

# THE ALL STATE

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## Hit-and-run still unsolved

By DIANE GRAY  
assistant features

Austin Peay's campus police are searching for the vehicle involved in a hit-and-run incident in the general parking area between Trahern and the Music/Mass Communication buildings on Wednesday, Oct. 9, between noon and 2:45 p.m.

Damage to the black 1986 Mustang belonging to Sherry Koontz, secretary in the Center for the Creative Arts, was first discovered by Security Officer II Jon Hahn of campus police while on routine patrol.

After returning from lunch, Koontz parked the car in its usual space at the end of the walk between the Music/Mass Communication Building and Kimbrough.

This particular space, the first of the handicapped spaces in the lot, is reserved for Koontz who is permanently disabled.

Clues helpful to campus security in their search for the vehicle which struck Koontz' car are an abundance of bright yellow paint down the driver's side and a tire rim left at the scene. Extensive damage from the rear taillight to the door make the car impossible to drive.

Koontz says of whomever hit her car, "Because of their carelessness and total irresponsibility, they have paralyzed me for at least a week. They took my legs away."

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## LSD--popular drug of the '60s quietly returns in the '90s

This is the first in a three part series. In next week's All State, we will look at the history of LSD and at current law concerning sale of the controlled substance.

By DIANE GRAY  
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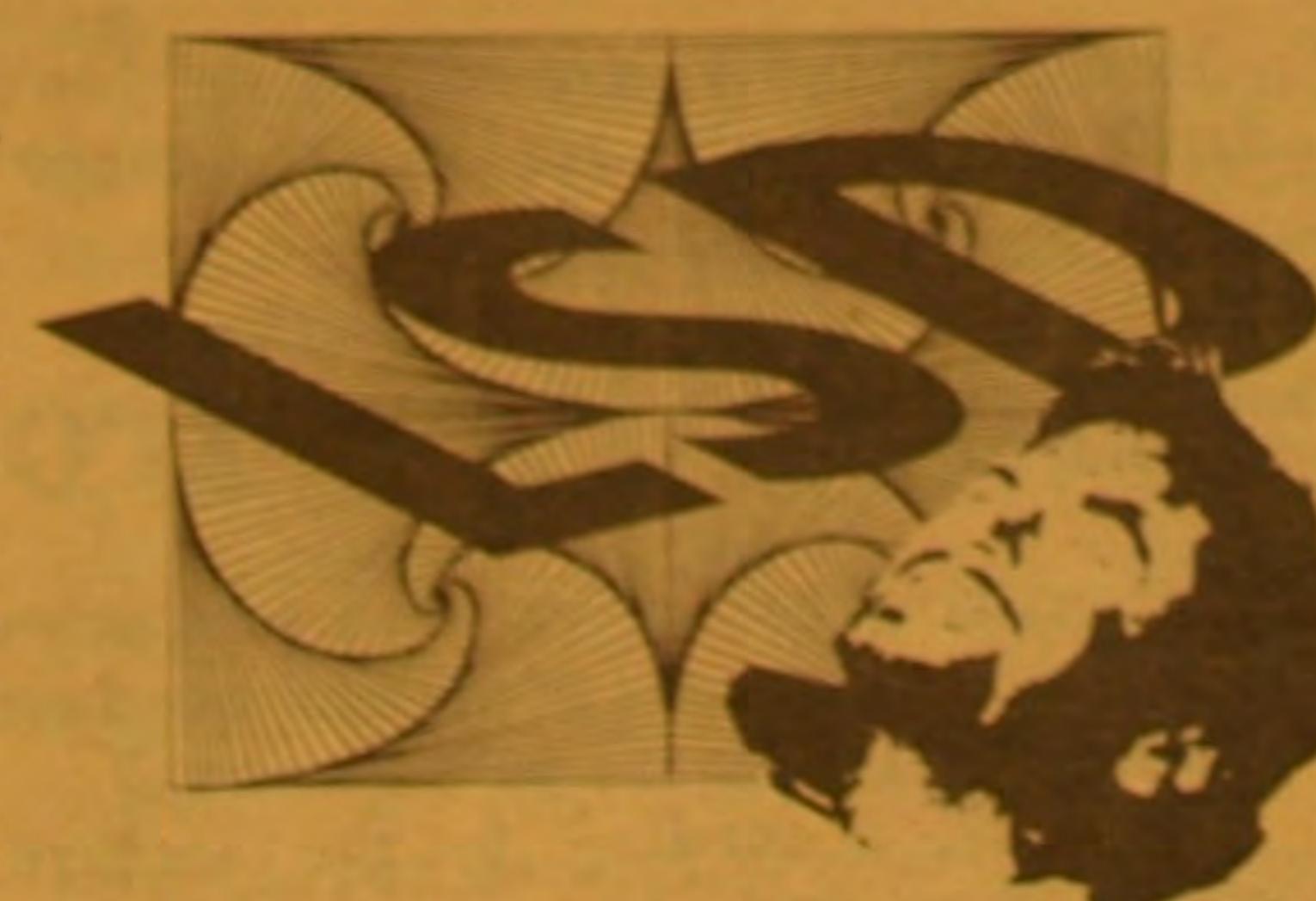
Tammy (not her real name) is tall, friendly and pretty. She's a college student, just two years out of high school, quite bright and on the dean's list. She's responsible, never been in trouble. Her boyfriend is a college student as well, both natives of a small town near Hopkinsville, Ky.

Tammy is also a recreational LSD user.

Her experimentation with drugs isn't shocking. In the '60s and '70s drug use was avant-garde. But LSD? Today?



**GO GOVERNORS, GOVERNORS, GO GOVERNORS**—Despite the ardent crowd support at Saturday's Homecoming game, the Governors still fell to their old nemesis—MTSU. Homecoming week brought out school spirit and a lot of work for janitors as students covered the campus with toilet paper and other messy decorations. The Red Team ended up winning. Tonya Maxwell, sponsored by Chi-Omega, was crowned Homecoming Queen. See page 11 for the Homecoming Queen feature and results from Homecoming competitions. (photo by Sherri Adcock)



ring to the return of LSD use to this area and, apparently, around the country.

She commented that those she knows

It was apparent Tammy didn't know much about LSD. What little most of us know is clouded by hearsay and sensationalism.

"It's very quiet," Tammy said, refer-

who sell this particular controlled substance are not the very young, but middle-aged people.

"It's hard for high school kids to get," she commented.

On the other hand, her boyfriend said, "At one time it was more accessible than pot in Hopkinsville."

Paul (also not his real name) is Tammy's age, nice looking, well-dressed, definitely not the stereotype of the '60s drug user. He's like many other college students, still living with parents because it's too expensive to live elsewhere, worried about having to take calculus.

Both young people believe the lysergic acid diethylamide available locally has "been handled a lot," suggesting its level of purity is not high. There is a

wide variance in the potency since virtually all illegal drugs are mixed with other ingredients. Tammy and Paul believe strychnine is often mixed with the LSD before it reaches them.

Neither report having experienced an hallucination while doing the drug.

"The acid trip you have now is looking up at the stars, and they really twinkle. I like to listen to sounds and especially to Black Sabbath," Paul explained.

However, Tammy related an experience a friend had under the influence of LSD recently. "He was driving down the road and the road just disappeared," she said.

According to these students, LSD, like the crack cocaine available today, is relatively inexpensive. While pot is

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# News

## Austin Peay begins Alcohol Awareness Week

By MISSY CARROLL  
news editor

National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week (NCAAW) began on Oct. 13 and continues through Oct. 18. This is the sixth year for NCAAW. It is sponsored nationally by the Inter-Association Task Force on Alcohol & Other Substance Abuse Issues.

**NCAAW** with the national week set by a committee that provides alcohol related information to college campuses throughout the nation.

"They (the national committee) are wanting students to be aware of their own behavior and be more responsible in their decision-making concerning the areas of alcohol," Diane Berty of Alcohol and Drug Prevention said.

The individual campuses plan and organize their own events and activities. Here at Austin Peay, the planning and organizing was done by students and peer educators. Leilani Reed helped coordinate some of this week's activities by representing the Housing staff. The Alcohol and Drug Prevention program here oversees the Alcohol Awareness Week.

The activities for this week on campus were designed to familiarize the students with good decision-making skills and to address the responsible behavior that is necessary when dealing with alcohol. The activities for the week are:

- A "Keg Party" that was held Sunday night at the Intramural Field. "Near beer" and pizza were served.

- A lecture by Jean Kilbourne, "Pushing of Alcohol via Advertising," was held in Clement Auditorium on Monday night. Kilbourne pointed out how alcohol is represented in advertising through glamourization and subliminal messages.

- "Cruise Abroad the Fun Ship" was held Tuesday morning in the UC Ballroom. This particular activity was focused toward the faculty. The faculty was invited to the program to find out how they could "save enough money to take that special person in your life on a



### Don't stretch it.

The official poster of the 1991 National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week was created by Robin Maeda, a student at the University of Hawaii-Honolulu. Maeda was the grand prize winner in the "Know When to Say When" national poster competition.

four-day cruise". The program presented how a DUI could cost someone as much as a cruise.

- A Banner Contest was also held on Tuesday.

- Tonight the Alcohol Bowl Competition will be held for the residence halls at 7 p.m. and for the Greeks and other organizations at 9 p.m. in the UC lobby.

- The Alcohol Bowl Playoffs will be held at 8 p.m. in the UC lobby. The winner of the Banner Contest will also be announced.

"Alcohol Awareness Week at APSU

initiates a year-round emphasis on alcohol education and recognition of the individual's ultimate responsibility for decisions regarding use or non-use of alcohol," Dr. Phil Weast, vice president for student affairs, said. "It is in the best interest of student, staff, faculty and administrators that such decision-making be responsible and well-informed. In addition, we want to encourage a partnership to prevent campus problems associated with alcohol misuse."

Berty stated, "We are not saying 'don't drink.'" She emphasized that the gener-

al purpose is to educate students on alcohol and to provide them with responsible decision making skills.

Student participation for this year's activities is one concern. This concern

**"We are not saying 'don't drink'."** -- Diane Berty

is warranted because Alcohol Awareness Week follows Homecoming Week. Unfortunately, the dates for the week were set to coincide with the national week.

## Alcohol abuse destroys despite the glitter from advertising

By ANGIE DAMRON  
guest writer

Ten percent of all the deaths in the United States are alcohol related. One out of three Americans says that alcohol has been the cause of family problems. Alcohol related problems cost our society over \$120 billion a year.

Monday, Oct. 14, Jean Kilbourne, Ed.D. lectured on "Under the Influence: The Pushing of Alcohol via Adver-

tising."

She showed how advertising falsely links alcohol with qualities such as happiness, wealth, maturity and sexual satisfaction.

Stephanie Deep, a senior information systems major, agreed with Kilbourne saying, "I think advertising of alcohol definitely promotes its usage because of the positive stereotypes the advertising associates with alcohol."

Sophomore Geoff Livingston said,

"Advertising has a vast and pervasive influence on the use of alcohol because it associates glamour with alcohol."

