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\$70,000 So Far

NKU saves thousands by cost conservation

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Northern has saved over \$70,000 in the last year through several cost conserving measures

According to Clarence Tabor, university business manager, NKU saved \$16,000 between July and December in bulk mailing.

'Large mailings have been zipcoded for bulk mailing and it has been much cheaper," said Tabor. Two hundred pieces of mail are needed to qualify for the bulk rate.

Tabor said the NKU mailroom has

been working with various departments on campus to show them the bulk rate is more cost efficient than first and third class mailings. "All departments are encouraged and, from what I have seen, all departments are cooperating.

The university also saved \$20,000 in energy costs for 1980, compared to the figures of 1979. NKU has done this despite the opening of the Business-Education-Psychology Center.

Tabor cites several factors for the energy savings. The Physical Plant has disconnected light bulbs and stepped up efforts to get lights turned out in

classrooms when they are not in use.

In addition, the BTU (British Thermal Unit) per square foot usage is down in certain months by 35 to 36 percent per square foot.

Tabor indicated the university saved \$25-30,000 in last year's blacktopping of Nunn Drive by cooperating with the Campbell County Road Department. Northern purchased the supplies and rented a roller; the road department provided the labor. The move was cheaper than using an outside contractor, said Tabor.

Another cost saving measure accomplished by the university was the

typewriter maintenance. Tabor said the new company charges \$25 for repairs compared to \$50-60 under the old company. Already, NKU has saved \$15,000 with the new contract.

Tabor explained current budget cutbacks would have left the university facing serious problems if the costsaving measures were not taken.

"We try to operate without affecting services we provide and the academic programs, and we hope to continue doing this to the best of our ability.' said Tabor.



Fighting her way through the biting snow, Missy Reimer, a freshman elementary education makes her way to her next class. (Frank Lang

Security measures near completion

by Dianne H. Rice

Remaining phases of a campus security measure program, under construction since October, should be completed by July, according to John Deedrick, engineering assistant of campus development.

The security system is not a reaction to any individual, said Gary Eith, senior administrative staff officer, but rather a portion of the central maintenance supervisory control system designed to protect individuals and the university's assets.

Security measures include panic communication boxes, 10 surveillence cameras and card readers used to enter buildings after hours. They are part of the continuing expansion of facilities at Northern,

"We have three cameras in the parking areas," Deedrick said. "Associated with each one of them is what we call panic communication.'

There is a button, so that if someone is in trouble the button is just pushed, which is automatically opens up a speaker in the department of public safety," Deedrick explained.

This way communication is established quickly with a DPS officer, added Deedrick.

"At the same time, the nearest camera will zoom in to see what the problem is," Deedrick said. "These cameras are so powerful, it only takes the time needed to strike a match to zero in on something as small as a license plate.'

"The cameras in the parking areas cost approximately \$16,000 to \$18,000 apiece," Deedrick said. "We also have seven cameras in various building, however these only run about \$500

Eith explained the need for cameras in buildings was determined after meetings with faculty and department chairmen. The meetings also determined which buildings are high risk areas, such as the bursar's office in Nunn Hall.

Each building will have at least one area that will have what is called a card reader, Deedrick said. "A card will have magnetic tape on the back of it that will identify the person when the card is put into the

"The reader will read the card, and then transfer it to a microprocessor, which in turn determines if the card is a valid one, and if so it will open the Deedrick said. "All of this occurs in seconds.

"When the door is opened after [closing] hours, a printout will be made of the name of the person entering the building, and what time he or she entered and left," Eith said.

"The security system costs approximately \$900,000 and will be paid for in three and one half years," Deedrick said. "This is a comprehensive system. It's not only security. It's fire, life safety, operation of heating and ventilation system and monitoring electrical controls. It's a very exotic system.

This security system was not considered only recently, Deedrick said. "I personally have been working on the total system for seven years.

"This was one of the first functions that Dr. Steely [former NKU President Frank Steely] and John DeMarcus [Executive Assistant in charge of campus development] gave me when I came to work here. That is to develop, design and program a central management system for the university," Deedrick stated.

Budget cuts and other priorities have delayed the implementation of the new security system, according to Deedrick. "It's been asked for every year, but it's been cut out every year. Finally this time the state said yes.

All the universities in Kentucky have a security system like or comparable to that of Northern's, Deedrick reported. "The University of Kentucky is expanding their system now," Deedrick said.

John Connor, director of Public Safety said he believes the security measures being taken are good ones. "We've been behind in campus development slightly in the security department compared with other universities. The new security measures should please everyone." Connor said.

SG Race

Early race could spell trouble or success

by Kevin Staab Northerner News Editor and Brent Meyer Northerner Reporter

With Student Government spring elections less than two months away, there is already plenty of campaign rhetoric underway.

Although no formal announcements have been made. Experimental and Transdisciplinary SG Cluster Rep Phil Grone and SG President Sam Bucalo apparently are planning to run for presidency.

From said a party ticket and platform is being considered, but "anything like a platform or ticket is not ironclad."

Bucalo explained any announcement of his candicacy for re-election would come in early or mid-March. Bucalo hinted he will run on a ticket if he decides to run for president.

Bryant Bauer appears to be tossing his hat into the ring for secretary of external affairs, a position he currently holds in SG.

Bauer said he is unsure if he will run on a ticket with either Grone or Bucalo, or if he will run as an independent.

As for endorsements from campus organizations, Grone said, "I have not gone to any group meetings and asked for a formal endorsement." He added people have been discussing endorsements, but it is simply in the "talking stage."

"Right now we are basically in an organizational stage of the [ticket] process. Its beginning to coalesce rather well," said Grone.

Bucalo explained he has not asked for any endorsements this year. He mentioned he received the support of the Art Council and the Varsity Club during the 1980 SG spring elections.

As for the Greek organizations, Bucalo said their votes are important because they are the traditional voters and the most active students on campus.

"I think it would be an erroneous assumption to think that Greeks would vote as a block. They vote as individuals like the rest of the campus," added Bucalo.

Bauer said individuals from Greek organizations are interested in supporting him, but he has had no formal endorsement from any Greek presidents or organizations.

In response to the campaign discussions, The Northerner contacted campus fraternities and sororities.

Mary Penrod, president of Delta Zeta, said no one has asked her organization for an endorsement, but said it could happen as election time gets closer.

"I'm not sure whether we will endorse anyone," said Penrod. "We may if we strongly believe in a candidate's platform."

None of the candidates have contacted Phi Sigma Sigma, according to Brenda Schmidt, sorority president.



Ray Crawford (front left), a freshman business major, and Linda Kidd (front right), a freshman art education major, sketch a model (lower left) from atop a two-foot high box for a drawing class, (Barb Barker photo)

"We usually read the candidate platforms at one of our meetings and discuss them, but we don't really endorse anyone." said Schmidt.

According to Terry Parrish, resident of Theta Phi Alpha, nobody has contacted her sorority for an endorsement, but she has heard that Grone plans to run against Bucalo and wants the organizations to back him.

"It's too early to tell whether we will endorse anyone, but as soon as we receive platforms, we may support someone," said Parrish.

"No one has officially asked for endorsement, but I talked to Bryant Bauer on a personal basis about a ticket against Sam," said Dan Bowman, president of Alpha Delta Gamma.

ADG will endorse someone, but they have to wait until all the candidates have been discussed at a meeting, according to Bowman.

Tom Seiter, president of Pi Kappa Alpha and SG vice-president, explained that no one has asked for an endorsement, but the candidates usually send a platform and other information.

"It is still premature because we don't know who is running," said Seiter, "but we normally don't formally endorse anyone."

According to Mike McCord, president of Tau Kappa Epsilon, no one has requested information.

"Normally, we do endorse someone, but we haven't received any information on who is running or what they support," said McCord.

All of the talk surrounding campaigns for the spring election is not good news to Brian Humphress, SG representative-at-large who has coordinated several SG elections.

"Anybody that is more interested in running for elections before March obviously doesn't have the students' interest in mind, because that time spent worrying about campaigning could be better put to use in solving the problems around campus," said Humphress.

News Capsule

Honors Program task force organized by Albright

A task force for an Honors Program has been assigned by President Dr. A.D. Albright.

According to a memorandum from the president, the task force, chaired by Associate Provost Dr. Mike Klembara, will design a "tentative program for presentation to appropriate bodies on campus and then draft a proposal which the president would subsequently recommend to the Board of Regents on April 29."

Task force members include Dr. Tom Cate, business faculty; Mr. Phil Grone, SG representative; Dr. Vernon Hicks, physical science faculty; Ms. Pam Juengling, librarian; Dr. Klembara; Dr. Darry Poole, interim dean of arts and sciences; and Mr. Scott Wurster, president of the philosophy club.

