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SGA set to make an impact

Campus

Spring art faculty lectures begin today

David Conn, professor of art and art history, will be the first lecturer for the 1999 Spring Art Faculty Colloquia, which begins at noon today in the Moudy Building North, Room 132.

Faculty of the department of art and art history will present a different lecture topic each Wednesday at noon. Conn said his lecture, during which he will show slides of his own drawings and etchings, will be informal and conversational.

"It gives our students and community chance to know what we have to say about our work, subjects and topic," Conn said. "It gives students a chance to hear what we think about."

The lectures are free and open to the public.

Free vehicle etching offered by police

Fort Worth police are offering a free auto-theft deterrent service today to all interested students.

Police will sandblast a vehicle's identification number into each piece of glass on the vehicle, including windows and windshields. Pickups may also have the number etched into the tailgate handle and rear bumper.

The etching is very small and provides the student with a small insurance benefit. Neighborhood Patrol Officer Matt Welch said.

Vehicles with the VIN etched in the glass are less likely to be stolen by professional car thieves, who find the process of replacing the glass too labor-intensive, Welch said.

Etching takes about 10 minutes per car, he said.

Etchings will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the parking lot across from the Fort Worth Police Department Storefront on Berry Street.

College

North Dakota student shot, daughter killed

GRAND FORKS, N.D. (U-WIRE) — A senior at University of North Dakota was taken by ambulance to Altru Health Services and his five-week-old daughter was fatally injured after both suffered gunshot wounds Saturday, according to Grand Forks police officials.

Between the hours of 6 a.m. and 7 a.m., Ryan Ehlis, a senior at UND's College of Business and Public Administration, 24, suffered a single gunshot wound and remained hospitalized Sunday evening.

Ehlis' fiancée, Angie Moreno was taken from the scene by squad car and questioned at the Grand Forks Police Department. Moreno was then admitted to Altru. Police officials declined to say why Moreno had been admitted.

Officials at Altru told the Dakota Student Sunday that they were not allowed to release any condition reports on any of the people involved.

At the time of the shootings, there were three other siblings in the mobile home. The children, two girls ages 6 and 5, and a son 18-months, have been placed into custody with relatives of Moreno and Ehlis. The three children were not injured. Capt. Ron MacCarthy told the Herald that no suspects have been named.

—Dakota Student University of North Dakota

By Mel Korte
STAFF REPORTER

The TCU Student Government Association has 99 days to make an impact, SGA President Ben Alexander said at its first spring meeting Tuesday at the Dee J. Kelly Alumni & Visitors Center.

"In 99 days, we will be halfway finished with our term," he said. "Each person needs to find one important thing they want accomplished for TCU."

Members of the House of Representatives and Programming Council were sworn in at the meeting, including the SGA Executive Board: Alexander, House Vice President Sarah Burleson, Vice President for Programming Adam Ryan, Secretary Heather Windham and Treasurer Ben Jenkins.

A proclamation commending the football team on a successful 1998 season was given to Coach Dennis Franchione and the football team.

"We thank you for the appreciation," he told the audience. "Nothing means more than getting recognition from your peers."

Jared Pope, chairman of the House Technical Advancement Committee, said the presence of

the entire football team impressed him.

"It was very admirable of the team to come," he said. "I am glad they acknowledged the students and know that we support them in what they do."

Chancellor Michael Ferrari said it was going to be an eventful year. "We have a high-spirited student body," he said. "This year, along with a national planning process starting soon, will be a turning point."

Ferrari said the administration and the House have plans for better communication.

"We have a standard form report to the administration so there is more feedback, and we don't lose track of student concerns," he said.

Alexander said the main goal is working to reach the students.

"We learned in the last election that students don't know what student government is about," he said. "We are making it more accessible."

Kenny Oubre, Pi Kappa Phi representative, said he is excited about the new semester.

"I've been hearing the members

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Ben Alexander, president of the Student Government Association, swears in House Vice President Sarah Burleson, Vice President for Programming Adam Ryan, Secretary Heather Windham and Treasurer Ben Jenkins on Tuesday.



A local grocery store displays a variety of condoms available for purchase. The Brown-Lupton Health Center also sells contraceptives.

Condom Sense

Using protection is only way to be safe

By Lindy Hallford
STAFF REPORTER

Students can buy condoms at Albertson's or Eckerd's. Closer to home, they can purchase them at the Brown-Lupton Health Center.

And although condoms are not distributed for free on campus, sex education at TCU is a priority.

Angie Taylor, director of the Alcohol and Drug Education Center, said though abstinence is the only safe sex, students might not make that choice, and she wants to help them engage in low-risk behaviors rather than high-risk.

For this reason, the center will sponsor Sexual Responsibility Week to raise awareness

during next week.

Burton Schwartz, a physician at the Health Center, said students need to think about the danger associated with being sexually active.

"If a student is not married, has no commitment, no monogamy and a history of multiple partners, you have to use a condom 100 percent of the time," he said. "There are risks, even at TCU, such as unwanted pregnancy, sexually transmitted diseases, and emotional issues."

Taylor said the issues TCU students face are real and must be addressed.

"We want to raise awareness to help students not be naïve and help them understand that even though we

are in the TCU bubble, we still need to take the responsibility seriously and not pretend that these issues do not exist," Taylor said.

If students want to practice safe sex, the only place on campus to get condoms is to purchase them from the pharmacy at the Health Center. Schwartz said TCU does not distribute free condoms because they would have to be purchased with school funds.

He said state schools, such as the University of Texas at Austin, give out free condoms because the school is tied to the Department of Health.

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Community tunes to TCU

By David Quinlan
SKIFF STAFF

The School of Music and the Office of Extended Education are offering aspiring musicians a chance to play their hearts out.

The newly-formed TCU Community Concert Band is a semester-long program designed to attract anyone in the TCU community who either plays an instrument or once played in a band.

The band is headed by Director of Bands Greg Clemons. He said it is for both students and faculty who enjoy playing music.

"It's not only for students who want to play their instruments, but it's an ensemble for the entire community," Clemons said. "It's for people who want to play for fun."

Starting today and running through April 28, the band will meet every Wednesday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Broyles-Breeden Hall of the Walsh Center for Performing Arts.

Clemons said the commitment will be minimal and he has not decided whether they will give a concert this semester.

"I'm going to leave it up to the members of the band," Clemons said. "I do know there are some people that are really excited about it and want to do it. And I want to do it for them."

The band is open to the entire community and the entrance fee is \$50. Clemons said he expects members

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Matchmaker Grieser picks pairs with care

By Laura Head
STAFF REPORTER

Remember the roommate who hit the snooze button for an hour every morning? How about the one who kept more clothes on the floor than the closet? Everyone has at least one funny roommate story, and Nancy Grieser may often be the reason.

