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Dorm resident faces drug charge

By ANDY SNEDDON Staff Writer

An East Vandenberg Hall resident faces a pre-trial hearing on Dec. 12 in connection with his arrest and arraignment on a possesion of marijuana charge.

Michael Kraemer, 19, turned himself in to Public Safety on Nov. 15 after learning that a warrant had been issued for his arrest. He was arraigned on the same day in 52nd District Court and released on \$1,000 personal bond.

The arrest stems from a Nov. 2 investigation of his dorm room which turned up two sandwhich bags of suspected marijuana and the remains of five marijuana cigarettes, according to Public Safety reports.

The substance was turned over to the Oakland County Sheriff's Department crime lab for analysis.

Senior Investigator Mel Gilroy said there have been similar arrests in the residence halls in past, but none this semester.

Stick 'em up



The Oakland Post/ Erin Burke

The women's basketball team opened its season with victories over Tri-State University (on Friday) and Calvin College (on Saturday) to win the OU Tip-Off Classic. Jennifer Golen, 23, guards Tri-State's Jody Yockum in the Pioneer's 81-67 win. Goln, a sophomore who made her OU debut Friday night, was named Most Valuable Player of the classic.

Student leader dies in crash

Accident leaves one dead, friend critically injured

By ANDY SNEDDON and CAROL ZITO Staff Writers

Greg Marrs, a 21-year old junior and recent Congress presidential candidate, died in an automobile accident early Saturday morning on northbound Interstate 75 in Flatrock, Mich., according

to state police. Marrs, who lost last week's election to Christina Landry, was riding in a 1982 Chevrolet pickup truck driven by 22-year-old Sophomore James

Gregory Marrs

Miller when the truck slammed into the back of a Peterbuilt semi tractortrailer at 4:17 a.m. Nov. 18. Marrs was pronounced dead at the scene. Police said Miller was transported

by helicopter to University of Michigan Hospital in Ann Arbor. He was in critical condition Sunday afternoon, a hospital spokeswoman said.

The driver of the semi was unin-

Police said the cause of the accident is still under investigation, but weather was not a factor and alcohol may be involved.

Police will begin the investigation this week by reconstructing the

Marrs and Miller, members of the Theta Chi fraternity, left the fraternity house in Pontiac between midnight and 12:30 a.m. Saturday but did not say where they were going, said Jeff Grondz, Theta Chi spokes-

"Both liked to do things on the spur of the moment," Grondz said. Fraternity brothers gathered at the house Saturday night to remember

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Election goes to Landry

Anderson, Seeley, Shields lead congress race

By LUCY BUCCELLATO Sophomore Tina Bartle. Staff Writer

In an election marked by low voter turnout, Christina Landry won the University Congress presidency over Gregg Marrs, 351-174 with 22 write-

Landry will take office on Jan. 1, 1990, succeeding Brian Murphy.

In elections for congressmembers, Demetrius Anderson, Scott Seeley, Michael Shields, Melisha Reid and Maura Conroy were the top vote-getters. All twenty seats were filled.

The referendum to raise the stupassed, 289-222.

Around campus, there was an other Congress people in SPB." upbeat feeling for the new president.

"I'm glad that Christina won because she'll do good for the schoolmore Amy Nida.

"She (Landry) can handle the job

Kathy Spry, program director of campus radio station WOUX was also pleased with the election results and has high hopes that Landry will use her new influence to help the station in whatever way possible.

Members of the Student Program Board were also offering their congratulations.

"I know she is going to do a lot for the relationahip between SPB and Congress. I voted for her," said Suzanne Jermstad, 20, of SPB.

Tom Voytas, SPB spokesperson, said Landry's victory ushers in a "new era of cooperation between dent activity fee from \$9.75 to \$12 SPB and Congress. Chrisie has been one of the Congress people to get to

> Voytas said it is important that the two organizations have a strong working relationship.

"Congress does a lot and so does she's not in it for herself but for the SPB," Voytas said. "She has some welfare of the school," said Sopho- definite plans to make people aware of that."

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Election Results

<u>President</u>

Christina Landry 351 Gregory Marrs 174 Write-ins 22 Congressmembers Name 285 Demetrius Anderson 252 Scott Seeley Michael Shields 247 231 Melisha Reid Maura Conroy 201 201 Jim Kocis Laurie Rutkowski 193 Wendy Bodine 188 Robin Backie 187 Charles Wollborg 182

Todd Ladson

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Tim Melton 17 Tonja Long 12 Amy Prusinowski 5 Tracey Jump 4 Anastasia Sved 3 Donna Hunter 3 Kenny Johnson 2 2

... she knows what she's doing," said TeleFund '89 nears goal

By P.J. PELLETIER Staff Writer

TeleFund'89 is an annual program that solicits pledges from alumni. It is operated at a telephone center located at the John Dodge House on campus.

This year, it was expanded. The phone center went from 10-20 phones and solicitaiton from 41-118 nights. It runs from Oct. 2-Dec. 14.

Debera Jankovich, part-time coordinator, operates the phone center Monday through Thursday, between 6:30 p.m. and 9 p.m. Organized by academic unit, the purpose is to raise money for the academic enterprise.

The program first sends letters to each alumni signed by the dean of the academic unit they graduated from, before calling them.

Out of 35,000 OU alumni, the program has good contact with 19,000, which are contacted all over the United States.

In all cases, the contributors designate where the use of his/her gift will be spent. If there is no special designation, the money is unrestricted and is used where the need is greatest. This is allocated by President Joe cham-

All the callers are volunteers. They have faculty, administrative staff, alumni, clerical staff and a large number of students who donate their time as callers. Organizations such as Residence Halls Council, Uni-

Brian Drake

Michelle Primeau

versity Congress, fraternities, sororities and the swimming team have participated. The goal of TeleFund '89, is to raise \$150,000. As of

Nov. 14, the group made calls on 25 nights and received 3,302 pledges with a total of \$146,000. "We are virtually there (to goal) with 16 nights to go,"

said Paul Osterhout, director of OU's annual fund. There is also a corporate program with four companies that takes place at spring time.

General Motors, Ford, Chrysler and Michigan Bell have a large concentration of Oakland alumni. These corporations also have a matching gift program, doubling the pledge made.

Though for the first time in 13 years, contributions to colleges has dropped nation wide, OU's continues to slowly increase.

The reason for this is the alumni body continues to grow, so every year more people are solicited.

Landry to strive for unity, opinions

By LISA TAYLOR Staff Writer

Unity between University Congress and students is the vision of newly elected president Christina Landry.

Landry, a freshman, received 351 votes to 174 for her opponent, Greg Marrs. She begins her one-year term on Jan. 1, 1990.

"get congress together before the term starts," to unify congress and the Student Program Board (SPB) in a retreat-like setting.

Her long term goal is to have the it does, she said. making decisions, something that hasn't always occured in the past,

"I haven't promised anyone a position so other students can feel welcome," Landry said. "We need fresh ideas, new ideas.

"We need to be more of a govern-ment. Landry, 19, said her first goal is to ance," she said. Congress must take

more seriously, she added. There must be a correlation between what Congress says and what

administration ask congress and Two ways of achieving these goals students for their opinion before are attending different classrooms to ask students how they feel about issues and speaking at student organization meetings.

Landry said the public relations person will not be a "flyer and banner"representative of Congress, but a visible voice for student govern-

Students aren't going to get inthe administration and students volved unless they know that Congress "is a viable student organization," she said.

