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No mention of the homeless in Wilkinson's budget

RAY EGAN STAFF WRITER

Although Gov. Wallace Wilkinson's \$1 billion budget includes many items for bettering the Commonwealth, Wilkinson left one group out...the homeless.

On Feb. 3, the Northern Kentucky Legislative Caucus was held at Northern Kentucky University. One of the topics on the agenda was to address the growing concern of the homeless.

With Gov. Wilkinson's budget one of the main issues at the session, State Representative Bill Donnermeyer said, "There is no mention of the homeless in the budget."

Donnermeyer, of Bellevue, has written

his own bill, House Bill 357, to see that the homeless are, indeed, helped. The criteria of the bill stems directly to the housing of these low income people.

Donnermeyer sees that the problem exists in the system.

"The Kentucky Housing corporation was originally set up to help the low income people, but as time progressed the corporation drifted away from them (low income families) to higher income families, said Donnermeyer.

He went on by saying that real estate companies are opposed to these types of

Also in the fight to help the homeless is Michelle Budzek, chair of the Kentucky Coalition for the Homeless and in charge of The Welcome House, here in Northern Kentucky. According to Budzek, an "affordable housing fund is needed for low income people."

While she has been involved with the homeless, Budzek has seen a "25 percent" increase in the number of women and children needing a place to live.

According to the Coalition, The Kentucky Homeless Person's Assistance Act of 1990 will be presented to legislators during the General Assembly which began on Jan. 2 and will end on April 12. The key components of the bill are the following:

1. Establishes a permanent housing

fund by legislation.

2. It dedicates an ongoing source of revenue to the fund.

3. It targets exclusively very low income people.

 It administers the fund at a state level through the Kentucky Housing Corporation with citizen participation on an advisory council.

For more information involving the homeless or if you are wishing to join the coalition, please call the Kentucky Coalition for the Homeless at (606) 431.8717 or write to:

Kentucky Coalition for the Homeless,

Covington, Ky., 41011

Free speech zone relocated due to unsafe railings

GLEN GILMORE STAFF WRITER

The free speech zone has been relocated. The former area between University Center and BEP (Business, Education and Psychology) was an inconvenience. The new location has been placed on the northwest corner of University Center near Nunn Hall. This course of action was implemented by the Board of Trustees.

Dean Bill Lamb stated that many professors were complaining of the crowd noise created by free speech prospects, their followers and onlookers. The uproar that was present during class time hours was not conducive for learning. Scott Kappas, president of student government, expressed a genuine

concern for the safety of the participants in free speech. He stated that the guard



The free speech zone in front of BEP had to be moved, photo by Scott Rigney.

rails that students were leaning on, were not designed to withstand that type of pressure.

At times, he explained, there would be up to three people deep on the rails. The rail is fastened by a 3/4" bolt to the bridge and plaza level sidewalk. Kappas also reported many students were complaining to student government to address the situation. The issue of safety was an emphasized topic among the two men mentioned and President Leon

President Boothe recapitulated on the of safety and class disruptions. No one was available from DPS due to the absence of an official department head. The free speech area move should not create any traffic or congestion problems.

Virus hits computers at NKU

NORTHERN STAFF REPORT

Northern Kentucky University's computers are suffering from a virus. Between 10 and 15 Mcintosh computers in the art department are affected.

Charles Hawkins, director of academic computing, said he was contacted Feb. 8 that the virus had contaminated the printing process.

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A virus is a piece of computer code brought in from the outside on a disk or over a network.

The virus spreads from one disk to another, causing each computer using one of the fouled disks to malfunction.

"Once in the computer, it will write itself on any disk you put in the system,"

Hawkins said the art department has ordered a program that will hunt for the virus and kill it.

Computer viruses are fairly common, Hawkins said,m and during the last year NKU has had four or five cases.

Hawkins said he had no other reported cases of virus but there always is the possibility it could spread.

"The only thing we can do is keep up to date on the virus protection program," Hawkins said.

New art displays opens for Valentine's season

ANGELA SAKKINEN AND MARTY SOSNOWSKI

The Contemporary Arts Center opens the Valentine season with three new exhibits on display from Feb. 9 until March 24.

The first exhibit is a thought-provoking display of ceramic art by New York City-based artist Michael Lucero.

Lucero's work focuses on the human heart. Lucero stacks, forms and paints ceramic hearts into bizarre and unusual

Lucero stated he became interested in the heart when he used one in a previous bronze sculpture.

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Artist Houston Conwill.

News

Anti-drug efforts on campuses are a flop, observers say

'It's a copout'; govt. officials say 'It's to early to tell'

COLLEGE PRESS SERVICE

Even as President Bush prepared to go to Colombia by claiming there's been "notable progress" in the war on drugs, academia's officials said anti-drug efforts on college campuses are failing.

A number of the campus officials who are supposed to lead the charge on illicit drugs, morever, have flatly refused to do

"i don't think institutions believe it's their responsibility to become Big Brother," said Dallas Martin of the National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators

Aid officials at Nebraska and Harvard universities and at the University of California at Berkeley recently admitted that, aside from collecting signatures on aid forms, they're doing nothing to help enforce the federal search for student

Aid officials at other campuses have not reported any student drug users' names to the U.S. Department of Education since July 1, 1989, when a new law empowered the department to strip students convicted of drug offenses of their federal financial aid.

"It's a little too early to tell" if the law will work, asserted Education Dept. spokesman Phil Cauthen.

Nevertheless, four state governors advocated tightening the noose on students a little more in recent weeks.

In their list of new laws they would like passed, both Nebraska Gov. Kay Orr and Georgia Gov. Tommy Thompson separately proposed in mid-January to make state schools expel students convicted of drug offenses.

In Arizona and Wisconsin, lawmakers will consider bills to cut off state financial aid to student drug users.

"The complaint I'm hearing is "Why am I being held at such a higher standard than someone who is rich?" reported Jim Smith of the Wisconsin Student Association of the measure, under which student drug users who don't get state aid--presumably because they are wealthy enough not to need it--could continue to attend classes.

Statewide student associations in Florida, Oregon, California and Arizona have passed resolutions denouncing federal and state government efforts to tie financial aid to the "drug war."

The 1988 Drug-Free Workplace Act and Bush's September, 1989, anti-drug initiative would force students who get Pell Grants to sign a pledge that they will not use illegal substances.

By 1991, all campuses are supposed to have anti-drug programs in place, along with the means to expel collegians convicted of drug offenses

Already, campus aid officials are supposed to report students convicted of drug crimes to the Dept. of Education, which is then to take the money away.

Legally, the student also may be prosecuted for fraudulently signing the agreement not to use drugs, fined \$10,000 and sent to jail for five years.

"Financial aid is losing its purpose, which is to provide higher education<" said Jose Huizar of the student government at Cal-Berkely, where in late September about 50 students and non-students gathered on the campus for a "smoke-in" to protest the oath.

Few students seem to equate such oaths and threats with a serious anti-drug

"I don't think it's going to have any bearing on anyone," said Julianne Marley, head of the U.S. Student Association, which represents students campus presidents in Washington, D.C.

"It's a copout, a nice way to think, 'Oh, we're doing something for the war on drugs," she added.

Even the nation's top "drug warriors" agree. "I'm sure they will concede it's not a great deterrent," allowed Bennett aide David Robb. "If people are going to sign something and not comply, that's up to

Robb also maintained that when it comes to illegal drugs, "all too often, universities are looking the other way."

