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each had five tackles Jake Cole added es and 1.5 sacks. lonel offense was led back Jason Smith d for 119 yards and lown on 25 carries. ort, Smith was named C (Eastern Colleges onference) honorroll. ad another solid percompleting 13 of 20 ards and one touch-

favorite target was Steve Endres who en passes for 88 yards. ke the Wilkes all-tim yardage mark with

inell was perfect on ing 4-4 on PAT's and career-best 40 yard

Colonels take their I record on the road end when they travel to take on the Indian

Journalism and the 21st century is theme for conference

BVALLYSONHANNIGAN News Writer

tober 22.

The Communications national journalists.

"Journalism and the 21st Century.

The conference is set up Should I Prepare?" so that area students can get nications field.

Students will also have an opportunity to get up front will be offered: and personal with those "who have made it" in their

The conference begins at 8:30 a.m. with registra-

tion and sign ups for workshops in the Marts Center. Following Wilkes University will registration, greetings and openbehosting its second annual ing remarks will be given by Dr. High School Journalism Bradford Kinney, chair of the Conference on Friday Oc- Department of Communica-

Afterwards, Dr. J. Michael department has invited stu- Lennon, Vice President of Acadents from 16 area high demic Affairs, will make welschools to participate in a coming remarks from the uniday of workshops and lec-versity and introduce this year's tures from both local and keynote speaker, Ms. Trish Hall a Deputy Editor of the Living This year's theme is Section of the New York Times.

> Hall will present a speech, "You and the Year 2000--How

Students will then have a tion, New York Times hands on experience in dif- chance to attend a workshop of ferent areas of the commutheir choice from 10:00 to 11:00

The following workshops

By: Mr. Larry Stirewalt News Director, WBRE-TV

"Bad News: The Media's Fault?"

By: Ms. Allison Walzer VP & Editor, The Times Leader

"Evolving Corporate Communications Environments"

By: Mr. Bill Bachman Senior Director, Corporate Communications, Blue Cross-Blue Shield of Northeastern Pennsylvania

"Preparing to Get There" By: Ms. Trish Hall Deputy Editor, Living Sec-

After the workshops have panel discussion with a ques- the campus. tion and answer period.

"News Technology: You and an opportunity to ask any ques- remarks with Dr. Jane Elmes- conference, are very optitions they may have for the panel Crahall. Professor of Commu- mistic about the outcome of of workshop moderators.

Students will also be pro-



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Professor Tom Bigler

concluded, there will be an hour vided with lunch and a tour of university students.

This time will give students clude at 1:45 following closing Bigler, coordinators of the nications.

The workshop is open to

Kinney and Communi-The conference will con- cations Professor Thomas this year's conference.

Blood drive turnout could've been better

pecial from the Health ervices Office

Thanks to all of you who ook the time to donate blood at

The turnout was moderate proximately 125 pints of

The following donors were warded at the drive:

\$20 gift certificate from Inesco: Emily Forman

Stroud's: Heather Avery

Brunch for two at Genetti's Legends Restaurant: Chandra Castetter

Tickets for two at F.M Kirby urfirst blood drive of the year. for Gallagher: Jeff Crahalla

Tickets for two at General d we sincerely appreciate Cinema, Wyoming Valley Mall: hase of you who have donated John Dorunda and David Reel

Commuter Punch Card for Cafeteria: Barton Weidlich

Flower centerpiece from herecipients of the prizes Washington florist: Capt. Louis

The residence hall with the highest percentage of students \$20 gift certificate from donating blood was Ross Hall,

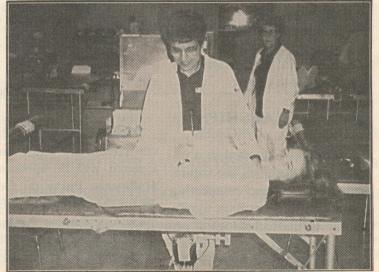


photo by Jen Barkas

Blood drive held in the Marts Center last Thursday.

led by Stephenie Kramer. They will be awarded with a dorm pizza party for their contribu-

Congratulations to all of you. We appreciate all the effort you put into this first blood

We look forward to seeing you at the second blood drive of the year scheduled for February 17,1994.

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OCTOBER *17*

Th American Heart Association Walk

OCTOBER 14

Are you bored of just watch-8:00 p.m. The play is a heartwarming, heartbreaking journey backinto 1942, where two young boys live, love, and grow under the dominance of their ironfisted grandmother. The play has won four Tony Awards including Best Play. Tickets can be purchased at the Kirby CenterBox Office or by calling (717) 826-1100.

A new exhibit is coming to the Sordoni Art Gallery. From October 10 through November 14, the Photo National Exhibit will be on display. The display features the works of contemporary photographers representing a microsurvey of current trends in American Photography. The Gallery is open to the public daily from noon until 5 p.m. and Thursday evenings until 9 p.m. Call the Sordoni Art Gallery at (717) 831-4325 for more information.

The 18th annual Luzerne County Folk Festival is scheduled for October 14-17 at the 109th Armory in Kingston. Admission is \$4 for adults, \$1 for students and free for children under 12. For more information call 288-2489.

