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WILKES HOSTS WOMEN IN HISTORY PRESENTATION

Learn how feminity has changed wer the past 60 years.

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BASKETBALL **SEASON** ENDS WITH TWO LOSSES

 Colonels lose to Salisbury State in first round of NCAA tourney.

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W! celebrates its 50th episod

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con Staff Writer

Since 1993, Wilkes Uniersity and WBRE-TV 28 we been joining forces to ite and produce WOW!, an dicational television proam for kids ages 6-14. The ow, has reached a televiin plateau with the recent oing of its 50th episode.

The special episode was med at the Pennsylvania Edwardsville and focuses on the accomplishments of the area's young and talented per-

"WOW! is about what kids can do. What a better way to showcase than to do our 50th show on their accomplishments," said executive producer and writer, Dana Alexander Nolfe.

Featured will be a six-yearold tap dancer, a ten-year-old singer and a fourteen-year-old ademy of Dancing in ballerina, all of whom will demonstrate their talents for the finishing up its fourth season Lehigh Valley River, and viscamera as well as ex-

plain how they came to perform at an advanced and demanding level. According

WOW! intern Carrie Bruno, this episode puts the spotlight back on a vital part of the show, the audience.

"The 50th episode will be special because it's not only for the kids. it's about the kids,"siad Bruno.

WOW!, the only locally produced educational television program for kids, is currently



Kids from WOW! on an earlier adventure on the air. The show has cov- Diane Polachek. ered a diverse range of topics season including

whitewater rafting down the

its to the Wilkes-Barre post

office and fire department, all of which were inspired by the show's goal which is to make learning fun for area children.

"WOW! is serving a vital purpose in Northeastern Pennslyvania. It not only broadens the knowledge base of children, but it is entertaining as well," said WOW! host and Associate

The special 50th episode of WOW! is scheduled to air at the end of March.

luition decision finalized

COLLEEN HERRON eacon News Editor

Wilkes Universuty's loard of Trustees met riday, February 28, to decide upon the tuition ncrease for the 1997-1998 cademic year.

"We have had the lowest ate of increase over that period of any other college runiversity in Northeastern Pennsylvania and are helween \$3,000 and \$5,000 below most of our ompetitors in the Middle Adantic Conference who m't offer the breadth and ophistication of our ademic programs," said Wilkes University President ristopher N. Breiseth in a ease sent to students and eir families over spring

The agreed upon rate for he upcoming year is \$14,474, fees of \$617, and nom and board charges of 6564. The increase is up

\$1,327 from the 1996-1997 tuition rate. The Board of Trustees approved an increase in financial aid to more than \$7.6 million in an overall budget of \$37 million.. student's

"Each precie financial requirements can only be determined after he or she files an updated FAF with the Financial Aid Office so that Rachael Lohman and her staff can make the official calculation, " said Breiseth. "I urge students to carry through with this process as early as possible this spring."

Students interested in further talks on the issue are welcomed to attend the forum slated by President Breiseth and Student Government President Paula VanFossen for March 25th at 11 a.m. in SLC 101.

Concerned students are encouraged to contact Wilkes University's suggestionline, suggest@wilkes.edu.

Athletic survey focuses on gender-equity

WILKES-BARRE — Wilkes University athletic director Phil Wingert and associate athletic director Addy Malatesta have announced that the Wilkes athletic department will be conducting a survey of all undergraduate women who are registered full-time this semester.

The surveys will be mailed to students on March 17. Women who reside on campus should be sure to check their campus mailboxes, while offcampus students will have the survey sent to their local address.

The survey is being conducted to give the female students an opportunity to express their opinions on the policies and programs available to them in athletic activities and sports at the University. Some of the questions being

asked about policies include:

•Are the needs and desires of female students being met?

·Are there programs or activities that should be added or dropped?

emphasis being placed on intercollegiateathletic programs?

•Are men and women being treated equally?

·What changes, if any, should be made?

So that the results will fully represent the thinking of the female students at Wilkes, it is important that the women complete and return the questionnaire. Completion of the questionnaire should take no more than 20 minutes, but it is crucial to the future development of the programs that will meet the needs of the female students at Wilkes.

"This gives the women on campus an opportunity to voice their opinion and to be pro-active on issues that pertain exclusively to them," said Wilkes athletic director •Is too much or too little Phil Wingert. "Our concern is to address gender-equity issues and to be certain that the athletic administrators continue to meet the interests and needs of female students. We hope that participation in this survey will give clear indication of where to begin initiate significant improvements."

Students can be assured that the survey will be held in complete confidence since it is being conducted in conjunction with Scott Bodfish, the director of Institutional Research and Planning Support at Wilkes.