Yet Bush and Bennett, who on Jan. 25 proposed putting another \$1.1 billion in the effort, both believe the drug war is successful

"The momentum is shifting," Bennett said. "The scourge is beginning to end."

Recent studies suggest that the scourge has been diminishing for several years. Researchers at the University of Michigan, who annually report on drug use among high school students, found that the number of college students using illicit drugs has been steadily declining. In 1986, 40.9 percent of collegians said they had used marijuana during the prior year. In 1988, the figure was down to 34.6 percent. For cocaine, 17.1 percent said in 1986 they'd used it in the year. In 1988, 10 percent reported cocaine use in the past year.

Crack use among college students is rare. In 1986, 1.3 percent said they'd tried the drug, while in 1988, 1.4 percent had

When he was secretary of education two years ago, Bennett said he was shocked to hear campus officials complain about enforcing anti-drug use policies, Robb related.

Bush's proposals lead to educational losses

COLLEGE PRESS SERVICE

Even as he called in his Jan. 31 State of the Union address to reform American schools, President George Bush proposed a federal budget that would cause more than a million collegians to lose all or part of their financial aid, observers maintained.

More than 300,000 students would lose aid if two Bush budget items -- to kill the State Student Incentive Grant (SSIG) program and cut funding for Perkins student Loans -- pass.

Another 1.3 million students would lose \$200 Pell Grants or have their grants cut by \$50 if Congress approves Bush's proposals.

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.Tem Tekulv

The president also proposed cutting funding for the Stafford Loan program, used by 3.7 million students this school year, by \$500 million, down to a total 3.3

Then, in his state of the Union address, delivered hours after he submitted a 3-inch thick book of budget proposals to Congress, the president urged schools to do better and to make U.S. students "first in the world in math and science" by the

"If I was going to do a report card for 'the Education President,' I'd give him a B-plus for rhetoric, a C-minus for finance and an A for political science," said Dallas Martin, head of the National Association of Student financial aid Administrators

The \$1.23 trillion budget for the nation includes \$24.6 billion for education -- up from \$24.1 billion -- but it is slightly less than half of what is needed to keep up with inflation. The proposed budget will supply money to the U.S. Department of Education, which administers most federal college programs, for the Oct.1, 1990 through Sept. 30, 1991 fiscal year.

Of that amount, a \$500 million increase to \$1.9 billion -- goes for the Head Start program, which helps underprivileged preschoolers.

"He's certainly not the Education President when it comes to funds," added Susan Frost of the Committee for Education Funding (CEF), a Washington, D.C., lobbying group.

"It's a mistake to measure Bush's commitment by the amount of money he spends," countered David Boaz of the Cato Institute, a conservative think-tank that says more money isn't the key to improving education.

Student and college lobbyists in Washington, D.C., however, contend money is a key.

"Unless (Bush) increases grants and loans, he's not helping. What good is getting students prepared to go to college if they can't get financial aid?" asked Janet Lieberman of the United States Student Association (USSA), a Washington, D.C., group that represents student government presidents.

The administration assumes students who can't get loans will turn to the Pell Grant program for aid.

While Bush did propose increasing Pell Grant funding by \$473 million, it's less than the 4.5 percent increase needed to

keep up with the inflation rate. In addition, all but \$100 million of the added money would go toward covering Gramm-Rudman deficit reduction requirements for 1989 and 1990.

As a result, some analysts predict about 14,000 students would lose their \$200 grants altogether, and another 1.3 million students would have their awards cut by

The budget "shows insensitivity to students who need financial help. I think it will definitely cause some students not to go to college," said Arizona State University student Michael Thompson.

"Bush ran on the platform that education was important, but he has yet to show that. What he has done with the budget goes against everything he said, asserted University of Missouri at Columbia graduate student Scott Cook.

"He might be saving some bucks now, but I wonder how much it will hurt us in the long run? If people have to drop out of school because they can't afford it, (The U.S.) will become less competitive in the world market," Cook added.

Bush's first solo effort isn't much different from the Reagan years. Last See BUDGET page 13

Tevera compares Zimbabwe to rights movement

LEM DAVIS ASSISTANT AD MANAGER

"Many of the strategies that were successful during the civil rights movement in the 60's were used in Zimbabwe's struggle for freedom," said Dr. Daniel Tevera before a capacity crowed of 75 people in Landrum building on Feb. 5,1990.

Tevera's lecture entitled, "Zimbabwe: A Model of Black Independence," was the first event that kicked off Black History Month at NKU.

Tevera said little is known about

Zimbabwe in this country. He went on to explain that Zimbabwe is the size of the state of Texas with a population of 8 million people.

Independence came to Zimbabwe in April of 1980 after a hard fought war. Tevera said, "Some of the things Zimbabwe went through is what South Africa is experiencing now."

Tevera went on to explain some of the reasons the white minority population didn't want to give up power to the black majority:

-Whites didn't want one-man-one vote

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-Whites were afraid that the economy would collapse if blacks controlled it.

-Whites were afraid of the blacks' retaliation toward them if the blacks controlled the country.

Zimbabwe is a country that has recovered from war and has a lot of positive accomplishments to show for it. Tevera said a lot of things have been achieved in a short time of Zimbabwe's independence:

-Peace and Justice have come to Zimbabwe. -The establishment of a multi-racial society in which white and blacks share power.

-The economy has not collapsed; it's as strong as ever.

-Advancement in the area of education and health

-The establishment of an African education combined with a European education.

-Over 300 new schools have been established in rural areas of the country.

"Much has been accomplished," said Tevera, "but much needs to be done."

Last weekends Indian art display impressives NKU students

MARILYNN ANDERSON STAFF WRITER

A triad of Native American Artists from the Institute of American Indian Arts in Santa Fe, NM, displayed contemporary Indian art last Friday at NKU.

The presentation was held in Landrum 506 and was sponsored by the Anthropology Club and The Cincinnati Museum of Natural History.

Wendy Ponca, an Osage Indian and department head of fashion design for IAIA, along with student designers Pilar Agoyo of the San Juan Pueblos of New Mexico and Terran Otis of the Nez Perce tribe, displayed contemporary art designs of beads and woven fabrics.

Bare-chested warriors astride painted ponies were absent in these designs. Instead, soft satin airplanes wing their way across woven wall hangings and blankets. "Indians must progress and move into the world," said Ponca, adding that Native American art is reflective of today's world. As for forthcoming designs, the space shuttle may blast across future creations.

Agoyo modeled a black leather vest, which she designed, complete with a bone breastplate attached with handcrafted silver buttons. Traditional Indian artistry was in the form of beaded key chains and pen and pencil covers with the American flag intricately crafted

n the design.

A peyote stitch is used in the circular pattern of the covering, and takes four hours to complete, said Otis.

"I'm impressed with their work," said Donna Elkins, and NKU student . Michelle Willoughby, another student who attended the presentation said, "They are very talented."

Ponca studied at the Parsons School of Art and Design in New York, the California College of Arts and Crafts program in Greece, and the IAIA in Santa Fe. She has worked with the Santa Fe Opera in costume design and as a weaver both at the Christina Bergh studio and the Spider Woman Gallery in Santa Fe.

