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Looking Back...

My name is Lynette Martyn. The following is my personal account of the events of September 11th.

I can't remember if I felt the room shaking. I am sitting at my desk dialing a client to inform him of a conference call, when the explosion occurs. My back is to the window but there is a muffled grumbling and my coworker whose desk faces the enormous towers exclaims, "Oh my God, the World Trade Center just exploded!!" I bolt out of my seat.

I begin this peculiar pacing, walking back and forth in the five feet between my desk and the window. Confusion sweeps over me. My first impulse is to run to the window to witness the sight. Something inside me urges me away from the window. After pacing twice, I am suddenly reaching the window.

There is nothing to notice that others are doing the same. Pretty much is doing the same. Pretty much is doing the same. Pretty much is doing the same.

We are all being overly dramatic. There really is no cause for evacuation. We're not in the World Trade Center. Then the forbidden questions start to creep in, What if there are more explosions? What if we're next? The panic in the cement stairway starts to pick up, as if all of the other evacuees are in the same exact thought pattern as myself.

An overwhelming need to reach my family consumes me. I reach for my cell phone. I absolutely must tell them how much I love them. I have no idea where the need to reach out to a loved one comes from, but suddenly I notice everyone grabbing their cell phones trying to get out on a phone line, even if they might not get out of this building, as a backup plan for escape. None of the cell phones work. Most wouldn't work for days. The desperation mounts.

Reflecting now, I wonder where the frantic need to call came from? Was it a means of escape? Surely it wasn't simply to say, "I love you." I'm certain my family knew I loved them, but yet the desire to reach them was suffocating. Was it to let them know I was okay? Clearly I wasn't and any call to them would have only worried them more. Or was it merely for comfort? Was it the need for them to tell me I was loved amid the throes of people who were running to save their lives? Somehow wanting to know I was special. Wanting confirmation that everything was going to be okay.

People keep hitting their redial button. No one can accept the fact that the phones will not work. It is a personal defeat. The monotonous beat of footsteps is now interrupted by a random voice. Put the phones away and pickup the pace! The rhythm of shoes on cement picks up. I stuff my phone in my pocket and continue the descent.

My thoughts are, once again free to wander. I keep picturing us blowing up. Imagining the exit doors bursting into the stairwell with a flash of fire. How sad it would be to die. How said my family would be. What floor are we on? How much farther? I grip the phone in my pocket. I must start to pick up my speed because the woman ahead of me steps aside. Do you want to pass? I'm horrified! I don't want to be one of those people, someone who puts her own safety above the security of others. I fumble through an apology. No, no, not at all. I'm sorry, please go ahead. I want to cry.

Somehow we finally reach the bottom. The feeling of relief brought upon by sunlight and open space is a strange sensation. The sound of sirens fills the air. I look up at the smoking tower. I am no longer scared, but rather cognizant of the fact that I am witnessing history. I survey the area for a kiosk or store that might have an instant camera, but the fire exit has emptied us out at a remote, far corner of the building. Nothing is around. I consider for a moment going to search for a camera, then I look up at the tower again and say to myself aloud, I don't want any pictures of this, realizing the horror of what I'm beholding.

The voice in my head starts to go off again, I should focus on how to get out of here. Public transportation is probably dysfunctional right now. I decide to walk out of the area, when amazingly an available taxi passes nearby. I feel lucky and hail the cab, figuring it is my fastest way home. I have one hand on the open door of the taxi and I am about to climb in when this incredible noise consumes the senses. The next moment will be ingrained in my mind for the rest of my life. I turn my head over my shoulder toward the noise, when what appears to be a missile crashes into the second tower. It all happens in an instant. Oh my God, we're under attack. I think I must have screamed, tears come to my eyes and I start to run towards the water. I never close the taxi door.

I'd never felt fear like this before. I was in a state of complete shock. The noise, the image, was like something I had only experienced in the movies, but the reality of it was unfathomable. Six months after 9/11 rarely did a day go by when I did not picture myself, hand on the open taxi door, looking up over my shoulder. Rarely would I allow myself to remember long enough to relive the reality of it.

I only run about twenty feet, when I stop and turn around again to gaze at the burning towers. I still cannot accept this is really happening. Tears stream down my face. My heart is pounding. When I start to run again I almost fall over. My legs will not move. A warm feeling sinks into my stomach and I become nauseous with fear. Suddenly my legs are moving again, but it is with such a strange sensation. I feel like a puppet having its strings pulled as something within me wills my legs to work. I reach the Hudson River on the west side.

As I reach the water I am brought face to face with hundreds of men and women in business suits, screaming, crying, running. Everyone moving in the same direction south. At this point, I am in complete shock. My body is moving solely on the adrenaline being pushed through my veins. I need to move, but I cannot bring myself to run with

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A Retrospective
Look Forward

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Where were you when it happened? I remember I was in class, blissfully ignorant of the fact that we as a country were being attacked for the ideals and freedoms that we held. Were you scared? I definitely was; no one was really sure of who would be the next target or even what was really happening, and this lack of knowledge, more than anything, frightened me. The one major thought that raced through my head was this: the problem with an invisible enemy is that you can’t defend yourself against it. Was it a homegrown terrorist group ala Timothy Mcveigh or Ted Kaczynski? Or was it a rogue foreign group such as the one that had already attacked the WTC once before?

