



"It's here because it's true, not true because it's here."

## Pearson, Robitaille to head Congress Executive Board

By Moira Fay

On Thursday, January 24, Slavin Center became the scene of democracy in action, as 42 percent of the electorate of Providence College cast their votes for a new Student Congress Executive Board. All PC students were eligible to vote, and a total of 1,437 votes were cast. Those elected, all members of the Class of '81, were: president, Bill Pearson; vice-president, Marie Robitaille; secretary, Mark "Mitch" Vogel; and treasurer, Ken McGunagle. The newly elected officers will commence their terms on February 17. Bill Pearson, an accounting major from Valhalla, NY, has

served this past year as Resident Board president. Pearson narrowly defeated another presidential hopeful, Barbara Cassell, and a third opponent, Paul Alagero. Pearson said that he is looking forward to working with the entire new Executive Board. He particularly wants "to thank everyone who helped out in the campaign, especially Bob Magner and the entire campaign staff, and all those who voted for me."

On the agenda for the new board is a plan to fight the proposed raise in the RI legal drinking age. Pearson said that they plan to "fight it because raising the age to 20 would split the College and affect school life." Pearson commented that outgoing Congress President

Kerry Rafanelli "laid a good foundation. We'll take it from there, and try to build on it."

Vice-president-elect, Marie Robitaille, is a biology major from Cheshire, CT, and a former class representative. Robitaille said that she is "enthusiastic and confident of our ability to accomplish the goals we have ahead of us."

Secretary-elect, Mark "Mitch" Vogel, was the top vote-getter of this election. Vogel is a marketing major from South Windsor, CT, and also a former representative of his class.

Treasurer-elect, Ken McGunagle, is a political science major from Cranston, RI. McGunagle is presently serving as treasurer for the Class of '81.



Mich Vogel, Marie Robitaille, Bill Pearson and McGunagle.

## Committee strives for alcohol awareness

With the approbation of Rev. Thomas R. Peterson, O.P., president of the College, an alcohol awareness "ad hoc" committee was formed late last semester by Rev. John A. McMahon, O.P., assistant vice president for Student Services. The catalyst for the formation of this new committee was a request made to Father McMahon by the College's Committee on Discipline. The purposes or goals of the committee are many, but may be summed up in stating that the committee will attempt, in various ways, to convey to the college community all of the consequences that the responsible decision to imbibe involves. The committee is not anti-alcohol; it is anti-abuse of alcohol.

With the proposed raise of the

legal drinking age in Rhode Island, one of the tasks facing the committee will be to offer to the college, especially administrators, various suggestions in coping with that situation.

The committee is contemplating a questionnaire to be distributed to students concerning attitudes toward drinking. The members of the committee would welcome suggestions that anyone might have to offer.

The members of the committee are: Father McMahon, Student Services; Rev. Thomas Erlic, O.P., Chaplain; Rev. Bondi, Faculty; Col. DeCorso, Resident; Miss Kiernan, Counseling Center; Ona Perz, R.N., Student Health; and students Sue Berg, Paul McVicker, Maureen O'Hare, and George West.

## Business dept. heard

By Donna Bunn

The Providence College Planning Committee held an open session Thursday in '64 Hall to discuss proposed curricular changes within the business department. According to the chairman, Rev. Thomas R. Peterson, O.P., the committee was organized to oversee revisions in the academic areas of the school. This process will extend over the next year or so, eventually taking all academic departments into consideration. In approaching this matter, the committee's method has been to "allow the department to plan for itself," according to Father Peterson. They do this by inviting all interested department members (faculty and students alike) to participate in the preliminary meeting.

Dr. Ronald Cerwonka, business department chairperson, necessarily played a major role in Thursday's meeting. The session opened with several essential questions directed to him by committee members.

When asked what he felt the business department's greatest problem was, Cerwonka replied that the department's continued growth presented many problems in terms of adjustment, specifically the need for more faculty.

The committee generally agreed that the staff was overworked. Committee member Paul van K. Thompson suggested that college

status concerning faculty promotion were unfair to business teachers considering their greater class obligations, especially with regard to PC's requirement for scholarly publications. Cerwonka also stated that he felt the reason behind the department's fairly recent growth spurt was that an increasing number of students were discovering the need for marketable skills in the outside world. In response to a committee member's question, Cerwonka admitted that department growth would have to be limited, but even with no increase in the number of students in the department next year, three new faculty members were badly needed.

In response to a student complaint that business majors should be allowed more free electives and to be able to expand their education, Gustave Cote, business faculty member, said that the 104-hour graduation requirement was the faculty source. The business department must require a certain number of hours in order to meet the standards of outside business associations, and these, coupled with college liberal arts requirements, simply didn't allow any extra room for electives. In fact, Cote believed that even that amount of business credit was insufficient, thus explaining the student's tendency to take on a fifth business course in their junior and senior years, instead of electing a desired liberal arts course.

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## BOG adopts new admission policy

By Brian Otovic

On Monday, January 28, the Board of Governors held their weekly meeting. The main topic of discussion was the events that took place Saturday night at the mixer which featured the group "Apple."

The vandalism that occurred was a cause for concern. At about 12:15 a.m., a fire alarm was pulled by an unknown person in lower Slavin. Evacuation and the eventual end of the mixer was the result. Also, one of the fire extinguisher boxes was smashed, causing a flood. Lastly, a mirror was broken in the men's room in upper Slavin. The Board discussed these occurrences and

considered their options, concluding that something must be done.

The Board of Governors president, Thomas Corcoran, stated that most of the time these problems arise from either a minority of students or from students who do not attend PC. Thus the Board is determined to discourage non-PC students from attending Providence College activities.

The new policy adopted is this: If a student does not have a PC I.D., he/she will not be allowed into any BOG sponsored activity. There are to be no exceptions to this rule. The Board saw no reason why every PC student could not comply with this

request. Guests will be allowed in, under a sponsorship program. The student with a PC I.D. may sponsor or sign-in no more than two guests. The guests must present positive identification which will be held until the end of the night. The cover charge for the guest will be double the amount that is paid by a PC student. The reason behind this is that students are paying an activity fee for these events and outsiders really don't deserve the benefits of a low-priced mixer. The BOG also reserves the right to refuse any student entrance to an event, due to intoxication or other reasons.

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## PC surveys students on draft issue

By Steve Ylvia

It has been nearly seven years since any Americans have been drafted, but with the current tensions in Iran and Afghanistan, those days may be numbered. Last Wednesday, President Carter gave his annual State of the Union address, and in it he outlined a plan to reinstitute draft registration for men. This order, however, does not extend to women since congressional approval is needed to do that. In addition, the President plans to ask Congress for approximately \$10 million to purchase computers

debated their ideas on the draft but generally agreed with Mr. Carter's reasons for wanting to resume draft registration.

Kerry Rafanelli, outgoing Student Congress president, said the country has been "pulled together by one issue"—the American hostages in Iran. He added, "I'm not excited about going to war but I'd go if needed. What is a country if you don't have the courage to stand up for what you believe?"

Dick Howe, a senior and a member of Army ROTC, said he feels the draft would improve the quality of people in the armed forces.

The group agreed that at the present time there appears to be much less public resistance over going to war. They also felt, however, that a resistance movement would start if this conflict dragged on. This time people want results—not another Vietnam.

## Fr. Dore celebrates 80th

By Cathy & Carol Smith

Once again Rev. Vincent C. Dore's birthday was enthusiastically celebrated at Providence College.

The party, which was held in Aquinas Lounge, was to commemorate Father Dore's 80th birthday on January 31.

The party was put on by the Dore Hall dormitory council. Among those invited were the girls of Dore Hall, the entire Providence College Dominican Community, and friends of Father Dore.

The arrangements were made by Mr. Joseph Murphy, director of Food Services. The birthday cake, a replica of Dore Hall, was See FR. DORE, Page 2



Father Dore, 80 years young.

# News

## "Communication is not dead" Workshop held

By Karen Ryder

The art of communication is not dead. According to Jan Phillips of the Providence College Sociology Department, it just needs a bit of revitalization.

