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Two students at NSU allegedly charged with sexual assault
by Myriam Georges
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At an early morning party on Saturday, September 14, a woman was sexually assaulted by three men in a dorm room at the Goodwin Sr. Residence Hall; two of the men were students at NSU, according to police reports.

Davie Police arrested 18 year old Kevin Gaston and two brothers, Michael Portalaolin, 23 and Marcos Portalatin, 18, after they were identified by the victim. All three were charged with sexual battery. The eldest brother was also charged with driving under the influence. The eldest brother was also charged with driving under the influence.

According to the police report, she was forced to have sexual intercourse and perform oral sex with both. She tried to pull away in each instance and told them to stop several times without success.

The door to the room was blocked by the second 18 year old during the assault, preventing the victim's friends from entering the room. When the friends did enter they urged her to press charges against the men, according to police reports.

Rosenthal Cafeteria gets a makeover
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Returning students may notice some big changes at Nova this year. One change in particular is the newly remodeled dining area at the Rosenthal Student Center. The cafeteria has had a fresh makeover, complete with new eating areas and food choices. According to the new Food Services Director, Phil Sparrow, food stations are even more popular. The newly added Pangero's Pasta Kitchen, which prepares pastas dishes on order, has been a great hit with the students and faculty.

With this new design comes a new pay-on-entry dining policy. For those without a meal plan, it now costs a flat $4.50 for breakfast, $5.40 for lunch, and $6.25 for dinner. Because of this policy change, there have been some reported complaints to the Food Services Department at Nova. Many students seem to be displeased with the fact that they are unable to buy items from the cafeteria à la carte. For these students, it is important to remember that there are many other locations on campus where they can purchase light snacks.

The Connections Café located in Nova's new main library, the Supreme Court Café located in Nova's Law Center, and the HPD building Snack Bar, all offer items such as coffee and muffins priced individually.

Sexual assault can happen anywhere, but having complete awareness and understanding of the dangers inherent in a potential sexual assault situation and preventative measures that can be taken will enable you to handle the situation if it arises.

The first step is to identify and assess situations in which you could be assaulted. Date rape often occurs but is the least reported. Experts say that often times rapes occur when sexual signals are misunderstood. One way of preventing miscommunication is to speak with your partner about sexual feelings and boundaries. Doing so may keep a sexual situation from becoming out of control.

Sexual assault can happen anywhere, but the largest number of incidents are either in the home of the victim or the home of the offender. But it is important to be aware of all potentially dangerous areas and situations such as remote parking lots, hitchhiking, stairwells, deserted buildings, and beaches at night. You should take precaution in unfamiliar situations, walking where there are people.
Why I Came to Love, then Hate, the NSU Card

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Ah yes, the ubiquitous NSU card, that magic piece of plastic in everyone’s pocket that was supposed to solve all our problems. Now before I start, let me say that I was slightly biased against the card in the first place. Anytime someone wants to track when I copy something, buy a Coke, or go back and forth to the campus, I am instantly against it. The arguments that the card would be easier than cash seemed stupid; instead of putting the cash into a copier, I now had to put the cash into some other machine and transfer it onto my card, then put my card into the copier. All I can say for Nova is thank the parking garage. Everything was forgotten when I saw that beautiful, four story, parking megalith, complete with plenty of spaces that wiped away the memories of those long walks (or a 20 minute wait for a shuttle) from Mailman to get to most classes. Now I must admit I was still a little concerned about my privacy, but the sheer convenience of not having to arrive so early to make up for the distance you had to park from your classes displaced my fears. At least until now. I didn’t sign up for any summer classes, but there was still the newspaper to run, so I still showed up every week to work. The first week after winter classes were over, I pulled up to the familiar yellow gate, put my card up to the sensor, and it beeped. I waited. Hmm, nothing happened, so I put it up again. Again it sat there and gave that shrill little beep. Still nothing! Once again, I showed it my card, and it sat there with its little unblinking red eye taunting me. By now, I’m getting impatient and I decide to push that info button. Well, at least Public Safety was helpful, telling me it was a simple operation of going down to the card office and getting my NSU card reactivated. Of course I went down there and asked them to reactivate it. Seems they can’t do that, as I’m not registered. I told them I was working here over the summer and had every intention of coming back for the next semester; it’s not as if I have some diabolical master plan in mind, I just want to park my car. Still no good as they are “currently working on a system that would allow for what you want.” I ask how long this system will take to be implemented. “Probably won’t be till next semester,” the supposedly ‘helpful’ staff stated. Seeing as I would be registered next semester, I guess my problem was solved, as I wouldn’t need the new system. At least that is what the person at the card office told me. Thanks, Buddy. I visualized myself doing a million destructive things at that moment, but I finally decided to write this column and let out the ‘Big Brother’ feelings I had before they take over my mind. Now after being up for 40 hours, hallucinations of NSU implanting their new “NSU chip” under my skin displaced my every intention of coming back for the next semester; it’s not as if I have some diabolical master plan in mind, I just want to park my car. Still no good as they are “currently working on a system that would allow for what you want.” I ask how long this system will take to be implemented. “Probably won’t be till next semester,” the supposedly ‘helpful’ staff stated. Seeing as I would be registered next semester, I guess my problem was solved, as I wouldn’t need the new system. At least that is what the person at the card office told me. Thanks, Buddy. I visualized myself doing a million destructive things at that moment, but I finally decided to write this column and let out the ‘Big Brother’ feelings I had before they take over my mind. Now after being up for 40 hours, hallucinations of NSU implanting their new “NSU chip” under my skin next semester and visualizations of the new “NSU Thought Police” are racing through my head, and I need some sleep. Let me just leave you with this: DOWN WITH BIG BROTHER. (At least until he fixes my damn card and lets me park, after that I don’t care.)

