

The Roseanne Barr

All the news that's fit to fax

APRIL 1, 1993 YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY HAPPY APRIL FOOL'S DAY

Board approves tuition decrease Sports editor killed by freak football stoning

By BOO-BETTE GOLDBERG and PHIL MCGROAN
National Escapade's Yellow Journalists of America

In an effort to attract a more beautiful student body, the YSU Board of Trustees has passed a resolution that calls for an immediate decrease in tuition.

"We're setting the price at \$1.98 per quarter," stated Mark Lyden, Trustee chair.

According to Dr. G.L. Mears, (the G.L., by the way, stands for Good Lovin'), this new price will also include all general fee monies.

When asked why only \$1.98, Mears explained that the price correlates with Rip Taylor's TV beauty contest held in the late 70s.

"We think this is a very fair price tag for the quality of education that YSU students are receiving," said University President Les Cochran.

All over campus students were

running around hugging each other. One senior, Amy Butafuccho, (who was on campus signing her new book, "How to Get Your Money's Worth at Midas"), said that even all the millions she has made from all the TV movies about her wouldn't compel her to transfer to another University. "Heck, even if Harvard wants me, there's a Midas muffler shop that has great pipes just around the block from YSU."

Sophomore Seymore Butts, was overwhelmed with the tuition reduction. "Now, I'll keep all the change from the check my parents write for tuition each quarter," he laughed.

"Where can you beat a price like that? B & R Wholesale doesn't even come close," said Mears.

Officials at the University of Akron were witnessed sitting on the fifth floor of the Administration Building threatening to jump if the Akron Board of

Trustees failed to lower Akron's tuition to these rock bottom prices.

One YSU official who requested anonymity was quoted as saying "You can't go to college anywhere cheaper or I'll buy you dinner." Speculation and rumors indicate that the dinner offer was made by Student Government President Bill Burley. In fact, sources have said that Burley and cronies have used Student Government funds to entertain many friends, including a recent spring break venture to Florida. Burley refused to comment.

And with the tuition decrease, the University will face other changes. To keep up with the hunger for a more beautiful student body, the school mascot will be Cover Girl model Cindy Crawford.

"Cindy...this gives a whole new meaning to the phrase 'Gotta Have It,'" said Coach Jim Tressel.

By CHUCK U. FARLEY
The Jambar Minister of Death

Jambar Sports Editor Michael "Bet It All Lard Butt" Yonkura was found dead in the center of Stambaugh Stadium Monday morning.

Yonkura's body was found naked and sprawled out on top of the mid-field Penguin.

Police Chief John Gocala said Yonkura was stoned to death by the miniature footballs that the cheerleaders throw to fans at halftime.

"Mike always wanted one of those little footballs and this time he got a whole lot of them," said Bill James, assistant sports information director.

According to witnesses, Yonkura was stoned by members of the athletic department staff.

"They didn't like him because he stole that football two years ago," James said.

James ratted on his co-workers because he was promised a position on Superfan's coaching staff.

"Hey it's a good job and I'd sell my parents to work with Supe," he said.

James said that a group of officials lead by Greg "Crazy Weave" Gulas lured Yonkura to the stadium by telling him there was going to be a keg party in honor of his service to the University.

"When he got there Crazy Weave yelled: 'Here's your football you bastard,'" James said.

"He fought them off for a while but after 16 hrs. of running, his little ticker gave out," he continued.

One of Gulas's accomplices, Dan O'Connell, was arrested when police found Yonkura's underwear hanging from his

mirror like a pair of fuzzy dice.

Lord Joe "Papa" Malmisur was arrested as the ring leader and Gulas made a statement on his way into court on Tuesday morning.

When asked why Yonkura was naked, he replied: "We needed a good laugh."

Charges will not be filed against the assassins since judges ruled that this was justifiable homicide.

Yonkura's body was found by YSU's Basketball Coach, Superfan.

Superfan told police that he thought Yonkura was sleeping and was going to check his pockets for change.

"Imagine my surprise that after 10 minutes of searching, I realized that he wasn't wearing any clothes," Superfan said.

He continued, "I thought dead bodies were a lot colder than that," he said choking back the tears.