Someone else completely? Fortunately, due to a large investigation on the government’s part, we soon knew whom we were dealing with. We went to war with our new enemy, and all was solved. Or was it? Many of the same questions that were asked of the morning of September 11th, apply to what happened in its aftermath. Where were you when people attacked their fellow Americans simply because they looked slightly like the terrorists that attacked us? I heard some of you proclaiming that we should lock ‘them’ all up as a precaution. When asked who exactly ‘they’ are, only vague responses about middle easterners, or worse, an offensive epithet were uttered. For those of you who still believe we should carry out such a plan (and you know you’re out there), I will show how absolutely ridiculous this position is using another analogous problem.

What if I was to tell you that statistically, African-American males aged 18-24 have one of the highest incidence of crime in the country. According to your position, we should then attempt to lock up all people who fit that profile in an attempt to reduce crime. Where were you when the American government started taking away your rights in the name of national security? I saw most of you stand by and do nothing, as your safety was supposedly increased by the removal of your privacy, free speech, and access to information. What if I told you that FAA screening employees routinely get on flights carrying knives, guns, and bomb-like materials? What if I told you that two journalists recently got onto 13 flights in a row with a knife, two box cutters, and a can of pepper spray without ever being searched once? I’ve even gotten onto flights with a knife, not in my carry-on bag, but on my person since security was supposedly increased. Security around sensitive areas is just as easy to foil as it always has been; and for those of us that are not from a Middle Eastern country, it has become easier as security personnel are not looking quite as hard at us. The FBI has regained powers that were taken away 30 years ago because of massive abuse. While I was overjoyed at the show of patriotism that was put on following September 11th, where are your flags now? Why haven’t you given blood since last year? While I could keep going on, the basic point I want to get across is this: You are an American; act like one. America is about acceptance, freedom, and opportunity. While the terrorists tried to take that away from us, the people that are doing it most effectively are right here. We may have won against the terrorists, but in the words of Jello Biafra, we’ve got a bigger problem now.

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Fake Letters to the Editor

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Signed,
Hopeful Contributor

Editor reply:
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Dear Knight Newspaper:
Why don't you have what I want in the paper? I never see articles on what interests me!
Signed,
J.C.L.

Editor reply:
Actually, we get a lot of these letters; the best response is that if you can’t find articles in here that interest you, maybe you should contribute a few. I’m sure others will write in with their comments and articles after they see yours, so maybe you’ll see a few more things that you like in here. If you don’t want to write the article yourself, but have a great idea, send it along our way and we’ll see what we can do about it.

Dear Knight Newspaper:
I am, or should I say was, a student here at Nova Southeastern University up until this past summer when I moved on to Law School (not affiliated with NSU). Now, I know this next part is going to sound too good to be true, but I graduated after taking only 3 classes here at Nova. How did I do this, you may ask? Well, it turns out that my father (a lawyer of 24 years) found a small loophole in education law while researching a case. It seems that on the basis of religious reasons, you can get out of taking any required courses that are deemed “objectionable” to your religion. Now I know that this was originally designed to make sure that students that objected would not be required to take classes such as “sex education” however, due to the vagueness of the law, it is not limited to these classes. By submitting this letter to the administration of the university, I was able to bypass many of the so-called “requirements” for my major. Now I’m not suggesting that you go ahead and try this to the degree that I did (as they may start closing this particular loophole), but it’s just a little bit of info for those that are interested in getting out of some of those classes that you hate to take.

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To: President and Deans of the University, Teachers, Counselors and Staff:
I, _________, am enrolled in the _______ department(s) at _______ University.
This letter is a written, legal notice that I am exercising my rights under Student Rights Law (Title 21, Chapter 12, Subchapter 5, Section 692) State law and case law to request that the above-named pupil be excused from and not attend or participate in any class, presentation, discussion, project, extracurricular activity, or program presented by the University or by the agents under its direction, which involve any of the following:
Statistics, English, Literature of any kind; Calculus, Economics, Biology, Chemistry, or Physical Sciences of any type.
Furthermore, attendance of the aforementioned student at any seminar, class, discussion or presentation of any type containing material of a Psychological nature shall be deemed unwarranted; therefore, under the provisions of this article the above named student shall not be required to attend any of the above.
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I request written acknowledgment of receipt and filing of this written notice.
Signed: __________ Date: ______

Signed,
Jake Hoistis

Editor’s Reply:
Well, we aren’t quite sure if Jake Hoistis meant this is a joke; but it couldn’t hurt, right?
P.S. Could someone please send us a real letter?

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Jump on board Career Track NSU with Career Services

by Anthony DeSantis
Assistant Director of Career Services

Your future career opportunities and choices are affected by the planning you do now. Completing a successful collegiate experience and managing a lifetime of career challenges do not just happen—they are planned! The Office of Career Services offers you the opportunity to plan for professional growth and create successful career outcomes. Meeting with your career consultant and developing a plan of action will allow you to make successful career decisions. Many students enter college with career goals; however, the pressure of completing course requirements can sometimes impede the career-planning process. This year, the Office of Career Services has implemented the Career Track NSU model so that students can partner with their career consultant in order to choose, implement, and reach their career goals. It is important that you start this process early by visiting Career Services on the 4th floor of the Library, Research, and Information Technology Center in Room 4036.

Career Services at Nova Southeastern University has also been working diligently to bring the latest in career planning technology and strategies to the students and alumni of NSU. This fall, Career Services will launch on-campus recruiting through their new program called e-Recruiting. This exciting new program will bring employers from national and local organizations to campus to interview students and alumni at their convenience. As part of the program, a virtual web resume book will be available to employers to view online, which will allow employers to recruit and screen students and alumni that have registered for e-Recruiting. This system will also provide an online database of local and national job listings that will allow students and alumni who register to immediately apply for a position they are interested in.