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That time of year



The Oakland Post/ Erin Burke

Oh, say it ain't so. Winter doesn't officially begin for another month but the campus got an early dose of cold weather last week when more than an inch of snow fell and the wind-chill factor dropped to the single digits.

In Memory Of

GREGORY R. MARRS

February 20, 1968 November 18, 1989

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and
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to his family and friends.

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Jim Kocis
Charles M. Wollborg
Tracy Jump
Todd Ladson

December 1 & 2

CONGRESSMEMBERS
Demetrius E. Anderson
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Robin Backie

Amy Prusinowski

Kenny Johnson

SPB

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Christina Landry

CONGRESSMEMBERS
Michael Shields
Laurie Rutkowski
Tim Melton
Anastasia Sved
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CONGRESSMEMBERS
Melisha D. Reid
Wendy Bodine
Tonja Long
Donna Hunter
Michelle Primeau

THANKYOU

The Elections Committee would like to thank those who made our election a success.

Good luck to all of the winners in 1990.

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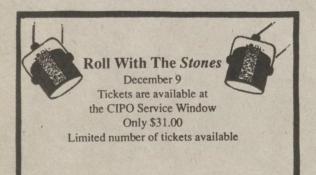
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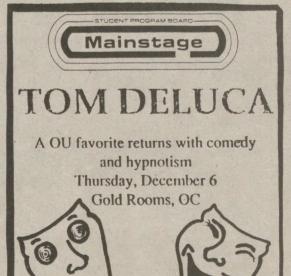
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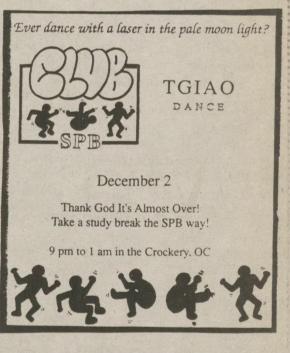
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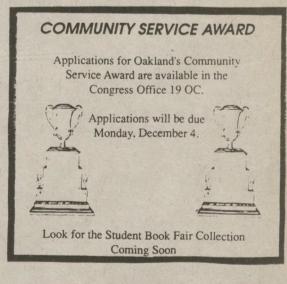
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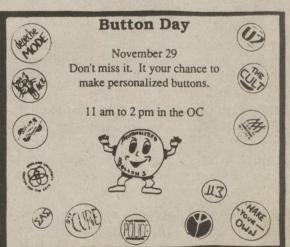


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News Briefs

Nobody hurt in five-car fender bender

A university visitor caused a five car accident in the northwest parking lot Nov.10.

The driver sideswiped one parked car and struck three others while backing out of her parking space.

Public Safety reports said she failed to depress the brake pedel before shifting to reverse, causing the car to lung backwards into the other vehicles. All the other vehicles were unoccupied at the time of the accident.

Flasher returns to Library

A woman reported to Public Safety on Nov. 13 that she saw a man in Kresge Library who had flashed her in the Library seven

Public Safety escorted the man out of the Library.

No bullet hole

A professor discovered a small hole in the window of his office with pieces of glass on the floor on Nov.

No object or projectile was found in the office and the damage pattern is not consistant with a gun shot into glass, according to a Public Safety

Corrections

A Nov. 13 article should have said the "call back" policy always has been enforced, according to Beth Talbert of CIPO.

HALL

A Nov. 13 article should have said that Susan McCabe is the secretary for Gamma Phi Beta.

Man attacked after talent show

A man reported toPublic Safety that he and three friends were attacked by approximately 14 subjects in the South Central parking lot #2 after leaving a talent show in Dodge Hall on Nov. 14.

Larceny reported in West Vandenberg

A West Vandenberg resident reported a camera and calculator where stolen from her room sometime between Nov. 6-13.

Sharp move

Board of Trustees member Jim Sharp picked up the tab for the meals of the Detroit Martin Luther King football team during its overnight stay in Flint Friday evening.

King was in Flint for a Class A semi-final playoff game against Birmingham Brother Rice. King won the game, 6-0 to advance to the state championship game this Saturday.

Crash

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"Greg was very dedicated to the fraternity," Grondz said. "He was an outgoing person and a very hardworker.

"Greg had a real zest for life," Grondz said. "Greg used to wake up in the morning and want to live that day better than the last."

Patrick Nicosia, Theta Chi adviser and university budget director, said he knew Marrs very well and that they would sometimes have lunch together and talk.

"I just thought the world of Greg," Nicosia said. "Knowing people like Greg is what makes working with students worth every minute."

Nicosia said Marrs was Theta Chi's house manager this year and treasurer last year and that he did a great job with each position.

"It's going to be a trying time for the fraternity," Nicosia said. "They've never been through this ... Everyone's pretty devastated."

Although Landry, student Congress president elect, ran against Marrs in last week's election, the two were good friends and this loss is extremely painful for her.

"I was planning on talking to him early next week about (him) taking an executive position on Congress," Landry said.

Marrs was a Congressmember for nearly a year and served as the chairman of the steering committee. He was a political science major and

Landry and Marrs had attended a leadership conference together Oct. 12-15 in St. Louis.

"People we just met in St. Louis have been writing me letters and asking me to say hi to Greg," Landry

"He was the big brother of my best friend," Landry said referring to Stephanie Marrs, 19-year-old sophomore attending Michigan State University. "All through high school he drove us everywhere."

Marrs is also survived by his parents, Irene and Robert, and his brother, Kevin, an 18-year old freshman at Macomb Community College. The family lives in Rochester.

Landry said Marrs' mother was visiting relatives in Germany when she heard of the accident.

As of Sunday afternoon, funeral arrangments were pending at the Harold-Davis Funeral Home in Au-

-Kyle Green and Marc Moraniec contributed to

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They've also added new programs to interest alumni. People who pledge over \$250 are entered into OU's gift clubs. Pledges of \$500 or planned to go to law school after more are good for the University Associates Club. These contributors are specially treated and are personally solicited.

> There are about 80 members in the Presidents Club which pledged \$12,500 and pay over a ten year period. All clubs give recognition and special benefits.

Election

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Holly Lashbrook, Congress legislative director, said student apathy was a real problem this year.

"Once people realize that they have a longer period of time to vote, then they'll take the initiative," she

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Landry

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Landry said, "everyone is always welcome." Committees, executive available to meet the needs of the students, she added.

Mark Payne, president of the Association of Black Students (ABS) work for ABS and is for "having a diverse executive board."

Payne said congress needs to work on "real issues." The Bright Way Path march was an honorable attempt, but it's not as important as SPB began to deteriorate under the

residence halls, he said.

He said congress' role as the students' voice is to address these is-

staff and minute-taking positions are congress and SPB and branch out Theta Chi" flyers in the window of from there" to inform the Oakland community that ABS is not just for black students.

Tom Voytas, promotions chair of said he hopes Landry is willing to SPB said he thinks Landry will do a good job.

> Voytas said Landry has been very visible in SPB in the past, "I hope that will carry over," he said.

The bond between congress and

tuition increases and racism in the Keith Faber adminstration, Voytas

Voytas said that in the past six months there has been conflicts sues more diligently and solve them within congress because it seemed because they have the funding for it. that congress was not serving all Payne said, "I want to start with students. He said there were "Rush the Congress office but that no other greek and student organizations were represented.

> Voytas said the role of the congress president and members should be "an educational experience" and not a position in which the members look out for themselves. Congress should concentrate more on being a service organization and making sure that the students are served, first and foremost, he added.

