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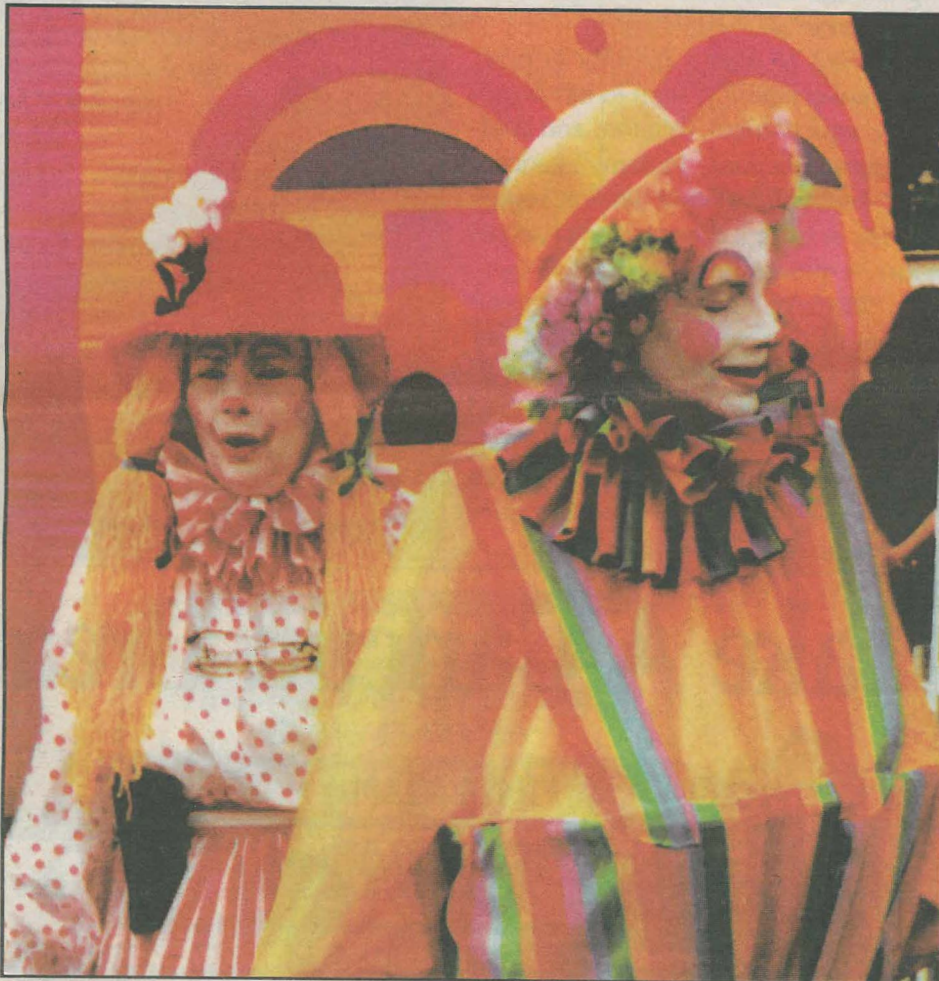
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Dr. Ferriss delivers the scoop on what the Honor Court has been doing this year. Turn to page 10 for the verdict.

Love Jen: Good Fun and Great Cause



With the aid of their colorful garb, these clowns entertained children and adults alike during the Love Jen Festival. Photo by Victor Garcia.

by Vu Quoc Huynh

Kids, parents and volunteers were smiling; that's all we wanted to see at the fifth annual Love Jen Festival which took place on Saturday, February 3, 1996 right here on the NSU campus.

For those who don't know what this festival is about, let me enlighten. It is held yearly for the Love Jen Children's Cancer Fund which develops and supports programs and services that enhance the lives of families coping with cancer.

All contributions and gains from the festival are used to provide care and services for families and children being treated by Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital. Among the sponsors for the festival this year are Target, Memorial Health Care System, the Miami Herald, Y-100, NovaBooks and DAKA. It is also supported by many families of "Hearts of Gold, Royal Hearts and Caring Hearts" and of course, all the volunteers.

The participation was encouraging. At 10:30 a.m., the parking lots see THE FESTIVAL on 6

Golf Team Prepares for Second Run

by Gus Bravo

This Spring, Nova's most successful team prepares to make a championship run once again this season. The Men's Golf team, led by All-American Kit Larson, will attempt to surpass last year's sixth place finish in the NAIA tournament.