Care to contact this new conspiracy theorist? Are you part of the secret ‘Nova 9’ (which Jason is now convinced is involved with alien abductions)? Any questions or comments can be directed to jfraser@nova.edu or nsunews@nova.edu. We ask for a full name and a telephone number at which you can be reached, even if your letter is to be published under ‘anonymous’.

Scholarships for Campus Leaders

Students from colleges throughout Florida will vie for nearly $60,000 in scholarships and prizes in the prestigious 16th annual Florida College Student of the Year Award sponsored by Florida Leader magazine, SunTrust, and Office Depot. Winners will be featured in a TV show on Sunshine Network.

Applications must be postmarked by Feb. 1, 2003. Students don’t have to be nominated by their college to win! Download applications at www.floridaleader.com/stoy, or send a self-addressed, 9” x 12” envelope with $1 postage to Florida College Student of the Year Award, c/o Florida Leader magazine, P.O. Box 14081, Gainesville, FL 32604-2081.

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Knight Newspaper,

I don’t want to sound like a complainer, but last week I parked in the parking garage, and when exiting the elevator, I found that the rainfall was much worse than expected. My two friends and I stood, pondering our next move. No, unfortunately we did not pack our family sized umbrella for four. We were left there sizing, “Do we wait for the rain to die down? Do we just make a swim for it? Even better, do we get back in our dry cars and forget about class?” The solution would have been much clearer if only the overhead shelter hadn’t abruptly stopped from the Parker building to the parking garage. As a concerned student at Nova, is there any way we can solve this inconvenience? Please advise me if you think submitting a proposal will perhaps speed up the completion of the overhead walkway.

Signed,
Longing to Stay Dry

Dear LSD,
Perhaps answering the questions formed by a psychotropic drug is not appropriate, but we will attempt to here. Apparently you are not alone in your puzzlement, many other students and faculty are dumbfounded as to why NSU did not complete the walkway. We here at The Knight investigated*, and we think we found the answer. We’ve decided to explain it with a short comic so that all can understand.

Perhaps a petition or a proposal would do the trick, although I suspect Nova’s response would be to give everyone umbrellas instead. Your best bet would be to go talk to the SGA. They have meetings Sunday nights at 8:30pm in the student union; or, you could try to catch one of their members around campus.

*Note: the term ‘investigated’ may refer to “had a really strange dream and drew a comic about it really late at night.”

Dear Knight Newspaper,

One of my classes this semester is a mass media class where there are many different cultures represented in the students in it. We’ve been talking about news, and how we really are not in tune with the rest of the world when it comes to their affairs. We’ve discussed that this may be a reason why we’re not very liked by some countries around the world… because we’re ignorant to their problems and culture. I’m suggesting a column about news around the world in some issues of the Knight. What do you think?

M.A.

Dear M.A.,

Look for the column in an upcoming issue. Please contact us if you would be willing to write the column, otherwise we will put a staff member on it.

Change For The Better

In my opinion, I think that Nova Southeastern University’s newspaper needs to make student affairs a higher priority. Club activities and other events taking place on the NSU campus are important to advertise, but The Knight also needs to focus on more detailed aspects of Student Life.

The first area I will cover is the subject of book sales. The newspaper should make it easier for prior students of a class to sell their books to newcomers. One way to achieve this would be to let those prior students post ads for their books in the newspaper. Secondly, I would find it helpful for the newspaper to post the assignments that are due before the term begins, and the administration could mail it out to the registered students. I do believe it is on the Nova website, but some may find it confusing to locate. Lastly, the only jobs mentioned on the paper are the ones dealing with the newspaper. I feel that you need to post ads concerning other jobs offered at NSU. This change would greatly help unemployed students.

Thank you for the opportunity to allow me to voice my opinion, and I hope you take all points into consideration. Overall, the NSU newspaper is doing an excellent job. I would also like to include as a freshman at NSU, I surely gathered a lot of the information that I needed to know from the Knight Newspaper I received at orientation.

-Diana Rakine

The Knight Responds:
Thank you for all your suggestions. We have started working on a system for selling used textbooks that is economical for students to advertise through. We might start looking into posting the upcoming first class assignments, although as you mentioned it is already available on the NSU website as well as on bulletin boards in the Parker building. We will also look into whether or not other departments here on campus are interested in advertising job openings in The Knight.

