OF THE HPC STAFF

Student Union lacks punch
By Austin Alley

The New Hall and Millis Dormitory, two men's residence halls, have been part of the care of a new female area coordinator starting this semester. Helena Quiring, living on the first floor of New Hall, is the third AC New Hall has had since its opening in the fall of '87. Originally from Ohio, Quiring obtained her Bachelor of Science degree in Marketing from the University of South Carolina. She then went on to get her Masters of Education degree in Student Personnel Services from USC as well.

Quiring is very well acquainted with her new job, not simply through her education but having been a resident assistant as an undergraduate for two years. As a graduate student, she served as the hall director. When asked how she felt about being the new AC, she was responsible for two complete halls full of over 300 guys, Quiring's reply was "I thought it would be challenging, but if I didn't think I could do the job, I wouldn't be here. It will be challenging to do the job I want to do." Quiring is particularly interested in changing the halls' images, especially that of Millis. "So do the residents," Quiring said, "and I want to work with them to change the image rather than against them."

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Combat for women?
Quiring takes challenge
By Rick Ferrell

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Campus security beefs up to ward off trespassers
By Noelle Blank

According to a report listing the nature of calls to the High Point Police Department from High Point College between the months of August 1989 to mid-January 1990, the most frequent crime-related calls have dealt with trespassing, of which there were seven calls during those months.

Ed Cannady, of the High Point Police Department, acknowledges trespassing as a prevalent concern on the HPC campus, noting that although there are fences up around the campus, "it's a closed area but it's very open.

Director of Campus Safety Ed Cannady agreed that trespassing is an immediate concern on campus. Said Cannady, "Trespassing comes with the season," adding that warm weather and basketball season are two times during which trespassing is more prevalent. "This time of year often leads to vandalism, and Cannady noted that during this time more cars have been vandalized than any other time of the year." Trespassers are caught breaking windows and then run at the sight of a security officer.

Bonnie Jean Dillon, an HPC student, said she called Campus Security one Sunday morning in October after discovering that the window on the driver's side of her car had been broken. She claimed that she had also heard of another car's window being broken on campus the weekend before. Dillon noted that the high number of cars parked on campus as well as disapproval, saying, "The school doesn't pay for any of this, every single cent goes on campus patrolling. They presently have six full time officers and one director. They have one officer on duty during the day and two on duty after dark, with as many as four officers on duty after dark on the weekends. They also employ off-duty officers from the High Point Police Department.

Among the measures taken to discourage trespassing, Cannady stated that Campus Safety is dealing with more harassment with trespassing offenders, referring to three arrests in the 72 hours preceding the interviews. "I don't think the school should hire one or two more security guards. The problem is pretty wide-spread," said Cannady, "and I want to think that we would really appreciate... for students to be aware" of suspicious situations on campus. He stated that the Campus Safety Office has helped in apprehending trespassers, and he wants students to continue to call and report trespassers so that Campus Safety officials can move more quickly, before trespassers have the opportunity to do any damage. He added that students need to report trespassers seen wandering the campus, and not only those seen in buildings.

Another possible result of trespassing is theft. According to Cannady, there has been no burglary or forced entry during school breaks in the past year. He attributes this to the continuous patrol they have made on the school grounds during this time. He added that the officers who take in the residence halls appear to be students taking from students. He suggested that they benefit from getting away from their rooms whenever they are not in them, even if they are just going down the hall to make a phone call or visit another room.

Cannady said HPC plans on adding more alarm systems and making more use of student awareness programs.

Cannady suggests that students park in well-lit areas, whether they are on or off campus, keep their keys to themselves, and remove valuables or anything visibly tempting to discourage potential damage.

Also to be considered is the area immediately surrounding the High Point Police Department. According to reports from the High Point Police Department of the area immediately surrounding HPC from August 1989 to mid-January 1990, the most frequently reported crime is forcible entry, followed by vandalism. Cannady noted, however, that these reports are no greater than anywhere else in the city of High Point, and that in fact vandalism has gone down in the area.

Although there may seem to be an increase recently in the number of incidents of crime on campus, Tysinger stated that all of the state of North Carolina has gone up in crime, increasing "in the 20 to 25% range from the previous year." He added, "Crime is up substantially in the city," saying that High Point's crime rate has increased 31% after the first six months of the year, as compared with previous years. Said Tysinger, "The problem is pretty widespread, and that crime on HPC campus is not worse than other areas of the city."
**A game of chicken**

The bells seem to get louder as the eighth tone echoes around the campus, signaling that you are late to class.

The class is in Haworth Hall and you break stride as you pass New Dorm. Approaching Montlieu Avenue, you pause with caution, press the crossing button and go!

Seeing cars getting nearer, nearer, you wonder if they will yield to you or not. It is a game of chicken, steel against flesh.

Many times I’ve heard the shriek of tires skidding to a stop. The student in the crosswalk pales with fright. I speak from experience when I almost hit the hood of an automobile last year while walking with a group of students.

The speed limit in front of the campus, where there is the heaviest congestion of cars and students, should be equivalent to a regular school zone-25mph. The present 35mph limit on Montlieu is often exceeded and drivers aren’t aware of students in the crosswalk until it is too late.

To my knowledge no one has been injured in the crosswalk, but many near misses have occurred. I would hope it would not take an accident and/or injury to call attention to this situation.

Andrew Ritchie

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**Letters to the Editor**

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Helena Quiring discussing her new position as area coordinator for New Hall and Millis Dormitory.

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**Announcement**

On February 16-17, High Point College will host its annual Presidential Scholarship Competition. Competitors have been selected from the incoming freshman class based on scholarship, leadership, and citizenship. Twenty-three scholarships will be awarded at $3,000 each, and two “honors” scholarships at $5,000 each. The potential scholars and their parents are invited to attend a reception at the High Point Radisson on Friday, and will be touring the campus on Saturday. The Admissions Office encourages the student body to welcome these potential leaders of the incoming freshman class.

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**Ahead of our time?**

Last year, High Point College passed a policy on the placement of condom machines on school property. The policy states: “High Point College as a liberal arts institution within the Judeo-Christian tradition is mandated to uphold the teachings, policies and practices of that tradition to the best of her ability. It would, therefore, be unbecoming for High Point College to condone any practice or policy which is contrary to the teachings of the Christian faith. Since High Point College does not condone premarital sex, it cannot justify the sale and/or distribution of condoms on the High Point College campus where there is a predominance of single, young adults.

Dr. Martinson spoke with the Hi-Po and added that he was in complete agreement with this policy.

We all know that HPC does not condone or endorse premarital sex, nor should it. But is HPC being responsible to society and its own students?

Should we as students and a college be knowledgeable of social diseases such as AIDS and the spreading of these diseases and be responsible enough to do our part in helping to prevent the spread of these diseases?

If you say yes to this, we have two choices. Next to abstinence, condoms are the only known way to stop the spread of sexually transmitted diseases.

We are not endorsing premarital sex. We are also not ignorant. Just because it is against the rules of the college does not mean students are not engaging in premarital sex.

UNC Greensboro, UNC-Chapel Hill, and North Carolina State University all have condom machines either in residence halls or in their infirmaries. Guilford College approved the placement of these machines on campus at the end of last year and hopefully they will be installed during this semester. At Elon College, the Vice President of the college has set up a task force to review the pros and cons of condom machines and perhaps will set up an educational program to go along with the possible installation of these machines.

We are supposedly moving to a more conservative society. But if the younger generation cannot stand up and take responsibility to help in the prevention of the transmittance of these diseases, then perhaps we are as apathetic as people say we are.

It has been made clear that HPC officials do not feel it is their place to take on the responsibility to educate or help inform us on the spread of these diseases with their decision not to place condom machines on this campus. If we do not have the support of our college, then we must take the responsibility ourselves.

If you engage in premarital sex, we urge you to be safe and use a condom. If the school is not going to provide us with on-campus access to condoms, then we must be responsible enough to go off-campus and purchase them.

In talking with Dr. Martinson, he said, “We are ahead of our time with this thing (no condom machines on campus).” We beg to differ. Are we not terribly behind the times? If this educational institution is not willing to educate its students, and in doing so, the community, on the dangers of sexually transmitted diseases and in the preventative measures for avoiding these diseases, then we are not acting as responsible citizens in our own community.

Meg Waters

Editor
Neal helps out campus radio, television
By Austin Aley

Mr. Neal, a veteran of NBC Television and many other specialties, is helping High Point College in a big way.

Mr. Neal is using his knowledge and skill from his past experiences to help boost the quality and image of the college radio and new formed television station. Is he really that experienced, you ask?

If you have ever attended one of Mr. Neal's lectures you understand what a hard working and successful man he is. Neal was born in Wayne, Pennsylvania and got his start in radio at a local 1000 watt station (WIBG) in Glennside, Pennsylvania. His role was announcer and he was main host with the news. Within a year, Neal was selected as chief announcer and news editor - all of this at the age of 20.

Then came World War II and the draft. Mr. Neal worked for the armed forces radio as program manager. Then in 1947, Neal got an opportunity to work for a television station (WPTZ). In 1952 Neal moved to California and helped NBC in establishing network news. Neal served as correspondent, producer and executive for NBC until his retirement three years ago. During retirement? Well, with his so-called "retirement time," Mr. Neal still keeps tremendously busy.

While working with NBC, Neal specialized in aerospace. Presently Mr. Neal is working toward ways in which students all over the United States will be able to communicate with the astronauts in space directly from the classroom.

Neal is currently a news analyst at WXTL television in Winston-Salem, a consultant for Media Com out of New York City, and continues to give lectures and advice to HPC students and faculty.

High Point is Mrs. Neal's hometown and Mr. Neal felt that High Point was a perfect place to settle down and get away from the very large city of Los Angeles. Neal says Roy Neal come to the right place at the right time because the radio and television stations are looking to do some major expanding. Ben Boger, an HPC Communications major states, "It is a great opportunity for the college and media department to have someone who knows the ropes inside and out and can share advice and experiences in helping with the renovation.

When asked if he had any advice for students in any field of study Neal replied, "You learn by doing." Nobody knows that better than Roy Neal.

Steel Magnolias stirs emotions

By C. Whitney Syers

If you cannot afford to see every movie out in circulation, here are the three movies I feel are the best ones out right now.

