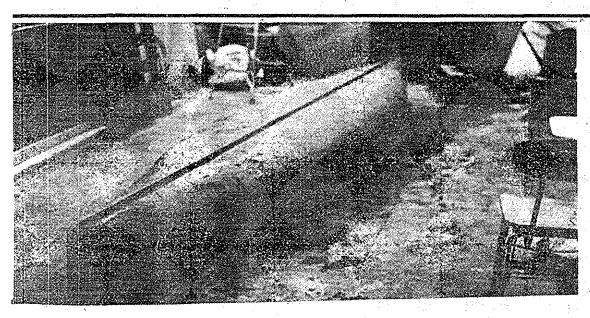
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Heavy, Heavy - YSU Engineering Department's concrete canoe sits in its bay in the Engineering & Science Building. See story on page 2. (Photo by L & M)

Variety of factors contribute

Student dropout rate is questioned

by Stacey Savka

Why do students who are attending YSU decide to abandon their goal of obtaining a degree?

An ad hoc committee, comprised of 17 members of the Acainitiate studies on student attrisaid Dr. H. Thomas McCracken, stated Livosky. chairman of the committee.

The committee is studying the student attrition. "We're just exploring. We're after information," commmented McCracken.

The exploration is just beginning. The committee is studying the statistics of students who drop out of YSU and is trying to find some factors that can cause attri-

tion. William Livosky, director of admissions and committee mem-

demic Senate has been set up to selves, and their friends and rela-decided majors." tives. "Academic contribution to According to tion (resignation) in order to de- the dropout rate is significantly committee will consider setting up velop steps for retaining students, smaller than the other factors," "an exit interview program." This

committee will examine these program will perhaps necessitate major factors that contribute to as well as other factors, and try to an interview of students who are control them while also improving dropping out, and if initiated it areas that need improvement to may increase retention. increase the retention rate at Another way to improve the

students is the first six weeks of four-year student, but "minorities their freshman year," he added and non-traditional students are McCracken said if students

ber, has already broken down receive good feedback during the some student statistics, and is in critical weeks, they are likely to the process of pinpointing the have a better attitude towards factors that lead to attrition, college.

Livosky cited such factors as McCracken continued, "The poor teaching, the students them- attrition rate is highest for un-

would be one way of improving According to Livosky, the academic services at YSU. The

retention rate of students at YSU One of the areas that need im- being considered by the committprovement is the academic ser- tee, other than academic services. vices at YSU, commented McCracken includes concentrating on stu-"The most critical time for dents; not just the traditional

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Art exhibit presents fine student graphics

by Patricia Kane

Exhibit being displayed in the expressions as well as emotions Kilcawley Art Gallery is a fine is one which deserves recognition. example of the work being done. His illustrations contain a great by students in the visual arts deal of control over his subject department here at YSU.

The show includes a variety of illustrations, magazine layouts, album ads, paper samplers, and more. It is a combination of efforts involving the use of various media in order to solve some of the various design problems. The exhibit also suggests many hours of tedious, dedicated work.

Special recognition should be given to William Hnida who stole the show with his excellent use of pen and ink. His "Photograph illustration" as well as his "Self Promotion" pamphlet show unbelievable detail and a great deal of talent.

definite style of his own in his has proven to a successful one.

three illustrations. His ability to The Student Graphic Design depict distinct facial and bodily and his medium.

An astonishing resemblance is displayed in Robert Milton Jr.'s illustration entitled "Ali". Many important elements play a great part in the make-up of this composition. He also does a fine job on "Billy Dee Williams" portrait as well as his other exhibits.

Other students who should be noted for their important contributions to the show are: David Buehrle for his Typeface design, Sherry Bunting for her "Children's Film Flyer", Juan Mendel for his magazine cover, and Scott Morrison and Maryann Murry for their contributions.

All in all, the first Art Ex-Gregory Raines' exhibits a hibit of the 1979 Spring quarter

Eating orgy will be feature of Kilcawley's 5th birthday

by Kilcawley Center Program seen," says Moore. Room).

cream orgy is an event in which cherries. everyone participates in an ice cream eating celebration. "We

will be building the biggest sun-.. An Ice Cream Orgy sponsored dae this University has ever

Board (KCPB) as part of Kilcaw- Moore also said the sundae will ley Center's fifth birthday celebra- be made with enough ice cream tion will be held at 12 noon Tues- for almost 1,000 people. The day. April 10 in Kilcawley's giant sundae will consist of gallons Chestnut Room (Multi-purpose of vanilla, chocolate and strawberry ice cream smothered with What is an ice cream orgy? Ac- sticky strawberry, chocolate and cording to Jane Moore, executive pineapple syrup topped with tons chairperson of KCPB, an ice of peanuts, whipped cream and

> Joco the Clown will be on (cont. on page 7)



"Photographic Illustration" by William Hnida.



