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An attempted sexual assault at CSUSB’s Pfau Library was reported by a student to University Police on Wednesday, March 4, at approximately 7:30 p.m.

The attempted assault occurred in the Library’s north stairwell.

The victim was able to resist the suspect, who fled the scene.

Vice President for Administration and Finance, Douglas R. Freer, released a statement describing the suspect as a “Hispanic male, 19 - 21 years of age, 5-foot-7 inches to 5-foot-8 inches in height, 135 - 145 pounds, with curly black hair and no facial hair.”

The suspect was reported to be wearing a “black shirt, tan cargo shorts, black socks and carried a red backpack,” according to the e-mail sent by Freer.

Flyers detailing the situation were posted around campus, and an e-mail was sent out to students, faculty, and staff.

University Police have requested all students and staff report any information regarding the incident at (909) 537-5165.

The mission of the CSU, as stated in the California Master Plan for Higher Education, is to provide quality education to every student. The CFA said that CSU has failed to complete this mission by neglecting the faculty.

“I’ve had to work extra, teaching two courses every term, but I haven’t been able to find CSU support to invest in their faculty,” the professor said.

For example, over the last 10 years, the average faculty salary on each UC campus has increased. At UC San Francisco, the average faculty salary between 2004 and 2013 has risen to $16,000 while at San Francisco State, the average faculty salary on each UC campus has risen to $16,000 while at San Francisco State, the average faculty salary has lost $9,000, according to calfac.org.

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CSUSB Director of Executive Affairs, Pamela D. Langford, received the 2015 Woman of the Year Award for the 40th Assembly District on Feb. 20.

“For me, this honor represents the support and confidence of my mentors and supervisors who, over the years guided me, helped me appreciate the rewards of hard work, and gave me real opportunities to learn, grow, and succeed, and yes, sometimes fail,” stated Langford.

Langford, a CSUSB alumna herself, has been an active faculty member for more than 30 years, starting as the Alumni Association director. Langford’s endeavors included organizing a $400,000 scholarship fundraiser that helped create an academic scholarship program to recruit and retain worthy students in the Inland Empire.

She collaborated with different groups to secure a $2.4 million Department of Education Title V grant to increase career-readiness for CSUSB STEM field study students. CSUSB President Tomás Morales was a primary supporter in Langford’s nomination by praising her contributions to the university’s growth, which has resulted in impacting developments such as establishing community and governmental connections between San Bernardino County leaders and House Representatives in Washington D.C.

“Ms. Langford’s support of our student body is long standing and deep. She takes a keen interest in our students’ educational careers, both curricular and co-curricular, and serves as an advisor to the Sigma Chi fraternity who has a strong commitment to community service and leadership as well as academic achievement,” stated Morales.

CSUSB has received nearly $1 million dollars from the United States Department of Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration. The RSA grant will provide RSA Scholarships which will pay for student tuition. There is an application process to become an RSA Scholar.

According to the CSUSB Public Affairs, the $1 million dollar grant will be disbursed over a five-year period. “The grant’s purpose is to train graduates to work with people with disabilities in becoming more self-sufficient through independent living skills and/or placement into gainful employment.” said Margaret Cooney, principle investigator and project director, and professor in the CSUSB College of Education’s Department of Special Education, Rehabilitation Services Administration.

Cooney also said the grant will not only help students financially but will also help the number of students who graduate. The rehabilitation counseling program is nationally accredited by the Council of Rehabilitation Education.

When I asked Cooney about the program and the benefits of joining the program, she said one of the benefits of having a degree in rehabilitation is that you could help, the number of students who graduate. The rehabilitation counseling program is nationally accredited by the Council of Rehabilitation Education.

CSUSB director receives Woman of the Year award
By MARVIN GARCIA
Staff Writer

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Dr. Margaret Cooney provides additional info: CSUSB awarded $1 million in student grants

CSUSB President Tomás Morales also upheld Langford’s nomination and remarked how her commitment and mentorship set a strong foundation to the fraternity in terms of strong leadership and community involvement.

“I cannot imagine a more rewarding job than mine. Advocating for our students and university comes easily and naturally to me. I wish for all of the students and former students I have known, and those I haven’t, careers that are as fulfilling and meaningful as mine has been at Cal State San Bernardino,” stated Langford.

Langford believes she has made strong ties to CSUSB and is proud of what the university is today: an institution that reflects vision, dedication, and handshake by means of its presidents, award-winning faculty members, caring staff, loyal alumni and supporters of the university.
The Affordable Health care Act has created a projected boom in the health care industry.

"The Affordable Health care Act has extended health care insurance to individuals who never had it before," said Michelle King, program administrator of Professional and Continuing Education (PCE). "More people have access to visit a health care professional."

Recognizing the constantly-growing health service industry, CSUSB’s College of Extended Learning (CEL) has expanded its health care courses from being taught exclusively online, to on-campus as well. CEL now offers new on-campus courses for several health care programs.

"With the online courses, we felt we could reach a broader audience," Students from Florida to Hawaii are enrolled," said Michelle King, program administrator of Professional and Continuing Education (PCE). "Anyone can take these online courses."

The CEL certificate website states, “The College of Extended Learning offers on-campus and online continuing education certificate programs and courses designed to help you advance your career, or provide you with workforce skills necessary to acquire professional positions in many in-demand occupations.”

In creating new on-campus courses, King, her staff, and partners wanted to target the Inland Empire.

"Unemployment rates are high. We’re working with the Workforce Investment Board to provide opportunities for the displaced worker or transitioning adult. Adding a different modality, face-to-face programs have enhanced the online programs," said King.

There are many benefits of earning a certificate, which include job opportunities, higher pay, and job security.

"Why earn a certificate? A certificate narrows your focus and allows you to meet and measure competency in a certain area," said King.

