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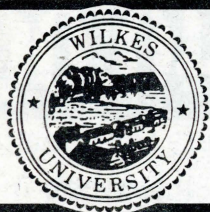
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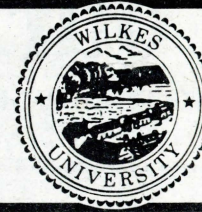
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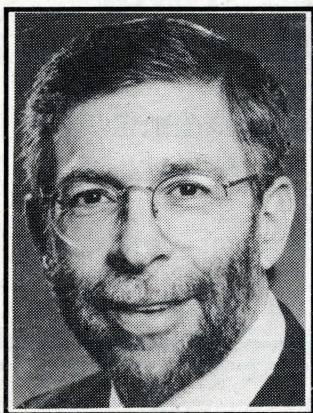


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Local Rabbi to introduce abortion film



Rabbi James R. Michaels

By **ERIC FREELAND**
Beacon Staff Writer

Abortion is a hot topic in America today. People are either pro-life or pro-choice. In many cases, people feel strongly about the issue and are willing to put themselves on the line for what they believe. This is the case for former New York state

senator George M. Michaels, and is the topic of "From Dangers to Dignity: The Fight for Safe Abortion."

"From Dangers to Dignity: The Fight for Safe Abortion" is a documentary film by Academy Award nominated filmmaker, Dorothy Fadiman. The film chronicles the abortion rights movement in the United states. Fadiman was a victim of an unsafe abortion in 1962. The film's showing is on Thursday, March 28, at 7 pm in COB 107.

A little over 26 years ago, it was illegal for a woman to have an abortion. If they had one, it was done in secrecy. In most cases, it was done improperly and left many medical complications after the procedure.

In 1970, the New York state Assembly overturned the

abortion ban and made it legal. This decision sparked other states to change abortion laws and was the foreshadower of *Roe v. Wade*.

One man who was instrumental in making this decision was George M. Michaels, a Democratic senator from upstate New York. Michaels cast the deciding vote which legalized abortion in his state and, at the same time, terminated his political career.

His son, Rabbi James Michaels of Temple Israel, Wilkes-Barre, will be at the film to introduce its Pennsylvania premiere. After its showing, he will answer the audience's questions.

According to Michaels, his father was originally going to vote against New York's legalized abortion bill. Senator

Michaels was going to do this for political reasons, even though he believed the bill should pass.

However, when he learned that his vote would be the deciding one, Michaels reconsidered and voted for passage. By doing this, Michaels broke political ties, and ended his political career.

"My father's decision reflected a long series of conversations my family had with my father," says Rabbi Michaels. "When he cast his vote, he said, what was the use of getting elected to something, if you do not stand for something."

Senator Michaels said this because his son convinced him that abortions should be legal after witnessing people in poor areas suffering from complications from illegal abortions.

Dr. Nancy McKinely, lecturer of English and Women's Studies, says that this is an excellent way for students to become aware of the conditions women faced 20 to 30 years ago.

"The documentary takes the historical perspective and is geared to make people aware," says McKinely. "It is not meant to be a political statement."

Thursday's film is sponsored by Wilkes University's Women's Studies Committee and Planned Parenthood of Northeast Pennsylvania. It is part of the month-long celebration of Women's history Month and Planned Parenthood's 70 years in Luzerne County.

Computer survey has surprising results

By **TONI ODEN**
Beacon News Editor

If you've been to a Wilkes computer lab lately, you may have been one of the many individuals dissatisfied with the whole experience.

Over the past few years, students and faculty have noticed a general decline in the quality of the computer labs, software applications, and a lack of trained, qualified lab attendants.

"The students pay their tuition, but yet services in

return are less than satisfactory, especially in the area of computers," said Dr. Ronald Schwartz of the Business and Economics Department. "The school made a commitment to technology, now they have to make a commitment to the students."

These observations and a statistics homework assignment led to the distribution of a student computer survey by Lucia Niero, a Wilkes student, and Dr. Schwartz. The results mostly reflected the same concerns, the main one being that the lab attendants are not properly trained to work in the

labs.

Many students wonder why the attendants are even present if they won't, or can't, answer questions. Often, the attendants are too engrossed in their own homework to help out another student, and they assume that everyone already knows the basic applications.

Dr. Schwartz pointed out that for someone to work in the lab they must realize that helping students should be the number one priority and homework should come second. But, the fault is not entirely that of the lab attendants. It is also the

school's responsibility to see that the workers are trained and qualified to work in the lab.

Another problem is the lack of documentation available for students. The old computer labs in SLC had manuals for the software programs, but the new COB labs have nothing like this. In an over-crowded lab, you have to fend for yourself when trying to figure out a problem.

"Years ago, the School of Business had a self dedicated computer lab in Fortinsky Hall, but in the past few years, that has gone 180 degrees in the opposite direction," said Dr. Schwartz. "The School of

Business no longer supports computer labs for its students."

Printing also seems to represent a big problem among students. The printers in the COB labs are always getting jammed, especially towards the end of the semester when the labs are crowded. Most students surveyed felt that if there were more available open lab hours this problem would not be so frequent. They also

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Course schedule to be enhanced

By **STEPHANIE MOYER**
Beacon Staff Writer

Students at Wilkes University in the summer and fall of 1996 will have an exciting and challenging opportunity to take to new courses offered by the Communication Department's most recent addition, Assistant Professor Bob Armstrong.

The Television Performance Seminar will give students a unique opportunity to explore what it takes to be an "on air" television personality.

Presentation skills within news and advertising, writing skills, and understanding of current events will also be discussed.

"Stress will be placed on live skills and developing a broadcast look and voice," said Armstrong. "Students will write, plan, and produce their own copy ultimately ending with a relevant thirty minute newscast after several sessions of extensive critique."

Students who enroll in this course will also work on ad libs and perform in a music video.

Anyone interested should sign up as soon as possible, since only one section will be offered, with a 15 person maximum enrollment.

During the fall 1996 term, Television Programming and Promotions will also be offered. This course is primarily designed to examine the many decisions that go into determining what is shown on local and national television.

While the course is not a production course, students will learn more about their favorite shows and on what factors their survival depends. Mergers, acquisitions, and

deregulation, as well as local affiliates, independents, non commercial TV, radio, and cable broadcasting will be discussed.

Although the two courses may appear to be only for communications majors, Armstrong encourages anyone with an interest in them to enroll.

For more information about either course contact Professor Armstrong at 831-4165 or send an e-mail to armstron@wilkes1.wilkes.edu.

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•**ASSAULT AND BATTERY:** On February 20, 1996 at 2:45 pm a complaint of assault and battery to a former Wilkes University was reported. The incident occurred in front of Evans Hall.

•**THEFT:** On February 21, 1996 sometime after 1:00 pm, a student's wallet was stolen from her book bag during a class on the second floor of COB. The wallet contained \$50, I.D., and credit cards.