OCTOBER 16

The Da Ponte Quartet will perform at 8 p.m. on October 16 at the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts. Schooled in Hungarian tradition of ensemble playing, the quartet has gained considerable critical acclaim since their formation in 1991.

needs volunteers to help with registration to make sure that the walkers have enough water. The walk will be on October 17 from ing T.V.? Then why not see a 8a.m. to 1 p.m. If you're looking play at the Kirby Center? Neil for something simple yet reward-Simon's Lost in Yonkers will ing, come out and help support be opening on October 14 at the walk. If you think you would be interested in helping, call Amy Mazur or see her or Mary Hession on the third floor of the Student Union Building.

> Come out to Marywood College on October 17 for The Palloza Illusion Festival. The concert is an attempt to slightly imitate "Lollapalooza," a national summer tour that consists of major alternative bands. The Palloza Illusion Festival will feature local bands from the Scranton/ Wilkes-Barre area such as tribes, LZ English, and Rosetta Stone. The festival will be held on Marywood Campus, in the parking lot behind the Human Services Center. Tickets are \$3.00 in advance and \$5.00 at the gate. Advanced sales will be held at all area colleges and universities. Proceeds benefit Marywood's chapter of the American Advertising Federation.

OCTOBER 19

Dr. Donald Miller, author of a biography of Lewis Mumford, will present a lecture "Cities in Evolution," on the place of man in the natural world, on October 19 at 8 p.m. at the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center.

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ity requirements and more infor-

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in SLC 145 by November 1, 1993.

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Jeanne White to speak at Wilkes IDS Awareness Week

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In Cierco, Ryan attended school and became an honor So it was quite a surprise roll student. He also obtained a on one week before Christ- driver's license, and visited in 1984, Jeanne was told Elton John and Michael Jack-

Although Ryan's dreams m. Although the doctors were coming true, his health thim only six months to was rapidly deteriorating. On Ryan wanted to maintain a Saturday, April 7, 1990, five mal life. He wanted to stay and a half years after Ryan was chool and Jeanne was deter- diagnosed with AIDS, he passed away. His mom and Elton John

As hard as it was to lose Ryan, Jeanne remains involved with AIDS education and the fight for increased research. She is on the board of the American Foundation for AIDS Research, hie became an educator to has testified before a Congres-

e ahemophiliac, who was was shot through the White's whether they're gay, Hispanic, responsibility."

monday. November 29 town to allow Ryan to attend be read by anyone from age 10 But this is something I want to at the lecture. do. Education is the only thing

This is just the sketchy out-

sional Committee, and has want to keep educating people line of Jeanne and Ryan's life. It The Whites won the initial worked with a publisher on her about AIDS. I know it's going will be much more effective and battle. The courts forced the son's autobiography, which can to be rough watching others die. powerful when heard firsthand

After the lecture there will Jeanne plans to continue that is going to save people and be a booksigning and reception The townspeople continued working with AIDS patients and we've got to get it to them. Be- in the lobby of the CPA at 8:30 white's son was Ryan to abuse the family until a bullet family. She says, "I don't care cause of Ryan, I feel it is my p.m. Books can be purchased in the bookstore.

WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP:

QUILT DISPLAY - Volunteers are needed at the Quilt display as

- 1) Quilt monitors Volunteers will stand at the corners of the panels and protect the display from any damage. Volunteers must wear white clothing and shoes.
- 2) Readers Volunteers will read the names of people who have died from AIDS for an interval of five minutes.
- 3) Volunteers are needed for panel check-in, NAMES Project merchandise sales, media check-in, greeting visitors and distribution of programs.

JEANNE WHITE LECTURE - Volunteers are needed to greet visitors and distribute programs.

STUDENT AND COMMUNITY INFORMATION EXPO - Student groups (classes, clubs, etc.) are asked to develop a poster session regarding a specific issue related to the HIV and/or AIDS. Many faculty are more than willing to help with this effort.

DISCUSSION GROUPS - Volunteers are needed to serve as peer counselors for these discussions with high school groups. Volunteers must attend a training session sponsored by the Wyoming Valley AIDS Council in order to serve in this capacity.

SIGNATURE SQUARES - Individuals can prepare a 12" x 12" panel that expresses their feelings and experiences with HIV and AIDS. These panels will be sewn onto the Signature Square to commemorate the display of the NAMES Quilt at Wilkes University.

PREPARING A PANEL - Anyone can assist in the preparation of a 3' x 6' panel remembering a loved one, friend, or companion that has died of AIDS. Each panel will be displayed with the other 648 panels and eventually become incorporated into the NAMES Quilt.

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Students are encouraged to become active members of the Student AIDS Awareness Committee which meets THURSDAYS, at noon, in SLC 359.				

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The Wilkes University Press does it again

By GINA M. TAGNANI News Editor

Breiseth, president, held a re- for authors and printers. ception in the honor of Dr. Charles E. Myers.

The Wilkes Press recently Cox. published one of Myers' books Times of Thomas Bennet.

According to Harold Cox, sity has, in the last few years, sity.

approached the printing of books as a service program.

As well as printing on On Sunday, October 10, campus at the print shop bethe Wilkes University Press hind Weckesser Hall, the uniand Dr. Christopher N. versity is often a go-between

> "We look for bidders on printing off-campus," said

Cox has in many instances entitled A Conneticut Yankee offered technical support to in Penn's Woods: The Life and authors affiliated, or not, with the university.