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by FIU College of Business Administration

MIA MI, Fla. – (Sept. 5, 2002) – Florida International University's College of Business Administration (CBA) and the College of Engineering have partnered to launch the Howard J. Leonhardt New Venture Challenge: An International Business Plan Competition. This joint venture highlights the importance of combining technological innovation with the business acumen required to bring that innovation to market.

The Howard J. Leonhardt New Venture Challenge evolved from the CBA's Net-Biz Challenge Business Plan Competition, which was launched in 2000 and grew out of the College's long tradition of sponsoring an annual business plan competition to support its educational emphasis on entrepreneurship. "Nurturing innovative ideas and entrepreneurship in our students is critical to accomplishing our educational mission," said CBA Executive Dean Joyce J. Elam. "The College's business plan competition has gained significant support and, through our new partnership with the College of Engineering, we're hoping to encourage the formation of interdisciplinary student teams comprised of engineering, computer science and business students—with each bringing their own areas of expertise to the venture and learning from each other in the process." The New Venture Challenge is named for and made possible by a generous contribution from Howard J. Leonhardt, founder, chairman and CEO of Bioheart, a company focused on the development of cellular-based products for the treatment of cardiovascular diseases. An inventor as well as an entrepreneur, Leonhardt has seven issued U.S. patents in the cardiovascular sciences and other patents pending worldwide.

"Mr. Leonhardt is recognized for his vision, entrepreneurial drive, and business expertise," Elam said. "It's exactly these qualities we look for among students participating in the Challenge — therefore, we felt his involvement was a perfect fit."

Additionally, this year's Challenge is supported by a grant from the National Science Foundation (NSF) as part of its Partnerships for Innovation Program. Through this program, NSF seeks to stimulate and capitalize on innovation by catalyzing partnerships among colleges and universities, state and local governments, the private sector and other relevant organizations.

"We're working with the NSF through its Partnerships for Innovation Program and are striving to increase the technology enterprise in the U.S. by helping universities transfer their focus on technology to the marketplace," said Richard Schoephoerster, professor and director of the Biomedical Engineering Institute at FIU's College of Engineering. "FIU is expanding its biomedical programs significantly, which is exciting to us as South Florida has the potential to be a leader in the biotech industry."

Applications for the Challenge, which is open to all full and part-time students (upper-division undergraduate and graduate) enrolled (2002-03 academic year) in an accredited four-year college or university in the state of Florida, the Caribbean or Latin America, are now being accepted. Each team, which may have from one to five members, must have a faculty sponsor/advisor and also may elect to enlist the help of a coach from the business community. The business plan must be for an original seed, start-up venture and address the complete business concept, including its implementation.

The completed application form must be received in the Challenge office no later than Nov. 22, 2002. All business plans and submission forms are due by Jan. 24, 2003. Up to five semi-finalist teams will be selected to give oral presentations of their plans to a panel of judges on March 28, 2003.

To date, the CBA has awarded more than $47,000 to winning student teams from participants hailing from throughout Florida and Latin America. Winning student teams have represented FIU, the University of Miami, Barry University and the University of Central Florida.

For more information about the New Venture Challenge, or to sign up to be a sponsor or request a Challenge information and application kit, call (305) 348-4227 or visit the College's website at www.fiu.edu/nvc.

Florida International University's College of Business Administration (CBA), South Florida's business education leader with unique expertise in international business and information technology (IT), is the second largest of FIU's professional schools, enrolled approximately 3,800 undergraduate and more than 900 graduate students each year. It also is South Florida's top-rated business research school and one of only 424 business schools in the world accredited by the AACSB International—The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business. The College's Alvah H. Chapman, Jr., Graduate School of Business offers the 8th largest part-time MBA program among this group, and its IT faculty has been ranked among the top 20 (11th) in the U.S. in terms of research productivity. Its Executive MBA and full-time International MBA programs were ranked at or near the top in recent Executive MBA Council and AACSB International benchmarking studies respectively. U.S. News and World Report (October 15, 2001) ranked its Global Executive MBA program among the top 25 best online MBA programs.

To find out more about the challenge, visit the College's website at www.fiu.edu/nvc.
Duck® brand Duct Tape Adds Some Rock to the Roll During Music Contest
Rock About the Roll Contest Searches for Original Duct Tape Lyrics for $2,500 Prize

by Associated Collegiate Press

CLEVELAND, Sept. 27, 2002 - Straight from the Rock and Roll capital of the world, Henkel Consumer Adhesives, Inc., announces their first annual Duck® brand Duct Tape Rock About the Roll Contest. Entrants have the chance of winning a variety of prizes, including the first place prize – $2,500 cash!

Could these new artists create songs that might stick? Who knows? But, this unique contest allows entrants to display their musical talent and creativity by writing and composing original music and lyrics that incorporate this sticky product.

WHAT:
The Duck brand Duct Tape Rock About the Roll Contest, sponsored by Henkel Consumer Adhesives, Inc., will award 1st through 3rd place winners with cash for their originality and musical skill in incorporating duct tape in their lyrics:
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• 3rd place winner will receive $500 cash.
Ten Honorable Mention Winners will receive a year's supply of Duck Tape® valued at $180.