•**TRESPASSING/ POSSIBLY BURGLARY AND THEFT:** In the pm hours of February 21, 1996 a party was held at an off campus apartment, which four Wilkes students attended. Reported stolen from the residence are: a 13 inch TV., a VCR, and a portable stereo.

•**THEFT:** On February 21, 1996 at 1:45 am, it was reported that a carton of Basic cigarettes was stolen from a room in Priapus Hall in Pickering.

•**INSTITUTIONAL VANDALISM:** While making a security check on February 22, 1996 at 10:00 pm, a security officer discovered a hole had been punched in the wall by the pay telephone in Priapus Hall in Pickering.

•**TRESPASSING:** On February 22, 1996 between 5:00 pm and 7:30 pm two individuals who are restricted from entering Warner Hall were observed in the hallway of that building.

•**INSTITUTIONAL VANDALISM:** On February 24, 1996 between 8:45 pm and 9:30 pm students used force to remove the "School of Business, Society, and Public Policy" sign that stands in front of COB. There was minimal damage that has been repaired.

•**BURGLARY:** On February 26, 1996 a dorm student from Roosevelt Hall in Pickering left his room at 2:00 pm to go eat. Upon his return, he found that his room had been ransacked. Items missing included: 3 tapes, 4 CD's and a \$10 bill.

•**THEFT:** Sometime between 9:30 pm on February 29, 1996 and 7:00 am on March 1, 1996, a VCR and various compact discs were stolen from the second floor of Evans Hall. The items are valued at \$295.

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Security Corner.

SURVEY

questioned the fact that there are so many labs in COB that are locked and restricted from student use, even when there are no scheduled classes in the room.

"The school should consider hiring a Vice President of Technology that will deal with the issues of the future," said Dr. Schwartz. "Very few wise decisions are presently being made with both the faculty and students in mind."

Many comments have been made to the appropriate deans, but the situation is not getting any better. The problems will only keep compounding themselves if the administration keeps looking the other way.

"Technology right now has become a basic thing," said Niero. "Students should be able to access it."

The computer survey and this article are meant only as a means of constructive criticism. The survey results will be printed at a later date.

Escort Service

The Wilkes University Security Department will provide a "vehicle escort" service beginning on March 28, 1996 between the hours of 4:45 pm to 6:00 am daily. The vehicle is a four wheel Cushman Tram, capable of transporting five passengers on each trip.

This service will be available to all members of the Wilkes Community upon request. Escorts can be arranged by contacting Security at Extension 4999. An example of this service may be the transporting of persons to the Park and Lock Garage on South Main Street from various locations on campus.

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Security Corner

•**DISORDERLY CONDUCT:** On March 1, 1996 at 3:30 am, an altercation between students occurred on the 3rd floor of Evans Hall.

•**VANDALISM:** Between March 1 and March 10, 1996, a room in Evans Hall was vandalized.

•**ACCIDENT (University Property Damage):** On March 2, 1996 at 3:45 pm, a tour bus from a visiting basketball team damaged the intercom and I.D. card reader in the Student Services parking lot.

•**SUSPICIOUS PERSON/ LOITERING:** On March 6, 1996 at 6:45 pm, a security officer noticed a suspicious person loitering on the 1st floor of SLC. Nothing has been reported as missing.

•**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF:** On March 11, 1996 at 2:00 pm, a pellet or BB gun was used to damage windshields in the parking lot of the ABM building.

•**VEHICLE DAMAGE:** Sometime between March 13 and March 14, 1996 a vehicle struck the left front driver's side of a parked car in the Evans parking lot. The individual responsible fled the area.

•**CRIMINAL MISCHIEF (Accidental):** On March 16, 1996 at 10:30 pm, individuals were throwing snowballs outside the Dorothy Dickson Dart Center. One contained a rock which cracked a window of the building.

•**THEFT:** On March 16, 1996 between 12:30 pm and 3:00 pm, a wallet and its contents, plus \$20 in cash, was stolen from the basement of COB.

•**FALSE ALARM:** On March 17, 1996 the fire alarm of Slocum Hall was malfunctioning and would not reset.

•**MALFUNCTIONING PARKING GATE:** On March 18, 1996 at 4:45 pm, the parking gate in the Student Services parking lot malfunctioned and damaged the hood of a vehicle trying to pass through it.

•**THEFT:** On March 19, 1996 between 7:00 pm and 9:00 pm, a \$50 bill was stolen from a purse on the 2nd floor of Conygham hall.

•**MISCELLANEOUS:** On either March 21 or March 22, 1996, an unknown person defecated on the sink, counter, and floor of the men's room in the basement of the Farley Library.

CRIMINAL ACTIVITY REPORTING EXTENSION

All students are reminded that the C.A.R.E. line is available 24 hours a day by dialing C-A-R-E (2273) from a campus extension phone or 831-5000 ext. 2273. This hotline is used to report crimes or other mischievous occurrences on or around campus, and the caller will remain anonymous. (Remember that the C.A.R.E. line can be used to report information about crimes listed in the "Security Corner".)

New experiences aren't always so bad

Sometimes familiarity is a good thing. Like the cozy sound of someone's voice on the phone that you know all too well. Or the taste of fresh watermelon on a warm summer's day. But like these things that become so customary throughout your life, there also lies many mysteries and events that you must seek out and explore. If not for enjoyment, the well-roundedness the experience provides will later be a great asset.

I was forced into this type of situation last Tuesday. Not by my choice, I visited the Wyoming Historical and Geological Society on South Franklin Street for my Feature Writing class. Myself, along with two other class members were instructed to travel throughout the museum and in a 400-500 word feature piece, describe how we viewed the experience.

In my initial impression, I was quite disappointed in the overall decor. With all due respect, the main room's open space was quite extensive. But due to the spatial design of how the artifacts were placed, my visit left me guessing that the museum has a far road ahead before it can come close to comparing to The Smithsonian.

Yet bashing the museum was not the point of my visit or of this editorial. After allowing myself adequate time to take in everything else the museum had to offer, I actually found myself enjoying my "forced" visit.

Without pausing to stare at one specific display for too long, I began to notice what interesting artifacts the museum held. While the first floor held artifacts dating back to the 18th century, the second floor's decoration revolves around the Native Americans existence and their affects on this area. What I found intrigued me the most was the bottom floor, which contained a full display of the coal mining era and its progress from the early stages of development to its final decomposition.

From the giant size green and black marble wall clock to the run-down sword, canteen and hat of Colonel R. Bruce Ricketts, native of Wilkes-Barre and First Lieutenant in the Civil War, I found that here in the midst of this renovated museum, lies an interesting part of the Valley's past, that seems to be all too often taken for granted or forgotten.

For example, how many of you know the whereabouts of the museum? Furthermore, how many of you even knew it ever existed?

To be perfectly honest with you, in my three years at Wilkes, I've probably passed it on my way to Boscov's over 100 times and until my class traveling trip this past Tuesday, I myself was unaware of its presence.