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kes to host women in history present

WILKES-BARRE — "A Look at Femininity in the 1930's and 1990's," will be the topic of a special presentation hosted by the Wilkes University Faculty Women's Caucus on Thursday, March 13, at

7:30 p.m. in room 214 of the Arnaud C. Marts Conference Center on South Franklin Street.

Dr. Madelyn Gutwirth, research associate at the Alice Paul Center for the Study of

Women, University of Pennsylvania, will be the speaker. The presentation, which is cosponsored by the Pennsylvania Humanities Council's Commonwealth Speakers program, is free and open to the

Dr. Gutwirth's lecture/slide presentation will deal with how social concepts of femininity have changed. She will examine the messages major popular works conveyed in the 1930's and 1990's about women in intimate life and the work world. The audience will be invited to review selections from movies and works of fiction and song lyrics will also be explored to determine how changes in portrayals of femininity have affected our generation of grandmothers, daughters and granddaughters.

The author of several books on women novelists and artists during the French Revolutionary period, Dr. Gutwirth was a professor of French and Women's Studies at West Chester University before accepting her current position with the Alice Paul Center.

She received her B.A. in French and English from Brooklyn College, and her M.A. and Ph.D from Bryn Mawr College in French Lis erature.

The Wilkes Facult Women's Caucus will host a reception for Dr. Gutwirthfollowing the presentation. For further information call the Wilkes Faculty Women's Carcus at 831-4565.

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A worldly view

Political unrest continues in Albania, Tirana as President Sali Berisha strives to cling to his power.

Russian President Boris Yeltin returns to work with hopes of strengthening his cabinet.

a national look

Ohio flood waters finally begin to receed, leaving behind a death toll of at least 29 people.

President Bill Clinton stated that he will not encourage the cloning of human beings in the United States.

Flesh-eating bacteria related to strep throat is responsible for recent deaths. Researchers are currently looking into the death of a mother, who died shortly after giving birth.

& a local peek

Pennsylvanian Governor Tom Ridge headed to Italy last week in hopes of encouraging tourism to the Keystone State.

Scranton prepares for their St. Patrick's Day Parade. to be held Saturday, March 15th. The parade is the fourth largest in the country.

Lucas enlightens Wilkes audience

By GLENDA RACE and **COLLEEN HERRON**

Beacon Copy Editor and News Editor

Despite a fast approaching spring break, many students attended the February 27 presentation with James Lucas, celebrating black history month at Wilkes University's Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts.

Sponsored by the Multicultural Coalition of Wilkes University, "Reflections: A Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr," turned out to be a success.

Lucas captivated the

audience with tales of his own life. He said that his father was a great inspiration in his life. He went on to tell that despite laws which forbid blacks to vote, his father with support from the family registered anyway.

Lucas stated that it was following the March on Washington in August 1983, during which a tape recording of King's voice was played that he got the idea to recreate the dramatic readings of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. He felt the recording was a real "let down."

Following the presentation there was a question/ answer period. Students posed

questions ranging from who Dr. King would think if he me Malcolm X or Louis Farakhan as well as what Lucas though King would think of societ today.

Lucas travels nationwid reciting Dr. King's speechest private businesses, profession organizations, churches schools and universities. He was invited to deliver rendition of King's speeches at Presiden Clinton's inauguration in 1991

WilkesUniversity Multicultural Awareness Web will be held April 14-19. Fo more information contact Gin Morrison at ext. 4731.

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Have you ever wondered if the road you've chosen is the thone? Did you ever wake up in the morning and wonder that the hell am I doing with my life?" If I've counted metly, in the past year alone, I've probably asked myself wame question at least 150 times.

There's nine weeks left until graduation. How many many lims have May 17 marked in big red letters on their lendars?

Its 65 days to be exact. I'm just a little anxious. Can you

But that's besides the point. I'm now asking you, the likes University student body — how are you preparing uself for your future?

Iremember being a little kid. Go figure, brain cells still ast. And I recall being asked on several occasions what I unted to be when I grew up. At times, I'd say a teacher like mom and dad. That dream faded quickly. For awhile I mught of law school, but it takes more than just a loud mouth he a good lawyer. So here I am, all grown up, two months that good lawyer are a schelor of Arts degree, and I have absolutely no idea with path I'm taking. At this point in my life, I've done so any things wrong, I don't know if I can do right... a little bit Tracy Chapman.

So now I stand at the fork in the road, as I'm sure most of sdo, and I can't for the life of me figure out which way I'm raded.

Notice, I am not blaming Wilkes University. Instead I put the finger at myself. Damn me for being so indecisive.

Sushould'ves, could'ves and if's won't change a thing.