Enrollment error corrected by Khoury

A news short on the front page of the February 6 solition of The Northerner incorrectly reported that 58 foreign students are attending

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According to Bassum Khoury, coordinator of the International Student Affairs Program, "One-hundred-and-three international students are enrolled here. Eighty of them are on F-1 visas, the rest are permanent residents here."

The incorrect statistics reported last week were derived from a handout at the February 4 Board of Regents meeting.

Dormitory rules under scrutiny

Regulations concerning the NKU dormitories are now under consideration by the Student Housing Policy Committee.

Bill Lamb, assistant dean of student activities and chairman of the committee, said the group has begun meeting on a regular basis to devise "an internal policy residents would follow."

"We received a consultant report from an employee hired by the university who is advising us on resident halls' policies," Lamb pointed out, adding the committee has already discussed such things as an applications program, special care for the handicapped, contracts for staffing, payment plans and services (telephones, etc.).

However, none of the regulations are final yet.

"Right now we're still drafting different stages of the policy," Lamb said. "What we hope to do is package all these different aspects into one proposal."

Ultimately the proposal regarding student housing regulations will be submitted at the next Board of Regents meeting for approval.

SG position filled, two remian open

At the beginning of this semester there were three vacant Reps-At-Large positions in Student Government. Tom Giroux, the next name on the list to fill an open position, narrowed that number to two recently, according to Rep-At-Large Brian Humphress.

The remaining two positions will be filled after the Spring elections on April 7 and 8. The three newest representatives will keep their positions until next fall, said Humphress.

Valentines fun culminates today

Many of the special Valentine's events that hve been taking place in the University Center this week will culminate today!

Phi Sigma Sigma has been conducting a Lust, Love or Like Carnation Sale, and they will be delivering the flowers from 11 till 1 p.m. today.

Theta Phi Alpha has been sponsoring a voting booth for their annual Sweetie Pie Contest. The winner will be taken out for dinner and a night of fun.

Delta Zeta Sorority will be having a Valentine bake sale today.

According to Pamm Taylor, student activities officer, Student Affairs will be giving away free cupcakes and selling personalized Valentine cards. This will take place in the University Center Lobby.

Plan committee given one month to work

by Brent Meyer

In response to charges that the Commonwealth of Kentucky is in violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the state Council on Higher Education has activated a committee to devise a statewide desegregation plan.

The committee, activated at the CHE's February 10 meeting, will begin work immediately, according to Gary Cox, executive deputy director for governmental affairs of the Council on Higher Education.

"The committee will formulate its plan based on several points of consideration discussed at the meeting and in the Office of Civil Rights letter that made the charge," said Cox.

One of the points considered will be the financial status and growth in universities of the past several years, according to Cox.

"The committee also has to consider means of attaining a balanced faculty and staff, stated Cox. "Kentucky has a great deal to achieve in this area.

"Governor Brown has committed himself to appoint more blacks and women to governing positions in universities as they open up," added

The committee has until March 16, to formulate an initial plan. An extension of thierty days, however, may be asked for if the committee fails to develop a workable plan, according to Cox.

"Hopefully, we will reach the March deadline, but if we don't, we will have aplan by mid-April," said Cox.

The council also began the process for tuition recommendations, according to Gary Carter, executive director for financial affairs of the Council on Higher Education.

'Each staff member was issued a tuition survey of benchmarked, regional university tuition rates and changes, said Carter. "Actual tuition recomendations will be made in the March meeting

In all cases, the eight Kentucky state universities have lower tuition rates and increases than the regional universities, according to Carter.

"Concern has been expressed that the students share cost with the state and that the students don't end up paying more for less," concluded Carter.





Rows of cupcakes, glazed with pink icing, align a table in the University Center Several Student Affairs personnel take a breather from the hectic pace of distributing the goodies. (Frank Lang photo)

-Around Northern

ROTC scholarship offered

Military Department is accepting applications from Northern students for two and three year scholarships, which are offered through the Army ROTC, according to Captain Daniel Minster, assistant professor of Military Sciences.

The two-year scholarship will be awarded to a qualified student who is not presently participating in ROTC, while the three-year scholarship will go to a qualified participating ROTC cadet, Minster said.

"Northern is guaranteed one of each type of scholarship," Minster stated, "although more than two students at Northern could win an ROTC scholarship."

"Some scholarships are in reserve," the captain explained. "These are based on a national competition where ACT scores, extra curricular activities and the initial screening criteria for the other scholarships are taken into consideration.

The initial screening criteria consists of passing a medical exam and a physical aptitude test, according to Minster.

In addition, students applying for the two-year scholarship must have a 2.7 GPA or better, and the three-year scholarship applicants must have a 2.9 GPA or better, Minster said.

"Both scholarships pay the students' full tuition, all fees, school supplies and books," he stated.

"Both scholarship winners will be awarded \$1,000 cash each school vear.

According to Minster, scholarship winners are subject to an obligation to serve four years of active duty as a commissioned officer following graduation from the univerity.

'If a student won the scholarship, then decided he or she doesn't want to serve the four years, the student need only to notify ROTC," Minster said, "Although the student would lose the scholarship, he or she would not have to fulfill the obligation of serving four years of active duty.

Students who are interested in applying for the scholarships should stop by the ROTC office, located in Room 200 Nunn Hall, Minster said.

Listening Center offers relaxation

Students now have a place on campus to relax between classes and listen to music. The Stereo Listening Center, located in Room 114 of the University Center, has been open since the beginning of the spring semester.

"It offers students a place to relax, to study and to listen to good music," said Bill Lamb, assistant dean of student affairs.

The student listening center has a

library of 106 cassette tapes, including rock, jazz, classical, comedy and show tunes. New tapes will be purchased in the near future, and the center is also starting an album collection.

Sixteen headphones are available for use. Each headset has six channels: they will be expanded to eight in the near future.

Lamb said the Stereo Listening Center is funded by the Student Activity Fee at a total cost of \$5,310.

Of the equipment cost of \$4,100, \$500 was allocated for the library cassette tapes, and \$710 was spent for renovating the room.

According to Lamb, \$5,000 was saved by having Educational Media Services, rather than an outside service, install the electrical equipment.

The Stereo Listening Center is open from 9-8, Monday through Wednesday, 9-7 Thursday and 9-5 on Friday. Smoking, eating and drinking are not permitted in the lounge.

Phillips to publish books soon

Dr. Donald Phillips, assistant professor of communications, is having his second and third books published this year.

Phillips' first book, Student Protest, 1960-1969: An Analysis of the Issues and Speeches, published in January 1980, by the University Press of America, sold out its first edition in paperback and hardback. A second, revised edition covering the student protest movement through 1970, including the events at Kent State and enlarging the research of the first edition, is scheduled for publication this fall.

Phillips' third book, Karl Barth's Philosophy of Communication, is scheduled for publication in 1981. The book deals with the thought of the Swiss-German theologian Karl Barth and will be published by Georg Olms Verlag, an international academic press in Hildesheim, West Germany.

Phillips' research interests include the philosophy and history of culture with an emphasis upon major cultural spokespersons and contemporary social movements. His Communication Today, Communication Education, and other scholarly

Communication Education, and other scholarly journals.

No classes. but library open on President's Day

Although classes will not be held on President's Day, February 16, the library will remain open for those who still wish to come to school to study.

The library will observe a 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. schedule this Monday.

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SG Presidential Seat

Battle for presidency begins for April vote

In the past, Student Government officials and SG presidential nominees have taken great strides to deliver the annual spring elections to as many students as possible. Their tactics—massive advertising campaigns, public forums and numerous voting booths coupled with accompating hours for all students—usually started about two weeks before elections. This year, however, a recent turn of events has added a new and early dimension to the April elections. Phil Grone's announcement he would run for the presidency might serve as a springboard to gain more voters for the elections or it could have a negative effect on the elections and the current functioning of SG itself.



Grone's announcement could help publicize the elections, which traditionally have had very low turnout rates percentage-wise. Although he has not contructed a platform nor gathered an offical running mate or ticket, Grone has placed the elections in the news at an abnormally early date. Perhaps this media exposure will make students

more aware of the upcoming voting period and more

potential ballot-casters will take an active look at the elections and its coverage from here on. If that be the case, hail Mr. Grone for his decisive move.

On the other hand though, Grone's move warrants a need for caution on his part, current president Sam Bucalo's part and the part of everyone in SG.

Bucalo has refused to announce his candidacy because he claims it is in the best interest of SG. As president his primary duty at this time it to see that SG serves its constituency to the best of its ability. For him to worry about election matters this early will only serve to complicate matters. Still though, he should plan on unleashing his entire campaign a little earlier this year since Grone has picked up a head start.

SG Representative-at-Large Brian Humphress, who has been actively involved in several elections and is familiar with their poor turnouts, said anyone who makes their announcement to run this early is not doing so on behalf of the students. Humphress reasoned time spent working on the campaign could be used to work out problems on the campus.

