. “I know everyone that gets nominated for other awards says it but I truly just felt honored to be nominated, and actually winning the award is just such a great honor.”

With over 200 nominations from our campus as well as other campuses and people he has come into contact with, Hartley was launched into the contest with four other nominees, and successfully won.

“Honestly, when I came into the game, it was only male comics, and no I wasn’t sleeping with anyone,” said Brown. “And they treated me like an equal. They respected me and they wanted me to be original, creative, and step-up my game,” she continued.

Brown says that she feels comfortable going before or after any male comic.

“My favorite moment was when Cocoa made jokes about the audience members,” said Olyemiyi. Comedy Den also featured comedians Chris D’Elia and Justin Rivera. Students were able to assist Rivera with some of the magical comedy sketches he has performed at the Improv Comedy Club and Restaurant and other local venues.

While D’Elia had the audience in tears with his multiple dialects, and ‘inner gangsta’ skit.

He got his start five years ago in LA doing local gigs. “It’s hard to get good stage time, in LA you know. People are pretty cut-throat in the beginning. Like in the beginning stages, people are really competitive before anybody has real success,” said D’Elia.

Now that ASI has goals to maintain the Comedy Den on a quarterly basis rather than annually, students are anxious to see what comics close out the school year.
Local programs face fiscal cuts

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According to the CAAP, this would mean that Community Action Agencies deliver programs that are of the most need to the community and its citizens, thus reducing duplication of services offered by other organizations and maximizing efficiencies of delivery of service.

The agencies help people get education, training, employment, food, childcare, shelter, housing, transportation, and home energy and weatherization assistance.

This would include Head Start for preschool children, centers for seniors, and others that offer summer feeding for preschool children, centers for seniors, alcohol and drug rehabilitation, dental care, and the teaching of values to young people.

Also on the chopping block is CSBG, a nationwide program designed to provide a range of services to assist low-income people in attaining the skills, knowledge, and motivation necessary to achieve self-sufficiency.

According to cisd.ca.gov, services are provided to local communities for the revitalization of low-income communities, the reduction of poverty and to help provider agencies to improve and increase their capacity at achieving results and to develop community resources with whom to link services and funding.

The Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino (CAPSBC) is very concerned with the impact that these reductions will have on our communities’ service levels.

They are working with our state association and national agencies to develop a strategy to convey the importance and merits of CSBG and other funding streams.

Over the next month, their Board of Directors will be meeting with San Bernardino’s elected officials to inform them on the impact these cuts will have on the county.

The CAPSBC were unavailable to comment on the effects that the proposed cuts would have on CSBG.

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released.”

Coinciding with Grisham, Scott Zentner, political science professor said, “I favor military tribunals naturally because of the necessities of national security.”

He added, “The country expects President Obama to do some justice and needs to recognize that he has to give up on civilian trials in order to do that.”

Grisham further added to the discussion by explaining that military tribunals work to an extent, but they do need work.

The main problem of these trials is that they go “against many American principles of justice” he explained.

Zentner explained that prisoners of war used to go back to their own countries after the war was over, but due to the complicated continuing war, releasing the prisoners would not be considered.

“Obama had kept his promise and closed the prison in Guantanamo the Arab community would have had more faith in the American system, but the U.S. continues to play a double standard role,” said Doueiri.

Many wonder whether Obama still might have future efforts to close the prison on even though there is no hope for this action in the near future.

“There might be future efforts if they can figure out the logistical concerns of the Congress, the right place to keep the prisoners, and how to maintain the safety of the American people,” said Grisham.

Zentner went on to say that if Obama is re-elected he may try to close down the prison again, but his main political mistake was not that he continued military tribunals, it was the promise he made to close it in a year.
Tuition hikes call for a financial spring break

By MATT EDGERTON Staff Writer

Tuition fees increased yet again for the already impoverished students of CSUSB. The CSU Chancellor’s Office stated in a press release, “Pending final approval by the full board, the five percent increase will take effect for the winter/spring of 2011 and will raise tuition by $105 per semester for undergraduate students, $234 for credential program participants and $252 for graduate students.

Tuition will rise from the current $2,115 to $2,220 for the spring quarter for full-time undergraduate students. The committee also approved a recommendation to increase tuition by 10 percent for the 2011-12 academic year.

The question to address with these constant fee increases is where is it going? Is it going to the students, facilities or teacher pay?

It seems the answer is that these increases go to stimulate enrollment so that the school can take more students in each year. According to the CSUSB web site, there are an estimated 15,014 full time students in attendance at this school. A rough estimation just counting the undergraduate increase ($105) will generate the school around $3 million dollars in revenue over the last two quarters.

Factoring in the credential and graduate student fee increases, we are looking at a substantial amount of cash, but as I’ve asked before: where is it going?

I asked the student body reading this article, have you seen an increase in school beautification? Or maybe there have been more classes made accessible to the student population?

At this time, as a student, all I’ve seen is that classes have been harder to get, parking tickets more aggressively distributed, books are still ridiculously expensive, and parking passes are still grossly overpriced.

It’s only going to get worse as time goes on.

The Chancellor’s Office stated, “Pending approval by the full board, full-time tuition will increase by $444 per academic year for undergraduate students, $516 for credential program participants and $546 for graduate students for fall 2011. Undergraduate tuition will rise from $4,440 to $4,884 per year.”

It looks like the student population will continue to face the issue of rising fees as we are confronted with another increase at the end of this year. It seems this is our new reality.