The printing program is coordinator of Internal Publi- self-sustaining and does not cation Operations, the univer- drain money from the univer-

Seminars offered for small businesses

Small Business Development begin on October 21 for five seminar will cover topics s Center and the Office of Con- nights. tinuing Education are co-spon- The "Loan Package and ability, and worker's compen soring seminars to help people Cash Flow" seminar will an-tion. build better businesses. Held in swer questions about securing the evenings on the Wilkes Uni- financing to start a business or seminaris designed to helpth these seminars include: Small bility, terms of loans, credit re- exporting. Opportunities a Business Start Up, Loan Pack- quirements, and borrower's re- benefits of exporting will be a second of the second age and Cash Flow; Small Busi-sponsibility will be discussed at explained October 20 by an ness Insurance, and ABC's of the October 18 seminar. Exporting.

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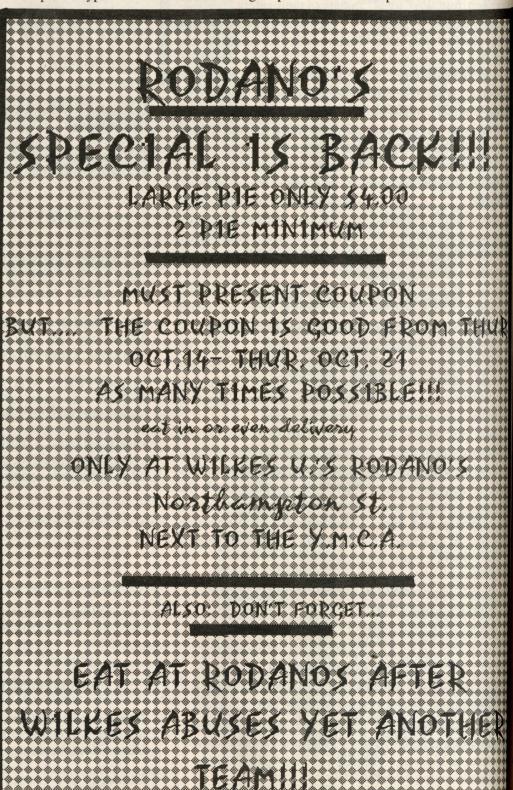
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EDITORIAL

Everywhere you look around campus you can tell the ress is building. Students are starting to get that glazed lack sleep look as the professors continue to pile on the work of

Just when you thought you would never see the light at the nd of the academic tunnel, the break you have been waiting or has arrived. Although it is only a two day break, it is still grasleep time. Besides, after a couple of days of being back thome with mom and dad, calculus and physics will seem like

Have you heard the news? The debate is on to change the me of the Wilkes mascot. What do you think of the Wilkes lears? Sounds catchy doesn't it? Picture in your mind the age of "Grizzly Bob" riding the unicycle! Although I doubt will ever happen,, it could be fun to think about.

I received this flyer in the mail recently. It makes a owerful statement and as I have pointed out in one of my mer editorials, we value the freedom of speech, no matter hat the topic. I am leaving this with you to ponder over uing break. Any response in the form of a letter to the editor

You wouldn't wear these.





Why would you wear these?



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Nominations due Fri., Elections are Thurs., Oct.

*Open Forum, Tues., Nov. 16, 11 a.m. -1 p.m. in SLC 101

*Next SG meeting is Wed., 15, Noon-2 in SLC lobby Oct. 20, at 6:30 p.m. in Marts

IDLE CHATTER

By MICHAEL BUTCHKO

Columnist

On this week before Fall Break, many items could grab the marquee in this column. On the political scene, Somalia is healing slowly while Haiti is simmering. But that's not

Michael Jordan's retirement last Wednesday was a loss for basketball. But don't count me among the mourners. Along with being the greatest ever, he also had one of the worst attitudes of any pro athlete. At his press conference, MJ said he looks forward to not having to deal with the media. I pity you so much, Michael. Without television, Mr. Jordan you'd be the greatest player no one saw. Good-bye and don't let the door hit you in the Nike's on the way out.

But even Michael's announcement, for as monumental as it was, wasn't enough to capture the clatter.

From the Associated Press wire, dated Saturday, October 9, 1993:

"In Moraine, Ohio, a five year-old set a house fire last week in which his two year-old sister died, and their mother blamed "Beavis and Butthead" for promoting burning as fun." Say it with me now, accountability.

Or better yet, to quote the old *Highlights* magazine, "What's wrong with this picture?" For those of you who have never had the joy of seeing "Beavis and Butthead," it is a satirical cartoon lampooning teenagers who do nothing but watch MTV all day and basically

Like Seymour Butz of "He Said, She Said" fame.

The show frequently contains strong language and many sexual allusions. So why is a five year-old watching this? And better yet, how did he get matches or a lighter?

Two things trouble me here. The first (and most obvious) is that this child was watching MTV. Now those who know me know that I don't buy censorship at all. But MTV has more sex than most other channels. And I don't think that it's really suitable for a five year-old. So the mother blames MTV when it is her fault. That's expected.

The wild card in all of this is MTV, which agreed to rethink certain "Beavis" concepts. Why am I not surprised?

This has to be the most hypocritical network on television. Less than three years ago, they trashed Tipper Gore and her crusade to label all records with offensive content. When she became the nominee for "second lady," MTV embraced her. This is the network that decries the censorship proposed by the Christian right and then bans a Sir Mix-A-Lot video until after 9 p.m. and a Madonna video altogether. What's up, fellas?

"Beavis and Butthead" are occasionally funny. But we all know kids imitate whatever they see. So monitor their viewing, plain and simple.

Have a good Fall Break, don't play with matches, and if anything goes wrong, blame someone else.