Ponca's work in in the collections of the

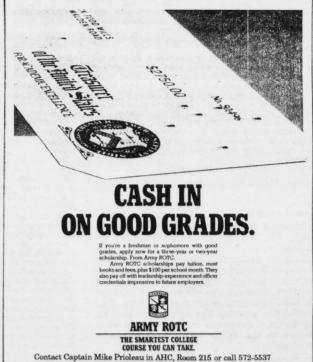
IAIA permanent collection, Robbie Robertson, Elaine Horwitch, and the Smithsonian Institute Permanent Collection and in the traveling exhibition "Lost and Found Traditions."

Ponca's clothing has been modeled and exhibited at the IAIA, the Museum of American Indian Arts and Culture, Santa Fe Opera, Albuquerque Museum of Natural History, Indian Arts Center in Denver, Club West, La Fonda, La Tertulia, Comme Chez Vous and Los Llanos Gallery.

She has been the subject of television and film in "10 American Indian Artists" by the Smithsonian Institute Archives in 1984 and NBC Nightly News in 1987.

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Do we have amnesia?

MELISSALAUER

The response for the "Reader's View" page has been overwhelming. I'm glad to see you are taking the time to express your opinions, and I'm glad to see you do have opinions to express.

But there's a big problem. You don't know how to follow directions very well.

I can't take the responsibility for your letters. To have a letter published in The Northerner it must include your name, phone number and if you know it, your address

You'd think this would be simple, but it seems some of you don't know your own name. Well, maybe I should say you don't know your real name. It appears that NKU is not only suffering from a computer virus, but amnesia must be going around too.

I've received letters signed "Sam", "B.L.P.", "Dan", etc. If you don't have the guts to put your real name on your letter don't bother sending it because I don't have time to read it. I also don't have time to bother looking in the student directory or calling registration to see if you really

And about sending your letter, don't slide it under the door, hand it to Student Government or give it to your best friend's neighbor to deliver it because I file those under W" for waste.

If you're such a coward, why are you writing a letter in the first place? If you're half a man (or woman) and you have any gumption about you at all, hand deliver your letter to me in UC room 209. But I'm not sure you have the nerve to stroll up here.

I don't bite, all the time. Besides, I've had my shots. So read the following and please get it right next time. Thanks

P.S. Please proof read. Thanks, again.

Directions for Letters to the Editor:

All letters must be typed or clearly printed and limited to 200 words or less. Letters are due in The Northerner office Thursday for publication on Tuesday. Each letter must include the author's name and phone number. We can under special circumstances protect the author's anonymity. Each letter will be printed verbatim. However, the editorial staff reserves the right to edit objectionable material. The Northerner reserves the right not to publish any letter if the above criteria are not met. Letters to the Editor are encouraged and welcomed.



Tuition increase causes moans & groans

BARB BOLENDER-

The moans and groans have already begun emanating from the students' mouths. Tuition will increase next fall. Again.

My question is: Is anyone surprised? I don't think so. And as much as I love to complain about this university, a tuition increase is one thing that makes sense to me.

Think about it. All anyone ever does around here is complain. We want more parking. We want more money for sports, fine arts, campus repairs, and academic programs.

We want a good reputation as a quality learning institution with wonderful educational opportunities, the best professors, a staff that cares about the students, interesting campus activities, and the best facilities money can buy.

But don't get us wrong. We don't want to have to pay for these things. We want the best of everything, but we want it CHEAP!

Well, as the saying goes, you can't get something for nothing. And in case no one has bothered to check, you also can't get a college education anywhere around here for less than \$1500 a year. Except here, that is.

Let me be the first to admit that I abhorred this place when I came here as a transfer student from Morehead. I found the staff to be rude and uncaring. I got the runaround in the admissions office, and three out of four of my professors read straight from the book. No lecture, no discussion. And I could read better than they could.

The worst thing, however, was that I had to buy an undergraduate catalog. You know, that book you need that has the list of requirements for graduation. That book that dozens of universities will send you for free if you even think about attending there. I had to buy one. I know it was a mere two dollars, but the principle of the thing really bothered

As a senior I realize that once you get into your major, the professors get better, you get to know the staff and realize that they are overworked and underpaid, and you still get the runaround. But what do you want for 600 bucks a semester?

I might also add that general studies professors who take their lesson plan straight from the book are the exception, not the rule. My intent is not to offend, however I was offended and insulted that the university would employ such people.

The point is, if you want an education you can be proud of, you're going to have to pay for it. This place is expanding and improving all the time. (Hint: Look across the lake at the big new building that opened this semester. You'll see what I mean.) Enrollment is up, and maybe some day apathy will subside and

people will actually be happy here. Just remember as you dig deeper into your pockets next semester that things are improving, and maybe your education will improve as a result. You all know the song, so sing along: "Money changes everything.

Readers'Views

Letters to the Editor:

Reader asks DPS,'Do mistakes happen?'

Dear Officer 105,

Last night I made the discovery that you had decided I was in violation of campus parking regulations for failure to display a valid parking sticker. When I brought my car to your office this morning, it was examined by a staff member who verified that a valid sticker was properly displayed. Somehow, it appears that you made an error.

We all make mistakes but let me ask you, if I make a mistake and park illegally, will you say "Oh, no problem, mistakes happen?" I doubt it. I had to spend my time correcting your error this morning. Since it is campus policy to put students first, how about a simple apology for your error. I noticed that there is a sign posted in your offices that says "Rudeness is a weak man's way of feeling powerful". May I suggest a corollary that "Arrogance is Ignorance".

Public employees are being investigated by the local media in

Hamilton and Cincinnati. An old television show about police started each week with "Let's be careful out there." This not only applies to your personal safety but also about how you do your job. Please leave your ticket quota and ego at home and perform your job properly so that others do not have to waste their time correcting your mistakes.

Thank you, 309-62-8390

Student says, 'Research the facts.'

To the Editor:

I'm a baseball fan, and I am getting tired of seeing the sport drug through the mud by three women who obviously know nothing about the sport.

It all began a few short weeks ago in a column by Mari Beth Lienhardt titled "Isn't That So Dumb?" (as it should be called after all the "swell" stories that came from it). Researching facts is a vital part of all of journalism. Get the facts messed up and your credibility is shot. BANG!!!!

She knows little about the sport, and

even tells us this, but she still went on to make generalizations about Eric Davis. He is a good player who gets a bad rap from unknown writers like yourself. Then, Tom Handorf wrote a letter trying to set the facts straight, and he was called a sexist and chauvinistic. All he did was give the readers the truth, and a few people tried to degrade him and his physical features.

I am going to try to end this once and for all. Bridget, you are gravely mistaken on your facts. The Twins and the Yankees are both teams that finished in fourth place with sub-.500 seasons last year. That means they <u>lost</u> more games than they <u>won</u>. Real impressive!!

Blanton, -as far as sports players getting a salary, I'm sure that you don't work for free. Besides, a lot of their money goes to charities.

Hopefully, this letter will put an end to this verbal warfare that would not have started had someone researched her facts.

ISN'T THAT SO?

Henry Jones, Jr.

Reader wants to make a few points

To the Editor:

In response to the "contributions" by Lienhardt, Bauman, and Blanton, I would like to point out a few things to you... shall I call you "ladies," or is that demeaning?

Eric Davis nor any other sports personality should make that much money. I personally don't think anybody is worth \$3 million a year. But if that's the going rate for players of Davis' caliber, then that's what he deserves and nothing less. If you're a sales clerk and the normal wage is \$4 an hour, are you going to take \$2 an hour? NO! You want and expect the normal rate and so does Davis.