Nancy Grieser

HORNED FROG OF THE WEEK

Grieser, coordinator of housing assignments, matches roommates who may become best friends or worst enemies.

She said she looks at each housing survey, which includes 10 questions about personal habits and interests, to decide whom to pair as roommates. She considers comments and special requests that range from a student's concern about allergies to a recent knee surgery.

Grieser first came to TCU when her oldest son, Andy, was a prospective freshman.

"I was so impressed by the team spirit and the atmosphere that I decided to apply (to work) here," she said.

She said she has been working in residential services for eight years and has served as TCU's coordinator

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Nancy Grieser, coordinator for housing assignments, talks to Kelley Cochran, a sophomore social work major, in Cochran's room in Jarvis Hall.

Pulse

Announcements of campus events, public meetings and other general campus information should be brought to the TCU Daily Skiff office at Moudy Building South, Room 291, mailed to TCU Box 298050 or e-mailed to skiffletters@tcu.edu. Deadline for receiving announcements is 2 p.m. the day before they are to run. The Skiff reserves the right to edit submissions for style, taste and space available.

Tickets for performances of "Stomp" and "Rent" at the Bass Performance Hall will be available Friday in the Student Center for \$15 from Programming Council. Due to a limited number of tickets, students are limited to purchasing two tickets each. The tickets for "Stomp" are for 8 p.m. Feb. 23 and 24. Tickets for "Rent" are for April 4.

Roots and Shoots, an environmental and animal welfare group, will meet 5:30 p.m. today in the Student Center Reading Room A. For more information, contact Kamen Kallio at 847-0469.

A self-defense class will be offered in the Rickel Building from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday and 21. For more information, call Linda at (214) 943-7530.

Personal Growth Group will meet from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. every Wednesday for eight weeks starting Feb. 10. The group will be led by Monica Kintigh and Sparkle Greenhaw. For more information, call the Counseling Center at 257-7863.

English majors, minors and affiliates will be able to learn about job opportunities for English majors at noon today in Reed Hall, Room 312. Cary Turner, vice president of Pier I Imports, and Bob Fass, executive director of Shakespeare in the Park, are scheduled to speak.

Need a summer job? Summer Camp Day will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday Feb. 11 in the Student Center Lounge. Twenty-nine camps and organizations from Texas and surrounding states will be interviewing TCU students for summer jobs. For more information, contact Career Services at 257-7860.

A sexual assault support group will meet from 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays in the Counseling Center beginning Monday. For more information, contact Monica Kintigh at 257-7863 for more information.

News ROUNDUP

World

Tibetan teen killed when police shoot at fleeing crowd

BEIJING — Chinese police shot and killed a 15-year-old Tibetan caught fleeing the Himalayan region with 40 others, a London-based monitoring group reported Tuesday.

Police in Saga county, near Tibet's border with Nepal, came upon the Tibetans around midnight on Nov. 21, the Tibet Information Network reported. Fearing arrest, the Tibetans fled and the police opened fire, hitting Yeshe Dandrub.

The youth died in a local hospital about nine hours later. He and another 15-year-old who was wounded were the only casualties, the group said.

Citing his brother, the group said Yeshe Dandrub decided to go into exile to get a Tibetan education and become a monk. China has tightened restrictions on joining the Tibetan Buddhist clergy in a campaign to root out the influence of the Dalai Lama. Currently no one under 18 is allowed to become a monk.

Dominican students hospitalized, ill from bad milk

SANTO DOMINGO, Dominican Republic — Milk was eliminated from some school breakfasts Monday in the Dominican Republic after more than 1,000 students fell ill last week and 50 had to be hospitalized.

Students became sick in the central towns of La Vega and San Francisco de Macoris and in San Jose de Ocoa in the south, Education Secretary Ligia Amada Melo said Monday, adding that bad milk was the common factor.

About 110,000 servings of milk are provided daily with breakfast in the affected area. Amada Melo said fruit juice would be served instead until the problem is corrected.

The health secretary ordered an inspection at the plant that produced the milk. Officials at the Dominican Pediatric Society said bacteria in the milk was the most likely cause of the vomiting, diarrhea and headaches.

The government distributes breakfast to more than half of the 2 million students in the country's public schools.

In 1974-75, women made up 22.5 percent of all U.S. faculty members. By 1997-98 the percentage had increased to 33.8.

But the study by the American Association of University Professors indicates that more than half the women are in lower positions such as lecturers and instructors, regardless of the type of institution.

In 1997-98, women represented 55.6 percent of lecturers, 58.6 percent of instructors and 46.8 percent of assistant professors — the profession's full-time entry level position.

But just 18.7 percent of full professors were women.

The data are based on an annual survey of about 2,500 public and private college administrators. The response rate is about 75 percent, researchers said.

Butterfly appearance in Mexico disrupted due to climate, El Nino

MEXICO CITY — Far fewer monarch butterflies have appeared at remote hibernation grounds in Mexico's western mountains this year, a phenomenon the government attributed Tuesday to climate changes caused by El Nino.

But an environmental group said damage to fir forests in Mexico could also be responsible for the reduction in the number of butterflies arriving here after a 3,000-mile annual migration from the United States and Canada.

The masses of orange-and-black butterflies covered 42 acres two years ago, an area that shrank to 32 acres last year and only 13.5 acres in 1999, government figures show.

The National Ecological Institute, the agency responsible for protecting the five mountain forests where the butterflies return each year, acknowledged that "climatic changes in the United States and Canada last summer resulted in a substantial reduction of populations in those habitats."

The institute said the changes would not have a lasting effect.

"We can expect that in the next two years that the number of monarchs arriving at the hibernation sites will increase again," the institute said.

count indictment last summer accusing the defendants of smuggling black tar heroin and cocaine from Mexico and selling it from a house and open-air drug market in Plano.

Twenty-four of those were accused of distributing the drugs that led to four fatal overdoses and one near-fatal overdose in a five-month span in the affluent Dallas suburb.

Eighteen defendants have pleaded guilty. The other 11 face up to life in prison because of a rarely used federal sentencing enhancement that allows for the stiff punishment when prosecutors can trace a lethal dose of illegal drugs directly to the dealer.

Jury selection was to begin later today for the remaining defendants. Opening arguments are expected Wednesday.

The trial, moved to Beaumont from Sherman last month at defense lawyers' request, is expected to last about four weeks.

Gov. Bush hosts prominent officials this month

AUSTIN — George W. Bush, Texas governor and potential presidential candidate, will play host next week to a couple more high-profile guests — the head of Britain's Conservative Party and the mayor of New York City.

The Republican governor is scheduled to meet Feb. 12 with William Hague, the Tory leader, in Austin. Hague wants to talk about Bush's "compassionate conservatism" themes, said Karen Hughes, the governor's spokeswoman.