That's all for now. We'll chat again after break.

This Week in History

Compiled By the Wilkes University History Club

Macdonald and Herbert church. Hoover in support of the Kellog-Brand Pact.

October 11, 1870 - Gen- the Allies eral La Marmora enters Rome

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as Viceroy; proclaims the Pope sians Burn Moscow in advance 224.5 mph.

October 16,1881-People, a weekly tabloid publishes its

October 17, 1922 - World air speed record set by general October 15, 1812 - Rus- William "Billy" Mitchell at

"Goin' To The Chapel..."

By SEYMOUR BUTZ

In the 1989 song "Funky Cold Medina" By Tone Loc, the protagonist, Mr. Loc, procures particular potions for procreation. (Alliteration returns!) Upon giving the elixer to one maiden, she wishes not to procreate, but "instead she started to talkin' 'bout plans for marriage." Tone's response is to vacate the premises immediately.

I can only gather that Tone Loc met the fair Amanda.

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confessed to Fa-Seymour that she color of her maids' gowns seshe was five. I her that finding a boy, er, I mean might and

not be easy. She retorted that men are afraid of marriage don't even think about it.

Yeah, so?

As usual, I must explain to Amanda that this idea is utterly trite. She no loubt picked it up from the latest Cosmopolitan, with the scantily clad women on the cover, next to the article, "How to Satisfy Your Man Every Time, And Then Go Make A Mean Ham and Cheese Sandwhich." But I digress rapidly.

It has been said by Amanda (and people more inteligent) that men are afraid of committment. Not all committments, I try to tell her. It's just that marriage s such a long step. We men are afraid of spending the rest of our natural lives with the incorrect person, so we postpone major decisons.

This comes as a shock to Amanda, who knows exactly what songs will be olayed at the wedding. No doubt "Na Na, Hey Hey, Kiss Him Goodbye" by Steam will be heard, since no matter who he will be, he will never be seen happy

So I tried to explain to her that men don't really care what color everyone wears. All they care about is whether or not this young lady is Ms. Right. As usual, it takes two to three days for any high level of information or tricky jokes to pass through Amanda's pretty, but empty, head. So whatever is said today will be deciphered over Fall Break.

In closing then, I ask the fair Amanda, "You're wearing white? Who are you kidding?" That's what he said.

> What would you like to see in He Said, She Said?

By AMANDA HUGINKIS

While this topic is sure to scare most of the guys away from "He Said, She Said for a few weeks, Seymour and I thought it might be best to take our chances, do thin the Christian way, and talk about the "m" word before the "s' word. Yes, Iknow college students talking about marriage before sex is unheard of, but Seymour and aren't even dating so I think it's safe to proceed (with the column, that is).

Actually, our whole conversation started because I saw this show on Donah (Yes, Donahue. Not, as Seymour suggested, from Cosmo, which does incidental have some good stories.) about how men and women look at marriage. Wanting test out the theory, I approached Seymour to find out if men really were in the when it comes to marriage. For once, Seymour didn't fail me. At the word "marriage" he bolted out the door and left me standing at the proverbial alter.

So what do guys think about marriage? Quite simply, they don't. Guys, unli females, do not fantasize about what their wedding will be like, unless the topicist wedding night or the cute little bimbo who jumped out of the cake at the bachelorpan They have not been planning their ideal wedding since the age of five. They don't have the colors of their groomsmen's tuxes

ready on order. And they do Bride's Magazine the day

Women, however, I'll be the first to had my wedding years. In case all six of

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Modern Bride, and my husband-to-be will earn a six digit income before I consider being his wife. (Hey Seymour, why are you running away?) This is one topic that I simply can't argue with. Girls have grown up believing

they should be planning their wedding at the first sign of interest by a male. Guysi the other hand, take a running start and simply bolt at the mention of marriage. they get roped in, guys don't give much marriage much attention and when they notice, it's only to complain that the bar isn't open during the entire reception.

Don't think this male indifference ends with marriage though. Girls, it's endless cycle. You're always planning — first it's your marriage, then the meals, then your family. Guys are, as usual, just along for the ride. They don't anything much thought (thank god) until they have to.

I seem to think that this is one of those inexplicable gender differences—one is probably better left alone. The divorce rate is high enough the way it is.

So for this week, what she says is, I do, but where's Mr. Right?

Send your ideas to The Beacon Wilkes Box 111!

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Needless to say to anyone the has ever experienced the olent Femmes, this trio is cableof explosive magic. Workwithout much more than ood, strings, and cowskin, the mmes rip, roar, and reverberwith such smarts and style but by the time they've had their ay with a crowd, there is little hich hasn't been said and

It's actually a very intimate ng these Milwaukeeans do, and e beauty of it all is that while s something like mass-sex, ere's never any post-concert alousy to muck things up. Once listener falls in love with the olent Femmes, it's always for

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and it's a cultural groove watching what happens among those who achieve that rarefied respect. With the Violent Femmes, it's a matter of Gordon Gano, Victor DeLorenzo and Brian Ritchie speaking uniquely for those who wish they could, but maybe never got the chance.

From the first plaintive and whose fans mate for life, desperation of "Gimme the Car" on through the societal strains of "American Music," the Violent Femmes supply a soundtrack of reality. Along the way, there are detours and distractions, of course, but never dead ends.