With a nucleus that includes four returning starters, Larson being one of them, and a solid class of four incoming recruits, the Knights hope to continue their winning ways.

Head coach Hal Henderson's squad represents perhaps Nova's best chance at national stardom. If their Fall season results are any indications of how well they will perform this year, Knight fans could be in for a treat in the upcoming months.

Thanks to Larson's outstanding overall score of 135 (69 and 66 in two rounds), Nova earned the South Florida District Tournament championship. Nevertheless other Knight

see A CHAMPIONSHIP on 6

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God + Government = USA?

by Karina LeDezma

After reading an article about the court's secular dependability in the Corruption Chronicle, I took some time to go over Nova's Legal Assistant Studies courses to find the course that would apply to such naivete.

Needless to say, I didn't find the course description that mentioned the reliability of swearing on the Bible. In fact, I did not find any mention of any religious participation in these course descriptions.

As if this had not been made obvious during trials such as the Menendez trial, or even through Oliver North's questioning; lying on the stand is not only practiced, but as of Florida's Levin, Middlebrooks v. US Fire Insurance Company, it is also legal.

The Florida Supreme Court ruled that this case had absolute immunity from civil persecution for perjury, slander, libel, defamation, fraud or other tortious behavior by judges, witnesses, lawyers, and parties. If there is little respect for a more tangible term as the LAW, then what makes the judicial system think that there will be respect for the intangibility of a never before seen holy figure as God?

To make a murderer take the stand and swear on the Holy Bible that he/she is telling "the truth and nothing

but the truth so help me God," is somewhat of an oxymoron. Especially considering that the wrath of God had little effect on his/her consciousness to commit such an act.

There is a fine line between the mention of God in the courts and what Colin Powell mentions to be God's legislative agenda. If government and religion were meant to be practiced as pseudo-parties than perhaps Aristarchus Copernicus would have suffered less under the church's wrath of his heliocentric theory publication.

But it is obvious that the two can not participate with equal power in a society without hindering the other. So the accountability of its mention in court is not only archaic but far from applicable to the needs of all that are judged therein. Exactly what relevance does the Bible bear on Buddhists, Muslims, Jews, and atheists?

If the concern is religious approval, then perhaps Christians should recognize that it was their Messiah that said "give on to Caesar what is Caesar's and give on to God what is God's".

It seems hypocritical that the same Congress that saw it fit to take into account God's active role in government should begin placing the phrase "In God we trust" in 1957, on such trivial materialism as U.S. currency.

This "In God we trust" manifesto

has not hindered the counterfeiting business nor has it slowed down all the clandestine, immoral dealings that some pursue to multiply their collections of these green missals.

If the Vatican divides its power accordingly into either political or religious fields of relevance, why then would a government see it fit to entrust their courts and monetary units to God?

Furthermore, public schools are prohibited from offering religious education yet their students are still bound by secular laws. If their education is not based on the decisions to make God a political activist, then what should make them respect the blasphemous laws that are dealt in his/her name?

Proof of man's inability to practice government is seen in its corruption, egocentrism, religion, and internal contradictions. Ptolemy's geocentric earth might have been accepted today as truth if divine power had not lost its strong hold on society.

To make divine government our focus again would be to retract our progress. In some Arab countries, as Lebanon, citizens are currently judged in courts in accordance to their religious beliefs. The courts practice whatever judicial law and religious relevance applies to the case.

March of Dimes steps up to Daka

Press Release

The March of Dimes is sponsoring a Paper Sneaker Drive. The cost is a one dollar donation. These sneakers can be purchased by contacting Cindy Milloy or stopping by the Student Life Office.

Don't be left out; add your name to a sneaker today and join the trail around DAKA. Help with the fight against birth defects...remember tomorrow's babies are our future.

Also, the March of Dimes Walk-America will be held in Ft. Lauderdale on Saturday, March 30th. Sponsor sheets are now available at the Student Life Office. Please feel free to stop by and pick one up. These events are open to all faculty, administration, staff, and students.

All money raised from the Soldier Drive last semester, the Sneaker Drive and sponsorships will be donated to the Broward County Chapter of the March of Dimes from the NSU Community.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me via e-mail at <milloyc@polaris.ncs.nova.edu>.

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Christie's Cyberroom: Sip'n Surf at Cybernation

by Christie MacDonald

Do you ever get the feeling that the internet has invaded every part of our lives? The web has affected our shopping, studying, and socializing habits. What next, will we use computers at a coffeeshop? Well...um...er...yes. Believe, or not, coffeeshops that offer internet access are the newest craze to hit the real world!