Bush also will host New York City Mayor Rudolph Giuliani, Ms. Hughes said Tuesday.

Giuliani is scheduled to be in Dallas on Feb. 11 for a fund-raising event, she said. He will travel to Austin that evening, spend the night at the Governor's Mansion and have breakfast with Bush.

"When we learned about that (Dallas trip), we invited him to come to Austin to visit with the governor and spend the night at the Mansion if he can," she said of the mayor.

Ms. Hughes said Bush, who opinion polls indicate is a front-runner among possible presidential candidates for 2000, makes it a practice to invite fellow GOP leaders to visit him at the Governor's Mansion.

Since he took office in 1995, the Bush guest list has included a number of Republican Party officials. He has hosted New Mexico Gov. Gary Johnson, along with former Texas Gov. Bill Clements.

At least two GOP presidential hopefuls have spent the night: former Tennessee Gov. Lamar Alexander and publisher Steve Forbes.

Bush currently is trying to decide whether to run for president next year. On the day after his inaugural address, the governor acknowledged considering the race and said 2000 might be his only chance.

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editorial

99 DAYS

SGA needs to work on visibility

Student Government Association President Ben Alexander said the Student House of Representatives has 99 days to accomplish its spring semester goals.

He urged representatives to come to next week's meeting with "one thing" they want to accomplish. If each representative follows through, that would make about 90 things SGA will have to accomplish before May 14.

Throughout his campaign and the beginning of this semester, Alexander has pledged to increase SGA visibility around campus so students know exactly what is happening with their \$20 student government fee.

While they may not accomplish all of their goals in 99 days, SGA does need to achieve Alexander's primary objective: increase student awareness and involvement.

At Tuesday's meeting, the 1998 Sun Bowl champion Horned Frogs were commended for their outstanding 7-5 season, and they were all invited to attend. SGA is taking small steps in the right direction by involving more students — just what SGA needs to light a match under the all-too apathetic TCU student body.

Students need to see tangible results from SGA if they are to ever begin to care. Permanent campus improvements play a large part in the visibility SGA seeks. So does publicity. Simply putting up signs around campus to announce upcoming meetings — which, by the way, are 5 p.m. Tuesdays in Student Center Room 222 — would help.

President Alexander, executive board, student representatives, you have 99 days. Let's see what you can do.

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Equality in gift giving

Valentine's Day should be fun for both genders

Certain notions and thoughts plugged into the minds of men can make our spine shiver. These little words (that have flags by their names) include "vasectomy," "forever" and "Valentine's Day."

"Valentine's Day?" you ladies ask. Let me explain.

For men, Valentine's Day is a time to shower your one and only (as far as they know) or the object of your lustful ways with attention, promises (kept or unkept) and material manifestations that show them where they stand in your life. But that shower of affection has been one-sided for too long — way too long.

That little angel with the arrows named Cupid (no relation to Santa's



OMAR VILLAFRANCA

reindeer) always shoots his romance-tipped arrows at men. Why? Because women made a pact with this little loin-clothed lame-o before men could realize what was going down.

Still don't believe me? Notice how women are always preaching that "giving is always better than receiving" sermon? It's because men have been sabotaged for eons of time. Of course, they are going to tell us giving is better because if we were to ever be on the receiving side, we'd never go back. We've been trained like dogs to fetch, stand up straight and give. It's that simple. It would become a no-win situation for women. They know it is hard to pick out the perfect dozen roses or the appropriate negligee or the most obscure bottle of French champagne. Do we look as stupid as we are sometimes? Not all the time and not this time. Starting this year ladies, the gentlemen will take a stand.

For those gentlemen who believe change is good as long as it is gradual, here is a simple plan: Be subtle. Buy yourself a nice hat or jacket and

thank that special woman in your life for her "great Valentine's Day gift." That was a spoon-fed taste of giving for her. She will get hooked on your thanks for the gift that she didn't realize she bought you, and she will start buying you random gifts just to see your sunny response. The key to selling this is to act like a child who just opened his Christmas presents. When that is accomplished, pride yourself in the thought that you are changing a tradition toward equality.

For you guys who prefer quick changes at whatever cost, you get to have the most fun. When you gentlemen first see your significant other with absolutely nothing in her hands to offer on Feb. 14, pitch what is called a "hissy fit." Act offended and upset, flail your arms around, roll your eyes, make a public scene, raise your voice some and ice it by sobbing uncontrollably and lamenting loudly that she doesn't care about you. Don't talk to her until she has a gift in hand, and you are ready to see her again. A dose of this Valentine's Day medicine should remind her to

never forget Valentine's Day again. And to not botch it, be happy with small gifts at first, because greediness can backfire and leave you without a significant other.

See gentlemen, all we have to do is question tradition. It is not as if our pleas for Valentine's Day equality will fall on the deaf ears of women. At least we should hope not. If they do, hey, we can get used to long weekends alone, dancing solo to slow dances, kissing blow up dolls, having no one to impress and being broken shells of the men we once were. OK, I am lying to myself and to you. Back to buying a dozen long stem roses, French champagne, chocolates and dinner at fancy restaurants with even fancier names. Our noble efforts to change a tradition deserve noble rewards, gentlemen, but don't expect them from women, especially on Valentine's Day.

Omar Villafranca is a junior broadcast journalism major from San Antonio.

'TCUish' Smoking

No matter what your view, take a stand

Let's face it. You've heard all you want to hear about smoking. The inherent dangers to your body associated with smoking, the danger to others through secondhand smoke, whether to have a smoke-free campus and most recently, whether to have smoke-free restaurants.

Everyone has an opinion, and you're probably tired of hearing those, too. The curious thing about smoking, from the perspective of college students, is that as much as it gets talked about, hyped up and put down, it remains an unclear issue.

Maybe you smoke. Maybe you don't. If you don't, you probably have friends who do, and vice-versa. It's hard to relax and light up wherever you are and whoever you're with or, for that matter, proclaim tobacco to be the devil's cash crop without fear of offending someone you respect and like. It's very murky water we're treading here.

Let's use the TCU community as an example, since we'll assume anyone with this paper in his or her hand is somewhat familiar with it. Students who live on campus here voted for a

smoke-free environment. But strolling through the Reed-Sadler mall at noon would make one think a Puff-A-Thon was taking place.

I'd like to think this is not because we are confused as to what the phrase "smoke-free" means.

Either we are too disillusioned to care or really are just a bunch of hypocrites. I know a lot of smokers who have forbidden anyone, including themselves, to smoke in their homes or cars, which I think is pretty smart. I also think it's a little ironic.

Just what is the reality of smoking here at TCU? The students say they don't want it, but act like they do. It says to me that we're all so worried about stepping on each other's toes, that we've taken the easy way out, smokers and non-smokers alike.

