

#STD
WRAP IT!

Play it safe. STDs remain a constant threat to campus health.

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It seems not even organized college campuses are entirely free from the unquenchable youthful desire for sex. This has led to Sexually Transmitted Diseases/Illnesses becoming a sizable problem on APSU's campus. "We do see STIs frequently in the clinic," said Kristy Reed, Family Nursing Practitioner at APSU Health Services, but it's difficult to get exact statistics because of how the diagnoses are coded.

Health Services offers free condoms, educational materials, classes and presentations by request from faculty and staff. They encourage STD screenings as per Center for Disease Control recommendations.

HIV/AIDS screenings go for \$23, chlamydia and gonorrhea are \$27 each, syphilis is \$13, trichomoniasis for \$8 and hepatitis for \$93.

STDs are not just a problem on campus. The Montgomery County Health Department offers free testing and treatment for syphilis, gonorrhea, chlamydia and HIV.

In 2009, the state of Tennessee had alarming statistics regarding reported cases of certain STDs. The total amount of HIV diagnoses in males, for example, numbered 687; for females, it was 245, adding up to 945 total statewide cases.

In terms of individual counties, some disease counts are worse than others. Davidson County reported a total of 3,495 chlamydia diagnoses and 871 gonorrhea cases in 2009. Davidson and Shelby were also two of the few counties to report primary, secondary, early latent and late latent cases of syphilis between 1996 and 2010.

In Montgomery County, 1,203 cases of chlamydia

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were reported in 2009, as were 385 cases of gonorrhea and seven cases of late latent syphilis.

There isn't an official policy regarding STDs according to Health Services, but it certainly has some strong views on the matter.

"The only guaranteed means of protecting yourself from sexually transmitted diseases is to remain abstinent," said Lowell Roddy, director of Student Counseling and Health Services. "For those who choose to be sexually active, a condom is essential. Having unprotected sex is like playing Russian roulette; at some point there could be a life-threatening surprise."

The Centers for Disease Control Fact Sheet for public health personnel agrees latex condoms provide "an essentially impermeable barrier to particles the size of STD pathogens." However, it also warns there can be differences in how effective condoms' protection against different kinds of STDs because they are transmitted in different ways.

As the website notes, condoms provide greater protection against diseases transmitted by "genital secretion" such as HIV/AIDS, gonorrhea and chlamydia, but less so against genital ulcer diseases such as herpes, syphilis or chancroid since those can be transmitted by contact with infected skin or mucosal surfaces.

Sexually transmitted diseases and infections remain a problem, whether or not one is a college student. As always, it is advised to be careful and safe when you're having fun. You never know what might strike when you least expect it. **TAS**



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#PHIGAMMADELTA

Phi Gamma Delta fraternity colonizing on campus

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The Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, also known as Fiji, has come to APSU's campus looking to recruit men to become the founding fathers of their new colony at APSU.

After choosing APSU as the site for their newest colony, Phi Gamma Delta went through an interview process where they had to demonstrate to APSU and its Greek Life officials what they could bring to campus

that wasn't already available to students. After working with APSU staff for the better part of a year, Fiji was finally able to begin their recruiting process on campus.

While Phi Gamma Delta hasn't come to campus to completely change the way already established fraternities operate as a whole, they have come to inspire all members of Greek life to go against what being Greek is sometimes perceived as and work towards what being Greek should mean. "Because in the end we are all still Greek," said Gabe

Camut, Phi Gamma Delta representative referring to current Greek Life on campus.

"The current Greek organizations on campus have been supportive and friendly during the process," said Adam Thomas, Phi Gamma Delta representative. This can be seen around campus with sororities chalking sidewalks helping spread the word about the new fraternity.

While offering opportunities for college students, Phi Gamma Delta adheres to a nonhazing policy which seeks to maximize

the college experience of its members through academic assistance, leadership development, community service and gentlemanly conduct. With a primary emphasis placed on scholarship, the development of the individual, the fraternity seeks to compliment the mission of APSU.

To help emphasize the importance of academics, Phi Gamma Delta is providing numerous academic-based scholarships to

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#HEMLOCKSEMICONDUCTOR

Rumors spread about CHET program, Hemlock Semiconductor

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Hemlock Semiconductor and its affiliation with APSU's Chemical Engineering Technology program has been a hot topic recently due to inaccurate rumors suggesting students who graduate from the program are guaranteed a job at the company.

