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Students of Boise State University

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Executive asks for compliance with safety procedures

When firefighters found classes in session in a building after a fire alarm had sounded, Daryl Jones, provost and vice president for Academic Affairs, sent a memo throughout campus reminding faculty and staff to comply with safety procedures.

"Responding to a fire alarm in one of our buildings, firefighters arrived and discovered that classes were still in session in two of the rooms. When questioned, one faculty member responded that he was accustomed to false alarms and had elected to continue teaching instead of evacuating his class from the building," Jones says in his Sept. 16 memo.

False fire alarms can be a frustrating inconvenience, but "individuals cannot know in advance whether an alarm is a false alarm or an actual emergency," the memo states.

Another concern of Jones' is that the university can receive fines and penalties for failure to observe safety procedures or obstruction of emergency personnel, even if the emergency turns out to be a false alarm.

"Immediate evacuation of the building is mandatory, not discretionary," says Jones.

BUS ridership is up

Ridership is up, and in a big, big way.

As of Sept. 17, ridership numbers for the Ride for Free program stood at 645 people per day. This is up from 424 the same time last year.

Campus Shuttle is also doing well. Ridership is up to 978 per day, up from 300 same time last year.

These numbers are courtesy of Bob Siebolt, Campus Safety and Parking.

-Kevin Winslow

Organizations fair happening today

Organizations, clubs and similar groups will have a chance to recruit new members at Boise State's 17th biannual Student Organizations fair Sept. 28 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the Quad between the Administration and Business buildings.

The fair is designed to offer an opportunity for all university groups to increase their visibility, recruit new members and raise funds in a relaxed and festive environment.

The Student Organization Fair offers food, games, merchandise, information and fun.

Milton Bradley offers award for messiest dorm room

Milton Bradley's Pass the Pigs, the game that uses pigs as dice, is sponsoring a national search to find the biggest pigsty on college campuses.

The contest is open to college students across the country, but entrants must be nominated by their resident advisors. To participate in Milton Bradley's National Pigsty Search, contestants must send a 4" X 6" photo and brief paragraph describing why they're proud of their pigsty. Entries must be postmarked by Oct. 10 and sent to Pass the Pigs Pigsty, c/o Fleishman-Hillard, Inc, 1330 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10019.

YWCA to present date rape seminars

All rapes reported, 70-90% are perpetrated by an acquaintance.

The YWCA will be hosting a series of three seminars on Date Rape.

They will be held Sept. 28 from 7-8 p.m. in the Towers, Sept. 29 at Chaffee Hall from 7-8 p.m., and on Oct. 10 in the Jordan Ballroom from 10:40-12:00.

The speaker will be LaDessa Foster, a licensed sexual assault counselor at the YWCA.

Topics will include prevention tactics, post incident counseling and effects on the victim and society.

-Kevin Winslow

Poor Man's Notebook

available through Pub Catalog

From crude messages in bathroom stalls to the roadside preaching of church marqueses, the Poor Man's Notebook by English major Shawn Records documents Idaho graffiti and other images in a series of 53 black and white photographs that have been bound into a postcard notebook.

The notebook, which Records originally created for a class project, is filled with commentary that accompanies each image.

"Free expression in no longer free," says Records in the foreword of the Poor Man's Notebook. "No matter how stupid the message is, each unknown artist presented here has felt the need to bypass traditional paths of communication and present their opinions in what is sometimes considered an act of vandalism."

Poor Man's Notebook is on sale for $5.95 in the Boise State University Publications Catalog. To obtain a copy from the Boise State Bookstore, write BSU Bookstore, 1918 University Dr, Boise, ID 83725, call 385-491 or fax the order to 385-340.
Senator files harassment charges against colleague

Lindsey Truxel accuses Sean Lee Brandt of shouting obscenities and behaving violently after a discussion about AIDS education; ASBSU Judiciary to sort out facts

HOLLIE BLANKENSHIP
Senior Staff Writer

The ASBSU Judiciary gave notice to Sen. Sean Lee Brandt that harassment and disorderly conduct charges filed against him by Sen. Lindsey Truxel would be heard in a disciplinary hearing.

The hearing came about after Truxel filed a complaint with the ASBSU Judiciary. According to the Statements of Fact filed against Brandt by Truxel, Brandt verbally assaulted Truxel after an argument they had in senate offices following an ASBSU Senate meeting.

According to the Statements of Fact filed by both Brandt and Truxel, Brandt had approached Truxel while she was having a discussion with Senator Dan Gus after a senate meeting.

"The conversation was about AIDS. Brandt overheard the conversation between the two and interrupted that he disagreed with the opinion of Gus and Truxel. Gus walked away from the conversation, leaving Brandt and Truxel arguing about whether or not AIDS issues should be taught to children not yet in high school.

According to both senator's Statements of Fact, Truxel walked away. "Sean, you have your opinion and I have mine. I'll respect your beliefs and you respect mine. I can't change your opinion, so let's not talk to each other," Truxel, in her Statements of Fact, said she told Brandt.

Brandt then lost his temper and yelled obscenities at Truxel and slammed his fist into the door of the vice-president's office.

Truxel then filed a complaint with the judiciary board as well as Boise Police.

Truxel said in her Statement of Fact that Brandt's display of temper had made her fearful and unsafe to take such action as well as asking Sen. Jack Krieger to walk her out to her car after the incident.

Initially, the judiciary agreed to act as mediators and let Truxel and Brandt work out their disagreement through discussion.

"Originally I wanted to do this [mediation] so I could clear my name and honor, so I changed my mind so that everything would come out in the open," Brandt said.

Brandt said that because of the incident between he and Truxel, he now feels that he must guard everything that he says around the senate offices.

"Her perception allows me to be seen as a monster. That has destroyed my ability to be myself," Brandt said.

If Ada County prosecutors find Brandt guilty of charges, he could face a year in jail and a $1,000 fine.

Brandt has asked for an open hearing so that students and members of the press could see themselves what goes on in the hearing.

"I think that students have the right to know that the people who represent them are more concerned with bickering and whining than serving their constituency. Rather than peaceful mediation, we are going to judiciary in timeful, wasteful legal procedures and doing a disservice to the students of BSU," Brandt said.

Other members of ASBSU find the incident very disturbing.

"The situation that is facing us is very unfortunate and we hope that in the future items can be resolved by mediation or social interaction before it goes to such extremes," ASBSU President Jeff Klaus said.

"I think it's inappropriate that when senators are discussing ASBSU issues that we would have to censor ourselves or have judiciary over our heads, or even the Boise police," Sen. Dan Nabors said.

Diversity training classes commence for employees

MARY DONERTY
Staff Writer

Because reports of inappropriate gender-related behavior are on the rise across campus, President Charles Ruch has asked the Training Office to team up with Affirmative Action and develop a diversity training class for BSU employees.

During this academic year, every BSU employee will be scheduled to attend the class, beginning with the President's Cabinet.

These classes educate employees in matters of sexual harassment—in and outside of the classroom.

University Policy defines what is inappropriate and parallels Idaho state laws and court decisions.

The purpose of diversity training is to clarify that sexually and physical contact is inappropriate between students and their mentors. Affirmative Action Director Betty Hecker said any conduct which is unwanted or interferes with the learning environment should be questioned. These situations may even occur beyond the doors of the classroom.

Inappropriate gender-related comments made by faculty and students outside the classroom may also constitute a challenge from the law.

Gender diversity classes are not required, but the Affiliate Action Office will attempt to reach all of the teaching departments. The President's cabinet already underwent the diversity courses in early September. Special sessions will be advertised throughout campus within the next few months for anyone who wishes to attend.

Attending diversity training classes would be beneficial to students as well as faculty because they will be given examples and definitions of what is not acceptable conduct. Part of the training includes videos illustrating situations and asking questions. This allows students and professors to not only identify uncalled-for comments, but also shows them how they can change the situation before it gets out of hand.

Another part of the process includes the education of faculty in counseling students who may contact them for advice about a related situation. This may be effective for solving the problem on a student/teacher level.
The public's right to know vs. an individual's privacy

Not only is the student senate arguing over heated issues such as the anti-gay initiation, Proposition One, they are filing charges against each other over debate on related topics. And the public and the student newspaper may be blocked from knowing the outcome.

Health Sciences Sen. Sean Brant, a sponsor of a resolution opposing the measure, and Sen. Lindsey Tulv, a sponsor of a resolution which says the issue is none of the ASBSU Senate's business, had a run in the halls after a senate meeting recently. Apparently, the two were debating whether or not ASBSU education should be taught to children in junior high and elementary school.

Brant got angry when Tulv attempted to walk away from the conversation and allegedly yelled obscenities at her and punched a wall. Tulv reported the incident to the ASBSU ombudsperson and Boise Police.

Considering the heated nature of the topic, The Arbiter was interested in following the story. An Arbiter reporter attempted to attend a judiciary hearing on the matter because we felt the information should be known to our readers, who are being represented by these people.