Alcohol, according to the lecture, diminishes and destroys despite its advertising glitz.

"Consider that half of all deaths in automobile accidents, half of all homicides, and a fourth of all suicides are related to alcohol abuse; that persons with a 'drinking problem' are seven

times more likely to be separated or divorced than those in the general population; that an alcoholic's life span is shortened (on average) by 10-12 years;

and that at least 10 million persons in this country abuse alcohol. No wonder some have labeled alcoholism the most devastating sociomedical problem faced by human society short of war and malnutrition." -- The Harvard Medical School Health Letter.

## Seniors need to take ACT-COMP

The Tennessee Board of Regents requires all graduating seniors to take the ACT-COMP Examination prior to receiving their degree in order to evaluate the effectiveness of the university's educational program.

Seniors who plan to graduate in December 1991 must take the COMP on November 4, 5, or 6, as a condition for graduation. Those seniors that do not take the COMP may have their degree held. The COMP will be given in Claxton 103.

Testing sessions are:

- Monday, November 4, 1-4:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, November 5, 8-11:30 a.m.
- Wednesday, November 6, 8-11:30 a.m.

Seniors will be notified by letter or they may come by Browning 203 to sign up for one of the sessions. If there are any questions, please call 648-6184.

## RHDs are chosen by housing staff

Staff in the Austin Peay State University Office of Housing and Residence Life recently selected seven new residence hall directors (RHDs).

Tammy Rae Byard, Shannon Salyer, Victor Vaughn, Shauna Foster, Donna Johnson, Donna Mitchell and Leilani Reed will serve as RHDs for the 1991-92 school year.

Each RHD is a student who is responsible for the general supervision of one of the residence halls or apartment complexes on campus.

Among other things, the RHDs manage the staff office and supplies, chair program committees, provide peer counseling, keep residents informed about residence life and university activities and monitor hall and living areas for cleanliness and safety.

Miss Byard, a 1987 Clarksville High School graduate, is the daughter of Shelby H. Byard, Clarksville. Currently, she is a senior public management major.

Salyer majors in biology. The APSU senior is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Vaughn, Dickson. Vaughn graduated from Dickson County High School in 1985.

Miss Foster graduated from Austin-East High School, Knoxville, in 1988 and is a senior business management major. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Foster Jr., Knoxville.

A senior English education major, Miss Johnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Ray Johnson of Adairville, Ky. She graduated from Logan County High School in 1988.

Miss Mitchell majors in nuclear medical technology and is the daughter of Judy Mitchell, Tennessee Ridge. The APSU senior graduated from Houston County High School in 1988.

Mrs. Reed, wife of Randy Reed, is a senior psychology major. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Talley, Savan-

nah, graduated from Hardin County High School in 1988.

To apply for the RHD positions, one must obtain a minimum 2.5 GPA, have two semesters of positively evaluated performance as an APSU resident assistant, complete a training course and get a recommendation by the selection committee.

## "Study in Britain" to hold open house

All students are invited to an Open House to learn more about the Study in Britain Program which Austin Peay will sponsor in London in July, 1992. The Open House will be held in Kimbrough lobby and auditorium on Thursday, Oct. 17, from 5:30 until 7 p.m. Six instructors, Glen Carter, Aleeta Christian, Floyd Christian, David Grimmett, Max Hochstetler, and Elnor McMahan, will be offering courses for credit. Students can talk with these instructors as well as students who went last summer. Darolyn Parks, director of Student Financial Aid, will discuss money sources. Hot tea and cookies will be served. Reservations by Wednesday, Oct. 16, are requested; call 648-7816.

## Psychology Club announces officers

The Psychology Club recently announced its officers and advisors for 1991-92. The new officers are: President-Diane Richman, Vice-President-Sherry Rager, Secretary-Donna Stricklin, and Treasurer-Tracy Stecker. The advisors for the year are Dr. Sam Fung and Dr. Forrest Talley. The Psychology Club is a campus organization open to any student with an interest in psychology.

## Science foundation awards grant

Officials at Austin Peay State University have received notification of a new grant from the National Science Foundation.

In the amount of \$31,775, the grant will be matched with University funds to support the project, titled "Improvement of Engineering Technology Robotics Laboratory," which is under the direction of Dr. Chin-Zue Chen, associate professor of engineering technology.

A multi-gripper and multi-tool exchange system for the existing GCA industrial robot, a high-speed Selective Compliance Articulated Robot Arm (SCARA), a bowl feeder and several end-of-arm toolings are to be purchased and incorporated into the current robotics curriculum in APSU's department of engineering technology.

Part of the National Science Foundation's Instrumentation and Laboratory Improvement Program, this award funds a period from July 1991 through December 1993.

## "Technology Week" begins Oct. 28

Computer Services will present "Technology Week" Oct. 28 through

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Nov. 1 at the University Center and various departments.

Some of the vendors presenting their latest technology are: WordPerfect, Digital, Zenith, IBM and the *The Leaf Chronicle*.

## Sigma Delta Pi receives honor

The Sigma Delta Pi chapter at Austin Peay State University has been recognized by the executive committee of that organization at its recent annual meeting in Houston, Texas.

The committee's meeting was held June 27-28. It awarded the APSU

chapter of Sigma Delta Pi the highest honor, that of Honor Chapter for 1990-91 academic year. The award is given each year to the chapter that is outstanding in promoting the Spanish culture.

There are currently about 40 members in the APSU chapter, and they try to add five or six new members per year. A diploma will be forthcoming soon in recognition of the chapter's achievement.

Anyone desiring more information on the organization may telephone Magrangs at 648-7891.



**APSU UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CLUB HONORS CLARKSVILLE WOMAN**  
Jeannie Randall, a finance committee member of Austin Peay State University's Women's Club, left, presents a \$500 academic scholarship to Clarksville native and APSU student, Sherri Leonard, with the help of president of the women's club, Nell Northington. Ms. Leonard is a senior majoring in business. She will receive the \$500 scholarship every semester that she remains a student. The scholarship was awarded on the basis of academic excellence and financial need.

## Library initiates borrower's policy

The Austin Peay State University Woodward Library staff recently announced the new Uniform Library Borrower's Agreement passed by the Tennessee Board of Regents (TBR).

The new policy allows APSU students, faculty and staff members to use materials and resources in all libraries of TBR governed colleges and universities.

Also, any student, faculty or staff member of another TBR governed school may use materials and resources at APSU's Woodward Library.

Members of the APSU community who wish to use another TBR school's library must obtain and sign a responsibility form at the Woodward Library.

There is no fee for the borrowing privileges. The borrowers are, however, responsible for all charges accrued during the lending period.

Schools governed by TBR whose libraries are open to APSU students and staff members include: East Tennessee State University, Johnson City; Memphis State University, Memphis; Middle Tennessee State Univers-

ity, Murfreesboro; and Tennessee State University, Nashville.

Also, Tennessee Technological University, Cookeville; Chattanooga State Technical Community College, Chattanooga; Cleveland State Community College, Cleveland; Columbia State Community College, Columbia; and Dyersburg State Community College, Dyersburg.

Other schools include: Jackson State Community College, Jackson; Motlow State Community College, Tullahoma; Nashville State Technical Institute, Nashville; and Northeast State Technical Community College, Blountville.

Also included are Pellissippi State Technical Community College, Knoxville; Roane State Community College, Harriman; and Shelby State Community College, Memphis.

In addition are State Technical Institute at Memphis, Memphis; Volunteer State Community College, Gallatin; and Walters State Community College, Morristown.

For more information, telephone the APSU Woodward Library at 648-4045.

# World News Roundup

By JEFF WISDOM  
assistant news editor

Another Western hostage held in Lebanon could be released soon, according to a respected Iranian newspaper. On Sunday, the *Tehran Times*, Iran's English-speaking newspaper, reported that the release could involve an American. However, the newspaper did not specify a release date. The newspaper did successfully predict the release of two hostages earlier this year. The hostages are currently being detained by the Shiite Muslim Party of God-Hezbollah—an organization backed by the Iranian government.

U.S. Secretary of State James Baker continues to work diligently toward a Mideast Peace Conference. Baker met with Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak in Cairo on Monday. Mubarak has been an avid supporter of the peace conference. Baker is also scheduled to travel this week to Jordan, Syria, and Israel. On Friday, Baker is slated to meet with Soviet Foreign Minister Boris Pankin in Jerusalem. Baker hopes to persuade Moscow to establish complete diplomatic ties with the Israeli government.

The only major obstacle remaining in the way of the peace conference is a holdout by the Palestinians. The Palestinian delegation has been divided over their own representation at the conference. They are expected to announce this week intentions to attend the peace conference jointly with the Jordanian delegation. Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir has firmly stated his

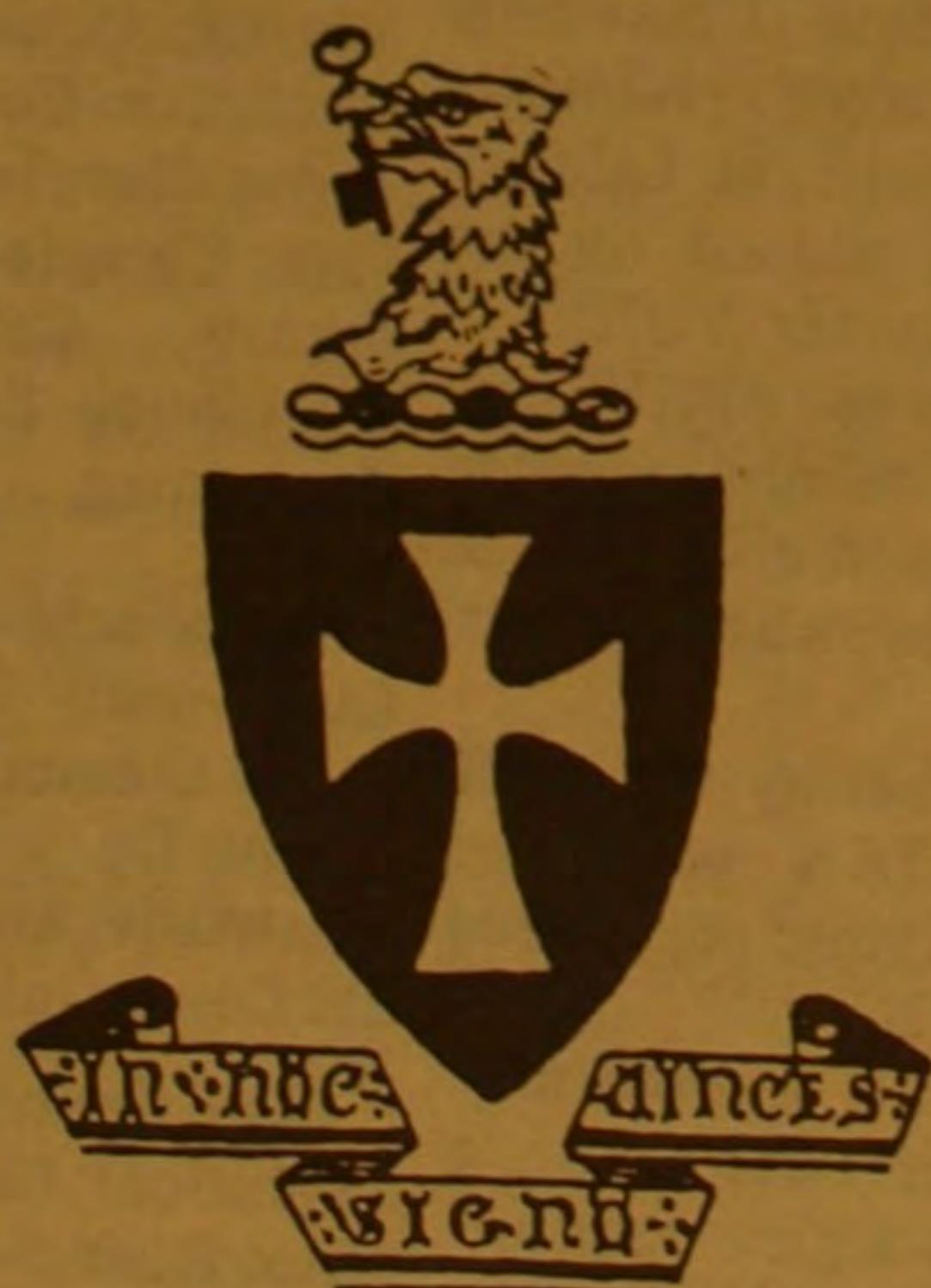
objections to the involvement of the Palestine Liberation Organization in the peace talks, but appears willing to accept the latest proposal for Palestinian participation.

