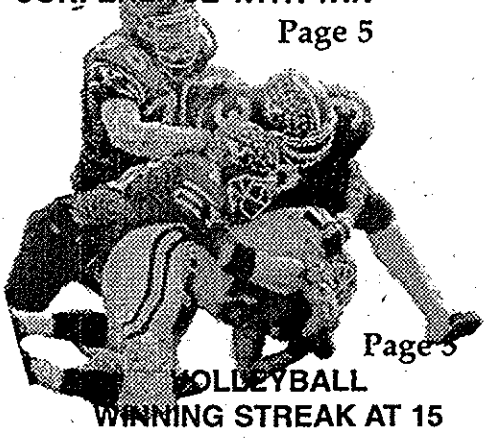


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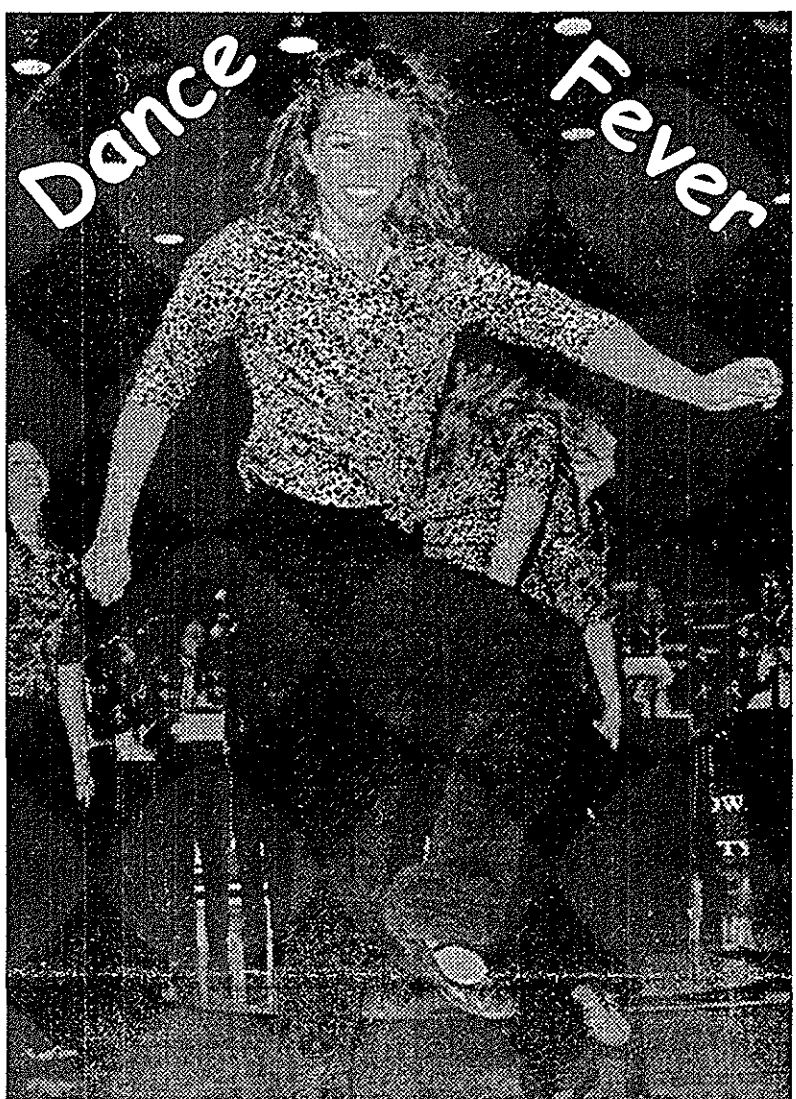
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DAVE LONG, THE JAMBAR

**MAJOR PERFORMANCE:** Dominique Ragazzine, junior, education, leads YSU's majorette squad during the "Parade of Penguins" Wednesday in Beeghy Center. The squad danced to "Jungle Boogie."

## YSU teams with Microsoft for software discount deal

■ An agreement between the university and the software company could lead to software for students.

JAH M. HARVEY  
Assistant News Editor

Recently, YSU became part of a state-wide agreement between Ohio universities and Microsoft. Under the agreement, universities around the state will have access to a variety of Microsoft software at a discount rate.

The universities then can license the software to students. Microsoft's Office and Office 2000 are two of the more widely known programs that will be offered to the students.

Others will include Microsoft Front Page and Visual Studio Professional.

Dr. Gordon Mapely, assistant provost and committee member overseeing the project, sees this as a great opportunity for everyone involved.

"If someone normally wanted to go out and get this stuff, they would have to pay hundreds of dollars. Under the new agreement, for a license fee of about nine dol-

lars per person, we could give our students access to the software they need," Mapely said.

This current project is unlike others in that this not only allows students use of the material in computer labs, but the agreement would allow YSU the right to distribute copies of the various Microsoft suites to its students, staff and faculty.

"Every student who wants the disks is authorized to get one," Mapely stated.

The project does, however, have its problems that the provost and committee feel need to be worked out.

Mapely believes that the major concern is over the method of software distribution.

"Microsoft only sent us two disks. Now we have to make copies for faculty, staff and students, and that's going to cost extra. With over 11,000 people on campus, we have to think of ways to recoup those expenses," he said.

There are several ways the

committee is considering to solve the distribution problem.

One method is to charge everyone about \$10 per person for the disk, provided a student ID is shown.

