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## All dried up Pool closing a part of larger plan for KSU recrea



Alex Danaila | The Sentinel

Sr. sports management major and lifeguard, Ashlea Porri, sits and watches over an empty pool. Lifeguards were given desk jobs at the gym.

SUNNY ARNETT  
STAFF WRITER

KSU's 40-year-old pool will officially close May 26. A recommendation to close the pool was made by the Intramural and Recreation staff, HPS administration, Plant Operations and Student Government to the President's Cabinet. The cabinet approved the proposal at a recent meeting.

Discussion about the condition of the pool started over two years ago when Nova Engineering and Environmental Inc. conducted a study on the pool. The company concluded that the cost to maintain the pool would continue to increase. Nova encouraged KSU to evaluate the cost of rehabilitating the current pool versus a new structure.

Currently it costs \$63,000 annually to maintain the pool, as well as additional costs for staff. This expenditure is expected to rise.

Another factor in the pool's closing is that recent figures show that less than ten percent of students, faculty and staff use the pool.

Outside groups like Tidal Wave, a local youth swimming team, use the pool Monday through Friday for practices, which limit the hours students and faculty can use the pool.

Tara Parker, assistant director of the Student Life Center, said another issue is space.

"There were 55,000 visits to the Student Recreation and Wellness Center in fall 2005," Parker said.

The number of visits to the old weight room was about 3,000 in one semester.

The demand for group instruction [spinning and yoga classes] and classrooms expands the need for the extra space that the pool area will provide.

"More times and more classes will be added to meet students' demands and wants," Parker said.

This is the first step of a larger plan to continue to improve the complex so that it meets the standard of other buildings on campus. The construction process will begin in June and is scheduled to finish next

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## Farewell to frames

### Tenure comes to a close after 25 years



Then...



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NICK MRACEK  
SR. STAFF WRITER

University President Dr. Betty Siegel will step down from her position June 30. Next in line, Dan Papp, former vice chancellor of the Board of Regents, will take over July 1.

When Siegel leaves her office for the final time at the end of June, she will hand over a growing university to a good friend of hers, Papp.

One of Siegel's first activities after leaving office will be a trip to Oxford University for a leadership conference in September. There, she will meet with leaders from other American universities. Siegel is the conclave's chair of Global Ethics and the Changing University Presidency. The

purpose of the conference is to learn how to educate and create ethical leaders for tomorrow.

When she returns after her studies in Oxford, she wants to attend another university for an opportunity to work with graduate students in ethical studies.

"[I want to] move in the direction I've been going, but do so from another platform. The presidency has been the most exciting part of my life," Siegel said. "I want to be teaching. I love to teach and I like being in the classroom."

Through Siegel's presidency and countless speeches, she has quoted from memory a number of prophetic writers and orators. One of these is Anne Morrow Lindbergh, author of "Gift from the Sea."

"When shellfish grow you have to shed the shell in order

to go to a bigger shell. You are at the mercy of predatory beasts that might feed on you or the flows of the ocean that may take you far away from where you go. However, you must shed the shell to go in search of another shell by being vulnerable," Siegel said, paraphrasing Lindbergh.

Siegel looks to head out into another stage of her life by leaving the shell of KSU. Traveling abroad has been important to her, she says, because there is so much to learn from other ethnicities and cultures.

When all is said and done, Siegel will be looked at as the longest running female

president in the state of Georgia. Her 25 years on the job will also be noticed as one of the last long-standing presidencies in the nation. The average term for university presidents today stands at about seven years, according to U.S. News and Report.

"We can only hope that we have built well. I inherited a very good institution from the founder of the university. He built well, but we are light years away from where we were," Siegel said.

What also will be missing from the campus will be her large framed glasses, matching every outfit, that have become her trademark look.

## Breaking ground



Andrey Zorin | The Sentinel

President Betty Siegel and other administrative staff made the initial dig for the addition to the Wilson building April 22. The addition will include a performance hall and art museum. Visual Arts students customized hardhats for the participants.

## A new era begins for the University College

### The search is on for the next dean

AMY STOREY  
NEWS EDITOR

A decision will be made May 8 as to who is to become dean of the University College at KSU.

Vacancy of the position was announced February, and candidates were informed to submit applications by March 27.

Current Dean, Dr. Mary Lou Frank, is leaving the position, citing a long commute from her current home in Dahlonega.

"It is my sincere hope that the new dean will continue to build on the excellent programs we have started together and support the fine faculty and staff," Frank said.

There were 56 initial applicants for the position. The search committee, composed of staff, narrowed the list down to 12 and performed reference checks and additional screening of application materials. From there, the list was narrowed down to seven and off-campus interviews were conducted. Of those candidates, Dr. Darlene Hantzis of Indiana State University and Dr. Ralph Rascati of KSU were chosen.

"The overall strength of the applicant pool was very high. The search committee is very pleased with our two finalists and will be excited to have either Dr. Hantzis or Dr. Rascati as our next dean of the University College," said Dr. Charles Bowen, Dean of Student Success and chair of the search.

Hantzis currently resides at Indiana State University as Associate Dean of Academic Affairs in the College of Arts and Sciences and Communication Professor and Women's Studies Professor. Her Q & A open forum session was held April 25 where Hantzis concentrated on her concerns with uniformity among undergraduates, counseling and the CAPS center, the importance of student-and-student and faculty-and-student relationships out of the classroom and the significance of general education. Hantzis first visited KSU in 1995 and has worked with staff in the past.

"Kennesaw has always been a place I've known. I always look for challenges and new positions where I can grow. I believe education is the only path



Rick Winters | The Sentinel

Dr. Darlene Hantzis gave a short presentation prior to her Q&A on her vision for the University College

to social justice and I think the university college becomes the place on campus that is able to be the most responsive to the academic and culture life of the students," Hantzis said.

She noted that every student should have some sort of relationship with the University College in addition to the relationship that they have with their major department.

"The final goal is to make sure that we are providing the opportunity for every student to meet his or her intellectual and personal goals. And whatever we need to do that is what we should be doing. I assume people are of goodwill and I assume goodwill myself," Hantzis said.

Rascati currently acts as vice

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spring. No academic classes will be affected this summer by the construction and the pool will be used during Maymester for a scuba diving class.

The pool area will be transformed into three rooms measuring 1,624 square feet each. One room will be specifically for spinning classes so that the bikes will not have to be moved. Currently the bikes are stored in a classroom and moved onto the basketball court for classes. This limits the use of the court and risks damage to the bikes.

The other two rooms will be divided by a retractable wall to accommodate two classes or larger activities.

The pool is not the only change KSU will see. According to John Anderson, director of facility planning and design, the sports annex [the trailers located beside the tennis courts] and the tennis courts are also scheduled for removal. The annex will be moved either this summer or later this fall. There is no definite schedule to remove the tennis courts, which are to be removed because of old age and damage. The women's tennis team plays off-campus because the courts have become too dangerous to play on.

"A large, large recreation center is what the campus needs," Anderson said. "Major additions will be done in phases."

Parker is already looking at the facilities of local universities like Georgia State and Georgia Tech to come up with ideas about an aquatic center.

"We need an on-campus pool. This one doesn't meet our needs currently," Parker said.

Parker, Anderson and Charles Bowen, dean of student success, are working together to accomplish this goal. A future aquatic center is a possibility provided that funds become available.

"It comes down to cost, condition and space as to why the pool is closing," said Bowen. "It's time to take action."

Ultimately, the plans will be determined by what the students want. No plans for an aquatic center are concrete. However, KSU is working to meet priorities and is open to student input. Visit the intramural webpage at [kennesaw.edu/student\\_life/intramurals.shtml](http://kennesaw.edu/student_life/intramurals.shtml) for current pool hours.

# President and vice president unopposed in spring election Cotton and Touchton will continue leading Student Government next year

SUNNY ARNETT  
STAFF WRITER

Student Government elections were held on campus April 24 and 25. This year the ballots were far from full. Thomas Cotton, current SG president, and James Touchton, current vice president, ran for their positions unopposed.

"There is a lack of interest," Cotton said. "People didn't want to be involved."

This year there were nine senator applications and three executive applications for about 30 available positions.

Cotton contributes the low interest to the lack of drama and scandal on campus. The drama usually draws attention from students and promotes involvement to fix the problem. Touchton feel this is also because of their success in SG this year.

"The only reason I can think of is that the students are happy with the job we have done," Touchton said.

He contributes their good work to raising money for Katrina victims,

wanting Division I hockey, creating handicap accessibility at the Convocation Center, fighting for aerobic classes in the mini gym and working with other universities for a seat on Georgia's Board of Regents.

Cotton will continue to push forward with plans he is currently working on during this next term. He plans to work with the athletic department to promote school traditions, investigate the KSU Foundation's spending and code of ethics, push for student seats on the Board and transition SG to work with the new president, Dr. Dan Papp.

Touchton, who will be a master's student this fall, will add to the table more options for student housing and pricing, reactivating the forwarding option for KSU email accounts, promoting mandatory advisement, helping all student organizations work on the same page and work to unite the student body.

The Board of Regents governs and manages all of Georgia's colleges and

universities. Cotton and Touchton are working for KSU with the help of almost all the schools in Georgia to promote student activity and input.

"Students are the stockholders in the university system and deserve to have their vote count on issues such as taxes on textbooks, tuition increases and funding for different universities," Touchton said.

Cotton feels the Board and its members are too far removed from college to make some decisions that directly impact students without the voice of those students present. "Times have changed," Cotton said.

SG wants to work with the Board to allocate funding for programs at KSU including more master and doctorate programs, oppose the Board for mandating one server for all Georgia's colleges and universities to use WebCT and determine why the Board wants to charge the health center rent for a location in the University Village which would directly benefit the students.

The presidential transition is another important task SG will undergo in the new term. Cotton was a part of the search for the new president. He has interacted with Papp, but looks forward to more collaboration once spring semester is finished.

"Dr. Siegel is charismatic. She can captivate an audience very quickly," Cotton said, reflecting on the transition. "[Dr. Siegel and Dr. Papp] have the same leadership qualities."

The promotion of SG at KSU is always a goal.

"I want to make this organization grow and be more active. The only reason we're here is because of the students," Cotton said.

Both Cotton and Touchton are excited about working for the student's needs and wants during the next year. More information on SG and other student organizations can be found at the Student Life Center in the Student Center or online at [kennesaw.edu/student\\_life](http://kennesaw.edu/student_life).