Fourteen months after Saddam Hussein's invasion of Kuwait, economic sanctions remain intact against Iraq. During an address on Sunday, Hussein called for the United Nations to repeal the economic sanctions and for the Arab states to discontinue their trade embargo of Iraq. Despite his plea for an end to the sanctions, Hussein continues to defy the United Nations. Hussein claimed that Iraq could withstand 20 years of economic sanctions if necessary, as he spoke to a gathering of Arab supporters.

During a meeting in Bangkok, Thailand on Sunday, the seven largest industrialized nations developed a plan to transform the Soviet economic system into a market economy. Attending the conference were financial officials from the United States, France, Canada, Japan, Germany, Italy, and Great Britain. No specific financial details were discussed. The financial officials are reportedly planning to meet again in Moscow during the next two weeks. Last weekend's meeting was termed "historic" by officials because it was the first time the Soviet Union has welcomed Western help in restructuring its entire economic system.

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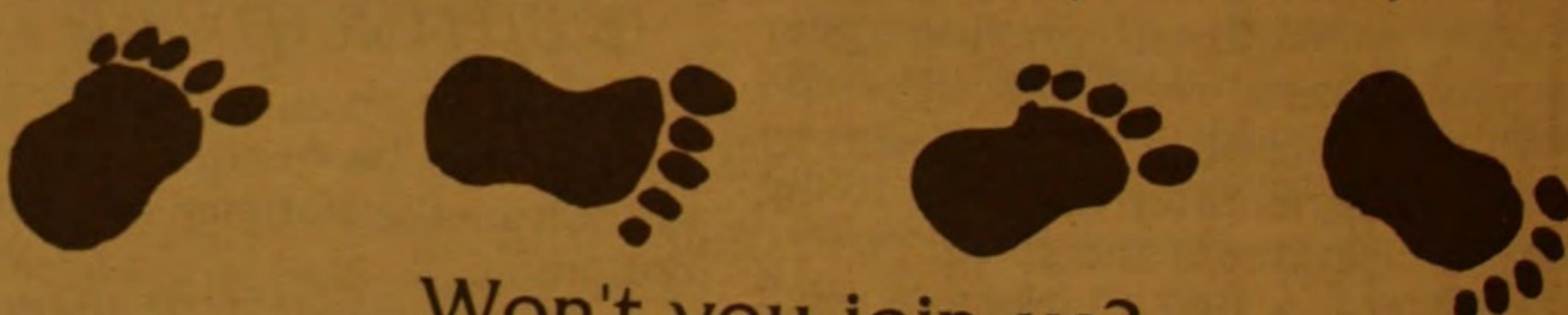
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# Towing of student's car leads to confrontation

By JEFF WISDOM  
& SHERRI ADCOCK

An Austin Peay State University student was arrested last Thursday for assault with a vehicle.

Sherrie Rivera, 825 Peachers Mill Road, faced charges of assault with a vehicle following an unusual incident last Thursday morning.

Rivera, a senior history major, allegedly rammed into cars and injured one person after her car was towed from University Terrace Apartments to the North Second Street Service Center. But Rivera denies the charges.

Rivera's car was parked illegally in the University Terrace parking lot across from the university. Her car had

been towed to the service center earlier that day. Rivera apparently walked four blocks to the service station to retrieve her car. When she was told by John Baldwin, a manager at the lot, that the towing fee was \$37.80, she reportedly became irate.

Patrick Hembree, an employee at that station, said Rivera walked over to her car, a 1986 Buick Century, and started the engine. As she attempted to drive her car off the lot, she plowed into one vehicle in front of her, then backed into another vehicle. After ramming both vehicles, Hembree said Rivera hit him with her car knocking him against a brick wall.

Hembree said Rivera then tried to

exit around the back of the building, but the station's wrecker was parked there, blocking her exit once again. He said Rivera then hit two more cars as she made her way back around to the front on the station.

"When I backed up, I went for the nearest space. He (Hembree) got in my way. He jumped in front of my car and tried to prevent me from moving. He fell on his own, I didn't push him over," Rivera said.

Hembree and Baldwin pushed a dumpster in her pathway and threw old tires and other debris to try to stop her. Hembree said she swerved to avoid

hitting the dumpster and then bumped him again with her vehicle, knocking him underneath her car. According to Hembree, Rivera then drove forward "two to three" feet, dragging him along underneath the vehicle. He stated that she then stopped her car, got out, and walked to the police station, where she turned herself in.

Rivera told the *The All State* she did not hit any cars or Hembree. She said she bumped the back of one car and tried to push it out of her way, but did not hit it or any other cars.

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## SGA discusses current issues

By LEIGH AVERITT  
guest writer

The Austin Peay Student Government Association has met several times this fall to discuss current issues on campus.

President Janice Miller said that a new program has been created in which the SGA senators are, "dividing into districts which are communicating with campus groups. It keeps us informed of activities on campus." The program is

geared toward better, more timely communication between the SGA and student organizations.

The SGA is also preparing to distribute cards which will list the merchants and vendors participating in the University Savings Card program this year. Approximately 30 businesses have agreed to honor the cards issued to APSU students toward savings and special discounts.

Twenty APSU students, including sev-

eral SGA senators, will attend the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature in Nashville this fall. The statewide meeting of student governments will agree on 10 bills to present to the Tennessee State Legislature for consideration. If passed, the bills will become state law.

Music, food and fun were provided for passing students on Thursday at the student celebration of the new Music/Mass Communication Building. The SGA provided partial funding for the event.

The APSU soccer club solicited and received funding for new soccer goals from the SGA this fall.

Students may attend the SGA meetings, which are held every Thursday evening at 7 p.m. in the Governor's Room in the University Center. Comments and questions from the floor are helpful and welcome, Miller said.

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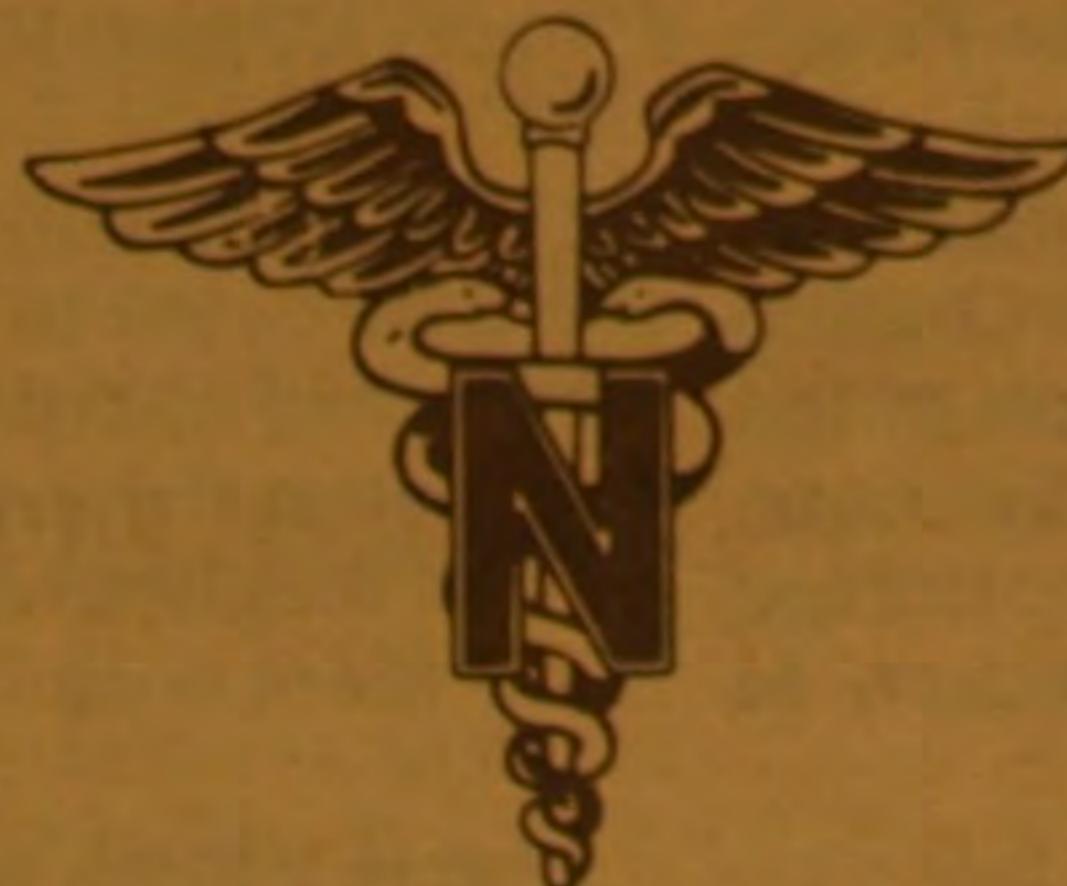
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# Opinion

## Editorial

# Hearings judging accusations not qualifications

The Senate confirmation hearings of Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas have been a fiasco. The Senate Judiciary Committee's hearings on the alleged sexual harassment of Anita Hill by Clarence Thomas have humiliated the nominee, his accuser, and the American people. Sordid tales of lewd suggestions, pornography, and sexual braggadocio have held the American television viewer hostage for days.

President Bush's nomination of Thomas to the U.S. Supreme Court has been filled with controversy since its beginning. Many people have assumed that Thomas is unqualified because he is young, conservative and black. They assume that the nomination is politically motivated and do not acknowledge the possibility that, even though Clarence Thomas meets all political criteria for a successful nomination, he might actually be qualified for the job.