Always - PG (****) Starring Richard Dreyfuss, Holly Hunter, and John Goodman. Playing in Greensboro at the Terrace and Brassfield Cinema. It is about a forest firefighter who dies while trying to save his best friend's life. His spirit lives throughout the movie to help a young flyer to follow his path, which includes falling in love with his girlfriend. It was very inspirational like many of Steven Spielberg movies. The movie left the audience with a good feeling. If you like Top Gun, this is the next best thing.

Steel Magnolias - PG (****) Starring Sally Field, Julia Roberts, Dolly Parton, Daryl Hannah, Olympia Dukakis, and Shirley MacLaine. Playing in Greensboro at the Janus Theatre and Brassfield Cinema. The movie starts off with the wedding of Sally Field's daughter, Julia Roberts. It is about the life with her other friends that live in the small country town. There was particularly the wonderful drama, which made the film exciting because you did not know whether to laugh or cry. The movie was very emotional. Go see this movie and take a box of Kleenexes with you!
Millis Center construction to begin this year

By Andrew Ritchie

Eighteen years ago, High Point College Athletic Director Jerry Steele attended a meeting at which the topic of building a new athletic center was discussed.

Much has happened at High Point College since that meeting, but in the spring or early summer of this year, ground will be broken for that long talked about facility. At least on paper, the James H. and Jesse E. Millis Convocation Center is a reality. Millis Center, as it will be called, will include extensive renovations to the present gym along with a separate building which will house a swimming pool. Plans for the center have been drawn up, with brochures of the floor plan available around campus.

Jerry Steele admitted that the project has been a long time coming, but stated the priorities of the college as the reason for the delay.

"The need for the new library and a new men's freshman dormitory took precedence over an athletic facility," Steele said. "The athletic facility should not have been the top priority."

Steele said that an athletic facility and a fine arts center are still the top priorities of the project has been a long time coming, but stated the priorities of the college as the reason for the delay.

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Steele indicated that there still is no intention of jumping from the NAIA to the NCAA even though he said that the center is full, than a larger one that would rather have a small gym than to move and the present site behind the gym was decided. The center will face West College State.

"Myself, and the rest of the athletic department are tickled that this thing is really going to happen," Steele said. "After 51 years, the old gym could use some changes.

Baseball begins in March

By Kelly Baber

"The High Point College baseball season is about to begin and Coach Jim Speight is ready to take them to the top.

Coach Speight, with the help of his two assistants, Mike Tuttle and Paul Sterling, are counting on the starting five, if not better, in the spring as they did in the fall.

What asked what his plans are for the coming season, Speight said, "I have high expectations..." but let's look for the right in the things.

Based on the fall season, the starting players are expected to be Jim Mobias, Ed Paddock, Chris Charlton, Dave Farsnicht, Steve Champion, Dan Smith, Bill Wilson, Eric Collins, Edwin LaGrana, Don Huggins, Jeff Harris, Orlando Barrios, and Bill Coyle.

Speight is counting on two of the team's strongest hitters, Barrios and Charlton, as well as Wilson's defensive performance at third base.

High Point lost three starting pitchers to graduation. They are Paul Sterling, RJ Bisste, and Ernie Donatoni. This season's pitching staff will be Dan Smith, Joe Smith, Chris Charlton, Dave Farsnicht, Steve Champion, Dan Smith, Bill Wilson, Eric Collins, Edwin LaGrana, Don Huggins, Jeff Harris, Orlando Barrios, and Bill Coyle.

Speight said, "If they pitch in the same way like they did in the fall, we'll be fine."

Ultimately, the team would like to win the District Championship but "it takes a step at a time to get there."
HPC Students explore Europe

SPECIAL TO THE HI-PO

International study is an exciting option for college students, and now more than ever, students are taking advantage of the opportunity to learn different languages, visit different countries, and experience different cultures.

Last year three students, Michelle Durfee, Alda Zumot, and Thomas Duex studied in Paris, France for their spring semester. Another student, Sharyn Sazama, spent the year studying in Montpellier, France. Cynthia Marzano won a scholarship for summer study in Salamanca, Spain.

Spring of 1989 was an exciting semester for the students who studied in Paris through the HPC affiliation with Guilford College program in France. They attended class at the Institut Catholique in Paris and also at a foyer specifically designated for international students. They concentrated on advanced grammar, conversation and courses in their own individual areas of interest. Michelle and Thomas took advantage of a literature course while Alda fulfilled many of her political science requirements in courses such as French Polity and French Government. Yet, they all feel that their new understanding of the culture and the French people was the most important aspect of their study abroad experience.

All three lived with families. Thomas lived just outside Paris in the city of Amiens. He especially enjoyed his interaction with his French family, a single mother and her three children.

Michelle lived with a young married couple with a baby. Two other students, one from Japan and one from Germany also lived there, so Michelle was able to learn about three different cultures under one roof. From this environment she gained insight into the lifestyle of a young French couple and what she describes as "the European perspective." She tried to understand how they saw the world coming from different backgrounds.

Alda lived with a divorced woman with a daughter who automatically became a very good friend. Her "French mom" took time to acquaint Alda with Paris. Although the HPC/Guilford program students did not live together, they were a tightly knit group. Alda and a group of French/American students even took a road trip to Amsterdam; and during one of their vacations, she visited Belgium, Italy, and the south of France by train. Alda describes the semester as "the best thing I've ever done in my life" and the French as "basy, straight to the point people, but once you get to know them, you know them for life."

Sharyn Sazama spent her junior year in Montpellier, France. She lived with a young French couple with two children until her French mother went into the hospital, then she lived temporarily with another French family while she found an apartment. She attended classes at the University of Montpellier and at a foyer specifically set apart for foreign student studies. Sharyn studied advanced grammar, conversation, and French Literature. She divides her year into two parts. She began when she was struggling to get used to Montpellier and to find a home, and then the second half when she met a wonderful group of French students in her apartment complex. She spent the evenings learning French card tricks, ice skating, listening to horrible French jokes, or just conversing and relaxing in the corner cafe.

She tried to travel in Europe as much as possible, visiting Spain, Greece, Italy, Austria, Germany, England, the Netherlands, and other areas of France.

When summer came, she took advantage of Montpellier's Mediterranean beaches and worked for a month in a summer day-care center teaching English to 3 year olds. In August, as a follow-up for an archeology course, she moved to the city of Narbonne to work at an archeological dig before heading back to the states. Sharyn feels very positive about studying abroad, saying, "I learned more about myself and the world in one year than I ever thought imaginable."

Cynthia Marzano was one of two students in the USA to win a scholarship provided by Sigma Delta Phi, the Spanish National Honor Society. She studied in Salamanca at the College of Spain through a program with the University of Rhode Island. She took an intensive course in Spanish grammar and a course in culture and civilization for six weeks. Cynthia lived with acquae and their three children. She found the Spanish people to be very friendly, but they each held varied opinions of Americans. One thing that she liked was that the center of town was always very busy late at night. It seemed to her as if life started after 10 PM. While she was there, she traveled all over Spain, visiting Galicia, Valladolid, Madrid, Zaragoza, and Serria La Francia. Her favorite site was the Aqueduct of Segovia. Cynthia feels that "everyone should take advantage of study abroad."
Millis . . . Take a Closer Look

Hearing about the new changes in Millis Dorm, I will admit that the first words out of my mouth were, "Who do they think they are, telling me what I can do. I am 21 years old now and I'll drink and do what I want, anywhere I want." I was mad because I thought my rights were being violated, probably a little of what we call it.

Let's face it, these rules have always been around; now they are just trying to better enforce them. These are not rules that the Safety Office and the Student Life Office just came up with to try and make our college lives a living hell! Most of the colleges in North Carolina follow many of the same regulations. Basically, High Point College is not asking for much. There are three main points in regard to Millis that are the most concern. Those being the alcohol consumption, the guest lists and the checking of bags. The guest lists and the checking of IDs is to assure us, as students, that no townies get into the building. There have been incidents of vandalism according the Gart Evans, Dean of Student Life, and High Point College wants to make sure that those outside the college community are not the ones responsible. Evans also said that bags are being checked for alcohol being brought in by those under 21 or nonresidents. They are not looking for what you do have, so long as it is not illegal.

As far as the consumption of alcohol goes, it remains as it always has. Only those 21 and older are allowed to consume alcohol. The school, according to Evans, is not so naive to believe they will stop drinking. Residents who are 21 can bring as much alcohol as they desire up to their rooms.

Basically, it all boils down to this. A young man, who was not affiliated with this college, died as a result of an accident in Millis Dorm right before Christmas. Alcohol was supposedly related. After this tragedy, what in the world should we expect? Millis has long been known as the place to go for a good time on the weekends. Student Life and the Safety Office are merely enforcing regulations from long ago to try and make it safer for us.

I do not want anyone to think of me as a hypocrite. I am more than aware that I have possibly gone against a regulation or two during my stay here at High Point College. However, none of the rules are really going to change much for those who just go to Millis to have a good time. It hopefully will affect only those people who are damaging property or who have no need to be in the building in the first place.

Give Us Liberty

The year is 1990. All over the world, literally and figuratively, walls are being torn down. Freedom will prevail during this decade. It is an idea that all of humanity is beginning to accept. The East Germans dance on the wall. The Russians eat at McDonald's. There are fewer restrictions and fewer dictatorships. The world moves forward!

Yet, here at High Point College, we are steadfastly moving backwards-digesting to ridiculous state of absolutism. Recently a decision was made by the administration to monitor everyone who enters and exits the dormitories on the weekend. It seems that this was a hasty decision on the part of the college to polish its tarnished image after the loss of a life in a dorm last semester. This was a terrible tragedy, but it was one of those which none of the students had control.

As young adults, none of us left home for the freedoms and privileges of college. For us, this is a time to be on our own, to learn from our mistakes, and especially to be trusted. Treated as children, we will eventually act like children. And only a fool can believe that such rules will prevent an accident from happening again. For instance, tragedy struck again this semester on our own intramural field. Wherever there are human lives there will be accidents.