The justices were going to read Statements of Fact from Brant and Tulv about the incident and decide if a disciplinary hearing was necessary. In real court, the plaintiff and the defendant and the press, would attend. They would be told what, if any, charges would be brought against the defendant.

The judiciary not only excluded our reporter, but also the plaintiff and the defendant.

The Arbiter was told the charges were none of our business. Brant was willing to share the documents with the Arbiter, but in past incidents of this nature, the person considering sharing documents has been threatened with contempt of court.

The Arbiter wrote a letter to Maxwell Sigler, advisor to the judiciary, maintaining our and the public's right to attend Brant's hearing.

The response was a packet of information about the Buckley Amendment, which protects the privacy of students' academic records.

This subject is of great interest to us all because it deals with issues of both privacy and the public's right to know what its government is up to. On one hand, the Buckley Amendment serves a vital function—protecting students' privacy. It blocks public universities from releasing disciplinary information about students.

On the other hand, when a student is found to have violated rules elected by the student body at large and the public business they have been selected to carry out, it seems that the representative has waived his or her right to privacy in these circumstances. Legal proceedings have gone both ways—in some cases privacy has prevailed, while in others the press has been placed in the dark.

The resulting tension—between the administration's desire to protect privacy and the press's desire to inform the public—is an example of democracy in action. It is this tension that keeps our system in check. While there is no clear-cut answer, both sides of the issue are equally important.

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The WEATHER

Horrifying '74—Bomber礼仪 Watch for the fly! Next week, midite, next week. Four and 0 and at every minute, our big bug machine, somebody wants to be a good pet, but the fence is down to fence pets. Where's to say? seven down, 25 is go. Keep your chin up and your gun loaded. The forecast: morning digging into evening by last afternoon. The downing of a new era. —PIS
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What about bikes?

So the university has come up with a plan to reduce the automobile parking problem as well as general congestion and encourage alternative transportation means. It appears to be working, I can not see to find a place to park my bike, now. I wonder if anyone is planning on remedying the problem or just waiting till winter when everyone starts driving again? Seems with all the income from the added fees, some of the funds could have been used to buy another rack or two. Just a thought!

—Thomas Sear

Don’t tell us how to feel

To Mr. Jayson R. Jones, (on the topic of the Arbiter Cover Vol. 4, No 3 Aug, 31, 1994): This was the unkindest cut of them all. Here is a man, who finds it “offensive that anyone has the audacity to tell me what I can or cannot look at, read, hear, speak or how to dress.” Yet Mr. Jones wants to tell many of us on campus, especially women who were offended or hurt by this photograph and title, what we can or cannot feel.

At first I was going to say, “How dare you tell me what issues, from your point of view, are valid and worthy of attention.” But, it is not daring what Mr. Jones has done. It is quite easy and acceptable for men to tell women what is and is not important.

In a country whose legislators continually repress or kill issues concerning health care, education, aid to dependent children, and domestic violence, labeling them as “women’s issues” and not really vital to our communities, who accuse single mothers as the greatest of welfare frauds while the military, ranching, mining and agricultural industries (to the detriment of family concerns) constantly suck up the greatest welfare benefits, we are quite used to men setting up the parameters of acceptable debate and discussion.

Mr. Jones is merely exercising his privilege as a male in this community to tell women to go to “therapy” for the problems we find with our social status in the community, that our feelings are not valid, we are merely “overly sensitive,” or just “looking for something to complain about.” His letter was patronizing, if I see the way women are depicted in our media as inextricably linked to the overwhelming statistics on violence against women and the resistance to dealing with our needs, it is from my own research and personal experience. It is not an “imagined offense.” I appreciate the way The Arbiter has dealt with these responses and hope that we are benefiting from this communication.

—Kristina S. Peterson

Resolution shows lack of logic

I find the recent article concerning a proposed resolution in opposition to Proposition One disturbing. It shows a lack of logical thought on the parts of Sens. Brandt and Farnsworth.

Firstly, the senators claim that this resolution is backed by the members of their respective constituencies. To support this claim, they cite the opposition of the amendment by the Idaho Nursing Association and the Idaho Education Association.

Perhaps the senators do not realize that the Idaho Nursing Association and the Idaho Education Association are not organizations of BSU students, nor are they designed to represent BSU students. These organizations are built of nursing and educational professionals, respectively, and are not representative of the student population. Therefore, their opinions are not an accurate reflection of the BSU student population.

Secondly, even these organizations did reflect the views of students, they would not be representative of Ms. Farnsworth’s constituency, the College of Business. While Mr. Brandt may have some claim to the support of the INA as being a representative of the College of Health Science (and it is the College of Health Science, not College of Health and Science). The sciences are represented by the College of Arts and Sciences, Mr. Jones fail to see how opinions of the Educational Association reflect the opinions of BSU College of Business students. Perhaps, Mr. Farnsworth, you would care to enlighten us on this connection.

In a controversial issue such as this one, the individual’s right to study and make up his own mind on the issue must be considered paramount. The BSU senate has no business in dictating the opinion of its constituents.

—Ryan S. Debell

Child-like seductiveness not appropriate

I was disturbed by the editorial, FASHION + BUS = IRONY. It seemed to be an attempt to rationalize the feedback on a recent first fall edition that was offensive to many of the educated student body at BSU. In a world that promotes rationalization of all types of behaviors that promote promiscuity and moral inequivalence, I find it disturbing that the consensus of what is fashionable relates to child-like seductiveness. I do not find the editor at fault but it is amazing that the majority of the population has been brainwashed by the media to think that it is “hip” to portray any student in child-like seductiveness. I think that the reaction to the photo was appropriate. I think that your rationalization of the situation is inappropriate. Take a stand.

You mentioned that you had your student editors at Brigham Young University, if you never would have had to make this decision because it would have been done for you by an administration that determines what is appropriate for its population. This is more rationalization of people who enter BYU are ready to take a stand on issues and will not enter with the rationalizations of the world on their shoulders. They are committed to stand, not with one foot on the boat and one foot on the dock, but with both feet planted firmly on the shore. You will never get to the shore if your collective consciousness prevents you from the reality that the unconscious promotion of the degradation of another human being is just as cunning, as the conscious desire to promote it.

—Sharon Gerber

Criminals are responsible

I have been amazed at the opinions expressed around campus that BSU is somehow responsible for a rape. How can this be? Were any BSU employees involved in the act? Was it sanctioned by the dean’s office? The fact is criminals are committed by criminals! The person who committed such a vile act deserves the worst our moral morals will allow.

The idea that BSI, its employees, or its officers can be held responsible is absurd. In fact, they should be compensated for their program of emergency phones, increased lighting and other anti-crime efforts. No amount of such effort, however, will stop criminal from committing crimes.

An analogy: I see a person in obvious distress; not breathing; no heart beat; I administer CPR! Try to help in any way! If I do and they die anyway, is it my fault?

Perhaps, if the fault finders and liarsitters have their way, I’m better off to just not see the problem to begin with. Perhaps, if the attitude persists, BSI would be better off to retain an educational institution and leave crime-fighting to the law enforcement people. They could spend the extra money teaching karate to young women. The rapists should love that.

—John R. Leigh

What is going on at ASBSU?

Does the ASBSU need a Sergeant at Arms?

I went to Vice President of ASBSU Darryl Wright’s office to see if there was anyway he “could put a leash on a senator.” V.P. Wright asked which senator and I told V.P. Wright that it was Senator Brandt. I told V.P. Wright of Senator Brandt’s violent display directed towards people inappropriately behaving. My concern was that my wife (Senator Truxel) may be in danger of physical assault.

The Executive Order deals specifically with the issue of academic freedom, examining the potential danger that the university if this proposition were to pass. An important role of higher education is to promote academic freedom, and restrictions, such as access to the library’s collection of periodicals and books, should not be placed on the students, faculty and staff of the university. The Executive Order also makes the very important point that the passage of Proposition One would divert tax dollars from the critical educational needs of Boise State University for the purpose of creating unnecessary government bureaucracies. This issue can be very difficult to discuss as there are strong feelings on both sides, our differences are not due to diffi- culty, however, and I applaud Jeff Klaus, and Darryl Wright, for examining the Impact of Proposition One would have on academic freedom for the university, and for taking such an important, and necessary, stand.

—Troy Newbern

What does “prick the mind” mean?

Thanks for the great story regarding the College of Education’s new doctorate, as well as the neat action photo of the Dean on the phone. I was a little surprised and a bit puzzled by two references to “prick the mind” some of us in the College of Education need a bit of explanation regarding the term. Some feel this is used to describe “stimulating motivation” others feel that it referred to some type of “mind bring.” Could you perhaps bring some clarifying to our confusion?

—Robert D. Barr

Dean, College of Education

Thanks for taking a stand

I recently read in the last issue of the Arbiter (Volume 4, No 6), that ASBSU President Jeff Klaus and ASBSU Vice President Darryl Wright had issued an Executive Order stating ASBSU’s opposition to Proposition One. After reading a copy of the Executive Order, I want to express my thanks for the stand they have taken on behalf of the students of BSU.