The smokers let the non-smokers have their smoke-free buildings, and the non-smokers sit idle, taking in their daily allotment of second-hand smoke while their misguided, addicted friends enjoy their carcinogens.

From the perspective of a non-smoker, I can say that if all the cigarettes in the world disappeared tomorrow, I would not be sad. However, I realize that's not going to happen.

I accept the reality of smoking because I don't want to alienate certain people I enjoy spending time with, nor do I wish to stop frequenting establishments where I can see them

and that also happen to be smoking environments.

So I am just as apathetic as we all are because the smoking status-quo is so easy. We give smokers their little corner to sit in and enjoy their habit, and we are allowed to visit them there if we so desire.

Never mind the fact that we have to visit them there and breathe their smoke if we want to spend any time with them, and they have to enjoy their smoking only in designated sections of the world, sometimes not even where they live.

Like I said, if all the cigarettes in the world disappeared tomorrow, I would not be sad.

So why am I so afraid to stand up and say it? If you're a smoker, and in your dreams you are lighting up everywhere, from a day care center to the Intensive Care Unit of a hospital, then be proud and admit that this is the way you would like to see the world.

Chances are, even if we all take a stand for or against smoking in its entirety, things won't really change that much. There are always going to be smokers and there are always going to be smoking sections.

But at least we aren't being so TCUish and co-dependent about the whole thing, and we're showing a little concern for our own and each other's health and rights.

Rachael Smiley is a senior art history major from Tulsa, Okla.



RACHAEL SMILEY

Strength can help evict feelings of loss, loneliness

Loneliness comes, unexpectedly, at stoplights. One's car is at rest, and even if the radio is on, the mind can disengage just long enough for loneliness to come. Not a sharp pain — like a neck-lace catching neckhairs — but a gentle emptiness that makes its presence known.

Anyone who has lost a lover to stupidity or quarrel knows that loneliness, or the feeling of loss, can come at any time. It comes whenever it wants and stays as long as it likes. Unlike happiness, that fleeting visitor who was never meant to stay, loneliness is a visitor quite comfortable on one's love seat. It stretches out and isn't bothered a bit by pleas for it to leave.

Now you can always count on a writer to make up fancy metaphors for loneliness and loss. But when one actually experiences loneli-

ness, the hardest thing to do is to separate oneself from the feeling, i.e. *This is me and that is that feeling*. The me and the feeling become enmeshed, until one thinks this day sucks, and this stoplight sucks, but what really sucks is loss.

Metaphors might help, though; they might aid in shaping the experience or help to put brackets around an emotion so that it becomes an emotion rather than an inner suckfest. It's as if the IHOP waitress is filling my bottomless cup again and again with loneliness instead of house blend. Add the cream, which is the feeling of being tired of being lonely. The astute reader will now suggest I get up and walk out of the restaurant. And the astute reader is right. It is the only way. And of all the hardest things, it's at least the No. 2 or No. 3 hardest thing to do.

How to define this feeling of loss? What is it about knowing that someone somewhere understands, but doesn't care? And that one is usually surrounded by people who might want to understand, but couldn't possibly? I guess that's what isolation is. Feeling like no one understands.

A person feels like living life like normal, except the person forgot to press record. So all action is invalidated; it's not going on record because someone who should be there isn't there to validate it. So when a person's car is idling, one looks up and to the left for that omnipresent camera recording life, and it's not there. Only a red traffic light hangs from above, and bam. There's the loneliness again.

Longing can become bigger than the object longed for ever was. The feeling of loss has no boundaries, so that loss can be greater, more important and last longer than what's lost. Loneliness can grow too big for the love seat and take up the whole living room.

It takes strength to kick out the unwanted visitor, leave the IHOP, stop looking for the omniscient camera — and start living off the record. Strength that, possibly, probably, can come from all those people who want to understand and couldn't possibly. Because maybe they can, if we give them a chance.

Lesley Hilton is a senior theater major from Decatur, Texas.



LESLEY HILTON

Guest Column

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CONDOM

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"Sometimes our doctors and nurses get free samples of condoms," he said. "If we have (samples), and a student asks for a condom, we can give it to them."

Taylor said a few years ago they tried to distribute free condoms and encountered a major problem.

"We distributed condoms that we got from Planned Parenthood," she said. "They ended up being recalled, and we do not want to be liable for something like that."

Roger Fisher, director of residential services, said in the four years he has been here, nobody has ever requested that Staples carry condoms and he does not feel they would sell well.

"I would be afraid the students

would not use the service," he said. "They could buy them off campus for a lot cheaper."

Mark Papini, a senior marketing major, said he believes they should be more accessible to students.

"People will be more likely to use them the more accessible they are," he said. "If people see more condoms, they will feel more comfortable with the issue."

Burton said one problem with condoms is they do not always protect you from all sexually transmitted diseases. If genital warts or herpes simplex are present in an uncovered part, they can still be given to the partner. If used correctly, condoms do protect you from other diseases such as HIV and

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hepatitis B. He said condoms should always be latex and fit properly. It is estimated that only five percent of men need an extra large, yet 25 percent of all condoms purchased are that size.

Sexual Responsibility Week will include such programs as "Let's Chalk About Sex." Taylor said students will be able to express their thoughts on sexual issues with chalk outside the Student Center. Taylor said a candlelight vigil,

organized by Students Reaching Out, will also be part of the program.

She said the Drug and Alcohol Education Center is sponsoring this program because there is a direct relationship between sexual activity and drinking.

"They engage in unwanted activity after they have been drinking, whereas normally they would not have done so," she said. "This office helps students be responsible with alcohol, so in turn they will be sexually responsible."

Schwartz and Donna Behl, a certified nurse practitioner in gynecology, said they put on after-hour programs to educate students about sex. They are available, if asked, to

speak on sexual wellness in residence halls, Greek houses and to student organizations.

Papini said the program he attended helped to answer tough questions some students had about sex.

"Dr. Schwartz answers questions and puts things in our terms," he said. "He has a good pulse on students and knows how to reach them effectively."

Kelly Miller, a senior marketing major, said safe sex and condoms are a subject that must be talked about more than abstinence.

"I think it is too late to tell people not to have sex," she said. "So, telling students how to have safe sex is a more realistic goal."

New president promises constitutional changes

By Bart Jones
ASSOCIATED PRESS

CARACAS, Venezuela — His right hand in the air, former coup leader Hugo Chavez broke with the traditional oath when he was sworn in today as president, calling the constitution "dying."

"I swear in front of my people, that over this dying constitution, I will push forward the democratic transformations that are necessary so that the new republic will have an adequate Magna Carta for the times," he said, standing before a Congress jammed with legislators, supporters, journalists and foreign dignitaries.

His oath of office was interrupted by applause and cheering from the crowd.

