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More About the New Gym, But Does Anyone Care Anymore?



Look, it's another picture of President Cheshier. But is it an old one or a new one. We've run so many darn pictures of the guy in conjunction with new buildings or the lack thereof that not even we of *The Sting* are sure. - Photo by David Conrad

By Ed Hardy
This is Retirement?

Southern Tech is the only college in the University System of Georgia that doesn't have any kind of physical fitness class. One of the major reasons for this is the only gym is devoted almost entirely to the basketball and baseball teams.

For many years there have been plans in the works for getting a gym devoted to recreational sports. Soon those plans will bear fruit.

Up until recently, the plan was to build a \$3 million recreation complex partially with money gained in a fundraising campaign and the rest from student athletic fees.

But then Atlanta was picked to host the 1996 Olympics and all those old plans were scrapped.

Southern Tech wants the new gym to be a place where Olympic athletes can practice and preliminary games can be held. But the \$3 million gym is less than half the size necessary for that.

Now the college is attempting to raise money to build a \$7.5 million gym that would be big enough for these activities.

Various corporations and organizations are being solicited for funds, but President Stephen Cheshier is unwilling to be specific about which ones. He said, "There are a lot of colleges in greater Atlanta that are trying to capture some kind of Olympic activity. The last thing I want to do is give away all the ideas we have of how to do that before we lock them in."

With any Olympic activity comes the possibility of generous donations both from the Olympic committee itself and various corporate sponsors.

Cheshier said, "Our hope is we will be, at a minimum, a designated Olympic preliminary round and practice site. And ideally even the main venue for a minor sport or two."

"Now we know we're not going to be the Olympic Basketball arena or the soccer stadium or things

like that for the main events, but there are a lot of teams that are going to have to practice somewhere. They can't all get into one facility."

Cheshier feels confident that Southern Tech can get the money to build more than the \$3 million complex, but not enough money has been raised yet for the \$7.5 million one. He said, "We can definitely build a \$3 million facility, we probably can build a \$5 million facility and we hope to build a \$7.5 million facility."

However much money is raised, the indoor complex will contain a pool, basketball and racquetball courts, nautilus equipment and offices for the Nurse and the Director of Recreational Sports.

Fundraising will continue for about the next six months. By that time all of the major sources the college is applying to for funds will have given their response, one way or the other. When all the major

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Despite Budget Cuts, Hiring Freeze For Profs is a Myth

By Westly Hetrick
Grumph, hrrumph Editor

Recently rumors have been circulating around campus that a hiring freeze is in effect and that professors are retiring and no new faculty are being added to replace them. Portions of these rumors contain a nugget of truth.

This year, the government of Georgia was forced to make several across-the-board cutbacks, due to the fact that less revenue was being collected than had previously been expected. This was due to the

sluggish economy, and affected Southern Tech by causing the overall budget to be cut. Slow bond sales delayed the new student centers construction. Also, the Chancellor of the Board of Regents requested that the replacement of non-essential personnel be delayed if possible. This does not mean that the search for replacement personnel has been canceled, merely that it is continuing, but at a much slower pace. An example of this would be the continuing search for a replacement for J. R. Robertson, former Vice President of Business

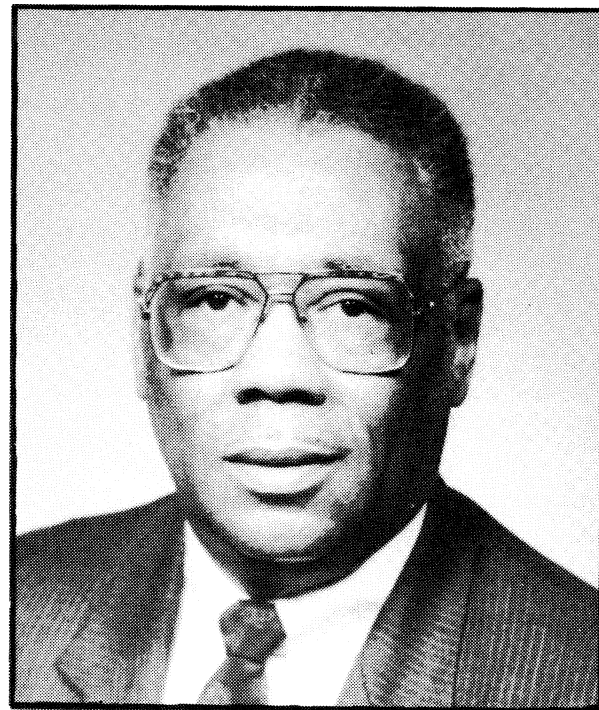
and Finance, who was fired several months ago and still hasn't been replaced.

However, teaching faculty is not considered non-essential. President Cheshier explained that the administration does not say, "don't fill it, what [the administration] says is 'for the next quarter use a temporary person.' The class still gets covered, but we don't put a tenure track employee with fringe benefits in that position. The open positions do get filled, with part timers."

In this way the school not only saves 25-30% in fringe benefits on that person, but if the school faces more cutbacks the next quarter, the school has no obligation to keep the part time staff, as opposed to the full time staff.

But at any rate, a new fiscal year with a new budget will begin July 1 of this year. According to Dean Rezak of the School of Technology, "We are hiring at this point for the beginning of fall quarter." In the upcoming months, the school will have several retirements and some vacant full time positions remain unfilled, but with the economy beginning to speed up again, there should be no trouble filling these positions.

Travis Receives Doctorate



Dr. Harris T. Travis, Vice President for academic Affairs at Southern Tech, is among several recipients from throughout the world who will receive honorary doctorates from Purdue University at their commencement ceremonies in May. He will be awarded the degree of Doctor of technology honoris causa at ceremonies to be held on the West Lafayette, Indiana, campus on May 11.

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Next Deadline: May 29

Bathtub Race Will Rock Your Face

By Bill Finnick
King of the Pit

The 25th annual Bathtub race will take place around campus the weekend of May 18 and 19 featuring a new format and a more competitive field.

The new format for the final race will consist of a 40 lap heat race starting at 3 pm Sunday. The heat race will determine the starting positions for a 30 lap final dash for the checkered flag. There will still be a Rookie race Saturday that will start at 3 pm after the two practice session at 10 am and 1:30 pm.

Since most race fans enjoy the start and finish of a race most, the new format will provide spectators with more of what they want. The split races will also afford teams an opportunity to make major repairs during the 30 minute break between races, where in the past a blown

engine would have ended their day. John Rogers' Hooters sponsored tub can change an engine in "just five minutes," thanks in part to his sponsor, pit crew, and their design effort aimed at winning this years race.

In the recent past there have been three or four really competitive tubs that ran away from the pack. This was primarily due to the teams having sponsors. The other teams that filled the field 'shoe-stringed' a tub together with old tires and an engine off of a buddy's motorcycle. A tub from scratch can cost over \$3,000 and then another \$800 a year to stay competitive.

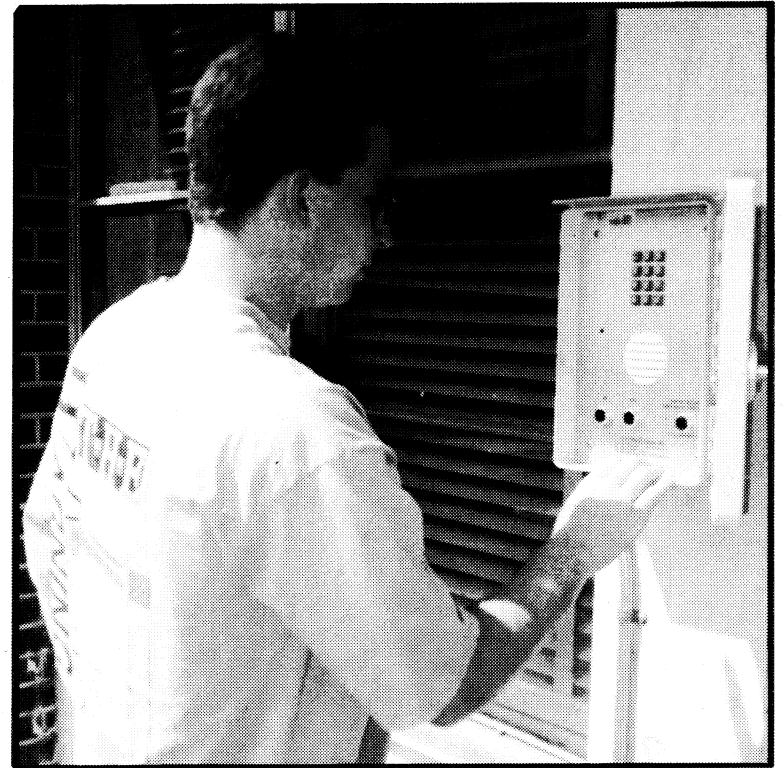
The non-sponsored tubs still have to meet the stringent safety standards of the Bathtub Racing Association which are constantly updated to ensure the safety of the driver, his crew, and the spectators. This year more teams have had

luck finding sponsors for their tubs. The influx of money will make this years race much more competitive. Five tubs will be running with the water cooled Rotax 125cc engine along, with Team Honda's 125cc entry, and a CanAm 175cc power plant.

A competitive engine can cost over \$1,000 and with the heat format in this years race a back-up engine could make the difference. Teams with traditional sponsors like Budweiser, Miller, Classic Paint (Formerly 96Rock), and Team Honda will be fending off teams with support from the Cheetah III and Hooters.

John Rogers' sponsor, Hooters, came up with a cash donation, plus fronted money for t-shirts he could sell to support his efforts. Some of the sensuously popular Hooters girls will be on campus the week before the race to help John sell the shirts. John is a paraplegic whose tub is designed to be controlled completely by hand instead of the traditional foot pedal racing machines.

This years race will feature tubs from as far away as Villanova and Spring Garden, Florida. Alumni have three entries, the faculty one, and five students from the Iota Pi chapter of Sigma Nu fraternity on campus round out the field.



This phone box is used to call people in the dorms, although lately a frighteningly large number of people have been using it to call phone sex lines - Photo by David Conrad

Dorms Implement Amazing New Security Concept: Locks

By Jan Lanese Donkar
Yes, It's Sexual

A new security tactic has been implemented at the dorms. The entrance doors have been locked!! The explanation given to the residents was that this measure was taken to keep local strangers and those from the Greyhound station out of the buildings.

The problem of having strangers wander around the dorms has been noticed since 1986. Campus Security has found non-residents sleeping in the lounges and taking showers at night.

At this time it is not known how these persons can be distinguished from Southern Tech students. Dorm dwellers who shower at night may want to have their I.D.s handy. This may facilitate Campus Safety's effort to keep strangers out.

All resident room keys are supposed to open the now locked doors. There are phones located at the main entrances for guests. There are phone lists located by these boxes so that visitors may ring the room so they may be let in. Example: Snotty Suzy can call Hunky Harry on this box. He in turn comes down and lets her in.

The box is not limited to room

calls. In the event of an emergency there is a red button labeled "EMERGENCY" on these boxes. This emergency button notifies security who respond immediately.

In the process of creating a new security system for Southern Tech dorm residents a few problems have been created, too.

First, the Residence Hall Assistants put phone lists next to these new phone boxes. This has caused some prank calls and phone tag. Residents are not pleased that anyone may have access to their room numbers and phone numbers provided on these lists. The residents hope that these lists will be removed and that perhaps only a list of room numbers and phone numbers be provided.

In addition, residents feel that this locked door policy is very inconvenient. In some instances the resident door keys do not work in all the doors. Brian Teets, resident director, says that, "there is a big inconvenience to the students, but security superceeds it."

The hours the doors will be locked are from 8:00 pm to 6:00 am, Monday through Thursday. Fridays they will be locked at 6:00 pm and will not be unlocked until 6:00 am on Monday morning.