But, you know, I realize now that I was missing out on something important. While I may have been initially disappointed in the museum, I found that without that experience I would still be unaware of the many interesting places I still have yet to visit.

I have always been taught that to become a more knowledgeable individual each and every day you should be willing to take in something new. Whether it be a new word, food choice or an hour of your time to take a trip to Wilkes-Barre's museum, it can't hurt to become familiar with something you hardly even knew existed. Well-roundedness is a good thing and an unfamiliar situation may sometimes even prove rewarding.

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Idle Chatter *with Michael Butchko*

"I'd like to get some sleep before I travel; but if you've got a warrant, I guess you're gonna come in."

The Chatter fights the law this week, as we can safely assume the law will win. There are many issues of politics and jurisprudence that we can address, and with only three *Beacon's* remaining, this one will cover the practical, worldly matters, while the last two will be reserved for a farewell, thank you, and adieu theme.

The Grateful Dead are not exactly a Chatter favorite, but this column does not discriminate against music of any kind. As we go "Truckin'" along the political and judicial landscape, we notice a great deal of weird occurrences, which can only mean one thing: **it's a Presidential election year!**"

The warrant reference from "Truckin'" refers to the controversial judicial decision by U.S. District Judge Harold Baer, Jr., of New York. Baer threw out as evidence 80 pounds of cocaine, because he decided that police had no cause to pull over a vehicle which they suspected to be a "drug drop." Baer has been criticized by New York Governor George Pataki, and Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich. But then President Clinton, through his press secretary, threatened Judge Baer that he should reconsider his decision, because the President (a.k.a. the Judicial Fairy) is in revoking mode.

What's wrong with this picture, you ask? In the first place, everyone is acting so surprised about Baer's ruling, and how it limits the scope of police authority. Judge Baer's decision, we're told, is based upon the corruption of police in Washington Heights, which means that fleeing a police vehicle is no longer suspicious. What is suspicious activity? Shooting at cops? Running them over? "Your honor, my client had an aversion to cops on bikes, and just because he ran one over a few times, that is not behavior which would call for a stop and seizure of my client." Welcome to the Empire State, where you can only make left turns, and Michael Dukakis is still considered the guy in the Oval Office before "Our Boy Bill."

One would expect Republicans (considered the Fourth Reich in New York) to be aghast at any decision which limits police power. One would further expect the Republicans to make an issue of Clinton's questionable federal judge appointments. That's politics, and, to review here, boys and girls, this is an election year.

But the most troubling issue to this columnist lies with William Jefferson Clinton. Clinton will probably be the last person called on the Chatter's carpet, and this time, the Zenmaster is ticked. Rather than defend his appointee, or even take the aloof stance of refusing to comment on the judicial branch because it is none of his business, he sends one of his lackeys out to threaten an unpopular decision. This man has done nothing but rule by opinion poll since he took office, as he tries to placate everyone and avoid all controversial issues. Clinton is pro-children pro-sunlight, pro-puppies. But where's the substance, man?

If Judge Baer wants to make a statement, he should send a two-line fax to our friend Bill: "Cheese off, and get out!" If the prosecution wants to appeal the decision, go ahead. That is the system, and like the good little boys and girls we are, we should follow it. Clinton's strong-arm tactics prove that he has no idea what a sitting president should and should not do. The fact that he used a mouthpiece to deliver it also proves that he has no chutzpah. Now the White House denies any attempt to intimidate Baer, reinforcing their fatal flaw: no accountability.

Gutless, blameless, whining, weaseling; could this election be called, "It's your character, stupid!" Or lack thereof. How about Bob Dole, or Orioles third baseman Bobby Bonilla, or *Simpsons* character "Sideshow Bob," or Beach Boys subject "Bob-Bob-Bob, Bob-Barbara Ann?" Ask them where they stand, and they'll tell you. Dole will refer to himself in the third person, but that's another issue altogether.

That's all for now. Enjoy your break, and we'll chat again in a few weeks.

GIMME' THREE CHEERS FOR WILKES

Cheerleading tryouts will be held the week of April 14th. Practice sessions are as follows: April 14 3-5 pm; actual tryouts are April 18 at a sessions will be held in the Center. Both males and mascot position is also sent to camp at Rutgers on August 10-13, all expenses fund. If you have any questions Campus Employment Office,



April 15-16-17 5-7 pm. The time to be announced. All Wrestling room of the Marts females are welcome. A available. This mascot will be University, Piscataway, N.J., paid by the Cheerleading contact Cheryl Gibson at the 831-4347.

Astute Observations *with John-Erik Koslosky*

During his first three months as mayor of Wilkes-Barre, Tom McGroarty has managed to seize more television air time than Pete Yaksick.

For a time, it seemed that McGroarty was on almost every local newscast.

McGroarty supervised snow removal crews during the Blizzard of '96. He sandbagged the banks of the Susquehanna during the January 19 flood. He chatted with our country's President — thrice.

McGroarty certainly has given locals (Wilkes students inclusive) more than enough reason to regularly read the local news.

But not all stories have shown the 33-year-old mayor in such a positive light.

Some left residents questioning his policies and ethics. Others left residents questioning his sanity.

But no one can argue that McGroarty has failed to provide entertainment.

The comic strips often pale in comedic comparison with news stories reporting McGroarty's often outrageous antics.

Stories of McGroarty's capers date back five years when then-Mayor Lee Namey reprimanded McGroarty, then a City Council member, for riding atop a fire truck en route to a blaze.

Following are a few of the more humorous news stories about McGroarty appearing since he was elected mayor of Wilkes-Barre:

- The surprise post-midnight oath of office on January that ended former Mayor Lee Namey's term a day earlier than he expected. Namey showed up for work that morning and received a memo informing him he no longer held an office in the city.

- The high-priced Valentine's Day party the mayor threw for city employees. McGroarty had originally planned to pay the more than \$4,000 bill from city coffers, but after receiving criticism he decided to foot much of the bill from his own pocket.

- McGroarty's capture of two juveniles, who the mayor said he saw in a stolen Rider truck traveling down a city street and crashing into a snow bank. One of the juvenile's attorneys said McGroarty snagged the wrong kid. The mayor said he was able to identify the two youths by the light of the moon.

- City workers claimed they saw a state trooper stop the mayor on Wilkes-Barre Boulevard after the mayor blasted the police siren in his blue Chevy Caprice in an attempt to move through traffic. McGroarty denied using the siren and said the trooper pulled him over to discuss a dog show at Kirby Park.

But despite these tales of borderline lunacy, McGroarty is due some credit. He seems to be genuinely sincere about resurrecting the downtown and has more than a few ideas.

The mayor has laid plans to sweep the city streets clean of both grime and crime. He has vowed to take the city back "street by street."

He had the street sweepers refurbished. And he's putting more cops on the street. He wants to rid the streets of graffiti, drugs and prostitution. And most recently, he announced the resuscitation of a four-year-old plan to revitalize the city's downtown — a plan McGroarty said Namey unwisely shelved.