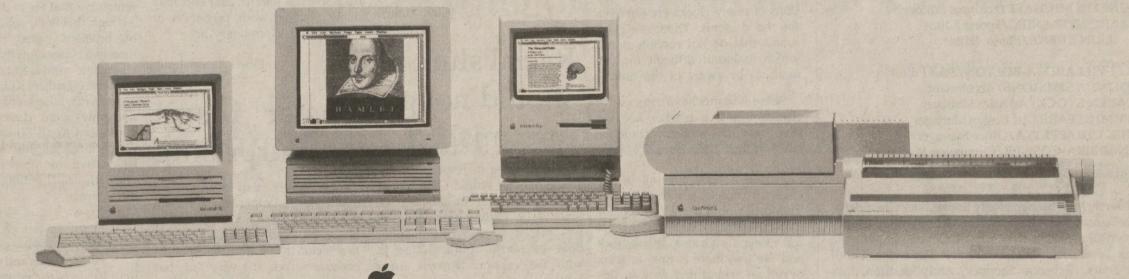
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Abortion question is one we should answer

Given the relatively peaceful environment in which college-aged people have been raised, it is understandable that many of us are complacent. We look out our picture windows to the quiet suburban streets and we aren't inspired to ask ourselves what battles need to be fought today.

It's easy to accept the status quo when we are the beneficiaries of what other generations have struggled so hard to achieve.

But that's changing now.

Most of us are too young to know what it was like when abortion was illegal. The suffering and death many women endured are horrors we can only imagine. Now, it is clear that abortion rights are once again in jeopardy. And it is apparent that, if we want to, college-aged citizens can make all the difference.

As Eleanor Smeal, Fund for the Feminist Majority and former NOW president, points out, only 20 percent of college-aged citizens bother to vote, compared to 85 percent of senior citizens. The young in this country are underrepresented because the young in this country aren't exactly considered "constituents."

We need to make some hard choices in the next few years. Are our legislators going to make policy according to our desires? Or will they listen to other groups who are more vocal and more likely to vote?

Whether we are "pro-choice" or "anti-abortion," man or woman, Christian or Jewish, black, white or blue, this issue affects us all. It affects us as individuals, as well as our mothers and fathers, sisters and brothers, our best friends and our worst enemies.

We must choose a side and fight for it. We must start showing our support with votes.

If we don't get involved now, other people will make our choices for us. And we will find ourselves having to fight for the rights we already had but took for granted.

Minority rules election

During the course of an average day, we Oakland students don't face very many tough decisions. What to wear or where to park may top the list. And that's probably a good thing, since we're woefully out of practice at decision making. The minimal turnout at the Congress election and referendum is proof of that.

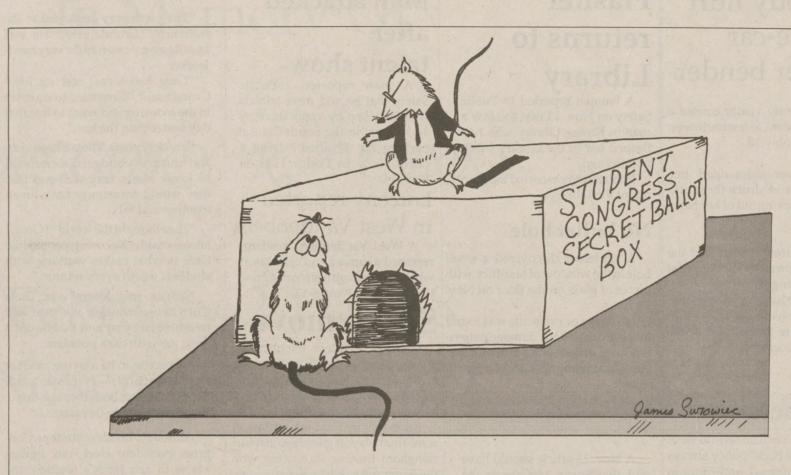
Out of nearly 12,000 students, only 547 voted.

It's very disturbing when 4.5 percent of the student body has the power to choose the Congress president and to pass a referendum that increases the student activities fee.

Granted, making sure we choose the right Congress president may not be the highest item on our list of priorities. But what about the referendum, which has a direct effect on us all? The fee is to be raised from \$8.50 to \$12 for fall and winter undergraduates, and to \$10 for graduates.

Fortunately, it's not too late for those who don't want to part with more money at registration time. The proposal still needs to be passed by the board of trustees.

Now's your chance to make a direct impact on the outcome of the board's decision. Write letters. Make phone calls. Practice your decision making skills. They may come in handy someday.



IT'S ANICE PAD, BUT EVERY ONCE IN A GREAT WHILE, PAPER LEAKS THROUGH THE ROOF.

Oakland has more to offer than many may think

Viewpoint

By DAVID SALMONSON

"Why on Earth did you decide to come to Oakland University?"

Being from the small northern town of Charlevoix, I believe this would be the question that I get asked most nowadays. The folks who live nearby can't quite understand my psychology in attending their "community college." And to their queries I usually respond: "Why?! Are you kidding? It's such a great combination of a bunch of universities."

Let's take a look at the situation here at our institution.

Okay, it's true that we don't may be one of those students who has thoughts such as, "What's higher education without college football games, like at State?" But when we remember that football season only lasts through the fall, I suppose we have to concede to the fact that even Michigan State University is just a "regular" learning institution the rest of the

football blues," why not simply go ers require Oakland to provide to a couple State games and pretend facilities for the whole legion of us. you attend classes there? After all, our school used to be called between OU and less populated Michigan State University—

first semester of my freshman year, vate institutions. Pretty impres-I took four classes, all of which were taught by real-life professors. Not any of those snivelling little teacher's assistants, mind you. Guys with full doctorates. Two of them had written the textbooks we used in class, and a third had produced his own book. Granted this is somewhat atypical, but it happened to me. And if you go to U. of M. or MSU, you'd be lucky your junior year. I can sacrifice a few football games for this kind of treatment.

TAKING A different perspective on campus living, how about all the things that Oakland students don't have to deal with? In comparison to the private college have a football team, and you just situation, there are Greek organizations here (14 to be exact), but respectable also. O'Dowd can look membership in them certainly doesn't determine your social status among the ranks.

And just think about the resources we have compared with the limitations of smaller colleges. Oakland has more than 70 academic programs available while Albion has less than 30. Although only about 2,000 students live on AS A solution to the the "no campus, the other 10,000 commut-

In furthering the differences schools, studies show show that But what does our university be available after posted office have to offer anyway? Well, in the hours than the instructors at pri-

sive, I'd say.

AND IN contrast to huge universities like Michigan and State, students here aren't overwhelmed by class after class of 100 people who have to scratch and bite for personalized attention from instructors. Also at Oakland one can get from one course to another in less than seven minutes. Try that to get attention like that before at U. of M. on the first day of the

You really have to admit that OU has a pretty campus, too. It may not be big, but it's nice looking. Have you ever looked out of a window on the top floor of Vandenberg and seen Beer Lake with the moon reflecting in it? The sight is one to behold.

The buildings themselves are awfully handsome in the evening hours. And with the newly remodeled library, the administration is proving that the institution is concerned about keeping up with educational demands.

What else is here? As far as athletics, how about swimming, weight lifting, soccer, basketball, volleyball, cross-country running and others? For golfers, Oakland offers an 18-hole course at student rates (one of the reasons I came here. Of course, the 2-to-1 girl/guy ratio influenced me a bit, too.)

If you're the least bit interested professors here are more willing to in cultural activities, Oakland has professional Meadow Brook Theatre, Meadow Brook Art Gallery,

and in the summer there's the music festival. Student stage productions are also performed here for those who want to take part. Speaking of becoming involved, you are even presented the opportunity of having your very own radio show on WOUX. You may be laughing at this, but any way you look at it, experience is experience - no matter how much audience you attract.

