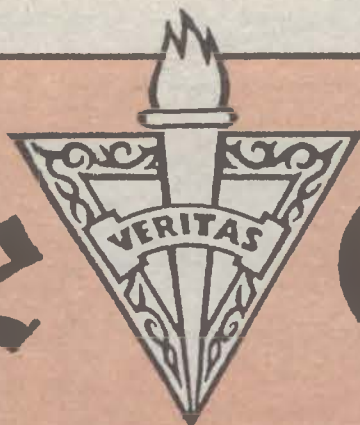




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And Again...The Choice is Yours

by Kristen Garipey '95
News Editor

PC...hold your fire! There is no longer a need to plan riots, sit-ins, or an all-out boycott of the Providence College regulations. You can stop bad-mouthing Residence Life. You can return all the applications you sent away for with hopes of transferring. Exhale...there will be no lottery system necessary to determine who will be allowed to live off-campus next year.

Some are probably saying, "They couldn't have done it anyway. They can't force me to live on campus." Think again. Yes, they can.

According to page 19 of the Providence College Student Handbook, the Office of Residence Life has the authority to implement a lottery which determines who gets permission to move to off-campus. It states, "With the exception of graduate students, married students, and local students living with their parents, all students are required to live in college residence facilities unless permission for off-campus living is granted by the Office of the Executive Director of Residence Life." Yes, it is in print.

Since PC developed the Capital Campaign, a.k.a. Plan 2000, they have been anticipating the completion of the new

apartments. Plan 2000 is a planning document that consists of specific goals set by Providence College officials. These goals outline the expectations and changes that will occur at PC by the year 2000. One component discussed in Plan 2000 is to create enough housing for 75% of the student body to be living on-campus. As a result, the past few years have found architects,



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Students can make their own decisions

inspectors and PC officials carefully discussing the blueprints for the apartments being constructed on East campus. Also, the Good Neighbor Plan cites that PC will make every effort to lower the amount of students living in the outside neighborhoods. Plan 2000 + Good Neighbor Plan = New Apartments.

In a recent issue of *The Owl*, the idea of possibly needing to develop a lottery in order to fill the new apartments was discussed. Applications had not been accepted for apartments yet and the Office of Residence Life was unsure how many they would receive. Because of the PC policy that all students need permission to live off-campus, Residence Life was not going to offer permission until all of the



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apartments were filled. "Students have to comply with the policy," says Fr. Tortorici, O.P., Director of Residence Life. "There are 908 beds and we have to fill them before students can live anywhere else."

Luckily, for those students who do wish to move off-campus, Residence Life received plenty of applications. They have

filled 804 beds and are saving the remaining ones for the sophomore class. Sophomores? Yes, some sophomores will be allowed to live in the new apartments. Presently, fourteen are already guaranteed. They applied along with groups containing juniors and seniors. In the spring, all empty apartments will be offered to the Class of '97. Which sophomores will be given preference? "We may have a lottery or we may offer them to student leaders or studious students," says Fr. Tortorici. "We're still unsure. I welcome any ideas from students."

Once again, there will be no lottery necessary. All juniors and seniors have the option to live off-campus, but make sure you fill out a permission slip. Permission is still mandatory.

Kristen Gallagher '95 says, "I understand it's policy, but part of the college experience is learning responsibility and how to work with a lease. I'm glad everything worked out."

"We're glad we don't have to implement a lottery," says Fr. Tortorici. "We don't want to develop that kind of relationship with the students." Of course, marriage between Residence Life and PC students is nowhere in the future, but at least we can relax about next year's housing.

Once A Dorm... Now what?

by Theresa Edo '96
Asst. News Editor

Have you ever actually sat down and studied one of campus maps that PC provides on the back of those stylish student handbooks? Besides your initial Friar tour ("Dad, could you put that thing away?"), you probably ditched the map and relied on word of mouth to find your way around campus. Next year, however, you may need to dig that handbook out of the trash.

In September, many of the departments will be relocated and certain residence halls will be shut down altogether. The Space Utilization Committee, headed by Laurent Gousie, Registrar of Students, has done a study and decided where these offices and residences could be better used.

"It's not so much a money saving measure, but the funds for the buildings' upkeep will be better spent," said Rev. Joseph Tortorici, O.P., Director of Residence Life. "The key word here is consolidation."

One of the major changes involve the closing of Bedford and Stephen Halls as residence halls. In addition, on East Campus, the Modern Languages and History Departments will move to Bedford, while the Fine Arts Department will be divided

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Times Are Changing... PC Parietals slowly shrinking

by Kristen Hedlund '95
News Writer

11:56, 11:57, 11:58, 11:59, 12:00AM! Good night PC ladies! No, it's not mom and dad hollering from the foot of the stairs, it's just security letting you know that the adult behavior expected from you in class is expected, but not assumed of you in the dormitories.

Parietals, we have all suffered from them, and we've all hailed them at one time or another. But why you ask, should we be treated as children in an institution here to prepare us for the adult world?

For those of you no longer in the dormitories, you may find the reduction of security in the female residence halls a little unsettling (these things always happen when I'm out of the system). In the past four years, security in the female residence halls has scaled down from 24 hours a day to 6.5 hours a day (a 75% reduction). Are today's students more responsible than

they were four years ago? What's at work here? "It's economics," says Fr. Tortorici, O.P., Director of Residence Life. "...the reduction in security over the past four years has been a strategic move to begin saving on costs in order to pave the way for the current card access system. It is that simple."

**Will
parietals
soon be in
PC's past?**

Two years ago, Fr. Tortorici proposed to his colleagues a plan to implement the card access system operating at institutions like Holy Cross. Fr. Tortorici was told that in order to cover the costs of the system, he would have to reduce his own costs. By reducing the guard time in

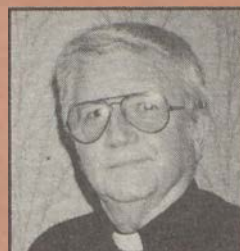
the female dormitories, Residence Life managed to save a great deal of money while at the same time bestowing on the student greater trust and responsibility. "We are looking to the honor system. We are not here to babysit. Students have a copy of the Student Handbook and are made well aware of the values of the school."

As of yet, Fr. Tortorici has received only positive feedback from the students about the card access system. Allison Donahue, a junior at PC says, "PC is finally allowing the students to realize that in order to be treated like adults, students must learn how to make adult decisions and to accept the consequences for their decisions."

Fr. Tortorici would like to emphasize that the philosophy behind security is that students are equally responsible for their own protection. If students let people into the building who do not live in the building, Residence Life has no control.

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between Hunt-Cavanagh and The Last Resort. The Computer Services and Telecommunications Department will now be located in the Classroom Building. Also, Stephen Hall, which will become the Feinstein Academic Center, will be home to the Publications Center, the Audio-Visual Center, and the Copy Center. The classrooms already there will remain, and the facilities built as a result of the Feinstein grant will be located on the fourth floor.

"It's kind sad to think of my old room being a classroom now," said Bryan Castle '94, a former resident of Stephen Hall.

A major issue of this great campus movement is where the students displaced by the closing of the two dorms will now be located. The answer lies in the additional beds provided by the construction of the new apartment buildings and the renovation of the second half of Meagher Hall's first floor. Once the math is done (including renovations begun in the

summer of 1992 and ending in the summer of 1994) there will actually be a net gain of approximately 400 additional beds on campus.

"I guess there's some fame in being one of the last RA's in Bedford," Ryan Kanaczet remarked with a smirk.

Along the same lines, there are new regulations as to where certain students will be able to reside. As reported in a previous *Cowl* (October 7, 1993), sophomores will be allowed into the apartment lottery system to alleviate some of the space problem. Also, due to a NCAA rule, by 1996 there will be no "athletic" residence halls on campus. According to Fr. Tortorici, no decision has been made yet as to exactly how the athletes will be split up, but this year the Athletic Department has begun a "mixing" process in McVinney.

Scott Tucker '96 says, "We'll make sure Stephen's goes out in style!"

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Student Development x2343

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Would you like to meet with other commuters about what strategies have worked for them in adjusting to college life?

Plan on coming to a planning meeting on November 2 at 3:00 pm in Slavin Sidelines.

A representative from Student Congress will be present at the meeting. Refreshments will be served!

We need your input!

Disciplinary Measures

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1) violation of the standards of conduct of a PC student (p.35, #8)

2) underage drinking (p.36, #34)

The penalties rendered were:

1) alcohol education with Mr. Green

2) disciplinary probation until May, 1994

3) fine of \$400

A judicial hearing was held concerning the conduct of a student on Eaton Street. In "kidding around" with his friends he picked up a D.P.W. barrel throwing it at his friend which struck a passing vehicle causing surface damage. The student was found guilty of the following charges:

1) violation of the Handbook (p.35, #8)

2) damages to property (p.36, #21)

3) throwing objects endangering the safety of another (p.36, #22)

4) underage drinking (p.36, #34)

The penalties rendered were:

1) alcohol education with Mr. Green

2) disciplinary probation until 5/31/94

3) payment of damages to car

4) 25 hours of community service

Peace and Non-violence

in the context of Indian Religions

by Renet Ladocsi '96
News Writer

On Monday, November 1, 1993, at 12 Noon in the Fogarty Room (located on the 2nd floor of the Library) the Asian Studies Program of Providence College will host the Vimal Prakash Jain Ph.D to speak about Peace and Non-Violence in the context of Indian Religion. D. Jain is a distinguished scholar in Indian Literature and Religions. He has taught at the Rani Durgawati University in Jabal Pur, India. His main fields of study include the Indian religions Jainism, Buddhism, and Hinduism. He is also familiar with Islam, Sikhism, and Western Religions as well. He has studied the Scriptures of many of these religions and has arrived at some very interesting conclusions regarding nature, religion and man's role within our macrocosm. Dr. Jain believes "peace cannot be obtained without practicing non-

violence. Non-violence is not a negative concept of not to kill, but it carries all positive ideas of helping and saving the lives of not only human beings but all the living creatures from the smallest creature to human beings; and nature as an integral part of it. Nature and life cannot be separated. Non-violence means the protection of all living beings, along with nature. Not only to protect human beings and nature, but also to give a chance to every individual in the cycle of life, from the lower forms into the higher forms." Dr. Jain's talks have brought him to Providence College and will take him into the Boston area and to California to speak with various Jain groups. His views on Non-violence are ones to be heard, thought about and discussed. Please attend this a wonderful opportunity given to us by the Asian Studies Department. All are welcome and urged to attend.

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Identity Crisis?

When will PC name its 'nameless' buildings?

by Judith Colonna '95
News Writer

OK. Admit that you have cold-heartedly called it many names and everything your mother has ever taught you about name calling is now excrement. Just admit the fact that every day you use it, every time you see it, you practically "rape" it of its identity, and you have begun to lose all self-respect. Well, never fear! Hopefully this article is going to rid you of your past experiences and help alleviate any guilt. It's truly not your fault that one day you call it "Cindy Brady," or the next day its name is "Charlie Brown." It doesn't have a name. Thus, there really isn't much you can do.

As of now, the year-old renovated building directly perpendicular from Guzman and parallel to Joseph is called CB or Classroom Building. This concept, however, has been extremely difficult to grasp. Why, with the other buildings on campus having names, it seems only natural that this building should have a name as well. So what more better of a reason than to take the job on yourself? Well, STOP IT! Stop putting the pressure all on your shoulders. CB is not going to be nameless forever. The process for "baptizing" it just takes a little more than a sprinkle of water.

One may ask, Why has it taken PC so long to give the building a name? The reason is because the procedure is not taken lightly. There isn't a crystal ball that just spits out a name for the Administration every time they need one. Building naming is taken seriously at Providence, and the names given to a building are there for significant reasons.

It starts out with the College's newest Capital Campaign, otherwise known as Providence 2000. Part of this campaign entails the fundraising of certain amounts of money for donations to PC. The project will elapse over a 5-7 year period, in which large pledges made by people will be paid off. Usually, people who donate generous sums of money, do so for a reason - particularly, building naming. But this is not the only reason for donating money to PC.

Scholarship prospects, faculty aiding, or just building renovating are a few other reasons why people invest their money in PC. And though it seems really "neat" to get one's name in steel lettering on an outside wall of a building because of a donation, the money can also be given in honor of someone else. In this case, the building would then display that person's name.

Sometimes, though, a building on campus is named by the Administration to honor someone who has been an important part of PC history. For instance, Apartment B acquired its new name, Mal Brown Hall, just last year. It was named after him because the school felt he should be honored in light of all of his work with the Athletic Department as well as his overall services. There was no money value involved; just a

personal value to show the College's appreciation for all Mr. Brown did for our community.

So then, what about Apartment C? The reason why it has not been named is because it was built in-between the last Capital Campaign. It has been rumored that this "lack of identity" has caused some of its residents to experience "identity problems," but it's important to remember that it shouldn't be taken personally. As a matter-of-fact, a new name for Apt 'C' is underway. We all just need to display a little patience.

As for the new apartments being built, they, too, will be named during Providence 2000. Of course one must note that it's not neglect that is keeping these buildings nameless. It is a strong desire to name all of the "identity-less" buildings on campus; it just takes time. So, while we wait for the unveiling of those new names, we can do one of three things: 1.) Call them by their present names (which are used mainly for identification/location purposes) 2.) Continue to refer to them by our own initial assimilated names (i.e., CB - Conan the Barbarian) or 3.) Do as JB, a member of this year's Senior graduating class suggests: "Why not name it after Mother Theresa - she is a significant figure in the world today. Besides, I'd love to say 'I'm off to Mama Theresa to learn Japanese.'"



The Cindy Brady building? Who is Father Classroom?

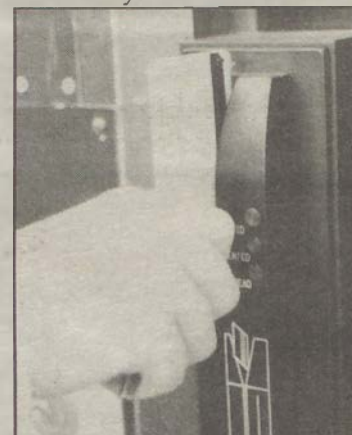
The CAS Card...

Don't Leave Home Without It

by Mary Shaffrey '97
News Writer

Change is everywhere, not only in the seasons, but on the PC campus as well. When students returned to campus this fall they noticed many of these changes, including the first coed dorm (McDermott), a new Chaplin (Fr. Barranger), and the start of the construction of the new apartments on East campus. One of the biggest changes however, was the installment of the card access system (CAS) for all residence halls.