McGroarty has given everyone reason to pay attention to what's happening around town. His first three months have been both comically turbulent and queerly productive.

I can't wait to find out what he has in store for the next 45.

Guest Commentary

with Dr. Anthony Liuzzo, Associate Professor of Business and Economics

As an economist, I am asked with some frequency to make projections of important numbers relating to the economy. How high will the Dow go? What will Alan Greenspan's next move be with respect to interest rates? Will inflation make a comeback? I know how difficult it is to predict the future- and I have had to clean egg from my face on more than one occasion.

But - why can't the meteorologists ever get it right? Why does it rain whenever I wash my car and why does the sun shine while I'm toting my umbrella? I never really understood the difference between a low and high and I invariably get the weather trivia question wrong. Reports of the wind chill factor during the winter simply induce an elevated level of shivering and data relating to the temperature/humidity index during the summer merely increase the flow of perspiration.

Nonetheless, I must confess that I am a bit of a weather junkie. So, just for fun, I decided to test our three great local weather predictors, the networks, to see just how right or wrong they could be. I must be candid and admit that the test was not scientific, in that I did not take a random sample, nor did I measure my results for validity or reliability. I did not test predictions for precipitation, nor the forms that such would take, since it's difficult to measure the accuracy of a three to eight inch snowfall projection. Further, I ignored all references to partly cloudy, some sun, and mostly fair, since I do not understand the subtle distinctions among these terms. I simply made note of the three networks' forecasts relating to the high temperature for several days and compared these to the actual high temperatures, as the networks themselves reported. The results were somewhat interesting.

Out in the backyard, they predicted fairly well for one day at a time. In fact, for the sample period, they were only off by an average of about three degrees, most often understanding the actual temperature. As might be expected, their predictions were less accurate, the further they tried to project - averaging five degrees off for two to three days into the future and six degrees off for four days.

The guys and gals predicting weather on the rooftop did not fair too well. Their predicted highs deviated from actual highs by an average of six full degrees, irrespective of whether it was one, two, three or four days into the future. But, I do give them high marks for at least being consistently wrong.

How about the "power of earthwatch?" Once again, they missed the mark, this time by an average of five degrees for tomorrow's weather. But, then, an interesting twist. They were seven degrees off for two days in the future, only six degrees off for three days into the future, and a mere five degrees off for four days into the future. Perhaps being farsighted helps when watching the earth.

My own method of weather prediction is quite simple. I use no computers, am not in touch with the National Weather Service and in fact, do not even own a weather vane. I simply predict that the high temperature for tomorrow will be identical to today's high temperature. Using this methodology, I was only off by an average of five degrees for the period in question.

That's not too shabby- even for an economist!

Wilkes alumni — a link for our future

By MEMBERS OF THE STUDENT-ALUMNI COMMITTEE

Special to the Beacon

As a student in college, it is often a challenge for each and every one of us to make it through our college career without the help of various support services offered at Wilkes.

Whether it is our faculty advisor helping to arrange our class schedules or the writing center helping to improve our writing skills, it is encouraging to know that we can rely on these services to guide us. There is now another very important service students can rely on to guide and help them.

The Student-Alumni Committee, a committee of Wilkes University Student Government, in cooperation with the Wilkes Alumni Association, has been hard at work this semester. We are proud to announce a newly formed link between the students and the alumni, the Alumni Mentorship Program.

What exactly is a mentor you might ask? A mentor in this program is actually a link between the students and the real world. Mentors are Wilkes alumni who have volunteered their time to help current students at Wilkes. They have agreed to serve as a contact in the working world with whom you may discuss a particular career you are interested in, or maybe even the major you have chosen.

The Alumni Mentoring Directory contains names of alumni in various and diverse professions. Our committee's goal is to help reach out to alumni across the country and get more involved in this program.

The mentor you choose and the experience you have is all up to you! You make what you want out of it!

It is important to remember that the Alumni Mentorship Program does not guarantee a job or an internship position for students. The program does, however, provide a way for students to network and make initial contacts with alumni who have already traveled the same career path. We are proud to say that many of our alumni have secured impressive professional statuses in their respective careers, and many of them are willing to help you, if you make the effort. The process for you the students is really quite simple.

The first step a student should take in order to find a mentor of their choice, is to go and see his or her faculty advisor. Each faculty advisor will have an abridged version of the Alumni Mentoring Directory Mentor. Information such as major, occupation and location will be accessible for student viewing.

Once the mentor has been selected, the student can then take the mentor's name to the Alumni House (the old-looking brown house between Stark Learning Center and Conyngham Center), where the dedicated staff will help make the initial contact between the student and mentor. After the contact has been established, the rest is up to the student.

This is a tremendous opportunity for students to take advantage. Students can gain both insight and experience regarding their particular field of interest. Also, a program such as this can give you an edge as you prepare to enter the competitive job world.

If you want that extra edge, take advantage of this opportunity and inquire about the mentoring program. It can help you in the present and more importantly in the future. Be sure to stop in and see your academic advisor soon!

Attention Off-Campus Students

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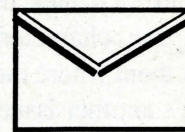
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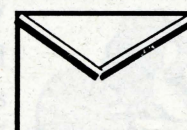


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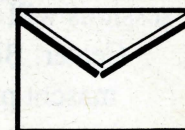
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Scholarship information

SARA CATHERINE FORD ADULT LEARNER SCHOLARSHIP

• Wilkes University announces the availability of applications for the Sarah Catherine Ford Adult Learner Scholarship. This scholarship is awarded to an outstanding adult learner who has earned at least a 3.0 GPA while enrolled as a full-time degree student at Wilkes. Students from any major may apply. An "Adult Learner" is defined as a full-time degree student who graduated, or left, high school at least seven years prior to the date of application for this scholarship. Applicants must (1) complete an application form; (2) submit a typed 250-500 word essay on how this scholarship will be used to advance their personal; and/ or career goals; and (3) submit one letter of recommendation from a non-family member who is in a position to comment on the applicant's likelihood for success as a student and contributing member of society. Applications are available at the Financial Aid Office, third floor, Student Service Building. *Deadline for submission of application is April 1, 1996.*

WESTSIDE KINGSTON & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

• The Westside Kingston BPW is seeking candidates for its annual scholarship. The recipient of this \$300 scholarship must be a resident of the west side area of Wyoming Valley, be in their junior year of college, be enrolled in a business or professional program, have a minimum GPA of 3.0, show financial need, and be an active participant in school related and/ or community projects. Applications are available at the Financial Aid Office, third floor, Student Services Building. *Application deadline is April 1, 1996.*

AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP WYOMING VALLEY CHAPTER

• The Wyoming Valley Chapter of the American Business Women's Association is accepting applications from qualified candidates for their annual scholarship. Although the amount for the 1996-1997 has not yet been established, the scholarship usually ranges from \$500 to \$1000. Basic qualifications are: candidates must be a woman seeking a business or professional career; must have financial need; and must be in good scholastic standing. Applications are available at the Financial Aid Office, third floor, Student Services Building. *Application deadline is April 6, 1996.*