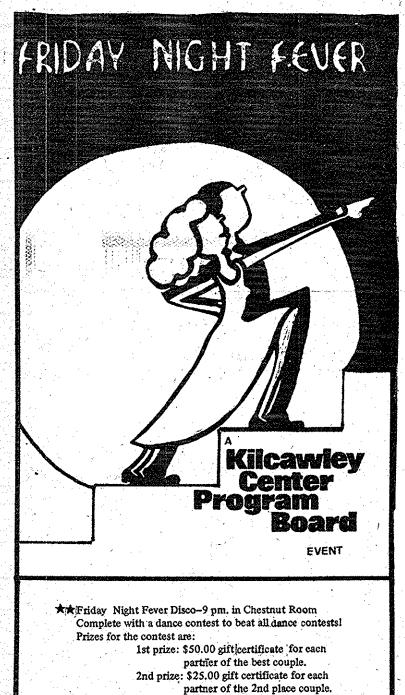
"Illustration" by Gregory Raines



"Self Promotion" by William Hnida

ADVERISING MEDIUM USING PRECISE REALISM... The student Graphic Design Exhibit is now on display in the Kilcawly Art Gallery. The pieces are done by students in the visual arts departments. (Photos by Mike Fabian)

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YSU nuclear reactor is monitored; radiation output considered safe

by Stacey Savka

Did you know that there is a

"It is a sub-critical reactor and there is no chance of a meltdown," said Dr. Edward Mooney, physics and astronomy.

"It is perfectly safe. It con-

campus, located in Ward Beecher, in the Mahoning River. Dr. Steven Hanzely, physics and astronomy, stated, "No havoc can occur. It is just not that kind of device."

"The nuclear reactor is used to study reactor parameters, the back to the plant in a container arrangement of the rods of the which was the size of a finger. nuclear reactor and the amount of The element itself was only about. uranium in the reactor. It is only the size of a grain of sand. used under supervision," com-

use the reactor are required to guarantee that there will not be wear field badges which are an accident. And there is no place changed monthly and records are on this planet where the waste kept on the amount of radiation from a nuclear plant can be to which persons are exposed. absolutely safe," commented The badges, according to Mooney, are sent monthly to Chicago to be checked for the amount of

radiation they have registered. "There is very little radiation here that can possibly cause a problem," added Mooney.

engineering and material sciences. is in charge of the reactor. "The lock. It was preceded by nuclear ly attributed to it," continued Spring Street.

bombs," stated Szirmay.

However, Mooney revealed nuclear reactor on the campus of that the campus of YSU has recently housed a dangerous chemical. In January, the element Californium 252 was on loan from the Savannah River Plant, South Carolina and used for research. Californium 252 can "cause tains 5000 pounds of Uranium cellular damage," said Mooney. 238 isotope," added Mooney. He added that the research Although the reactor is on entailed looking at the pollutants

> "It was the largest single source (Californium 252) outside of a government plant," remarked Mooney.

The Californium 252 was sent

Although Mooney does nuclear research, he is not an advocate of All faculty and students who nuclear energy. "You cannot Mooney.

Szirmay, who also does nuclear research, said that he is an advocate of nuclear power. "There is no substitution for nuclear power in the next 20 to 30 years if our country does not 201 Dr. Leslie, Szirmay, chemical want to sell itself, to the oil pro-

ducing countries," stated Szirmay. "So far nuclear power has an unblemished record-there have

However, Dr. Lorrayne Baird, English, said, "You are dealing with a tremendous power. Studies show that there has been a substantial increase in infant mortalities, leukemia, cancer and that kind of thing. The increase is about 50 per cent" among people who live in the area of nuclear reactor plants.

"Children seem to be particularly susceptible to radiation and even low levels, which are acceptable, have some health effects." added Baird.

Nevertheless, Szirmay remarked, "There is a hysteria about radiation, but not about Xrays. The medical profession has been using radiation freely."

Although according to Szirmay the medical profession uses radiation, Baird comment, "X ray of pregnant women are not done unless it is absolutely necessary."

"Double Feature" at A PLACE

Discussing ' "Two-Career Marriages: the Trends and the Realities" at 12 noon on Tuesday, April 10 will be Joan DiGuilio, MSW, of the Sociology Dept. and Dr. Robert DiGuilio, Guidance and Counseling Dept.

The couple will appear in a series of talks open to all students. but of special interest to "nontraditional students, held at A PLACE. First Christian Church. because it was born out of wed- been no deaths that can be direct- corner of Wick Avenue and

Designing, racing canoes proves to be sport of skill, comraderie

by Karen Kastner

Design and construction of concrete racing canoes, according lighter. to Dr. Jack Bakos, Civil Engineering, is a thinking man's-and woman's sport, as well as "ar exercise in comraderie?"