There's also the chance to write for The Oakland Post or be a part of the campus government system with student Congress. Rumor has it there are also over 100 student organization at OU, and if you absolutely can't find any club or association to suit your taste, you have the power to institute your own! Does the United Twister Players of America strike anyone's fancy? If so, go ahead and start it. I'll donate the name.

One can only stress so much that we here at Oakland University should stop dwelling on what isn't offered and instead think about all the things that are. Take part! Do something you'll be proud to tell your kids about. What's college all about, anyway? Simply somewhere to learn? Or is it a place where you build memories, make life-long friends and prove to yourself that you can take the world by storm?

So just remember: life is not a spectator sport. In respect to your life, college is really where it all begins. Now go out and buy an Oakland University sweatshirt, would you?

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Letters to the Editor

Clocks set students back

I am writing concerning the clocks around campus. The locations of many clocks are not ideal for the students. There are classrooms that do not contain clocks, which makes it difficult for students to be aware of the time.

Some students have consecutive classes, and if a teacher holds a class over, the students could be late for their next class.

I have noticed that all of the clocks are not set at the same time. This could pose a big problem for many students. When students get out of class and look at the clock and see that there is time to relax or run an errand and they do this before the next class, they could be late for their next class. Also when entering class late there could be a disruption in the class which could upset the professor and possibly be held against the student.

I don't understand why the university has these clocks if they

are not going to have accurate and synchronized times. In my opinion these clocks should be removed if they don't display the proper times because they are obviously not helping anybody.

> Mark Mancik Freshman

Racial slur should not go unpunished

I am writing in response to the article "Poster Found Offensive to Dorm Residents" in the Oct. 30 issue of The Oakland Post. A poster was placed on a dorm resident's door of Martin Luther King, Jr. with the caption "Brown Sugar

I am appalled that so very little was done as punishment to this individual. I feel as though Martin Luther King played a very important role in the advancement to civil rights for African Americans. From the evidence it seems to be a racist statement whether the young man was aware of it or not.

I think some type of punishment should have been done toward the individual. I am a man of minority and if I would have had a poster of Ronald Reagan that read "Poor White Trash," it would have been a greater deal and may have resulted with probation or some other disciplinary act.

Elbert Aaron Lunn

Poster insult not surprising

The article that was written about Martin Luther King, "Brown Sugar Bitch" was not surprising to me at all. I am aware that racism is a factor in life that we all must encounter. Yes, it's very sad, but we must realize that the world is a racist world. Not because it has to be, but that's how we make it.

No, I'm not trying to justify this guy's actions, but I strongly feel that tearing down his poster didn't make him stop feeling the way that he feels, but simply promotes the thoughts of anger that he holds

Racism is a big issue with no easy solution in sight. I feel that we must learn to communicate with each other and stop running from others' differences. We must start to accept how others differ and remember that we're different, too. Though this is no solution for this big problem called racism, it is merely a suggestion that should be taken into consideration.

Martin Luther King, Jr. was a great man whose words of wisdom not only were directed toward blacks but to all humans. I would like to think that his work will not be wasted by ignorant humans who are not willing to accept differences.

> Kenya Randall Freshman

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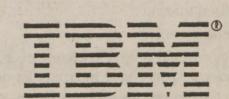
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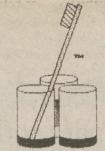
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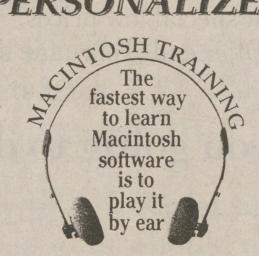
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Pro-choice delivers battle cry to Washington

Leaders urge students to take up arms

By L. VILLAROSA-BOLTON and CAROL ZITO Staff Writers

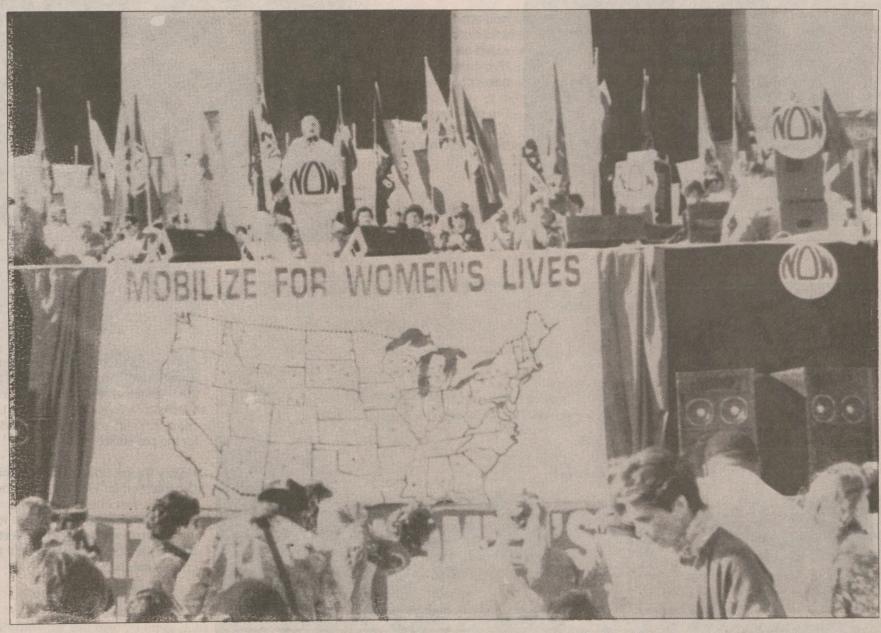
As pro-choice leaders launched a nationwide mobilization last week to strengthen the movement's political clout, their message to college students was to get involved now so they can take the helm in the future.

Last Sunday's day-long rally in Washington, D.C., one of several rally's held simultaneously across the country, drew an estimated 300,000 to the Lincoln Memorial. They came to celebrate recent prochoice electoral victories, such as New York Governor-elect David Dinkins, and to shout their disapproval of President George Bush's stance on abortion.

National Organization for Women brought together politicians, activists and celebrities to encourage the citizenry to "say it with votes" and warn the politicians to listen.

IN INTERVIEWS conducted throughout the day, many speakers had a specific message for collegeaged voters.

"Don't be complacent," warned Amy Madigan, the actress who portrayed Jane Roe's lawyer Sarah Weddington in the television movie Roe versus Wade. "Unfortunately, that's what happened to the prochoice movement after Roe v. Wade, and look what happened," she said. The Supreme Court case legalized abortion in 1973 but was recently ciate professor of psychology, was gouged last spring by the Court's ruling of Webster vs. Reproductive the rally. She said she was encour-Health Services. The new ruling gave aged that there seemed to be more states the power to regulate abor- college-aged women at this rally than



Molly Yard, president of the National Organization for Women addresses the masses in Washington, D.C., as part of a nationwide effort to mobilize the pro-choice movement. Yard estimated that 300,000 attended the day-long rally, which was called to celebrate recent electoral victories of pro-choice candidates, such as David Dinkins, governor-elect of New York.

"I'm old enough to remember Lives. what it was like when abortion was illegal ... You have no idea what it's like," Madigan said.

Virginia Blankenship, OU assoamong the thousands who attended at last April's March for Women's see more young people getting in- where the decisions are made."