I recently took the opportunity to plant my feet in one of these “coffeeshops.” I chose Cybernation on 2635 East Oakland Park Boulevard. Not knowing what to expect, I hesitantly walked into this cybercoffee place. The shop’s small interior looked similar to any other java joint except for the brightly lit computer terminals that replaced the usual cafe tables that occupy a coffeeshop.

The dim lighting, beige-colored walls, potted green plants and black covered bar stools provided a cozy atmosphere.

I noticed two computer terminals near the window with stools for users to place their bottoms. A few feet in

front of the window terminals was the java bar and its panorama of odorous delights.

The menu offered drinks ranging



Internet Coffee Bar, Hanging Out '90's Style. Photo courtesy Cybernation.

from the reboot (cuban coffee), mega-byte (expresso) , to the cyberccino (cappacino) at prices from \$1.75 to \$3.00 per drink. They also had a few desserts to satisfy the sweet tooth.

Further in the shop, they have five more terminals and one computer that offers virtual reality. My roommate, who accompanied me on this adventure, enjoyed playing starwars equipped with the sophistated helmet and joy-stick.

The back corner of the shop poses as a computer store/warehouse that offers software at discounted prices.

I then looked at their prices. It's \$5 an hour for students and members,

\$7 an hour for non-members, \$10 for every half-hour of virtual reality, and \$7.95 a month for an e-mail box.

They also offer memberships for \$20 a year. The hour of time includes full internet access, Windows '95, and numerous other programs to choose from. The selection is wide and the prices are reasonable.

But the entire time I explored Cybernation, a question kept lingering in my mind. Why would someone go to a shop to sit alone at a computer? Isn't the purpose of a coffeeshop to go somewhere and talk?

The nice, young owner Glenn Bocchino helped me understand. He explained that they have a regular crowd in their java joint. At Cybernation, people who don't normally have internet access, have the opportunity to explore, do research, or play games. Glenn also explained that people are also attracted to the special nights they offer.

For example, every Thursday Cybernation has Doom Tournaments. For those who don't know, Doom is a bloody, violent, yet entertaining strategy game on CD Rom. Also, they often give away free movie tickets if you preview a movie from Sony Entertainment on the net.

After spending a little time at Cysee "TAKE" on 8

Christie's Clubhouse

Upcoming Events for March

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| March 1 | The T.G.I.F. Roommate Game
at the Recplex from 5-8 p.m. |
| March 5 | Dive-in Movie
8 p.m. at the Recplex |
| March 12 | Coffeehouse: Tom Acousti
8 p.m. at the Recplex |
| March 13 | Travel Trade Show
11-2 p.m. Rosenthal |
| March 15-16 | 24 Hours of Softball
Clubs and Organizations play softball
at the softball fields for 24 hours straight
in benefit of a charitable cause. |
| March 19 | Buck-a-Board Bingo
8 p.m. at the Recplex |
| March 22 | Ventriloquist Dan Horn
8:30 p.m. at the Recplex |
| March 25-29 | Ugly Man on Campus Week
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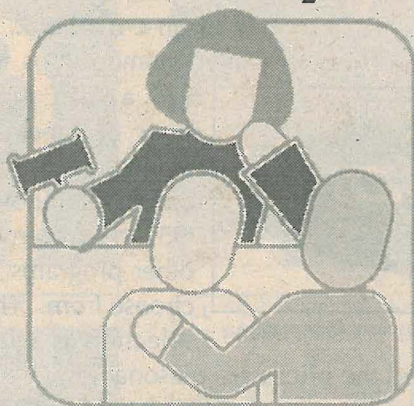
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Pre-Med Society Hosts Mock Debate

by Jennifer Choinski

On Wednesday, January 24th, at 6pm in the Rosenthal Private Dining Hall, the Pre-Med Society hosted their first mock-debate. The topic was abortion. Each member of the panel was given a copy of a particular scenario, and from that they formed an argument.

In this scenario, a perfectly healthy woman sought an abortion because the fetus was female. We, as members of the panel, had to decide if the woman should be permitted to have the abortion. There were six



members on the panel: Jennifer Choinski and Louisa Velez representing the Student Government, Paul Wagner representing the Pre-Med Society, Debbi Brown representing Phi Alpha Delta, Jaqui Isaza representing the Intersvarsity Christian Fellowship, and Ginnette Roman representing Catholic Campus Ministries. Our moderator was Arthur Berger J.D.