PENNSYLVANIA FEDERATION OF DEMOCRATIC WOMEN, INC. SCHOLARSHIP

• The Pennsylvania Federation of Democratic Women, Inc. are offering four scholarships of \$750 each. Candidates must be Pennsylvania women students in the Junior class of an accredited college or university; must be interested in making a career in politics or government or must be preparing to teach government, economics, history or an allied field and must possess a Democratic family background Party. Applications are available at the Financial Aid Office, third floor, Student Services Building. *Application deadline is April 12, 1996.*

LACKAWANNA COUNTY FEDERATION OF DEMOCRATIC WOMEN

• The Lackawanna County Federation of Democratic Women has announced the availability of a \$500 scholarship to be given to a qualified female junior or senior. The applicant should be an active registered democrat of Lackawanna County studying Political Science, Women's Issues, Public Management, Criminal Justice, History, Economics, or related fields. The applicant must be a female in the sophomore or junior year of college. Applications are available at the Financial Aid office, third floor, Student Services Building. *Application deadline is April 30, 1996.*

Wilkes University's 2nd annual

BLOCK PARTY

- April 27 on the greenway from 1-7 pm
- Free admission
- Ticket sales for games go on sale April 9 — \$3 in advance and \$5 day of block party
- Battle of the Bands
- Beer Tent

Upcoming Events for the week of March 28 through April 4

Thursday, March 28

- S-ball- Misericordia, 3 pm (A)
- Golf- @ Scranton with Misericordia
- SOPHOMORE REGISTRATION
- A-E 8:30 am- 4:30 pm

Friday, March 29

- Spring Fever Dinner Dance, 6pm- 1am, Genetti's

Saturday, March 30

- S-ball- Moravian, 1 pm (H)
- B-ball- FDU Madison, 1pm (A)- DH
- Tennis- FDU Madison, 1 pm (A)
- Ballet "Cinderella," 8 pm
- M.E.N.C. bus trip to Philadelphia Orchestra Concert

Sunday, March 31

- Ballet- "Cinderella," 2 pm
- The Home Show- Coal St. Park, 10 am- 1 pm

Monday, April 1

- April Fool's Day
- S-ball- Albright, 3 pm (A)
- B-ball- Moravian, 3 pm (A)
- James Harrington Organ, First Presbyterian Church, 8 pm
- Student Employment application are available for '96 - '97 year

Tuesday April 2

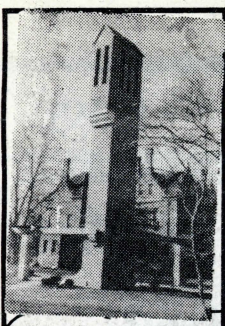
- B-ball- Marywood, 3 pm (A)
- Tennis- Moravian, 3pm (A)
- Radio Club Meeting, 11 am, DDD 101
- CC meeting, 11:45 am, SLC 204
- Amnicola meeting, noon, Hollenback
- OCC meeting 11 am, SLC 380
- Elections for SG reps and class officers

Wednesday, April 3

- S-ball- King's 3 pm (H)
- Passover begins at Sundown
- Passover/ Easter recess begins 10 pm

Thursday, April 4

- Golf- Moravian and Lebanon Valley (H)
- Residence Halls close at noon
- Passover



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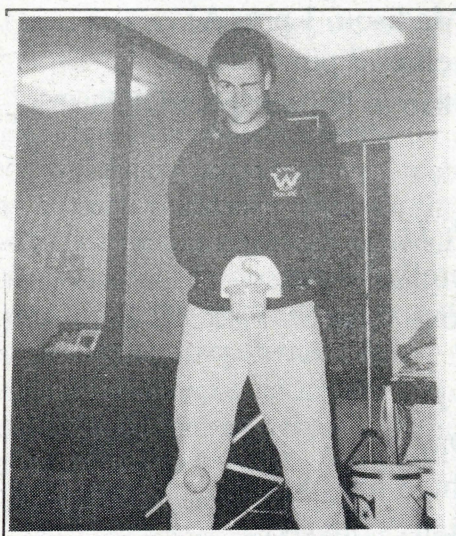
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\$ Blizzard of Bucks

Photos by Meghan LaVigna

What Wilkes students will do for money!

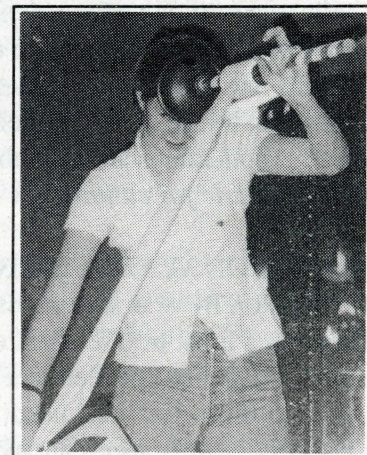
On Monday, March 25 at 7 pm, the Wilkes Programming Board presented "The Blizzard of Bucks Game Show" in Stark Lobby.



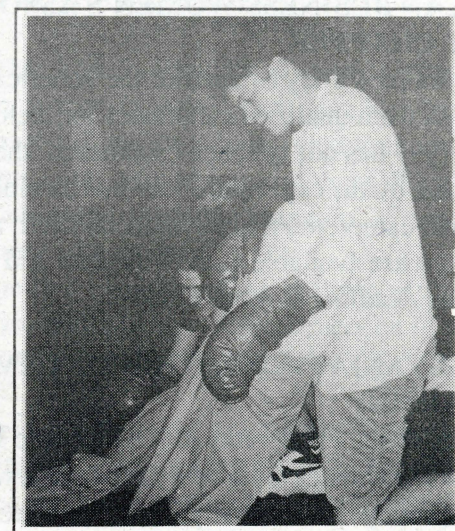
Andy Carter concentrates on getting a slam dunk!



Kim Wilk brought home \$107 as the grand prize winner!



Crazy deeds for dollars!

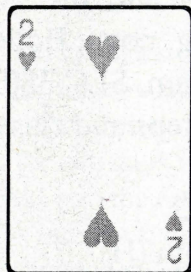


Paul Gundersdorf struggles to be a finalist!

Not a simple card trick

By PATRICK E. FLYNN
Special to the Beacon

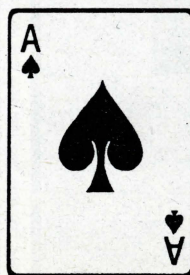
Ever see a simple card trick that you simply couldn't figure out? If this is the case call Dr. John Harrison, an Assistant Professor of Math and Computer Science and Steve Gapinski, a senior math major at Wilkes. Both had the opportunity this past summer to work together and research math analysis



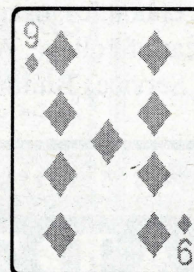
phenomenon of a simple card trick. Thomas Brennan, a graduate student from MIT also added helpful insight in the research.