A second method would be to have the software available at Maag Library.

A third would be to offer an optional \$100 fee for the software at the start of students' freshman year.

Another option for the committee is to distribute disks free at booths on campus with a YSU ID.

Some schools in Ohio have already used this method, however, their student fees are much higher than those charged to a YSU student.

Every method would give students the right to software updates in the future.

"We're not the only school doing this right now. There are

**Software**

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## Presidential candidates narrowed

■ Two local candidates are still in the running, but only one is from YSU.

MEGAN E. WALSH  
News Editor

YSU's Presidential Search Committee has narrowed the search down to 15 semifinalists in the bid for the sixth YSU president.

In a meeting Thursday, the committee went into executive session for nearly five hours to discuss applications and narrow the field from 56 to 15 candidates.

Of those chosen, only one of the YSU hopefuls remained on the list.

Dr. James Scanlon, YSU provost, is still in the running for the position, while Dr. Thomas Shipka, chair of the department of philosophy and religious studies at YSU, was eliminated from the list of candidates.

"I am pleased the committee has placed me in this group," Scanlon said.

The only other local candidate to make the cut was David Allen Jr., dean of the Kent State

Trumbull Campus, Champion.

The list goes on to include people from across the country holding positions such as provosts, presidents, professors, senior fellows, chancellors, and a member of the Ohio Board of Regents.

According to Allan Ostar, sen-

ior consultant for Academic Search Consultation Service assisting YSU, the next step for the committee is to call each potential candidate and ask permission to do a reference check.

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Senior Consultant for Academic Search Consultation Service

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"Each member is assigned to a candidate and has set questions to ask them," he said.

The committee members will call three to five references for each candidate, according to Ostar.

According to a packet put together by the search committee

and distributed at the meeting, questions should be asked about the candidates' background, mission, enrollment management, leadership skills and other criteria set by the committee.

The committee has not set a definite deadline and is still accepting applications, according to Ostar.

"It is very unlikely that anyone will apply so late but we'd like to leave it open for the possibility of other strong candidates to apply," he said.

According to Ostar, any new candidates will go through the same evaluation as all the other candidates.

The next committee meeting is scheduled for Nov. 29 and will narrow the field down to about eight or 10 candidates, according to Ostar.

Ostar said he believes it is a very strong list of candidates.

"The Youngstown community should be pleased with the candidates that have been chosen," he said.

## Recycling program boosts awareness of three R's

■ Recycling bins are set up all over campus, and students can get free coffee and enter to win prizes on Monday.

GERALD BENSON  
Assistant News Editor

On Nov. 15, people across the country will be recognizing "America Recycles Day," and will be refreshed on the three R's — Reduce, Reuse and Recycle.

"I think it is extremely important for students to learn to recycle," said Jim Petuch, a waste minimization specialist for the Mahoning County Solid Waste Management District.

"America Recycles Day" is a nationally recognized event that seeks to boost awareness and attitude about the benefits of recycling, according to Petuch.

Out of 12 state colleges in Ohio that participated in the recycling program last year, YSU finished second to last, according to Petuch.

"It is vital that YSU students participate in America Recycles Week," said Petuch. "We [YSU community] have really got to do something and get involved."

Suzanne Kushma, president of

Young Environmental Studies Society, stressed the need for "America Recycles Day."

"We are trying to bring out the awareness of recycling," she said. "People need to first learn to reduce, then to reuse, then they can start recycling," she said.

Magazines and catalogs are not usually accepted by recycling centers, but a special bin for collecting these items will be set up at YSU's recycling site, located at the corner of Harrison and Adams Streets, for the week of Nov. 15-20. There will be several bins available, each labeled for a particular item.

On Nov. 15 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. inside the Kilcawley Arcade, students can fill out recycle pledge cards.

By presenting your pledge card and bringing in your own coffee mug, Peaberry's will fill those mugs with coffee for 25 cents. Your pledge card will also enter

**Recycle**

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## NEWS Nuggets

The Alliance for Congregational Transformation, Influencing Our Neighborhoods will hold a public meeting at 3 p.m. Nov. 14 in Beeghly Center to "proclaim a new vision for the community." ACTION is an organization made up of more than 1,500 people from 19 congregations and organizations in the Mahoning Valley.

An Organizational Fair will take place from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. today outside Kilcawley Center. The fair gives campus fraternities and sororities the chance to display information on their chapter. The event is part of Greek Week events.

Wednesday is "Show Your Letters Day." Members of the Greek System are encouraged to wear their chapter's letters and show support for their fraternity or sorority as part of Greek Week festivities.

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## Millennium Quilt represents YSU life

■ The deadline for organizations submitting their quilt block is Nov. 22.

EILEEN CATANZARO  
Assistant Copy Editor

What is approximately eight feet wide and 27 feet long with a bright red border?

It is the quilt being put together by Student Affairs to represent all the student organizations on campus. What is being called the Millennium Quilt will be hung in the stairwell of Kilcawley Center when it is finished.

Judith Gaines, executive director of Student Life, sent word to all student organizations that the quilt was being put together.

"The notion of a quilt by many people of a single concern isn't a new idea," Gaines said. "For example, there is the AIDS quilt. We wanted to bridge the relationship between university departments that serve student groups."

Gaines called this the Millennium Quilt, adding that it is a "tribute to the life of the students and people who serve them."

What is different about the quilt is that a "significantly more disparate group of people are working on it. All but one organization has responded," said Gaines.