Next, I would like to assure you that Tom Handorf doesn't feel "a woman could not be knowledgeable enough about sports to criticize a part of it." I can assure you this simply because I, as a woman, know plenty about sports, and Tom himself will tell you this. Don't get me wrong, I'm not saying that I know all there is to know about sports, but I do know the difference between a safety (two points), a free safety (David Fulcher #1), and a free throw (Larry Bird's current streak).

I also know enough to challenge your (Bridget's) statement concerning the Twins and Yankees. You say they earn

their salaries by winning their games, but that is so off-base that I'm about to pick you off (who knows how you got there in the first place). The final 1989 stats showed the Yankees won 74 games and lost 87! The Twins fared better, winning 80 games and losing 82. That's less than .500, not a winning season.

Also, according to the Elias Sports Bureau (which ranks baseball players on their cumulative stats over a two year period) Davis is the the #1 National League outfielder. He also has several Gold Gloves (defense) and Silver Slugger (offense) awards to boot. Sound mediocre to you?

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Valentine's day, the day for love

My earliest recollections of Valentine's Day revolve around the exchanges of heart shaped cards. Later I learned to give my sweetheart roses. Seemingly the older one gets the more involved the ritual is to become.

But I called a halt to all the commercialized superficiality some time ago. I grant that the Valentine's Day ritual

is no organized plot by greeting card companies and / or florists, yet it all seems so contrived, so manufactured.

What of the honest sentiment, open expression of feelings, tender caress, that personal touch? If ever there was a day for physical expression of love this must be it - Valentine's Day!

Charles Dreyer

Eng. 391 thanks reader for response

We would like to thank Mr. Ljubomir Nacev for his reasoned, thoughtful, and interesting response to the issue of major league baseball player salaries. We appreciate and welcome all such responses--responses that deep to the issue and avoid the ad hominem fallacy.

Sincerely, Paul Ellis

Isn't that so?

This column is written by an NKU persuasive writing student, ENG. 391.

DAWN BLANTON CONTRIBUTOR

What has happened to the 1960's activists who fought for Vietnam to end, rights of men, women and the environment? Sure, some of what they stood for is gladly gone, and yes, not everyone can be expected to give up their jobs, live in poverty and campaign for world peace. And no, I'm not here to cram '60's memorabilia down your throat.

Although I'm only 20. I've probably heard enough about Woodstock to last a lifetime. But what about the fact that they took a stand? They had issues concerning the world that they were willing to fight for and win. They had strong opinions they wanted to express and share. Yes, there probably were many of them just in it because their friends were or for other non-issue reasons, but the few that did care about something other than their own lives seem to greatly outnumber the few people that feel that way today.

Today, more people are concerned with whether their lawns are

Today, more people are concerned with whether thair lawns are manicured or if they drive a Morcedes than with the fact that we, in the United States, are being contaminated by the tons of chemicals poured into our drinking supplies daily. Many are more worried about the quality of their hairspray and whether they have at least three pieces of Polo merchandise than if their serosol cans are eating away the ozone layer.

I really wish something would cause all of us to wake up, get up, and do something. Responsibility is a lesson that needs to be taught and experienced. We need to pass on the idea that we are responsible for the environment and for the less fortunate.

Children who live their lives within a shell, thinking only of themselves, will naturally become adults who do the same. And with each generation, apathy becomes more dangerous.

Maybe the reason why many sit in their suburban homes, watching Brady Bunch specials and not contributing or fighting for anything is that they don't think one person can make a difference. But, one person can make a difference.

The adults of today, in general, are just not responsible for current issues. The adults were once the '60's activists who wanted to change the world. Yet somehow, with the age of self-consumption, the 'me' generation, and 'looking out for number one," they lost that desire.

Now they are the ones promoting the See ACTIVISTS page 7

Flowers, hearts, candy and cupids are not all there is

MICHELLE WILLOUGHBY STAFF WRITER

Everyone is familiar with the traditional St. Valentine's Day customs store bought valentines, red paper hearts, boxed candy, red roses and fat, winged children called cupids. However, not everyone knows the origins of St. Valentine's Day.

Here are some facts that you may not have known:

Some authorities believe that St. Valentine's Day can be traced to an ancient Roman festival called Lupercalia held on Feb.15 to ensure protection from wolves. Young men struck people with strips of animal. Women were struck by the young men because it was thought that they would be more fertile.

After the British were conquered by the Romans in A.D. 43, the British borrowed many Roman festivals. The festival of Lupercalia was linked with St. Valentine's Day because of the similar date and the connection with fertility. However,

authorities say that St. Valentine's day falls on the day of a traditional

celebration of spring going back to the Roman fertility festival of Juno Februata.

Still, others say the date is connected with one or more saints who are the following:

Valentine of Rome, a priest who was to have been martyred about A.D. 269 during the persecution ordered by Claudine the Goth (Encyclopedia American).

Valentine, bishop of Terni, healed a deformed son of a Greek rhetorician.

They are both indicated to have been beheaded on the Flaminian Way, one near Rome and the other in Terni. However, the Encyclopedia American states that there may have been only one city to the other for execution with the result that the two cults arose. In A.D. 496, Pope Gelasius named February as St. Valentines Day.

Also, earliest English records on St. Valentine's Day say that birds were to have mated on that day. A different calender was used before 1582, and February came on what is now known as Feb. 24. The World Book says that Geoffrey Chaucer wrote in The Parliament of Fowls, "For this was on St.

Valentine's Day, when every fowl cometh there to choose his mate." Shakespeare also mentioned this belief in A Midsummer Night's Dream. A character in the play discovers two lovers in the woods and asks," St. Valentine is past; / Begin these woodbirds but to couple now?"

The following are some St. Valentine's Day customs that you may not have known:

The sending of love notes is dated as early as the 1400's. Some historians have traced the custom of sending verses on Valentine's Day to the duke of Orleans, who was captured in the Battle of Agincourt in 1415 by the British. He sent his wife a love verse from the Tower of London on Valentine's Day.

In 18th century England, single women wrote men's names on scraps of paper, rolled each in a little piece of clay and dropped them all in the water. The first paper that rose to the surface supposedly had the name of a woman's true love. They also pinned five bay leaves on their pillows, one leaf to the center of the pillow and one to each corner, on the eve of Valentine's Day.

One of the oldest customs was the

practice of writing women's names on slips of paper and drawing them from a jar. The women whose names were drawn by the men were to become their valentines. Many of the men gave gifts to their valentines. Gradually, the custom of sending romantic messages replaced gifts.

In the 1700's and 1800's, a person could find handbooks on valentine writing in many stores. The books gave verses to copy and suggestions on how to write valentines.

The first commercial valentines were made in the early 1800's. Kate Greenaway, a British artist, became famous for cards featuring pictures of children and graceful gardens. In Esther A. Howland of Worcester, Mass., became the first U.S. manufacturer of valentines after seeing them in Great Britain.

The Encyclopedia says that many valentines were hand painted. Some featured a fat cupid or showed arrows piercing a heart. Many cards had satin, ribbon, or lace trim. Others were decorated with dried flowers, feathers, imitation jewels, mother-of-pearl, sea shells, or tassels. Some cards cost as much as \$10.

Willard, award-winning author, to visit NKU February 14 and 15

KELLI McCARTHY STAFF WRITER

Northern Kentucky University will be receiving a visit from award-winning author Nancy Willard, Feb.14-15.



Author Nancy Willard.

Willard will be a guest of the Northern Kentucky Young Authors Program, which will be co-sponsored by NKU and The Kentucky Post.