Outgoing President Rafael Caldera, 83, a

founder of Venezuela's 40-year-old democracy, looked on as a blue, yellow and red sash was placed over Chavez's head. In one extraordinary moment, Chavez briefly shook the hand of the former president he tried to depose seven years ago, Carlos Andres Perez.

Chavez, 44, has promised to throw out the current constitution in favor of a new one and says he will overhaul the country's corrupt political system. His critics fear this proposal will only concentrate power in his hands.

In his two-hour inaugural address, Chavez said a new constitution would "open the door to a new national existence." He said he would sign a presidential decree today setting up a national referendum on whether Venezuelans want to form a Constituent Assembly to rewrite the constitution.

Chavez also said he would ask Congress to grant him special powers to confront Venezuela's economic troubles. He repeated pledges to respect investment accords and seek refinancing of the country's \$22 billion foreign debt.

The new president said he wants to implement a banking transaction tax that could provide the government with revenues equivalent to 1.5 percent of the gross domestic product and help close a fiscal deficit estimated at \$9 billion.

He said the country needs to diversify its economy and stop relying so much on oil, which accounts for three-fourths of exports. Venezuela could become a major tourist destination and create a thriving agriculture industry, he said. The country has huge

regions of fertile land and Caribbean beaches, Andean mountains and Amazon rain forests.

Chavez also praised the Feb. 4, 1992, coup attempt he led, though he said he hopes more revolts will never be necessary. "The Venezuelan military rebellion of 1992 was inevitable, just like the explosion of volcanoes," he said.

Thousands of Chavez supporters, many wearing his trademark red beret, jammed the streets outside Congress and listened to the ceremony over loudspeakers. Street vendors hawked baseball caps, berets and other Chavez paraphernalia.

Seated in the Congress were 16 heads of state, including President Carlos Menem of Argentina, President Alberto Fujimori of Peru, and Cuban leader Fidel Castro, who

took notes on a small pad during the speeches. Representing the United States was Energy Secretary Bill Richardson.

Chavez has divided Venezuela between the poor who see him as a hero and the rich who fear he will assume dictatorial powers.

Many Venezuelans blame the country's traditional political parties for squandering the world's largest oil reserves outside the Middle East and leaving more than half the population in poverty. Chavez rode that wave of discontent to a landslide election victory Dec. 6.

On Thursday, Venezuela marks the seventh anniversary of his attempted coup, when Chavez and several thousand rebel soldiers stormed the presidential palace in Caracas and tried to overthrow the president.

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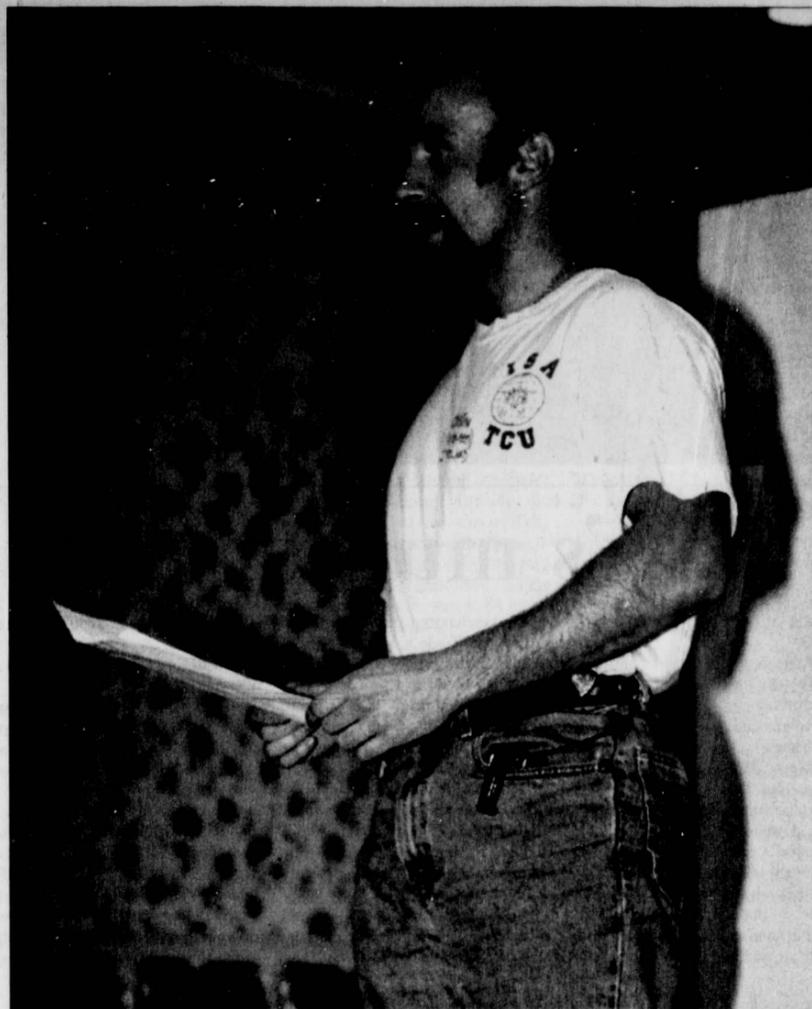
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International welcome



Oisín O'Connell, president of the International Student Association, addresses new and existing members of the group. All students, international or not, are encouraged to participate in the organization.

Prosecutors question presidential friend

By Larry Margasak
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — House prosecutors questioned presidential friend Vernon Jordan on Tuesday and drew concessions they hope will bolster their case for live witnesses at the impeachment trial. Senators also viewed Monica Lewinsky's videotaped deposition and suggested they were underwhelmed.

Jordan, a Washington power broker, asserted again in his testimony that President Clinton was directly behind his efforts to find Ms. Lewinsky a job but that the effort was never designed to buy her silence, sources familiar with the testimony said.

He also acknowledged for the first time that the former intern called him to discuss her affidavit denying a sexual relationship with the president and conceded he likely had a breakfast meeting with her that House prosecutors have sought to corroborate, the sources said, speaking only on condition of anonymity.

On the affidavit, Jordan said he listened to Ms. Lewinsky and suggested she talk to her private attorney. But Jordan asserted he had no reason to believe the affidavit was false because he never believed she had a sexual relationship with the president, the sources said.

The presidential confidant had testified last spring he never had breakfast with Ms. Lewinsky; the former intern testified last summer she had such a breakfast on Dec. 31, 1997, at a Washington hotel. She said she remembered it in part because at that time Jordan suggested she should destroy drafts of her love letters to the president.

Last fall, Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr sent to Congress a receipt from the breakfast. Under questioning Tuesday by House prosecutor Asa Hutchinson, Jordan said his recollection had been refreshed since his earlier grand jury appearance and he conceded the breakfast likely occurred, according to several sources familiar with his testimony.