There are a total of 43 groups on campus. However, she added that she is reaching the point where they cannot take any more quilt blocks.

The deadline for organizations to have their quilt blocks completed is Nov. 22.

Each finished quilt block must be 19 inches. The actual design area is 18 inches with half-inch

seam allowance, so the blocks can be sewn together. The only limit on the designs is that they can not be three-dimensional. Any media products can be used, including stitchery, photo transfers, fabric painting and fusible web. The primary fabric is cotton, which can be obtained from the Student Affairs office.

Kathy Leeper, coordinator of Graphic Services, worked with Gaines on the basic design of the quilt and made the mock-up.

"The individual blocks will be bordered with a dark gray to help unify the quilt. The border of the quilt itself will be bright red," Leeper said.

Thursday and Friday, sewing machines were set up in room 1064 of Kilcawley Center, with volunteers who helped students prepare their quilt blocks.

Jennifer Roller, coordinator of the Center for Student Progress, was among the volunteers.

"I'm here to pitch in where I'm needed," said Roller.

Sylvia Hudson, sales manager of the YSU Bookstore, said the quilt "shows the unity of student services. It promotes camaraderie and team work."

Once the quilt blocks are finished and sewn together, the quilt surface will be sent to a professional quilter to be put together.

Gaines said the quilt surface will be sewn together and ready for display at the time of the Christmas Breakfast, held annually in Kilcawley Center. However, the finished quilt will not be ready to take its place until the middle of summer.

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you in a raffle for items ranging from T-shirts to beanie babies.

Normally the only items accepted in YSU recycling bins are newspapers, metal food and beverage containers and plastic bottles numbered one or two. Bins for

these items are located in the Beeghly Center and at the Rayen Engineering building.

YES is urging all departments and students on campus to make a conscious effort to recycle this upcoming week, but also wants to remind students that the effort needs to carry over for the entire year.

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**SEWING CAMPUS TOGETHER:** Giny Draa, human ecology, sews the Millennium Quilt in Kilcawley Center next to graphic services.

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# Professor's passion for park paves way to publication

■ Shale made it his quest to correct historical mistakes about Idora in his co-written book.

**EILEEN CATANZARO**  
Assistant Copy Editor

Most of Idora Park burned to the ground in 1984, and what was left was sold at auction. Dr. Rick Shale, professor, English, was there for both events.

Shale has co-authored the book "Idora Park: The Last Ride of Summer," a history of Idora Park, with Charles J. Jacques Jr., a leading expert on amusement parks in the country.

The book's release coincides with the 100th anniversary of Idora Park.

"The first time I went to Idora Park was as a child for the Sheet and Tube [Steel] Company picnic," Shale said. "I became more interested in the park as an adult."

Shale said he became a member of the American Coaster Enthusiasts, an international group that rates the best roller coasters in the world, in the late 70s. At one of the meetings, someone who recognized Youngstown on his nametag asked him how the Wildcat was running.

"That was my first clue that Idora Park had more than just a local reputation," Shale said.

The Wildcat was a wooden roller coaster at the park, and, during the 70s, was rated among the top 10 roller coasters in the United States.

"After the park closed, I

thought more about the book," Shale said. "I had the idea for 15 years, but never dreamed it would take so long."

Shale said both he and Jacques thought about writing the book, and finally decided to write the book together. Jacques' interest was how Idora Park fit in with the national development of amuse-

**“Idora Park had a profound and direct effect on the development of the south side of Youngstown from the turn of the century through 1910.”**

**Dr. Rick Shale**  
Professor, English

ment parks, said Shale. Shale was interested in the local history.

"There was so much misinformation. It became a personal quest to correct all the mistakes," Shale said.

What hindered the research was the fire in 1984 when most of the park's records were burned, Shale said.

"The Last Ride of Summer" not only chronicles the Park's history, but also involves some of the history of Youngstown.

"Idora Park had a profound and direct effect on the development of the south side of Youngstown from the turn of the century through 1910. The park was located far enough away from the city so people had to pay to

ride a trolley car to the park," Shale said.

"At the turn of the century, trolley companies built amusement parks away from the main town, and then charged residents to ride the trolleys to the parks.

The trolley line in Youngstown started in 1897 with one car and one employee. In 1899, the company built Idora Park by Mill Creek Park.

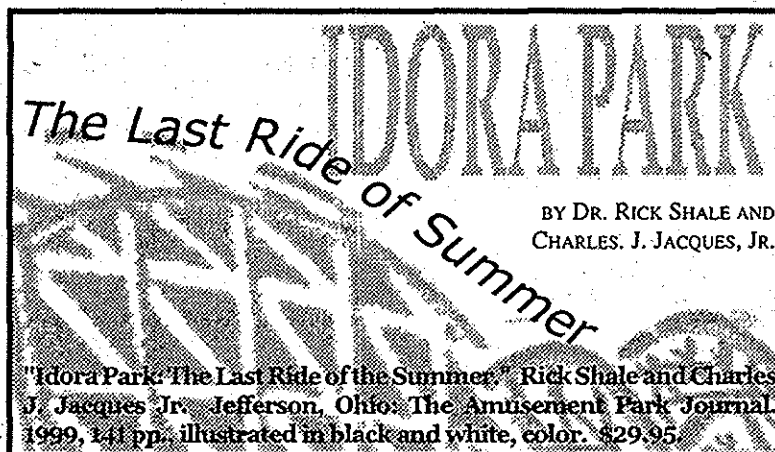
The key to Idora Park was the opening of the Market Street Bridge. Idora Park opened one week later in May 1899.