The way the CAS works is simple. The black magnetic strip that is found on the back of each PC ID card is programmed with the students' Social Security number, AND a school access number. The access number is determined by how many ID's the student has had. For example, if a student has had their card replaced three times the code would be 999-99-9999-04. Furthermore, students can only gain access to their respective halls, and the faculty can only get into the buildings in which they teach.



PC ID = CAS Card

Many factors contributed to changing the system to CAS. According to Fr. Joseph Tortorici O.P., Director of Residence Life, one major factor was security. "We learned from Holy Cross that the CAS was a very effective way to solve theft, and other problems, by monitoring who went in the dorms, and at what time, etc. It is important to note that only a select few have access to knowing who entered where and when. This is very

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Guess What?

by Renet Ladocsi '96
News Writer

FACT: Over 70 Georgetown University women have been verbally harrassed in the past year by a male caller who makes comments such as (Do you want to) make \$400 a week talking sex? The women have not been physically assaulted and are not presently in any danger.

Once they catch him, are they going to set him up with his own 900 number?

FACT: Ziggy Marley and the Melody Makers were at BC... Tears For Fears were at Fairfield.

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confidential information," he commented. Fr. Tortorici continued by saying, "When you lose a key, you do not know where it goes, and we (PC Residence Life) have no way of canceling that key. However, with a card, when it is lost or stolen, and reported right away, we can issue a new card, and cancel out the old one so that no one can ever use it."

Economics also played a prominent role. The installation cost of the system was approximately \$170,000, and this was a one time fee. Under the old system, the school was annually paying about \$250,000 for security personnel to work at the door. Now however, that figure is down to around \$33,000 a year. There have only been a few problems because of the system, and its

affect on desk personnel. Fr. Tortorici stated that the Office of Residence Life was looking into possibly changing the hours of the guards, without adding more time.

Fr. Tortorici believes that the CAS has been a great success. "It has eliminated the need for propped doors, and now since the doors are alarmed, if something is wrong, and the door is left open, we can go find out what is wrong, and then shut it," he explained.

Fr. Tortorici concluded by saying, "In the future we hope to put the entire campus on the CAS, with its one data base. This would enable students to go to the bookstore, do their laundry, or just get something from the vending machines, without needing money. Instead they would only need their ID, sort of like a credit card."

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Class and Gender in Literature (106)
Music, Lyrics, and Popular Culture (I)
Meaning and Messages in Comics (II)

Saturday, October 30 Panel #2 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.

Humor and Satire in Literature and Life (105)
Advertising and Popular Culture (I)
Popular Culture in Europe (106)
Dramatic Themes in Film and Theater (II)
Searching for American Virtues (109)
American Painters as Popular Culture (III)

Panel #3 10:30 - 12 noon

Ethnic Images in Life and Literature (105)
The Telling of Folk Stories (106)
Star Trek Themes (I)
Early Twentieth Century Americana (109)
Apocalyptic Cultures (III)
Television and Media Criticism (II)

Panel #4 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Amerindian - Native American Encounters (I)
Image Makers in Life and Literature (105)
Popular Culture in Advertisement (II)
Horror and Gore in Film and Fiction (106)
Following the Pop Stars into La La Land (III)
Criminality in Life and Literature (109)

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REBIRTH OF LIBERAL IDEOLOGY

by Anthony R. Zupka '94
Grub-Street Hack

The Democratic and Republican parties are the two dominant forces in the genre of American politics today. Most well-informed, interested observers would agree that, in regards to their core beliefs and philosophies, Democrats are liberal and Republicans are conservative. What these individuals fail to realize when they engage in political debate or argument, is that the Democratic and Republican parties are both ideologically liberal.

America's political system

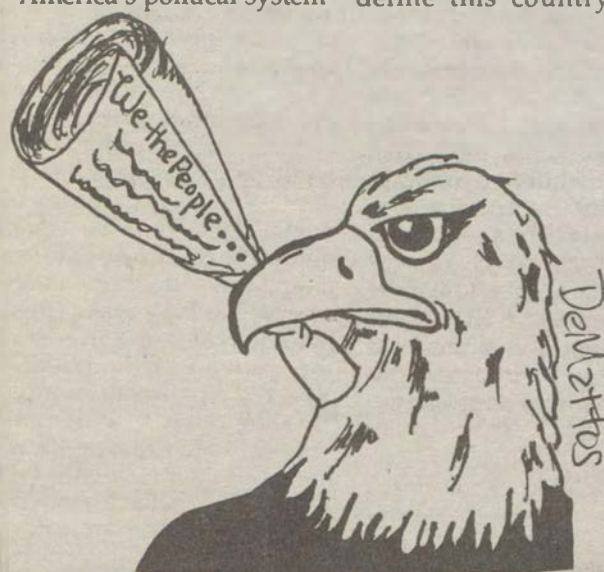
and the parties it has created, stem from the ideas of J.S. Mill, John Locke, Jeremy Bentham, and John Milton. These great thinkers and philosophers inspired the framers of the U.S. Constitution to legislate with concern and regard for an individual's personal, civil, and social liberty. These important concepts coupled with the idea of a free-enterprise, market-based economy have been embraced for generations by Democrats and Republicans alike.

Unfortunately, America's two major political parties have recently begun to lose sight of several of these concepts which define this country. This

scotoma has created an opportunity for the emergence of a new party line based not on welfare democracy or religious republicanism, but upon old ideas which are constitutional in nature.

The time has come for America to return to its roots through action not apathy. Americans must act and reject the partisan-based special interest groups that have clogged the Senate and House of Representatives. Americans must act and remove the mummified incumbents like Strom Thurmond, Ted Kennedy, Alan Simpson, and Robert Packwood, to name but a few. Americans must intercede and stop the moral majority's attempts to legislate morality and usurp the constitution. Finally, Americans must take action to put an end to the notion that the United States is a social democracy.

Elections between now and 1996 provide an ideal environment to begin a nation-wide renewal based upon *laissez-faire* economics and *laissez-passer* social policies adherent to the ideologies of the original American liberals. The time of patriots has returned but individuals must come forth to spread the word and steer America from the shoals into the twenty-first century.



Academics First ?

by John J. Olohan '95
Editorials Writer

I'm sure you have seen the stickers and pins that read, "Academics First." Who would not agree with that slogan? It is a rather clever way of saying one thing but meaning another. After three years of college and twelve years of public school I understand what "Academics First" really means—teacher's first.

I understand that our professors here at Providence College are high quality and like everyone else in the world they need to have a job. If the professors who are involved with the "Academics First" campaign are so concerned about academics being first then why is it that they do not make up or reimburse us for our pre-paid classes that they miss. In all my courses there are attendance policies that dictate how many classes I can miss before my grade goes down. I find that to be rather strange, considering the student is paying for the class. The student should be able to show up whenever he or she wants to.

I had a professor last semester who missed six classes for various reasons. He would talk about everything

under the sun for a solid part of the class, then he would cram the class material and expect us to know it as well as he did. When one would ask a question, he acted as if the person was a moron who was taking up his time. He is also a "champion of the Academics First cause."

In reality, we students are paying the professors' paychecks. When we were growing up and going through grammar, grade, and high school our parents were paying our teacher's paychecks through their tax dollars. Teachers are paid to teach their subject for an allotted time period. All too often, teachers use the classroom to foist their views on social and political topics that have nothing to do with their subject.

Teachers have a captive audience; they can say almost anything and no one will leave because the student must attend the class. This is partially why some teachers seem to lose sight of their job. Many teachers spend class time being critical of someone or something instead of teaching what they are being paid to teach.

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COMMENTARY

Appartment Complex ...or Kindergarten?

by Jennifer Dauer '94

In order to be eligible for the on-campus apartments, the student must have a clean disciplinary record for their freshman and sophomore years at P.C. Being chosen for the apartments is considered a privilege. Parietals are non-existent and members of the opposite sex live across the hall. The apartment resident is now considered to be a responsible adult in the college's eyes.

At the beginning of the school year, a hall meeting is called for each apartment complex floor. Two RA's and the apartment complex director sit the students down and recite the apartment rules and regulations. So far, the resident notices that living in the apartments does not seem that much different than living in the dorms.

At the hall meeting, the RA's will tell the students that if the apartment decides to have a party, that party must be registered before 2 p.m. on Thursday. Due to school fire and safety regulations, only 18 people are allowed to attend the party. This rule allows each member of the apartment to invite a whopping two friends. Right away, the roommates realize that this rule is unrealistic and ridiculous at best.

After the RA's go through their sets of rules, the apartment director enters the room and repeats those rules a second time. The apartment resident wonders if they are not considered intelligent enough to understand what they heard the first time around. The apartment director continues to bore the floor and then decides to add a new

twist. "Finally," everyone at the meeting thinks, "something new." In a strict manner, the director demands that an individual must register all guests that come to visit them. The student must go to the apartment complex office and fill out the necessary paperwork. The baffled student thinks of the expensive new cameras installed in the hallway for safety pre-cautions. Now, when a person wants to enter the apartment building, it is up to the student's discretion to let that person up or not. Why bother with the hassle of paperwork and registering guests when this new and wonderful system can be utilized? Then the resident wonders what the point of this whole meeting is anyway. Finally, one questions why they had to maintain a clean record for two years just to be treated like an ignorant child. A landlord would certainly not treat her tenants this way.

The weeks go by smoothly after the first meeting with the exception of a 1 a.m. fire drill. Then the evening comes when the RA bangs on

the residents door and tells her that she forgot the mandatory hall meeting. She asks the RA if she is having a deja-vous and is still living in Aquinas. "No," respond the RA and asks her and her roommates to bring paper and pen. The student is in the middle of doing a paper and wonders why she is being so rudely interrupted. The six roommates living in the apartment trample out into the hallway to meet two stern looking RA's. The RA's inform the residents that an un-registered "Around the World" party took place in the apartment building. The RA's are appalled by such devious behavior. They shake their heads at the floor residents condescendingly. "Intoxicated people running up and down the stairs to different parties is dangerous," informs one RA. This would not be a problem if the elevator worked. Yet, the apartment complex directors do not see an expired elevator as a problem. Rather, students having a good time without seeking permission is considered a horrible act of wrongdoing.

The RA's decide now that they should reiterate the "Party Guidelines" to the students again. Is someone else's "mistake" cause for the other residents to be reprimanded? The Junior resident has already heard these rules twice. The Senior has been lectured on the apartment guidelines at least six times now.

All persons living in apartment buildings must abide by a few rules. Yet, there is a fine line between giving rules and being reprimanded like a five year old by his mom. Intelligent students should be treated like adults. Those who cause the "problem" should be spoken to.

Although the rules in the Apartment Complex are tedious and insulting to the intelligent and responsible resident, the on-campus apartments do have some advantages. The apartments are safe, clean, and comfortable places to live. The RA's make sure to plan activities and events for the students of the building. Yet, the apartment complex "leaders" should re-think the way in which they approach and treat their residents. Why should one behave responsibly for two years only to be treated like a child as a reward?

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Black Studies Now

by Abdul-Wadood
Joel F. Aufiero '94

Providence College does not have a Black Studies program. Providence College needs a Black studies program. The histories, cultures, philosophies, religions and ideologies of black people have been ignored by the administration of this institution. Their reasons are their own, and there is no benefit in dwelling on said reasons.

The contribution of Africans, Asians, Native Americans and Australian Aborigines to the world culture and history is denied by the North Western Euro-centric viewpoint. This viewpoint is valid only in context of itself and only if Africans, Asians, Native Americans and Australian Aborigines have had no contribution to the world culture and history. This viewpoint is flawed, in fact, because these peoples have made considerable contributions to the world and to western civilization.

This institution has an Asian Studies program. This indicates that the administration is willing to recognize that the civilizations of China, India and Japan - just to name three - contributed much to the world culture and history. Now it is time for this institution to adopt a Black Studies program; which would recognize the contributions made by African peoples from the ancient empires of Egypt, Mali and Abyssinia to the African slaves in the Americas to modern times.

It is valid to learn about

Louis XIV and Alexander the Great. But, rulers such as Akhenaten and Chaka Zulu should not be ignored. France and Germany are important nations and should be considered; but do not forget about Mali and Abyssinia. It is important to understand the philosophies of Plato and Karl Marx and how they helped to shape our society. It is also important to understand the philosophies of Amé Césaire, Shirley Chisholm and Frantz Fanon, to see how they reacted to our society. Learn and understand the African peoples, both continental and the diaspora. No peoples' culture, history, philosophies or religions are so insignificant they do not warrant study.

The current Development of western Civilization course will not address the full contribution of the African peoples and civilizations to the world, in general, and to western civilization, in particular; thus the need for a Black Studies program is strikingly clear. When thinking about whether there is a need for a Black Studies program at Providence College consider three things: 1) Who is relating the story of black people? 2) What is being related? 3) Is there any other side to the story?

On Tuesday November 2, 1993 there will be a panel discussion regarding the Black Studies program. Come to this forum and listen to what the panelists have to say. Come and ask the panelists questions. Remember, the world is a lot bigger than Western Europe and the United States and a lot older than Greece and Rome.

Academics...from page 5
their particular job, and we all want the best benefits because we feel we are entitled to them. This is why the slogan "Academics First" is very misleading. Is it about academics or jobs and benefits?

Many a professor thinks that the college spends too much on its sports program. What they seem to forget is that the excellent athletic program that exists at Providence College attracts many a student. Good or bad, it is the sports program that makes a college known to the average person.

In my hometown there are many unemployed people. If these unemployed people just had cuts in their benefits as opposed to being fired, they would be very happy.

There is no such thing as a free lunch. There are many hard working parents who have given up an awful lot to send their child to college. There are also many hard working students who must help their parents ease the burden of college costs. Knowing this, professors should understand that parents and students are paying for the course itself not the professors personal opinions unrelated to the course. Professors should not be spending class time on anything but the actual subject material that they are hired to teach.

I have had and do have teachers who do their job and do it well. Some professors don't get enough money for the great job they do, but all too often professors get money for a job that they are not doing.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Truth & Knowledge

To the Editor:

In his Letter to the Editor, Rev. Joseph L. Lennon, retired Vice-President at Providence College, in an attempt to address the challenge of atheists and agnostics, called these people lazy and ignorant. Instead of giving reason to accept faith, he reduced a great philosophical mystery to an insignificant crossword puzzle.

"Truth" and "knowledge" are fine intellectual foods that are difficult to prepare and even more difficult to swallow. So when anyone says something like, "it is easy to find truth", it is wise to be weary. It seems rather narcissistic to believe we can know such a higher truth: one must wonder if Fr. Lennon believes himself to be a god.