## Geography Bowl hosted at KSU

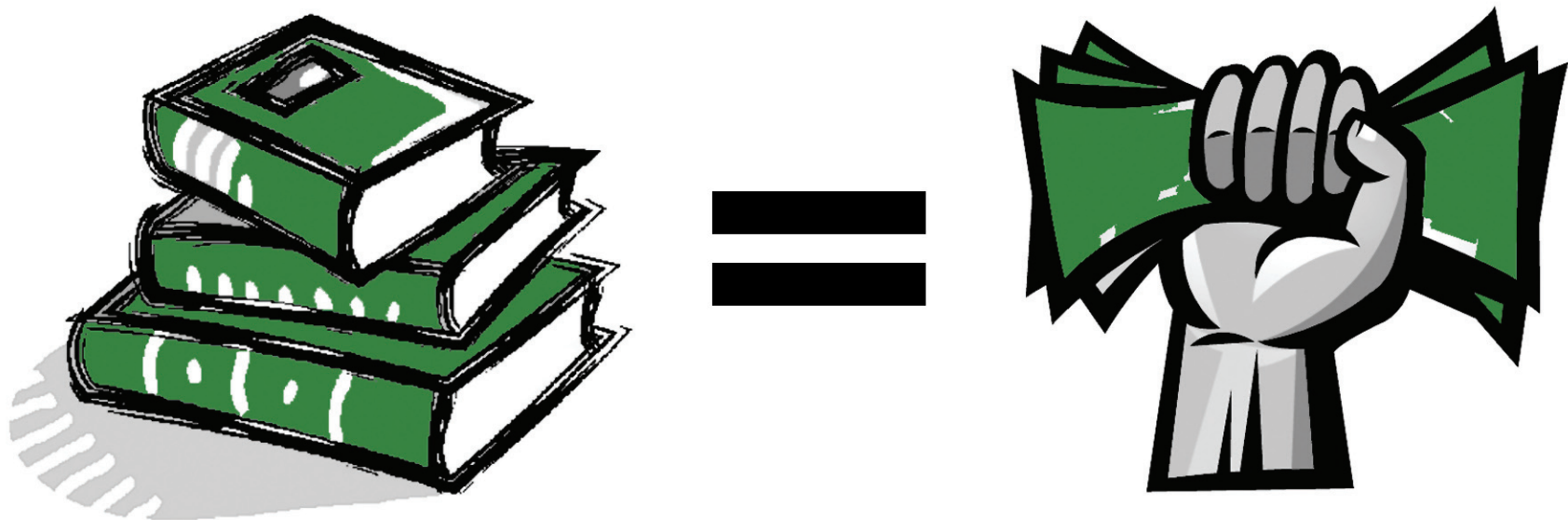


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**Dr. Harry Trendell** from the department of Sociology, Geography and Anthropology instructed a group of Geography Bowl participants on April 21. The seventh annual High School Geography Bowl attracted students from Fulton, Gwinette, Hall, Cherokee and Cobb county school systems to University rooms A through E. Trophies awarded the first, second and third place winners. The competition was limited to freshman in high school currently enrolled in a world geography class.

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# POLICE BEAT

CHAUNTRELL LOFTON  
SR. STAFF WRITER

**KSU Police assisted** Gwinnett County's Sheriff's Department Fugitive Division in serving a warrant April 14. The responding officers arrived at the University Village apartments and made entry through an open door to an apartment. Upon entering, the officers found the subject in one of the bedrooms and apprehended him without incidence.

**The driver of a black Chevy S-10 pickup truck** hit the driver of a motorcycle April 14 and left the scene of the accident. After being struck, the driver of the motorcycle was ejected from the bike. When officers arrived on the scene, the driver was conscious and alert. He gave the officers a description of the vehicle involved in the accident before being transported to Kennestone Hospital.

**KSU Police were on their normal patrol route**, when an officer heard what he thought was either fireworks or a firearm on April 15. While checking the area of Town Point Drive, an officer observed a white 1997 Ford Explorer pulling out of the rear of Mellow Mushroom.

After noticing the police, the driver of the Explorer began driving at high speeds through the parking lot. The officer finally caught up with the vehicle at the Swiftly-Save. After speaking with the driver and pas-

senger, the officer asked them to step outside of the vehicle. While searching the passenger, marijuana was found. He was later charged with violation of V.G.C.S.A (M) and placed into custody.

**A female was sitting at the bus stop** on Frey Lake Road when a male, wearing a ball cap, pulled along side her in a green four-door sedan. The male asked her to get into his vehicle and she refused. She then began walking in the opposite direction, and the male began driving towards the campus.

**Three KSU students were arrested on April 13** for underage possession by consumption of alcohol. The students were in an apartment at University Village listening to loud music, which caused someone to contact the police.

Upon arriving at the apartment, the officers encountered several people in the apartment, but none of them resided there. The officers asked the visitors to contact the owners and ask them to return to the apartment, which they did.

Upon returning, the two residents smelled of alcohol. The officer had each of them blow into an alco-sensor to determine if they had been drinking. Each of them had, so they were taken into custody for underage drinking. The officer then asked them to contact the females who had left the apartment, so that he could return their belongings,

which consisted of a purse and a sweater. The officer was then instructed to go to the girls' apartment.

Once arriving there, he noticed that one of the girls had bloodshot eyes, so he asked her to blow into the alco-sensor, which she did. She tested positive for alcohol and was placed under arrest for underage consumption.

**A student contacted KSU Police to report a fraudulent cashier's check** that he received from someone who was interested in purchasing a vehicle on April 10. The complainant told the responding officer that he was contacted by a male subject who wanted to purchase his vehicle, which was advertised on Autotrader.com. The suspect told the complainant that he was interested in purchasing the car for the company that he worked for in Ontario Canada. After agreeing on a selling price, the suspect said he would send a cashier's check to the complainant via UPS, which he did. However, the check was for an additional \$2,300, which the suspect asked the complainant to wire to a female in Canada. The complainant did not become suspicious about the transaction until after it had already cleared Western Union. At which time, it was too late to stop the transfer. The responding officer took as much information as possible to file a report. The case was also forwarded to a KSU investigator.

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president for Academic Affairs at KSU, but until 2002 was the Chair of the Department of Biological and Physical Sciences. Rascati's wants to focus on RPG [retention, progression and graduation rates] within the KSU community. He characterizes the University College as being a place where the learning communities are organized. Its idea is to provide the services and programs for students to be successful at college.

"The college provides the kind of tailoring of a program that otherwise is not available within a single discipline," Rascati said.

He also mentioned the importance of a home for students lacking a major, also known as exploratory students.

"Most of the time, for us at least, a lot of those early programs that are going to affect students in their first year are going to be housed at the university college because they haven't yet determined their major yet," Rascati said. "Their first academic home will be the University College."

Academic advising is also on his list of important roles in the University College. He claims that advising is one of the key factors in

retention.

"I would like to think that I have insight on some of the things that are needed here. One of the things I consider important in this position, however, is that a lot of it involves relationships; collaborative relationships with other academic units as well as units of divisions of student success," Rascati said.

"One of the advantages that I have of already being on

campus is that I already know all of the people that work in those units and already have those relationships developed."

Rascati's Q & A will be held April 27 in University Room B from 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

The new dean of the University College will join the new University President in taking over their position July 1.

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## The Iranian Martyr McFly tosses food fight

Iran is that kid in the high school cafeteria who tosses empty threats at anyone who he thinks looks at him funny. He is the kid who picks fights with those three times his size because he knows that retaliation is improbable. He is the kid that nobody likes and everyone feels sorry for because he always got picked on and could never do anything to defend himself. He is small and weak and loud and feisty and unstable. He was never a threat, but everyone knew that he had the potential for destruction if properly provoked if only because he wanted to prove a point and had nothing to lose. But rarely did anyone test the ability of his defenses because he was not worth the time and effort. So he decided to test it himself, usually in the form of bullying or Columbine-esque behavior...and nothing good ever came of that.

The kid usually rounds up a few of his buddies in an effort to create a sense of fear in that their potential fight is warranted because others have joined him.

His friends, particularly the one who looks squirrel-y and unkempt and warily sways from side to side when he walks, are the ones that fuel the fire with words of encouragement and ire. The kid feeds off these words and soon reaches a boiling point and is ready to burst with anger. He broods over the words and relishes the degrading dialogue until he believes its message and wants to fight against it...

and nothing good ever comes from that.

The kid needs help. The kid needs counseling. The kid needs a sense of fulfillment and purpose and belonging and a reason not to fight. He needs guidance from his current state to that of less pride and more positive meaning.

Indeed, he wants this sort of guidance and counseling but has neither the means nor the respect to ask for it. Instead,

he lashes out and defends himself, causing one of two things to happen: 1) he will be so obliterated and damaged from a confrontation that any likelihood of his return is bleak. Or, more likely, 2) he will go down swinging and take anything and anyone in his path down with him. Either way, the fate of this kid is the same. Nothing good can come of that.

Iran was that kid and is that kid and will remain that kid until he stops fighting himself and listening to those who only fuel his misguided intentions. The United States needs to act as council to the saddened state of Iran to curb any negative consequences that may emanate from Iran's instability.

As it is, Iran is dutifully building nuclear reactors and warheads in hopes of blasting a devastating hole into anyone who crosses their path. The United States needs to mediate and dictate to Iran that we do, indeed, believe in a positive Iranian state and that we are willing to work to achieve that goal.

Without this counseling, Iran remains unstable and remains conversing with his unkempt counterparts in plotting revenge and warfare...and nothing good will ever come of that.

I CAME. I SAW. IRAN.



## The Gospel of Judas

### The fight over biblical intentions

DEREK FOSTER  
COLUMNIST

Judas Iscariot is one of those figures in history who has become renown for betraying Jesus Christ. Now, all of a sudden, the hidden "Gospel of Judas" has surfaced and I am reading all sorts of headlines saying, "Could this be the alternative Gospel which sheds light on the real character of Judas? Did the Church suppress the truth?" I want to shed some light on this issue so that people who do not know much about these "gospels" can have some perspective other than the sensationalism of the media.

For starters, there were many writings that were circulating in the first century A.D. that were "alternative" Gospels. Many of these are attributed to a diverse group of people whom we today call the Gnostics. This a broad term for many different sects of mystical religious groups who sought after "secret knowledge" [gnosis] and taught many different things. It is spun around in the media [and even in The Da Vinci Code] that the Christian Church of the 4th Century A.D. began suppressing many of these alternative Gospels and other diverse Christian writings in favor of the teachings which supported their views.

This is simply not true. There is no indication in history that the Christian Church ever took many of these "hidden" writings seriously. The books that exist today in mainstream Christianity today are the books which have always been used and disputed in Church history. Other writings were not even considered with the 4th Century Church because Christians did not use these writings. There is a dispute over what is traditionally called "the apocrypha," or "hidden writings" that are used in many Catholic Churches. But books such as "The Gospel of Judas" or "The Gospel of Thomas" have no major support in history.