Other local news sources have reported on the topic, with Channel 4's Nancy Amons said, "It's easy to see why a student might think he was in a Hemlock job training program — it says Hemlock right there on the classroom building."

Though the name on the building is "Hemlock," it is because the company donated \$2 million for the purchase of laboratory equipment, one of the largest monetary gifts given to APSU, not because

they are affiliated with the CHET program.

The building was named for the company as a way to honor their contribution, much the same way buildings like Trahern and the Ann B. Ross Bookstore have acquired their names.

Chester Little, director of the Chemical Engineering Technology program, said the rumors are based on conjecture and no one is being fooled when they enter the program. "This is not fine print. It's right there in your face."

Little said a student would have to be dishonest to say they are told a job with Hemlock is a guarantee. It states on the program's main website that no such guarantee is given or implied. Under the heading "General Information about CHET,"

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#BLACKHISTORYMONTH

Black history events planned for February

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February is national Black History Month, and the Wilbur N. Daniel African-American Cultural Center has a lot of activities planned. The center serves the purpose of being an educational and resource center. The center is also responsible for all of the events that support African-American culture.

"The staff has been working hard to prepare the programming for this significant cultural month," said Henderson Hill III, director of the AACC. "The events that the Wilbur N. Daniel Cultural Center will be sponsoring for Black History Month 2012 are all very exciting."

Hill said that the purposes of the events are to raise awareness of how African American culture has impacted history.

The center has six events planned this month.

The first event was the annual National Black HIV/AIDS Awareness Day on Tuesday, Feb. 7. Five national organizations funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and Nicole Anthony Townsend started the event in 1999.

The main goal was to educate African-Americans on HIV/AIDS and to make them aware everyone is capable of being infected. This event, held in the cultural center from

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CRIME LOG

The campus crime log includes arrests and dispatch call-ins. As mandated by Tennessee law, the crime log is updated within two business days of an incident and new information to an incident available for public inspection any time during normal business hours.

- 1:50 a.m.; Feb. 1; Meacham Apartments; underage possession/consumption
- 3:56 p.m.; Feb. 1; Meacham Apartments; theft of property
- 8:46 p.m.; Feb. 1; Hand Village; unlawful drug paraphernalia
- 9:07 p.m.; Feb. 1; Hand Village; alcohol violation
- 9:07 p.m.; Feb. 1; Hand Village; drug paraphernalia
- 9:07 p.m.; Feb. 1; Hand Village; simple possession/casual exchange
- 7:48 p.m.; Jan. 31; Emerald Hills/Two Rivers; simple possession/casual exchange

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AACC Breast cancer awareness 5K run, Feb. 18

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benefit students. All men joining Phi Gamma Delta who achieve at least a 3.0 GPA during their initial semester will receive a \$250 Academic Achievement Award. During this semester, Phi Gamma Delta will also offer up to \$1,000 in scholarships to APSU men of all classes through its White Star Scholarships.

Working with its members to help facilitate academic success, Fiji also feels it is important to give back. Their national philanthropic associations are the American Red Cross and United Service Organizations, which is a private, nonprofit organization that provides morale and recreational services to members of the U.S. military. Fiji also encourage individual chapters to help support any service organizations they want.

With all the opportunities Phi Gamma Delta is bringing to campus some students like Alpha Delta Phi's Jordan Swift feel, "they will set a new tone and bring something a little different to the table" and hopefully

encourage new students who have never considered joining a fraternity to look a little deeper into what being in a fraternity is all about.

Student, Rene Ramirez, who has never considered joining a fraternity before said, "being given the chance to start a fraternity and having the ability to make it run the way you feel it should be run is a great opportunity."

Founded in 1848 at Jefferson College, now Washington & Jefferson College, in Canonsburg, Pa., Fiji has grown to more than 169,000 initiated brothers since 1848, and currently has over 8,000 undergraduate members in 120 chapters and 20 Delta Colonies throughout the United States and Canada.

Students who are interested in becoming Founding Fathers of Phi Gamma Delta should contact Field Secretary Adam Thomas, often found at Einstein's during the day.

They can also be found online with keyword Austin Peay Fiji, by phone at (910) 988-7438 or by email at athomas@phigam.org. Further information is also available on the fraternity's website at www.phigam.org. *TAS*

Hemlock

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it expressly states, "Successful completion of this program will not guarantee employment with Hemlock Semiconductor or any other company for that matter."