Her appearances will be in the University Center Theatre, Wednesday, Feb. 14, 1:15-2:15, at which time she will discuss her life as a poet and a novelist. At 7:30 p.m., Willard will give a free reading from poetry and fiction she has written for adults.

Among other visits in the Northern Kentucky area, Willard will be autographing copies of her works at the Blue Marble Bookstore in Ft. Thomas from 4-5 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 15. She will also be talking about about writing and literature when she visits students in area schools.

Willard's works include one novel, two short story collections, two collections of essays on reading, writing and literature and eight published collections of poetry, the latest known as Walter Walker. Also in print are: Firebrat, a novel for young readers, and A Visit to William Blake's Inn, a Newberry Medal winning poetry collection.

Poster/essay contest offered

ROB DUNAWAY STAFF WRITER

In celebration of Black History Month, the Office of Minority Affairs is sponsoring a poster and essay contest to highlight the unity and struggle of black Americans.

The contests are open to all NKU students and the purpose, according to Teretha Prioleau, coordinator of Minority Affairs, of black history in America.

Posters and essays will be judged by a panel consisting of members of NKU faculty and administrative personnel with a cash prize of \$50 being awarded to the winner in each category.

All entries must be submitted to the office of Minority affairs by Feb. 22, 1990. Winners will be notified on Feb. 27, 1990 and the awards will be presented at the Black History Dinner on Feb. 28 in the University Center ballroom.

Further information may be obtained by calling 572-5214.

Forum on education given

NORTHERN STAFF REPORT

The Covington-Kenton County Jaycees present a public forum Education - Crisis in Kentucky, Where Do We Stand?" concerning the current status of the Kentucky Education System at Thomas More College on Monday, Feb. 19.7 p.m.

Forum speakers will include:

Dr. Charles Bensman, President of Thomas More College Master of Ceremonies.

Jack Moreland, Superintendent of Dayton Schools Plaintiff in suit declaring the Kentucky educational system as unconstitutional.

Justice Donald C. Wintersheimer,

Kentucky Supreme Court, Why the educational system was declared unconstitutional.

Betty Daniels, Pritchard Committee, Kentucky citizen's advocacy group covering education.

Joseph Meyer, State Senator, --District

Thomas Kerr, State Representative,
-District

Lawson Walker, State Representative, -District will individually address the current status of educational reform by the General Assembly.

Admission for the forum will be \$2 and refreshments will be provided.

The forum is sponsored by The Fifth Third Bank of Kenton County.

ART from front page -

Lucero describes his work as interesting and said, "That's the magic of art. I like to stack and shape them into ways that make you think about what you're seeing."

Lucero's hearts appear in various forms and sizes. Some are single, large hearts (nearly 3 feet long and 2 feet high). While others are stacked upright, one upon the other, in totems standing almost 12 feet high.

Some of the hearts were painted with images of nature and range from serious to fun, such as the humorous Self-Portrait.

Some of the hearts are dipped in red glaze, suggesting ritual destruction or celebration o the hearts sustaining power.

Next is the art of Japanese artist Masami Teraoka. Waves and Plagues featured 33 large watercolor and ink works.

The Hananuma Bay series blends East and West in which samurai and geishas conflict with ironic absurdity.

In the Waves, Teraoka portrays a sea that undulates with erotic and fantastic narratives

Teraoka's Aids series contains beautifully rendered works that explore a serious current health concern. He uses ancient Japanese style which results in works that are both disturbing and seductive at once.

Finally, to commemorate Black

History month, the center will feature Houston Conwill's The New Cakewalk.

Based on traditional African communal circle dances, the cakewalk was performed to amuse slave masters but included elements of mockery and subversion.

It featured slaves competing with each other for cakes given out by their masters

New Cakewalk refers metaphorically to a pilgrimage through hell to heaven, set in the South, a region Conwill views as vital but unrecognized.

Through his art, Conwill proposes to keep cultural memories alive as a means of self-definition, affirmation and healing.

On Feb. 25 at 3 p.m., a special program will explore the cakewalk. Following an actual performance of the walk by W.E. Dance, New York City-based.

Conwill will discuss how he uses the dance as a metaphor for the history and achievements of blacks in the South.

Refreshments will be served.

The Contemporary Arts Center is a wonderful place. If you've been before,

If you've never been make it a point tostop by. The center is located one half' block east of Fountain Square, 5th Street, in the Mercantile Center in the skywalk.

Hours are Monday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. For more information call 721-0390.



Artist Michael Lucero, photo by Marty Sosnowski.

ACTIVISTS from page 5_

sale of BMWs and caviar rather than civil rights. Who can blame the adolescents of today, when it seems that most of those "60's "flower children" live in penthouses and get manicures , when it seems that they grew up to believe that materialism was the path to take, when the whole capitalistic world seems to center success on the acquisition of money.

We do have to start somewhere, and "non- caring" keeps getting worse as it passes from generation to generation. I, too, would sometimes rather ignore a "bum" begging for quarters on some doorstep. I'd rather forget the fact that our nation is capable of blowing up the world many times over but refuses to give the teachers of our future a needed raise. I would much rather dismiss the fact that we are teaching our children to be thin, blond athletic, rich and intolerant of those who aren't.

But if I refuse to face these issues, along with the millions of other apathetic individuals, not only will I suffer the consequences so will the

'UPTOWN' IS COOL, OUR LATEST CREATION.

We shouldn't be so consumed with the acquisition of money alone. We can me wealthy and still help others, that's not impossible. It's easy to get caught up in our own busy lives, but I think we all can find time to do something.

Something doesn't necessarily mean organizing a protest or heading a Homeless shelter. The type of action I'm calling for from all of us is simple, individual deeds. For example, instead of using aerosol cans use pumps, don't throw away pop cans- recycle them, and write letters to your political representatives on the issues that bother you. When your children bring home a letter about joining the PTA. join it and the next time you see a person begging for money, give them a dollar.

You don't have to dedicate two hours a day in public service to make a difference, we can all do a little that adds up to a significant contribution. We can make a difference.

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NKU celebrates TRIO week starting Mon., Feb. 19

NORTHERN STAFF REPORT

The TRIO programs at Northern Kentucky University, Educational Talent Search, Student Support Services and Upward Bound, are celebrating the week of Feb. 19 as National TRIO Week.

These programs, all federally-funded through the U.S. Department of Education and housed at NKU, are recognizing Northern's educational opportunity efforts during this week. All three programs primarily serve economically-disadvantaged students who are the first generation of their families to attend college.

Currently, over 1,000 students in Northern Kentucky and Greater Cincinnati are served by these TRIO programs. Educational Talent search provides post-secondary counseling and information to high school students and dropouts.

Upward Bound offers tutoring and counseling to high school students and has developed a summer residential program of enrichment activities on NKU's campus.

Student Support Services provides academic and personal support to college students and accommodation to disabled students. U.S Department of Education studies show that students enrolled in pre-college programs like these are four times as likely to receive a degree as comparable students. They also indicate low-income and minority students who receive appropriate counseling, tutoring and remedial instruction in a Student Support Services program are twice as



YO! BRO!

I'M RUR, I'M FAT

Studios already cranking out the Coming attractions for 1990's moviegoers

NORTHERN STAFF REPORT

The box office went "batty" last year, setting an all-tine high for money made, and that has made studios antsy to get to the next busy time of the year, summer.