"Those of us who have lived through these changes (in regulation) are disheartened that young people don't understand what the situation was before Roe v. Wade," Blankenship said. "It seemed that students weren't concerned and they just were uninterested in political issues. So it's very encouraging to

Fund for the Feminist Majority and former NOW president, heads a nationwide campaign to motivate women to take on leadership roles, beginning in college.

and go right on to politics," urged compared to 85 percent of senior Smeal. "Set your sights on being citizens, many policies don't reflect

She pointed out that only 17 per-Eleanor Smeal, president of the cent of the state legislators are

Smeal suggested that young women also contribute by organizing voter registrations. Since only 20 "Run for leadership on campus percent of college-aged citizens vote

Mary Travers of the folk group Peter, Paul and Mary is a long-time champion of the pro-choice cause and says young people need to organize to make a difference.

College students "have to understand that they have to organize," Travers said. "(Abortion) is probably one of the most important issues for young women today. This issue must be addressed by them."

Peter Yarrow, Travers' partner in song since the '60s, says joining established groups is one good way to help fight what he calls "The Battle."

"Run for leadership on campus and go right into policitcs."

- Eleanor Smeal Former NOW president

"WE KNOW after all these years, when young people gather with the voices that have established themselves as representatives of grass roots, they invigorate a movement in such a way that it is ... purely ... a threat to the people who would abrogate our rights," Yarrow said.

"Participation is essential if we are to win this battle. (Students) have to speak up. You have to come to the marches in Washington. You have to write letters to editors. You have to reveal your commitment," he said.

Blankenship noted that commitment to pro-choice has become more localized in the wake of the Webster

"I think everyone (at the rally) was aware that this was just the start of a real battle. Maybe it was celebration of a small victory, then kind of getting girded up for the coming

Bearing Turkey Day traditions

We all know the story of the first Thanksgiving where the Pilgrims and the Indians got together for turkey and venison. But what would have happened if the Indians had shot a couple of bears in-

Imagine trying to fit a grizzly into your shopping cart. Could you still go through the express lane? Would they put it in paper

bags or plastic, or would the bag boys just strap it to the roof of your Volvo?

Luckily, when our forefathers went out hunting they managed to

bag an animal that is a little more user-friendly to the average shopper/shopping cart. But what would we do if a rare virus, like the little known Tatertot Turkey Trot virus, suddenly wiped out the traditional repast? I'll tell you what we'd do. We're Americans. We would inno-

PRESIDENT BUSH, the biggest living turkey, would declare a national dish-saster and the search would be on for a new bird. Republicans would probably endorse the quail and that would certainly present a real challenge to fathers everywhere. How would you carve a quail with those huge knives that suddenly appear every Novem-

I know in our house, at least, that's when the knife appeared. My father, the only one brave enough and strong enough to handle it, would get it down from the cupboard over the refrigerator and sharpen it, honing the blade until it was weapon enough to carve the

Then, like a scene from Norman Rockwell's America, my father stands at the head of the table wielding a meat fork in one hand and the carving knife in the other.

IN THE tradition of his forefathers, he stalks the bird. He turns the platter this way and that, planning his attack. The fowl prey is no match for the man. He strikes,

> deftly slicing through the meat. He carves again and again, slice after slice, until the kill becomes little more than a plateful of dark and

light meat to fight over.

Michelle

Oliver

AND WHAT is the solution to the big Turkey Day problem of eating the mashed potatoes before they get cold? Put sweaters on them. Why not, you put bun warmers on your rolls, don't you?

But fathers aren't the only ones steeped in tradition. The womenfolk have the sacred tradition of foraging for fruits and grains at the local market. I don't know about your mom, but I know my mom gives thanks that the only thing she has to do to yams is click them onto the electric can opener and throw in a handful of marshmallows.

AND THEN for the big finish, there's pumpkin pie. Aren't we all thankful that the pilgrims picked a vegetable that makes a palatable pie? Imagine if they had chosen green beans. Your mom would have to make you finish your desert. And besides, who ever heard of green beans ala mode?

Magician's tricks are treats from his past

By LINDA NOWICKE Special Writer

What kind of a guy would stand in front of an audience and swallow a handful of needles or put a bird's head in his mouth? You're probably thinking of a rock star. Not this time.

This guy wasn't doing it for shock value, he was doing it for laughs. And that's exactly what he got when he performed Thursday night at the

Comedian Bob Garner, 29, has been entertaining audiences with his brand of comedy and magic since he was 8 years old. He said it has taken him many years of experimentation to perfect a formula of good, clean comedy without resorting to oneliners or gag tricks.

It's a formula his audience seems to enjoy.

From the start of the show, Garner kept a playful banter going with members of the audience of 100 as they became the subject of some of his humor and participated in many plauded when the subject sprung of his magic tricks.

Garner recruited a Biology freshman from the audience for one of his illusions. A hush fell over the audience as he proceeded to pass a power saw through her abdomen. Breathing resumed and the audience ap-



The Oakland Post / Erin Burke

Magician and entertainer Bob Garner impresses his Mainstage audience Nov. 16 in the Oakland Center Crockery.

up unharmed from her reclined position on the table.

ner said as he cut open an orange siders Berle a personal friend. and produced a lost fragment of a pieces by a member of the audience. 250 one-night performances around

Garner's interest in magic began as a child when he learned to juggle. debut on cable TV when he appears He credits Milton Berle for being a on ShowTime's "Short Takes" with "I'm intriqued by illusion," Garinspiration for his comedy and conhis sidekick, Donte.

playing card that had been torn into sionally at 23 and currently performs back home to Cleveland, Ohio, very

ule includes 180 colleges and uni-"You name it and I've been there,

the country each year. That sched-

from Penn State to UCLA," he said.

Donte, a 2-year-old parakeet, usually performs with Garner during college performances. For safety's sake, Garner leaves his companion behind when he performs elsewhere.

Garner's fondness for the bird he has trained since it was 3 weeks old was obvious as he stroked its emerald green feathers. The parakeet kisses "daddy" on command and also does cat calls and a variety of other words and sounds.

"The older they are the smarter they get," Garner told the audience.

Garner leaves Donte at home when he performs in places like Atlantic City where he has opened for comedians like Phyllis Diller and Steve Allen. He is looking forward to his appearance on The Song of Norway cruise ship this winter.

Next year, Garner will make his

With his busy schedule, Garner, Garner began performing profes- who is currently single, doesn't get See MAGIC page 8

Chorale charms audience with diverse music

By JENNIFER LAMBE Special Writer

The band played, the choir sang and the conductor waved his baton Nov. 16 as the Oakland Chorale presented contemporary music

mixed with pieces from bygone eras. The 24-member chorale performed works from the Renaissance the 20th century in its program

for the concert, held in Varner Hall.

Worksby Benjamin Britten, Henry Purcell and Francis Poulenc were presented, along with lighter works such as The Countrie Cries and My True Love Hath My Heart.

The corale roused the audience and Baroque periods as well as from with "Auction Cries," which featured auction-style singing. Some "Music Then and Now." The Colle-barbershop quartet-style singing by

Baroque Orchestra shared the stage donning red, white and blue hats, charmed the audience.

> Lyle Nordstrom, chorale director, said that the group has been performing in one form or another since the founding of the university in 1957. He also mentioned that the group performs only in Michigan.

Regarding the type of music per-"half and half-half old music and a good workout.

gium Musicum and the Oakland four female members of the chorale, half 20th century." The background music is also diversified, with some pieces being performed to orchestra or band music while others are performed acapella, Nordstrom said.

> The chorale puts on one concert each semester, Nordstrom said.