Career Services will also be offering various programs and seminars throughout the fall semester. These programs and seminars target key career planning areas for undergraduates and graduate population. Some of the seminars that will be offered are Resume and Cover Letter Writing, Interviewing Skills, Networking Your Way to the Top, The Employers View: Preparing Yourself for the Job Market, Preparing an Effective Curriculum Vitae, and many more. Make sure to mark your calendars for major events.

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For more information about Career Services and/or to register with any of the events listed above, contact us at 954-262-7201 or email us at career@nova.edu. Feel free to also check out our Web site at www.nova.edu/cwis/studentaffairs/career.

Is it real?

Each month, we will give you three quotations from press releases/e-mails we have received here at The Knight. Two are real, one is not. If you are one of the first 10 people to point out which press release/e-mail is the fake one, you will receive a prize!

Press release #1:
"This campaign will represent a milestone in American Politics... [He] will be the first person to appear on any federal or gubernatorial, general election ballot who speaks to the fact of an extraterrestrial presence manifest about the planet and the government imposed embargo on the truth of the fact..."

Press release #2:
"... With respect, Franklin P. Smith
P.S. I would appreciate a better e-mail response next time, as your last response sucked."

Press release #3:
"The banning of DDT was always based on scientifically fraudulent assertions... In fact, it is rightly regarded as the most life-saving man-made chemical in history."

Please send your guess to nsunews@nova.edu along with your name and a daytime phone number. One submission per person please. Winners and answers will be announced in next month’s issue.
Lexington, Ky.—(Collegiate Press)—Sept. 5, 2002—A contest to spur the imaginations of college students announced today by Lexmark International, Inc. will award $22,500 for designs of innovative printing devices that will enhance the future of business communication.

The company’s “Design the Business Printer of the Future” contest is targeted to students attending colleges and universities across the United States. The contest will run through Oct. 28 with winners being announced during the week of Nov. 11.

“As technology advances, new and once-unimaginable machines are being developed to solve real business challenges, to speed up the pace of business and to help employees communicate even more effectively than ever before,” said Paul Rooke, Lexmark vice president and president of its Printing Solutions and Services Division. “We’re looking for today’s brightest college minds to predict tomorrow’s printing reality.”

Lexmark will award cash and Lexmark printing products as prizes for winning student entries, including:

* Grand prize—$10,000 and a Lexmark E320 laser printer
* Second prize—$7,500 and a Lexmark E320 laser printer
* Third prize—$5,000 and a Lexmark E320 laser printer

Lexmark is encouraging college and university professors to use this contest as part of their course curriculum or as an extra credit project to encourage student participation. As an added bonus, the professor who sponsors the winning student will receive a Lexmark C750 color laser printer for their classroom or department.

Students participating in the contest are asked to submit:

- 1,000-word article describing the device, its purpose and the business problem it is designed to solve
- Sketch of the physical design of the device; and
- Three-minute video testimonial describing the device and its purpose.

A panel of Lexmark executives, leaders of design and engineering professional societies and magazine editors will judge the submissions based on creativity (50 percent), design and functionality (25 percent) and technical achievement (25 percent).

“Lexmark certainly has a compelling view of the future of the printing landscape and we view this contest as a great opportunity for college students to flex their intellectual muscles, win some significant awards and even improve their resumes,” said Rooke.

For more information about Lexmark’s “Design the Business Printer of the Future” contest, its rules and details on how to enter, please visit www.lexmark.com/win10k.

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As if Leaving Home For the First Time Weren't Hard Enough: Coping with Chronic Diseases like Ulcerative Colitis Adds to Student's Stress

Treatment & Lifestyle Changes Can Keep Condition In Check

Raleigh, N.C.—(COLLEGIATE PRESSWIRE)—Aug. 26, 2002—It's hard enough adapting to a new environment for leaving home for the first time with a chronic disease, according to Ellen Scherl, MD, director of the Inflammatory Bowel Disease Center at New York Presbyterian Hospital. "While flare-ups may incapacitate a person who suffers from this disease," said Dr. Scherl, "many young adults (between the ages of 15 and 30) and it includes symptoms that can, if not managed properly, incapacitate a college student trying to juggle both academic and social activities: varying degrees of abdominal pain, diarrhea, rectal bleeding and rectal urgency.

"It is indeed a cruel irony for students coping with ulcerative colitis: the busier and more stressful their days become, the more likely disruptive flare-ups can occur," said Dr. Scherl. "While flare-ups may not be caused by stress, they can certainly add to the stress of college life, as students with this condition have to contend with incapacitating symptoms that force them to plan their busy schedules around restroom visits. When the disease is active, symptoms may preclude students from such everyday activities as attending classes, visiting friends or even simply leaving the house."

So What's a Student to Do?

"Like most chronic diseases, ulcerative colitis can change your lifestyle, but it doesn't have to control your life," said Dr. Scherl. "There are several specific things you can do to help make life with ulcerative colitis easier and take back control of your life."

Learn About It... Talk About It

Dr. Scherl encourages students to educate themselves, their friends, family members and professors about the particulars of this disease. Because of the embarrassing nature of symptoms, students often withdraw from social activities rather than explain their condition. But experts say this withdrawal creates a sense of isolation that can have a negative impact on a person's overall well being and ability to heal.

Manage Your Diet...