"The results came out much better than we thought it would because we had no idea where the research would lead us when we started," said Harrison. "We took a chance and it paid off because we proved exactly how this card trick works mathematically."

The idea started when Gapinski presented the card trick in a speech class and later decided to analyze the trick mathematically. Gapinski, who has always been inter-



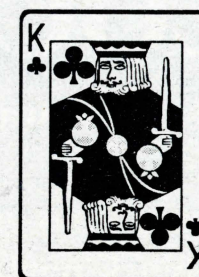
ested in math, stated, "It was a great experience for me to do this research with Dr. Harrison.



Dr. Harrison is hopeful that the results will be published and possibly presented at an outside math conference. This was the first time Dr. Harrison collaborated with an

undergraduate student on a research project.

"It was a very enjoyable experience doing this research with Steve," said



Harrison. "I definitely wouldn't mind doing it again in the future."

If for any chance you see a booth set up somewhere with a sign stating, "Try Your Luck at Beating a Simple Card Trick", your best bet would be to keep walking.

"From the knowledge I have learned from the research, I would definitely do some serious hustling with this card trick," said

Accomplished faculty member in concert

WILKES-BARRE —

Wilkes University faculty member, presented a solo clarinet recital on Sunday, March 17, at 7 pm, in the Dorothy Dickson Date Center for the Performing Arts.

The performance included works by Handel, Johannes Brahms, Victor Babin, Joseph Horowitz and Bruce Reiprich, chair of the Wilkes Department of Music Theater and Dance, whose works have been performed in the United States, Canada and Europe.

Based in New York City, Lockhart has a varied career as an orchestral, chamber and

theater musician. She is a member of the Long Island Philharmonic and Concordia, a highly celebrated chamber orchestra which performs traditional classics as well as American Jazz. Lockhart also performs regularly with the American Symphony, Alvin Ailey American Dance Co., The New Jersey Symphony Orchestra, Opera Orchestra of New York and the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic.

In addition, Lockhart has performed in the orchestra of the Broadway shows *Phantom of the*

Opera and Beauty and the Beast. For three summers, she was also a member of the Aspen Music Festival Orchestra. She has toured the Far East and performed at the Olympic Arts Festival in Seoul, Korea as a member of the New York City Symphony.

Lockhart is a founding member and director of education of the Odyssey Chamber Players Odyssey, founded in 1978, consists of flute, clarinet, violin, cello and piano. The ensemble has commissioned works from more than twenty composers and has received both residency awards and most recently, an

award from chamber Music America recognizing its innovative work with inner-city school children.

Lockhart has appeared on many radio broadcasts, including the Listening Room with Bob Sherman, Morning Pro Musica with Robert J. Lurtsema, Contemporary Music today on WBAI and chamber music broadcasts on WNYC. She has recorded for Angel, Koch Classic, Delos, CRI and Warner Brothers labels.

In addition to her teaching responsibilities at Wilkes, Lockhart is also a faculty member at the Julliard

School Music Advancement Program.

Future engagements include performing with the Oakdale, California Civic Orchestra as soloist in Babin's Hillandale Waltzes in May and performances of Rossini's Barber of Seville with the Metropolitan Opera Guild.

Lockhart holds a B. Mus. Ed. degree from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro and an M.M. degree in Performance from the Manhattan School of Music.

A play for all time indeed

By CHRIS WILLSON
Special to the Beacon

"This above all, to thine own self be true." So reads the production of Showcase Theaters current offering, "A Man For All Seasons" by Robert Bolt. It is a phrase our society should take to heart. So this is classic play. It is the inspiring true story of Sir Thomas Moore, Chancellor and friend of King Henry the Eighth and his silence on the king's divorce and remarriage; a silence that leads to his execution.

Director Paul Winarski

has taken this ambitious work and turned in a gripping and touching production sometimes in spite of some minor problems. Appearing in the production as Sir Thomas More is Joseph Gilbert. In a role that would challenge the most versatile of actors, Gilbert manages well, in spite of some pace problems. If he has a fault it is the way he handles some of the stronger lines in the show. His honesty and devotion are on the mark.

Appearing as the common man is local theater veteran Keith

Edwards. He is the audience's eye into the story playing narrator, steward, publican, etc., as he humorously leads us through the unfolding drama.

To single out all the brilliant portrayals in this large cast would be a mammoth task, but some actors deserve special attention. John Sherrick is evil personified as the king's master secretary, Thomas Cromwell. His vocal pitch and timing add a subtle menace to the role and convey perfectly the court corruption of the time. Dawn Winarski is a lovely and steadfast Lady Margaret, Sir Thomas' daughter. She knows nice depth of feeling and good

emotional repose in dealing with her much beloved father. Equally fine is Jack Evans as her radical fiance, William Roper. His intensity reveals the honesty of Roper's firm principles. Bob Hensley offers an all too brief appearance as Cardinal Wolsey, Moore's predecessor as chancellor. Hensley shows with ease the corruption and bitterness of the old man as well as the final spark of malice he vainly plods with more to support the king's divorce.

Scott Werbin presents us with a revealing portrayal of Richard Rich, Thomas

Moore's betrayer. Eager to so Crowell's bidding for the sake of political advancement, he is always easy to watch. The highs and lows of his character are well developed. Director Winarski turns in a well presented cameo as Signor Chapuys, the Spanish Ambassador. His portrayal adds an element of humor without losing a basis in reality.

The costumes well fit the period and the lighting greatly enhanced the mood of the piece. "A Man For All Seasons" indeed proves to be a play for all times.

New faces all over Wilkes campus

By LORI KASCHAK
Special to the Beacon

You may have noticed some new faces at Wilkes University last month. This is because for the fifth consecutive year, Wilkes has played host to 15 students from Tamagawa University, Tokyo, Japan.

The group consisted of two Freshman, three Juniors, and ten Sophomore education majors; along with two

chaperones. The chaperones are professors at Tamagawa University. They traveled to Wilkes-Barre to visit public and private schools, attend classes and seminars at Wilkes and experience American education and culture.

The Tamagawa students maintained a busy schedule during their two week stay in our country. They toured several local schools including: Wyoming Valley

Montessori, Wyoming Seminary, Wyoming West and Fairview Elementary.

The students also traveled outside the local area and toured the Amish Country, New York City and Washington D.C.

In addition, the group spent two days touring the nations capitol. Here they visited the Union Station, The Smithsonian Air and Space Museum, The White House and attended a concert at Kennedy

Center.

Special activities were also held on Campus in honor of their visit. February 19, Wilkes University hosted a special "Welcome Breakfast", on February 20 a reception was held in the Martz building and on February 26 was "Japan Night" at Rumours.