If the Violent Femmes have accomplished anything, it's that they've recognized the need for truth in a time when it is a lot easier to hide

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behind cynism or paint platitudes. And even if it may not be everyone's truth, it's definitely words and music that rings true for those who use it like a life raft.

In the middle of the '80s, deep into the Ronald Reagan years, the Violent Femmes played a concert at Carnegie Hall in New York. The venerable room was bursting at the

seams with crazed children of the revolution, and as the performance got underway, it didn't take them long to realize that this was a night without rules. It was only a slight hop onto the stage and shortly into the band's set, dozens of their followers surrounded them, pulling at their instrumentts and completely overcome with emotion.

The group would leave the stage so some semblance of order could be restored, until finally they realized this night belonged to their faithful. By the time the evening ended, everyone in Carnegie Hall had consumated their love for the Violent Femmes.

For most rock 'n' roll bands this would have been an odyssey to tuck away in the history books. But for the Violent Femmes, mark it up to business as usual. They built their music on the sound of freedom and have spent a decade watching that precious pursuit come home to roost.



By INNA KASPLER aff Writer

The quality of the food at e Sub is sinking. Complaints out cafeteria food have surked every semester, but the bub offered many students an scape from several dreaded afeteria meals. However, this mester something is missing. It's those Ottis Spunkmeyer okies. No, those will not be

There is also an inadequate mount of fruit, yogurt, and lads available at the Sub. And here is the chilli?

supplying a different variety cookies, soon.

But, what about the other

University Food Committee, a sub-group (no pun intended) of the Student Government, met with the Vice President for Business Affairs and Auxiliary Enterprises, Paul O'Hop, in order to discuss selections at the cafeteria. The representatives proposed more chicken entrees, such as broiled chicken, along with several theme meals.

The effort to meet student needs is appreciated, but maybe "taco night" does not meet the demands of student body. What is the problem?

"The biggest difficulty as Don't despair. The Sub will I perceive it is the lack of communication from the committee to the students and from the students back to the committee. 'The food sucks' Last Tuesday, the Wilkes is not constructive," says

O'Hop.
What about a survey? food committee to draft and deliver a survey to all students who would be electing a meal plan. Based on the replies, the committee would construct a plan in which they would weigh students' demands, budget, and the products available to comprise a balanced food plan.

I proposed this to O'Hop who replied, "I would be more than happy to supply food service that would please the students." However, as a guideline, O'Hop does enforce the 20/80 scale, which indicates that if 80% of students are happy, 20% are not, and vice versa.

Many students are in amazement that Wilkes cafeteria food meets F.D.A. standards.

And according to O'Hop, "the dining hall is in terrible shape" in terms of equipment.

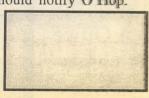
However, the quality of the food is comparatively good. Morrison's Hospitality Group, managed at Wilkes by Mike Zeoli, is one of the largest food companies. It is the owner of Ruby Tuesday's and L & N Seafood Restaurant chains. They have been supplying the Wilkes cafeteria and sub with food selections for five years, and they have to meet a national quality standard. Morrison's must meet N.A.C.U.B.O. standards, which is a standard met by all colleges and university cafeterias. They also have a dietician who coordinates the meals in 28 day cycles.

STANDARDS

Dining at Wilkes can only get better. The school is building a new cafeteria. Pickering Hall will be torn down and a new building will be put up to house the cafeteria. This new facility will have better equipment and more space.

Several options were proposed for the present, like a food court. However, the plan fell through because it was considered wasteful.

As for the Sub, no changes are made without O'Hop's permission. If there are students who have a concern about modifications in the Sub, they should notify O'Hop.



Flip Phillips blows Wilkes away



By LYNN MARIE ROSENCRANCE

Features Editor

Wilkes University was graced by the performance of Flip Phillips, a great jazz saxophonist, as part of the Jazz at Wilkes series.

The CPA auditorium was packed Monday night as Flip and his band played the audience the blues.

The band consists of Dick Hyman, pianist; Frank Tate, bassist; and Joe Ascione, drummer.

Phillips has a reputation for wowing his audiences and

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Wilkes was no exception.

If you missed this concert, you missed an unforgettable performance.

Phillips has performed with the Woody Herman band, Charlie Parker, Dizzy Gillespie, Coleman Hawkins, and Lester Young.

This first performance in a series of four concerts is being presented as part of the 60th anniversary celebration of Wilkes University. Jazz at Wilkes is supported, in part, by private subscriptions, and features some of the finest performers on the jazz arena.

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Da Ponte Strings to perform at Wilkes

WILKES-BARRE — Wilkes University will host the Da Ponte String Quartet's first performance of the season on Saturday, October 16 at 8 p.m. in the CPA.

The quartet will perform Beethoven's String Quartet Op. 18 No. 5, the Shostakovich String Quartet No. 5, and the Piano Quintet in F minor by Johannes Brahms, featuring guest pianist Hugh Sung.

The Da Ponte String Quartet is in residence in Northeastern Pennsylvania and has an affiliation with the Department of Music, Theater, and Dance at Wilkes. Members of the quartet are Ferdinand Liva, Jr., and Gabriel Gordon, violinists; and Myles Jordan, cellist.

This season the quartet will produce four radio broadcasts for WVIA-FM.

In addition to their concert and teaching schedule in Northeastern Pennsylvania, the quartet performs a regular series at the Ethical Society in Philadelphia and maintains a summer residency in South Bristol,

Guest pianist, Hugh Sung made his solo debut with the Philadelphia Orchestra at age 11. Two years later, he entered the Curtis Institute of Music where his instructors included Elanor Sokoloff, Jorge Bolet, and Symour Lipkin. He has performed in major cities throughout the United States, Canada, Central America, Japan, and Korea.