Matt Hembree, a member of the first class to graduate from the program, said students are told from the beginning, both by APSU and Hemlock, they are not guaranteed a job with Hemlock upon graduation. Hembree goes on to say the professors in the program stress the availability of jobs with other plants like TVA, Dupont and Kodak.

Though Hembree was offered a position with Hemlock, he said many from his graduating class got jobs with other companies such as TVA.

Little said even though a job with Hemlock is not guaranteed, an Associate Degree of Applied Science received from this program will prepare the graduate for a job in high-demand fields such as oil,

gas, petroleum, alternative energy generation, nuclear energy, biofuels and agricultural chemicals, to name a few.

Little said Hemlock would be "foolish to limit their hiring only to APSU students," when other schools offer similar degree programs. The company has certain entrance requirements for hiring, and some APSU students simply don't have the grades.

Additionally, Little said the company is interested in having both newly graduated students as well as people who have worked in the field for several years and have more experience.

Hemlock would like to hire from many different skill backgrounds in order to have the most knowledgeable workforce possible, Little said.

Little stresses there is no animosity whatsoever between APSU and Hemlock Semiconductor.

Both groups have gone to great lengths to squash the rumor that graduating from the CHET program will guarantee a job with the company. *TAS*

Black history

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11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., offered free HIV/AIDS testing to every student on campus so they can be aware of their status. All information is kept confidential.

The second event is the Sankofa African-American Museum on Wheels planned for Thursday, Feb. 9.

Artwork, artifacts and selected writings will be on display from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the MUC lobby.

The exhibit is to show students different aspects of African-American culture and history they might not otherwise see.

The third event, Peay Soup, is on Thursday, Feb. 16, in the Clement auditorium.

This year's theme is Neo-Soul and Love edition.

Any student, faculty and staff with a valid APSU ID can get in for free, with a cost of \$5 to the general public.

The event will last from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. In addition to guest artists Jonathon Winstead and Reecy, anyone can sign up to showcase some of their talents.

The cultural center will be participating in the second annual 5k Breast Cancer Awareness Walk alongside The Foy Center on Saturday, Feb. 18.

Registration starts at 9 a.m. and the walk starts at 10 a.m.

"This is a way for us to get involved with the community and to say that we are aware of breast cancer. But this also gives survivors a chance to say that they're here, and that they did survive.

This is also a way to educate and get the community involved," said Joseph Chatman III, graduate assistant for the African-American Cultural Center.

A "Hot Topic" discussion will be held Wednesday, Feb. 22. The year's topic is: "Hip-Hop, Is it Still Relevant?"

Assistant professor of African American Studies Johnny Jones will talk about where hip-hop came from and how it started. In the beginning, hip-hop was a way to express social concern, but is that still relevant in today's society?

Jones will go into detail about the different things that make hip-hop what it is. The discussion will take place in the cultural center from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

The events for the month wrap up with a lecture Thursday, Feb. 28. "Who Will Lead the Next Social Movement,"

will take place in the Clement auditorium from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Jeff Johnson, the guest speaker and award winning journalist, will talk about who he thinks will be leading the next social movement.

Following the lecture, there will be a chance for students to meet and greet with Johnson and a book signing.

"I've been here with the cultural center for four years, and I'm so excited for Jeff Johnson. We haven't had him here before so it is different, something new," senior Porsha Milan said.

