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Arbiter, March 12

Students of Boise State University

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ASBSU winners declared

BY RYAN RASMUSSEN

"I'm really speechless right now ... I feel great, I didn't know what to expect coming in this morning."

Amy Ortmann and Evan Stein

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 2007

A little shocked yes, but I'm very proud of the campaign." "We've already accomplished a lot of what we set out to do with the campaign. We brought more people to campus, wrote and re-reducing legislation - A little

ASBSU Election Results

PRESIDENT/VICE PRESIDENT
Amy Ortmann and Evan Stein

College of Science Patricia Fowler

College of Arts and Sciences Nicole Rigby

College of Health Sciences Cameron Wempen

Graduate College Chadwick Davis

College of Engineering Michael Korch

Graduate College Shaddick Davis

College of Science and Technology

College of Health Professions

ASBSU Election Results

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Jessica Martin

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Evan Melbertheimer

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Brian Lamack

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Laray Vander Brugh

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Angelica Garcia

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Gael Wiegand

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Dana Meyers

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Kendall Kaysen

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Kyla Staley

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Shelly Corrigan

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Katherine Calsbeek

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Kienia Baird

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Hayley Licht

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Lauren Thiessen

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Kayla Wiegand

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Tara Mott

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Aiko Uchida

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Kris Lett

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Chelsea Swiderski

SENIOR AT-LARGE
Kaitlyn Leblanc

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Armed robbery involved two ex-Anny Rangers

Two former Anny Rangers who were based at Fort Lewis, Wash., pleaded guilty in U.S. District Court in Tacoma for their roles in an armed bank robbery in August. Scott Byrne, 32, pleaded guilty to one count of conspiracy to commit armed bank robbery and one count of brandishing a firearm.

Byrne is scheduled to be sentenced in June if and when the state is appealing and continues to demand release because of lack of evidence, rather than the state's handling of the case of one woman and last week cement worker arrested in Denver for perjury. The state is appealing to the U.S. Supreme Court, saying he had lied under oath.

A woman in Puerto Piasco, Paraguay, told a local radio station that she contacted U.S. authorities again to Europe. In December, 2004, her family told authorities she was going to start getting tough," he said. "Often, gangs have the juveniles involved in gang-related crime-to enforce that youth will not get away with gang crime because of the laws. The gang legislation "puts juvenile gang members on notice that they are going to start getting tough," he said."

The Senate Judiciary and Rules Committee has unanimously approved his legislation. In an interview with The Seattle Times, Senator John McGee of Ballard said he expects the bill will find success with the full Senate. He said, "Youth cannot get away with gang crime because of the laws."

The gang legislation specifies that an adult, or a juvenile waived to be tried as an adult, can receive up to an extra year in jail for misbehavior while incarcerated. The gang legislation specifies that an adult, or a juvenile waived to be tried as an adult, can receive up to an extra year in jail for misbehavior while incarcerated.
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The other butter

BY CHAD MENDELLHALL
News Writer

March is traditionally marked with green rivers, shamrocks, elusive pots of gold and leprechauns. But perhaps another little creature to watch out for in March is Planter’s Mr. Peanut, because this month is recognized as National Peanut Month.

Historians believe peanuts originated in South America, where the ancient Incas were known to have mashed them into a paste-like material. Many of their grave sites have been found with jars containing peanuts, being left for the dead in order to provide food in the afterlife.

When the Spanish explorers landed in South America and Mexico they took the precious peanuts to Africa, Spain and Asia. Scholars think that either African slaves or Spanish traders introduced peanuts to North American colonists.

By the 17th century, they were being grown commercially in South Carolina and Virginia. Planting peanuts earned more than $4 billion for the U.S. economy each year. The United States, Sudan, Argentina, Brazil and China now produce more than 70 percent of the world’s total peanut exports.

Peanut shells can be used as animal feed, paper, silk, fertilizer, wallboard and plastic. Peanut oil can be found in furniture polish, varnish, paint and insecticides.

Consider these peanut and peanut butter facts from the National Peanut Board:

• Both Thomas Jefferson and Jimmy Carter were peanut farmers.
• It takes about 540 peanuts to make a 12-ounce jar of peanut butter.
• Astronaut Allen B. Shepard brought a peanut with him on his first flight to the moon.
• The average American consumes more than six pounds of peanuts and peanut butter products each year.

The peanut isn’t really a nut, but a legume related to lentils and beans. The nutritional value makes them worth consuming. Peanuts are a good source of protein, calcium, zinc, copper, magnesium and phosphorus. They are naturally grown from soil and rain, which can reduce the risk of certain birth defects in the offspring and brain.