Volunteer members of the YSU chapter, of the American Society of Civil Engineers, directed by Faculty Advisor Bakos, design canoes they believe to be structurally sound. Then they build them, using cement and water. Instead of the common aggregates-sand and gravel-poly-

ATTENTION STUDENT **ORGANIZATIONS**

> Monday, April 16th 5:00 pm. is the last day to apply for office space in Kilcawley

Applications may be picked up, and returned to Susan Blosco Kilcawley Center Staff Offices

styrene beads are added to the The ASCE actually sponsors the concrete, making the concrete events.

Normally, concrete weighs 150 pounds per cubic foot, but with polystyrene, one cubic foot weighs only 20 pounds.

Bakos said the beads, each 1/8 inch in diameter, of a substance similar to that of common disposable coffee cups.

The concrete mixture, which takes about two weeks to dry, is poured around a steel mash reinforcement. The end product is approximately three feet wide, 14 feet long.

Said Bakos, "It is necessary to have the technical know-how to build a cance that won't crack during races or en route to competition, as well as the knowhow to make it light. But it doesn't matter how light the canoe is if no experienced canoeist can race the canoe.

Student government sponsors the construction of the canoes, as well as the engineers' travel expenses for competition

On the average, YSU enters two races per year, hosted by as a chance to compete with various colleges and universities canoes we've made ourselves," he throughout the U.S. and Cariada. added.

This year, the group will probably compete at universities of Toronto, Central Pennsylvania (Bucknell) and Toledo: 1000 1000

Depending on the hosting team, there are four possible racing divisions-faculty, women, undergraduate and graduate. YSU usually has an entry in all available divisions.

According to Bakos, YSU's only real success in five years of competition was at the University of Maryland in 1977 when YSU placed second in all four divis-

"The students here have a fun attitude about racing. Some universities, like Akron, Toronto, and Carnegie\Mellon, take it more seriously," Said Bakos. "They have elimination heats to see who's going to represent their school in a race. Of course, they're more successful than we

"We don't take winning that seriously. We look at the sport as an exercise in commaderie and

entertainment

Oscar predictions for '78

Vietnam movies may capture Oscars

by Warren Young

On Monday April 9, the 51st Annual Academy Awards will be presented by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences in Hollywood, Calif. The Oscar is a very important award as it means they are recognized by their peers as accomplishing near perfection in their category; to be even nominated is an honor in itself. To the movie studios, an Oscar Award can add millions of dollars more to their profits. The following are my predictions of the winners and losers. The nominees are listed in the order of their chances of winning.

For Best Performance by an Actor For Best Performance by an in a Leading Role: Robert De Niro, The Deer Hunter

Already an Oscar winner Godfather II, his sensitive portrayal as Michael in The Deer Hunter was sheer genius. He underplayed the role so well, it was hard to believe he was acting.

Jon Voight Coming Home

He will give DeNiro the toughest competition. This is his second nomination. Unlike Jane Fonda who can separate her acting life from her political life, Voight, although excellent, came across a little too eager in his effort to make a comment about the Vietnam

Laurence Olivier The Boys From Brazil

He gave a marvelous performance in an otherwise terrible film. He will already be receiving a special Oscar Award this year, so this may prompt voters to pass him over. This is eleventh nomination.

Warren Beatty einsylvanier in 1915 (Steller)

He received four nominations: this year, which will allow voters to overlook him in this category. All Beatty did was to act as himself in this movie; nowhere did the talent he showed in Bonnie and Clyde come through.

Student retention

Gary Bussey The Buddy Holly Story

Without Busey there would have been no film, but he failed to impress me. After viewing Busey in various other projects, his performance in this movie was a complete fluke as he shows no signs of talent. Busey himself states that he doesn't even remember making the film.

My complaint with this category is that Brad Davis Midnight Express and Anthony Hopkins Magic were not nominated. I thought their performances almost guaranteed a nomination.

Actress in a Leading Role:

Jane Fonda Coming Home

in this category. She has already ation. wor an Oscar for Klute. Last year she was overlooked for her category is that Ann-Margret performance in Julia because it Magic was not nominated. was generally agreed she would win the year for Coming Home. For Best Performance by an Actor This could possibly be Fonda's in a Supporting Role: year as she also put in brilliant performances in last year's Comes a Horeseman and California Suite. But there is a possibility that she that Dern will win the Oscar this may be overlooked again, as there year. Almost always typecast as is talk she could win next year for the neurotic villain, he managed her performance in this year's to play his role to the hilt, adding blockbuster The China Syndrome. sensitivity to a usually hated She also is my personal favorite. character. It's about time some-

Jill Clayburgh An Unmarried Woman

Believe it or not, Clayburgh nominated for a role Jane Fonda turned down. By far the imagine anyone else could have about done as good a job as Jill Clayburgh.

