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PC Girls Soccer... Big East Champs!!!



by **Todd Bianchi '95**
Sports Writer

The Lady Friars had lost their last 3 games to teams that they should have beaten. The offense was struggling to score and the defense lacked intensity. When the pairings came out for the Big East Tournament, the Lady Friars found them-

selves seeded third out of four teams. With their backs against the wall, the team was looking for some kind of inspiration to help awaken them for the tournament. The seniors knew if they didn't step up that their careers at PC would be over, and the underclassmen knew that this could be the only chance they have of

ever making it to post season play.

This past Saturday the Lady Friars were able to find the inspiration that they were looking for by reading one of the greatest motivational stories ever. According to junior Marilyn Pompeo it was that famous childhood story "The Little Engine That Could." If the

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Fire! Fire! Raymond almost up in smoke

by **Mary Shaffrey '97**
News Writer

Raymond Hall residents heard the fire alarm go off on Tuesday night, and this time it was not a scheduled fire drill. Strong odors were noticed around 9:30, and the fire department was notified about a half hour later when smoke was detected on all four floors on the west side of the building. While there was no actual fire, students were evacuated from the building, and were not allowed back until around 11:15.

Mark Rapoza of Residence Life stated that the smoke originated in the elevator shaft. "The motor of the elevator overheated, and the smoke escaped. The circumstances are quite similar to what occurred in Apartment C last month."

"I noticed the smell and thought that something was burning down in the cafe, and shortly after, the alarm sounded," commented Ellen Cressy '96, a Raymond resident.

Chris Stanley '95, who was visiting Raymond, first notified the authorities. "At first we thought it was someone's microwave burning, and didn't pay any attention to it. Then as the smell got progressively

worse I started to investigate. I poked holes in the ceiling, and turned up nothing. Finally, when I did find the smoke, I called Tom Nesbitt, Stephens Hall Director."

After Nesbitt, Stanley and George Parrillo, Security Supervisor, checked everything and discovered heavy smoke in the basement by the engine room, the Providence Fire Department was notified. Engine 19 was on the scene within five minutes.

Ann O'Neil '96, a Raymond RA, thought the evacuation was successful, and held high praise for the residents of Raymond. "People realized the significance of the fire drills, and this time it paid off. Everything went very smoothly, and I was quite pleased."

Many students thought it was just one of the scheduled fire drills, and were not too thrilled when they realized it was an actual emergency. "At first I thought it was just another fire drill, but when I realized it was for real, it freaked me out. I think things should have been better organized and that they should have kept us more informed," stated Courtney Capizzo '97.

Karen Steves '97 agreed. "We were com-

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Do We Or Don't We? #1 in a series on PC's recycling procedures

by **Kristen Garipey '95**
News Editor

By now, it is common knowledge that our earth is slowly being destroyed. No, huge green, gooey monsters aren't eating people alive. No, we aren't being infested with poisonous insects. Nothing is coming to get us. We're basically ruining our lives ourselves.

How? By being irresponsible. At Providence College, a mediocre effort is made to ensure that certain materials get recycled. Certain places,

like Raymond and Alumni cafeterias, do an excellent job of recycling. Others, like residence halls and the businesses in the mini mall, pay less attention. With the constant destruction of our earth taking place, 100% recycling is imperative. The literature PC provides to its perspective students states that we are an environmentally aware campus. Maybe we are aware, but we're not doing much about it.

In Raymond, an employee works twenty hours

a week just separating trash. Along a wall in the basement, barrels are labeled for cardboard, glass, metal cans, and plastic jars. Michael Haveles, Executive Director of Food Services, prides himself on the cafeteria's conscious recycling program. "We make sure everything that can get recycled gets separated," he says.

In Alumni Cafeteria (Mondo), there are several blue containers marked cans and glass. Last year, they

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Cancelling Club Nites?

by **Kristen Garipey '95**
News Editor

Are you one of those students who reads the walls outside Slavin? You know, the one with the enormous amount of BOP, Congress and other club signs that tell you where and when to be at certain extracurricular events. Are you also one of those students who scribbles it all down so that you remember it's happening? Don't bother anymore. Events are being cancelled quicker than you can write.

Sophomore year marks the beginning of many events and activities for the members of its class. Club Nite, a long-awaited event, usually takes place shortly

before Thanksgiving and then repeats itself sometime during second semester. This year, the officers of the Class of '96 carefully planned their first Club Nite.

**Partying in
downtown
Providence
has been
postponed**

After sponsoring mainly non-alcoholic events their freshman year, the sophomores looked forward to the Club Nite experience.

The date was set for Saturday, November 13th. The

first Class of '96 Club Nite was advertised all over campus and by word of the excited mouths. On the Monday before the scheduled event, the class officers prepared to sell tickets. However, ten minutes before the money box opened, the wheels screeched to a halt.

Why? "There have been too many incidents involving Providence police officers," said Kristen Grace, President of the Class of '96. Last week, two seniors were assaulted by police officers at the Class of '94 Club Nite held at Desperado's/Polyester's. The assault was only one of several that have been reported in recent weeks.

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pletely left in the dark, and I still don't know what happened last night, or how my roommates got out of the building."

Some have suggested that it might be a wise idea to have a specific meeting room for those affected by fire drills, so that students can meet with their roommates and make sure everyone is OK. Others, believed that a checkout system should be implemented so that students, looking for friends, would be able to find out if their friends were even in the building in the first place.

"In high school, we all had to stand in a single-file line and be quiet, and we all knew it was just a drill. But when we actually had a

'fire', there was total chaos, with students hanging out on the Raymond steps," Capizzo continued.

Wednesday afternoon Otis Elevator Service came to investigate and the elevator worked fine, but the cause of the problem could not be determined. According to Rapozza, the elevator will not be activated until the specific cause can be found. "PC is not going to take any chances with this. If this happened once, it can happen again. We hope to have it fixed as soon as possible."

"While the event itself was a disruption to my studying, I am glad that no one got hurt, and that the sprinklers did not go off," concluded Cressy.

Responsible Recycling?

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followed the same procedure as Raymond and hired people to separate the trash. However, due to labor cuts, they were forced to change tactics. They placed more containers and try to monitor the separation of recyclable items.

Throughout the rest of the campus, the recycling being done is unsatisfactory. The % of trash being created is dramatically lower than the % of recycling being done. For materials to be properly recycled, they must be separated. The responsibility to separate does not belong to the cleaning service workers or the physical plant. "Recycling starts with the user, the student," says Gale Gennaro, Environmental and Health Safety Coordinator. "They have got to be

willing to put trash and recyclables in the right containers."

Why should you separate your trash? PC requires that we use clear trash bags in the residence halls. The clear bags allow the physical plant workers to see into the trash and determine if the bag is recyclable or not. If the bag contains mostly aluminum cans, nut has 10% trash inside, it is not recycled. Absolute separation is impera-

tive. Those students using black trash bags only add to the already enormous problem. Separate your trash and save the earth. It takes two extra seconds.

Providence College publicizes that our campus recycles. In the two cafeterias, PC employees are working to strengthen that statement. However, the majority of the responsibility rests on the shoulders of the students. See next week's issue of *The Cow!* for more information.



An example of how not to recycle - taken at Aquinas

Bring Smiles Through Ben and Jerry

by Judith Colonna '95
News Writer

"I-scream, U-scream, we all scream, for ICE-CREAM!" Do you remember this nine word phrase everyone used to chant whenever they heard the Ice-cream man's truck coming down the street? Well just when you thought those days were over ... think again! The Ben & Jerry's, located on Meeting Street, right off of Thayer St., is making it possible for everyone to chant this familiar tune once more, and for a great reason! This popular ice-cream franchise has taken it upon themselves to help the city of Providence. By offering to give away their ice-cream, Ben & Jerry's is helping the city with its Head Start Program. That's right, FREE ice-cream cones will be given out to anyone who helps them, help Providence.

The Head Start program is a Child Development Program designed to help children from low-income families meet their emotional, social, health, and psychological needs. It was started in 1965 by the Office of Economic Opportunity, and since its birth, its Congressional appropriations have increased from \$9.4 million to \$2.8 billion. Today, Head Start serves over 721,000 kids and their families yearly in rural and urban areas

throughout the country, the District of Colombia, and US territories. Over all, 13.5 million children and their families have been helped.

This program is guided by four major components. The first is education. Here, the program tries to meet the needs of children individually, and of the community as a group, with its specific ethnic and cultural characteristics. A variety of learning experiences fostering intellectual, social, and emotional growth are then made available, allowing the child to benefit from them.

The second component is health. Head Start focuses on early identification of health problems. This provides each child with appropriate health services such as medical, dental, mental health, and nutritional services. This, in turn, relates to the third one: Parent involvement. With this, the parents of Head Start kids are involved in parent education, program planning, and operating activities. Many parents also serve on a volunteer basis or as aides to teachers, social service personnel, cooks, storytellers, supervisors of play activities, and other staff positions.

The fourth and final component is social services. Head Start assists families in assessing their own needs and provides self-help services for various aspects of

community life. There is also a non-profit organization, National Head Start Association (NHSA), who's entire mission is to nurture and to advocate for children and families. And besides representing 621,078 children, it was also designed to provide opportunities for expressing concerns and defining strategies on pertinent issues affecting Head Start.

So how does Ben & Jerry's come into play? Well for those of you who are unfamiliar with the Ben & Jerry Philosophy, this chain of stores is extremely big on helping the community that helps them. Thus, they believe Head Start is the perfect opportunity to show their community their gratitude for all the patronage. Sure it's also a form of advertising, but the motive behind it all is undoubtedly noteworthy. All you have to do is bring in books for children of ages 3 - 6, and you receive a free ice-cream cone. That's all there is to it. The types of books may range from coloring, picture, counting, or alphabetical books. Of course, you are always more than welcome to bring as many books as you'd like. They are also accepting books for adults. These include literacy, health/nutrition, budgeting, parenting, and more. The beauty of it all is that you can bring them in day by day, one at a time, and receive a cone every time you do so.

Now many may wonder, "Why the generosity?" Well, as Brian Galvin, Ben & Jerry's store manager, put it, "Part of our commitment is to give back to the community that supports us. Besides, we love to give out our ice-cream (i.e. Our Annual Ice Cream Give Away Day in May), and Head Start just gives us a perfect opportunity to do so. It all works out perfectly." Oh, and don't worry that it may be too cold outside for ice-cream, because it's not! The truth of the matter is it's never too cold outside for ice-cream, particularly Ben & Jerry's ice cream.

So don't forget to bring your books to Ben & Jerry's get your vocal chords ready, and on your way home, as you skip down the street with a free ice-cream in your hand, sing "I scream, U scream, we all scream for BEN & JERRY'S Ice Cream!"

FOOD DRIVE FOR KAPPA DELTA PI:

Please drop off any canned goods in the box in the Education office before Nov. 19. Also, we're having a bake sale on Nov. 12 from 10-3 in Slavin. The proceeds buy turkeys for families at Thanksgiving.

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 December 21, 1993

3) community services - 5 Sundays

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Never Miss A Message

by Kristen Hedlund '95
News Writer

Put your set of multicolored HiLighters away and give a sigh of relief - an outlet for roommate hostility has been closed. No, your roommate has not decided to pick up the tab for future phone bills, rather PC has begun plans to implement a new phone system, the AT&T Access System. This new system, coined voice mail, will provide every resident on campus with his/her own personal "phone box".

The phone box works similar to an answering service. Students will be issued a code that will give them and their callers access to the box. In turn, students will be able to both receive messages from callers as well as leave messages for callers from any phone within the voice mail system. The parameters for the service extend throughout the entire PC campus. Each phone box will be connected to the mainframe computer that will, according to Carmine Piscopo, Head of the Computer Science Department, "increase the efficiency of the campus telecommunication system."

In addition to the phone box, residents will be given

a personal access code which they will have to enter before dialing beyond the local area. Thus, each student will receive his/her own bill and an end to the days of "who called where" will be attained. In addition, the system will provide residents with new telephones and better long distance rates.

The cost of the system will be absorbed into a technology fee that will be calculated into the college tuition. Therefore, all students, regardless of whether they live on campus or off, will be obliged to pay for the system. Maura MacDonald, an off campus resident at PC, had this to say, "even though I am not going to benefit from the lower long distance rates provided to the campus residents, I think that the idea of having a personal phone box will increase communication between students and faculty."

Plans for the implementation of the system began back in 1991. If all goes according to plan, the college intends to have the voice mail system activated by the spring semester.

Just Really Worth (It)

by Brian Hylander '95
Asst. News Editor

After a full year of negotiating with hotel managements, haggling with tuxedo vendors, and planning every small detail, the Class of '95 Junior Ring Weekend proved to be a most memorable event for all who attended. Initiating the festivities was a ring ceremony held in the Peterson Recreation Center on Thursday evening. Here, Father Cunningham held a special Mass where the class rings were blessed and handed out to those students who purchased them. Although some students simply saw this ceremony as a necessary prelude to obtaining their rings and then partying, others viewed the event on a more symbolic level. One junior, after receiving his ring, commented: "The blessing of the rings seemed to signify an established union between Providence College and its students." Yet, despite the metaphysical significance of the evening that some students experienced, most juniors were looking ahead to the more enjoyable and physical part of the weekend that was soon to follow.

For those people, the next two evenings were more to their liking. On Friday night, buses transported the well-dressed juniors to a semi-formal at Demetri's Red Snapper in Foxboro. At this convection center, the 984 students of the JRW event sat down to a buffet dinner while a disk jockey supplied the tunes for those moving on the dance floor. Although a few of the students became excessively imbued, the staff at the Stu-

back to Providence College to rest up for the next night's formal.

For most students, the recovery process of Friday night went straight through until early Saturday afternoon. Supplying their own transportation, juniors then began their trek toward Boston for the JRW's main event, the formal. After checking in at the Boston Copley Place Marriot, where students were treated to the luxury of valet parking, students took advantage of an afternoon in the city. Popular activities included: hanging out in Quincy Market, strolling around Harvard Square, visiting Newbury Street, and grabbing some lunch at the Hard Rock Cafe. After enjoying the day, evening soon approached and beckoned juniors back to their hotel rooms to prepare for the black tie formal affair.

At seven p.m., students were treated to a cocktail hour accompanied by the mellifluous sounds of a string quartet. After this polished affair, everyone was seated and dinner was served. Dinner soon turned to dancing, as Paul Masters Production, Inc. produced a wide variety of music to

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JRW

dent Congress was extremely pleased that there were no major problems that required disciplinary action. In addition, despite the usual complaints about the food and the strong parallels to high school proms, most students enjoyed the chance to let go and have a good time outside of the city of Providence. Yet, juniors did not want to waste all of their pent-up energies on one evening. Events at the Red Snapper simmered down at around midnight at which point buses brought students

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As a result of the number of brutality cases, Fr. McPhail has decided that all freshman and sophomore class events cannot be held in downtown Providence. When PC students hold an event at an outside establishment, Fr. McPhail is responsible for the students' safety. "What if something happened this week to someone in the sophomore class? After what happened at Desperado's/Polyester's, how would he justify letting us have another Club Nite?" asked John Ryan '94, President of Student Congress.

The freshman and sophomore classes will not be allowed to schedule class events in downtown Providence until at least second semester. Not only will this protect the students, it will also send a message to the Providence community when they receive less business from PC students. "We have to wait until there are no more problems with the police," said Grace. "However, we are looking into several other possibilities for events that will be just as exciting."

We're Gonna Party Like It's 1999

by Theresa Edo '96
Asst. News Editor

With all the recent talk about the building of the new apartment complex and all the press it has gotten, the average Providence resident probably feels that he/she is all checked out about the situation. He or she probably thinks that this is the end of the story, case closed. What most don't realize is that this construction is actually a small part, a component, of a larger, ten year, strategic plan.