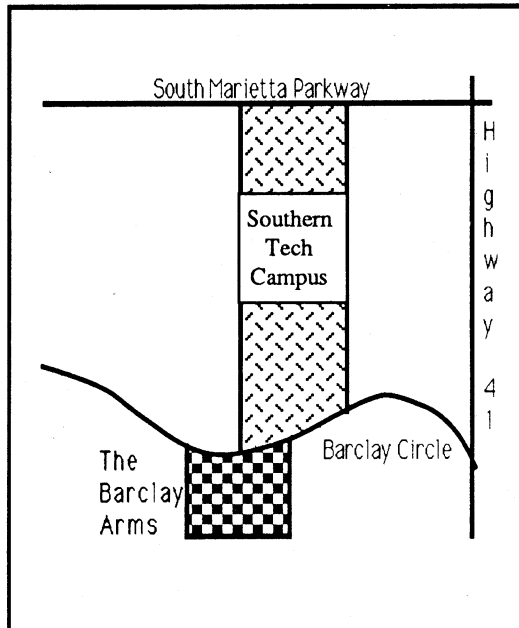
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Organizational Spotlight: The Sisters of Alpha Delta Pi

By Tony Perez
Keyboard Player

The Southern Tech sorority, Alpha Delta Pi, is a women's social group which meets for the mutual benefit of its members and their community.

Alpha Delta Pi is the first sorority ever established and was founded on May 15, 1851, at Wesleyan College in Macon. The National Headquarters for ADPi is located in Atlanta, and the Southern Tech Eta Delta chapter is only one of 140 chapters which exist in the United States and Canada. Other local ADPi chapters are Emory University & Georgia Tech.

Every year there is an annual National Convention when chapters from all across the U.S. and Canada meet. During this convention, awards are given to outstanding chapters and distinguished members within the chapters. In the past four years the Southern Tech chapter has won the Diamond Four Points Outstanding Chapter Award. This is an award given to the most outstanding chapters within the Alpha Delta Pi organization. On a more local level, Shanna Fernandez, president, won the Greek Woman Of The Year Award at Southern Tech in 1989-90.

Alpha Delta Pi has existed on this campus since October 22, 1983. The sorority works toward upholding the highest ideals of Christian Womanhood, and promotes high academic standards. They also work to improve life on campus and in the community.

The ADPi's philanthropy is the Ronald McDonald House, a home away from home for families of critically ill children. The sisters are presently collecting tabs from drink cans and UPC labels from Scott products. The proceeds go toward the Ronald McDonald House. Recently, they participated in the canned food stack-up. The cans used in the stack-up were donated to Lyndon Pittman, a Southern Tech employee who is presently being treated for cancer.

To become a member of a sorority, a student must be invited. Women invited to join the sisterhood who have accepted their bids are called Alphas. Other sororities refer to these members as pledges. To become an Alpha, one must maintain academic standards (2.6 GPA) and display acceptable conduct in the community. After becoming an Alpha, the next step is to become a Delta. The Delta is an initiated member of the sorority. To become a Delta, the Alpha must

maintain her GPA and attend Alpha Classes. The Alpha classes teach the new prospects about the history of the sorority and its purpose.

After passing the Alpha classes, the Alpha is formally initiated into the sorority. Initiations are held every quarter except in the summer. Although the actual agenda for initiations can not be made public, the ADPis do stress that they are against hazing or any other demeaning acts.

In Alpha Delta Pi, members hold a responsibility which is crucial for the success of the sorority. The four main officers of the sorority are President Shanna Fernandez, Vice-President Beth Meeker, Recording Secretary Amy Pratt, and Treasurer Heather Quinn. The officers are first chosen by the chapter, then they have to be approved by the Executive Office. Once approved, they are voted on by the sisters. New officers are installed every Winter Quarter.

A common misconception about sororities in general is that their only purpose is to party and have fun. This is not true. Although the chapter engages in many events which are strictly for socializing, their fundamental purpose is to help each other. This help may be studying together, assisting each other on a project, and discussing problems and frustrations



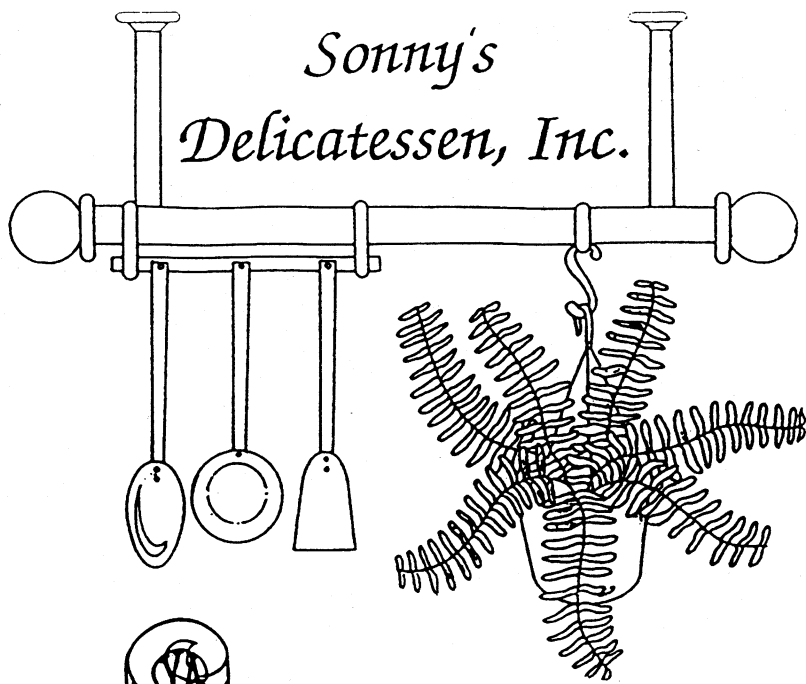
Here are the lovely ladies of Alpha Delta Pi. Considering the demographics of this college, we decided to restrain ourselves in our picture caption. - Photo by Bill Finnick assisted by David Conrad.

with one another. These goals support the chapter motto "We Live For Each Other."

The sisters do hold or participate in events which make campus life more exciting. Some of these events are the Christmas Dance, Crush Party, Black Diamond Ball and socials with fraternities and sororities. Many of the activities and socials the members engage in are

done as Prides. A pride consists of five sisters. A pride, for example may study together and afterwards may go and have dinner.

The Alpha Delta Pi mascot is "Alphie the Lion" and their colors are blue and white. Currently the Southern Tech chapter does not have a sorority house, however they are currently working to raise money to acquire one in the future.



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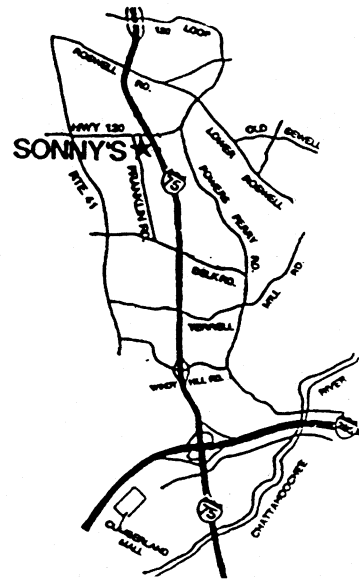
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Religious Professors Being Censored in Class

College Press Service

Administrators have the right to stop professors from using class time to tell students about their religious beliefs, a federal appeals court has ruled.

"The university's conclusions about course content must be allowed to hold sway over an individual professor's judgments," a three-judge panel of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 11th Circuit said of the University of Alabama's attempts to stop physiology Prof. Phillip Bishop from talking about Christianity in his classes.

Bishop, who has asked the panel to reconsider its decision, referred reporter's questions to his lawyer, Albert Jordan of Wallace, Brooke and Byers, a Birmingham law firm working with the Southern Center for Law and Ethics in representing Bishop.

"We're not dealing with a kook here," Jordan said. There was no Bible reading or class prayer, he said. "It was a matter of expressing an opinion in the course of classroom banter."

Several campuses have had trouble keeping professors from proselytizing in class this school

year.

Memphis State University students demonstrated to try to pressure officials to keep criminology Prof. Byron Johnson, who said he was fired for using class time to tell students about his Christian beliefs.

And at Middle Tennessee State University, students complained that sociology Prof. Donald Schneller was promoting his anti-abortion views during his classes on deviant behavior and marriage and family.

Schneller, however, maintained he was presenting both sides of the issue.

The problem at Alabama began

in 1987, when officials told Bishop to keep his religious views to himself and to stop holding optional classes he taught from a "Christian perspective."

In addition, administrators wrote to "remind" him that religious beliefs could not be a factor in deciding which students to admit to graduate programs.

A year later, Bishop sued the university, claiming the order violated his right to free speech as well as his academic freedom to choose materials and lectures to teach his own classes.

In 1990, a lower federal court

ruled in Phillip Bishop's favor and the university appealed, setting the stage for the most recent court decision.

The three-judge appeals panel recognized "the invaluable role academic freedom plays in our public schools, particularly at the postsecondary level," but approved Alabama's actions.

"We do not find support to conclude that academic freedom is an independent First Amendment right. And in any event, we cannot supplant our discretion for that of the university. Federal judges should not be ersatz deans or educators. ..."

Crime Time Sports: Athletes Get Busted, Dude!

College Press Service

Still more college athletes from a variety of campuses were arrested or charged with crimes in

recent weeks, prompting one observer to suggest it's a result of preferential treatment jocks typically receive.

"It's that sense that elite ath-

letes have that they're special because everyone tells them they're special," said Indiana University English Prof. Murray Sperber, author of Sports, Inc., a book chroni-

cling the problems with college sports.

In the past, sociologists who study athletes' behavior have attributed the seemingly unusual number of times athletes get in legal trouble to mere public misperception.

The media, they say, rush to report athletes' woes when a similar criminal act by a nonathlete student would not be deemed newsworthy.

Adding that many athletes are black and from poor families, they add that college town police are prone to suspect and arrest black people and that some of the athletes must abruptly adapt to operating in a drastically unfamiliar campus culture.

Whatever the reason, a disturbing number of campus athletes have found themselves in trouble with the law in recent weeks.

On April 25, U.S. District Judge Elizabeth Kovachevich sentenced football player Walter Sutton, of Southwest State University in Minnesota, to nine years of prison for selling crack cocaine.

Only a few days earlier, the Atlanta Falcons had drafted Sutton, prompting him to ask Kovachevich for leniency.

"You want me to forget that sentence just because you have a great employment opportunity?" the judge replied. "That's specious and ridiculous. You've been sentenced, sir, and the sentencing guidelines apply to you just like anyone else."

On April 20, police charged Keith Traylor of Central State University in Oklahoma with disorderly conduct after he allegedly interfered with efforts to break up fights in a night club parking lot in Edmond, Oklahoma.

Although not arrested, the Chicago Bears' sixth-round draft choice, Texas A&M running back

Darren Lewis, the only player to test positive for cocaine at the National Football League's scouting evaluations in February, checked into a drug rehabilitation center April 24.

At the same time, University of Arkansas President B. Alan Sugg drastically reduced one-year suspensions given to four basketball players involved in a sexual incident on his campus February 27 of that year.

As a result, the players won't miss too much of next year's basketball season.

Sugg's decision means Todd Day, Darrell Hawkins, Elmer Martin and Roosevelt Wallace will be held out only until December. They will miss a tournament in Hawaii and perhaps some nonconference games.