I’m sure we will see constant fee increases in the coming years; if this year has been an indicator of future policy in 2012, it’ll probably be another five or 10 percent and before long we may be looking at tuition near the $6,000 per year mark.

Fees have increased by a third over what we were paying just a couple of years ago. In my opinion, if the school were merely to reduce some of the cost associated with college the students would feel more appreciated. My vote goes to lowering parking costs. As I said before the passes are grossly overpriced.

If the school were to drop the price by $20 or so they would be much less painful for the students to purchase. Overall I feel this would be a highly visible way the school could give back to the students.

Eating disorders require on-campus specialists

By RACHEL CANNON Staff Writer

Eating disorders wreak havoc on not only the physical but the mental health of those that suffer from them. The number of those suffering rises every year.

Female college students are by far at the greatest risk for developing such a problem. According to the Massachusetts Eating Disorders Association, up to 40 percent of college women suffer from disorders such as anorexia, bulimia and binge eating disorder (BED).

That means if there are 15 women in your classroom as you read this, odds are that up to six of them are suffering. For such students, an on-campus professional may appear to be a better option.

The greatest obstacle towards off-campus eating disorders treatment centers, however, is the cost.

According to eatingdisorderonline.com, daily costs for inpatient treatment of eating disorders average $1,000 a day. While outpatient treatment is more affordable, the price can still be out of reach for college students without health insurance.

For these and other reasons, it seems to me that an on-campus specialist in eating disorders to whom suffering students can turn for help is essential.

To clarify, CSUSB’s Psychological Counseling Center is home to many great counselors with training pertaining to eating disorders. But my feeling is that these problems are so prevalent and so complicated that at least one professional who deals exclusively with eating disorders is required.

In addition to this huge step, CSUSB also needs to implement more programs to raise awareness and combat these problems.

The Santos Manuel Student Union Pride Center held a talk on March 9 called “The Standard of Beauty” which addressed body image, and the school participates in Fat Talk Free Week every year.

These programs are great, but according to the National Eating Disorders Association, poor body image is only one cause of eating disorders. There are a wide variety of other factors, including low self-esteem, feelings of a lack of control in life or prior physical or sexual abuse, just to name a few.

This is why we require programs which focus specifically on eating disorders and all their causes. Most importantly, students need to be taught how to recognize and how to deal with them, whether they or their peers are suffering.

Until the school improves its resources, if you or someone you know may suffer from an eating disorder, there is help for you.

Visit the school’s Psychological Counseling Center or visit its website for a list of local resources and hot-lines available for you to get the help you need.
Dame mas gasolina... but not for $3.97

By ANDREA BRANDSTETTER

Staff Writer

As I drove to school the other day, I was struck by the lyrics of a well-known Beach Boys’ song: “Come on, let’s cruise, ya got nothing to lose.”

All I could do was shake my head and laugh. California’s drivers, especially students, have had it to lose these days. Most notably: money.

The price of gas has risen exponentially over the past couple of months, largely due to the unrest in the Middle East, where the U.S. imports some of its oil.

The San Francisco Chronicle reported that the price of crude oil has now reached $100 a barrel for the first time since 2008, when gas prices reached an all-time high. According to several AAA officials, the high gas prices are a result of “investor demands” as opposed to factors related to supply and demand.

“Investors have been willing to speculate that prices will increase further and that they will be able to make a profit on the produce they are purchasing today,” said AAA spokesman Matt Skryja.

If recent trends are any indication, our pain at the pump is likely to continue.

According to AAC News, the national average for gas is now $3.52 per gallon, an increase of 12 cents from last week and 77 cents from a year ago.

Naturally, Californians pay more for everything, including filling up at the pump.

A recent report by the AAA found that Californians now pay approximately $3.91 per gallon of gas, an increase of 50 cents from early last month.

KPSP Local 2 News reported that the average price of gas in the Inland Empire is $3.90.

What makes these gas prices worse for Californians are the included state and federal taxes, which amount to 66 cents per gallon.

 Taxes are always unwelcome, but they may do some good if the revenue is used to reduce the state’s $25.4 billion deficit.

Nevertheless, as gas prices soar and pocketbooks shrink, many are voicing their concerns, including CSUSB students.

Student Union (SMSU).

Coyote Market, located in Santos Manuel Avenue.

“Honestly, Californians pay more for everything, food included. It’s a bit more expensive than food off-campus.”

“I’m in shock. I can buy a bigger bag of chips for $3.29 at the gas station on University Avenue.

So, after paying for what should have been a bigger bag of chips, I decided to see if any other place on campus had some sort of deals to help out the starving students they’re supposed to be serving.

The on-campus Taco Bell sells tacos that are 99 cents, but they don’t have the $2 meal that comes with a soda, chips and your choice of a burrito, gordita or taco that’s available at restaurants off campus.

Next, I went to the Denny’s Express. Real Denny’s restaurants offer meals that are $2, $4, $6 or $8. But Coyotes are out of luck here, too. Turns out the CSUSB Denny’s Express doesn’t because, as the cashier told me, they’re just Express.

These “meal deals” I like to call, would have the potential to help out students greatly. It would help me out by allowing me to stay on campus and not lose my parking spot right in the front.

That’s something that I debate when I don’t bring my sandwich, whether I should spend money on food that can barely fill me up or whether I should go home and lose my parking spot.

For the most part though, I end up going home, saving myself a couple of bucks and losing my precious parking spot.

Instead of spending of billions of dollars importing oil from countries that don’t like us, why not use the resources we already have?