Fr. Lennon also stated that their can be no intellectual atheism, only atheism of the will (those too lazy to get up Sunday mornings for church). His argument, "reason is on God's side, not the devil's, and to deny God's absolute is to affirm a competing absolute" is weak. Most atheists do not simply deny God's absolute, but deny any absolute. Furthermore, Fr. Lennon's belief in the existence of God does not make another's doubt any less valid.

He goes on to ask a cynical rhetorical question: "how many apostate Catholics actually thought their way out of the Church?". The more appropriate question seems to be: how many apostate theists thought their way out of "God"

or knowledge of the existence of "God"? To this question I answer: Friedrich Nietzsche: Ludwig Feurbach: Maurice Merleau-Ponty: Martin Heidegger: Gabriel Vahanian: Thomas J.J. Altizer: and a host of others who ere raised in religion and studied theology.

"Many people are ignorant, full of prejudice and misinformation about the faith." With this statement of his, I agree wholeheartedly. But if we ask ourselves why this is the case, we may come up with an interesting answer. People are not ready to be dictated faith or chastised for questioning it. Fortunately for the Church, a more tolerant experience centered school of thought has seeped through the rigid cracks. But as long as statements like Fr. Lennon's appear regularly, people will find fault with what they are led to believe is Catholic Faith.

To say that "truth" and "knowledge" are words to be used carefully and sparingly and to credit some agnostics and atheists with intelligence does not make me a "relativist" (the most popular label for tolerant people). It simply makes me humble enough to admit that limits to humanity exist. Remember Father, in 430 B.C. Empedocles jumped into an active volcano because he thought he was a god. We would not want such tragedies to happen here.

Leonard Fiorilli '94

Cowl Editorial Policy 1993-1994

I. Commentary articles and letters to the Editor are welcome from any member of the PC student body, faculty, or administration. Submissions from those outside the PC community may be printed if space permits.

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IV. The staff respectfully requests that all articles contain no personal attacks.

V. All submissions should be delivered to the Cowl office no later than Tuesday at noon prior to the publication or Wednesday.

Hey PC...
Recycle! A Woman
Scorned

To the Editor:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency frowns on the use of plastic in cafeterias. Why is an excessive amount of plastic that will take centuries to decompose being used in the Providence College Alumni Cafeteria?

Most Sincerely,

Russell P. Damoe '73

To the Editor:

As a member of the 44th Student Congress and a female student, I'd like to react to the actions that took place concerning the non-passage of the club "Women Will". I strongly feel that this campus needs a club that will focus on women's issues, due to the lack of a women studies program. "Women Will" can cater to this need unlike "Gender Equality" because it is not focusing on the issue of equality of genders but on woman's issues solely. Sponsoring women speakers and providing networking will give the female students on our campus role models which are much needed. It is extremely important for our generation to learn from those women who have preceded us and overcome that barriers of discrimination and paved the way for us today. We need to understand how women have achieved our present social status and to have a group to provide self-esteem.

I understand the process of allocations and the financial constraints that we must deal with, but this problem is not new, I have been aware of it since my freshman year. Penalizing clubs that will benefit the Providence College community by not recognizing them is wrong. What needs to be done is a re-evaluation of existing clubs that aren't fulfilling their requirements.

Kristen Gallagher

President of 1995

Neo-Nazi
Vogue

To the Editor:

A disturbing trend has begun to rear its head around the world these days. More and more civilized cultures are abandoning the embrace of tolerance in favor of the trappings of bigotry. The statistics are indisputable. The number of acts of violence against immigrants in Germany are 22 times greater than they were a year ago. The city of Los Angeles has been torn apart by the worst race riot in the history of America. Genocide has become a viable, accepted form of warfare in the republics of former Yugoslavia and civil wars based on ethnicity have become the norm in the southern provinces of the former Soviet Union. What the hell is going on?

Waiting for the Apocalypse

B.O.P. Responds ... Again

To the Editor:

I am writing to respond to Andy Peterson's letter to the Editor in last week's Cowl. Mr. Peterson I respect your dissatisfaction with the Board of Programmers. You and every other student have an obligation to let us know what they think of our activities and to make suggestions of what we can do better to serve the needs of the student body. We can only assume that if nobody complains we are doing the right things.

Mr. Peterson I do feel that your argument does lack some substance. You may not like the trips we run to the mall, Thayer Street, or apple picking, but hundreds of other people do. You must remember that not everyone owns a car or can afford the cab fare to these places. You also made fun of our Coffeehouse's make your own beaded necklace night. I find this offending to the four members who run the Coffeehouse every Tuesday night. These people must come up with a different theme each

week. I think they do a damn good job and I think that the many people who came to make necklaces would agree. Finally, you may not have liked the idea of Barry Williams (Greg Brady) coming to speak at P.C., but over six hundred other people did.

I would just like to say in closing that these years B.O.P. has their act together. Each of our forty plus members gives hours a week to bring the best activities possible to you the students. We do have a generous budget, however in reality it goes only so far. Mr. Peterson wants us to host political speakers and put on big name concerts. Let me first say that we are planning these types of activities. To get big name speakers and bands cost major amounts of money. a band like REM gets between \$80,000-\$100,000. Popular political speakers and big name speakers cost over \$10,000. We are therefore limited by our own budget because we must plan many other activities for

the year. I would love to have concert by REM and a lecture by George Bush, but if we did there we be no money left for films, Coffeehouses, stags, cookouts, trips to plays, and the many other quality events we plan.

Andy did the right thing by expressing your dissatisfaction. I am inviting you and anyone else with suggestions to come to an open meeting on Thursday, October 28th in '64 Hall. If you cannot make it, our office is always open. We are never out to lunch!

Timothy Henzy
President of
B.O.P.

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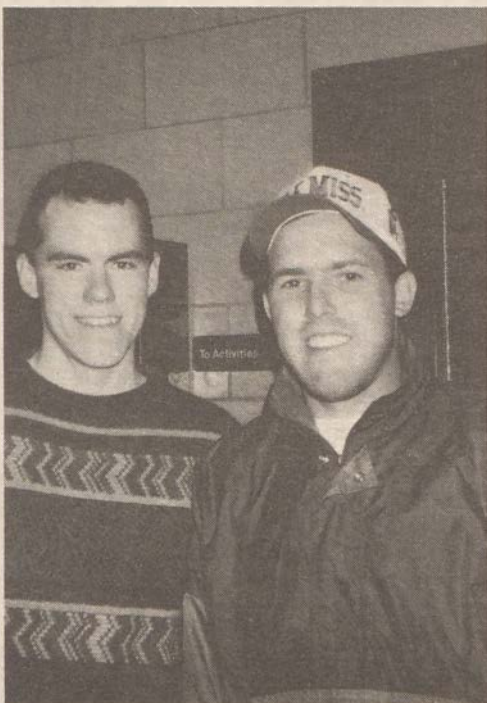
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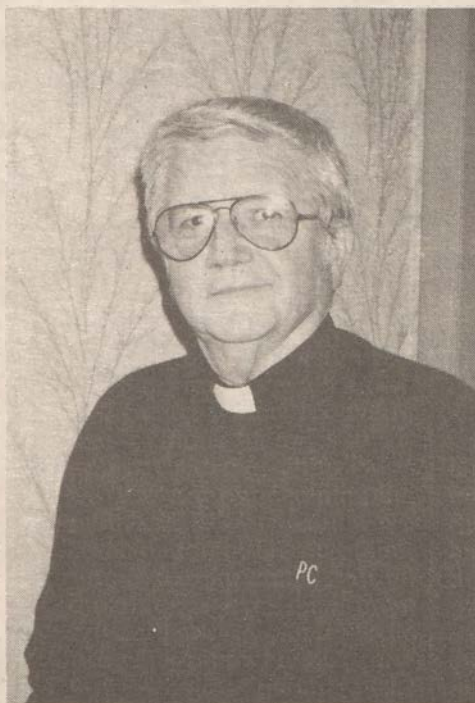
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—Roving Photographers—

What are your expectations for PC Basketball this year?



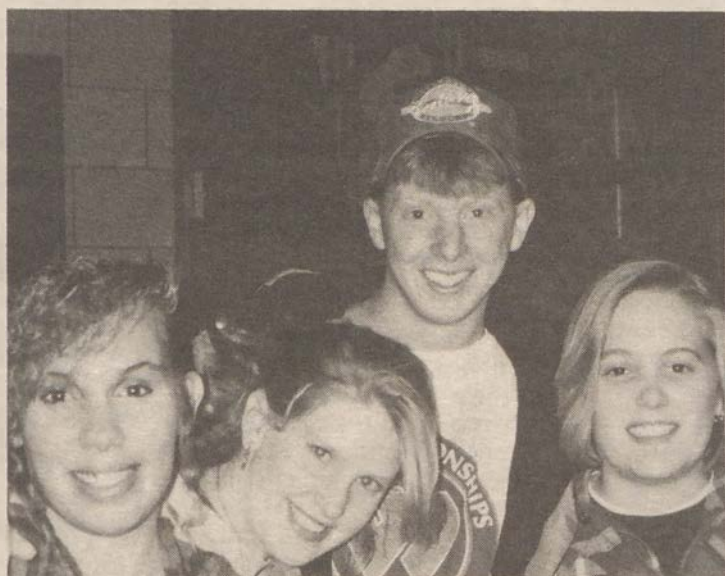
Bob Freeman, Joe Berardi '95: Just a trip to the NCAA's. That's all we want!



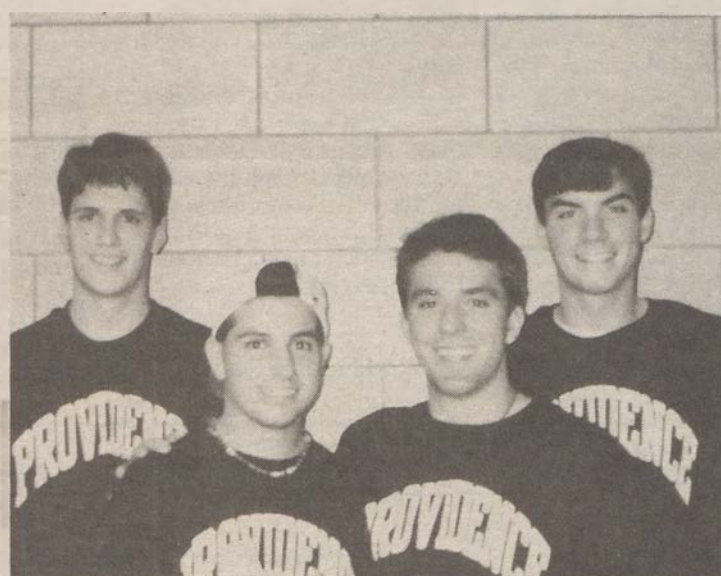
Father Cunningham, President: I would expect that we're going to have a very respectable season. I see considerable promise with this years team.



Laura Fortuna, Sarah Keusal '96: With the support of Sixth Man, the PC Friars will go into and win the NCAA.



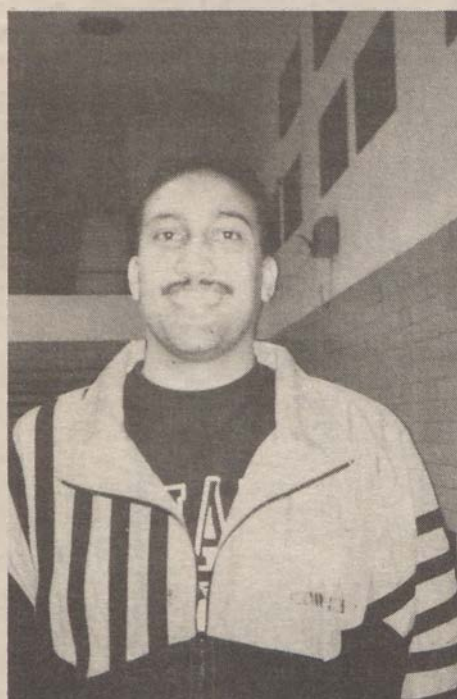
Chrissy Mcilmail, Annie Anastasia, Kurt Bramstrom, Erin Salisbury '97: Dickey Simpkins will come through for us this year!



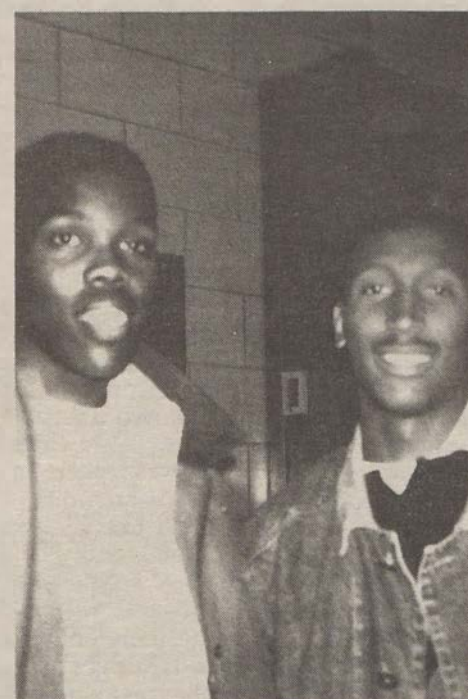
James O'Shea, Tim, Keith Price, Glen Petraglia '94: Led by the greatest fans in the nation, the Friars win the Big East Championship and go far into the NCAA's.



Maureen Jamison, Patty Whelan, Colette Slover '97: Kick some Big East butt!!!



Dennis Felton, Assistant Basketball Coach: I think to build on the success we had at the end of last year and to be competitive in the league.



Eric Williams '95, Jason Murdock '97: Win the Big East Championship and compete for the National Championship.

Dina & Sue: When PC basketball wins the Big East and advances to the NCAA Playoffs the team will take us, the Roving Photographers, with them on an all expense paid trip!!!

etc.

THOSE WHO CAN, DO.

(THOSE WHO CAN'T, SIT IN THEIR DORM
AND EAT MACARONI & CHEESE.)

QUARTER CUP MILK & BUTTER,
PROCESSED CHEESE AND NO LIFE.
Hey, use your noodle,
GET THE CARD.