There were many spurious writings that were circulating in the early Church that the Church deemed heretical from the outset. The Christian Apostles Peter and John, who are attested in the Gospels to have been with Jesus Christ during his ministry and were some of his closest disciples, wrote against heretical teachings that were being taught even in their time.

The fact that another "Gospel" resurfaces today does not mean much of anything except that we have another document from some group of people who were writing "cleverly invented stories," as the Apostle Peter called them. Don't buy what you're reading in the media or The Da Vinci Code if you are really interested in knowing the truth. Look into these matters for yourself and find out the history behind the new "Gospel."

## Yesteryear's college protests

### Where has the era of Vietnam gone?



Azy Kashani  
Columnist

"I Reckon, I Yessum."

When you look at images of college students from the 1960s, you see pictures of student activists conducting protests, sit-ins and anti-war demonstrations. The students at that time were very involved in political advocacies and had much knowledge of current events. They made it a point to be heard, and would march in the streets if they weren't.

If you were to look at images of college students today, you would probably be more likely to see pictures of us funneling a beer and getting drunk. It really makes me wonder- where we stand as students now in the war and politics. Is it that we just care less or don't care at all about the issues, or is there just not as much shouting?

Personally, I am not to big into politics myself, but I do know that there are things that I agree and disagree with that are happening now in the war and the world. I don't think it matters what political party you are affiliated with in this matter, but so many issues have come about in the past few years that many students don't know or don't care about. We don't even really know that

a war is going on and are not involved in any part of anything. The thought of the war hangs out in our subconscious minds, and is considered if reminded about it.

If you look around, it seems that we are all living in this bubble with no care for anything outside of it. Our weekend plans are more important than anything else and we don't want to deal with the problems of the war, global warming or anything negative that may affect us.

When I read and see things from Vietnam I wonder why all those people cared so much more than we do? Maybe it hit closer to home with the troops involved, or maybe it was just the fad at that time period. I mean most of us could tell you who Paris Hilton is dating at the moment, but could not answer any simple questions about the happenings in Iraq. All I can think is where is our youth now?

I realize that everyone does have their opinions and there are students that are active in the war and such, but even statistics show a huge decline with youths at the polls during elections since the 1970s. MTV has tried to get youth to participate with their "Rock Your Vote" and "Vote or Die" campaigns,

but even then many students don't know too much about the issues and go with the popular vote.

This war seems to just be lingering in our subconscious minds. I've noticed that our news outlets are being dominated with topics of Michael Jackson, Tom Cruise's wacky stunts or American Idol events, but I can't even remember the last time they mentioned something about things going on in the actual war. It seems that all the news about it is brushed off, unless a major event occurs.

During the Gulf War, we were constantly reminded of us having our citizens across the world fighting for us. I was young but remember seeing yellow ribbons everywhere for constant reminders. It seems that now unless it is entertaining, we're not listening. Our at-

tention span for the war news has come to us in the form of MTV's five minute news clip, or having Jon Stewart make it sarcastic.

Students have withdrawn their energy from voting, news, environment and so many other issues. I can't really talk because I know that I am guilty of a lot of these issues as well, but as a whole, I wonder why we became that way. I have heard numerous times that maybe it's because we believe that we can't make a difference, but not attempting anything at all won't change anything either.

We need to at least make an effort to have our voices heard. There are a lot of things going on right now that are going to not just affect us, but our children as well.



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# The end is only the beginning

## Farewell letter from the editor in chief



COLLEEN WELLS  
EDITOR IN CHIEF

The end is only the beginning. As this semester comes to a close, so does my position as editor in chief of The Sentinel. However what I have gained has been more than worth the countless hours of editing, researching, writing and interviewing during my various positions on staff. I hope to carry what I have learned from The Sentinel to higher levels, eventually being an eye for American citizens by reporting internationally.

I have been privileged to be EIC this semester, not only because of what I have learned about the journalism field, but also because of what I have learned from my coworkers, who have also become my friends. I am thankful to be surrounded by wonderful people who share the same commonalities of interest in journalism and a devotion to producing a quality KSU paper. I am proud of each unique member of my staff for always showing respect to one another despite our differences, coming together to create a quality issue week after week.

Jason, the upcoming editor in chief, you have come a long way from working as copy editor for free. Thank you for helping me throughout this semester. I am confident that the paper will only get better under your leadership next semester, and that you'll still keep it real.

Amey, you never seem to succumb to the stressful moments, always breaking the tension by making others laugh. You are always dedicated to get the news out, no matter how many stories you have to write. Your combination of humor and seriousness is enviable.

Rick, thank you for your dedication. The product of your work each week speaks volumes for your commitment and love for sports. It never ceases to amaze me what actions you can catch in a still photo during a fraction of a second. The Sentinel is lucky to have you before Sports Illustrated does.

Kayla, your creativity and strong passion for journalism is admirable. By putting your all into your work, you have managed to turn features into a real campus features section, despite the obstacles. You have proven that you can rise to any occasion.

Tyler, thank you for turning our imaginative visions for each section into great layouts. Thanks for your willingness to always work with us. It has been a great pleasure working with you.

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the web site, but also your creative work in production. You have shown me by example that I can succeed at working two jobs and going to school full-time, while still holding a calm and positive demeanor. You really are put together.

Rykic and Adam, thank you for your attention to the details. No article can ever be perfect, but you both help make them closer to perfection.

Carolyn and Chance, thank you both for coming in and quickly organizing everything. You are both a joy to work with, not only because of your work ethics, but also because of your friendly personalities.

The staff writers and photographers, thank you for your hard work. Being published in the paper is exciting for you, and also rewarding for the editors when good articles are written and pictures are taken.

Thank you to the readers, especially those who write in challenging other articles. The students are the reason for the paper. Participate and let your voice be heard.

And lastly, Ed Bonza, our media advisor, thank you for your endless support and advice. I have such gratitude and respect for you. You have opened my eyes to journalistic approaches in ways I never thought possible. When I think I've thought things through, you make me think more, realizing that I can never know everything about anything. Thank you for keeping me grounded.

Do any of us really know what is currently going on in this world, beyond what we see on television and read in papers? The media is a powerful tool that can shape our perception of the world and everything in it. The media has become our eyes for the outside world. But we should always read between the lines and view beyond the one-minute televised package, always asking the questions that were not answered. Try as they might, the media is not an omniscient source that has all the answers. They are a transmitter of information, but remember that they are not the original source.

I hope the students of KSU never lose the innate sense of curiosity for the world that was instilled upon us all as children. We, as citizens, should never quit asking why, or why not. Curiosity drives us to try new things, to research, to discover, to develop, to invent, to cure... all impacting the world around us. In the words of Ghandi, "We must be the change we wish to see in the world." We all, in so many ways, are capable of being that change.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Training exists and is visible

As the head of the training division, I firstly want to thank John Hopper for bringing to the forefront his views regarding the critical nature of the learning tools we provide and how essential they are today both in business and education. Indeed the value in the workshops that we provide is understood at the uppermost most levels of the university, which is why an entire division has been created and funds to support the operation have been allocated. If the purpose of an entire division is to provide workshops for students, then why would it shy away from trying to fill every seat in the class? The author of the above mentioned article has stated his views without conducting a thorough research on the facts regarding the workshops, the times they are offered and their purpose. Due to the fact that The Sentinel is a medium through which knowledge of the workshops can be spread, I have chosen to respond and clarify the issues.

**Advertising** – Information regarding the schedule and workshop curriculum are posted online at <http://its.kennesaw.edu/labs/student-workshop/index.htm>. Catalogs with this information are distributed across campus to various locations every semester [the Life-Long Learning Center, the Student Center, the Library, the Education building and the Burruss building are just a few examples]. Furthermore, a whole bulletin board outside of the main computer lab in the Burruss building is dedicated to workshop information.

**Workshop times** – Classes are scheduled at varying times during the week. Due to a demand [student information collected through our online evaluation system] for evening and weekend workshops these classes have also been added. Classes run for approximately 2.5 hours per session. Each workshop has approximately two sessions. Reducing this time-frame would require students to come to class more often. Maintaining the same number of sessions but reducing the time would reduce the amount of material that can be delivered. To accommodate student class schedules workshops are specifically scheduled on Tuesday and Thursdays from 12:30 p.m. until 2 p.m., which is a time when no regular classes are in session.

Information gathered through the online evaluation, from students who attend our

workshops, does not show a demand for increasing the number of sessions for a workshop by reducing the time and material provided in each session.

**Location** – the training lab for students [located on the 4th floor of the Burruss building] is ideally located as it sits in close proximity to the main open computer lab for campus. The distance from any other on-campus building to the Burruss building is not significant and can be easily traversed by any student. Moving the lab to another location is not an option at this time given the shortage of space that the University is currently facing.

**Offering credit for courses** – the workshops are designed to be a tool for students who wish to enhance their knowledge and their skills in various software packages. Associating grades with workshops will force students with no interest in the subject to attend and pay little attention. Furthermore these workshops do not go through any formal sanctions needed for creating grade related courses, but instead are created based on the needs of the students and the software programs that they wish to learn. However some faculty members, realizing the benefits that the workshops provide, have offered extra credit for attendance of the workshops. Certificates of completion are given at the end of the sessions.

Due to a lack of good research by the columnist John Hopper, several key issues have been missed.

The training department offers over 25 different types of software application workshops for students.

At the request of many faculty members, in-class training sessions on any of these applications are conducted by the training team, thereby allowing students to learn these software tools during their regular class periods.

One-on-one help sessions on any supported software applications are provided by trainers to the students who request the same. All that the student needs to do is sign-up for one of these sessions in the ITS open computer lab [BB 475] or call [770] 423-6110 to schedule an appointment.

Training booklets used during the workshops are available for free download by any registered KSU student. Students who cannot attend a workshop still have access to the material covered. This material can be found at <http://its.kennesaw.edu/labs/studentworkshop/index.htm>

Designing the workshops,

creating the material and delivering the information are all a part of what the training team does. Seeking knowledge about the workshops, walking an extra few steps to get to a workshop or accommodating one's personal schedules to be able to attend the workshops should then be whose responsibility?

Rifka Mayani  
Assistant Director of ITS

#### Illegal immigration

I already assume that Dominic DiCecco's article was written to stir up some controversy and get some people to respond. That said, DiCecco, I hope you can find a dictionary and see how you contradict yourself in the first paragraph.

I quote "With that being said, whose right is it to refuse those who obey our laws and work hard [probably much harder than many Americans do] the chance to better their lives for their families?"

Last time I checked it was illegal to come to this country by crossing the border and not going through the appropriate process. So, if they came here illegally, did they not just break our laws and are therefore not law abiding members of our society? Every day they are here they are breaking one of our laws.