The theory that Grone's move is not in the best interests of the students could become a reality, but probably not for the reasons stated by Humphress. A strong undercurrent could be brewing in the SG offices, one which could hinder any or all efforts it ventures into this semester. By claiming his candidacy, three sides are automatically developed. SG could turn into a division of Grone followers, a division of Bucalo followers and division of undecided persons. So far little of such evidence has surfaced and both men, although they don't see eye-cye politically, seem willing to drop any thoughts

of an election while combining their efforts on SG matters at hand.

So if Grone's move doesn't serve as an ax to split SG, but rather a catalyst for the upcoming elections, it appears that a monumental race is shaping up and hopefully more students will take note and vote.



'People' hold the key to Northern's future

It has been fascinating to watch the birth, the first halting steps and the robust adolescence of a university. Most never get a chance to see the phenomenon, because universities generally had their beginnings back in relative antiquity and have histories replete with handlebar mustaches, rugby teams and raccoon coats. But for the last dozen years or so, we've had a chance to watch from the periphery as NKU began to hammer out and shape its destiny. And it's an exciting view. The campus springing up overnight in a cow pasture, and I mean that so literally that I'm sure workers had to watch where they stepped when they started digging foundations. And the concrete wasn't even hard before students began pouring into the buildings, fighting the workers for space. It seemed every time I drove by, another gray building was sprouting up. NKU so obviously filled a need that its student body continues to grow in the face of declines everywhere else.

Both the strengths and weaknesses of our northern Kentucky region are mirrored here. There is enormous energy and purpose, and a kind of comraderie found only among those who are building something they believe in. On the other hand, both the read the school have a dearth of black which, and that's a loss because much of what this country is about has to do with what has happened to, around, and because of the black American. Perhaps only time and

Guest Editorial

-Nick Clooney...

One of those you USUALLY see.

If a university is people, then it is those people—you—who will decide what the university is to be.

residence patterns will change that.

Let's focus on you. For at least this one time in your life, you're a part of something bigger and more important than yourself; bigger, even, than the sum of all its parts. If a university is people, then it is those people-you-who will decide what the university is to be; another featureless student factory, or a really vibrant learning center from which people leave better than they arrived. Your attitude, your efforts for good or ill, are going to make a measurable difference on what this university is going to be for generations to come. It's an exciting, important time, and those of us who drive anonymously by on the freeway will be watching closely. We envy you, and wish you well.

SPEAK UP NOW!

Major university budget cuts which are less than two months away are eminent.

Big changes in university policy are now in the planning stages and you should have a say in them.

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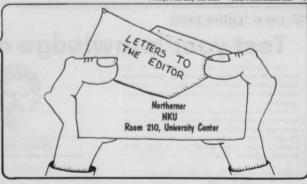
-Letters To the Editor-

[Ed. note: The following letter is in regard to Dave Leising's Nan Northern cartoon.]

Mr. Leising.

Concerning your cartoon in the February 6 issue of the Northerner where you portrayed the R.O.T.C. member as an "inhumane". I am currently a member of the aforementioned organization, and I in no way consider myself or any of my friends to be "inhumane". Your article could be the beginning of something very detrimental to the espirit de corp that is so important to an organization such as ours. I might also remind you that we R.O.T.C. cadets will be the ones that, if need be, lay down our lives willingly to preserve your right to freedom of the press, freedom of religion, and your other rights allowed under the Constitution. So Mr. Leising, leave no stone unturned when you research your material for your cartoons, please. For you see, I am concerned about my nation, and with the slurs you have made it makes me wonder whether or not my death would be of any importance should it happen sometime in the future: and whether or not it would be worth it, to me, to protect the rights of people who were "intent" on making oppression, once again, a part of our society. I'm not saying that the United States is perfect, but we're trying. Feel free to stop in our lounge. Nunn Hall room 200, and observe our methods of social interaction. You will soon discover that the entire populace of R.O.T.C. here at NKU are very humane and that we have feelings just like you.

> Mark D. Schnitzler Cadet, NKU ROTC



Writer discussed killings of animals

To the Editor

I really enjoyed the article and picture about the experiments on animals that go on in the Biology Department.

I'm sure that if experiements are detailed in texts it really don't help to cut up a cat. I have long ago donated my body after death to U.K. Medical School so I am not against Science, just the torture and killing of small animals in the name of Science.

If the students sometimes find it hard to gather the animals and kill them, I wonder about the feelings of their neighbors should they find what happened to their missing cats, [sic]

g cats. [sic] Donna Parker find it." [Matthew 10:29]

5. "Anyone who loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; anyone who loves his son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me..." [Matthew 10:37]

6. "I tell you the truth, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." [Matthew 18: 3]

7. "He who believes and is baptized will be saved. He who believes not shall be condemned." [Mark 16:15]

I too thought just being good was enough to go to heaven. However, the Bible says different. If goodness is enough, would Jesus have had to die? Isiel

Kerry Onyett

Bible offers contradictions

Dear Editor and Readers:

Letters to this section in past months have been quoting bible verses as authoritive edicts on our attitudes and behavior. But there is a problem in doing this. Verses frequently contridict each other when matched up side by side. For example:

If any man come to me, and hate not his father and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple. Luke 14:26

Any one who hates his brother is a murderer, and you know that no murderer has eternal life abiding in him.

Therefore do not be anxious about tomorrow, for tomorrow will be anxious for itself. Let the days own trouble be sufficient for the day. Matthew 6:34

But if any do not provide for his own, and especially for those of his own house, he has denied the faith, and is worse than in infidel. I Timothy 5:8

Some religionists may criticly say that this is misleading, that it is taking verses out of context. If that is the case, then they should not quote them either. They may be quoting out of context themselves. [sic]

An Atheist, A. Lutes

People must obey God daily

Dear Editor:

Being a "good person" is not enough to be saved. A person must be obeying the word of God daily. Consider these words of Jesus Christ:

1. "But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it." [Matthew 7:14]

2. "Not everyone who says to me, Lord, Lord, will enter the Kingdom of heaven, but only he who does the will of my Father in heaven." [Matthew 7:21]

3. "And anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my disciple." [Matthew 10:38]

4. "Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will

advised to

Students are

read the Bible

Letter to the Editor Dear Sean,

To comment on your letter. Do you think GOD would have let the Ecumenicul Congress of Constantinople take anything out of the Bible worthwhile! I ask you to look through the Bible and see how many times GOC has played an important part in man's history, by raising his almighty hand and changing the situation. (Read the Book of Acts)

And I ask you, "How do we know what good lives are"? How do we know who to love God the way he wants us to love him, and love our neighbors with out the Book he inspired, the Holy Bible. Do you dare question God!? That is why we need the Bible. To teach us. Read it!

[sic] Fellow Geology major Ralph Gouge

Limited admissions needed

Mr. Dammert:

I strongly disagree with the statement in your editorial of Feb. 6 that NKU's reputation would be damaged if a controlled admissions program was put into effect. You wrote that "something should be done...on behalf of those high school students who may want to attend this institution in the next four years." Yes, something should be done, and a controlled admissions program is exactly what we need. If fewer people unable to read, write, and

add were accepted here, the quality of could only improve. If illiterates were no longer allowed to enter college, perhaps their high schools would be forced to educated them before allowing them to graduate. If only those students who deserved the high school diplomas they received were admitted to this university, perhaps a degree from NKU would be worth something, [sic]

Emily Cleves







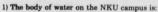


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Test your knowledge of NKU with trivia quiz

Fear not friends. It's not a pop test, survey, nor even another Student Government questionaire (double yawn). "The Northern Kentucky University Trivia Quiz" is simply a little check on your campus knowledge.

For those of you who want to keep score, two or less wrong would qualify you as a journalist, or some type of intellectual. Three to seven wrong categorizes you as a regular half-informed student. Eight or more wrong places you in there with tenured professors. Good Luck!



A. no Ice Skating Lake.

B. a waste dump for the chemistry department.

C. Lake Inferior.

D. Jimmy Hoffa's hideout.

2) The initials "A.D." in A.D. Albright stand for: A. Alice Diane.

B. a general birthdate, sometime in the last 1981

C. Arnold DeWald.

3) The NKU campus is constructed of gray concrete because:

A. it gives elephants a place to hide.

B. it was on sale.

C. it is mentally stimulating.

D. it blends well with rainy days.

4) How many sorority sisters can you put in a

A. 25 Delta Zetas.

B. 20 Theta Phi Alphas.

C. 19 Phi Sigma Sigmas. D. 4 Phi Mus.

5) The occupation of Red Grooms, the man



Rich Boehne

responsible for the movie scene sculpture near the Fine Arts building is:

A. bricklaver.

B. automobile saleman.

C. fireman.

D. artist.

6) "The Northerner"is:

A. lining for many local bird cages.

B. a star basketball player from the Artic Circle.

C. an excellent student newspaper.

D. none of the above.

7) How many girls does the average Pike date?