Although there are plenty of safety concerns regarding oil drilling, particularly after the BP oil disaster, I believe our government can enforce stronger safety regulations that will reduce the likelihood of another similar event.

At the very least, oil drilling at home could provide a temporary solution to a long-standing problem.

For more about gas prices:

Check “Gas busters: the facts about how to get more gas” Pg. 8

Gas prices around campus are among the highest in the county. Gas stations along University Parkway are on the brink of listing four dollars per gallon again.

By ERIKA MARTINEZ

Staff Writer

Whenever I think about eating on campus, I get this upset feeling in my stomach, and in my wallet.

Luckily that doesn’t happen enough. I eat on campus sometimes, when I don’t find the time to go home and fix a hot plate; it’s only a two minute drive.

But when there are those days that I must eat on campus, I go for the usual, the 99 cent soft taco from Taco Bell. I’ve grown tired of that, and with the news that broke out, Taco Bell wasn’t using “real” meat, I’ve totally distanced myself from the fast food restaurant.

With prices on the rise of just about everything, food included, it’s hard to decide what to eat and how much to spend.

It bothers me that the food on campus is a bit more expensive than food off-campus. I can help but compare these prices to prices elsewhere.

On most days I bring my own lunch and eats to school, the usual sandwich. Along with that, I buy some chips from the vending machine for $1.

But today was different; I was in the Coyote Market, located in Santos Manuel Student Union (SMSU).

When I found the chips that I thought would complement my sandwich, I decided to get them. Turns out the bag of chips are larger in size.

As I pull out the dollar to pay for it, the cashier says “$1.30.”

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That’s something that I debate when I don’t bring my sandwich, whether I should spend money on food that can barely fill me up or whether I should go home and lose my parking spot.

The campus food prices wouldn’t bother me if I went home to eat all the time; unfortunately, I don’t.

So for now like many students I’m stuck searching under rocks for meal deals that help me out and fill me up rather than foraging in the ever expensive SMSU.
Students take time away from studying for finals to battle stress and pet therapy dogs

By ANGELINA GARIBAY  
Staff Writer

Finals are right around the corner and students are feeling worried, anxious, stressed and pulled in four or five directions with assignments; what is a student to do?

Some students curled up next to a pooch or snuck in a massage, enter the Pet Away Worries and Stress (PAWS) event held to remedy such collegiate maladies.

The Student Health and Psychological Counseling Center hosted this event on March 8 to help soothe the anxiety that comes at finals’ time with therapy, dogs and free massages.

“I’m stressed about all the stuff that comes at the end of the quarter,” said student Kelsey Slater.

Over 300 students participated in the four-hour event, petting away their stress and chatting with the trainers in the Lower Commons.

“It’s fun and relaxing. You never get a chance to pet so many,” said student Eddie Lopez.

The seven dogs came in all sizes ranging from the 120-pound, Black Russian Terrier, Petrovich, to the 17-pound Pekingese, Gizmo the Gremlin.

The students’ laughter could be heard around the room at the dogs’ antics of putting their paws out to shake or playing dead.

It was a relaxing atmosphere as groups of students were sitting on the floor with the dogs while asking the trainers questions about the dogs’ histories.

Several of the dogs were rescued from unfortunate circumstances but took to the therapy dog training amazingly well.

One of the dogs, Emma Zen - part Labrador and Great Dane - was rescued from an animal shelter and now has her own website, emmazen.com, and Facebook page. This dog has a big repertoire of tricks and even takes acting gigs.

Emma’s owner, Debra Jo Chiapuzio, feels like she is the lucky one since getting Emma. Owning this special dog has opened doors for Chiapuzio to feel fulfilled by helping others.

The trainers were also doing their part to let the students release their stress by inviting them to talk about finals as they petted the dogs.

CSUSB students weren’t the only ones who had a great time with the dogs. A group of students from Ramona Alexander Elementary were on a field trip and got to enjoy the experience as well.

The elementary students were especially drawn to the huge Pyrenees, Cera, as they enjoyed burying their hands in her long fur. Her owner, Kathie Park, surprised them when she said she had four more Pyrenees’ at home. That brought up questions about how much food Cera consumes.

“She only eats four cups of dog food a day,” said Park.

Even though Cera looks big, she only weighs 89 pounds and her metabolism doesn’t require as much food.

The Student Health and Psychology Counseling Center had planned to have five massage therapists at the event to last the entire four hours. Unfortunately, only two showed up and only stayed for two hours.

Regardless, 40 lucky students were treated to a free massage, compliments of those students from Kaplan College.

Another PAWS event is planned for spring quarter finals. A word of advice; get there early for a free massage!

No bark or bite, just pets

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Rudeness all around, cell phones take away our face to face etiquette

By KARA DEMENT  
Staff Writer

We have many different sorts of wonderful technology to communicate, but our lack of etiquette is driving us further apart.

Etiquette is the set of rules we have all agreed to in order to be considerate to one another, whether it’s talking on the phone, text-messaging or a face-to-face conversation.

Nowadays, our etiquette has gone down the drain. Nobody knows the proper way to talk on the phone anymore and our text-messaging has hit an all-time high.

We text while we drive, when we’re in class, when we’re supposed to be learning and even while somebody is trying to have a civilized conversation with us.

We do it non-stop!

There is never a moment we are not text messaging or talking on the phone.

It’s ridiculous and quite sad that we can’t put our phone away for five minutes to have a conversation with one another.

I admit I’m completely guilty. I don’t use the appropriate phone, text messaging or conversation etiquette.