On to my next point. Illegal immigrants, while doing hard work, drain many aspects of our money. The last time I was in a hospital emergency room I had to wait three hours because there were so many immigrants in there for non-emergency issues. They were there because they basically get free health care. I don't know if you pay for your health care, but my premiums and co-pays aren't cheap and a lot of it is due to my money helping pay for an immigrant's trip to the emergency room for a cold. They receive many state benefits as well that are paid with our tax dollars.

Arizona is in the process of making their citizens prove U.S. citizenship to receive those benefits and I say it's about time. Hopefully, other states will follow suit shortly. Immigration has caused our population to sky rocket. Modest estimations say that there are around 12 million illegal immigrants in the country today. That's about the same as the entire population of Florida!

I could go on about this forever, but want to close with this. DiCecco wrote an article

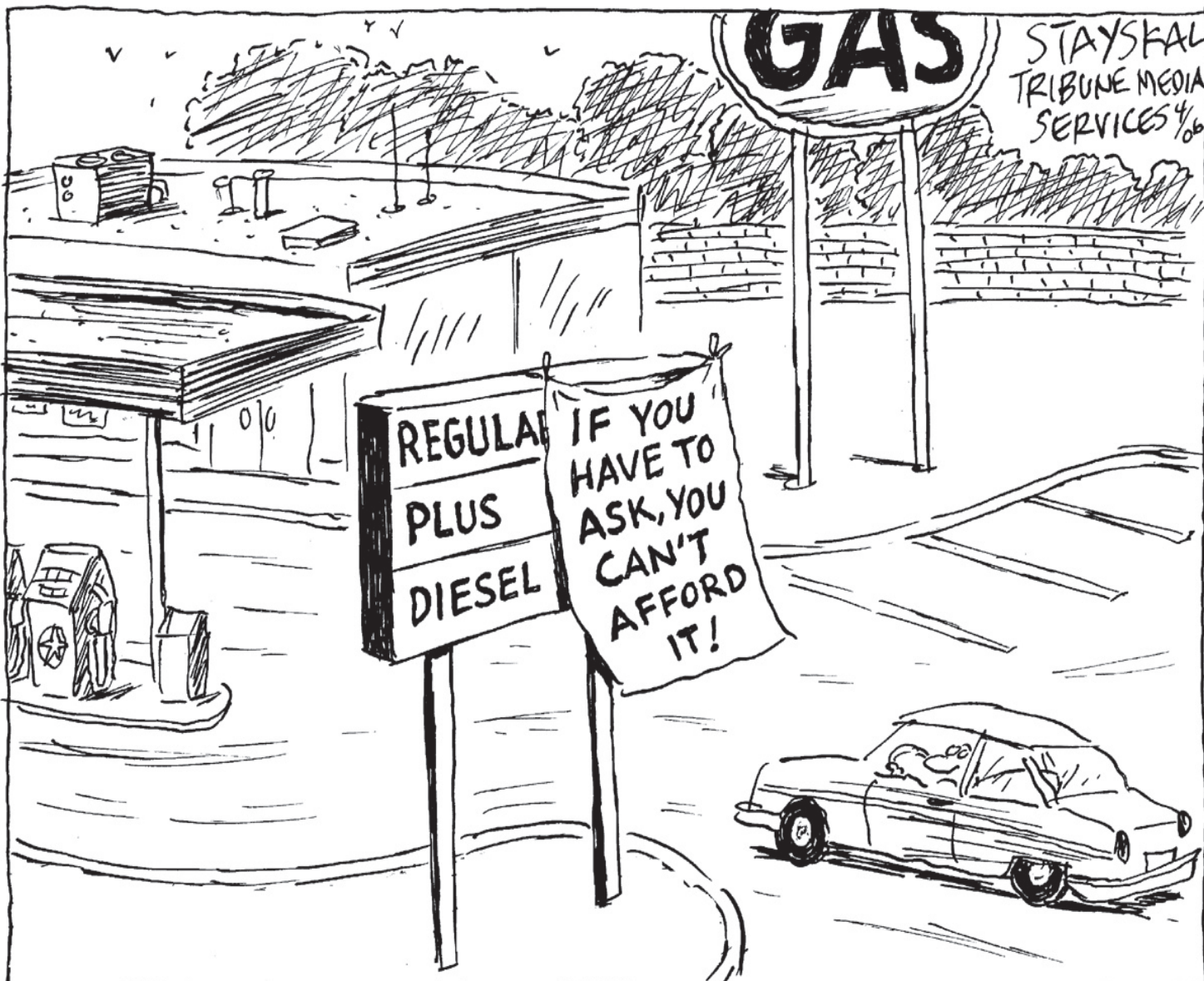
in October of last year that I remember because I wrote a response to it as well. His complaint was about how Kennesaw and the population is general was "comatose" and the lack of voter turnout. However, in his most recent article he suggest that we "save our breath" and do nothing about it because the problem has been around a long time and will always be around. I couldn't disagree more. If anything, now is the time to take care of an issue that's long overdue. I don't know what the solution to the immigration problem is. I do know that granting amnesty to millions of law breakers is not the answer. Doing that will only cause another huge influx of immigrants to get here so they can be naturalized too.

We need to secure our borders and control our country. I am sick and tired of the spineless reps in Washington concerned with what will happen if all of these people become citizens and can vote. Do the right thing and deport them. The cost of doing so may be high, but in the long run the cost will be much less.

As far as outsourcing goes, those people wouldn't have jobs if not for businesses here and in other countries providing those opportunities for them. If businesses here didn't have to pay so much in taxes to employ people here we wouldn't outsource as much as we do now. Think about how much it costs to make something in China. It doesn't seem like much at first but when you consider taxes, duties, and shipping costs it becomes alot. The fact that it is still cheaper to do that than it is to pay someone here blows the mind. As far as jobs that immigrants do that no one else wants to, think about how many people are unemployed. They should be the ones taking those jobs but instead they choose to be a drain on society and sit at home living freely off of those around them. Immigrants are hard workers but they need to come here the right way. I agree, let them work and make a better lives for them and their families. Don't spit on our laws and constitution while doing so and then claim you deserve to be here. The United States doesn't owe you or anybody else anything.

While you "save your breath," I eagerly write my representatives every day to let them know my position. I hope the rest of you do the same.

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# FEATURES

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## From classic to chic ISA hosts an international fashion show

MARY E. YORK  
STAFF WRITER

Who ever said the little black dress was the perfect addition to any wardrobe? At the April 21 International Fashion Show, coordinated by the International Student Association, white was the "new black."

The "White T-shirt" segment of the show featured models wearing various styles of blouses, all a crisp white, from simple white tees to classic oxfords models strutted down the runway. Though they all wore white, each model featured a different type of accessory, such as belts and scarves, ranging in colors and styles.

Providing the audience with new ideas, the fashion show reflected the idea that a look can change drastically by adding a simple accessory. Wearing a unique blue scarf as a headband can create a stylish appearance without wearing a top other than white.

"That's why we do fashion shows," explained the show's host. "So people can get some new ideas."

The second segment of the fashion show introduced a wide variety of styles and colors. From light cocktail dresses to full-length dresses made of heavy fabric, the audience enjoyed an energetic show. Colors ranged from a deep salmon to more traditional browns and blacks. The featured tops were ideal for a stylish night out, and designed with fabrics with a shimmer.

Classic blazers with a fashionable twist were a hit. Models introduced traditionally cut blazers made of unique fabrics. The blazers were

matched with unique accessories, such as thick scarves and interesting jewelry.

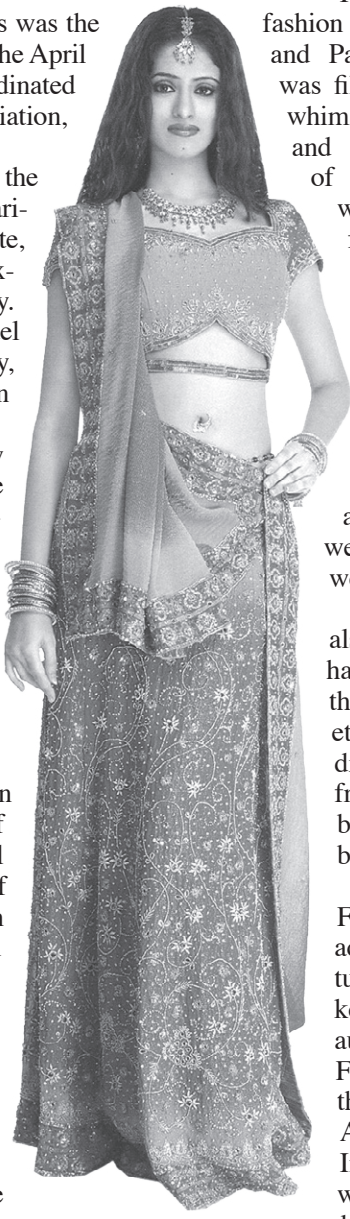
The next segment of the fashion show featured ethnic Indian and Pakistani attire. The runway was filled with vibrant colors and whimsical pieces, resembling wind and water. The female models of this "Bollywood" selection wore pieces in colors ranging from plums, deep reds, teals, canary yellows and more. The male models wore pieces with more earthy tones such as olives, tans, beiges and browns.

"I really enjoyed this part of the show," said Lindsey Lynch, a senior at KSU. "The colors were awesome and the dresses were gorgeous."

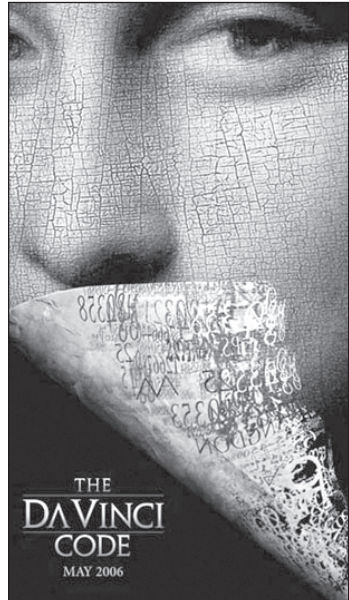
The fashion show also featured a segment with hats. Called the "Hat Shack," the segment introduced a variety of fedoras and berets, all of different colors. Colors ranged from bright oranges, reds, bold blues, in addition to the more basic blacks and whites.

The International Fashion Show also included additional entertainment featuring two belly dancers who kept the show interesting for audience members.

For more information about the International Student Association, visit the KSU International Student Services website at [www.kennesaw.edu/stu\\_dev/isrs/](http://www.kennesaw.edu/stu_dev/isrs/).