SAY WHAT? So what does this "strategic plan" mean to the average member of the PC community? Probably most freshmen, sophomores, and juniors, as well as many others have no idea or have even heard of PC's Plan 2000.

The long-range plan, published in February 1991, is a response to a recommendation made in the 1987 Accreditation Committee Report of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges. President Fr. John F. Cunningham, O.P. responded by establishing a Strategic Planning Committee which eventually led to

the formation of a Presidential Planning Group consisting of all the Vice Presidents of the College. This committee succeeded in establishing objectives and strategies for the College, thereby creating a "vision for the future." Plan 2000 is the physical result of their labor.

"A strategic plan is one that maps out how to achieve an advantage over

What is Plan 2000?

your competition," said Ed Caron, Vice President of Institutional Affairs at PC. "A series of criteria must be addressed to determine what PC's relative position is among other schools with whom we compete for students," he continued.

This plan should not be over-simplified. It must, however, be explained so that the everyday person can begin to grasp the incredible amount that it entails. It has several main objectives that

are in line with the College's goal to "promote the pursuit of sound scholarship and the principles of the Judeo-Christian heritage through the unique Catholic tradition of the Dominican Order," according to page two of the report. The plan also outlines the even more plentiful strategies which stretch to all facets of the College's environment. The College will use these to achieve their ultimate goals.

As of right now, though, these strategies are inactive. Not much is going on. According to Caron, a competitive analysis, or a "reality check", must be made to determine our school's stance against other schools. This will be conducted by members of the College community, and it will determine PC's definite course of action.

"Strategic plans evolve as modifications are needed," said Caron. "We must first take this step back to assess the situation."

In a recent interview, Caron explained that the Feinstein developments on campus are only a small part of the overall Plan. They

make up what he calls an "interim plan". They will create another way that the college can differentiate itself from other institutions across the country.

Also, the Plan 2000 is not to be confused with Providence 2000. The latter is a funds campaign which hopes to raise \$75 million to complete the goals of the Plan. It had its official kick-off this past Saturday. In the most ambitious financial campaign of PC's history, the College hopes to obtain the money through major gifts from corporations and foundations, alumni, parents and friends, and the PC community.

While the twenty six page report may take a good deal of reviewing to fully comprehend, its effects will be easily felt. It still has to be decided, however, according to Caron, if the college can achieve its goals, what kind of financial investment will be necessary, and if PC will actually gain a competitive advantage if these goals are reached. For now, the Plan is still waiting to be activated.

What A Weekend!

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party to. Laura Serfilippi, the Junior Ring Weekend's core person, characterized the atmosphere and events of the formal as, "classy, fun and elegant, due in part, to the impeccable service by the hotel staff." As midnight approached, the formal affair broke up and groups went their own separate ways. Some retreated back to their hotel rooms to continue partying with dates and friends, while others opted to experience what late-night Boston had to offer. One popular attraction proved to be

the top of the Prudential Building which offers a romantic and breathtaking view of the entire city. Although students did canvas Boston, to the delight of many, there was hardly any serious raging or gallivanting that one might have expected. Eventually, everyone retreated to the activities taking place in the hotel rooms.

After the activities of Saturday night, the juniors awoke to a buffet lunch at 10 a.m. While they ate, they were entertained by a video

compiling footage of scenes from campus life involving the Class of '95. Topics included: academics, relationships, spring break, and Western Civ, to name a few. By checkout time at noon, although some students were sad at the JRW ending, most were looking forward to heading back to P.C. to get some much needed rest and recuperation.

Although the weekend was a splendid event, it was no fairy tale fantasy. Certain grim realities did set in that were characteristic of

many Providence College students. Friday night's bus ride to Demetri's, for example, took a lengthy half an hour. Due to the length, students who chose to start their celebration early, began vomiting and relieving themselves on the buses' floors. One bus, in fact, was forced to stop at the side of the road to allow some students to do their personal business. Moreover, instances of students passing out were common. According to one student, many juniors did not bother to show up to Saturday's formal event simply because they had passed out and were too tired. One female student even commented on the, "typical behavior of P.C. men." It seems that some

male sports enthusiasts had higher priorities than attending the dance, like slipping out of the formal to go to a local bar and watch the Holyfield-Bowe fight.

Yet, these type of actions are not unusual for such events and did not really take away from the spirit of the occasion. According to Kristen Gallagher, President of the Class of '95, "On the whole things went smoothly, with no major disciplinary action. The Class of '95 should be proud of itself." Thus, the Junior Ring Weekend did indeed prove to be an event that will be remembered by all of those who attended, either as the elegant affair it was intended to be or just as an expanded planned P.C. party in Boston.

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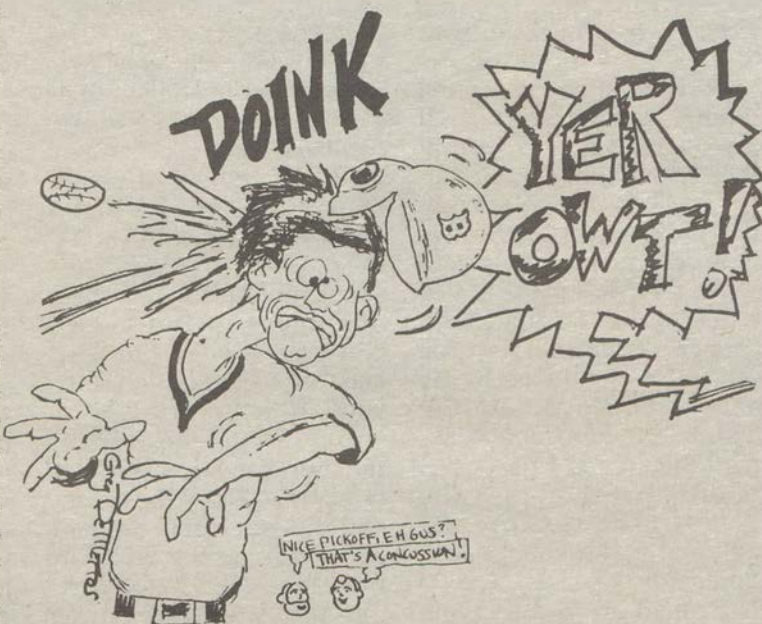
by David McGuire '94
Editorial Writer

After sitting through another dry, endless, anticlimatic baseball season I decided I'd had enough. If baseball is America's pastime then should it not reflect the basic elements of American society? My goal is to usurp baseball and replace it with Daveball, which is derived from the most characteristic element of modern American society: violence.

The most important new rule implemented in Daveball is mandatory fighting. Baseball fights are universally acknowledged as the best in sports, so instead of punishing players who instigate them, let them be rewarded. Perhaps fan appreciation would be enough, but fighting bonuses could be offered as incentive (unless of course you lose the fight, in which case a fine would be in order).

A fight must occur before the seventh inning because in Daveball there is no seventh inning stretch, rather a seventh inning beating. If his seat number is picked in a lottery system, some unfortunate fan is

dragged onto the field and malled by security. This is not so bad for the fan, however, because he is covered under Hillary Clinton's new health plan. I think.



Provoking a fight in Daveball is not too difficult, since any batter hit with a pitch must charge the mound. If he does not charge the mound the player is tied down to first base for the remainder of the game and any player reaching first must step on his face.

Considering that the pitcher is usually on the los-

ing end of a fight, he is given certain liberties with which he can retaliate during the game. For instance, if a homerun is hit, the pitcher has an arsenal of balls with

which he can pelt the runner as he rounds the bases.

Pick-offs will also be played differently in Daveball. If a runner is on base the pitcher may attempt to get him out by beaming him with the ball. If the pitcher knocks the runner's helmet off, then the runner is out. If he gets back to the bag with his helmet on, then

the runner is safe. Pinch runners must wear pink bunny outfits.

One of the more exciting elements of baseball is the stolen base, and I see no reason to limit base stealing to just second, third, and home plate. Why not let the batter try to steal first? If the batter notices a lapse of attention in the pitcher he can just bolt for first.

To prevent every batter from trying to steal first, and thus eliminating the need for a batter all together, certain rules have been derived as deterrents against stealing first. For example, the pitcher is free to use his arsenal of balls on the base stealer. If the pitcher knocks him down, the runner is out. If he gives the base stealer a concussion then the game is over and the pitching team wins.

Many of these rules seem dangerous and painful, but the pain is dulled by the insane salaries players receive. You pay the man, then you watch him bleed. The pain is further dulled by the alcohol quota. It is mandatory in Daveball that three beers be consumed per player per inning. A six beer per inning minimum goes

into effect if the player's last name is Kruk.

To ensure that pitchers can maintain a certain amount of accuracy, a one beer minimum, two beer maximum is imposed for every inning. If your name is Mitch Williams you don't have to drink at all. After the game, all players are required to drive through the parking lot and throw explosives at the fans.

These are just a few of the rules that make Daveball a better reflection of American society than present day baseball. Baseball is outdated, and the rising generation inheriting a world of hatred and chaos that they had nothing to do with creating, can no longer relate to the peaceful nature of a game designed so long ago. If you want to understand a society, look at its games.

One more rule of interest. The Daveball World Series is one game, and it doesn't matter who wins. The trophy goes to the city that most effectively destroys itself through riots and looting, and then does nothing to correct itself. This will ensure that the Canadians will never win.

To Whom It Should Concern

by John J. Olohan '95
Editorial Writer

Whether you like it or not, everyone at Providence College has at least one thing in common. That one thing is our college. When Providence alumni go on to become successful, which happens frequently, it enhances Providence College's reputation. When students do well on their own, people make reference to the college that they attend. One group of students has just recently made Providence College look good in the eyes of New England and across the nation. This group of students is the Rugby team.

One does not need to be friends with a player on the team or to have watched a Rugby game, to realize that when these students go to the national championship in Pennsylvania next week, they will be representing all of us at Providence College.

These students will be traveling to Pennsylvania in a rented bus. The cost of renting the bus is approximately \$4,500. The cost of rooms and food are also rather substantial. As of now the Rugby team must pay for

the trip out of their own pockets. The trip will cost \$150-\$200 per player, for merely the basics. Since these students are representing Providence College I feel as though the Rugby team's trip should be funded by "excess" money from club allocations or by the athletic

The Rugby team's trip should be funded...

department.

I am sure everyone knows of the animosity that existed due to the allocations for the 1993-1994 school year. Without even examining what each group "needs" to spend their allocated funds on, I would be willing to bet that allocations could be reviewed and some money could be apportioned toward the Rugby team's National Championship bid.

All varsity teams

have coaches, trainers, high quality equipment, tutors, and so on. The Rugby team made it to the national championships on their own. Their funding is minimal and their guidance comes from within the team itself. Due to the fact that the Rugby team has made it so far in competition, I feel the athletic department should take care of them as if they are a varsity team, although they are non-varsity athletes.

However small or insignificant you feel Providence Rugby is, you should keep in mind that they are representing our college. Certain clubs have tremendous amounts of money. I am sure they can, if they choose, "afford" to help their peers out.

We must all strive to enhance Providence College's reputation. We do so by being the best we can at whatever it is we do. By coming to Providence College we have made a bond with an institution that will exist for the rest of our lives. Being New England champions and competing at the national level, the Rugby team has done a great job at bringing more deserved recognition to our college.

Rip-Off

by Theodore Hazard '94
Editorials Editor

Twelve pieces of candy for a dollar. Sounds like a great deal doesn't it? It is a proposition that any grade-school child would love to take advantage of. However, there is more to the story.

Underneath the prominent sign which displays this seemingly delightful deal is a sign which reads: four pieces of candy for a quarter. Can you see the disparity? I am confident that as young adults we PC students have no problem realizing that the first advertisement is attempting to sucker the consumer into not getting his money's worth of candy. Clearly, four pieces for a quarter is more economical than twelve pieces for a dollar. This "deal", however, is not geared at young adults; it specifically targets grade-school children. What type of establishment would try to rip-off children on their way to school? The answer is La Salle Pharmacy at 1009 Smith Street.

This type of shady business practice is despicable. Yes, we live in America and each corner store has the right to price their items as

they feel appropriate, but to willingly contrive dirty tricks to take advantage of children is wrong. The proprietors of La Salle Pharmacy cannot innocently blame their hoodwinking on poor mathematics. I called this discrepancy to the attention of a clerk who smugly replied, "I know. I said something (implying to the management) but...." The economic decision to bamboozle young children is grossly unethical.

People who employ such underhanded tactics teach children poor values. Apparently, at La Salle Pharmacy, earning an extra quarter by tricking innocent grade-school children is an acceptable practice. Avoid La Salle Pharmacy and other establishments which practice similar techniques, until they abolish all unfair, and unethical policies. This may seem to be a small, unimportant incident, but if we react to these small occurrences in our everyday lives then we can slowly wipe out such cheaters. Children should be taught fairness not deceit. Yes, this is America and we consumers have the right to denounce and avoid unethical establishments like La Salle Pharmacy.

COMMENTARY

Feminist Catch-22



by Jennifer Dauer '94

The burden which society puts upon women today is too much to bear. She has to be successful, career-orientated, a perfect mother, and a loving wife. If a woman is not all of that society scrutinizes her.

I know of a hard-working mother who devotes her life to taking care of her children and her household. Her day starts preparing her children for school. She returns home only to be faced with the dishes left over from breakfast. She spends her afternoon straightening the house, doing laundry, and balancing the checkbook. Before she realizes it, 3:00 has rolled around and she has to pick up her children. The children start in right away, "Mom, I need help with my homework." Mom now becomes a tutor, diligently trying to explain a math problem to her son.

After all of this, it's time to start dinner. The day goes on like this for her.

Unfortunately, busy mothers like this one are faced with the question, "Why don't you have a career?" She is made to feel as if she is incomplete or unfulfilled. Further, she may have to deal with the comment, "Oh, you're just a housewife." The truth is that the mother who stays home should not feel inadequate or unintelligent. Her talents and patience are limitless, and her work day goes beyond the hours of 9-5.

As the hardworking mother receives societal criticism, so does the young and diligent career woman. Many men in her office are intimidated by her. Therefore, they often try to put her down and make her feel inferior. She puts in extra hours to prove her worth to the company. Her talent is recognized, yet often taken for granted. Then, of course, there is the constant pressure

to marry. She is faced with questions like "Why is it you have not met Mr. Wonderful yet?" and "When are you going to start a family of your own?" Like the mother without a career, the single working woman is made to feel that her life is incomplete. Co-workers hint that without a companion, she is nothing.

Why is it that today's woman is expected to do it all? Whether a mother or a career woman, she should be considered successful. Each profession has its difficulties and rewards. Unfortunately, society does not feel the same. Television, film, newspapers, and magazines all paint a picture of a superwoman; the woman who does all. Therefore, we are left with several women feeling that the work which they do is not enough. The woman will continually put herself under pressure to do more. Such is the vicious circle which needs to be remedied.

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Brady :Yes -Culture:
Not A Chanceby Abdul-Wadood
Joel F. Aufiero '94

It is interesting that few students find it relevant to partake in some of the more educational special lectures that are held on campus. The Cowl reported that six hundred students went to see Barry Williams speak in '64 Hall. Yet, less than one hundred students combined attended the lectures/forums on homelessness and the Black Studies Program. I do not know how many people attended the lecture on peace in eastern religions, but it probably did not attract more than thirty or forty students.

Does Providence College have such a poor academic atmosphere that students do not feel intellectually stimulated by lectures concerning critical social issues, both local and universal? From the evidence above, it would seem that Providence College students suffer from a severe case of intellectual and social apathy.

Apathy is the progenitor of ignorance. If this society becomes disinterested in the realities surrounding it, then this society will crumble under its self-imposed ignorance.