> Ingrid Bergman Autumn Sonata

be passed over, but she has also announced her retirement which may win her the sympathy vote.

Ellen Burstyn Same Time, Next Year

No one is better able to blend drama and comedy into one role than Burstyn. She is a master at this. She was excellent, but she's already won a Tony for this role, so she may be in favor of someone else. This is her fourth nomina-

Geraldine Page Interiors

Unlike Maureen Stapleton, who is also nominated for this movie, Page added nothing outstanding to her role or to the movie. She blended into the background and added more misery to the already depressing This is her fourth nomination movie. This is her sixth nomin-

My only complaint in this

Bruce Dern Coming Home

There is no doubt in my mind one recognized Dern as an extraordinary (

Christopher Walken The Deer Hunter

He was excellent as Nicky, critic's choice as this year's and will give Bruce Dern a run winner, her performance has for the money. Still his role was a marked her a major dramatic (and bit complex and sometimes bankable) star. It's hard to Walken himself seemed confused his own John Hurt

Midnight Express

the drug-induced Englishman, Hurt gave an incred-This is her seventh nomination ible performance, but still it was and she has already won three Brad Davis' film and his perform-Oscars. Because of this, she may ance was overshadowed by Davis'.

> Richard Farnsworth Comes a Horseman

Once a stuntman, he has successfully made the transition to actor. His performance really was a supporting performance, as he gave Jane Fonda and James Caan something wonderful to expand.

Jack Warden

Heaven Can Wait All he did was play another. Jack Warden role: nothing new or outstanding. This is his second nomination.

For Best Performance by an Actress in a Supporting Role: Maureen Stapleton

> Interiors Her role was the only refresh-(cont. on page 5)



Student Grievances

Saturday is the deadline for filing grievances over grades re ceived winter quarter. Grievances can be filed in the Student Gov ernment office.

Requested by the Secretary Grievances, Joe Castrodal.



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McCracken. "We're looking for ways to attract the non-traditional

student," said Livosky. Livosky added that the committee will also consider the

needs of the community. "If there is a demand for a particular program we will try to develop it. But we can never get to the point of serving every individual," commented Livosky.

"We should play with the strengths of an urban university," stated McCracken.

YSU is not the only university

also of great concern," stated that has had a major decline in the enrollment rate, said McCracken. Other universities are experiencing the same difficulty.

"The national level of attrition has reached a frenzy kind of peak," he continued.

The committee plans to establish programs that will stabilize and maintain growth in emroliment through the '80's, commented Livosky.

According to McKracken, the committee hopes to complete their recommendations that will establish programs to keep studonts at YSU by May

editorial letters



Remember.

"Congress shall make no law. . . abridging the freedom. . . of the press." - The Bill of Rights

"The Liberty of the press shall be inviolably preserved." James Madison

"The press has the right to publish with impunity, truth, with good motives, for justifiable ends." - Alexander Hamilton

As a disseminator of information, the press, any press, has the responsibility to relate to its public, its readers, the truth. Any effort falling short of fulfilling this responsibility is wasted.

As truth itself cannot be controlled, unless one was omnipotent (a distinction far too many people are ready to assume), it is equally important that the duty of the press to relate the truth to its readers not be controlled. This is simply, and vitally, a Constitutional right.

Its importance cannot be dismissed in today's world. In these times of economic disarray, energetic despair and volatile statesmenship, it is vital that people be informed, for the good of the individual as well as of society as a whole.

This duty is no less incumbent on the collegiate press, although not nearly as wide-reaching and without international implication. A university newspaper must be as careful, as responsible, and as informative in telling its readers the way things are in relating the truth and its attendant event, as any other newspaper.

Therefore, it must be pointed out that First Amendment rights are as valid for the collegiate press as any other, and any attempt to abridge or circumvent those rights as constitutionally invalid.

Members of the press, any press, are merely observers of the world's events, not shapers of them. Their observations are passed along, objectively, to their readers, who then digest the information presented and do what they will with it. It must be remembered that the First Amendment insures that this process will not be controlled.

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To the Editor of the Jambar: I would like to commend the ingenious engineer who invented

this alternative method to black-

Dirt packing.

topping. "dirt packing". This technique has many advantages, and I'm sure that if the idea spreads everyone with access to a bulldozer and an empty field is going to make a killing! It's cheap and convenient, some abandoned telephone poles or logs used as curbing and some primitive rope-like wire to divide lot from lawn.

However, there are a few disadvantages. The major drawback

Home Ec Convention

Members of the YSU Home Economics Association recently attended the Annual Ohio Home Association Economics Convention in Columbus, March 23-24. Caroline Vilworth, a member of the YSU chapter was elected vice chair person for the student members of the OHEA.