HOW TO ENTER:
For a registration form and official contest rules, interested individuals, duets or groups should visit www.ducktapeclub.com. While the contest doesn’t start until September 30, 2002, rules and contest details are available. Contest participants will be expected to submit a song about duct tape with original lyrics and music, along with a photograph of the entrant(s). The song must be submitted on a CD, as a .WAV file, or as an mp3. Winners will be chosen based on a number of criteria including music skill, originality of lyrics and references to duct tape in the lyrics.

Duplicate entries will be determined by a panel of judges selected by Henkel Consumer Adhesives, Inc. Photos and music entries must be received by December 2, 2002. Winners will be notified on or about December 20, 2002. Winners will be announced to the media and will be posted on the website on or about December 27, 2002. Songs will be available for listening during the contest on www.ducktapeclub.com.

Duck brand duct tape is available nationally at such retailers as Ace Hardware, TrueValue, Lowe’s and Wal-Mart. Duck Tape is available in more than 15 colors and patterns, including camouflage, X-treme colors, standard silver gray, and an assortment of other solid colors such as black, red, and blue. For more information on where to find Duck Tape, go to www.ducktapeclub.com.

TO ENTER:
Submissions should be sent via U.S. Mail to: Rock About the Roll Contest Henkel Consumer Adhesives, Inc. 32150 Just Imagine Drive Avon, OH 44011-1355

Contest Entries may be electronically submitted by sending an email containing all required Contest Entry materials to rockabouttheroll@ducktapeclub.com.

On Campus Advantage

by Cathy Lynch

Moving out of the dorms gives both feelings of excitement and relief. The thought of no more 4 am wake up calls as someone drunkenly stumbles down the hall and slams his door, and no more weekly fire alarms that produce a whole entourage of fire fighters and the Novalert squad (which usually turns out to be a false alarm) were a great relief. But most of all, the greatest escape as far as I was concerned was avoiding the mandatory meal plan at the cafeteria. After all, there are only so many grilled chicken breasts one individual can consume.

However, after experiencing these first few weeks living off campus, I have to admit that there are definite advantages to living on campus. A definite disadvantage that I discovered quickly is having to wake up that extra half an hour early in order to make it to my 8:30 am class on time. Living in the dorms meant only having to allow ten minutes to walk to class after rolling out of bed. When commuting to an early class it seems as though you need to allow ten minutes just for the car in front of you to operate their student ID card to lift the parking barrier.

The aspect I miss the most about the dorms is the social factor. You take for granted the fact that you are constantly aware of any events and parties happening on or near campus. You are not able to walk around campus without coming across someone living in your hall. While living off campus certainly has its advantages in terms of privacy in this regard, you also cannot help feeling slightly isolated from campus news and happenings.

Living away from the dorms is definitely a great experience. I don't think I could go back to living in the dorms after experiencing the luxuries of off campus living. However, I do strongly believe that time spent in the dorms is very valuable for an all-around college experience.
Information Security Specialization Offered at NSU’s Graduate School of Computer and Information Sciences

by NSU Public Affairs

FORT LAUDERDALE, FL-Nova Southeastern University’s Graduate School of Computer and Information Sciences (SCIS) now offers specializations in information security for master’s students enrolled in its management information systems or computer information systems programs. The specializations, which will begin in the winter term 2003, were developed to address the rapidly growing global problems of maintaining and securing computer information. Information security has become much more important since September 11, 2001, and the school has had many expressions of interest from current and prospective students for greater coverage of this area.

While the options are designed primarily for students in the SCIS computer information systems or management information systems master’s programs, individual courses in information security can be taken on a non-degree basis. Courses are available online or on the main campus in Fort Lauderdale. Each specialization follows a prescribed curriculum, which requires the completion of two additional courses (42 credits total), as opposed to the traditional 12 courses (36 credits) required for the school’s master’s degrees.

SCIS offers two other master’s programs: computer science and computing technology in education. It also offers Ph.D. programs in computer information systems, computer science, computing technology in education, information science, and information systems. For more information about the Graduate School of Computer and Information Sciences, or to download brochures and applications, visit www.scis.nova.edu. Or you may call (800) 986-2247 ext 2005, (954) 262-2005, or send email to: scisinfo@nova.edu.
"Best Buddies Fun in the Sun" Friendship Party

by Pedro D. Sam
Contributing Writer

On September 21, 2002, the Best Buddies organization of Nova Southeastern University held its first event of the school year. The mission of Best Buddies is to enhance the lives of individuals with intellectual disabilities by providing opportunities for one-to-one friendships and integrated employment. In this program, college students are matched up with intellectually disabled residents from the Broward area. To celebrate friendship, the organization (NSUBB) hosted the “Best Buddies Fun in the Sun” barbeque party at the Recplex. At this event, burgers, hot dogs, snacks, and refreshments were served. In attendance were those with intellectual disabilities, club members, BB FL program manager Leslie D. Quarles, BB host site coordinator Pam Romack, and many NSU students totaling 60+ participants.