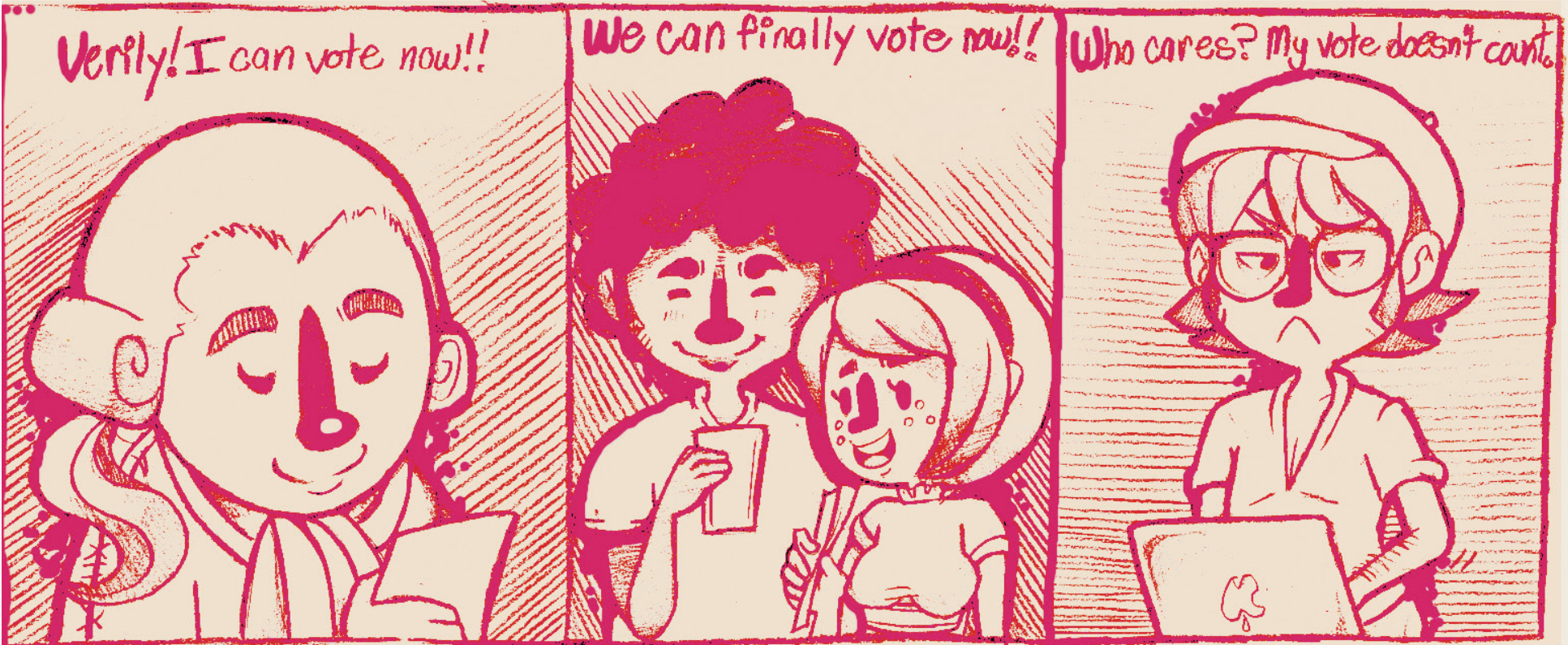
Milan, as well as several other students, will be helping with the setup and admissions for the events.

A lot of the students helping are an everyday part of the cultural center. Some are student workers and some help out with the events that the center puts on year around. *TAS*



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“Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of **religion**, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of **speech**, or of the **press**; or the right of the people peaceably to **assemble**, and to **petition** the Government for a redress of grievances.”
— **First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution**



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Americans don't appreciate security, services

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In a society where our every move can be broadcasted to the world in seconds and news is at our fingertips, Americans are surprisingly unaware of how lucky they are. The economy is in a poor state, people are having to work extra hours and some are just trying to find work. Politicians bicker over fairly trivial things and year after year, the world around us becomes increasingly more invasive. Nobody can deny we are not living in a utopia. However, there is no real reason to complain the way we do, especially here. Earlier this week, I overheard a girl about 19 years old in the MUC food court complaining about the taste of her cheeseburger. She caused quite a scene, saying, “nobody in their right mind would eat this.”

In my mind, I pictured walking over there and snatching the burger from her hand like a tattooed Hamburglar and devouring it in front of her. When I was 19, I was sleeping in a bombed out factory in the Middle East, eating expired rations and drinking room-temperature water in 120-degree heat. As disgusting as that food was, I savored every bite because it could very well have been the last thing I ever ate. I once split a homemade Rice Krispie treat with 10 other guys. Sure, it had been made a month or two prior by my mom, but to all of us, that half a bite was the greatest thing we ever tasted. Less than an hour later, we were fighting to avoid being overrun, captured and killed.