IF YOU DON'T GOT IT,
GET IT.SM

JRW: Seven Days and Counting...

by Kristen Gallagher '95
Junior Class President

JRW - It's finally here. The event we've all been waiting for. Everyone's been talking about it and in just a short week all the talk will be history. The Core Committee and myself have been working hard so that all 980 of us attending will have a memorable experience. In order for things to go as smooth



by Michael James '97
Freshman Class President

Four weeks have passed now since Freshman elections and I must say that you have elected quite the unique group of Congress members. My name is Michael James, and I am currently the President of our class. I come from a small town in southern Rhode Island where I was the president of my high school

as possible we put together a reminder list.

1. This week, call and confirm your hotel reservation.
2. Thursday, November 4 - Doors for the mass ring blessing and distribution, taking place in Peterson, will close promptly at 6:00pm.
3. Friday, November 5 - Guys pick up your tuxedo for Saturday's Formal outside Slavin at the loading dock. Buses for the semiformal leave starting at 6:00pm from Peterson. The last

bus will leave at 6:30pm.

4. Saturday, November 6 - Check in to the Marriot Copley at 4:00pm. Cocktails start at 7:00pm in the lobby of the Grand Ballroom. Dinner starts at 8:00pm in the Grand Ballroom.
5. Sunday, November 7 - Brunch begins at 10:00 am in the Grand Ballroom. Doors close at 11:00 am for presentation of the video.
6. Don't Forget - \$10.00 to purchase video on Sunday, and \$20.00 for parking at the Marriot, and a Positive ID.

Welcome Class of 1997

class for four years.

The remaining members of our Congress are all worthy of their positions. I assure you that great things will be accomplished by these dedicated student leaders. "Well, (you say to yourself), what exactly does Congress do?" And that's where I butt in and tell you.

Freshman Congress members are in charge of planning fundraisers and activities that will not only bring us together as a class, but also raise some money for future events.

Several activities are in the process of being planned including a class ski trip, a Holiday Ball, the selling of Class Sweatshirts (January), and of course this Saturday night's Midnight Barbecue from 12:00am-2:00am on Slavin Lawn. Be sure to stop in Saturday night for some good ol' cheap food.

Well, I like to make things short and sweet, so keep your ears open for '97 events happening around campus. We're alive and working hard to ensure success for our class, the super Class of 1997.

Minutes from the October 25th Student Congress Meeting

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The Freshman Class was sworn in. All Congress members will work Midnight Madness on Friday, October 29, in Alumni Gym at 7:15 pm.

COMMITTEES:

Ethics: Melissa Silva announced cuts that Congress members have received for past events. No posters are to be hung on the brick walls in Slavin. They must be hung under glass or outside on the bulletin boards and they all must be approved by Student Services.

Legislative Affairs: Chris Caruso reviewed with everyone correct Parliamentary Procedure to be followed during Congress meetings and all debating at these meetings.

Clubs and Organizations: Kate Griffiths announced that monthly reports for all clubs and organizations are due on Friday, October 29.

Public Relations: Alissa Murgia announced that the PR Committee will be making posters for Midnight Madness on Wednesday, October 27, at 6:00 pm in the Congress office. All are welcome to help out. The November issue of Peaceful Coexistence will be distributed on November 10.

Time and Space: Cherie Levesque announced that all committee monthly reports are due at the next meeting.

CONGRESSIONAL BOARDS:

IAB: Mike Gill announced that 3 on 3 and Ultimate Frisbee are under way.

B.O.P.: Alison Lent announced the events for the week. Tuesday-Coffeehouse: Pumpkin Carving, Thursday-Movie: "The Godfather I & II" and B.O.P. open meeting.

OCRO: Andrea Cano announced that she attended "Keep Providence Beautiful" on Saturday.

Residence Board: Cristy Commer announced that Colonel's Corner is now open. Residence Halls will schedule programming there during the week. Mozerella sticks, onion rings and french fries will be sold from 1-3 am.

ACC: The Apartment social at Finnegan's Wake went well. Kids from Smith Hill will be Trick-or-Treating in the Apartments on Thursday, October 28.

Lobbyists: Tricia O'Hare and Scott Bielecki will be meeting with the Mayor on November 3. Issues that they will be discussing with him: the Feinstein Committee

community outreach; the ticketing policy on Huxley; installing traffic lights in front of 7-11. There will also be a meeting on November 11 at 7:00 pm for anyone interested in the Student Resource Group for the Feinstein Committee.

CLASS REPORTS:

'94: Club Night on Saturday October 30 from 8:00pm-2:00am at Polyesters. Tickets are \$5.00.

'95: The last tux try-on's will be on Tuesday, October 26 in '64 Hall.

'96: JRW Core has been selected. There will be a Club Night at Carpano's on Saturday, November 13. Class sweatshirts will be sold from November 8-12.

'97: Midnight BBQ on Saturday, October 30 from 12:00-2:00am. Officers are brainstorming to come up with ideas for the upcoming year. Class sweatshirts are on order.

**Class of '94 Club Night
at POLYESTERS
Saturday, October 30
8:00 pm - 2:00 am
Tickets on sale in lower Slavin
ONLY \$5.00!!!**

*The Art Club would like to announce
a visit to the Worcester Museum.
Come enjoy the artistic talent of Judith
Leyster
a renowned 18th century woman artist.*

*Please join us November 13th. Space is
limited!*

*Contact the Art Club at Box 3750
if you are interested in joining us.
(kindly include name and phone)
All are welcome!!!*

JRW Tux Pickup

*Friday, November 5
12:00pm-4:00pm
on Slavin Loading Dock*

JRW Tux Pickup

ATTENTION: ALL CLUB PRESIDENTS

Monthly Reports are
due
Friday, October 29
to Katie Griffiths

'96 Club Night

by Bill Meehan '96
Sopomore Class Vice-
President

Class of '96 get ready for your first Club Night. This long awaited event is now just around the corner. On November 13, from 7:00pm - 12:00am Carpanos Restaurant and Bar will host this exciting event. Carpanos offers a large dance floor, with lights and a professional D.J. It will also have 10 different T.V.'s with every sport event or show you would want to watch. Carpanos is owned by the Rhode Island sportscaster Frank Carpano. The walls are lined with years of

sports memorabilia that Mr. Carpano has collected during his career. The cover charge is pending on the cost of the busses. However we expect the cost to be around ten dollars. This will include bussing to and from, D.J. and complimentary pizza. There will be drink specials for those of you that are 21. We will be selling tickets next week, however, there are a limited number of tickets available so get yours early. '96 sweatshirts should be available at the ticket table in Slavin. Stop by and find out all the details about Carpanos and get your '96 sweatshirts.

Class of '96 Club Night

Saturday November 13
7:00pm-12:00am
at Carpano's

\$10.00 Tickets will be sold
November 8-12 in Slavin

DJ, Dancing, Food, Beverages

STUDENT CONGRESS PROUDLY PRESENTS:

MIDNIGHT MADNESS

This Friday!!! October 29 in
Alumni Gym

Doors Open at 8:00 pm and Close
at 10:00 pm

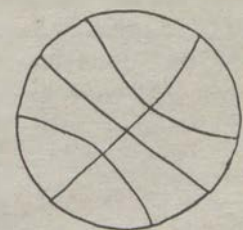
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PROVIDENCE COLLEGE FRIARS

Guest Speaker: BILLY PACKER



Lip Sync Contest
Slam Dunk Contest
3 on 3 Intramural Finals



FEEL THE FRIAR FEVER!!!

They're still alive

by Mike Quinn '95
contributing A&E writer

I have to admit I've never thought that much of Pearl Jam. I saw them as little more than a popular rock group with a better than average album and five or six songs to their credit. I thought they would fade out within a few years like several of their predecessors. Their latest release, *Vs.* changed my mind.

Pearl Jam achieved tremendous success with their debut album, *Ten*. After listening to the new album, I don't see any areas in which the band didn't improve. Eddie Vedder's voice has tremendously improved. Guitarists Stone Gossard and Mike McCready work together in a way that few people can duplicate. Their playing, with its many different styles and sounds, covers a wide range of material and is excellent. Jeff Ament's creative and well-calculated bass lines solidify the rhythm section, and last year's addition and last year's addition of drummer Dave Abbruzzese gives it more depth.

The performance may be improved, but is the music? Pearl Jam again covers a wide variety of subjects in their powerful lyrics, from sex to racism to identity problems. Some songs sound like the old Pearl Jam, while some material reflects another side of the band never seen before. They experiment with a full range of styles from the fiery first single, "Go" to the slow and soulful "Indifference." They attempt the acoustic in "Elderly Woman Behind The Counter in a Small Town" and adapt classic rock ideals in "Daughter." Most of the songs convey intense emotions similar to *Ten*'s "Alive" and "Release." The overall result is an astounding album and an ingenious second effort that will both earn the band significant respect and bring them back to the top of the charts.

Vs. showed me that Pearl Jam is a better band than I thought. They have the type of substance, depth and talent that makes a band great. Although this album is quite different, it's their best work to date.

Dare To Be Rocked By The Rocky Horror Show

Providence- Direct from London's West End, Richard O'Brien's original rock musical *The Rocky Horror Show* comes to the Providence Performing Arts Center in cooperation with WHJY radio on Thursday, November 4 at 10:00 p.m. Ticket prices are \$20.50 for limited Golden Circle seating and \$16.50 for all other seats. Call (401) 421-ARTS to order tickets.

The Rocky Horror Show is a mix of classic horror, science fiction and outrageous fantasy set to a rock and roll musical score. The show tells the tale of Brad and Janet, an ordinary couple who became guests at the castle of a mad scientist from Transylvania, Dr. Frank-N-Furter. Brad and Janet arrive on the night when Dr. Furter's creature, Rocky, is to be born.

Brad and Janet find the castle after their car gives them trouble in the middle of a thunder storm. The couple ask for the use of a telephone and Dr. Furter welcomes them by insisting that they take advantage of his unique hospitality. Brad and Janet spend the evening stumbling through a series of Transylvanian parties celebrating the birthday of the adonis humanoid, Rocky.

The Rocky Horror Show features a live rock band set above a sci-fi stage crawling with monsters, aliens and a fishnet Frankenstein who perform songs such as "The Time Warp," "Dammit Janet," and "Whatever Happened to Saturday Night." *The Rocky Horror Show* is the only live musical that dares the audience to talk back. Members of the audience participate in the show throughout the presentation and this involvement is a key element that contributes to the enjoyment and success of this musical.



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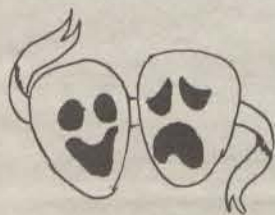
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Matt Mlodzinski
2. "I gave her my heart and she gave me a pen."
-Say Anything
Bridget Hughes
3. "I'll have the cream of some young guy."
-Wayne's World
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4. "Into the mud, scum queen!"
-The Man With Two Brains
"B"
5. "It's all ballbearings these days."
-Fletch
Mark Cybulski
6. "Does Barry Manillow know you're raiding his wardrobe."
-Breakfast Club
Alissa Murgia
7. "I can't believe my grandmother just felt me up."
-Sixteen Candles
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8. "Things, life, whatnot. Life is not whatnot and it's none of
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-Sixteen Candles
Ted Hazard
9. "If he gets up, we'll all get up, it will be anarchy!"
-Breakfast Club
Noelle Cusack
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might miss it."
-Ferris Beuller's Day Off
Kristina Jensen

1-2-3 RECIPES

Lazy-day lasagne

"It's a mighty good stand-in for the start-from-scratch kind, ruffly noodles and all."

4 ounces lasagne or wide noodles

1/4 teaspoon oregano

15 1/2 ounce can spaghetti sauce with meat

1 cup cream -style cottage cheese

1 6-ounce package sliced Mozzarella

Cook noodles in boiling salted water following package instructions. Drain. Combine oregano with spaghetti sauce. In greased 10x6x1 1/2-inch baking dish, alternate layers of noodles, cottage cheese, spaghetti sauce, and Mozzarella cheese slices. Bake in moderate oven (375) about 30 minutes. Makes 4 servings.

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1 teaspoon vanilla

1 cup whipping cream, whipped

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November News...!



by Leigh Gaspar '96
BOP Correspondent

October is almost over and the Board of Programers would like to wish everyone a Happy Halloween! BOP is also happy to announce that the November calendar is finished and full of many great events for next month.

Just to give you an idea of some of the things going on, Fine Arts will be presenting a trip to Trinity Repertory Theatre on November 14th to see the play, *Marvin's Room*. Tickets are \$7 and go on sale on November 1st in the BOP office. Fine Arts is also very excited to be hosting an evening of mystery to PC as they present a Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre on campus on Friday, December 3rd. (Proving that while BOP is NOT out to lunch, we *will* be out to dinner that night!) Sit down to a four course meal as a professional theatre company brings you a high audience participation murder mystery production, starring two of PC's own theatre majors—Kathy Parrella '94, and Dwayne Sheppard '93. Tickets for this go on sale Monday, November 8th for \$12 apiece in the BOP office.

Coffeehouse also promises to be host to some great Tuesday nights in the Last Resort next month with the themes including: Dr. Seuss night with green eggs and ham, a student band with motzerella sticks, and for all you writers out there, a poetry slam with gourmet coffees and pastries. Be sure to make time for a study break on Tuesday nights!

Film committee also has a great line up of movies for November as they present: *Van Damme Marathon*, *Sleepless*

in Seattle, *An Affair to Remember*, *Poetic Justice*, *Muppet Movies*, and for all you Tom Cruise fans out there, *The Firm*. Keep your eyes open for the dates of all these great films.

Over 21 is happy to announce a trip to Foxwood's Casino on Friday, November 19th. Tickets go on sale in the BOP office on Wednesday, November 17 for \$3 to ride the bus travelling to Connecticut. So for all you gamblers out there, save your money for a night of slot machines and blackjack!

Social presents Coconuts Comedy Club on November 15th in '64 Hall at 9:00 p.m. Tickets are \$2 at the door.

Entertainment is hosting a late night concert featuring the band, Rider Bean (formally Skipping Sequence) on Saturday, November 20th in '64 Hall and admission is FREE!! Entertainment is also planning a Battle of the Bands in late November and would like anyone interested in participating to stop by and sign up in the BOP office.

And finally, Travel is psyched to announce this year's Spring Break trip to the Bahamas! For more information, there will be a meeting for all intersted in going on the trip on Wednesday, November 10th at 7 p.m. Location is TBA so keep your eyes open for more details. Travel is also sponsoring Thanksgiving buses home on Tuesday, November 23rd and returning to PC on November 28th. Information concerning times and locations will follow soon.

BOP hopes you enjoy our November events and reminds all students that your input, comments, and suggestions are always welcome!