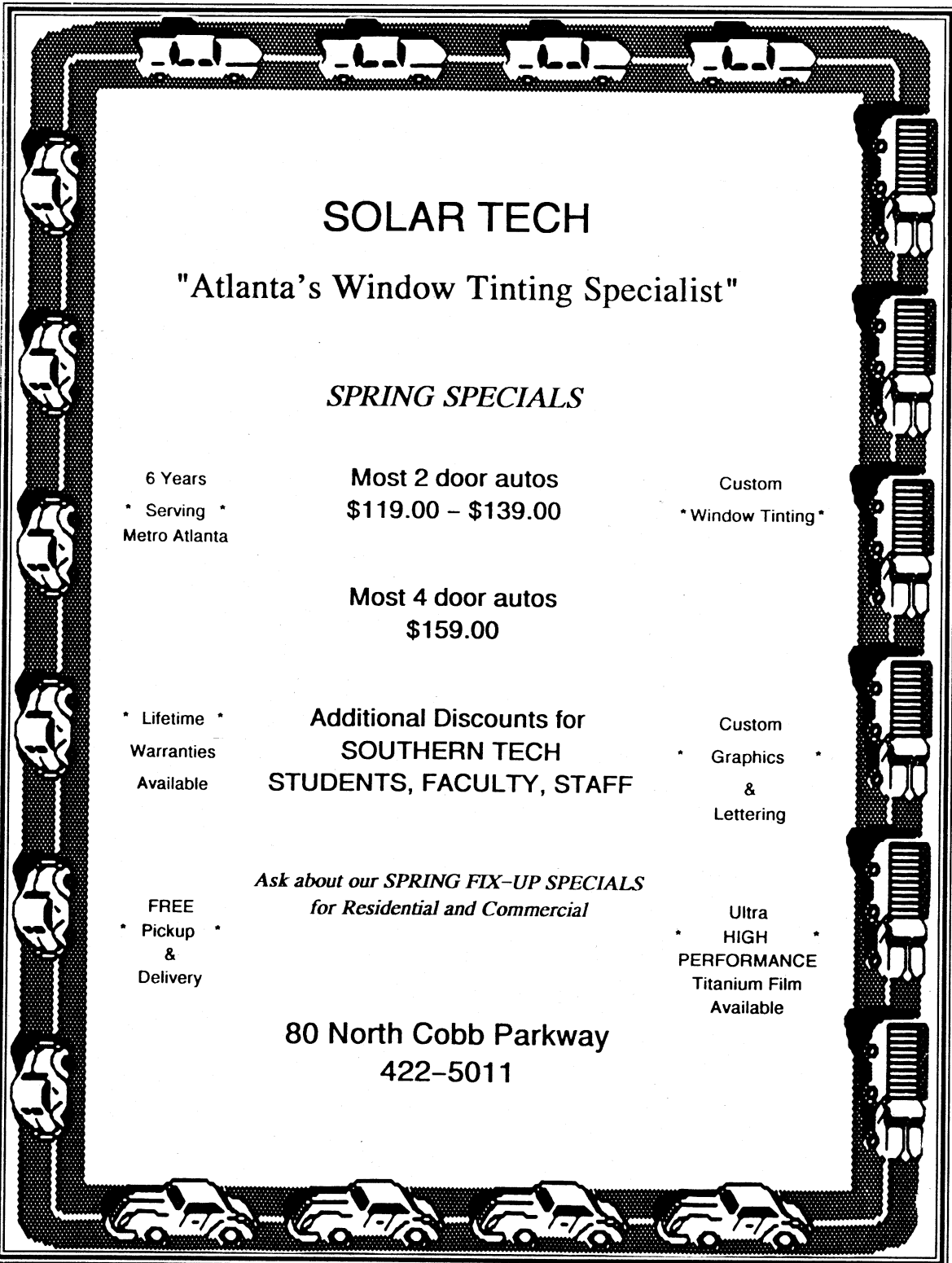
University of Washington campus police banned former football player Robert Theoudele from campus, saying that since 1989, he had been approaching individuals asking for a "loan" to repair his car. The loans, police said, were never repaid.

University of Akron football player Marcus Reliford, who as a football player at the University of Colorado was charged with sexual assault in 1989, was banned from the Akron campus March 22. The expulsion came after Reliford pleaded guilty to burglary January 8.

Michigan State University basketball player Parish Hickman was arrested April 8 for allegedly attempting to deliver one kilogram of cocaine to an undercover agent.

A week later, the school's wrestling coach, Phil Parker, was charged with third-degree rape.

Sperber is quick to point out that it's only a "tiny minority" of college athletes who get into trouble..



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No Comment

Former grad student Larry Sanders has sued the University of Illinois, which dismissed him for allegedly plagiarizing a paper. In court documents, Sanders claimed he has multiple personalities, and that one of his personalities plagiarized the paper without his knowing about it.

Protest Protested

Eighty angry University of Colorado-Boulder students showed up to protest a "Miss Patriot of Boulder Pageant" in mid-March, hoping to point out how such beauty contests degrade women. The pageant, however, itself turned out to be a protest in which contestants named "Miss Fortune," "Miss Information" and "Miss Ogyne" performed skits lampooning U.S. policy in the Persian Gulf.

"I felt completely and totally duped," putative demonstrator Samantha Levine told the Campus Press, the student newspaper. "I fell for it hook, line and sinker."

New York Takeovers Wind Down

NEW YORK, N.Y. (CPS) — A series of predawn police raids April 27 broke up three-week-long student occupations of buildings at three of the City University of New York campuses where students have been demanding a rollback of announced tuition hikes for next year.

Crowds of demonstrators began thinning out at other of the CUNY system's 18 campuses several days earlier, and classes had resumed despite continuing sit-ins at a few buildings.

Police arrested 12 students in breaking up the sit-in at Lehman College. Elsewhere, a

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sources are exhausted, a recreational complex will be built using the funds that have been raised up to that point.

At this point bids will be solicited from building companies and construction can begin soon after. Cheshier said, "I have every intention of starting to build something late this calendar year or certainly early next calendar year."

In a related story, construction for the outdoor athletic complex might begin as early as the beginning of June.

According to Cheshier, "All we

lack is a date from the Forestry Commission to take the trees down and a wetlands permit which we expect to get the end of this month."

All the money necessary for this project has long since been raised.

The outdoor complex should be completed by this fall and can begin to be used next spring or summer. The delay is caused by the necessity of allowing grass to grow before people play on it.

This facility will contain an outdoor picnic pavilion, a running

trail, three softball fields, ten tennis courts, and two soccer and three flag football fields.

According to Cheshier, the construction of this facility opens up the possibility of fraternity and sorority housing. It has been proposed that the land at the end of the road leading to the outdoor athletic complex be allocated for this purpose.

disappointingly small crowd of 200 showed up for an April 1 tuition hike protest at the University of California-Davis.

Complaints of Disabled

TUCSON, Az. (CPS) — University of Arizona grad student Paul Schock formally complained to the U.S. Dept. of Education in mid-April, claiming students with learning disabilities should get to use the same special resources that students with physical disabilities get to use. Schock wants help from UA's Center for Disability Related Resources, which provides certain students with tutors and the taping of class notes.

Center officials told Schock that, while they would be willing to provide services to him, they can't afford it. Schock's complaint argues federal law prohibits UA, which gets federal funds, from discriminating against handicapped people.

U.C. Budget Crisis

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (CPS) — In-state students may have a harder time getting into the nine-campus University of California system in the future, system President David Gardner told the Sacramento Press Club.

Gardner said Cal campuses may soon have to start admitting more out-of-state students, who pay higher tuition, to help make up for the \$295 million budget cut the system took this year. "We will take care of the student we have admitted for the autumn of 1991," Gardner said. "But all bets are off after that."

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FX2 Disappointing When Compared to the Original

By Ed Hardy
Ex-Editor

FX2. An action-adventure starring Brian Dennehy and Brian Brown. Directed by Richard Franklin. An Orion Pictures release.

This movie is being advertised as *FX2: the Deadly Art of Illusion*. A better name for it would be *FX2: the Deadly Art of the Plot Flaw*. Actually, this is a reasonably good movie, but it did have some serious plot problems. But, those of you who liked *F/X* are in for a bit of a disappointment.

It's about Rollie Tyler (Brian Brown), a retired special effects (Effects, FX. Get it?) man who now makes toys so expensive no one could possibly afford them. When Tyler gets talked into helping a friend of his with the New York Police catch a murderer, he gets caught up in a web of crooked cops, Renaissance art treasures, Mafia hit men and major plot flaws.

Let me tell you the most glaring example of the plot flaws. To show off Tyler's cool tricks for the climax of the movie, the plot allows him to wander free through a heavily defended Mafia house for several days,

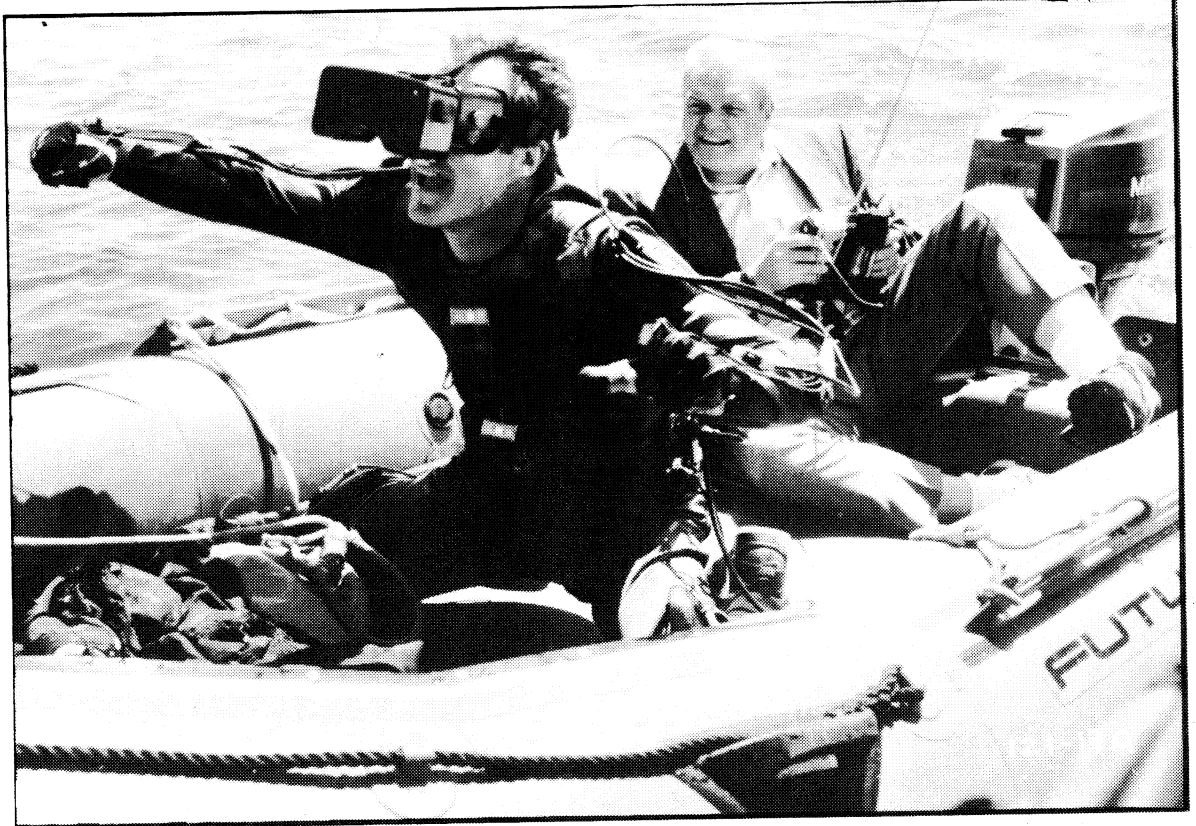
happily making major architectural changes and bringing in heavy equipment under the eyes of armed guards and attack dogs.

And here's another. Tyler and Leo McCarthy (Brian Dennehy), a friend of his who is a private detective, get this guy who is trying to kill Tyler trapped in a wrecked car. So what do they do? They leave him there, because it's way too early in the movie for them to eliminate the opposition.

I haven't seen *F/X*, but the guy who went with me had. He said it was full of neat little special effects gimmicks that really made the picture good. Don't expect this in *FX2*. The major effect was a robot that mimicked everything the wearer of a special suit did. A neat idea but NOT realistic, and not even very well executed. It could be done, but would be fantastically expensive.

So basically this movie was OK. It had some pretty good action scenes and a laugh or two, but not much more. Don't even rent this one, wait for it to come out on cable. You shouldn't have to wait more than six months.

Australian-born Bryan Brown (Rollie Tyler) first got international



In the movie *FX 2*, a number of high tech wonder gadgets are used. In this scene Brian Dennehy, on the right, works the remote control fish, while Bryan Brown operates the remote control scuba diver, for the non-swimming underwater enthusiast.

attention in *Breaker Morant*, for which he won an Australian Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor. He had his U.S. debut in the

hugely successful miniseries *The Thorn Birds*.

Richard Franklin, the director, is a former student of the late great

Alfred Hitchcock.

With talent like this, it is a pity *FX2* was crippled by bad writing.

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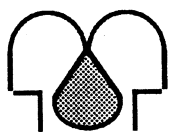
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Carey's Has Good Greasy Food

By Westly Hetrick
Chief Goombah

OK, so you're in the mood for hamburgers, and you don't want fast food. In this area, that leaves very few worthy choices. You could go to Applebee's or somewhere comparable, where the faces are fresh, the interior decoration stylish and contemporary, and have a dining experience that was altogether, well, unmemorable and downright boring. Or you could live on the edge and go to Carey's.

Carey's is pretty much a little hole in the wall on Highway 41. It is located in a grungy little building next to Danny's and near the Mazda dealership. We'll begin our dining story in the parking lot.