The YSU HEA is now running May 3. Six varieties of cookbooks are being offered. If interested, inquire at room 2044, Cushwa Hall.

The HEA will also be hosting an open house, Thurs. May 3 open to the community. They will be offering refreshments tours of the department.

Holy Week Services at "Y"

Students are invited to take advantage of the YMCA's special Holy Week services, to be held from 12 to 12:30 p.m., Monday, April 9 through Good Friday, April 13 in the Community Room at the downtown YMCA on Champion Street.

Also, a continental breakfast will be held at 8'00 a.m. on Good Friday for which \$1 donation is

For further information, call Jim Lewis, 758-3333.

students' ankles, feet, and all ing students mingles with those of ing and falling, are apprevated by casualties" or damages to cars and parts.

One other inconvenience of the and the only materials needed are elements while using the lots. In winter the icy, mountainous terrain, complete with inconspicuos ice slicks and holes which last in- hind these lots continue, I would definitely because they have form- suggest they smooth over these ed on true dirt are not too much rough spots, or at least throw in of a problem.

is that the bottoms of cars (ex- YSU and lovingly brings the longhaust systems, tires) as well awaited thaw, the sounds of curs-

other body parts used in walk- churning tires and wet engines.

All things considered, these the dirt-packing process. This are the pits (no pun intended). I creates a high incidence of "lot have been fortunate never to have suffered more than a few close calls as a result of parking "in the dirts", but have witnessed the plight of fellow students who "dirt lots" is that students are would be justified in demanding completely at the mercy of the that the university pay THEM at least \$20 for putting up with the notorious lots.

Before the master-minds bea few flowers or saplings to make However, as spring smiles on parking worth that \$20 sticker!

Melinda Sinistro Freshman, A & S

Jambar Poll

Nuclear Power

by Ed Shanks

The Jambar recently asked a random sample of students what their thoughts were on the nuclear problem at the Three Mile Island Nuclear Power plant. Surprisingly several students asked happening. Do we have three a cookbook sale, from now until had no opinion or said they had million plants?" not, given the matter much thought. Of those who did respond, the majority said they think they should know the were still in favor of nuclear risks, all the risks, before they

> Gerald Dodrill, soph., A&S: "I'm actually happy this happened in that it will serve to convince the public of the real threat of nuclear accidents connected with this type of plant."

Steve Krumpak, sr., education: "I've always been against neclear power; this just serves to reinforce my case."

Meg Benke, sr., business: "I don't like the way the public knows only what the plant officials want the public to know."

Charlie Jones, freshman, A&S: "I don't want anyone to get hurt, but as long as no one has been hurt I think it was a necessary evil in that it has served to make the public aware of the weaknesses of the system."

Bill Watkins, freshman, enginerring: "The public was told the plants were safe, and they'd already had two partial meltdowns. We were told that the chances were one in a million of this

Sheri Peteritis, jr., business: "It was too close a call. I construct any more plants."

Mike Capps, soph., F & PA: "It's kind of frightening to know that if the reactor should explode, millions of lives would be lost as a result of it. It seems like it's something that you read about that happens on the other side of the world, but not here."

Ray/ Manhollan, freshman. business: "I think we should be for technical advancement, but I don't think we should get so far ahead that we can't correct our mistakes, such as this."

Ron Billock, soph., business,: "I think, not the disaster itself, but the end result will ultimately benefit us, because we learn from our mistakes."

rebuttals Any and/or comments are encouraged in the form of letters to the leditor!



Oscars

ing moment in the movie. It was as! though the entire movie led up to her entrance. Her role was important as the only normal sane person in an otherwise trouble-ridden family. This is her third nomination in this cate-

Maggie Smith California Suite

Since this movie was composed of vignettes, her performance is actually that of a leading role. Her performance was much like that of Ellen Burstyn in that she was able to mix comedy and drama into one role. She is my personal favorite and I hope that her role as the Oscar losing actress is not prophetic. This is her fourth nomination and she has already the past three years. (One Flew won an Oscar for The Prime of over the Cuckoos Nest, Rocky, Miss Jean Brodie, 1843 1881 1881

Dyan Cannon Heaven Can Wait

After a self-imposed short retirement, Cannon has returned to the screen in full force. She looks more refreshed and confident in her roles than before her retirement. Many say her antics with Charles Grodin made the entire film.

Penelope Milford

Coming Home Without her, Jane Fonda's role would have been dismal. She was indeed extremely important to the film and her talent cannot be overlooked. But she is a newcomer and may be overlooked in

Meryl Streep The Deer Hunter

She won an Emmy last year for her role in Holocaust. In the Deer Hunter she was overshadowed by the male talent. Her full potential as an actress was stifled in favor of showing off DeNiro, Walken, and John Savage. Her role did not really add much to the movie.

My only complaint in this category is that Mable King The Wiz was not nominated; she seemed to be the only saving grace of the movie.