When you think about it like that, life is pretty cushy. We have access to emergency services, the ability to choose what we eat and water that is actually clear — yet we throw a hissyfit over the smallest of inconveniences. I have a friend in Baghdad whose university recently lost its science wing to a car bomb; a former classmate in Africa who sleeps only three hours a night; not because he plays “Call of Duty” until dawn, but because he works round the clock treating children who were infected with HIV from something as simple as a mosquito bite. Just down the road from the Rescue Squad I work at on Providence Boulevard., the homeless pitch tents under the bridge. Speaking of the Rescue Squad, three

quarters of this country's fire services are volunteer, but there aren't enough people volunteering to step up and answer the call. I asked 15 random people on campus if they would consider volunteer work in any capacity, and the recurring answer was “not if I don't have to.” The bottom line is: spending government, hard earned paychecks and mommy and daddy's money is worthless if we have neither the awareness of events happening around us nor the intestinal fortitude to do anything other than complain about it. If you're tired of how the world is, think outside of the relatively secure bubble we live in. If you're still discontent, then feel free to keep quiet, pay attention to your surroundings and get ready to get your hands dirty. To quote “Atlas Shrugged” by Ayn Rand, “The evil of the world is made possible by nothing but the sanction you give it.” **TAS**

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Women with gender, hormone disorders victims of discrimination in professional sports



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Imagine something so important to you that you live for it. It is the thing you think about when you wake up and the thing you think about before you go to sleep. It is everything you love, and you can't imagine your life without it. Now, imagine it is taken away from you because people believe you are unfit for it. Is it comprehensible? According to scientificamerican.com and nature.com, that is exactly what the International Association of Athletics Federation and the International Olympics Committee plan to do about some female athletes who live with a condition known as hyperandrogenism. Hyperandrogenism is defined as a condition in which a person secretes excess androgens, or male sex hormones. It has long been a controversial issue in the sports arena for a few reasons. First of all, the sports industry classifies by gender because men are physically able to perform at higher levels than women because of their androgen levels, mainly testosterone. Also, a woman with hyperandrogenism could have a large advantage over other women because of the androgen levels being so high in her body. Although the IAAF has set clear guidelines that exempt certain forms of the condition, such as complete AIS and polycystic ovary syndrome, which impair the body's ability to read androgens, all other women with levels of testosterone equal to that of a male's are ineligible to compete by these new standards. This is wrong. Not only are the IAAF and the IOC unlocking a new form of discrimination against women, but it is opening doors to, for lack of a better term, witch hunting. Women must now subject themselves to all forms of gender testing to prove what gender they've been their whole lives, simply for showing an interest in physical activity. The purpose of these new guidelines is supposedly to promote a new level of fairness and equality in the game — to “level the playing field,” so to speak.

However, it seems more like a way of erasing masculine women from international sports, however inadvertent it may be. Endocrinologist, Myron Genel, from the Yale School of Medicine said, “It ought to at least eliminate stigmatization of certain women who people feel ‘don't look quite right.” If you ask me, there's something “not quite right” about that statement. The idea is hyperandrogenism gives a woman an unfair advantage over women without it and therefore they should not be allowed to compete. What about men? Of course they already have a higher level of androgens, but what about those with androgen levels much higher than that of the typical male's? Is it fair they be allowed to compete with other men? They have a preexisting biological advantage over other men, just like women with hyperandrogenism have over other women. Why is it only a problem for women? If those overseeing international sporting events really want to participate in fair play, they should not be looking to keep gender segregation but rather start looking into androgen-based classification. Instead of testing to prove gender, they would test levels of testosterone. Given the fact hyperandrogenism comes in so many abstract forms, testing to determine one's gender can involve multiple different tests. According to nature.com, the website for Nature Science Journal, 1 out of 5,000 people are born with hyperandrogenism, but one out of 421 athletes are found with it. Therefore, we can deduce determining a person's gender is much more difficult than determining their testosterone levels. It is also much less demeaning. Gender shouldn't be important when it is so difficult to define scientifically, and especially when one has to ban people who are hard to define from doing what they love simply because they have an unfair advantage against people they are way ahead of to begin with. It's like sticking two wrestlers from different weight groups in a match together; the smaller guy risks getting crushed. This is why international sports need a reclassification system. If the gender segregating is causing such a big issue, and we know what the problem is, then we need to fix it. Banning women with gender disorders from playing is a large step, perhaps even a stumble, backward for human rights. **TAS**

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT:

Intersex Disorders

- **Intersex Conditions** are conditions in which the outer genitalia does not fit the norm for either the male or female gender.
- **There are four categories** of intersex conditions: 46, XY Intersex, in which the person has the chromosome of a man but undetermined, ambiguous or female genitalia; 46 XX Intersex, in which the person has the ovaries of a woman but the outside genitalia of a man; True Gonadal Intersex, in which a person has both ovarian and testicular tissue and Complex Intersex, where extra chromosomes are present.
- **An estimated** one in 1500 to one in 2000 people are born with apparent Intersex disorders. This number does not include those whose disorders manifest late in life or are not apparent at birth.
- **The standards for male and female identification** are set by humans. Generally, doctors decide how unusual a genital part must be before it constitutes an intersex disorder.