Ignorance generates fear; the unknown is very frightening to people. The European settlers of this continent did not know the Native Americans, so they feared the Native Americans as "savages." This fear led to genocide. Ignorance does not kill, ignorant people kill.

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The majority of students on this campus did not attend any of the lectures that were held, both educational and entertaining. Of those that did, the majority went to see Barry Williams. This indicates that the majority of students on this campus do not want to know about the homeless, or a Black Studies Program, or the meaning of peace in eastern religions. The majority

of students at Providence College want to remain ignorant of these issues. Is it any wonder why so many homeless people die each year? Is it any wonder why black people were lynched, even into the early 1960's? Is it any wonder why eastern religions are generally misunderstood?

Attaining knowledge is the only way to destroy ignorance; that means we, as students, have to take the initiative. This institution, like most institutions of higher learning, will teach you only what it feels is necessary. This philosophy of education is limited by its very nature. What this institution feels is necessary is so only in some cases and not in all cases.

The Holy Prophet Muhammad (may the peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) once said, "Acquire knowledge. It enables its possessor to distinguish right from wrong; it lights the way to Heaven; it is our friend in the desert, our society in solitude, our companion when friendless; it guides us to happiness; it sustains us in misery; it is an ornament amongst friends, and an armor against enemies." Yet, so many go unarmored.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Apartment's Complex

This letter is in response to Jennifer Dauer's commentary entitled "Apartment Complex... or Kindergarten?"

The Apartment Complex Staff would like to sincerely apologize for taking ten precious minutes out of Jennifer's day to reiterate the rules which are "tedious and insulting to the intelligent and responsible resident". Apparently you see no need for rules and regulations in the Apartment Complex. Are you forgetting that you still live on campus, and must abide by the rules in the student handbook? Are you forgetting that off campus landlords also have rules, most of which are much stricter than ours? Allow us to express our views of this catastrophic event.

First you stated that "living in the apartments is not much different than living in the traditional halls". We feel it is very different. Last time we checked, students living in the traditional halls were not allowed to have parties nor live across the hall from members of the opposite sex. We also don't

think you would find a fully equipped kitchen, personal bathroom, private common area, air conditioning, or three phone lines in a traditional residence hall. Things sure must have changed since last year in Meagher!

You then expressed frustrations about having the Apartment rules repeated a second time. As a staff, we are also tired of communicating the rules to our residents. Yet we continue to encounter such issues as illegal pets, destroyed screens, pumpkins most humble apologies for trying to maintain a safe, clean environment for all our residents.

Let us now return to the issue of the gruesome ten minute floor meetings. Apparently, you were so shaken up by the rude, stern R.A. pounding on your door (who, by the way, happens to be five foot nothing and tipping the scales at 100 lbs.), that you missed the entire point of the meeting. As stated time and time again, these meetings were held simply to prevent any future misinterpretation of the Apartment Complex party

policy. You stated that the individuals who caused the problems should be spoken to directly. Since we had no idea of knowing who these individuals were, we opted for brief floor meetings as opposed to speaking to 135 residents individually. Call us lazy.

Although we could continue to comment on the many erroneous statements made in the Commentary, we feel there is no need to drag the issue out any more than has already been done.

Sincerely,

The Apartment Staff

MURPHY'S RESPONSE

I enjoyed reading Mr. Olohan's "Academics First?" editorial (28 Oct). Certainly, he makes two indisputable points: that academics must "come first" and that instructors have no business wasting class time with animadversions regarding their personal peevs or situations. The student has a right to expect

her or his money's worth of "education." Further, continued absences are a matter for the bureaucrats: chair, dean, VPAA in that order.

However, three points might qualify Mr. Olohan's view somewhat. First, here education is labor-intensive; a major budget line item is the cost of the faculty, i.e., wages and benefits. That number jumps out every time someone thinks "cost-cutting." This administration spends a puny amount on any and all other academic matters: are there enough computers for students' various uses, is the library adequate to support every course offered, are research facilities—labs, computer networking, library resources and the like—sufficient? We all know the answers to these questions. Yes, the faculty is interested in being well paid; as the major asset of the academic aspect of the institution, they should be. You are your fellow students did not come here to sit at the feet of administrators and absorb their wisdom, did you?

Second, and this is not an excuse, it is very difficult in a classroom dialogue not to stray occasionally

from the point. We know that student discussions have a tendency to do that, and, no matter how much any of us wish to idealize the instructor, humans are, as Augustine suggests, an imperfect lot. Instructors are also trained to be skeptical, quick on their feet, fast to ad lib. It is very difficult when one is wronged or frustrated by intransigence or incompetence not to quickly identify an analogy and pass off a snide aside. Mr. Olohan might be struck to realize exactly how much restraint has been practiced by this faculty over the past three years.

Finally, I would only point out that Mr. Olohan himself has clearly risen above the inadequacies of his instructors. He writes strong prose, has a view, and raises controversial questions. He is evidence that, despite the problems of communication on this campus, something positive in the educational line is happening.

Sincerely,

Richard J. Murphy

English Department

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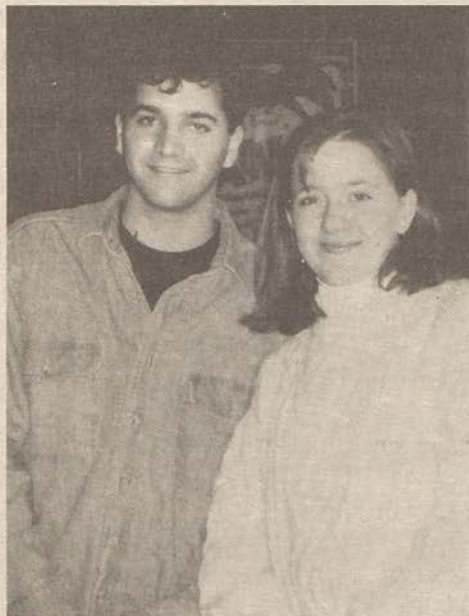
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Dan Zilinski, Lael Dierks '96: What do you think are the special ingredients in Raymond food?



Kate Waterbury '94: Why is it that you get more Ronzio flyers in your mailbox than mail?



Ken Begasse, Chaka Daley, Christian Meyer '96: What's the best way to handle a hangover?



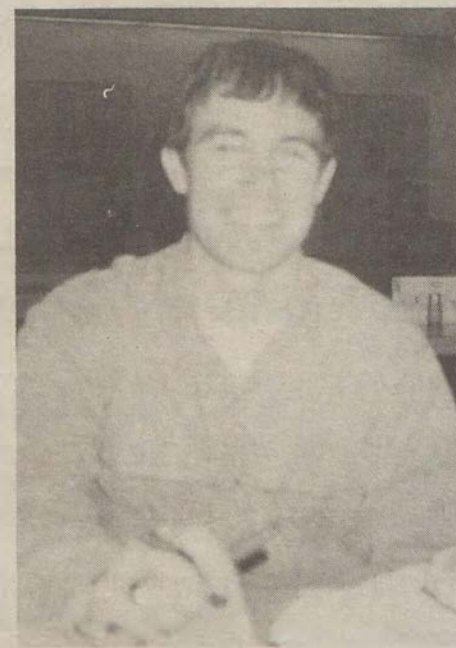
Dave Lynch '95, Ryan Dillon '95, Skebo '94: Would you go to Clubs for ribs and a beer?



Jim Kane '94: What's the last thing you want to do on a Friday night at PC?



Megan Whiteside, Allie Terray '97: Why does it rain 99% of the time in Providence?



John Brownsord '94: How many people really listen to my radio show "Sundays with the 'Sord" at 4 pm on WDOM?

Dina & Sue '94: How come PC doesn't require that their computer lab assistants know anything about computers??

etc.

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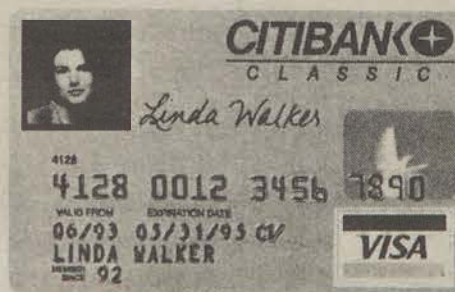
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Student Congress

194 DAYS

Friday, November 12
8:00 pm - 1:00 am

Peterson Rec Center

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Doors close at 9:30 pm

194 DAYS

Seniors, Get Psyched

by Jim Kane '94

Senior Class President

It's almost over, only 194 left, and to celebrate this very important date the Class of '94 will be sponsoring 194 days in Peterson. Be there, this Friday, November 12 from 8:00 pm until 1:00 am, doors will be closing at 9:30. Tickets will be sold Wed. - Fri. in lower Slavin for \$5.00 and will be \$7.00 at the door Friday night. This night will be an excellent opportunity to be caught on film for our Commencement Slideshow. Tricia Montegari, our slideshow chairperson, and Beth Brezinski, our photography chairperson will be out and about so don't be afraid to ask them to take your picture.

As for the Commencement Core, I am happy to say that things are coming together. Over the last couple of weeks they have come up with some great ideas and have really been working together. The Core is in the final stages of deciding the details of Senior Week. Details will be forthcoming, so keep your eyes open.

As we enter our final semester I would like to stress

the importance of attending class events. Not only will these be our last moments together as a class, but the events are created as fundraisers to help defray commencement costs.

Finally, there are a few final thoughts that the class should be aware of. The class officers have already placed an order for more class sweatshirts and they should be in after Thanksgiving. They will be offered in blue and gray and cost \$37.00. Also the idea of a winter semi-formal during the final week of classes is in the works. Any thoughts or ideas on this or any other events you might like to see in the future are always welcome. All the class officers can be reached through the Student Congress office, Slavin 109.

I would also like to take this opportunity to commend my fellow officers for a job well done and I would also like to thank the members of the senior class that have come out to support our events so far this year. We hope to see even more of you at upcoming events, starting with this Friday. 194 days and counting...!

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by Monica Vigerstol '96
Residence Board Officer

Colonel's Corner - ever heard of it? Not many people have. For those of you who have never ventured down the stairs past Mural Lounge, you are missing out on a lot. This "place to be" is run by the Residence Board. Monday through Thursday various programs are run by the officers of the residence halls. So far this

Colonel's Corner - The Place To Be

year there has been Nacho Night, Buffalo Wings and football, pool, movie night and candy apples, among others. Students are welcome to use the two pool tables, the big screen TV with VCR, and the stereo system. Soda is sold for .25 cents a cup with free refills, and on Friday and Saturday nights french fries, mozzarella sticks, and onion rings are avail-

able for a dollar. Colonel's Corner is open Monday through Thursday from eight to twelve and Friday and Saturday from one to three in the morning (actually 1:00 am Saturday and Sunday). So during the week come and support your residence halls and have fun at the same time. On Friday and Saturday nights stop by for some late night snacks on your way home.

*The ALEMBIC is
hosting an
Open Poetry Reading
this Monday,
November 15, at
7:00 pm in '64 Hall.
Students and faculty are
welcome.
Refreshments will be
served.*

Student Congress

Minutes From the November 8th Student Congress Meeting

COMMITTEES:

Ethics: Melissa Silva announced cuts for events and meetings. There will be a meeting for anyone wanting to help plan the Congress Retreat on Wednesday, November 10 at 4:30 pm. There will be a Congress Thanksgiving dinner on November 21.

Clubs & Organizations: Katie Griffiths announced a meeting on Wednesday, November 10 at 3:30 pm. They will discuss the overload of clubs on campus and a possible solution.

Public Relations: Alissa Murgia announced a PR meeting on Wednesday, November 10 at 6:30 pm. Peaceful Coexistence will not be distributed this week.

NEW BUSINESS: Resolution FS-04-44, concerning Pastoral Council, whereas the Pastoral Council be renamed the Pastoral Service Organization to better suit its purpose. The resolution passed unanimously.

BOARDS:

BOP: Murder Mystery tickets went on sale Monday. They are \$12.00. There is a Spring Break

meeting on Tuesday, November 9 at 7:00 pm in Moore Hall. Lecture "Europe on .84 cents a day, Tuesday, November 9 at 8:00 pm. Movie, "An Affair to Remember" Thursday, November 11. Movie, "Poetic Justice" Sunday, November 14.

BMSA: Eddie Searight announced that Dr. Holmes will be giving a lecture on Haiti on Wednesday, November 10 at 7:30 in Moore I.

Residence Board: Cristy Commer announced that the Residence Board officers attended a national Residence Board Conference at UVM this weekend.

Lobbyists: Tricia O'Hare announced that their meeting with Mayor Cianci was rescheduled for November 12 at 3:30. The first meeting of the Feinstein Committee Student Research group will be on 11/11 in Slavin 217 at 7:00 pm.

CLASS REPORTS:

'94: Jim Kane announced that 194 Days will be Friday, 11/12. '95: Kristen Gallagher announced that JRW was very successful. The Junior Class officers will be sitting in Slavin

this week to collect money to buy food baskets for needy families.

'96: Mary Rice announced that their Club Night was cancelled for Friday night. Ring presentations are this week. Class sweatshirts are on sale this week for \$40.00.

'97: Michael James announced that their Midnight BBQ went well this weekend. They will have a Red Eye Dance on 11/19 from 12-2:30 am. They will also be having a raffle towards the end of November.

FR. MCPHAIL: Father expressed his concerns about student drinking, especially in the Freshmen and Sophomore Classes. There will be no Club Nights for the Freshmen and Sophomore Classes. There will also be no Club Nights in Providence for the rest of the semester because of safety concerns with police and bouncers. Father also stated that the school cannot do an Internal Investigation on the police. Students must do this on their own and he encourages that this be done if a student feels violated.

Sophomore Update

by Mary Rice '96
Class Secretary

Alas, it is my turn to write an article, and I have to be the one to drop the bomb. First of all, I would like to tell the Class of '96 how excited I am to be Secretary of the Sophomore Class and to thank everyone for giving me this opportunity. It is an extremely rewarding experience to be involved with Student Congress, and, so far, things have been going great.

I am sorry to say that I must be the bearer of bad tidings. The Club Night we had scheduled for Saturday, November 13, has been doomed from the beginning. First, Carpano's closes, so we are forced to find a new location. Next, we reschedule Club Night at Muldoon's. Everything seems set, and everyone is happy because we are FINALLY having an event that people really want and disaster strikes again. The administration cancels all events that will be held in the downtown Providence area for the semester due to the excessive involvement with the police lately. It is simply a matter of our own personal safety, which I think is totally understandable. It's always better to be safe than sorry.

On behalf of all the class officers I would like to apologize to each and every sophomore for this unfortunate happening. Don't fear — we

are working on pulling together something to have that night but it doesn't seem probable on such short notice. Please rest assured that your class officers really are trying their hardest to plan as many events as possible. So stay tuned!!

On a happier note — our sweatshirts have arrived and are on sale all this week in Slavin! They are blue and gray Champion's with an embroidered '96 and all for the great price of \$40.00. Get yours early because they are going quick.

This past weekend the class of '96 officers and the Core Committee got to attend the class of '95 JRW and work the event. A good time was had by all and we're looking forward to our own JRW next year. Although it's a whole year away our newly appointed Core Committee is already hard at work planning this event. They are meeting with ring companies, visiting hotels, and brainstorming with ideas of how to make this a super weekend for our class.

I also would like to take this opportunity to encourage anyone who has any input on anything at all to approach your class officers personally or contact us in our mailboxes in the Congress office. Remember we are open to any ideas you have. The sophomore class bulletin board is located directly across from the Congress office so keep your eyes open for new news!