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High school is over. It's time to get a life. Ain't thatucky. You've just moved into the dorms, and you feel lonely and ready to pack up and arrive back home after five weeks of this college stuff. Trying to stick it out just isn't working, because you still don't feel right. You've been tired lately, not very hungry, sleeping a lot less, and generally despondent about everything and everyone around you. What's up? Are you depressed?

The word depressed is used rather loosely, usually meaning feeling kind of bummed out or down. Depression, as recognized by mental health professionals, is a much more serious situation. Depression is treatable with therapy. The particular therapies vary from drug treatment, diet therapy and exercise, counseling, and different combinations of all of the methods.

The most effective therapy for each individual depends on lifestyle and personality. As with any ailment, different doctors have different methods of treatment.

How do you know if you're truly depressed and not just a bit off the mark?

The first full week in October, The American Psychiatric Association and other health care organizations are educating the public about depression by observing Mental Illness Awareness Week. If you think you should seek professional help if you have had four or more of the following symptoms continuously for more than two weeks:

- Change of appetite
- Change in sleeping patterns
- Loss of interest in previously pleasurable activities
- Chronic Fatigue
- Feelings of worthlessness
- Persistent feelings of hopelessness
- Inappropriate feelings of guilt
- Recurring thoughts of death or suicide
- Feeling of worthlessness
- Melancholia defined as overwhelming feelings of sadness
- Disturbed thinking, usually a symptom developed by severely depressed people who have thoughts not based in reality.

For example, you believe your best friend is trying to kill you in your sleep at night.

- Physical symptoms, such as headaches or stomachaches.

The mental and physical feelings listed above can be so devastating that every day looks bleak, even before the person suffering from depression gets out of bed. Depression can deteriluate a person to the point that their normal life slows down or halts completely.

If you do find that you suffer from four or more of these symptoms, please take the possibility of depression seriously and get help. Depression can accelerate, if unnoticed, to the point that life doesn't seem worth living.

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they fill out a prescription to make you better. Anti-depressants were meant to be part of the recovery process, used in conjunction with psychotherapy. Prozac was never meant to be the easy way out of the healing process, or the cure-all that it is today.

What are the alternatives to drug therapy? A study in 1986 found that under certain circumstances, some types of psychotherapy were as effective as drug therapy for depressed patients recovering from depression. Patients taking Prozac report feeling much more quickly, but patients receiving psychotherapy had as much relief of symptoms as those taking medication after 16 weeks. The study suggests recovery without medication may be possible in the future. 

How do Prozac and other antidepressants work? The brain works by firing electrical signals in the nervous system, which are transmitted by chemicals called neurotransmitters. Prozac blocks the reuptake of serotonin by the nerve cell receiving the message, and this keeps higher levels of serotonin in the pathways, called synaptic gaps. Based on the biological model of depression, higher levels of serotonin in the synaptic gaps prevents the symptoms of depression from pervading the body.

Dr. Penny Seibert, a psychology professor at Boise State and a researcher in the area of cognitive psychology, supports a model of depression called the cognitive theory, developed by researcher Aaron T. Beck. The basic premise of the cognitive theory of depression is that depressed people view the world in a negative way. Cognitive therapy focuses on restructuring the thought process, so that negative thoughts are replaced with positive ideas.

“What’s the word in your heart?—is it yes or no?” says Seibert in describing the cognitive theory. If you don’t believe in yourself, the word in your heart is no, and if you are an optimist, like Seibert says she is, the word is yes.

“The key is, terrible things happen to everyone, but not everyone deals with them the same way,” says Seibert. “One of the things, people in this area are trying to find out is what is it that makes you handle this terrible thing that happened and go on with your life and move forward, whereas someone else is devastated and never recovers.”

Beck’s cognitive theory asserts that some people get depressed without traumatic, life changing events. They suffer from constant anxiety that seems absolutely unrealistic to the healthy person. Social skill deficits, stress or biochemical imbalances can trigger depression, and once depression develops, the mind focuses on negative elements in situations.

“People who are depressed get locked in a cycle of thought disorder,” says Seibert.

Seibert believes that the issue of control is an important one in explaining depression. When people don’t feel in control, they can become depressed, and this might help to explain why more and more college-aged kids are dipping into depression.

“They don’t feel in control of their lives, and the world is going on faster than they are,” says Seibert. “Most of us aren’t as in control of our lives as we think.”

“I think in our society we depend too much on doctors to fix it, to solve it, and as long as we have that point of view, we’re going to promote this out-of-control feeling.”

To take back control, Seibert believes we need to arm ourselves with education about depression. If a person knows how to detect the first signs of the onset of depression, they can take steps to keep from sliding farther.

“Whatever the illness, whether it’s having surgery on a leg or depression, you’ve got to find out all about the procedure in fix it,” says Seibert. “The more you find out about the illness, the greater the likelihood that you can recover, and recover faster, and have it be less problematic.”

“Drug therapy can help change the physiology of the mind, but it just controls it,” says Meyers. When the drug is taken away, the brain can return to an unaltered state. Prozac was originally designed to be prescribed over six-to-nine month periods to allow the patient a window of hope. After this, it begins to lose its effectiveness.

“When Meyers kept an office next to a psychiatrist, he noticed most patients entering the physician’s door were women, aged 25-35.

“We just aren’t treating the real issues. Women are bombarded with images that aren’t positive,” he says.

Meyers attributes muscle depression to a lack of the proper building blocks we get from our diet that build the amino acids, such as Phenylalanine, that build our neurotransmitters. College kids generally don’t eat well at all, often times grabbing fast food on the way to class every day. The American Standard Diet (SAD) is sad, literally. Meyers thinks college kids use bad diets as a way to rebel against having to eat what their parents are all those years at home. If the proper nutrients aren’t available, the body can’t work well.


Modern medicine has been practiced for less than 200 years, since the Industrial Revolution. It is time to re-evaluate our treatment delivery mechanisms.

Widespread depression is a sign that our society isn’t happy or healthy. Depression prevents people help are often misdiagnosed by doctors who don’t have time to listen and would rather write up a prescription to solve the problem. This kind of impersonal treatment doesn’t leave the patient with an answer as to why the depression occurred. That’s where the strategy of herbal medicine, exercise and diet come into play. Brain chemistry is closely related to what we put into our bodies, and depression is directly related to brain chemistry.

Remember, depression is treatable.

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No more paper?

Future question whether the worldwide growth in computer technology will eventually eliminate paper books. And with no paper books, and with the Internet (an international web of computers that links 20 million users) tying information resources together, will we really need physical libraries?

Dan Lester, network information coordinator at BSU’s library, says that even with the information highway and the Internet, there will still be physical libraries in the future.

The information highway helps libraries share resources, he says, so there will be fewer paper books in the future. Instead, there will be more books on other formats, such as floppy disks and CD-ROMS.

Lester says today’s college students will not see the end of paper books in their lifetimes—”but he doesn’t know about his grandchildren.”

Even if the vision of multimedia designers is not fully realized, the book, the newspaper and the video will be hard-pressed to maintain their places in our culture, writes D.T. Max, the author of “The End of the Book.”

Giants like Doubleday and Panam put out scores of books a year. But this year, book publishers are publishing fewer books, Max says.

Although most books on CD-ROM haven’t sold all that well, some of the largest publishers of dictionaries and encyclopedias are seen to do away with print versions because of the convenience of the CD-ROM format, Max writes.

Max estimates that more people are put in a week by the 20 million people who use the loosely strung computer networks that constitute the Internet than become the equivalent of the horse after the invention of the automobile—a thing for eccentrics, hobbyists, and historians...Multimedia programmers themselves disagree sharply on whether this will come to pass in five years, 10 years, or never,” Rossetto says.

The reality of a paperless world was actually put to test for two years inside of Biosphere 2, the self-sustaining glass ark six miles south of Tucson, Arizona where eight scientists lived.

When the biospherians emerged in September 1993 they had found that an information-intensive paperless life is just possible.

Read this story or be ROAD KILL on the information highway


One of the biospherians, Linda Leigh, says, “We discovered that true paperless living requires loss of people outside who are also paperless.”

The biospherians used a great deal of e-mail and received 10,000 faxes on their computers, not on paper, Kelly writes.

The most common complaint of the Biospherians was that, “they couldn’t find stuff after they had filed it.”

After storing two years’ worth of personal, work-related, and media and news data, little bits of it seemed to disappear easily. Paper can get lost too, of course, but the visual clues provided by paper on a desk or shelf do make it easier to retrieve.”

The biospherians requested improvements over hand-generated input (typing) and superior tools for retrieving, coordinating and managing stored information.

In the future, people may not have to type at all. In the future, there will be computers that can do almost everything a secretary can do, including answering the telephone, taking messages, reminding people of their appointments and retrieving files, says Linda Wolcott, a professor of instructional technology at Utah State University. People will be able to talk to these computers.

I once had an affair through e-mail.

Since it became available to stu...
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Student Programs Board puts ideas into action

If Boise State's Student Programs Board were characters on The Wizard of Oz, they would sit behind a velvet curtain next to a sophisticated control panel.