Wilkes students as well as the community were invited to share traditional Japanese games, crafts and other

activities. All too soon Wilkes bid farewell to their colleagues and friends at a farewell dinner.

The exchange program with Tamagawa University was established in 1991 when 20 Tamagawa students and two faculty members visited Wilkes. The exchange program brings educators and students together to study educational systems of different cultures.

HOROSCOPES

Aries (March 20-April 19)

Buy all of the ingredients for your favorite meal, and invite a good friend over to share it. It might be exactly what you both need.

Taurus (April 20- May 20)

Stop sitting the fence and make that important decision. Go for it if it includes travel or romance. It's your time to get up and go. Take this opportunity and run.

Gemini (May 21- June 20)

Ask and you shall receive. Guessing games will only confuse you. Stop trying to figure everyone else out. Take care of yourself.

Cancer (June 21- July 22)

Get organized. Start by cleaning up your room. Get rid of what you don't need or want. Remember to recycle and donate to charity, think of those you could be helping.

Leo (July 23- August 22)

Stop falling back on safety zones. Get out and meet new people. Try some new places to hang out. You'll be happy in your new environment.

Virgo (August 23- September 22)

If only you knew what your "sweetheart" was really saying about you. It's about time you found out. Two-faced loves will only break your heart. Don't take it.

Libra (September 23- October 22)

You may think your humor will catch that someone special's attention, but too much of anything is no good. You could be doing damage.

Scorpio (October 23- November 21)

Do anything and everything to get out of this mood. Try to find some sunshine to make you smile again. Life is too short to pout all the time.

Sagittarius (November 22- December 21)

Time management is the key to surviving through a hectic schedule. Make lists and stick to your agenda. Don't worry, it'll all get done.

Capricorn (December 22- January 20)

Love is staring you in the face, why are you turning away? You've found the person who can care for you. Give them a chance to be there for you.

Aquarius (January 21- February 18)

No guts, no glory! Being a pushover has gotten you nowhere. Put your foot down and say what you mean. You'll be surprised how many heads you'll turn.

Pisces (February 19- March 19)

Dive head first into your work. Get that big project out of the way, and start moving on a few smaller ones.

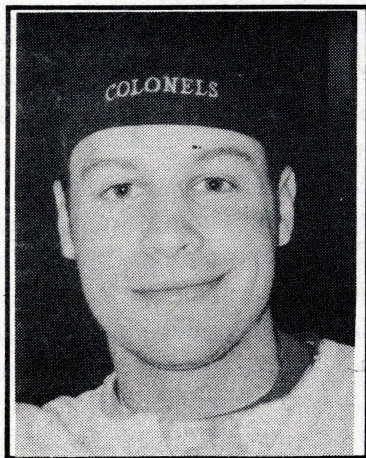
Top Ten Bestsellers On Campus

1. *The Rainmaker*, by John Grisham. (Island/Dell \$7.99.) Young lawyer attempts to uncover a huge financial scam.
2. *Snow Falling On Cedars*, by David Guterson. (Vintage, \$12.00.) A trial leads to memories of Japanese- American internment.
3. *Waiting To Exhale*, by Terry McMillan. (Pocket, \$6.99.) Four black women waiting for that love that is so hard to find.
4. *Chicken Soup For The Soul*, by Jack Canfield and Mark Victor Hansen. (Health Communications, \$12.00.) Stories for heart & spirit.
5. *The Calvin And Hobbes Tenth Anniversary Book*, by Bill Watterson. (Andrews & McMeel, \$14.95.) Cartoons.
6. *Couplehood*, by Paul Reiser. (Dell, \$5.99.) Thoughts on married life.
7. *The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People*, by Stephen R. Covey. (Fireside, \$12.00.) Guide to personal fulfillment.
8. *Eyes Of A Child*, by Richard North Patterson. (Ballantine, \$6.99.) A suicide might be murder- the suspect, the defense attorney.
9. *Original Sin*, by P.D. James. (Warner Vision, \$6.99.) Adam Dalgliesh investigates the murder in a London publishing house.
10. *Sense and Sensibility*, by Jane Austen. (Signet, \$5.99.) The courtship problems of two English sisters.

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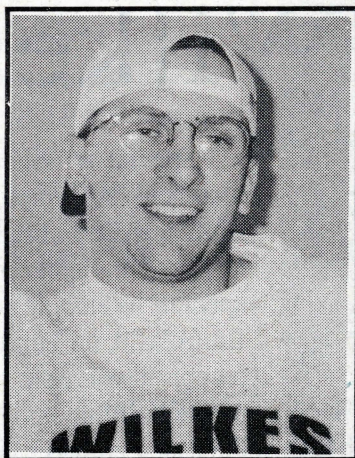
Roving Reporter with Michelle Tufaro

“What would you suggest to improve the weight room at the Marts Center?”



“Allow Chris Tykody to be a personal trainer.”

Randy Yerger



“More women in tight clothing.”

Grant Yoder



“Total update of all equipment and be open later.”

Paula Van Fossen



“To get more equipment, such as treadmills and stairmasters.”

Sarah Vandermark

Softball stays at .500 in Bloomsburg

By **MICHAEL NOONE**
Beacon Sportswriter

The Wilkes University Lady Colonels softball team split a pair of games in the Bloomsburg Tournament this past Sunday. The Lady Colonels lost to the host Huskies, 2-0 in a pitcher's duel, and defeated the University of Scranton, 9-3.

Amy Rosengrant pitched a complete game for Wilkes in picking up the win over the Lady Royals. Rosengrant helped herself at the plate as she went two-for-four with two RBI.

Christy Palilonis also had two hits and two RBI for the Lady Colonels. Kristen Cookus and Jamie Derhammer each added two hits for Wilkes.

In the next game, Bloomsburg freshman Christy Kittle pitched her second shutout of the tournament against the Lady

Colonels. Kittle had a perfect game through five innings until Wilkes' Danielle Benson ended the bid for perfection with a single. Kittle finished with a two-hitter, striking out six with no walks.

Tricia Kirk was the losing pitcher for Wilkes, despite allowing only five hits to the Huskies.

The Division II Huskies trounced the University of Scranton, 12-0, to complete the tournament sweep. The tourney was originally scheduled as a two-day event. However, wet conditions canceled Saturday's action.

The Lady Colonels are now 3-3 on the season. They will play Misericordia in Dallas, PA, this Thursday afternoon at 3 pm. The Wilkes home opener is this Saturday afternoon at 1 pm, when they host the Lady Greyhounds of Moravian College.

Bulldogs, Orangemen, Wildcats or Minutemen?

By **THOMAS LAVAN**
Beacon Sportswriter

The big excitement in sports every year at this time is the NCAA basketball Final Four. March madness is at its top, and excited fans wait to see if their pick will win the national title.