Pat McBroom, assistant manager at Barnes and Noble in Boardman, said she was "impressed by the scope of the book."

"I like the book because it goes by decades. Things aren't just lumped together into one. You can see the development of the park as it goes along," McBroom said.

Shale and Jacques are holding a book signing from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Nov. 16 at the YSU Bookstore. McBroom said the authors will be at Barnes and Noble from 2 to 4 p.m. Nov. 21, beginning with a presentation and book signing beginning at 3 p.m.

The cost of the book is \$29.95, however, Sylvia Hudson, sales manager at the YSU Bookstore, said on the day of the signing, the cost of the book will be discounted 20 percent.



**AMANDA SMITH**  
Entertainment Editor

## BOOK REVIEW

Everyone remembers what it was like to ride a roller coaster for the first time: The rush of wind, the chilling falling-stomach feeling going down that first hill, the rush of adrenaline and relief as the ride came to an end.

Dr. Rick Shale and Charles J. Jacques Jr. capture that feeling precisely in their thorough memoir of a vibrant piece of Youngstown history, Idora Park.

Their book, "Idora Park: The Last Ride of Summer," chronicles the entire history of the park from its origins as a modified picnic grounds located at the end of the Park & Falls street railway line. That first season, 1899, saw a dance hall, casino, picnic tables and a theater as the main attractions at the plot of land on the then-undeveloped south side.

The book tracks the park through all of the high and low points in the history of Youngstown's longest-living amusement park.

He tracks the heydays and depressions of the park, and relates its performance to national and global events.

The authors' tale begins at the end, first chronicling the death of the 85-year-old park. By using the fire of 1984 as the introduction, the authors gear their audience for the dramatic, sometimes triumphant, sometimes grisly, tale that is to follow.

After discussing the fire that ultimately destroyed the park, the

book shifts its attention to the very beginning of the park. It airs some theories about the origins of "Idora," the park's name. The name's origin is uncertain. Whether the name is drawn from a Native American word or a contraction of the English, "I adore a park," may never be known.

The book goes into excruciating detail, covering the daily activities of the park through most of its years. Background information and a brief explanation are given for every major renovation to occur at Idora.

"The Last Ride of Summer" sometimes delves a little too deep into detail, occasionally bogging the reader down in hard-to-read accounts of amusement park financial matters. Long passages of numbers, percentages, attendance rates and costs are best summarized in charts in the appendix of the book.

Apart from that, the book is well written, beautifully designed, and attractively presented. Designed by Karon Morrison, the book includes a myriad of photographs, pictures and relics to immortalize the amusement park.

By the time the authors work their way forward through time to eventually reach the devastating fire and ensuing auction, the reader is a little wistful, even sad, that such an important piece of Youngstown's identity was lost to the flames on that fateful April day in 1984.

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## EDITORIAL

### Student health insurance is a must

Students at many points in their college careers become worried about what will happen if they become sick, realizing that they do not have health insurance coverage.

The Student Health Services, located in Beeghly Center, are available to all students registered with the university. Many services are available, including physicals, pap smears, cold treatment and written prescriptions that can be taken to a local drugstore to be filled.

For \$615 per academic year, students are able to buy student health insurance designed especially for the students of YSU, underwritten by the Gerber Life Insurance Company in White Plains, New York.

Students not covered by this insurance are still able to seek help at Student Health Services.

Payment is payable along with tuition and fees at the beginning of each quarter, and the cost rises to \$920 if the insured would like to add a dependent to be covered.

The insurance is a one-term, non-renewable policy, and a similar policy may be purchased for the following year should the student feel the need to purchase it.

So who should buy this coverage?

According to the eligibility section in the brochure provided by the Student Health Services, "This insurance is required of all residence hall students and all international students except those who present proof of similar coverage. The insurance is optional but strongly recommended for all other students."

The insurance will meet any acute ambulatory needs for any student. It will also cover lab work that cannot be done at the university and any work needed done when the clinic is not open. The insurance does not cover routine care, such as physicals and pap smears.

With only a \$50 deductible, the insurance is worth carrying for college students, especially those that do not have other coverage. Not carrying insurance coverage is extremely costly and could add up to costing more than a year's worth of tuition.

## Quote of the Day

"When I hear somebody sigh, 'Life is hard,' I am always tempted to ask, 'Compared to what?'"

Sydney Harris

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## A STAFF VIEW

MEGAN WALSH

News Editor



### Children need to be taught respect

What are parents teaching their kids today? Obviously it's not respect of elders, or anyone for that matter.

When I was a little girl I was always taught to automatically respect everyone, especially those who were older than I was. As I grew up I learned that respect had a very important lesson.

I could not even fathom being ignorant or rude to anyone who was even a few years older than me, not just out of respect but out of fear.

The fear kicked in as a teen. I feared my parents' punishment if I had shown disrespect to anyone. Also, I would never try to get smart with an older teen for fear that I would get my butt kicked.

I wonder if parents are slacking these days because in my dealings with kids and teenagers, I have witnessed nothing but disrespect.

For example, there is a 15-year-old girl who lives near my boyfriend. It is obvious that this child has a crush on him, which is not a problem. The problem occurred when she

started playing mind games with him on the Internet and my name came up. That's where I stepped in.