Original Song-(and performers)

This year something different will be added to the Oscar ceremonies; the singers that introduced the song will perform on

"The Last Time I Felt Like This" Same Time, Next Year -- Johnny Mathis and Jane Oliver

There is no doubt in my mind that this song will win. It is used effectively in the movie to the point that it becomes an important part of the story itself. a lated.

"Last Dance" Thank God It's Friday Donna Summer

The other nominees are: "When You're Loved" The Magic of Lassie -- Debbie Boone

"Ready to Take a Chance Again' Foul Play -- Barry Manilow "Hopelessly Devoted to You" Grease, Olivia Newton-John

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And finally the most important Best Picture

Coming Home

This is the first of a wave of films concerning the Vietnam War. It's also the story of the growth of a woman (Fonda) who is happy to send her husband (Dern) to war, but through her friendship with a paraplegic (Voight) discards her old lifestyle for a new view of life, love, and war. With excellent acting and direction, its easily the best movie of the year. One more reason I believe Coming Home will win is that it was made by United Artists, and United Artists has won the best picture award and Annie Hall) United Artists has the reputation of putting out the best and the worst pictures and Coming Home is one of the

Midnight Express

Midnight Express is the true story of the imprisonment of Billy Haynes in a Turkish prison. Excellently acted by Brad Davis, John Hurt, and others, the film depicted the treatment of American as well as other foreigners in Turkish jails. The film is so powerful and graphic, that after its initial showing it prompted the President to begin negoitiations for exchange of prisoners.

An Unmarried Woman

-This is my personal favorite. This movie presented Jill Clayburgh in all her glory and let the world fall in awe of her. The story is of a woman who is happily married one day and divorced the next. She has to grow up quickly and learn to depend on herself and raise her daughter alone. She finds it very difficult and (what some feminists feel was a cop-out) starts to look for another man to fill the void. Its one of the few films with an upbeat ending.

The Deer Hunter

The Deer Hunter is an excellent, extremely detailed epic of the Vietnam War experience as seen through the eyes of Michael (Robert DeNiro), a steelworker. The movie forces emotions from the audience that would not be expected to surface. It also forces an opinion from the audience of the War, whether there was any before seeing the film or not. The movie is too complex and it will be years before every nuance of the film will be fully apprec-

Heaven Can Wait

Since the other films nominated are dramatic, they could all possibly shut themselves out. And Heaven Can Wait as the only light film could win; otherwise it has no chance at all. Its a comedy about a quarterback (Beatty) who is accidentally killed before his time by a new angel

(Buck Henry), and is allowed to come back to life is the body of another person. He no sooner falls in love with Julie Christie then he must be taken away

is by no means an important film, just a piece of escapist fantasy everyone craves in the summer-

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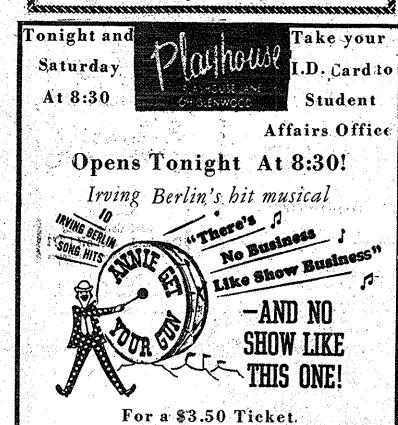
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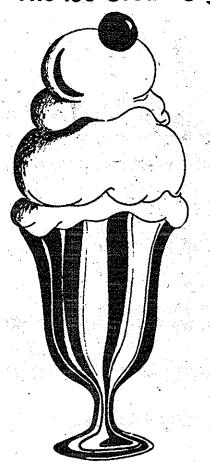
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Happening Tuesday April 10th on Kilcawley Center's 5th Birthday. Don't mise it!



Boast new coach, schedule

Penguin golfers open season today

by Jim Christine

"I'm expecting our team to play some good, exciting golf this year," said Duke Barret, new head coach of YSU's golf team.

today and Saturday on the road matches," Barret added. at the Ashland College Invitational. YSU will play all of its home matches at Avalon Lakes Golf attitude" during the actual comput into it," Barret added. Course near Warren.

The Ashland tournament a match like a football coach can starts off a different type of season for the linksmen. With the will compete in tournaments quadrangular meets, which puts a team's best golfers against the by Melinda Ropar other team's best golfers. This

a transfer from Florida University. Racquet Club. Other key members on the team Filling out the rest of the squad to the visiting Knights. are Jeff Kweder, Fred Gintert; "Our winter practices really 6-1, 6-0. Shawn Cloran, Joe Bettura and helped us in winning our match,"

be an easy one. "I'm getting a qualify for the nationals and we compete with any Division II good idea on how our golfers plan to keep rolling on toward school in the nation." play, but it's very difficult be- that goal." cause of our limited practices due having," Barret said. Over the Kamperman, and Scott Miller all College.