Yonkura was a senior, political science major and was planning to graduate in June.

After graduation, Yonkura was planning to buy a Dung Beetle ranch outside of Provo, Utah with his business partner and longtime companion Andrew "Ape" Case.

"I can't believe those scoundrels took his clothes," Case said. "What if small children were to wander by? Now we will never settle down and raise our beetles."

Case continued, "I really feel sorry for the Beetles that will never know this tender lug."

Yonkura's mother Ceil had these comments: "I hope he had clean undies on when they took them."

Yonkura's co-worker, Charlie Deitch, was not surprised by Yonkura's death.

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Investigation reveals "truth"

By STONEY PENI
Investigative Sleazebag

After months of extensive investigation by this reporter, the true identity of last year's infamous campus flasher has been learned.

Although the flasher has failed to reveal himself during the current academic year, it will be remembered that he was seemingly everywhere a little more than a year ago.

It was his absence this year that peaked my curiosity and drove me to open my investigation into his disappearance and his identity.

There weren't many leads to go on but the leg work did help in finding the culprit's motives—a desperate need to be accepted.

After extensive investigations of Coach Jim Tressel, ex-YSU student Tom McCabe and ex-coach John Stroia, I concluded that none of these people were involved.

And once again, my instincts were right. After receiving an anonymous phone tip, I followed the trail to one Dr. Leslie Cochran.

After confronting Cochran, he broke down in tears crying, "All right, all right, the secret's out, I admit it, I was the campus flasher."

It seems that every time Cochran made a visit to the campus while he was interviewing for president, a "flasher incident" was reported. We were also told by Cochran's wife, Linda, that he was often absent for extended periods of time and there were charges on credit cards for plane tickets to and from Youngstown along with one for an extra large trench-coat.

Cochran revealed, "I don't know what I was doing, I just wanted everybody here to like me so much and I thought if I tried to show them my best side, they'd accept me more readily."

Cochran continued somberly, "If I had to do it all over again, I definitely would not go that route, although I do have to admit that I loved the response I got from the people I flashed and I definitely liked all the press coverage."

The matter has been turned over to the authorities, but as of yet, they have no comment unless laughter can be counted as such.



Superbubbaruskydog named head coach

By SCHLOMO LIEBOWITZ
We can't get rid of this guy!

John Bartholomew, known affectionately to friends and loved ones as Superfan, has been named the real head coach for YSU men's basketball. The announcement was made by Athletic Director Joe Malmisur yesterday.

"This is the best choice we could have ever made," said Malmisur. "It was down between him and Magic Johnson for the job. We decided against Johnson because we were afraid for our cheerleaders."

Dan Peters, who thought he was the head coach, was demoted to assistant coach in charge of water.

"When I told him he was head coach, I was just kidding," said Malmisur. "Compared to Supe, he couldn't coach his way out of a paper bag."

It had been known on the YSU campus that Bartholomew was really the secret weapon that YSU used in its home games. In fact, it has been confirmed by several sources that it was Supe who carried the team on his shoulders when Mike

Rice was the head coach.

"I knew I couldn't coach these guys," said Rice via telephone from Portland. "Superbubbaruski Dog is the absolute best coach I've ever seen. He really knows his x's and o's."

After Rice was fired in 1987, Supe's influence over the basketball operations declined. Many feel that this decline is directly related to YSU's losing record over the past several years.

"I was always jealous of him," said outgoing coach John Stroia. "I just couldn't picture myself relinquishing my team to him."

Nonetheless, Superfan was in good spirits at a press conference held at his newly refurbished Sony TV box near Federal Square. He treated the media to Spamburgers and Lime Kool-Aid and talked about why he was the right choice.

"A few years ago, I used to be Dom Rosselli," said Supe. "Before that, I used to be Bobby Knight. That proves right there that I'm a winner!"

When asked how he would recruit players to come to YSU, he looked

around his box and said, "How can you take a look at all this luxury and not come here?"

Peters, who was at the press conference downing at least 20 Spamburgers and an unspecified amount of bologna strips, talked about working for his new boss.

"It's like a dream come true," said Peters. "I can't believe I'm sitting here sipping Lime Kool-Aid with the one and only Superfan!"