## Top ten summer movie forecast



DUSTIN JACOBS  
STAFF WRITER

Money-making season has arrived for the film industry. Below are ten movies that are being released over the summer. They are listed in order of their release dates. Please silence your cell phones, because the feature presentation is about to begin. Sit back, relax and enjoy the show.

### "The Da Vinci Code"

Starring: Tom Hanks, Audrey Tautou, Paul Bettany and Ian McKellan

The story: Based on the best-selling book of the same title, it deals with the idea that a secret sect of Catholicism purposefully hid the fact that Jesus had a wife.

Opens: May 19

### "X-Men: The Last Stand"

Starring: Hugh Jackman, Halle Berry, Famke Janssen, Patrick Stewart, Ian McKellan and Kelsey Grammer

The story: The third and final chapter of the X-Men saga features the final battle between two sides of mutants and the human race. This installment introduces the X-Men characters Beast, Archangel and Juggernaut.

Opens: May 26

### "The Break Up"

Starring: Vince Vaughn and Jennifer Aniston

The story: A couple deals with the hardships of breaking up, but that's only the beginning. After the break-up, both of them refuse to leave the condo



they share. In their attempts to drive each other out, they realize they may actually be fighting to keep the other around.

Opens: June 2

### "Superman Returns"

Starring: Brandon Routh, Kate Bosworth and Kevin Spacey  
The Story: After almost 20 years, Superman leaps back onto the big screen. The question is whether or not the new Superman, Brandon Routh, can fill the large cape that the late Christopher Reeves occupied.

Opens: June 30

### "Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest"

Starring: Johnny Depp, Orlando Bloom, Keira Knightley and Bill Nighy

The story: Captain Jack is back! Johnny Depp recaps his Oscar nominated role as the off-kilter Captain Jack Sparrow who must save himself before he too becomes cursed. Argh, matey!

Opens: July 7

### "A Scanner Darkly"

Starring: Keanu Reeves, Winona Ryder, Robert Downey Jr. and Woody Harrelson

The story: An undercover drug agent deals with his addiction to Substance D. The film was painted over by artists to give it a unique look. This film could revolutionize the industry.

Opens: July 7

### "Lady in the Water"

Starring: Paul Giamatti and Bryce Dallas Howard

The story: M. Night



Shyamalan's latest work claims to be a bedtime story. It is the tale of a lonely apartment building attendant who comes across a sea nymph in the complex's pool. Shyamalan's films usually consist of supernatural narratives, and this film appears to be no exception. One can only assume there will be a twist ending.

Opens: July 21

### "Talladega Nights: The Ballad of Ricky Bobby"

Starring: Will Farrell and Baron Cohen  
The story: The latest comedy starring Will Farrell's comedy naturally consists of slapstick humor. This one touches on the popularity of NASCAR.

Opens: August 4

### "World Trade Center"

Starring: Nicolas Cage, Michael Pena, Maggie Gyllenhaal and Maria Bello  
The story: If you think "United 93" is controversial, there is no way around this dramatic depiction of the events of 9/11 from Director Oliver Stone, who is known for his controversial takes on U.S. politics. Expect nothing less with this film.

Opens: Aug. 9

### "Snakes On a Plane"

Starring: Samuel L. Jackson  
The story: The title says it all. This film has had buzz around the Internet since New Line announced the film's title. An assassin after a passenger releases deadly snakes on board a flight.

Opens: August 18

## Keeping students' needs in mind Recreation center has something for everyone

L.T. MELTON  
STAFF WRITER

The KSU Student and Recreation & Wellness Center is more than just a glorified weight room. The Wellness Center was designed to be a place that students could get in shape as well as improve their overall health. Special needs students were also a major factor in the design of the building.

Joe Maher, a self-described "gym rat," who after a motorcycle accident over four years ago is now a paraplegic, and is an avid user of the facilities. Recreation Facility Program Coordinator, Donald Brookshire, said that he purchased equipment with special needs students in mind; such as the ergometer, a cycle machine in which there are hand pedals instead of the normal foot pedals. The

building was also designed to be wheelchair accessible, and one can easily tell this by the oversized elevators, as well as the machines themselves many of which have movable features for special needs individuals.

The make up of the facility is like something one might see on MTV's "Cribs," except there are no celebrities showcasing rooms where "the magic happens." Students, alumni, and guests are greeted at the door by friendly helpful staff.

After entering one is exposed to over 6,000 square feet devoted totally to fitness, featuring 48 pieces of cardio equipment. The strength and conditioning area is color coded, with the white machines being free weights, typically used for heavier lifting, and the silver machines signifying plates, for more

controlled easier movements.

There is a two court gym which can be used for basketball, volleyball and badminton. There is also a circuit training room for those who need to get an extensive workout on a minute schedule.

The Center also boasts of group fitness classes, and starting in the fall Brookshire hopes to start a personal training program where students will be able to receive free personal training from the American Council on Exercise certified trainers.

The Wellness center is also the home of the new dance minor, intramurals and a nature bound program which leads to students being able to check out items from bicycles to sleeping bags. Brookshire has arranged a place for students to not only increase their overall health but also to socialize and learn.

## The end is in sight So I graduate college...then what?

ADAM STEVENS  
COLUMNIST

I am now in that rather exciting stage of the college life cycle called 'seniorhood.' The day of graduation is looming nigh, when I get to don a big, clunky robe and a silly hat with a little dangly thing on it. Only seven months to go; I can hardly stand to wait.

It's kind of a strange time. The pampered life of a student, which tends to involve sitting around a great deal, trying to break drinking records and generally procrastinating to the heart's content, is almost at a close, and that is something of a relief. True adulthood beckons.

At the same time, though, the scent of responsibility is almost driving me to pursue a masters' degree in something incredibly useful, like Studies into the Lifecycles of Pygmy-Nosed Ginger Badgers. However, as my wife would likely kill me if I did something like that, it's time to start investing in a petition to graduate.

I still have a long summer campaign to pursue until the light at the end of the tunnel appears. At the moment I can see it wavering in the distance, teasingly. As any student knows, though, the months can really disappear when they want to. Spring has flown by like an FA-18 on a combat mission, and I don't doubt it has for most of the rest of us too. I almost feel like I have to prepare for

LIA [Life After University] beginning now.

I have been practicing and I'm finally contributing to the rent. The cable bill is all mine, and I've even been stuck with the water bill, though only God knows how. Credit card bills seem to arrive one after the other in an unceasing flow, matched only by the streams of credit card offers that get torn up and thrown in the rubbish. I find myself poring obsessively over automobile ads, seeking that penultimate bastion of adult responsibility – the financed car. Now all that's left is to find a house.

It's a bit scary, but at the same time there is something rewarding about having these kinds of responsibilities. I arrived in this country on the back of a rather generous wedding gift from my parents, a gift that I have slowly whittled away, perhaps foolishly. Now, all the credit card payments, the rent money and the dinners out at the local diner are coming out of my own paycheck, and even though I am spending an awful lot on pints of Sweetwater 420, the idea that it's my own money being pissed out the window is a nice one. I used to wonder what the hell I would do when it came time to graduate, but now I'm starting to think I have it all figured out.

However, get used to seeing me rushing around madly on campus on Mondays and Wednesdays this summer. I have a feeling my arse is going to get kicked around between May 31 and July 31, but it'll be well worth it.



DOWN UNDER  
By Adam Stevens

## Singing for education



The Sentinel

Dr. Leslie Blackwell leads the KSU Chamber Singers in a practice Friday afternoon in the Student Center atrium. The Chamber Singers performed as the lead group for the Georgia Music Educators national convention in January, according to Blackwell's assistant Christine Edwards, a senior in Music Education

# Horoscopes

LINDA C. BLACK  
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## Today's Birthday [04-26-06]

Check big projects off your lists this year, one after another. You'll be amazed at how much better this makes you feel.

To get the advantage, check the day's rating: 10 is the easiest day, 0 the most challenging.

### Aries [March 21-April 19]

Today is an 8. Okay, you can launch now. You'll shoot straighter and get farther than you expected.

### Taurus [April 20-May 20]

Today is a 6. You're generally slow at making decisions. You find it more comfortable. Today, however, act quickly on a snap judgment, and you'll do fine.

### Gemini [May 21-June 21]

Today is a 7. If you have a short attention span, write yourself a note. Use bold colors and big letters, and put it where it can't be missed. Don't leave anything to chance.

### Cancer [June 22-July 22]

Today is a 7. You're in line for a promotion, a raise or a more difficult work assignment. It could be all of the above put together. If you get an offer, take it.

### Leo [July 23-Aug. 22]

Today is an 8. Don't spend the entire day goofing around, even if you feel like it. You need to present a professional demeanor. Important people are watching.

### Virgo [Aug. 23-Sept. 22]

Today is a 7. You can get what you've been seeking. Don't be embarrassed to shop in places where the overhead is low. Find it cheap.

### Libra [Sept. 23-Oct. 22]

Today is a 6. There's one way to beat the competition

— win them over to your side. Opposites attract, and today you're very attractive.

### Scorpio [Oct. 23-Nov. 21]

Today is a 7. Push yourself past your own best time. Work faster and make more money. Great treasures can be yours but only if you move quickly.

### Sagittarius [Nov. 22-Dec. 21]

Today is an 8. Recent enterprises have been tiring. Accept encouragement. Let somebody who loves you reinforce your confidence.

### Capricorn [Dec. 22-Jan. 19]

Today is a 7. Something you've kept hidden turns out to be exactly what you need. You had a hunch this would happen, and it did, eventually.

### Aquarius [Jan. 20-Feb. 18]

Today is a 7. Your curiosity is intense now. You can partially satisfy it by yourself, but not completely. Consult a wise older friend.

### Pisces [Feb. 19-March 20]

Today is a 7. Another's generosity is tapped, in your favor. Be gracious and accept what you're given. Yes, you do deserve it.

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- 17 New Mexico state flower
- 18 Nobleman
- 19 Layer
- 20 Bend down
- 21 Tap problem
- 22 Indian princess
- 23 Peruse
- 25 Gallery porch
- 27 Ink smudge
- 30 King's agent
- 32 Corn unit
- 33 "Jay-walking" comic
- 34 Knocks down ten pins in two shots
- 38 Single-celled organism
- 40 Wildebeest
- 42 Make merry
- 43 WWII marauders
- 45 Ms. Bagnold
- 47 Earth tone
- 48 Molds again
- 50 Veteran sailor
- 51 Invade in great numbers
- 54 Bullets, shells, etc.
- 56 Crooner Jerry
- 57 Daffy bird?
- 59 Roast host
- 63 Hebrew month
- 64 Fussy self-righteous person
- 65 Slacken
- 66 Boorish
- 67 Kind of tale
- 68 Katmandu's land
- 69 Prepared for the drive
- 70 Actress lone
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- 5 Condition
- 6 Molting
- 7 Get an earful of
- 8 Get there
- 9 Aides
- 10 Act of treachery
- 11 Man from Japan
- 12 Pay out
- 13 Jordan neighbor
- 24 "\_\_\_ Maria"
- 26 Lassoed
- 27 Suitor
- 28 Ewe and ram's offspring
- 29 Two-toned cookie
- 31 Ice cream holders
- 33 Procrastination word
- 35 Pro \_\_\_
- 36 Latin list ender
- 37 Broadcast
- 39 \_\_\_ along (sped)
- 41 Remove knots from
- 44 Chisels

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The Owls are in second place and show no signs of wearing down

NATHAN MCCREARY  
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Some would say second place is the first loser, but for the KSU softball team, one spot behind conference leading Stetson is not a bad position to be in with two games remaining in the regular season.