With over 40 members and a budget of about $100,000, the SPB is a powerful campus organization. The members select campus events ranging from concerts to lectures, bringing a rich variety of performers and speakers to the campus.

"It's a good way to get involved and have input on what comes here," said SPB Director Mike Reed.

Reed joined SPB a year ago as a member of the family activities committee. Family activities is one of seven committees designed to select events each semester. Committees meet once or twice each week, discussing upcoming events and performers. The 12-member executive committee makes final decisions about scheduling.

Executive committee members are paid monthly salaries in service award positions, similar to ASBSU senators. Committee members are volunteers.

In addition to selecting events, SPB members have to coordinate travel and accommodations for visiting performers. SPB members also arrange transportation to and from the airport, even if it requires driving the visiting guest in their own vehicle.

Schedules are filled early. The performing arts series is booked through this both semesters, and the films series is booked through fall semester.

This year's group added a lecture series featuring Boise State professors in addition to other local speakers. The Brown Bag Lecture Series runs Sept. 9 through Dec. 15. Lectures range from a discussion on diversity and cross-dressing by Mr. Gay Idaho to improving memory skills.

Fall films include A Clockwork Orange, Philadelphia and Pink Floyd: The Wall.

SPB's Performing Arts Series runs through March and features a one-man show, dancers and a musical trio performing Spanish-composed pieces. The series begins Oct. 27 with Oh Mr. Faulkner, Do You Write? a one-man show about the life of William Faulkner.

Students can still join SPB as volunteer committee members. Committee meeting schedules are available in the SPB office located in the Student Union Building.

Namo Lwango performs in January at the Special Events Center as part of the SPB Performing Arts Series.
Remember when the phrase musical nostalgia evoked images of bobby socks, mop haircuts and Woodstock? If you're twenty-something you might be surprised to find the music you grew up with is now considered "classic," at least that's what the K-tels and Roncos of the world would have you believe.

A couple years ago, while flipping channels, a bouncy blonde haired girl revealed the truth to me.

"I can't believe there's an album with all the classic songs of the '80s," she said. "I can't believe anything by Culture Club, Duran Duran or Haircut 100 could be considered classic."

I thought to myself, wondering how anything I grew up with could be classic before mid-life crisis.

Yes, friends, you too can have Forever '80s or Classic '80s or '80s Dance Party or whatever. But wait—you also get the amazing spiral slicer and thigh master for a paltry $29.99 (shipping not included).

But wait, there's more. You can skip all the mail order misery and still get all those great songs of the '80s, plus interviews with local and non-local bands and some live tunes and all for $0 (shipping included, but sorry no spiral slicer or thigh master).

It's a new radio show called Vinyl Revival on AM730, KBSU-AM, from 8 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday nights, and again on Sunday from 6 to 7 p.m. Co-hosted by James Thompson and Chris Jackey the show plays all its music on vinyl (remember records!) and uses the influences of musical guests to determine the selection.

Thompson says the mission the show is "to counteract the new disco culture and try to push back toward the present. Actually the show is for fun."

Rebecca Scott, Stella, Grant Olsen and West Virginian band Crazy Jane are featured in upcoming shows. Also in the planning is an interview with Bonnie Tyler ("Total Eclipse of the Heart"). But if that doesn't work out, fear not, Jackey has agreed to eat his shoe on the air. Either way stay tuned, high school flashbacks can be fun.

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Museum After Hours returns

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Staff Writer

Museum After Hours returns to the Boise Art Museum this Fall with music, art, refreshments and fun on Wednesdays Sept. 28, Oct. 5, 12 and 19 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Chicken Gordon Blues is back by popular demand to kick off the series Sept. 28 with their zesty Chicago-style jazz.

Mixing rhythm and blues with the latest sounds is the specialty of The Rhythm Mob. This new Boise band makes their first appearance at Museum After Hours on Oct. 5.

Join The Eutoulee Band and their swamp rock on Oct. 12. This New Orleans-style band combines the soul of Cajun music, the shuffle of rhythm and blues and the kick of Southern-style rock.

Fresh from a successful summer tour of jazz festivals, Kevin Kirk and Onomatopoeia bring the fall series of Museum After Hours to an end on Oct. 17 with their imaginative and energetic fusion of classical and jazz.

Each week $10 cash will be given away during Museum After Hours. Enter to win at the Museum by dropping a business card in the special entry box.

Featured exhibitions at the Museum include Dream Realties New Work by Alden Mason; Jana Sweeney; Collection: Five Years of New Acquisitions; and Permanent Collection Selections.

Admission to Museum After Hours is $3 general and free for museum members. New members may join at the door to receive free admission to Museum After Hours and all exhibitions. Appetizers by Noodles, as well as beer, wine and soft drinks, will be available for purchase. Museum After Hours is sponsored by First Security Bank Call 345-830 for more information.
Wednesday 28th

- Glenn Fullar exhibit at the Student Union Gallery at BSU through Sept. 30.
- Women's Center Annual Open House at BSU. 385-4219. Noon to 5 p.m. No charge. Everyone is invited.
- Moscow Circus on BSU's Union Stage through Oct. 2. 385-1766. Tickets through Select-Seat.
- Paintings from Alden Mason, the Permanent Collection, and the Jones Collection on display at the Boise Art Museum through Oct. 2. 670 S. Julia Davis Dr. 345-8330. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, noon to 5 p.m. weekends. $3 general, $2 seniors and college students, $1 grades 1-12, under six free.
- Chicken Carbon Blues at Museum After Hours, Boise Art Museum. 670 S. Julia Davis Dr. 345-8330. 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. $3 cover.

Thursday 29th

- Cabaret show at the Stage Coach Theater through Oct. 1. 342-2000. 2000 Kostenu. 8:15 p.m. $4 adults. $3 students and seniors.
- O.J. Timothy Tim at Neurolux. 111 N. 11th St. 343-0886. 9 p.m. $3 cover. Ages 21 and over.
- Hootchie Coochie Man at the Blues Bouquet. 1010 Main St. 345-6605. 9:20 p.m. $5 cover. Ages 21 and over.
- Cought In The Act at Dina’s through Oct. 1. Price Drawing Night. 4802 Emerald St. 345-2295. 9 p.m. $1 cover. Ages 21 and over.
- The Rocci Johnson Band at Hannocks. Wednesdays through Saturdays. 621 Main St. 345-7557. 9:30 p.m. Tonight is Ladies’ Night. $2 for men. Ages 21 and over.
- Over 40’s Dance with live music at the Mardi Gras. 615 S. 9th. 342-5553. 8 p.m. to midnight. $3.50 cover. Ages 21 and over.
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HOMECOMING ’94

B R O N C O C A R E

Monday 3rd

- BSU Homecoming Pep Rally. University Good at BSU. 385-1223. 12:20 p.m.
- BSU Homecoming Wet ’n Wild Volleyball, Outdoor Courts at BSU. 385-1273. 3:30 p.m.
- Bingo with Bingo Bob at Neurolux. 111 N. 11th St. 343-0886. 10 p.m. to midnight. No cover. Ages 21 and over.

Tuesday 4th

- BSU Homecoming Mountain Bike Pals at the Intramural Field at BSU. 385-1223. 3:30 p.m.
- Guys and Dolls presented by UA Productions at Meanwell Hall at BSU. 8 p.m. 529-539 through Select-Seat.
Hell has frozen over. Bandmembers of the Eagles have managed to set personal differences aside regrouping just in time to get rich off of their first tour in 14 years. The devil will soon be ice-skating since the Eagles are making a stop in Boise.

Balcony seats at $52 a pop are all that's left after tickets for the Nov. 9 show went on sale Monday, Sept. 9. In a town used to spending maybe $20 for a concert, you'd think that Boiseans would balk at $77 ticket prices. Wrong. Think again.

After the circus of trying to purchase Garth Brooks tickets two years, I was well aware that the task of obtaining popular concert tickets would be not be easy. I asked around to people I knew who had made successful concert ticket purchases before. Like a good journalist, I researched carefully and thoroughly to set up a good strategy in obtaining my tickets. Here are some tips I picked up.

Target the least populated Select-A-Seat. According to a local radio station, there were close to 300 people waiting in line at the Pavilion to purchase Eagles tickets. The tip-off to go somewhere else should have been all the hype from local radio stations that said that they would cover the event from the Pavilion Select-A-Seat. Of course that would be the most highly populated place to buy tickets!

Next time I would suggest Waremart. Did you know that they have a Select-A-Seat? At 5:30 a.m., there were only four people in line at that particular place. At 7 a.m., there were only 15 people in line. I wonder how locations in Melba and Middleton did?

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But wait, would these places even have Select-A-Seat? Did you even have grocery stores?

I made the mistake of choosing the Albertson's at Ustick and Five Mile. This particular Albertson's is located near my parent's home in a nice, residential-type area. I thought that with all the family-types around, the number of people awaiting chances to purchase Eagles tickets would be low.

