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Students of Boise State University

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Robert Kustra became the president of Boise State University in 2000. He has been instrumental in transforming the university into a metropolitan research institute, a plan that Kustra says he shares the vision of the Carnegie Foundation. By 2002, the university was recognized as a metropolitan research institute. Intensive status means increasing faculty research funding, but over the past decade efforts have changed to recruiting faculty for BSU to have a metropolitan research focus.

Kustra says Boise State has the infrastructure in place to become a metropolitan research institute. Within the next few years, Boise State will be filling the positions in the College of Engineering, Chemistry, and Computer Science, and the College of Business Administration, with the goal of increasing the percentage of faculty members from 2 percent to about 20 percent within five years. Tenure reform is central to this plan.

Some of the changes coming to Boise State include revising the Faculty Handbook, adding new technology to facilitate research, and changing the performance evaluation of faculty members. Boise State is implementing an aggressive growth plan and is beginning to fill positions in the College of Engineering. While some faculty are concerned about increased competition, they are interested in teaching and research opportunities.

By 1998, Boise State had faculty members with PhDs in computer and electrical engineering,chemistry, and computer science, and engineering. Currently, Boise State offers at least ten doctorates per year across three or more disciplines. Boise State has taken on a new aggressive marketing scheme, "Beyond the Black," to promote its programs and faculty. The university is highlighting its national and international reputation, adding to its profile.

Boise State University students and faculty are encouraged to take advantage of the university's resources, including its programs in computer and electrical engineering. Boise State offers a series of focus groups in beginning research as well as a series of workshops for faculty and students. Boise State is also offering a series of workshops on partnership, with local community members.

The university is promoting its research and educational programs, its commitment to community service, and its focus on partnerships with local and national organizations. Boise State is trying to be a part of the community, offering programs in computer and electrical engineering, as well as other areas.

Although the changes are numerous, Kustra says there is concern among faculty members about increased competition. However, he is confident that the university will be able to answer most of the questions posed by Boise State University students and faculty. He emphasizes the importance of collaboration and partnerships in achieving the university's vision.
Top ten reasons to visit the Hagerman Valley

BY MICHELLE SELLS

Minor weather means different things to different people. Some people love the snow and cold, others prefer the warmth of summer. Those who can't stand one extreme or the other, however, will likely enjoy the relative warmth of the Hagerman Valley.

1. The Frank Lloyd Wright house. According to the National Register of Historic Places, the home, built in the early 1950s by the Lloyd Wright style, blends into its environment, making it visible from the road but not seen from the street. The home, true to the Wright style, is not visible from the road but must be viewed from either the driveway or the gallery deck.

2. Snake River Pottery. The house sits perched on a rocky cliff above the Snake River.

3. Downtown Hagerman. This state hatchery has a raceway full of trout, small sturgeon and bass, bluegill and carp.

4. Downtown Hagerman. As long as you are in the neighborhood, enter the sights. This is a most unusual gallery. Having visited on door welcoming me into the gallery and instructions on how to make a purchase if the owner happened to be absent. The pottery is as magnificent as the view. 

5. Hagerman State Fish Hatchery. This federal hatchery produces 1.2 million steelhead on the property, where there is a fish hatchery located on the north side of the river. The park is admittedly small, but the fishing opportunities in the river are plentiful. The time to return to the vote-counting booth is 10 a.m. and the other eight arc college seats, candidates must have a degree of importance, "This person may even surpass the other right eye are 16 legislative seats arc elected as a ticket, meaning that students don’t get to vote for an office Feb. 2, and running for an office March 3. Students who do not want to join a political party can run as independents.


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Single-day death toll for U.S. troops tops 37

KANDAHAR, Iraq — Thirty-seven U.S. troops were killed Saturday when a transport helicopter crashed near the southern Iraq desert town of Rutbah, prompting President Bush, in a rare expression of dismay over events in Iraq, to predict that "the story today is going to be very discouraging to the American people."

Richest to visit Europe, Middle East

WASHINGTON — Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice announced Thursday that she will visit eight European countries, plus Israel and the West Bank, beginning next week to attempt a new start to relations with European allies and to nurture an Israeli-Palestinian peace process.

Titanic discoverer to broadcast live expedition at Boise State

The College of Engineering at Boise State is welcoming families with children of all ages to watch Titanic discoverer Robert Ballard's live expedition. The live JASON expedition will be broadcast Saturday, Feb. 5, in room 106 of the National Center for Natural and Environmental Enrichment.

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Sebastian speaks surpise...you're a cop? Well, so am I

"You're a cop? Well, so am I, " said passenger Paul Vanozzi, a wound near his right leg, and had cut his wrists and stabbed himself to death, said police would charge the man with at least 10 counts of homicide.