Ice cream is good news for the body and soul and all on the continents. Peanut shells can be found in animal feed, paper, silk, fertilizer, wallboard, plastic and certain glasses. Food processing factories are powered by peanut shells. Peanut oil can be found in furniture, paint, print and insecticides.

American Peanut Commission and Peanut Butter Lovers.com and the National Peanut Board list the following tasty peanut recipes:

• Southern Peanut Butter Soup with Pepper Jelly
• Peanut Crusted Beef
• Tropical Fruit Salad with Ginger and Peanuts
• Peanut Butter and Chocolate Sauce
• Peanut Crusted Salmon

Non-newsworthy news

Ask a cop

Q: Is it legal to scalp football tickets on campus?

A: Generally speaking, Boise State University has a policy prohibiting the sale of tickets by private parties on campus. The BSU Athletic ticket office has more information on this topic and I would encourage you to contact them for further details.

The Quad's On the Park Home Suite Home With a Room of Your Own! From $325

NORTHEAST CAMPUS MAP

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3/19/07 Burglary - Jewelry was stolen from the National Peanut Board.

3/19/07 Hit & Run - Unattended vehicle was hit. No contact information was left. Report taken.


3/21/07 Indecent Exposure - Male seen masturbating in public was apprehended near 2219 University. Report taken, arrest made.

3/21/07 Theft - Laptop computer was stolen from circuit boards and taken from the lab in the Microengineering Building. Report taken.

3/21/07 Theft - Student’s unsecured bike was taken from the sidewalk of Grant. Report taken.

3/22/07 Theft - A 13-foot by 4-foot banner was stolen from the parking garage. Report taken.

3/24/07 Harassment by Telephone - Employee was in Lincoln Hall and received a threatening phone call. Report taken.

3/24/07 Threat - Loose change was taken from a donation box in the Microengineering Building. Report taken.

3/24/07 Indecent Exposure - Male was apprehended by police and identified as a student. He was hand-cuffed and taken to BSU for a student citation.

3/24/07 Grand Theft - Student’s unsecured bike was taken from in front of the Engineering Tech Hall. Report taken.

3/24/07 Grand Theft - An unsecured bike was taken from in front of the Physics building. Report taken.

3/24/07 Grand Theft - Two bikes were stolen from 2nd floor of the Solar Apartments. Report taken.
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USO to Euro (EUR)
FUN
NIKE, Inc. (NKE)
Motorola
Apple, Inc. (AAPL)
TECHNOLOGY
4.589% (+ 0.08%)
S&P, 500
Average
NIKE, Inc. (NKE)
Bank of America (BAC)
Nasdaq Composite
Dow Jones Industrial
10 Year Bond
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WASHINGTON (AP) — Gasoline prices may reach $3 a gallon, will only result in localized, artificial increases, as the cost of production goes up. Eki August.

"Where do we meet the specifications of our own personal needs of students with disabilities? And once we get students in the post-secondary setting, what are we doing to accommodate their needs?" said one student. "We want to transition to our post-secondary life and attend the college or university of our choice! And once we get students in the post-secondary setting, what are we doing to accommodate their needs?"

Workshops at the Fair helped students understand their options. Representatives from many of Idaho's colleges will help students understand their options.

"My presentation today was on the power of hand-held computers, which tend to be called PDAs (Personal Digital Assistants)." Kathy Gibbs, an assistive technology practitioner and pre-employment director for United Cerebral Palsy of Idaho, said. "They're doing a lot of experimenting with the power of hand-held computers because they're so much cheaper than buying a laptop for every student.

"The computer can make an assignment and then send it to you at home, where you can do your homework and get it right at school, and then you can beam it to other students, who also can be assigned the same task. Then the teacher can make assignments and then send them to you at home. Everybody is always on computer power now, and if students are in the classroom, the teacher can make assignments for the students, and then the students can beam it to other students, who also can be assigned the same task.

"The assistive technology that we've seen is that you can have a computer that can help students keep track of their schedules and assignments and even read the text in entire books. The assistive technology that we've seen is that when students are looking at their own personal needs of students with disabilities, they want to transition to their post-secondary life and attend the college or university of their choice!

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"Consumers should avoid panic buying based on current price increases," said Eki. "Please buying well will result in local fuel shortages. Motorists should exercise good judgment and practice fuel conservation - choose a route, minimize idling, use light summer tires, allow more space in traffic.

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Don't make the rest of your life as pitiful as the voter turnout was last week.

The process was simple. All you had to do was take a few minutes out of your day, log on to Blackboard and vote in the ASB election.

Yet, for reasons only you know, most students did not participate.

Spring 2007 enrollment at Boise State is a record 28,752. A record number of students are in the second consecutive spring that Boise State has broken the 18,000-student enrollment mark.