Wrong again. The same nice lady who I see pushing her grocery cart around the store with her five kids was in front of me avoiding my dirty looks. How could someone like her possibly enjoy a concert at her age? Life is so unfair sometimes.

I also would suggest limiting the number of people that you are buying tickets for. Wanting to sit by a group of friends actually hinders your chances of acquiring prime seats. When you're competing with the rest of Boise for tickets, the odds that eight front row seats together in a row being available are slim to none.

If you're forced to buy for a lot of people, be prepared to split the group up. The chances for better seats for everyone will improve tremendously.

Be nice to the person typing into the computer. Every second counts. If that person so chose, out of spite or whatever, they could definitely twist the fate of your concert ticket purchase. Also, pray that your typist doesn't suddenly break a finger.

Finally, the rules of life also apply. It's not what you know, it's who you know. For once in my life the gods were on my side. At the front of the line was a friend of the friend I was in line with. After a little brown-nosing and monetary exchanges, he agreed to purchase our tickets with his.

Jubilant pre-med student Tommy Weaver managed to get four Eagles tickets at the SUB Select-a-Seat ticket office.

Jubilant pre-med student Tommy Weaver managed to get four Eagles tickets at the SUB Select-a-Seat ticket office.
OVERVIEW

In the 1990-93 academic year Boise State University began working with the Western Interstate Commission on Higher Education (WICHE) to find ways to participate in the cultural and ethnic transformation of America by assessing ethnic diversity on campus and establishing institutional strategies to create opportunities for all students, faculty, and staff in appreciating and understanding ethnic diversity. The initiative was widely supported by a statewide effort encouraged by the Idaho State Board of Education and involving all public institutions of higher education in Idaho.

The plan begins with the Cultural and Ethnic Diversity Vision Statement, from which specific goals and objectives are developed. The Cultural and Ethnic Diversity Vision Statement was prepared by a Core Planning Team and Expanded Campus Team and reviewed and approved by the Faculty Senate, the Professional Staff Senate, the Association of Classified Employees Senate, and the Senate of the Associated Students of Boise State University. After the vision statement was agreed upon, the teams developed a specific implementation plan. This plan identifies three contexts in which Boise State will focus its efforts on increasing diversity on campus and increase understanding of ethnic diversity in our culture: Academic, Campus Climate, and Student. The goals and objectives within each context will be part of university-wide efforts over the next three years. None of the three contexts are interconnected. For example, the campus climate will be improved by increased recruitment of ethnic minority faculty and staff ("Academic," Goal II) and students ("Student," Goal I). "Faculty research, scholarship, and creative activities in the areas of pluralism, ethnicity, and individual cultures" ("Academic," Goal III) will increase learning opportunities for students in and out of the classroom ("Student," Goal I, and "Academic," Goals III and IV). These goals will contribute to the first goal, "increase appreciation of cultural and ethnic diversity."

BSU's commitment to cultural diversity stems from the university's commitment to the values of justice, equal opportunity, acquisition and dissemination of knowledge, and preparation of students to live and work in their community, nation, and world. This commitment is part of the BSU Strategic Plan, which outlines demographic changes demonstrating that ethnic minorities will become an increasing part of the culture of our nation, its work force, and the student population of the 21st century. As the draft of this plan was completed, "Toward the Challenge, A Document for Discussion," published in March 1994, states, "The year 2000, more than one-half of all new workers will be minorities. Historical trends are showing that, in Idaho, the Hispanic population is expected to increase at a greater rate than the non-Hispanic population. Nationally, the Asian American population will increase from 3.5 million in 1980 to 10 million by the year 2000, as 40% of the U.S. immigrant base each year are from Asia. Immigrants account for 30-50% of the actual growth of the U.S. work force."

A Census Bureau study projects a major change in the "ethnic face" of the nation in the next 60 years:

White about three quarters of the nation's population is now white, non-Hispanic, the percentage will drop to about half by 2050, the study indicated. The Hispanic population will grow from about 9.7 percent in 1995 to about 11.3 percent by the year 2000 to a dramatic 22.5 percent by 2050. The black, non-Hispanic population is predicted to grow from about 12 percent in 1993 to over 19 percent by 2050. By the year 2015, more blacks than non-Hispanic whites will be added to the population each year. (CUPA News, Vol. 20, No. 23, December 6, 1993)

Demographic changes nationally and the increasingly global nature of business and education require Boise State University to take the initiative on ethnic diversity. From the WICHE meeting of the past two years, Boise State has developed the plan that follows. It will be the action plan for the future and will have implications for the composition of the student body, faculty, and staff, the allocation of resources, and many co-curricular activities. The University has just completed the Core Team's recommended plan, including budget needs and timelines, for the information of the entire campus community and the general public. This plan has also been transmitted to the Executive Budget Committee for consideration within the broader context of University priorities. The Executive Budget Committee has already included the top priorities in the budget request being reviewed by the State Board of Education in Fall 1994.

For the first year, the top priority is identified as a Coordinator of Ethnic and Cultural Affairs who will report to the Provost. This position has been included in the University's budget request for 1995-96. In addition, a full-time Multi-Ethnic Program Specialist and a part-time Multi-Ethnic Program Support Staff position has been included in the University's proposal in the 1994-95 academic year. As the Executive Budget Committee has already included the top priorities in the budget request being reviewed by the State Board of Education in Fall 1994.

In addition, the Core Curriculum Committee in Spring 1994 submitted to the Faculty Senate a wide-ranging proposal for the revision of the University's core curriculum. This proposal includes a significant emphasis on diversity. The Faculty Senate will be scheduling opportunities for the campus community to discuss this proposal in the 1994-95 academic year.

Other goals in the BSU Cultural and Ethnic Diversity Plan will be addressed by the Executive Budget Committee and other appropriate university divisional entities in the future. Although ambitious, the plan presents goals that can be achieved as resources become available. It emphasizes the commitment of Boise State University to prepare its students to meet, work, and live with a diverse, multicultural population that will be the United States and the world in the 21st century.

Cultural and Ethnic Diversity Vision Statement

Boise State University cherishes and celebrates diversity as a core value shared by faculty, staff, students, and the community. Toward this end, Boise State University seeks to educate a citizenry that can function in an ethically and culturally diverse global society which is characterized by multiple perspectives and an increased interdependence.

Boise State University has established the following goals:

1. Increase appreciation of cultural and ethnic diversity;
2. Encourage a campus environment that is comfortable and conducive to learning and growth among diverse populations;
3. Increase recruitment and retention of ethnic minority students;
4. Attain graduation rates for ethnic minorities which meet or exceed those of the general student population;
5. Increase recruitment and retention of ethnic minority faculty and staff;
6. Establish a core requirement for cultural and ethnic diversity;
7. Encourage the integration of multicultural perspectives into and across the curriculum;
8. Encourage research, scholarship, and creative activity in the area of diversity.

BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY CULTURAL AND ETHNIC DIVERSITY PLAN

Academic

Goal I

Increase appreciation of cultural and ethnic diversity.

Objective 1: Establish activities specific to a variety of cultures that enrich curricular offerings.

Strategy:

- Appoint student and faculty coordinators for multicultural activities with responsibility for representing the interests of diverse campus groups and supporting the curriculum through coordination with Deans and Department Heads. (See Academic: Goal IV.)

Responsibility: Provost
Timeline: Fall 1994

Goal II

Increase recruitment and retention of ethnic minority faculty and staff.

Objective 1: Increase the number of minority employees.

Strategy:

- Increase the number of minority employees.

Objective 2: Expand library collection to represent cultural and ethnic diversity.

Objective 3: Hire a full-time director of minority cultural events including responsibilities for:

- Faculty development
- Faculty outreach to public schools (See Student Section: Goal 1, Objective 2.)
- Improve campus and community understanding of cultural diversity. (See Campus Climate: Goal 1, Objective 1.)

Objective 4: To integrate cultural activities and curriculum. (See Student Section: Goal 1, Objective 1.)
Goal IV

Encourage a campus environment that is comfortable and conducive to learning for diverse populations.

Objective 1: Establish an office of cultural diversity, and develop policies for cross-cultural programs and activities.

Strategy:
- Develop a cross-cultural development office that will coordinate cross-cultural programs and activities.
- Provide support resources to ethnic minorities.

Responsibility: Provost
Timeline: Fall 1994
Cost: $25,000/year

Objective 2: Increase retention and graduation rates for ethnic minority students.

Strategy:
- Identify those students needing academic support services through such measures as test scores, GPA, etc.
- Increase minority assistance staff to provide support for larger group.

Responsibility: Director of Student Services
Timeline: Fall 1994
Cost: $50,000/year

Goal V

Encourage faculty research, scholarship, and creative activity on issues of pluralism, ethnicity, and individual cultures.

Objective 1: Encourage faculty research on multicultural perspectives in the curriculum.

Strategy:
- Develop relevant faculty development programs including seminars and workshops to assist faculty in becoming more sensitive to ethnic diversity and to ways in which it may be included in their classes. Expect Deans and Department Heads to assume administrative responsibility for culturally diverse programs.