Other applicants for the head coaching position did not share Peters' enthusiasm. One was ex-Nevada/Las Vegas coach Jerry Tarkanian.

"I was really looking forward to putting a few casinos in Youngstown."

"If I was going to coach anywhere, it would have been at YSU," said NBC announcer Marv Albert, another disappointed applicant. "But that Mike Fratello is just so darn cute I couldn't imagine going away like that."

Superfan will begin his new duties immediately as soon as he blesses his own office.

Band bangs head on Blarney Stone

By IMA SCROTE
Possum Connoisseur

All right, who's up for some radical change? That's the catch phrase for the day because the now well-known band, Shillelagh Law has gone from playing Irish music to grinding out hard core industrial death metal.

That's right, you heard me, the Law is now playing hard core, nail-splitting, teeth-grinding, ear-bleeding music that would make your mom puke all over her latest casserole invention.

"Sure, it's a little bit of a departure for us," said band member Dr. Stephen Reese, "but it's something we all felt we had to do in order to keep our musical integrity intact."

According to Dr. Phil Brady, the band hadn't felt comfortable playing Irish music any more.

"I don't know what it was," Brady said, "it just wasn't working anymore and death metal seemed like a natural progression."

Indeed, the Law does seem to be rather comfortable with their new style and they've managed to capture it on their latest release, *Lassie Smash Your Head on the Blarney Stone*.

Actually, said Reese, recording the album was kind of a fluke. "We were just jamming on this cool dirge one day and there was some recording equipment laying around so we decided to give it a whirl and it just kind of took off from there."

And took off it did. The session produced such tracks as "Leprechaun O' Death," "Hell's at the End of the Rainbow," "Lament of Satan's Baggpipes" and the pseudo-polka smash, "Roll Off Your Mother."

That's just a tidbit, though, *Lassie Smash Your Head on the Blarney Stone* is a must from start to finish. If you buy just one album this year, make this the one.

You can also look for Shillelagh Law in upcoming dates at both Cedar's and The Penguin Pub. They have also been asked to play in Lollipopooza '93. The Law encourages your attendance but warns, "Watch out, when we start thrashin', somebody usually ends up pretty close to dead."

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I was completely outraged when I read Barb Soloman's commentary on the '70s and that she hopes they never come back.

As a card-carrying member of the '70s Preservation Society, I believe that the 1970s were a time of great influence on our American culture. After all, what other decade can brag about K.C. and the Sunshine Band as one of its top acts?

Ms. Soloman seems to have no clue just how cool the '70s were. On the political scene, we had the greatest presidential ticket of all time in Jimmy Carter and Walter Mondale. Carter was one heck of a peanut farmer and Mondale... well, what else needs to be said?

Speaking of politics, I would be amiss not to mention Henry Kissinger, who was considered, by many females, to be the sexiest man alive.

TV was, without a doubt, at the peak of its power in the '70s. I mean, who could not see an episode of *M*A*S*H* for the 50th time? There were other great shows like *Chico and the Man*, *Maude* and my personal favorite, *Barnaby Jones*. A night with all those shows makes me want to spend the evening with my Pet Rock drinking V-8 and listening to Leif Garrett records.

So, in reality, Ms. Soloman is missing out a lot on one of the greatest times in the history of the world. I hope that for her sake she would put on those platform shoes she wore in seventh grade. I know that on occasion, I like to put on a white jump suit and just dangle as many chains around my neck as humanly possible. Of course, that's only when I'm out of uniform.

Sincerely,
The Construction Worker from The Village People

Dear Editor:

What he said, Man.

Love and peace,
Jerry Garcia

Dear Editor:

A lot of people have been going nuts over someone saying, "If you can't do, teach." Well, I have a better one: "If you can't write well, write letters to the editor."

Cincerely,
Dan Quayle

Burley gets some; gets busted

By PHILLIP McCrack and ANDREW MILLHOUSE JOHNSON
Watergate Hotel Security Guards

A recent controversy in Student Government has forced the representative body to impeach President Bill Burley.

Burley was recently found in a local hotel room with a hermaphrodite and a large sum of money thought to be stolen from Student Government funds.