But Jordan remained adamant he never instructed or suggested that Ms. Lewinsky destroy any letters, the sources said, speaking on condition of anonymity. Ms. Lewinsky has testified that Jordan had told her to "go home and make sure they're not there." At the time, the letters were covered by a subpoena issued to Ms. Lewinsky in Paula Jones' sexual harassment suit against Clinton.

The Jordan deposition at the

Capitol was conducted in a secure room usually reserved for intelligence briefings. The session gave House prosecutors an opportunity to question Jordan about facts that emerged from testimony Ms. Lewinsky gave last summer after Jordan had completed his own appearances before a federal grand jury.

White House lawyers asked only two questions at the end of the session, which last about three hours, the sources said. Presidential lawyers had asked no questions of Ms. Lewinsky a day earlier.

The same sources said Jordan made clear in his latest testimony that the president was behind his efforts to find a job in New York for Ms. Lewinsky and that he gave it attention because he did not want to disappoint Clinton.

When Jordan's name first surfaced in the Lewinsky controversy, he issued a statement in January 1998 saying he conducted the job search at the behest of Oval Office secretary Betty Currie.

In his first grand jury appearance, in March, Jordan stuck to his account about Currie. But in later appearances, he conceded that "I do believe that" the president told Currie to ask for the job help and that Clinton "knew that I had gotten her a job, he knew that I had gotten her a lawyer. ... He was interested in this matter. He is the source of it coming to my attention in the first place."

House prosecutors are hoping such evolutions or changes in testimony will bolster their case as they make one last-ditch effort to persuade senators to call witnesses for live testimony in the well of the Senate before the trial ends.

"It will be our intention to request live witnesses," said head prosecutor Henry Hyde, R-Ill., but none beyond the three who are providing depositions. White House aide Sidney Blumenthal will be questioned Wednesday.

Hyde said the Lewinsky and Jordan testimony had "strengthened some points" of the prosecution case.

Senators got their first chance Tuesday to see Ms. Lewinsky's videotaped testimony at four closed Capitol sites and came away suggesting there was little or nothing new, seemingly dimming the chance that she will be called to the Senate floor.

"Based on what my staff told me, there is nothing new. If there in fact is nothing new, I would not expect her to be called" to testify

in person, said Robert Bennett, a Republican from Utah.

And Larry Craig of Idaho, a member of the Republican leadership, responded "probably not" when asked whether there was anything to be gained in calling Ms. Lewinsky to appear before the Senate after the trial resumes Thursday.

If the Senate's 45 Democrats oppose live testimony, as expected, only six Republicans would have to join them to move the trial toward beginning closing arguments as early as this weekend. The goal of both parties is to vote on the perjury and obstruction of justice charges by Feb. 12.

One Republican senator who viewed the Lewinsky videotape, Orrin Hatch of Utah, said he believed it would be helpful to have her testify in person.

"It's far better for the public to meet her and make up their own minds," Hatch said. "Personally, I found her to be young, vulnerable and credible. I think she'd make a very effective witness."

Evan Bayh, D-Ind., after watching the tape, suggested the decision on whether to call her to testify wasn't a major issue. "It won't rank among the great constitutional struggles in the history of our country," he said.

Separately, senators and the White House were talking about a Republican proposal to allow some sort of trial statement that would declare Clinton had done wrong but would not remove him from office.

That found no favor among the Clinton defenders. Such a "finding of facts," said White House press secretary Joe Lockhart, "violates directly the Constitution."

Lockhart said such a statement or a censure resolution, which would need only a simple majority, should be separate from the trial — which should end with a vote requiring a two-thirds majority for conviction. Democrats have demonstrated in several votes that they have the strength to keep the Republicans well short of the 67 votes needed.

Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., who made an unsuccessful motion to dismiss the trial earlier, told CNN on Tuesday that "there's no question about (Clinton) having given false testimony under oath and he did that more than once."

However, the senior Senate Democrat said he would not vote to convict because he doesn't believe Clinton should be removed from office.

HOUSE

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of the Executive Board talk and see them at work," he said. "They want to make the House and PC become the Student Government Association."

Oubre said Alexander deserves credit for new ideas and combining House and PC.

"Ben is turning over the House to Sarah Burleson, House vice president, and PC to Adam Ryan, SGA vice president for programming," he said. "He is the supervisor of both, and that is what I envision as a SGA president."

Oubre, a member of the University Relations Committee, said that the internal structure of the House and PC has been changed,

but the external image of the House needs work.

"People don't know what we are about," he said. "We are working on changing how the students view us."

Alexander also said the House had problems with visibility and attendance at meetings, but new changes are in place.

"The motivation to attend meetings and reach out comes from the representatives themselves," he said. "The vice president is doing a lot to empower them, to show them that their job is important."

Alexander said once they see how important their job is, representatives will not want to miss meetings.

"A new thing for the semester is the representatives having hours of availability in their residence halls," he said. "This way, students can go to them with their concerns."

Message boards will be placed in the Student Center to keep students informed on bills, resolutions and topics under debate, Alexander said.

"The boards allow for more personal contact," he said. "They can write how they vote for certain issues and write comments."

Alexander is looking forward to the upcoming year.

"There is a lot planned," he said. "We want to get the student body involved."

FROG

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director of housing assignments for five.

"I love the students," Grieser said. "I love the energy and activity of a college campus."

Grieser said she received incredible support from faculty and students while she was recently on medical leave. She was injured in an accident last fall that kept her from the office for several weeks.

"One of the reasons I applied at TCU is because we are a caring university," she said. "I was pleased to receive so many messages from staff members, but I was even more grateful to have received a surprising number of messages from students."

Outside of the TCU community, Grieser is involved in Grace Lutheran Church in Arlington and also serves as a Girl Scout leader. She has three children and has been married for 30 years.

Grieser said she will arrange her daughter Emily's housing situation for the upcoming fall semester, when she plans to come to TCU as a freshman.

"I'm going to do it like everyone else's," Grieser said. "But I will ask her what she thinks."

Mary Ruth Jones, administrative assistant for residential services, said Grieser is an integral part of the residential services staff.

"We all have certain responsibilities, but we all overlap and help each other," Jones said. "She's one of the team."

Patricia Kellum, a junior speech pathology major, said Grieser always has a positive outlook.

"She's really flexible," said Kellum, a student assistant in resi-

dential services and a resident assistant in Waits Hall. "Everything has a time schedule, but she doesn't get stressed out about it. She just keeps her goal in mind."

Emily Berry, a freshman chemistry major, said Grieser did a good job of pairing her with Rebecca Boone, her roommate in Sherley Hall.

"I was amazed at how different people that never knew each other can be so similar," Berry said. "We even have dogs that look exactly alike."

Boone said she originally had some concerns about sharing a room with a stranger.