In addition to his solo endeavors, Sung has continued to receive critical acclaim for his work as an ensemble musician. He has collaborated in chamber music with Tchaikovsky Competition winners Frank Almond and David Kim, and with violinist Aaron Rosand.

He has won first place in the Nationwide Arts Recognition Talent Search endorsed by the National Foundation for the Advancement in the Arts, and placed second in the 1991 Joanna Hodges International Piano Competition's London Recital division. Sung has recorded all of the Brahms literature for violin and piano with are asking. The Rosand under the biddulph label, as well as numerous other works, including the complete set of violin sonatas by Handel

Currently, Sung is a faculty member of the Temple University Gifted Youth Music Program, a faculty member at the New Arts Festival in Fort Myers, Florida, and a staff accompanist both at Temple University and the Curtis Institute.

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Wilkes Rocked in the Woods 4 Life

By LYNN MARIE ROSENCRANCE

Features Editor

The Wilkes University AIDS Awareness Committee along with the Woodlands Inn and Resort sponsored Rock 4 Life Monday evening at 7 p.m. The event was coordinated by Wilkes graduate Jason Gani.

The concert featured such bands as Daddy O and the Sex Maniacs, Freight Train, Acee C Ducey, So What and Twice Wilted. Each act performed 45 minute sets during the three hour show. Students paid a \$7 cover charge to hear the mix of alternative, rock, and rap bands.

Although attendance was low, there were some pleasant surprises.

So What, the band that drew the most attendance, played as well as was expected. The big surprise of the night was the band Twice Wilted, the alternative band from Denver, Colorado. Mike Trusa, a Luzerne County Community College freshman, commented, "I came out to see So What, but was really



photo by Jen Barkas

impressed with Twic Wilted."

Kristy Hallam, Presider of the AIDS Awareness Con mittee, commented on thelo attendance. "I was really ho ing more Wilkes studen would attend. This isn't ju an abstract cause, it's to he support research AIDS. The disease isn't particular, any one can get it. We [the com mittee] would like to thi that Wilkes students wou be more supportive in o goals to help AIDS patien around the world."

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LYNNMARIE take a step back and look at ROSENCRANCE

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Wilkes University ad- sider a language skill as a uses itself as a liberal skill which will greatly enschool. Then how is it hance their opportunities the language require- and their rise within a parat was dropped? Isn't ticular profession . . ."

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Professor Robert Steele, majority of our student to teaches French, com-body are declared science ented "I think it is a con-majors. Then Wilkes goes adiction in terms. There is and drops the language repushon campus right now quirement. I'm dead set rcultural diversity. They against it."

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By BRAD HAYS Co-Copy Editor

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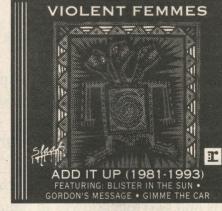
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Wilkes moves to 5-0 with 28-14 win over Juniata

By DAVE MCCABE Sports Editor

The Wilkes University football team improved to 5-0 on the year with a 28-14 win over Juniata Saturday afternoon.

The Colonels wasted little time getting on the board when Jason Smith capped off a four play 30 yard drive with a one yard touchdown run. Joel O'Donnell's extra point was good giving the Colonels a 7-0 lead.

Wilkes would score again in the first quarter after quarterback Boo Perry

hit Ryan Alston with a short pass. Alston then raced for a 51 yard touchdown. O'Donnell's kick was good for a 14-0 Wilkes

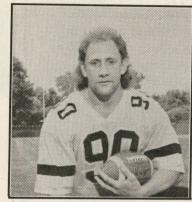
Juniata would cut the lead to 14-6 before Smith scored his second touchdown.

O'Donnell's kick gave the Colonels a 21-6 halftime lead.

The Colonels would make it 28-6 when Arkenn Wade ran for a 28 yard touchdown midway through the third quarter.

Juniata would score once more late in the third, but the Colonel defense held tough in the fourth to give the Colonels the 28-14 victory.

Offensively for the Colo-



Mark Buss earned ECAC Player of the Week honors for his play against Juniata. photo courtesy sports info.

nels, it was Smith rushing for 137 yards and two touchdowns on 32 carries. For his performance he was named to the ECAC honor roll.

Perry also had a good day,

completing 10 out of 18 passes for 152 yards and one touchdown.

On the receiving end of Perry's passes was Steve Endres, who caught five passes for 59 yards, and Ryan Alston who caught three for 75 yards and one score.

The Colonel defense had another strong day, forcing seven Indian turnovers.

Mark Buss led all tacklers with 15. He also had a sack, a forced and recovered fumble and two pass break-ups, earning ECAC (Eastern College Athletic Conference) Player of the Week honors for the second time this season.

Mike McCree had 10 tad Thursday, losing les and Larry Trakes record goal unassisted. nine, with one forced and tw recovered fumbles and a pa Kim Kaskel score

Jake Cole had eight tac les and a sack, while J Woodward and Bob Delbo chipped in with eight tack

breakup.

Defensive back Mil Modla had two interceptio 5-1-1 to improve t and Aaron Wilk had done the MAC Freedom the Colonels.