This was the objective when she and Bill Phillips of the Counseling Center joined forces and created a Communications Workshop. The workshop was specifically designed for Ms. Phillips' two Introduction to Sociology classes. Its prime purpose was to improve communications between students, as well as between students and the teachers.

Ms. Phillips feels that the students in her sociology classes have a crucial role in the learning experience. Also, because she teaches in a "style that is not all lecture," she wanted the students to assess their communication skills and be made aware of them, as well of the barriers that exist in communicating.

## Fr. Dore; 49 years of service

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specially prepared for the occasion.

Brother Kevin O'Connell was the Master of Ceremonies. Donna McCaffrey, head resident of Dore Hall, made a statement on behalf of the residents of Dore.

"We're very happy in Dore Hall. We know we have a special person who watches over us and keeps us in his prayers. That person is Father Dore."

Father Thomas Ertle, O.P., Chaplain of PC, has known Father Dore since he was a student here. "He has always been a man who is very approachable. He certainly works with the students. Father Dore has given most of his priestly life to the College," he said.

Mr. Joseph Murphy is a long time personal friend of Father Dore. He described him as being "a wonderful man. Mine is a personal relationship with Father Dore. Father married my wife and me. I served when he was Athletic Director, Dean of Studies, President, and now Chancellor," Murphy remarked.

Father Dore plays an active role

in the PC community. "He does much work in public relations and has a deep interest in the alumni and their families. He is a phenomenal man," says Father Ertle.

Rev. Paul Bernardin, O.P., reiterated that Father Dore "loves the College. Father does much with Public Relations."

Another of the guests was Eileen Walsh, who has been Father Dore's secretary for 33 years. "He is one of the kindest and most humble persons I have met. He's tops in every way," she reflected.

Father Dore gave a brief history of his years with Providence College. He arrived at Providence College in 1919. After two years, he left PC, to return in 1931.

"I have spent 49 years here at the College," he said. "I would rate today with that day in 1919 when I first came to Providence College."

"I am grateful for all that you did with this reception. This is coming from the heart and no amount of gifts can equal it. I want you to know that I love you."

Lynn Abbott, Dorm Council president of Dore Hall, presented Father Dore with a plaque. The inscription reads: "Given by the friends and 'daughters' in honor of Rev. Vincent C. Dore's 80th birthday, 1/31/80."

The plaque will be placed in the lounge of Dore Hall.

The workshop consisted of various exercises and discussions that strengthen listening and speaking ability. During a workshop session, a brief film was shown, depicting students within a classroom setting. By observing the film, Ms. Phillips' students could see what type of question provoked what type of response, and then apply this to their own experiences in the classroom.

Listening skills were emphasized through the use of triads, which are groups of three students, listener, speaker, and referee. After the speaker has voiced his opinion on a controversial issue, the listener gives a recap of what the speaker has just said. The referee then evaluates how well the listener and speaker performed in their roles.

Having been alerted to their strengths and weaknesses in communicating, the students apply what they have learned about themselves to their behavior in class.

Ms. Phillips described the workshop as "a one-shot deal,"



Jan Phillips

because it required that the class meet at night for a total of four hours, and she did not like having to ask this of her students.

When asked if the feedback from her classes has been positive, Ms. Phillips declined to speak for the students. However she did say, "My sense is that they found it very valuable. They've begun to look at themselves in terms of how they participate in class." Also, Ms. Phillips stated that she has found a noticeable difference between her classes that have already had the workshop and the ones that have not. One of their greatest accomplishments is the elimination of the teacher as a middle-man. That is, students no longer direct all their comments and questions to the teacher, but to each other as well, which was one of the main goals of the workshop.

Security,  
BOG shuffle

In compliance with popular opinion, the movement of the security office from Slavin Center to Joseph Hall is not going to occur. The move was first proposed last October, by Mr. James Cunningham, director of Safety and Security. His intention was to put the office in a more advantageous location.

At the time, there was much discrepancy over the reasoning behind this move. It was felt by a majority of people at PC that a security office in the basement of Joe's could certainly not be more advantageous than one in the heart of student activity: Slavin Center.

Cunningham, when questioned this week about the termination of the proposal, said that he had originally wanted to escape the congestion of the Slavin Center office. However, student opposition was heard by the Safety and Security Committee, which is chaired by Rev. John A. McMahon, O.P. The Committee agreed with the students, that the office should remain in Slavin.

To compensate for the lack of room in the Security Office, the Committee declared that the office should be expanded into the room now held by the BOG. This will necessitate a move by the BOG from Slavin 212 to Slavin 213.

## Around the campus

### Workshop

The Counseling Center is sponsoring a "Time Management Workshop" tonight, Wednesday, January 30, at 7:00 p.m. in Slavin Room 104.

### Planning Committee

The College Planning Committee will meet with the chemistry department on Friday, February 1, at 2:00 p.m. in Albertus Magnus, room 203. All interested students are encouraged to attend and contribute their ideas.

### Sing-A-Thon

The PC Chorus will conduct a Sing-A-Thon on Saturday, February 2, in '64 Hall. It will run from 12:00 noon to 12:00 midnight.

### Lecture

The Chaplain's office is hosting Rev. Kenneth Latoile, O.P., and Sister Elaine Keenan, O.P., who

will present a lecture entitled "Careers in the Church" on Monday, February 4, at 7:00 p.m. in Aquinas Lounge. Father Latoile and Sister Keenan will also speak at all the Masses in Aquinas Chapel on the weekend of February 2 and 3.

### Blood Drive

The Knights of Columbus will sponsor a blood drive on Tuesday, February 5, in Slavin Room 203. Stop by anytime between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

### Seminar

The Counseling Center is sponsoring a seminar on Interviewing Skills on Wednesday, February 6, at 2:30 p.m. in Slavin Room 217.

### Clinic

The Counseling Center is also holding a Quit Smoking Clinic on Wednesday, February 6, at 2:30 p.m. in Slavin Room 217.

## Mixer restrictions

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new policy were discussed and evaluated. Basically the Board of Governors is a volunteer organization which sponsors events for the students at PC. The events that occurred at "Apple" were not a first. The Board feels that in order to minimize damage and maximize enjoyment, these rules

must be put into effect. A proposal to cancel all BOG events this weekend was considered, but was not seen as an answer. Instead it is hoped that the new policy will prevent any further outbreaks.

Also, the limit of people in an upper level mixer is, by state fire laws, 600-650 people. This allows for a less crowded and more enjoyable atmosphere. The elimination of non-PC students also reduces the possibility of damage because many students who don't attend PC aren't as respectful of the school while they are here.

Rowdiness and rude behavior is generally seen as the stem of all the damage. Unless this attitude stops, the amount and quality of BOG entertainment will change. The BOG urges all students to respect the new policy in order to avoid forfeiting some of our activities.

## Bus. school

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Having held a preliminary meeting to gather ideas and opinions from the business department, the next step for the Planning Committee is to decide how these suggestions can best be used in revising the curriculum.

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Wednesday, Feb. 6, 2:30-4:00

Joseph 212

Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2:30-4:00

Joseph 212

Tuesday, Feb. 19, 7:00-9:00

Joseph 212

The purpose of the seminar is to acclimate any interested member of the College community to speaking in front of large audiences. All oral communications will be video-taped and provide the participants with a means of observing weekly progression.

Seating is limited to 25. Please contact Mr. Gemma at 2332 in advance to pre-register.

# Debate Team: Young and successful

It was not long ago that Providence College did not have a debate team. Since then, one has evolved that has become active and successful. It was in 1977 that Henry Monti and Peter Comerford were discussing the start of a debate team at PC. They were informed that Brown University was holding a tournament. They put out the initial investment for entry fees, et al, and went on to take third place. At that time, their primary concern was the simple enjoyment of intercollegiate competition and the joy of talking. These ideas are still present, but their understanding has clearly evolved.

Presently, the team is chaired by senior Peter Comerford and sophomore Frank Manni.