Entertainment Announces:

*** A Battle of the Bands** is being scheduled in '64 Hall, date and time TBA. Anyone interested in participating please sign up in the BOP Office!

Travel Announces:

* There will be a **Spring Break Informational Meeting** on Wednesday, November 19 at 7:00 p.m., place/location TBA.

Film Presents:

Sunday, October 31

Halloween

8:00 & 10:00 p.m.

Moore Hall

FREE

Admission!!

Thursday, November 4

Jean Claude Van Damme Movie

Marathon

8:00 & 10:00 p.m.

Moore Hall

FREE Admission!!

Tuesday, November 2

Coffeehouse Presents:

Dr. Seuss Night

with

Green Eggs & Ham!!

9:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.

The Last Resort

Fine Arts Announces:

Monday, November 1st

* Tickets go on sale for the Trinity Repertory Company's production of *Marvin's Room* on:

Sunday, November 14th

2:00 p.m.

Transportation will be available to those who need it, and tickets can be purchased for \$7 each in the BOP Office.

Monday, November 8th

* Tickets go on sale for an on-campus production of a *Murder Mystery and Dinner* on:

Friday, December 3

7:30 p.m.

Raymond Cafeteria

Tickets are \$12 each and can be purchased in the BOP Office. The evening will include a sit-down 4-course meal with a high audience participation murder mystery production performed by a professional theater company, starring PC's own Kathy Parrella and Dwayne Sheppard.

Features

101 Ways To Procrastinate At PC

by Jen Stebbins '94
Features Writer

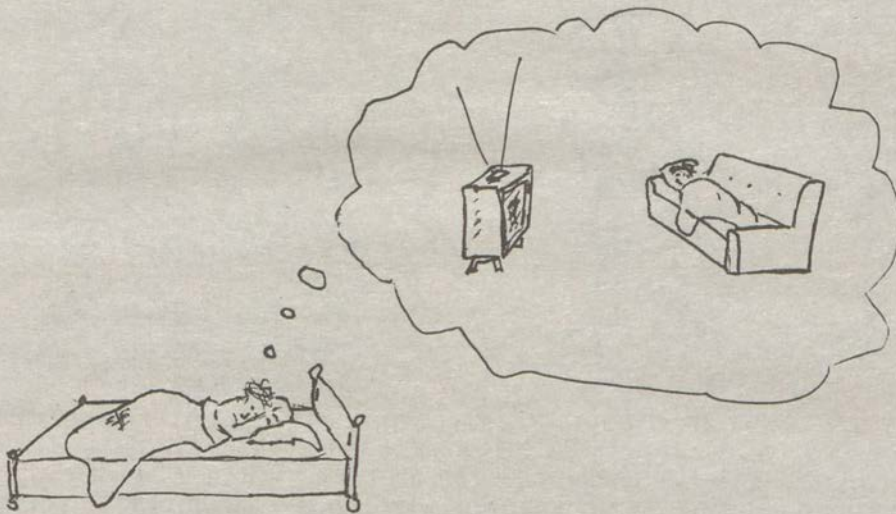
Sit in mondo and people watch * attempt to study at the library * walk the track two miles (14 laps) * exercise * eat * complain about everything * clean * clean your roommate's messes * complain about your roommate's messiness * organize your notebooks * organize your books * correlate your notebooks with your books * plan next year's classes * watch the sun set * take a nap * watch the sun rise * call a friend * call your parents * write a poem * go grocery shopping * buy a card * feed the PC squirrels * talk to a professor * go to a bar * bake brownies * play Nintendo * watch movies * paint the toenails on your friend's dog * bleach your mustache * do a mud mask * clip coupons * sweep the outside steps leading to the inner hallway of your apartment * plan what you'll do after studying * prank the boy you love * harass the people you dislike * sit in the Cowl office * look

through photo albums * replay your newest favorite song ten times * make up a new dance to Diana Ross's "Stop! In the Name of Love" * empty the salt and pepper shakers, wash, and refill * take apart the phone to see how Bell made it * plant a flower and watch it grow * paint the walls * rehook the shower curtain * do laundry

* design your future home * call a travel agent and pose as someone with a lot of money and a two month vacation * write a letter * shave * color your hair * meet a stranger * read Soap Opera Digest * read the New York Times * pay the bills * get out Christmas decorations * bake someone cookies * write a Cowl article * find a

flaming liberal and strike up a conversation * do your math homework * attempt to redraw the Mona Lisa * meet all the security guards at PC * wash the dishes * clean the toilet * throw a frisbee with your neighbor * go for a bike ride * test drive a Harley * climb a tree * dress up the cat and take pictures * cut your roommate's hair *

Glantz your hair * play pretend * pierce your ear (or nose, or stomach, or nipple...?) * get a tattoo * visit CVS * organize your underwear drawer * change the sheets * write your resume * apply to grad school * cook a five course gourmet dinner for your roommates * write your memoirs * pass out table tents * make a collage * read a steamy novel (for men, a *Playboy* will suffice) * go to church (repent!!) * go to Thayer Street * eat ice cream * visit the RISD museum of art * drink wine * make whoopie * go to the grotto * watch a PC volleyball game * see how easy it is to break into your own apartment * see how many Ray Cafe chocolate chip cookies you can eat at one time without throwing up * try on all your clothes * make a quote wall * come up with a Halloween costume * practice the limbo * watch Sports Center (each and every time it's on) * take a walk * think of 101 ways to procrastinate!! (Thanks Coreen!)



Halloween Costume Ideas

by Beth Brezinski '94
Features Writer

In case some of you out there are still looking for something to wear for Halloween, I'd like to take this opportunity to give you a few ideas. I'm not terribly creative but maybe something will inspire you to come up with your own unique costume.

A Drunk- For many, this is very easy. All one has to do is re-enact any given weekend or weekday as the case may be. For some, this may not be much of an act, people may only recognize you in this way.

Typical PC male- For PC women, all that is required for this is... yup you guessed it, a baseball hat! Since many PC females now wear baseball hats (recently, women may want to add to their ensemble a button down polo shirt, jeans and bucks or sneakers.

Typical PC female- Men may have to do a little more work here than their female counterparts. First of all, I would suggest some mascara, eyeliner, and lipstick. These are the main essentials for most of us and sometimes can be the difference between looking semi-conscious and appearing to have just stepped out of the grave.

As far as clothing goes,

the best bet would be to attempt to squeeze into a bodysuit under a pair of jeans. Don a blazer over the bodysuit with a strand of pearls around the neck for a dressier effect. Cowboy boots will pull the outfit together for a casual yet feminine look.

Nudist- this can get you arrested but is otherwise hassle free and cost efficient (excluding bail). You'll surely be the most popular (or perhaps most unpopular) person at Halloween gatherings. Either way you'll get a lot of people talking and you will stand out in any crowd.

Lumberjack- If you have a plaid shirt, jeans, and work boots, need I say more?

Bag of Jelly Beans- Find a large, transparent, plastic trash bag and fill it with balloons. You may have to find some friends to help you blow up the balloons; don't fill it too full though, you may have trouble getting through doors.

Julius Caesar- Simply tie a sheet over one shoulder. For the feet, any kind of sandals will do but Birkenstocks are probably the best bet. A laurel wreath around the head is optional.

These aren't many ideas but it's a start. I hope everyone has a great time this weekend and I can't wait to see all those costumes!

Dear Mr. Bunnell

by Mathew Bunnell '95
Features Writer

A funny thing happened to me when I checked my mailbox this past week...I had mail. Yes, actual handwritten letters to me and no, they weren't from my dear grandmom. These letters were written by students with unique problems, and for some reason they think that I, of all people, could answer their questions. So I looked them over and decided to help them out as best I could.

Dear Mr. Bunnell: I am a 19 year old girl who has blonde hair, blue eyes and a pretty cute smile. Usually, I'm pretty shy around guys. I also like to party and have a good time, but when I get too drunk, I lose my self-control and start kissing complete strangers. The next morning I feel so embarrassed of what I've done that I'm afraid to go out in public for fear of someone recognizing me. I don't want to be considered a little tramp. Is this normal?—Depressed in Dore.

Response: O.K. First thing you should know is that a return address is required so that I can get to find out who you are and tell everyone (just kidding). To answer your question, Depressed, I wouldn't consider this behavior that "normal," yet I've heard of people who do the exact same thing. Personally, when I lose my self-control, I start kissing random po-

licewomen and ask them if they like to be handcuffed. The problem here is that you're the ideal woman for some guys at PC, so be careful how far you go (a couple of blocks at the most). You've described yourself as a fairly attractive person, so stop being so shy. You can be outgoing all the time, not just when you've got a couple down you. Also, are you ad-

McDermott

Response: Well, Mr. McPissed, I'd have to say you're not trying hard enough. I mean, these girls aren't gonna come up and sit on your lap for the hell of it. Spice up your wardrobe, take off the hat and maybe try some cologne or wash with soap or something. I'm not an expert on the female gender by any means



mitting that you're drinking underage? Naughty, naughty - you should be ashamed. Does this sort of thing happen regularly at PC?

Dear Mr. Bunnell: How come I don't get no chicks? I would say that I'm pretty cool. I like to wear jeans, a sweatshirt and a hat. I take a shower at least twice, maybe even three times a week so it's not my BO, right? I go to bars with my buddies and wait for girls to come to me, but they never do. What's up with these frickin' women...they're all so stuck up. Why are chicks such bitches?—McPissed in

so for this letter I got some advice from my fellow Features writers. They say you should be a little more outgoing as well as a little nicer to women. Good luck, dude.

Dear Butthole: I'm sick of reading your trash. Don't you have something to write about besides women and drinking and making fun of people? Can't you write something nice for once? Why not something on your classes, or fun campus activities or something?—Mrs. X

Response: Mom, you should try typing that next time. Don't worry, I'll try to tone it down.

Features

The Traitors, the Fanatics and My Grandmother

By Tina Kloter '95
Asst. Features Editor

What's the only thing that could transform my sweet, mild-mannered grandmother into a shrieking and furious madwoman? Basketball. It's amazing, as soon as the players run onto the court, the metamorphosis begins. She retains some of her gentle nature at first, warning those around her that she is "a screamer." She then proceeds to break the sound barrier with yells so loud you'd think someone was trying to kill her. It's a strange thing to watch. Sports bring about strange transformations. People become those mysterious creatures known as fans. As we all know, there are many different species of fans.

Sports food connoisseurs- Hot dogs, pretzels, Del's... These fans come to games for the tasty and nutritious food. Before the game starts, they amble over to the refreshment stand and return to their seats carrying one of those sturdy food holders loaded down with all kinds of delectable goodies. They usually gobble this first course down pretty quickly. Instead of keeping track of the players, these fans keep track of the vendors. If you happen to be sitting next to a connoisseur, they will give you a play by play. Connoisseur- "And it looks like the snow cone guy is heading for section 615 and he's... Yes! He's made a sale!"

And don't be surprised if when the pretzel guy, the popcorn girl or the peanut guy happen to roam into your section, you become the go-between.

Noisemakers- This group of fans feels that it's their responsibility to make sure that when you leave the game it feels like a very heavy cement truck is parked in the center of your forehead. Your aver-

aged reaction noise maker try to discourage him, it never works. Sometimes, they even forget where they are and yell things like, "I'm in love with Mr. Rogers and he won't meet me in the Land of Make-believe!"

Sports fashion models- T-shirts and hats aren't enough for these fans. They are under the misguided impression that the more items of cloth-

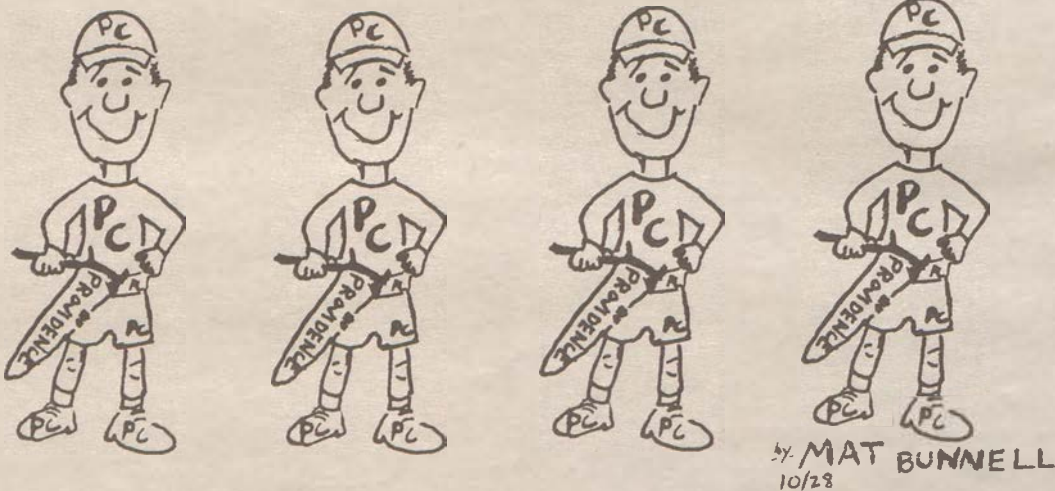
run into problems. Besides the fact that the "Hi Mom!" they wrote in permanent marker on their foreheads doesn't come off without laser surgery, by the end of the game the skin under the "low toxic" paint has been transformed into that of a giant lizard.

Male-bonding- This is a concept that I will never quite

one makes a particularly gross noise, they all give each other high fives.

Fair Weather Fans- When the team is doing well, the number of fans that shows up is amazing, but as soon as they lose a game, at least 75% of the fans stop coming. As disloyal as this behavior may be, it may not be entirely the fan's fault. I have a theory that fair weather fans are formed by mean, win-fixated youth sports coaches. If you were ever unfortunate enough to have a coach like this, you'll understand that if you lost a game, it was best if you never came back. You knew that if you did go back you were likely to be drawn and quartered, hung by your toenails or at least yelled at. Recovering from this type of fear may not be easy, but supporting your team or your favorite player (even when his batting average drops to .167) can be very rewarding. Even when the best catcher in the world (Tony Peña) doesn't hit the ball for six games in a row, eventually he does hit one and as his best fan, you know that without you it wouldn't have been possible.