Source: The Intersex Society of North America

Slashing HOPE jeopardizes the future



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“For many, the HOPE is their only chance to receive a quality education ...”

As many APSU students know, the HOPE Lottery scholarship is available to all students in the state of Tennessee. It provides \$4,000 per year for four years of college. The criteria is simple: to gain eligibility, the student must be a Tennessee resident and either make a weighted 3.0 grade point average in high school or score at least a 21 on the ACT or 980 on the SAT, as stated on tn.gov.

Lt. Gov. Ron Ramsey, of Blountville, Tenn., has founded a task force dedicated to preserving the reserves of available scholarship money, at the cost of cutting some students' benefits in half. Understandably, this decision has dismayed many students, many of whom can't afford tuition without the HOPE's financial aid.

The proposal is only under consideration now. The change would decrease students' lottery assistance if they did not meet both standardized testing and high school grade requirements. Rather than being paid \$4,000 for four years, students would receive \$4,000 dollars for two years, even if they attend a four-year university.

The Associated Press reports this plan is expected to save \$17 million each year. Even though the HOPE Lottery scholarship program has already accumulated nearly \$400 million in reserves, legislators worry the cost of the program could overtake lottery profits.

To compensate for expenses in the short term, the state has used lottery reserves. Without reform, state officials approximate the lottery reserves could steadily diminish to about \$145 million by 2021.

Keeping the state out of debt and financially stable is important, and reform is necessary, but the rights of students to be educated should not be jeopardized in the process.

“We just don't need to go across the board slashing it and putting a lot of ... kids off it,” said Nashville's Mike Turner, House Democratic Caucus Chairman.

Many otherwise intelligent students struggle during their high school years or have test anxiety and exhibit subpar results on one of the criteria. In addition, middle-class families who make too little money to comfortably afford college but make too much to warrant financial aid are left marooned in an awkward middle ground.

For many, the HOPE is their only chance to receive a quality education and eventually acquire a satisfactory job.

While financial crises must be attended to, it is apparent there is an increasing educational crisis in America. Some might argue the cuts, which would raise the bar for eligibility for a standard Tennessee scholarship, would contribute to more focused, motivated high school students.

However, equal opportunity is a basic tenet upon which this country was founded, and education is a right of the people.

This change would blindside so many promising students and perhaps even harm the future of this country.

Without access to education, the new generation in charge of taking on the torch of its predecessors and running the world will be forced to work with basic knowledge rather than a well-rounded secondary education. As the old maxim goes, “Those ignorant of history are doomed to repeat it.”

Students need HOPE. If students can manage either of the criteria necessary to win a HOPE Lottery scholarship at this time, they have reasonably proven themselves to be high achievers, pupils of exemplary caliber and responsible enough to have a lust for knowledge which they should not be denied.

Young adults today should be assisted by the state as much as possible in order to empower themselves and become productive members of society.

The idea behind the cuts is not intentionally malicious, but deserves careful consideration. The people of this generation hold the future of the United States in their hands.

How capable those hands will become in shaping the nation is directly related to education. Denying anyone education is not only immoral, but counterproductive. **TAS**

Your Take : How do you feel about the proposal to raise requirements for the HOPE Scholarship?

“It's really hard to meet their requirements already and it seems like they're trying to weed people out.” — Ryan Mann, sophomore History major



“I think it should be raised. Most people just breeze through school. Other people try hard and deserve more.” — Justin Blankenship, freshman Computer Science major

“I don't see anything wrong with that. It forces people to strive for excellence and work harder.” — Nathan Burleson, senior Biology major



“I don't like it because I don't have both a 3.0 and a 21 on my ACT and I don't work. That scholarship is basically how I live.” — Alysha Rush, sophomore Graphic Design major

“I'm for it. If you are able to get a 3.0 all through high school, you should be able to pull a 21 on your ACT.” — Jeremy Johnson, sophomore Business Management major



“Changing the requirements is not fair. Some people are not good test takers, but study hard and make good grades.” — Justin Gilkey, junior Criminal Justice major

APSU can cut costs, save energy with added computer measures

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The advancement of technology has boomed over the course of the last several years. Technology has led us to use a computer regularly for everyday life, including typing up a paper for class, utilizing the Internet to look up valuable information, doing taxes or simply checking Facebook to keep up with the social world.