However, I don’t think I’m to blame for it.

For example, my parents taught me the proper way to talk to people and even made me take a manners class when I was 10 years old. So, why is it that I’m not using the skills that have been given to me?

The answer is simple.

The times have changed. Our generation is clueless about phone etiquette because we so rarely make actual phone calls.

Yes, we text, but only because we don’t know how to use etiquette properly over the phone. Plus it’s a lot faster for us to get the message to the receiver.

Text-messaging also demands a set of etiquette, and this includes text-messaging while we’re driving and while we’re in class, when we’re supposed to be learning.

It’s rude to text when somebody is trying to talk to you and even worse when you’re driving.

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Tough times means looking for more discounts

By JESSICA RAMIREZ  Staff Writer

Saving money is a goal of many people during this financial crisis, and as we fight the crunch, people find they don’t have that extra money for those desired trips as Spring Break and summer loom closer.

Well students don’t have to look any further than Associated Student Inc. ASI is offering the discounts you have been searching for.

Why pay $12 when you can pay $7, saving you $5 at the movies? Or who wouldn’t want to pay a mere $95 for a two-day stay at Disneyland opposed to a gross amount more.

ASI is an organization on campus that represents the needs and interests of our student body and promotes and organizes many of the events held on campus.

The ASI Box Office sells tickets from the dispenser to parks such as Castle Park, Legoland and Knott’s Berry Farm at a good price.

The most requested tickets sold are for Disneyland. ASI has two special offers: the one-day pass for $71 for adults and $65 for children and a two-day stay for $94.25 for all ages.

Movie tickets are another big seller. ASI offers tickets for AMC, Edwards Cinemas and Krikorian Theater.

Other popular places that the ASI Box Office sells tickets for are Sea World, Universal Studios, Medieval Times, Scandia, Six Flags Magic Mountain and Castle Park.

The prices are discounted and can help save you money.

Sea World tickets are sold at $55 per adult and $48 per child, Universal Studios is $55 for all ages, Medieval Times $42.

Student April Standifer was asked about this myth.

“Sometimes, I feel like if I do put my car in neutral it isn’t safe because I don’t feel like I have control,” said Perez.

One last myth: pumping your gas in the morning because the temperature outside is cooler. The theory is that cooler gasoline is more dense, therefore, you get more gas in your tank. It is true that when gas is cool it is denser, but there is a limit.

The way you drive your car impacts your car’s gas mileage significantly; however, changing your driving habits, for example, hugging a curve rather than breaking, more than likely will not make much of a difference.

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“I think it’s a good place to save. It’s a cheaper kind of service for students,” said student Lety Molinos.

If you’re looking for entertainment or something to do and are not willing to spend much money visit the ASI Box Office for cheap and fun deals.

For more information and hours of service visit the ASI website at asi.csusb.edu or the ASI Box Office located in the Student Union next to the ASI Office (SMSU-108).

Gas busters: ways to get more bang for your buck

By KATI PATAG  Staff Writer

We are all in this together.

Unfortunately, the rise of gas prices is not something that we would like to be facing, but that doesn’t stop me from eating.

Granted, I haven’t been able to splurge on eating out thanks to gas prices and my lonely commute to school five days a week.

My mom has been my salvation during this difficult stage of my life; she’s cooked five days a week.

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Face-to-face interactions aren’t the same now that we have technology at our fingertips, and often we tune people out.

Answer your phone, please

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Like they say in traffic school, “Be considerate of other drivers.” This also pertains to the no-texting-while-driving dilemma, something that we’re once again totally clueless about.

“There isn’t phone etiquette anymore because everything is done via texting and even then I don’t think that etiquette exists. The personal touch of a phone call is something that we’re once again totally clueless about. I just think our generation has gone,” said student Stephanie Real.

I don’t think etiquette has completely vanished; I just think our generation has become so tied up in the fast way of communication by text-messaging and e-mail that we forget to considerate towards one another.

We forget to treat others as if we were talking to them face-to-face. We often don’t live in the moment and tend to miss out on things. It’s something at which we should better ourselves; you never know when the proper phone etiquette might help you ace that telephone interview that you’ve been preparing for.

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“We revolve around provocative top-ics, loud music, going against the herd, anarchy, and rebelliousness,” said Khouli.

What sets them apart from other design companies, aside from their creative touch is that you can begin with an idea or picture if you already have something in mind, and they will give it a fresh twist, blowing you out of the water.

Not only are you getting something different, you can help create it.

At the end of 2009, damascusapparel.com was not only making T-shirts but providing exceptional customer service and shipping orders across the nation. They are dedicated to not only producing everything out of the box, but to making sure that you are taken care of, and just plain happy.

Aside from their hard work with their creative and business teams, they find time to give back to the community in various ways.

Laura Macofsky, a public relations intern at Damascus Media and Apparel, helps with label offers.

“This company is driven by modern ideas affecting society, and improving the daily beauty in everyday life,” said Macofsky.

With the support they get from everyone, they have made a conscious effort to share their success and offer support to organizations involved in: cancer research, rape/abuse prevention, drug/alcohol prevention, and lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender rights, to name a few.

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They have been working with presidents of student organizations here at CSUSB in hopes of impacting our campus with new ideas, styles and a turning point in expressing yourself.

If you are looking for some great graphics to represent your club, organization or simply yourself, make sure to check them out.