With much restraint, I called her on the fact that she was using another girl's screen name to try to lead my boyfriend astray and to personally attack me. Of course it did not work, but it upset me that she was even trying to do something like that.

What I e-mailed her was not as bad as it could have been and I held back a lot. However I was not prepared for the response I received.

This girl replied to my e-mail with unbelievable ignorance that

launched a personal attack on me.

Now, me being five years older, you'd think she would have the respect to respond in either the same manner I had or not at all. I guess immaturity overpowered her and she was obviously never taught to have respect for anyone.

I don't just assume my findings based on this one incident. I have seen this girl be this rude and cop an attitude with many adults including her own parents.

I understand that she could be just a rotten kid but I have witnessed other children who were just as disrespectful to adults.

During the three years at my other job in the mall I have seen kids treating their parents horribly. They tell their parents what to do and how to do it and the parents let them. If I were to ever try to do that I don't even want to think what would happen to me.

And when kids come up to the store I work

in, many times I get treated with disrespect and rudeness.

Correcting them yourself can just make it worse.

Therefore it is up to the parents of today's youth to teach children to respect not just elders, but one another. Getting that thought into kids' minds at an early age will rid this world of disrespectful youth.

I hope that parents will straighten up so that their children won't grow up to be ignorant adults. And to the little 15-year-old that was rude to me, I pray that you learn what true respect means.

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Day.**





# Sports

Head Football Coach Jim Tressel led all YSU athletes in the Fight Song at Wednesday's Parade of Penguins. Tressel's Penguins sit No. 10 on The Sports Network Poll.

## Seniors help keep playoff hopes alive with home win

JAMIE LYNN REESH  
Sports Editor

Senior leadership was the morale of the day, as the Penguins picked up a 17-14 win against Southwest Missouri State in possibly the last YSU home game of the season. Saturday's win gives the Penguins a chance at staying alive for a playoff berth.

"This has been an emotional week for us with the potential of it being the last game we play at home," said senior quarterback Jared Zwick. "The win is a great feeling for us seniors."

YSU capitalized on the strength of senior Adrian Brown as he rushed for 163 yards in 32 carries. Brown powered in the first Penguin touchdown on a five-yard run into the endzone.

Zwick stepped up in the role of quarterback, scrambling before heading up the sideline around defenders for a 15-yard touchdown run, to put the Penguins up 14-7 into halftime.

Earlier in the game both teams remained scoreless in the first quarter of play. Sophomore Jeff Ryan threw an interception on YSU's opening drive, as the Penguins took it down to the four yard line. SMS's Jeff Killeen intercepted the pass as he ran it into the endzone for a touchback.

Fortunately for YSU, the turnover resulted in the Penguins getting the ball back on their own 29 yard line, when the Bears failed to convert on fourth down.

YSU failed to make good on its own fourth and one, after senior Dave Vecchione intercepted a Jay Rodgers pass at the 50 yard line. The Penguins rushed for a total of eight yards, before giving SMS the ball at their own 42 yard line. That SMS drive led to a five-yard touchdown pass from Rodgers to Sean Adams and kick by Travis Brawner, to put SMS up 7-0.

Junior Tim Johnson forced a fumble by Rodgers on the drive, but the Bear's Jason Stealy recovered the ball at the YSU 47 yard line, to keep the drive going.

The YSU defense came up with another turnover, as sophomore Bruce Hightower intercepted Rodgers at the YSU 20 yard line, returning it for 25 yards. Hightower's run put YSU in position for a 24 yard field goal by senior John Berdiner, who stepped up in place of senior kicker Mark Griffith.

The Penguin offense totaled 347 yards, including 251 on the ground, to SMS's 367 yards. Ryan completed eight of ten passes for 96 yards and ran for 33 yards himself.

Senior Elliott Giles continued to contribute with three catches

for 36 yards, as freshman John Shumacher caught two passes for 39 yards.

Brown's touchdown moved him within one to tie YSU's all-time scoring record.

Senior Anthony Rozzo punted two away for 59 yards on special teams, as sophomore Andre Coleman returned two kick offs for 38 yards.

Defensively, seniors Dwyte Smiley and Ian Dominelli each had nine tackles, with Smiley taking one for a loss and Dominelli collecting two for a loss. Junior Eddie Blizzard recorded eight tackles, as Hightower powered seven and one for a loss of two yards.