Party politics have clouded the true issue at hand: the question of Clarence Thomas' ability to interpret the Constitution for the benefit of all Americans.

Throughout the entire confirmation process,



the Democrats and Republicans have slashed at each other's throats. If not for announcements of the media that this crucifixion was supposed to determine one man's qualifications to sit on

the highest court in the land, one might never know the purpose of these hearings.

The two dominant political parties have been playing a game of high-stakes chess, with Clarence Thomas as their pawn. Whether the allegations made against Thomas are true or false, the investigation of the charges has been grossly mishandled. Congress has turned an incredibly serious process into what Thomas has appropriately termed a "circus." Our judicial process has become the laughingstock of the world.

In today's hostile political climate, no one could emerge from an inquisition such as this with ego, reputation, or sanity intact. The spectacle of these hearings is similar to a fresh steak being thrown into a pool of ravenous piranhas. It is shameful that the cesspool of hypocrisy we call a Senate can judge one man who, except for one unproven allegation of harassment, has a completely spotless record. The same cannot be said of any of his inquisitors. It is certain that our confirmation process must be re-evaluated if we are to truly serve justice.

## Congress is out of balance

Our United States Congress has given the expression checks and balances, I mean checks and balances a whole new meaning.

When it comes to writing checks they seem to have no problem. When it comes to balancing their check books, they could use some elementary accounting lessons.



By  
Sherri Adcock  
editor-in-chief

To put this into perspective, I compare it to when I was a little girl. My mom used to give me old checkbooks to play with. I'd set the house up just like a department store. Then I'd go from counter to counter purchasing what I wished with my inexhaustable account. That's fun for little girls, but United States Congressman?

Is it really that they don't understand the mathematical magic formula: when you have \$10 in your checking account, you can't make a purchase of \$1,000? Or is it because they are so busy doing things like, hounding good men like Clarence Thomas, they've let the average man stuff slide right past them.

I guess we should give them a break. I mean how many things can someone be expected to do at one time? It's kind of like rubbing your tummy and tapping your head at the same time. Takes some thinking.

I guess I shouldn't lump all the poor House members into one big den of thieves category. The innocents in this aren't getting cut any slack. Look at Congresswoman Pat Schroeder. Poor little girl. Dad's already called her up

and accused her of the dastardly deed. I bet he would have grounded her if that checkbook hadn't have turned up in the black. But lucky for her, she's the epitome of the true 90s woman who can balance work, a family and alas her checkbook.

I suppose it all goes back to the old perks theory. Anytime anyone gets the extras so prevalent in politics, abuse is going to creep in somewhere along the line. The president and John Sununu are not the only ones who get their shoes shined and their beds made.

For House members' peace of mind, they've had their own little utopia created in their honor. After all, men who have to worry about mundane things like dry cleaning aren't going to be of the state of mind to pass good meaningful legislation.

Okay so they aren't setting a shining example for good, hard working Americans who may be tempted to do such things such as bouncing checks themselves but resist because of the law.

Of course what other moral lessons have our Congress taught us that enhance our love of America, basic moral goodness and ethical uprightness? Can't think of any right off hand.

Come to think of it House members may bounce checks, but men like Newt Gingrich, Don Sundquist and Richard Gephardt can't hold a candle to the moral malaise that plagues such Senate members as, oh, for instance the Keating Five, Ted Kennedy, (my personal favorite to pick on) and Joe Biden.

My advice: take our very own Tennessee Congressman Bart Gordon's que guys, and own up to it. He only bounced three checks. And it was innocent. He just forgot to right them down.

Ever heard of carbon checks, Bart?

## GAC needs to stay together

By SCOTT SPROUSE  
staff writer

Despite many obstacles, Austin Peay State University has a strong Greek system. As a member and officer of a social fraternity, I believe that a good deal of the growth for our Greek organizations can be found in the university's Greek Affairs Council.

The GAC has fostered relations between these many Greek-letter organizations and has worked for an image of the Greek system that goes beyond "Animal House" stereotypes or other misconceptions. It is important for all fraternities and sororities to be active in this organization. The future of Greek life on our campus, and all that it can offer our students, could rest with the GAC.

I have heard the ideas of some that do not feel the same way. Austin Peay's Greek system is similar to much of its campus; it is for the most part segregated. I believe that the Greek Affairs Council has become a victim of the segregation and that something should be done about it. Others also hold this belief but feel differently about what action to take.

I believe that the GAC should address these issues in the way in which it was designed. It should work as an open forum to discuss the problem and a tight network to solve it. I have heard that there are those who disagree with this point of view. They feel the GAC is not serving the interests of the traditionally black Greek-letter organizations. Because of this, some members of these groups want to abandon the GAC and form a council of their own. Nothing could be worse. To do so would not solve the problems, but add to them.

At one time, universities, as the whole nation, were separate council. They will be giving up the struggle for equality that they supposedly hold so dear.

When addressing the problems of the nation during the 1960s, civil rights leaders such as Martin Luther King, Jr. did not promote this separatist attitude. King did not end the Montgomery bus boycott by starting a separate busline for the city's black population.

Leaders in Nashville did not fight the segregated lunch counters by buying their own Woolworth's. These great champions of humanity did not take the easy route and remove themselves from a broken machine. They recognized that to do so would only give a victory to those who wanted to deny them their rightful place in society.

They saw the injustice they would be doing to all people, not just the oppressed. King and his contemporaries did not bow down to the inequalities they faced; they did not bow out of the system that fostered them. These leaders stood up and fought to change the wrongs, not leave them for another generation.

Blame lies on both sides of the fence with the Greek Affairs Council. I believe that the council should work for the good of all groups. I also believe that the traditionally black organizations should work with the GAC with this goal in mind. Problems are not solved by the groups that hold Rush or Greek Week events separate from those they consider unsympathetic to them.

Problems are caused by groups that too easily dismiss others instead of working with them. If we want to break down barriers, then we must not create them.

# Alcohol addiction touches more than victim's life

Look around you. Chances are, you will see more than one or two alcoholics. Look in a mirror. Are you part of the ever-increasing alcoholic population?



By  
Amelia Bozeman  
opinion editor

Alcohol abuse has ruined the lives of millions of Americans. It is not a disease. It is a character flaw. As human beings, we have the powers of choice and reason. These abilities separate us from lower life forms.

I realize that some people are more prone to addictions than others, but that does not excuse them from their responsibilities to themselves and their families. I know many alcoholics who refuse to accept responsibility for their actions. They constantly make ridiculous excuses for their problems. I have heard them say, "My mother/father was an alcoholic. It's in my genes. I can't help myself." That is absurd. What they are really telling the world is, "I am

pathetic and weak. I cannot deal with my problems. I'll never grow up. I am also stupid, because I have not learned from the horrible mistakes my parents made."

There are all kinds of low-life, no-job drunks in this world. Alcoholics are teenagers, thirtysomethings, the elderly, and, believe it or not, college students. There is an appalling number of middle and upper-class alcoholics. Their numbers grow every day. They sacrifice everything and everyone they have to get a few lousy ounces of booze in their systems. They refuse to face reality and deal with their problems. It is sickening to be around them.

There are attractive, talented, and supposedly intelligent individuals who have become alcoholics. I do not understand why they allow themselves to get hooked. I realize that no one plans to become an alcoholic. I also know that people are addicted before they realize it. Do they believe they are invincible? Do they believe they cannot become addicts?

People constantly praise alcoholics who admit their addictions and seek

treatment. They congratulate them on their newfound sobriety, and that is fine. However, no one congratulates their families. They are the ones who truly deserve the praise for being able to live with these losers. No one congratulates their spouses for enduring years of hardship and pain. No one congratulates their children who, in spite of being humiliated and neglected by their alcoholic parents, struggle to have normal lives.

After alcoholics go through rehabilitation, they basically get brand new lives. They get another chance. Their children will never be children again. Instead of the happy, carefree childhoods they should have had, they have horrid memories of the ravages of addiction. They do not get another chance to relive those parts of their lives. All they have are lost years to try to erase and overcome.

The innocent victims of drunk drivers do not get another chance, either. They are usually dead. Their families are scarred for the remainder of their lives. The drunk that killed their child is getting his life together, but they have nothing. While their child's killer is

being congratulated, they look at photographs of happier times. Their lives will never be the same.

If alcoholics only affected themselves, it wouldn't be so bad. If someone has no more self-respect than to become a pathetic addict, well that's just too bad. However, when their behavior affects the lives of others, it is time for them to straighten up their lives. There is no excuse for such behavior.

College students are notorious for their overindulgence in alcohol. There is nothing wrong with an occasional drink. The problems start when the drinks are no longer occasional. Please don't turn to alcohol for help with your personal problems. Don't rely on alcohol for fun, relief from stress or acceptance by your peers. You are really setting yourself up if you do. Alcohol cannot solve your problems. It will only magnify them. Think about that when you chug your next beer.

I am certain that many people will chastise me for my harsh approach. Obviously, I am unconcerned about their opinions. I have no respect or pity for anyone who adversely affects the lives of others through his or her own selfishness.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Student says AP no place for gays

Dear Editor:

I think my opinion, however conservative, is shared by the majority of people on campus. Gay rights has no place on AP's campus. Gay rights, to me, is giving them their own restrooms and dormitories. I am not homophobic, but it is my opinion that all the AIDS-ridden homosexuals should stay "in the closet." We don't want to hear from you.

You homosexuals just make extra work for me, having to go around and tear down these pink triangles. With such a large population of homosexuals at AP, it's a wonder we don't have "fag bashings," but no one wants to get bled on for fear of catching AIDS.

On a final reminding note: get back in the closet and always remember "straight is great." This letter is no more offensive than homosexuality. It is not abusive, just opinionated, and not libelous or slanderous in any form.

Thank you

William Brian Buchanan

### Homecoming court needs recognition

Dear Editor:

Congrats to the new Homecoming

Queen and her court. What a dubious honor it must have been to receive all the recognition they deserved. Not!

These young women were subjected to a massive amount of stress, not to mention a lot of very tedious work last week, only to be virtually forgotten at the football game until the halftime extravaganza began.

Would it really have been that difficult for the court to sit on the field during the game so they could have been seen and recognized, as has been done in years past? Was there some safety hazard or OSHA regulation involved, or could it have been a careless disregard for the honorees? What a possibility! Don't you think the university could have sprung for a corsage for them to wear, or was the penny pinching rampant this year?

Well, once again, the omnipotent powers that be have sold us short of our expectations and furthered our commitment to mediocrity. That's excellence by choice.

Daniel Devereaux

### McDonald slighted by "Foot Foxes"

Dear Editor:

I would like to give an opinion concerning the comedian who visited Austin Peay last week, Rushion McDonald. I, along with several friends, attended the show. We all agreed that he did a great job. The show went very well until right at the end. This was when a group of girls, who had been playing along

with his harmless comedy and cheering him on all night, started to act completely inappropriately.

When Mr. McDonald asked if they belonged to a sorority, simply because of their obvious closeness, they responded by telling him they were the "Foot Foxes." He then continued by making a few harmless jokes, just like he had all night. This was obviously not directed at making fun of them. He was only surprised, because he has been all over the U.S. and has never heard of them. This is because they are not a Greek sorority. That should not have offended them, because it is true.