The best advice to myself and anyone else in this position up put one foot in front and just keep walking. Don't exition yesterday because the past can only haunt you. Don't towards tomorrow because you'll only be wasting the recious time of today. Face each moment as it comes. By the me you get to the crossroads, you'll be wiser and more utain of the decisions that await you.

And while you're at it, smile. It takes more muscles to

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Stop in Wilkes University's Bookstore Today?

Letters to the Editor

Letters to the Editor guidelines:

Letters should include your name and phone number. They should be no longer than 250 words and must be signed in order to be printed. Letters will be printed in the order they are received and must be submitted by 4:30 p.m. on the Tuesday prior to publication.

To the Editor,

After reading the various news reports and comments in the February 27 issue of *The Beacon*, relative to the possible tuition hike here at Wilkes, I feel the urge to comment.

Dr. Breiseth commented that, "There was great sensitivity in the financial aid office" alluding to the possibility that financial aid packages may be enhanced.

Indeed, one financial aid source that has been here at Wilkes for 25 years, continues in the form of the Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC), Detachment 752 in Slocum Hall. While I cannot say that AFROTC is enhancing its financial resources in response to a possible tuition hike, we are a significant source of financial aid in the form of scholarships, incentives, and/or stipends for motivated students who desire to be active duty Air Force Officers.

A common misconception is that in order to participate in AFROTC, you must be a high school scholarship recipient. Actually, most of our cadets are not high school scholarship recipients, but are competing for, or recipients of, the college scholarship program. This includes undergraduate and graduate students in any major, although we are especially in need of technical and nursing majors. In fact, any student with at least two-years (one year in some cases) of undergraduate or graduate studies remaining is eligible for AFROTC. After a lull of a few years, we are also actively pursuing any academic major interested in flying as a pilot or navigator; and 20/20 vision is no longer a requirement!

Finally, 100% of all AFROTC graduates are offered full-time active duty commissions as Second Lieutenants with the United States Air Force.

The AFROTC department can be reached by telephone at 831-4860 or 831-4866, by stopping by our offices in Slocum Hall or by e-mail at det752@wilkes1.wilkes.edu.

David J. Palmer, Capt., PaANG Assistant Professor of Aerospace Studies

To the Editor,

On June 1, 1996, the Wilkes University Facilities Management Department officially took over as caretakers of the campus. Besides changes in management and personnel, the switch generated a significant change in departmental attitude—a determination not only to maintain, but to restore and rebuild.

More important to us than the real estate, however, are the occupants of these buildings, the students themselves. Because many of us in this Department are part-time students or have children who are studying at Wilkes, we can relate to the financial and scholastic pressures you are experiencing. Endeavoring to make you contented and satisfied with your investment is our primary concern.

But we can't fix what we don't know is broken! Too often repairs are not made simply because we were unaware of the problem. If there is a problem in your home and these dorms are your homes, please contact your Resident Assistant. If you don't receive a response from us within a reasonable amount of time, please call us directly at ext. 4995. The security officers in SLC, ext. 4999, can contact us at any hour if you need emergency assistance when this Department is closed.

Many improvements have already been made, and even more are on our agenda. I could elaborate further on our future plans, but Vince is calling for heavy dew tomorrow, and it's my turn to salt the steps at McClintock.

Cordially yours, Jack Zikoski Director, Facilities Management.

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This week in History

March 17, 1766: The unpopular Stamp Act was repealed.

March 23, 1775: Patrick Henry addressed the Virginia convention stating, "Give me liberty or give me death."

March 19, 1920: The Senate refused to ratify the League of Nations Covenant.

March 18, 1963: The Supreme Court ruled that all criminal defendants must have counsel and that illegally acquired evidence was inadmissible in state as well as federal courts.

March 22, 1972: By a vote of 84 to 8, the Senate approved a constitutional amendment banning discrimination on the basis of sex and sent the measure to the states for ratification.

March 22, 1995: President Clinton signed a bill making it more difficult for Congress to approve any "unfunded mandates"—or measures requiring but not funding certain actions by the states.

March 18, 1996: The Food and Drug Administration released affidavits from three former employees of Phillip Morris Co., Inc., who charged that the company intentionally used cigarettes as a vehicle for delivering nicotine, a chemical generally recognized as addictive

March 18, 1996: John Salvi III, an abortion opponent, was found guilty of murder in the killing of two receptionists and of armed assault with intent to murder in the wounding of five other people at two abortion clinics in Brookline, Mass., in December, 1994

March 19, 1996: The U.S. approved a request from Taiwan to purchase surface-to-air missiles.

March 19, 1996: Senator Bob Dole (R-Kan.) won primaries in Illinois, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin in his quest to win the Republican presidential nomination.