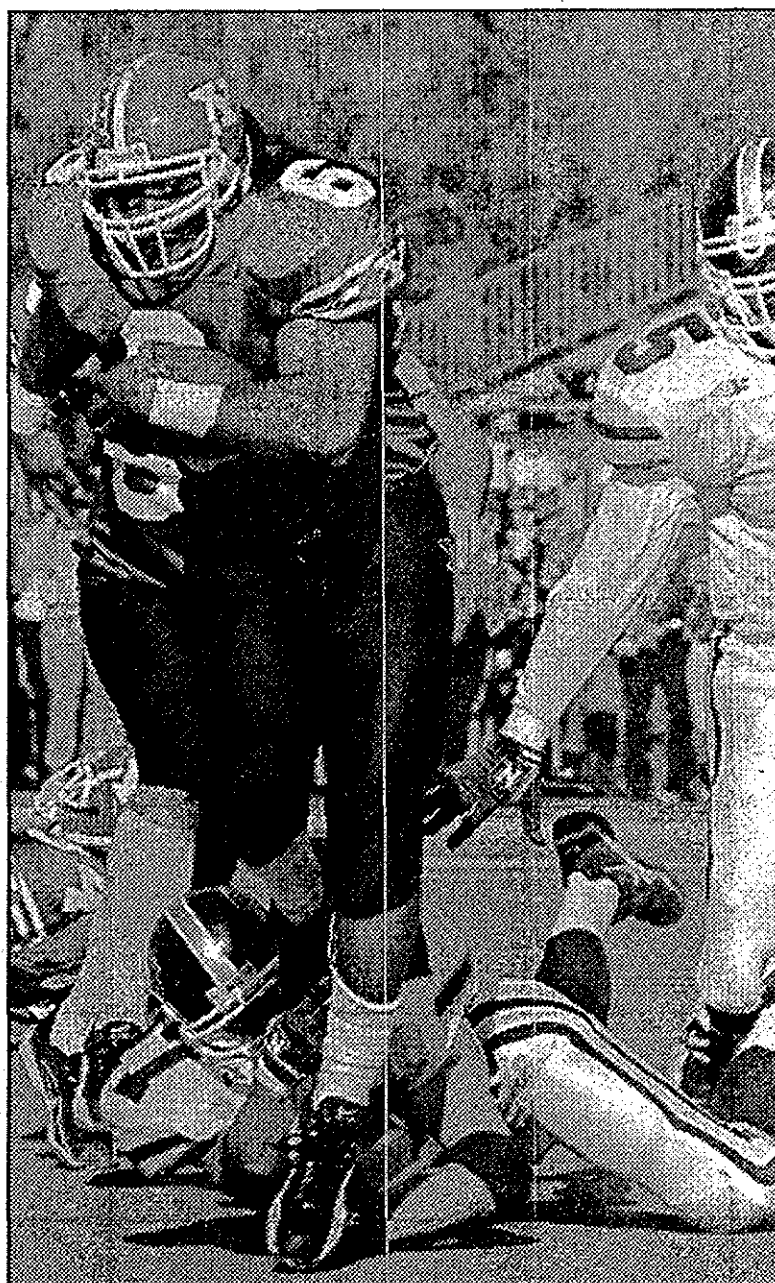
The win puts the Penguins at 8-2 overall and 5-1 in the Gateway Conference. Saturday's Illinois State win over Western Illinois leaves YSU in second place all alone.

"It [the win] keeps us in the playoff picture," said Head Coach Jim Tressel. "We knew going into the week the fact that we had to be alone in second or tied for first to be considered for the playoffs, and that's what this game was about."

YSU matches up with No. 19 Villanova Saturday on the road.

"We've got to do our thing," said Tressel. "Every week's big."

"It would be real nice for us to play at home again," said Brown.



Dave Long, The Jambar

**HE'S A BRICK HOUSE:** Senior Adrian Brown (#6) powers his way over Southwest Missouri defenders in Saturday's win over the Bears, 17-14. Brown rushed for 163 yards in the game. Brown has 52 touchdowns on the year and needs only two more to take the title of YSU's all-time leading scorer.

## Volleyball keeps the streak alive with two

JAMIE LYNN REESH  
Sports Editor

The women's volleyball team jumped out to a 15-game winning streak with two wins this weekend at home.

YSU defeated Western Illinois, 15-7, 15-3, 15-6, Saturday, as the women tied the school record for the most wins in the season.

Senior Vickie Robinson led the Lady Penguins, blasting 13 kills with 12 digs and a .480 hit-

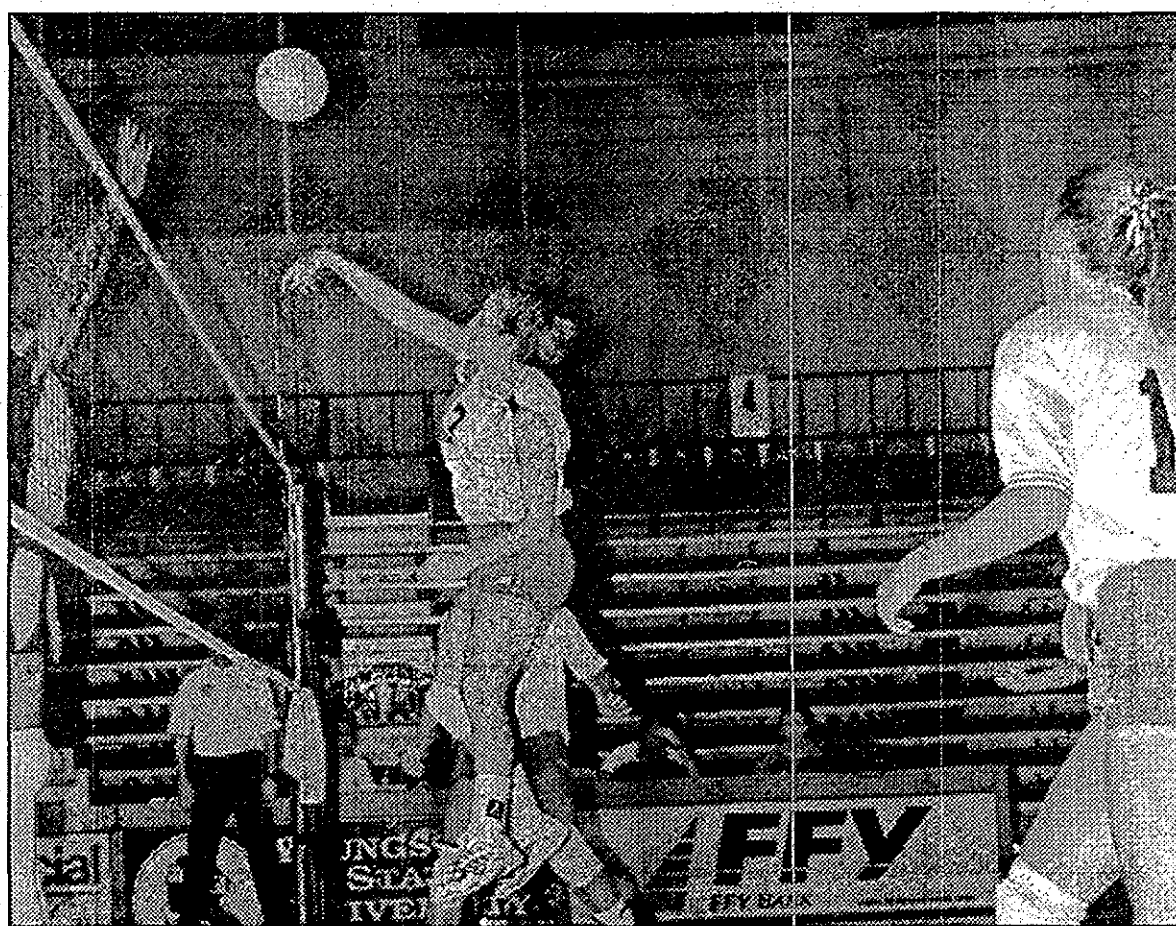
ting percentage. Freshman Michele Batton nailed 11 kills and 11 digs, three aces and a .476 hitting percentage.