King handles the administrative part of the program, but states it’s a team effort to decide what programs are available through various program proposals.

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High rates of sexual assault among incoming college students

By DAVON DEAN Staff Writer

EverFi Inc., a technology company, has reported they have discovered high sexual assault rates among incoming college students. On Feb. 25, 2015, the company stated that, according to a national student survey of incoming female college students, many women were sexually assaulted.

"Thirteen percent of incoming female college students reported that they were sexually assaulted before they arrived at college, with another three percent reporting an assault within just their first four to six weeks on campus," stated the press release.

The website states that the first few weeks are a high-risk period for students who have been previously sexually assaulted.

The percentages are based on a sample set of 53,000 students within 400 institutions in the largest assessments in history, according to EverFi Inc.

EverFi Inc.’s chief executive officer (CEO) Tom Davidson, has made it his top priority to assist schools to understand the critical component of what the student voice is showing.

"Every campus is under incredible pressure to address this difficult issue," said Davidson.

"We’re helping hundreds of campuses understand the critical component of student voice so they can incorporate programming that addresses the unique needs of their campus," continued Davidson.

Based on the students who participated in the survey, 65 percent of them fall in the category of a “healthy profile” and 35 percent fall in the category of an “unhealthy profile.” Students who are considered “un-healthy profile” tend to engage in more high-risk alcohol use.

EverFi Inc researchers with over 700 higher education institutions to bring its innovative student wellness learning platform to students across the country.

"Over 33 percent of all incoming college freshmen utilize EverFi Inc. student wellness courses on the sexual assault prevention, alcohol abuse prevention and financial wellness,” stated the EverFi Inc. website.

Davidson pointed out an action plan to assist all campuses, stating if all campuses empower the critical quantity of students with healthy attitudes and behaviors, then victims could have a positive approach.

According to the Centers of Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), women with prior sexual assault history are at greater risk of being sexually assaulted multiple times due to the preexistence of post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD). PTSD could give the victim the appearance of vulnerability in dangerous situations and affect the ability of the victim to defend themselves,” stated the CDC website.

The website states the aftermath these women suffer include alexithymia, dissociation and suicidal thoughts.

In efforts to help sexual assault victims, EverFi Inc. has integrated their Haven course in over 550 higher education institutions. This course meets the requirements of the federal Title IX and Clery Act.

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U.S. forces engage ISIS on the ground

By JORGE CAMPOS Staff Writer

An American force has fought its first actual encounter against the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS) when a attack was made by tribal forces in an attempt to remove U.S. forces from their base, according to SHAFAQ News, which provides daily news in Iraq.

U.S. troops have entered with its Iraqi partners according to Colonel Salam Namiri, against ISIS and clashed with them for more than two hours, according to SHAFAQ News.

Obama requested congressional authorization for limited use of American armed forces to defeat an Islamic terrorist army. He declared that the congressional passage of the measure makes the U.S. the strongest in the fight and, while it may be difficult, the terrorist group is going to lose, according to CNN.

Obama sent congress a proposed resolution to authorize the use of the U.S. military to prevent a threat from ISIS, according to The New York Times.

Obama explained that the draft resolution would grant him the authority to mobilize ground combat operations in limited circumstances to take military actions against ISIS leadership, according to CNN.

The U.S. military opened hubs around the region and enabled them to storm in and surprise the ISIS fighters, stated Sheikh Mahmoud Nimravi, a tribal leader in the region.

“We have made progress in al-Dolab area, in which ISIS has withdrawn from the villages beyond, after the battles which involved a private American force,” stated Nimravi.

Tom Long is Professor of the year

By MARLYN RODRIGUEZ Managing Editor

On Tuesday, March 3, Tom Long, CSUSB associate professor of history, was ambushed during his Historical Docum...
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By ANGIE BURKHART
Staff Writer

Today, college students face more challenges than those of previous generations due to tuition increases, yet some continue to remain optimistic about their futures.

According to reporter Niraj Chokshi of The Washington Post, “the West saw tuition and fees for four-year public school education rise by 86 percent over the past decade—more than in any other region.”

The continuous increases in college tuition and fees over the years is not only alarming, but has had a domino effect, causing the percent of working students to increase along with it.

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By JACOB COLLINS
Asst. Online Editor

Tipping today has become an overrated social obligation.

Tipping is a cancer that has infested our culture and shows no sign of going into remission.

It relies on social force to get patrons to pay additional money beyond the listed service price.

Tipping should be replaced by employers who pay their employees a proper wage instead of relying on patrons to do that for them.

This would lead to better financial stability for their employees and stop the social extortion of money from patrons.

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“Federal minimum wage laws allow servers to be paid just $2.13 per hour as long as the rest is made up in tips, ensuring the more customers tip, the less restaurant staff below minimum wage and literally rely on patrons to pay their staff at least minimum wage.”

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Tipping should be collectively ousted from our culture and replaced by employers who pay their employees a proper wage.

When going to a restaurant, no one should be socially extorted into paying additional money for a service they have already paid for.
Black women should embrace their hair

By ESSENCE DENNIS  Staff Writer

Black women should be proud of their natural hair and should not feel compelled, forced, or shamed into altering their hair to fit what they believe is “the norm.” Two-strand twists, box braids, bantu knots -- these are some of the things that African-American women can do with their natural hair. While this community has numerous negative notions that black hair is unkempt, dirty, and unprofessional.

“Black women get crap for their hair about everything. If they wear it in braids, weaves, or cut it off, there is always someone that has to say something. Just let her live,” said fourth-year Celeste Youngblood.

In my opinion, learning to love natural hair for black women is something that must be learned. We are taught as children that convenience is key, meaning styles that are easy to manage like perms or braids. Perms are a way of chemically straightening curly hair in order for the hair to be seen as more manageable. Braids are simple and can be worn for long periods of time to give the hair a break from manipulation. I’ve worn both hairstyles and have experienced what each hair done but ultimately, I went back to my natural hair instead of dealing with a chemically-altered hair texture.