"Over the years, we have become increasingly aware of the Dominican tradition of disputing questions, dating to the University of Paris. This has made us aware that the debate team is the perfect forum for producing eloquent spokesmen for the Catholic faith. In accord with this policy, we have never employed any argument that contradicts the traditions of Providence College in any way,"

explain Comerford and Manni.

In the three years since the team's formation, they have attended tournaments at Brown three times, Princeton twice, McGill twice, University of Toronto twice, and Columbia, Vassar, and Swarthmore once each, for a total of twelve. They win about half of all the rounds they compete in. "We consistently finish in the top half of the field. We have won a third place trophy, a second place speaker award, and several honorable mentions. This is even more impressive as we consider the relative inexperience of our team members and the short history of our team," comment Manni and Comerford.

Obviously, the team's youth has not deterred their success. The team has been compared favorably, by one official of the Canadian University Society for Intercollegiate Debating, with much older teams, such as those at Yale and Columbia. A former head of the University of Toronto Debating Union, Geoffrey Buergher, put it this way: "Providence College has one of the best American teams on the circuit."

"We on the debate team have come a long way toward our goal of making Providence College even better at being a liberal arts institution in the long tradition of the Dominican Order," comment Manni and Comerford. "We would like to thank all the faculty and administration members who have helped us along the way."

# PC chemists honored

By Nancy S. Moucha

Two Providence College seniors, Karen Ferrante and David Tahean, have been chosen by the American Chemical Society to present their paper on arthritis research. The presentation will be made at a joint seminar of the American Chemical Society and the Canadian Chemical Society, in Texas on March 24.

Ferrante and Tahean, both chemistry majors, will join 33 undergraduates and many international Chemical Society members, including Dr. O'Leary and Dr. Belliveau of Providence College, in presenting their paper.

Their paper was one of 35 papers chosen, dealing with arthritis research. The paper develops theories on the measurement of the arthritic condition in relation to level of corticosteroids in the body. They submitted an abstract of their paper to the A.C.S. and were recently notified that it had been selected by the Society.

Dr. O'Leary commented that he was very pleased that they were chosen out of such a competitive field. "This shows their individual ability; that they can do scientific research early on in their work."

If the theories that Ferrante and Tahean have developed work out,

# PC students taught assertiveness tactics

By Joyce Simard

An Assertiveness Training Workshop, conducted last semester by Mr. William Phillips of the Counseling Center, was so successful that with enough student interest, more workshops will be held. This program was begun in order to assist junior and senior social work majors with problems that might arise in their field work training. Different situations might arise, such as supervisors using the student to do the "dirty work," rather than training them for their careers, or clients taking advantage of the students due to their "new" status. In such instances, it would be difficult for the student to assert himself.

In the four week training program, students were taught to handle such situations effectively.

"The really nice thing about the workshop," remarked Phillips, "was that after the four weeks,

they will be of great scientific value. Their theories have medical implications that could make important advancements in the field of arthritis research.

After graduation from Providence College, Ferrante and Tahean plan to continue working in the chemical field. Ferrante will pursue her interests in biochemistry and Tahean will probably enter into molecular or marine biology.

the students wanted to keep meeting—and we did!"

Lectures, films and discussions were utilized to help students learn to communicate more effectively. "Most people think that assertiveness training deals with the negative side of communication, but that is only half of it," Phillips stated. "It is helping people to be able to say what is on their minds when it is hard to do. It is both negative and positive. It involves expressing compliments and caring, as well as alleviating stress so things won't get bottled up inside."

Phillips emphasized that, while the workshop focuses on communication in one's career, people can use it in other areas such as dating, and with roommates and family. Effective communication is necessary to every career, thus the Counseling Center wishes to extend this program to include all majors. All interested students are encouraged to leave their names with Phillips in the Counseling Center, so they can determine whether there is enough student interest to schedule another workshop.

# Watercolor exhibit

The Providence Watercolor Club will present a One Man Show of watercolors by Howard Connolly, A.W.S. of Westerly, Rhode Island at the Club Gallery, 6 Thomas Street from February 3 through February 22, 1980.

An opening reception will be held on Sunday, February 3, 1980 from 2 to 5 p.m. Gallery hours thereafter: Tues.-Sat. 12:30-3:30 p.m., Sundays 3-5 p.m.

# Law school backlog

Applicants to law schools are advised that delays in delivery of a new computer system have resulted in a backlog of Law School Data Assembly Service (LSDAS) reports to law schools. Law schools have been made aware of the problem through frequent updating on the status of the processing schedule.

Although law school admission offices may be somewhat slowed in making their decisions, students can be assured that fairness will be paramount, and no individuals will be penalized for late reporting delays incurred by the LSDAS.

Because of the backlog, it is estimated that, at the current processing rate, there will be delays for about the next eight weeks. Staff have been greatly expanded and are working long hours to meet these problems. Educational Testing Service (ETS), which administers the LSDAS, regrets any personal inconvenience to candidates.

The LSDAS was begun in 1970 at the request of the law schools. Its purpose is to summarize information from college transcripts, test scores from the Law School Admission Test and other biographical information used for evaluation by the law school admission offices.

If there are any specific problems that cannot wait, please write to Law Programs, Newton PA 18940.

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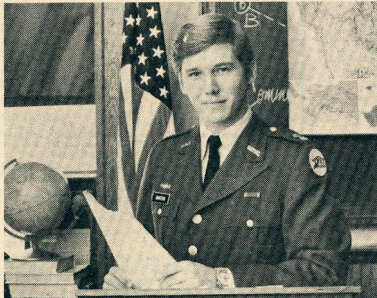
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## Baccalaureate Mass: On campus or at the cathedral?

(Editor's note: Because of the importance of this topic, the Editorial Board has decided to present both sides of the issue.)

### Grotto

For steely-eyed traditionalists and romantics alike, the Grotto is the best choice for PC's Baccalaureate Mass. Its very location makes it the most logical choice for the Class of '80's final Mass as part of the Providence College community.

It would be a real pity if the seniors were forced to relocate in the city. About the only reason a PC student would travel to downtown Providence is to see a basketball game in the Civic Center, the same place which houses the Commencement activities. At least one major event encompassing the whole class should be held on campus.

The sentimental value of having Mass on campus simply cannot be understated. Looking back 10, 20 or 30 years from then, reflecting on a ceremony at the Grotto would be infinitely more satisfying than an afternoon at the cathedral. The cathedral is certainly imposing and beautiful, but has little real significance to the ordinary PC senior.

While such a hue and cry is being raised about the havoc that will be wreaked in case of inclement weather, what happens if the weather is nice the day of the Mass? A nice day is wasted in the heat of the city. If, before the Mass, weather necessitates a shift from the Grotto to the cathedral, it will be tough but can be accomplished. Seating at the Grotto will be a problem. One suggestion for increasing the amount of spectators could be setting up additional seats on the hill next to Martin Hall.

Some sacrifices will have to be made to have Mass at the Grotto. As the size of PC's graduating classes increases, the problems of planning and scheduling do, also. It is not the role of the Core Committee to come up with the most practical place for the Mass; it is their job to come up with the most meaningful one. A major Commencement event like the Baccalaureate Mass deserves to be on campus. There has been some debate that because the Grotto is at the mercy of the elements, it would somehow take away from the dignity. Actually, it would add to it.

A giant-sized antiseptic cathedral does not necessarily mean a more dignified ceremony. A pastoral-type Mass attended by people who sincerely want to be there does. Warts and all, the Grotto is the best choice.

### Cathedral

The site of the Baccalaureate Mass for the Class of '80 was discussed at last week's senior class meeting. PC's Grotto has always been the traditional site for the Mass. However, for many reasons, the Cathedral of Saints Peter and Paul in downtown Providence would be a better location for this year's Mass.