Sophomore setter Melissa Lyczkowski handed out 32 assists, while serving three aces as sophomore Rebecca Sylak recorded seven kills with a .700 hitting percentage.

Friday night was a bit of the same as the Red and White knocked off Chicago State, 15-1, 15-2, 15-8.

Robinson and Batton each pounded nine kills. Junior Amber Nagy contributed eight kills, nine digs and three aces. Lyczkowski aided with 35 assists.

The Lady Penguins improve their record to 22-4 and 12-1 in the Mid-Continent Conference, as they prepare for Duquesne Wednesday. The game is slated for 8 p.m. in Beeghly Center.



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**UP UP AND AWAY:** Senior Vickie Robinson (#7) pops one over the net during action Friday night against Chicago State. YSU beat the Cougars, 15-1, 15-2, 15-8 for the women's 14th straight win. The women beat Western Illinois Saturday to improve to 22-4.



### Tennis women defeated in regional play

COLUMBUS — YSU junior Abby Vens lost in the consolation bracket to ninth-seeded Lea Jackson of Northwestern, 4-6, 2-6, at the ITA Women's Tennis Regional Saturday.

In doubles play, Vens and freshman Anne Mario lost to Toledo, 1-6, 2-6.

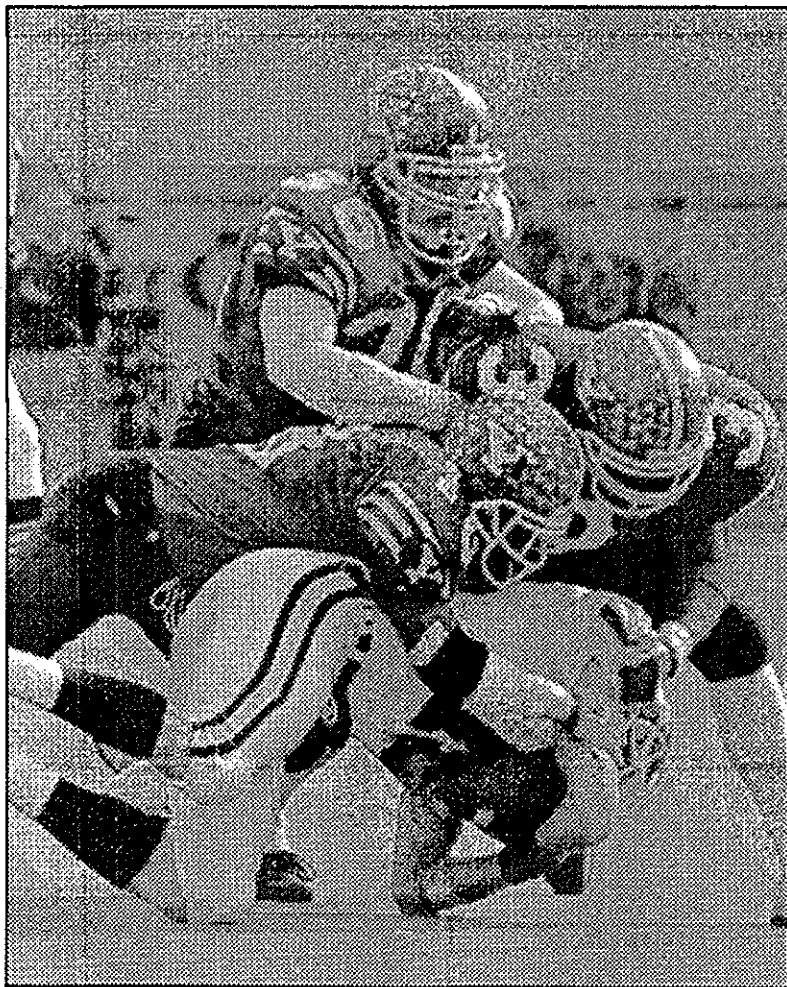
Vens lost in the first round of the tournament to Cecily Dubusker for Drake, 3-6, 2-6.