Jeff "The Chef" Bradley, an NSUBB member, grilled burgers until the moo went away. Other Best Buddies members like Will "DJ Snake" Chang and Dave "Snow-Eh" Landry played great music at the event. The event could not have been more perfect than it was. "I really like my new buddy Carrie; she is so awesome", said e-board member Candice Carreno. Best Buddies hopes to promote friendship through many ways, in that everyone deserves it despite disabilities. As the club president, I am very proud of all members for their amazing hard work during this event. I would like to thank them for having great hearts for the organization. Best Buddies hopes to expand awareness and plans to host many more events throughout the school year, so expect more from NSUBB!

To Be Or Not To Be Pre-Pharmacy

by Pre-Pharmacy e-Board

The Pre-Pharmacy Society was established two years ago by a group of students who decided to open more doors for interested and potential pharmacy students. The students who began this were Leigh DeMarco, Julie Perez, Sabrina Mussari, Cynthia Jean, and Carmencita Khan. This organization was chartered by Student Government Association in October 2000. Now, in the year 2002, this organization has grown and has about 30 active members.

This club focuses on preparing Pre-Pharmacy students or anyone interested in admission into graduate school, with helpful information about the Pre-Pharmacy major, and organized events and activities of interest to its members. Some of the past activities that the club has participated in are beach cleanups to provide service hours for its members and tours of the NSU pharmacy school. An event that the Pre-Pharmacy society has planned for November 9, 2002 is the Pace Setter walk that is going to be held at Metrozoo in Miami. The goal of the Pace Setter Walk is to raise money for the education and research of Crohn’s and Colitis Disease, hoping it could provide the little help that is needed to discover the cure.

We have also had the privilege of guest speakers from pharmacy schools, a pharmacist from Walgreens Corporation, and professors from the pharmacy school speak to us about what their job is and if we have any questions to ask them. Recently we were able to invite Peggy Brown, the Director of Student Affairs, and Kim, the advisor for admissions, in the pharmacy program. Both speakers were able to give everyone a preview of what is to come when applying to pharmacy school and what is expected of you when you are in it.

When the time comes for students to take their entrance exams, the Pre-Pharmacy society sets up days to help students review and prepare for the PCAT test. Professors and students teach the review sessions. The Pre-Pharmacy society is always looking for new faces and input from promising pharmacy majors. The pre-pharmacy society gives students who have a true passion for pharmacy a chance to learn more about the profession and to get a first-hand look at what it takes to be a pharmacist.

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A Belly Flop Into an Empty Pool

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FORT LAUDERDALE, FL—I got out from work a little early the other day; so, I decided to check out what’s playing at the house of movies across the street. To my dismay, for the next two and half-hours, there was only one movie I haven’t seen. Impatient and anxious, I reluctantly coughed up the cash flow for “Swimfan.”

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"Stealing Harvard" Gets Busted

by Dennis Heard
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"Stealing Harvard" is the snippet of John Plummer’s (Jason Lee) life at the junction of some major events. John and his fiancée have worked for years and saved for a down payment on a house to finally marry comfortably without financial problems. The same day, a promise to pay for his niece’s (Tammy Blanchard) college tuition is back to haunt him. The girl couldn’t spell “tarp” in the fourth grade, so who would expect her to get into Harvard to the tune of 30,000—the exact amount for the down payment? With the aid of John’s buddy Duff (Tom Green), the shenanigans begin in an attempt to cover his butt and make it through this ordeal.

I have two letters, a hyphen, and one number for someone who wants to see this movie: PG-13. Anyone who has seen a movie as on Lee and directed by Kevin Smith; or anything with Tom Green before this early scene, Duff is quoted saying, “I’ll kick the living bejeezus out of you.” I instantly turned to my friend to find out what this movie was rated. Low and behold the disappointment continued.

Overall, I give this movie four out of ten prosthetic limbs. As a tongue-in-cheek satire, director Bruce McCulloch (“The Kids in the Hall”) did a pretty good job, much to the tune of “Zoolander (which was not directed by McCulloch).” With ridiculous scenarios, clever humor, and a ubiquitous off color view (much like The Kids in the Hall), I had a good time at “Stealing Harvard.” However, as an all-out comedy, I would rate this movie as PG-13 (if you need help with that one; E-mail me).

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Annual Miami Law Fair of September 13, 2002

by Casey D'Ambrosio

In the September 11, 2002 issue of your newspaper, "The Knight," an advertisement was published for the Annual Miami Law Fair at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Miami. I attended the Law Fair and would like to discuss what my research revealed on two law schools in South Florida, Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad Law Center and the University of Miami School of Law.

The University of Miami and N.S.U. are both approved by the American Bar Association (ABA) and the Association of American Law Schools (AALS) and merit-based scholarships are awarded to students who have demonstrated academic excellence on their GPA and LSAT scores. The average LSAT and GPA scores for NSU Law students are 151 LSAT and 3.4 GPA. The University of Miami was slightly higher with an average LSAT score of 155 and GPA of 3.5.