With all this technology, however, one must also consider the amount of energy being utilized to power that computer so many individuals take for granted.

According to Tennessee Valley Authority, it costs Tennessee about 9.6 cents per kilowatt

hour (kWh). For the purpose of simplicity, I rounded that up to 10 cents per kWh.

Based on the information obtained from the University of Pennsylvania Computing site, a standard Dell Optiplex 760 computer uses between 95 and 110 watts of energy to run hourly, and peaks at 116 watts, whereas a standard Mac uses nearly 50 percent more.

For simplicity purposes, I used 100 watts for this demonstration, and at 10 cents per kWh, it costs a single computer on average about 25 cents to run a computer 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Although this doesn't sound like much, that calculation is just for one computer.

According to Information Technology Center, there are approximately 4,500 computers on campus (about 4,000 Windows and 500 Macs). Of those 4,500 computers, many of them are kept running 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

When the computers are not being used, they go into hibernation, which uses less energy.

Knowing this, there need to be guidelines to shutting computers down at night and over the weekend. This should be enforced to help make campus greener.

Based on this, roughly half of the 4,500 computers are on all day, every day. The estimated cost of running all these computers on campus per day to be around \$540. Over the course of the year, that's nearly \$200,000 — money that could be saved.

You may be wondering how this affects you as a student. Each student who attends APSU pays \$112.50 each semester (\$250 per year) to a technology fee account.

That allows students to access campus computers, print from printers and use other

technological programs offered. Essentially, students help pay to run the computers on campus.

The solution to the wasted energy from computers running during off hours would be to install a program that automatically shuts down the computer from 10 p.m. to 8 a.m.

That's 10 hours of saved energy, everyday, cutting that \$200,000 price tag in almost half. Those saving can go back into upgrading existing computers and printers campuswide; a win-win situation for all.

I believe if APSU wants to continue to make itself stand out as a green campus, small measures must be taken to not only save energy, but also save money.

That's money you as a student of APSU pay to attend this beautiful college many of us consider home. **TAS**

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Conor and Shelley enjoy some marble cheesecake at The Looking Glass. The restaurant's whimsical decorations feature various animal paintings and psychadelic color patterns from the walls to the furniture. **SUSAN LIBERATORE | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER**



Conor finds romance at The Looking Glass

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I have to admit, when my *All State* coeditors first came to me and excitedly announced I was going on a date for this week's Valentine's Day edition, I was a little apprehensive. I'm single, and the excitement my coworkers showed in suggesting date ideas was sort of unsettling.

While they happily toyed with the possibilities of speed dating and blind dating, I decided it would be safer to find a date myself before they resorted to searching through Craigslist personals. Luckily for me, my best friend Shelley Starkey didn't have any problem with sharing dinner.

I should first point out it isn't always easy to find a romantic restaurant in Clarksville. Being a tech-savvy college student, I resorted to Google before anything else.

However, using the "romantic" filter on some food review sites only brought up sports bars and, oddly enough, Denny's. (Before I go further, I should point out to my male readers, taking your date to Denny's is never a good idea, especially on Valentine's Day.)

From some friends' referrals, I finally settled on The Looking Glass Restaurant and Gourmet Bakery. It's located at 329 Warfield Blvd., and has built up a fair reputation. The Looking Glass received five-star ratings from Orbitz and Yahoo.com and has been called the best restaurant in town by *The Leaf Chronicle*.

Despite all the hype, I'd never been to the restaurant and really had no idea what to expect. From the moment we walked in the door, I realized the décor was a nod to "Through the Looking-Glass," a sequel to "Alice in Wonderland."

The restaurant's light purple interior features tables and chairs painted in colorful patterns and various kites dangling from the ceiling. While this may sound a bit eccentric for a romantic date, most of the lighting comes from candles and soft Christmas lights, giving the place a quiet, low-key atmosphere that's actually really nice.

Being college students and low on cash, we just went for dessert rather than a whole meal. The Looking Glass has a lot of coffee options I would recommend for my fellow caffeine addicts, but their dessert menu is the real deal. The bakery's menu varies slightly day to day, but you'll basically be safe with any choice on the menu.