March 19, 1996: Despite not having reached an agreement with Congress on the 1996 federal budget, President Clinton submitted his budget for the 1997 fiscal year, which would begin October 1, 1996.

March 20, 1996: Judge George Howard ruled that President Clinton could testify by videotape in the Whitewater trial of Susan McDougal, former partner of then-Governor Bill Clinton and Hillary Rodham Clinton in the Whitewater Development Corp. March 20, 1996: A report released by the British government raised serious questions about the safety of beef consumption in Britain due to "Mad Cow" disease.

March 20, 1996: Lyle and Erik Menendez, two California brothers who had shot their wealthy parents to death in 1989, were convicted of murder.

March 21, 1996: Five European nations banned importation of British beef.

The Near Side

with Rick Tym

Hi everybody. Hope your spring break was good. As everybody can probably agree, no matter where you were, the break was relaxing, fun, but a bit too quick. I turned around and here it was Friday, the whole week gone. I'm sure it went faster for those of us that were somewhere warm

Well, now we're back after a little break from the action. When I got back on Sunday, I parked in the usual place at my dorm (which is McClintock Hall, for those of you that don't know), in the driveway of the church next door. For those of you that aren't familiar with my neck of the woods, let me tell you something: for a bunch of Godfearing people, the administration of this church are pretty bitchy about the parking scene. It's a Sunday afternoon, there's not another car anywhere else on their property, I don't even think there's a priest around— and I still have to move my car within five minutes of parking there. If I don't, the alarms will be sounded and the dogs will be released. Now, I could understand this kind of mentality from a church if they held services there every day. But from what I've seen, the only services at which more than five people (and thus, more than one car) show up is during weddings or

As I was mulling over this little benefit of living on the edge of campus, I noticed something very interesting. During the break, facilities had been at work again, this time ripping up part of my backyard and installing their own little driveway. It's pretty nice, too — smooth gravel surface, nice wooden divider from the rest of the property. Too bad they put up a chain that says "Facilities Management Only" (or something like that). At least they won't park on my lawn anymore — or what lawn I have left after they got done with it (it was small to begin with).

Now, here's my beef: why couldn't they knock a little bit more of the backyard out and put in another parking space? It wouldn't have been that difficult. I'm sure the resident assistant of that dorm deserves his own parking spot (just like the resident assistant of Rifkin does, hint hint). You know, give him a key to the chain, put up a sign that says "Resident Assistant Parking Only." Or how about a personalized parking sign? You know, "Rick Tym's Parking Only?" I'll tell you this much: I'd pay for it.

Well, I guess that's enough sarcasm for this week.
Remember, whoever it is that's either taking me seriously or making a complete fool of me, I'd like to hear from you.
Send your letters to the editor. Don't be scared. What are ya, chicken? And if you are taking me seriously, get me that parking spot behind my dorm, will ya? They'll be an extra C-note in your check next week if you do.

That's all for now, ladies and gents. Any questions, comments or complaints, direct them through a letter to the editor or contact me personally at my e-mail address. Have fun, let your body detoxicate for a week, and I'll talk to you again soon.

The Beacon is looking for new editorial staff members for the 1997-98 semesters. Applications can be found in the English Department in Kirby Hall, the Communications Department in Capin Hall and the Security Desk in SLC lobby.

Roving Reporter

With Amy Ellis and photos by J.J. Fadden

If you could clone anyone,
who would you pick?



Steven Alexon "Dr. Fred Sullivan."



Doug Esposito "Myself."



Gary Schreibel
"Jimmy Hendricks."



Darren Hack
"Rita Balestrini, the
administrative assis-



Doug Lane 'Dean Lampe-Groh."



"I'm against cloning. I think it's wrong."



Bernice Julin "Jeff Grunza."



Natalie Miller
"I'd stay myself so l
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ecomplete Quilt

measures 15 football fields without walkways between sections, 24 football fields with walk ways. The display takes up 17 acres and weighs 46 tons. More than eight million people have visited the display nationwide.

A man by the name of Clive Jones wanted to find a way to express the loss that he and his friends experienced when over 1,000 people from San Francisco died from AIDS between 1980 and 1987.

Since the government would not help, Jones got together with a group of neighborhood residents and they came up with the Quilt.idea.

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memorabilia that expressed their feelings in a Quilt. This during opening and closing is how the AIDS Names Project Memorial Quilt began.

Others who have experienced the loss of loved ones joined on and now the Quilt is a nationwide project.

The first time the Quilt was displayed was October 11, 1987 at the Mall in Washington D.C., when 2,100 panels were displayed.

with other community members of the local Host Committee, are hoping to do their part in adding to the number of visitors to the display.