For more information on the company, or if you want to submit an idea and check out their items, you can visit their website damascusapparel.com, or contact them directly at (619) 501-4452 and unleash your inner designer.
By MATTHEW BRAMLETT
Staff Writer

Here’s a prediction: Charlie Sheen will be either dead or in prison by the end of the year. The popular actor, who has appeared in such classics as “Shadow Conspiracy” and “All Dogs Go To Heaven 2,” has spent the past few years playing one of the central characters on the nation’s highest-rated television sitcom, “Two and a Half Men.” It was a gig that established Sheen as the highest paid television actor working today, earning an estimated $1.8 million per episode.

But in recent weeks Sheen has become known for something completely different. He has been in the middle of a media firestorm, firing off nonsensical outbursts and trash-talking the people he knows and worked with, including his show co-creator, Chuck Lorre.

His random musings, in which he claims to have “tiger’s blood and Adonis DNA,” are funny if not disturbing. His Twitter page, set up just a few days ago, already has over 2.2 million followers, and there are many voices on the Internet and abroad that are egging him on and adopting Sheen’s strategy of “winning.”

He has dubbed his Los Angeles mansion the “Sober Valley Lodge” (in reference to Sheen claiming he cured himself of his substance abuse problems with his mind) and has set up a kind of fortress with two women he calls his “goddesses”: porn star Brooke Olson and graphic designer Natalie Kenly.

But underneath the bombastic and weirdly defiant exterior Sheen is exposing to the world, a more sinister problem emerges.

The unavoidable truth is that Sheen is in the midst of one of the most unbelievable and gigantic meltdowns in recent memory. What’s more, the entirety of it is being broadcast to the world.

The media blitz has resulted in the loss of everything important in Sheen’s life. His job at Warner Bros. was terminated, and he is prevented from even setting foot onto the studio’s premises.

Furthermore, Sheen’s twin sons, Bob and Max, have been taken from him and sent to live with Sheen’s estranged wife, Brooke Mueller.

One can only watch his video blog, innocently titled “Sheen’s Kornet,” to watch his rapid downward spiral.

In a recent entry, entitled “Torpedoes of Truth Part 2,” Sheen looks gaunt and de-sheveled, with messy hair and a paranoid look emblazoned on his face.

While talking to his associate on the phone, Sheen takes frequent drags of his cigarette, drinks a concealed beer, and shouts out random slogans such as “Winner winner chicken dinner” in a hackneyed and upsetting manner.

Entertainment Weekly called it, “The saddest performance of [Sheen’s] career.” While the initial amusement of Sheen’s antics has given way to grim horror, Sheen has not shown any signs of stopping.

He has sued Warner Bros. for $100 million, claiming that the studio owes him for his lost gig and the emotional stress he has endured.

Despite the recent insanity involving his son, Martin Sheen continues to be supportive.

“You have to have an equal measure of concern and love and lift them up,” the elder Sheen said in an interview with Britain’s Sky TV. “So that’s what we do for him.”

Psychologists, including Dr. Drew Pinsky, have speculated that Sheen is exhibiting signs of bipolar disorder, and is in the middle of a particularly powerful manic episode. Of course, if this is true, the impending depressive episode could be even more devastating.

Meanwhile, sites like TMZ have been revealing in Sheen’s meltdown, devoting the majority of their coverage to whatever crazy thing Sheen says or does. His darkest moments are mere fodder for the entertainment networks.

Charlie Sheen’s life is unraveling, and all we can do is watch.

To read the complete story, please visit our website at www.chronicle.com.
Avril Lavigne, released her fourth studio album Goodbye Lullaby after a four-year hiatus. The new album includes the top 20 hit single “What the Hell.”

Lavigne’s fourth effort heads a different direction than her previous multi-platinum album The Best Damn Thing, where fans experienced a more pop genre than her infamous punk-rock style.

“The album is not as pop-rock as my previous stuff. All my records have been really diverse: You’ve got your mid-tempo and then your super pop song and then a more aggressive one and a ballad.”

True to staying diverse, Lavigne has not completely shed her loud, upbeat, pop side. Fans of her previous pop album will not be disappointed with songs such as “Smile” and “Stop Standing There,” showing high energy and catchy melodies that will make your head bob listening.

The album’s lead single, “What the Hell,” has been compared to her number-one single “Girlfriend” for its contagious groove and poppy vibe. Lavigne described it as “the most pop track on the record and the least personal song from the album.”

It is definitely an album for all to go out, get and keep on repeat.

Lavigne seeks to return to roots

By CARMEN HERRERA
Staff Writer

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Lavigne’s fourth effort heads a different direction than her previous multi-platinum album The Best Damn Thing, where fans experienced a more pop genre than her infamous punk-rock style.

“Goodbye Lullaby is about saying goodbye to something that’s comforting, familiar, and opening a new chapter in life. This album for me is very bittersweet, life being a journey and having to find inner strength,” said Lavigne to Take 40.com.

Lavigne’s divorce to Sum 41 frontman Deryck Whibley no doubt influences the emotionally driven lyrics presented in the album.

Songs “Remember When” and “4 Real” express heartbreak over relationships. Lyrics read: “I don’t wanna look back/’Cuz I know that have something/The past could never change.”

The most personal and deep song of the album is the ballad “Goodbye” which influenced the album’s title. The song written and produced by Lavigne herself is seemingly directed towards Whibley.

“Goodbye brown eyes/goodbye for now/take care of yourself” are the lyrics from the heartbreakwing ballad. The song’s raw emotion and heartfelt lyrics can be described as the album’s best song which many of her fans can relate to.