There are two industrial strength steel doors that will lead into the establishment. One, on the right edge of the building, is a normal sized door that will lead you directly to the bar. The second, on the left and located almost in the middle of the front of the building will let you in next to the Rocket Ride pinball

machine. This door is an affront to all sensible sensibilities since it is obviously and purposely two feet wide. But anyway, this door will lead you towards this hockey puck/bowling game, the likes of which I haven't seen since they tore down the old Hartsfield airport.

Inside, you'll find booths with torn vinyl seats, tables with mismatched chairs, the aforementioned games, and a jukebox that has some of the most offensive (racist and sexist) country and western songs ever heard. The walls are completely and totally covered with autographed posters of country stars. My personal favorite is The Dudds, Nairobi and Wyoming.

Mere seconds after sitting down a waitress will come and bring you your menu. My personal suggestion is to sit at a table that hasn't been bussed yet. Then you can see the waitress dump an ashtray onto a plate full of old ketchup, then toss her tip money on top of the two. ("What? It comes right off and spends just the same," she said as our mouths collectively dropped open.)

When you get the menu, spend a few minutes closely examining it then put it down and order the cheeseburger plate. The cheeseburger consists of a half pound hamburger with all the toppings and a

whole heap of greasy fries, all served on a thin paper plate. Good stuff! Yum! All this for the reasonable, reasonable price of under five dollars.

Besides all this groovy food, it's neat to sit back and watch people. You can see everything from business guys in three piece suits to construction workers with three teeth. Even the occasional black crowd will wander in, and dine in peace, remarkably enough.

A few years ago, the Atlanta Journal-Constitution held a "Greatest Hamburger in Atlanta" contest and Carey's won. Immediately following that, Carey's became a cool place to sit quietly and watch yuppies. A typical exchange went something like this.

Biff, trying to get into the spirit of things: "Do you have any imported beer?"

Waitress, who has seen one too many yuppies today: "No, only Budweiser."

Buffy, who wanted to go to the Olive Garden, but Biff talked her into mingling "with the people": "Do you have any salads?"

They don't have any salads, but at that point I stopped listening because I was busy restraining my laughter. Fewer yuppies show up there these days, but the food is still great and the folks are still interesting.

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Switch is a Lame Movie. Wow, What a Surprise!

By James Tharp
Staff Writer

Switch, a movie starring Ellen Barkin, Jimmy Smits, JoBeth Williams, and Lorraine Bracco. Directed by Blake Edwards.

Hey! Look, another male/female role reversal movie. Haven't seen one of these in a long time. Or is it, I haven't seen a good one of these in a long time. Well, good, bad, or indifferent, you can always count on Hollywood in these ecologically sensitive times to recycle old worn out plots into new worn out plots.

This movie is the story of a womanizing male chauvinist ad-man Steve Brooks (Perry King) who is murdered by three former, furious lovers. After meeting his maker, he is sent back to Earth with a mission: find a female who loves him. The catch is that Steve has to do this as a woman. He is the soul of a male chauvinist in the body of a beautiful woman. If he/she succeeds, he will be allowed into Heaven, if not, he does what so many other women have suggested he do — go to Hell.

Once the shock passes, he gets quickly down to work. He can no longer be known as Steve; so he/she takes the name Amanda Brooks (Ellen Barkin of *The Big Easy* and

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According to Purdue University President Dr. Steven C. Beering, this is the highest honor the University bestows upon individuals of exceptional attainment and merit.

Dr. Travis earned his doctorate in education at the University of Illinois. He served as head of the Purdue to become Vice President for Academic Affairs at Southern College of Technology. In this position he developed and implemented an innovative program for recruiting and retaining minority students, faculty and staff. Under his leadership Southern Tech has met or exceeded most of its goals in enrollment and retention and also has developed strong ties with the minority community. Because of success in recruiting and retaining minorities, Southern Tech received the Martin Luther King, Jr., "Living the Dream" Award from the Cobb County (Georgia) Martin Luther King, Jr., Support Group in 1990.

In 1988, Dr. Travis personally received the James H. McGraw Award from the American Society for Engineering Education, given annually to the outstanding engineering technology educator in the United States. Active in several community organizations, including the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, he negotiated the nation's first fair share agreement between the NAACP and the banking industry.

Sea of Love). She goes through the expected shock of having nothing to wear — none of Steve's clothes fit. After going shopping, she goes to Steve's old job and gets it back. After a board meeting, Amanda sets her sights on an elusive cosmetics mogul Sheila Faxton (Lorraine Bracco, last seen in *Goodfellas*). After quite a bit of work, she gets the contract and a bit more than she bargained for. Sheila invites her to a party after which Amanda and Sheila get involved in a lesbian relationship. Later, Sheila takes Amanda out to dinner; after which they go to a gay bar and break off the relationship. The chance of Sheila being the female who loves him/her is lost.

After the failed relationship, she goes out and gets drunk with her boss Walter (Jimmy Smits, of *L.A. Law* fame). They, in a drunken stupor, have sex, and Amanda gets pregnant. Later in the movie, Amanda attends the trial of the three former lovers who are accused of murdering Steve. Amanda is called to the witness stand and states her name as Steve Brooks and is immediately sentenced to several months in a mental hospital. She is very pregnant. What happens next is unbelievably predictable. End of story.

Confused about this gender bender? Nope, I can't say that I was either. "Amanda" struggling with her unfamiliar high-heeled shoes and skin-tight skirt is funny at first, but



Blake Edwards new movie, *Switch*, is just chock full of scenes where a man in a woman's body tries to deal with the multiple complexities of his/her new gender. In this scene, Amanda, formerly Steve, discovers that dresses fit much better if one removes the hanger before putting them on.

after a while it gets old. It makes me wonder why she didn't try flats or sneakers. The press kit described this movie as a new chapter in satiric exploration of sexual roles. I found the movie to be predictable, walking a well worn path where dozens of better and worse movies had walked before. Like for instance, *Victor/Victoria*, also produced by Tony Adams and written/directed by

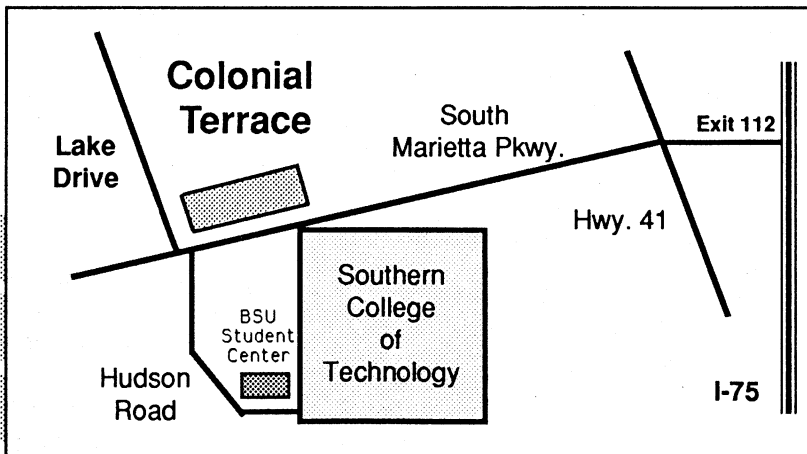
Blake Edwards.

Other movies by these two include *The Return of the Pink Panther*, *10*, and *S.O.B.* With such a good track record, I expected a much better movie. Frankly, I had figured out how the movie ends a good while before the movie showed it. Blake Edwards is probably in desperate need of another hit. The man is a certified Hollywood giant, with

writing credits that include all of the Inspector Cleauseau/Pink Panther series and *Breakfast at Tiffany's*, not to mention the movies I mentioned earlier. His last semi-memorable movie was *Blind Date*, a movie that was best described as pretty OK. But this is not going to be that big hit. It was a pretty decent film. It's worth seeing once just for fun. But wait for the video.



