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I am hopeful that the enhancements to new programs this year will help you succeed at Boise State and fully experience all that this fine Institution has to offer. Go Broncos!

ROBERT KUSTRA
Boise State University President

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On August 21st-27th you'll have a chance to get involved, buying books, investigating your needs in the academic year, and meeting new people before the semester starts. The Outdoor Center will take a group of new students down the Payette river for a week of water sports. The Wellness Committee will host a week of wearables and workshops, and the Student Teaching Program will have a week of open house for you to meet new students from the sophomore year. The Student Teaching Program will also offer a special track for parents. Each program will have an informational session, a rally, and academic seminars, to name just a few.

Student leaders, who can provide advice and administrative offices, will be on hand to answer questions. There will be 27 offices open during this week, including the Admissions Office, Housing, Financial Aid, and many others.

Participation in any of the new programs will provide an opportunity for students to meet with academic advisors, explore a separate track for parents. Each program will be held in the late summer and early fall of the 2004-2005 academic year. Some programs will include a separate track for parents. Each program will be held in the late summer and early fall of the 2004-2005 academic year. Some programs will include a separate track for parents.

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Pulling weeds, escaping the rat race

BY MONICA PRICE

It's a cool May morning. Birds are greetering the sun in the only way they know how—song. This is where undergraduate students Patrice Powers and Tim Szofran, both refugees from corporate America, have left behind the rat race minutes from the roaring downtown buildings. Any signs of corporate America has been set aside, the Garden is Powers and Szofran's new office. Both students are refugees from corporate America, having left behind the rat race to rerum to their origins. Fifteen minutes from the towering downtown buildings - the pulse of corporate America - lays an oasis, the Botanical Gardens.

This is Powers and Szofran's new office. Both students are seniors working on their second bachelor's degree in the horticulture department. Powers, who grew up on a farm, in-cluding Powers and Szofran. According to Szofran, part of this job is going back in your origins. "There is a lot of satisfaction in pulling weeds," said Powers.

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A commercial jet intrudes on the conversation as it passes overhead; the birds are no match for the rumble of jet engines. In a few seconds the jet is gone and the birds strike up their songs with fervor. "Everyday is a different experience," said Powers.

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Using your Boise State Albertsons Library

Albertsons Library contains a wealth of information, including the full text of almost all databases covered in class. Full-text articles are not only traditional in-article but the full-text of the article itself. Full-text articles provide links to indexes and databases are available on the Library’s web site and most of the indexes and databases are freely accessed in the Library. You probably expect lectures about “Health Fairs”, but how well do you evaluate the REACH Health Fair. Learning partnerships, you’ll gain a new perspective and how can you make them a part of your course. Just what Is service-learning?

Your Assignment:

1. Be sure you understand your professor’s expectations. If you’re not sure, get more information from the professor.
2. Go to class on Monday, May 13, to find out how much you know about service-learning.
3. Read your text, pages 56-57.

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Before the Earth, Plagues, and the Sun were even created, there was the Almighty Creator Jehovah, who always was. Thus Jehovah created his only legitimate sine (Jesus Christ) the Word, and they dwelt together the heavens, the Earth, and all angels.

Colossians 1:18

Of those three angels was appointed to rule over man. He was a high-ranking deified Lucifer selected and recruited by Eve. After this, Lucifer was known as Satan, Beelzebub, the Devil.

After Lucifer’s rebellion and the downfall of mankind through disobedience of Adam and Eve, the Almighty God then directed the judgment and brought destruction against his wicked rebellious angels.

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In the days of Abraham, God would send his message warning the world to repent and be saved, and many would be saved.

As Jesus said, “Nothing can enter a kingdom of heaven but through the door. The door is small and the gate is narrow. The road is steep and the way to life is hard.”

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LIVING ON CAMPUS

NEW OPPORTUNITIES IN STUDENT HOUSING: THIS FALL

BY KEVIN KEMP

Marketing and Communications

Learning Center

Living on campus at Boise State University is comparable to living in a small town. There is a unique camaraderie among students, faculty and staff that makes Boise State feel like a friendly, and modern, little city. However, once you are living off campus, the feeling of community is gone, not just for your roommates, but for everyone.

The Women's Center staff addresses in educational settings and non-academic settings to bring awareness to issues of sexism, racism, and homophobia that surround women's rights and opportunities. Historically, women's rights and opportunities have been hard-won, and there is a need to stay informed and aware of the progress that has been made.

The Women's Center offers a variety of programs and services, including the Women's Center Hotline and Advocacy Team, the Clothesline Project, and workshops on intersectionality. These programs are designed to promote awareness and understanding of issues affecting women, and to encourage dialogue about gender equality.

The Women's Center is also involved in advocacy efforts, such as the Women's Center Advocacy Network, which works to increase awareness and support for women's issues. The Women's Center also sponsors the nationally recognized Women's Center Research Symposium, which is an opportunity for students and faculty to present research on issues related to women's rights and opportunities.

At the core of our values, the Women's Center strives to promote equality and justice for all people. We believe that everyone deserves equal treatment and opportunities, regardless of their gender identity or expression.

For more information about the Women's Center, please visit our website at womenscenter.boisestate.edu.
FRATERNITIES

Alpha Kappa Lambda’s men gather to find a more meaningful college experience by sharing personal and social values. Nationally, AKL was founded April 30, 1914 and locally on April 30, 1998. Members of Alpha Kappa Lambda share a mutual commitment to service-oriented leadership and live by their four-fold principle. The fraternity provides students support in achieving academic and career goals.