"Our next one is in March," he said. Until then, you can be sure that the members of the Oakland Choformed, Nordstrom said that it is rale will be giving their vocal chords

Along the abortion front

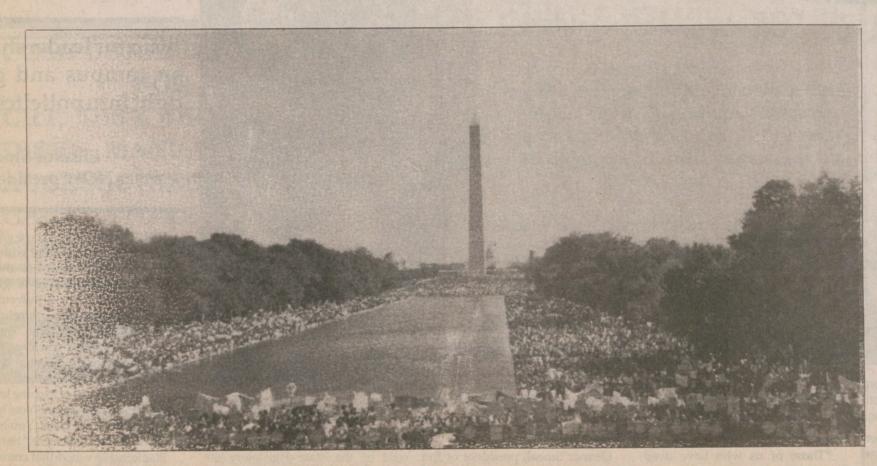


Pro-choice (left) and antiabortion (right) forces clash in conflict of beliefs on the streets near the rally area. Confrontations were kept at a minimum by police in riot gear.

Anti-abortion supporters, who were kept behind a roped-off area, chanted, "Pro-choice is a lie; baby's never choose to die."

Pro-choicers yelled back, "Don't force your religious beliefs on other people."





An estimated 300,000 people -- men, women and children -- gathered at the Reflecting Pool between the Washington Monument and the Licoln Memorial to show their support for the pro-choice movement.

Molly Yard, president of the National Organization for Women, said Nov. 12's rally, just one of many nationwide, was the best turnout ever for the social movement which seeks to secure the right of the individual to choose abortion.

> Photos by L. Villarosa Bolton and Carol Zito



The Unknown Women's Memorial was temporarily erected in the shadow of the Washington Monument to honor and call attention to the millions of women who died from illegal abortions.

The silouetted poster of "Cathy" was placed in front of the memorial, along with other portraits.

A woman in the audience fights back her tears during the song This Land is Your Land, which the audience joined in sing-

Emotions were running high as many entertainers took the stage to sing songs of inspiration and patriotism between politicians' speeches.

-Greek Life-

Part three of the Greek Life series is postponed until next week due to the photostory "Along the Abortion Front."



Rally

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work that has to be done state by state," she said. "The big rallies in Washington probably won't happen as often from now on. There will be rallies in Lansing, in Indianapolis, and places where the action really

Blankenship was encouraged about the introduction of a federal

bill co-sponsored by Sen. Robert Packwood, R-Ore. and Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif., which would prohibit states from restricting abortion in most cases.

"IF INDEED it can be taken back to the federal level, that's where it belongs. The (Webster) decision that put it onto the states was really unfortunate. Now it's 50 battles instead of one battle."

She added that while Michigan is

fortunate to have a pro-choice gov- much "young bashing" from critics ernor in office now, women of all who say younger people don't parages need to support more pro-ticipate. choice policy makers.

president of NOW, is encouraged by the number of young faces she sees in the crowds. She estimated that enough. I think it's easy to turn delegations from several colleges, trekked to the Capital last week.

"It was an inspiring turnout," Hansen said.

Hansen, 29, said she's heard too she said.

"That's rubbish. In '86 there were Madeline Hansen, Michigan state tons of young people involved (in rallies and marches). The problem is that, for all ages, people don't vote 1,000 Michigan residents, including around and point the finger of blame. We've never known the (illegal abortion) horror stories that older women tell ... But I know I don't want to have those stories to tell,"

Magic

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often. He credits his agent, who is also his ex-wife, for getting all of his bookings.

"She does a great job," he said.

Garner's performance at OU was a Main Stage event sponsored by the Student Program Board.

The board discovered Garner through talking to his agent at the National Association of Campus Activities last Febuary in Nashville,

"We were specifically looking for

a magician to round out the semes- round of applause. He then began to ter's offerings," said Promotions put his needles, hoops and other Chairman Tom Voytas. Voytas said that the chairperson's of SPB voted to host Garner and Donte.

After a one-hour performance, questions and sign autographs. filled with laughs and illusions, participation and received a hearty I'd do. This is what I love to do."

paraphenalia of his trade away.

As he packed up, Garner paused to perform with the bird, answer

As far as other career choices go, Garner thanked the audience for its Garner said, "I don't know what else

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Sports

Huskies hurt Pioneers' playoff chances



The Oakland Post/ Marc Moraniec

Bundled up Senior Missey Ward boards one of OU's athletic vans Thursday for the volleyball team's trip to the U.P. this weekend.

By MARC MORANIEC and ANDY SNEDDON Staff Writers

The volleyball team let a 12-7 lead in the fifth game slip away Saturday against Michigan Tech University and lost the match which all but ended any hopes for a post-season tournament bid.

"I don't think a bid is very likely now," Coach Bob Hurdle said.

THE SPIKERS are 26-7 overall. Last year they were 25-7 and won the conference and didn't get a bid. "We thought we were in last year."

Hurdle gives the credit to the Huskies. "We just ran into a real good team at the wrong time." Hurdle said before the trip an

effort like the Huskies gave is what would have been needed to beat his

"If we get beat someone will have to play out of their mind."

OU won the first and third games 15-5 and 15-13, MTU took game two 15-13, game four 15-11 and game

MTU WAS led by Diane Devine who had 20 kills in 54 attempts and Lori Piorkowski who registered 24 kills in 56 attempts.

The loss also cost the Pioneers a share of the GLIAC championship as they dropped to 13-3 in the conference. Ferris State University, at 14-2, backs in to the title with OU's loss. The teams had been tied going into the weekend.

"Everybody's devastated," Hurdle said. "They played very well and played their hearts out."

MTU finished third in the conference at 12-4, 18-10 overall.

HURDLE SAID he isn't pleased by the fact each year that some teams with worse records than OU get in the tournament.

"Yes, I'm getting a little tired of

Whether the Pioneers get a bid (which are announced today) or not, Hurdle can't remember a better group he's had.

"I think it's the best team we've weather and conditions of the roads ever had."

"Whether or not we get in, our kids have had a hell of a year," suffered a blow to their tournament

ON FRIDAY, the spikers waxed 15, 15-10 and 9-15. the Wildcats of Northern Michigan

for OU with six kills in ten attempts 15, 15-7 and 15-3. against NMU and fired 12 aces versus MTU.

easiest of drives to the U.P. on starts in two weeks. Thursday.

in Gaylord because of inclement the Great Lakes Region and OU was weather. The spikers spent the night ranked second. in Gaylord and reached Marquette by Friday afternoon.

changedtheir plans from returning country. to campus immediately to waiting until Sunday to leave because of the one representative.

and highways.