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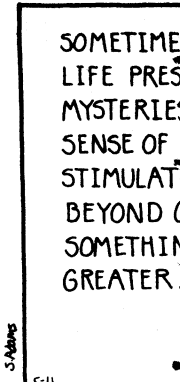
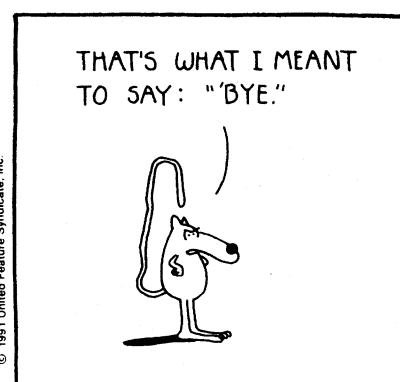
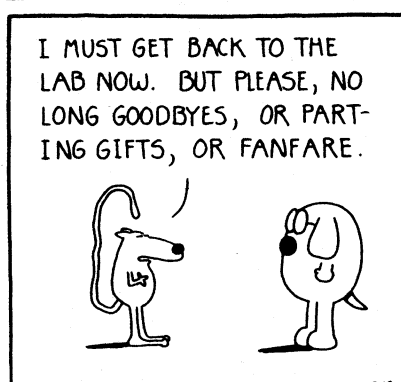
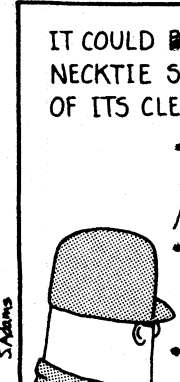
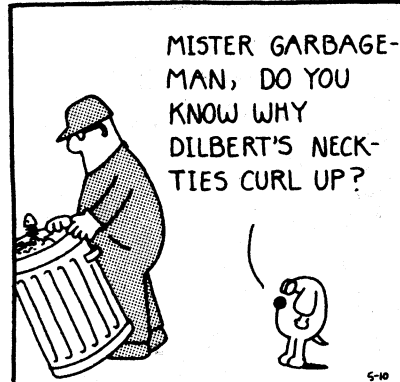
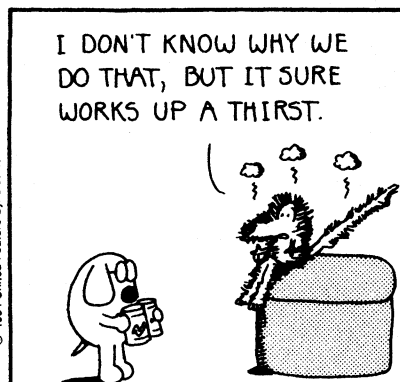
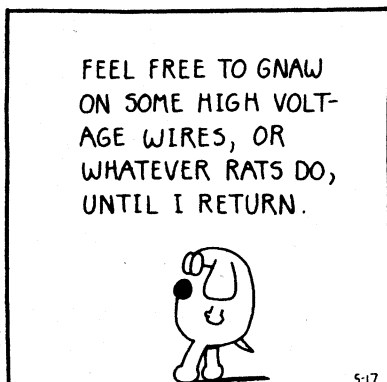
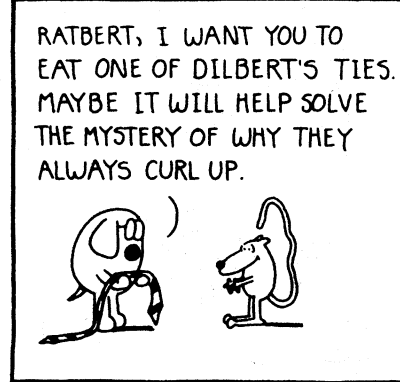
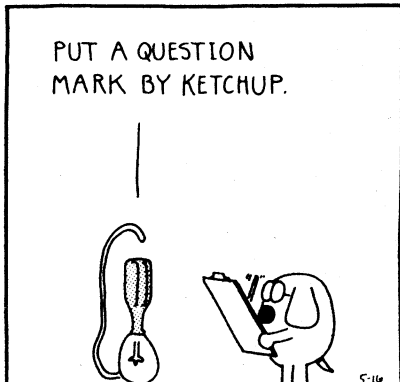
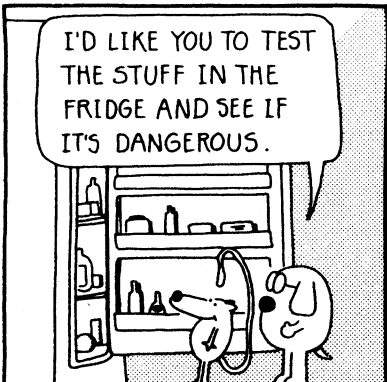
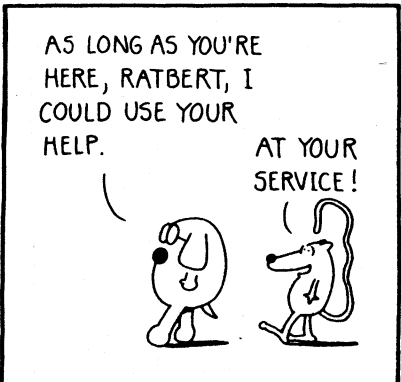
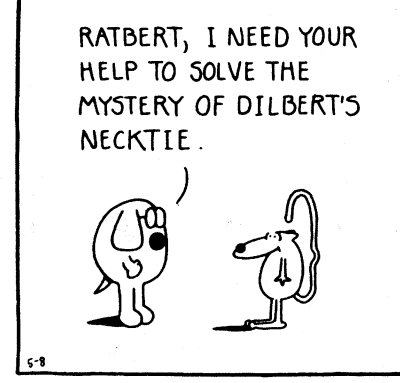
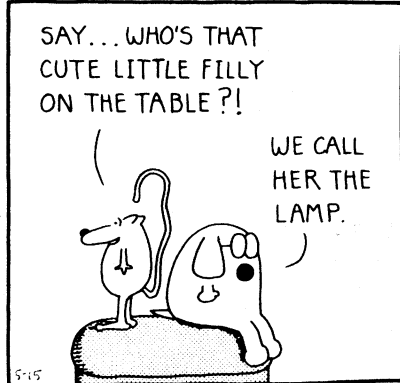
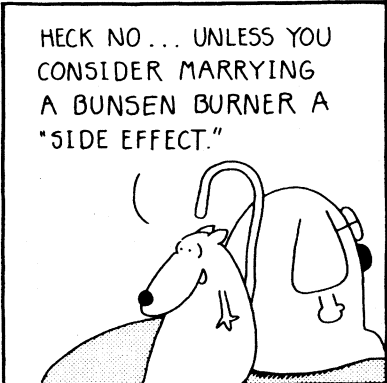
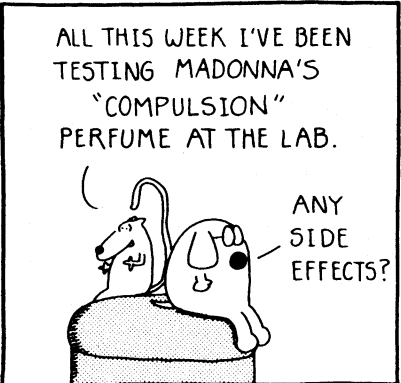
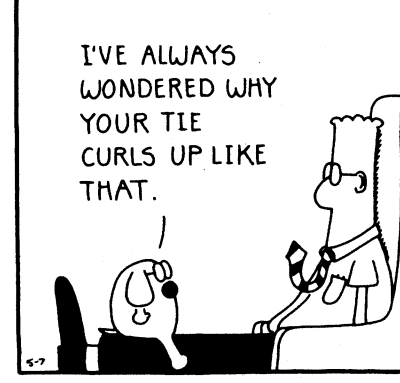
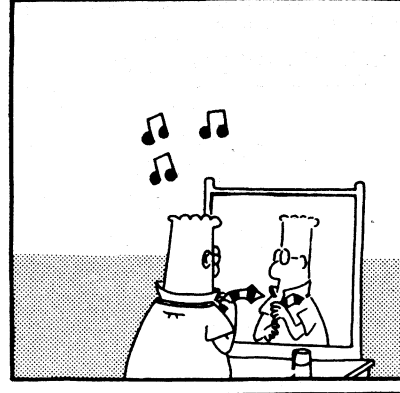
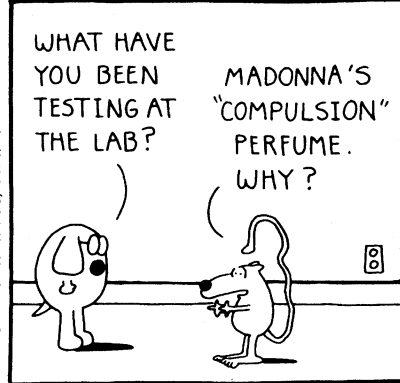
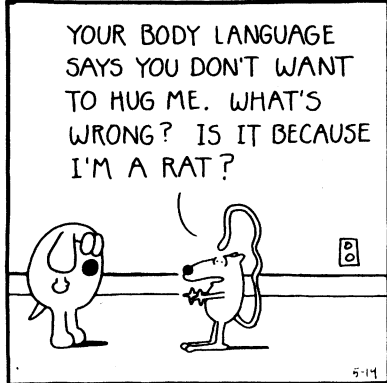
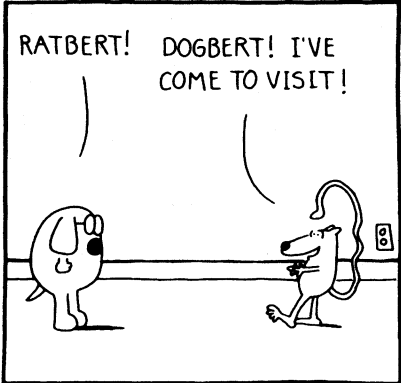
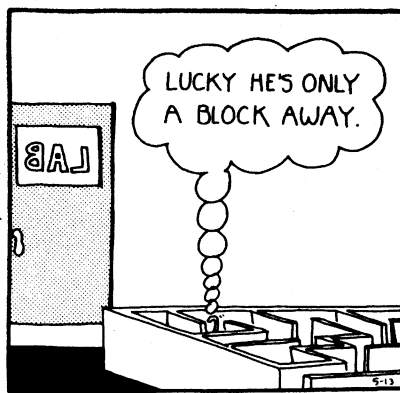
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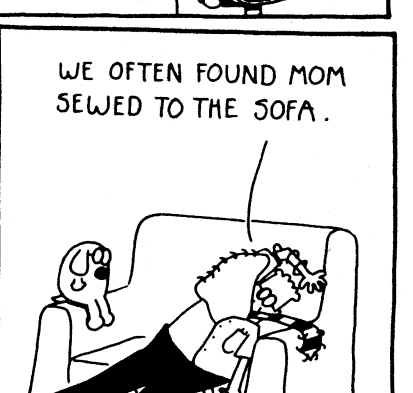
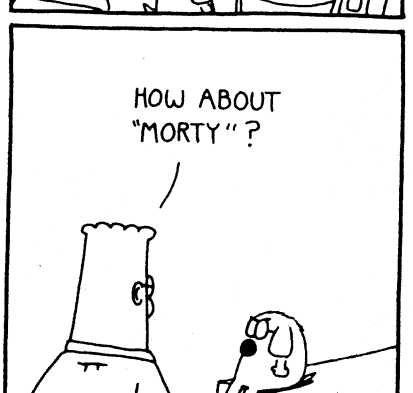
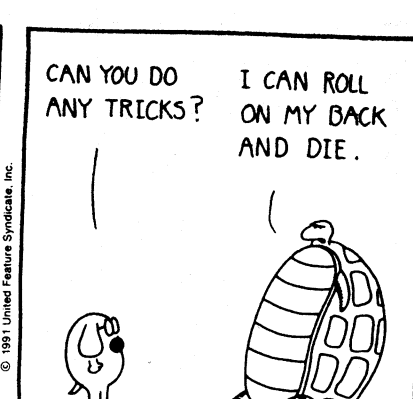
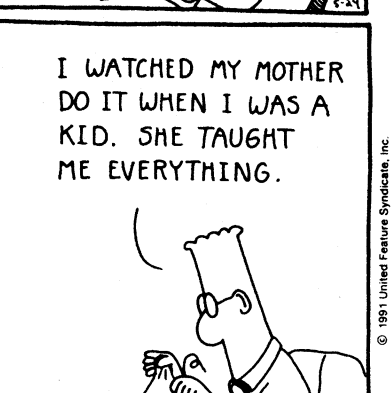
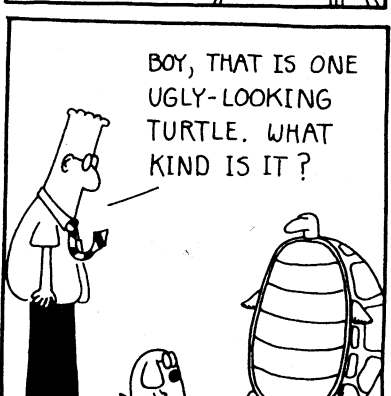
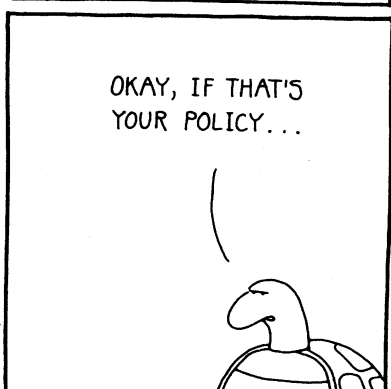
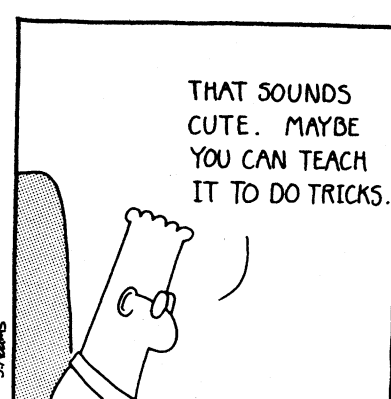
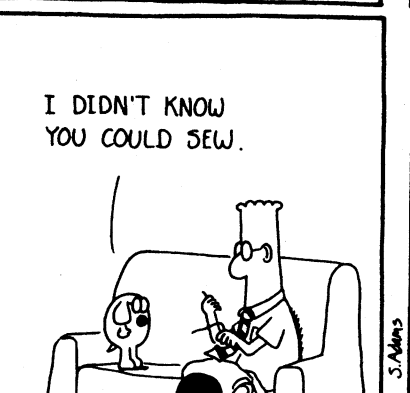
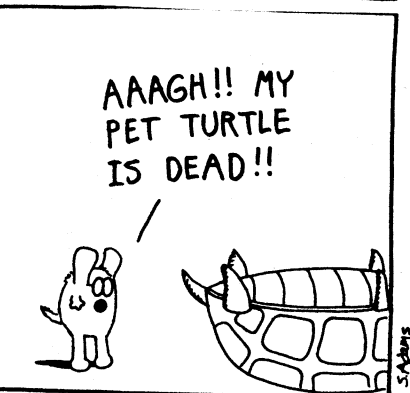
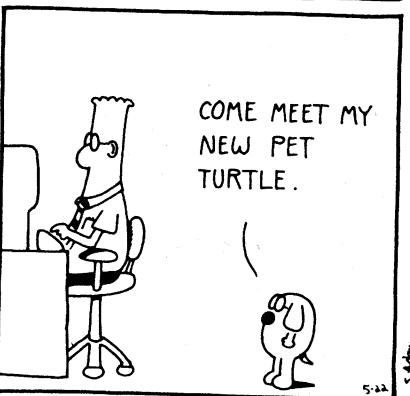
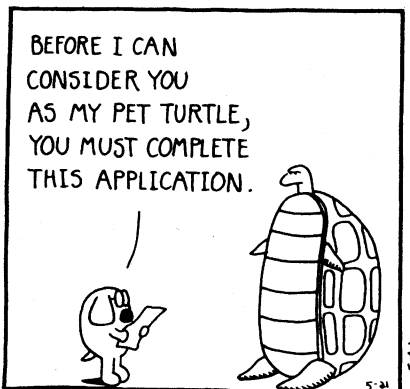
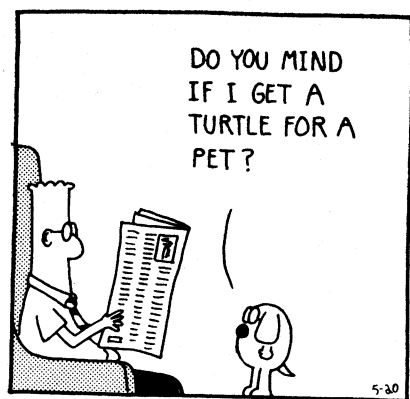
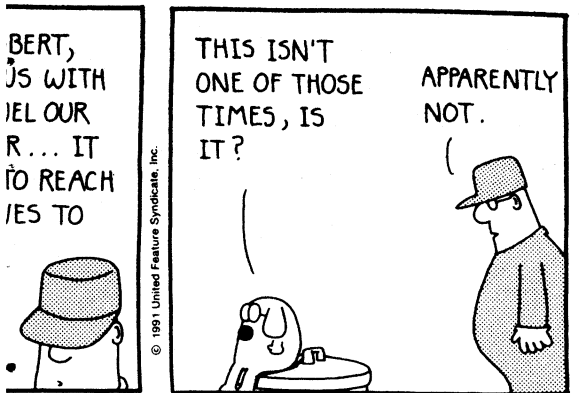
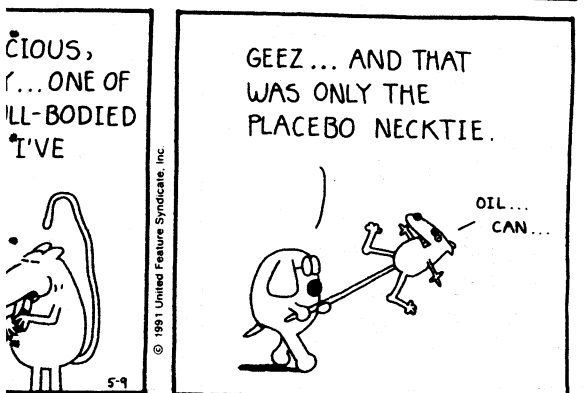
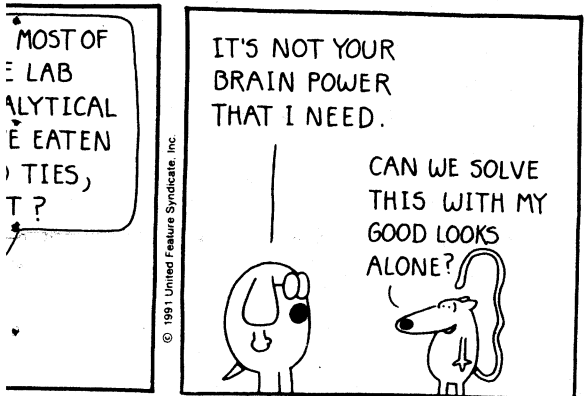
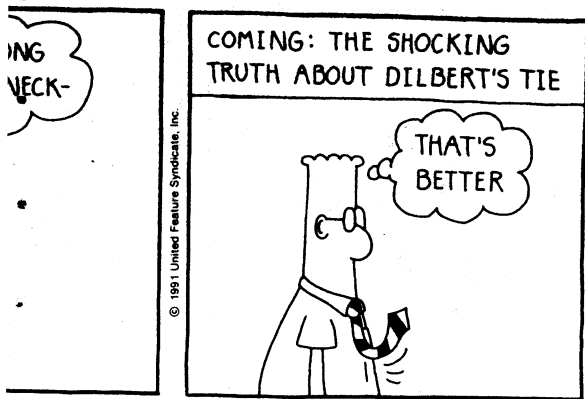
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Ask the Psychologist