Two surprise teams for me

(and probably most people) are Mississippi State and Syracuse. Each team does have an outstanding record, with the Bulldogs of Mississippi State winning over 30 games, and Syracuse coming close to that same achievement. But no one would have guessed that these two teams would have advanced this far in the

tournament. Knocking off higher ranked opponents like Connecticut and Kansas, both anticipated Final Four teams, has allowed the Bulldogs and the Orangemen to come to the fore. These two teams have

earlier this season, the Minutemen of Massachusetts came out on top. I'm sure Kentucky coach Rick Pitino won't let that happen again. With both of these teams

winning over 30 games, and only three losses combined, it should be a battle for the ages.

Both of

these games are definitely going to be ones to watch. It's a tough call, but I think Mississippi State can defeat Syracuse. Although Massachusetts beat Kentucky once, Kentucky will be motivated by revenge. Look for Kentucky to beat the Minutemen and take it all.

NCAA Final Four Preview

earned the respect of basketball fans and coaches all across to country with their tough play and great confidence.

The two other Final Four teams were expected by almost everyone to reach the round of four. Both Massachusetts and Kentucky have outstanding coaching staffs to compliment incredible players. In the first meeting of these two teams

Have a sports opinion?

We want to hear it

(no matter how

outrageous

it might be!)

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Editor, c/o *The Beacon*

and we'll print it.

Sports Schedule for the Week

Baseball: Saturday (30th) at FDU Madison (DH) 1 pm

Monday (1st) at Moravian 3 pm

Tuesday (2nd) at Marywood 3 pm

Softball: Thursday (28th) at Misericordia 3 pm

Saturday (30th) @ HOME vs. Moravian 1 pm

Monday (1st) at Albright 3 pm

Wednesday (3rd) @ HOME vs. King's 3 pm

Tennis: Saturday (30th) at FDU Madison 1 pm

Tuesday (2nd) at Moravian 3 pm

Golf: Thursday (28th) at Scranton with Misericordia

Thursday (4th) @ Home vs. Moravian & Lebanon Valley

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After a weekend split, baseball errors

Completes a 2-3 week with a mistake-filled loss to Misericordia

By THOMAS LAVAN and
MICHAEL BUTCHKO
Beacon Sports Staff

Wilkes University's baseball team received two poor pitching performances by the staff's aces this week, and suffered an error-laden loss to College Misericordia.

On Saturday, cross-town rival King's College swept a doubleheader from Wilkes by scores of 20-7 and 8-7.

In the first game, pitcher Grant Yoder was shelled by the Monarchs in his three and one-third innings of work. King's Pat Burke was three-for-four, with four runs scored and three RBI. King's pounded out 16 hits against Yoder and

reliever Chris Tyukody.

The Colonels scored five of their seven runs in the last of the seventh inning. Augie Mitschke drilled a three-run homer in the seventh.

Both Curt Kroen and Mark Grzebin had two hits for Wilkes.

The second game was a see-saw affair which featured three big innings. King's put two runs on the scoreboard in the top of the second inning, but Wilkes countered with five in the bottom of the third.

In the top of the fifth inning, Wilkes reliever Ray Kerestes walked four consecutive batters. Third baseman Pat Burke then delivered a two-run single, giving him four RBI in the game and seven on the day.

Wilkes threatened in the bottom of the sixth. Trailing 8-6, Wilkes had two runners in scoring position with two outs. But King's pitcher Chris Cambrum slammed the door with a strikeout.

The game was then called after six innings because of darkness.

Brian Kaschak was two-for-three with two runs scored and two RBI.

Curt Kroen was three-for-three with two RBI. The Colonels fell to 0-2 in the MAC Freedom League.

The next day, the Wilkes University Colonels defeated Beaver College in doubleheader action, by scores of 5-2 and 10-1.

In the second game of Sunday's doubleheader, the Colonels mustered an offensive onslaught. The team scored 10 runs against Beaver College, winning 10-1.

By far, the highlight of the day was a monstrous home run by first baseman Augie Mitschke, estimated to have traveled 440 feet.

Mike Evans was the winning pitcher for the Colonels, striking out seven. Randy Yerger had a triple and two RBI, and Jim Domzalski had three hits.

Wilkes then faced the Cougars of College Misericordia on Tuesday. Starting pitcher Grant Yoder was the victim of atrocious defense, as the Colonels committed nine errors in a 20-17 loss.

Yoder pitched four innings, surrendering only four hits, and seven runs. But four of the seven runs were unearned.

Wilkes scored in every inning after the second, including seven runs in the seventh inning. The game was

put on an outstanding display. He pitched seven innings, striking out three batters and walking none. Ricko allowed only two runs on three hits.

The Colonels jumped out to an early 3-0 lead in the second inning. Randy Yerger and Jim Domzalski each had an RBI single for the Colonels.

For Beaver College, pitcher Don Albertson took the loss. Albertson went four innings, striking out four and walking four.

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Second baseman Mark Grzebin was three-for-four, with two runs scored and three RBI.

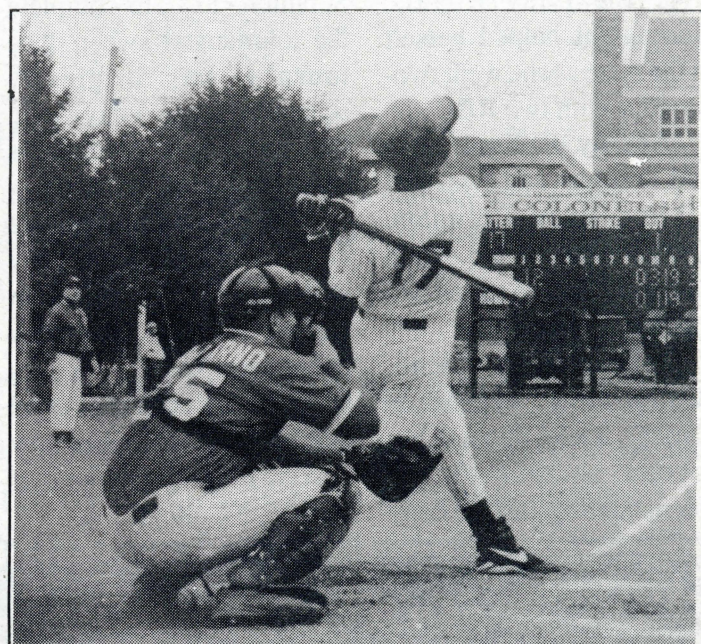
Lead-off man Randy Yerger had three hits and scored three runs, while Augie Mitschke was three-for-five.

The Colonels, after playing five games in three days, are off until Saturday when they travel to Madison, NJ, to face the Jersey Devils of FDU Madison. Wilkes returns home on Saturday, April 6, against East Stroudsburg.



Wilkes catcher Bob Chmiel warms up between innings in the doubleheader against King's this past Saturday.

photo by Meghan LaVigna



Colonel left fielder Mike Evans makes contact during Saturday's doubleheader. Evans flew out on this pitch, and went zero-for-three in the first game, a 20-7 loss to King's.

photo by Meghan LaVigna

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