Last weekend, the Pioneers chances by losing to Gannon University in four games, 10-15, 9-

OU did bounce back last Sunday in three games, 15-4, 15-6 and 15-10. to beat Northern Kentucky Senior Missey Ward led the way University in four games, 15-2, 10-

TUESDAY, THE spikers finish "We played very, very well. I was the regular season with a match pleased after (the) two-day drive," against Grand Valley State University. If OU does receive a bid, The Pioneers didn't have the first round of tournament play

If the spikers don't get a bid, the Bulldogs probably will. Going into THE OU caravan was sidelined this week, FSU was ranked first in

Twenty teams qualify for the tournament and there are eight After the MTU match the Pioneers regions spaced throughout the

Each region must have atleast

Pioneers suffer setback, gain split

BYDAVEHOGG Staff Writer

The men's basketball team started the 1989-90 campaign with a 1-1, third place finish at the Northern Kentucky Tournament.

The Pioneers were dumped by eventual tournament champs Taylor University 63-54 on Friday, but rebounded with a 69-49 rout of DePauw University Saturday.

OU LED the entire game against DU, taking a 41-24 lead by halftime,

and holding on for the 20-point win. Shooting was the key to the game, as Oakland shot .519 (27-52) from the floor, and held the Tigers to .300

Eric Taylor, who was named to a one-game NCAA suspension. he All-Tournament team, led the Pioneers with 18 points. Brian Gregory added 13 points, and Stacy Davis scored 10 points.

Davis was named the tournament's Outstanding Defensive Player.

DePauw's leading scorers were Brett Crist and Tony Greenlee who

had 11 points each. Dave Hintz led OU with eight rebounds, while Dave Ferrell had six for DU.

Overall, the Pioneers outrebounded the Tigers 44-24.

ON FRIDAY, the Pioneers were done in by a lack of offense. OU turned the ball over 20 times in 61 possessions, despite the lack of a TU

"Taylor didn't have a guy in their starting lineup that would be in our top eight," OU Coach Greg Kampe

"They didn't shut down our offense, we shut it down ourselves."

The Pioneers were hampered by TU's slow play, and were unable to pick up the pace because of the absence of Wallace Davis, sitting out

"Not having Wallace hurt because we couldn't pick up the tempo," Kampe said.

DAVIS IS OU's third guard. Without him, Taylor and Gregory were forced to play 38 minutes each.

and nine rebounds. Taylor added 15, and Andre Bond 11.

HOWEVER, THE Pioneers were hurt by a lack of production inside. Davis had 16, but Hintz, Joel Jensen

and Skip Townsend combined for just three points and five rebounds in 36 minutes of playing time.

Dale Miller, the tournament MVP, led the Trojans with 21 points, while Peter Newhouse pulled down seven

Kampe, although disappointed with the loss, didn't see it as ruining

"We're not going to win all 28 games. We have to work out the kinks, but we have the time to do that before the league season. We just played scared.'

GREGORY STRUGGLED, scoring just seven points. His two assists were the lowest total in his three years at OU.

The Pioneers finish off their three-Stacy Davis led OU with 16 points game road trip with a Monday visit to Manchester College located in

> OU opens its home season with a Wednesday game against California's Christian Heritage

MONDAY NIGHT PICKS

Last Monday, the Oilers beat the Bengals 26-24. Of the writers picking the winner, staff writer DAVE HOGG was the closest to the actual score. Week 10 is on tap for tonight.

DAVEWILL try again tonight to predict the winner and exact spread as the Denver Broncos visit Washington for a game with the Redskins.

THE POSTWRITERS will also give it the college try as we present another edition of "The

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Tankers swim well, still get spanked by Wolverines

By GINA DeBRINCAT Staff Writer

In a meet that provided some stiff competition the men's swim team was defeated by the University of Michigan, 99-34, Wednesday in Ann

Junior Hilton Woods was OU's only first place finisher, winning the 50 freestyle with a time of 21:23. Woods also posted a Division II qualifying time of 53:55 in the 100

OU'S ONLY other stand-out was Junior Richie Orr who scored a Division II qualifying time of 53:55 in the 100 backstroke.

Despite the overwhelming loss, Hovland was not at all disappointed in his team's performance against the Woverines, the third ranked team in the country.

"The outcome was obvious. There's more to it than the bottom line. We swam exceptionally well,"

HOVLAND SAID he did not expect his team to win, but wanted the tankers to experience the challenge of competing against one of the best teams in the country.

"Michigan provides the type of

competition we won't see all year." U. of M. had three swimmers that came in first in two events.

BRENT LANG won the 100 butterfly and 500 freestyle with times of 51:33 and 4:37.58 respectively. Mike Barrowman's time of 57:05 was good enough for first in the 100 breaststroke and he took the 200 breaststroke with a time of 2.05:27.

Brian Gunn won the 200 freestyle at 1:48.58 and the 200 butterfly at

The tanker's next action is Dec.1-2 at the Eastern Michigan Invitational.

Women victorious

The women's swim team beat Grand Valley State University Wednesday 163 1/2 to 125 1/2.

OU winners included Nikki Kelsey at the 1-meter and 3-meter diving events. Jennie Cameron in the 1000 freestyle and 200 butterfly. Deanna Fridley in the 200 butterfly and 500 freestyle.

Katie III in the 100 butterfly and the 100 backstroke. Cindi Parker in the 100 and 200 breaststroke and 200 freestyle.

The Pioneers record stands at 2-

compiled by CHRIS TOTH

GLIAC women's basketball preview

By DAVE HOGG and ANDY SNEDDON Staff Writer

The women's basketball team opened its season with two wins last weekend. The Pioneers will begin defense of their Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championship on Dec. 9 when they host Hillsdale College.

The following is The Oakland Post's league preview. Teams are listed in predicted order of finish along with last year's overall and league records and GLIAC finsh.

1. Oakland University (last year

26-4, 16-0 first) Coach: Bob Taylor (71-15, three

Strength: Experience (seven of top eight players return). Scoring, defense and depth (can go ten deep). Weakness: Rebounding Key Player: Center Debbie Delie

Comment: The Pioneers have a ton of offensive weapons, are great on defense. Send the league championship trophy and the postseason tournament bid to Rochester. Post Prediction: 16-0, first

2. Northern Michigan University (24-4, 14-2 second)

Coach: Mike Geary (24-4, one year) Strength: Fundamentally sound Weakness: Guard depth

Key Player: Center Lisa Jamula Comment: The only team with a legitimate shot at dethroning OU, but it would take more than the Lady Wildcats have. Post Prediction: 14-2, second

3. Saginaw Valley State University (18-13, 9-7 tied for third) Coach: Claudette Charney (101-21

Strength: 12 letterwinners and five starters return Weakness: No consistent scorer.

Nobody to count on game after game. Key Player: Forward Lisa Horne Comment: Like the SVSU men, most of the team returns. Unlike the men, this team has two clear-cut powers to contend with for the league crown. New assistant coach is former OU cager Kim Klein-Green.

Post Prediction: 11-5, third

4. Grand Valley State University (17-10, 9-7 tied for third) Coach: Interim Carol VandeBunte (first year). Coach Pat Baker taking a year off after giving birth last

Strength: Size, five players 5-10 or over, none smaller than 5-8 Weakness: Have lost all their

perimeter players in the last two Key Player: Forward Karrie Williams

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The Oakland Post/ Erin Burke

Senior guard Ann Serra moves the ball up the court during Friday Night's game against Tri-State University which the Pioneers won, 81-64. Saturday, the women hoopsters defeated Calvin College 76-59 to complete a 2-0 weekend at the Pioneer Tip-Off Classic. OU is the defending GLIAC champions after last year's 16-0 conference record.