Following this, they began to make a long stream of rude and inappropriate comments. For example, when Mr. McDonald said, "I'm up here for you,"

one girl said, "Well, you can just get down for me!" No one thought that was

funny. In my opinion, Mr. McDonald handled the situation wonderfully. He even apologized to the girls, and said things to make it up to them.

Don't get me wrong, I'm not trying to offend the Foot Foxes. I'm sure they are a very nice group of girls as little sisters to our football players, but their attitudes and actions were rude and completely out of place. It wasn't taken as cute, or even funny.

In this situation, I believe a complete apology is in order, not only to Rushion McDonald, but to Austin Peay and all the students who were trying to enjoy the show.

Lillian Whitworth

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# Sports

## Don't look so sad

Wait!

Before you put the scissors to your Governors' Club membership card or donate your Peaymania sweatshirt to the Salvation Army, please hear me out.

Austin Peay played a hell of a game Saturday. Sure, they lost on the scoreboard. And, even though "Coy" Roy (Coach Gregory) said after the game he was no longer satisfied with just moral victories, savor the moment.



By

Daniel Murph  
sports editor

The fact that Middle Tennessee coaches were still up in the coaches' box with headsets on midway through the fourth quarter...the fact that the MTSU managers didn't begin loading starting players' equipment back on the bus before the game clock expired...the fact that every player on the MTSU roster, including trainers and managers, didn't suit up in the fourth quarter and play the position of his or her choice, is a sign of change.

Hear the praising words of Middle Tennessee's head coach Boots Donnelly, a man who holds more grudges against Austin Peay than Tom does Jerry. Said Donnelly to a *Leaf Chronicle* reporter, "I think Austin Peay's coaching staff out-coached us. I thought they out-hustled us. I thought they out-hit us, and we just happened to get a little bit more of the bigger plays. But you just can't rely on those plays."

Fact is, the Govs, who were picked by many oddsmen (which I'm sure now wish to remain anonymous) not to win a single game this season, were a touchdown strike and two-point conversion away in the fourth quarter from taking the number nine I-AA team in the country into overtime.

I'm not going to tag the Govs with having the stereotypical adjective "potential" anymore, which is a sly way of saying "they haven't done it yet."

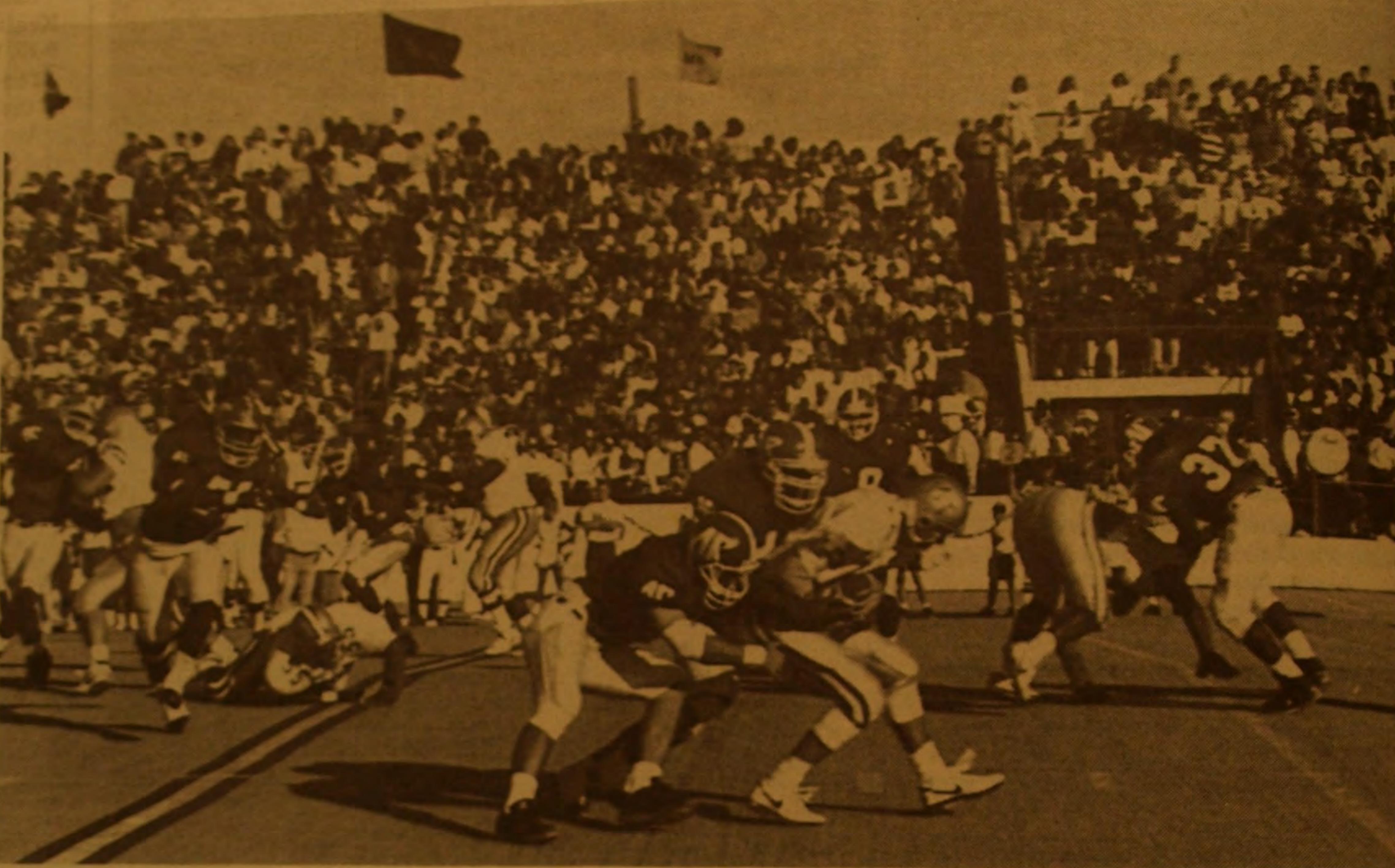
But, in a way they have. The Peay has proven itself Saturday to be a threat to any team it plays in I-AA ball. For this past Saturday, the Peay played neither Kentucky State nor the Clarksville Wildcats, but a championship caliber organization.

Mark my words: The best is yet to come!

•I cannot help but commend the Homecoming spirit evident around campus this past week. Witnessing midnight toilet paper raids, an abundance of students' cars still in the parking lots on Saturday (rather than in their respective hometowns), and a big crowd at the game was great.

Why can't that happen every week? It would be a lot more fun!

# Old nemesis, MTSU, strikes again



**MAKING THE TACKLE**—Gov's Bunky Beasley and Thomas Maxwell wrap up MTSU quarterback Kelly Holcomb.  
(photo by Donna Lovett)

By Daniel Murph  
sports editor

The Blue Raiders of Middle Tennessee defeated Austin Peay 23-8 in front of an 8,267 crowd at Municipal Stadium Saturday.

"We came out and played hard," said Govs' quarterback Reggie Williams. "We had some mental mistakes and were not able to capitalize on some breaks we got, and that was the difference."

Trailing 16-0 in the fourth quarter, the Govs' offense kicked in. With 10:49 remaining, Austin Peay's Jody Smith scored on an 11-yard touchdown run.

Then, Williams hit receiver Shatu Blake for a successful two-point conversion to narrow the Blue Raiders lead to 16-8.

But, Middle's freshman quarterback Kelly Holcomb quickly responded with a 45-yard pass to receiver Greg James, which set up a three-yard touchdown run by Joe Campbell to secure the win for MTSU.

"We gave a good effort," said Govs' tight end Tony Brunetti. "This team is different from last year because no matter what happens, we seem to keep on fighting."

The Blue Raiders capitalized on a Governor fumble early in the first quarter with a 24-yard field goal by kicker Garth Petrilli.

The Governors' defense almost held the Middle offense from any more damage going into halftime, but with only 29 seconds remaining, Holcomb

aired the ball to receiver Vince Parks for a 63-yard touchdown.

Jason Jackson blocked the extra point attempt, bringing the halftime score to 9-0.

The Blue Raiders' offense started clicking in the second half. A six-yard touchdown run by Campbell capped off a Middle drive which gained 70 yards and consumed 12 plays and 5:18 off the clock.

The Gov defense held Campbell, the OVC's leading rusher, to 101 yards on 31 carries.

Said Williams, "The defense played a great game. We just couldn't help them

out on offense."

"The defense played very well," said Govs' Jeff Crutchfield. "It was just two or three big plays which hurt us, especially the long pass play right before half. And, next time I get the ball I promise to run the right way!"

MTSU dominates the overall win/loss record between the two teams, 32-12-2.

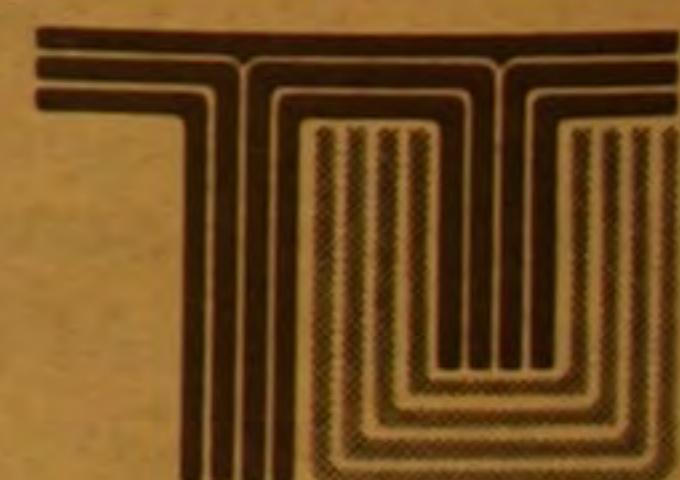
This Saturday, the 3-2 Govs will travel to Cookeville to play winless Tennessee Tech.

"They will be ready to play," said Williams. "This will also be a challenge for us being our first away game."

Kickoff is 1:30 p.m.

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1990 record: 6-5

Offensive System: Multiple

Defensive alignment: Multiple

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# Intramural/Cross Country continues

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DEFLECTING THE PASS—Two flag football participants leap for the ball. (photo by Donna Lovett)

By LUCY ANN GOSSETT  
staff writer

Last week the Men's Flag Football Semi-Finals and Finals were played. The Boneheads defeated Harvill's Blood and Thunder (27-6). Following Sigma Chi Blacks defeat over Killebrew Brothers (40-24), Rob Silvers, Sigma Chi, said, "Intramurals is a great way to get involved. I've been involved for nine years. Intramural football is a great way to run into nice people." In a heated battle on Oct. 9 the Boneheads defeated Sigma Chi Black (14-13) in overtime in the men's championship game.