Kappa Sigma International Fraternity was founded in 1869 at the University of Missouri. Kappa Sigma was granted a charter by the National Panhellenic Conference on December 3, 1972. Kappa Sigma highly stresses academics, realizing that we are all here to get the complete college experience and utilize the best education at which we are capable. Above all else, the friendship, experiences, and memories that you develop as a member here (which can be summed up in one word, Brotherhood) is Kappa Sigma’s most valuable quality.

CHOOSING A CHAPTER

Recruitment, which is often referred to as “Rush,” is an opportunity for you to meet with the different chapters and choose the one that best fits you. Rush is also a chance for the chapters to meet potential new members and learn about you to gauge how you might belong to the organization. The fraternity recruitment process is different at each institution. You may want to ask for a specific schedule from the Student Activities Office (208) 426-1223. For whichever process you would like to participate in, recruitment is free.

You must narrow your choices and ultimately decide which group you wish to join. It is important to remember that you are making the choice. The Greek organization that is best for your friends or family may not be the best one for you.

CHAPTERS AT BSU

Here is some advice to help you make your decision:

• Think about why you want to join a Greek organization. Are these qualities present in the groups you are considering?
• Find the organization you feel most comfortable with. Why do you feel comfortable in that particular group?
• Take a look around. The men or women you are standing with could be your brothers or sisters. What do you have in common with them?
• Do you feel comfortable with them?

• Consider not only what you can gain from each organization but also what you can contribute.
• Ask questions! Get to know everything you can about each organization.
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SORORITIES

Alpha Xi Delta cultivates a true spirit of friendship among all members; to encourage, aid and protect one another by all honorable means during life and maintain in all our proceedings and acts the highest sense of honor and duty. The chapter was re-founded at Boise State on March 20, 2003. We cherish and practice these institutions by which we find our members and our bond.

Delta Beta Nu (DBN) brings a select group of women together to establish a sorority that bonds its members together for life. The chapter has been active since February 17, 2000. The sisters in the chapter strive to uphold all of the values of loyalty, honesty, integrity, and community. Through self-realization each woman can utilize and develop all her talents and abilities to better our community, as individuals and as leaders.

Alpha Chi Omega encourages the spirit of sisterhood through high moral academic standards. The national organization was founded October 15, 1885 and Boise State's chapter, Epsilon Nu, was founded on March 7, 1970. The chapter owns a house near campus where the women are free to come and go during the day, and social events are held. Five students socialize with other dance each week in several philanthropic projects. The national philanthropy of the Greek community, American Cancer Society, and Boise State University's Panhellenic Association helps maintain high social standards among the sororities on campus and promotes cooperation among chapters and the university. PAA discusses issues of interest and concern to all members of the Greek community, and compiles rules governing Panhellenic activity on the Boise State University campus.

PHOTOCOURTESY Of DELTABETANU

Members of the Delta Beta Nu sorority attend the torch ceremony on the Grove at the lighting of the torch during the Winter Olympics. From left to right: Dawn Green, Mary Dawson, Brooke Green, Sarah Feria, (unknown) and Rachael McDonald.

PHOTOCOURTESY Of DELTABETANU

Homecoming is a time of fun and stress for the Greeks on campus. Above one of the sororities pose in front of their homecoming float.

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(yes, it’s at BSU)
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>13 GROUPS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT AT BSU

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New Student Wilderness Adventure
starts August 16

BY GEOFF HARRISON
Outdoor Program

The warmth of the sun slowly starts to creep into your tent as the day begins. Lying in your toasty sleeping bag, you reflect on what a great week you have had. It's the week before school starts and you have already been making new friends backpacking on the trail, rock climbing in the mountains, and whitewater rafting because you signed up for the sixth annual wilderness orientation program.

The school year is just about to begin but rather than stressing about new clothes, classes and books, you chose to get oriented to campus life by signing up for Wilderness Quest, a five-day university sponsored orientation adventure for new students. This exciting adventure is sponsored by the Campus Recreation Outdoor Program and only available to new and transfer Boise State students.

On the trail and in camp, students on Wilderness Quest get to learn about campus life from their trip instructors. Whether your question is about how to buy books, get involved with a university club or where to go and what to do, your trip leader can get you the right info. The trip leaders, such as Andy Porter, are veteran Wilderness Quest participants who are current students at Boise State that now lead the adventure as a way of getting new students involved with campus life. "Wilderness Quest was my first introduction to campus life at Boise State. After the week-long adventure I was ready to start school because I had made lots of new friends and had a chance to get my questions about the university answered by the trip leaders. Rock climbing was a new sport for me and has now become one of my favorite activities," Molly Edminster is another trip leader who believes being part of the wilderness orientation program because she gets to, "help new students open up and reflect on their new college adventure and to the Idaho wilderness experience."

Sign up for this great adventure and get the most out of your last week of summer. Make new friends, learn new sports, and have a lot of fun on the trail, in the mountains and on the river. Space is limited for this new student adventure so sign up quick. You can get registration information by visiting the Outdoor Program office in the Student Recreation Center or by going online to www.boisestate.edu/recreation. This five-day backpacking, rock climbing, and whitewater rafting adventure is only $195.00. Trip fee includes leadership, transportation, food, and equipment. Don't miss out on this great adventure.

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