Whatever kind of fan you happen to be, try to remember, it's just a game. So, if a fan from another team lands in your section, you don't have to kill him. Just give him a nice, neighborly smile and politely suggest that it may be in his best interest to leave. Then, sit back and enjoy the game.



age noisemaker spends the game looking for something to yell at. It's sometimes hard to tell which team they're rooting for, because they scream at everybody. The ones you really have to look out for are the delayed reaction noisemakers. Most of these take the form of a very large, cigar smoking gentleman who stands up ten minutes after a play and bellows, "He was out, I tell you!" Although the people around the

ing they wear with their team's name, logo or colors on them, the more likely their team is to win. They've got the socks, the earmuffs and most importantly, the body paint. Never make fun of someone wearing body paint; to them it is an art form. Some spend hours carefully painting mascots and letters, while others attempt to achieve more abstract results by having their friends spray paint them. This group can

understand and will probably always associate with primal rituals. I've seen grown men at sports events transformed into rowdy adolescents within minutes. For starters, they form a huddle every time a woman walks by and discuss her...sense of humor and her IQ. (At least that's what I've been told.) They also spend a lot of time impressing each other with the disgusting sounds they can make. Each time some-

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Nightmare on Eaton Street

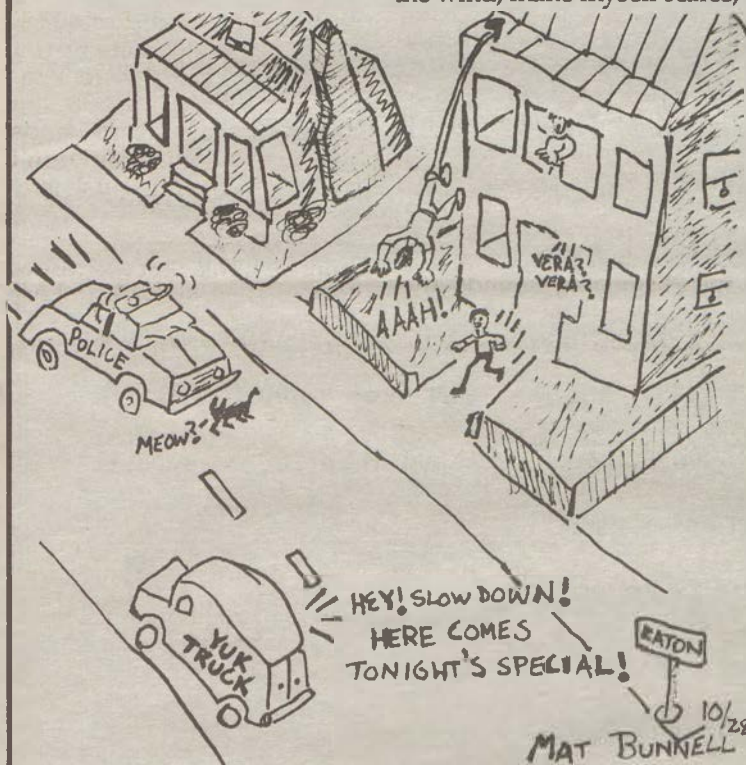
by Vera Schomer '96
Features Editor

It was a cold and windy October night. I had just finished downing Pepto Bismol after having been subjected to Chicken Cordon BLAH at Raymond. My friends and I were looking forward to a fun night, singing and telling ghost stories in the shower, when we heard a scream. Someone dropped on the shower floor like a ton of bricks. We all darted into her stall only to see her laying there, eyeball dangling, drooling chicken, peas and mashed potatoes. Had she hit her head on the soap rack or was it the work of a mystery assailant?

Unfortunately for her, we couldn't be bothered with such trifling questions — we had a tie-dye underwear and togas-only party to worry about. After the EMT's had pronounced her out-of-commission due to severe and

wear and togas-only party, the atmosphere was slammin'. The beer was blood-red and had an interesting, bitter, salty aftertaste. There was everything from keg-stands, funneling and shotgunning going on. The activities were creative and loads of fun. We were bobbing for pigs feet and telling late-night Slavin horror stories.

Unfortunately, the fun was cut short for me when an ex-boyfriend, whom I thought was millions of miles away, approached me while I was in line for bungee-jumping off the deck. His breath was a combination of Doritos, Slim-Jim, Skoal, up-chuck and tequila. His eyes had more crust than Raymond apple pie. His pits were sweating bullets and his shaving nicks were hemorrhaging. Worst of all, his nails were not properly groomed and he had warts! I had to run, fly like the wind, make myself scarce,



crippling indigestion, we began on our escapade to Eaton Street.

Upon leaving the safety and security of our beloved campus, we tucked in the security guard, strapped on his Depends, and set his alarm to two minutes before the end of his shift. Cutting through the construction site, we walked under ladders, stepped on cracks in the pavement, and opened our umbrellas while taking a tour of the unfinished buildings.

Once on Eaton Street, a black cat crossed our path, and to our dismay, was run over by a speeding Providence police car. We ran onto the road to see if it was alive, but were chased off by Yuck Truck ninja workers dressed in black. Within seconds, the Yuck Truck itself was on the scene. Head Yuck-man was yelling "Please disburse — there is nothing to see here!" while apprentice Yucksters skinned, marinated and diced the poor, squashed animal. I wondered why?

Inside the tie-dye under-

hope for Scotty to beam me out of there! Instead, I slid down the bungee cord, crying in disbelief, and ran as far as I could from that house.

I ran to 7-Eleven seeking refuge. Inside, I couldn't get a conversation going with the cashier, but I think he understood my distress. He was lighting his cigar with a naked-lady lighter when he directed me into the back room. I thought he was getting me a phone... instead, I left with a tattoo of Barney on my forehead, care of a guy named Bubba. This night was surely not turning out to be one of my top ten at PC.

I needed help. I needed transportation. I needed a good reality check. Luckily, I was able to flag down a cop car. I asked for help, but all he did was call me a drunken idiot (in short), and told me to keep walking unless I wanted to be arrested for loitering. Yes, this night was real. Yes, my worse nightmares had come true. YES, class is over — I can stop doodling.

Halloween
Then and Nowby Bridget Hughes '96
Asst. Features Editor

It's that time of the year. Midterms are winding down, roommate tensions aren't as high as they were when there were many exams to study for, and the atmosphere is settling down once again. But just when you think everything is calm and collected, you realize that the peacefulness won't last too long, especially when Halloween is within reach. It makes me laugh when I remember when life was simple — how the simple things made us happy when we were children.

Dressing up: OK, how come each day when I roll out of bed to go to my 8:30, I throw on a wrinkled oversized button down shirt and a pair of jeans because I don't have time to think about what I am going to wear? When Halloween comes around each year, the most I can do is have it run through my mind that it is Halloween, let alone try to create a costume. But how come when I was little, I dressed up to go to school, and the biggest worry of the day was who would win the best costume, the scariest costume or the most original costume award?

Free time: Times seemed so simple way back then, when I raced off the school bus and begged my parents to go trick-or-treating "right now!" No it couldn't wait until after dinner — if we didn't leave right now, all the candy would be gone! Now, I race home from class, and study for that Civ exam, or write that Spanish composition. There is no time to even think about trick-or-treating, even though a bunch of candy would probably be more nutritious than the food at Raymond.

Checking through the goods: After trick-or-treating, the first thing my parents always did, was check the candy to make sure no psychopath had put poison or razor blades in the candy. God forbid their darling daughter should swallow poison and have to be taken to the hospital where they would then induce vomiting. Now, as a sophomore in college, I realize that my parents haven't outgrown this phase, as the first thing my parents do when they come to visit me is check through my dresser drawers for evidence to prove that I have done those terrible crazy college things... whatever they might be.

I need clothes!! Remember in those younger years, when your parents would get excited about buying costumes? Well those years have passed. Now, I have to resort to slave labor just to get a lousy 5 bucks out of them. How come at one point, they could get so excited about spending \$50 on a costume

that would only be worn once, and they can't spend the money on real clothing that we wear to class every-day?

Eat as much as you want, just don't get sick: That was the rule in my house. The candy was there, I could eat it, but if I got a stomach ache, it was my fault and no one else's. This attitude disappeared however, as soon as I came to PC. My parents were soon telling me to be careful with what I ate because I would gain weight if I didn't "watch it". I think I liked the rule better when I was younger.

Hide it so they don't find it! My parents couldn't fool me. I always knew that they hid some of the candy away, so they could have some too. Now, it seems like I am doing all of the hiding, and I'm not talking about candy either.

"Halloween only comes once a year — enjoy it!" That's what they once told



me long, long ago. It didn't matter if I had a phonics test the next day, or a spelling bee to study for. It only mattered that I was their only child, and they were almost as excited as me for this day of trick-or-treating. (My parents liked getting free candy as much as a little kid would.) Now, if I even bring up the idea of going out on a school night, all I hear is that I better be getting good grades, and that they are paying \$20,000 a year so I can have a good education, and... you've heard it all before. But I still live up to what they said when I was little. "It's the only time of the year to be crazy, and act a little mad." So Mom and Dad, you told me to enjoy it — after all — it is only once a year.

Top Ten Worst Pick-Up Lines

by The Cowl Features staff



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9. If I could rearrange the alphabet, I'd put "u" and "I" together.

8. Do your legs hurt? You've been running through my mind all night.

7. Does your dad own a juice company? Because you're very fine.

6. You've got great hair, but it would look better spread out on my pillow.

5. Do you have a quarter, because my mother told me to call when I met the girl of my dreams.

4. Is your dad a thief, because he stole the stars out of the sky and put them in your eyes.

3. I'm like milk. I can do your body good.

2. That's a nice outfit — but it would look better crumpled up at the foot of my bed.

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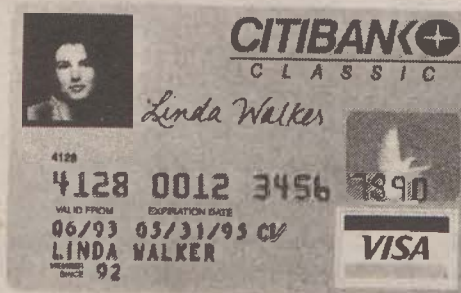
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Providence Party Time!! by Greg DeMattas



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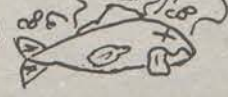
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Sports

Women's Rugby Winds Down Season

Katie Honerkamp '96
Contributing Sports Writer

Did you ever wonder who the pack of girls running around playing leap frog on Raymond Field are? Well, in case you were unaware, they are the PC women's rugby team. No, it's not a joke, PC has teams whose girls engage in strenuous physical contact.

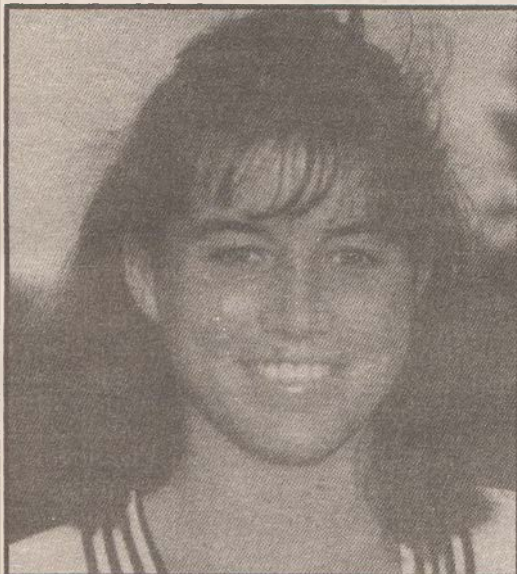
"Our pack has really come together this fall and we are looking forward to an even better spring season," said scrum captain Nikki Barry '95. In a year that was supposed to be one of rebuilding, the PC ruggers have fared well.

Although far from a division championship, president Stephanie Riemer ('94) added: "we have very strong leadership, new coaching, and some great new talent; so expect to see some big things from women's rugby." A big reason that the team is better than in the past is that they have a balanced mix of veterans and strong rookies like Sarah Casalan ('96) and Amy Peltier ('97). Veterans include vice president Chrissie Butler and back captain Heather Quigley.

Although the team suffered a crushing defeat last Saturday to their toughest opponent thus far (Bridgewater State), it was only the team's first defeat. All around play was strong, especially from back captain Jackie Latek and scrum captain Beth Riscassi. With a record of 2-1-1, the ruggers are looking for revenge this Saturday, October 30th, against Bryant. Look for signs around campus for further details regarding time and place.

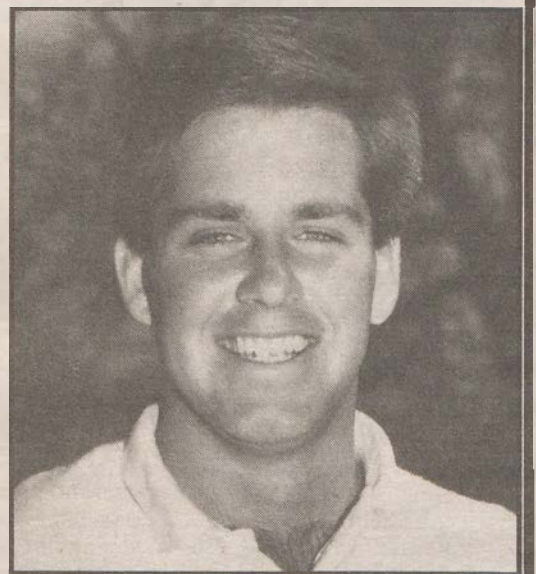
The team encourages all to come and support the team in the last game of the fall season. All newcomers are welcome to try out for the team for the spring season. No experience is necessary; just the desire to play.

Clearly Canadian PC Athletes of the Week



Kerry Lyons '94 (Dedham, Mass.)
Women's Soccer

Lyons had her second career hat trick in Providence's 3-0 shutout of Siena. The school's all-time leading soccer scorer had one goal in the first half and a pair in the second to lead the Lady Friars to victory. Lyons leads the team in scoring for the third consecutive season with seven goals and three assists (17 points).



Kevin Magnier '96 (Winnetka, Illinois)
Men's Golf

Magnier shot a two-round 152 in leading the Friars to a third place finish at the New England Championships. Magnier had rounds of 75 and 77 in the two-day event. Teammate Gil D'Andrea also shot a 152 as both men finished tied for eighth among all individual scores.



Kerry Lyons is a red hot scorer for the Lady Friars, with seventeen points thus far this season.

Lady Friars Stay Hot Hat Trick By Lyons Highlights Action

Todd Bianchi '95
Sports Writer

With the season winding down, the Friars have established themselves a four game unbeaten streak. Three games remain on the schedule for the Friars, all of them home. This past week the Friars prepared for the final stretch of the season by taking on Seine and Harvard. Last Sunday the Friars squared off against Siena in what was going to be a close soccer game. What resulted was the Friars drubbing of Siena, or should I say Kerry Lyons drubbing of Siena. Siena's defense was definitely outmatched by the speed and footwork of Kerry. The senior captain exploded for her first multiple goal scoring game of

the season. Kerry was able to register a hat trick, three goals, for the second time in her career. This tied her own school record for goals in a game. Scoring in the first period on a pass from Karen Stouffer started Kerry's goal attack. During the second half, Kerry had a breakaway and then got her third goal on a Heather Renals. It was the third straight shutout in a row, and the eighth of the year, which is a new school record.