While being escorted from the room by police, Burley stated, "This money is legit, man. I got it selling crack to incoming freshmen."

Despite Burley's claims, it was found out that the money was instead earned during his brief career a few years ago selling suits. He was just too embarrassed to admit it.

When told of the incident, Vice President Pat Billett told reporters he felt sorry for Burley.

"I never really liked the guy to begin with, but I feel bad," he said. "I mean come on... selling suits? Couldn't he find a job as a used car salesman somewhere?"

With the impeachment of Burley, everyone remaining in Student Government will be bumped up one position.

As new vice president, Dave Hall plans to make some serious changes.

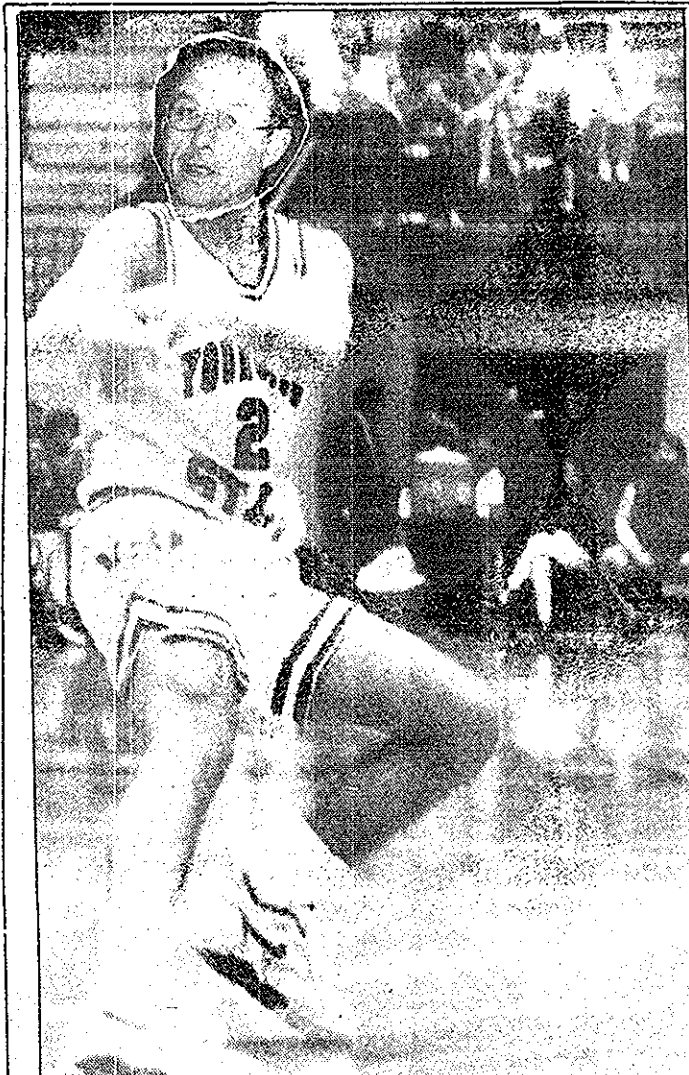
"I've listened to the Keener Wiener twins for two, long quarters, but all that's over now," he said.

Hall said the first change he plans comes from the investigation of Burley by the FBI.

Apparently, the hermaphrodite found with Burley fled before being apprehended by police, but it is now believed that "it" is a member of Student Government.

"Pat and I have talked it over, and we have decided that all of the representatives will submit to a mandatory gender test," said Hall.

Hall and Billett have established an Ad Hoc Committee to conduct the tests. Committee members are Mike Kerensky, Derek Gyongzois, Lisa Virgalitte and Dave Venerose.



Shoot the rock: University President Dr. Les Cochran recently discovered that he has 1-year of eligibility left. Cochran, a reknowned indoor horseshoe champion, said he left the sport to give basketball a shot.

WIENIE ROAST in President Cochran's office April 1



B.Y.O.W.
Bring Your Own Wienie.
President Cochran has the buns!!!

Would you buy a suit from this man?