Defending champions start with two wins

By DAVE HOGG and ANDY SNEDDON Staff Writers

The women's basketball team playoffs with two wins in the OU lead the Pioneers. Tip-Off Classic.

and knocked off Calvin College 76-59 on Saturday. OU trailed CC 9-7 after eight

minutes of the opener, but back-toback three-pointers by Janice Kosman and Shawne Brow gave the Pioneers a 13-9 lead they never relinquished.

A underhanded layup in traffic by Kosman gave OU their biggest lead of the half at 34-19 with two minutes left, and the Pioneers led 37-26 at the half.

OU Coach Bob Taylor was happy to get the victory, but was less pleased with his team's performance.

"Idon't think we played very well. can't turn it on and off like a faucet," Taylor said.

OU'sopponents have extraincentive floor," Taylor said.

because of our visibility. I told the scoring.

players that we didn't want to be Calvin's highlight film."

Debbie Delie led OU with 19 points, Kosman added 12 and Jennifer Golen scored 10. Jesse started its trek back to the NCAA Powell pulled down 11 rebounds to

Three OU players received The Pioneers defeated Tri-State awards after the game. Golen was University 81-67 in Friday's opener, named the MVP, and Delie and Powell were named to the All-Classic team. They were joined by TSU's Jill Reed, Katy Glatz from Aquinas College and CC's Overway.

> tournament, her first two collegiate "(The transition from high school) has been hard, but the team has been

> rebounds and seven assists in the

GOLEN HAD 26 points, eight

very supportive," Golen said. Golen, in her first game as a Pioneer, had 16 points. Brow had 15,

Delie, 14 and Powell, 10. Nicole Leighand Stacy Lamphere, a pair of freshmen in their first The intensity wasn't there, and you collegiate game, had two and eight points, respectively.

"Nicole showed she could score Taylor also acknowledged that on the post and could run on the

Kosman had nine and Amy "Everyone wants to beat us Atkinson seven to round out the

Diary of a long weekend

Editor's note: This is the first in a series of bi-monthly columns by different people associated with OU's Athletic Department This week's guest columnist is Sports Information Director Andy Glantzman.

I do all the brochures and stats for our teams and when you see something in the newspaper on our teams, I'm usually responsible. I'm the person you see walking into the gym to sit at the typewriter for basketball games after the introduction and just before tip-off. It's a the gym during the intros.

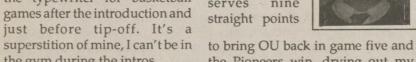
Let me take you through a weekend that won't be forgotten.

Friday, Nov. 10-It's the biggest volleyball match of the year. I know that because Coach Bob Hurdle shows up with out his beard to get his team relaxed and ready. The big crowd isn't dissapointed, as OU smokes Ferris State in three games to gain a share of the GLIAC lead. I know the match is won when Holly Hatcher stuffs FSU's Karen Volkersone-on-one and staresher down. Holly is a cool customer, the court.

Saturday, Nov. 11- After a 14-

on Saturday at 10 a.m. for 12 more hours which include three volleyball match, a co-ed swimming meet and a men's basketball exhibition. I'm drained after Friday's emotional match and so the players must be even more. It shows against Grand

Valley. The hard work against Ferris could be undone, but cool Hatcher serves nine straight points



the Pioneers win, drying out my sweaty palms.

The emotional drain proved to be too much against Gannon and OU fell in four. I'm hoping this isn't a sign of things to come in soccer tommorow.

Sunday, Nov. 12-4:33 a.m. is what my alarm clock read when I woke up to catch my 7a.m. flight to Erie, Pennsylvania for the first round of the NCAA soccer tournament. Some people don't feel soccer is an exciting game, but I think it's as tensionpacked as any at playoff time. One goal could be a disaster in the she never changes expression on tournament and no game is a tense as OU-Gannon.

Gannonis to OU in soccer as Ferris hour day on Friday, I'm back at it is to OU in men's basketball. There is

a passion for victory in these games higher than others.

OU's playoff win at Gannon on the way to the finals in 1986 rates as one of the best, similar to the men's basketball win at FSU, 54-53, two years ago. David slew

both times. Unfortunately, Andy the boys Glantzman weren't equal to the

Goliath

task today.

After the best half of the year, OU gave in to the Gannon pressure, allowing a goal with 20 minutes left and another seven minutes into overtime to lose,2-1.

One of the worst things about this job is saying goodbye to seniors. Five great seniors played their last games today and I'm sad to see them go. Many of the teams have large senior classes, including the four I travel with the most, both basketball teams, soccer and baseball. I have become close with many of these seniors and the goodbyes will be very

By the way, the flight home was in a twin-engine propeller plane. My sweaty palms are back.

Soccer season ends in loss

By DAVE HOGG Staff Writer

Although the soccer team ended its season with a 2-1 loss to Gannon University in the first round of the NCAA playoffs, Coach Gary Parsons wasn't disappointed.

"Making the playoffs is our No. 1 goal every year. That's what separates a disappointing season from one that isn't," Parsons said.

THE PIONEERS finished the season with a record of 12-6-2, the worst in Parsons' nine seasons as coach. OU suffered two losses to state schools (Western Michigan University and Eastern Michigan University), for the first time during Parsons' tenure.

OU, who finished with a 5-3-1 record against Division II opponents, was led in scoring by seniors Alan Stewart (10 goals, 8 assists) and Earl Parris (8 goals, 12 assists) who each had 28 points.

The Pioneers will be hard-hit by graduation after this season. Besides Stewart, Parris, Simon Mayo and Ralph Torre, the Pioneers will lose playmaker Erik Enyedy.

"We're going to have to regroup, and bring in some new players. This year's team was mostly seniors and freshman, next year will be freshman and sophomores," Parsons said.

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Comment: With great size, the Lakers will be tough inside, but not tough enough to compensate for lack of speed and outside shooting. Post Prediction: 9-7, fourth

5. Michigan Technological University (16-11, 9-7 tied for third) Coach: Kevin Borseth (26-28, two

Strength: Return six of top seven

Weakness: Ball handling and lack of inside player

Key Player: Forward Laurie Kiessel Comment: Scrappy team with less talent than some. Borseth has brought the program a long way in Comment: Coaching change could two years but will have trouble signal turnaround. Underdog role replacing two-time all-leaguer may work to FSU's advantage. D'Andra Poyfair-Walter. Post Prediction: 7-9, fifth

6. Lake Superior State University (14-13, 6-10 sixth)

Coach: Fred Proctor (14-13 one year) Strength: quickness

Weakness: extremely young lineup. Key Player: Center Amy Bergers Comment: The Lakers will start a lineup composed of all freshmen and sophomores.

7. Wayne State University (8-20,

Post Prediction: 6-10, sixth

5-11 seventh) Coach: Gary Bryce (49-90 five years)

Strength: Largest student body in league to choose a team from Weakness: Coaching, no change in the program in six years

Key Player: Forward Trena Sanders Comment: Sanders transfers from Saginaw Valley and could make the Tartars hard to handle

8. Ferris State University (8-20, 1-

Post Prediction: 4-12, seventh

15 ninth) Coach: Lori Hyman (first year) Strength: Solid coaching, lots of

Weakness: Quickness and perimeter shooting. No seniors.

Key Player: Forward/Center Dani

Post prediction: 3-13, eighth

9. Hillsdale College (7-20, 3-13

eighth) Coach: Phyllis Cupp (53-136 eight

Strength: New building

Weakness: No players to put in the new building

Key Player: Center Sandy Skaisgir Comment: Skaisgir would be all-

league on a better team. Instead, she's the best player in the worst program in the GLIAC.

Post Prediction: 2-14, ninth

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