First year law students, also known as 1L's, are required to start classes in the Fall semester. Admission applications for the Fall semester are to be submitted no later than April, and financial aid and scholarship applications submitted no later than February.

The cost of tuition varies slightly between Nova and Miami, within a few thousand dollars of each. Listed from most to least expensive, the following prices are annual tuition fees for each law school, excluding books and other related charges: The University of Miami School of Law, $24,876, and Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad Law Center, $21,000. Based on personal interviews with each of the school's representatives at the Law Fair, the approximate number of 1L students in each school are as follows: N.S.U. Law 250-320, and the University of Miami 380. In terms of cultural diversity and minority enrollment, the University of Miami encompasses an eclectic international student body; it has approximately 380 1L students of which 54% speak one or more foreign languages, 51% from out of state, and 31% minorities.

Clinical programs and clerking opportunities are vital to law school curricula. NSU Law offers a Clinical Semester Program with areas of specialty in family law, alternative dispute resolution, and personal injury, among many others. Likewise, the University of Miami offers a multitude of clinical programs and clerkship opportunities for its diverse student body.

Innovative technology in the library and classrooms is critical for students to utilize during their legal education to facilitate learning. Internet access ports in classrooms and network accessibility to on-line legal research programs such as Lexis and Westlaw are necessary tools when researching a broader array of topics worldwide. According to the National Jurist Magazine, the "most wired" law school in the country is NSU Shepard Broad Law Center. NSU Law has made computer technology an integral part of learning. Students at NSU are required to purchase and attend class with laptop computers; the school provides all of the features stated above in classrooms, the library, and additional areas. In contrast, the University of Miami School of Law does not require computers during class; however, computers are available for use in designated areas on campus.

In conclusion, based on the substantial research that I have performed on two of South Florida's law schools, I have determined that NSU Shepard Broad Law Center is my school of choice. NSU Law has a technological advantage over the University of Miami; I am in favor of the mandatory utilization of computers within the school's curriculum. Another advantage is the geographical factor; attending NSU Law requires the least amount of travel time for me. Most importantly, my husband is an alumnus of NSU Law, and his accolades of the faculty, the curriculum, and his overall lasting impressions persuaded my decision.
Radio X Hears You

by Lee Hatcher

If you've been listening to the radio in the last few years, you know that it has been bombarded by the "top 40 syndrome." You can't seem to turn that dial far enough to find a station that plays anything remotely different, unless you get as far on that dial to 88.5 FM. Your radio station, Nova Southeastern's very own, RadioX, 88.5 FM. Never playing quite the same music twice, this eclectic (to say the very least) mix of music takes you from reggae, to hip-hop, to punk rock. If you can't believe such a radio station exists, then turn us on, listen, and find out. We play everything-alternative, blues, and techno, just to name a few more types of music. There seems to be no limit to the variety at this radio station. Great radio stations mix it up for the audience.

So what is this "Radio X" thing that I'm going on about? Well this article is dedicated to the freshman. All those who have been attending a while and aren't aware of your campus' radio station (for shame) I hope you learn something as well. I guess an introduction would be most appropriate for all you first timers out there.

Nova has a radio station (gasp). When did all this take place, you ask? A while ago:

"Radio X was formed in August 1990 to provide an opportunity for Nova Southeastern University students to gain knowledge and experience in radio broadcasting. After five years of negotiations, NSU and the Broward County School Board agreed upon a contract allowing NSU Radio X to broadcast on 88.5 FM every night after 7 PM. NSU Radio X began broadcasting on 88.5 FM in September 1998. During the day, the station broadcasts through Comcast Cable super audio 92.9 cable FM.

NSU Radio X focuses on playing cutting edge music, as well as featuring specialty shows seven days a week. Radio X, South Florida's only college radio station. The station features a weekly local show, showcasing Florida musical talent. We are a non-commercial, not-for-profit radio station, but we do offer inexpensive and highly effective sponsorships. Radio X has its own broadcasting studios located on the main campus of Nova Southeastern University, as so noted in our website. Yes we have a website too! Modern technology has aided us in providing you, our audience, a most wonderful site filled with all sorts of goodies, so check it out: www.nsuradio.com. If you just can't get enough of us on the radio, sign up to be a DJ: no experience is necessary, but you must be a student at Nova Southeastern University or an employee at Nova Southeastern University. If you are, you can stop by the station, located on the first floor of the Rosenthal building, and fill out an application. All DJ positions are voluntary and are not paid.

So that's the bare minimum you need to know about your campus radio station. That can't be it! I know, you knowledge seeker you, sitting there left unfulfilled even with all that info that I've given you. There's gotta be more! Of course there's more; it's not all fun and games at the station. We have a terrific staff that works hard during the week to set up EVENTS at local CLUBS; we're working diligently to get YOU folks great PRIZES. So if you want more info give us a call or send us feedback via email. Support your local college radio station, the voice of the student body.
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The Honor Court of Nova Southeastern University is seeking applicants for the position of Student Representative for the Honor Court. The Honor Court deals with cases involving violations of the Academic Code of Conduct at NSU. The Court consists of two students, two faculty members, and one representative of the Administration.