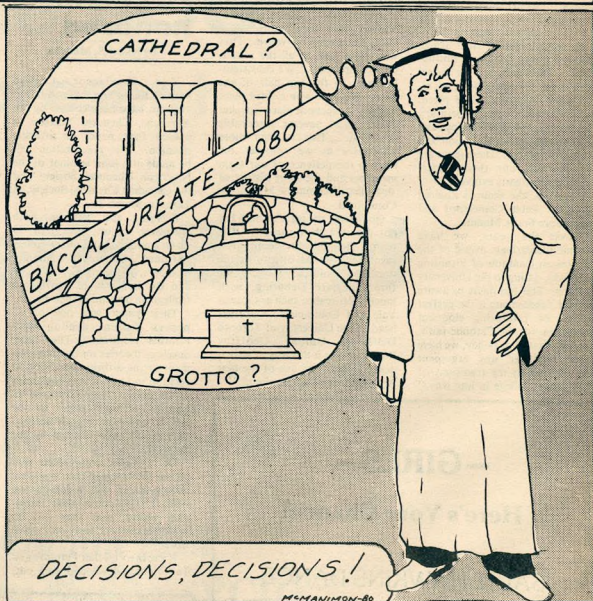
The major problem with the Grotto is the lack of seating. Because of the way the surface of the Grotto was graded, only about 1200 chairs can be rented for use at the Baccalaureate Mass. With the large classes of recent years, this number is not sufficient to accommodate the graduates, their families and other members of the College community. It is especially uncomfortable for those who are seated on ground which may be cold and damp. The students should take into consideration their parents and grandparents, for whom adequate seating would be available in the cathedral.

The cathedral would also provide the atmosphere proper to the Baccalaureate Mass. First, there is a good sound system which would better project the music of the liturgy. Also, the Baccalaureate Mass is by its nature a dignified ceremony, and the cathedral could make the Mass more meaningful in this respect.

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Another reason for moving the Baccalaureate Mass to the cathedral is the weather, unpredictable even in May. The cathedral, already the back-up location for the Mass, is both heated and air-conditioned. If weather conditions precluded the celebration of the Baccalaureate Mass in the Grotto, a logistical problem would result. A change in location on the day of the Mass would result in, among other things, difficulty in notifying everyone involved and last minute arrangements for transportation.

These arguments are not presented with the intention of neglecting tradition for the sake of practicality and ceremony. Seniors who favor the cathedral as the site of the Baccalaureate Mass are not discounting the value of the Grotto. It has been proposed that a mass for seniors be celebrated in the Grotto earlier in Commencement Week. If this idea is realized, the seniors will have a mass of their own that would be personal, memorable, informal and easily rescheduled.



## Security gatehouses: Asset to campus safety, yet revisions are suggested

This past week, the security gatehouses, constructed at the Harkins Hall and Huxley Ave. entrances, became functional. A product of the Safety and Security Committee, this project had been in the planning stages for almost two years.

The Editorial Board of the Cowl applauds this venture. It will obviously be an asset to the security of the campus, and hopefully reduce the incidences of vandalism and theft. Once the gatehouses begin operating on a permanent basis, student, faculty and staff automobiles will be required to show a sticker in order to gain entrance to campus. All other vehicles will be issued a visitor's pass. Indeed, these are all worthwhile ideas.

The Cowl does, however, question several aspects of the planning of this project. The purpose of the poles constructed at the Huxley Ave. entrance to Upper Campus is pending. It is obvious that their function is to control the flow of cars passing through the determined area. Why, however, was the first pole built so close to the guard house? The opening designed for one car to pass through is just barely adequate. The Editorial Board of the Cowl suggests the removal of this first pole. In the event that a fire truck would have to speed onto the campus, squeezing through this narrow opening would greatly hamper its progress. Allowing extra space would make this security system that much more effective.

Most would agree that the view of Harkins Hall from the main drive is impressive, if not picturesque. It has even been the theme of many a postcard and snapshot.

With the addition of these new security measures, however, this scene has been destroyed. The architectural structure of these gate houses has been unfavorably compared with that of a Foto-Mat. The Cowl urges that these

houses are advantageous to the general safety of the College. We recommend, however, that a revision to their structures be made so that they might blend in more smoothly with the surrounding scenery.

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# Forum for Ideas

## "Apple" mixer prompts new policy

By Thomas P. Cororan  
President, BOG

I am writing this week's column to inform the student body of the events surrounding last Saturday night's Upper Level Union party, and some of the consequences which will unfortunately result from it. The event was billed as Beale's Night, featuring the band "Apple," and was sponsored by the Social Committee of the Student Board of Governors.

When the BOG runs any upper level parties on weekends, it has to comply with certain standards set by the College administration and the Providence Fire Department. Among other things, these standards include the amount of alcohol being served, the time of the event, and most importantly the amount of people allowed into the event. The BOG as a rule must limit the amount of people into an upper level event, not because it wants to, but because it has to. We must comply with the existing fire laws and regulations.

Saturday night brought with it unusual circumstances...by 9 p.m. a sizeable crowd had gathered on the steps of Slavin, and by 9:30 the amount of people we could allow in were actually in the building. It was the earliest time I could recall ever having to shut down an event in the union due to crowd size.

Apparently, the situation did not comply with the people who came to Slavin after 9:30 to get into the event. All night long we had problems with people trying to sneak into the event through the various entrances in Slavin. These ranged anywhere from a few people sneaking into a side door to 25 people trying to storm the guard at the platform leading to upper Slavin.

Although we tried to keep tight security in the building, many of these people were successful in their attempts to gain entrance. Others were not so successful, and displayed their frustrations by doing such profound things as smashing a fire extinguisher window, turning on the hose to cause flooding, and finally pulling the fire alarm leading to the evacuation of the building.

This is not the first time we have had some crowd problems at upper level events...in November we ran the International Beer-festival, and also had to shut down the event due to crowd size, this time around 11. It just so happened that a disgruntled individual who could not find any way in, had to call the Providence Fire Department that night to say the event was overcrowded. The next union event the Board held, three fire marshals (\$65 a piece) had to

be hired because of the assinine behavior of one person.

Many people take the obvious and often repeated stance here—that is the actions of a few that ruin it for all. After working last Saturday night, I really did not buy this stance at all—I saw quite a few people causing problems.

I think it is about time people who go to events here start having some consideration for the people who work them. These people are all **volunteer help**—no one pays these students any money to work at an event—they offer to help to insure the event's success. They are not there to take excessive amounts of abuse from the student body.

I also think people should have more respect for the building in which they party. Senseless damage done to the union will only result in further restrictions placed on events allowed to be held there.

The BOG considered a couple of alternatives to get its point across after last weekend's fiasco. Among these were a cancellation of next weekend's events—Friday night's Stovall Brown party in Raymond Cafe, and Saturday night's opening of the Last Resort. After debating the issue in Monday's meeting, it was decided to keep the scheduled events, but to lay down policy affecting all future events.

This new policy will be in effect from now on. I ask you to refer to the article on the front page and the announcement in this issue. The rules are as follows: a) events will be open to PC students only—thus, they must show ID to gain entrance; b) PC students will be limited to two guests at events who must leave an ID at the door to insure their guests will comply with the rules (and to hold the proper people responsible in case something happens); c) these guests will be charged double the admission price that a PC student pays—we do not owe it to students from the University of Massachusetts or Lasalle Academy to provide low cost quality entertainment (they did not pay into an activity fee here like PC students did).

I sincerely hope students at PC will comply with this new policy—it is designed to work to their advantage, allowing the maximum amount of PC students into the event while restricting those outside the school (who often cause damage and cannot be traced). I hope people will show consideration and respect for those of us who volunteer our time and effort to run these events well. Please cooperate, we want to run the best events possible for the student body this year—we cannot do this with a student body that does not respect our needs.

# Inquiring Photographer

This week the Inquiring Photographer asked the question—*"What do you think of the possible re-institution of the draft?"*



Mark Flaherty, '81

"I'm not looking forward to it, but if I do get drafted, I'll go. I think the draft should include everyone, also."



Maureen Twobig, '81

"The draft may be necessary. I for one would not go—or encourage my friends or relatives to go."



Louis Macri, '81

"Sure I'd go—if they'd let me."



Mike Fote, '80

"If I was drafted, I'd go, but I wouldn't like to see another Viet Nam."