Women's Volleyball also held their Semi-Finals and Finals on Oct. 9. The Semi-Final matches were Chi Omega defeating the Scraps (1-15) (15-10) (15-5) and Alpha Delta Pi defeating the Mighty Misfits (15-3) (15-13). In the

Championship game, Alpha Delta Pi needed only two sets to defeat Chi Omega (15-13) (15-10).

Women's Flag Football continued on Thursday, Oct. 10. Alpha Delta Pi was victorious over the Raging Rebels (13-12). Chi Omega was soundly defeated by 2 Live Crew (31-0).

The captains meeting for Men's Intramural Volleyball and Co-Rec Volleyball will be Wednesday, Oct. 16 at the Red Barn. Play will officially begin the week of the 21st.

This year APSU's Cross Country teams started out well at their opening meet, which was the Berry Invitational in Rome, Georgia. However, the last four meets have been a let down to Coach Forde and his players. The concentration of the team is being geared for the upcoming Vanderbilt Invitational. The Invitational will be held Oct. 19. This

past weekend the cross country teams participated in the Viking Invitational in Rome, Ga.

Eastern Kentucky University and Middle Tennessee State University are Coach Forde's top picks to win the conference championships. The OVC Championships will be sponsored by Tennessee State University at the Nashville Water/ Steeplechase Park. Oct. 26 is the date of these championships.

Neil Sartain is the Senior Captain for the men's team. Coach Forde said, "Eddie Rodriguez is a tough young athlete that does not practice as well as he competes." Shannon Lewis and Jennifer Young are also promising new athletes. Said Forde, "The best race that we have run was the Austin Peay Invitational on Sept. 27.

On Nov. 9 the Cross Country Region III Championships will be held at Furman University in Greenville, S.C.

## Lady Govs have trouble on road trip

The Lady Govs had a rough road trip this weekend, on which they were defeated by two conference contenders.

Saturday in Richmond, Ky., Eastern Kentucky beat Austin Peay 11-15, 15-13, 9-15, 15-13, 15-12.

The previous day, Morehead defeated the Lady Govs 15-9, 15-14, 6-15, 15-11. Austin Peay fell to .500 at 9-9 overall and 3-3 in the OVC.

Last night the team was scheduled to host Murray State at 7 p.m. (Results were not available at press time.)



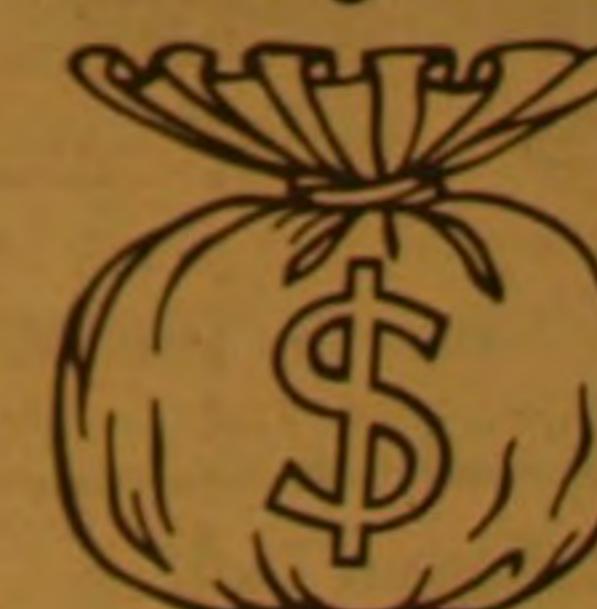
## Alumni match held

The APSU golfers were successful in defeating the alumni during the annual Homecoming match. The game was played under the rules of match play. The final points were APSU varsity 41 1/2 to the alumni's 18 1/2.

Sophomore Dave Loftin said the following about Coach A.J. Taylor, "I think that since golf is more of an individual sport and Dr. Taylor allows us to work on our game individually, that it helps the team. He knows a lot of people and helps us gain support from the community. The Clarksville Association donated new bags for the team to use this year. Since he is a professor he is more understanding that we are not just athletes, but also students."

The golfers have now finished their fall season and will begin again in the spring.

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# Features

## Maxwell wears crown of Homecoming Queen

By SHERRI ADCOCK  
editor-in-chief

Fliers from organizations all over campus could be seen amid Color Wars' decorations last week promoting Homecoming candidates. Of course only one woman could be picked to hold that honor. Chi Omega President Tonya Maxwell proudly wore home the crown.

"I felt honored to be representing Chi-O as Homecoming candidate. Just to be on the court was an honor. I was extremely shocked when they called my name," Maxwell said.

Maxwell says she thinks getting involved on campus is an important part of college life. She backs up that claim with her personal list of activities.

The junior Management/Business Administration major is a member of the Emerging Leaders, Project Serve Committee, Mentor for Freshman Alcohol and Drug Program, Concert Band and field commander for the Marching Band as well as president of Chi Omega sorority.

Although Maxwell cites involvement as one of the major facets of the college experience, she says education is what it all comes down to.

"Education is what you are here for. It's important to get involved in as many things as possible to figure out what you want. The hands-on experience helps more than anything else," Maxwell said.

The Homecoming court is picked by their fellow students, but the final decision comes down to a panel of judges. Maxwell said her interview went great, and she felt it was her strength.

"I've been through them (interviews) before. They (APSU judges) made me feel calm. They laughed and joked with me. I knew I just had to answer the questions as best I could," Maxwell said.

Maxwell places a high value on family. Her father escorted her on the field.



Newly-crowned queen Tonya Maxwell gets a hug from band director, Bob Lee, as her sorority sisters look on (photos by Donna Lovett and Barry Jones)

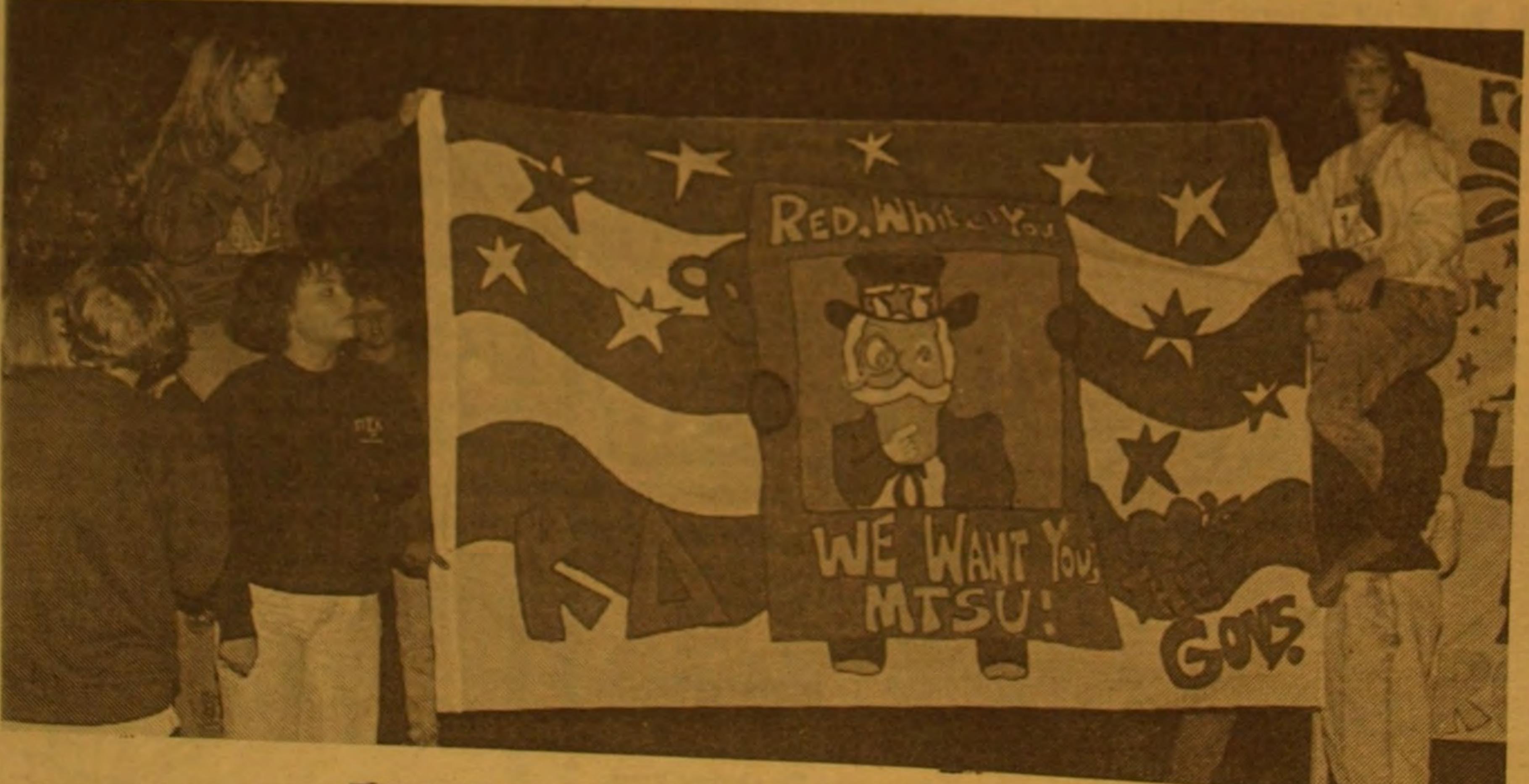
"He was as nervous as I was," Maxwell said laughing.

Maxwell's brother was unable to make it to the game.

"They (parents) were thrilled. They said it was most definitely worth the drive. After the game, mom went back and called the police station and had them find my brother to tell him. So everyone back home knew about it," Maxwell said.

Maxwell is looking toward the future in which she plans to pursue a career in Hospital Administration.

"Of course I want to get out of school with a degree in business and start working on a career. What is most important to me though is family. I want to get married and start my own family. No matter where my career takes me, family comes first," Maxwell said.



Top: The Kappa Deltas and Alpha Gamma Rhos got first place in the banner contest. Bottom: The Sigma Nus took home first place in the float competition. (photos by Leigh Averitt and Donna Lovett)

## Homecoming '91

By LUCY ANN GOSSETT  
staff writer

Homecoming '91 is something that APSU can be proud of. The Governors may not have won the ballgame, but the spirit and unity of the school will not be forgotten easily. The theme this year was "Red, White and You." Everywhere you looked there was something that was showing school spirit.

The first time since 1987 Austin Peay held a Color Wars competition. The Red Zones were chosen as the winners. However, the White Zones provided them with stiff competition. These individual organizations best displayed their decorations on vehicles in the parade. The third place winners were NTSO (Non-Traditional Student Organization); second place went to Residence Hall Association, and first place was awarded to Chi Epsilon Mu (XEM).

Thursday, Oct. 10 was the annual bonfire held in front of the Dunn Center. The winners in the Spirit competition were the brothers of the Sigma Chi Fraternity. The banner contest was won by the team of Kappa Delta Sorority and Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity. All during the bonfire the Homecoming

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# Guitar Ensemble to perform with special guests

Austin Peay State University's Guitar Ensemble will perform in concert at 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 24, in the concert theatre of the Music/Mass Communication Building.

The concert is presented by the APSU department of music and Center for the Creative Arts. The performance is open to the public and there is no charge for admission.