Tuesday night the Lady Friars traveled to the scholarly confines of Harvard. The Friars were caught off guard by Harvard's spirited play and at the end of regulation were tied 1-1. The Friars were able to ward off Harvard in overtime and settle for the tie. Erin Valla had the lone Friar goal with assists coming from Karen Stouffer and Liz Holmes.

The Lady Friars, with 3 games remaining, are looking to land a great seed in the upcoming Big East Championship. This is the first year that the Big East is having this format, at stake is an automatic bid to the NCAA soccer tournament. The three remaining games are all against some formidable opponents. Vermont and Cornell are both soccer powerhouses. Boston College is currently tied with Providence as the fifth ranked team in New England. The remaining schedule is by no means easy so the Friars best be ready.

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A.Z. Why do I believe that John Starks is overrated and Ron Harper is underrated? Because while Starks hurts the Knicks with his antics, Harper helps the Clippers with his peerless ballhandling and play.

T.B. Well, for a player who was bagging groceries a few years ago, Starks has emerged as a potential all-star with his "letting it all hang out" style of play.

M.M. I can't help the feeling that my hometown Phillies would have won the World Series if they had a remotely decent bullpen. The starters didn't exactly light the world on fire, but the bullpen (especially "Long Ball" Mitch) gave a new meaning to the term "blown save".

A.Z. Who is the only NFL coach to take a team from a 12-4 record and an AFC Championship appearance to a 7-9 record and the status as an "also ran" in mere three years? Raiders Coach Art Shell. Do me a favor: save a sinking ship and fire Art Shell. **T.B.** Maybe Shell and Al Davis should take some lessons on how to rebuild a team from Jerry Jones and Jimmy Johnson.

M.M. Speaking of rebuilding, a lot of so-called experts thought that Notre Dame had their weakest team in years (see *Sports Illustrated's* preseason issue). Instead, Lou Holtz reloaded and will welcome top ranked Florida State to South Bend with the Fighting Irish ranked #2.

A.Z. Notre Dame's miraculous season is not only a testament to Holtz's coaching genius, but also to the irrepressible Irish spirit. Hopefully, the law school at N.D. admission board reads this and acts appropriately towards my application.

T.B. Back to that rebuilding thing, I think that some teams are just cursed, for example the NJ Nets. How many high first round picks have they had go sour? ...Dwayne Washington... Dennis Hopson. Exceptions would be Derrick Coleman and Kenny Anderson.

M.M. Where does Coleman get off turning down \$8.6+ million per year? He's a good player, but Karl Malone, Charles Barkley, and Larry Johnson all make my team as power forwards before he does. Hey Derrick, how much more "credible", as you called that offer, do you want?

A.Z. Since fireworks are legal where I live (in California), I hereby volunteer to instruct Vince Coleman and Eric Davis in the proper use of "safe and sane" sparklers and "Whistling Pete's".

T.B. Congratulations on hand to the PC men's ruggers for making the playoffs. I guess that Joe Downes's cheerleading from the sidelines really paid off.

M.M. Being as how hoop season is upon us, I've been hearing that the real reason Fr. Quigley is leaving is to polish up his game and give Coach Barnes the outside scoring threat he's looking for.

A.Z. Major League Baseball's realignment is an inane concept that's only result will be allowing mediocre teams into the postseason and destroy the significance of a "down to the wire" pennant race.

T.B. I find it ironic that with talk of Philadelphia moving teams into New Jersey in the air, the *New York* Giants and *New York* Jets will play each other in *New Jersey* this weekend.

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volleyball squad, there were some good individual performances by the players. Marnie Panek played well despite what Coach Bagge called "poor passing" on behalf of the Lady Friars- "When the passing is poor, her job as setter is made much more difficult because she has to move all over the floor to set our hitters. Still, she managed to play well."

In the Georgetown match, Karen Nieman played good defense, chipping in with 3 solo blocks and 4 assist blocks as well as 7 digs. In the Villanova match, Jocelyn Cole played a strong offensive game with a .400 hitting percentage with no errors, followed closely by Aileen Koprowski, who had a team-high 14 kills and a .366 hitting percentage. Nieman played another strong defensive game with 19 digs, a reflection of the poor blocking of the Lady Friars, because when you don't block, you have to react to the ball, which means more digs per game and a weaker offensive attack.

Well, with four games gone and three remaining in the Big East schedule, the Lady Friars have their work cut out for them. Coming in with a preseason Big East record of no. 2, they were highly touted, but they seem to be a little flat lately. "We have the physical presence to intimidate other teams with our height but we don't seem to want to take advantage of that fact. Everybody has got to step up. Hopefully our next match (UConn, tonight at Alumni Hall at 7:00) will turn the corner, because if we don't, we'll have some real problems." Well volleyball fans, let's get out and support our Lady Friars and see them through their tough time. Because after all, everybody needs support on a bad day.

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The Friars!

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M.M. If you want to see one mean and physical hockey team, just wonder over to Schneider Arena sometime and watch the PC Friars. I can't guarantee victory, but I can guarantee some mean checking by Balboni, Quenneville, and the gang.

Hockey:

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When asked about Friday's disappointment, coach McShane responded, "We had a number of opportunities, yet we couldn't score. Then when Maine scored their first goal we had a letdown." Bell was also critical of his second period performance; "The first goal was a nice one, and the second was a bit lucky, but I let the team down on the third goal." When asked of the tennis ball fiasco, Paskowski added, "Even though we killed the penalty, it definitely set us back. All we can do now is get focused for tomorrow's game."

One minute into the first period Saturday night, Guizor continued to play like an upperclassmen when he crowded the net, popping a Brady Kramer feed past Blair Allison. "Russ is deceiving because he's tough for a little guy", commented Paskowski. Unfortunately some of this momentum was crushed when George Breen received a tripping penalty at 18:25, and Jason Weinrich's slapshot beat the buzzer.

Just when the game seemed to be getting out of hand following Tardif's early second period goal, Chad Quenneville eluded his defenders for his first goal of the season, tying the game at 2-2. This tie would be short-lived though following Brad Mahoney's late period goal to put Maine ahead 3-2. The third period would be academic as the game would open up for Kariya to score a pair of goals. The Friars would return to the locker room a disappointed group once again.

"We played a lot better tonight than Friday, but we need to be more persistent around the net", evaluated McShane. Paskowski agreed with this opinion, adding "We need to finish things off more. Maine also never let up at the end of the game either."

Not to despair Friar fans, this Maine club is so talented that they tied Team USA a couple of weeks ago. This feat is even more impressive though, considering the Olympians outscored BU and BC 17-3 that same weekend. McShane also stressed the relative youth of this team with only eight upperclassmen, adding "This is a very young team and these kids will get better as the season goes on."

The Friars will remain at Schneider for one more weekend when they host the University of Vermont Catamounts at 7pm on Friday night. Come support the Friars before Midnight Madness, but just forget the tennis balls.

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Sports

The Big Apple Awaits

Cross Country Heads To Big East Championships

Mike Myers '94
Assistant Sports Editor

Well, it all comes down to this. The Cross Country teams have been working hard all season for this coming weekend. That is when the Big East Championships will be held at Van Corland Park in New York. Unfortunately, for the men's squad, the injuries to key runners still persist. However, the positive side is that the team has dealt with those injuries all season, so, come Saturday, they will be properly prepared. Many of the younger runners have learned to step up in an effort to fill the gaps.

"I am very pleased with the team, especially the younger guys who have responded admirably to the many challenges they have faced", states Coach Treacy. The top seven runners on the squad consists of four freshmen, two sophomores, and a senior. Coach Treacy feels "this is an indication of the quality of the freshmen class, along with just how much the injuries have affected the team."

Cross Country

On Saturday, the team will again be battling and giving all they have in an effort to gain a bid to the NCAA Championships, and the underclassmen will play a key role in this quest. Normally, not much pressure is placed on the shoulders of the incoming guys. Not this year, however. Collectively, they knew they were going to have to pull together to compensate for the many injuries. In effect, they have gained valuable experience at an early stage which will certainly be to their benefit down the road.

The women, on the other hand, are running on all cylinders as they have been fortunate enough to have



Senior Vanessa Malloy will be a key to PC's success at this weekend's Big East Championships.

escaped serious injury. The Lady Friars have enjoyed a very successful season which is reflected by their top ten ranking. The Friars will face stiff competition at the Big East Championships, primarily from Villanova and Georgetown, two teams also in the top ten.

Coach Treacy has stated many a time that "our top three of Amy Rudolph, Vanessa Molloy, and Natalie Davey can run with anyone in the country." In addition to those three, Treacy looks to Meghan McCarthy to really come through with a big race.

The team has high hopes for this weekend as they strive to become the first Lady Friar team in history to win the Big East Championship. If this is to be accomplished, Krissy Haacke, Cesarina Santana, and Leanne Burke will have to run the races of their lives. If that happens, then, as Coach Treacy says, "anything can happen."

A Hard Day's Night

Lady Friars Hit Rough Times

Christian T. Potts
Sports Writer

Everybody has bad days. You know, the kind where you wake up late for your classes, there's no hot water in the shower, it's raining and you can't find your umbrella, you forget the paper you worked on all night, etc., etc. Coach Dick Bagge and the Lady Friars volleyball team had not one but two bad days in a row last weekend as they dropped consecutive matches last Friday to Georgetown and Saturday to Villanova.

Women's Volleyball

Coach Bagge, when asked about how they did last weekend, responded with one word- "Terrible". In their match against Georgetown, Coach Bagge said the team went in with "a lot of confidence." Georgetown had a losing record overall and in the Big East (0-2), so we figured if we came out and played our best, we would beat them. But we didn't come

out and play our best." They dropped the first game 13-15, took the second game 15-13, then lost the next two 11-15 and 4-15. The Lady Friars played poorly on both offense and defense, hitting only .089 for the match, which is quite bad, considering their previous success on both sides of the ball.

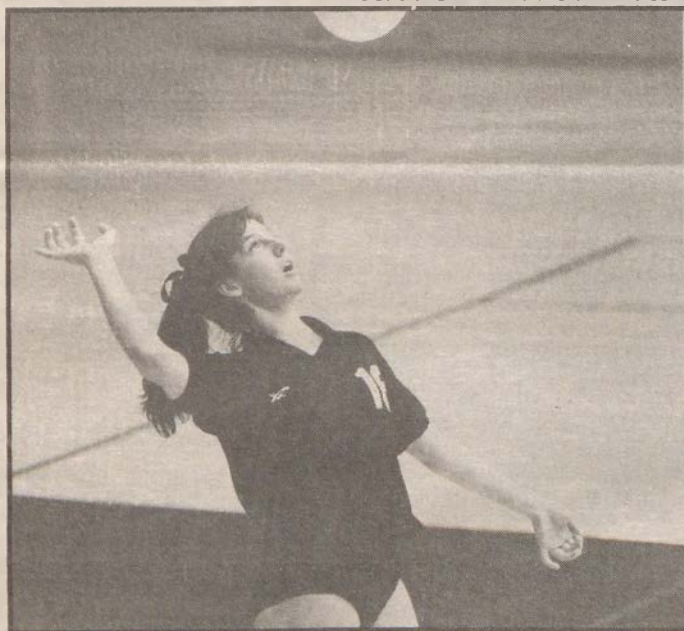
The loss at Georgetown dropped their record to 15-8 overall and 1-2 in Big East matches. Their next match was Villanova the following afternoon and once again Coach Bagge felt confident going into the match, despite the debacle of the previous evening. "Villanova was a team with a winning record overall (15-7) but a 2-3 mark in Big East play. We felt once again that if we played to our level we could win."

Alas, the Lady Friars suffered a 0-3 sweep that saw them play with poor defense; they managed only 4 blocks in the last two games combined. They dropped the first game 10-15, the second 12-15, and the last and final game 13-15. "We're just not playing well. It's frustrating and disturbing because they seem to be trying but we're not together out there."

Nothing frustrates a team more than when you play excellently, then slide into a funk. "We've got to put it together. We're having problems and that could make this week more difficult (the Lady Friars face UConn, Seton Hall, and Syracuse in the next three weeks, all important Big East matches). We don't want to be heading into the tournament as a low seed because that means we will have to play the higher seeds. Some people might like that, but not us. We'd rather be playing the lower seeds and have an easier time."

Despite the poor overall performance of the women's

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Jocelyn Cole ('96) had a strong offensive game against Villanova on Saturday.

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Sports

The Hits Just Keep On Coming Friars Continue To Struggle

Pieter J. Ketelaar '97
Sports Writer

5-10 overall record. 0-7 in the Big East conference. And for the second time this season, five losses in-a-row. These are the numbers. But there is always a story behind the numbers. The Providence College men's soccer team is struggling, struggling in a major way. The Friars are in a state of offensive drought having been shut-out in their past two games by Holy Cross and then Big East powerhouse St. John's, who is currently ranked sixth in the nation. The Friars have scored just one goal in their last three games. Yes, the times are indeed tough. On top of all that

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has gone wrong with this campaign to date, the Friars with their loss to St. John's University, have set a new mark for futility with ten losses for the first time ever! The previous mark for losses in a season was nine set by both the 1977 and 1986 squads, but that benchmark has now been eclipsed by the 1993 version of the Friars with ten big ones in the wrong column.

Things were going to be different this year for PC, and for a little while they had us believing it. They began this season 4-0-0 and looked to be much improved after last year's record of 6-7-4. But, somewhere along the line they got complacent and maybe the winning early on affected their work ethic that is the characteristic of Coach Doyle's style of coaching. After winning Doyle's 200th career victory, the last of the four straight victories, the Friars lost five in-a-row, broke out of that slump with an overtime win at URI, and then have proceeded to lose five straight for the second time this season, with presumably no end in sight. Now they are 5-10 and have not won consecutive games since September 12th.

This year's team could best be described as a streaky team. That much is obvious. But just what allows a team to lose ten games with still more opportunities left to add to that. Could it be the schedule? Seven out of the last nine games have been against the Big East. Could it be the condition of some of the players? Coach Doyle hinted to his players playing hurt, in particular Sean McDermott. Could it be the inability for a few or one player to pick up the team and get them through the storm? Could it be extreme bad luck in the case of the Friar's woes? One thing is certain. The Friars are losing. It doesn't matter how and for what reason. All that really matters in the grand scheme of things in the wide world of sports is the bottom line, the margin by which all teams are judged, winning and losing.