The event was a success. There

was a high level of involvement from the audience who were eager to share their opinions on the topic as well. After the debate was over, we discussed it further over refreshments. The next debate will be in about a month from now, on the topic of drug legalization. If you would like to participate on the panel, or just come and spectate, keep your eyes open for fliers or contact the Pre-Med Society.

NCSGA Seeks Election Candidates

Dear fellow students,

With Student Government elections rapidly approaching us, now is the time students who feel they can make a difference should take a stand. The best way to influence change for the better is to run for a position on the Student Government.

Some people ask me, "What does it take to be successful in SGA?" I think one of the most important aspects of being a success at anything is having a plan outlining what you want to accomplish.

Formulating a plan will serve as a guide to your success. Your plan needs to take into account where you are coming from and where you would like to be. That means actualizing where your starting point and your finish line is.

When I came into office almost a year ago, I saw many areas I felt SGA should have greater strength in. I devised a plan of action that meet the goals I set and put the wheels in motion to get it done. It is important to have goals that you can reach so you know when you have reached them. You can study to get good a grade on a test but unless you get the test back, you'll never know if your studying paid off.

Another important aspect of being successful is determination. You have to believe what you want is what you want. If you just like the idea of something but do not embrace it, you can not be very determined to succeed. It is similar to saying you are part of a cause but only because it is the popular thing to do.

I see many people join organizations not because they are genuinely interested in the mission, but so that they can say "Yes, I belong." That is

fine to an extent. The problem becomes worse when these people become the leaders in organizations they really do not know or care much about. This is when the organization and its members suffer as a whole.

If you decide to run for a position on Student Government, do it because you want to, not because it would be nice to put on a job application. I know there are many people out there with great ideas and strong leadership qualities that are just looking for an organization that can sharpen your hidden abilities.

Student Government is a success in itself. The power to be heard and see things get done is a privilege student governments before this one worked very hard to achieve. Give

all that you can to help continue making your Student Government a great success by making the commitment to run for a position on S.G.A.

Candidacy forms are available in the Student Life Office. These forms describe the requirements and documents needed to qualify to run for election. I strongly urge students who think they can make a meaningful commitment to the Student Government to pick up a candidacy packet today.

Sincerely,

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Anthony Dominici, President
Nova College Student Government Association

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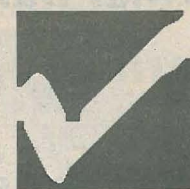
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Are you interested in hypnosis? If so here is your opportunity to participate as a subject in a study on hypnotic responsivity, and help a fellow student.

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This study will provide you with the unique chance to experience hypnotic inductions!!

You will also gain experiential knowledge of scientific research. If you are interested in participating, or just want more information please contact Martin Schmatolla-Brooks at <martinbr@psy.psych.nova.edu>



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Waiting to Exhale Leaves you Breathless

by Karen Jeffers

Sistah to Sistah, this movie was alright! It is time that women realize that they are not alone in regards to

the issue of "men."

Some of us got it going on and for others, the struggle is going on and on and on and on.

Waiting to Exhale depicts every-

day life in many Black women's households. These households consist of one or more children with a mother and no father and are wrecked by divorce. These are houses where

there is no home because love doesn't live there anymore.

I really enjoyed the way the story unfolded and then climaxed with the underlying message that it's nice to have someone else to love, but a woman can be happy just loving herself.

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Nova Students Get a Natural High

by Jennifer Choinski

On January 25th and 26th, the National Collegiate Health and Fitness Tour visited Nova-Southeastern Uni-



Climbing the wall at the Health and Fitness Fair.
Photo by Victor Garcia.

versity. Along with students from Broward Community College and Florida Atlantic University, Nova students had the opportunity to test their skills at rock-climbing, gladiator jousting, boxing, bungee racing, ladder climbing, and much more.

There were free giveaways from Hawaiian Tropics, Lipton, and other nationally known corporations. The see NOVA on 7

Campus & Entertainment

Campus & Entertainment

The Festival to Fundraise and Frolic

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around Horvitz and Mailman-Hollywood were full. People even parked their cars along the sides of the main entrance. This is the first time I attended this festival. It was fun hosting one of the games for kids.

The children enjoyed the many



This father and daughter grin happily as they near the end of a large slide at the Love Jen Festival. Photo by Victor Garcia.

games offered by the various booths. For instance, kids loved to play "Tip the Cat", which was sponsored by the Pre-Med society, because it was so easy to knock all four cats down from two feet away and get five yellow tickets. The tickets could be exchanged

for candy and toys. The games of "Tic-Tac-Toe" and "Minigolf" did not attract much attention from them. However, the array of activities including a slide, merry-go-round, animal exhibits, and traveling clowns, left few disappointed.