Gary R. Smart, '80

"I feel that the reinstitution of draft registration is fine as long as it is a gradual return. It should also be restricted to a smaller age group; from, say, 18-22 years old instead of 18-26, including women."



James Ross, '83

"The draft should be instituted, and women should not get front line combat duty, I'd go, I think, (it would get me out of Civ)."

If you have a question you think should be asked, mail your suggestion to the **Cowl**, P.O. Box 2981, or drop by the Cowl office, room 109 Slavin Center.

Cowl Photos by Steve Lichtenfels and Kathy Codega

## Kelly's Keane Komments

Are you willing to risk your neck for a beer? It seems that quite a few PC students are, and it's not only their necks, but their heads, ankles and arms, too.

I'm referring to the closing off

of the driveway which connects the campus with Douglas Ave. I fully realize that letting cars have free access to the campus is dangerous to all concerned. The two new gates on Smith and Eaton

Streets were constructed specifically to regulate the flow of traffic in the area, and are doing a good job of it!

What seems insane, to me, is not allowing students an easy, safe walkway along this route.

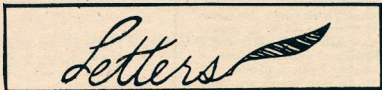
As it exists now, if and when you walk to Brad's, Dana's, or an apartment in that area, you have to be pretty agile to survive the trip.

Climb the inclining wall. Step over the barbed wire fence, then climb or jump your way onto the pile of broken glass, eight feet down...Add to this cold weather, mittens, a pair of clogs and occasionally a few inebriated youngsters and you've got a very hazardous situation.

The extent of this problem can be illustrated just by speaking with the students who've suffered badly sprained ankles, ripped shirts, scraped hands or lacerated heads, to name a few.

The purpose of this commentary is to awaken whoever is responsible for the door in the fence (the it security, neighbors, the College or police) in order to get it unlocked.

If students are going to move between PC and the rest of the world anyway, they might as well do it safely!



## Time cards anyone?

Dear Editor:

The recent installation of the gates at the Dore and Husley Ave. entrances must have been thought up over a few pitchers at Louie's. We are hoping that the masterminds behind this plot did not foresee the purpose of these gates as a true regulating device nor to minimize vandalism, i.e. the recent rapes and knifing incidents.

Aesthetically, the sheer beauty and poetic movement of these gates is easily visualized with the naked eye. But, we were more impressed with the amount of money and time which was devoted to such a colossal project in the sincere efforts to improve our lovely PC. Of course, all the

minor disadvantages of backed-up traffic (can't wait to see it at 8:00 a.m.) emergency vehicles (really, do you think the fire truck is going to stop and show his identification?) and the general resulting confusion can all easily be overlooked.

We sincerely wish you good luck in your endeavors and a substantial decline in the crime statistics here at our school. But, we suggest another worthwhile project for next year's tuition hike: a regulating device for students entering and exiting Slavin Union between classes, since we have already installed such permanent devices in each and every female dorm, this is our suggestion.

What's next, guys? Are we going to punch in and out of our rooms?

Toni Bescher, '82  
Elly Moan, '83

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# Features

## Emerging problem of a new decade: A challenge for Providence College

By Bill Sullivan

Throughout the course of human history, time has been a friend, an enemy, a help, a hinder. Within its never-ceasing and powerful grasp lies the entire scope of human destiny, marked by changes that have been brought about by its all-pervasive and never-ending presence. Thus, while the transition from one day to another, from one year to another, from one decade to another is only a seemingly insignificant part of a much larger panorama, the psychological aspects of entering a new decade—with its new hopes, new fears, and seeming uncertainty—are far from insignificant. For with the transition comes not only a realization that the world can somehow be made better, but also the realization that our lives should be directed toward that end. Indeed, in analyzing ourselves as individuals, we must realize that the roles that we, as maturing college students, will have to take will demand a clarity of purpose and degree of leadership that can only be achieved through a complete and balanced education. Toward that end, it seems only logical to evaluate and hopefully to appreciate the worth of an education that stresses the whole person—an education that for many reasons Providence College must continue to maintain.

Providence College is, and always has been, a liberal arts college that stresses the various aspects of a balanced education, an institution that seeks to develop the whole person, through a core curriculum that varies significantly and which includes courses ranging from music and art to biology and chemistry. This diverse core curriculum has been a hallmark of PC, a tradition of some sixty years since the Dominican Fathers found it in the early part of this century. It should, in many respects, be kept that way. The decisions of the future will be increasingly complex, and will require the best minds that society can offer. History is man's greatest teacher, and the study of the intellectual, societal, and historical trends that have shaped the decisions of the great leaders of the past are no less applicable today. In many cases the parallels that surface in history are

astounding; to ignore them would be naive. The liberal arts tradition here at Providence College must continue into the future, if we are to maintain a standard of excellence in post-secondary education that will be capable of meeting the challenges of a new decade.

The increasingly diverse yet dwindling supply of college students that can be expected in this new decade will require some difficult decisions for the college administration. Many pitfalls can arise in the decision-making processes as colleges begin to prepare for students in order to stay financially solvent. It will, in many instances, be tempting to reduce the standards for admission in order to obtain the "necessary" number of students, but along these lines of thinking Providence College must stay clear. The high reputation of this school must be and could be maintained if other facilities and programs are broadened in order to accommodate and attract prospective students to this school. An expanding curriculum, more extra curricular activities, and the decision to construct a new sports complex are all positive steps in this direction, ideal steps in that they will add a new dimension to college life here at PC while at the same time attract the smaller number of students that will be "available" by the end of this decade. With proper decision-making on the part of the administration, and through active cooperation with the student body, these goals can be brought well within our reach.

Yet to dream of the future, to make predictions of what will be, is in many ways just short of "hubris." It is, however, perfectly legitimate to consider the importance and the gravity of the positions that we, as college students, will be accepting within the next few years. In considering the roles that we must take in order to forge the world into what we want it to be, we must look back at the past, analyze the present, and use this knowledge to create a better future. The burden of leadership will be, for many of us, a challenge that will have to be shouldered with an admixture of courage, determination, and strong inner conviction—attributes that can be attained here at PC. In no uncertain terms, the future is seen today as a challenge that must be met by men with clear minds and visions that are

realistic, beneficial, and balanced in a world that often seems to be nothing more than some fleeting episode in a dream-like Disneyland. And here at PC, where unity, co-operation, and other positive attributes are fostered, the future in many ways appears to be a little brighter, as tomorrow's leaders prepare for the challenges that they will face in the ageless spirit that has always been a part of PC.

## Olympic insight

By Tom Bowen

As Russian forces continue their invasion of Afghanistan, the President of the United States was forced to draw the line. Since he could not put military pressure on the Soviets, the President decided to pressure the Soviets by issuing his Olympic boycott ultimatum.

Thus, the Russians either pull their troops out of Afghanistan by February 20, or the U.S. does not compete in Moscow this summer.

This would mean a terrific sacrifice on the part of American athletes, especially when you con-

## Gong Show glimmers



(left) John Glenn '80, sings and strums to an appreciative Gong Show audience. (below) Manckins from McVinney pay a tribute to the Wizard of Oz.



## Where's all the white stuff?

By Jeff Esposito

There is no snow on campus, and that's all wrong for this season. Many people, ski resort owners notwithstanding, dreamed of a white Christmas and now a bountiful covering. Whether the blame falls on nuclear reactors or seasonal cycles, the effect is the same. An undercurrent of disappointment sweeps everyone that loves the white stuff.

Instead of clean whiteness there is dust and trash in the streets. To walk across campus is to try to

navigate lumps of frozen mud, ridges and crests and petrified boot prints. Snow has a soothing quality because it covers up the stark reality of the world. There is no asphalt or barren lawn after a snowfall, just the snow. Get enough of it and the world slows down. Cranky professors become tolerant of late papers, and students learn to love Monday mornings.

People try to pretend that snow is just around the corner. Many wear hiking boots while there is nothing to hike through. They laugh, make jokes, lie and say

they prefer being without snow. If anyone dares be honest about their wish for snow, he is set upon by people who remind him of the state of the economy and the energy problem. Guilt is the reward of those who would "Think Snow."