The win sets up this week score of 2-0. Russ showdown with FDU-Mat while Chris Erb an son, which will probably Goalie Brian Jacob cide the MAC (Middle Atl tic Conference) Freed reedom League ga League Champion.

Kickoff is set for 1:00 at Ralston Field.

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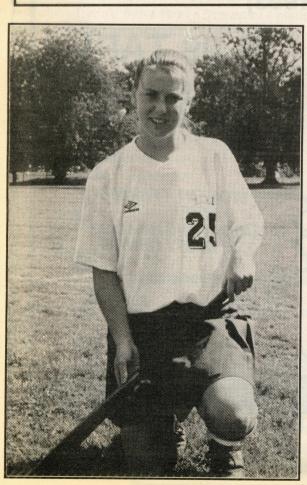
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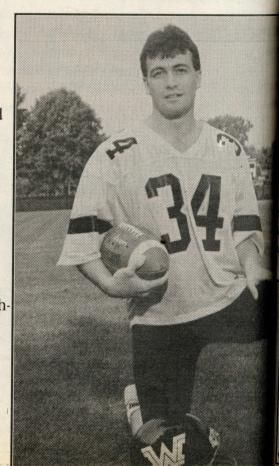
Kaskel, a sophomore field hockey player, scored the game winning goal in the Lady Colonels' 1-0 win over Drew Saturday afternoon.

Kaskel is tied for the team lead with eight goals and leads the team in assists with six.

Smith, a senior on the football team, rushed for 137 yards and two touchdowns in Saturday's 28-14 victory over Juniata.

On the season, Smith leads the MAC with 499 yards on the ground. He has also scored three touch downs and was named to the ECAC honor roll for the second time this week.

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Week In Review

Compiled by Sports Information

Field Hockey at 6-5-1

The Wilkes field hockey team moved its overall record 16-5-1 and 1-1 in the MAC (Middle Atlantic Conference) medom League by splitting a pair of games this past week

The Lady Colonels lost a tough decision to Moravian on hursday, losing 2-1. Theresa Havel tallied the only Wilkes

Wilkes would bounce back against Drew, winning 1-0. Kim Kaskel scored the only goal off a Justine Nemshick

On the season, it is Kaskel and Toni Farinella with eight oals apiece, while Havel has six on the year.

Men's Soccer Team Hot

After a slow start the Wilkes men's soccer team has gone 4-1 to improve their record to 6-6-2 overall and 2-3-1 in he MAC Freedom League.

The Colonels were victorious over Moravian by the core of 2-0. Russ Hiser and Chad Heffner scored goals, while Chris Erb and Bucky Craft assisted on the goals. Goalie Brian Jacobsen had 14 saves.

Wilkes was able to tie Deleware Valley in a MAC fredom League game when Dave Unzicker scored a goal at 88:45 to tie the game at one apiece.

Women's Tennis Playing Tough

The women's team went 1-2 this past week, losing two ough matches and beating King's for the first time in 10 ears. Wilkes is now 3-5 on the year.

Picking up victories in the 5-4 win in the King's match ere Jessica Bixler, Karen Behling, Denise Motts, Arada Kunyosying, and the doubles team of Gina Taylor and Motts, all wins coming in straight sets.

Against Moravian, a tough 5-4 loss, it was Taylor and lixler picking up wins in singles, and in doubles play it was Bixler/Behling and Motts/Taylor getting straight set victo-

The Lady Colonels also came up short to Drew by a 6-3 count. Behling and Motts picked up singles wins, while Motts/Taylor made it three in a row in doubles play.

Harriers Compete at Drew

The cross-country team competed in the Drew Invitaonal this weekend, but was a non-counter.

Leading Wilkes was Brad Smith who ran a 30:58 for eventh place. Jeff Crahalla ran a 31:10 good for 10th place. en Miller and Lou Marnell finished 27th and 28th respec-

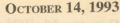
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Field hockey team in action Saturday afternoon.

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Volleyball team struggling

By ERICA KRAMER Sports Writer

Lately the Wilkes University volleyball team has been plagued with a losing record, going 0-6 in their last four encounters.

On Thursday, October 7, Coach Maria Haslin and her squad faced a competitive Moravian squad. The Colonels were beaten in straight sets, 4-15, 7-15, 7-15.

Samantha Smart had 10;

Christine Kennelly had six service points and one kill.

After succumbing to Moravian, the Lady Colonels traveled to Upsala. On this occasion they were defeated 15-13, 10-15, 12-15, and 11-

Wendy O'Connor had 11 kills, six blocks, and one ace.

Finally on Tuesday, October 12, Wilkes played host to Scranton University. The Colonels were defeated in

One bright spot for the Colonels was the performance of O'Connor who had eight kills, six blocks, and four service points. Smart had six kills and four blocks.

The Lady Colonels will try to end their losing streak this Saturday when they face two tough opponents in the teams from Susquehanna and Scranton.

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A REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE LOCAL VET CENTER WILL BE ON CAMPUS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21ST FROM 11 A.M. TO 1 P.M. IN MARTS CENTER ROOM 203 TO CONDUCT A SEMINAR ON COUNSELING SERVICES, BENEFITS REVIEW AND RELATED VETERAN ISSUES.

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Undefeated Colonels to battle FDU-Madison

WILKES-BARRE Ralston Field will be the site of a battle for first place in the Middle Atlantic Conference (MAC) Freedom League between the Colonels of Wilkes University and the Jersey Devils of FDU-Madison on Saturday. Kickoff is set for 1:00

Wilkes, 5-0 overall, 2-0 in the MAC Freedom, is coming off a 28-14 win over Juanita College. FDU- Madison, 4-1, 3-0 in the MAC Freedom League, beat Albright 33-7 on Saturday.