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO THE '95 JRW CORE
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Arts & Entertainment

Cranberries Soothe Lupo's

by Mark Cybulski '95
A&E Editor

The cranberries brought their own brand of ethereal pop from Ireland last Sunday to a sold out show at Lupo's Heartbreak Hotel. The band has been on tour for the past two months opening for Duran Duran and co-headlining with Suede. The band stopped in Providence to promote their album *Everybody Else Is Doing It, So Why Can't We?*, which has received both critical acclaim and strong responses from their fan base. *Rolling Stone* distinguishes the cranberries music as "at once sublimely understated yet seductively, chillingly alive." The band is also using these solo shows to showcase some newer material.

The cranberries, consisting of singer Dolores O'Riordan, guitarist Noel Hogan, bassist Mike Hogan and drummer Feargal Lawlor, fall into the same category as other dreamy guitar bands such as The Sundays and The Ocean

Blue. Much of the band's music is rather mellow, so the audience wasn't as lively as they would have been for someone more energetic. It does not mean, however, that the cranberries failed to please their audience. The band performed a solid set at Lupo's, with their newer material sounding most impressive. The band opened the show with "Sunday" and then preceded to perform an excellent version of their hit "Linger", which has been well received on both college and commercial radio and has propelled their album close to the 300,000 sales mark. They also played songs from their new album such as "Put Me Down", "Waltzing Back" and "Wanted." "Dreams", the band's most upbeat song, received the biggest reaction from their audience.

While Noel Hogan displayed some excellent guitar work and Mike Hogan and Fergal Lawlor proved to be a great rhythm section, it was clear that O'Riordan was the focus of the band. Several ethereal

pop bands fronted by women such as The Sundays and The Cocteau Twins often rely on the excellent vocals of their singers, and the cranberries are no exception. O'Riordan showed a dynamic range and displayed some impressive singing. While the band members just seemed to concentrate on their playing and neglected show to show some emotion, O'Riordan often danced around the stage and played acoustic guitar on several songs. She showed a great deal of charisma and a shy sweetness as she performed throughout the evening.

The cranberries have become immensely popular in the U.S. in the last few months, and their show at Lupo's on Sunday was a good indication of why. The band displayed the maturity and poise that makes their relatively short career seem longer than it actually is. The cranberries have great potential and should have a growing fan base as they continue to be one of great young bands in music today.

Chance Encounter At
The Meeting Street Cafe

by Bernadette Bleichert '96
Assistant A&E Editor

I found the perfect way to escape the shall we say unappealing dishes of RayCafe the other evening while I was strolling along Thayer Street with friends. When all of our stomachs began to growl simultaneously, we knew that it was time to fuel up. Now, we just had to find a place that satisfied everyone. As we turned onto Meeting Street, we discovered the perfect spot. The neon sign attracted us to the Meeting Street Cafe, but the delicious food is what won us over.

I ordered "Thanksgiving," which I believe was #11 on the menu. Being that this holiday is quickly approaching, this sandwich is a must with its abundant turkey, moist stuffing dripping with cranberry sauce. It will get you into that Thanksgiving spirit. Of course, you can ask them to leave off for instance, the cranberries if you wish and add another condiment without any hassle. All of the sandwiches have creative names and are numbered accordingly. You get a choice of bread: rye, wheat, or bagel bread are three of the choices. I chose the bagel bread and it was scrumptious! You won't believe the size of the sandwiches either. Considering that all of their sandwiches are in the \$4.50-\$5.95 range, you really get a good deal. I did not get to finish the entire meal, so the ever so popular doggy bag journeyed back to P.C. with me to be savored again the following day. Two meals

for under \$6 is pretty impressive. Oh, another important food fact about the Meeting Street Cafe: the pastries, scones, and desserts are a must!! You can't miss them. As you approach the counter, they are to the left in a glass enclosed case. Even if you're stuffed, bring one home for a snack or even breakfast the next morning. Take it from me, the scones and muffins store very well in mini refrigerators. Just pop the goodie in the microwave for 30 seconds or so and you'll be set!

So, if you are looking for a change of scenery and good food, Meeting Street Cafe is the place to be. The ambience is relaxing and fun at the same time. The servers call your name out when your dish is complete, and bring it over to you, which I thought made the restaurant a bit more homey and very laid back. It is so easy to get to this cafe located at 220 Meeting Street and the prices are so reasonable, you really should take a trip over. The cafe is opened 7 days a week 7a.m.-11p.m. Even if you are too lazy to actually dine there, they deliver Monday-Friday 11a.m.-2p.m. and Saturdays 11a.m.-4p.m. If for some reason you can't get to Meeting Street Cafe, they'll come to you for free with a purchase of \$10 or more. Call them at (401) 273-1066 and order up a storm. Get a group together and either have a night out on the town with great food or stay in and get it delivered to you. You can't miss! Try it! I KNOW you'll like it!!!

*Don't miss Trinity Repertory Company's production of Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*.

*Debuting November 19 and running through December 24.

*Tickets are \$24 to \$30, call the box office at (401) 351-4242 for more information.

WDOM Top 15
Albums of the
week

1. Pearl Jam, *Vs.*
2. James, *Laid*
3. Nirvana, *In Utero*
4. Afghan Whigs, *Gentlemen*
5. Buffalo Tom, *Big Red Letter Day*
6. Breeders, *Last Splash*
7. Lemonheads, *Come On Feel The Lemonheads*
8. Kate Bush, *The Red Shoes*
9. Samples, *The Last Drag*
10. Smashing Pumpkins, *Siamese Dream*
11. Majesty Crush, *Love 15*
12. Truck Stop Love, *Truck Stop Love*
13. Candlebox, *Candlebox*
14. For Love Not Lisa, *Merge*
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Arts & Entertainment

Finally, A Movie To Remember!

by Cyndi Castello '95
Assistant A&E Editor

Hollywood has done it this time - they have put all the wisdom one needs to know in a two and a half hour movie. *The Joy Luck Club* (first published as a book) left such a fulfilling sensation with me, it was like questions I never asked had been answered through one matinee.

The plot is based around a Chinese group of four women, one of whom recently passed away, who grew up through a hard, trying time in China. Now, in America, the women are living completely different lives yet, they have based their actions around all they did and learned back east. The story allows you to relive these women's tragic lives through the eyes of optimism. Why optimism? Each woman has a daughter which have all been completely brought up as American girls who struggle to understand the knowledge their mothers cherish. The movie deals with this problem of communication, not only between Chinese mothers and American daughters, but between a parent and a child in general. The task the women have seems at times to be pointless and tiresome, but their loyalty and love for their daughters keep them enduring.

Basically, the women had awful, dreadful lives while in China. It al-

most seemed unbelievable at times that people face such heartaches. The women had no help to overcome these nightmares and because of that they wish to spare their children of heartache while they have the chance to help. It takes a lot of effort for these women to be honest with themselves, their daughters and each other, but in the long run it adds to their healing. Once the women are stable with themselves they begin to guide their children in a better manner than they did in the early years. Unfortunately, the mothers tried to bring their daughters up the way they were brought up. With time they realized this was very unhealthy. The women realized that the best way to help their children was to tell them the truth about how life can be and to show them a positive path instead of the same path they chose.

There are so many wise lessons to be learned from this movie it is unbelievable. One idea that was based in the plot was that it is never too late. Even though these women had suffered and made mistakes molding their daughters as if they lived in China a decade ago, they were able to get perspective and help their daughters lead a hopeful life.

There is no reason that this movie should not be seen or the book be read. It is funny, sad, loving, intriguing and educating.

There are not many movies that I can sit through more than once, this one I feel like I have to. There is so much to take in it can not be done in one shot. It was the savior after something like *Sleepless In Seattle*. It was realistic and applicable to our lives now and down the road. Hopefully, this movie will do great things for you like it did for me. At least give it a try - it's never too late!

Lupo's
Heartbreak
Hotel

presents

The Breeders

Wednesday,
November 17

Fun With Paprika

The following recipes were
taken from *Better Homes &
Gardens, Meals In Minutes*
Chicken Pot Pie

2 1-pound cans (4 cups) chicken
in gravy
1/3 cup milk
1 cup packaged biscuit mix
Paprika

Place chicken in gravy
in wide 3-quart saucepan (to
make room for dumplings).
Heat until bubbling. Add milk
to biscuit mix, and prepare and
cook dumplings according to
package directions. Before
serving, sprinkle with paprika.
Makes 6 servings.

Bavarian Wiener Bake

1 pound (8 to 10) frankfurters
1 can condensed cream of
mushroom soup
1/2 cup mayonnaise
1 teaspoon caraway seed
1 1-pound can (2 cups)
sauerkraut, drained
4 cups diced cooked potatoes
1/2 cup buttered soft bread
crumbs
1/4 teaspoon paprika

Halve 4 franks; put to
the side. Slice remaining franks
1/4 inch thick. Mix soup and
mayonnaise. Combine sliced
franks with half of soup mix-

ture, the caraway seed, and
kraut; spread in an 11 1/2 x 7 1/
2 x 1 1/2-inch baking dish. Stir
remaining soup mixture into po-
tatoes; arrange around edge of
dish.

Combine buttered
crumbs and paprika; sprinkle
over potatoes. Arrange halved
franks in design on top of cas-
serole. Bake in moderate oven
(350 degrees) for 30 minutes or
till hot. Makes 5 or 6 servings.

Chicken Livers Stroganoff

2 cups thinly sliced onion
1/4 cup butter or margarine
1/2 pound chicken livers, haved
1 tablespoon paprika
1/2 teaspoon salt
Dash pepper
1 cup dairy sour cream
Hot cooked rice

Cook onion in butter
till tender but not brown. Add
chicken livers. Season with
paprika, salt and pepper. Slowly
brown livers. Cover and cook
over low heat 10 minutes or till
livers are tender.

Add sour cream; heat
through. Serve over hot cooked
rice. Garnish with parsley, if
desired. Makes 4 servings.

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BOP

Coffeehouse "Brings the Blues" to The Last Resort

by Leigh Gaspar '96
BOP Correspondent

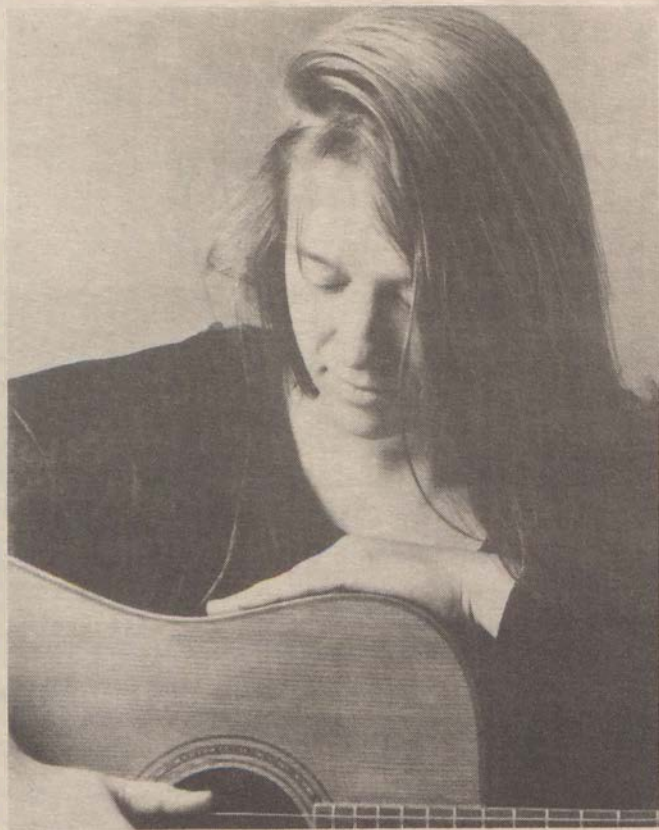
Each week, the Coffeehouse committee of BOP (Moirá Bessette, Stacey Cloutman, Heidi Podbielski, and Brian Salloy) brings the Last Resort to life on Tuesday night from 9-12 p.m. Those of you who have attended a Coffeehouse event, whether it was to see Settie perform, make a beaded necklace, or just to munch on all the great (and CHEAP!) food, know what a blast they can be. Those of you who have never experienced what Coffeehouses have to offer, are definitely missing out and should try to make it down to the Last Resort for a little stress relief and some good food.

On Tuesday, November 16, in the Last Resort from 9-12 p.m., Coffeehouse is proud to present the acoustic blues performer Deby Pasternak. Deby comes to PC straight from the Boston and L.A. music scene and brings with her an original take on acoustic blues. While traditional blues is rooted in subjects of depression, Deby's style of blues speaks of hope and incorpo-

rate intense optimism while riding the gentle groove of blues style. Deby has had the pleasure of performing with Pete Seeger and David Wilcox and has traveled as a journeywoman musician over the past six years. She has enchanted audiences on both coasts with her unique style and arresting songs and she has currently released a new CD entitled, *Trust me, I'm Soulful*. Coffeehouse hopes that everyone will come and listen to the talent of Deby Pasternak and they will also be serving mozzarella sticks. Admission is \$1.

The following Tuesday, on November 23rd, there will be no Coffeehouse because of Thanksgiving (Happy Turkey Day!), but the week after Thanksgiving on November 30th, Coffeehouse will host a Poetry Slam/Reading. The Coffeehouse crew invites everyone to come down either to just listen, or to read some of your own poetry, or a piece of writing that you enjoy. They will be serving gourmet coffees and pastries so spread the word and bring your creativity along with you!

Tuesday, November 16th Coffeehouse Presents:



(Deby Pasternak, pictured above, a noted acoustic blues singer in the Boston and L.A. music scene, will perform at The Last Resort Tuesday evening, November 16th.)

The Last Resort
9:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m.
Admission: \$1 at the door

* **Mozzarella sticks**
will be served!

Fine Arts Presents:

Saturday, November 13th
**Trip to the Boston Museum
of Science**

* Tickets are \$12 in the BOP Office, and include general admission, the Jurassic Park Exhibit, and tickets to the Omni show.

* Buses leave Peterson at 9:30 a.m. and return to PC at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 14th

Marvin's Room

Trinity Repertory Company
2:00 p.m.

Tickets \$7 each in the BOP Office

*Transportation provided for those who request it!

* Tickets go on sale on Monday, November 29th for Handel's *Messiah*, to be performed at the Veteran's Memorial Hall on Wednesday, December 8th at 8:00 p.m. Tickets will be sold for \$15 apiece in the BOP Office. This will be the only showing, so don't miss it!

Friday, November 19th

Over 21 Presents:

Casino Trip

Foxwood Casino in
Ledyard, CT

9:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.

* Bus tickets go on
sale for \$3 in the BOP
Office on Monday,
November 15th

Monday, November 15th

Social Presents:

Comedy Night with Chance Langton

'64 Hall

9:00 p.m.

\$2 at the door

* **FREE** munchies,
fifty cents for soda!

Film Presents:

Sunday, November 14th

Poetic Justice

8:00 & 10:00 p.m.