The album also includes an extended version of last year’s single “Alice,” which was used in part of the soundtrack to Tim Burton’s highly successful film “Alice in Wonderland.”

The album’s mellow and deep music brings emotion that anyone can relate to. Lavigne told Rolling Stone, “It’s so easy for me to do a boy-bashing pop song, but to sit down and write honestly about something I’ve through, it’s totally different thing.”

Four years in the making, Avril Lavigne fans will enjoy Goodbye Lullaby as it returns to Lavigne’s older musical style that launched her into stardom.

Fiasco beams on his darkest project

By JENNIFER PETERS
Staff Writer

Lupe Fiasco’s latest album, LASERS has listeners beamimg after patiently wait- ing for the March 8 release.

Fiasco has been working hard writing and co-producing LASERS (an acronym for Love Always Shines Everytime, Re- member to Smile) alongside The Neptunes and The Audibles to name a few.

There has been plenty of hype sur- rounding this album for nearly two years. Many fans feared they would never hear another album from the rapper after he an- nounced last year that he was retiring from hip-hop.

Due to conflict with Atlantic Records, LASERS has been held back for over a year. Fiasco stated that the making of the album was “a very painful, dark, I’d up process,” in an interview with MTV UK.

Fans, like student Bryan Wilson, were elated when the album released despite the struggle. “I was one of those devoted fans that protested the record label and peti- tioned for the record to be released.”

When asked how he came up with the title in an interview on BET’s “106 & Park,” Fiasco said “I thought LASERS would be a dope name for an album, so when I came up with it I just put it in my ‘think-tank’ and let it evolve.”

In an interview with Complex Maga- zine Fiasco said, “I’m happy for the fans, this is their album. This is the album that they fought for and that’s what made me write these songs.”

Fiasco has been making appearances on major television shows like “BET’s 106 & Park,” and “Lopez Tonight.” In 2010 he also released a viral video on the Internet titled “The LAS.E.R.S. Manifesto.”

The video encouraged the growth and prosperity of the nation. In the video Fi- ascio says “We will not lose because we are not losers, we are LASERS! LASERS are revolutionary. LASERS are the future.”

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Facebook is changing again in the hopes of keeping their position as the top social networking site. On March 11, a series of new Facebook changes started taking effect. Facebook released a new Facebook Pages, messages, and even movie rentals through Warner Bros. One of the most interesting changes is the new ability to rent and purchase movies through Warner Bros. on Facebook.

It’s as simple as “liking” the movie. If you “like” the movie you can pay three dollars to watch the film through Facebook.

In a move that other distributors are sure to follow, Warner Bros. released “Batman: The Dark Knight” as a rental through Facebook and promises more releases in the future.

In addition, there are changes being made to Facebook Pages, which are pages set up for non-personal use. Most of the changes to Facebook Pages is geared towards businesses, organizations, and brands who want to interact with their fans.

Now, Facebook Pages users can use Facebook as a business with the ability to “like” other pages, comment on pages, see news feed as recent/top news, choose which news to view, and see notification updates in the same way personal pages are able to interact.

The major downside of Facebook choosing “top news” is that it automatically sorts out what it considers to be “top news,” without any regard to what you consider. In other words, you better check twice to make sure Facebook hasn’t skipped over any run-of-the-mill news that you might be interested in.

The biggest bonus of using the Facebook Page is that you can post something on your Facebook business page as yourself instead of becoming the voice of your business.

You can stay updated with changes made to the Facebook Pages by visiting www.facebook.com/FacebookPages.

The evolution of Messages is something every Facebook user will be interested in.

The company’s CEO Mark Zuckerberg wrote in a blog about how the new Messages will work.

Messages now allows you to decide how you’d like to talk with your friends—SMS, chat, e-mail or Messages—and they will receive your message through whatever medium/device is most convenient for them.

“You can both have a conversation in real time. You shouldn’t have to remember who prefers IM over e-mail or worry about which technology to use. Simply choose their name and type a message,” said Zuckerberg.

One of the more interesting changes is the creation of @facebook.com e-mail addresses for any Facebook user who wants one.

People no longer need to be on Facebook to talk with friends—whether these friends are Facebook users or not. Zuckerberg insists that Messages is not e-mail.

“There are no subject lines, no cc, no bcc, and you can send a message by hitting the Enter key. We modeled it more closely to chat and reduced the number of things you need to do to send a message.”

Facebook users will start to notice changes from the social networking giant including page layout and simple operation.

“We wanted to make this more like a conversation,” said Zuckerberg.

Time will tell how this affects other big messaging companies.

This is a small step towards becoming a media giant—competing against virtually every aspect of social networking and social media.
Trauma to first within five days

By KELEIGH ACOSTA
Staff Writer

A recent motorcycle crash left professional Supercross rider Blake Baggett with head trauma and memory loss. Baggett, 19, rider for Monster Energy Pro Circuit Kawasaki, was doing his daily training at Glen Helen Raceway in San Bernardino during the first week of March when his day took a turn for the worse.

The San Bernardino native was getting ready for the Daytona Supercross race which was scheduled five days after the accident.

After riding four laps at the practice track, Baggett was thrown head first into a dirt wall after his front tire struck a large rock.

“I was coming around a right hand corner, and inside the rut there was a rock,” said Baggett.

“As I was exiting the corner the rock popped my front wheel up causing me to lose control of the front end and tossing me into the face of the jump,” he continued.

Baggett was rushed to Redlands Hospital by his mother Leann Baggett.