A school dining program with all-day access to well-stocked dining halls can be a real help in identifying the foods and eating patterns to best manage colitis. The Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America recommends eating small quantities of food at regular intervals throughout the day—every three to four hours. Avoid high-fiber foods, and raw fruits and vegetables. Caffeine and alcohol should be kept to a minimum, too—particularly when symptoms are active.

...and Exercise

A regular exercise program can go a long way in managing ulcerative colitis...from a physical, psychological and social perspective. Make full use of the school's fitness facilities, exercise equipment, workout classes, team sports clubs, and walking and jogging trails. Consult with your doctor before starting an exercise program.

Investigate Treatment Options

While there is no cure for ulcerative colitis, the recent availability of COLAZAL® (balsalazide disodium) Capsules 750 mg can provide effective symptom relief for patients with mild to moderately active ulcerative colitis. As the first FDA-approved treatment for ulcerative colitis in the last decade, COLAZAL delivers anti-inflammatory medication directly to the colon—the site of the disease—where it appears to work topically.

"COLAZAL is an important treatment option for the thousands of young people who suffer with this disease," said Dr. Scherl. "Thankfully, this treatment helps manage the condition and induce remission— an absence of symptoms— improving patients' ability to lead normal lives."

For more information about ulcerative colitis and local support groups designed to help young patients, contact the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of America at 800-343-3637 or visit its web site at http://www.ccfa.org. If you or your physician would like more information about COLAZAL, visit Salix Pharmaceuticals' website at http://www.salixpharm.com, or call (866) 669-SLXP (7597).

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Source: Salix Pharmaceuticals

BIGWORDS.com Introduces New Uber-BOT

Annapolis, Md.—(BUSINESS WIRE via COLLEGIATE PRESSWIRE)—Aug. 26, 2002—BIGWORDS.com announces The Uber-BOT, which compares total order prices from leading online textbook stores including shipping, promotions and coupons, and shipping, and just lays it all out—simple! One student has written to BIGWORDS thanking the company for releasing the new service. In fact, BIGWORDS comparative analyses show that the typical student on average two or more book transaction will save $51.88, about 31% including shipping. The average savings on a textbook is $20.91 (28%) including shipping.

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The "Undisputed" Champ of Modern Boxing Flicks

By Dennis Heard
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Fort Lauderdale—Ever wondered what would happen if a boxing champ went to prison on rape charges that he denied? ... Scratch that. Ever wondered what would happen if a boxing champ that isn't Mike Tyson went to prison on rape charges that he denied? In "Undisputed," director Walter Hill converts this idea to the big screen. The movie isn't about Tyson, but if he had ever made a cameo on Oz, then this could have very well been the result.

George "Iceman" Chambers (Ving Rhames), the undisputed boxing champion of the world on the "outside," is sent to Sweetwater Penitentiary to serve time on alleged rape charges. It doesn't take him long to find that he has competition within the prison walls. Chambers finds that competition in Monroe Hutchens (Wesley Snipes), an articulate man who lost control of his emotions when he saw his significant other with another man, beat the man to death barehanded, and received life in prison. When the Iceman learns that Hutchens is the prison champ all hell breaks loose.

I'm sure growing up together, Rhames and Snipes never envisioned being foes in a boxing ring; however, the chemistry between the two is excitingly electric and strikingly real. Another highlight of the film is Emmanuel "Mendy" Ripstein (Peter Falk). Ripstein is an old mob boss, boxing historian, and is responsible for arranging the fight through his mob connections—the proverbial Don King of our tale. The fervor of this fight-man gets you so intensely excited about the upcoming heavyweight showdown that you'll swear you'll be shelling out $39.95 for pay-per-view.

Overall, "Undisputed" exceeded my expectations. Of course it is filled with prison and boxing movie clichés: the riot, the transvestite inmate, the skinhead gang, and the obligatory training session encompassed by driving inspirational music. The film also had a handful of cameos from the likes of Jon Seda, Master P who sang his own version of The National Anthem, and former "Yo, MTV Raps" host Ed Lover. This movie gets a six out of ten red gloves rating for its great fight sequences and for the unbiased approach of the director to let the viewer to choose his/her* favorite to win the fight. The only thing this movie is missing is the real Tyson and a half-bitten ear.

* his/her appears in this article not by author's choice but rather solely because the MLA demands it.
Students Speak Out...

on the Nova Bookstore

Tell the student and faculty of Nova Southeastern about your opinions and experiences at the Nova Bookstore. Is everything great and business as usual, or should something be changed about the way our bookstore is run? Send in your one-liners, essays, and proposals to nsunews@nova.edu.

Here is the maiden voyage of a new column in The Knight Newspaper. It is entitled “Students Speak Out.” This is the space dedicated to your contribution of thoughts on current events at Nova Southeastern to The Knight Newspaper and the population here at Nova Southeastern. The survival of this column depends on you. Send in your comments about the topic at hand and ideas for new topics and they may be published in following issues of The Knight. The students need a united voice, and this is the opportunity. Enjoy.

Get involved in NSU Community Service

Welcome Back New and Returning Students to NSU.

Sat. Sept. 21, 2002 Little Buddies Carnival, Goodwin Residence Hall, 11am-2pm
Sat. Nov. 2, 2002 Pride and Service Campus Clean-Up Day Davie main campus, 11am-2pm
Tues. Dec. 3, 2002 Senior Prom 6pm-8:30 pm at Rolling Hills Country Club.