One of the fired-up studios is

Universal Pictures. They had some bona fide blockbusters that made executives jump for joy. Some of their smashes, both critical and financial successes, included Back to the Future Part II, Parenthood, Field of Dreams, and two of this year's Oscar front-runners, Born on the Fourth of July and Do the Right Thing.

Their 1990 press kit, sent out to whet the moviegoers appetite, promises another serving of crowd-pleasing entertainment.

Leading the way is the eagerly-awaited Back to the Future Part III, which will conclude the

fantasy trilogy.

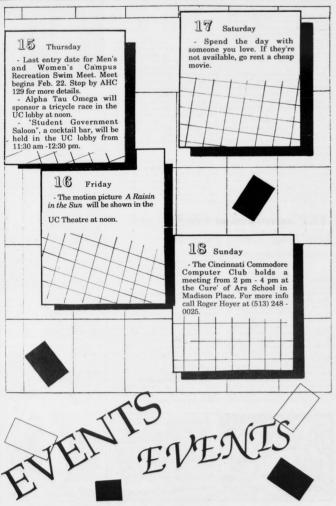
Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd,
Lea Thompson, and Future
newcomer Mary Steenburgen travel
to the old west to get back to the

Directed once again by Robert Zemeckis, the Future will arrive in theaters this summer.

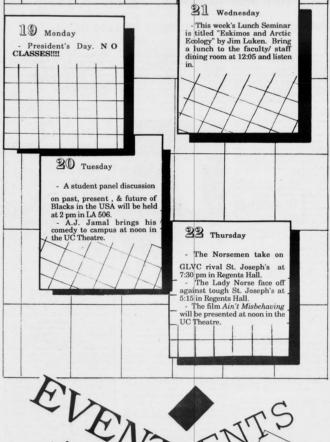


MICHAEL J. FOX and CHRISTOPHER LLOYD

CALENDAR



OF EVENTS



Mel Gibson and Goldie Hawn will Mel Gibson and Goldie Hawn will team up in the romantic comedy Bird on a Wire. They play old flames who are on a fun-filled romp across the country. John Badham directs. It's

coming in summer.

Bill Cosby takes a break from the rigors of weekly TV and Jello Pudding Pops to star in a family comedy helmed by Sidney Poitier tiltled Ghost Dad.

titlled Ghost Dad.

The story centers around a single parent (Cosby) whose run-in with the supernatural teaches him about getting closer with his kids. Shame on Bill. It is slated for a summer release.

Look out Roger Rabbit! The Jetsons are coming. The animated space age adventures of the beloved family hits the big screen this summer. Mel Blanc, Don Messick, and Tiffany provide the voices.

John Hughes next venture will be a comedy (real surprise) called Career

The movie centers on a guy who finds himself locked in a department store his first night and encounters two bumbling thieves and a local beauty. If things go bad, he could always get a job filling pot holes in

Cincinnati.
Christmas releases look promising, too. Things to look for are Spike (Do the Right Thing) Lee's Variations on the Mo' Better Blues. Chucky's return in Child's Play 2, and The Hard Way, which teams Michael J. Fox and James Woods in an action-comedy.



"JETSONS: THE MOVIE" Clockwise from lower left: ELROY, ASTRO, JUDY GEORGE and JANE JETSON

Sports

Lady Norse continue hex over Kentucky Wesleyan, 84-65

Sixth straight NCAA tournament trip hinges on fast finish

DON OWEN SPORTS EDITOR

Although Saturday night's 84-65 romp over Kentucky Wesleyan boosted the NKU Lady Norse's record to 15-6 (8-4 in the Great Lakes Valley Conference), receiving a sixth straight NCAA tournament bid will not be easy for Northern. The upcoming road trip to Ashland and IP-Ft. Wayne could determine the fate of NKU, one way or another.

But even should the Lady Norse win their remaining six games, a shot at another postseason appearance would still be in question. No one knows this fact better than NKU coach Nancy Winstel.

"It depends on what happens to other people," said Winstel, when asked to evaluate her team's chances at another NCAA trip. "I really feel if we can knock off a Ft. Wayne and a St. Joseph's-and that's looking ahead, and I don't want to do that--but if we can, they (NCAA selection committee) have got to look at us.

"The fourth and fifth place teams in our region, their records aren't any better than ours. We want to be noticed and have them say, 'Northern is starting to really come along.' The committee says they want to put the 32 best teams at that



NKU"s Valerie Gaerke, photo M.S.

time in the tournament. You can't tell me if we finish 21-6 that we're not one of the best 32 teams in the country."

The Lady Panthers of Kentucky Wesleyan (7-13, 3-8 GLVC) will not argue, as the Owensboro school fell to Northern for the thirteenth consecutive time, dating back to 1982. The Lady Norse jumped out to a quick 10-0 lead and led by a 36-13 count following a layup by Lori McClellan with 4:06 left in the first half. NKU took a 42-29 lead at the half and Wesleyan head coach Mike Simpson pulled no punches when explaining the reason why.

"Well, our play basically (bleeped)," said a disgruntled Simpson of his team's first-half effort. "Our girls didn't step up and meet the challenge, and Northern Kentucky just took it to us.

"I give Northern a lot of credit. They came out and played physical in a game the officials let be physical. They have a great ball club and and they stepped up and met the challenge."

Doing most of the damage in the first half was forward Holly Cauffman, who scored 14 points by the intermission. The 5-foot-11 senior from Springfield, Ohio, finished with 18 points and made Simpson take notice. "It hought Holly Cauffman played an excellent game," he said. "She's just an excellent player, and she really did some damage to us tonight."

The Lady Norse began the second half very sluggishly and watched their lead trimmed to 46-38 with just over 13 minutes left. Simpson wasn't sure what was responsible for his team's run. "After I raised all sorts of cane at the half, we came out and picked our intensity up a little bit," said Simpson, "but Northern probably had a bit of a letdown because we were so easy in the first half. We played more intense, but by the same token, we didn't do the things that it takes to win."

Winstel believed her team needed a spark to get the offense going and turned to the press. "I thought a lot of people played well in spots, but we had a little lull in the first five minutes of the second half and only scored four points," she said. "We went to our press, and despite the fact we gave up a few easy baskets, it got us moving and created some things for "us"."

NKU slowly extended its lead, building up a 76-55 advantage with 2:50 remaining. Christie Freppon score 10 of her 16 points in the second half and led all rebounders in the game with eight. Valerie Gaerke scored 12 points for Northern, while McClellan added 10 to give NKU four players in double figures.

The Lady Norse shot 35-of-69 (50.7 percent) from the field and outrebounded Wesleyan 42-35. Northern struggled from the free throw line, hitting on just 13-of-21 (61.9 percent) attempts.

Wesleyan, which dropped to 1-15 in the all-time series with NKU, was led by Stacy Calhoun's 20 points. Tracy Wilson was the only other Lady Panther in double figures with 11, as Northern held KWC to 20-of-50 (40 percent) from the floor. Heather Edwards, a 6-3 freshman who scored 16 points against Northern last month, was held to just two points. "I



Annie Levens, photo M.S.

didn't want them to come down the floor and spend all day trying to get the ball into 45 (Edwards)," said Winstel of her team's defensive effort. "She hurt us down there (at Owensboro), and we wanted to take her out of the offense."

NKU once again played without the services of 6-foot-1 sophomore Amy Middleton, who continues to be sidelined with hip and knee problems. The Lady Norse also received only 22 minutes of playing time from Linda Honigford, still recovering from a badly sprained ankle. Winstel is seeing some positives despite the injuries: the emergence of the guards.