Last week the Friars took on Holy Cross. They lost the game by a final score of 1-0. Then on Saturday the Friars followed up on that performance by getting shut down again, 2-0, albeit they did play one of the top teams in the country.

Now is a critical time for PC. They have three games remaining and then the Big East Championships at Seton Hall. This team must muster all their intestinal fortitude and do their level best to win again before the season is over. This time will also be used by Coach Doyle for determining the future of his team by getting perhaps a closer look at younger up-and-coming players and forecasting their role in squads to come. The Friars still have the chance to finish 10-10, but that would require winning all of their remaining games. There is no time like the present to build towards the future of this team. They've seen better days but right now not much is going right for Coach Doyle and his troops.

Up Close: With Sean McDermott



Senior Sean McDermott has provided leadership for a struggling men's soccer team this season.

Derek Stout '95
Sports Interviewer

Last year it was injuries, lack of mental maturity and experience; this year those problems were to be solved. The Friar men's soccer squad had an optimistic view going into the season: the Friars had a strong sophomore class returning with the addition of added experience on the defensive end which was to make-up for the loss of talented players to graduation.

But the 1993 campaign has turned from one of optimism to one of misery as the team currently stands at 5-10. Senior fullback Sean McDermott explains: "We had a very positive pre-season and we looked good after our first four games. We then began to lose confidence and we weren't scoring. The other teams would capitalize on our mistakes. We need to have more consistent goal scoring and capitalize on our opponent's mistakes."

Through all the heartbreaking losses of the last two seasons, Sean McDermott has been the mainstay in the backfield for the Friars. In 1992 Sean started in all seventeen contests and presently has played in all fifteen of the Friar games in 1993. Throughout his senior year, Sean has had the difficult role of being captain and keeping the spirits up on the team. "I just try to make clear to the guys that we must keep on trying as we have usually been playing well; we have just been unlucky. I try to help keep our heads up and hopefully our luck will turn around, although it's kind of late now." The team's demise began after the first four games where the Friars went undefeated. Since then the team has lost ten of its last eleven almost all by one goal. "We have been in every game except for UNH, Georgetown and Dartmouth. Excluding those we should have at least won of the other games," said McDermott.

Entering Providence College, Sean McDermott left behind a high school sports career that was filled with success and personal achievements. Sean excelled in basketball and soccer at Bethlehem Central in Glenmont, New York. Although Sean did not continue his basketball career at P.C. he definitely sees a connection between the two sports. "The two are very similar in style in the way the ball is brought downfield and down the court. The team concept is also similar with the positions which can be directly related to one another," commented the senior co-captain. Entering the Division I level of play Sean quickly learned he had to make adjustments coming from the high school level. "Coming into Division I play I found the players are much more physical than in high school, the game is also much more fast-paced than before."

During Sean's sophomore year he ran into physical problems when he ripped apart his knee. McDermott had to have reconstructive surgery and it was questionable whether he could continue to play. Sean did come back and although his knee is not always comfortable it has not stopped him from starting every game the last two years. "I can't practice everyday and I have to pace myself on the field. It is usually sore after games and practice," said Sean.

Sean first became active in soccer when he lived in Virginia at an early age. Later the family moved to New York where Sean continued in the sport. He played on a youth club that was one of the top programs in the country, where Sean got the chance to compete with other teams around the country. Since then Sean has had a memorable sports career where he will be remembered for his heart, intelligence and aggressive play on the field. For the Friar soccer squad the talent has been there the last four years, but it is not being utilized to its potential. Without the type of leadership and devotion that Sean McDermott has brought to the P.C. program there is no telling how many more losses the Friar's would suffer this year. Sean McDermott will be missed after he graduates in May and the P.C. soccer team will have big shoes to fill in his fullback and leadership positions.



James Smith has been a steady defensive force for the Friars this season.

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

This Week in Providence College Sports

Friday, October 29	Women's Tennis at Rolex Indoor Championships	TBA
Saturday, Oct. 30	Women's Tennis at Rolex Indoor Championships	TBA
	MEN'S SOCCER VS. SETON HALL	11:00 AM
	Women's and Men's Cross Country at Big East Championships (Van Cortland Park- New York)	Noon
	WOMEN'S FIELD HOCKEY VS. NEW HAMPSHIRE	1:00 PM
	MEN'S RUGBY VS. BRYANT (New England Division II Quarterfinal Playoffs) @ VEASIE FIELD	1:00 PM
	WOMEN'S SOCCER VS. VERMONT	2:00 PM
	WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL VS. SETON HALL	2:00 PM
Sunday, Oct. 31	WOMEN'S SOCCER VS. CORNELL	1:00 PM
Tuesday, Nov. 2	Women's Field Hockey at Northeastern	3:00 PM
	WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL VS. BROWN	7:00 PM
Wednesday, Nov. 3	WOMEN'S SOCCER VS. BOSTON COLLEGE	2:00 PM
	Men's Soccer at Brown	7:00 PM

HOME GAMES IN CAPS

Maine Takes Two From Friars On The Ice

Justin Macione '95
Assistant Sports Editor

Upon entering Schneider Arena for the PC pucksters October 16 home opener against Army, fans were treated to a dazzling display of heavy metal, extensive player introductions, and additional tunes before face-offs. More importantly, what followed was a 7-3 rout in favor of the Friars. These features returned when the Friars hosted the defending national champion Maine Black Bears on Friday and Saturday. The athletic department even lured Renee Rancourt away from the Boston Garden for Friday's national anthem.

Unfortunately Rancourt forgot to bring some bottled Irish luck courtesy of Causeway Street, and the Friars dropped both games to the Bears, 5-1 and 5-2. This can be attributed to some solid blue line play by Maine, keeping the Friars from attaining an offensive rhythm.

Aided by an enthusiastic student section, the Friars hit the ice on Friday, "on a five minute emotional high", as characterized by sophomore goalie Bob Bell, who helped keep the game close with a 33 save performance. Especially impressive in the scoreless first

period, Bell even stopped a sensational breakaway by 1993 Hobey Baker winner Paul Kariya. Senior captain Ian Paskowski and sophomore Scott Balboni were the defensive anchors for PC.

Unfortunately, the adrenaline rush was only temporary and Maine's Patrice Tardiff would beat Bell on the power play at 5:05 in the second period. Later in the second, sophomore Trevor Hanson paid a visit to box, and Trevor Roenick would tip in Dave McIssac's slapshot for the Bears at 12:30. Maine frosh Barry Clukey then added another tally at the end of the period, giving the Bears a 3-0 edge.

PC's scoring drought would finally end in the third period when freshman Russ Guizor beat Blair Marsh, putting the Friars within striking distance at 3-1 with 7:42 remaining. Unfortunately this excited certain members of the Slapshot Club too much, as they proceeded to color the ice yellow with tennis balls. This brilliant move resulted in Providence being called for a 2 minute penalty, essentially killing all hopes of a comeback. These PC



Chad Quenneville returned from a Friday injury to net his first goal of the season on Saturday.

fans also became an object of ridicule for the NESN broadcast of the game. The parent of this idea must have been either inebriated or uninformed of a basic rule; don't throw objects at the officials. Despite killing the penalty, Wayne Conlan scored a couple of late goals to extend the lead to 5-1.

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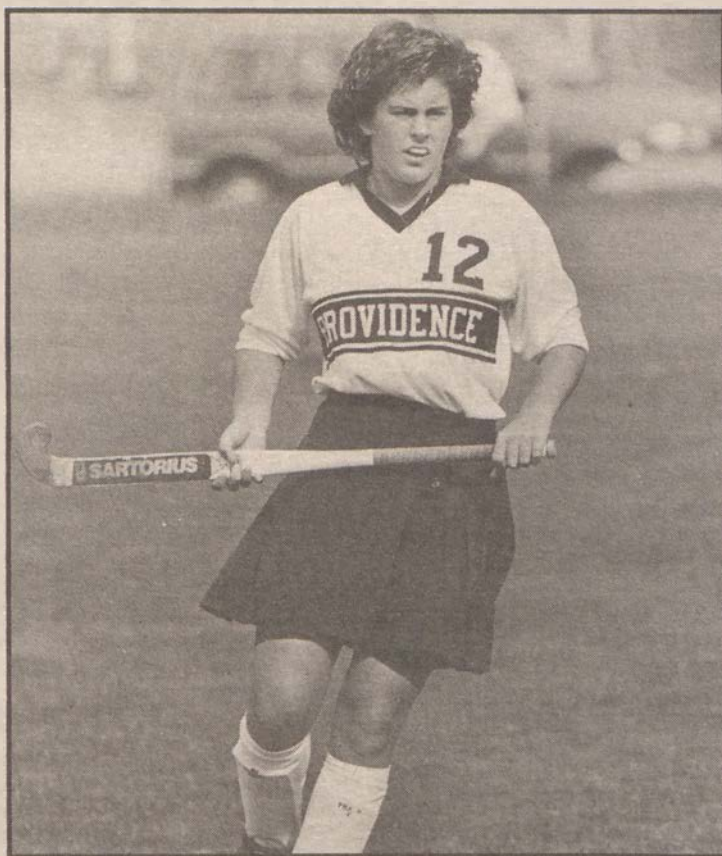
Field Hockey Tightens It Up For Stretch Run

Annica Ambrose '96
Sports Writer

A coach's compliment. This revered statement takes all the pain out of field hockey for our Providence College team. All the fatigue after a four-hour practice, the "wet rat" feeling of rainy day sessions, the muscle twangs after intense sprints, the hurt of sitting on the sidelines watching your position be played by someone else, the feeling as if one more person says "good game" you might bawl your eyes out. But if that person is Jackie Barto, feelings once intolerable seem to vanish.

This happens to be the attitude of any given player on this year's field hockey team. These girls would and do give everything to their sport. They play as a team and for the team. To let themselves down is something they deal with inside. Parents will love them win or lose, and as they let one another down, they also pick each other back up. Using strength and soul, they try to avoid at all cost letting their coach down. Unfortunately, they haven't been too successful of late.

After five consecutive games on the road, the Lady Friars return to Hendricken Field for two unprosperous games, in terms of winning, leaving them with a record of 8-6-3. In their third double-overtime of the season, Saturday's game against Syracuse ended in a 0-0 tie. Providence put forth a "well-played, intense effort and a strongly-played game," says Coach Barto. "Both teams had the opportunity to win it at different points in the game."



Meredith Zenowich hopes to help the Lady Friars to a strong regular season finish heading into the Big East Tourney.

Monday, Providence hosted Princeton for a 1-0 loss. Prepared for a comfortable win, the Lady Friars were aiming to please but continued to come up short. "They were coming off a big effort against Syracuse and were flat in this game." Gina Martiniello continued strong in goal with 22 saves, it was just the one she did let slide by that mattered.

Wednesday's game at Springfield has been rescheduled to Thursday at 7:00

p.m. Only three games until the Lady Friars hope to rise to the occasion of the Big East. As this resilient group of PC field hockey players engage in their upcoming predicaments, it might be the preparation, it might be the practice, it might even be the mental inspiration...but whatever it be, Providence will try for that sight of gratification in their coach's eyes, and in turn prove to themselves that as individuals and as a team, they are something to be proud of.

The Sixth Man Society Is Back!

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Sports Writer

There is an expression among basketball players and other hoops enthusiasts that when the crowd is pumped up and really involved in a game that it is like a sixth man on the court. That is the basis of Providence college's Sixth Man Society. The Sixth Man Society endorses itself as the official booster organization of Providence College basketball which includes both the men's and women's teams. The Sixth Man society is now entering their third year and their membership has doubled in size every year. The president of the Society, Tim Page '94, said the Sixth Man Society wants to "inspire fanaticism" among its members and attract new ones. At the basketball games they want to pump up the crowd, foster a positive home atmosphere, and build up school spirit so that they can literally be an extension of the team on the floor by supporting them with cheers and encouragement. Tim and the club's vice-president, Keith Price '94, are somewhat disappointed in past campaign sighting that the club "hasn't reached its potential." This year they want to encourage all students to turn out at the games and have a goal of filling the Providence Civic Center. They want to make the games more enjoyable for those who go instead of watching the game on TV and seek to increase transportation to the games this season. "Last year there were not enough buses," Keith said.

This year for the first time ever all tickets will be sold through the Sixth Man Society at a cost of \$3 per game for students at what would normally be a charge of \$9. "We want to create a chain of command and possibly dorm representation in the club this year," said Tim, "We've also been active in the planning of Midnight Madness this year and we are sponsoring events like the lip sync contest and the banner contest at Midnight Madness." Also on October 30th, the day after Midnight Madness, the Sixth Man Society will be sponsoring a Barbecue for its members. New memberships will be sold, members of the team and coaches will be on hand, WDOM will provide the music for this event, and the Pep band and Cheerleaders will be there as well.

This year the Sixth Man Society will be doing a lot of "wild and crazy" things at games such as supplying FREE face paint to anyone who wants it, sponsoring a myriad of promotions, and passing out various toys, balloons, and streamers. They want to make it very clear that they are open to new and exciting suggestions too. "We want the students to go nuts!" Tim stated, "Rhode Island is the second oldest state in the country next to Florida and the season ticket holders go to the games and sit on their hands. WE must pick up the slack! Our goal is a Civic Center dressed in black, a sea of black, and well organized chants and cheers. We want to be known as the best fans in the Big East!" Keith said, "We have 430 members in the Society this year and we hope to reach 1,000."

The first meeting of the Sixth Man Society was Monday, October 18th in '64 Hall. Dickie Simpkins and Coach Barnes as well as other Friar players were there to speak to the club and thank them for their support. Both Tim and Keith said that the team has, in the past, had a lot of "Fair-weather Fans." The team needs support, win or lose, and they see it as the responsibility of the Sixth Man Society to be there for the team. "It's time to bring support at PC to another level and get wild," Tim said. Tim and Keith would also like to thank the Coaches' office and Sports Information for the support and assistance in scheduling and organizing events.

So, it's time to get wild. The Sixth Man Society is ready for an exciting year and to have some fun. Tim Page encourages any and all wild suggestions to be brought up to him and the club will help out in aiding students better support their team. Is PC ready for Friar basketball to kick off? You better believe it. This year's T-shirts sport the logo "Back In Black," and the Sixth Man Society is definitely back!