If you would like to serve a two-year term as an Honor Court member, submit, by October 31st, a resume accompanied by a one-page statement of interest and qualifications to: Professor Tim Dixon, Liberal Arts Department, Parker Bldg. Room 380, NSU Main Campus. The term will begin in January. One Student Representative and one Student Alternate Representative will be selected.
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Dear DAL,

How do you tell your boyfriend that he's horrible in bed? He has absolutely no clue how to please me.

GAAAR!

Have you ever stopped to think that perhaps YOU are the cause of your terrible sex life? Last I checked, it took two (or in some instances, three or four), to truly get it on in bed. Rather than flat out telling your man that he could literally drive to and from O-town in his car before he could get you there in the sack, try to show him what to do. When (or if) he does something that makes you feel good, make him know it! Perhaps even stop fake moaning to get the whole process over faster, and moan when he does something right. It'll dawn on him eventually to repeat those things which make you feel good.

Dear DAL,

I'm a freshman who moved into the dorms this year. My roommate is a junior, and I guess for this reason, she feels like she can do whatever she wants. She always watches the TV (with the volume turned up obnoxiously loud) when I am trying to study or sleep. Also, she has yet to take out the trash even once, or make some sort of effort to keep our room clean. Since I can't stand to live in filth, I end up doing everything. I feel like her maid. What should I do?

GAAAAAAAR!

Stop letting your roomie push you around. When she turns on the TV at 4:35 in the morning to watch Ronco Food Dehydrator infomercials, tell her to grab the trash and dump it. If she's a big enough bitch to say no to either of those, perhaps it is time to speak to your RA. Your RA will most likely sit the two of you down and work out some compromises. And if that doesn't work, you can ask to swap roomies with someone else. Then again, there is always the silent revenge, like dropping her toothbrush in the toilet.

Dear DAL,

My roommate has walked in (on more than one occasion) while my girlfriend and I were having sex. What should I do?

GAAAAAR!

To avoid any future problems, try working out some sort of code with your roomie. You could try leaving a rubber band on the door knob, or maybe write some sort of code word on a dry erase board on your door. Or, if you prefer a more direct approach, simply leave a note on the door stating "GO AWAY, I'M GETTING LAID." However, try not to exile your roommate too often. You do both share the room, so try to find other private places to do the deed, like the library on a Friday night.

for advice, e-mail nsunews@aol.com
The accreditation review (site of 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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800 Eye Street, NW, Suite 202
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Stupid Cheaters Never Win
by Jason Fraser
Editor-in-Chief

Most of us have cheated at one time or another in life, whether it was over something as trivial as a game of checkers, or something as large as graduate school entrance exams. The trick to not getting caught is to make yourself seem as inconspicuous as possible. This article isn’t intended to be a tutorial of how to succeed at cheating, but will show someone who failed at it. Miserably.

As you may know, we ran a contest in the last issue concerning press releases. Someone decided to cheat. This person decided to take it upon his or herself to send in three different answers corresponding to all possible choices, but did it in such a conspicuous way that even a ten year old would have recognized it. Here are the three e-mails in their entirety:

Message 1:
From: Trocher [rest of address deleted]
@aol.com
My name is Junior and I think that press release #1 is the fake article. My phone number is (305)394-XXXX.

Message 2:
From: Jargen [rest of address deleted]
@aol.com
Article #2 is the fake article. My phone number is XXXXX Trocher and phone number is 954-965-XXXX.

Message 3:
From: FantasyRecords [rest of address deleted]
@aol.com
I believe that article number3 is fake in the “is it real section”. This is Junior. My phone number is 305 637 XXXX. I am home from 3:00-10:00 at night.

Mistake 1:
All emails sent within a five minute window. (Upon further investigation, this appears to be just enough time to switch AOL accounts and write a new e-mail.)

Mistake 2:
Calling yourself “Junior” in two separate e-mails was bad enough; having an e-mail address with “Trocher” in it, and then calling yourself “Trocher” in A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT E-MAIL is definitely stupid. Trocher is not exactly the most common name around.

Mistake 3:
Not knowing about e-mail headers. Yes, they can be read fairly easily, and yes, I could tell that the three e-mails were sent from the same computer. Come on people, AOL dial-up has dynamic IP addressing; it’s not that hard to switch IP addresses.

Mistake 4:
Similar writing styles. Notice the last sentence in each e-mail was very similar.

Well Mr. Junior, or Trocher, or any of the other three names that the phone numbers reversed to, you are disqualified from this and any other future contests on the basis of stupidity.

In the future, all contest entries have to be sent from an @nova.edu address. While not foolproof, it will help to curb losers like Mr. Whatevsnameimpinghyesterday from ruining it for everyone.
**Greeks at NSU**

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated “Service to All Mankind”**

**by The Brothers of Alpha Kappa Alpha**

In 1908, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority became America’s first Greek-letter organization established by and for Black women. Her roots date back to Howard University, Washington, D.C., where the idea for formation was conceived by Ethel Hedgeman Lyle of St. Louis, Missouri. She viewed the Sorority as an instrument for enriching the social and intellectual aspects of college life by providing mental stimulation through interaction with friends and associates.