'64 Hall

\$2 at the door

Thursday, November 18th

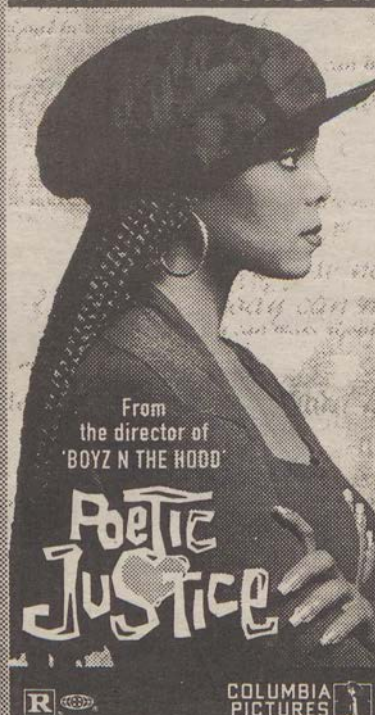
The Muppet Movies

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Features

Quiz: Your Commitment Quotient

by Vera Schomer '96
Features Editor

Do you have commitment phobia? Take this quick quiz and find out:

1. When you are out of food in your apartment, you

- a. go food shopping
- b. go out to eat until your piggy bank is empty
- c. convince a good-looking freshman to steal you food from Raymond
- d. don't eat at all since you and your roommates are

wanna-be anorexics

2. When your potential significant other is free this weekend, you

- a. invite them out to dinner and a movie
- b. bring them to your friend's four-kegger and a late night on Oakland to avoid any meaningful conversation or one to one interaction
- c. call them when you get back to your dorm or apartment, blitzed as usual, and persuade them to come over "just to talk," using the greatest sweet talk or seductive one-liners you've heard
- d. tell them to get lost — after all, beer goggles got the best of you last weekend

3. When your friends ask you to play on their Ultimate Frisbee team, you

- a. say yes, go to every game and play your best, and perhaps even practice your tossing skills in the Grotto on Saturdays.
- b. say yes, but only go to half the games because you are "just too busy"
- c. say yes, but only go when you know that at least two members of the opposite team would look attractive to you — hot and sweaty.
- d. say no, "not a shot in hell would I truck to Peterson once a week in rain and sub-zero weather, only to get tired and lose at such an idiotic game"

4. When your clock reads quarter-after, fifteen minutes before class, you

- a. put away those notes you've been re-copying, sling your backpack over your shoulder and head off to class to get a good front row seat
- b. only go if it's a zit-free, no scratchy throat, good hair day
- c. see if your dedicated study partner is going, and if he is, count on getting his notes before the exam
- d. go back to sleep. After all, you're tired of hitting "snooze," it's cloudy and sleeting out, you rolled in at 3 a.m., you haven't yet thought of that perfect excuse for not having done your homework again, and if you're having a quiz, you would be better off skipping because you'd fail anyway

5. It is Sunday night and your parents call wondering if you've gone to church. Being honest you say,

- a. "Of course! I did the second reading, administered communion and sang in the choir."
- b. "I'll go to the 10:30 if I'm done studying and have already seen the flick in '64 Hall."
- c. Guy: "I'm going out tonight with Debbie, you know, my friend from Dallas?"
- d. "No Sue and Ed, I've been meaning to tell you that I've become atheist, I'm no longer a virgin, and I could drink Uncle Bob under the table."

6. Your friends are making plans for Friday night and ask you what you feel like doing. You

- a. agree to whatever they want to do, because you know that no matter where you are, you know you'll have fun with your buddies
- b. say you'd like to go bar hopping but wait to see if any better options arise
- c. say you'll go wherever they want, but don't promise to go home with them
- d. tell them for the millionth time that you're going away this weekend — you'd rather die than spend a weekend on campus

7. When the pile of dirty laundry can no longer fit in the corner of your room, you

- a. separate all the colors, take them to the laundromat or dry cleaners depending on what the labels say, iron and fold them all neatly, right down to the underwear
- b. wait until Thanksgiving to take the laundry home to Mommy so you can save the time and quarters
- c. wait until your sheets are dirty too, due to a long, exhilarating weekend
- d. don't wash the laundry at all — just keep re-wearing it. After all, who do you have to impress?

8. When you have a hell-week coming up and lots of studying to be done, you

- a. use every spare minute you have to devote to your studies
- b. study for the classes you are doing the worst in, but only after you work-out, in between commercials of your favorite shows, and before you go out drinking
- c. if that special person you are trying to impress is studying, why not join him
- d. don't study at all — you never have and you never will. For you, grades are a matter of luck, IQ and good BS-ing

Count your choices:

- If you chose "A" four or more times, you are "ultra committed." In this case, "A" stands for anal. Yes, you can't say no to anything except maybe sinning. You join any and every club that may interest you. You do all your homework and then some, you never miss an engagement, you are friendly to everyone and you keep every aspect of your life under strict organization. People living in utter chaos might be jealous — that's if they are willing to give up their common sense to be overly trusting, annoyingly bubbly, book-worms. You obviously love PC, from the workload to Raymond Cafe.

If you chose "B" four or more times, you are pretty average. Boring, huh? You do what needs to get done while using as many shortcuts as possible. You probably join activities for the sole sake of your resume. You don't like your relationships to be too serious, and you won't bust your butt for anything. You like the easy life, full of procrastination and lacking in hassles. But just remember, it won't last and it won't help you succeed!

If you chose "C" four or more times, you obviously have a crippling social dysfunction. You are, without a doubt, overly concerned with members of the opposite sex. Whether you really like them, or just get your over-grown ego and jollies from using them, your attitude could be causing serious problems. You won't do anything unless it involves a possible love interest. Studying math and Civ. is secondary to your studies of the human anatomy. You study Ovid simply to learn his techniques, and you don't eat while you're in the Caf because you are too busy "scoping." Come on! Its time to do your work, to bond with your buddies, to stop dreaming and to take a cold shower. You need time to remember what relationships are all about — maybe when you're 30...

If you chose "D" four or more times, you refuse to commit to anything. You're probably too lazy to have extra-curriculars and people either think you are rude or an unhappy wall-flower. You may be pessimistic, your self-esteem might be lacking and you probably hate PC. Some suggestions? Lighten-up, go to counseling, learn when to bite your tongue and transfer.

Leaf Poisoning- There's another rumor circulating that places the blame on Ray Cafe. Apparently, there is a dungeon beneath the cafeteria which pumps leftover food (toxic waste) into the ground. Some people are claiming that the trees have

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equipment. I asked a member of the elite IVLC force whether he was afraid of handling the poisonous leaves. He said, "I have to be honest with you, handling these deadly objects gives me a real thrill. Sure there's danger, but I feel that it's my duty to protect this college from its most pressing problem... fallen leaves.

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Leaf Well Enough Alone!

by Tina Kloter '95
Asst. Features Editor

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Leafphobia- There is a rumor that some member of the Providence College administration is deathly afraid



of leaves. I was quite surprised by this, believing that certain members of the administration had no fears (other than being associated with PC's hiring policy). It seems, however, that as a child, a member of the administration fell asleep under a maple tree. Apparently, while he slept, the leaves fell, completely covering him. He ran home screaming something about a leaf monster and had to be given a strong sedative and a smack in the face to shut him up. Since this incident, he's tried to steer clear of autumn leaves, seeing them as an accessory to evil.

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I Would Do Anything For Love . . .

by Jen Stebbins '94

Features Writer

Picture this: It's Thursday afternoon, classes are over, homework is finished, there's a full tank of gas in your car, no necessary classes on Friday, and you have \$30 to your name. What better to do than grab a friend or two and make a road trip?!! Every college student who has not yet experienced a road trip should definitely reconsider where they have been spending their time, because there really is no better way to spend a Thursday afternoon than cramped in a car headed south on I-95.

There are certain "jobs" people in the car should take up when traveling. First of all, there is the driver. This is the person who is allowed to swear at all passing vehicles, complain about cramps, demand to be fed by the other passengers, and has no responsibilities other than getting the car (and its passengers) to their destinations alive and in one piece. Whoever chooses to sit in the passenger seat takes on the mammoth job of copilot. The main thing this entails is handling the money. The first thing the passengers must do is contribute to the funds that will make this trip possible. The best way to do this is to take a small bowl of some sort, throw all avail-

able money in, and presto! All tolls are taken care of! The person who chooses to sit next to the driver must also be prepared to help the driver make all necessary lane changes. This might seem uncomplicated, but after seven hours in a car, the driver will most likely be in the unfriendly stage, so it becomes necessary for the others to be alert and directional.

Another major factor to take into consideration is the car. I just returned from a jaunt to Maryland, and let me assure you that if the car is not in prime condition, it may be a frightening journey. Take my car, for example. It is not in great condition, but it runs. It also makes a lot of unidentified noises. Take the clunk-clunk-clunk that was constantly making itself heard from under the right wheel frame. It seemed a little shaky at first, but we all got used to it after awhile. Besides, if the tire hadn't fallen off by the first state we reached, we decided it would last the next five.

Traffic is another consideration which should be discussed prior to leaving. Should we turn back if we hit a two hour wait in the first five minutes? Or do we plug through till death do us part? My friends and I decided it was for better or worse, and

that we would make it no matter what. (It also helped that the three of us were enroute to see the significant others in our lives!!) Of course, wouldn't you know it - we hit an hour of bumper to bumper traffic only two hours into the trip. When we heard on the radio that a school bus had overturned, we were at once accepting and sympathetic to the situation; when we found out that it was only a fender bender (and we were behind an hour) we were not so understanding. By the time we completed the trip, we had seen three accidents.

We learned a lot, the three of us out on the wild-black-cement of the Jersey Turnpike. Did you know that police now have radio speakers that yell at you from their car to yours? I was not aware of this fact until I heard a man say "Please move over to the right!" and I looked at my copilot for comprehension. Of course, my friend in the back seat was in hysterics, seeing that the police car passing on my left was something I was totally unaware of. I swerved out of control due to the surprise of this warning. Now I'm wondering if these megaphones have ever caused accidents while trying to prevent one.

There are things about

any road trip that those involved will never forget. Take my craving for Roy Rogers on our way through Jersey. It was as if Roy himself was calling to me... "Jen, roast beef, salty bun, \$3..." By the time we got to a rest stop, the three of us were dying for one. Needless to say, the size of the bun was triple the size of the meat, but it tasted so good! There must have been something in the air that circulated through the car that was affecting our taste buds. On the way home, McDonalds took Roy's place. The conclusion? Big Mac's are definitely better road food than Roy Rogers!

The radio is another essential aspect of a trip. Again, it is the front seat rider's position to keep the tunes on, loud, and acceptable. Always bring a variety of tapes, but remember to keep the radio in mind (especially for when the cassette player heats up and explosion is a possibility). By the seventh hour of our trip, we had heard Meatloaf's new song "I Would do Anything for Love (But I won't do that)" at least eight times. It's a great song, but it can really start to get to you after awhile. By the time we pulled into our destination, the three of us were arguing over what the real meaning behind the words are. We

even tried to find the song on the way home so we could have silence and analyze it! I'm sure I don't have to tell you that we didn't decide on anything. Besides, what does Meatloaf know? The three of us were driving eight hours to see the ones we love! And I doubt if Meatloaf would do that.

A road trip is an adventure. No one can judge what will happen in a car, traveling down a highway, singing songs and talking life. The best thing about a trip is reaching the place you are going and seeing the people you've sacrificed a day to get to. But the next best part has got to be the bonds that are formed on the way there. I learned that Brian would go three days without deodorant before using his girlfriend's, and that Garen would use her boyfriend's toothbrush if she forgot hers. And I learned that all of us would make good use of processed food when we were hungry enough. But most of all, I learned that people can get somewhere in life if they want to bad enough, and if they try. Think about all this before leaving on your next road adventure. And if you have yet to go on a journey like this, you could really be missing out on a great time. Maybe you should plan to visit someone special!

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The Bad Mood Virus

by Bridget Hughes '96
Asst. Features Editor

You caught it. Caught what? You know... IT. No, not a cold, not the flu. You know, that bad mood you have that just doesn't seem to go away. Yes, you caught it and now it's up to you to get rid of it. Catch a bad mood? "Impossible!" you say. But where else would you have gotten it? Moods are as contagious as the nagging cough you have had since last month. They can be picked up in seconds without even realizing that one has picked them up.

Have you ever had a terrific day - where everything goes perfectly and one little thing can trigger you to go from walking on air to treading in water? Well, look around you and see who the culprit is who spread the bad mood. Could it be your roommate who is surviving on 3 hours of sleep, your boyfriend who has turned into a monster because he claims, "he has needs and if they don't get fulfilled soon, he might die," or is that random chick in Slavin who is complaining that she never gets any mail? If you come into contact with any of these people, the bad mood germs have found you. In short, the virus is spreading.

Any remote problem is suddenly a huge, big deal. The D test you got back should have been an A, and the card from your mother should have been a love letter from your significant other. Suddenly, you feel that the world is against you and everything, every person, every annoyance you can think of has made your day go from very awesome, to very, very bad.

For instance, you go to bed at 3:00 a.m. knowing that you can sleep in because your first class doesn't start until 11:30. But to your utter dismay, you awake at 7:56 a.m. to the men who are leaf blowing outside your window. Not being able to fall back asleep, you trudge to the shower starting your day much earlier than you expected. From here it's all downhill. You know the story. There's no hot water in the shower, your favorite

sweater has a huge stain on it, your Bitch Bio teacher decides to give you a pop quiz on the 100 page reading that you didn't do. On top of that, your midterm grades consist of two D's an F and a C, and you just found out that you owe \$200 for your phone bill. Could it get much worse? Probably not. But, now the bad mood virus has struck, and anything that stands in your way is liable to make your day more terrible than it already is.

So, now you have it, and you want to get rid of it. But how can one get rid of these nasty germs that invade your unsuspecting body? Well, one way, which works for me, is to take your bad mood out on someone else. If you can put someone else in a bad mood, it always makes one feel better, and the bad mood germs lessen considerably. Of course, this isn't the nicest method, but if it makes one feel better, then - hey - who am I to stop you? Others perhaps feel the need to spread the bad mood like spreading mono. This method is obviously safer than spreading mono plus it comes with benefits. One plus is that by using this method, your bad mood can completely disappear - for obvious reasons. Still, others feel the need to retreat to a quiet corner and let the bad mood germs leave when they are good and ready.

Whatever you choose to do is up to you. But remember, bad moods spread like crazy. They can travel from one person to the next. So don't let that person in a nasty mood ruin your day. Steer clear of those potential, pouty people out there who could easily spread the infectious disease of bad moodiness. In the long run, you will be much happier, as well as less diseased.

X-mas Shopping Now?!

by Beth Brezinski '94
Features Writer

It's already close to the middle of November. Do you have all your Christmas shopping done? No?! What's wrong with you? There are only 43 more shopping days left! This time last year I knew people in New Jersey who had their Christmas tree up. I've already seen lights strung up around houses! I hope you've made up your guest list for that Christmas party you're planning.

Seriously though, what is the big rush? People get so psyched up for Christmas before they've even finished putting their Halloween costumes away. I guess most people would agree that Christmas is their favorite holiday. Why wouldn't it be? There's always lots of good food, families and friends get together, and no one can resist presents.

Although not always as enjoyable as receiving, giving presents is fun too. I know there are people who hate Christmas shopping but there are many others as crazy as myself who actually like it. I mean what's not to like about crowded malls with hundreds if not thousands of rude, impatient shoppers, frustrated, overworked salespeople, screaming children, loitering teenagers who have nothing better to do than walk up and down the mall one hundred times, and crowded parking lots full of excited, angry drivers fighting almost to the death for that last parking space waaaay in the corner of the lot. One can certainly spend a perfectly good Friday evening at the mall during the Christmas season learning about family values, (This sweater looks great on me! I'll buy it for Dad and then borrow it from

him when I'm home.), public relations, ('Scuse me but I believe I was in line first, so just get back to the end of the line!), and of course the gift of giving, (I'll give you four flat tires if you don't move your car out of my parking space!).

As appealing as this scenario is, I must say that the thought of Christmas shopping before Thanksgiving is a little too early for me. What is it with this country's obsession with starting Christmas so early? I truly believe that if Thanksgiving was in July there would be Christmas specials starting in September. Did you know that the day after Thanksgiving is the most busy shopping day of the year? If Thanksgiving was in July, we'd have roughly 4 extra months a year for Christmas shopping. Just the other day I heard an ad on the radio for Santa's parade at the Dartmouth Mall beginning on November 11 - two weeks before Thanksgiving!

Perhaps it has to do with the weather. Maybe business people know something that the average consumer doesn't. It's possible that it has to get below a certain temperature - 40 degrees F. let's say - for businesses to be able to put their Christmas goods out. Hey, you never know!