One of the missions of the college as stated in the handbook is "to assert a commitment to the fundamental dignity of man and his freedom to make choices for his development as a person." I call on the Administration to stop making our decisions for us. Let us not be the only corner of the world moving from freedom to conformity. It is not in keeping with the spirit of the 1990's.

Anne Mosca

A Revealing Newsletter

Along with all the other papers that passed across our desk recently were three newsletters published by the PI KAPPA ALPHA fraternity. These "newsletters" were sent through the campus mail to all of its brothers and pledges.

These letters start out innocently enough, talking about the plans of the week for the fraternity and who needs to get in contact with whom. However, the last part of the letters contain references to unnamed women who the brothers or pledges are involved with that are vulgar, tasteless and damaging to the characters of these ladies. The language is degrading and insulting and there are words used that we consider degrading to a woman's anatomy.

These letters also contain explicit details of certain "named brothers and/or pledges' drunken escapades.

More than offending us, these letters insult us as communicators. To publish what could be considered little more than locker room garbage is an insult to those brothers who read this, the people who just catch glimpses of it, and to the fraternity as a whole.

The letters have the fraternity's name boldly printed across the top and after reading these letters the image of the PI KAPPA ALPHA is most certainly damaged.

During an interview with Lee Hunter, PI KAPPA ALPHA's President, he asked why we would concentrate on such a negative side of the fraternity instead of writing about the good things it does. A better question might be, If they publish this garbage about themselves, then how in the world can they expect an outsider of the fraternity to say anything good?

There is a person that holds the position of writing these newsletters. Hunter did not reveal who was responsible for them or where they were printed. He did assure me that there would be no more newsletters in this format but would not go into any explanation as to what kind of measures they would take to insure it. He did state that he sincerely regretted the situation. Since PI KAPPA ALPHA is a representative of this college, so do we.

Meg Waters

Quotable

'Most students are realizing that it is not that bad. We are not there to make life miserable, only safer.'

Dottie Souder, Assistant Dean of Students, discussing new regulations in Millis Dormitory.

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SECOND OPINION

Animal rights is spreading in N. C.

BY N.C. NETWORK FOR ANIMALS

ZOO U. by Mark Weitzman

Raleigh... The North Carolina Network for Animals is pleased to announce the formation of a new Network Chapter in Wilson, two new student affiliate groups at Appalachian State University and Atlantic Christian College, and another at the Math and Science School in Durham. This brings the total number of N.C. Network for Animals Chapters to eleven, the total number of college or university affiliates to eight, and the number of known high school groups to about half a dozen (including one in Greenville and several in Raleigh) -- though many others appear to be in the formative stage, as indicated by the number of calls coming into the Network office. The Durham County Library has recently written to say that animal rights is a "hot topic" right now, especially with the school children.

Most of the student organizations call themselves Students for the Ethical Treatment of Animals (SETA), and they are working actively to raise consciousness about animals among their classmates and to bring about reform in the treatment of animals at their schools. At UNC-Greensboro, they call themselves the Animal Rights League, and are working actively with the Network to stop brain surgery experiments being done in the psychology department. At East Carolina, SETA successfully petitioned the Biology Department to provide humane models for dissection in introductory zoology courses. SETA at Duke gained access to the Vivarium, and at UNC-Chapel Hill, SETA members were so concerned about being denied information about research on animals that they filed a law suit against the University to obtain information from the Lab Animal Care Committee.

But student groups' concerns about animals do not stop at the campus border. The decision to form a SETA group at Atlantic Christian gained impetus as a result of student concern about how the adjacent town was treating pigeons. Students at UNC-G actively participated in a joint effort with the N.C. Network for Animals to stop pound seizure in Guilford County. And SETA groups set up literature tables not only on campus, but also at malls and festivals, and hold protest demonstrations, often in conjunction with Network events -- to draw public attention to such issues as fur/trapping, rodeo, seal killing, the N.C. Network for Animals to stop pound seizure in Guilford County. And SETA members were so concerned about being denied information about research on animals that they filed a law suit against the University to obtain information from the Lab Animal Care Committee.

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SETA at N.C. State recently held a three-day literature table on the cruelty of cosmetics testing on animals. SETA at N.C. State was organized in 1982 -- even before the North Carolina Network for Animals was formed. "Animal rights movement was very young at that time, and there were few national organizations -- even fewer student ones. Nancy Rich, a professor of English at N.C. State, advertised the showing of a film on fur trapping (in October of 1982) and sixteen students showed up, and decided to form an animal rights club. Many of these students hoped to enter the new School of Medicine, and were afraid that the stigma then attached to the term 'animal rights' might hurt their chances -- so they named their club 'Student Speakers for Animals Anonymous.' Their fears proved groundless, as the Vet School did enroll many of them. But the fact of that fear made their activities very courageous. And it was not unfounded. When they held all-day literature tables on campus, older people who appeared to be faculty from the sciences would stop and ask often unanswerable questions in a stern and disapproving manner. To its credit, the School of Veterinary Medicine invited the club to participate in its grand opening day ceremony, and the club maintained a table there the entire time. But it wasn't easy for the students. Some school officials grimly scrutinized every item on the table. But the students held steady, and after a few years felt confident enough to change their club name to SETA.

Student clubs must have a faculty advisor, and this requirement has been met in most cases with Network members or with the assistance of local Network Chapters. The Network also provides the necessary continuity when student leaders graduate and a new set of students comes in. Some Network Coordinators like M.J. Morgan of Greensboro, work closely with students, providing advice and support when requested. Others, like Dietrich von Haugwitz, who is advisor to both UNC-Chapel Hill and Duke SETAs, open their homes to student discussion. The main Network office has shared its files with students working on research papers for years, simply because information was not available in most libraries in the state.

Student clubs are by their very nature unstable, and if new leaders don't step forward when their activist peers graduate, the organizations will disappear. This happened at Belmont Abbey, where a club was organized three years ago. But the fact is that the number of such clubs which survive is beginning to outnumber those which fade away.

The 1990 Greek System

Many times I have been asked the question, "What exactly is the purpose for fraternities and sororities?"

The Greek system as a whole has produced most of our nation's greatest leaders and still does. In a recent publication on fraternities and sororities, Update magazine demonstrated the following:

- About two U.S. Presidents since 1825 have been fraternity men.
- 71% of all those listed in Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities are Greek affiliated.
- 76% of the U.S. Senators are Greek affiliated.
- 95% of the Fortune 500 executives have been in the Greek system.

These facts do not necessarily make all Greeks good. But, in college where much learning takes place outside of the classroom, the skills that you learn in a fraternity or sorority will be everlasting. Some people often wonder whether fraternities and sororities are only social clubs that party together on weekends or are they groups of responsible young adults as they claim to be? The reality is the Greek system as a whole has gone through some major changes over the past decade. The changes have come about because of the desire to put emphasis on the quality of life of its members, rather than the quality of parties.

For the last century or so, every fraternity and sorority has had to prove itself not only to its members, but to the public as well. Greeks have been stereotyped as the "ego-centric individualists" of the '60's and the "animal houses" of the '70's. A few Greeks still carry these traditional misguided values of those stereotypes; however, we should not be blinded by isolated incidences. You will now see more and more chapters trying to strive for chapter excellence than you would have ever seen before.

Our society is now saddled with more liability cases than any other time in history. Colleges and Greek National Officers are trying to get students to practice safe risk management. Some chapters are diligently trying to be ahead of their time in risk management so that hopefully other chapters will follow. This is something that was rarely seen 10-20 years ago.

College students often worry about the growing complexity of the world today. Fraternities and sororities allow them to understand and deal with the world a little better. Sometimes, we tend to overlook that among every problem fraternity or sorority, there are a hundred more problem solvers.

C. Thomas Joseph

Announcement

Certainly, every student who goes to a liberal arts college has been asked, "So what are you going to do with your degree when you graduate?"

On Thursday, March 15, Dr. Howard Figler will be at High Point College to discuss just that.

Dr. Figler has been Director of the University of Texas at Austin Career Center since 1982. Previously he was Director of the Counseling and Career Center at Dickinson College in Carlisle, PA. He received his BA degree at Emory University, his MBA at N. Y. University and his Ph.D. in Educational Research and Testing at Florida State University.

A full day of activities has been planned, including a presentation for all students at 11 a.m. in Memorial Auditorium. The topic is Choosing A Career Using Your Liberal Arts Education. All students, faculty and guests are encouraged to come and take advantage of this opportunity.

Meg Waters
Parking Fines are enforced: students express frustrations

By Noelle Blank

Letters were sent to HPC students around January 15 to notify them of a change in the ticket collection system. Beginning January 15, students will receive a fine of $5 per ticket, and non-registered cars are charged $15 per ticket. A $10 penalty fee is added to each ticket not paid by the due date specified on the ticket. Near the 15th day of each month, tickets are audited to receive a statement of how many tickets they have unpaid and the amount due. If this is not paid by seven working days, the student will lose parking privileges on campus, and the amount due will be turned over to the business office to be put on the student's account.

According to Leigh Stewart of Campus Safety, who has been coordinating this effort, the new enforcement procedures were prompted after a ticket audit was done over the Christmas break, during which Campus Safety found a number of outstanding tickets. Previously, many students had waited until the ticket fees were put on their bills for their parents to pay, but Stewart hopes that the new procedures will cause students to take the tickets more seriously and to pay only in the designated areas for student parking. Stewart said, "Once we get students parking in the right place, we can get rid of the parking problems we have had, referring particularly to the areas around Belk, Roberts Hall, in front of the Campus Center, and in fire lanes.

Many HPC students have expressed frustration in attempts to find convenient, legal parking spaces on campus. Sophomore Barbara Blake described the parking situation on campus as "just unbelievable. The Security Office does not go around and riddler around and actually found parking spaces, such as behind the chapel and near Cooke Hall," Stewart said. She realizes the inconvenience of parking in some of these places, but adds, "They're not really convenient, but as long as there are spaces, it's hard to say there's no parking."

Dorm students shouldn't have to park that far away. It's too far to walk," said one student, who expressed concern on the possibility of rape during the distance of the walk. The student suggested more advertising of the escort service set up for students for this purpose.