This article is not about bashing women with relaxed or permed hair. Black women, from a small age, are shown images of people on television with bone straight hair and grow up believing that having straight hair is the “norm” and anything different is seen as “unkempt.”

“Celebrities are really good exposure for people who want to become natural. It shows you that you don’t have to conform to the world’s ideas of beauty,” said fourth-year student Jasmine Tindull.

“Solange and Zendaya rock their natural look,” said Tindull, which is a big deal seeing as how much of a negative stigma comes with having natural hair. An article published by In Touch magazine spewed negative remarks at Solange Knowlwie’s natural hair, saying it looked “like a dog’s mane,” according to bustle.com.

A more recent example involved actress Zendaya Coleman’s hair, and TV personality Giuliana Rancic claiming the young woman and her natural hair “smelled of patchouli and oil,” according to elle.com.

Some of the things that African-American women can do with their natural hair are two-strand twists, box braids, and braids. These are just some of the things that black women can do with their natural hair. Black women should be proud of their natural hair and should not feel compelled, forced, or shamed into altering their hair to fit what they believe is “the norm.”

Queer athletes deserve recognition

By SHANE BURRELL & LOYDIE BURMANN  Sport and Opinion Editors

Queer collegiate athletes can risk their professional careers by coming out. Queer college athletes have a higher risk of risking their professional sports careers by coming out due to the lack of support from the professional sports community. Coming out is an ongoing process, and for the queer athlete revealing one’s true identity does not stop in the locker room.

“Homophobia is a salient theme within both collegiate and non-collegiate male athletic subcultures,” wrote researchers Kenneth B. Muir and Trina Seitz in their participant-observational study on machismo, misogyny, and homophobia within collegiate rugby.

Machismo, or exaggerated heterosexual, male masculinity and the assertion of physical strength and dominance can be found within the athletic community. Muir and Seitz collected data over a four-year period examining deviant behaviors of active and non-active male collegiate rugby players in the southeast region of the United States.

They observed, recorded, and assessed strong reoccurring instances of homophobic language and/or behavior, misogynistic ideologies, and heterosexual assertion of masculinity.

It is no surprise then that male-dominated sports often disregard and exclude underrepresented members of the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and questioning (LGBTQ) community.

Although professional sports have made advancements in accepting gay athletes in the NFL with Michael Sam, and in the NBA with Jason Collins, there is still an unspoken preference for all athletes that are coming from collegiate sports to be straight.

Sam with his excellent collegiate career in football as a defensive lineman has shown that black love would not only come from the media, but from some of the team members he has played with on the Dallas Cowboys, as well as the St. Louis Rams.

Unfortunately, Sam wasn’t able to make either of the teams this past NFL season because of results in training; this shows how no matter your skills you face discrimination from the media as well as players on the team.

Collegiate athletes also could face this same fear in trying to come out of the closet. Lesbian – and those perceived to be lesbian – athletes are exposed to a different kind of discrimination.

In 2006, former Penn State Lady Lion player Jennifer Harris filed a federal lawsuit against former head coach Rene Portland for discrimination based on her race and perceived sexual orientation.

During her 27-year tenure, Portland was notorious for her controversial anti-gay recruitment method for prospective players – “no drinking, no drugs, no lesbians.”

Though no evidence was found to substantiate Harris’ claim of racial discrimination, “enough evidence existed to substantiate a claim that Portland discriminated against Harris by creating a ‘hostile, intimidating, and offensive environment’ because of Harris’ sexual orientation,” according to Penn State.

Media, peers, professional coaches and players all have an influence in the decision for collegiate athletes.

Although society is accepting of most queer communities, as well as the people who populate them, the fear of rejection from a sport you have worked so hard to become professional or have the experience at, is discouraging for the queer athletes.

Suppressing one’s identity for the sake of acceptance is a huge responsibility. Gay collegiate athletes not only have the fear of not being able to further their careers in whatever sport they wish to pursue, but also have the fear of coming out of the closet, which can mean facing rejection from society.

In the 2012 Campus Pride LGBTQ National College Report, 39 percent of LGBTQ athletes have felt harassed because of their sexual identity.

Family life for some of these players, whether male or female, have been completely engulped by the sports they play.

When that family dynamic is changed with the concession of their sexuality, all relationships with their families change, either for the better or, unfortunately, for the worst.

Although family dynamics are always something that is very important, for college athletes, their social lives are also important, if not more.

The people that make up the social lives of the collegiate athlete are the lead players in their lives. They’re the first to know, and, unfortunately, sometimes coming out does not always work in their favor.

Collegiate and professional sports should be inclusive of everyone and non-discriminatory playing field where athletes are judged solely on their skills and character, not their gender or sexual identity. Queer athletes should have the same right as their non-LGBTQ counterparts to be open about their identity and preferences.

The queer athlete should not have to stay in the closet for fear of being harassed, demeaned, or even physically harmed.
**The Vagina Monologues**

The purpose of the book is to break down the walls of the shame and secrecy that comes with the use of the word “vagina.” The actors mentioned words like peaches, painted, and tamale. One woman’s monologue was called “My Angry Vagina,” where she discussed the uncomfortable experiences of vaginal exams and tampons.

“Why do they flash the light up there, like they’re Nancy Drew,” said Flor Vargas, one of the actors. The audience cheered and laughed at her sassiness and strong humor. Other performances consisted of serious topics such as vagina mutilation, rape, and a woman’s appearance. "My short skirt isn’t a reason for rape," said Marie Tovar. "My short skirt doesn’t mean I’m stupid." Tovar did a great job in her performance and in her message about how just because a woman dresses cute for herself, that doesn’t make her a slut or stupid.