Men's Clothing SALE

Save 20 to 25 percent on
**Designer Suits
Sportcoats
Dress Slacks**



See **BILL BURLEY** for all of your clothing needs this season.

Faculty struts stuff in new book *Schtupping*

By MONA LOTT AND HECTOR CONCHITA MARIA DORITO GONZALES
Roseanne's Dietician and Tom Arnold's Proctologist

Did you ever wonder what your favorite campus personalities would look like naked and in compromising sexual positions?

You need not wonder any more. The English department has helped assemble a book that will have the entire University talking.

Schtupping has hit the bookstores and it is selling like research papers to 551 students.

At first glance, *Schtupping* may seem like a rip-off of Madonna's *Sex* book, but project coordinator Dr. Julie Brown said *Schtupping* has been in the works for quite some time now.

"Budget cuts really hurt us at first, but with some 'friendly persuasion' we were able to get some private investors to the make the book a go," said Brown in a recent interview.

When asked why she undertook such an endeavor, she said: "Poetry just wasn't fulfilling all of my carnal desires any more and I felt an overwhelming need to be naughty."

Brown continued, "Hey, I'm

not ashamed of my body, I've got nice frontal lobes and if I want to show them off it's my prerogative. After all, I'm a woman of the '90s."

Well, if this book is any indication of what women of the '90s are in to, then stop the world, we want to stay here forever.

Indeed, Brown has reason to flaunt it and does so quite nicely. For example, a shot of her taken with Noodles the cat while she was lounging across a stack of D.H. Lawrence novels and licking her lips enjoying a chocolate-covered banana as three nubile midgets attended to

her every need.

Other shots include Dr. William Greenway posing in a leopard-skin leotard that says: "Here's the beef," with the Barbi twins on a black Harley Davidson.

A photo entitled "PUMP IT!" shows the pecs of YSU Coach Jim Tressel posing in the Stambaugh weight room with a buffed Penny Penguin. Tressel appears totally nude wearing only a 1991 championship cap, while Penny wore a tasteful thong bikini.

President Cochran was the male centerfold of the book posing with celebrity guest RuPaul.

Cochran said about the shoot: "He's the most beautiful woman I've ever worked with."

The female centerfold was the most seductive and erotic photospread in the book. Everyone's favorite A&S advisor and union delegate Geneva Mann posed with guests Flavor-Flav and a boa constrictor, in tribute to her favorite performer, LaToya Jackson.

All in all, the book was tastefully done and all models were over the age of 18. The best part is that *Schtupping* can be bought in three easy payments of \$5.55.