There is a very real need in all of us, whether we willingly recognize it or not, to be snowed in. Or at least, snowed on. Within all of us is the child who made snowmen, fortresses and had snowball fights. It's a sad thing that the freshman class has not had the thrill of a snowball fight in the

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Slaving Center, Rm. 210

# Energy Task Force reports on questionnaire

The following is a copy of the Energy Task Force's report on the results of the Energy Conservation Questionnaire sent out in December.

The Energy Task Force mailed approximately 5,000 questionnaires to the Providence College community requesting information on possible energy conservation measures for the campus. 102 questionnaires were returned. 22 came from students, 80 from faculty, administration, and staff.

The number one energy related problem on campus appears to be temperature wings in most of the buildings. People complain that many areas are grossly overheated for at least part of the day, while other areas fall below 60 degrees.

Although it may be necessary to open windows to compensate for overheated rooms, we should be very careful to close them when we leave the room so that heat does not continue to escape.

A second area of concern centered on faculty, staff and students carelessly leaving lights on and windows open in unused rooms. Faculty are asked to be especially careful in monitoring lights and windows as they leave classrooms. Students are asked to monitor lights and windows in classrooms and in dorm rooms and additionally to be careful to turn off stereos, t.v. sets, and any

other electrical equipment as they leave their rooms. Since we do not pay the energy costs of the college directly, (although we do pay it indirectly), many of us treat campus energy as free. This attitude and the related behaviors need to change.

Several respondents pointed out particular broken windows and other specific problems. Other suggestions for conservation include:

- Automatic water shutoff valves in the lavatories.
- Restricting the water flow in showers.
- Timers on showers.

- Double doors on building entrances.
- Timer switches on lights in appropriate areas.
- Heavy curtains for dorm rooms.
- Rugs in dorm corridors.

- Reducing the amount of light in the library and Raymond Hall.
- Turning off lights in the athletic fields when they are not in use such as during rain storms. (But others point out that many of our outdoor lights are crucial for security reasons and we should turn them on at dusk and not wait for full darkness.)

- Close the college longer in January/stay open in summer.
- Regulator valves for radiators so people can shut them off when a room is warm enough.

An education campaign to encourage the College community to conserve energy.

- Lower high ceilings in older buildings.
- Employ work study students to monitor open windows and lights.
- Study the possibility of solar panels.

- Insulate the maintenance building and keep the mechanics garage doors closed.
- Replace the Dominican community's cars with more energy efficient models.
- More storm windows and insulation: 50% to college, 25% to students, 25% to faculty and staff.

- Conserve paper in lavatories, in offices, and in mass mailings.
- Institute recycling programs for paper, glass, and aluminum.

- Encourage car pooling among commuting students and employees.

The Energy Task Force is currently involved in dealing with most of these problems and suggestions. Research is being conducted on the feasibility of various measures to improve the heating system, building envelopes, water usage in showers, and car pooling. We want to encourage the entire college community to practice conservation wherever possible and to contact us when specific problems or suggestions concerning energy use arise.

We want to thank those individuals who completed the questionnaire. We are incorporating the various suggestions into our research and recommendations on campus energy conservation.

The Energy Task Force  
Stephen Mecca, Chairman  
Charlotte O'Kelly  
Edwin Palumbo  
Don Burns  
Mark Rerick  
Robert Magner

# Pro-life march

By Ken Dagase

The PC Knights of Columbus sponsored a trip to Washington, D.C. to join the national March-for-Life, an annual anti-abortion campaign. Four buses, chartered by the Rhode Island K. of C., comprised the state's convoy. Gene Eubanks, Grand Knight, headed the group of approximately twenty-five PC students.

The trip began late Monday night and ended in Washington at 6:30 a.m. Although the bus ride down was long, the PC group maintained a very spirited attitude. After the exhausting bus trip, the students went directly to the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception for early-morning Mass. A breakfast was hosted by the residents of the House of the Dominicans, located across the street from the shrine.

Next on the agenda was a conference with Senators Chafee and Pell of RI. Members of the RI aggregate represented the plea for a pro-life amendment and the taxpayers' fight against government funded abortions.

The size of the group of marchers was quite a spectacle for the nation's capital.

The marchers were met early with a persuasive rainfall while marching down Constitution and Pennsylvania Avenues. The rain-soaked, yet courageous pro-lifers displayed banners raising moral questions and calling for political reforms.

The group returned to Providence at 4:00 a.m., tired, yet pleased that their protests had been heard.

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sider that they have spent at least four years preparing themselves for the Games. However, the American athletes realize that they are pawns being used in the political arena. It is a hard fact of life that all Olympic athletes have had to face in this century.

In 1936, the Nazis used the Berlin Games to help promote their political philosophy. In more recent years, politics figured in the banishment of South Africa and Rhodesia from the Games, and the murders of Israeli athletes by Arab terrorists in Munich.

In his ultimatum, the President was wise to set an early deadline. This would end uncertainty and might leave enough time to relocate the Games. That is, if relocation is economically feasible, and if the President can whip up enough support among other nations to stage the Games elsewhere. The administration has offered to contribute up to \$500 million to subsidize the holding of the Olympics at an alternate site.

Even if the decision to boycott the Games does not deter Russian

aggression in Afghanistan, it is still a wise move. After all, the Russians have spent an enormous sum in preparation for the Games, and if the United States did not participate, it would lead a tremendous blow to the propaganda that surrounds the Olympics. To Russia, the Olympics are a golden opportunity to show the world that they can beat the United States.

Hopefully, the conflict can be resolved and the 1980 Olympics will not become a Communist fiasco. Once the crisis passes, the Games can go on.

Meanwhile, Russian tanks roll on.

## Planning a Party?

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421-5479  
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## Are You

- nervous about interviews?
- not sure what to expect in an interview?
- don't know how to prepare for an interview?

attend the  
**INTERVIEW SKILLS WORKSHOP**

Wednesday, Feb 6  
2:30 pm  
Slavin 203  
(all students welcome)

sponsored by the Counseling & Career Planning Center

## Snow

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quad, an event that begins in an orderly fashion and degenerates into a guys vs. girls war.

A long, snowy winter puts one into a mind to study. What else is there for college students to do? Having a winter without snow is like having a day without fresh-squeezed orange juice. What we need is some snow. It's time to double check the almanac.

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**SPORTS ON WDOM**

**Wednesday, January 31:** Lady Friars basketball vs. UMass., 7:00 p.m.  
**Friday, February 1:** Friar hockey vs. Clarkson, 7:30 p.m.  
**Saturday, February 2:** Doubleheader. Lady Friars basketball vs. Southern Connecticut, 3:00 p.m. Friar hockey vs. St. Lawrence, 7:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday, February 5:** Friar hockey vs. Dartmouth, 7:30 p.m.

**Big East Torney tickets go on sale**

Big East Commissioner Dave Gavitt announced today that through the efforts of the seven members of the Big East that over 4000 tournament package tickets have been sold to the season ticket holders of the respective schools. According to Gavitt, "this is a tremendous start in our attempts to sell out this tournament when you consider that the 4000 figure does not include students and tickets that have not yet gone on public sale."

Gavitt announced that the Providence Civic Center will begin taking mail orders for either a package tournament ticket or individual assessments. The tournament package ticket, which includes a ticket to all four sessions and which includes six games and a special copy of the Big East Tournament News will cost \$32. Tickets for individual sessions are priced at \$8.

A tournament ticket brochure can be obtained by either stopping by the ticket office of the Civic Center or by calling the Civic Center at 331-0700 or the Big East office at 272-9108.

The three day Big East basketball tournament, to be staged in the 12,000 seat Providence Civic Center, is scheduled for February 28, 29, and March 1. There will be six games played and this will be broken down into four separate sessions.

The sessions are as follows:  
 Session no. 1—First round quarter final game, 3 p.m., February 28  
 Session no. 2—First round quarterfinal doubleheader, 7 & 9 p.m., February 28  
 Session no. 3—Semifinal doubleheader, 7 & 9 p.m., February 29  
 Session no. 4—Championship game, 3 p.m., March 1.