A. 10 (if you ask a Pike).

B. 0 (if you ask a Beta Phi Delta).

C. 1 (if taking your younger sister to the movies counts as a date).

D. Figures inconclusive.

8) Which state is responsible for Woody Hayes, Cleveland, the Cuyahoga River and Student Government President Sam Bucalo?

A. State of disorder.

B. State of shock.

C. Ohio

D. All of the above.

9) How many textbooks does the average student use each semester?

A. One to read, and nine to put in the car trunk during snow season.

B. Two to read, and four to even up wobbly desks and tables.

C. Three to hide behind when staring at girls/guys in the library.

D. Enough to make parents believe they study.

10) The parking lots at NKU are:

A. modeled after some of the finest shopping malls in America.

B. hiding dozens of U.S. nuclear missile silos.

C. covering the same land mass as the People's Republic of China.

D. are moving closer to St. Louis than to campus.

ANSWERS:

1) C. Lake Inferior (inferior to just about every lake around)

2) C. Arnold DeWald (stick with A.D. sir)

3) A. It gives elephants a place to hide. (Seen any lately?)

4)D. 4 Phi Mus (Fortunately Phi Mu was put out to pasture here at Northern several years ago.) 5) D. Artist (and the Pope reads Penthouse)

6) C. An excellent student newspaper (when in doubt, brag)

7) D. Figures inconclusive (no reliable sources)

8) D. All of the above

9) C. Three to hide behind when staring at girls/guys in the library (provided that newspaper reporters are "average students").

10) A. Modeled after some of the finest shopping malls in America (unless maybe, shopping mall parking lots are modeled after NKU's).

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-Features

Kent St. movie stirs Malick

by Kim Adams Northerner Features Editor

> Tin soldiers and Nixon's comin' We're finally on our own. This summer I hear the drummin Four dead in Ohio.

These chilling words from Neil Young's song "Ohio", along with the sharp fire of rifles, rang out Sunday night as the tragedy at Kent State University was re-enacted via television.

For those of us too young to remember, this was the first glimpse at what actually happened that sunny afternoon. For Mark Malick, director of student organizations at NKU, the scene was all too

> Mark Malick



He had been on the Kent campus that day, a mere 20 feet away from the National Guardsmen (the closest student shot was 71 feet away, the closest student killed was 265 feet away).

Malick admits he was extremely lucky he wasn't a victim.

"The most terrifying moment in my life was when I saw a National Guardman turn and aim his rifle at me. I was lucky enough to get out of the " he said.

His quick reaction, along with a stone pillar that stood between him and the guardmen, are two reasons Malick survived the ordeal.

Others were not so lucky.

A friend of Malick's, Dean Khaler, has come to be known what Malick calls "the real tragedy of Kent State." Khaler was shot and remains paralyzed from the waist down.

Malick's roommate, Scott MacKenzie was struck by a bullet that entered through the back of his neck and exited out his cheek. He lived.

"I was at the hospital after it all happened waiting to hear about Scott," he said. "I was waiting with one of Sandy Scheuer's [another hospitalized victim] friends. I had seen Sandy earlier that morning. The surgeon came out and told her Sandy had died on the operating table. It was a very emotional scene."

Malick claims the movie about Kent State was very realistic, and the facts were accurate.

"The sequence of events were right on target," he commented. "The most crucial event [the shootings] was very precise."

Also, what struck Malick as being especially correct was the length of time it took the ambulances to get to the injured students.

"I was tending to a friend who had been shot in the side," said Malick. "It seemed like it took the ambulances forever.

He admitted feeling bitter, sad and emotional after viewing the film. He was asked to consult on the production of the movie, but declined.

'I don't believe in letting any event, no matter how tragic, run my life."

He did, however, work many hours with noted author James Michener, compiling material for the book the movie was based on, Kent State: What Happened and Why.

Malick, a sophomore biology major at the time of the shootings, was a student leader. He was involved in student government and several other organizations. Because he was in touch with both university officials and radical groups he was asked to work as a go-between in the negotiations with the

He was sympathetic toward the students' concerns about the Vietnam War and the bombings in Cambodia, but set himself apart from the more active students.

"At that time there was a certain amount of romance and adventure attributed to being a campus radical," he pointed out. "I was more of a sympathizer because I was wary of being labeled and how this would effect me later on.

Malick was present at the meeting with Ohio Governor James Rhodes when he declared the National Guard would be called into Kent State.

'Rhodes should have listened more to what the university officials had to say," said Malick. "He could have called off classes for a few days and let people cool off. Sometimes being a law-and-order conservative takes away from the human aspects of the problem.

Perhaps the only good thing to come out of this was is caused college administrators to renew their committments to changing times and attitudes.



- MIKE SHIELDS

"It's made the public realize they have to keep up with changes and be sensitive to what's going on." he commented

Malick is especially aware of what the wounded students and families of the deceased went through during the aftermath of the shootings. There were countless lawsuits filed and numerous investigations. There was finally an out-of-court settlement awarded to the wounded students and the families of those slain. Although the National Guard was acquitted, Malick believes the out-ofcourt settlements were a "casual admittance of

"As far as the parents were concerned," he said, "it wasn't so much that justice was done, but that the truth was known. I think they are finally seeing that realized.'

To this day, Malick cannot explain why the National Guard fired on the students.

"The Guard was in no danger at that time." he

Malick does not see an event like this happening in the United States today and is afraid to believe that history repeats itself.

"It's hard to say," he commented. "Things will be quiet for awhile and then all of a sudden something will happen. You never know what can trigger something like this."

Scruggs competes for Irene Ryan acting scholarship

by Terah Glover

"It's like the girl with the curl in her forehead. When it's good, it's very good; When it's bad, it's bad."

That is how Sharon Scruggs, Florence, describes her acting career. Scruggs, a senior theatre major, is one of two NKU students who have been nominated for the Irene Ryan Acting Scholarship, a \$2500 scholarship applicable at any school for classes in

Scruggs was nominated on the basis of her performance as Halie in Sam Shepards Buried Child, which was performed here last semester.

Scruggs will compete on the regional level, February 17 through 23, at Auburn University by participating in two acting scenes: one duo and one monologue. Actors will be screened out and one person will be chosen to go to Washington for further competition, according to Scruggs.



"I hated theatre people in high school," said Scruggs who admitted she wasn't interested in theatre all along. "But I later got involved with the people, somehow.

At the age of 16, she started college at Tanglewood Institution, Boston University, studying voice and violin. When her family moved to northern Kentucky from their Alabama home, Scruggs re-joined them.

Scruggs transfered to Northern from Thomas More, unsatisfied after seeking a double major in English and Theatre. "Thomas More was interested in just teaching the technique not the character. Here, it is just the opposite. A great deal of emphasis is placed on making yourself vulnerable, unsafe. I think this is much truer to the art," she said

Scruggs said Buried Child is her most rewarding production. She credits Jim Stacey, director of Buried Child, for most of her success in the play.

Finding a good director is like finding a needle in a haystack. Once you find one, you are halfway there. The relationship you have with the director is so important. You have to bare your soul to that person for weeks and weeks. Jim is just wonderful, just wonderful," said Scruggs.

Scruggs' performing productions include Lu Ann Hampton Laverty Oberlander and the Showboat Majestic production of The Drunkard, Where's Charley? and Showboat Follies. Her NKU directing credits include Hello Out There and The Real Inspector Hound.

Scruggs, who will graduate in May, said she would like to either get hired by a repetory company or travel around the country.

Rich Stone, Newport, is the second Irene Ryan Acting Scholarship nominee. He has appeared in Lu Ann Hampton Laverty Oberlander, A Midsummer Night's Dream, Ahmal And The Night Visitors, Carnival and Guys and Dolls. Professionally, he has appeared in the Legend of Daniel Boone during the summer of 1979. He has also worked on the technical staff of Kings Island.

No matter how far

Or Florida by car

Or to Gilley's bar.

Because your love

Won't you be my Valentine

LINDA: I wish I could be home

Valentine's Day but I con't Just

remember I will be thinking of you

that special day. My beart is with

TO MY "OLDER" GUY (DARI)

Have a nice Valentine's Day and

JIM: Thank you for the best

birthday ever. Happy Valentine's

You've made me so happy and I'll

IENNIEER: When I see 23 1 know

RAR: Can I have this dance for the

Day and bancy 2nd anniversary

remember to be nice to Bentley

And continue to be mine.

you always. Love. Frank

Love. Your little Angel.

love you always, Moses.

you're for me. Too Shy

cest of our lives? IMP

Lwill follow

Love, Bob

Even to a distant star

CILIDA.

MARY KATHERINE: I really de want to kiss your pineapple. TINA: I am BONDED to you for

life. I'll be WHIPPED for life because you've got me CHAINED to your heart! Love always. Tony. DAVESCAID. I wont to hold you for a lifetime! Only 126 days left.

Love always, Me. PAUL: Happy Valentine's Day. You're a real nice aux. Dianne.