When ticketed, the students' options are to either pay the ticket by its due date or to attend traffic court, which is held on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 9:30 PM in Room 2 of the Campus Center. If the student is unable to attend traffic court, he/she can write an appeal to the court. The money collected from the tickets goes to the Business Office where it is put in the General College Account, according to Stewart.

Other changes have been under discussion, such as automatic revoking of parking after five tickets and delivering notices by hand, not through the mail. "We're still working on minute technicalities," said Stewart, adding that the new system will not come fully into effect until the fall semester. Stewart commented, "Once we get parking under control, it really will be better for all of us."

Emotional movie seeks to teach

By C. Whitney Styers

Born On The Fourth Of July — R — Starring Tom Cruise. Playing at the Janus Theatre and Four Seasons Mall.

I thought this was very good movie to see for the experience of learning about the Vietnam War and how it had an effect on those involved. It left me with a raw feeling because the movie had scenes in which they showed civilians getting shot and women and children left to die. The movie was emotional because Ron Kovic, played by Tom Cruise, had to find a new life confined to a wheelchair. During that time he puts his anger into activism against the war. He wrote a book about his life which this movie is based on.

I felt this is a well put movie to go see for the knowledge of the actions during the Vietnam War, since that time period was important and still has an effect on some people. I highly recommend all students go see this movie!

Where to find the theatre:
Janus Theatre
272-1200
Off Wendover at Birdsong
Four Seasons Mall
852-4088
1-40 at High Point Rd.

HPTV educates students about Video Production

By C. Whitney Styers

The High Point College television station helps teach students about video production.

The station records events on campus for syndication to a public access cable station in High Point. The channel is High Point Cable 32. It will be a couple of months before the show will be aired.

The students working on the programs help to get involved in the actual television experience instead of classroom experience. It also teaches the students how to use video equipment. This experience will look good on their resumes.

This is the first semester they have offered the course. Right now people are coming to them with shows they want to video. The international club wants to do a show on student opinions on the abroad program for orientation. They taped the hypnotist who was here February 17.

Jaye Cohen and Jeremy Dott are the production managers. Lauri Crowder, who worked in the audio visual department for the last year and a half, helped organize and set up the station. Mr. Steve Jarrett is the faculty advisor.

The station has a considerable number of programs offered to and they do not want to turn them down. Jarrett said, "I am concerned about having enough time to get all projects under way."

They also mentioned that was a good problem to have. The station is finding more students to get involved to help get the shows ready to send to the cable station. Right now the course involves nine students.

Programs influence interested students

By Laura Cadle

The week of February 4-11 was dedicated to Substance Awareness Week. There were 14 programs sponsored by various classes, groups, and the Greek System.

According to Dottie Souder, co-chairperson along with Marilyn Williams, "I feel the whole week was a success. At least two students have sought help." Ms. Souder feels that the week was a success because it was the first time faculty, staff, and students have combined an effort in this area and became involved together.

There were many points that should be known by everyone that were brought out by the various speakers:

1. If a person is caught using a fake ID, then he can lose his license for a year;
2. You automatically lose your license for one year for a driving under the influence charge;
3. A lawyer for one of these DUI cases is between $800 and $1000.
4. Ms. Souder and Ms. Williams would like to thank Pat Haun's class for the work it did publicizing the event. They would also like to thank the Pi Kappa Alpha and the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity and the Alpha Gamma Delta sorority for their participation in the events.

Cromwell challenged by work and classes

By T tabel Puff

Kay Cromwell has recently taken a new position with the High Point College Evening Program as a student advisor. She has also recently enrolled in the very same classes as her advisees.

Ms. Cromwell, who moved here from Long Island, New York, started working as a secretary for the Evening Program in June, 1988. Several months ago she was promoted to the student advisory position, and decided to take a few classes for herself.

"I was a guidance secretary for 18 years at a high school where I had been waving goodbye to these kids graduating for all these years," Ms. Cromwell said. "I decided it was my turn to graduate."

As strange as it may seem, Ms. Cromwell actually works and goes to school in the same building. On a typical day, Ms. Cromwell arrives at work at the Continuing Education Building in the morning, works until around 5:30, then goes to class at 6:00 without ever leaving the building.

Ms. Cromwell's duties as advisor include helping students in the Evening Program with their applications, financial aid, and class scheduling.

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Dr. Feelgood makes house call

By Austin Aley

OF THE HI PO STAFF

It was an awesome situation.

Kenny G and I were told we had two tickets to a huge party in Chapel Hill.

It turns out that the host was Motley Crue and we were in store for a live, non-stop two hour heavy metal blowout.

The lights dimmed, 18,000 screaming fans witnessed a laser light introduction followed by "Kick Start My Heart," a song released from the band's recent number one album in the country, "Dr. Feelgood." The band then played "Red Hot" and the title track from their album, "Shout at the Devil.

No, there were not many adults on hand to see the show, but as it has been said many times before, "If it's too loud, you're too old!"

Mick Mars, one of the most underrated heavy metal guitarists, proved he is one of the best. His fifteen minute solo ended with what seemed to be Mick's amp exploding on stage. The crowd loved it. The party was just beginning.

The Crue then played one of their most popular tunes, "Home Sweet Home" off the beginning. Their most popular tunes, "Home sweet Home." The band then played "Jailhouse Rock." The Crue featured the title track off the tour supporting LP, "Dr. Feelgood," for their first encore. The crue brought the back band for a second encore that featured a show-ending remake of Elvis Presley's song, "Jailhouse Rock.

Those who were fortunate enough to see the show witnessed one of today's hottest live acts. Those who couldn't make it missed an unforgettable heavy metal party in Chapel Hill.

A Break to the Beach

By Kim Richards

OF THE HI PO STAFF

Spring Break — a time that each and every college student looks forward to with great anticipation. It's a time for relaxation, and more important than that, it's a time to forget about all those papers, exams and assignments.

After saving every possible penny, groups of friends collaborate to plan the Spring Break of their lives. Some choose to take advantage of their elite shape for this particular week.

However, as most of you would probably guess, a trip to the beach is by far the most popular destination for Spring Break. Have you ever stopped to think why everyone chooses the beach for this particular vacation?

Perhaps it is the fascination for the attempt to discover a place that is so far away from the maximum capacity. It never fails — students want to go and there is only one car available.

Not wanting to leave anyone behind, everyone piles in one car for the long haul to the beach. Cars packed to the maximum fill the highways solid during this entire Spring Break period.

I guess this could be an accomplishment, to push a car past its capacity. I don't know how comfortable the ride would be.

In addition to this seemingly outrageous situation, students may also choose the beach for the thrill of the unknown. The unknown being an unknown place to stay once they get there. Many believe it will be exciting to go south without accomodations prearranged. "Who cares? If we can't find a place to stay, we'll sleep on the beach!" is a popular phrase coming from the mouths of college students on their quest for the absolute best Spring Break.

This situation could also be quite interesting if you don't mind sleeping in sand and waking up to seagulls. But, maybe this is not the real reason for everyone's stumped to the beach for break.

Maybe it's the revealing bikinis and shorts. Everyone experiences the crash diet and joins the local gym months before Spring Break to put their body in that elite shape for this particular week. Each guy and each girl prepare to model their swimwear. After working so hard, they are more than ready to reveal it all.

But let's face it. The real reason for each student's escape to the sun in the sun seems to be the competition. It's all a competition. It's a all a game. Students work hard and steadily all week to take home the trophy.

A deep dark tan is a sign of a successful Spring Break. Yes, the deepest and darkest tan on campus.

A tan is a great way to travel all the way to the beach in a crowded car, sleep in the sand, and squeeze into a bikini that doesn't fit. Especially when tanning beds are just a few minutes away.

By Dacia Dorries (CPS) — Congress this month will start seriously considering a bill that would force colleges to tell students, employees, applicants and their parents how many crimes occur on their campuses.

While many public relations-minded administrators oppose the bill because it could make their schools look bad, a group of college security experts resolved Jan. 12 to oppose it because it would be unenforceable.

"We're not in favor of the law because it's not policeable," said Jan Sherrill of the Center for the Study and Prevention of Campus Violence (CSPCV), which concluded its annual conference Jan. 11.

Major support for the bill comes from students, parents and faculty members who say they need to know about local crimes in order to protect themselves from them.

"You would never prop your front door open for the pizza man or leave the window open for your boyfriend to crawl through at home," said Sherrill.

Just such an incident sparked the current move to force colleges to confess that crimes happen on campuses.

In 1985 Lehigh University freshman Jeanne Cery was brutally beaten, raped and murdered in her Pennsylvania dorm room. Her attacker got into the dorm because a pizza box was propping the main door open, and Cery's room remained unlocked while she slept.

Jeanne's parents, Howard and Connie Cery, sued Lehigh for negligence, claiming that, given the dearth of crime statistics, no one knew such an assault was likely or even possible at the school. They were awarded $2 million in an out-of-court settlement.

The couple used the money to start a non-profit organization, Security on Campus, dedicated to help other universities improve campus safety measures.

WWIH ready for the '90's

By Andrew Ritchie

OF THE HI PO STAFF

The campus radio station, WWH 90.3, has come up with new equipment, new hours, and an overall new attitude. So a slogan was established — WWH 90.3 "The NEW 90."

The station, after receiving the funds that were needed, purchased two compact disc players. WWH is working the Marty's Record shop in High Point in order to develop a compact disc library and a wide selection of tapes and albums. "These new improvements will help the station become better sounding and hopefully we will receive the recognition we want to achieve," stated Blane Raffe, station manager.

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Littles takes helm as coach of Hornets

By Andrew Ritchie

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He led High Point College to the Carolinas Conference basketball championship as a standout freshman in his senior year, the Panthers earned a trip to Kansas City for a berth in the National tournament. Gene Littles led High Point College to many victories as a player in the late 1960's. Almost 30 years later, he is trying to lead another team to victory, this time as a coach. That team is the NBA's Charlotte Hornets.

Littles and his family were recently in High Point for the opening of a new sports exhibit at the High Point Museum. This event marked one of his first public appearances since being named the team's head coach.

"When I was in school, I never imagined I would be where I am today," Littles said.

Gene Littles certainly has paid his dues to the sport of basketball. The former High Point College All-American has the distinction of being the first black basketball player at the school. He then attended graduate school and began playing for the now-defunct Carolina Cougars of the old ABA. Littles playing career ended about the time the league folded. His knowledge of the game and experience made him a prime candidate for a coaching position.