Due to the anticipated number of visitors, six hundred volunteers are

needed to monitor the Quilt ceremonies, and to serve as

Anyone wishing to volunteer time in two-hour shifts, should call the 24 hour volunteer hotline at 831-5905.

In 1993, when portions of the Quilt were displayed at Wilkes, an estimated 5,000 people visited. Several panels prepared by members of the local communitywere added to Wilkes University, along the Quilt at that time, and several additional panels will be added during closing ceremonies on April 13.

> The Quilt will be open to the public on Thursday and Friday, April 10 and 11, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Saturday, April 12, from noon to 9 p.m. and Sunday, April 13 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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The community is also invited to attend two dramatic performances scheduled during the visit of the Quilt.

The Little Theater of Wilkes-Barre will perform "Quilt: A Musical Celebration," on Friday April 11. On Saturday, April 12 the National Players of New York City will perform "The Way We Live Now," by Susan Sontag.

Both plays will be held at 8 p.m. in Rumours, lower level of the Arnaud C. Marts Center on the Wilkes campus. There will be no charge for admission.

Anyone wishing to know more about the NAMES Project AIDS Memorial Quilt should call the Volunteer hot line at 831-5905.

Middle East for fellowship

KES-BARRE—Dr A. Giamartino of R.PA. Dean of the olof Business, Society Public Policy was nted a Joseph J. Malone wship. He participated wo-week Arab and ix Studies Program in Arabia and Bahrain. ellowship spanned

February 27 throughhe Malone Fellowship ounded on 1984 and is gred by the National vil on U.S. - Arab

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and visiting historical, cultural and national development sites.

Giamartino attended an

orientation program in Washington, D.C., during

policy specialists on the Gulf and U.S. - Arab relations.



Beacon file photo Giamartino participates in Malone Fellowhip with other educators and community leaders.

discussions with foreign

which he participated in through direct, first-hand briefings and roundtable encounters."

Giamartino received his

Ph.D. in Social Psychology from Vanderbilt University. his M.A. in Psychology from Western Kentucky University, and his A.B. in Psychology from State University College at Fredonia, N.Y.

Also, he has received many honors including a Fellowship in International Development from the Kellogg Foundation and Partners of Americas, a Certificate of Achievement in the Entrepreneurship Division of the Academy of Management, and awards from Psi Chi (National Honor Society in Psychology) and Sigma Delta Pi (National Honor Society in Spanish).

Giamartino will assume the responsibilities of Dean of the College of Business Administration at the University of Detroit Mercy, in June 1997.

Maria.

ANOTHER WORLD: Carl begged Rachel to forgive his faults for the sake of their child. Matt, meanwhile, was determined to separate them. Gary thought he heard Grant call the man in the "Jake" mask, Hal. Carl was unaware of Rachel's decision to join in the gaslighting of Grant. Michael learned Donna "encouraged" Sharlene to move out, and promptly kicked Donna out in her negligee. Wait To See: Rachel is at risk.

AS THE WORLD TURNS: Holden showed the jailed Lily the revealing photo from her wedding. Mike persuaded Pilar to end her campaign against Lily. While trying to find evidence in Lily's favor on Diego's computer, Pilar made a stunning discovery. Emily shared a light moment with David, but a memory of the rape sent her to Diego's hidden casket. Margo had a breakthrough nightmare. Wait To See: Pilar makes a decision that surprises Mike.

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTI-FUL: A young burn victim, Justin, told Taylor to keep close to the people she loves. Told that his motives are prompted by his concern for her, Brooke agreed to sign over control of Forrester to Grant. After the bandages were removed, Taylor was relieved to see only a slight scabbing and blistering. Ridge vowed not to let Thorne take his place in Taylor's life without a fight. Sheila realized she may be able to use Curtis as a way of getting

Soap Updates

Maggie out of her and James' lives. Wait To See: Eric and Stephanie made a fateful decision.

THE CITY: Danny rescued Carla who had fallen on the stairway. Tony upset Danny when he announced he and Carla were moving to the West Coast. Based on a tip from Tess, Tracy went to building in Brooklyn where Gino and his cronies lived, and walked into a big surprise. Nick was upset with Lorraine for talking to Angie about visions and destiny. Wait To See: Tracy and Lorraine each face danger.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES: Kristen persuaded Susan to leave, reminding her the baby needs medical care she can't afford to give him. Later, Marlena told Kristen she'll reveal all to John. King was prepared to shoot both Bo and Billie, but Bo told him Billie came into King's office thinking Bo was with another woman. A priest reminded Marlena that John could never divorce Kristen, so if she tells him everything, she'll condemn him to live with a woman he can't love or respect. Wait To See: John gives Kristen an answer she may not like.