CHIKK: Hanny Valentine's Day to the best brother ever Love Dianne

LR: Hoppy Valentine's Day wherever you are. I miss you.

T.E.: I'd love to go out with you. You're one neat guy. Happy Volentine's Day D.P.

TO IIM aka "MAC" - Hanny Valentine's Day to the bes breakfast partner and good friend Diagne

STAN: Hanny Valentine's Day and Happy Birthday. I love you

DWANA: I want you to be mine forever. Happy Valentine's Day and Happy Anniversary. May we have many more. Love. Chris.

HID- II YMTYLTT Honos Valentine's Day, Husband, Love KDD. PS-Meet me in the darkroom and we'll see wha develops

KATHY. ILYMTYLTT Happy Birthday Love! From you loving, adorable husband, Harry

DIONNE: Never will there ever be the dear sweet friend you've been to me. Happy Valentine's Day from your Bobbsie Twin, Lulu.

years and for the promise of more to come. Happy Valentine's and Anniversary Day. "da Kidd"

Violets are blue. Dolly Jr., theres a rose none More beautiful than you.

Basketball is great. And football is too But I'd like to play baseball and only with you. Guess Who?

B.E.'s: I love you because: My psimatal hands love mud puddle hair and finding new bumps that grow everywhere and batting bug eyes that make my heart pause and the answer to life is simply because and who you are; how you laugh, love, & think but mainly cause you accept the missing link. Love forever (and Roses are red. Violets are blue. Three years gone by And I still miss you.

SHELL: I love you, atay? You

TO GRANDMA PAPAYA: Don't lose your teeth. Happy Valentine's Day from Lucie G. & Paul M. & Jon M. & Kelli M. & Billy M

TO RRENDA M. You are the love of my life: you're the greatest thing thats come into my life since puberty I love you! Happy Valentine's Day Paul

TO HERRY GREEFS, HODRY Valentine's Day, Terrilynne,

TO STEVE WILDE: Honny Valentine's Day, Love, Melissa &

TO GLENDA S.: To my favorite exercise partner. Lots of love and Hanny Valentine's Day, Paul M.

JOEY JAY: Hope you have a lot of lovin', touchin', squeezin', and champagne on V-day!!! xxxooo, The x-Chinese & Champagne

"JEFFIE POO?": The cupid shot his arrow--(through your IZOD gator). Love, Jane.

CONNIE: When the "love bug" bites, he bites hard, huh? Have a happy day! -An ice-skating

LORI JANE tennis pro-"you

TO THE NKU SWEETHEARTS OF RAD-TECH: I really enjoyed all those positions in the darkroom with each and every one of you. Happy Valentine's Day, Paul Y.

TO SANDY D.: My coffee is always perking for you. Lots of

TO LUCY G.: Hey Babyl Buy me a drink! I tell you all kinds of "Bills." Lot of love & Happy Volentine's Day Paul M

TOM DUE POPS WOLF NIEMO TOM: LOOK A COCONUT TREE! Knuz

MONNIE: Here's wishing you o happy Valentine's Day. I still think you're the best man I could have. All my love Lisa

RAY: You can't imagine what happy thoughts I have of youl Love you lots, baby! Rhanda.

TO THE NERDS Honny Valentine's Day from all

STEVEN B.: To the sweetest valentine ever. Love, K.T.

another year's past. Let's hope that the next one is as good as the last. Love, Trish.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN Roses are red, lvy is green, Bet you're disappointed this verse

TO TERI AND GRET: Happy Valentine's Day to two really good friends! Lisa.

By Dianne Rice

RICH: Be my valentine, my pal,

my constant companion, my date,

my honey, my hubby, my bestest

buddy, my friend, my dear, my

darling...With my love, Lisa.

Rainbow, Muffin, & Kitty

DK: You're the greatest

D. MacK.: You're even better!

ER: A trust lust was never known

Northerner Reporter
Although historians disagree on the exact origin and date of Saint Valentine's Day, February 14 is the date millions commemorate two saints by the

According to legend, the first Valentine was a Roman priest who suffered martyrdom during the time if the emperor Claudius.

The other Valentine e bishop of Terni, also suffered martyrdom. Legend has it both Valentines were born on the same day, somewhere arounds 970 P.C

Celebrating Saint Valentines Day as we do today, derives from an ancient Roman festival called Lupracalia. This festival not only honored the Saint Valentines, but Juno, the goddess of women and marriage, and Pan, god of nature.

The festival of Lupricalia was one of choice, during which men or women drew names, and spent the remainder of the day with the person whose name was drawn.

The men wore a paper bearing the women's

DEAR DAN: Roses are red Violets are blue. We may never have money. But watches will always be funny! Happy Valentine's Day. Love, Your Spooky Little Girl.

MILKWEED: Happy V.D.! Love WANTED. ONE VALENTINE CIK: Hanny Valentine's Day

> DEAR TRIX: Hoppy Valentine's Day I love you Mary lo

DEAR TRIX: Happy Valentine's Day, I love you, Rosetta.

time to express my feelings. Well here it goes: I want your body! think you are the most gorgeous sensual and sexy creature on the face of this earth! I love the way you talk, the way you act, and the way you wiggle you butt when you walk. Lustfully yours, Your Secret Admirer

needed to fill the position of permanent pest. Must be tall dark and handsome. Must like to walk in the rain, squade, and talk till dawn. Apply in person only! Love, your girl.

DEAR TRIX: Happy Valentine's

DEAR TRIX: Roses are red. Violets are blue, Happy Valentine's Day, from me to you. Love. Loretta.

DEAR TRIX: Stay away from Daisy or I'll bite your stem off. Signed, The Flower Foter

WOODROW: Happy Valentine's Dayl You're my favorite prof! The 11 o'clock Blonde

DEAR TRIX: Happy Valentine's Dayl We love you, Signed, Your Harem

BILL: You may be a 7 in rank, but you are always a 100+ in my book! I love you. Happy Valentine's Day, Love, Me.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY to the Day. Come over to my house this weekend and wear your Goalie guys at Florence Thriftway: Tom, Uniform (with nothing Wes, Charlie, Clem. Mike, Mo. Jim, John. The Deli Girls. the ball. Love, Amy-7114. HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY to

Valentine's Day is better your ODPC meetings.

names on their sleeves. This is probably the origin of the saving: "He's wearing his heart on his sleeve." The celebrating of Lupricalia was observed as early as 1446, and was observed in France, England.

Italy and other countries It was around this time that the day was first called Saint Valentine's Day, and not the feast of Lupracalia

Many traditions are associated with Saint Valentine's Day such as that of man sanding women hand-painted, lace valentines, flowers and expensive candies. As time went on the women began to reciprocate by sending the men valentines as well. Other legends are associated with Saint Valentines Day also. For example, English superstition has it that if snow is brought into a house before Valentines Day. any unmarried girl living in that house would not

marry that year.

Saint Valentine's Day is not a business holiday recognized by the government, such as Presidents Day and Thanksgiving. However, Valentine's Day is widely celebrated and most merchants do a brish business selling cards, candy and gifts.

Agron Knownth

Love Tiger

STAN: Roses may be red.

handsome face! You've made the

past five months very special

along with making every one of

my days and nights something to

went to my grade school with me,

for it now! Hubba-hubba! All my

BECKI M., Thanks for just being

there and caring. Maybe you'll be

my valentine this Saturday, I hope

so. Thanks for last Friday,

HEY YOU! You with the gorgeous

seductive eyes! Our feelings for

each other are real, even cosmic

man, so let's not deny them,

desirable MAN I know. (It's

Valentine's Day-I have to be

Mark Barth, the most wonderful

person ever. Love, Your Secret

love and then some! Cindy.

HAPPY V.D. Topo Gigo

another first! Love Gary

Love B-Stor (R*)

nicel) Guess Who

remember! Too bad you neve

DEAR MARYANN: I'm certain you To my "great loves" of realize by now exactly how I feel Valentine's Days past: about you. Still, I couldn't resist All that remainsthe chance to tell you this way: are empty, heart-shaped candy Hanny Valentine's Day Love boxes hidden in my closet: Dried red roses pressed between books of love poems:

And frilly cards which But violets may be ournle it's accompanied those gifts, bearing the words: Tomorrow may be St. Valentine's "Happy Valentine's Day To The One I Love But today it's Happy Birthday to -Forever Yours-

Thanks for the memories fellas, JEP: Happy Valentine's Day! See BOB: Happy Valentine's Day.

you sometime, A Friend. TO SIGMA PHI FPSILON: Honory Valentine's Day with lots of love. Love, Terri.

loved you once in silence, And misery was all I knew. Trying to mend my heart that was

And know I stilled loved you. The silence at last was broken. Happy Valentine's Dayl Much love always, Guinevere.

DEAR TRIX: Uh, what is it now? Uh Hanny Valentine's Day?! Signed S&M. T&A.