Littles coached in both the professional and college ranks with varied success. He enjoyed his most success in college ball when head coach at North Carolina A&T.

In 1986 he served as interim head coach of the Cleveland Cavaliers and was most recently a coach with the Chicago Bulls.

When Charlotte received an expansion franchise from the NBA to start the 1988-89 season, the team hired Littles as its director of player personnel and assistant coach. They must have remembered me from my days with the Cougars. They were looking for someone with local flavor and experience, I guess," he said about his hiring.

Littles looks back on his High Point College days fondly and appreciates all the people that supported him over the years. His favorite memory is still of the Carolinas Conference Championship game which High Point won his freshman year.

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Steele sets high goals for women's tennis

By Rick Ferrell

The Hi-Po Staff

After winning the conference championship last season, the Lady Panthers tennis team prepares for what is anticipated by Coach Kitty Steele to be another winning season. As Steele says, "My goal last year was to win the conference championship, which we did. This year it's being unrealistic to win both the district and conference championships, and go on to nationals as the number one team in the district."

Three returning seniors, Kandi O'Connor, Theresa Shea, and Stacey Scherer, "provide us with the nucleus of the team," Steele says. Senior Paige Alvarez also returns. Palvi Tapaninen, a sophomore from Finland, who was seeded #1 last season, heads up the list of returnees.

Newcomers to the team include sophomore Connie Bates, junior transfer Mami Harada from St. Mary's College by way of Tokyo, Japan, and freshman Jurna Sture, another player from Finland.

"Our strategy is to win the district, then the Carolinas Conference Tournament, which will probably go as to becoming a candidate for a coaching position," she said.

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Golf team prepares for competitive season

By Rick Ferrell

The Hi-Po Staff

The High Point College golf team is taking advantage of unseasonably warm weather by practicing daily in preparation for its opening tournament March 3.

The roster lists an eight-man team. The players include senior, Eric Molgaard, junior, Rob Calamary; sophomores, Jeff Hamlet, Jerard George, Robbie Wooten, and Chris Andrews, Jr.; transfer, Hank Barnes, and freshman, Chad Hedrick.

Coach Woody Gibson could not single out any player above the rest. Rather he felt, "Everybody's about the same right now. They're playing well, but I think they could be playing an awful lot better than they are right now. I hope when March gets here they're more ready to play." Four regular season tournaments are scheduled: the District III Invitational March 5-6; the Max Ward Invitational March 19-20; the Camp Lejeune Intercollegiate Tournament March 30-April 1; and the Pembroke State Invitational April 2-3. Gibson does not plan to ever play all eight team members for any tournament. Gibson says he will choose about five to play each tournament. The decision will be based on the results of practice scores, which are still being recorded throughout the season. The players with the best scores will play in the tournaments.

After the regular season ends, 5 or 6 players will be selected by Gibson to represent the college at the Carolinas Conference Tournament April 9-10. Gibson doesn't feel any one team in the conference is above the rest.

After the conference tournament, Gibson will choose five more players to go on to the District 26 tournament, Gibson replied, "Yes, I think so, but we also could find ourselves as low as five or six. Realistically, we would have to play real well in the tournament to win because of competition like Guilford and Elon College."

The winner of the district tournament goes on to the national tournament later in the year. Guilford and Elon, according to Gibson, are placed among the top five teams in the country.

High Point makes early exit in Tournament

By Andrew Ritchie

The Hi-Po Staff

High Point College suffered an opening round loss to Mt. Olive and made an early exit from the 47th Annual Carolinas Conference Tournament held at High Point College.

The 77-75 defeat by the Panthers ended their 3-year domination of the Carolinas Conference Tournament.

Senior George Byers led High Point with 22 points in his final college game. He scored 11 straight in a comeback run in which the Panthers tied the game with 13 seconds remaining.

With Mt. Olive leading by 2, the Panthers made a last effort to send the game into overtime. Neither Aaron Wood's layup or a desperate tap by Trrance Knuckles would fall and High Point's season was over.

Jerome Adams finished the game with 16 points, Knuckles 14, Jay Winner 12, and Senior Tony Bolden 11. The Panthers ended with a record of 8-17.

In the championship game of the Tournament, Pembroke State knocked off top seed Pfeiffer in overtime 86-82 to claim the Carolinas Conference Tournament title.
HPC students protest KKK march

By Chrissy Rockwell
SPECIAL TO THE HI-PO

On Sunday March 18, over 600 people gathered in the streets of downtown High Point to protest the march of the Ku Klux Klan. The KKK was trying to attract new members to its organization. Sixty Klan members, some in robes and some in their street clothes, marched for several blocks before they stopped to rally in front of the High Point Court House. The police, in their riot gear, marched between the KKK and the protesters to keep the peace.

The protesters were confined to the sidewalk and were not permitted to go into the street. The protesters were of many different races, ages and socio-economic backgrounds. Many of the protesters carried signs with dramatic statements such as, 'The Civil War ended in 1865' or 'We shall overcome'.

"KKK, go away!" chanted the protesters from the sidewalks. The outnumbered Klan shouted back, 'Well stay!'

Many blacks came to make their statements. A black camera man walked alongside the Klan as another black man tried to interview members of the KKK. One black student from High Point College held a sign saying 'K.K.K. Where do I sign up?'

Many of the protesters were students from High Point College. When asked why she came out for this event, Junior Christine Cadley replied, 'At first I was curious, but as we marched on I got more caught up in it. We (the students at High Point College) wanted to let the KKK know that they are not welcome in this community.'

The noise of the protesting was so loud that the words of the KKK grand wizard were drowned out. Despite the large number of protesters, there was no violence and no one was injured.

SGA upset over $10,000 allocation

By Charles Popper
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The construction of a new deck for the Campus Center snack bar was a controversial subject at the Student Government meeting on February 28.

The controversy surrounded the possible mishandling of $10,000 from the Student Government's contingency fund. The contingency fund is a fund that the Student Government has set up for the purpose of handling expenditures for permanent or semi-permanent fixtures.

According to Beth Edwards, President of the SGA Student Government, any proposal allocating funds for a project must be made in the form of a bill and then voted on by the voting members of the Student Government Association (SGA).

In this case, the $10,000 for the new deck was never proposed in the form of a bill, thus it was never voted on. According to Edwards, Gart Evans, the SGA advisor, received a verbal go-ahead from the newly formed executive committee back in April of 1989. This original verbal go-ahead was for a possible $5,000 to be paid by the SGA, and $5,000 to be paid by the college.

Over the Christmas break, the administration approached Evans and notified him that because of city building codes, the deck would need to be stronger to support the amount of people it was designed to hold, and would cost a total of $20,000.

Evans was then forced to make a decision because the executive council was not present during the break, so he gave the go-ahead to allocate $10,000 instead of the original $5,000.

When asked if he could elaborate on the situation, Evans refused comment. According to Rich Davis, SGA's Food Service committee chairman, 'The noise is where the money went or how it was spent. I think the majority of members agree the deck is a positive addition to the campus.'

Members of SGA agree with Davis that the cost of the deck is not as important as the way in which the allocation was handled. Evans stated, 'I am very disappointed in the extreme lack of communication between the SGA and the Administration.'

Kathy Hughes, Speaker of SGA added, 'I believe what happened was wrong and is being treated as a slap on the wrist.' She continued, 'I feel the money in SGA is no longer the students. The money is more of a privilege the administration can take at their leisure.'

Davis summed up the situation by stating, 'The fact that rules of order and procedure were not followed is of importance here. If SGA funds can be allocated without SGA approval, then the SGA's legitimacy is seriously damaged.'

HPC fraternities, sororities move to different residences in fall

By Noelle Blank
OF THE HI-PO STAFF

Residence Life, in response to fraternity inquires, has proposed to allow fraternities the use of houses which surround the campus. If approved, each fraternity would be assigned a house next semester in which chapter meetings would be held and in which the fraternity officers and perpetuates would have other members could live.

'It would be a major change from anything we've had before,' said Gart Evans, Dean of Students. Residence Life is currently considering the number of people that can live in each house, strict guidelines in fraternity use of the houses. If approved, the living arrangements would be conditional for the first year. Said Evans, 'There are other non-Greek organizations that would like (this type) housing.'

The houses under consideration for fraternity use are the houses owned by HPC along Sixth Street, behind Mills Evans pointed out that HPC does not own the property across the street, and that the fraternities would need to be sensitive to the people who live nearby. He added that this kind of arrangement has already been tried and has worked out well with private, non-affiliated students. He also stated that the students are willing to take the responsibility.

Don Huggins, president of Theta Chi fraternity reports that the fraternities are ready for this kind of responsibility. 'Even when they (Residence Life) were thinking about it, we were having meetings, discussing responsibilities, and I feel we are ready for it,' said Huggins.

Residence Life also proposed putting the sororities in Mills when fraternities moved into houses. Evans noted that some of the advantages to this would be more convenient parking and the creation of private party lounges for the sororities. Although Evans sees a good possibility for sororities to make use of houses later, fraternities were chosen for this housing first because of the surrounding area and because Residence Life has seen more positive interaction between men and women. Although Evans claimed that this plan would 'actually be giving more housing to women.'

Kappa Delta president Kim Long, however, is concerned over the proposed changes, saying that only 22 members would be able to live on the hall and the rest of the members would not be together. Said Long, 'I don't really like (the idea) because it's going to separate all the sororities.' Long said she would prefer keeping the old halls, adding, 'But if we have to move, moving to Mills would be better than to houses.' referring to Mills' ability to house more people than houses could. 'It would be better if they left the girls where they are at and built longer dormitories for sororities somewhere,' said Long.

Erica Fischer, Zeta Tau Alpha president, notices more positive aspects of the proposed change. Commented Fischer, 'It's an excellent move. Fraternity needs are met better in houses, and sororities would have their own lounges.'