"I've heard a lot about being paired up, but I think she did a good job because my roommate and I are awesome together," she said.

Karen Baker, assistant director of residential services, said Grieser is always sensitive to the private needs of students.

"One of the things that is most impressive to me is that she knows so many students by name," Baker said. "And not only does she know their name, but she remembers some unique situation about their room. She has an incredible memory."

Baker said Grieser is an honest and caring person.

"She is as genuine as she appears," Baker said. "She sincerely cares for every student."

Baker said Grieser's position in residential services fits her caring personality.

"Sometimes you hear about people who are a perfect match for their jobs," Baker said. "She is one of those people."

Money matters

Clinton, Republicans have plans for the budget surplus

By Alan Fram
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Ushering in the new millennium with the promise of huge federal surpluses, President Clinton proposed on Monday a \$1.77 trillion budget for the year 2000 that would buttress Social Security and bestow billions on everything from troops to teachers.

Republicans who control Congress immediately vowed to rework much of it.

Staking out this year's political battlefield, they insisted that hundreds of billions of the \$2.41 trillion in surpluses Clinton envisions over the next decade should be returned to Americans in tax-rate cuts, not used for new spending.

"Basic fairness dictates that some of this overpayment should go back to the taxpayers," said House Speaker Dennis Hastert of Illinois. "We don't want to invent programs to spend the surplus on," said Senate Budget Committee Chairman Pete Domenici, R-N.M.

Economists caution that a deep, protracted recession could erase the projected black ink, which began abruptly last year with a surplus of \$69 billion.

But Clinton exulted that after three decades of unremitting deficits, the mountains of money give Washington "a special obligation" to address problems gnawing at the country. He would not only brace the government for the looming retirement of 76 million baby boomers, but reduce the \$5.6 trillion national debt built over decades of federal borrowing — and spend money for scores of other purposes.

"We have a rare opportunity that comes along once in a blue moon to any group of Americans," Clinton said as he outlined his plan at the White House.

The partisan positioning underlined how even in a time of budget plenty, the two parties are largely continuing familiar appeals to their political bases.

Democrats are rallying behind Social Security and expanded domestic spending,

while Republicans are raising their twin banners of tax cuts and smaller government.

Clinton would spend \$39 billion more, or 2 percent more, than is planned for fiscal year 1999, which runs through Sept. 30. But thanks to the humming economy, he anticipates \$77 billion more in federal revenue, allowing this year's expected \$79 billion surplus to swell to \$117 billion in 2000.

If those numbers seem surreal, so did the juxtaposition of the day's two chief events: As the president was releasing his budget, lawyers from his Senate impeachment trial were in a Mayflower Hotel room blocks away, questioning Monica Lewinsky about her affair with Clinton.

The impeachment fallout could leave both sides eager to build records of legislative achievement, or it could make them eager to draw political distinctions as the 2000 elections approach. Initial signs pointed to confrontation.

Republicans agreed with Clinton that most of the surpluses should be set aside to trim the national debt and strengthen Social Security. But the two sides are already fighting over how to do that.

And while Republicans want to use most of the remaining surpluses — nearly \$800 billion over 10 years — largely to cut income tax rates, Clinton prefers aiming that money at Medicare, new retirement investment accounts, and defense and domestic programs.

"In all my years in Congress, I've never seen such a kitchen-sink approach to government," mocked tax-cut advocate Rep. Bill Archer, R-Texas, chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee.

Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin shot back, saying that reducing the federal debt is "a far better use of the surplus than consuming it now with a tax cut."

Rather than broadly trimming tax rates, Clinton proposed \$36.2 billion in narrowly targeted tax cuts over the next five years. They include a new \$1,000 tax credit to help people afford long-term care for elderly or disabled

relatives, and a credit of up to \$500 for stay-at-home parents of babies under age 1.

But because budget rules require many spending increases to be paid for, Clinton would also raise taxes by \$82 billion through 2004.

The biggest chunk — \$34.5 billion — would come from boosting the current 24-cent-a-pack cigarette tax to 94 cents next year. That would include a new 55-cent increase, and accelerate an already approved boost that hasn't yet taken effect. Congress showed little taste for higher tobacco taxes last year.

Clinton's budget also assumes the federal government will pocket \$18.9 billion through 2004 from legal settlements the 50 states have reached with the tobacco industry.

But opposition in Congress and from states makes the fate of that proposal questionable as well.

Most of the rest of the tax increases would affect businesses and investors — and have been rejected before by Congress.

Clinton would raise user fees on scores of federal activities by \$25.8 billion over the next five years. The meat, poultry and egg industries would have to reimburse the government for inspections. And health-care providers would pay a new \$1 fee for filing reimbursement claims on paper.

Overall, Clinton proposed at least \$129 billion in new initiatives, both in new spending and tax cuts. He would:

— Gradually boost Pentagon spending, including giving military personnel their biggest pay boost in two decades, 4.4 percent, while increasing the money for anti-missile defense and weapons purchases.

— Provide \$1.4 billion, \$200 million above 1999, to continue hiring more elementary school teachers.

— Expand tax credits for child care by \$6.3 billion over five years.

— Give the National Institutes of Health a \$320 million boost to its \$15.6 billion budget, a 2 percent increase that congressional Republicans will probably increase.

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Payton in need of transplant

ROSEMONT, Ill. (AP) — NFL great Walter Payton has a rare liver disease and needs a transplant, his doctor said today.

The 44-year-old former Chicago Bears star is being placed on a list to receive a new liver, said Dr. Joseph Lagattuta.

The cause of the disease — primary sclerosing cholangitis — is not known. However, it is not related to alcohol, steroids, hepatitis or any kind of immunodeficiency disease, Lagattuta said.

The one-year survival rate is 88 percent for those who receive a liver transplant, and the long-term survival rate is "very promising," Lagattuta said. Most people can return to a normal, active life, he said.

Patients in Payton's condition survive an average of two years without a transplant, the doctor said.

Only three in 100,000 people develop the disease, known as PSC, he said.

Payton said he called the news conference today because of the speculation about his obvious weight loss.

He appeared gaunt at his son Jarrett's news conference last week to announce he would play football for the University of Miami.

"Right now, I'm still healthy, even though I look like I've lost weight," Payton said.

Swim meets bring victory

By Tom Sullivan
STAFF REPORTER

The men's and women's swimming and diving teams concluded their home meet schedule last weekend at the Rickel Building.

The women had two home meets, beating the University of Houston on Friday, and losing to Rice University on Saturday; the men beat Rice on Saturday.

The Lady Frogs looked impressive on Friday, winning 147-94, and sweeping the last five events. They won in eight events with the high-light coming in the 200-yard freestyle, as freshman Jamie MacCurdy won the event and junior Robyn King placed second.