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**Nimoy will “live long and Prosper” in our hearts**

By IVANNA CARLOS
Staff Writer

Leonard Nimoy, best known as Spock, died at 83. Nimoy, born in Boston, Massachusetts, on March 26, 1931, was pronounced dead in his Los Angeles home on Feb. 27. Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, caused by his smoking, was the cause of his death. It is a shame that Nimoy didn’t quit smoking soon enough.

Not only was Nimoy an American actor but also a film director, poet, singer-songwriter, and photographer.

Nimoy started his career when he was eight years old when he acted in a play and continued acting throughout his high school years. He made his official debut in 1951 at 20 years old, with a minor part in “Queen For a Day,” leading to another part in “Rhubarb” as a baseball player.

What led him to “Star Trek” was his part in “Zombies of the Stratosphere” as Narab. “Star Trek,” which premiered on NBC on Sept. 8, 1966 made Nimoy the star he is today, but, unfortunately was cut after three seasons due to low ratings.

In 2009, Star Trek was revived with a whole new cast fortunately Nimoy got to make an appearance as an older version of Spock, which later led to him appearing in “Star Trek: Into Darkness” as Spock Prime in 2013. His two autobiographies "I Am Not Mr. Spock," published in 1975 and “I Am Spock," published in 1995, described to us how Nimoy felt a connection with Spock.

In between acting and publishing, Nimoy was teaching method acting at his own studio. "Star Trek”, one of television’s most successful series, won Nimoy three Emmy nominations and helped launch his career as a director and a writer.

"William Shatner and Leonard Nimoy acted well together because they balanced each other out throughout the series. I enjoyed watching Leonard Nimoy act because to me he understood the role he was supposed to play," said student Cameron Khoury.

"Leonard portrayed his character very well even in the most recent “Star Trek” film. I can’t picture anyone else playing Mr. Spock,” continued Khoury.

Nimoy will never be forgotten and will forever live long and prosper in our hearts as Spock.
Fashion Week inspired outfits for less than $20 at thrift store

By JAYNENE MORENO  
Staff Writer

Fashion Week 2015 was hosted in New York, London, Milan, and Paris and showcased brands such as Chanel, Dolce and Gabbana, and Kanye West x Adidas Originals Collection.

The collections are sure to inspire new looks that can be created in your local thrift store. You can find items of fashion that resemble the looks I created were a steal, not expensive at all.

My assignment was to complete a $20 thrift store challenge to try and recreate some of these Fashion Week extravagant outfits.

The clothing items were practically new and priced at a ridiculously low price.

Surprisingly, the Fashion Week inspired outfits I created were a steal, not even adding up to $10.

A floral print dress that closely resembled a Dolce and Gabbana’s Fall dress was tagged at utility that’s not including the 25 percent discount.

Chanel used pastel pink blazers paired with skirts in their Spring collection. A two-piece outfit I found at the thrift store strongly resembled the Chanel look and was priced at $39.98. A full-inspired look from Dolce and Gabbana, including shoes, was a little under $16.

This look consisted of a black skirt stretching a little past the knees with a button up blazer and flats to match.

I recreated the look using a black dress priced at $3.98 with a similar black button up blazer priced at $9.98 and to finish it off, black flats priced at 99 cents.

Many were excited about Kanye’s collaboration with Adidas.

“I followed Kanye’s line during New York’s Fashion Week,” said Brandon Moses Sumney, Theophilus and Kanye West. Being an employee of PacSun for about four years, Argueta is ahead of the game when it comes to new trends and exclusive deals.

He sported his full attire from Pac-Sun, which consisted of easy-to-work with colors and layers that fit cohesively to his “Yeasus” inspired look.

“However, Argueta doesn’t consider his style the “Yeasus” look. He morphs his own splash of originality by adding a mesh jacket by the brand, Beenstrill, which collaborated with Diamond Supply Co. to design it, also a green-sleeved long shirt that enhanced his simplistic look. Although, I caught him on an off day, Argueta knew the depths of what he wore, even down to his shoes.

He complemented his look with a clean cut pair of Native Apollo Moc shoes that elaborated his edgy side with a natural touch. These minimalist pieces consist of simplistic styles that coordinate to a perfection without attempting to pull off the try-too-hard look.

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Bringing back the dead

By ALEJANDRO CARDENAS

“The Lazarus Effect” looked promising but failed to bring life back to Hollywood’s dull but profitable mainstream horror genre. On my way to see “The Lazarus Effect”, expectations weren’t too high. Horror movies have been disappointing lately and after watching the trailers, I expected a generic modern day recreation of the classic Frankenstein story line.

What managed to get my attention was the cast members. “The Lazarus Effect” brought the striking Olivia Wilde and Mark Duplass for the leading roles, along with the multi-talented, Donald Glover, also known as rapper Childish Gambino.

So far, “The Lazarus Effect”’s $3.3 million budget has brought in $12 million, ranking fifth in the box office.

With this list of decent actors and a strong opening weekend, I thought I would be in for an adequate horror movie. If it ended up being another mindless slasher film, it would have been alright because I never expected anything more than that.

The film revolved around a group of scientists who are experimenting with a serum that would bring the dead back to life in the hopes of giving doctors more time to work with patients.

The movie started off really good. By introducing themes of life and death, the risks we take with technology, the struggles of relationships, and the infamous science versus religion debate, “The Lazarus Effect” appeared to be going in the right direction.

But after a very promising start, the second half of the movie turned into a lazy recycled slasher film that left me completely disappointed. About halfway through the film, Wilde’s character dies and Duplass makes the decision to bring his girlfriend back to life, but she comes back acting very strange.