Responsibility: College Deans and Department Heads
Timeline: Fall 1995

Objective 2: Increase appreciation of cultural and ethnic diversity.

Strategy:
- Cross-cultural groups make presentations at the university community's faculty and graduate student orientations.
- Expand multicultural/ethnic holdings in the BSU Library.

Responsibility: Deans, Director of the BSU Bookstore
Timeline: 1994-95

Objective 3: Increase financial aid opportunities for ethnic minority students.

Strategy:
- Increase grant/scholarship funds for financial aid opportunities.

Responsibility: President, BSU
Timeline: Fall 1995
Cost: Non-resident tuition equivalent to 1% of FTE enrollment.

Goal VI

Increase recruitment and retention of ethnic minority students.

Objective 1: Increase academic counseling staff available for minority student recruitment.

Strategy:
- Increase minority assistance staff to provide support resources for larger group.

Responsibility: Director of University-Wide Minority Affairs
Timeline: Spring 1995
Cost: Minority Assistance Staff (salary and benefits, $5,000/year)

Objective 2: Establish baseline data regarding ethnic minority students.

Strategy:
- Develop basic data regarding ethnic minority students.

Responsibility: Provost, Student Services
Timeline: Fall 1994
Cost: $25,000/year

Goal VII

Increase creative activity on issues of multicultural perspectives in the curriculum.

Objective 1: Promote multicultural perspectives in the curriculum.

Strategy:
- Cross-cultural groups make presentations at the university community's faculty and graduate student orientations.
- Expand multicultural/ethnic holdings in the BSU Library.

Responsibility: Deans, Director of the BSU Bookstore
Timeline: 1994-95

Objective 2: Increase research grants in areas of multicultural perspectives.

Strategy:
- Increase grant/scholarship funds for financial aid opportunities.

Responsibility: President, BSU
Timeline: Fall 1995
Cost: Non-resident tuition equivalent to 1% of FTE enrollment.

Objective 3: Increase financial aid opportunities for ethnic minority students.

Strategy:
- Increase grant/scholarship funds for financial aid opportunities.

Responsibility: President, BSU
Timeline: Fall 1995
Cost: Non-resident tuition equivalent to 1% of FTE enrollment.

Objective 4: Increase research grants in areas of multicultural perspectives.

Strategy:
- Increase grant/scholarship funds for financial aid opportunities.

Responsibility: President, BSU
Timeline: Fall 1995
Cost: Non-resident tuition equivalent to 1% of FTE enrollment.

Goal VIII

Increase retention and graduation rates for ethnic minority students.

Objective 1: Provide appropriate academic support resources to ethnic minority students.

Strategy:
- Identify those students needing academic support services through such measures as test scores, GPA, etc.
- Increase minority assistance staff to provide support for larger group.

Responsibility: Director of University-Wide Minority Affairs
Timeline: Spring 1995
Cost: Minority Assistance Staff (salary and benefits, $5,000/year)

Objective 2: Establish baseline data regarding ethnic minority students.

Strategy:
- Develop baseline data regarding ethnic minority students.

Responsibility: Provost, Student Services
Timeline: Fall 1994
Cost: $25,000/year
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Idaho may be the potato state to some, but the adrenalin junkies in the neighborhood know that Idaho's also the Whitewater state. One of the wonderful things about the Northern Rockies is that we are close to some of the best free-flowing rivers in the country.

The thought of strapping into a torpedo and crashing into walls of water may not sound too thrilling to some. Tumbling down a class five rapid (on a scale of 1-6) trying to figure out which way is up might not be for everybody. But, according to some students, nothing compares to the rush of running a river.

"Many people don't realize that when they get in a boat, they might not get out," said one enthusiast. There is an element of danger which is ever-present.

Working as a river guide offers people direct access to their kayak playgrounds. Both river scum that I talked to referred to themselves as that, then went on to talk about the river, the ride and the risk.

"These days I'm a kayaker unless someone pays me," graduate student Jo Deurbrouck chimed when asked about her time on rivers. When she's not in her boat, she guides professionally out of Clarkston; on the Clearwater and Lochsa rivers.

"Kayaking is a passion for me, it defines where I live," she said, explaining she chose to go to school here because of the whitewater access.

"It's definitely the adrenaline, with the purpose of playing, and endangering your life," he said. "He added the perfect dream would be 'ender holes) and "play waves" right out the door."

Neil Bryant is another river guide who opts for a kayak when he's off the clock. He put it a little more simply. "It's definitely the adrenaline, with the purpose of playing, and endangering your life," he said. He added the perfect dream would be "ender holes) and "play waves" right out the door.

Bryant ran the Middle Fork of the Salmon River all summer for an outfitter in Stanley.

Both Jo and Neil spend a good portion of their time on multi-day trips on rivers. They pack everything for the guests and play the role of entertainer as well as guide.

When Neil talked of guests, he got a smile on his face. When I asked about it, he told a joke.

"How do you know when a guide is lying? It's easy, his lips are moving." Strangely enough, Jo knew the same joke. Her thoughts on the guests brought about another smile as she said, "boaters love to talk about carnage."

The life of a guide brings tall tales of unfortunate river adventures.

While these are stories of the serious addicts, I spoke with someone catering to those a little less possessed.

Jo Casin, part owner of Idaho River Sports, said we have beginner to world class rapids all within an hour's drive from Boise. She claimed that the access here is incredible. Beyond proximity, she explained the laws here allow the kayaker to get on many parts of several rivers.

"People come from all over the country and are amazed at how close we are to so much," she said. "They don't have to have the registration [requirements] they do elsewhere, and our rivers are not nearly as crowded."

She said that even in a year like this, there is a six month season for paddlers. Even then, she said, the Boise River offers at least one play wave and is great practice for beginners to intermediates.

So between the adrenalin guarantee and the proximity, maybe it's time to take up a paddle.

BSU's Outdoor Adventure Program offers classes for both students and the community. Although those offered this term are concluding, there will be six to eight courses offered in the spring for beginning kayakers. Boats are provided.

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Hoppin' foundations in the Boise foothills

Many of the incredible trails along the Boise front are suffering the consequences of uncontrolled growth.

RUSS WOOLSEY
Staff Writer
Trails in the Boise foothills have added a new obstacle for the mountain enthusiast. And it is not the standard eroded ditch, or 30 degree slope.
The newest and biggest obstacles are coming in the form of cement foundations and obstructed trails.
Any outdoor enthusiast taking advantage of the Boise front is well aware of the encroaching city. Neighborhood coalitions have garnered strong support for the protection of both the Hulls Gulch natural preserve and the Castle Rock proposed development.
Money from large fund raising pursuits, such as the North End Hyde Park Street Fair, have been some of the tools used to buy land before it falls under the developers shovel. Currently several developments are about to get the final approval to stuff building. Included is the extension of Foothills East and Hackberry Highlands subdivisions. Both plans will have direct affect upon existing trails.
Just below Table Rock the old Boise Penitentary sits snug against the old rock quarry where prisoners once labored. A trail wanders up the hillside where it is abruptly ended by a new building site. A stroll around the single foundation leads the trail enthusiasts to the trail again where it resumes toward Table Rock.
The once continuous trail is now severed for ever from one foundation.
The property is private, yet when the extension of the Foothills East subdivision was approved for building an agreement was made to protect the trail access into the hills.
Bob Brown of the Boise City Planning and Zoning office said the trail may have been cut off but the developer must allow the city to come in and rebuild the trail. When asked if the city has ever rebuilt a trail he replied that he wasn't aware of any.
So the obstacles will remain.

Currently, there is a comprehensive plan in the works to develop and sustain trail networks in the foothills to Boise called the Ridge to River Pathway Plan. Once implemented the plan will work within existing bureaucracies with a near $2 million budget annually. The money will come from a number of sources including a bicycle license fee.
Until the implementation of the plan existing trails are threatened. Though neighborhood associations and other citizen activist groups have garnered much support for trail preservation.
For more information on Boise's trails contact the Bureau of Land Management at 384-2800 or stop by your local bicycle shop.

THE ARBITER IS CURRENTLY TAKING APPLICATIONS FOR OUTDOOR WRITERS FOR ITS NEW SECTION, PEAK SPIRIT.
IF YOU ARE A BACKCOUNTRY ADVOCATE AND HAVE THE PEAK SPIRIT STOP BY THE ARBITER OFFICE IN THE BASEMENT OF THE SUB ANNEX AT 1603 UNIVERSITY DRIVE.
Doug Scott is tougher than crampon spikes. He started climbing on the rock crags of Britain at age 12, and he’s had an uphill life ever since.

For example, when he smashed both legs in a fall on The Ogre in Pakistan in 1976, he survived by crawling on his hands and knees for several days and nights over ice, snow and rock.

Now, at age 53, he has outlived many of his climbing companions who have since perished in the mountains.

In the climbing community, Scott is the legendary “Hard Man” of Britain, known for his true grit and sharp wit. He has made 28 expeditions to the highest mountains of Asia and has racked up more than 30 noteworthy ascents, half of which were new routes. Imbued with strict ethics, Scott has been critical of modern sport climbing techniques that rely on drilling holes in blank faces and placing bolts for protection. He has called this practice “Murdering the impossible.”