Other housing propositions have been considered for those fraternity members whom housing will not accommodate. These members would be interspersed in Belk and the Men's Residence Hall. Evans suggested that some of the men in the fraternity as to where they would live in these limited housing conditions. Said Urian, 'Some guys are worried about where they would go.' Urian mentioned other fears over the plan's outcome, saying, 'I have mixed feelings. I think that if they give us houses, like we have asked, but only for the officers, it would take the central figures away from the fraternities, almost like trying to split us up. Their ideas are getting better, but I think they're weak about going about it, about what they think is good for us.'

Huggins expressed a different side to the move, commenting, 'I think it's a great move by the school. It shows the fraternities a sense of being separate but together, more like a fraternity feeling.'

Edwards added Evans, 'It would give them an area that is theirs to enhance, meet, take ownership and pride in.'
Just one of those things?

There is a news story in this paper detailing the events that led up to how money was appropriated for the building of the new deck behind the snack bar. For anyone who might not be aware of the controversy surrounding this, it would probably be beneficial to first read our news story.

When money was needed to pay for the new deck of the snack bar, the Student Government Association (SGA) was out for Christmas break. Therefore Gary Evans, SGA Advisor and Dean of Students took it upon himself to go ahead and approve that the money be taken from SGA funds.

Had SGA ever approved by vote such plans then all would be fine. However, no one ever brought this up in a SGA meeting as a bill, it was never voted on and it was never approved.

It basically comes down that a member of the Administration needed $10,000 to complete the deck, came in and took that amount of student money without proper authorization to do so.

Not only does this do extreme damage to the legitimacy of the SGA and what it has the power to do but it also raises the question of just how far this could go. Not to mention the main question of whether the students at High Point College, when it is all said and done, really have any say about our own money?

SGA and its advisors are responsible for submitting an annual budget and approving the expenditures. They are also responsible for seeing that the money is spent for the betterment of the college and its students. Obviously, this was not done in this case.

The question of what the money went for is of little concern in this case. Most people at an SGA meeting that I attended felt that it was a pretty good idea as did Beth Edwards, President of SGA.

However, the fact that someone can come in and appropriate the money with no official consent to do so is outrageous.

However, now we find ourselves in this situation and once again our outrage is of little concern.

In a phone interview with Dr. Jacob Martinson, President of the College, he stated, "I do not know anything about it. I do not know enough about the situation to talk intelligently about it."

It's alarming to me that there is such a lack of communication that the President of our college was not informed of the situation. It's shameful that the students have no more of an impact on the administration than this.

Bob Hayes, Vice President of Financial Affairs, actually pays out the money approved by SGA. He stated that while the form he received to pay out the $10,000 only had Evans' signature and not that of Edwards, he passed it through anyway. He also stated that it was a matter of trust and that so long as Evans' signature was on the request that it was good enough for him. (Incidently should a request come to Hayes with Edwards signature and not Evans', the request would be denied until Evans' signature was on it.)

The entire situation has been called a miscommunication by the Administration and has been treated as little more than "just one of those things." The Hi-Po strongly recommends that the Dean of Students and the administration take their responsibilities more seriously and follow previously established procedures for administering these funds.

Meg Waters

Letter:

SGA should not be a puppet government

To the Editors:

As students who attended HPC last year may recall, I ran for SGA president with the slogan "Let's Give Student Government Back to the Students." During the campaign, many were led to believe that such a slogan implied an unwillingness to work with the college administration, and perhaps to actually work against the administration on certain issues, and in the process creating an ineffective, negative student government. This was not the message intended by the slogan, and I would like to take this opportunity to outline what I feel ought to be the function of a legitimate student government.

A student government, or any government for that matter, should effectively represent and serve its constituency. In the case of the student government, that constituency is the student body by whom they were elected to represent student interests. A student government should not merely serve as a communications tool for the college administration, simply providing interested students with information about campus activities and events or new or old campus policies. This is but one of its functions. A student government should at times be forced to take an active and aggressive stand on certain issues which it feels are of importance to the student body, despite the fact that the administration may view the problem at hand in a different light or from another perspective.

At HPC, it seems that the SGA often fails to represent student concerns and interests, either out of complacency or an inherent sense of ineffectiveness or illegitimacy. The SGA needs to remember that at times college policy will not be harmonious with student opinion, and that they have a responsibility to the student body to gauge their opinions and formulate a position which accommodates student desires, only when they accept and perform this obligation will the SGA become a legitimate governing body.

Conflicting views are healthy, not negative, and a college environment ought to encourage the free flow and exchange of opinions and ideas. An SGA which stands up for the students it represents at times when it feels it is necessary to do so and in the appropriate manner is not attempting to "fight the administration—it is merely doing its job and fulfilling its intended purpose.

Rich Davis
SGA Member

Quotable

"It would be a major change from anything we've had before...it would give them an area that is theirs to enhance, meet, take ownership and pride in."

Gary Evans, Dean of Students, discussing the college's intent to move fraternities into houses that surround the campus.

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International Home Furnishings Market returns to High Point

By Teresa Fowler

"It's that time of year again! Hotels have no vacancy, restaurants fill to capacity, and streets crowd with people. It's the International Home Furnishings Market and it's North Carolina's largest event!"

What exactly does the furniture market mean to the city and the people of High Point? According to the International Home Furnishings Marketing Association, the annual economic impact for 1990 was $199,000,000.

This annual economic impact can be itemized in the following way: $47.5 million for accommodations, $45 million for food and entertainment, $25.6 million for transportation, $14 million for retail purchases, $8.5 million for state & local taxes, and $2.8 million for miscellaneous services.

After studying these figures, it is obvious that the International Home Furnishings Market means a lot to the city of High Point as well as to the surrounding areas. It brings more people, for a longer period of time, to the heart of the state's geography than any other event in the state of North Carolina.

However, what exactly does the market mean to High Point College and the students of High Point College? The furniture market means money to the student and the students of High Point College. Money is one of the things that the market can definitely offer to the student through various jobs the market itself provides.

According to Margaret Buckingham of the International Home Furnishings Center, many students participate in the market every spring and fall. "We've worked with several students from High Point College in the past and we've had great success with every one of them. They are wonderful and we only wish we had more of them."

"Everything from helping with the registration process to helping the manufacturer set up the exhibit space, there are plenty of paying jobs available to the student."

"We try to work around the student's schedule. It's a great opportunity for them and we would be more than happy to help them find a job for the market," said Margaret Buckingham.

Not only does the Home Furnishings Center provide jobs during the market, but restaurants and hotels also hire additional staff to help with the extra business at this time.

"With a little research, a student can easily find a well-paying job for the furniture market."

Not only can the student benefit financially from the market, but the student can benefit through the experience as well. Being a college student is being part of the furniture industry business, the market obviously has a lot to offer the student from its beginning.

Many manufacturers have associations with the college and are more than happy to have interested students visit their exhibit space and observe the activities of the home furnishings market.

There is much activity at this time and much to be learned from it all. The International Home Furnishings Marketing Association cites that it is the largest wholesale home furnishings market in the world and it is where more than 1600 manufacturers permanently display the largest assortment of home furnishings in the world. A complete line of merchandise can be found anywhere in the world participate in this market.

It is the best time for a student at High Point College to gain some additional knowledge about the entire industry as well as the best time to make some contacts that could be helpful in the future.

However, whether you are a home furnishings major or not, the market can be interesting to you as well. It is an event that is well known to many across the entire world and it is happening in our backyard.

Become aware of the International Home Furnishings Market! Look into a job if you are interested. If you are not interested in that, find some way to become involved in the activities of the market. It can be a beneficial experience and more than that it can be lot of fun.

The International Home Furnishings Market begins April 19 and ends April 27.

Two HPC science students receive research grants

By Teresa Fowler

"Each year the North Carolina Academy of Science awards 25 Yarborough Undergraduate Research Grants to the High Point College students. Muriel Brady and Sandra Shore, received a grant. Each grant was $5000."

Both students filled out an application obtained from Dr. John Ward, biology professor. On March 30 and 31 the North Carolina Legislative Academy of Science held its annual meeting at High Point College. The two students had to present an oral presentation along with a written summary of their research.

Dr. Gerald Smith, biology professor, is advising both Brady and Shore with their research. Their research is a branch of Dr. Smith's own research. Both are studying Trachelactinia bisporulata in two different ways. Brady's research deals with the reason for different colors of known plants by looking at their chromosomes. Brady is studying six different colors. Both researchers involve the count of chromosomes to determine the species of unknown plants. Shore is studying two plants. Both students spent about 10 hours a week in the lab working on their research.

"Both students are biology majors. Both are also active in extra-curricular activities."

Brady plans to do graduate work in a medically related field. She is a member of the Biology Majors Club. She is also a member of the field hockey team and has been for the past four years. Last summer she was involved in research of the effects of alcohol on the liver at UNC-Chapel Hill. "It is an honor as well as an excellent opportunity to be able to conduct this research and share it with students and scientists from all over the state at the annual meeting of the North Carolina Academy of Science this spring," stated Brady.

Shore's plans are to enter medical school. She is active in many clubs, including Alpha Delta Theta, Baptist Student Union, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Biology Majors Club, and Student Affiliate of the American Chemical Society. Shore is a recipient of the Yarborough Undergraduate Research Grant is a great honor. It gives me an opportunity to take a scientific problem and perform an investigative study with one of my professors."

Learning Assistance Center serves as free tutorial service

By Teresa Fowler

The Learning Assistance Center (LAC) is many things to many different people. For some, it is a place to go in a crisis such as the night before a test or paper is due. For others it is a place to prevent problems in classes. For some, the center is a place to receive help. "I wish more students knew about LAC," said Cecilia Drew, an AIM student, stated. "Ms. Gomez has helped me a lot. She really cares about the students."

"I wish more students knew we existed and will help anyway academically," commented Gomez.

The LAC hours are:
- Sunday 6-9 p.m.
- Monday 10-noon, 1:30-4 p.m.
- Tuesday 10-noon, 1:30-4 p.m. & 6-9 p.m.
- Wednesday 1:30-4 p.m., 6-9 p.m.
- Thursday 10-noon, 1:30-4 p.m. & 6-9 p.m.
- Friday 10-noon
The Untouchables capture HPC College Bowl

By Rick Ferrell of the Hi-Po Staff

After a ten year absence, the Odyssey Club advisor Dr. Ed Piacentino led the College Bowl last year, with six teams participating. In the end, the team calling themselves the 'Untouchables' won the tournament. This year, under the direction of Odyssey Club advisor Dr. Ed Piacentino, the College Bowl had a much larger participation rate. Fourteen teams entered this double elimination tournament, which began Monday, February 19, and ended Thursday, February 26. The double elimination set up meant that each team had to lose twice to be eliminated from the tournament. Once a team lost once, it would continue to play other teams who had also suffered one loss.