Anyway, Christmas is an exciting time of the year but if you start celebrating too early that excitement can die down. Why not wait until the beginning of December to start getting ready? It's not like Christmas is going to arrive earlier if preparations are made earlier. For now let's just relax, enjoy Thanksgiving, and look forward to what is to come in the next month and a half - screaming children, crowded malls, uptight shoppers....

69 Ways to Get Really, Really Motivated

by Mathew Bunnell '95
Features Writer

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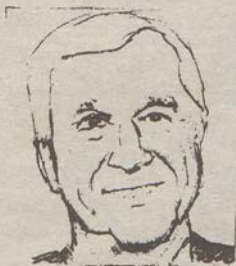
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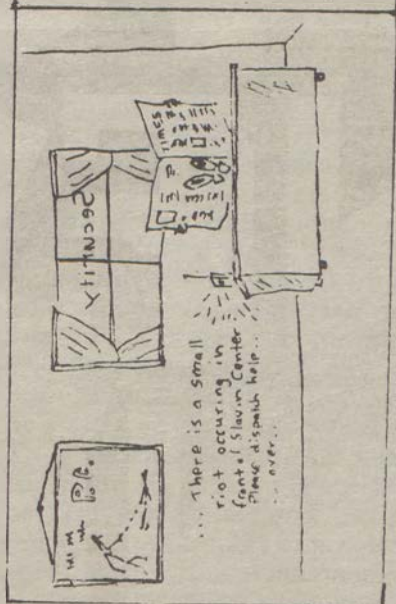
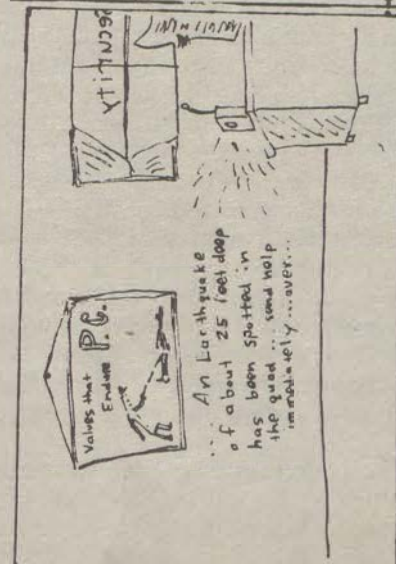
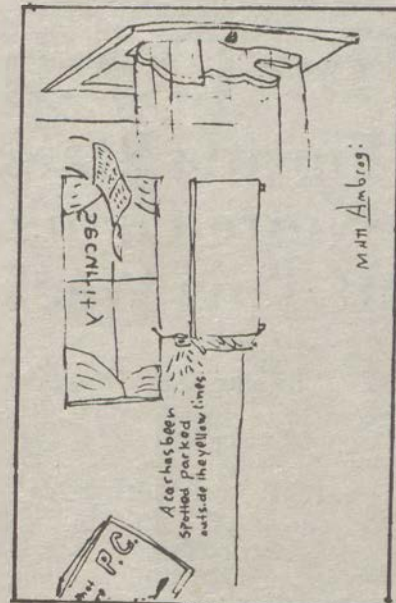


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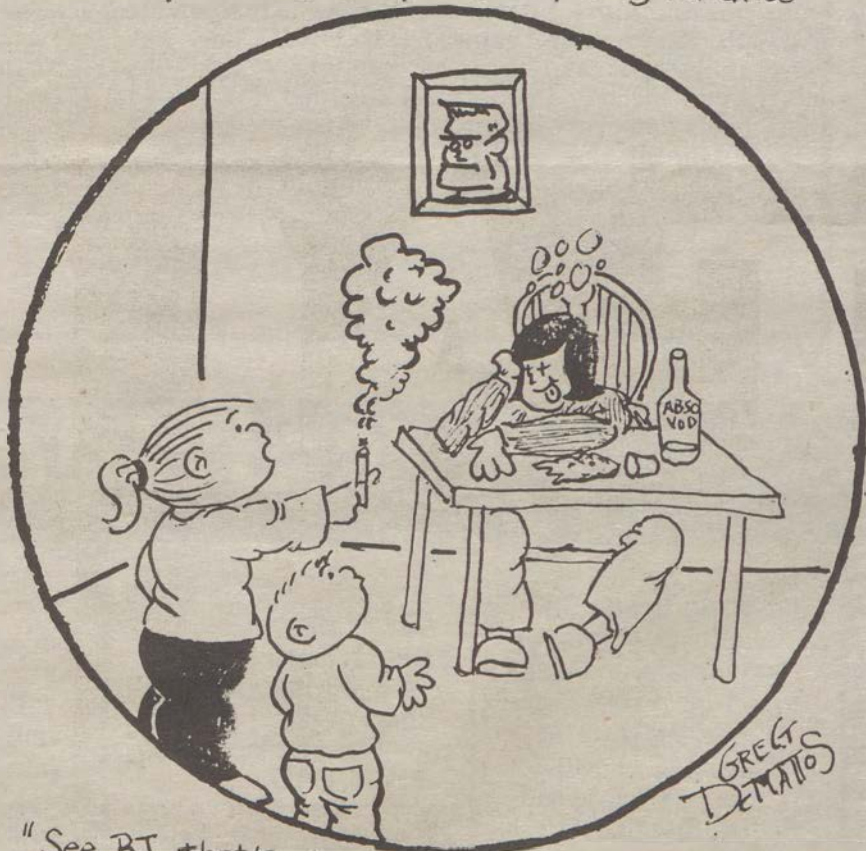


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The Dysfunctional Family Circus by Greg DeMattos



"See BJ, that's why she calls that 'Mommy's Little Helper!!!"

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Ohh my God... You have The biggest Neck I've



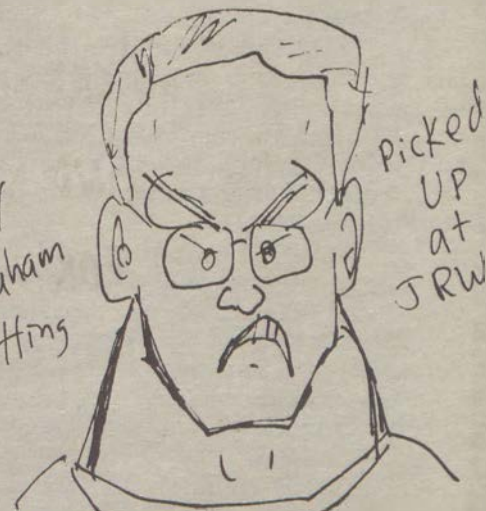
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John McGrath

For his efforts to get illiterate seniors (like myself) into grad school, law school, jobs, etc., Mr. McGrath was this weeks unanimous choice for employee of the week.

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Ever Seen... You Must Play Football...

The Game Of The Century #1 Florida State And #2 Notre Dame Face Off This Weekend

by Christian T. Potts '94
Sports Writer
En Route To South Bend

Hey! What are you doing this Saturday around 1 o'clock? Watching the game of the century is what you'll be doing! Seriously though, this Saturday afternoon at Notre Dame Stadium in South Bend, Indiana, the Seminoles of Florida State University, the number one team in the nation, visit the University of Notre Dame Fighting Irish, the number two team in the country, in what is being billed as the "Game of the Century".

No other sport in America offers such a full slate of action on any given Saturday except college football. And this Saturday, you could witness a rarity in college football: number one and number two going head-to-head during the regular season. It is conceivable that the winner of this game will be the eventual national champions. Both teams are undefeated; both teams have faced ranked teams and emerged victors; both teams have winning traditions as football powerhouses; and both coaches (Bobby Bowden for FSU and Lou Holtz for ND) are nationally known and are at the top of their profession.

Both Holtz and Bowden have acknowledged the implications of this game. Holtz says (in Wednesday's USA Today), "I don't think we have a chance (of winning the national championship) unless we win...". Holtz also rules out a tie as a possibility. Bowden feels the same way, paying tribute to Holtz's success as a coach and a motivator: "I've got great admiration and respect for him."

Holtz and Bowden have met before, and, in fact, have a mini-rivalry going. According to USA Today, back in 1970, Holtz's William & Mary team met Bowden's West Virginia squad in their first meeting, which was a 43-7 victory for Bowden's team. The next year they squared off again and Bowden again beat Holtz and the William & Mary squad. Finally, in 1972 at the Peach Bowl, Holtz and his new team, North Carolina State, beat Bowden's West Virginia squad 49-13. Three years later, Bowden and Holtz met again in the Peach Bowl and Bowden beat Holtz's N.C. State team again, 13-10. Since then they have not faced each other.

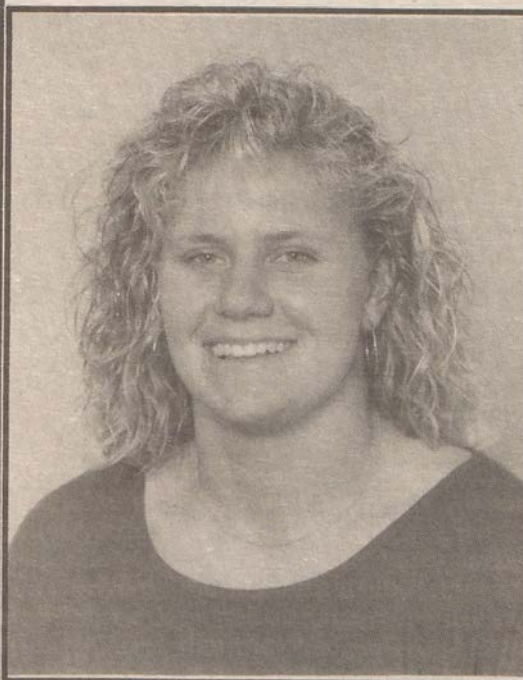
They also have something in common- Skip Holtz, Coach Lou Holtz's son. He was an assistant under Bowden at Florida State a few years ago, which lends an interesting angle to the game. Holtz, however, has the one thing Bowden covets the most- a national championship. Holtz's 1988 Irish football squad captured the national championship at the Fiesta Bowl in Tempe, Arizona. Bobby Bowden, despite being picked as a pre-season number one several times at Florida State, has never captured a national championship. That could change this year. But first Bowden and his Seminoles must get by the Irish this Saturday, no easy task, considering the forecast for this weekend calls for cold and wet conditions, which could severely hamper the FSU "Run-and-Gun" offense and their Heisman Trophy candidate, Charlie Ward.

That weather would fit the Irish ball-control attack and make for a long day for Bobby Bowden; but if its warm and dry, Lou Holtz may have his hands full as his All-America secondary of Jeff Burris, Bobby Taylor and John Covington will have to deal with Kez McCorvey, Jeff Frier and the rest of the deadly Florida State offense.

On the home front, two PC sports personalities, Dick Bagge, women's volleyball coach (Florida State, class of '54), and Bernie Cafarella, Assistant Sports Information Director (class of '83). When asked for a prediction, Bernie Cafarella states simply, "24-21 Irish. May the better team win, but remember, good things always happen at Notre Dame." As for Coach Bagge, he predicts a "24-14 FSU victory. Weather permitting, of course."

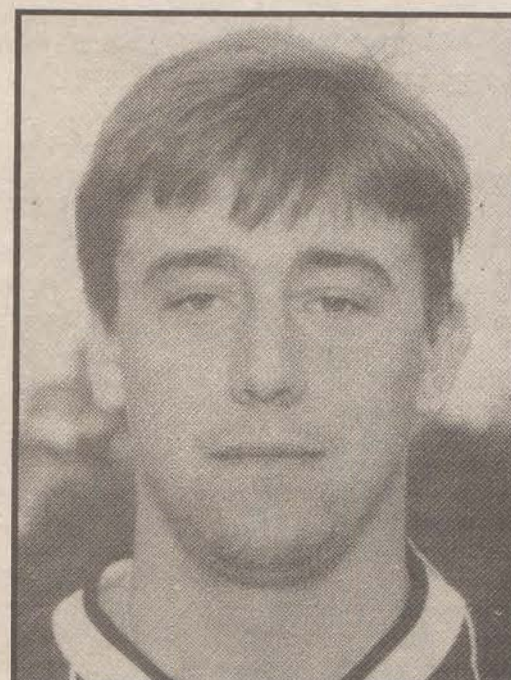
As for your intrepid sports writer, I can't make a prediction until I get to Notre Dame this weekend (yup, that's right, yours truly will be there this Saturday- and will file an on sight report next week). So get up on Saturday and tune in for the game of the year and see college football history being made.

Clearly Canadian PC Athletes of the Week



Jennifer Mead '94 (Raynham, Mass.)
Women's Soccer: Goalkeeper

Mead was named Most Outstanding Player of the inaugural Big East Women's Soccer Championship as the Lady Friars captured the title with a 1-0 win over Connecticut in the championship game. She had five saves in the finale and nine over both tournament games. Mead and her team also earned the school's first-ever berth in the NCAA soccer tournament. She was also named first team All-New England for the third straight year.



Steve Warjanka '95 (Maplewood, NJ)
Men's Soccer

Warjanka scored the winning goal with 6:54 to play in the game in PC's 2-1 upset victory at Brown. The Friars scored two second half goals for the win. Warjanka's tally was his seventh of the season as he led the team in scoring this season (7 goals, 3 assists for 17 points).

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M.M. Nothing beats a quick turn around. A few months ago the Cleveland Browns thought that Bernie Kosar was worth \$27 million. Two days ago they cut him. Nice game plan Brownies!

C.P. Why does Bill Parcells insist on playing a career back-up in Scott Secules, when on the bench is the #1 draft pick, Drew Bledsoe, who is much more adept at playing the style that Parcells wants? Good thing Secules seperated his shoulder to spare Parcells the humiliation of being wrong.

A.Z. The LA Raiders should be 6-1. Point of fact: the losses to Cleveland and San Diego were the result of ludicrous play calls on the goal line. Attention Coach Shell. In the future, when your offense has possession first and goal inside the five yard line, RUN THE FOOTBALL!

M.M. Shawn Bradley will be a good NBA center in a few years. Until then, I don't know if I can bear watching him get bludgeoned inside by everyone from Patrick Ewing to Karl Malone to Sam Malone.

C.P. Speaking of bludgeoning, now that Jordan has retired and Pippen must assume a larger role, people will finally get to see how soft Pippen is and how much Jordan drew opposing defenses away from him.

A.Z. As much as we all enjoyed the enthusiasm of a pre-season pep rally, cutting down the nets at Midnight Madness may have been an ill-advised move. Can anyone say the word *jinx*? **M.M.** Worse yet, if we can't break the Sixth Man Society full-court press, what the hell happens when we face Oklahoma State's trap? Then again they ain't no Sixth Man Society. What am I worried about?

C.P. More than Michael Jordan, the player I'll miss most this season is Kevin McHale. Not too many of today's players would play an entire season on a broken foot (as he did in '90-91) and still have enough time to give the Boston press enough stuff to fill eight notebooks.

A.Z. The Miami Hurricanes re-emergence as a potential national champion in college football is the latest example of the need for a play-off system in the CFA. Contrary to what the pollsters may believe, the Orange Bowl is not the Super Bowl of collegiate football.

M.M. I still can't believe that the Indiana Pacers traded Detlef Schrempf for Seattle's Derrick McKey and Gerald Paddio. Schrempf can do it all anywhere on the court, while McKey has never fulfilled his promise. As far as I'm concerned, Seattle just boosted their title hopes in a big way.

C.P. Speaking of Seattle, acquiring Kendall Gill from the Hornets for Dana Barros and Eddie Johnson, could be the second best steal of the year (behind Schrempf). Gill finally finds a team that doesn't care if he bitches and moans as long as he gets his 15-20 points per game.