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Wolf management has taken turn for the worst

BY JIM YODER

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The Boise State gymnastics team took on Cal State Fullerton in a match that was attended by 3,805 energized fans. The event was held on Friday night, with the home team earning a win with a score of 190.10 over Cal State Fullerton's 187.95. The win marked the team's second victory of the season, with the first occurring against Cal State Fullerton in the last rotation and total score of 190.10 to 187.95.

The gymnasts started their routine on vault, with Scott Jorgensen leading the charge and scoring a 9.325. Freshman Natasha Gowda made her home debut on bars and counted no falls. Freshman Nicole Gaudin made her home debut first on bars and then on beam, where she counted a fall, earning a score of 9.25. Kea Cuaresma then took to the beam, where her performance resulted in a score of 9.150. Tiffany Putnam was third on the bars, where she counted one fall, earning a score of 9.150. Freshman Sarah Hoffman took third with a 9.225.

The second rotation featured the floor exercise, where Thomas Dinsmore was up second and nailed her routine, scoring a 9.45. Thomas, scored above a 9.0 with her routine, and she counted a fall, earning a 9.70. Freshman Katie Griffis took first in the event. Sandmire is especially tough for the gymnasts, who need complex routines and accuracy in their events. The third rotation featured the bars, where the ladies kicked off the evening with junior Tarah Thomas leading the way. Thomas, scored above a 9.0 with her routine, and she counted a fall, earning a 9.70.

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Lady Broncos upset La Tech, fall to SMU

By JET RIME DAVIS

The 13th-ranked Boise State women's basketball team scored a 59-42 victory over unbeaten Louisiana Tech, their 13th straight victory, in the NCAA tournament this week.

The victory, which was the biggest in program history over SMU, marked the second straight win for the Broncos. However, they were unable to clinch their third straight victory.

With 1.2 seconds left in the game, La Tech held a 58-2 lead on the Mustangs, but the Mustangs were unable to climb out of their deficit for a victory. Boise State, ranked No. 21 in the nation, was unable to find its rhythm in the second half.

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Men's tennis perfect season ends

Men's hoops take huge steps back

BSU Wrestling continues weekend adventure

Wednesday is remains a barrier of issues for the Boise State women's basketball team. In the team's last four games, the Broncos have faced four double-digit losses.

The Broncos travel to Ruston, La., this weekend to face Louisiana Tech and Southern Methodist.

On the court, the Broncos continue to struggle against top competition. In the past four games, they have lost three games to ranked opponents, including two against SMU.

The Broncos are currently 2-2 on the season, and their next game is at home against the University of New Mexico on Nov. 28.

BSU football

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The Broncos are currently 4-1 on the season, with their only loss coming against Utah State earlier this month. Coach Chris Peterson has guided BSU to a 4-1 record in Pac-12 Conference play.

This weekend's game against Nevada is a crucial contest for both teams, as they are both vying for a spot in the Pac-12 Championship.

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The game against Nevada is a tough one, as the Wolf Pack are also off to a strong start this year. However, the Broncos have been playing well and are looking to keep their winning streak alive.

Women's squad drops opener

The Boise State women's basketball team suffered a loss on Saturday against the University of Nevada.

The Broncos fell to the Wolf Pack 78-67 at Lawlor Events Center, marking their first loss of the season.

Despite a slow start, the Broncos were competitive for much of the game, but未能 hold off the Wolf Pack's scoring onslaught.

The Broncos will look to bounce back against the University of Utah on Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Lawlor Events Center. Will they be able to secure their first win of the season? Stay tuned for updates.

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The Splendage

Hemorrhage

BY TODD SPLENDAGE

One of the things I've always been able to do in my career is fix other people's problems. I've been called upon to mediate a variety of situations, from personal disputes to professional conflicts. But today, I face a challenge that is truly unprecedented: a dispute between a dog and a cat.

The dog, a spirited and active animal, has been known to cause quite a bit of consternation around the house. His energy and enthusiasm are undeniably infectious, but his tendency to chew on anything within reach can be quite frustrating. The cat, on the other hand, is a more measured and graceful creature. She often spends her days lounging on the windowsill, observing the world outside with a practiced eye. Yet, despite her grace, she is not above a good game of chase or a gentle pounce.

The problem arises when the two come into contact. The dog's playful zest can occasionally spill over into a more aggressive behavior, while the cat, attempting to defend herself, may react with a saber-toothed ferocity. It's a delicate balance that requires constant attention and intervention.

Fortunately, I've been trained to handle such situations. My approach is to first assess the environment. Are there any obstacles that could lead to an impasse? Are there any hideaways where一方 might retreat? By understanding the dynamics of the scene, I can work to facilitate a resolution.

In this case, the key is to create a safe space where each can coexist without fear. I've suggested a separate room, furnished with their favorite toys and treats, where they can each enjoy a quiet moment. From there, they can gradually reintegrate, under constant supervision of course.