Under the direction of APSU Assistant Professor of Music Stephen Webber, the group will perform mostly classical acoustic pieces by Vivaldi, Chopin, Bach and Mozart, along with 20th century composers A. Ruiz-Pipo and Pieter van der Staak. Also featured will be a eight-guitar arrangement of "Stairway to Heaven" by the British group Led Zeppelin. This particular selection will include electric and synthesized guitar parts, "but not too loudly," Webber said.

"Most guitarists know the first few bars of this piece; in fact, it's almost become a cliche," Webber said. "But it is almost impossible to perform live because of all the overdubbing that was

originally done in the studio. You would literally need eight good guitarists on stage at once, and that's exactly what we have."

Performing with the ensemble will be Eric Gilbert, sophomore, Madisonville, Ky.; Randy Lewis, junior, Tennessee Ridge; Jay Camirand, sophomore, Nashua, N.H.; John Winters, sophomore, Clarksville; Patrick Mabry and Don Brown, both juniors, Hopkinsville, Ky.; and Jeff Comas, sophomore, Knoxville. "This is one of the best groups of guitarists that we have had," he said.

Joining the Guitar Ensemble will be special guests Darrin Hoffman, APSU adjunct instructor of music, guitar, Thomas King, APSU assistant professor of voice, tenor; Mike Swope, a junior percussion major from Altoona, Pa.; and John Edmonds, a gospel singer/composer from Kentucky who will join Webber in a duet of Stephen Foster's "My Old Kentucky Home."

Edmonds has toured more than 40 countries, is head of Ashur Records and has worked extensively with Webber in the recording studio. "John has one of



University Guitar Ensemble—(front, left to right) Patrick Mabry, John Winters. (Standing, left to right) Stephen Webber, director, Don Brown, Eric Gilbert, Jay Camirand, Jeff Comas, Randy Lewis. (photo by Leigh Averitt)

the most incredible natural voices that I have ever heard," Webber said, "and having him at Austin Peay will be a real treat."

For additional information about the concert, telephone the APSU department of music at (615) 648-7818.

Any organization that was unable to make their yearbook picture may reschedule an appointment. Please contact the Governors' Pride Yearbook at 648-7377. The Governors' Pride would also like to thank all of the organizations that participated in group pictures last week.

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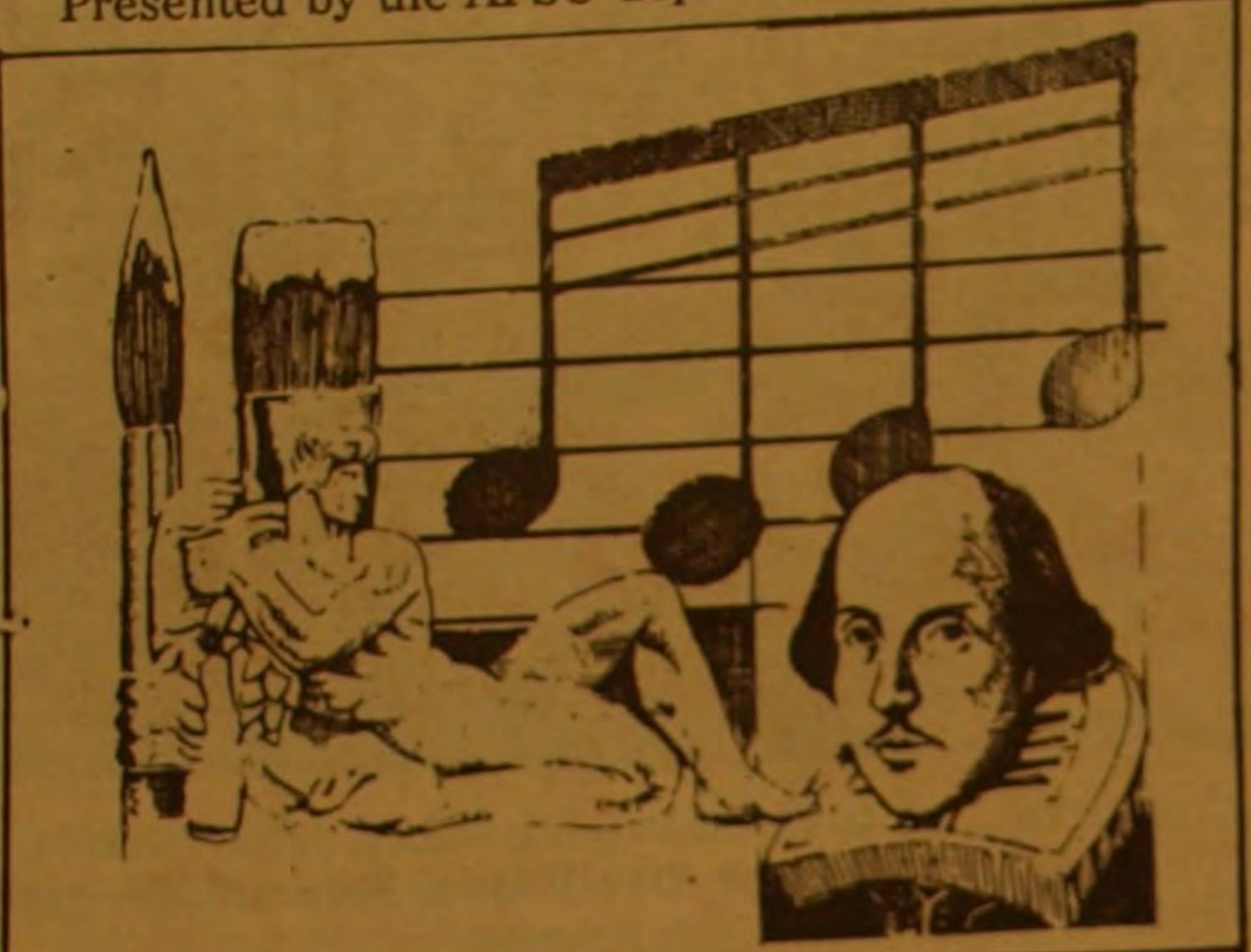
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## Arts Scene

The first concert of the 1992-93 Dimensions New Music Series at Austin Peay State University will be held Thursday, Oct. 17, at 8 p.m. in the concert theatre of the Music/Mass Communication Building.

Presented by the APSU department of music and



Center for the Creative Arts, the performance is free and open to the public. The Dimensions New Music Series is a contemporary music chamber group composed of members of the music faculty at Austin Peay and guest artists.

The program will feature works by guest composer Rhian Samuel, a Welch composer who is composer-in-residence at Reading University, Reading, England. She has won numerous international awards for her compositions and has had commissions from soloist, ensembles and orchestras in the United States and England. Ms. Samuel has a Ph.D. in composition from Washington University, St. Louis, Mo., and she taught for several years at the St. Louis Conservatory of Music. She has been very active as a lecturer and currently is a co-editor of the "New Grove Dictionary of Women Composers."

Tennessee stone sculptor Carolann Haggard will deliver a slide presentation/lecture about her work at 2 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 17, in room 401 of the Trahern Fine Arts Building at Austin Peay State University.

Ms. Haggard's presentation is sponsored by the APSU department of art and Center for Creative Arts. The public is invited to attend and there is no charge.

Having recently moved to Antioch from Chicago, Ms. Haggard's sculptures have been included in major exhibits in Chicago, Washington, D.C., Japan, France and Italy. She has been awarded several "art in public places" corporate commissions in Chicago, including large scale granite fountains for the Levy Organization and U.S. Equities Realty.

She was founder and director of and remains a consultant to the Sculpture Chicago Program, a one-month sculpture symposium featuring 12 artists annually which is underwritten by corporate, private and grant funding. Her publications include "Chicago Magazine," "Sculpture International Magazine" and "National Geographic Traveler Magazine," among others. Her sculptures are represented by Objects Gallery in Chicago and the Cumberland Gallery in Nashville.

Ms. Haggard received a bachelor of arts degree in art education from North Texas University and a master of fine arts in sculpture from the School of the Art Institute, Chicago. She also studied at the Accademia di Belle Arti in Carrara, Italy.

For more information about Ms. Haggard's presentation, telephone the APSU department of art at (615) 648-7333.

Austin Peay State University writer-in-residence Ivan Gold will read from his works of fiction at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 23, in the Gentry Auditorium of the Kimbrough Building.

The reading is free and open to the public and is presented by the APSU department of languages and

literature and Center for Creative Arts.

Originally from New York and now residing in Boston, Gold has been at Boston University in various full-time and visiting positions since 1974 and recently was visiting assistant professor of English and Creative Writing in the Metropolitan College.

His numerous awards and honors include Massachusetts Artists Foundation Finalist in Fiction in 1988, National Endowment for the Arts grant, National Institute of Arts and Letters Award and Guggenheim Fellowship.

Gold is the author of "Nickel Miseries," a collection of two novellas and three short stories; "Sick Friends," a novel; and his most recent novel, "Sams in a Dry Season." He has contributed short stories to numerous anthologies and works of fiction to such periodicals as "Esquire," "Playboy," "Cavalier" and "Genesis West." Gold also has contributed nonfiction works to newspapers and magazines, including the New York Times, Village Voice, Washington Post, "Harper's" and "Newsday."

Wood sculptor Fred Cogelow will be in residence Oct. 21-25 at Austin Peay State University's department of art, co-sponsored by the Center for the Creative Arts.

Cogelow will conduct an open workshop from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. daily in Trahern 212A and the public is invited to stop by his studio and observe the artist at work. There is no charge.

He also will give a lecture at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22, in the Trahern Building. The lecture is free and open to the public.

"Me and Myself" Art Education Exhibit featuring high school portraiture works: an opening reception will be held Monday, Oct. 21, from 7-9 p.m. in the Trahern Gallery.



PUMPING OUT THE SOUND-The Mass Communication Department held an open house party last Thursday showing off their department. Martias Kendrick, Keith Throneberry and Stefan Holt prepare the music outside the courtyard. (photo by Leigh Averitt)

## Towing

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"I don't know why he would think I would have other cars. My car doesn't even have a scratch," Rivera said.

According to the arrest report filed by Clarksville Police Department, Rivera was taken back to the service station for identification. Witnesses. A warrant was sworn out by Hembree and Rivera was charged with vehicular assault.

Hembree said he suffered broken ribs, as well as an injured hip, left leg, neck, and shoulders. He also said he suffered several cuts on his back after being thrown against the brick wall by Rivera's vehicle.

Rivera said the ambulance did not even come until after she had gone to the police station and come back which was around 45 minutes.

"... We could have worked something out."--Hembree

Hembree says he is puzzled by Rivera's behavior. "If she had come into my office and talked to me about (the towing fee), we could have worked something out. We have worked out things for others who are short on money. She didn't need to do all this."

Rivera said her hearing took place, Oct. 14, and Hembree did not show up and dropped the assault charges.

"I know what I did and what I didn't do. He's adding to the story every time he tells it. Rivera said that story which appeared in *The Leaf-Chronicle* was inaccurate in much of its content concerning the incident and one-sided.