At this point, you assume she’s evil and assumptions are proved true as she flies around killing people and crushing things with her demon powers for what felt like hours. I could have literally walked away from the theater right after they brought her back to life and been much happier with the movie.

What left me the most disappointed was that the producers ruined what was actually a good start to a movie.

That’s where they screwed up because the beginning of the film raised my expectations, that were slowly killed during the second half of the film.

Overall, “The Lazarus Effect” starts with lots of promises, leaving you hopeful that it might have a little more to it than the usual horror film.

Unfortunately, it ends up being another teenage piggy bank robbing movie that at the very least meets expectations from the mainstream horror genre.
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CSUSB Snapchat busted

By MACKENZIE VIERA
Staff Writer

CSUSB students expose themselves in explicit photos on Snapchat.

Snapchat is a video and photo messaging application that allows users to record or take pictures to send to a controlled list of recipients. “Snapchats” are viewable for a specified time the user determines and cannot be accessed after being viewed.

Many campuses have self-titled accounts but the school administration is not affiliated with those accounts.

Students anonymously developed these accounts and asked users to send footage that may contain nudity, sexual activity, and drug usage.

Photos and videos are then uploaded to a public feed for others to view.

“I followed one last quarter,” said student Katharine Hall. “I remember seeing a girl giving oral sex in what looked like the Pfau Library and I thought ‘Wow, this is wild.’”

When asked how Hall initially encountered the account, she claimed she was directed through word of mouth.

“Every time I’d see something crazy or funny, I’d ask my friends if they’ve seen it,” Hall continued. “If they didn’t, they immediately began to follow.”

CSUSB’s Snapchat account had footage of students smoking marijuana in campus parking lots, having sex, and taking ecstasy.

Due to many cases of sexual harassment and cyber bullying, some states such as New Jersey, have made it illegal to send nude photos.

Although most photos are revealing, others can be humorous.

“It’s not all bad!” said student Ashley Bell. “I’ve seen people falling asleep in class, people poking fun at the horrible food they sell here, and people getting drunk at the pub before class.”

The account Hall and Bell used to follow, CSUSB_Snap, has been deleted since then.

Snapchat’s guidelines state the usage of illegal drugs and engaging in nudity or sexual activity is illegal and their violation policy states, “any violation of guidelines will result in the removal of content, the suspension of your account, and being prohibited of using Snapchat in the future.”

While student-made school accounts will continue to exist, users are capable of reporting these accounts.

School-focused social media networks that are not affiliated with or authorized by the school are not just limited to Snapchat.

In fact, there is a Facebook page titled “CSUSB Snaps.”

The Facebook CSUSB Snap page is not related to the Snapchat accounts that show explicit photos. The Facebook page shares Snapchat screenshots that are mostly amusing.

The feed on the Facebook page include people sleeping in the Santos Manuel Student Union, messy dorm rooms, and people dressed as pandas riding skateboards.

Other social media accounts also sharing student life include Instagram and Tumblr. To minimize these accounts posting illegal content, Snapchat introduced a new feature, Campus Story.

Campus Story allows students to post a live central feed only while they are physically on campus. The feature was first experimented with Our Story, which allows users to post about a particular event or area they are in.

Campus Story is currently only available for the University of Southern California, Pennsylvania State University, University of Texas at Austin, and University of California, Los Angeles.

Coyotes want to be millionaires

By ANNA GONZALES
Staff Writer

Seventy percent of millennials remain confident they will one day become millionaires, according to a recent poll performed by Fusion.

Millennials are defined as individuals born in the 1980s or the 1990s, according to Merriam-Webster.

This may be an alarming statistic due to reports published by Fusion stating, “that 28 million people between the ages of 18 and 34 neither go to school nor earn more than $10,000 per year.”

Fusion also reported that 40 percent of the young people polled still live at home with their parents, 97 percent of them were sure they would own a home at some point in their life.

Seventy Coyotes were surveyed with the same questions asked in the Fusion poll to gain insight on the study’s findings in relation to our campus.

According to the Coyote Chronicle poll, 36 percent of students believe they will reach millionaire status during their lifetime, 43 percent believed they would not, and 21 percent were unsure.

“I have the know-how and determination to succeed,” stated an anonymous Coyote.

Student Janneth Milian was hesitant about the possibility of becoming a millionaire because she was unsure about how to become one.

Close to three quarters of the students who believed they were going to become millionaires were employed.

William Cudney is one of the 32 percent who are currently unemployed, but believe they will become a millionaire.

Not having employment while attending school “has drastically increased the value of [his] academic career,” said Cudney.

When asked if the students felt a college degree was worth the expense, an overwhelming 83 percent said yes.

Victor Garcia felt that a college degree is worth the expense but understands it is difficult to assume that it is a worthwhile pursuit for everyone because the reasons for earning a degree vary between students.

“I think [Generation X] put a lot of pressure on younger generations by exaggerating the amount of work it takes to be successful,” stated Diana Sifuentes via email.

“Ever since grade school, I was told that I had to go to college to be successful, and even though I essentially followed this ‘path of success,’ I find everyday that this path is not for everyone,” added Sifuentes.

Sifuentes said that the college path is not for everyone, which is not a problem at all because people can still find success.

She said it merely becomes a question of how one defines success.

Student Cesar Marin defined success as “reaching a point where you are being fulfilled by completing and working on your chosen endeavors.”

When asked if millennials are disillusioned by the idea of reaching a millionaire status, student Giaccimo Thillet said, “If they made it this far in college and they’ve worked hard enough, they have fair reason to have those aspirations [of becoming a millionaire].”
Spring breakers, if you are not the party type, you can still do something fun with friends and family close by that won’t burn a hole in your pocket.

Geocaching is an inexpensive, fun “apptivity” to enjoy during Spring break. Created on May 2, 2000, Geocaching is the world’s largest scavenger hunt. There are several types of caches and they can be found anywhere from a photo on a computer to a hidden container in a park.