A split of a double-header against Belmont on April 22 kept KSU several games ahead of third place Florida Atlantic in the Atlantic Sun Conference. The Owls have shown that they certainly have the ability to play and compete at the Division I level.

For KSU's first season in Division I, the ladies have shown that there is no inferiority complex for the new kids on the block. The Owls have gone headstrong into series with powerhouse Georgia Tech, who is currently three games out of first place in the ACC and Georgia State, who is a half-game out of first place in the Colonial Athletic Association.

With dominating softball squads in the area like the Yellow Jackets, Panthers and Bulldogs, currently ranked tenth nationally, KSU has stepped up and added its name to the list of competitive teams in the region.

Owls Head Coach Scott Whitlock, already nationally known for his coaching ability, is now seeing his players being recognized as well.

One of these players is All-American catcher Cambria McKay, who was recently named to Canada's Elite Team. McKay, a senior from Brampton, Ontario, is a .342 batter and has started all 52 games this season.

The rest of the Owl team has been exceptional in the 2006 season as well. Their final series is at home on April 29. The Owls will close out the regular season against former Peach Belt rival North Florida.

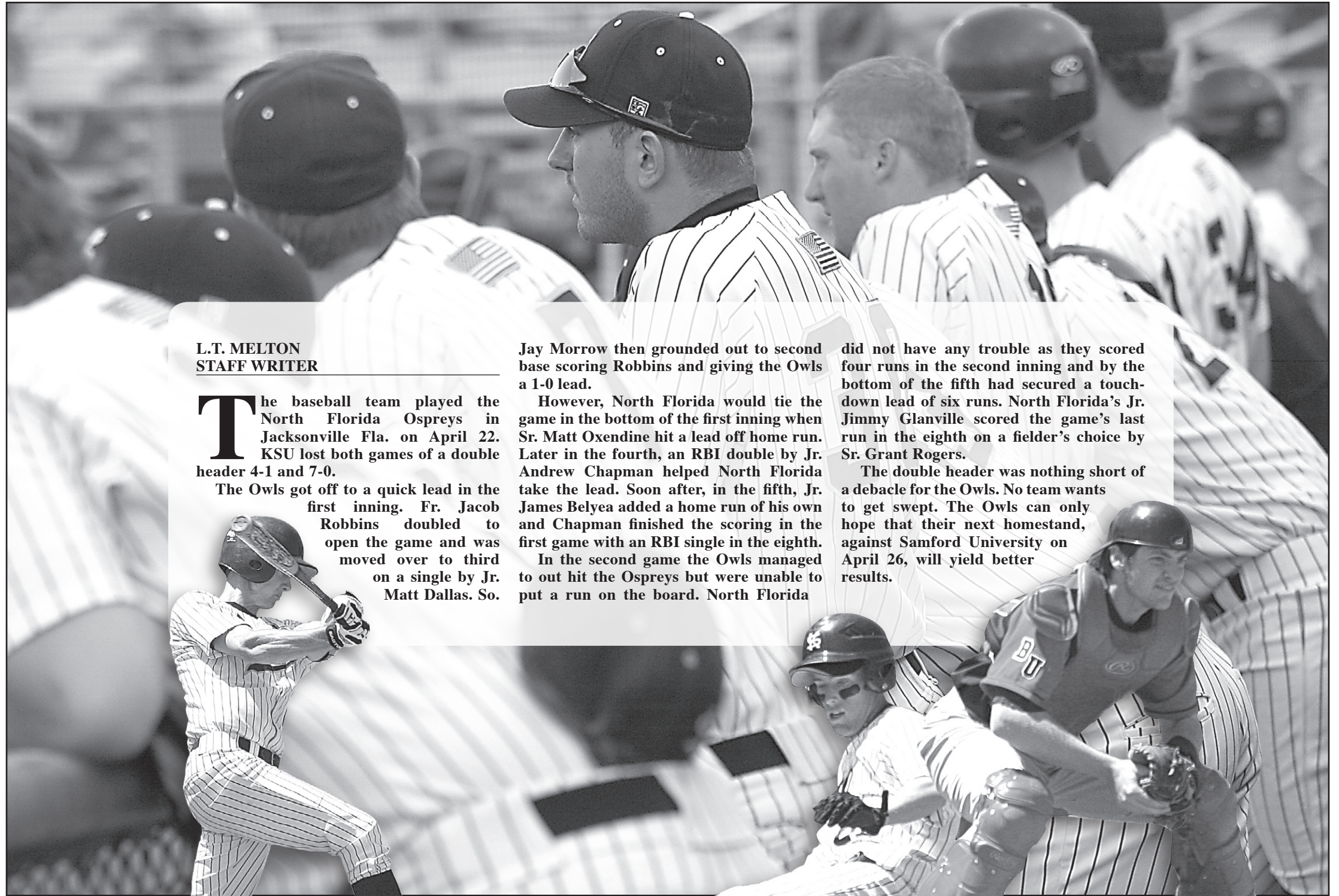


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# KSU swept by North Florida in Jacksonville

The Owls' offence came up empty, scoring only one run in a double header against an old conference rival



L.T. MELTON  
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**T**he baseball team played the North Florida Ospreys in Jacksonville Fla. on April 22. KSU lost both games of a double header 4-1 and 7-0.

The Owls got off to a quick lead in the first inning. Fr. Jacob Robbins doubled to open the game and was moved over to third on a single by Jr. Matt Dallas. So.

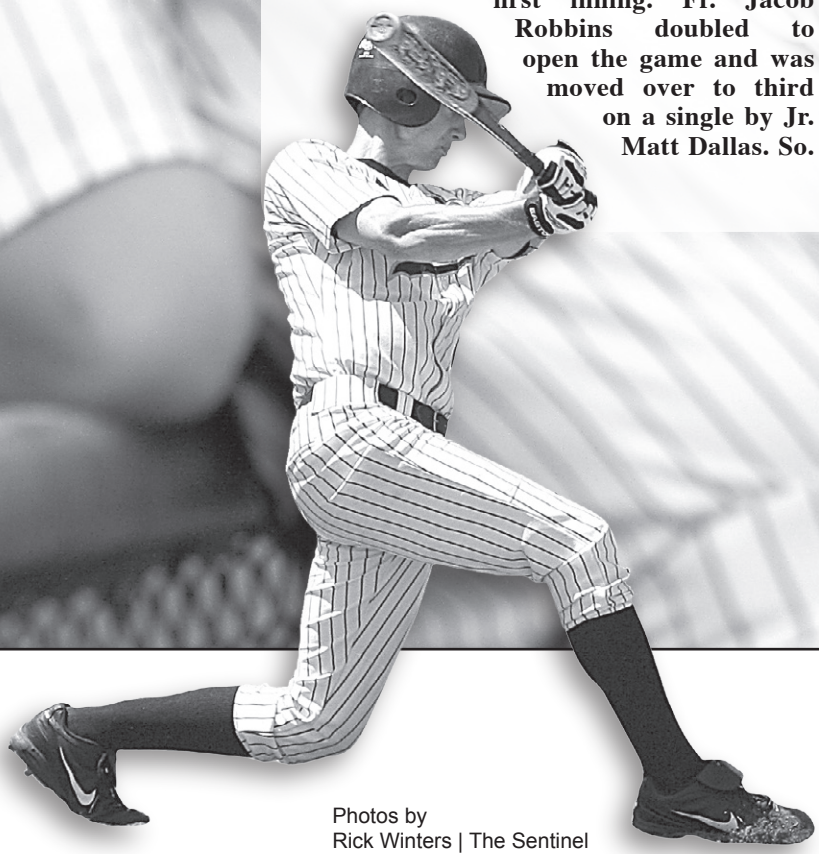
Jay Morrow then grounded out to second base scoring Robbins and giving the Owls a 1-0 lead.

However, North Florida would tie the game in the bottom of the first inning when Sr. Matt Oxendine hit a lead off home run. Later in the fourth, an RBI double by Jr. Andrew Chapman helped North Florida take the lead. Soon after, in the fifth, Jr. James Belyea added a home run of his own and Chapman finished the scoring in the first game with an RBI single in the eighth.

In the second game the Owls managed to out hit the Ospreys but were unable to put a run on the board. North Florida

did not have any trouble as they scored four runs in the second inning and by the bottom of the fifth had secured a touch-down lead of six runs. North Florida's Jr. Jimmy Glanville scored the game's last run in the eighth on a fielder's choice by Sr. Grant Rogers.

The double header was nothing short of a debacle for the Owls. No team wants to get swept. The Owls can only hope that their next homestand, against Samford University on April 26, will yield better results.



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## Men's golf season faced many obstacles

Team kept playing despite a head coaching change during the season

DAVID BEAUMONT  
STAFF WRITER

The men's golf team began their spring campaign at the CSU Spring Kick-Off on Feb. 20, where Sr. Nick Drane placed seventh individually [219] and the team placed sixth collectively after three rounds [303, 299,

301] with a final score of 903, +51. Jacksonville won the event with an 871 while KSU was stuck back between Liberty and Morehead State with seven strokes on either side. The Owls' second best score came from Jr. Kris Shepherd, who pulled in a 223 to tie for 14th place.

The Owls soon left Georgia behind

for Buies Creek, N. C. and the Hargrove B. Davis Spring Classic on March 7.

The team placed ninth with a four round score of 929 [311, 304, 314]. The Owls finished behind High Point and ahead of Gardner Webb by two strokes.

The hosting team, Campbell, and Liberty both shot 902 to tie for first place before Campbell was able to take the victory with a birdie on the fourth hole of the play-offs. That was not the only tie, however, as Drane and Jr. Zack Tilton tied in leading the Owls with a four round score for 20th place.

The Owls would return to North Carolina for the 2006 Bradford Creek Intercollegiate in Greenville on April 2 with a new interim head coach at the helm, Rich Poirri. The team managed an impressive third place finish with a total score of 881 [283, 293, 305].