At noon, Pocahontas performed by Superstar Productions, drew an audience toward the stage. The show was quite colorful and exciting with a real, blond-haired, blue-eyed John

Smith and a shiny, long, black-haired Pocahontas in Indian costume.

Fortunately, it was much shorter and had fewer songs than the Disney picture. The Lion King was also performed, but I didn't have time to see it.

There was a psychic, too. Some NSU students visited her to get predictions and advice about their futures. I hope what she said will come true!!

Just by looking around, I could tell that this Love Jen was successful for in the two areas of fun and fundraising.

Even though it rained for about 15 minutes in the morning, the rest of the day was partly cloudy, keeping the sun off South Florida.

If you missed this festival, you should be around for the next Love Jen Festival on February 1, 1997. Don't worry, the time will fly!

Swing for the Championship

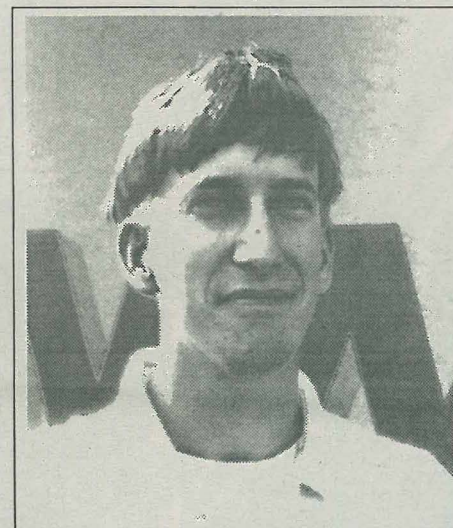
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golfers turned in winning efforts at the Golf Club of Miami this past October. Junior David Cooke's total score of 145 aided NSU's first place finish while Larson's countrymen Mikael Berglund, also from Sweden, added two sub 80 rounds for a final point total of 157.

However, the men's preseason tear did not end there. Two second place finishes at both the Broward Community College Invitational and the Palm Coast Invitational reaffirmed the Knight's status as the team to beat in this region.

Although the newcomers such as Chris Lavorro have achieved consistent outings during the fall months,

the team's success will fall on the shoulders of its two prominent upper-



Kit Larson is a returning All-American. Photo courtesy Athletics Department.

classmen. Last season Larson, a 22 year-old Junior from Ucklevalla, Sweden, earned a 14th place finish in the national tournament. Throughout the Knight's 1994-1995 campaign, Larson's 77.35 average per round was second only to Cooke's 77.02 score. Cooke, a third-year starter from Brockville, Canada, has continuously challenged Larson among the leaders in all four of NSU's preseason tournaments.

The incoming players will have to fill the vacant spots left by the departure of three lettermen. Nevertheless, the Knights should once again compete as one of the nation's strongest sides. In their eyes, this could be a year to solidify their national status.

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WRI Appreciates Women Athletes

by Cynthia Griffith

To celebrate National Girls and Women in Sports Day, which has been held on February 1 for the past ten years, the Women's Resource Institute sponsored a barbecue to kick off the NSU Women's Softball season.

The Lady Knights split the opening double header with rival Goldey Beacum College of Delaware. The Lady Knights won the first game while

Goldey Beachum won the second game.

Throughout the afternoon and evening, NSU athletes, coaches, students, and staff, along with area high school athletes, watched the games and ate hamburgers and hot dogs. WNSU played music before and between games.

Kate Lamm, Director of the Women's Resource Institute presented a proclamation from the Broward County Board of Designating February 1 as National Girls and Women in Sports Day in Broward

County.

National Girls and Women in Sports Day celebrates girls' and women's participation in amateur and professional sports, participation which is often overlooked and devalued by sports fans, the media, college athletic programs, and professional athletics.

The Women's Resource Institute urges the NSU community to attend and support NSU women athletes and teams. Catch the NSU spirit!

Nova "Kids" Play, Run, Jump for Their Health

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event was brought on campus by The Wellness Center and was totally free to all participants. The tour is the most-requested event on college campuses throughout the East

Coast.