While this may seem straightforward, the challenges are many. The dog must learn to control his impulses, while the cat must come to terms with a new, more accommodating presence. But with patience and understanding, I am confident that we can find a way forward.

In closing, I would like to reiterate the importance of empathy and compassion in resolving conflicts. It's not just about the immediate issue at hand, but about creating a more harmonious environment for all involved. Whether it's a dog and a cat, or any other pairings of opposites, the key is to see beyond the surface and connect on a deeper level.

Thank you for your attention. I hope that my insights have been helpful. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to reach out. I am always here to lend a hand.

Todd Splendage

Humor Columnist
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BY JOSEF FIRI4RGE Culture Writer

And DiFranco - ever heard of her? If you aren't yet, then you go get familiar with Ani DiFranco. "Knuckle Down" is her twenty-first album. In her thirties, DiFranco is one of the most popular members of the alternative music scene. Her music is characterized by her strong vocals, her syncopated snarl evolving sively beautiful guitar style, her captivating energy and her raw and intimate lyrics. Her solo career started in the early 1980s, it has been nominated for four Grammy awards and taken an Oscar nomination for best female actor in a supporting role. Her new album "Knuckle Down," has been described as "a collection of songs that showcase DiFranco's versatility as a songwriter and performer." It is a must listen if you are a fan of alternative music.
Musician expresses original style

BY JOHN GARDNER

On Thursday, guitar player, singer and composer John Vecchiarelli performed at the SUB Thursday night. The performer got to a question on being a life musician in saying that his background was in rock and roll, but just plays more specifically. He added that his friends in the performing arts community enjoy the experience of living for music.

Vecchiarelli brings to the stage three major trends — simplicity, intelligence and musical expression. His performance was an awe-inspiring moment for all present, as he was able to successfully capture the essence of his music.

Who knows what’s going on in “Aliens of the Deep” and what are we looking for or why we’re there? Who knows what’s going on in “Aliens of the Deep” and why are we there? And why are we there? And why are we there?

Astonishingly, the plot is carelessly developed and a mere tag along. They invited “Titanic” director James Cameron to look into what the scientists are looking for or why we’re there. Huh? Exactly. The sea/space connection is never made clear, and we’re not surprised that the scientists are looking for or why we’re there.

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The 3-D “Aliens” is a suspect science/entertainment. Actually, we can guess why the super-wealthy Cameron got hooked up: his wallet. Cameron is clearly enthusiastic about exploration, although some sort of derivative sound, but we can’t argue with the impulse that led Cameron and others into the deep. “Exploration is a waste of money,” he said at one point, never bothering to identify the thing, perhaps because, in his words, “there are few who can afford it.” But, might there be a good scientist when you have a million dollars? Cameron’s passion may be insurmountable, especially toward the end when he expresses excitement in reaction to a species of simplicity in his sound. He played it. We don’t know if it was a good idea or not, but it was enjoyable.

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"The first problem for any man, as I see it, is how to learn, but to unlearn..."

At Boise State University

GLORIA STEINEM: A SHORT BIOGRAPHY

Gloria Steinem is a political activist, writer, and one of the prominent leaders in the feminist movement of the 20th century. She was born on October 3, 1934, in Columbus, Ohio, to a prominent family. Her mother was a writer and artist, and her father was a member of the Ohio State University Press. Gloria was the eldest of two children and was raised in a relatively privileged and scholarly environment.

Gloria attended Western Reserve High School in Cleveland, Ohio, where she was involved in student government and edited the literary magazine. She then attended Smith College, where she majored in English and established herself as a radical activist. After college, she moved to New York City and worked as a reporter for several publications, including the New York Times and Newsweek.

In the 1960s, Gloria became a prominent figure in the feminist movement, and in 1963, she co-founded the National Women's Liberation Movement. She was a co-founder of Ms. Magazine and has been a leading voice in the women's rights movement ever since. Gloria has written numerous books and articles on gender equality, including "Women's Work," "What's My Name? " and "It's About Time." She has received numerous awards and honors for her contributions to the feminist movement.

Gloria Steinem has been an active political activist throughout her life, and her work has had a significant impact on the advancement of women's rights. She has been a vocal advocate for reproductive rights, equal pay, and women's education, and her efforts have helped to shape the modern feminist movement.

Gloria Steinem's advice to those who seek to advance the cause of women is to "unlearn" the ways in which we have been socialized to accept inequality. She encourages people to question the norms and values that have been imposed on us, and to challenge the systems of power that have perpetuated oppression. Through her writing and activism, Gloria Steinem has inspired generations of women to fight for justice and equality.

Gloria Steinem's work continues to be relevant today, as the struggle for women's rights remains ongoing. Her legacy serves as a reminder of the importance of fierce, unapologetic activism in the fight for a more just and equitable society.