The Owls were only beat out by second place finisher St. Johns [879] and first place finisher Akron [872].

"I had the luxury of throwing out a 73," said Poirri, who was proud of his team's efforts, especially in the second round of a long first day when they shot a 283.

Shepherd took the lead for the Owls for the first time with a 215 1-under-par to tie for fourth and he was followed closely by Drane with a 220 tied for 13th.

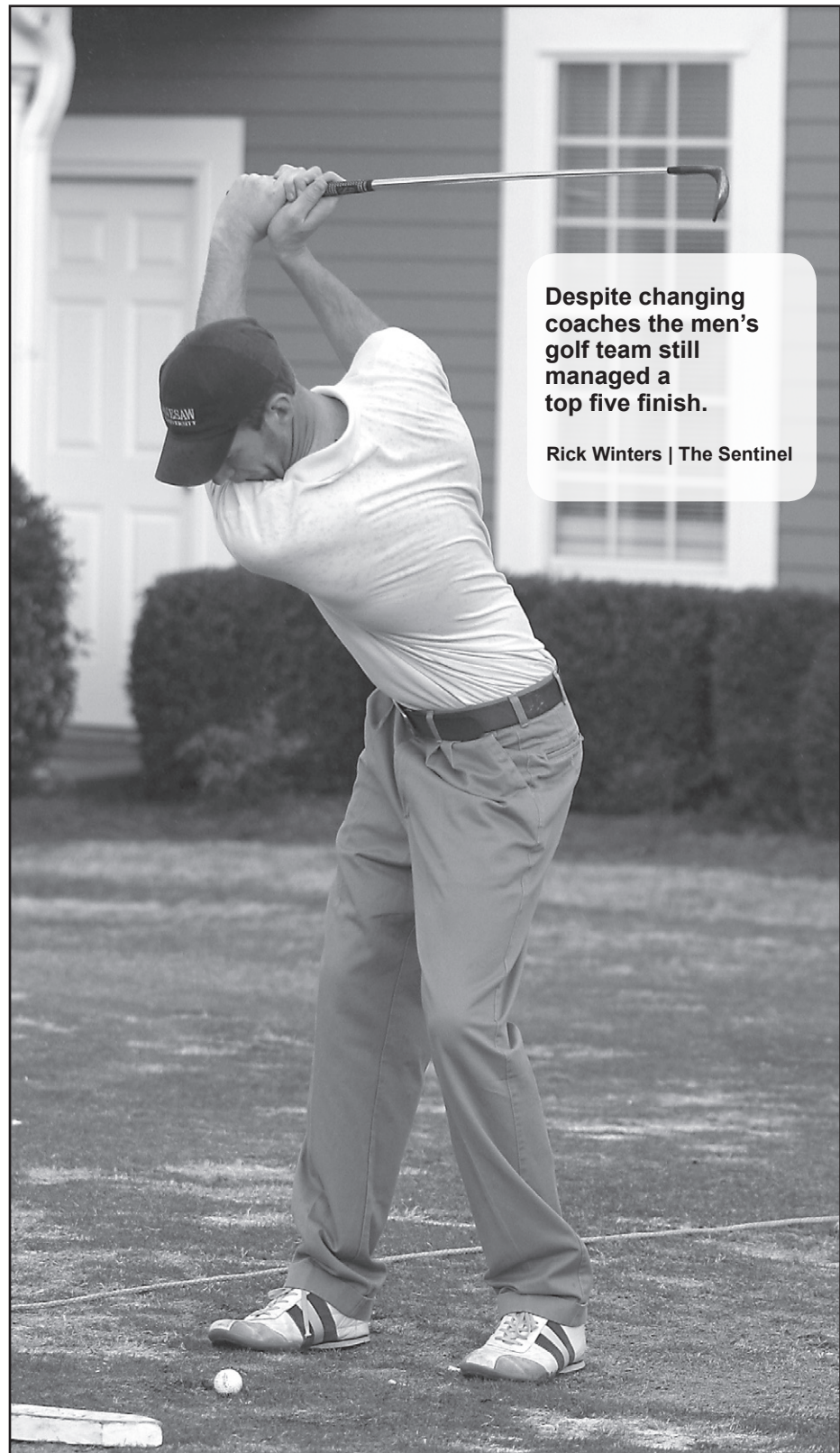
The Owls picked up and flew west with Golf Director Dennis Stubblefield to the Wyoming Cowboy Classic in Scottsdale, Ari. on April 11. The team finished 14th out of 21 teams with a total score of 868 [291, 284, 293].

Drane led the Owls once again with a 212, 2-over-par and an impressive second round score of 66, which gave him a tie for 18th place. At the end of the first day he was tied for first place with a 3-under-par, 137. Wesley Sheard, who was only six strokes behind Drane with a 218, tied for 55th place after falling from seventh on the second day.

The Owls are looking forward to the Linger-Longer Invitational, which three players have already qualified.

Beyond the invitational, Poirri could not comment on next season as an interim coach. Although he would like to come back, he plans to "just let the cards fall where they may."

The Linger-Longer Invitational will be played in Greensboro, Ga. on May 14.



Despite changing coaches the men's golf team still managed a top five finish.

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## McKay named to Canada's Elite Team

Will play Team Canada in April

On April 19, 2006 Canadian native and All-American softball player Cambria McKay was chosen along with seventeen other players for Canada's Elite Team.

McKay, a senior who has played as the Owls' starting catcher for the past four years, will be joining the Elite Team when they take part in the Ontario Tour, a mini-series against Michigan Ice from the Professional Women's Fastpitch League.

As a native of Brampton, Ontario, McKay is one of six players from her province

on the Elite team. The team also contains fourteen players who've played college ball in the United States.

Joining McKay on the Elite Team are Katie Rosentreter from Mercer and Megan Timpf from Campbell.

The team will play together for the first time against Team Canada in a two game series on June 18 and 19.

McKay has a lifetime batting average of .300 and is KSU's all-time leader with 20 home runs in a single season and 57 career homers.

McKay plays her last game with the Owls on April 29 against North Florida, after which she will be graduating with a degree in Sports Management.

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# Competition cheerleading is not a sport

Neither are NASCAR, X-Games or the World Series of Poker

In the beginning there were the Greek Olympics, and they were good. The games showcased pure athletic skill and challenged the minds of the competitors. Here we are thousands of years later and sports have evolved into a money making machine. The question is, what is truly a sport and what is entertainment?

To say that a sport is not entertaining is misleading and ultimately incorrect. If you happen to be at a Falcons game this year you will notice that it will be sold out. That means that there are around 70,000 people who were willing to pay their hard earned money to watch something for four hours. People are paying to be entertained.

However, the entertainment that they are subjecting themselves to is athletic competition, therefore it is a sport. It is one team versus another team in head-to-head competition.

Recently the KSU Cheerleading Squad placed third at the NCA National Championships. For a team that is transitioning from two straight Division II National Championships the accomplishment has to be worth at the very least a congratulations. However, can competition cheerleading be considered a sport?

A debatable question, but in the end the answer is no. Do you need to be athletic and in shape to perform acrobatic routines? Obviously, the answer is yes. However, this is still a form of pure entertainment. You can find this sort of thing in a three ring circus. Why is it not a sport? Well, I contest that unless you are on the field of competition against another person or team, then you are not actually competing athletically head-to-head. Therefore, it's not a sport.

Cheerleading is in the same group as gymnastics, figure skating or ballet. Ballet is of course the only one that is not of the competitive realm. The one thing that ties them all together is the fact that they are all for entertainment purposes. Just ask the Dallas Cowboy cheerleaders.

The reason that none of the previously mentioned competi-

tions are sports is because they all rely on judges. Now I know, boxing relies on judges too. However, if one cheerleader tries to assault another cheerleader while a routine is going down, the cheerleader that committed the assault would be ejected and her team would face a disqualification.

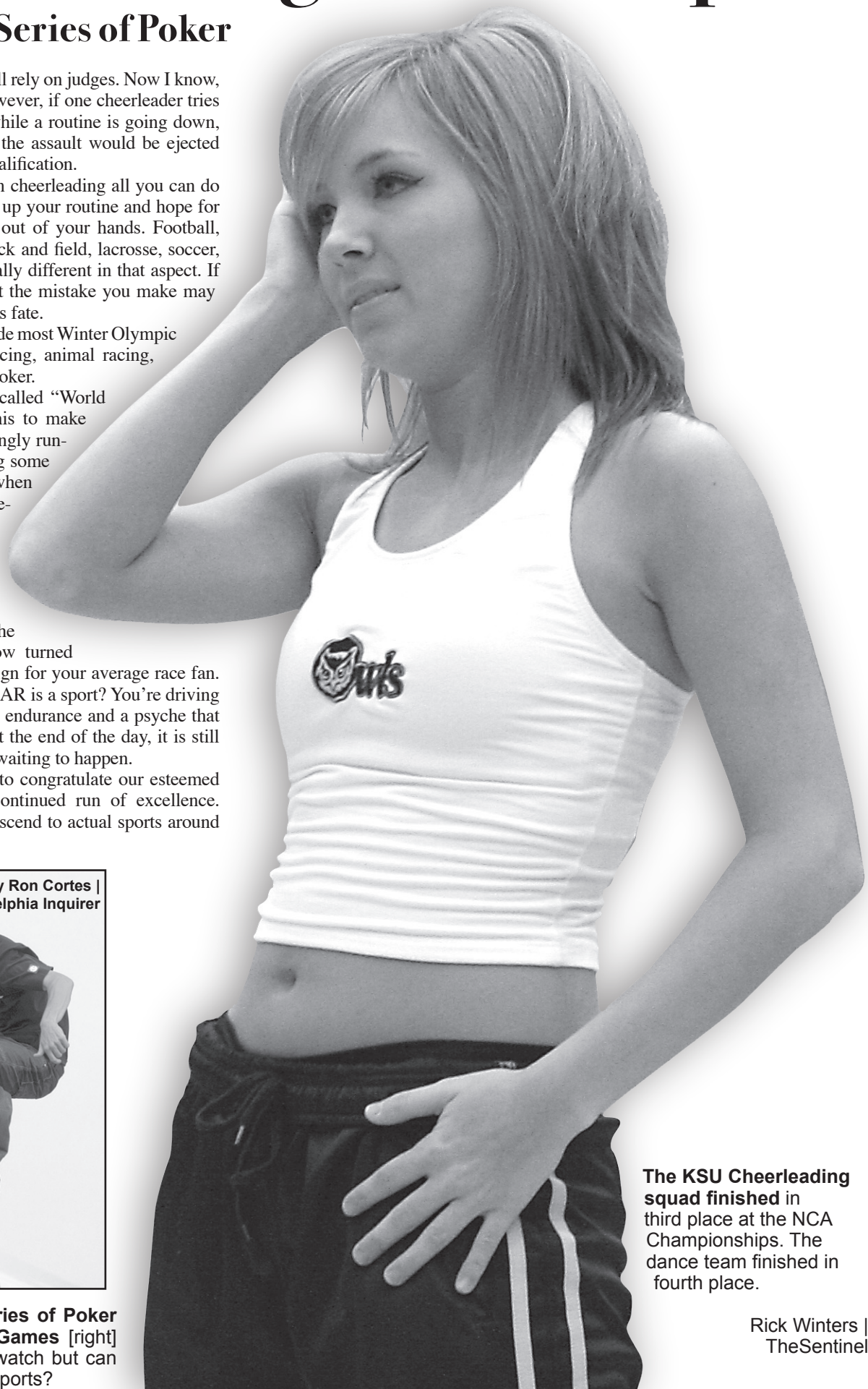
What I am trying to say is, in cheerleading all you can do is do your best, try not to screw up your routine and hope for the best. The results are really out of your hands. Football, baseball, basketball, hockey, track and field, lacrosse, soccer, tennis, bowling and golf are totally different in that aspect. If you screw up you may lose, but the mistake you make may not ultimately decide your team's fate.