According to Gavitt, "ticket orders for individual sessions will not begin to be filled until February 15. Package ticket orders

will be filled first up to February 15. On that day, individual mail session orders will be filled and then that will be followed by a public sale over the counter at the Civic Center."

Gavitt made two other announcements concerning the tournament.

Providence College, regardless of where it finished (unless it were to win the regular season championship and thus draw a bye) will play in the tournament opener which is scheduled for 3 p.m. on Thursday afternoon.  
 Gavitt also announced, "that for the Thursday and Friday games, the Big East will not allow any games to be televised in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, or Connecticut unless it is sold out 48 hours prior to the scheduled tip off."

This is the first Big East Tournament in history and according to Gavitt, "the initial response has been excellent. But it is our goal to sell out this building for all four sessions. This is a tall order, but I think with the type of teams we have and the excitement that will take place in the Civic Center, that collegiate basketball fans will want to be a part of the first Big East Tournament."

As to who will play who, Gavitt said, "the final regular season standings will determine that. The way things are going, I don't think we will be able to make a final determination until the last Saturday (February 23) of conference play."

The tournament format calls for the regular season champion to draw a bye into the semifinal round. The regular season champion will then play the winner of the no. 4 seed vs. no. 5 seed. The other bracket will feature no. 3 seed vs. no. 6 seed, and no. 2 seed vs. no. 7 seed with these two winners facing each other in semifinal play.

**Intramural Rankings**

**INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL**

**A League**

- Hungo's Boys 4-0
- 2. Cosmic Debris 3-0
- 3. Penetrators 3-0
- 4. A.V. Pub 2-1
- 5. Mile High Club 2-1

**B League**

- 1. Eagles 3-0
- 2. Cellar Dwellers 3-0
- 3. Old Grand Dads 3-0
- 4. S.O.M.F. 3-0
- 5. Cretins 2-0
- 6. Staffers 2-0
- 7. M.O.N.K. 2-0
- 8. Flabackers 2-0
- 9. H Powerheads 2-0
- 10. Hags Rags 2-0

**INTRAMURAL HOCKEY**

**A League**

- 1. SMA 3-0
- 2. SPI 3-1
- 3. Sinners 2-2

**B League**

- 1. Seaman Shooters 3-0
- 2. Dumpsters 3-0
- 3. Fat Cambodians 3-1

**Division II**

- 1. Schooners 3-1
- 2. La Moose 3-1
- 3. Renegades 2-1

**Girls' League**

- 1. Rink Rats 3-0
- 2. Adox Bar & Grill 3-0
- 3. 3D's 2-1
- 4. Sinkers 2-1
- 5. Drunken Dribblers 2-1

**Girl's League**

- 1. Rink Rats 3-0
- 2. Silver Skates 1-1
- 3. Bert's Bunch 1-1

**STUDENT SERVICES NOTICE  
1980 Federal Census**

The U.S. Census Bureau will conduct its national Census of Population and Housing in the spring of 1980. As part of that census, the Bureau needs complete and accurate information on student population.

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is the federal law governing the release and disclosure of information concerning students. Please refer to Appendix 1, Page 60 of the current Student Handbook.

The information that will be sought by the Census Bureau is public record (directory information) and will be released by Providence College to the Census Bureau (e.g., full name, campus address) unless you request—in writing—that the college not release this information concerning you. The written request must be received by the Student Services Office no later than Friday, February 15, 1980.

**Lady Friars paste UVM**

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The second period saw a little more Vermont pressure but goalie Ford responded. First, she stopped a Sue Cambell breakaway with a beautiful kick save. Later, when the game was a bit more heated, she ended a Catamount scoring threat with a nice glove save. Late in the period, the Friars got together and added three more scores. Richer took the rebound of a Rordian backhandler for her only goal. Behind-the-back passing (used frequently by some Friar players) set the stage for a Sgobbo shot from inside the face-off circle and the score was now 5-0. With seconds left in the second period, Rordian made it 6-0 with the help of her linemates.

Ford didn't see much action in the last period but the UVM goalie did, making numerous saves. PC constantly led offensive surges, but could only manage one more score. With 4:11 left in the contest, Lenahan threw in the deflection of a Bogosian slapshot for her hat trick.

The Lady Friars' only two losses of the season have both come at the hands of a powerful UNH. Their next game is against Northeastern at home, tonight, Wednesday, January 27, at 7:30.

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- There will be **NO EXCEPTIONS**.

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# Friars drop Elis, 4-3

By Ron Piconce

The PC Friars played lowly Yale last Monday at Ingalls Arena and were lucky to come away with a win. After leading the Elis 4-1 early in the second period, the Friars had to hold on to preserve a 4-3 win.

Steve O'Neill tallied twice and assisted on another to give him a team leading total of 24 points. The Friars scored first with a Steve Evangelista goal at 5:21. This was the first of two power play goals that Friars scored in the first period. The next came off a Steve O'Neill drive at 7:54.

The Friars looked as if they would turn the contest into a rout. Jim Steiner of Yale got his team back into the game, however, with a goal at 12:29. O'Neill popped in his second goal of the period with a back hander on a partial breakaway against Yale goalie, Keith Allain.

Kurt Klendenorst fooled Allain with a slow floater that snuck under the crossbar at :50 in the second period. A Steve Harrington blast from the point cut PC's lead to 4-2 at 13:19 of the middle stanza.

The third period was scoreless until the 15:15 mark when Steiner scored his second goal of the game. Late in the game, PC netminder Scot Fiske shut the door and came up with his eighth win against one loss in ECAC action.

## ECAC DIVISION ONE (as of January 28, 1980)

Eastern Division	
	W L T P.C. GF GA
Boston Coll.	11 1 1 917 73 43
Providence	10 3 0 749 56 47
Boston U.	6 6 0 500 59 53
UNH	7 8 0 467 57 66
Maine	5 8 1 393 53 64
Northeastern	1 9 0 100 31 53

Western Division	
	W L T P.C. GF GA
Clarkson	8 3 0 727 86 58
Vermont	8 4 0 667 51 40
RPI	6 6 0 500 61 53
Colgate	4 5 1 450 39 39
St. Lawrence	3 8 0 273 34 58

Ivy Division	
	W L T P.C. GF GA
Dartmouth	7 5 1 576 57 53
Cornell	5 5 0 500 52 53
Brown	4 5 2 455 40 41
Princeton	4 5 0 444 29 36
Harvard	4 6 1 409 44 47
Yale	3 9 1 292 56 74

# Hoopsters drop two

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unanswered points in the last four minutes of the first half to build an eleven point lead. In the final eight minutes of the game, Seton Hall outscored the Friars 20-11 to cap the Pirates' victory.

The first parts of each period were a different story. The Friars led five times in the first half before they were overtaken by the Seton Hall surge. The full court press of the Friars gave Seton Hall fits at the beginning of the second half. The Friars clawed to within one point before they fell apart.

The Big East competition for the Friars will be getting tougher. The Orangemen of Syracuse come to the Civic Center next Saturday. Boston College and St. John's come to Providence in February. All three promise to be tough opponents.

# Frosh Profiles From Overbrook to Providence

By Ellen Harrington

(In the second of our series on freshmen athletes, the Cowl takes a look at Ricky Tucker, outstanding frosh who is leading the Friar basketball team. We'll also include some very interesting coaching philosophies of first year coach Gary Walters.)

Ricky Tucker, Class—Freshman. Position—guard. Height—5-10. After reading this information about Ricky Tucker in a basketball program, one would probably be inclined to look for number five on the bench. However, your search would turn up nothing because Ricky's out on the court doing what he loves to do most—playing basketball.

Ricky, a newcomer from Overbrook High School in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, comes from a tradition that has produced some of basketball's greatest players, and he is stepping into a tradition of the same caliber.

Playing as a freshman is a situation not unknown to Tucker as he was a three-year starter at Overbrook (high school starts in the tenth grade.) He directed the Overbrook attack last year, averaging 17.9 points and 11 assists a game. The team was 34-1 and was ranked second among high schools in the nation by Baseball Weekly.