“Geocaching is a very productive activity. I think that it would bring you closer to not only your clique, but to Mother Nature as well,” said student Adriana Hoeffner.

Caching has never been more accurate and intuitive since the new release of their app, now available for Android, iOS, and Window devices. The best feature is the GPS guide that pin-points the location of the hidden cache.

Currently, there are 2,568,393 active caches around the world, including some even hidden on the CSUSB campus. Palm Springs is a great place to go on Spring Break, even if it’s for a day trip. For outdoor lovers, I suggest going camping, hiking, or even both if you are considering to stay for more than a single day. Many people love to go hiking, not only to see the beautiful scenery, but to ride the Palm Springs Aerial Tramway up the mountain to see a greater view of the area.

Before the tramway was renovated, originally, you would only be able to see the view from the sides. Now, you have the opportunity to see a 360-degree view as you ascend. After a great hike and you’re feeling a bit hungry, you can “take a look at the menu before you order,” said student Monica Trapero.

Many people love to go to Venice Beach to hang out, play carnival games at the pier, or crash at Venice beach, sitting on your puma-Swap-meet blanket to view the sun set. “I’ve only been to Venice a few times but I think it is a clean beautiful beach, which offers great shopping and places to eat. The drive definitely beats the terrible Santa Monica traffic,” said student Brittany Burdick.

For outdoor lovers, I suggest going camping, hiking, or even both if you are considering to stay for more than a single day. For girls who enjoy something highwaisted, and what to wear them with any type of footwear like sandals, heels, and booties. A romper will make the perfect outfit within itself! “It’s already a cute outfit—whether dressy or casual. A romper is the way to go!” said student Michelle Medina.

Spring is a perfect time for anything, including a visit to Santa Monica beach to hang out, play carnival games at the pier, or crash at Venice beach, sitting on your puma-Swap-meet blanket to view the sun set. “I’ve only been to Venice a few times but I think it is a clean beautiful beach, which offers great shopping and places to eat. The drive definitely beats the terrible Santa Monica traffic,” said student Brittany Burdick.

Big Bear is a great way to prolong your winter love during Spring. Staying in Big Bear during Spring break is a good time to just chill and relax, but there are so many activities to do in the man-made snow. You have opportunities to go skiing, snowboarding, to-bogganing, fishing, or relive classic penny arcade games, such as Galaga and Centipede.

If you are looking to do something a little different this Spring Break, you can go to the famous Grammy Museum, California Science Center, Los Angeles County museum of Art, The Griffith Observatory, and many more.

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Player of the week: Jake Meloche

By JUSTIN SANDOVAL
Assistant Sports Editor

Jake Meloche, a dual-sport athlete at CSUSB playing baseball and golf, is the Player of the Week. Meloche was a Michigan native, but moved to Coronado, California his senior year after his passion for both sports blossomed.

Meloche played four years of baseball at Coronado High School, and played on the golf team his senior year. A business major in the classroom, Meloche is taking care of nothing but business on the baseball mound and the golf course.

A pitcher for Coyote baseball, Meloche injured his elbow and will not be able to pitch this season. A Coyote athlete nonetheless, Meloche decided to give a shot at the Division II level. "I am blessed to be able to play the two sports that mean the most to me, and grateful that both coach Parnell and coach Mainez all the way up to coach Moore put on the school and community in both ways," said Meloche.

Coach Thomas Mainez gave the starting spot to Meloche for the 2015 Coyote Classic. "Meloche came out pretty seasoned for his first event. He maintained his and was competitive. His ability to focus as a pitcher is definitely seen in his golf. He is a great asset to the team," said Mainez.

Meloche did not disappoint; he finished second best on the team, finishing T13 alongside-fellow Coyote Justin “Smooth” Sanabria.

Meloche’s performance in the Coyote Classic at Arrowhead Country Club was not his first. Since his senior year at Coronado High School where he excelled receiving the Most Valuable Player award and finished first team all league in the City Conference during his only year of golf.

Experience didn’t matter for Meloche, out-performing heavy rain and unusually cold conditions. "I had a blast playing in the Coyote Classic. Coach Mainez and the staff put on a great event. I was a little nervous because it was my first tournament in three years, but it was good to get my feet wet," said Meloche.

Meloche is a phenomenally talented athlete but has aspirations far beyond the mound and golf course. "After college I will be following my fathers footsteps in becoming a naval aviator," said Meloche.

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Favorite Athlete: Kobe Bryant
Favorite Food: "I think anything from a chicken or chicken, but steak and potatoes can be specific."
Favorite Movie: "Top Gun"
Favorite TV Show: "Seinfeld"
Favorite Music: Bruce Springsteen, The Rolling Stones
Favorite Sports Teams: San Diego Padres, Detroit Tigers

Athlete Jake Meloche becomes player of the week.

Track/Field off and running

By EMMANUEL VALADEZ
Staff Writer

Women’s track and field is leaving a mark this 2015 season here at CSUSB, with their first meet in CSUSB history.

Co-team captain Jackeline Felix said, "I am very blessed to be a part of the first track team, because I thought this is my fifth and last year of eligibility. So I thought I was running after our career, but since the team was officially made for spring, I’m able to run for one last season."

She also said, "Since we did not have an official track team, we were only allowed to practice two times a week with our coaches. Then we had to train ourselves off the rest of the days of the week."

Co-team captain Patricia Cortez said, “Now that we have an official team, we are able to practice with our coach six times a week. We definitely expect for our times to progress in the competitions."

Cortez spent all of winter practicing with her teammates preparing for the spring season. Nowoyes have the opportunity to compete in the CCAA Championship at San Francisco State University this year. Feb. 28, 2015 was the first day of the first ever meet for the Coyotes.