Other non-sports would include most Winter Olympic events, X-game events, auto racing, animal racing, hunting, fishing and especially poker.

ESPN loves to push the so-called "World Series of Poker." They push this to make money off of a fad that is seemingly running out of steam. I am guessing some people might have not known when to fold them. Disney needs to realize that there is only one true World Series, and it is played on Fox every October.

NASCAR's fad following may still be mainstream, but the "sport" that used to be for the hardcore racing fanatic has now turned into a money making ad campaign for your average race fan. How can anyone say that NASCAR is a sport? You're driving a car, people. Sure it takes skill, endurance and a psyche that borders on insanity. However, at the end of the day, it is still just one giant demolition derby waiting to happen.

With that said, I would like to congratulate our esteemed cheerleading squad for their continued run of excellence. Hopefully, this success will transcend to actual sports around campus.



The KSU Cheerleading squad finished in third place at the NCA Championships. The dance team finished in fourth place.

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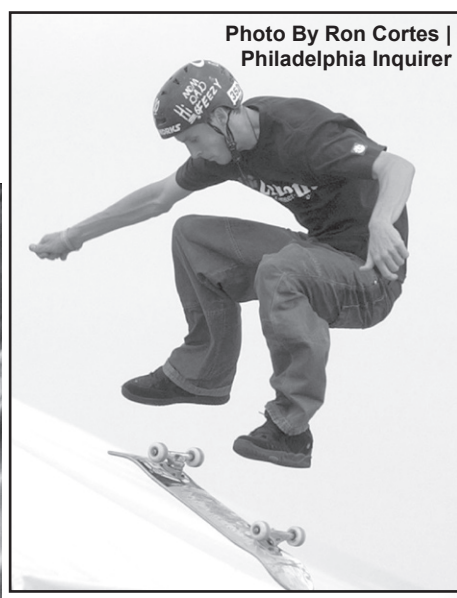


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Both the World Series of Poker [above] and the X-Games [right] are entertaining to watch but can you consider them sports?



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# Testimony of other stripper proves case should be dismissed

Erratic behavior by both dancers show there is no case against Duke lacrosse players

Kim Roberts wants to make a lot of money. Since her last plan to do that, embezzling \$25,000 from a photo finishing company in Durham, didn't turn out so well, she has decided to explore other ways of achieving her goal. This time, it is through the judiciary system.

Roberts is the seldom spoken of 'second' stripper also present at the Duke lacrosse players' house on the night of March 13, when her fellow working-girl was allegedly raped. Since that much debated night, Roberts has changed her opinion on what she believes happened. Initially, the stripper said she doubted the story of her colleague, who told police she was dragged into a bathroom and raped. But for some reason, Roberts now says she thinks the lacrosse players are guilty.

"I can't say which ones are guilty, but somebody did something besides underage drinking," Roberts said. "That is my honest-to-God impression."

Unfortunately for Roberts, she is a woman of very little credibility. Not only has her criminal history been made

public [as well as the accuser's] since charges were filed against the players, but just last week a letter she had written to a PR firm in New York seeking advice on how to profit from this event was publicized.

"I've found myself in the center of one of the biggest stories in the country," Roberts said in the letter. "I am worried about letting this opportunity pass me by without making the best of it and was wondering if you had any advice as to how to spin this to my advantage."

Perhaps Roberts realizes that the media has overwhelmingly decided to support the accuser's claims and sees that it would be in her best interest to follow suit.

But no matter what the majority of the press feels, it is all too obvious that the prosecution lacks sufficient evidence to convict any of the players.

First of all, at least one of the two players has a legitimate alibi to prove his innocence, and the much-awaited DNA tests that were supposed to distinguish who the alleged rapists were never produced anything.

But perhaps most telling is the behavior the accuser dis-

played when she was found intoxicated in another person's vehicle, "drunk and belligerent" according to the police. Theories that the players may have drugged the stripper are hard to believe considering that this day in age, medical science can prove within minutes if foreign substances are in the bloodstream. If doctors had found it to be true, surely a test would have been performed and we would have heard about it in the news immediately.

This 'scandal' is becoming more of a joke every day. Duke does not deserve the criticism it's receiving for an incident it had nothing to do with. Also, Kim Roberts does not deserve any money for flip-flopping her position on the incident. If these two young men are guilty, then they deserve to be brought to justice, but it is looking more likely justice will be served if, in the end, they are proven innocent.

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# Beer-a-palooza: The quest to find the coldest beer in town

## Two editors, 12 bars and seven days

On a recent trip to New York City two Sentinel editors came up with a great idea. Fortunately, the idea involved drinking a lot of beer. Unfortunately it involved drinking the beer at 12 different bars in only seven days. So, what was this great idea? For the benefit of Sentinel readers, these two editors decided to find out who has the coldest beer in Kennesaw.

In preparation for this monumental journey, the bars had to be decided on and mapped out, an industrial strength thermometer had to be purchased and plenty of drinking time had to be set aside.

At each bar, the bartender was made aware of the experiment before the beer was ordered. In order to remain objective, the same beer, Budweiser, on draught, was ordered.

Immediately upon being served the glass of beer, a thermometer was put in the glass and left there for 30 seconds in order to accurately measure the temperature of the beer.

Each temperature was recorded. As a secondary mission, the editors compiled a list, dubbed the 2006 Bar Awards, to inform Sentinel readers what to expect when they go out. Below are the 2006 Bar Award winners.

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**Los Reyes/ 33°:** Ay caramba. This is not just a Mexican restaurant. The second floor holds a bar goer's dream. There are only two choices: you can enjoy a 12 oz. puny beer, or the mucho grande 32 ounce, along with the best tacos this side of the Rio Grande.

**Mellow Mushroom/ 33.6°:** This is KSU's definitive college bar. You can enjoy a pizzeria menu in a phycadelic setting. Expect stellar service at this great place to kill time between classes. The best part is you probably have class with a member of the wait staff.

**Taco Mac/ 36.1°:** Kennesaw's rowdiest bar has the best variety of beer. Expect a friendly bartender and a lot going on around you. Although this is a sports bar, you will have to step outside to spark a cigarette.

**Friday's/ 36.3°:** You will have trouble deciding what to order because of their extensive menu, which features the Jack Daniels Grill. The bar is hoppin', especially for a chain restaurant. Go for the girliest drink selection. You'll find the menu on your table.

**O'Charley's/ 36.5°:** This is your typical chain restaurant, with a bar attached. Although the food is hit or miss, the beer is always cold and the service is always good. They have the benefit of being one of the closest restaurants to campus.

**Laseter's/ 37.7°:** The most local of our local bars. If you like that "Cheers" feeling; where everybody knows your name and everybody's glad that you came, then have at a seat at the bar. Beware: You will be subjected to many life stories.

**Winston's/ 38.3°:** For cheap bar food that actually tastes good, come on down to Winston's. You can expect not just good food, but good service as well. Be careful which night you go, you can only hear karaoke singers butcher "Freebird" so many times.

**Barnacles/ 38.6°:** If you like TV, Barnacles should be your first stop. They boast 410 small TV's, 18 oversized big screens and an extensive seafood menu. Shiver me timbers, if you arrive after 11 p.m. be prepared for a dance club atmosphere.

**Hooters/ 38.6°:** Everyone knows why we go to Hooters, and ain't for their hot wings. Despite being a one trick pony, Hooters sports a friendly staff and a welcoming atmosphere and something else that will go unsaid.

**Sidelines/ 39.2°:** This is Kennesaw's premier sports bar that caters to both the young and the old. This established bar offers a laid back atmosphere and a nightly entertainment for everybody.

**U.S Play/ 39.7°:** The bar is almost an after thought. The real attractions are arcade games, pool tables and a huge bowling alley. If you go for the bar, you may be disappointed, if you go for the games, you won't find a better place in Kennesaw.

**Bailey's/ 40.5°:** Sink in to Bailey's comfortable couches as you enjoy one of Kennesaw's hot spots. Chances are you will run into classmates you know and even meet new ones. If you have the money, the food is some of the best in town.

Please Drink Responsibly: Do Not Drive After Alcohol Consumption

## The 9th wonder of the world

When it comes to drinking beer, everyone has different preferences and rituals. Some people can't get through a sporting event without a frosty cold one. Others love a beer with an old-fashion steak and potato dinner. Very few, however, have discovered the greatest time and place to enjoy a delicious brew. Although this ritual has become legend among some college students, most of the world is still in the dark. This ritual, of course, is the shower beer.

"Shower beer," some of you are asking, "is that what I think it is?" The simple answer is yes. A hot shower, a freezing cold beer and twenty minutes to escape from the workaday world is all you need for this

great equation. For those who haven't tried it, here's what you do.

Turn on your shower and wait for the water to become molten lava hot. Then, grab a bottle of your favorite brew and step in. The hot and the cold offset each other so well, you'll think you are in heaven. Nothing can wind a person down after a long day like a shower beer. If one does it right, it can be the equivalent of ten deep-tissue massages.

Chances are if you haven't already experienced this wonder, you might think it sounds pretty silly. For those of you who are a tad more adventurous, give it a shot. You might really like what you find out.

## The 1st Annual Sentinel Bar Awards

**Best Environment: Laseter's**

**Best Food: Fridays**

**Best Beer Variety: Taco Mac**

**Best Place to Watch a Ball Game: Barnacles**

**Best Accomodation to Smokers: Bailey's**

**Best Service: Mellow Mushroom**