In this column, Dr. Michael Slavit, Director of Counseling, will answer questions about issues of emotional, behavioral, or social interest. This column is not intended as a substitute for seeking help from a qualified professional. (SCT students, faculty, and staff are eligible for service at the Counseling Center). And, Dr. Slavit's comments do not necessarily reflect the views of *The Sting*. Send your questions to Dr. Slavit c/o *The Sting*.

Q: "I'm having trouble remembering all I've learned when I'm taking tests. My friends tell me to make mental pictures of what I'm studying. They say that will help me to remember it better. Like, they say if I'm trying to remember a formula, to make a mental picture of the formula, as if it were on a chalkboard. But I just can't. I mean, I can make only the most fleeting mental pictures. Is there something wrong with me? Or are my friends wrong? Or what?"
Signed, Chuck.

A: Chuck, your friends are right in suggesting that our ability to recall what we've learned can be enhanced by mental imagery. But, they're not yet aware that people differ in the types of mental imagery that they can use effectively. In trying to apply that idea to you, we have to first ascertain which imagery skills are useful to you.

You've already suggested that visual imagery is "not your strong suit." So, here is an alternative suggestion: If you're trying to learn a formula so well that you can recall it, "write the formula in the air" with your finger, using broad, sweeping motions of your hands and arms. And, say the formula out loud as you're "writing it."

In this way, you'll be using auditory imagery and kinesthetic imagery. Auditory imagery refers, of course, to your memory of your sense of hearing. And, kinesthetic imagery refers to your memory of feelings of your body's position and of motion. Since your visual imagery is not strong, it's pretty likely that your auditory and kinesthetic imagery - either or both - are stronger. Try some experiments with yourself, Chuck. Try different ways of using your auditory and kinesthetic senses to create imagery that will help you to store what you're learning more effectively in memory.

Try it, and see what happens. And, don't be concerned about your visual imagery not being strong. The others can be just as effective for most tasks, and even more so for some.

A final note: At the Counseling Center, we can help you sort out your learning style and plan study strategies appropriate for you. It's nowhere near an exact science, but you may find it interesting and helpful.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Counseling Center

The counseling center will be offering a series of presentations entitled "Food For Thought" on Wednesdays 12-1 pm in Conference Room A of the student center. No advanced registration is needed. Students, faculty, staff, and friends of the college are invited.

May 15

Enhancing Personal Efficiency

Do you spend time searching for things you've misplaced? Does the clutter in your home, desk, or car get out of hand? Do you forget to send cards on birthdays? Do personal finances seem a hopeless tangle? Do you sometimes feel "scattered" or disorganized? This presentation will provide you with well-designed ideas for you to try— methods for both the broad, philosophical and the practical, "nitty gritty" aspects of life-style management. It'll be fun. (This session will be in the Burruss exhibit room in the academic building.)

May 22

Being On a Predominantly White Campus

Diverse racial and ethnic groups at SCT provide opportunities for cross-cultural learning. But, minority status is not always positive for the minority group members. Discuss the academic and social effects of racial minority status. For enhancement of cross-cultural learning and promotion of dialogue, we invite all races and ethnic groups.

Math Stinger

By Dr. Joel C. Fowler
Assistant Professor of Mathematics

Answers to last issue's probability problems are as follows. The best way to distribute the balls into the urns in order to maximize the probability of picking a white ball is to place one white and no black in the first urn. Place the remaining 49 white and 50 black balls into the second urn. Thus a white ball is a certainty if the first urn is picked and slightly less than 50% if the second urn is chosen. This gives a probability of $149/200$ of picking a white ball. If the distribution of blacks is set ahead of time at 20 in the first and 30 in the second, then the best distribution of whites is 25 in each urn. This answer is misleading, however, since this is not the correct answer for any set distribution of blacks. For example, if the blacks are set at 10 in the first and 40 in the second the best white distribution is 23 in the first and 27 in the second. Heath Romer solved the first problem correctly. Ken Hill and Stan Corbin of Computer and Network Support solved both problems correctly.

The puzzles for this issue all involve circular tables pushed into a corner so that the rim touches both walls. For each of the following you are to determine the diameter of the table involved. Each should have a different diameter.

- 1) The points where the table touches the walls are 40 inches apart.
- 2) The point on the far edge of the rim that is exactly opposite the corner of the room is 100 inches from the corner.
- 3) A point on the portion of the rim near the corner is 8 inches from one wall and 9 inches from the other. All answers should be sent to Joel Fowler in the Mathematics Department. Correct answers and the names of the first to find them will be announced in the next issue of *The Sting*.

CAB Movie Reviews

May 13 - 17
Exorcist III

In the official sequel to the original shocker, an epidemic of ritualistic murders is plaguing Georgetown. George C. Scott is the police officer who's determined to get to the bottom of them.

May 20 - 24
Predator II


The hunt continues. In the action-packed sequel to the 1987 blockbuster, Danny Glover plays Mike Harrigan, a detective who is locked in a deadly battle against the predator, who has been killing drug lords and is now killing Harrigan's own men!

May 27 - 31
Lord of the Flies

American schoolboys stranded on a remote island abandon their thin veneer of civilization and regress into savagery. Greed, racism and corruption add an appalling new dimension to the second screen adaptation of the chilling classic.

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IT MEANS I'VE BEEN WATCHING ALL THE WRONG CHANNELS.

I'M NOT EATING THIS GREEN STUFF. YECCHH!

GOOD IDEA, CALVIN. IT'S A PLATE OF TOXIC WASTE THAT WILL TURN YOU INTO A MUTANT IF YOU EAT IT.

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MMMM SCRAPE GLUNK SMACK URF URF YUM

THERE HAS GOT TO BE A BETTER WAY TO MAKE HIM EAT!

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HOBBS, HAVE YOU EVER KISSED A GIRL?

A FEW, I GUESS.

REALLY? WHAT WAS IT LIKE?

MMMMMMMM POP! MFGHR!

... ONLY A LOT MORE SO!

GAACK! I WAS HOPING IT WOULDN'T BE SO FUZZY...

WHAT DO YOU FIND ATTRACTIVE IN WOMEN, HOBBS?

WELL, I'VE ALWAYS BEEN PARTIAL TO REDHEADS.

... WITH GREEN EYES. I LIKE GREEN EYES.

... AND WHISKERS! LONG WHISKERS!

LET'S CHANGE THE SUBJECT.

HAVING TRANSFORMED MYSELF INTO A WEREWOLF, I SEARCH FOR HUMAN SACRIFICE!

HI, DAD!

MM...HELLO.

CALVIN, STOP THAT DISGUSTING DROOLING!

EDITORIALS

We Request Access to Teacher Data

By Bill Finnick
Editor-in-Chief

Governor Zell Miller has dictated the 1.5 percent pay raise, which is going only to faculty members, is to be based on MERIT.

One and one half percent is not even going to put a dent in the cost of survival increases over the last year, but the idea of giving more to the best is a good way to keep the cream of the instructional crop teaching.

Teaching is the second hardest job in the world right after motherhood. While I won't talk about anybody's mom, I will confirm the rumor that some teachers are better than others. In fact I think it would be correct to mention that some teachers should seriously consider another profession besides teaching, please.

At the last college I attended one math professor's name never appeared in the schedule. She was always one of those "STAFF" instructors because she was known for covering fifty percent more material per quarter, and assigning homework in quantities that left no time for other class work, earning a living, or getting some sleep.

My questions surround how the merit of SCT's teaching faculty will be determined, and when will it be released to the public, mainly the students.

Faculty that work to improve the programs of instruction without actually teaching are important, and this should be considered as an element of faculty worth. Staff and advisory roles that are beneficial to the campus community should be used.

Future value to the college that only the Deans and fellow faculty could recognize will also have to be considered. Finally the students' opinions should be used in part to determine the MERIT value of our teachers.

Currently near the end of each quarter students complete a critique of the instructor and the material covered in their classes. The information is then used by the departments and teachers.

Access to the critique data is not offered to the student body at this time.

I have two basic beliefs when it comes to those evaluations done by the students: 1) they should be part

of the evaluation to determine the faculty's merit factor; and 2) they should be published and made available to the students.

Now I'm not trying to be the friend of the student and the foe of the teacher, just the editor of the paper pushing for the disclosure of information that would be very beneficial to its readers. What would be great is if disclosing this information forced parity of instruction.

Parity of like classes - in the amount of work assigned, the material covered, and the grading procedures.

Parity of instruction would mean that two students taking the same course taught by different instructors, exerting the same amount of work, with the same mental capabilities at test time would receive the same grade. Too many students have told me this is not true for me not to believe that we need standards here at SCT.

A student who gets all the cream instruction will walk out of here with a higher GPA than one who struggled through the milk despite the two being equal in knowledge. That is not fair to the milk student putting his record against the cream's when seeking employment!

Now the faculty senate will have to decide if we the students have the right to know without legal action. The merit of the instructors could possibly be found through the Freedom of Information Act by contacting the Internal Revenue Service for their tax records (Did they get a raise this year?) or by petitioning the Board of Regents. Both of these solutions present wandering through an overgrown lawn of red tape without so much as a pair of fingernail clippers.

The conclusions a student could derive of a teacher's instructional abilities derived solely from merit pay information would be inaccurate. To interpret the information we could compile from those records would be an injustice to both the teachers and students relying on the information. Justice will only be served by disclosure through a well conceived and thought out program, one that emphasizes the professors teaching ability.

So have your meeting and please give us the data we need and deserve; or else, leave it to the students to start their own professor analysis project like the one done by our big sister on North Ave.

Help Stamp Out Stereo-types

By Andrew Newton
Staff Temper

I vividly remember an incident during my very first quarter at Southern Tech: an incident that scarred me as the "Computer Jock" that sometimes people know me as.