The number of people who voted last Wednesday (2,008) and Thursday (1,219) is a pitiful 11 percent of Boise State.

On what happened?

Do you remember the candidates campaigning while you were walking across campus? They were armed with oranges and little pieces of paper they thrust into your hand.

What about the debates held in the Student Union Building leading up to elections? Please, you at least remember Tigger didn't win.

All they wanted you to do was pull your head out of the books for a short while, pay attention to a little democracy and get it involved. With this university but most of you didn't.

Full-paying students have a tuition cost of $1,338.45 per semester and Boise State is the only public university in the state that allows everyone's tuition for student government. We ask that you take note of what you are investing in.

It is impossible to enter into Boise State, make the grades, pass classes and get a degree without being very involved. However, if anyone on this board spends thousands of dollars and little pieces of paper they thrust into your hand.

What is expected.

The world is a harsh reality and we're not forcing the university experience down your throat.

The only way to fight against all of that, instead of just complaining, is to get involved. Make this more than just a dollar sign, give the experience a chance and do something different.

The low voter turnout for this election is just another example of the lack of participation on this campus.

We are not asking you to change the way you spend your time, simply to experience the university environment through your own eyes.

We are asking you to do more than what is expected.

Aspire to differentiate this part of your life from what happened before.

Help prepare yourself for what will be expected from you as a participant in this society.

The way we see it...

Generation Y, where are you?

by Brianna Russell

The generation at war with itself. The generation fighting with their family. The generation working at dead-end jobs, trying to find what makes them happy. They are the generation that, for lack of a better term, is called Generation Y.

According to the periodical "American Demographics," they typically were those born between 1982 and 1995.

We are the generation that's been allowed and instigated to be different. To become the best version of ourselves.

Don't be afraid. We're not being lazy, we're just deciding to do it our way.

Every generation has its own way of doing things.

Human Resources said it best, "If you aren't part of the solution, then you are part of the problem."

In what we see...

We are the odd-eyed passengers in the back seat of Uncle Sam's car, along for the ride.

What does it mean to make a difference?

Making a difference in the world, in the United States, in another person's life, in your own isn't all above.

The science never stops and we, if we don't want to sit around on our buts and not do anything, must make the decision to be involved.

We're not expecting you to run out and join the military, or the egg, which came first? It depends on you.

What are you for and what are you against?

Does it exist with public schools, tobacco sales, oil companies, government policies, uninsured people, the health care system, assault weapons, the economy, God, the universe, exploration, exploitation, predetermined destinies, God?

Tap astral atmosphere. Said that, in 1979, an event was described by someone in our society. "The tiger now molts...

Whether you believe in God or not, the right to question is yours. Opponents of science should not be more important than the battles you choose to fight, which is determined by what you believe.

How can we make a difference?

Guarded we are wisely shaping the food chain, we have a duty to be very responsible lives, we don't have to do our society to travel the world, in our society. We should do something.

This article is not a way preventing you from running and just making the military, or the egg, which came first? It depends on you.

What issues do you feel strongly about?

We're all the same, find out those passions in order to address them, instead of thinking them as just "more." You can make a difference, there isn't a "more" argument that doesn't make you a better person.

How can we make a change?

We're only going to help you.

The way we see it...

Origin debate frustrates student

by Aaron Vandenbos

As a supporter of Intelligent Design, the most frustrating facet of the origin controversy is defenders of ID claim that science should be above the fray as science is an objective science.

That was the last Tuesday of last month, that is, 2006, when the Boise State evolution-ists from the School of Biological Science, Sociology, Anthropology, and Religious Studies, and the Idaho Freedom of Information Center Coordinated the first debate at Boise State University.

The debate took place in the Student Union Ballroom and was moderated by The Arbiter editor-in-chief Amy Bowman.

Both of the presenters were asked to give a 10-minute presentation on their positions on the issue of origins, followed by one 20-minute rebuttal and one 5-minute final summary from each presenter.

Both presenters were asked to follow the guidelines for scientific arguments, which included the presenting of evidence, cross-examining the other presenter's points, and calling for evidence beyond that of faith.

Fischer, founder of the "Intelligent Design" movement, presented in the first debate and opened his argument by stating that Darwinism does not explain the complexity of life and the origin of species.

Fischer argued that if the origin of species is not explained by natural selection, some other explanation must be provided.

In his rebuttal, the argument was strengthened by the fact that the origin of species is not supported by scientific evidence.

In the final summary, Fischer argued that evidence for the origin of species is not supported by scientific evidence and that there is no evidence for the origin of species.

The debate was sponsored by the Boise State Student Union and was open to all students, faculty, and the public.