“My biggest concern was making sure there was no bleeding in his head and no broken bones,” said his mother. “In this sport it is better to be on the safe side and know the facts. I focused on keeping him calm and answering his questions to help his thinking catch pace.”

A major concussion left Baggett unaware of where he was, how he crashed, along with the names and faces of those closest to him.

“I started to remember little things on the drive home from the hospital,” said Baggett. “I knew my balance was off and my depth perception was also pretty bad.”

Doctors released Baggett with strict instructions to rest up and let his body and brain recover.

“I didn’t remember anything from the second the crash happened until leaving the hospital. Bits and pieces would come and go throughout the next few days. I still don’t remember anything after the crash. I’m able to put it together, but only from what everyone has told me.”

After numerous tests, CAT Scans, and plenty of rest, Baggett slowly regained his memory.

Thursday morning, three days after the crash, Baggett was instructed to test his ability and see if he was ready to get on the bike.

Baggett is a member of the most prestigious team in the sport. 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Polo struggles to tread water

By J. LEVI BURNFIN
Assistant Sports Editor

CSUSB’s women’s water polo endured an off-season full of strife only to start a season filled with even more struggles.

The team is off to a disappointing start after two straight years of subpar performances.

The team started off the season with a 3-3 record but immediately lost seven straight and an average team would start to have doubts about their ability to compete. But this is not an average team. They have already experienced hardship in and out of the pool.

“I was really excited to get [the season] underway because I knew we had so much talent and so much potential,” said Head Coach Sarah Reneker.

However, four student-athletes did not have the drive that was needed in order to compete at a collegiate level.

“Sometimes players come in from high-school or a junior college and think ‘I got this...’ but the college level is so much more intense that a lot of them get burned out,” said Reneker.

Reneker declined to name the two recruits and two returning players outright but did indicate that they had a ton of talent and that if they had the heart that some of the other players had, they would have been extremely valuable players to the team.

Reneker believes that the off-season struggles may have made them a better team because she would rather have a team with less talent and bigger hearts than a team with more talent but did not have the drive to compete at the highest level.

“Our team is very bonded and very positive with one another so it worked out for the best,” said Reneker.

Still, many obstacles have arisen from the decision of the girls to leave the team. The most important may be that the team is shorthanded as they only have three girls that are able to come off the bench and give the starters a rest.

Hartwick has 23 players on the roster, 10 more than CSUSB, but the Lady ‘Yotes were still able to compete and only lost 14-10.

In spite of all the struggles the team has endured, the goal remains the same: to get better and improve their conference seeding from the last couple years.

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The Coyotes have not had a winning season since 2008 where they went 20-17 overall. Since then, they are a combined 27-46 and have finished eighth each of the past two years.

The team still has quite a way to go considering the seven game losing streak but there are areas that could be improved that would immediately have an impact on their win-loss record.

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Lady Coyotes float at 7-10 on the season after being set back by an unprecedented seven game losing streak in the pool

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Spring Training gives you a behind the scenes look on how major league ball players work on fundamentals, take batting practice, stretch and bond as a team. The stars that kids look up to are seen as just regular guys.

There are two Spring Training locations, the Cactus League in Arizona and the Grapefruit League in Florida. Half of the Major League Baseball teams are roughly within a 19 mile radius of one another when in Arizona.

I have been going to Spring Training in the deserts of Arizona for the past 12 years. Fans of all ages will be able to watch their favorite players and coaches as they get ready for the game. Most of the complexes were the players practice, give a chance to interact with the fans. After the players are finished with their workouts, they usually sign autographs and take pictures with the fans, hand out baseballs or bats they may have broken and can no longer use.

When I was young, I would collect my favorite player’s autographs as well as try to get the entire team to sign a baseball. Kids are usually the ones that ball players tend to give the most attention to, since they are the role models for them.

Some of my most favorite Spring Training moments include, playing catch with future Hall of Famer, Trevor Hoffman, talking to Tony Gwynn about my swing and even being a bat boy for a game. Those are memories that I will have forever and will be able to tell my kids one day. In fact, I will take my kids and family to Spring Training like my dad did. It is a tradition that all baseball lovers should experience.

It is only a four hour drive from Southern California, and could make for a relatively inexpensive road trip. Games are as cheap as $6 a ticket for lawn seats, and there are plenty of hotels nearby to choose from. You can take in sandwiches and bottled water (as long as it’s sealed), and you save money in the game.

There are still a few more weeks to go before all the major league ball clubs go back to their cities for the regular season. So now is the best time to go for a road trip.
Canadian finds second family with softball team

By HANNAH ALANIS
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From almost 1,500 miles away, Cassidy Lee was able to catch the attention of CSUSB softball coaches. For this Vancouver native, softball is life.

Lee explained, “There weren’t many options for softball players back home. I chose CSUSB because it’s one of the toughest conferences in division two. California also has great weather, and I’m still only a two hour flight home to my family.”

On the pitcher’s mound and in the field, Lee has demonstrated leadership during her four-year career as a Coyote women’s softball player.

Head Coach Tracy Duncan describes Lee as “our go-to-pitcher. She has good movement, she’s consistent and she keeps batters off balance.”

With practice almost every day and double headers twice a week the lady ‘Yotes have become her second family.

Coach Tracy highlights the teams unique sportsmanship when she explained, “They root for each other to succeed… everyone is genuinely happy for their teammates to do well.”

In the short amount of time she has off the field, you can find her watching her favorite team the Vancouver Canucks or doing homework in the study hall.