For more information contact Megan Bubb x 7297
Graduate Assistant for Community Service / Volunteer Outreach.
Or stop by Room 100 in the Rosenthal Student Center.
Alpha Phi Omega Starts off the New School Year!
by Michael R. Brown

Alpha Phi Omega (APO) is a co-ed National Service Fraternity that sets the standard for campus-based volunteerism. We recently celebrated our 75th Anniversary since being established based on Scouting principles on the campus of Lafayette College in 1925. Since that time, we have grown to over 350 active chapters at numerous schools and universities and over 300,000 students have joined, making us the largest Greek-letter organization in the country. Membership is open to all students, regardless of gender, race, religious belief, or national origin. Our organization is based on the principles of leadership, friendship and service, giving our members the opportunity to discover and develop leadership abilities, make and secure lasting friendships, and plan and provide useful service to others.

Alpha Delta Tau Chapter, Nova Southeastern University's Chapter of Alpha Phi Omega, the National Co-ed Service Fraternity, welcomes all students to Nova Southeastern as we start our sixth year of existence here on campus. We are having our Fall Rush the week of September 9th thru the 14th, and hope students will want to join. Rush is our traditional recruitment period.

Rush kicks off on Monday, September 9th with our Info Night in the Flight Deck, which will be a good chance to meet the members of the chapter and socialize. Food and drinks will be provided. Tuesday we will be doing Pool and Ping Pong in the Flight Deck. Wednesday we will be doing Salsa lessons. On Thursday we will be going to Boomers. On Friday, we will be taking people out to dinner. On Saturday, we will be having a service project in the morning, then having a barbecue/pool party in the early afternoon. Those who wish to join will go through a pledge program, which is a period of training where you learn about APO and our principles and participate in our chapter's events. Check our bulletin board in the Parker building or visit our web site at www.nova.edu/~aphio for our Rush schedule. If you would like more information on our organization please visit our National web site at www.apo.org.

We have many things planned for this coming semester and year. This Labor Day we will participate again in the Jerry Lewis MDA Labor Day Telethon. We are planning to participate in National Make a Difference Day on October 26th. We are also making plans for our National Service Week in November. This year we are having our biennial National Convention, which is being held December 27-30 in New Orleans. We hope to send several members to this event.

This past April, we attended our Section Conference for the chapters in Florida. This year's conference was held on the University of Florida campus. During the conference we participated in service projects, workshops, and seminars, and had an award banquet. For the second year, our chapter received an award for having the best Chapter website in our Region, which includes Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Tennessee, Western Kentucky, and South Carolina. Our next Section Conference will be hosted at the University of Central Florida.

Over the summer the chapter had several of our members attend the Chapter Program Workshop held at Oglethorpe University in Atlanta and the Sectional Resource Weekend held at our National Office in Kansas City.

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Where's The Student Union?

Rosenthal Student Center is NSU's Student Union, which serves as the central location bringing the NSU community together. We provide facilities, programs, events, and services that enhance the quality of campus life. Rosenthal is a multi-use facility, and showcases a fun, pub-type environment called “The Flight Deck”. Located on the 2nd floor of the Student Union, The Flight Deck includes a serving bar with a beer and wine license, a wooden dance floor, a stage, 65” large-screen HD TV, 8 more TV’s all with movie channels and Direct TV, 2 dart boards, 2 pool tables, a ping-pong table, various magazines and board games, and different seating areas. Open weekdays until midnight and 8:00pm on weekends, The Flight Deck is a popular place on campus for students to meet, greet, and eat.

The Student Union is host to a variety of weekly activities, student events, happy hours, and union sports. Every Monday in the fall will showcase “Monday Night Football” at 9:00pm. Wednesdays are Happy Hours and “Buck Bingo” with students attempting to win “NovaBucks”. $1 gets you 3 Bingo boards for 7 games, a soda, and chips/candy. Friday’s are TGIF’s with free food. Sundays were made for football, and the Student Union has a whole lot of it! With “NFL Sunday Ticket” on Direct TV, you won’t miss your favorite teams. Throughout the year, the Student Union Sports program also features a bowling league, and sponsors tournaments in 8-ball and 9-ball billiards, table tennis, darts, dominos, spades, and a sports quiz bowl.

If you want a quick bite to eat and a soda, check out our “Dollar Days” food program. We sell pizza singles, cheeseburgers, chicken sandwiches, corndogs, burritos, Philly steak & cheese, sausage/egg/cheese biscuits, muffins, and a variety of hot pockets FOR ONLY $1.00 all day long. All sodas are 50¢, and water or juice are only $1.00. Coffee is FREE all day!

The “NovaBucks” program encourages student involvement and participation in activities. It is an NSU currency that can be used to purchase exclusive NSU paraphernalia, fund student trips, or pay for snacks and beverages in the Flight Deck. Come check out the new NSU merchandise!

Also located in the Student Union are NSU’s main cafeteria, a large private dining room, 2 meeting rooms, the CyberCafe with four computers, and a 53-seat movie theater (with surround sound, a 100” screen, projector, DVD player, VCR, and a Playstation 2 game console). The Conference Services program provides facilities, audio/visual equipment, and food/beverage service for student organizations and NSU personnel to host meetings, functions, and events. The Flight Deck may be reserved on Saturday nights for private parties.

The Rosenthal Student Center is also home to Aramark Dining Services, Nova Books bookstore, WNSU radio station (Radio X), and several NSU Student Affairs offices. Those include the Office of the Dean of Student Affairs, Student Development & Special Events, Student Activities & Leadership Development, and the Student Union offices.

Inexpensive food and beverages, unique services, and friendly staff help make the Student Union a convenient and comfortable environment for events and services benefiting the NSU community. For more information, stop by Rosenthal Student Center—room 202, call us at (954) 262-7288, or check out our website at www.union.nova.edu.