Teams were represented from a number of different areas of the college. Some were independent teams, formed among friends.

Psychology exhibit displayed

By Teresa Fowler of the Hi-Po Staff

DURING the week of February 26 through March 1 in the CEP Building lounge, a hands-on exhibit was displayed by Dr. Michael Marshall's Psychology 118 night class. The class includes Michael Heer, Judith Lytle, Janice Perdue, and Thomas Nadal. These students did all the work. It was a class project.

The exhibit consisted of 15 stations which all interacted. The exhibit included puzzles which showed students how people think and learn. Posters at each station gave information along with the riddle. At one station, a student may be asked to count how many F's are in certain sentence, or to count the number of squares in a picture, or to try and tell what certain parts of a particular picture really are. After trying a question, a student could find out the answer by turning over the page. Some came from the fraternity/sorority groups. One team consisted of members of a class. The fourteen teams which turned out to play were: First Floor of New Hall, The International Club, Churchie Flunkies, the Hi-Po, Lambda Chi Alpha, Pi Kappa Alpha, Zeta Tau Alpha, Dr. Jean Myers' Religion Group X, Brothers Psych 2, Men and A Lady, and D-.

Dr. Piacentino was very pleased with the entire College Bowl this year. "One team actually came out and pushed on a more personal basis for participation," Piacentino said. "It has restored my confidence in what's happening at High Point College in a word, the teams were impressive." Piacentino went on to say, "I think those who participated had a good time. Several members of the faculty are eager to keep this thing going. It's a great idea, I hope we can keep it going next year."

Between Monday, the 19th, and Thursday, the 22nd, the 22 teams were gradually receiving their first loss. Thursday night, the winners championship match was played between the undefeated Three Men and A Lady, and the also undefeated Hi-Po. Commanding both the first and second halves, Three Men and A Lady won, giving the Hi-Po its first loss.

Play did not resume until Monday, the 26th. Many of the teams who had received their second loss were eliminated from the tournament. The first match of this last night to determine who would be the ultimate winner was played between Lambda Chi Alpha, and D-, both of whom still had only one loss each. With a victory margin of only five points, D- defeated Lambda Chi Alpha, and went on to play the last team with only one loss, the Hi-Po. The Hi-Po won this match and by doing so, earned the right to face the still undefeated Three Men and A Lady once again. Since this was a double-elimination tournament, Three Men and A Lady did not need this second match, as they defeated the Hi-Po by a twenty point margin, 180 to 160, the first game.

Three Men and A Lady also played last year, under a different name, and perhaps even more interesting is the fact that they, as the Untouchables, won the tournament last year as well, with the same team members they used this year. Chad Barker, Winnie Brady, Judy Flynn, and Robbie Combs made up this two-time winner of the tournament. The team's captain, Chad Barker, had this to say of the tournament, "Competition this year was more diverse than last, for his team, more teams this year. I felt good that there was alot of participation this year. I'm glad it was so diverse a nice to see everybody a second chance, and made it alot fairer."

When asked what match proved toughest for his team, Barker said the final championship round against the Hi-Po. "Well-roundedness was the key to our success as a team had Political Science, biology, natural sciences, History, English, Arts, and literature buffs, as Barker said, to cover all areas of questions."

Three Men and A Lady will go on to play in a tournament against several colleges in early April at Elon College. Piacentino also wants to organize a second team of all-stars to send as well, made up of four of the top players from all the teams.

HPC hosts scholarship event

By C. Whitney Styer of the Hi-Po Staff

For the first time in three years, High Point College got through Presidential Scholarship Week with no applicant безен. The scheduled events started Friday, February 16th with a reception at the Radisson Hotel. On Saturday morning there was breakfast and registration for the invited high school seniors.

During the day on Saturday, the competitors were each interviewed by two faculty members and two current Presidential Scholars. This was to get to know the students and discuss his or her aspirations. While the students were being interviewed, parents attended three sessions on college preparation, Career Planning, and Financial Aid.

Ninety-three students came from 11 different states, with 38 percent from North Carolina.

Study in Spain becomes experience of a lifetime

By Josh Gibbs special to the Hi-Po

It was the best decision in my life came last year when I decided to go to Sevilla, Spain, to study for one year. Everyone I met who had only one year of studying Spanish in for the time of my life. I figured I would enjoy it, but the "time of my life" is that definitely an understatement. Had as much fun as I am having this year. Every day seems to be a new experience.

I came to Sevilla in September with only one year of studying Spanish. Just enough to remember the basic words "Hola," "Adios," and "cereza." I went to my new house, knocked on the door, and my new Spanish mother opened the door and began rattling in Spanish faster then I can speak English. I looked at her, smiling and nicely said "No hablo espanol." She paused for a moment, thinking back forty years to when she studied English and said "Come on, baby," She took me on a tour of the house, ending in the kitchen where she poured out a liter of beer from the refrigerator, called her children, and we all sat around getting to know one another. I couldn't really make much of a conversation. Now, five months later, I can sit at the lunch table and carry on and understand conversations.

I learn most of my Spanish at my house. Having eight brothers and sisters and none of them able to speak English, other than certain words and phrases the Hi-Po wouldn't print, forces me to learn Spanish as well as speak it. I also learn a lot of Spanish at my school. There are 80 Americans and 43 Spaniards in my school this semester. Depending on your level of Spanish, you can take all your classes in Spanish or play it safe and take classes in English. This year, I was fortunate enough to have all my classes in Spanish and three in English. I've made a lot of close Spanish friends here from my school and we all talk in Spanish, mostly the things I would learn in class or from a dictionary. They all speak English fairly well and help me out when I get stuck on words or phrases, which happens quite often. Luckily, not as much this semester as last.

With Sevilla being located in the southern part of Spain, it's very accessible for weekend trips to the many beaches along the Costa del Sol. I have also taken a few trips to Portugal and one across the Straits of Gibraltar into Africa. With the weather in the 60's during January and February and in the 90's the rest of the year, it makes traveling flat and fun. I'm saving the north of Spain and the rest of Europe for the summer.

During spring semester, the two most memorable events take place in Sevilla, and Spain as well. They are Holy Week and the April Fair, which from what I understand is a big week of eating and drinking and flamenco dancing. The Holy Week, Semana Santo, is a week of religious processions, sometimes lasting up to two weeks, in which membership in church organizations carry their statues of the Virgin Mary and Christ to the streets. I've studied both events in class and am excited to be able to witness them. April is also the start of the bullfighting season. I was fortunate enough to see one last semester and can't wait to see another.

The last five months have just been incredible. I have learned so much about Spain and her language and culture. I'm looking forward to many more great experiences. It has added wealth to life here in Sevilla, to the point where it will be hard to leave and say goodbye to my friends and teachers. I'm also happy to be able to return, either to work at the World's Fair in '92, which will be held in Sevilla, or to the door long vacation. For me studying abroad has been the best experience of my life.
HPC Notebook

Spring sports win honors

SPECIAL TO THE HI-PO

Spring sports at High Point College brought much success and conference championships during the month of April.

The Panther baseball team won the Carolina Conference Baseball Tournament in Wilson, winning five games in 10 days. HPC defeated Mount Olive 11-6 in the championship game. HPC earned the NAIA District 26 women's tennis championship at Guilford College. All six of HPC's team members were named to the All-District team.

Stacey Scherer, Paivi Tapaninen, and Rachel Newberry all got honors from High Point College. HPC's team also won the conference championship at Guilford College. All six of HPC's team members were named to the All-District team.

The Panther golf team won its first Carolina Conference golf championship in 1994. The Panthers edged second-place Pfeiffer by eight shots in the two-day tournament, held at Deerfield Golf and Country Club.

Hi-Po captures national award

SPECIAL TO THE HI-PO

The Hi-Po captured first place with special merit honors from the American Scholastic Press Association Awards competition.

The Hi-Po was one of six collegiate newspapers in the United States to receive the award among senior colleges with an enrollment between 1,700 and 2,500. First place with special merit is the top award presented by the American Scholastic Press Association.

The Hi-Po staff included: Sherry Scherer, Paivi Tapaninen, Mami Harada, Jonna Steure, Kandi O'Connor, and Theresa Shea. Coach Kathy Steele was named NAIA District 26 Coach of the Year.

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The IDS shuffle

A problem has surfaced at High Point College which is an embarrassment to the school in the eyes of the City of High Point. The audience at the IDS programs, which are public programs, has grown increasingly rude and restless during performances by professional acting troupes, guest speakers and so forth.

On March 19, Meg Waters and I attended a performance by a traveling acting troupe. The actors were superb and the discussion afterward was probably very interesting. We don't know. We couldn't hear a word.

The audience, a group of mostly bored IDS students, talked and did homework during the entire show. Some brought personal headsets and listened to them. These townspeople and students who were truly interested were, luckily, sitting in the front. I hope they were able to hear.

Long before the discussion was over, the hostess asked if there were any more questions. The audience immediately began clapping. This was totally rude and obnoxious. It made our college, supposedly a mature institution of higher learning, look terrible.

Clearly there is a problem. The IDS program does not seem to be working out. There must be some other way to award credit other than forcing students to sit through programs in which they have no interest. Most IDS students dread the programs and search for a scam to get them credit without attending. And few, if any, get anything out of the program.

Students, administration and Dr. Hansen, who runs the program, re-evaluate the IDS program. Is it not of extreme importance for HPC to maintain a good reputation in the town of High Point? Without the support of its townspeople and students who were truly interested in the program, High Point will be jeopardized. Why?

Q & A with President Martinson

The following is a list of questions that was submitted during the March 20 student symposium. President Martinson responds to the questions.