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY to Bryant. Your friend the Wondra

DEAR TOOTS: I love sweet & DEAR SCOTT: To the most delicious things. That's why I love gorgeous, hunky, best-built, your brownies and you! Happy Valentine's Day, Jay HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY to my

> good buddy Carl, Friends always. your SG Buddy Mariann. Roses are red. Roses are red

Roses are red And so on. Hoppy Valentines Week Love George TO BA. NS. & EM: Happy Valentine's Dayl Little Lulu.

DAD. Since you're never mad...that makes us glad. Happy Valentine's Day. Love, B, B, K,

LEFZA: Hoppy Valentine's Day! Minnie

TOO SHY: If you weren't so blinded by No. 33, Then maybe you'd be able to see the key, That says you were really meant for me Guess Who

JMB: When I'm with you the sky is blue. To give you a clue I love WILL FAR

D wooW : so will ich die auch ein Geheimniss sagent Und aar nichts arges, sinn' ich, 's ist mein't nur dosesich mein't nur haben quaelein uns du. Happy Volentine's Day P world

TO WPEN. Roses are red, our dog plays with a ball. We'll be banny when you move across the hall The Nerds.

IOMN. School days rule days on these cool days I can say that you're the ray who brightens up my day. Lizo.

CHERIE: Won't you please be my one and only Valentine forever and ever and ever and ever...Love, Rick.

Mrs. Hughes: Won't you be my one and only other Valentine? Same as above.

Mammy: Wan't you also be my one and only other Valentine? Same as above

Granny: I know it's getting kind of crowded, but won't you also be my one and only other Valentine? Your grandson.

Lois: Here's a big Valentine wish from all the Nerds to you. Happy

Northerner women: Since no one else will be wishing you a Happy Valentine's Day, the men on The Northerner staff thought we'd make your day and say "Happy Valentine's Day

Springy: Do they have Valentine's Day in Ireland? Also, from watching you play tennis. I must ask if they have tennis is Ireland? Hanny Valentine's Day Biora

BARB: Since you're good with numbers we figure you'll agree that we love to see No. 13 swishing in the 19 And we'd like to cheer it 15 times on this No. 14. We like you. Your Admirers.

JEANNIE: You're a sharp shooter. We're your favorite rooter. Though you'd think we're looters, Trying to steal your heart away. All the Arns.

ham. The B.B.K.'s.

If you were a tree

Our Valentines.

Then you could really see

HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY to Phil

Grone from THE GIRLS OF SG.

That for "Mike & me"

You were meant to be

GARY: With only Bible in hand. ISAAC: Roses are red, Violets are we hope you can, act like "The blue, After six years, I still love Man", who sits in the van, you Guess Who counting his clams, like some

J.D. I love you today. I'll love you tomorrow, I'll love you always and forever

Your favorite Dinabat HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY to Win (M.A.O.), my kind of preppy. Love Bitsy (BAK).

COACH BEITZEL & TEAM: Honov Valentine's Day & Good Luck tomorrow night against Thomas Morel Your Statistician Reth.

IAMMIF: Life has no meaning without you, but love does. Happy Valentine's Day Babe.

BARES (A IC). My words connot explain the beauty of our love, but maybe lifetime can...Do you accept? Love va. Bunky (LWR)

Valentine's Day and Evening. Lave, Babes (AJC) to (AJR, soon)

ELMER: So far everything has been coming up roses for you and Betty Lou. Happy Valentine's Day IMK

KATHY S.: Be my Valentine! Happy Valentine's Day, T.I.

PAT W - Honny Volentine's Driv We all love you here at NKU.

ROBERT: Will you be my valentine, please. I want this to be the best Valentine's Day ever. I want to share my life with you. Someday I'm going to marry you. Ya know! Aloha, my love. L.T.



Heidrich soars/swims to exciting experience

by Kim Goss

Northerner Sports Editor

Most of us have at least one thing we have always wanted to do, always say we will do, but never get around to doing. That's not the case of Judy Heidrich, a student here at Northern. There were two things she wanted to do, and did!

According to the 22-year-old Heidrich, she always wanted to go skydiving, so one day she, along with her brother and sister, did just that.



Judy Heidrich

"However, we waited till we got home before telling my parents," Heidrich explained with a smile.

Although Heidrich sustained a few bruises and a skinned chin from landing wrong, she described the experience as "really exciting" and hopes to do it again in the future.

"The scariest part was seeing my brother and sister fly out the plane," she added with a laugh.

First time jumpers go through a fivehour training program before jumping. Heidrich explained. "The safety training sessions aren't really difficult, but there's a lot of information so you have to pay close attention," she commented. Heidrich jumped from 3,000 feet and likened the landing impact to jumping from a 10-12 foot wall. She explained she missed the designated area she was to land in and thereby sustained her minor injuries.

"When I first jumped, everything looked like a big blob. I was afraid I wouldn't even be able to find the airport," she remarked.

"I was surprised at how quiet everything was during the jump. It was really a neat feeling," Heidrich said.

Although she enjoyed the feeling she experienced while skydiving, according to Heidrich, it cannot compare with her real love: scuba diving.

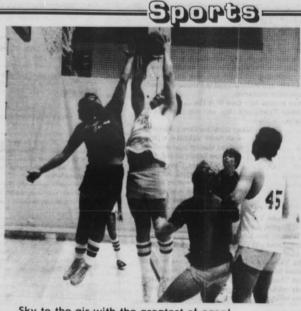
"Scuba diving is like being in another world," Heidrich explained as she struggled for words to describe the excitement, evident in her eyes.

A scuba diver for a year and a half, Heidrich was fortunate enough to have the opportunity to dive in the Bahamas ten days. Reflecting on her trip, she had a hard time determining her most memorable experience.

"I participated in a night dive which was really something. Everything is so alive at night, and the colors are so intensified," she recalled.

Another memorable moment occurred while diving near the lost city of Atlantis. "After looking at the blocks which are supposedly remains of the city, for awhile, they all started looking the same so I sort of swam off a little ways by myself. When I looked up there was this big shark's tail fin," she explained. "I didn't stay around long enough to see the other end, but I'd say it was probably 10 to 12 feet long."

Although she has spent many enjoyable hours in the water, scuba diving is not just a hobby for Heidrich. She is a volunteer member of the Boone-



Sky to the air with the greatest of ease!

Dan Bowman (left), a member of the Alpha Delta Gamma intramural basketball team, and Greg Ward, a Pi Kappa Alpha roundballer, battle for a rebound during the ADG's victory over the Pikes last Sunday. (Frank Lang photo)

Kenton Rescue Special Evidence Collection Team.

Her interest was sparked by a friend who also belongs to the team. Heidrich explained that joining the team required participating in an extensive three-week training program where she learned the basics, plus more training for search and recovery in black water (rivers and lakes where divers have no visibility).

Divers are placed in swimming pools with their masks covered in order to prepare them for black water diving, Heidrich further explained. Despite her training, she described her first black water dive as "really scary".

So far Heidrich has not been involved in diving for a drowning victim, though she has helped locate stolen cars and cars or guns wanted by the police.
"A friend of mine dove for two years

"A friend of mine dove for two years before he ever dove for a body so he could get himself mentally prepared," she added.

Diving for the rescue team is an exciting way of helping others, according to Heidrich. This need to help others is a very vital part of Heidrich's personality. A part-time student majoring in special education, Heidrich currently works as a volunteer in a special education program and hopes to eventually work with deaf children.

Since that goal may be a while off, in the meantime Heidrich will continue to fulfill her dreams, whether they be skydiving or helping others, in the best way she can.

CAMPUS RECREATION NOTES

Results of Men's Intramural Basketball action from Sunday, Art's Team Linneman Funeral Home Alpha Tau Omega Bluegrass Vets February 8, are: 51 Willow Beta Phi Delta 29 Muff Divers Division I 54 Results of Women's Intramural Tau Kappa Epsilon **Backboard Busting** Basketball action from January 27, Pi Kappa Alpha The Over The Hill Gang through February 5, are: 70 Division VI Chase Law-Second Year Alpha Delta Gamma 53 Top Ten Pikes 21 43 Renob Squad Rainbow Connectors 65 Seagrams Alumni Originals No Respect 56 Division IV 49 Nagees 62 Alumni Mixers King's Court 35 Buckeye's 80 Thirty-Five Footers 34 Sunday Schoolers 50 The Force 34 Ace's **Bottom Division** Division II Buckeye's Leapin Lizards 61 19 **Chase Bombadiers** The Nerds 57 Sunbucs Nagees 25 Division VII Caple Crusaders 39 Confederates Ace's 54 18 Sponge Chase Law-First Year Neutron Bombers Top Ten U.N.M. Lobos King of the Quarts Division V Last Five 58 17 Lobsterbacks Prefered Stock Rainbow Connectors 69 Saddle Club Seven 42 Seventy-Sixers Wildcats 65 More Fun With Hat & Wisch Buckeye's 52 38

Merz ready to let experience lead the way

by Sally Swauger

For NKU athletics, the 1980-81 school year has been marked by the arrival of new coaches (men's basketball) and the announced departure of others (Marilyn Moore-women's basketball).