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Have you got the right mix to make it as a top DJ?

Glendale, Calif.—(BUSINESS WIRE via COLLEGIATE PRESSWIRE)—Aug. 21, 2002—Nescafe(TM) and Ministry of Sound, the most well-known clubbing brand in the world, seek local DJs looking to get noticed on a global level who aren’t intimidated by booming sound systems, high quality production and electrifying light shows. You may be one of four DJs from the Americas selected to go to Acapulco, Mexico to spin for a live audience and a panel of Ministry of Sound judges on December 14, 2002. If you win, you will be invited to play an entire set at a top Ministry of Sound event that most suits your style of music.

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World famous Ministry of Sound DJs will be spinning in Los Angeles on October 4, 2002 at Arena at 6555 Santa Monica Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90038 to promote the online competition. The event is open to the general public. Doors open at 9 p.m., cover is $10 before 10 p.m., $20 after.

If you want to show off your skills to win a chance to go to Acapulco, log onto www.nescafeusa.com. While there, enter for your chance to win one of 500 exclusive Ministry of Sound compilation CDs.

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- Simply download the Atomix MP3 software, select the desired elements, and mix them together to make your very own original track.
- The "Nescafe Live Team" will review all DJ entries and invite the 10 most creative and skillful entries to submit a video of themselves behind real turntables. Of the ten video entries, the experts at Ministry of Sound will select four finalists to spin live at Ministry of Sound events across the globe to local venues.
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Note to Editors: Ministry of Sound Compilation CD for review available upon request.

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School Physicals

by Edward E. Packer, D.O., FAAP, FACOP
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Fall has finally arrived, and our thoughts turn to cooling temperatures and the start of the school year. With the start of school, parents are rushing to the store to get new school bags, pencils, shoes, and clothing for their children. Every parent is eager to assure that his/her child has everything he/she needs to do well in school. To help their young student succeed in school, parents make certain that their children to have the best school supplies and the most comfortable clothing that they can provide.

Yet, children need more than supplies and clothing to succeed in school. They also need to be fit and free of health problems. If a child suffers from ear pain or constant wheezing, he or she will have difficulty concentrating on the academic tasks in their classroom. Children that are plagued with back pain from a curvature of the spine or have chronic knee or foot pain, will not be able to succeed in sports or other physical activities at school. When a child has trouble seeing the blackboard or hearing the instructions from their teacher, it is impossible for him or her to complete an assignment correctly.

Growth is not complete in a child until he or she reaches adulthood (about 21 years). With each year of growth and development, a child needs a careful examination to make certain that every organ system is maturing properly. The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends that children should have a complete physical examination once a year. The start of school should serve as a reminder to parents that their child is due for an annual checkup. Schools do require that all children be current on their immunizations prior to starting school, but immunizations are only the beginning of proper preventative healthcare for your child. Your child should have a complete annual checkup to optimize their performance in school. A complete checkup should include measuring the child’s height, weight, and blood pressure. The child should be thoroughly examined to determine if any problems have developed since the last doctor’s visit. Remember that most parents don’t examine their child’s body closely after the child reaches school age. The annual examination by a physician is the only time that a parent can closely check to see that there are no physical problems.

As a member of the Nova Southeastern University family, you are fortunate to have a health center staffed with Board Certified pediatricians right here on your campus. The clinic at the Ziff Healthcare Center is located on the West side of the campus, and is ready to provide your child with the important annual health checkup. Please call the Ziff Healthcare center at 262-4100 to schedule an appointment for your child’s annual school checkup. We are here for you!

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towers collapse that it could not have been that long. I think I saw a school house being evacuated. I probably should have offered to help the teachers. I remember lots of cars. Thousands of cars, it is like joining a pilgrimage. The highway is abandoned of cars. Thousands of people like refugees march, walk, sprint, to escape north out of the flames and death. Many of the pilgrims having just barely escaped with their life. Then there are those few who had not lived it, who had not just moments ago feared for their life. They are the ones heading south on their bicycles. Curiosity I suppose, drawing them to the scene. Fewer people are attempting use of their cell phones now. I guess we’ve all given up. Every pay phone I pass is lined with people who have just died. My knees start to buckle again, as I realize the intense emotion and sobs, I t came down. It seems to burn higher and stronger. I begin to think again about all the people who must have died.

Having contacted home and gotten out of the Financial District, I am now able to shake off the sense that I am in immediate danger. I continue to work my way north and east towards my uptown apartment, which seems an eternity away. I am in the Village now.

Radios delivering news seem to echo everywhere. People on the sidewalk carry portable radios, cars radios blare out of parked cars, stereo speakers are perched on apartment windowsills and fire escapes. The news reverberates along the street. Everyone seems to stand still, jaws dropped, eyes wide, pupils reflecting the fire. I have not looked back since I talked myself out of the area, which seems like hours ago. I turn around to assess where I came from. The fire seems to burn higher and stronger. I begin to think about all the people who must have died.

A radio near me spits out news about a plane in Pennsylvania. I start to contemplate exit strategies in my head again. Money, I need to get money. My wallet is empty and the ATM machines may run out. I run into the vestibule across the street and take out $400. I stick $100 in my bra and start to leave when there is a commotion outside. My heart resumes its pounding; I rush into the street expecting the worst. People are screaming, gasping, holding their hands to their mouths. Some are crying on their knees. Everyone is looking at the towers. I turn to face the towers; it occurs to me that something else has been hit. New clouds of smoke have formed. Something is different. I don’t understand what has happened. A woman next to me starts to lose control of her emotions and sobs, It came down. It came down. I hadn’t fathomed that the tower would come down. A wave of nausea flows over me as I consider all the people who have just died. My knees start to buckle again, as I realize the intense danger I was in. I stumble forward crying, I am not headed in any direction. I’m lost in the moment. I don’t know where to go or what to do.