"I think their confidence is showing," she said. "They have had to grow up, and grow up now. There's nothing like being tossed in the fire and having to do it, and I think this group has worked hard."

Whether the hard work will produce another trip to the NCAA tournament remains to be seen. But following this weekend's games at Ashland and Ft. Wayne, the Lady Norse should have a very clear picture of whether or not they will be playing in the postseason for a sixth consecutive year. Ky. Wesleyan (65)

Calhoun 5-11 9-10 20, Shade 1-3 0-4 2, Watson 3-8 0-0 6, Wilson 4-9 3-7 11, Edwards 1-5 0-0 2, King 3-5 0-0 7, Oakley 2-3 2-2 6, Riley 1-3 7-7 9, Smith 0-2 2-2, 2. Totals 20-50 23-32 65.

NKU (84)

Cauffman 8-11 2-4 18, Honigford 3-7 1-4 7, Freppon 8-12 0-0 16, Slone 3-6 2-2 9, Gaerke 4-11 4-4 12, Levens 2-3 0-1 4, McClellan 4-8 2-3 10, Wegley 1-3 0-0 2, Wohnhas 1-3 2-3 4, Moses 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 35-69 13-21 84.

NORSE NOTES Crowder wins GLVC award; Schmitz, Merrell hit milestones

NORTHERN STAFF REPORT

Corey Crowder, Kentucky Wesleyan's 6-foot-5 junior forward, was named last week's Great Lakes Valley Conference "Player of the Week." Crowder scored 44 points on 10-of-21 field goal shooting and 10-of-15 free throws, while pulling down 22 rebounds. The Carrollton, Ga., native also had seven steals, three assists and one blocked shot.

IP-Ft. Wayne's Teena Merrell and Ashland's Vickie Schmitz were named co. "Players of the Week." Merrell, a 5-10 senior from Kokomo, Ind., scored 48 points in two games, including 9-of-19 three-pointers. She also became IPFW's All-Time leading scorer with 1,412 points. Schmitz scored 43 points in two games, including 31 against St. Joseph's, to become the Lady Eagles' All-Time leading scorer with 1,327 points. The 5-11 senior also hit 58.8 percent of her field goal attempts and grabbed 10 rebounds.

In other GLVC news, the St. Joseph's Lady Pumas are one of only two undefeated teams left in Division II. The Pumas were ranked number eight in the nation last week and have a 21-game winning streak.

Kentucky Wesleyan moved into the No. 1 spot for the men, and now stand 21-1 on the season.

Top-Ranked Wesleyan spurts by Norsemen, 106-88

Crowder leads Panthers on second-half surge to escape NKU

BRIAN NEAL STAFF WRITER

Kentucky Wesleyan, the top-ranked team in NCAA Division II, rolled into Regents Hall Saturday night and powered past the NKU Norsemen, 106-88, in a Great Lakes Valley Conference game.

All-American Corey Crowder led the Panthers with a game-high 22 points and eight rebounds. However, this game was completely different than the last time these two teams met in Owensboro last Jan. 18 when Wesleyan blew NKU out 117-47, the worst defeat in school history.

Wayne Chapman, Wesleyan coach and father of NBA star Rex Chapman, said: "The last game was unreal. I mean, you couldn't use that as a measuring stick as to how good either team was.

"Coach Shields has done a great job of improving his young ball club all the way through."

The game was actually much closer than the final score indicated. Northern was only down by six (44-38) at the half and they trailed by only nine points, 79-70, with 9:12 left to play. A great deal of this had to do with NKU's guards, who handled the Panthers' pressure well.

Especially Nick Pangallo, who seemed to be on a mission to get the ball up the court, flying in and out of the taller players all night. Only late in the game did the much stronger Panthers wear down the Norsemen and finally pull away for good.

Northern coach Ken Shields has really held his team together and even though they saw their losing-streak reach 12 games, the Norse can consider this game and the heartbreaking loss to Southern Indiana on Thursday night as moral victories.

"Staying together through adversity is what we've been able to do," said Shields. "We try to function with the philosophy that we're all in this thing together.



KWC's Corey Crower, photo M.S.

"One of my basic philosophies is that when you're doing well, often times the coach gets too much credit. When you're doing poorly, sometimes, he gets too much discredit. But I'm the type of coach that I am a part of what transpires, and I've never tried to shirk that responsibility."

The Norsemen have improved dramatically, played with a lot of emotion and hung tough. "We're just staying in there, playing hard and we've got a goal to get better," Shields said. "We have got guys out there who are pretty good students that are making a conscientious effort, and they are doing the things they have to do to get better."

Said Chapman: "If they can add a couple of players... These young players have improved an awful lot this year. Ken's done a great job with them and in two or three years, they are going to be heard of in this league."

A crowd of 2,113 showed up to watch Northern take on national power Wesleyan, which is looking for a sixth national title. With the loss, NKU falls to 4-18, 1-11 in the GLVC. KWC improves to 21-1 and a league-leading 11-1.

Five Norsemen scored in double figures, led by 6-foot-8 freshman center Todd Svoboda's 17 points and 10 rebounds. George Smith and Jimmy Matthews both had 15, Nick Pangallo scored 11 and Deron Blasingame chipped in with 10.

For Wesleyan, other leading scorers were Bobby Newton and Vincent Mitchell with 12, Tim Griffin 11, while Steve Divine, Greg Baughn and Reggie Odom all tossed in 10.

Ky. Wesleyan (106)

Baughn 3-4 4-4 10, Rakes 0-1 2-3 2, Martin 3-8 3-4 9, Odom 4-6 2-4 10, Crowder 9-13 1-2 22, Mitchell 4-9 4-4 12, Griffin 3-6 4-4 11, Ellis 3-9 0-0 8, Newton 6-8 0-0 12, Divine 1-5 8-8 10. Totals 36-70 28-33 106.



Chris Russell, photo M.S.

NKU (88)

Smith 5-14 5-8 15, Svoboda 6-10 5-7 17, Russell 1-2 0-0 2, Matthews 5-11 3-4 15, Wilhoit 1-4 0-0 2, Blasingame 3-8 2-2 10, Marbrey 1-4 0-1 2, Brown 2-2 0-2 5, Pangallo 4-7 2-3 11, Phelia 3-8 0-0 7, Shea 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 32-71 17-27 88.