Southern universities.

the area, Barret believes they the did," Barret said. He succeeds Bill Carson, who team should have a decent year. compiled a successful 353-111-12 "If we have four men shooting an individual sport. "Golf derecord over the span of 27 years. in the 70's for eighteen holes of pends so much on individual skill The team opens it's season golf, we should win most of our that it takes on the mental and

> Barret believes his job as a coach is more of a "wait and see how much the effort he wants to petition. "I can't coach during

> spring break though, YSU played during a football game. After some golf in Florida against many watching a player leave the first tee, I can only wait until he comes Even without much practice in off the course to see how well he

> > This goes to show that golf is psychological approach. Much of the golfer's progress depends on

With plenty of talent on this (cont. on page 7)

exception of two matches, YSU Tennis team blanks Gannon; rather than in the usual dual and netters sweep nine matches

type of golf is the popular format last year, the YSU tennis team only five games in the ten sets. for most college golf today, opened their regular season play. The doubles teams allowed the YSU's top golfers so far this with 9.0 blanking of Gannon Knights only one game in their year is senior, John Zabroski, College Tuesday at the Hubbard six sets during the three matches.

are Mike Kowalczyk, Rick Jones, six singles matches and the three Kamperman duplicated their Don Dean and Ron Sedlacko. doubles matches without a loss score, and the Chip Chuey and

Barret believes his job will not Edwards. "I really think we can

won their singles matches easily, Picking up where they left off allowing Gannon players to win Dunn and Adsit teamed up for a The Penguin netters swept all 6-0, 6-0 victory, Thomas and Dave Hudaba took their match,

Edwards commented that he commented first-year coach Steve has inherited an "experienced team; one that we feel can

The Penguin netters will return Bill Dunn, Butch Thomas, to action on Tuesday at Volney to the bad weather we've been Brain Hunter, Rob Adsit, Kurt Rodgers against Mount Union

STUDENT GOVT. ELECTIONS

Will be held MAY 8 & 9

Applications for these position are available at the Student Govt Office in Kilcawley Center

*Student Govt President

Rep - at - large - 2

*Student Govt. Vice-President

*Student Council - 11 seats *Academic Senate - 13 seats

CAST - 2 A & S - 1

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Eng - 1 Bus - 1

F/PA - 1

Educ - 2

A & S - 1 Educ - 1

Rep - at · large - 7

All applications must be filed by 4 p.m. Fri. Apr. 27. If you have any questions about this election, please

contact Bill Peterson, Chairman of Elections Committee.

Twenty new recruits join Penguin football program

Five all-state high school football players, including two from West Virginia, are among 20 gridiron recruits who have signed national letters-of-intent to attend YSU.

The group is the fourth to be recruited by Penguins head coach Bill Narduzzi and his staff, and it may be their best. Included among the 20 recruits are seven linemen, six receivers, three linebackers, and three running backs.

"We primarily were looking for offensive line help and linebackers, and in that regard we accomplished our goals," explained Narduzzi. "However, in the process, we also signed some pretty good receivers and running backs. Overall, it was a very successful recruiting ef-

The seven linemen inked by the YSU coaching staff average 6-3 and 230 pounds. They may comprise one of the biggest group of linemen ever recruited by YSU.

In addition, six of the Penguins recruits are from the Youngstown-Warren marking the first time in Narduzzi's tenure that a large contingent of high school gridders have decided to remain at home. The six include linebacker Dan Beaver (Struthers), tight end Pat Guerriero (Austintown), wide receiver Bill Gura (Struthers), defensive tackle Richard Sabino (Warren Western-Reserve), offensive guard Dave Tomaino (Jackson-Milton), and defensive back Ron Adams, also of Jackson-Milton. Beaver and Gura were All-Steel Valley Conference performers.

The recruits from West Virginia are tight end Darrell Cheripko from Brooke High School and split end Jeff Patterson, a Wellsburg native, also from Brooke High School.

The remainder of the group includes linebacker Dan Baker (Barberton, tackle Dave Boring (Richmond Jefferson Union) tackle Richard Davis (Louisville), running back Curt Downing (Crestwood), linebacker Bart Edkhart (Field), tackle Dan Herzick (Wintersville), center Scott Jacobs (Twinsburg), running back Melvyn McCall (Twinsburg), tackle Richard McDonald (Canton Timkin), wide receiver D. R. Trisket (Perry), and running back Paris Wicks (Akron North).

The other recruit, just recently signed, is tight end Shawn Boyle of Niles McKinley High School. Boyle was a first-team All-Trumbull County selection.