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by Francesca Russo

This year opened up well with our annual Got Wood followed by an extra day of enjoyment and fun in the sun at our Tiki Pool Party. This was our way of welcoming returning students and all incoming freshmen. Throughout the year you’ll see many events posted and advertised such as Grin and Gripe, Holla for Dolla’s, Athletes in Motion, SGA Field Day, Walk This Way, President’s Council, Hear Us Roar, Knowledge Bowl, and a Book Exchange Bash. NSUSGA’s CEC will also be hosting events such as a trip to see a Marlins or Dolphins game, Movie Nights at the Flight Deck Theatre, a Super bowl Party, a Homecoming Dance and Homecoming Week which includes a bed and raft race, a carnival, and also a Halloween and Holiday Party. Not to mention the fabulous trips that will be sponsored by CEC such as the Disney trip in January and visit to Cancun for Spring Break or even a trip to Busch Gardens.

We will also offer certain scholarships to recognize those students who pursue educational excellence, two of which are open to International students only and the other open to all NSU students. Along with this, we will also help the community by donating to certain charities and helping out different clubs and organizations. This year we hope to keep you excited about Nova and always on your feet with something to do so you can have a memorable year.

Anyone who gets involved this year will benefit from the sense of campus life that we have to offer you and will experience what college is really about. This year we are going to have an amusing time, work diligently, and make extensive projects happen on this campus. We ask you to stay tuned to this year’s fun and join us for an exceptional time. SGA is committed to its constituents and determined to help you out in any way possible, so I encourage all of you to get to know your student government. We are here for you to voice your opinions and concerns so we can help make this an incredible year together. Our mode and inspiration for this year is “Each One, Reach One,” and that is just what we intend to do. We wish you the best of luck throughout your school year and may you strive to your fullest potential.

Below, there is a list of recent E-board members and senators that make up our SGA. If you need assistance in any way or simply just want to contact one of us, feel free to reach us at (954) 262-8459 or come talk to us personally in room 207 of the Rosenthal Center. We are all eager to be there for our constituents.

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A woman is headed toward me on the street. I stop in front of her as she passes. Still weeping, I reach out for comfort. She hugs me. I’m standing in the middle of the street hugging a complete stranger. The embrace rejuvenates me enough to speak. I don’t know where to go, I don’t know what to do. She tells me to follow her, she is headed to Saint Vincent’s Hospital. She heard they need volunteers. That makes so much sense. We turn the corner and approach the hospital. Ropes cordon off the people. A wall of doctors and nurses in scrubs spans the front of the hospital. Everyone stands facing the fire. There are no patients in sight. No gurneys. No ambulances. I walk up to the line of doctors. A nurse informs me that there is no need for volunteers right now. They are waiting for casualties to arrive. They are taking blood donations around the corner. I know I will pass out if I try to donate blood in my current state. I look at the doctors’ faces as they gaze at the tragedy. They look scared and powerless. Many are crying. I leave the hospital feeling helpless.

I am now exhausted. I start eyeing stoops for possible rest places. I think of my friend who lives in the Village and start working my way toward her apartment. I am standing at the arch in Washington Square Park when the second tower, which I can make out through the arch, begins to crumble. I am unable to avert my eyes. What was once a famous image, captured in movies and postcards, is now literally disappearing before my eyes. Now, one year later, I am incapable of standing in that spot without being transported to that moment in time. The arch for me, has become a surrogate tombstone. A place where I reflect upon the losses and experiences of that day.

Shortly after the second tower comes down, I arrive at my friend’s house. I am covered in sweat and tears. My clothes are soaked. I’m exhausted. I pass out there for several hours and sleep a deep sleep. As I sleep the scars begin to form, the images and memories place themselves in their permanent resting places in my mind. The first steps in a healing process that will last a lifetime.

After note:
Many of my closest friends and family have yet to hear my story. Conversely, on an impulse, the anonymous person sitting next to me on a plane ride has gotten to share in a cathartic rebirth of the experience. My silence is not a result of my unwillingness to share my story, but accurately reproducing the experience is not something I can bring to life on command. It is something I carry with me, which chooses to surface on its own accord. Documenting the day on paper, I needed to wait for moments when the memories and the energy would come to me together.

For several days after the incident, I could not even bring myself to discuss the happenings of that day. Guilt consumed me. I did not want the attention and doting of others. I did not want any spotlight. This was a solemn day, to be remembered in prayer. To discuss it aloud felt like it would have been an insult to those who lost their lives. The first few days I thought I would never be able to discuss the events without an enormous amount of guilt. I have since come to
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The Language Institute @ NSU has just started its Fall semester welcoming a group of highly motivated students and instructors that will work towards the wonderful goal of communication.

The Intensive English program received a group of students from all over Latin America, Europe and Asia this past Monday August, 26th. These students will take classes every morning from 9 to 1:40 to improve their English and Academic skills. On the English training side, TLI starts a TOEFL preparation course on September 16th. This course will run for 10 weeks.