The Colonels are of to their best start since 1968.

"This will be a good test for us," said head coach Joe DeMelfi. "They are 4-1 on the year and have beaten some good teams. We will need to stop their passing offense, led by Frank Plefka and Vic Moncato, and do a better job when we're on offense. Against Juanita we turned the ball over too many times. We

cannot afford to do that again this week."

On offense Wilkes will look to several players to play key roles on Saturday. Tailback Jason Smith, Pine Grove, PA, leads the MAC in rushing and has totaled 499 yards on 132 carries for the season. Smith is now just 418 yards shy of breaking the school all-time mark for rushing of 2,869 yards held by Ted Yaeger ('68-'71). Smith was named to the ECAC Southern Division Honor Roll after racking up 137 yards on the ground.

Quarterback Boo Perry, Canton, PA, with a 152 yard day against Juanita, now has passed for 1049 yards for the year. In his brief career Perry now has 2108 yards in passing, good for fourth on the alltime Wilkes list.

His two favorite targets have been Steve Endres from Palmerton, PA, and Ryan Alston (Ocean Twp., NJ).

Endres, now just 13 recep-

tions shy of breaking the school mark of 178 held by Tony DiGrazia ('84-87), has 34 catches for 502 yards and one touchdown this season. Endres' 6.8 receptions per game lead the MAC. Alston, the freshman, is second with 16 catches for 307 yards and 4 touchdowns.

Overall, Wilkes is fourth in total offense with 371.8 yards a game (162.0/209.8 passing).

Ranked number one in defense in the MAC, giving up 168 yards a game (81.2 rushing/86.8 passing), they are lead by several key players.

Linebacker Mike McCree of West Orange, NJ leads the team with 52 tackles (11 solo), while another linebacker. Mark Buss, from Dallas, PA, is second with 46 tackles (16 solo). Buss is coming off his 15 tackle performance of the year and was named the ECAC Southern Division Defensive Player of the Week for the second time in three weeks for

his effort.

Defensive ends Larry Trakes of Frackville, PA, and Jake Cole, of Kulpmont, PA are close behind with 40 and 30 tackles respectively. Trackes and Cole also have five sacks each on the year.

Placekicker Joel O'Donnel of Plymouth Meeting, PA is 14-18 in extra points and four of eight in field goals with the longest completed attempt at 40 yards. Punter Joe Machuzak of Mount Caramel, PA has kicked 23 times for an average of 32.6 with five inside the 20.

The Jersey Devils come in with a record of 4-1 on the year. The Devils are led by quarterback Frank Plaefka who is 70 of 121 for 1066 yards, 12 touchdowns, and five interceptions. His favorite target is Vic Moncato who has caught 26 passes for 519 yards and seven touchdowns.

The FDU-Madison Devils come in averaging 283.6 yards a game (63,4 rushing/240.2

passing) and 23 points a game

The Jersey Devil defens is led by Ed Schon who has tackles (17 solo) and En Kohler with 32 tackles (1) solo). Schon also has three interceptions while Kohlen tied for the team lead in sack with three.

Overall defensively the Jer sey Devils are fourth in tol defense giving up 240.2 yard a game (95.8 rushing/95 passing).

This is the first meeting between the two teams sind 1986 with Wilkes winning? 14. Overall the Colonels lea the series 7-2.

The Colonels come in ranked third in the NCA Division III South region, fift in the Lambert/Meadowland Poll and 14th in Don Hanse Football Gazette.

Wilkes will be at Widen next week with a kickoff 1:30 p.m. in Chester.

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Wilkes Univ new territor and in the pr hildren's televi WBRE-TV.

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Women's soccer drops pair

By ERICA KRAMER Sports Writer

The women's soccer team suffered two losses in their last two encounters.

The now 2-9 Colonels traveled up the road to College Misericordia on Wednesday, October 6, where they were defeated by a score of 3-0. Although the score looks devastating, Coach Tim Barrera only had eight of 11 girls needed to play the game. Again troubled by a short roster, the club had to work with what they had.

On this outing, sophomore Michelle Shaffer was scored upon for the first time since her goalie debut during the Centenary game late in Sep-

On Saturday, October 9, the Lady Colonels played host to Dickinson College. The Colonels once again were shutout, 4-0. Tanya Daigle gave up three goals and Shaffer one in the loss.

Because of the weather on September 27, the game against King's was rescheduled and will be played today at Ralston Field. The Lady Colonels will be looking to add another win this afternoon when they take on their crosstown rivals.

UPCOMING SPORTS EVENTS

Today, October 14 Field Hockey at King's, 4:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 16 Football vs FDU-Madison, at home, 1:00 p.m. Field Hockey vs Susquehanna, at home, 11:00 a.m. Men's Soccer at Drew, 3:00 p.m. Cross Country at Allentown, TBA Volleyball at Susquehanna, 11:00 a.m. Women's Tennis vs Susquehanna, at home, 11:00 a.m.

Monday, October 18 Field Hockey at FDU-Madison, 4:00 p.m. Volleyball at Allentown, TBA Women's Soccer vs Messiah, at home, 3:30 p.m.

> Tuesday, October 19 Women's Tennis at FDU-Madison