GENERAL HOSPITAL: After the sexual harassment verdict, Monica was stripped of her position at the hospital. Ned and Keesha's confrontation led to a volatile revelation. Jax and Jason saved Brenda and Sonny. Brenda feared she was becoming dependent on pain killers. Lucky decided to stay in Port Charles with Luke. At the airport, Laura warned Stefan never to mention that he might be Nikolas' father. Wait To See:

Brenda takes a home pregnancy test.

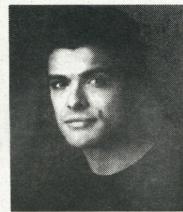
GUIDING LIGHT: Jenna finally told Buzz he's little Coop's father.

Amanda tried to find out who else knew the secret of her place in the Spaulding family. Meanwhile, Alexandra worried about the missing document falling into the wrong

hands. Annie learned her plan to separate Josh and Reva was backfiring. Wait To See: Alex and Amanda are forced into a painful confrontation.

ONE LIFÉ TO LIVE: Bo's sur

prise witness was Mortimer Bern, Carlo's twin brother. In exchange for immunity from all charges, Bern revealed his part in Carlo's escape plan, and revealed that Alex killed Carlo. Ian overheard Maggie talking about her father and told his P.I. to



Mark Consuelos, "Mateo," "All My Children"

investigate the Bishop. Blair learned of Todd's search for a blood marrow donor for Starr. Viki saved Dorian who was stuck in the snow. Wait To See: Alex wants Nora to be her lawyer.

SUNSET BEACH: To Eddie's chagrin, Paula told Ricardo she thinks Ralph had an accomplice. Olivia almost caught Cole with Caitlin. Bette accidentally let slip about the jewels to Ben. Gabi put photos of Paula and Ricardo in a scrapbook. Annie overheard Gregory chastise Eddie for ripping him off after killing him. Vanessa saw Michael hug and kiss a mystery woman. Wait To See: Ben finds a disturbing clue to Del's killer.

THE YOUNG AND THE REST-LESS: The surgery was successful for both Sharon and her baby, who was immediately put on a respirator. Josh fumed about Victor bringing in specialists without consulting him first. Grace and Tony confronted Frank about Sharon's first child, but he insisted he knew nothing about the adoption. Neil learned Dru changed her mind and flew to Paris to take the modeling job. Ashley confided to Hope that Kurt doesn't know about the letter Ashley found from his late wife. Diane lashed into Victor for his harshness with Jack over the Dennison deal, only to have Victor respond with a dinner invitation. Wait To See: Sharon and Nick get news about their baby.

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With Carrie Nepa

Capricorn (December 22 - January 19) During the west it would be wise to figure out what you want and take a quick stand at getting it.

Aquarius (January 20 - February 18) The first day you spend with your new love will last. Try your best not to push too hard.

Pisces (February 19 - March 20) Get ready for some excitement with your friends. Just watch out for the troublemakers they could really throw a few wrenches myour gears.

Aries (March 21 - April 19) Increase your splendor by doing something for yourself and a special friend. Takes mini-vacation and spend some quality time together.

Taurus (April 20 - May 20) Expect sudden excitements your social life. Ride it out and enjoy itbut try to stay out trouble if you can.

Gemini (May 21 - June 20) You'll be amazed by the amount of loot coming your way. Be wise with how you use it.

Cancer (June 21 - July 22) Sometimes the fragile wings of love need privacy. Take a trip with your sweetheart and you'll be fine.

Leo (July 23 - August 22) Relationships are going to be radical this week. It's up to you to make it worth your while.

Virgo (August 24 - September 23) Just when you wer getting organized the messiness of life interferes. Straighten yourself out.

Libra (September 24 - October 23) With your quick mind and ready reflexes, you deal with change well. Don't let I get the best of you.

Scorpio (October 24 - November 22) Whether at work of at home you are in the spotlight this week. Enjoy yourself Sagittarius (November 23 - December 21) Believe it or not your love life is kicking into fifth gear this week. You might want to slow down a little.

80's trivia with Donna Talarico

Music: Little Eva sang this song in 1962. Grand Funk performed it in 1974. Kylie Monigue redid it in 1988.

Television: What type of business did Angelarun on "Who's the Boss?"

Movies: What Steven King werewolf thriller started Corey Haim?

News: On July 16, 1981 (My third birthday...like you care!) this folk singer died in an automobile accident on the Long Island Expressway. (Hint: Cats in the Cradle)

Grab Bag: Name the four Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles and their reporter friend.