The Rossi Relays Event was held at Claremont McKenna College, which was where the Coyotes competed against hundreds of other athletes from many of the top universities of the state. The Coyotes definitely showed their presence against the opposing schools, especially for being a first-year team.

The ladies finished in second place on the 4x400 Meter Relay, timing at nine minutes and 45 seconds. Jade Turner finished in the top six for the 200 Meter Relay where the Coyotes competed against hundreds of other athletes from many of the top universities of the state. The Coyotes definitely showed their presence against the opposing schools, especially for being a first-year team.

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Evelyn De La Luz finished in 16th place out of the 59 runners in the Women’s 3000 Meter Run, with a time of 10:45.40.

Sabrina Swell finished in the top 10 for the 400 Meter Hurdles event at 69.56 seconds.

The Coyotes are definitely off to a promising and groundbreaking season. The Ben Brown Classic is the next track event, which will be held on March 14 at Cal State Fullerton, go support our fellow ‘Yotes this upcoming Saturday! For those who would like to find out the team schedule, as well as reading statistics, visit csusashletics.com.

Men’s basketball loses in first round

By SHELBY HANCOCK
Staff Writer

The Coyote men’s basketball team faced a loss with a score of 92-87 against the Humboldt State Lumberjacks in the first round of the California Collegiate Athletic Association (CCAA) tournament hosted on March 5, 2015.

The number six seeded Coyotes and the number three seeded Lumberjacks ended the game tied at 74 points leading them into overtime.

"Going into the game we had mixed emotions, but we knew we were going to leave it all on the court and hope the outcome be in our favor," said senior player Brian Gugliotta.

The Coyotes defeated the Lumberjacks twice this season, with the first game ending 77-70, and the second game ending 82-71.

During the first half of the game, the Lumberjacks ended the Coyotes 41-32 allowing the Lumberjacks to take the lead. The Coyotes led the board in free throws but the Lumberjacks led in field goals.

The Lumberjacks capitalized on their rebounds and second chance points, whereas the Coyotes did not.

Senior Taylor Statham led all scorers with eight points at the end of the first half.

The Coyotes started the second half with the ball, but just five seconds later turned it over. Partially through the second half, the Coyotes still trailed the Lumberjacks by three points, substantially cutting the deficit.

With six minutes left in the game, the Coyotes took the lead 44-42 and held the lead until just seconds before the end of regulation time, when the Lumberjacks tied the score 74-44. At the end of the second half, the Coyotes outscored the Lumberjacks 42-33 during that half but still had to face overtime.

The Coyotes held the board in field goals and three pointers, but the Lumberjacks out shot the Coyotes on free throws.

In the beginning of the five-minute overtime period, the Lumberjacks possessed the ball, and just 12 seconds in took the lead with a free throw shot by Calvin Young.

Three minutes into overtime, Coyote Tevin Harris made a layup, bringing the score tight at 76-79.

With 17.2 seconds left in overtime, the Coyotes trailed 88-85, just a three point game.

The overtime period ended in a victory for the Lumberjacks, with a score of 92-87.

The Lumberjacks outplayed the Coyotes with total 48-28 rebounds, 22-8 offensive rebounds, and 20-27 defensive rebounds, leading to the defeat of the Coyotes by five points.

Senior Isaiah Morton’s dynamic performance in the second half kept the Coyotes in the game, keeping the score tight.

With only six points to his name at half time, Morton ended the game with 23 points, leading all scorers.

“We’re going to play every play like its the last,” said Morton.

Online Sports Commentary: This week features UFC Ronda Rousey

By DANIEL DEMARCO | City Editor

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-Shane Burrell | Sports Editor
Women’s basketball has success in CCAA

By JACQUES LEE
Staff Writer

The Coyote women’s basketball team started off the 2015 California Collegiate Athletics Association (CCAA) Tournament with a bang!
The Coyotes played the first game of the tournament against the University of California, San Diego Tritons on Thursday, March 5 at the Stockton Arena in Stockton, California.
The women came into the game with a 14-8 record, ranked fifth in the CCAA Conference trailing the Tritons, who are ranked fourth with a record of 16-6.
The Coyotes helped their cause by dominating on the line and scoring a fifth in their points by free throws.
The Coyotes beat the Tritons 68-59, despite being days after the Tritons lost to them 64-61 on Feb. 28.

Even with the loss looming in the back of their minds, the Coyotes continued into the tournament with a win in their sights.
The game started off rough for the Coyotes, letting the Tritons jump out to an 8-2 lead in the first minute of the game.
Midway through the first half, the game began to get closer with both teams not being able to get further ahead of the other.

In the final ten minutes of the first half neither team could take more than a four point lead, and the game would have seven different lead changes.
The first half ended with the Coyotes trailing 32-30. The start of the second half began just as the first half did: slow, steady, and with minimal scoring.

Both teams continued to battle and the scoring see-sawed back and forth.

With 14:04 left, Brianna Harden was fouled and hit both of her free throws to give the Coyotes a pivotal 45-43 lead.

Harden came up again with a huge three-pointer with 10:50 left, giving the Coyotes a 52-47 lead, and from there the Coyotes never looked back.

The Coyotes kept their lead and only let the Tritons the game once at 52 all.

In the final minutes of the game, the Coyotes were able to get ahead from the Tritons and go on a 19-2 run to finish off their great win.
The win was a team effort as the Coyotes had three players score in double digits.
The team was led by guard Chelsea Barnes, who went 11 for 19, scoring 22 points, and forward, Adriana Brodie, who had a double-double with 15 points and 10 rebounds. They were followed in scoring by teammates Harden with 13 points, Alexcia Mack with 9, Briana Baker with 6, and Chelsea Austin with 4.
The Coyotes were fouled 16 times during the game with 10 of those in the second half.