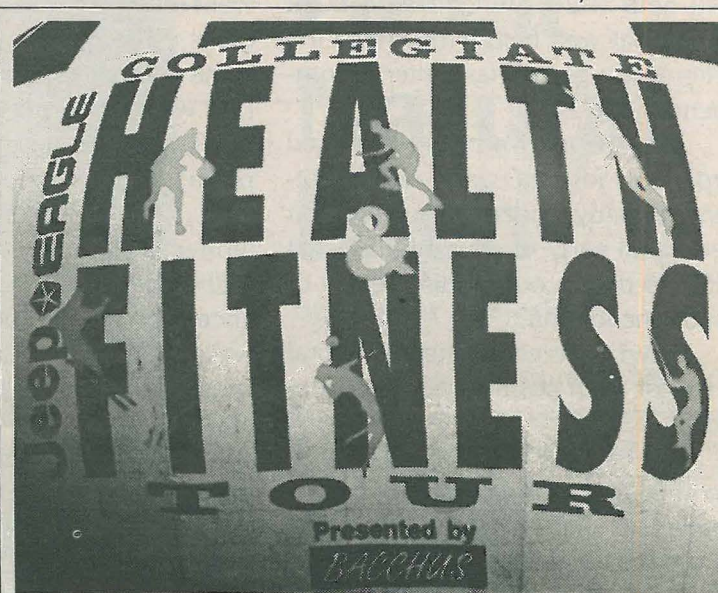
Students who participated in the various events had the opportunity to win a Jeep, Eagle Talon, or a Dodge Neon, as a first prize in a national drawing between all of

the schools the tour has visited. Other prizes include a 7-day cruise.

"The event went really well, but it would have been better if more people showed up," concluded Justine Steiner

of Student Health Advocates for Peer Education. Now that the word is out about how

cool this fair was, we do hope to see more familiar faces in the crowd next year!!!

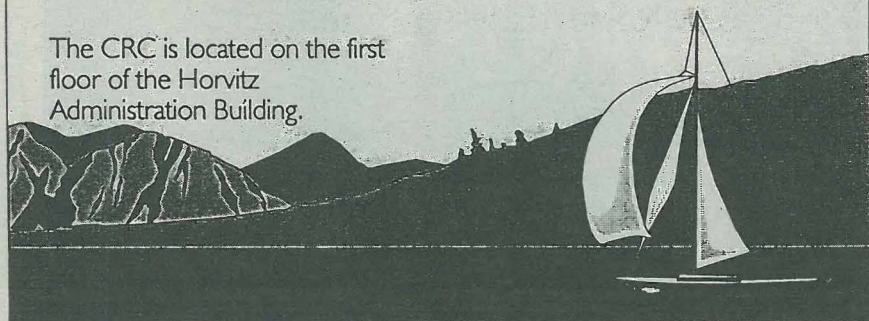


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Although it doesn't seem like it, summer is around the corner. Have you thought of what you're going to do this summer?

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Letters of Recommendation—How To Get Them

by Dr. John Malouff

Whether you are a graduate student or an undergrad, someday you likely will ask a professor to write you a letter of recommendation. You may need the letter to gain admission to a training program or to help you get a job.

What will the professor write that will help you? Students who think about that well before they need the letter end up with far better recommendations.

As someone who has both asked professors for letters and written letters for many students, I suggest you set a goal early in your education at NSU to obtain outstanding letters of recommendation.

How? By creating the behavioral basis for such positive recommendations.

You can get ideas about how to do that from the comments I have made over the years in writing letters of recommendation: He [or she] (1) earned the highest overall score of all students in the class, (2) did well on tests, (3) wrote excellent papers, (4) wrote a paper that was so good I used it as a model for other students, (5) gave an excellent oral presentation, (6) participated actively in class discussions, (7) often perfectly answered

questions I posed to the entire class, (8) brought useful information to class from outside reading or experiences, (9) never missed a class meeting, (10) was always on time, (11) volunteered to assist in my research, (12) provided such valuable research assistance as to merit co-authorship of a paper we published, (13) agreed to help me with a special project of mine, (14) went out of the way to help other students, (15) participated actively in some relevant volunteer organization, (16) wrote an article for our departmental bulletin [or the student newspaper] about some relevant in-field topic, (17) worked as a volunteer [to further some important social cause], (18) obtained excellent work experience, (19) speaks Spanish, (20) is always pleasant, (21) smiles often, (22) laughs and jokes at appropriate times, (23) is well liked by other professors, and (24) is well liked by other students.

Students who behave in ways that make many of these statements apply to them are likely to receive powerful recommendations.