A.Z. Now that William "The Refrigerator" Perry is no longer a professional football player, he can begin updating Webster's Dictionary. Definition #1: "well balanced meal"= a Whopper in each hand. Good Luck, Fridge!

Predictions For Saturday:

M.M. 35-21 Florida State

C.P. 31-27 Notre Dame

A.Z. 35-28 Notre Dame (with Ditka)

One Thing We All Agree On: Montgomery Burns is stealing *The Simpsons* away from the Simpsons and Kramer has TV's best hairdo.

Lady Friars Make Their Bid Big East Tournament Around The Corner

by Christian T. Potts '94
Sports writer

Whenever you're down, you can always use a shot in the arm. Something to wake you up and make you feel better and, ultimately, do better. The PC Lady Friars were in need of just such a shot in the arm, and it arrived in the guise of the Delaware Tournament last weekend. Yes, while most of the PC family was partying it up in Boston last weekend at JRW, the women's volleyball team was making a clean sweep of the Delaware Tournament.

The Lady Friars faced Robert Morris University on Friday night, November 5, at the University of Delaware in the Delaware Tournament. The Lady Friars were facing an opponent they knew virtually nothing about in Robert Morris, and that was reflected in the first game, which they lost 7-15.

But in the second game the Lady Friars took a 15-3 decision, followed by a 15-5 victory and they closed with a tight 15-11 win in the final game. Coach Dick Bagge was especially pleased with their team defense, which included 10 team blocks: "If our blocking keeps up, our offense should greatly improve. It opens up our offense and gives us more opportunities to score."

The next day saw the Lady Friars facing the University of Delaware in an afternoon match which once again pitted the Lady Friars against a team they knew virtually about. Delaware had just beat UConn and Syracuse in its last two matches and was on a hot streak of sorts. Once again the Lady Friars dropped the first game 5-15, then took the second game 15-8, followed by a 15-7 victory in the third game and a 15-9 decision in the fourth and final game. "Once again we had good blocking and good defense, which helps a great deal," said Coach Bagge.

Despite some key lineup

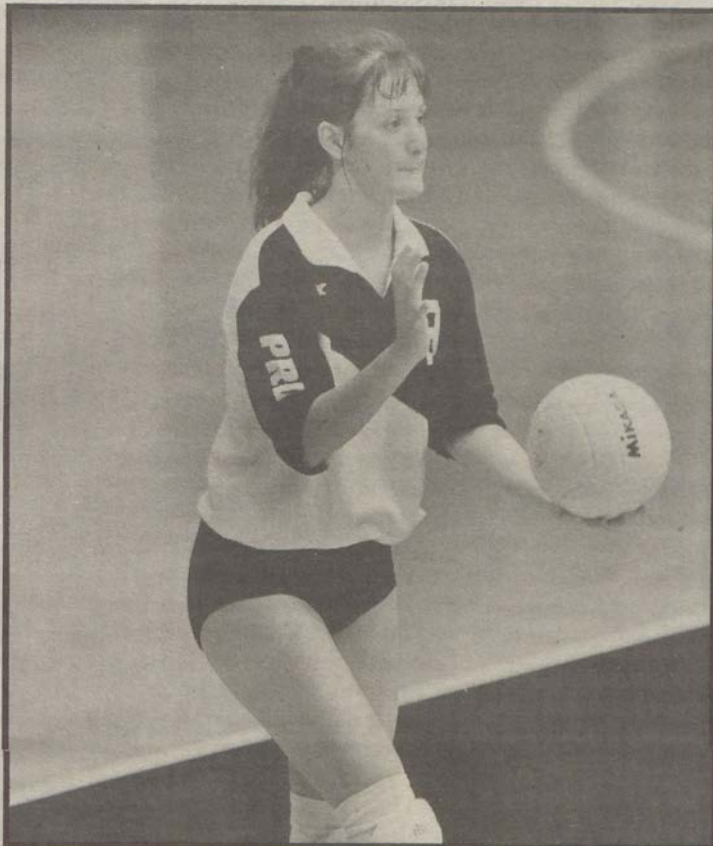
changes, the Lady Friars played well this past weekend. Becky Loftus, a freshman middle hitter, stepped in Friday night against Robert Morris and registered 6 blocks to go along with 17 kills. The next day against Delaware she got 6 blocks to go along with 12 kills for a grand total of 12 blocks and 29 kills, impressive numbers for any player, let alone a freshman playing Division I volleyball for the first time. "Becky really played well and I was pleased with the way she contributed," said Coach Bagge.

Kelly Tooley also stepped up this weekend with 9 blocks and played sound defense, and junior setter Marnie Panek chipped in with a .400 hitting percentage in the Delaware match along with her usual solid setting and playmaking at the net.

This coming weekend, the Lady Friars play a pivotal match against Syracuse University that will decide where they will end up in the upcoming Big East Tournament (November 20-21 at

Villanova University). This match will determine their seed in the tournament; if PC beats Syracuse, they will get a sixth seed, but if they lose, they will get a seventh seed. That is the difference between having to face UConn as a sixth seed and having to face Seton Hall as a seventh seed. "I feel that we would have a better chance against UConn than against Seton Hall. It's very important for us to be able to go into the tournament with the chance to face a lower seed, which will give us a better chance for lasting longer in the tournament."

But first the Lady Friars have to get past Boston College Wednesday night, November 10, here at Alumni Hall on the PC campus. So get on up to Alumni Hall and support our Lady Friars as they make their bid for the Big East Tournament. That shot in the arm will hopefully last them well into the tournament.



Marnie Panek ('95) has helped keep the Lady Friars together this fall.

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Sports

Lady Friars' Season Comes To A Close

Strong Campaign Ends With 3-2 Loss To UConn At Big East Tournament

by Annica Ambrose '96
Sports Writer

It was a season to remember. The 1993 field hockey team's season has been completed with a final record of 9-9-3. This record includes the Big East semi-final game last weekend, where Providence was nudged out by the University of Connecticut, 3-2.

The Lady Friars took advantage of the scoring with a 2-0 lead in the first half, on a goal scored by Jennifer Dopart (assisted by Meredith Zenowich) and another by Lauren Khozozian. UConn scored their first point on a "questionable" penalty stroke, but PC still felt in control at this point. In the second half, UConn gained momentum and scored two more goals, one on a corner and the other on a second penalty stroke. There is no doubt that "we took advantage of

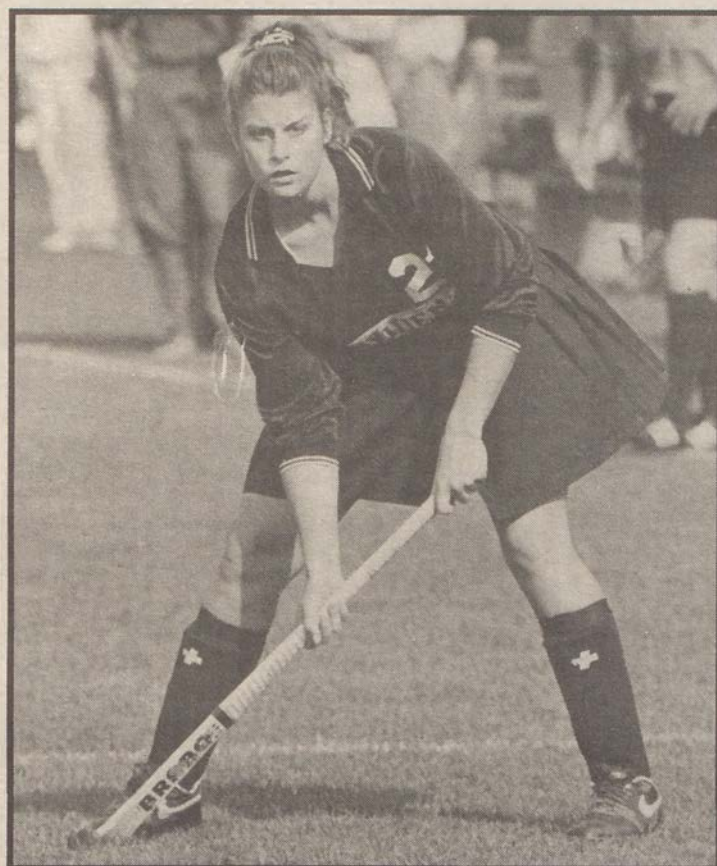
our scoring opportunities and played well," says Coach Barto, but the decision had been up for grabs all day.

Not only was this season one of memorabilia, but it was a season of triumph...in the Ball State game, where PC overcame the displacement on the field from their new lineup to defeat the team ranked #9 in the coun-

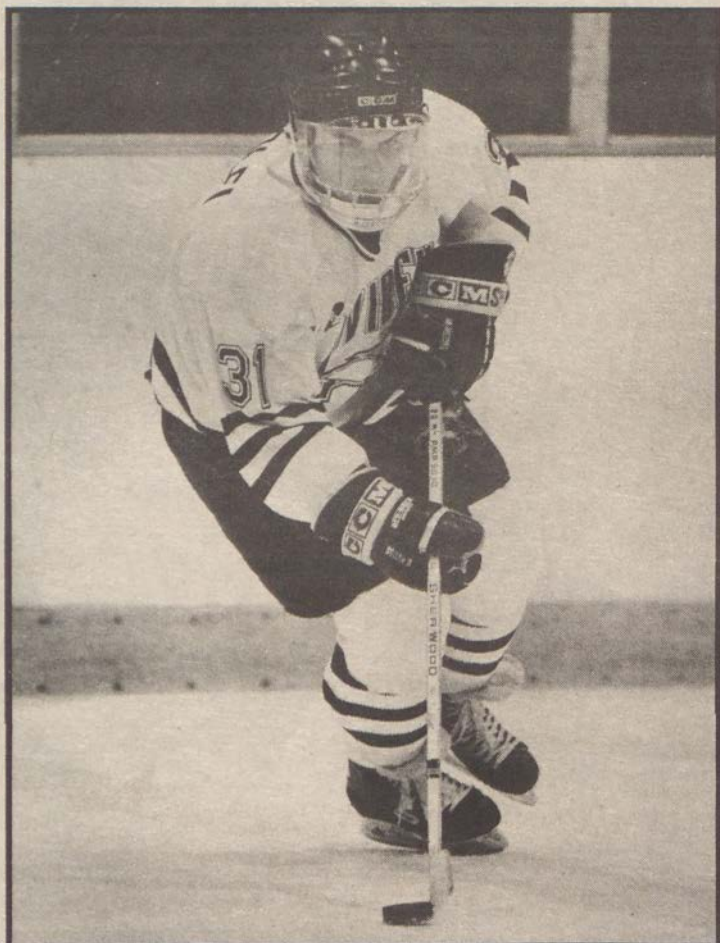
Field Hockey

try. It was a season of youth...the squad composed of 18 players, 13 of which were freshmen and sophomores; a season of stronghold...PC's defense is to be commended for holding their own throughout the season. A season of promise...the Lady Friars forward line is packed with potential. It was a season of

tricks...with Guden's hat trick in her bag of treats and a season of intensity...in a strong and vigorous effort in the Syracuse game, a season of voyages...trips to Georgetown and Virginia allowed the Lady Friars a day of play at Busch Gardens. It was a season of recognition...Cathy Guden picked as player of the year, Kim Robbins on the first team with her, and Gina Martiniello, Melissa Mills, Meredith Zenowich, and Tara Kaminski on the second team in the Big East. Lastly, it was a season to say farewell...to the seniors who will be remembered with reverence. Tricia Buckanvage, who had an unfortunate season of injuries, Gina Martiniello, a season of salvages, and Cathy Guden, a season of superiority...WE'LL MISS YOU!!



Junior Lauren Khozozian knocked home one of the two Lady Friar goals against UConn.



Brian Ridolfi ('94) continued his strong play with a goal in a losing effort against Maine.

Hockey: continued from page 24

ing a Paul Kariya feed in the net at 13:00, aided by his slick wraparound move. "The first goal was a nice breakaway that was hard to get, but Dan should've stopped the second one", added coach McShane.

Dennis was quick to settle down after the rocky first period though, fending off 21 shots before the third period buzzer. Senior captain Ian Paskowski found mostly positives out of the first period as well; "We played great for the first five minutes, and except for a couple of defensive lapses played solid at the start."

The PC skaters stormed back into the game in the second period when Brian Ridolfi directed the rebound of Joe Hulbig's shot past Blair Allison at 7:58. Most importantly, the Friar blue liners cut back on their mistakes, allowing the offense to create some scoring opportunities. Despite a few prime scoring chances though, not to mention a couple of open net shots, the Black Bear defense men always made the big plays, preventing the game tying goal.

After holding up the 2-1 lead for two periods, the ice finally opened up for 1993 Hobey Baker winner and

soon-to-be Canada Olympian Kariya. The sophomore captain responded with a spectacular breakaway goal at 2:58. Later in the period, Patrice Tardiff padded the lead to 4-2 when he snagged his own rebound.

The third period for PC was marked by a frustrating inability to take advantage of 4 power play opportunities. Most ironically, the only time PC was able to convert scoring chances into offensive muscle in the third was in a shorthanded situation that set the stage for Travis Dillabough's first career goal. Unfortunately this offensive rhythm happened too late in the game, since Maine would exit the ice thirty seconds later with the 4-2 victory.

After watching PC's trio of performances against the defending National Champs, it is obvious that a lack of goal scoring punch is plaguing the Friars against highly ranked opponents. Going into specifics, it doesn't help that the Friars were shut on all 14 of their power plays in three games with the Bears. Coach McShane acknowledges, "We're not taking advantage of our scoring opportunities." Yet he is equally as quick to add, "Even though

we have a long way to go the young guys are making great strides", referring to the play of developing freshman like Dennis and Russ Guzier.

The Friars will have that opportunity this weekend when they play a home and home series against the University of New Hampshire. "We've worked on our power play a lot in practice this week, and hopefully the scoring will come around", surmised Paskowski of this weeks preparation for the Wildcats.

The Friar captain is also enthusiastic about these young Friars; "We've improved by leaps and bounds since the first game. Believe it or not, this group plays together more than any other year I've been here." This is a pretty strong statement of the talent involved, considering this veteran has played on squads with former stars such as Rob Gaudreau and Mike Boback.

The Friars will receive their first attempt at blemishing UNH's 4-0 record on Friday night at Snively arena. PC then returns to the noise and cheers of Schneider arena on Saturday night at 7:00pm to test the mettle of Wildcats again.

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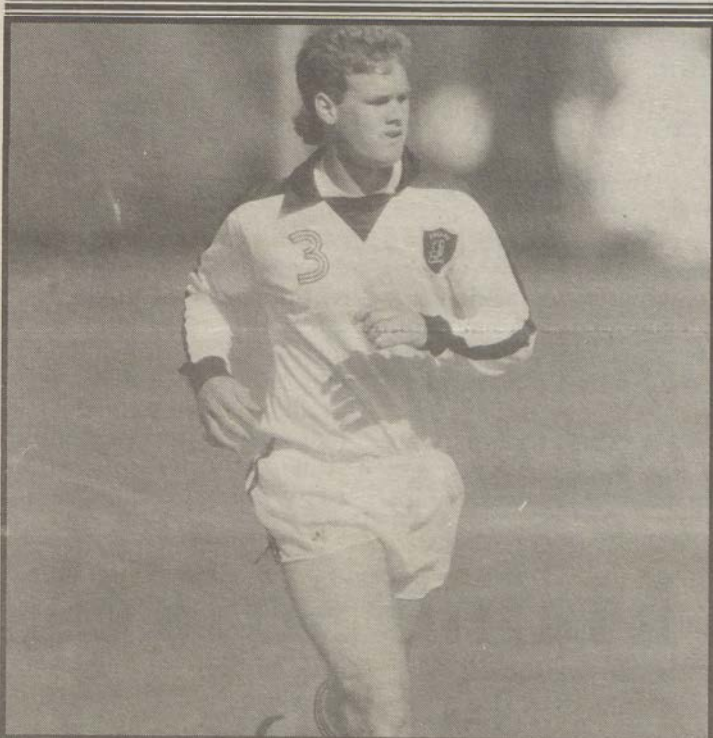
Friars Finish Season With Win

by Pieter J. Ketelaar '97
Sports Writer

At long last the Providence College men's soccer team's season is over. The agonies of this year's less than successful campaign are finally behind them. After a 7-10-1 record, the Friars are glad their work is over. The Friars were also winless in the Big East (0-7-1). Now it is time for the Friars to reflect on the year and figure out just what it was that went wrong and took an enthusiastic 4-0 start to the grim realities of a 7-10-1 final record.