Although the weather has

Intramurals

ENTRIES DUE TODAY Co-ed Bowling Co.ed Volleyball Men's Handball Doubles Men's & Women's Tennis Singles

WATER POLO CAPTAINS

All water polo captains, please pick up your schedules at the Intramural Office immediately! Games start this coming Monday, April 9.

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year's squad, Barret will not have to, worry about improving last year's 6-6 record. "I'm expecting a good season and hoping for a great season," said Barret. "We have the potential for a successful season if we play up to our potential."

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people while the sundae is being built by the Entertainment Committee members of KCPB. Free samples of the sundae

will be available. All one has to do is get a bowl and spoon provided by KCPB and get in line. Participants may help them-

When are you coming back. Your little Sis misses you, even though you're sleezy. Love, Dee,

KATO-What a cute little sist Glad to be your Big Sis. Love Dee. (1A6CH)

PARTY

TONITE-Sigma Alpha Epsilon open Party No. 1 at the door all the beer you can drink. munchies, Pool, Foosball, 850 Pennsylvania Avenue: (1A6C)

FOR RENT

UNIVERSITY APARTMENT available. All utilities, appliances included. Call 545-4066 between 6 - 9:30 p.m. (2A10C)

Room for Rent North Side --Male student only - private entrance, parking available. \$15 Phone 743-5927. (1A6CH)

HELP WANTED

Am looking for free spirited individuals for varied modeling assisgments. No experience necessary. Write To: Victor's Photgraphy, Box 957, Sharon, PA' 16146. (7A24C)

"REPRESENTATIVE WANTED for promotion of international bus lines in Europe and Asia. Expend-Itions in Africa and South America. Camping tours. Educational tourse Almost any travel arrangement Amsterdam, Holland," (2A6CK)

WORK around your schedule. Parttime while attending school, fulltime during the summer. Driving truck and yard work. B average required. Hubbard Lumber, inc. 534-1913 or 534-5704. (2ApCH)

Small Downtown Bake Shop needs 2 personable people to work 7:30 to 2:00, & 11:00 to 5:30 dally. Must have neat appearance, 2.65 per hour to start, contact Bill at 743-6312. Can start immediately.





\$10 includes: box seat tickets transportation

Sign up in the Kilcawley Center Staff Offices

April 7

Bus leaves Sat. April 7 at 11:00 am from Kilcawley Center.



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selves to as much sundae as been a problem, the Penguins they total bhandle? bav Freets cupis are currently conducting spring cakes will also be donated by drills in preparation for their Hardees. fifth campaign under Narduzzi. ABZ-CLASSIFIEDS

Seeking volunteers for a Free "Lie Detector Test." If Interested come to Criminal Justice Office in Cushwa Hall and sign up for Lie Detector Study, Nothing Personal will be asked. (2A10C)

Large selection of Electrical Enginearing and maintenance book. Also some on boilers. 792-6929, (2A6CK)

GREEKS

George:

What can I say? You're the best in the whole world. Thanks for picking me for your little sister. l love You, Sue (1A6C)

To my little brothers Jeff and Tom: You guys are CRAZY and I love Iti 1 sure am glad you Joined SIg Taus. Love, Sue (1A6C)

The Brothers of Nu Sigma Tau: Thank you for giving when we couldn't ask. We are proud to be your little Siters. Love from all. (1A6C)

To Hassan:

One of the best brothers in Nu Sigma Tau. We all love you C.J., The Little Sisters. (1A6C)

What's up? Never Mind. To the best big brother in the frat. When does the exercise start? Love and Kisses, Ree.

Starsky,

You're the greatest! Thanks for all your needed advice—it was very helpful to me - You're Love va

Your little siter, Marie

You're the greatest. Here's to you and the NETS! Love Your Big Sis

(1A6CH)

it's meant to bring a smile or two and remind you today, as on so many days-"!'m thinking of you!" Karen

(1A6CH)

Love and kisses from your Big Sis. Cindy. P.S. Sig Tau Love Tool (1A6CH)

Where have you Been? Glad to be your big sis and when is my next dancing lesson? Sig Tau Love, Ree

(1A6CH) Yammy and Craig: Thank you both for being the best. I love you - Your NET Big

and Little Sis. Kathle (1A6CH)

Thanks for making your little Latin Hustled all Nightill Love Maggle

i didn't get the repair bill yet. Thanks loads anyway, and thanks for being my little brother. Love

(IA6CH) I'm pround to be your little sister. Lotsa Sig Tau Love.

Keep smiling you prevert. (1A6CH)

John, Today we extend our love and appreciation to all our brothers. A special thanks goes to you for being the best Little Brother.



The builder of the best kite will be awarded a 10 Speed Bike. Special thanks to the Dollar Bank for their donation of the Schwinn bike

> * all those entering a kite must register in the Kilcawley Center Crafts Center at 11:00 am Wednesday, April 11.