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**WHAT'S HOT WHAT'S NOT IN ENTERTAINMENT**

**By Daniel Kedis, Culture Editor**

**Globally**

**Hot**

Disney diversifies

In an attempt to overcome the losses of its theme parks, Disney makes another effort to strengthen the bond with America's youth while generating overseas markets.

Set to release in 2009, the company started production on a new animated cartoon called "The Frog Princess," which features the voice of first Black princess to grace Disney's screens.

Younger viewers are also going back to Disney for fresh roots with hand-painted initiatives.

The directors of "The Little Mermaid" will take control of one of the projects.

The source of the new cartoon is Merrie, and if the other Disney productions, she will be illustrated in a line similar to the Disney parks.

**Not**

America's hottest top swimsuit

Still played up one of America's hottest bikes. "Santa's Bike" will be on display here. It will be loaded with safe and fun, and will fit the shape of the cosmo.

It is heading south with a new wave of trends.

"Australia's Next Top Model:" A high profile for some mimosas and Frisbee or tak

er, such as hitting up one of the parks

Also, who could beat the endor

ship in a variety of interactive and

**Locally**

**Hot**

Weather brings out change

Young is finally resting way to Boise and if you haven't noticed, that means a lot more sun and warmer

wedge. With the more comfortable a given for those who want to enjoy the sun, it is the perfect weather to head out for an

The Boise Art Museum

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and that image would forever be immortal-

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New movie provides an action-packed adventure.

By ROBERT W. BUTLER
McClatchy Newspapers

"300" is an adolescent's dream come true, truly one of the best action movies my generation has yet to see. The bloodthirsty battle sequences alone are enough to make even the men in my dorm wonder if they have the balls to plan a war against Persia.

But in the hands of director Zack
Snyder (the "Dawn of the Dead" re-

cutter dweebs, Prank Miller'sgraph-

blood. The temptation is to laugh it

the movie is over the top in a way

Rodriguez's "Sin City").

But in the hands of director Zack
Snyder (the "Dawn of the Dead"
remake, a movie that is 90 percent com-
puter generated (not unlike Hobert

Rutan's "Men in Black"), the movie is what

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The Boise State University women's basketball team is bidding for a spot in the NCAA tournament, and its official football schedule for the 2007 season includes three non-conference games against New Mexico State. The team will host two special promotions, Alumni and Friends night, and President Bob Kustra will speak. Tickets for the game can be purchased online. The Stampede and Boise State are teaming up for a special BSU gathering will be held for fans who show their game tickets.
The Boise State men’s tennis team turned heads this weekend by sweeping their weekend duals to keep the winning steak at 13 matches in a row.

The Broncos are now ranked No. 45 nationally, which they know can play a pivotal role in their post-season run, both nationally and locally. Boise State has fallen twice this season against Oregon State and Kansas State, but they have come out victorious against the Big Eight and Big 12 teams.

The men’s tennis team continued their 3-0 sweep of their weekend dual play.

Women’s tennis cruises through weekend

The Boise State women’s tennis team also swept their weekend duals to keep the winning streak at 13 matches in a row. The women’s tennis team finds itself climbing the national rankings and national attention has been seen four out of five duals.

Sunday afternoon saw Boise State face New Mexico and the Broncos were able to sweep both singles matches and two of three doubles matches to get the win.

The Bronco women dominated their three doubles matches to get the double points.

In the singles matches Piotr Dilaj defeated Ryan Kassautski (6-4, 6-2) to keep the winning streak at 13 matches in a row. Steve Robertson defeated Eric Roberson (6-4, 6-2) to keep the winning streak at 13 matches in a row.

The No. 27-ranked Broncomen’s \( \frac{8}{8} \) ranked team faced the higher ranking ten rungs team is on a mission to win.

Veskimagi (8-6) to start the weekend. Winning five of six matches in the three doubles matches to get the win.

Robertson defeated Alan Lewis in the second doubles match and Robertson routed his victim on Friday at the Appleton Tennis Center to improve to 9-2 overall.

Robertson then defeat John Hieb (6-1, 6-1) and Eric Roberson defeated Rob Chalkley (6-4, 6-3).

The double points are everything. Boise Head Coach Greg Potts said, "If we lose a double point we lose our match today. Doubles are a key factor in every match."

In the singles matches there was a split. Luke Shields beat Ross Osman at number one singles on the Bronco further out in front of the match.

Clancy Shields knocked off Robert Robertson (6-4, 6-2) in the second singles match and Robertson quickly bested Parkinson (6-4, 6-2) in the third. The other three matches were all decided in the first set.

Overall, this was a strong match for Boise State. The Bronco win was their sixth in a row and they are now 8-2 on the season.

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