Scott will show a collection of choice slides he has gathered from the highest, most angular places on earth at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 2 in the Jordan Ballroom of the SUB. He’ll be signing and selling his latest book, Himalayan Gimbler: A Lifetime’s Quest to the World’s Greatest Ranges. Only 300 seats are available—first come, first served. A $5 admission fee will be collected at the door, with proceeds benefitting the BSU Rock Climbing Club.

Bogus Basin Job Fair correction
The Bogus Basin Job Fair we reported on last week is actually going to be held Saturday, Oct. 1 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There will be free hot dogs, soft drinks and chairlift rides, as well as information and applications for ski area positions ranging from lift operators to instructors to child care providers to sales clerks.

Climbing Gym sets fall hours
BSU Outdoor Adventure Climbing Gym is open Tuesday-Friday from 6:30 p.m. until 10 p.m. Weekends the gym hours are 3-6:30 p.m. Students can use the facility for $3. For further information contact the Outdoor Program at 385-1592.

Outdoor Adventure Program classes
The Outdoor Program is offering several classes this fall including women’s only beginning rock climbing class which starts Oct. 9. Fee is $85; Outdoor Photography classes are set to begin on Sept. 25. Fee is $65; Scuba Diving Classes are set to begin on Sept. 27 at the swim center. Again the fee will be $85 and does not include certification fees and equipment fees. For further information on these classes and others contact the Outdoor Adventure Program at 385-1592.

Ski swap dates set for November
The Bogus Basin Ski Racing Alliance will be having its annual fund raising ski swap at the fairgrounds on Nov. 3-4. The check in times for equipment will be on Nov. 3 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Boise State gets the nod for move to Big West

Boise State has cleared one hurdle on its way to moving west—the Big West Conference, that is.

Last Thursday the State Board of Education voted to allow both Idaho and Boise State to leave the Big Sky Conference and move to the Division I-A Big West, a move that—if accepted by a council of Big West members—could go into effect as early as 1996.

The State Board's decision was not only good news for Boise State athletics, but was a relief as well. The Big West issue weighing on the minds of those involved with the process.

"It's a very big week. This was something the community and the university have been dealing with for several years," Boise State athletic director Greg Beymaier said. "It's nice to have it settled and to have the opportunity."

While neither Boise State nor Idaho's positions are guaranteed in the Big West—which is currently renovating itself through expansion—those two schools and two others (Cal Poly San Luis Obispo and North Texas) have been recommended to join the conference by an expansion committee.

Still, Boise State's position is somewhat stronger than Idaho's for a couple reasons. First, it has a larger fan base than UI of I. Second, Bronco Stadium would meet the NCAA's 30,000 seat minimum after a proposed remodeling job which would add several thousand more seats. Third, the Bronco's average attendance is higher than the Vandals for football games.

Currently the Vandals don't meet the NCAA's minimum attendance figures.

As a result, for Idaho to get into the conference the school would have to receive a waiver from the NCAA. But for now there is a sense of hope, at least in the BSU camp, and a sense of victory. "Being I-A opens a tremendous door for us," Beymaier said. "That's significant. We'll be able to play anybody in the country. It won't happen overnight, but it'll happen down the road."

What is often overlooked in this scenario is that most of the Boise State and Idaho programs are already Division I-A. The Big Sky is I-A in basketball (men's and women's), volleyball, tennis, track and cross country.

The Boise State gymnastics team doesn't belong to a conference (there is no Big Sky Conference for the sport), but competes as an independent on the I-A level. And the Boise State wrestling team is a member of the Pacific 10, which won't change even if Boise State is inducted into the Big West, since all those teams compete in the Pac-10.

However, there is an overall difference in the caliber of play, Beymaier said.

Boise State starts Big Sky season a perfect 4-0

SCOTT SAMPLES
Sports Editor

For Boise State head coach Pokey Allen, last Saturday's 35-7 win over Liberty left him with a sense of being undefeated a third of the way through a football season.

It was the first time Allen has been 4-0 in his coaching career and it is the first time the Broncos have been 4-0 since 1991.

But perhaps more importantly, it was a big win that could help Boise State prepare for its upcoming Big Sky Conference season that begins Saturday against Northern Arizona in Flagstaff.

"I know NAU is a good football team and we're going to have to play hard to win," Allen said. "But we're 4-0, I've never been 4-0 in my life."

Last Saturday's win appeared to be a cakewalk for BSU.

The Broncos scored a field goal and pair of touchdowns in the first quarter—including a 73 yard bomb from quarterback Tony Hilde to receiver Ryan Bebe—then added another TD and a field goal in the second.

That effectively put the game out of reach for Liberty, whose record dropped to 1-3.

"We were looking to come out hard and strong again and not let down on defense," Bebe said.

The Broncos did just that against the Flames, but might need to step it up even more on Saturday.

BSU running back K.C. Adams, 13, eludes a diving Liberty player while looking for yardage in last Saturday's 35-7 win over the Flames. Adams racked up 129 yards on 19 carries. (Continued on 23)

Northern Arizona is 3-1 overall, 20 in the Big Sky and beat Montana State 47-30 last Saturday.

Last week NAU was ranked 23rd in Division I-AA, while MSU was ranked 21st. Boise State received over 90 votes in last week's poll, but missed cracking into the top 25.

"(The win) feels great, but we gotta crank it up now for Big Sky," Bebe said. "There's no teams we can take lightly in the Big Sky."

This week's game will provide another test for the Broncos as well—the first road game of the season.

Allen said playing away from home shouldn't be a problem, but he realizes the season—tally gets harder from this point.

"The Broncos still have to play No. 3 Montana and No. 7 Idaho, as well as Montana State in Bozeman. "We've got a tough month of October," he said.

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Football isn’t just a game for men

VOLLEYBALL BASKETBALL

Jill Fleming

Junior Writer

When you love something, you don’t set it free, you share it. In the past few years, my appreciation has grown for those wanting to share their love of football with me.

In the past two years, we’ve been participating in a flag football team through intramural program. My involvement has led me to believe the women on this campus have what it takes to have a league of their own.

The evolution of football in my life started when I was a young girl growing up in a house full of men. Initially, I detested football. Every Monday night the television time belonged to my dad and his buddies. Playing catch with my brothers in the backyard was fun. "Powderpuff." Just the name implies how serious this game was taken. What could have been a great game of football was reduced to just a big, fat gender-bending joke as the guys in our school sat on the sidelines dressed in cheerleader attire (skirts, make-up and hair spray included) yelling falsetto-like for more cat fights. Even at that point in my life I didn’t have a lot of interest in football and with my experiences, who could blame me?

I went out for flag football mainly because I work at the intramural/recreation office on campus and it’s sort of my job. The barriers are being broken and football as a man sport will exist no longer.

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had better not lose in three, so we came out and focused on winning the next game." Dahl, who finished with an impressive 22 kills and 34 digs, pushed the tempo up a notch as the Broncos came back to dominate the next three games and left Eagles coach Pam Parks to shake her head in disbelief.

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Applaud Klaus and Wright

In response to the article “Proposed resolution says Proposition 1 is not ASBSU business” written by Hollee Blankenship in the Sept. 22 issue of The Arbiter, I would like to express my concerns about senators Dan Gus, Lindsey Truxel and Jak Krieger’s blatant disregard for the students of BSU.

As elected student representatives, a senator’s job is to carefully analyze issues affecting the student body, and use ASBSU resources to protect our rights of freedom. In reading Resolution #3, I fail to see this being accomplished. Instead, Gus, Truxel, Krieger have chosen to direct their time and energy in opposition to an Executive Order, signed by ASBSU president Jeff Klaus and Vice-president Darryl Wright, that seeks to protect the students of BSU from legislation intended to discriminate and deny people basic constitutional rights.

These three senators have made several statements in opposition of Executive Order #4. I would first like to address the allegation that, by publicly opposing Proposition 1, Jeff and Darryl have alienated and excluded students who do not share their opinion, and denied the right of individuals to think freely and independently. Are we then to assume that students lack the ability to formulate their own opinion? That we perhaps elect officials to think for us?

This not only insults the intelligence but integrity of every student, as well. nowhere, in Executive Order #4, does it state how an individual should think or vote on the issue. It simply states that every public official in the state has declared, that Proposition 1 will discriminate against the people of Idaho.

The bottom line is, how will the passage of Proposition 1 affect BSU? As Jeff and Darryl have stated in the Executive Order, it will jeopardize opportunities for university research in social sciences, health sciences, and humanities. It will divert tax dollars away from educational needs and create unnecessary governmental bureaucracy. Furthermore, students and faculty could be restricted access from certain books, magazines an supplemental materials. In addition to the above, the passing of Proposition 1 will directly conflict with the ASBSU Code of Ethics policy which states no individual or group is to be discriminated against, regardless of sexual orientation.