### Lady Penguin Soccer



Lady Penguin soccer team seniors Jen Argiro, Missy Laforet and Alicia Scopplite were chosen for the Mid-Continent Conference second-team All-Conference.



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**GOING DOWN:** Penguin defensive players senior Ian Dominelli (#36), sophomore Bruce Hightower (#3) and sophomore LaVar Green (#18) take down a Southwest Missouri player in Saturday's 17-14 win in the Ice Castle.

### Water women fall to Duquesne

The YSU swimming and diving team lost to Duquesne, 144-89, Saturday at Beehly Center.

Despite the loss, the Lady Penguins were impressive in diving, placing first and second in both events.

YSU sophomore Brandi Goetsch placed first in the one-meter dive with a score of 166.6, and first in the three-meter dive with a score of 196.80.

Freshman Mandie Small placed second in the one-meter with a score of 158.65, and second in the three-meter with a 194.55. Sophomore Courtney Schuller also contributed with a third-place finish in the three-meter dive with a score of 124.45.

Swimming strong for the Lady Penguins was junior Kristi Schmidt, who placed second in the 50-meter freestyle in time of 26.71. Junior Megan McAtee placed second in the 100-meter freestyle with a time of 58.00.

The women see action again Saturday at Akron.

Wednesday, Goetsch was named Mid-Continent Conference Swimming and Diving Athlete of the Week. She is leading the conference in the one-meter and three-meter dive.



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**I CAN TOUCH MY TOES:** YSU diver Amanda Bartolo shows good form in Saturday's meet with Duquesne. YSU lost the meet 144-89.

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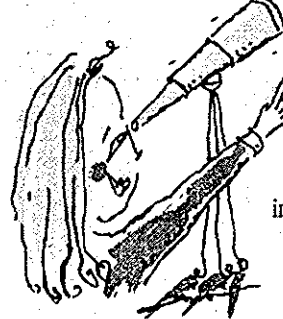
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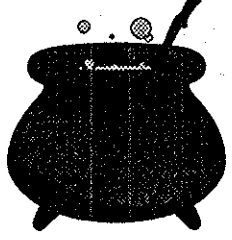
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**Software**

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several schools in the state that have already passed out the programs on their campuses, and they've all done it in different ways. We are trying to figure out the way that best suits our needs," Mapely said.

Derrick McDowell, sophomore, graphic design, sees the benefits but remains uneasy about the whole ordeal.

"Don't get me wrong, I'm all

for whatever makes my classes easier. But I'm concerned about who's going to pay for it. I'm sure a lot of students don't even need all of this software. I know I don't. I always want to know exactly what I'm paying for," McDowell said.

Dr. Kriss Schueller, chair and associate professor, computer science and information systems, sees the project from all angles.

"We already have some of this software in our labs right now, but this might save some of our com-

puter students time on class projects. From what I can see, there are definitely more pros than cons in the deal," Schueller said.

The issues the committee is dealing with now must be resolved before any students can expect to get a copy of the Microsoft programs.

According to Mapely, YSU is making steps to get the material out as soon as possible.

"A best-case scenario would be winter quarter, but the exact date is still up in the air," he said.

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### Today

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The YSU Penguin Review will have an open mike poetry slam, open to everyone, in Peaberry's from noon to 2 p.m. Contact Angel Rae Hill at (304) 387-3375 for more information.

EPA's Waste-Wise satellite down-link is having a presentation on "Buying Recycled" in the Jones Room in Kilcawley Center from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Environmental faculty and students are welcome to attend. Contact Jim Petuch at 742-2294 for more details.

"Focus," on WYSU, 88.5 FM: "The Year 6-Billion," a discussion of the recent growth of the world population to 6-billion, with Suzanne Petroni, U.S. Department of State, and Mahoning Planned Parenthood Director Karen Hackenberry, 7 p.m. Host Dale Harrison.

### Wednesday

LGBT is holding meetings from 2 to 3 p.m. and from 8 to 9 p.m. in room 2036 in Kilcawley Center. Contact Brian Wells for more information.

The History Club is holding a Forum Lecture in Kilcawley Center room 2036. Speaker is Dr. Lillian Hromiko, KSU, and the topic is "Heretic: John Assheton in 16th-century England." Contact Martin Berger at 742-3455 or meberger@cc.ysu.edu for information.

The Entre Amis French Club is holding meetings in Debartolo Hall, room 557 from 1 to 2 p.m. and 4 to 5 p.m. Contact Patrick Krason at 744-2676 for information.

### Thursday

The YSU Gaming Guild is holding LC night from 5 to 11 p.m. in Kilcawley Center's Bresnahan Suite III. Come see what a D&D game is all about. Beginners welcome. Join the fun. Contact Ed Ennett at gaming-guild@cc.ysu.edu for information.

### Friday

The YSU Gaming Guild will hold Anime Night from 5:30 to 11 p.m. in Engineering room 2000. There will be Japanese Animation, showing Ronma 1/2, Tenchi, Slayers. Contact Ed Ennett at gaming-guild@cc.ysu.edu for information.

### Monday, November 15

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