Those fouls led to the Coyotes going to the free throw line.
The women shot an impressive 93.3 percent from the free throw line making 14 out of their 15 free throw shots.

With this in, the Coyotes will stay alive and move on to the semi-final round to play Cal State Dominguez Hills on Friday, March 6 at the Stockton Arena.

Baseball loses four in a row

By NATHANIEL LASTRAPES
Staff Writer

It was a rough weekend for Coyote baseball. The team lost four-straight games in their back-to-back double-headers against the Cal State Monterey Bay Otters, extending their losing streak to seven games.

Cal State Monterey Bay currently holds the best record in the conference and after sweeping the Coyotes in their series this weekend, have extended their hot winning streak to 10 games.

It has been a long season thus far for the Coyotes, who are 3-14, but right-handed pitcher Dylan Mitchell is confident the team can turn the season around.

"Playoffs are definitely still in reach. It’s still very early in the season, so there’s still that possibility," said Mitchell.

The Coyotes have been struggling this season with their last win coming back on Feb. 19 versus the Cal Poly Pomona Broncos.

Friday’s double-header was a long afternoon for the Coyotes, losing their first game 2-13, followed by a 5-10 loss in the second game.

Right-handed pitcher Tyler Wells suffered the first loss, and junior Tyler Sloan was credited with the loss for the following game.

Saturday afternoon was no different for the Coyotes as they lost both games in the double-header against the Otters.

The final two games of the back-to-back double-headers proved to be more competitive, as the Coyotes fell 2-7, and then lost a nail-biter 7-8.

Senior Tyler Rahier and junior Daniel Diaz received the two losses on Saturday afternoon, but it is not just pitching that the Coyotes are struggling with.

Coyotes have been struggling getting runs on the board early all season. "Our hitting needs to get out of the gate a little bit faster to give us pitcher confidence, you know, that we can have run support behind us," said Mitchell.

Getting early runs on the board has been a problem for the Coyotes this season and can negatively influence the psyche of the pitchers. It is much easier for a pitcher to go on the mound with confidence when they know that they have a lead to work with.

It is easy for a team in any sport to get down on themselves and develop a losing mentality when things are not going well in a season like the Coyotes are currently having.

On this current seven-game losing streak, their longest of the season, Mitchell said, “A lot of guys are doubting themselves.”

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Baseball loses four in a row

By NATHANIEL LASTRAPES
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It was a rough weekend for Coyote baseball. The team lost four-straight games in their back-to-back double-headers against the Cal State Monterey Bay Otters, extending their losing streak to seven games.

Cal State Monterey Bay currently holds the best record in the conference and after sweeping the Coyotes in their series this weekend, have extended their hot winning streak to 10 games.

It has been a long season thus far for the Coyotes, who are 3-14, but right-handed pitcher Dylan Mitchell is confident the team can turn the season around.

"Playoffs are definitely still in reach. It’s still very early in the season, so there’s still that possibility,” said Mitchell.

The Coyotes have been struggling this season with their last win coming back on Feb. 19 versus the Cal Poly Pomona Broncos.

Friday’s double-header was a long afternoon for the Coyotes, losing their first game 2-13, followed by a 5-10 loss in the second game.

Right-handed pitcher Tyler Wells suffered the first loss, and junior Tyler Sloan was credited with the loss for the following game.

Saturday afternoon was no different for the Coyotes as they lost both games in the double-header against the Otters.

The final two games of the back-to-back double-headers proved to be more competitive, as the Coyotes fell 2-7, and then lost a nail-biter 7-8.

Senior Tyler Rahier and junior Daniel Diaz received the two losses on Saturday afternoon, but it is not just pitching that the Coyotes are struggling with.

Coyotes have been struggling getting runs on the board early all season. "Our hitting needs to get out of the gate a little bit faster to give us pitcher confidence, you know, that we can have run support behind us," said Mitchell.

Getting early runs on the board has been a problem for the Coyotes this season and can negatively influence the psyche of the pitchers. It is much easier for a pitcher to go on the mound with confidence when they know that they have a lead to work with.

It is easy for a team in any sport to get down on themselves and develop a losing mentality when things are not going well in a season like the Coyotes are currently having.

On this current seven-game losing streak, their longest of the season, Mitchell said, “A lot of guys are doubting themselves.”
Coyote men and women’s basketball face off against competing Division II teams to claim the title of who will be the top team in the Division. The Stockton arena will hold the event while the CCAA broadcasts a live stream of all the games being played from March 5 through 7.

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The California Collegiate Athletics Association (CCAA) Conference Tournament is holding their 2015 Division II tournament in Stockton California.

This tournament will give the qualifying teams a chance to claim the title of Division II champions of California. Although the tournament is in Stockton teams from all over the state will be competing, from the UC San Diego Tritons to the Humboldt State Lumberjacks.

Both men’s and women’s basketball teams will compete in the tournament.

“The CCAA Basketball Tournament is coming back to northern California for just the third time,” said Commissioner of the CCAA Mike Matthews.

Many fans as well as families will be going to Stockton to spectate of the tournament, explained Matthews.

Matthews also continued to give thanks to the participation of all of the venders who are helping to make the event happen, one in which is Visit Stockton, led by Wes Rhea their CEO.

“Visit Stockton is proud to partner with CCAA to bring these four championship events to Stockton. We have a long history hosting successful collegiate events and we look forward to welcoming the athletes and families to our city,” expressed Rhea.

Despite the last two consecutive years the CCAA tournament was held in Ontario, California at the Citizen’s Banks Arena, the committee made the choice move to bring the event to Stockton.

The first round of games will happen on March 5, while the semi-finals will be held on March 6, and the finals on March 7.

Each team has presented themselves to be worthy of competing in this tournament but only the best will be able to win the title as CCAA Champions.

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