Faux Pas or Fox Pause; you decide

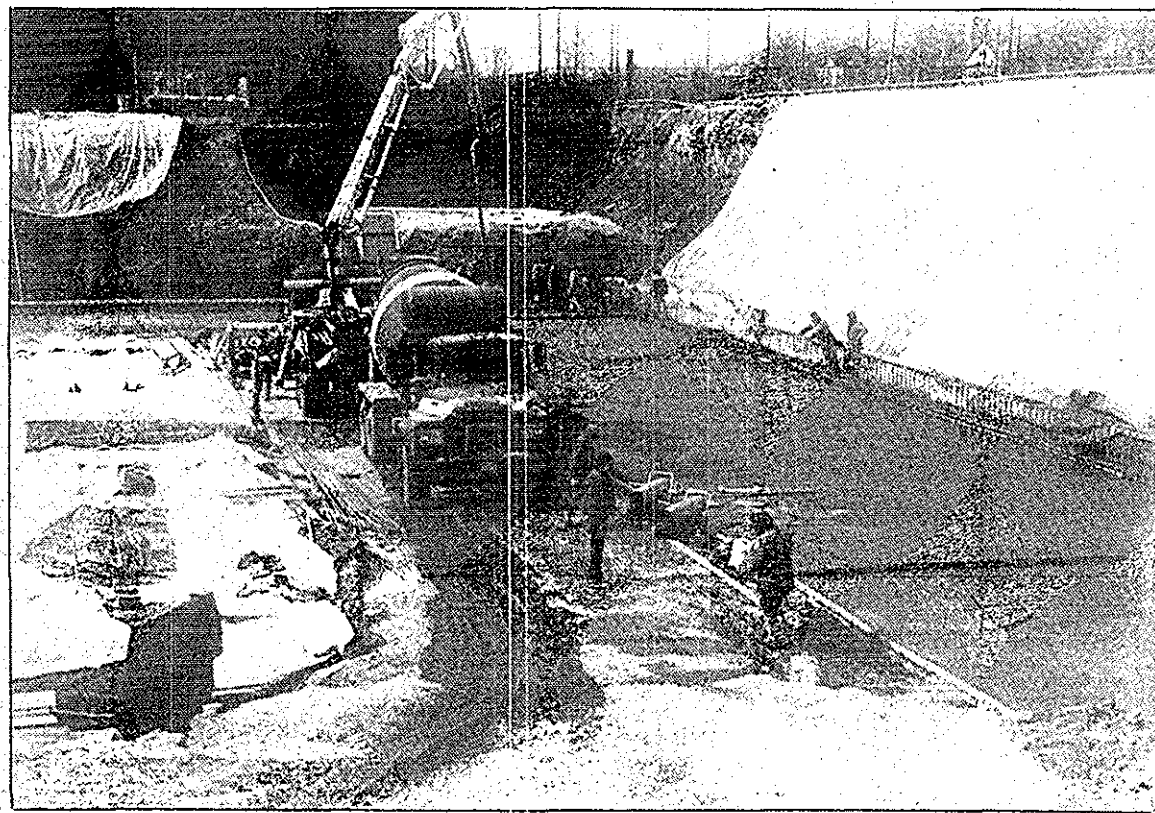
By THE FLY GIRLS
Jambar's Women on Style

Due to the overwhelming success of last year's top ten fashion faux pas, the *Jambar's Women on Style* are back again this year.

"We just felt the need to critique YSU's fashion trends...if there are any here. It seems as though everyone dresses out of the Sears catalog. Oh, and the hair...girls, girls, girls. I've never in all of my life seen so many bad hairdos," said Queenie Lolita, New York City's premiere fashion trend setter.

Here's what you have all been waiting for since we started this fashion faux pas last year. Ready...

10. Burkenstocks with white socks—We don't think so.
9. Tight, black, spandex shorts that are unflattering—Ladies, Cindy's workout video only sells for \$14. Get it.
8. The \$300 Grunge Look.—Puh-leez, go to Goodwill why don't you?
7. White folks wearing X paraphernalia—We won't even comment on this one.
6. White dress shoes in winter—That's a no no.
5. Students who carry humongous gym bags that resemble luggage—Excuse me...going on vacation? Anytime soon??
4. People who wear black knee-hi socks—You're not in the Girl Scouts anymore.
3. People who pronounce Faux Pas phonetically as Fox Pause—Brush up on your French, les eleves.
2. Girls with "big hair"—We got two words for ya'-Fluff Chicks
1. Pink and green are still for Easter eggs—'nuff said.



Hey, JIMMY: The body of deposed Teamster boss, Jimmy Hoffa was found on campus yesterday afternoon. Officials were amazed to find Hoffa alive, but very skinny. Hoffa said: "Somebody get me a sammich."

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NEW EMPLOYEE TRAINING

Yonks dies

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"If you steal from those guys, they'll catch up to you," he said.

Deitch continued, "Does this mean there's a job opening? I've got some free time."

Funeral services will be held at the former GEO's Bistro on Friday. Friends, if he has any, may call from 5 to 5:15 p.m.

CHEAP LAND

Interested in becoming a farmer but not sure where to start? YSU is now offering land located within the campus core as well as in Smokey Hollow for unbelievably cheap rates. This is prime land suitable for bean, ant, alfalfa sprout, vermin, kumquat and/or ermine farming. All interested parties should contact the new Minister of Agriculture, G.L. Mears.

CAREER SERVICES

Introducing our newest staff member, Madame Babushka. Not sure what career is best for you? Madame Babushka has all the answers. She's waiting for you, so make your appointment today!

YSU is not responsible for any personal or financial damages that may be incurred under Madame Babushka's services.