Through the years, however, Alpha Kappa Alpha’s function has become more complex. After her incorporation as a perpetual body in 1913, Alpha Kappa Alpha gradually branched out and became the channel through which selected college-trained women improved the social and economic conditions in their city, state, nation and the world. Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated is a public service organization that promotes health care, education, economic empowerment, and assistance to the black community, the arts, and global concerns.

Today, that tradition has continued—internationally, nationally and locally. Alpha Kappa Alpha cultivates and encourages high scholastic and ethical standards; promotes unity and friendship among college women; alleviates problems concerning girls and women; maintains a progressive interest in college life; and serves all mankind through a nucleus of friends and associates.

On the NSU campus, the interested members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc., are supervised by the West Broward Graduate Chapter, Upsilon Xi Omega. Students interested in membership information can call Rose Merritt at (954) 731-8436 or Z. Felicia Jordan, Esq. (954) 447-3548.

**Delta Phi Epsilon continued**

Delta Phi Epsilon will be involved in a walk-a-thon Oct. 20th and will hold their “Say What Karaoke” event in November. Delta Phi Epsilon is proud to announce that they had the greatest turnout at “Little Buddies Day” held by Student Affairs, compared to other organizations that attended this event. Delta Phi Epsilon will also be involved in a walk-a-thon Oct. 20th, and will help the Boys and Girls club paint houses in October.

Start practicing! Say What Karaoke is back! In November, Delta Phi Epsilon will be holding their “Say What Karaoke” event in the flight deck. Contestants will sing, dance, and compete against one another to see who will come out on top and win various prizes. Hope to see you there!

**Deepers in Wonderland**

**by Shelly Atkinson**

The sisters of Delta Phi Epsilon would like to congratulate our 17 new members!!! Congrats to: Adriana Bautista, Mary Brylski, Katherine Connorly, Rebecca Dumas, Amy Van Dusen, Megan Goff, Jackie Freeman, Laura Guevara, Ana Maria Romany, Linda Tam, Andrea Tombasco, Ibis Vento, Amy Huddleston, Leslie Estevez, Cherie Farine, Monica Harper, and Carly Fabrikant, we are excited to have you! D phi E had an outstanding rush and sends great appreciation to our VP of Recruitment, Jillian Savo and our Rush Coordinator Anna Howard. We look forward to celebrating the rest of this semester with them, as we have our sisterhood retreat Oct 5-6th at “Howl O’ Scream” in Busch Gardens. Other upcoming events include a handcuff party with Sigma Lambda Theta Alpha.
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Head Coach: Mike Goodrich
Assistant Coach: Alicia Waag
Captains: Dawn Banford, Rebecca Harrison, Jenni McDonough

* Denotes home game

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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

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## NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY
### 2002 VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

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Head Coach: Lori Rembe  
Assistant Coach: Lisa Rembe

* Denotes home game

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

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## NOVA SOUTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY
### 2002 FALL GOLF SCHEDULE

#### Men’s Fall Tournaments:
- October 25-27, 2002: Pfeiffer University North Shore Intercollegiate, NC
- November 3-5, 2002: Rollins College Invitational, Orlando FL

#### Women’s Fall Tournaments:
- October 13-15, 2002: Lenoir Rhyne Myrtle Beach Women’s Intercollegiate
- October 19-21, 2002: Queens College Classic, Charlotte, NC

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Nova Southeastern University is pleased to announce the signing of a management agreement with Barnes & Noble College Bookstores to operate the NSU Bookstore beginning November 1, 2002.

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and lights at night. It is also good to have a plan for getting out of an uncomfortable situation.

Another preventative measure is knowing and being aware of some of the characteristics of a potential rapist. Some warning signs are someone who abuses alcohol and drugs, someone who keeps touching a woman after she asks him to stop, and someone who thinks it’s normal to be aggressive and violent.

In the event that you become a victim of sexual assault, there are procedures that can be taken to find and prosecute the offender, and find counseling for yourself. Students are encouraged to report to the university administrator all occurrences of sexual assault, either violent or acquaintance (date) rape. The staff members in the student affairs, student life, residential life, University Counseling Center, recreation and wellness, and Public Safety Department are trained and willing to assist students who become victims of sexual assault. Time is of the essence: get help immediately!

After the matter is reported to a university administrator or any other university employee, the victim should seek immediate medical attention. The process is completely controlled by the victim.

The victim would then be advised to cooperate with the Public Safety Office in reporting the incident to the state attorney’s office and to local police. The victim has university support and reasonable confidentiality.

The Women’s Resource Institute will assist victims, whether student or employee, in finding counseling. The Institute, which is located discretely on campus, allows clients to remain anonymous.
Health Professions Division

Annual Open House

Sunday, October 27, 2002
1:00-4:00 p.m.

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