Keeping up the GPA as well as being a full time student is a requirement to play sports here at CSUSB.

“Maintaining a good GPA is hard with all the practicing and traveling” said Lee.

However, Lee has been able keep her focus and soon she’ll be graduating with a degree in Business and Entertainment Marketing.

Living on her own for the first time has also proven to be a challenge.

“When I first got here, the hardest part is realizing I just have to deal with it,” said Lee.

Lee’s dream is to work for her hometown hockey team the Vancouver Canucks, but she wouldn’t mind working for the Los Angeles Kings if the opportunity presented itself.

She clearly is on a path to achieve her goals due to her determination and hard work ethic.

Both the coaching staff and Lee have high expectations of the team this season.

“We have a strong team this year, we should go far. I’d like to see the fans base grow. Not many people know that CSUSB offers a softball program. It’s easier to play when you have a fan base. It’s also tough when your visiting team has more fans,” said Lee.

So far this season the team is 6-0 home and 6-10 away.

“We’re more comfortable in our own environment. We’re used to our field, we get the last at bat and we have our fans to cheer us on. I feel a lot less pressure at home,” said Lee.

Lee relies on the motivation of her coach and teammates to help her during away games.

“This is the best and most cohesive team I’ve ever had. The girls truly fight, and that’s why they’ll go into post season,” she continued.

Lee and her teammates are working hard to put on an exciting season, so come watch the CSUSB women’s softball team!

Lee’s 2011 Stats:

Games started: 12
Record: 5-5
ERA: .399
Innings pitched: 66.2
Strikeouts: 47
Opp. Batting Avg: .288

‘Yotes miss chance to advance

By KIERA THOMAS
Staff Writer

CSUSB continued to strive for victory as the Women’s basketball team advanced to tournament play, alas that ended in the first round.

The Lady ‘Yotes were selected to compete in the 2011 NCAA Division II West Region Tournament held at Kellogg Gym at Cal Poly Pomona in which they lost their opening game of the tournament 71-63, ending this year’s season.

Under the direction of head coach Kevin Becker, the team was eager to participate in the tournament again for the fourth consecutive year. The rewarding feeling of being one of the only teams still competing was enough to spark the fight in the players; despite coming up short.

“Heading into the tournament, I think we just want to meet all expectations and stay focused and consistent. This is our second chance coming out of the CCCAA tournament. We need to be in it to win it,” said Senior guard Sabrina Gonzalez.

Even though the team lost, this season showed a very coordinated team.

“We handle our business on the court and we play really well together. We support each other and are close,” said Gonzalez.

The Lady ‘Yotes were led by Eisha Sheppard, Danielle Shows and Gonzales; who have shown their drive and hard work throughout the season.

Despite the season ending without a tournament win, their hard work is evident both on and off the court leading not only to the NCAA berth but individual awards as well.

Sheppard was very proud to be named to the first team All-CCAA as well as second team All-West Region collectives.

These attributes continue to fuel her determination and winning spirit.

“When I heard I won the awards, I was shocked and glad. It made me feel good to know my work was being noticed,” said Sheppard.

“People called and congratulated me even before I knew I had won.”

Gonzalez, along with Shows, also gained honors for the second team All-CCAA honors.

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Feel the rhythm, feel the ride, it’s soapbox time

By JESUS ROMERO
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The Red Bull Soapbox race will be flying through the streets of downtown Los Angeles May 21.

It’s up to you now to design the soapboxes that will be racing in the Spring.

The deadline to enter you participation application is March 25.

Now get your thinking and your hard hats on, because there will be plenty of creativity in the soapboxes.

One of the requirements is that the soapbox cannot be powered by any type of motor. It can only be powered by gravity and imagination.

The weight limit for the project has to be less than 176 pounds (not including the driver).

However, they don’t have to be Red Bull-themed or related to the project, they can be anything you think of, from birds to small dog houses on wheels, ANYTHING goes.

There will be tons of prizes for the winners and fun filled day.

The event is free for the spectators. They encourage you to come out and support the crew who has put together the creative soapboxes masterpieces.

For more information on the event check out the Red Bull website at redbullusa.com and then search keywords soapbox derby.

The Chronicle will be there with our own cart, so check it out and maybe even sign up and compete, it should be energy-fueled event.

Women's Softball
Wednesday 3.14.11 @ 1PM (Home)
vs. CSU Dominguez Hills
Friday 3.18.11 @ 1PM (Home)
vs. CSU Stanislaus
Saturday 3.19.11 @ 1PM (Home)
vs. CSU Stanislaus

Women's Water Polo
Tuesday 3.15.11 @ 3PM (Home)
vs. Marietta College
Friday 3.18.11 @ 11:30AM/3:15PM (LMU Invite)
vs. Whittier College/Claremont Univ.
Saturday 3.19.11 @ 9AM/2PM (LMU Invite)
vs. Colorado State Univ./CSO Long Beach

Men's Baseball
Thursday 3.17.11 @ 3PM (Home)
vs. CSU Dominguez Hills
Friday 3.18.11 @ 3PM (Home)
vs. CSU Dominguez Hills
Saturday 3.19.11 @ 11:30AM (Away)
vs. Dominguez Hills

Men's Golf
Monday 3.21.11 @ All Day (Away)
vs. Santa Barbara Intercollegiate (UC San Diego host at Mission Viejo)
Tuesday 3.22.11 @ All Day (Away)
vs. Santa Barbara Intercollegiate (UC Santa Barbara host at Mission Viejo)