(Answers to last week's trivia: "Eye of the Tiger," Larry and Balky, Lou Diamond Philipps, Iran and Iraq; Electric Youth)

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oftball team wins first five

KES-BARRE — The kes University softball m started its season last ek in a trip to South olina. In all five of the Colonels' games they nia twice 4-0 and 9-3, adelphia College of macy (PCP) twice 10-2 11-8, and Allentown 4-3. In the first game against mia, Amy Rosengrant ew a one hitter and rded six strikeouts. Keri was 1-3, knocking in RBI's with a 230 foot

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bringing in two RBI's.

In the game against Allentown, Rosengrant threw seven innings and struck out five batters. Palilonis was 3-4 with a double and a triple, posted victories, beating Geist was 1-4 with a double and a RBI, and Shannon O'Neill was 2-3.

> In the Lady Colonels' second game against PCP, Wilkes was the winning pitcher. Liz O'Neill went 4-5, hitting a triple, knocking in two RBI's, and scoring two runs. Suzanne Fisher went 2-4 and scored twice, Danielle Benson was 2-5 with two RBI's.

In its final game of the week, the Lady Colonels beat Alvernia for the second time. Rosengrant was the winning pitcher and recorded three K's. Geist was 3-4, hitting a home run and knocking in three RBI's, and Liz O'Neill was 2-4, with one RBI and one run scored.

Baseball team opens season in Florida

WILKES-BARRE — The Wilkes University baseball team started its season last week in Florida. The Colonels won three of their six games, beating King's College 8-5, Clarion University 2-0 and College Misericordia 16-2. Wilkes' three losses came form Alvernia College 6-2, Widener University 17-11 and Northwood College 17-8.

In the game against King's pitched six innings and struck out six Monarchs. Randy Yerger went 3-4, including his Clarion, Jason Lenko in his

fifth triple of the season. Yerger also drove in two RBI's and got his first save of the year. Jim Domzalski was 2-4 with a RBI, Ryan Flynn went 2-3 knocking in two RBI's, and Chris Tyukody was Misericordia, Brian Kaschak

In the game against Widener, Augie Mitschke went 2-3 slamming one home run and driving in four RBI's, Flynn was 3-4 knocking in College, freshman Nate Lipton three RBI's and Mike Viglone went 2-3.

In the match up against

first outing as a Colonel threw a no-hitter. Yerger went 2-3, Ray Bernardi hit a triple driving in two runs and Curtis Kroesen went 2-3.

In the 16-2 route over was the winning pitcher. Kroesen was 2-3 with three RBI's, Michael Evans went 3-4 driving in three RBI's and Flynn recorded two hits and two RBI's.

In the Colonels' loss to Alvernia, Mitchske and Kroesen both went 2-3 and knocked in a RBI each.

Banter in the Booth with Michael Noone

After a few weeks off for spring break, the banter makes its return just in time for the madness. The NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament is arguably the most exciting event in all of sports and one of the most analyzed.

So without further ado, here's my in-no-way expert opinion. Hey, I was right about the

The upset special of the first round is 14th seed Tennessee Chattanooga over third seed Georgia. Also in the Southeast region College of Charleston will extend the nation's longest winning streak by upsetting Maryland.

Overall, two number one seeds will advance to the final four while two number two seeds will make it to Indianapolis.

Out of the East region look for North Carolina to beat their neighbors to the south, South Carolina, to get to the Final Four. In the Southeast region Kansas will cruise by Duke to earn a spot in the Final Four. Out West, Utah will upset the defending national champion Kentucky Wildcats. In the Midwest, Minnesota will fall to Clemson in the Sweet 16 and UCLA will beat the Tigers to advance to the Final Four.

Kansas and Utah will face off for the title and the Jayhawks will give Roy Williams his first national championship.

ATTENTION ALL SENIORS:



Colonels bounced from playoffs by Salisbury State

By MICHAEL NOONE Beacon Sports Editor

The Wilkes University Colonels basketball season ended with two consecutive playoff losses to Lebanon Valley and Salisbury State.

The Colonels dropped their last game at the Marts Center on Thursday, February 27, against Lebanon Valley in the Middle Atlantic Conference semifinals.

The 85-83 overtime loss ended the Colonels' quest to repeat as MAC champions. The Dutchmen's Andy Panko, the MAC Commonwealth League MVP, poured in 33 points including the one-handed game-winner, at the buzzer, falling away from 18-feet

Panko, a six-foot-eight sophomore, almost lost the ball out of bounds while being guarded by Wilkes' Mike Barrouk, but almost doesn't count. The desperation shot sent the Dutchmen into an ecstatic celebration and crushed the stunned Colonels' championship hopes.

The loss ended Wilkes' ten game playoff winning streak at the Marts Center. in the MAC championship game with the win while the Colonels had to wait for an at-large bid to the NCAA Division III playoffs.