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"Take a Byte out of the Cutting Edge"

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bernation, talking to the people, and sipping some cyberccino, I felt at ease. The atmosphere is very relaxed and the people are friendly.

The owners Glenn Bocchino, Ed Lee, and Thomas McGee are in their late 20's but the cliental ranges in age from 20's to late 40's. Only open since November, Cybernation has plans to open at four more locations. They may even open a cafe near Nova!

Even though I went into Cybernation with reservations, I left wanting

to return. The people are down-to-earth and the capaccino is first-class. I urge you to take a byte out of the cutting-edge, 90's style and visit Cybernation!

(By the way, CNBC tapes their new show .Com right inside Cybernation. The first show will air March 17 at 3 p.m. The next scheduled tapings are March 5, 8, 14, 21, and 27. They always need extras for the background, so drop on by or call (954) 630-0223 for more details.)

Next Issue: Net Therapy

Deadline Notice

The deadline for submissions for this year's thirteenth issue, which appears on March 22, is March 8. The advertising deadline for the thirteenth issue is March 22.

You can e-mail the Knight Advi-

sor, Dr. Jackson, at Internet address "jackson@polaris.ncs.nova.edu" to find out how you can become involved with the SCO. Or call the Knight office at (954) 370-5670 and ask for Karina.

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Another Tough Loss

by Gus Bravo

Down by three, clock winding down, NSU's Chad Bobik, the team's best three point shooter, receives the in-bound pass. After few side winding dribbles to avoid a couple of defenders, Bobik finally heaves a desperation shot from mid court.

Unfortunately, like many of the Knight's final attempts at victory this season, this one falls just shy. Another close game, another opponent, but nevertheless, the same result.

Despite battling back from a half time deficit, thanks to an aggressive second half spurt, the Knights came up short against nationally ranked Flagler College on Saturday, February 10 at the George M. Mayer Gymnasium.

Throughout the contest, the men displayed much resiliency and fire against the visitors from St. Augustine. Ignited by Coach Tony McAndrew's half time speech, the men applied their amoebae-like defense on their opponent early in the second half.

A plethora of thundering dunks by Nova's James Johnson's electrified the crowd and brought the team back into the game. Nonetheless, Johnson's outstanding inside performance was overshadowed by his team's inability to win a close game.

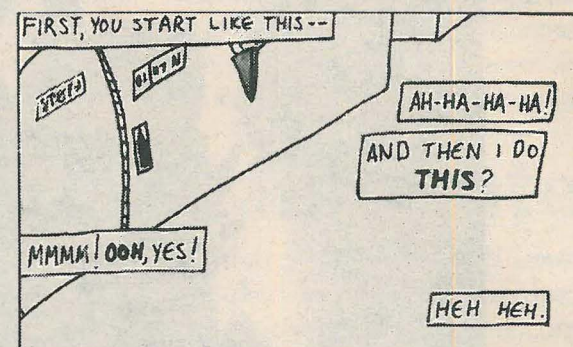
Having battled back to tie the score with just one minute remaining, the Knights once again faltered. A couple of ill-advised NSU turnovers and some clutch free-throws by the visitors summarized the final seconds. Prior to Saturday's loss, the Knights also fell to Embry-Riddle a day earlier.

Unlike Flagler's game when the team awoke after the half time intermission, Friday, February 9th's encounter against the Eagles from Daytona depicted a different story. This time, after an exciting first half that saw several lead changes, the Knights struggled and eventually stumbled in the second period losing 82-71.

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Nick Moore Presents. . . "I"

"Vesta"



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Copying work of another student	Copied program disk of another student	In violation of section I.A.	Final disc. probation until graduation; 8 pg pap. on ac. integrity
Tendering information	Gave another student disk copy of paper and research	In violation of section I.A. 3	Disciplinary probation until end of 96W; essay
Destruction of university property	Driving vehicle on lawn by GDW	In violation of section I.B. 3	Final disciplinary probation until graduation
Misrep; furnishing false information	Withheld names of 2 univs. on application	In violation of section I.A. 4	Immediate suspension; reapply for Jan. admission
Misrep; furnishing false information	Withheld names of 2 univs. on application	Not in violation of section I.A. 4	None
Cheating	Crib notes during final exam	In violation of section I.A. 4	Final disc. probation until graduation; 5 pg essay
Misrep; furnishing false information	Withheld names of 2 univs. on application	In violation of section I.A. 4	Immediate suspension; reapply for Jan. admission
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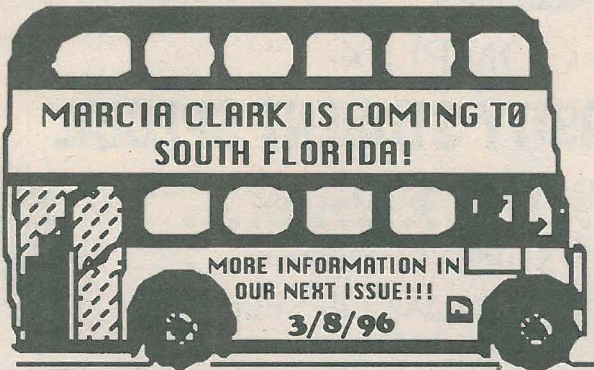
Honor Court Hears Record Number of Cases