Q There is concern that faculty members are not able to freely air their opinions about this school to students. They feel their jobs will be jeopardized. Why? A Obviously, faculty members are professionals, as such there are some things just not shared with students. But the question seems to imply that faculty members are dissatisfied with certain things and can't say anything. That, of course, is not true. Perhaps, the big question is to whom one addresses concerns. Are students the best people for faculty addresses concerns? Our faculty are very mature and professional and are not the least reluctant to share concerns with the Dean of the College, and/or the Chair of the department, or the President if necessary.

Q Many students attended this symposium to get answers. Instead many of the questions were not answered. Solutions were suggested, but how soon are the suggestions and possibilities going to materialize? A It is difficult to answer a question when no specifics are given. Which questions were not answered? Which suggestions and possibilities are supposed to materialize? Many answers were given in the symposium! A great number of question were answered completely. Unfortunately, we often hear what we want hear and if an answer is not as we like, we tend to think there was no answer or a bad one, when in fact it may have been a pretty good one. Many of the issues lifted have already been addressed - food service for example. We have had numerous meetings on this and students say that the food services certainly improved. Another example of success is in the area of communication. I have had a public meeting with students since the symposium. The Dean of Students has had numerous meetings with students. Also, the question of reading students has been addressed. Numerous things are addressed daily. If you have a serious question which has not received an answer, put it in writing and deliver it to the person you would like to have answer it, or better yet, discuss it openly with the person.

Q This is an institution for the students. How can the College defend the outrageous amount of profit the College is making? All the money should go straight back to the students.

A First of all, this is a non-profit organization. There is no profit. Every penny of the College income goes back into the College. Look around you. We have built a new residence facility, completely renovated others in the past five years. We have renovated Wrenn as well. In short, $7 million has been expended on capital improvements. Our tuition is less than half of what some private colleges and universities in the state charge. Also, it is considerably less than the cost in a single four year state university. For example the taxpayer pays over $8,000 in tuition for every student who attends U.N.C.-Chapel Hill. This is over and beyond what the students pay and this has nothing to do with capital improvements which are on top of this price to the taxpayer. High Point College is a bargain. Frankly, it is the opinion of the National Commission on the Future of Higher Education.

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Faizi finds a home at HPC

SPECIAL TO THE HI-PO

Imagine coming from another country to teach at High Point College. That's what Mr. Faiz R. Faizi did in 1973 when he left Pakistan.

He stayed with a friend in Davidson, N.C., who informed Faizi of an opening at High Point College. Since September 1973, High Point, the furniture capital of the world, has been home to Faizi and shortly later, to his wife and three children.

Faizi is enjoyed by the students in his economics and statistics classes for his delightful and insightful anecdotes. He talked about walking up to the Burger King on North Main Street everyday when he first came to High Point. The girl behind the counter would ask if he ever got tired of eating burgers all the time.

Faizi first came to America in 1969, when he was invited by Davidson College to teach for a year as a visiting professor. Afterwards, he returned to Pakistan to discover a country changing for the worse.

"The colleges that were privately owned were taken over by the government," said Faizi. "At that time, I was working in a church-affiliated private institution which was taken over by the government." Education, as a whole, became government controlled. There were other political changes taking place that included a movement toward socialism and religious persecution.

That was the major reason I had to leave Pakistan and find a job elsewhere. The first place that came to my mind was the USA because I had visited before and I like the climate."

Said Faizi, "I like teaching and God-willing, I will stay in this job for the rest of my life. I like the people and climate here."

Scheduling, writing across the curriculum and whether or not students exist in the adult education program and the day school.

The meeting, which lasted approximately one hour, revealed students were more open-minded and not so stuffy.

"We'll take it under advisement," he said. "I feel the symposium was merely a gesture," he said.

Greek Week is rousing success

By Austin Aley

It was all said and done, and the Lambda Chi Alpha and Alpha Gamma Delta took the honor of being 1990 Greek Week winners.

The competition was extremely close throughout the week. Events included volleyball, tug'o war, keg toss (empty of course), kickball, frisbee, soccer, and more.

The keg toss, commented, "It was a great time for the Greeks to get together and compete." I just wish the keg would have been full and tapping.

Second place overall finished went to Theta Chi and Zeta Tau Alpha. Lambda Chi Alpha and Phi Mu took third place followed by Delta Sigma Phi and Kappa Delta. A representative from each fraternity chose a sorority from the Greek Week teams.

The list of services that has been denoted throughout the semester by the students was quite impressive. These community services include serving food weekly for the poor at the Father's Table in High Point, sponsoring a Stock Hop at the YMCA, Easter Egg hunt at Mills Orphanage Home, helping with the Special Olypmics, and having an organized troop with the Cub Scouts.

These community services are not being done for the purpose of making us look good, but rather we do it because we want to," stated Al Arrigoni, vice-president. He explained how the work we do and this accounts for the tremendous pride each one of our members has for Lambda Chi Alpha.

The fraternity hopes to continue providing service for the community and they are glad to see that their work has made a difference. "After all, that's what is all about," concluded President of Lambda Chi Alpha, Mike Urian.

Pretty Woman - Rated R - by College Press Service. Familiar elements abound: a portion of "Pygmalion," a touch of "Cinderella" and a hooker with a heart of gold. Yet this romantic comedy is fresh, topical, lighthearted and thoroughly entertaining. Richard Gere plays a calculating corporate raider who falls in love with a young prostitute (Julia Roberts).

Both discover they have much in common and take the prize by displaying their love and creativity on screen.

The ending has a completely unexpected outcome. This movie is emotional, humorous, and well written. If you like tearjerker movies, this is definitely one of those.

Movie reviews

"Driving Miss Daisy" misses true meaning of friendship

By C. Whitney Styers

Driving Miss Daisy - ****

-Rated PG. Starring Morgan Freeman, Jessica Tandy, Dan Aykroyd. Playing at: Rialto and College Place.

"Driving Miss Daisy" is a good clean-cut movie to go see I recommend everyone go see this and take your grandma.

It was very humorous and enjoyable to watch. The plot was simple. It may not be the most entertaining drama, or action movie, but I learned how friendships should really be.

Jessica Tandy plays Miss Daisy, who wrecks her car and her son, Dan Aykroyd, hires a chauffeur, Morgan Freeman, to drive her around. She doesn't want one, but soon a 25-year friendship develops between Miss Daisy and the chauffeur. The time frame of the movie is during the social awakening of the 70's and 80's and the two share a strong bond of friendship.

"Driving Miss Daisy" is a good humorous parts which included John Goodman. There seemed to be a lot of good morals for the issues of single parenthood. The film is a sequel to the TV movie of the same name directed by Garry Marshall. Lead-Julia Roberts. Roberts RT117 mins. (Profanity)
Haun named 1991 Provost
SPECIAL TO THE HI-PO
Dr. Michael Haun, President of American Humanics, Inc., announced the selection of W. Patrick Haun of High Point College as the Provost for the 1991 National American Humanics Management Institute (AHMI). Haun will provide leadership and expertise generated from his extensive experience in various administrative positions with past Institutes.

The National Humanities Management Institute will be held January 2-6, 1991 in San Antonio, Texas. This capstone educational experience brings together students from across the nation for workshops and presentations to help prepare them for their future careers.

Haun is an expert because of his unique background and demonstrated skills in program development, planning, marketing and experiential education. He served as Associate Director for the 1987 AHMI and was the Associate Dean for the 1990 AHMI. Haun is Assistant Professor and Director of the American Humanities program at High Point College. He was elected Chairman of the National American Humanities Directors Association in July of 1989, and was elected to the national Humanities Board of Directors in November.

The institute provides a once-in-a-lifetime, unique, educational experience for anyone interested in the helping professions. I am delighted to be a part of its success," stated Haun.

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Point College, made up of 150 people from across the United States, that we are underpriced. We are proud of that kind of financial management! We submit that one cannot get an education as good as this one anywhere in the world for what one pays here. Still, you may have no way of knowing this and we are glad you lifted the veil to see.May, 1990

Davis elected president of SGA
By Teresa Fowler
Student Government Association, SGA, elections were held March 27-30. During lunch and dinner students voted on their choices. The results are as follows: President Rich Davis, Vice-president Stephen Hughes; Secretary George Chabody; and Treasurer Wilson Bounds.

Several HPC students helped with the elections. Amanda Huff, a former election chairman, and Todd Goobey contributed a lot of support to the SGA according to Gart Evans, advisor of the SGA. This year's election chairman was Amy Marshall, who, because she also ran for secretary, did not man the ballot boxes. The legislation body had shifts at the ballot boxes during the lunch and dinner sessions. A debate on Monday March 26 was held. The debate was sponsored by the Young Republicans.

Alda Davis
By Austin Aley
The Theta Chi fraternity gave its time, effort and hard work toward helping the High Point Chamber of Commerce with several different projects. The main project needing to be accomplished was organizing a solid distribution platform for the High Point Chamber of Commerce Spring membership drive. By copying information from member prospect sheets, organizing member kits and improving the previous membership campaign, the project was a success.

Linda Kenner, an employee with the High Point Chamber of Commerce commented, "The help that the Theta Chis gave came at a perfect time." She adds, "The men handled the responsibilities of the projects in a professional way and I hope to work with them again in the future." Mrs. Kenner gave special thanks to Theta Chi Ralph Barber, who coordinated the service arrangements.

The fraternity will get recognition for its hard work with articles written for the High Point Enterprise and the Chamber of Commerce monthly newsletter "Focal Point." The members of Theta Chi who worked on the projects received T-shirts and a sincere appreciation for their efforts.

Theta Chi assists Chamber of Commerce

New RAs appointed
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The Student Life Office would like to congratulate the new Resident Assistants hired for next year: Laura Burtwright, Wilson Bounds, Michelle Brown, Chris Gnyer, Bonnie Jean Dillon, David Doyle, Lisa Farmer, Mary Beth Phillips, Wendy Ruiter, Stacey Scherer, Ali Sprigg and Jeff Walters. We are pleased to have the following Resident Assistants returning for 1990-91: Dana Bates, Leah Chappell, Jaye Cohen, Marcus Cross, Greg Dudley, Jamie Lawson, Patrick Perrillo, Brian Payne, Christy Rockwell, Veronica Royer, and Marc Sholar. Stephen Priskop and Michael Hatfield will be the Assistant Area Coordinators.