It was a typical Southern Tech lunch in the Student Center, and there was no place to sit and enjoy a grease injection from the 4 Shooting Star SCT Cafeteria. I sought and found a lone soul devouring his tasties and inquired about my annoyance should I decide to perch myself upon a chair next to him and partake in my own culinary delights.

He showed the standard Southern Tech emotion, indifference, so I sat and ate. But fleeting seconds only passed when my new found acquaintance looked me square in the eye and said, "You must a Computer Science student."

"How can you tell?" I queried.

His response: "You're wearing glasses." Go figure!

So are technical students that bad? Is it true that we stick out like Spartans visiting Athens?

Well, it might be true, because we've all thought of stereo-types for other technical students at one time or another.

Construction and Civil students are always thought of as those guys that always wear blue jeans and flannel shirts. And Electrical students are easy to identify with their HP-48Million XL9K calculators equipped with Reverse Polish Notation, equation solving software, the Encyclopedia Britannica and a satellite tracking system to boot. And Architectural students....nope, best leave that one alone ifin' I have need for ma hide.

But if many of us fit in molds, then many of us also crack after baking in the kiln. To prove this point, take a look at a few of the Big Wooger turn-table operators. And even on a more serious note, it's rare that the Cultural Series has trouble getting a turn-out to this play or that symphony.

It would probably be a safe bet to say that technical students are really no different than any other calibre of scholar. After all, wouldn't it be expected of an English Literature student to spend many long hours in a library? So where's the shame in toting a T-square?

Stereo-types continued on 13

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CONSENSUS EDITORIAL Campus Forum Not a Personals Column

The Sting staff would like to point out what we believe to be misuse of the Campus Forum section of the paper. This section is meant to give students the opportunity to express their opinions on events or policies on this campus or to point out something that other students might find useful to know. This section is not meant to be a forum for personal gripes. While students are encouraged to express their opinions, those opinions should relate somehow to SCT or student life in general. If someone has does have a gripe against a person or an organization, they should feel free to comment, provided that it is not just a personal dislike of that person or organization.

TBS 2, Response #1

Dear Sting Editor:

The female opinion as stated in the last edition's TBS2 letter is not the opinion of most other female students on campus. As a group of females, we think that the males at SCT have been courteous, considerate, and thoughtful. In fact, most of the guys here do "treat [us] with respect," and "say hello when [they] see [us]." Oftentimes they also do "offer [their] help and expertise."

We also do not feel that we need to give the males here information and advice. We know that they are just fine as they are!

Sincerely,
Anonymous

Alarmed Student

Dear Sting.

I have a small complaint about this past Monday's tornado drill or tornado warning whatever you want to call it.

I was in class at the time the siren sounded. My professor looked out the window and saw a campus safety officer sounding an alarm and watching his watch. Because he was watching his watch, we decided it was a test. We were not notified it was not a test until thirty minutes later by a student. (A faculty member couldn't check the class rooms to notify classes of the importance of the situation.)

We were told to go to the Academic Building and wait.

Meanwhile, students were wondering around asking "Is my next class canceled?" If classes are canceled, for how long will they be canceled? When is it safe to go home?

My complaint is lack of organization. This was an emergency situation and no one had any clue as to what was happening. Perhaps this situation could have been more organized if faculty and students were of SCT emergency policy, if there is such a policy.

Sincerely,
A Disturbed Student.

Stereo-types

continued from 12

It really doesn't bother me that some mere stranger pegged me for the "Computer Jock" that I am, but I tend to be a little more critical of people making those judgements these days. My favorite response to my younger brother's "just like a tech student" attitude has always been, "At least I can't get credit for a class titled 'Math Appreciation.'"

The Sting: From Blunt Minds Come Blunt Objects.

TBS 2, Response #2

Dear Sting.

This letter is in response to the letter that Jessica Day wrote to the *Sting* in the April 30th edition. She says that us guys are still clueless about women, of course we are!! As a guy who has tried her approach I can speak for at least a few other men on campus and throughout the world. Jessica, your ideas don't always work!!! I have tried them and all I accomplished by using them is a lack of funds and sleepless nights. Not all women fall into your category of ideas in how to impress or "woo" them as you say. Most of the time it seems like the opposite tactics work on women. Like I said before I have tried your ideas, and now I surrender. You must remember we are talking about life, there are no set rules of ways to do things when it comes to people,

and relationships. What works for one person might not work for another person. That is the main reason guys are "clueless" as you say, we try but we must change our ways for each and every woman. This last point also holds true for the women on men, they must stop treating all guys as the same, we are as different as you. On the aspect of mutual interest, it also goes both ways, your letter seems to say that it is always the man who is at fault. Wrong answer!! Remember that in any type of relationship between two people that it goes both ways, it takes both of them to make it work or not work.

This letter is not meant to cause problems or hate and discontent between the sexes but to view a point about how things in the world are not simple and everyone is different and not all rules or ideas work for all.

Mackie M. Bowden

TBS 2, Response π

Dear Self Acclaimed Tech Bitch:

I think you're long overdue for some constructive woman-to-woman advise.

Giving guys do's and don'ts of dating doesn't cut it. You stated in your first "Don't" rule: "Do not tell a woman what to do, say, or wear" yet you turn around and are doing

exactly the same thing to the guys by trying to make them follow these silly rules.

If these rules are actually qualities you want in a man, look for a guy who already possesses those traits. You're wasting your time dishing out a freight load of rules because I guarantee it won't change a frog into a handsome prince. Look for the prince and forget about the frogs. If the

TBS 2, Response #3

Letter to the Editor:

I would like to thank Ms. Day for opening my eyes (not to mention a whole can of controversy) in the April 30 issue of *The Sting*. Several issues surrounding this article concern me.

First, the advice she gave is absolutely wonderful. Something she overlooked however, is that most guys already know this stuff. If you have to tell them, are they worth going out with (or at least old enough to read).

Second, the advice was given on "How not to get laid." If you want to be helpful, give some advice on "How TO get laid." I'm sure all of us clueless guys would welcome such insight.

Third, what is wrong with Ms. Day following her own advice. If not maybe she should get a clue that the guy is not interested. If not maybe she should investigate her

own list of clues.

Fourth, where does she get off stereo-typing all men on the Southern Tech Campus? If she has had bad experiences with SCT guys, please don't blame all guys on the campus. Some of us have plenty of clues but just aren't interested in the women on this campus. Not only are you pissing off the guys on campus, from what I've heard, you're making the ladies on campus pretty mad too.

In closing, I would like to say something to Ms. Day. If you are going to send in letters to the newspaper, kindly make them informative of at least entertaining. Leave a tender moment alone.

NUF SAID.

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Scott Kelly
Ronald Zepp

frogs want to change into a prince they will, if not, there's nothing you can do about it.

I do agree that every item you mention on your list is wonderful (except I personally find it much more gallant to be serenaded in public even if it is off key!), but certainly not if you have to beg your man to do these things for you. I die over and over again everytime I receive cards, smiles, po-

ems and flowers from a special guy and I don't even have to hint! Bottom line: Appreciate what you're given, but don't demand or expect it.

I strongly suggest you reconsider what you wrote in the last issue. You're making a fool of yourself, not to mention making the rest of us girls look bad.

Trischa Bode

Spring Fever '91

May 15

CAB - Take a Professor to Lunch

Noon, (Contact Kelly Hewitt - 7574)

May 16

Health Fair

10 am - 2 pm, Student Center

May 18

Bathtub Race

Morning Practice Begins 10 am

Spring Volleyball

Tournament

Starting at 11:30 am

8 Team Limit - Between Dorms

Trophies awarded to 1st and 2nd place

Bathtub Race

Afternoon Practice Begins 1:30 pm

Rookie Race - 3 pm

Cab Cookout

6 pm, Amphitheater

Reggae Concert

Featuring ONE DROP PLUS

7 pm, Amphitheater

May 19

Bathtub Race

Noon - Practice Begins

1 pm - Time Trials

2 pm - Parade Lap Begins

3 pm - First 40 Lap Heat

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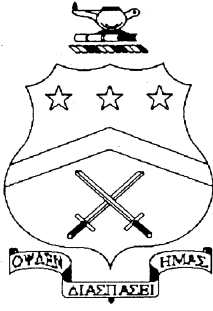
By Ralph Babb
#275

What a party!!!! The White Star Formal was the greatest. Everyone had a great time. This years awards given out at White Star include Brother of the year to David Reed; the Fraanz Kemp award and pledge of the year was Keese Sharp. The Athlete of the year went to Alan Johnson, just joking D.C. Mallet got it. The Toilet Bowl award this year went to the ever puking Scot Etheridge. Scot hopefully won't let his roommate and Sigma Nu alumni

Scott Slay wear the toilet seat that is given to represent the award, anymore next time he gets his head and arm stuck in it, it might have to be cut it off.

WARNING TO ALL GREEKS!!!! The Gamma Phi's are in charge of the chugging contest at Greek Week and their president, Scarlett Shipp, was caught testing a drink for it at White Star. The drink was Graveley's eye contacts chased with saline solution. Scarlett has not reported her eye sight becoming better yet.

The Softball team dropped it's first game but is still 3-1. The bathtub race is fast approaching and the Sigma Nu tubs of Bill Ethridge, Russ Hancock, and John Rogers are looking sharp.



Π Κ Φ

By: Ralph 'Kebler' Kern
EK# 124

Hi brothers and associates. This is the time of dropping classes. I hope all of you still have all of yours. I understand that Steve Brown may become an alumnus soon. I want to wish Steve well.

The next social events are as fol-

lows. Greek week is May 13 through the 18. The Pi Kapps attack Six Flags on May 19. Rose Ball is on May 25. May 26 brings the undergrad/alumni softball game. I hope you all attend. The alumni will lose this time. The Pi Kapp/Sigma Nu weekend was a success. I know we all had fun. The big bro/little bro weekend was a success Friday. Saturday turned out to be a training day for swimming.

Here is the thought of the Archon. This time Archon Turner's thought is "Damn! Why don't they put more room in these bikini briefs? I can feel my voice pitch rising."

Well, that is it and I'm out of here. Till next time remember: "Nothing shall ever tear us asunder".

ΓΦΒ

By Jan Lanese Donkar
Staff Gamma Phi

The Gamma Phi's are having a stupendous quarter. We have some new pledge sisters: Angie McCoy, Karen Bland, Carla Richardson, Jennifer Hightower, & Cristina Via. The sisters are excited that you have joined our sisterhood and we hope that your pledgship is the most it can be for you. The Gamma Phi's also have new sisters: Bess Knight, Jenny Carver, Linda Stanley, & Jill Woolridge. Congratulations!!!!!! We are racking up in numbers with great gals.

Watch out GREEKS, the Gamma Phi's are going to give you a run for your money this Greek week. We've got a secret!!!!!! Shshshshsh.....

Well, our new Gu Fu Buis Scarlett. She developed a new pair of eyes while attending the Sigma Nu formal. Interesting Scarlett, odd taste wouldn't you

say?

To the Lambda Chi's, the social was quite socially unacceptable!! We will never tell! The music was rad, the girls were hottttt, the guys were somewhere, and we danced till dawn. Let's do it again sometime!!!

The Gamma Phi's have a busy schedule this May. We will be having a bake sale at the bath tub race and our formal is May 31, and we have a sisterhood retreat and Sr. inductions in June. On top of these few things, may we get everything done!!!

Sister trivia:

1. Who likes the colors black and white and thinks ___ is morbid?
2. Who had a wreck and is happy?
3. What sister is so so so so so..... corresponding?
4. Who studies the most?
5. What sister finally knows how to say an adjective in one word?
6. What sister is a "Z"

The answers will be in the next issue, and if you guess them all there is a prize. But you have to be RIGHT! Signing off, until.

TKE

By Mad Dog
#329

The Tekes just came back from a WILD, WET, and JUICY, Ft. Walton (there is no beach there anymore, because we stole it) beach weekend. It started off at the wild western Waffle House on Franklin Rd. at 4 in the morning on Thursday. A great caravan of 8 cars proceeded south toward Cash's Island. Led by the stop-and-go group, with a flying rooster at the wheel. 67 thru a 20 MPH school zone will get you there in no time. Upon Arrival, the beach was the place to be! Where the hell is Jake? I think he rode with Bob. The time was right, the sun was IRIE, the women were oily, and All THE BEER WAS DAMN COLD (and then there were none). Well, to make a hell of a tale short, Sunshine showed us his window crashing technique, Patty didn't know where he was at, Has anyone seen Hound dog And

Kat? What about Bob? And where the hell is Jake? Hey Leon, did you invite that SECURITY GUARD? Ken Upchurch studied the effects of cross-breeding in the local D.Q. Somebody wake Doc up, it's only 5:30. Whose got my hat? Lamar, Lamar.....Did you say RALPH!!!! Our buddy Burrito demonstrated how to keep those marines on there toes, with a friendly suggestion from funnel-man Dottie Whit. Stanley, what's on your shirt? WHO SLEPT IN MY BED?And the fun will continue next year! (watch out for those sharks!)