"I'm not divorced yet. And a custody battle for our children has not even started. I don't know where the got all that stuff," Rivera said. "It just didn't happen that way."

# Derby aids environment

By BRANDT LYON  
staff writer

The Sigma Chi Derby Days is already here. With its theme "Help Sigma Chi Save the Planet," Sigma Chi is trying to support the environment of the Clarksville community.

"This year we're pushing conservation and working for the environment because the brothers of Eta Xi feel very strongly about it," said Sigma Chi President Scott Walker.

Derby started with the kick-off party at "The Library." Tuesday featured the annual Derby Chase. This event involves the different Derby teams chasing after derby hats worn by appointed Sigma Chi's. In the afternoon, the opening ceremonies of Derby Day were held in the University Center Ballroom.

Today the different teams will pull together to plant a tree and clean one of the Clarksville community roads.

Tomorrow and Friday at 4 p.m. will be the field events. The events will be held at the bowl on Thursday and at the intramural field on Friday.

Friday night there will be a party at

Club B.B.C. where the dance competition will be held. The party Saturday night will also be at Club B.B.C.

This year's Derby Daddies are Todd King, Steve Weijers, Steve Deep and Jimmy West.

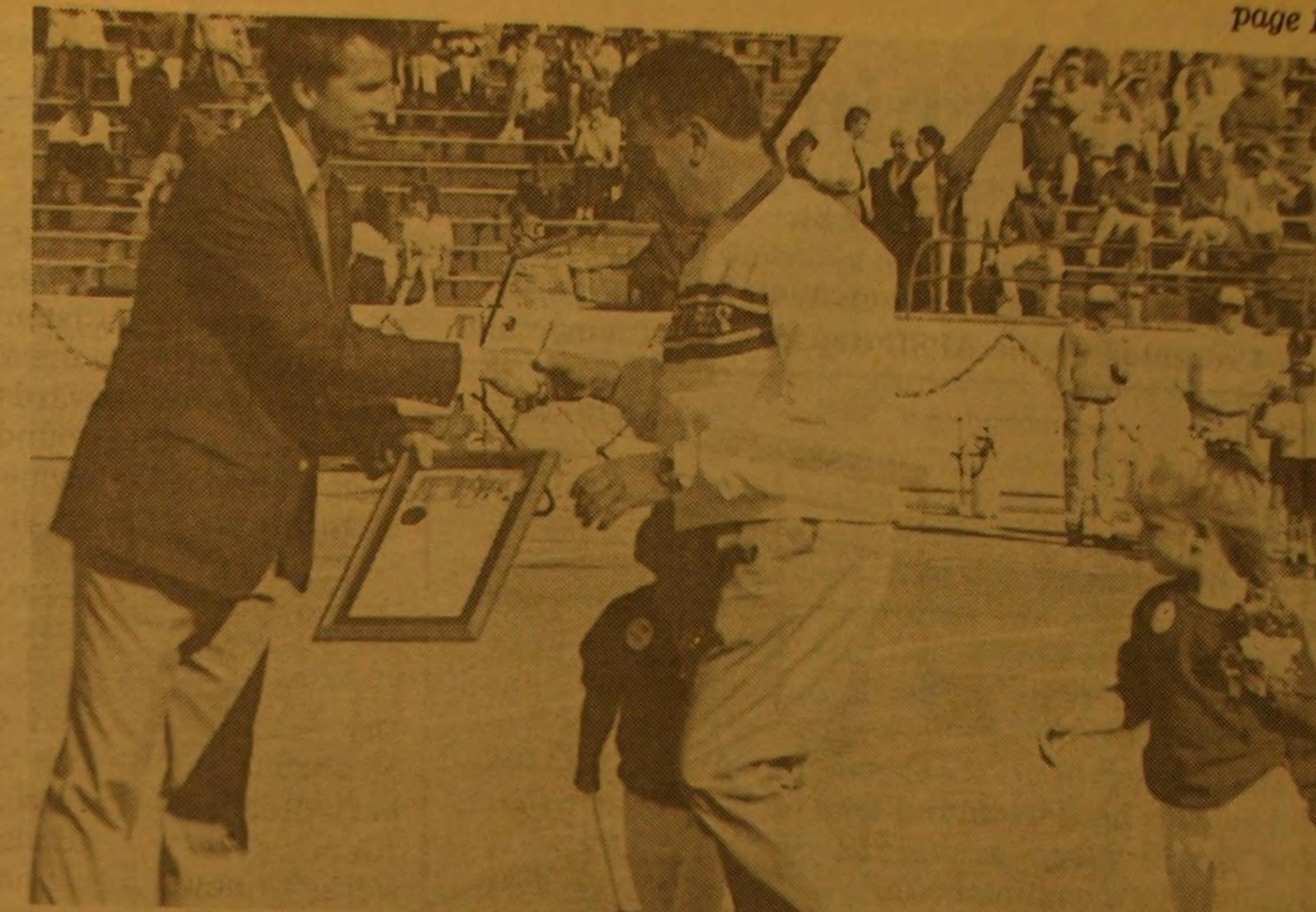
Todd King, Derby chairman, said that with the theme being based on the environmental projects, he hopes this will take out so much of the competition aspect out of Derby among the teams as a whole.

"This is getting us back to Derby Basics which is service to the community and to charitable organizations," King said.

This year King said more than \$1,500 will be raised and distributed among the different Derby teams who will give the money to their individual philanthropies.

Walker said that Derby will be a week full of fun, working for a good cause, and inspiring greek unity.

In the words of King, "We're trying to make the world a cleaner place to Derby."



**PRESENTED AN AWARD**—Ed Kulakowski is presented an award at Saturday's game by Tim Weiser for his contributions to the football program. (photo by Donna Lovett)

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## Homecoming

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court was announced. The court was comprised of Bashana Cox, sponsored by the Afro-American Students Association; Tonya Maxwell, sponsored by Chi Omega Women's Fraternity; Jennifer McKinney, sponsored by Sigma Chi Fraternity; Tara Meeker, sponsored by Alpha Delta Pi sorority and Brooke Sauter, sponsored by Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity. Interviews were conducted on Friday, and on Saturday during halftime it was announced that Tonya Maxwell will reign as the 1991 Homecoming Queen.

The winners of the Float competition did so with hard work and long hours. The fourth place winners were the results of the combined efforts made by

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now as much as \$50 for a quarter ounce (word is no one buys an ounce much anymore because of the cost) \$15 can purchase a "four-way window pane." Four hits (individual doses) of acid come on one tiny piece of paper for this price.

Tammy said that some people do all four hits at once but, she added, "I'm not stupid enough to do it."

Other terms used to describe the various forms of the drug locally available, usually for about \$7 a dose, are "purple barrels" and "strawberry barrels," both named for their shape and color, and "microdots."

According to Jack Uffelman, member

Alpha Delta Pi Sorority and Kappa Sigma Fraternity. It was the business of fun and hard work that resulted in Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity taking third place. Chi Omega Women's Fraternity used a familiar looking Coca-Cola Classic can to take second place honors. This year, first place went to the men of the Sigma Nu Fraternity. Sigma Nu instigated this year's theme by constructing their float to resemble the statue of Iwo Jima. Even though they didn't win, the micro floats of Pi Kappa Alpha and Sigma Chi added humor to the parade.

The end of the week the scoreboard may have shown defeat but in the eyes of APSU students, faculty, alumni and fans Homecoming '91 was a victory.

of the 19th Judicial District Drug Task Force in Clarksville and Montgomery County since 1986, marijuana and crack cocaine still appear to be the drugs of choice in his jurisdiction. However, there were three arrests for LSD possession and sale in 1990 in the area.

Detective Jim Acquisto of the Pennyrile Narcotics Task Force in Hopkinsville, said his group confiscated over 300 hits of LSD last year. Two juveniles and three persons in their

mid-20s were arrested. Some cases are still pending, but two were given five-year prison sentences. One woman is presently serving time in PeeWee Valley Detention Center in Kentucky.

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## Hit-n-run

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Koontz is unable to rent or borrow a car since she requires hand controls in order to drive.

Fulton Wilson, manager of Jenkins and Wynne body shop, commented, "If I was going to make a guess what type of vehicle hit her car, a good guess would be a maintenance truck of some kind."

Since the damage occurred at a busy time in one of the most crowded parking areas on campus, Koontz hopes someone may have witnessed the incident.

"I can't believe that nobody saw," Koontz commented. If someone has information regarding the incident she requests:

"I would like them to call me or the campus police."

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# University Programs Council adds new programs

By JANINE HAMILTON-SETTLE  
staff writer

Austin Peay's University Programs Council "keeps going and going" - at least that is what Vice President Donna Stricklin says.

"We're trying to add a lot of new programs this year and we are trying to offer a lot of fun things to do," Stricklin said.

The UPC is the campus organization that provides "almost all of the entertainment on campus for students" President Stacie Hamm said.

"We provide nearly all of the entertainment but we aren't opposed to co-sponsoring an event either," Hamm added.

The UPC currently has nine committees. "Each committee is responsible for coming up with events that relate to what their group is designated for."

"For example, the Lectures Committee has guest lecturers to come in and the On Stage Committee gets most of the comedians," Hamm explained.

Getting those gigs on campus is not all fun and games though. "It's a lot of work involved in it. The agents send us letters and material and tapes. We get material from everywhere."

If it sounds pretty interesting, then someone looks at the tape and does some research on them. If we like them, then we book them," Hamm said.

"Room and board is included for them (the acts). But mainly what we do is publicize the events. That is one of our main roles," Hamm added.

Boasting more than 35 members, the



The University Programs Council presented Rushion MacDonald, a comedian who performed for the campus last week. (photo by Donna Lovett)

UPC has expanded to include three new committees just this year.

"Just Do It," "Star Tech" and "Peay Showcase" are the newly formed committees.

"Just Do It" is an awareness type of committee. They are looking at hunger awareness, alcohol awareness and Black History Month.

"Star Tech is the leg of the organization. They help setup the equipment and stage for the acts," Hamm said.

The Peay Showcase committee also has a primary duty. They try to locate talent on campus.

"We have shown several movies. Our first one was "Flatliners" and we have

shown "Hamlet," "Three Faces of Eve" and a Walt Disney movie too.

"We have had really good crowds for those and everything else too. We had 500 or more people at our back to school dance and about 450 people at the 'Flatliners' movie," Stricklin said.

The UPC is making plans to have a Spanish dance group on campus to accent the end of Hispanic Awareness Month, and they have made plans to show another movie on Halloween.

"We will be having a masquerade ball after the movie," Stricklin said.

The UPC is also working to get entertainment lined up for parents weekend, slated for the end of April.

"We are going to try to get a well-known group like 'The Spencers' or have a talent show," Hamm said.

The Peay Street Journal is also something we do. That is a monthly publication that we send out. We are trying to include some new things in that this year, like the cafeteria menus," Stricklin said.

Anyone wanting to join the UPC may according to Stricklin.

"The UPC is always willing to take new members. If people are interested they can contact Student Activities at 648-7431," Stricklin added.



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