"This was a good win for us," said head coach Richard Sybesma. "Houston has improved a lot and we didn't even swim our best lineup."

Senior Amanda Stevens, who won the 500-yard freestyle, said the Lady Frogs looked good.

"I thought Friday went very well," she said. "It was fun to beat Houston. We whipped them, and we were fired up."

Saturday was a different story for the Lady Frogs; they lost 152-132. TCU did get victories in five events

with MacCurdy winning two — the 200-yard backstroke and 400-yard individual medley.

Sybesma said fatigue was a factor. "Rice was fresher than we were, and they had two weeks off before this meet," Sybesma said.

The men dominated Rice on Saturday 163-75. The Frogs placed first in 11 events.

Senior Jason Flint extended his streak in the 200-yard breaststroke to 26 consecutive victories.

In the most exciting event of the day, juniors Brian Kirkpatrick and Adrian Velasquez tied in the 100-yard butterfly.

"We looked pretty good," Sybesma said. "We have a better program than Rice but we didn't have as much competition as the women did."

Last weekend's meets were the 10th in the last 30 days for the squads.

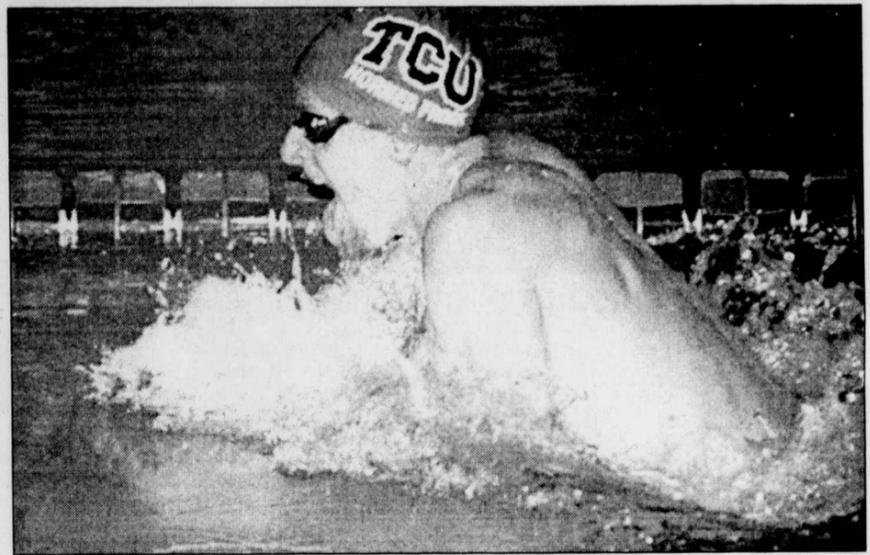
"Our kids were focused but were a little tired," Sybesma said. "We'll back off our training a little bit and be ready for our conference meets at the end of February and beginning of March."

Both squads will travel to College Station on Friday for a meet against Texas A&M.



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Junior Jennifer Savage (left) and the women's swim team competed in two meets last weekend. The Lady Frogs defeated the University of Houston Friday and lost to Rice Saturday. The men's team, led by senior Jason Flint (below), had one meet, beating Rice on Saturday.



Rifle team stifled in tourney

By Karen Kassebeer
STAFF REPORTER

The women's rifle team had its first spring tournament Saturday, competing in the Southwest Individual Tournament at the University of Texas El Paso.

Final scores from the tournament are not available, head coach Roger Ivy said, but the team did not win.

Ivy said he was disappointed with the scores.

"We did OK with air rifle, but it's not what I like to see," he said, adding that the teams weren't able

to practice as much as they could have.

Before the tournament, some construction of the Tom Brown/Pete Wright community complex caused several problems with the campus shooting range, including a broken water pump that made practice almost impossible, he said. The range is now open for practice.

The rifle team has been ranked overall as No. 23 in NCAA and No. 24 in the air rifle division. The women's ROTC rifle team is ranked No. 1 in air rifle and No. 2

respectively in the .22-caliber division, he said.

The team consists of a varsity and junior varsity teams, known as the purple and white teams, respectively. All shooters compete in both the air rifle category which is worth a maximum of 400 points and in the .22-caliber division, which is worth a total of 1,200 points.

Michelle Parker, the team captain, scored the highest in the .22-caliber division with a score of 1,082. The next best shooter for TCU was Sarah Farmer, a junior

psychology major, with a score of 1,047.

Parker said, "I think we did pretty good for not being able to practice."

Farmer said her goal is to perform at the same level she did last semester, and now that the range has been re-opened, she said she expects the team to do better in its next meet.

The team will be taking nine women this weekend to Shreveport, La. to compete against Centenary College. Ivy said he expects both of his teams to win.

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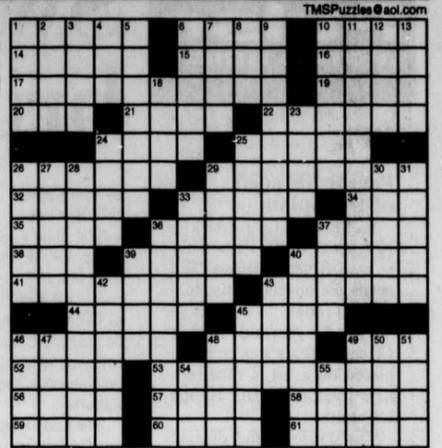
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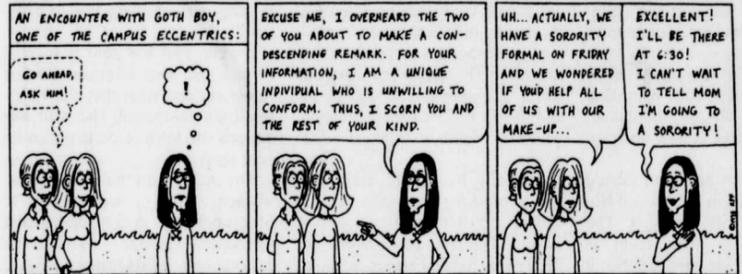
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 - Pond scum
 - Shopping complexes
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 - Scottish caps
 - Hoosegow
 - Pesky insect
 - Epoch
 - Weekend cowboys
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 - Gave an account
 - Quaking trees
 - Medicinal fluid
 - Mineral veins
 - Lug laboriously
 - Caspian feeder
 - Addams Family cousin
 - Jai
 - "The Catcher in the Rye" author
 - Strong wind
 - Expel
 - Maine town
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 - Watch abbr.
 - Pooh's creator
 - Copying
 - "Peter Pan" dog
 - Easter item
 - Rhode Island town
 - Spotted wildcat
 - Author of "Lady Chatterley's Lover"
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 - Carnaby Street shoppers, once
 - Manipulates
 - Sheep beats
 - Stirs to anger
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