Ricky doesn't feel much pressure starting as a freshman, although it did come as a surprise. Said Ricky, "I don't really feel any pressure from anyone. Basketball is fun for me—it's my whole life—so I don't mind the challenge. I started my sophomore year in high school, so it's a type of pressure I've already had to deal with."

Coach Gary Walters, seemingly a "freshman" himself as this is his first season coaching for Providence, is very pleased with Tucker, commenting, "Ricky has done a nice job for us so far. At times he's played like a veteran, and at times he's reflected his youth. He hasn't been anything but a positive force on the team, not only from the standpoint of playing, but also with the enthu-

siasm he brings to the game." Ricky Tucker has done the job for PC, and it is interesting in view of the fact that coach Walters has never been a staunch supporter of freshmen playing varsity sports.

The Friar mentor said, "I'm not in favor of freshman eligibility. It puts too much pressure on the recruiting process and on the coaches to turn a program around in a year. Some coaches try to get rich quick playing freshmen, and in the process, the recruit gets "puffed up." They have to go through an adjustment academically, psychologically, socially, and athletically. The recruit also feels pressure to live up to his high school reputation without being realistic about the jump in the caliber of competition. If there were freshmen

teams, there would be a period for all of this adjustment to occur without any pressure. For every Ricky Tucker that makes the adjustment, there are eight or nine players that don't."

It is fortunate for Providence College and the basketball program that Ricky Tucker is the exception to the rule. Coach Walters had also lived up to, expectations as the team is 10-8, winning as many games so far this season as we won last season.

There is a jump from Overbrook High School to playing the likes of Duke and Georgetown, but Ricky Tucker seems to be jumping right up and beyond what is expected of him. He's not only the exception in being one out of ten that makes it. He's one in a million.



Freshman Ricky Tucker has been lending both talent and enthusiasm to the Friars.

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# Sports

## BC on top in ECAC, 4-1



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Jeff Whisler and Jon Hogberg kill off a Terry Horgan penalty in the first period of Friday night's game.

## Friars still seek first Big East win

After smooth sailing past URI and NC A&T, the Friars foundered on the rocky shoals of Big East competition. The Friars, 0-3 in conference play, are in danger of foundering completely on their maiden voyage through the Big East schedule. UConn and Seton Hall, two teams that Providence had a good chance to beat, handed it to the Friars last week.

Both games had striking parallels. In each game, the opposition shut off the inside game of the Friars, one with a man-to-man and one with a zone defense. The Friars dropped behind, then battled back into the game by good defensive play before the opponents took over and built big leads.

It was the Corny Thompson show in New Haven last Wednesday. The 6-8 center for the Huskies scored 27 points while leading the Huskies over the Friars, 74-63. He also pulled down 14 rebounds, made four steals and garnered four assists in the command performance. Thompson netted the first ten points for the Huskies as they barreled out to an early 14-2 lead.

The inside game of the Friars was completely non-existent as the Huskies defended the Friars man-to-man. The Friar offense

consisted mostly of outside shots and they did not even get many of those. The Friars turned the ball over 21 times, allowing the Huskies to amass an 18 point lead during the first half.

The Friars refused to quit, however. Slowing the tempo both kept Thompson away from the Providence boards, where he had a field day, and also allowed Providence to chip away at the Huskies' lead. An alert Rudy Williams' steal enabled the Friars to close the gap to 37-30 at the half.

For five minutes in the second half, the Friars and Huskies traded buckets and the Friars trailed by only five. This was as close as they got. Before the final buzzer, the Huskies had run up an eleven point lead.

Williams was the bright spot for the Friars. Williams, with 24 points, was the only consistent producer on offense.

On Saturday, a battle of the Big East cellar dwellers was staged at Seton Hall. The Pirates, 0-4 in conference play, dealt the Friars their third Big East loss in a row.

The Friars played well for the first ten minutes of each half, but ran into cold spells at crucial times. The Pirates scored eight  
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For two months Boston College and Providence College had been beating up on everyone in the ECAC. Like most neighborhoods, however, the ECAC has only enough room for one bully. BC made themselves the undisputed leaders of the ECAC last Friday night by downing the Friars, 4-1.

The Eagles entered the game with an ECAC record of 9-1-1, with the Friars hot on their heels sporting a conference record of 9-2-1. BC gave themselves breathing room over the only team, barring late season turnarounds at BU or UNH, which will challenge them for the ECAC eastern division title and guaranteed home ice berth in the playoffs by downing the Friars.

With forty one seconds to go in the game, every corner of McHugh Forum began to rock with the chant of "We're number one!" That is every corner but the far left corner of the stands, where PC fans had gathered to witness the battle of the giants. There

they just stared in quiet frustration at the one man who was the single biggest factor in BC's victory over the Friars, Eagle net-minder Doug Ellis. Ellis had stopped all but one of the shots that the Friars dumped in on him and had just put an exclamation point on his fine performance by setting up Billy O'Dwyer's open net goal. O'Dwyer's goal gave the Eagles a 4-1 lead and put the game out of reach for the Friars.

Both the Eagles and the Friars played very physical games and gave the 4200 who saw the match at McHugh Forum a good lesson in how to play the man. Unfortunately for Providence, the referees felt some of the physical play was outside the legal limit. The Eagles first two goals came on BC power play.

Lee Blossom, first year man for the Eagles, whipped home a twenty footer from the slot right in front of Scot Fiske on the power play in the first period.

Steve O'Neill tied the score at 16:05 on a pretty play. O'Neill

stole the puck at center and skated in alone on the left wing for the score.

The first period ended 1-1, but things went downhill for the Friars after that. Scot Fiske was peppered with 19 shots in the second period as the Eagles took control of the game. Fiske leaped and dove in front of most of them but two eluded him.

The first came only 55 seconds into the period. Scot Klienendorst had already been called for a hooking penalty at 0:26. Whisler had gone to his knees to block a shot by Mike Murphy once on that power play, but when he tried it a second time, Murphy wheeled around him and blasted a 30 footer cleanly past Fiske.

One of the finest PC scoring bids of the game came when Paul Stasiuk broke in alone on the left side. Doug Ellis stopped the Stasiuk drive in close as Stasiuk cut in front of the net. Seconds later, Billy O'Dwyer upped the BC lead to 3-1 with a shot from the left board.



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Dennis Martin and Billy O'Dwyer face off in last Friday's game. O'Dwyer's open net goal iced the victory for BC.

## Offense takes over as Lady Friar pucksters win two

By John Brandolino

The Lady Friars boosted their record to 8-2 as they downed a tough UVM squad at Schneider Arena, Saturday. Freshman goalie Jane Ford picked up a well deserved shutout as the line of Connie Richer, Mary Ellen Riordan and Kathy Lenahan provided most of the game's offensive. These three linemates combined for five goals and seven assists to lead the Lady Friars to a 7-0 victory.

Earlier in the week, the Lady Friars crushed the University of Connecticut, 12-1. Mary Ellen Riordan and Kathy Lenahan were keys to the Lady Friar attack in Thursday's game, also. Riordan scored the hat trick, while Lenahan netted two. Mary Beth Hannon and Alexis Spobbo also popped in a pair each and Sue Duffy, Diane Seragthy and Sissy

Bogesian each scored one in the Lady Friars' romp.

Saturday afternoon was more of the same as PC came out passing in the first period. Two minutes into the game a Lenahan to Riordan to Richer passing-break brought the puck into the Catamount zone, where Lenahan tapped in her first of three goals for the afternoon. About mid-period, the same line flooded the Vermont end with offense. Richer fought well to keep the puck inside the blue line and it payed off. Her perfect pass set up Lenahan in front where she banged it in for her second goal and a 2-0 Friar lead.

Next, Duffy, a former Friar leading scorer who was switched to defense, broke through two Catamount defenders and fed Spobbo for the final goal of the period.  
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Randy Veliscek and Scot Klienendorst look on from the Providence bench.