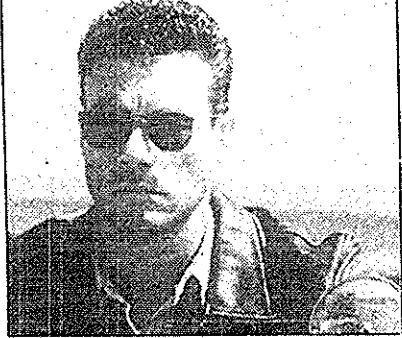
"Campus Quotes"

Is anyone better than you?



A whole lot of people are, I'm just as lucky as a prize frog at the Bula County Fair.

Billy Ray Cyrus
Graduate student, Dana School of Music



No-one is better dan me. Who else can make millions of dollares wif no talent and no grasp of de english languaage? Plus, I have cute buttocks.

Jean-Claude Van Damme,
Freshmans, Physicals Educations



Just Hillary.

President Bill Clinton,
Senior, Marital Relations



Is dis a trick question?

Sylvester Stallone
Freshman, Special Education

Campus Calendar

THURSDAY, APRIL 1

CAMPUS LIFE

PHYSICS CLUB MEETING at the Rock in front of Kilcawley Center; a small nuclear device will be detonated--goggles are optional (8 to 8:01 a.m.)

CLASS CUTTERS ANONYMOUS MEETING in the auditorium of DeBartolo Hall; the club president wishes to express his concern over those people who consistently miss meetings (9 to 10 a.m.)

HUMANE SOCIETY GOLDFISH-EATING CONTEST Kilcawley Center, first floor; winners will receive \$25 in cash but will be kicked out of the organization (10 a.m. to whenever it's done)

"QUAYLE IN '96" RALLY Kilcawley Center Chestnut Room; sponsored by the Naive Republicans (noon)

STUDENTS FOR A ROUNDER PLANET MEETING in the center of Wick Avenue traffic (1 p.m. to until the last ambulance leaves)

FRUSTRATED PARKERS' SUPPORT GROUP MEETING on the top level of the Lincoln parking deck; members are reminded to bring their tire-slashing knives and baseball bats (3 p.m.)

LOW SELF-ESTEEM WORKSHOP on the roof of DeBartolo Hall; bring a friend, but no pets allowed (5 p.m. to until everyone gets depressed and jumps)

ABSOLUTELY NOTHING HAPPENING at various places around campus (all day)

NITE LIFE

MAGIC TWANGER _____ Elvis

P.S. DOWN UNDER _____ Culture Club

RACKS AND RUNS _____ Devo

HURDY GURDY _____ Jim Morrison and the Doors

IRISH BOB'S _____ Lawrence Welk

Police Blotter

March 23

According to Keystone Cop reports, a bunny was sighted stealing candy from Kilcawley Center's candy counter. When approached, the bunny, which was rabid, began to foam at the mouth and hurl hard-boiled eggs at officers. The bunny then led the officers on a high speed hopping chase through campus. The bunny was later discovered pulling YSU flowers.

The bunny has been identified as Peter Cottontail, a residence of 411 Easter Bunny Lane. Officers apprehended Cottontail by taunting him with a carrot. Cottontail was transported to Angels for Animals.

March 25

Students have notified Keystone Cops that a masked man keeps running through campus stomping on peoples' exposed toes. The subject is described as having large feet that stomp. Reports indicate that all people not wearing shoes or who are wearing sandals are most likely to come in contact with the "mad stomper." The subject was last seen asking directions to modern dance classes.

March 26

An unknown person is pressing all the floor numbers on campus elevators and forcing everyone present to stop at every floor. Students indicate that the person jumps off the elevator right after pressing the numbers. Many irritated students insist that this person be caught and punished. Keystone Cops suspect that this is the same person who pushed alarm buttons in elevators last quarter.

April 1

Keystone Cops arrested a YSU student for trespassing on YSU grounds. The student was discovered on the fourth floor of Maag Library. The student had set up portable housekeeping in order to not be detected. "I spent so much time looking for research information, I decided it would be easier to live here," said the student.

Cops believe this is the same person who was bitching on the mound outside of Kilcawley Center. The student is also suspected of chiseling at the rock and selling pieces of it as mementos from YSU.