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dent conduct on campus.

In the Fall semester, the Court heard a record 10 cases. The table below lists the charges and our decisions for each case. Please note that each case is considered individually. These results are in no way meant to suggest that the sanction applied in one case will be automatically applied in subsequent cases of a similar nature. Also note that the specific details of each case, including the names of the students, remain confidential.

For further information about the Honor Court, please contact any of the members: Suzanne Ferriss, Chair; Ben Mulvey, Faculty Representative; Richard Mordi, Alternate Faculty Representative; James Reinlieb, Student Representative; Heather Gates, Student Representative; Kim Brubeck, Alternate Student Representative; Madeline Penna, Administrative Representative; Debbie Nellis, Alternate Administrative Representative; Rick Mayfield, Records Coordinator.

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Creative Chalkers Wanted

Press Release

The Fort Lauderdale Parks and Recreation Department, along with the Broward Center for the Performing Arts, are seeking creative artists to design sidewalk masterpieces for this year's "Chalkwalk Sidewalk Art Contest" on Saturday, March 23 with registration beginning at 9:15 a.m.

The Chalkwalk contest is just one of the many events scheduled during the annual Fort Lauderdale Festival of the Arts.

The festival kicks off on Friday, March 22 with Gordon Lightfoot at the Broward Center and runs through Sunday, March 24.

This year's theme for the Chalkwalk contest is "If You Could Read My Mind" and entrants are encouraged to be imaginative within the bounds of good taste for a family event.

The sidewalk near Esplanade Park across from the Broward Center for the Performing Arts and the Museum of Discovery & Science will serve as the giant "canvas" for the artists.

There will be five artist categories: professional artist, amateur adult artist (18 and older), teen artist (ages 13-17), junior artist (ages 9-12) and youth artist (ages 5-8).

Teams of 2 to 4 people can also enter the contest.

Cash prizes will be awarded for first place in the professional (\$300), amateur (\$150), and teen (\$100) categories.

Judging will be based on three criteria: creativity (40 percent), art ability (40 percent) and dedication to theme (20 percent).

Registration will begin at 9:15 a.m. in Esplanade Park. The contest will run from 10 a.m. to noon with

the winners announced at 1 p.m.

For an application to enter the "Chalkwalk Sidewalk Art Contest" call Marie Rock at (954) 761-5360 or Susan Begahen at (954) 463-1618.

For further information on the festival please call the Festival of the Arts Hotline at (954) 761-5388.

Presenting sponsors for the Fort Lauderdale Festival of the Arts include the Broward Cultural Affairs Council, Sun-Sentinel along with WSVN Channel 7, Comcast Cable, Paxton Communications stations, WLVE, WINZ, WZTA, WACC and WFTL.

The Broward Center for the Performing Arts is located at 201 S.W. Fifth Avenue in Fort Lauderdale.

Whatta Fish



Pictured above are Captain Tony Catalfamo and his son Nick Catalfamo, who attends NSU. Nick went fishing on his father's boat, the Fantasy, in Islamorada, Fl. During the expedition, he caught a 60 lb. sailfish on a 12lb. test line. The fish jumped over a dozen times, but the large fish was caught. Photo courtesy Twin Photo.

The Knights lose close one

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Both of these conference outings pretty much solidified NSU's second to last seeding in the upcoming FSC tournament.

The conference tournament, which begins February 23rd and is

hosted by Embry-Riddle, will offer Nova its last opportunity to salvage an otherwise disappointing season.

Having matched up equally against two of the conference's top teams (Flagler and Embry-Riddle), a few favorable bounces here and there

might be all that it takes for Nova to make a serious post-season run.

This squad, which may lack depth but not resiliency, could surprise a few teams lacking respect for a Nova team that is far better than its record describes.

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