1989-90 Great Lakes Valley Conference Men's basketball standings

Team	GLVC	Overall
Kentucky Wesleyan	11-1	21-1
Ashland	10-2	18-4
Southern Indiana	9-2	16-5
Bellarmine	7-5	13-8
IPFW	7-6	17-6
Indianapolis	6-7	11-12
Kentucky State	4-8	8-12
St. Joseph's	3-9	11-9
Lewis		11-11
	3-10	4-18
Northern Kentucky	1-11	4-10

Women's basketball standings

Ceam_	GLVC	Overall
St. Joseph's	12-0	22-0
Bellarmine	11-1	19-3
PFW	9-4	17-6
	8-4	15-6
Northern Kentucky Lewis	7-6	14-7
Ashland	6-7	11-9
	5-8	9-12
ndianapolis	3-9	7-13
Kentucky Wesleyan	1-11	1-18
Kentucky State Southern Indiana	0-12	2-19

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Bogart's (University Village) 2621 Vine St. 281-8400 Feb. 16: John Prine Feb. 17: Seduce Feb. 18: The Visuals & Lazy Susans

Cory's (Clifton - Jazz,Blues) 1 E. McMillan Ave. 721-6339 Every Fri.&Sat.: Phil Blank Blues Band

Dollar Bill's Saloon (Clifton-Various) 861-0660 Feb. 16: The Menus Feb. 17: The Raisins

East End Cafe (East End-Various) 4003 Eastern Ave. 871-6118 Feb. 16& 17: Midnight on Vine

Flanagan's Landing (Downtown- Rock'n'Roll) Feb. 16: Cliff Adams Feb. 17: Heads Up

Hot Shotz (Clifton_Various) 2322 Vine St. 221-5809 Feb. 16 & 17: The Generics Kilgore's
(Clifton- Rock'n'Roll)
2900 Jefferson Ave.
861-2900
Feb. 16 & 17: Mallard Drake &
The Decoys
Mansion Hill Tavern
(Newport, KY.)
5th. & Washington St.
431-9542
Every Fri.: Blue Lou
& the Accusations

Mother's (Newport-Rock) 224 York St. 491-8128 Feb. 16 & 17: Aleister

Feb. 17: Jake Waltz

Ms. Kitty's Saloon (Downtown-Rock'n'Roll) 218 W.3rd. St. 721-9520 Feb. 16 & 17: Cincinnati Shakers

Ripley's (Clifton-College Rock) 2507 W. Clifton Ave. 861-6506 Feb. 16: Hopscotch Amy Feb. 17: Under the Sun

Sudsy Malone's (Clifton-Bar/Laundromat) 2630 Vine St. 751-2300 Feb. 16: Buddy Bradley Experience

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Seduce will entice you to come to Bogarts this weekend

MARTY SOSNOWSKI STAFF WRITER

Saturday Feb. 17 marks the return of the ear bursting rock and roll by the mad motor city rockers Seduce. Opening the show at Bogarts will be the new metal sounds of Babylon A.D.

In 1985, the scum ridden streets of inner city Detroit had something more to scream about than being the murder capitol of the world, it was the debut release of an album by the inner city boys Seduce.

Seduce is not one of your typical Hollywood glam bands. These guys come straight from the crack house lined streets of Detroit. Their hard brutal sound reflects their inner city lifestyle.

Two and a half years after the release of the bands self titled debut album Seduce released too much ain't enough. Rock magazines like England's Kerrang met the new album with rave reviews.

y boys Atlantic negotiating on a new contract for the band.

ypical Seduce have generated a large following in the Cincinnati Northern Kentucky area, and are coming back at

the requests of their fans.

With Babylon A.D. opening the show, this Saturday should prove to be one killer rock and roll blow out. Doors open at 7:30 a.m. Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$6 the day of the show. As always Bogarts shows are open to all ages.

Kerrang gave the new vinyl a four K

Seduce then landed a role in the movie

decline of the western civilization part II,

the metal years. The song Colleen

After having some trouble with their

record company, Seduce had to part with

the I.R.S. label. The Detroit metal rockers

didn't let this discourage them though,

and now they have Capitol, Geffen and

appears on the soundtrack of the movie.





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POINT from page 5-

Ladies, it sounds to me as though your letters or articles are the sexist ones! Your articles were meant to be sexist, whereas Tom's are not. I don't hear you crying about the outrageous salaries of current female athletes like Nancy Lopez, Chris Everett, and Steffi Graf. Do they deserve their salaries just because they are women? What about Donald Trump? Does it make you mad because he makes more money in a month than you'll make in a lifetime?!

Ladies, please reply, but when you do make sure you research it first so you don't sound so ignorant! And always remember: as long as you keep your mouth shut nobody will ever know how stupid you really are.

Finally ladies, it seems that not only has Mari Beth struck out, but I have just retired the side.

> Sincerely, Stephanie Hungler P.S. More power to Don Owen. I agree!!!

BUDGET from page 2-

year, Bush could only make amendments to the budget that then-President Ronald Reagan had submitted previously.

"Unfortunately, there isn't much of a difference between the two. Just as Reagan tried to do away with programs, so is Bush. the only difference is Bush doesn't publish it," USSA's Lieberman said.

"This is called Reagan's tenth budget by some in Washington, and I agree," said Becky Timmons of the American Council on Education.

The only real difference between Bush and Reagan, NASFAA's Martin said, is that Bush doesn't make large, sweeping cuts in the education budget.

"He's (Bush) not doing a lot (for higher education), but at least he's not taking large cuts," Martin said.

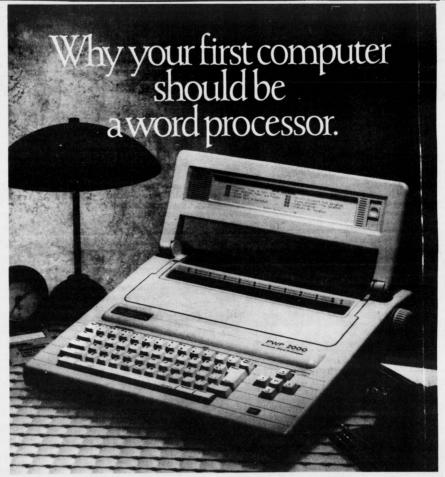
During his first years in office, Reagan asked congress to slash as much as 50 percent of the federal college budget. In the early 80's, congress did in fact drastically reduce or eliminate the budgets for student Social Security, Perkins Student Loans, campus housing and library programs, black colleges, college Word-Study, Pell Grants, Stafford Loans and Middle Income Student Assistance funds, to name some.

The Cato Institute's Boaz, for one, is happy Bush didn't give large increases to education, and says that education funding should be cut further.

"We already spend more on education than any other country," Boaz said. "We clearly are not getting a good return on our money."







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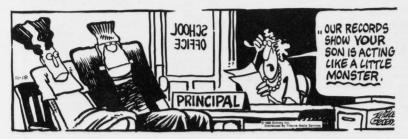
















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My Dearest Donald,

Your sports page makes my toes curl and my hairs stand on end. I look forward to reading more of your masterpieces, you sexy Greek god.

Love, Your one and only

Tom,

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Signed, The Tidy Bowl Girls

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LEON: And how much more money do you want?

DAVID: About a 100 % to 200 % raise. You know, something like those ballplayers are getting.

LEON: Have you gone to the Computer Center (AS&T 375) and gotten help from a Writing Center tutor between 3 and 5 Monday through Friday?

DAVID: No. Not yet. But I will. LEON: Then your raise will be well

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LEON: I don't care how much Shucks makes. I don't even know who he plays

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Traci, Laura, & Alicia,

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Love, Bille

Dearest Lynda with a Y Schlarman, Please fix me a baked potato with sour cream. Thank you very much.

> Love. Jimmy

There are only a few available spots for the North goes South to Daytona Spring Break! Call 441 - 0961 or ask a Pike for more details.

You smell, and you dress funny, but for some crazy reason it makes me drool.

Condolences, Dave

Ellen and Jen,

Have a Happy Valentine's Day! Hope to see you some time.

Love, Roomie # 3

Dear kids and grandkids, Have a Happy Valentine's Day!

Love. Nana

Lauren,

Happy VD. Thanks for Paul. He enjoyed it as much as I did.

Love. Me

Lisa Meihaus:

Roses are Red Violets are Blue Delta Zeta Loves You and I do too!

Love, your Ribbon Buddy.

Cheryl "Phlem"ann, Are all the bugs dead yet?

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