Undoubtedly, most will remember the extensive and well-publicized search for a men's head basketball coach last year, Mike Beitzel, and one can be assured of another for Marilyn Moore's



However, one new coach who will soon begin his first season at NKU, and who perhaps is not as well-known, is

Merz, a golf pro at Ft. Mitchell Country Club was hired to replace Rev. Ralph Hopkins as head coach of the men's golf team this past summer, after a three month search by a special subcommittee of the Athletic Council, chaired by Dr. Lonnie Davis, NKU athletic director.

"I don't know exactly what they were looking for," stated Merz, "but they hired me in late August.'

The 49-year-old Moscow, Ohio, resident will continue his duties at Ft. Mitchell Country Club, where he has been the head professional since 1977, and serve as a part-time coach (Hopkins was also part-time, splitting his duties as coach and head of the Baptist Student Union.)

Yet, Merz pointed out his club's policy of allowing NKU's team one day each week to shoot a free practice round would not be increased because he has taken over the head coach position, explaining he did not want to "jeopardize" his job there.

Merz added, he will be easily accessible at his current place of employment, if any problems arise.

In addition, Merz has an ample amount of experience to his credit. Previously, he held the position of head pro at Coldstream Country Club in Cincinnati (1966-72), Wildwood Golf Club, Middletown, Ohio (1965-66), and Maysville, Ky. Country Club (1958-60). He has also served as assistant pro at the Cincinnati Golf Club (1961-64) and is a past president of the Cincinnati chapter of the PGA.

"We are extremely happy to have a man like Jack join our staff," said Davis. "He has had years of experience in the golf profession and is an excellent

While Merz admitted this will be his first attempt at coaching any golf team. he is optimistic about the position.

"I've got 23 years as a golf pro," Merz remarked. "Besides we played in a couple of tournaments last fall and it looks like we'll have a pretty good

"He has had years of experience in the golf profes-

Merz inherits a team that finished last season with a 50-21 mark and sent one member (Stan Bickel) to the NCAA Division II final. However, Bickel, who was named honorable mention All American, is academically ineligible to play on the golf team this semester.



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Intertainment:

Runaway special illustrated the situation

Endless television programs have concerned themselves with the problem of teenage runaways. However, none as effectively as the WYYS-FM (Yes 95) presentation, "Mom, I Want to Come Home Now

The special, which aired Thursday, February 5, on Channel 19 WXIX-TV. did not merely deal with the dilemma, as the other programs have, it illustrated the situation.



Melissa Spencer

It didn't provide us with well-spoken Ph.D's offering excuses for the problem, well-researched statistics proving the problem exists or well-educated panelists discussing the problem's possible solutions.

It presented the problem itself, in all its ugliness.

The problem is kids. Kids who are unable to cope with their families, friends and school. Kids who run away from these domestic pressures. Kids who are leading what was shown as a pathetic existence.

"Mom, I Want to Come Home Now,"

let those kids tell the story. They are the

Fleming Fuller, the writer, producer and director of the special, took his cameras to the streets and to the kids of

The program host, Beau Bridges, explained that two out of every three runaways turn to prostitution to support themselves. To these kids prostitution is not a crime or a profession, it is a means of survival.

Street scenes were grim. Young boys dressed in leather and covered with eyeshadow, mascara and rouge pitifully approached suit-clad businessmen and openly discussed their fees for an evening.

They were costumed like villians but in reality are the victims. Sex with a child desperate for money is not prostitution, it is rape.

The kids didn't appear to be kids at all. They appeared almost inhuman, certainly insensitive. They talked too nonchalantly about their own problems.

Each day they risk beatings, robbery arrest and rape, but it is routine for them.

Some even appeared to be bragging about their lifestyle.

They spoke like an average adolescent. Their conversations were filled with "you knows," "mans," and "reallys," but they looked worn and

These were just kids. Kids who should be stuffing themselves with pizza after the football game not shooting themselves full of heroin after turning their nightly tricks.

They should be unnecessarily hysterical over a blemish the night before a big date not slicing their faces up with broken glass because they're upset with their pimp.

They should be planning for college not wondering where their next night will be spent.

Yes-95 is to be commended for their effort to call this sobering situation to the attention of the public. It was a valiant attempt to make someone take

And I'm sure all who watched did take notice

The grizzly scenes of the life of a runaway and the disheartening reality presented by the first-hand stories of the young people combined to make, "Mom, I Want to Come Home Now" an effective portrait, if not a pretty picture of an alarming and depressing situation.

They made it difficult not to take notice and not to care.

Youth is a time to experience life-a time to see and enjoy new things.

'Mom I Want to Come Home Now' and Yes-95 showed us kids that have already seen too much and enjoyed too

They are surely not living; they are barely surviving.

Showing us these kids is what made this special stand out from other programs dealing with the same type of subject matter. Reality, it proved,is more effective and harder to swallow than well-paid juvenile actors pretending to face hard times. "Mom, I



The Runaway special made viewers wonder just exactly what goes on in the minds of the runaways.

Want to Come Home Now" was not just another show about teenage runaways. It was factual commentaries by teenage runaways "living" in an environment they've come to adapt to.

"Nurds" is a rare case of all-around excellance

Ah! The irrepressible, irresistible Roches are back. Their second LP, Nurds, is another tour de force valiantly following in the footsteps of their selftitled debut, a debut which among other things was declared by The New York Times to be the best record of 1979. This is not to say Nurds is note for note like the debut album on which, in Suzzy Roche's words, they sung and played "smooth as hills." Quite to the contrary, there are parts on Nurds where the music's almost rock and roll, thanks to the proficient rhythm section that at times augments the three sisterly guitars.



Marek Lugowski

In addition to titling the record Nurds, the sisters have a song titled likewise. In it they sing, "I'm so glad I am one." This is partly in response to the treatment the Roches received from

with Boz Scaggs out west. The crowds booed and shouted "rock and roll". absolutely refusing to give the band a chance. It makes one wonder who the real nurds are.

Musically, the Roches fall somewhere in the neighborhood of folk, but with enough uncanny acumen, nerve and magnificently outrageous ideas to earnestly qualify as the avant-garde. They sometimes sing ballads, but more often poems set to music, or-my favorites-startling a cappella (i.e. no instruments) choruses in three voices.

On Nurds, the songs run about three to five minutes, and all but two are of Roche composition. Those two are comprised of a splendid old tune by Cole Porter, "It's Bad for Me", written in 1933, and a traditional Irish ballad, "Factory Girl". The Roches do Porter's as an a cappella chorus. It is a wonderful, whimsical little song that harmonizes and soars, packing a load of humor in the process.

The Irish ballad, in contrast, is a smoky, sonically opulent affair where guitars and keyboards intertwine in a stately dance that includes voices ranging from delicate to passionate. A lot of "Factory Girl"'s virtues come built-in, but Roches' fantastic diction and sheer musicality fleshes out "Factory Girl" to the limit.



As to the trio's own fare, it is not bad either. A delightful standout is the humorous piece called "The Death of Suzzy Roche". In addition to an engaging melody and spritely instrumentation, it possesses hilarious lyrics where a coin-laundry operator describes, with utmost disdain, Suzzy Roche's highhanded ways as well as her 'crusty stinky socks' and "underwear that shocks". The operator explains, "O what a pig, she's such a pig/I'd like to stick a turd in her mailbox", and ultimately fantasizes killing her.

Also quite good is "Louis", a soft song which showcases Terre Roche's guitar playing, and Terre declares about Louis "all his affairs are economic."

"Bobby's Song" is an uproarious as well as uplifting chorus (with instruments) where the sisters debate over which of them caught the eye of a man they have all recently met. Whatever the truth might be, they harmoniously agree:

> He was in a plane crash He plays the clarinet He's trying to stop drinking But his girlfriend Hasn't left him yet

In stark contrast to the material described above, the opening songs on both sides, "Nurds" (one) and "My Sick Mind" (two), are more serious and they employ more drums and basses. "Nurds" is an angry, sarcastic tune, whereas "My Sick Mind" is a despairing, anquished one.

In summary, this is a rare case where the music's excellent, the poetry's excellent, the singing's excellent, the playing's excellent, and the production's very, very good. You will love it, unless you are one of those who shouts "rock and roll!" at hacks and artists alike. (It's still OK to exhort the hacks to play rock and roll, as opposed to playing a parody of it, but do leave the artists alone.) In any case, to hate this album requires a truely astounding lack of taste

Production efforts hurt 'Serenading Louie'

The Cincinnati Playhouse is offering Landford Wilson's Serenading Louie at the Thompson Shelterhouse until February 22.