TLI will also be offering two professional language development courses: English for Business and English for the Health Professions; two courses that are open to all NSU students in the medical or business careers. Spanish, French and Portuguese language training will also take place as of next week, on Wednesday, September 4th. Classes take place in the evenings and all NSU students and employees are invited to attend and learn another language!

The Language Institute is committed to the teaching of English and foreign languages at the highest level using the best and most modern materials and techniques. Visit us for your language questions or needs and let us become your "international" friend within the university community.

Hasta luego! Au-revoir! See you later!

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I understand that this was merely a symptom of post-traumatic stress, one of many which I would encounter over the next several months.

September 11th is a reality that we all must live with for the rest of our lives. It is a reality that will follow us and our children's children throughout history. As a witness to this historical day I want to share everything I can with those who want to know what it was like to be there. As each anniversary of this tragic day occurs, please take some time to reflect in a way which is meaningful to you. Go out of the way to tell the people close to you that you love them, be kind to a neighbor, say a prayer. I know I will.

If you know of someone you feel would benefit from my story, feel free to forward this on. Questions or comments about my experience are welcome at lynettemartyn@yahoo.com

Lynette Martyn is the niece of Dee Termo, an employee of Nova Southeastern University.
Nova Southeastern University to Join Sunshine State Conference, Earns Full NCAA Division II Status

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL—Nova Southeastern University has accepted an invitation to join the Sunshine State Conference of the National Collegiate Athletic Association (Division II) beginning with the 2002-03 academic year, it was announced today at a press conference inside NSU's Library, Research, and Information Technology Center. "This is truly an exciting step for Nova Southeastern University to make," NSU President Ray Ferrero, Jr., said. "The Sunshine State Conference is well-known and well-respected throughout the nation, not only for athletic excellence, but for its academic standards, as well. The invitation to join the league was, needless to say, an honor we did not hesitate to accept."

The 2002-03 academic year will mark the first of a three-year provisional membership period for NSU. In order to become a full SSC member, NSU will be asked to meet several requirements including the addition of intercollegiate teams in men's cross country, women's rowing, and women's tennis in 2003-04, and the start of construction on an indoor varsity athletic facility in 2003-04. Nova Southeastern University currently sponsors intercollegiate athletic teams in four men's sports (baseball, basketball, golf, and soccer) and six women's sports (basketball, cross country, golf, soccer, softball, and volleyball).

NSU will be added to all SSC schedules in 2003-04, but will not become eligible to compete for conference championships until completing all requirements of provisional membership. The earliest NSU can compete for SSC titles would be 2004-05, the third year of the provisional membership period, provided that all requirements of the provisional membership period are satisfied. The addition of NSU will increase the Sunshine State Conference's membership to nine institutions, including Barry University, Eckerd College, Florida Southern College, Florida Tech, Lynn University, Rollins College, Saint Leo University, and the University of Tampa.

"We look forward to not only the recognition and benefits that go along with being both an NCAA II and Sunshine State Conference school, but also to fulfilling the expectations for success that we all have as coaches and student-athletes."

Today's announcement comes on the heels of NSU being approved for active membership as part of the National Collegiate Athletic Association effective September 1, as announced by the NCAA Division II Membership Committee. The change to full Division II status comes after a four-year provisional membership in which NSU had to fulfill NCAA requirements. NSU's Department of Athletics, now in its 20th year of existence, had been a member of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and the Florida Sun Conference. "These are huge steps for NSU athletics and the university overall," said Mike Mominey, NSU's interim athletic director and head baseball coach. "We look forward to not only the recognition and benefits that go along with being both an NCAA II and Sunshine State Conference school, but also to fulfilling the expectations for success that we all have as coaches and student-athletes."

The accreditation review (site visit) for the Master of Public Health Program of the College of Osteopathic Medicine, Nova Southeastern University is scheduled for November 18-19, 2002. The Council on Education for Public Health (CEPH) will accept written third party comments regarding the Program until 30 days before the on site visit, i.e., prior to October 18, 2002. If you wish to send comments to the CEPH you may address your letter to:

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2002 WOMEN'S SOCCER SCHEDULE

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Head Coach: Mike Goodrich
Assistant Coach: Alicia Waig
Captains: Dawn Banford, Rebecca Harrison, Jenni McDonough
* Denotes home game

NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY
2002 FALL GOLF SCHEDULE

Men's Fall Tournaments:
September 22-24, 2002
September 29 - October 1, 2002
October 25-27, 2002
November 5-7, 2002

Women's Fall Tournaments:
September 27-29, 2002
October 13-15, 2002
October 19-21, 2002

Johnson & Wales College Preview Classic, Miami FL
University of Tampa, Spartan Invitational
Pfeiffer University North Shore Intercollegiate, NC
Rollins College Invitational, Orlando FL

Lady Falcon Invitational, Daytona Beach, FL
Lenoir Rhyne Myrtle Beach Women's Intercollegiate
Queens College Classic, Charlotte, NC
## NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY 2002 VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

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Head Coach: Lori Rembe
Assistant Coach: Lisa Rembe

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BCC - Home games to be played at George Mayer Gymnasium on the BCC Central Campus Bldg. #10
UNS - Home games to be played at the University School Gymnasium

## NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY 2002 MEN’S SOCCER SCHEDULE

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Head Coach: Joe DePalo
Assistant Coaches: Leo Vega, Rich Barnard, Dan McNally
Captains: Carlos Cadena, Jeremy Flint

* Denotes home game

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- HOT POCKET PEPPERONI PIZZA
- LEAN POCKET PHILLYSTEAK AND CHEESE
- CORN DOGS
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