Lebanon Valley lost to Widener in the championship game but earned their way into the NCAA tournament with their impressive play.

Freshman Dave Jannuzzi

scored a career-high 34 points points. for the Colonels. Wilkes held a 72-66 lead with 4:07 remaining in regulation when Panko scored seven of Lebanon Valley's final eight points to tie the score at 74-74 and force the overtime.

The Colonels were held scoreless for the final 3:20 of regulation. Their last bucket

The loss dropped the Colonels to a fifth seed in the Middle Atlantic Region of the 64 team NCAA Division III national tournament.

Wilkes had to travel four and a half hours to take on the Salisbury State Sea Gulls in Maryland. This season marked the third consecutive year the Colonels appeared in the

won twenty or more games.

Salisbury State improved to 23-5 with the win and earned a shot at Widener, the MAC Champions, in the second round. The Sea Gulls defeated Widener and will take part in the Sweet 16 round of the tournament this weekend.

The Colonels opened up an early 6-2 lead and held the 45-44. Dave Clancy scored put Wilkes up three at 47-44. but Salisbury State's John DeRichie drilled a threepointer to tie the score at 47

The Sea Gulls' George Robinson followed with a basket that gave Salisbury State their first lead since the game's opening bucket, 49-4 After that the largest lead the Colonels could post was 585 with 14:13 remaining in the

After a Barrouk basketal the 13:45 mark that made the score 60-54, the Sea Gulls switched it into high gear.

Salisbury State went on a 16-4 run that moved them from a six point deficit to a s point lead with 10:19 remaining. The Sea Gulls never looked back from that point outscoring the Colone 64-48 in the second half.

Salisbury State was led Bill Lancaster with 23 point and Robinson with 22 while DeRichie added 16.

Barrouk led the Colonels with 22 points, four rebounds and four blocked shots. Jannuzzi added 17 points, a career-high ten assists and three rebounds. Williams added 16 points, grabbed fin rebounds and dished out five assists. Gryboski scored 10 points and pulled down three boards.

Seth Meyers added nine points and two rebounds off the bench, while Scott Cleveland scored six and ripped down a team high so rebounds. Seniors Tim Burl and Dave Clancy each finish with four points. Clancy pulled down six rebounds an Burlew hit the glass for four



The senior members of the Wilkes basketball team were honored prior to the last regular season home game. From left: Tom McGuire, Wilkes Sports Information Director; Amy Webb, score keeper; Scott Schonewolf and his parents; Dave Clancy and his parents; Tim Burlew and his parents.

came at the 3:20 mark when Brian Gryboski hit a jumper.

Lebanon Valley went on a 7-3 run to open the overtime behind five of Panko's 11 points in the extra session. Lebanon Valley earned a spot Barrouk scored four straight points for the Colonels in overtime to tie the score at 81-81 with 2:07 remaining. Panko and Jannuzzi then traded buckets to set the stage for Panko's heroics.

> Wilkes' seniors Tim Burlew and Dave Clancy struggled in the game missing all of their shots from the field with a 20-6 record, the fourth and combining for just four

tournament but it was the first time they opened on the road.

Wilkes' streak of two consecutive years advancing to the Elite Eight round of the tournament ended when Salisbury State ran past the Colonels to a 101-90 victory.

The Sea Gulls had four players in double figures and utilized a relentless pressure defense to force 28 Wilkes turnovers. The run and gun Sea Gulls used 12 players to force the tempo of the game.

Wilkes finished its season straight year the Colonels have lead for the remainder of the first half, up 42-37 at halftime.

Wilkes' largest lead of the first half was nine points with 6:03 remaining in the first. During the first half, the Colonels executed their game plan by holding the fastbreak Sea Gulls to just 37 first half points. Coming into the matchup, Salisbury State was 12-2 when they scored over 100 points in a game and averaged 94 points per game.

Early in the second half Salisbury State scored seven straight points to pull within

restling season comes to a

WILKES-BARRE - The Wilkes University wrestling team finished its 1996-97 season with seven wrestlers competing in the 1997 Eastern Intercollegian Wrestling Association (EIWA) Championships. WIlkes did not advance anyone through the Championship or Consolation brackets.

Wilkes finished the season with a 4-20 record. Team leaders for the grapplers include 126 pounder Don Morgan with a final record of 11-16, Brad Panichella wrestling at 134 pounds finished the season with a 15-18 record and Jon Laudenslager wrestling at both 134 and 142 pounds ended the season with a 17-11 mark. Duane Ritter, 150 pounds, completed the season with a 13-14 record and Mike Morellino finished the wrestling season with a 12-21 record.

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