I understand the three senators feel it is inappropriate for ASBSU to impose its beliefs on the students. However, the purpose of Executive Order #4 is to oppose legislation that will interfere with academic freedom on the campus of Boise State University, and discriminate against a segment of Boise State University’s community. It seems what our three illustrious senators fail to realize is that Executive Order #4 merely outlines the result of the passage of Proposition 1 on BSU, and not the penal beliefs of ASBSU.

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—Christopher Deen
BSU Student

“Arbiter scars” won’t easily heal

I would like to comment on the August 31st cover, if I may... Hoocy. So the poor girl sat down to rest her weary legs after sprinting a morning marathon to reach the bus on time. And this is how she landed. Don’t we have more important complaints to burden “The Arbiter” with? Take for example that fact that every time I read an Arbiter, I mysteriously develop what I call “Arbiter scars.” These seemingly harmless snipings of print seem to add an unwanted gloss to my fingertips.

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I am usually in a hurry, so “Arbiter scars” don’t stay on my mind for long. Anyhow, the “scars” soon spread to everything I touch; walls, drinking fountains, my math homework, other people, my girlfriend, my face. I suppose I should be thankful; being a King Midas in reverse. I estimate that I have consumed, inadvertently of course, almost one-half gallon of this “evil juice.” No side effects are known to me, although my tongue tingles a little whenever I’m near the stuff. So, while everyone flock to grab the latest Arbiter every Wednesday (in hopes of a new thrill, maybe?), I proceed at a slower pace, taking time to put on my breather and new rubber gloves.

—byron (Superfly) Fowell

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Compiled by Holland Blankenship from Ada County Sheriff’s Office General Report Summary BSU Patrol Unit
Art, character sacrificed for pristine campus

JOE RELK
Staff Writer

Initially when I heard the distant call of a violin I dismissed it as an after-bad-test-anxiety delusion. But sure enough, as the warm sounds grew stronger I realized this was more than wishful thinking, this was a violinist playing very skillfully at the foot of the Library.

I decided I would take a few minutes to enjoy the music, as I rarely have the time or money to do ordinarily. I got a wonderful flashback of Europe, street musicians coloring the city streets with bright beams of music. Not often does one see or hear this kind of spontaneous artistic outburst on campus, and now I know why.

I hadn’t even approached the small semi-circle of like minded students studying in the grass in front of the violinist when Officer Parkhouse walked onto the screen. After a few minutes of conversation with the violinist, Mike Corman, the violin case was closed and so was the concert. Students packed up and moved on.

Though Officer Parkhouse handled the situation tactfully and was after all only doing his job, I couldn’t help but be disappointed. Not with Parkhouse, but with a cumbersome Boise State policy that requires all performers to go through a lengthy process before a note can be played.

It was difficult to find anyone who know what the policy was. “When we act it is at the request and as a representative of Boise State University,” said Sgt. Kersting. “The problem seemed to be that the case was open,” said Corman.

Finally the office of the vice-president referred me to Maureen Sigler, assistant director of Student Activities, who finally had the answer. “They (the performers) would have to go through department or student organization for sponsorship, then make a request through the physical plant,” said Sigler.

So much for spontaneous outbursts of art. That’s too much red tape for most musicians, especially if, like Corman, you’re just passing through.

The justification for the policy, as expressed by Parkhouse, is that if the university opens itself to musicians then Neo-Nazis would come in and start spewing negative rhetoric and littering the campus with leaflets. From a single violinist to Nazi storm trooping the SUB, I find that quite a stretch. As for littering leaflets, school organizations do enough of that themselves.

“BSU is not the norm, my feeling is entertainment should be allowed,” said violinist Corman. Corman feels though there should be access, there should also be some kind of policy regarding public performances, speeches, literature and the like to make them organized and nonoffensive. Not a bad idea.

Though an unrestricted open campus might result, in the extreme case, in mass exodus of artists and musicians flooding the campus, is that such a bad thing for a university? Until then students will have to find their art in the Liberal Arts building and at scheduled events, in an otherwise sanitized campus.

REMEMBER TO VOTE
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SENATE
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He needs your support on November 8th so he can continue helping BSU.

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BACK TO SCHOOL CASH

Up to 100% of your textbook budget and more. Buy an HP calculator. Numbers. Physics, circuits, statics, dynamics, and a graphing HP calculator. (They are cool; I've seen my brother's. They do everything you need.)

Dawn and I been friends for three and some years. She looks like a J. Crew model.

She used to ask me for everything I'd ever written. She showed it to her J. Crew friends and mailed it to her family. Her mother cried over some of it. I loved this fact.

Dawn told me how she loves a passionate man. A lover of beauty and life and words and the edge of everything. A real and honest and passionate man.

There is no one else I can talk with like you. I am so grateful for you.

This thrilled and validated me, especially how her hands felt.

I knew all along though, I knew.

Last year I helped a Chemistry major with her homework.

Once I showed my math prof how to work a certain physics problem, How you only had to use the quadratic formula and some ratios, not calculus.

I set the curve in his class.

I was good at it, Dawn.

Dawn will finally choose someone to talk at and who flatters her.

I know; she loves that.

Someone to keep things distant.

Someone scared of alone.

She will keep collectors editions of world masterpieces on the shelf.

In ten years I will see her in a mall or at a gas station

And we will be courteous to each other.

Passion and honesty are novelties. Wounds to toy with.

Stay away from words.

Buy an HP calculator.

Though Scott Taylor is an English major with a writing emphasis, he once was an engineering major. It was James Joyce's Portrait of an Artist as a Young Man that made him away from scientific calculations, calculus and such and enter the world of words. Scott will graduate in May; he then plans to get married. Or open a hot dog stand. Or go on to graduate school to get a Ph.D. in Historic and Composition.
ask max

LAURA DELGADO
Staff Writer

Send your questions regarding school and life to Max at the Arbitr.

Q: Who owns the BSU Bookstore?
A: According to Bill Barnes, manager of the BSU Bookstore, the Bookstore is owned by BSU and is a self-sustaining entity. The Bookstore operates on funds generated from sales only, and does not receive any state funds, or use students' tuition. The Bookstore has to pay for their own expenses like salary, rent to the SUB, fixtures and renovations.

Q: Can BSU students get tutoring at the Adult Learning Center?
A: No. The center is not for BSU students. It's for students who need to upgrade their academic skills so they can enter school, or get a better job. It's also for anyone over 16 that doesn't have a high school diploma or GED.

opinions

Proposition One violates state and federal constitutions

JON HITE
Staff Writer

Idahoans will make a decision on Proposition One, an act establishing state policies regarding homosexuality on the Nov. 8 ballot. Although the bill has been declared unconstitutional by Attorney General Larry EchoHawk and publicly opposed by Governor Cecil Andrus, support remains. The bill is proving to be a moral issue and a legal catastrophe. According to the Bill's legal Purpose of Act, it is intended to further 'the provisions of Article 3, Section 24 of the Constitution of the State of Idaho.' Article 3 Section 24 is titled "Protection of Temperance and Morality." According to this portion of the state constitution, "The virtue and sobriety of the people, and the purity of the home" should be protected. It states that, "All wise and well directed efforts for the promotion of temperance and morality" should be furthered by the state. Proposition One bases its purpose of existence on an assumed public view of morality. It assumes that the overwhelming majority of Idahoans' "virtue and sobriety" or "purity of the home" is at risk due to homosexuality. In seeking to uphold morality it violates the equal protection acts and right to redress grievances guaranteed by both the state and federal constitutions, the First amendment of the United States Constitution numerous times and infringes on the free speech protections of both constitutions. Advocates of the bill seek to prevent homosexuals from gaining "special rights," a term which they correlate--without legal foundation--to minority status. Furthermore, the bill calls for unconstitutional limitations of speech and the press. According to EchoHawk's report, proposition one infringes on a fundamental right "not to have the state endorse and give effect to private biases." In short, the bill is a string of constitutional violations based on a moral issue. "Those who stand to lose are not just homosexuals. Rather, all Idahoans will suffer an abridgment of our most deeply held constitutional freedom--the right to academic freedom in our universities, the right to free political debate in our government bodies and the right to live in a society where all members are protected equally under the law. We have nothing to fear from those who are different, but we have much to fear from those who hate," said EchoHawk.

events

HOLY WEEK
Senior Staff Writer

The University of Idaho and Child Care Connections will present "Feeding Your Children in Group Settings" a national educational series will begin Sept. 27, and continue consecutively Tuesdays through Nov. 15. Participants will receive a certificate of participation and two hours of educational units per class toward licensure. Local registration fee is $15 for the series. Credit fees are $27 for one undergraduate unit or $103 for one graduate unit. For more information call Barbara Aboor or Marilyn Shinn at 377-2107.

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An organizational meeting of the City of Boise Chapter of Parents Without Partners will meet Tuesday, Oct. 4, 1994 from 7-9 p.m. at Round Table Pizza on Glenwood. For more information, contact Cathy Carter at 344-3753.

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Audience members will have an opportunity to ask questions of the panel members during each hour.

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