Sean McDermott '94, co-captain of the men's soccer team along with Sean Clark '94, thought that his last season was "disappointing." He said, "At the beginning of the season we showed ability to play against other teams, we had potential." He said that the season went from "positive to unlucky." "We just could not turn it out." The Friars did not get breaks and the breaks they did get were not capital-

Men's Soccer



Sean McDermott ('94) played through injuries for part of the season.

ized upon. Coach Doyle had remarked that both McDermott and Clark had been quite frustrated at the team's losing because they were both in their final season with the club. McDermott had even played a portion of his season with nagging injuries (bad knee and back spasms.)

When asked to describe his four years at PC, McDermott labeled it a "learning experience." He said that overall he had a "good time" but pointed out that this year was especially disappointing in comparison to what he had expected out of the team.

The Friars, in their last game of the season, defeated Brown by a score of 2-1. They were trailing 1-0 entering the second half, fought valiantly, and scored two to overtake their cross-town rivals.

"It was nice to end the season on an up note. It's nice to go out on top," said McDermott. "The tie against Seton Hall was nice too. We wanted to win against Brown. We knocked them out of the tournament."

This year's team could best be described as a streaky team, at best. They began 4-0. Lost 5 straight. Won 1. Lost 5 straight again. Then finished fairly strong with 2 wins sandwiched around a tie. The Friars have earned their vacation. After the kind of season this club endured, they deserve a lot of credit. It took nothing less than pure heart to survive this season and come through with all its pieces still intact.

Friar Facts

* The Friars finished 0-7-1 in Big East play.

* Steve Warjanka ('95) paced the Friars in points (17) and goals (7).

* The team started three goalkeepers this year (James Smith, Ken Begasse, and Cleavie Mandeville.

* The team finished the season with a three game unbeaten streak

Up Close: With Missy Dawson

by Derek Stout '95
Sports Interviewer

The victories are there, but not in the expected category. Thus far the Lady Friars volleyball team has a respectable 18-11 record, with a dismal 1-5 mark in the Big East. Entering the year the Lady Friars were expected to compete for the Big East title, leaving off where they ended last year's campaign when they tied for first within the conference. Surprisingly the team has so far only beaten one Big East foe, Boston College.

One major reason for the expected success this year has been the play for the last three years of senior captain Missy Dawson. Missy has been the anchor for the team the last three years as an outside hitter. Missy does not feel the team is at total fault for the disappointing conference record: "We expected to finish first or second in the conference. We were ranked number two in the preseason and definitely expected to finish either one or two. This year we have had a lot of injuries which have hurt us. It has been a disappointing season as a result of the injuries; we expected to be better than our record indicates at this point in the season. We have had to make adjustments with people playing out of position. It has been difficult."

Missy has had to make adjustments of her own coming to the East coast out of high school from Port Huron, Michigan. At Port Huron Northern, Missy garnered All-Region and All-State honors as a junior and a senior. "In high school it was much easier to be a stand-out and a star. Everybody was at such a different

level which made myself stand out even more. In college everybody is at pretty much the same level. I've had to work much harder to succeed than when I was playing in high school." Missy also had the decision of staying at home in the midwest and competing for a Big Ten conference school, but instead she opted for the Big East. "I wanted to get away from home and the Big East conference is well known, plus it is on the Division I level which is where I wanted to play." Missy Dawson has always been one of the loudest and most aggressive players on the court; as a result she was rewarded with the role of captain for the 1993 campaign. She noted that "I try to be a motivator and keep everyone's spirits up when we are on the court. Communication is a big key when playing therefore I try to talk to everyone during games and keep everyone going."

Missy has had the reward of having experienced teachers and coaches of the game surrounding her during her entire career. As a result Missy is where she is today. She attributes much of her success to her Junior Olympic volleyball coach, "He was a remarkable teacher who taught me the basic fundamentals and techniques of the game. He really got you interested in the game and motivated everyone which made you work that much harder." Missy also will never forget everything that current PC coach Dick Bagge has done for her and the team. "Coach Bagge is a tireless worker. He put in a lot of work for the program that goes unnoticed; many people do not realize how much he really does for the team. He would

do just about anything for anyone on the team. Coach Bagge has an open-door policy where anyone can come in and talk about anything to him; he is always there. As a coach he allows the team to flourish. He allows the individual to do her own thing and excel in their own way without interference, but at the same time making sure the team plays as a team," commented the Michigan native.

Missy does not limit her competitive spirit solely to the court, but she extends it into the classroom. She is currently Vice-President of the National Honor Society which she hopes will allow her to earn her Masters Degree in Marine Biology while participating as a grad assistant coach in the process. Missy has a unique outlook on balancing the academic and athletic aspects of her life, "I try to regulate my time well. I make sure I get most of my work done before practice or a match, I then go out and play which I see as a reward for getting my academic work done." Presently the Lady Friars still have two conference games remaining which they hope will bring them to 3-5 within the Big East. From there the Big East Tournament awaits in late November at Villanova University. Do not be surprised to see PC accomplish their preseason goal of finishing number one or two in the tournament. Missy Dawson will no doubt be leading the charge at Villanova, and if she could have it her way would settle for nothing less than the number one slot.

WHAT'S HAPPENING? This Week in Providence College Sports

Friday, November 12

Men's Ice Hockey at New Hampshire 7:00 PM

Women's Volleyball at Syracuse 7:30 PM

Saturday, Nov. 13

Women's Volleyball (at Syracuse, NY)

vs. American 9:00 AM

vs. Buffalo 4:30 PM

Women's and Men's Cross Country 11:00 AM

at IC4A Championships (Leesburg, VA.)

Women's Soccer in NCAA Tournament 1:00 AM

vs. Massachusetts (Amherst, Mass.)

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SWIMMING 2:00 PM

VS. ST. JOHN'S

MEN'S ICE HOCKEY VS. UNH 7:00 PM

MEN'S BASKETBALL- MAL BROWN 5:30 PM

SCRIMMAGE (ALUMNI HALL)

Women's Hockey at Boston College 7:00 PM

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL VS. BC 7:00 PM

MEN'S BASKETBALL VS. CANADIAN 7:30 PM

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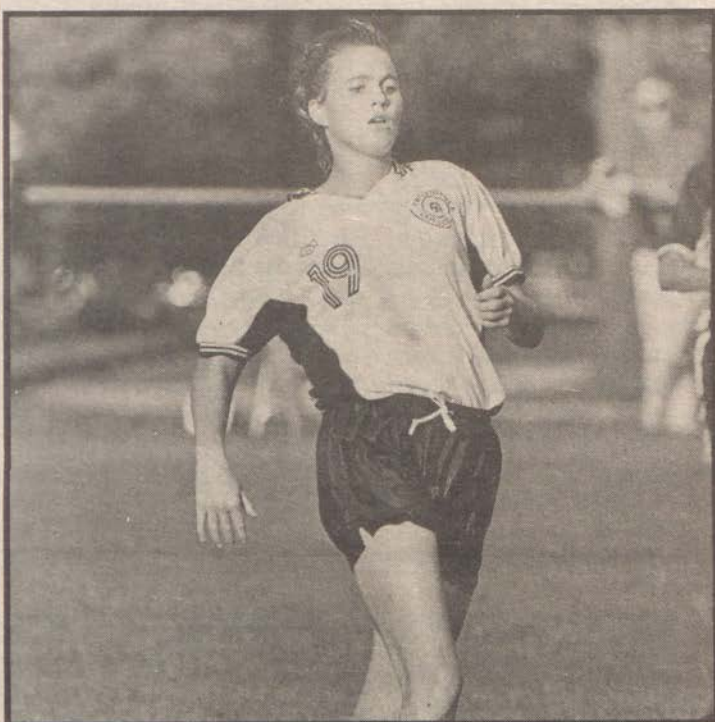
Sunday, Nov. 14

Monday, Nov. 15

Wednesday, Nov. 17

HOME GAMES IN CAPS

Sports



Senior Jen Mead (top) and junior Moira Harrington starred as PC won a trip to the NCAA's this weekend.

Big East Champs continued from page 1

Lady Friars had only read this story after every loss this year they might not have found themselves in such a desperate situation at the end of the season. Saturday's game against Boston College was the second meeting between the two teams in four days. Earlier in the week B.C. knocked off Providence 1-0. BC was the second seed in the tournament, but the Lady Friars knew that they weren't going to be denied. Captain Kerry Lyons said that "the team definitely had lots of motivation going into Saturday's game." Coach Crepeau knew that the team was mad and fired up to play. However, BC struck early in the first half and led the game until the first minutes of the second half. That's when Moira Harrington scored on an unassisted play 12 yards out from the goal. Looking back on the play, Moira thought that the goalie might have slipped but, that the results wouldn't have changed. Later in the half Moira was able to secure the win for the Lady Friars by coming up with her second goal of the game on an assist from Kristyn Gibling. Moira said "it was an incredible feeling

to score both goals." This is the second time this year that Moira has had two goals in a game. According to Coach Crepeau, "Moira has been one of a number of players that has stepped their play up this year."

There was little time to celebrate for the Lady Friars, for on Sunday they knew their opponent would be the #1 seed and 10th ranked team in the nation, UConn. The Lady Friars, as was the case with BC, had lost to UConn earlier in the year. This time around revenge for the Lady Friars would be even sweeter. Early in the first half, actually in the first minute, the Lady Friars were able to catch the UConn defense asleep. Karen Stouffer was able to capitalize on a long ball from Sharon Riddle and the Lady Friars were quickly up 1-0. That was all the offense the Friars needed because the defensive trio of Margaret Mirecki, Amy Helestine and Linda Hawkes put the clamps on the UConn offense for the rest of the match. Helestine wasn't surprised by the win at all saying "we know we can beat any team on any given day if we all want it."

The result was the Lady Friars winning the first ever Big East Women's Soccer Tournament, but that

As promised in this year's Cowl, the PC rugby team has won its first New England title in four years. The ruggers headed North to Babson College to play in the Division II New England Rugby Championships last weekend. PC was one of only four teams left in New England, with the New England champion to be crowned in a one day tournament. PC faced the University of Maine in the morning game at 9:00, which offered PC a glimpse of a team featuring players comparable to an NFL team. But they would find out quickly just what PC rugby was all about.

PC scored early as yours truly, Joe Downes, received a pass off the ruck, faked right, then set up Dave "Dilo" Diloletto for a breathtaking 30-yard burst for the try. "It's hard keeping up with Downes's wheels but I never lost hope. I just shut my eyes and hustled after him," gasped Dilo after his score. Jamie "Money" Lussier added the kick.

PC scored again as Andy Graham knocked his first of four players out of the game on Saturday. Graham's stiff arm, then his head, sent a Maine tackler out on a queer street and after Lussier's kick PC was up 14-0. "Poor kid- he'll never be the same," exclaimed

wasn't all. The next day they were informed that they had been selected to the NCAA tournament for the first time in the schools history! Sophomore Liz Holmes said, "I feel excited and very proud to be part of the first championship team of the Big East. No one expected us to win, and the bid for the NCAA tournament was a shock to the whole team. Erin Valla took great pride in saying "we proved them all wrong."

This Saturday the Lady Friars will travel to UMass for the first round of the NCAA's. UMass is currently ranked fifth in the country. However, the Lady Friars have already played UMass this year, but lost in overtime. Coach Crepeau added that, "the first time around the Lady Friars were without star defensive back Linda Hawkes. Linda will be ready on Saturday and Coach Crepeau feels that her presence will make a difference. The Lady Friars have been able to turn it around in a short period of time and hopefully this newly found inspirational play will last just a little longer. Good luck on Saturday Lady Friars!

Ruggers Take New England Title

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Graham after the play.

UMaine added a score and a penalty kick in the second back and put forth a valiant effort, only to fall short in their comeback bid. But when it was all said and done, PC was victorious and was on their way to the finals with a 14-8 victory.

PC's next opponent was Bowdoin after they ousted Babson 5-0 in overtime. Bowdoin was no match for the swarming PC Friars. Bryant Piccioli caught a pop kick by Mike "Golden Toe" Gill for the first score. Lussier added the conversion kick. Lussier later split the uprights with a penalty kick to make the score 10-0. Bowdoin got a penalty kick of their own making it 10-3 at the half.

The second half was all PC. After relentless tackling led by Jeff "Zero" Withrow, "Jazzy" Jeff Freyermuth blocked a kick deep in Bowdoin's end. Jeff "Honey" Beeman, who played the second game with a broken hand, pounced on the block for a score. As the game wound down, Lussier added another penalty for a final score of 18-3, wrapping up the New England Championship.

The victories were made possible by every member of the team. Gra-

ham, Freyermuth, Zero, Kenny Peterson and Mike "Sluggo" Bush set the tempo with countless tackles. John "Freak Show" Rigney and Jeff "Honey" Beeman pulled down multiple lineouts. Bill "Wacko" Tobin, Pic and Dilo helped PC keep possession of the ball throughout the day. The heads-up play of Mike "Golden Toe" Gill, John "Goombah" Savilia, and Jamie "Money" Lussier kept both UMaine and Bowdoin on their heels all day. Danny "Shoulders" Moynahan toughed it out, while Dave "J. Crew" Richards showed great intestinal fortitude, and Jay "Poncharelli" Caruso and "Fast" Mike "Toonces" Cushing stepped up and filled their roles to perfection. Also, Leo, Norm, Pat, Woodchuck, Ryan and countless others stood by showing patience, ready to fill in at a moment's notice.

I would personally like to thank everyone on the team for making my job this year easier than I ever would have imagined. Everyone pulled together and made this season the most enjoyable one in recent memory. I'll remind you once again that you are New England Champs and pray that we will get our rightful shot at the national title. Kepp your fingers crossed.

Maine Strikes Again

Black Bears Beat Friars For Third Time This Season

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Although the Hockey East season began three weeks ago, only three league matchups have occurred in this period. Even more ironic is the statistic illustrating that these three games have featured the same teams each time. As you might have guessed, one of the teams is the PC Friars, and the other, The intimidating University of Maine Black Bears. Even when one adds in a couple of games against Army and the University of Vermont, this isn't exactly the early season cream puff schedule which most coaches seek.

Last Saturday's return trip to Alford Arena in Orono provided the Friars with both good news and bad news. The bad news occurred when PC chalked up yet another loss to the Bears, this time by the score of 4-2.

Getting to the positives though, the youthful Friars played some greatly improved hockey versus the defending champs on the road. Best of all they won't see this dreaded opponent for the remainder of the regular season.

The Friars' first road trip of the season also marked the college debut of freshman goaltender Dan Dennis. The Saskatchewan native received a rude awakening into the ranks of Hockey East though, compliments of a Mike Latendresse backhander two minutes into the first period. Trevor Roenick and Tim Lovell assisted on the early tally.

Despite a charged up Friar front, Lightning would strike again for Latendresse as he eluded the Friar defenders once again, deposit-

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