Greg Hatfield

Lanford Wilson has been at the playwrighting business a long time. First producing in 1963, he's known mostly for his works mounted at the Circle Repetory Company and off-off Broadway shows in New York. He's had modest success with Hot l Baltimore (1973), has lately enjoyed greater popularity by winning the Pulitzer Prize for Tally's Folly (1980) and is represented on Broadway now, with Fifth of July, starring Christopher Reeve.

So, it's no big surprise to see Wilson's plays being done in light of his current popularity. His works have seen a lot of action before his acclaim, he's always been popular with regional and community theatres, and his new acceptance now makes the old plays even more credible.

Serenading Louie introduces us to two couples. Couple A is Mary and Carl. He's a successful construction boss, formerly a successful football player in high school. She's the perfect doting wife, attending to all hubby's needs, and was formerly a cheerleader.

Couple B is Gabby and Alex. He's a successful lawyer, who is about to be appointed to Congress. She's a little bit less stable than the others, rushing to complete her work around the house.

They're all old friends, living in Chicago, and enjoying each others company a great deal. But all is not fair weather in Chi-town. Carl has a problem. It seems he was able to catch Mary having an affair. Boy, talk about messing up your day. In constant monologue after monologue, Carl explores his feelings for Mary and tries to come to grips with this important

Alex has a problem too. He's become little bored with Gabby.(And who could blame him? She's complaining all the time, and the kid can't keep still for even a second.) Looking for some type of spark in his miserable upper class existence, he fantasizes about having an affair with a 17 year-old girl he met. He gets to explore his inner thoughts and ponder the true meaning of life and what

The Playhouse production defeats the purpose of having an experimental theatre. What director Michael Murray has done, is stage a not very well-written play. His idea of direction on a small piece of stage is to have the actors move to various corners of the stage, on a line, turn and recite lines. While this may be one way of technically directing the show, it is by no means the only way, and certainly any other method would have been less boring.

One good thing, it's only a four character show, therefore alleviating other character stories to get involved with. The ones we do have to suffer through manage as best they can with varying results.

The Playhouse production defeats the purpose of having an experimental theatre.

Jill O'Hara as Mary plays her role with some darn good acting, so that by the time we find out she is having an affair, we are genuinely surprised. Her counterpart, Carl, played by Jim De Marse, has all the charm of a deflated basketball. Jim seemed to be having a bit of trouble with his lines, on the night

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Jim De Marse (Carl) clowns around in his Halloween mask with Lynn Ritchie (Gabby) in a scene from Lanford Wilson's Serenading Louie, playing in the Cincinnati Playhouse's Thompson Shelterhouse through February 22. For tickets and dinner reservations, call the Playhouse Box Office at 421-3888

Lynn Ritchie as Gabby was my favorite. A mix between Mary Hartman I saw the play, and I kept hoping he would skip a few. However, he may have added a few.

on speed, with the perkiness of Sally Struthers, she gives this show a shot in the arm when it tends to be overblown. Husband Alex is played by Edmond Genest. This guy was acting just like Orson Bean, if you can imagine that. He looked like Judd Hirsch. I thought it was my imagination at first, but the more I looked, the more it occurred to me. Judd Hirsch was very popular in Wilson's Tally's Folly. It's just like somebody in Cincinnati to capitalize on this without any real value and purpose.

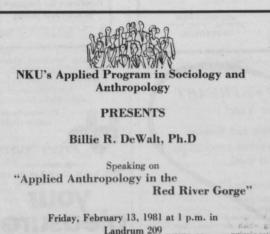
Generally, Serenading Louie seemed

to be enjoyed by the older section of the audience-probably male- who perhaps could better appreciate the subject matter concerning "middle-age crisis". They even chuckled stupidly at the references made to Cincinnati and Kenwood.

The intimacy of the Thompson Shelterhouse works well for plays such as Serenading Louie. It's designed for you to shape the characters' emotions as you move right along with the actions. It's too bad there are faulty contrivances in this production. For example, early on in the play, a shotgun is moved about slowly and methodically-there's no doubt it's going to be used. Unfortunately, when it is finally used, the action came about two hours and two acts too late.

Well SIR, I JUST HUNG AROUND The

Place until They hired mell



Random House honors three NKU students

by Mary King

Random House Publishing Company recently awarded national certificates to three NKU business students for their efforts on a :narketing research project last semester.

Under the direction of Timothy T. Serey, assistant professor of organizational behavior, Rick Hartman, Dave Hensley and Steve Conrad completed a marketing research questionaire on the University Bookstore for a class project.

As a requirement of the introductory course, students are expected to submit a class project in an area of interest to them, according to Serey.



Steve Conrad

"If, in my judgment the students do an exceptional job on their project, I'll send it on to Random House for national competition," he said. "These people did a terrific job. Of all the projects I received, theirs was on the only one I felt worthy of sending."

Random House, which sponsors the Business Today Project Awards, accepts projects from schools all over the country. These projects are then evaluated by a Project Review Board at the end of the year, according to Serey.

"Actually, there are 20 different topics the students can choose from," Serey said.

Aside from the market survey, students could also research areas such as the legal requirements necessary to run a business, why you need a lawyer and how to gain information on starting a small business like a gift shop or restaurant.

Hartman, Hensley and Conrad chose the market survey because of their combined interest in the field of market research.

"I've always been interested in market surveys," said Conrad, a junior management major. I had done one before in high school and I felt I knew what I was doing."

"I'll probably go into marketing." said Hensley, a sophomore business major. "So I'd like to know more about the background of market research."

The students main concern for the project was class-oriented. "We did it as a class project," said Hartman. "Entering the contest was an afterthought. If we won, that was great, if we didn't, that was that."

After the research was completed, the results were shared with the bookstore manager. "He had already had a similar idea to our survey," said Hensley. "He's going to use ours as an example."



Dave Hensley (left) and Tim Serey display the national award. (Barb Barker hoto)

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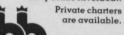
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Friday, February 13 through Saturday, February 28

Jack Wann, director, has announced the cast for the two plays to be done in repertory. The cast for Vanities by Jack Heifner is: Kathy, Mona Miller: Joanne, Tammy Kynion: Mary, Sheryl Porter, The understudy is Paula Godsey and Katey Flick will be stage manager.

The cast for Lone Star by James McLure is: Roy, Richard Sheridan; RAy, Brad Baker; Cletis, Don Craddock. The understudy is Charles Killion and Greg Lonneman will be stage manager. Performances will take place on the 13-14, 17-19 and 26-28. Curtain times vary. Call 292-5433 for specific information.

Friday, February 13

The Association for Faculty Women, a new group formed to provide a forum for discussion of issues of special, but not exclusive, interest to faculty women, is sponsoring a meeting at the Pompillio house from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Kim Hennessy will discuss affirmative action at NKU. All interested faculty members are invited.

Delta Zeta Sorority is sponsoring a Valentine's Day Bake Sale in the Natural Science Building Lounge from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

NKU's Applied Program in Sociology and Anthropology presents Billie R. DeWalt. Ph.D. to talk on "Applied Anthropology in the Red River Gorge" at 1 p.m. in Landrum

Monday, February 16

The second annual Tau Kappa Epsilon Bowling Tournament will be held at La Ru Lanes, Highland Heights, from 9:30 a.m. until 6:30 p.m.

Both men's and women's divisions will be held. Cost is \$6 per person or \$24 per team. You can register Friday, February 13 in the U.C. lobby or call Chuck at 581-0539 or Mike at 441-9939

Tuesday, February 17

Mr. Kurt Standerford, Regional Director of the African Peoples Revolutionary Party, will give a lecture entitled, "The Role of the College Student in the Continued Struggle," in Room 108 of the University Center at

The Art of this Century film series will present Masters of Modern Sculpture, Part Two: Beyond Cubism in the UC Theatre at 12:30 and 7 p.m. Free admission.

Wednesday, February 18

The International Coffee Hour will take place from noon until 2 p.m. in the UC Television Lounge. Bring friends. Refreshments are provided.

Thursday, February 19

Mr. Mike Burson, Regional Director of the All African Peoples Revolutionary Party will give a lecture entitled, "AAPRP", in Room 108 of the University Center at noon.

Thursday, February 19 and Friday, February 20

The Geology Club will present a videotape, "Earthquakes", at 12:05 until 1 p.m. in Room 315 of the Science Building. Part one will be on Thursday; part two on Friday. Everyone is welcome; bring your lunch.

Friday, February 20

The University Center Theatre Board will present The Muppet Movie at 12:15, 7 and 9:30 p.m. in the UC Theatre, Admission is \$1 will valid NKU LD.

Monday, February 23

The Cincinnati Playhouse and WCET-TV will present jazz guitarist Cal Collins and bluegrass/jazz vocalist Katie Laur together in a live jazz concert on the stage of the Robert S. Marx Theatre at 8 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the Playhouse Box Office. For more information call 421-3888.



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