BACK TO REALITY

Remember the blood drive, sponsored by TKE, it's a Greek week event !!! On May 24th, the Tekes will have our annual Spring Whing Dhing at Signature Place. Be there, there will be something new and different for everyone!

.....Not for Wealth, Rank, or Honor, but for Personal Worth and Character.....

Tau Kappa Epsilon
Xi Chi

P.S.- Wilma, You know it's true!!

LOG

By Jennifer Bige

Well it was rumored that certain staff members of *The Log* are involved in "Organization X." Well let me dispell these rumors by saying that I have no knowledge of such a vicious rumor and that even if I had this information, it would be classified.

The Log has just finished and mailed the student portrait section of the yearbook. This section consisted of 52 pages, bringing the yearbook 11 pages short of half way.

This year's book had a separate section for the Graduate students and the usual breakdown for the rest of the classes. If you folks were guilty enough to not have had new pictures

made, guess what. I put the old pictures in from last year's book. Notice to all faculty and staff, I am doing the same thing for your pictures.

Message to the organizations: I haven't received all the needed materials. If your group was supposed to turn things in you had better do it. I will cut pages I am running out of space.

The Log now wants to address the Budget Committee. I asked you to meet with me, over a week ago, so that we could discuss the proposed budget. So, what's the story? Guess I will see you today.

Folks, you are all invited to come in to the meetings on Tuesdays at 12:00, but don't come today because I will be at the SGA meeting. Or call 528-7303 if you have questions. Till the next time I have the urge to solicit, work that is. Take care.

ISA

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ASSOCIATION

The International Student Association sponsored a successful International Student Festival during TechFest. The food, entertainment, and exhibits were enjoyed by all.

Floor open for nominations of officers for '91- '92 at May 14th meeting.

Upcoming events:

May 14 - Luncheon by community Bible Church

May 20 - Fulbright Scholar from Taiwan

May 24 - Volleyball at Community Bible Church

May 25 - Tour of IBM

For additional information on upcoming events, see Charlotte Janis, International Student Advisor, Counseling Center.



By Tony Perez
V.P.o.S.C.T.C.K.I.

The Southern Tech Circle K Club has been involved with several activities on the campus and in the community. Techfest, which was held on March 27, was one of the major events we participated in. At Techfest, members of our club performed tasks ranging from putting up signs the night before to blowing up balloons to manning an information table. Although the weather on this day was less than desirable as it rained most of the day, Techfest received a lot of help from our members.

On the following Saturday, May 4, our club, along with members of other CKI clubs went to Six Flags, not to have fun, but to help lead a group of Special Olympians through the park. Handicapped people from all around the state and neighboring states attended Six Flags. Our job was to ensure that these groups remained together and to aid in helping them get on and off of rides. For most of us, supervising these groups lasted only part of the day. The rest of the day was free for us to roam the park and to ride whatever ride we jolly well pleased. Yes, this ended up to be fun after all.

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By R. Bennett II
Crash!

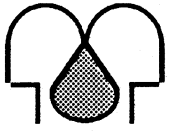
We would like to welcome all the military units back home from Kuwait, Saudi, and the Gulf. A special welcome home goes out to our brother Shane Pinyan who is attached to an artillery unit in Rome. Another welcome home to Scott our pledge who deals with

STINGER missiles, and he is also a Marine attached to a unit in Smyrna. Our prayers were with you the whole time for a safe return home.

The annual Active-Alumni softball game will take place Saturday afternoon before our formal, Orchid Ball. The game will be played on the Southern Tech Baseball Field.

Congratulations to Eric, Stan, Mike, Brad, and all the other baseball players for making the play-offs. We wish you good luck and good weather in Florida.

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Intramurals are Reborn During Spring Quarter



By Dale Donovan
Sports Writer

It's the middle of the quarter and all is well down at the Recreational Sports department. No major changes in the program are planned until young Karl is born, but here are a few of the minor ones so far this quarter.

Aerobics classes will be moved to Mondays and Wednesdays from 5:00pm to 6:15pm. Classes will still meet at their regular place in the gym.

Starting dates for indoor whiffle ball and the golf tournament have been changed. Karl Staber has delayed the games until the end of May. Interested students should keep an eye out on campus for posters announcing when the events will be rescheduled.

There is a tentative date for the rafting trip. The new date is Sunday, June 9.

There are no changes in all the other Spring intramural events. Tennis singles are now under way. Players contact other players and set up their own matches. Beach vol-



These volleyball players look on in confusion as a softball comes sailing in from the picture on the other side of this page. -Photo by Bill Finnick

leyball is in full swing between the dorms Monday through Thursday afternoons, weather permitting.

Softball is in full swing. A tournament is about to start to determine who will represent SCT in the State Championships. As of May 8 the Syndicate in League A is 4-0 and is playing the best ball currently. BSU #1 is 3-0 to lead league B.

The Recreational sports department also has camping equipment for rent. Tents are \$2 for 4-6 person sizes and \$1.50 for the more intimate 2-3 person package. Backpacks are \$1 and daypacks go for 50 cents. Stoves are \$1 and large and small lanterns can be had for \$1 and 75 cents respectively. All prices are per day.

For answers to all your fun questions call Karl Staber at 528-7349.

The Recreational sports de-

In a freak sports-photography accident, this girl mistakenly hits a softball into the picture on the other side of this page. -Photo by Bill Finnick

10SNE1

By Yancey McCalla
ZEN JOURNALISM

The Southern College of Technology Tennis Team finished its season last week with a 13-3 record; a performance which may be hard for coach Lee Tucker to repeat next year with the loss of his number-one player Angel DelValle, who graduates this year. Senior Mike Love will also need to be replaced with someone capable of a 12-3 season, if the team is going to be as competitive in the upcoming season.

In doubles, Angel DelValle teamed up with Chris Hebbard for a 13-3 season as team one. Team two consisted of John Feltman and Milly Chamdari, who also had a 13-3 season. Mike Love, Brian Gilly, Jay Pate and Allen Dorsey alternated as team three with a 12-4 season.

Milly Chamdani is a female in a mans league because SCT does

not have a woman's team. The gender of the league didn't bother her as she went 13-3 this season.

La Grange, Georgia Southwestern, Brewton Parker and Oglethorpe College all fell to the Hornets with 9-0 final scores. North Georgia College felt the sting twice with 9-0 matches. Embry Riddle was the closest match with a 6-3 final score.

The team's three loses came from matches with Shorter (8-1), Georgia (9-0), and Barry (9-0)

Anyone wishing to play on the tennis team next season should get in touch with Coach Tucker, who can be reached in the physics department. Regular practice sessions are not scheduled until winter quarter, but coach Tucker would like all interested people to meet with him by early fall quarter. This will give you a chance to meet the other players and schedule your own practice games.

Tennis Statistics

Position/ Team Member	Class	Season Record	Score vs Embry Riddle	Score vs Embry Riddle	Score vs Embry Riddle
1/Angel DelValle	Sr.	12-3	7-6	7-5	win
2/Chris Hebbard	Jr.	11-3	6-4	6-1	loss
3/John Feltman	Jr.	12-4	6-3	6-4	loss
4/Emilia Chamdari	Fr.	13-3	7-5	6-4	win
5/Mike Love	Sr.	12-3	6-0	7-6	win
6/Brian Gilly	So.	12-2	6-0	6-3	win

The chart is a list of each team members record along with their score against Embry Riddle, who coach Tucker feels gave the team its hardest earned victory of the season.

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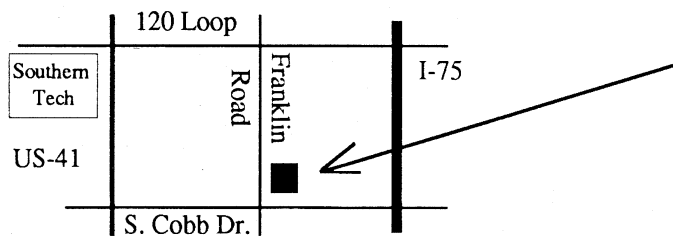
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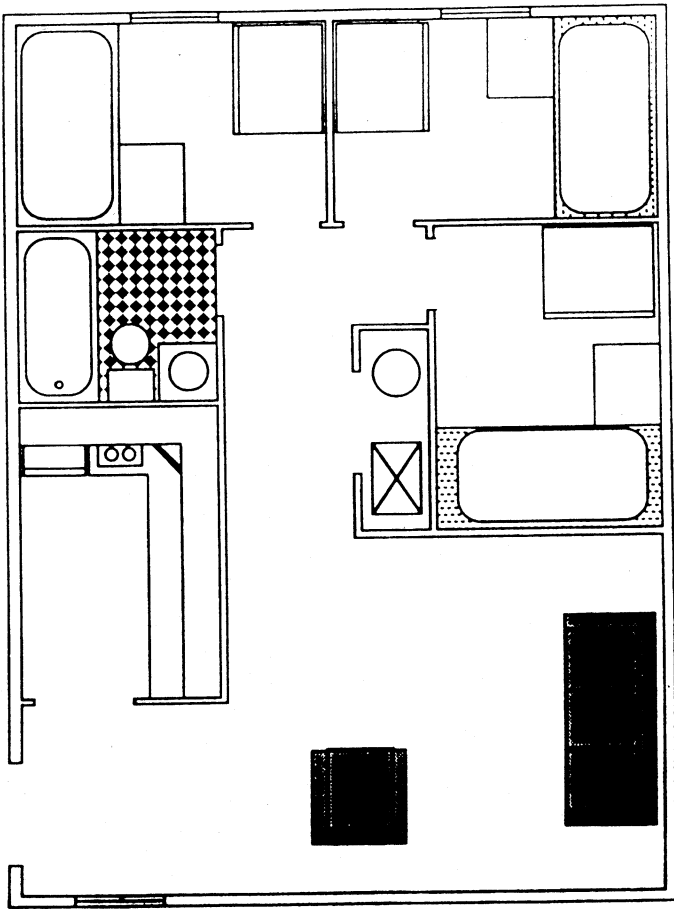
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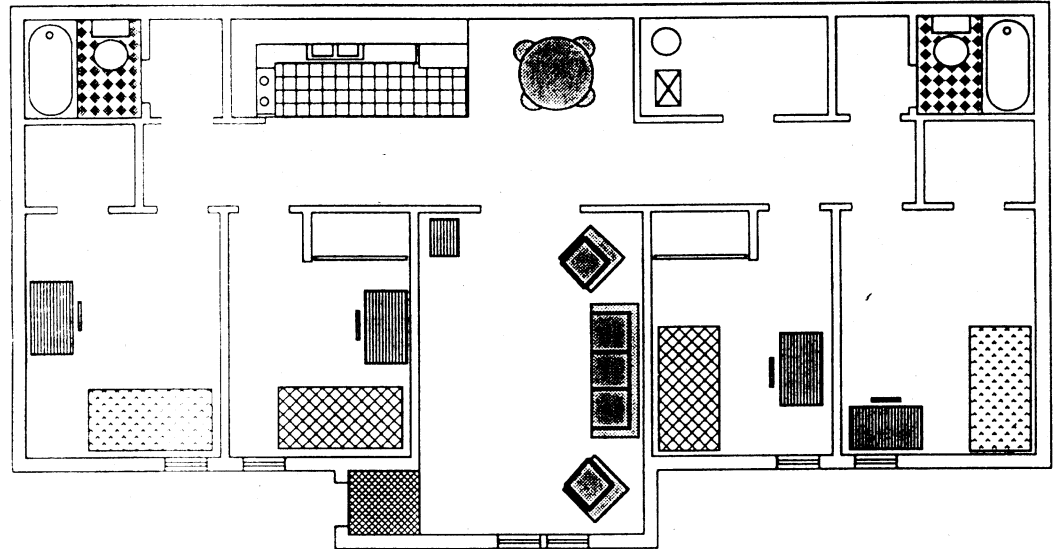


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