Their cheesecake is honestly among the best I've had, and ordering one slice gives you enough to keep some leftovers stashed away in your dorm mini-fridge — which is exactly what we did.

To add to The Looking Glass's whimsical atmosphere, in warmer weather there is an outdoor Zen garden where guests can dine, and live music is a regular evening feature. Despite being a nicer restaurant, The Looking Glass's prices aren't too high. Also, they open at 7 a.m. for any couples interested in a romantic brunch.

So if you're stumped for Valentine's ideas, I can personally say my semi-romantic date at The Looking Glass was a success. Here's hoping yours will be, too. **TAS**

**Thursday,
Feb. 9**

- 5 p.m.; **Weight-lifting Competition**; Foy Fitness Center
- 5-7 p.m.; **International Film Night**; MUC 303/305
- 7 p.m.; **Speaker: Lynette Lewis**; Clement Auditorium

**Saturday,
Feb. 11**

- 7:30 p.m.; **Govs basketball**; @ Murray State

**Monday,
Feb. 13**

- 7:30 p.m.; **Lady Govs**; @ Murray State
- **"She Week" Begins**; Sponsored by Housing Life/Dining Services

To submit on- or off-campus events for future Community Calendars, email allstatefeatures@apsu.edu.

#HISTORY

APSU hosts Tenn. history day

» **By KATELYN HAMAKER**
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APSU has been selected to host the Tennessee History Day Competition on Wednesday, Feb. 22, where more than 300 students grades 6-12 in the area will compete with their knowledge of history.

This is one of six preliminary competitions within other regions of Tennessee and the winners will advance to the statewide history competition.

The theme of this year's History Day is Revolution, Reaction and Reform. The participants will mold their work into projects in various categories such as performance, websites, posters, papers and documentary film.

History Day was created in the 1970s to stir up excitement in students about the subject of history. Today, more than half a

million students participate in the competition and learn to hone and develop their cognitive skills.

Not only is this a great opportunity for grade school students, it is also a helpful way to promote interest in APSU.

"This is a tremendous opportunity for us to showcase the university to students who, in the next year or two, are going to be thinking about college," Kristofer Ray, assistant professor of History and event co-coordinator said. "It's an opportunity for us to show off our campus, our faculty and our facilities."

The event will be held in the MUC where the participants will present their History Day projects, and later that night there will be an award ceremony for the winning contestants.

The presentations and awards ceremony are open to the public. **TAS**

#TELEVISION

Iowa woman blackmails TLC show

» **By ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Davenport, Iowa — An Iowa woman is charged with extortion in an alleged plot to get Discovery Communications Inc. to cancel the TLC show "19 Kids and Counting" or pay her \$10,000 in exchange for not revealing compromising photos of a cast member, according to federal court documents.

Teresa Hunt, of Bettendorf, is accused of threatening to release photos of a cast member in "apparently intimate situations" to a magazine.

Hunt was arrested Thursday, Feb. 1, after she apparently sent television executives typed and handwritten letters demanding the show be canceled, along with a business card for "Perfect Pictures."

The reality show follows Jim Bob and Michelle Duggar and their 19 children.

The letter was sent in January to the parent company of TLC describing Hunt's professional relationship with a 56-year-old musician who performs in Branson, Mo., and providing details of an affair with an unspecified female cast member, according to an affidavit in U.S. District Court in Davenport.

Hunt's arrest was first reported last Thursday, Feb. 1, by the Quad-City Times in Davenport.

In the letter, Hunt allegedly said that the Duggars "claim to be so Christian so they keep popping out more babies to keep their ratings up."

She said she was a photographer and was in possession of damaging pictures.

Hunt then sent an email with three pictures attached to the undercover agent, according to the affidavit.

"I have more buried in a box at my parent's home, but it will take some time to go through the boxes to find them. I'm attaching what I currently have on my computer. I hope these are enough," the email said.

In the email allegedly from Hunt, she said she doesn't like the musician and "he owes me money." She allegedly said she's willing to "settle for \$10,000," and has no reason to hurt the cast member "except that's she's on a reality show and pretends to be a right-wing Christian and she's sleeping with a 56 year old man."

There is no telephone listing for Hunt. A call to her attorney, Jack Dusthimer, wasn't returned Monday. **TAS**

A young girl with curly hair, wearing a white sleeveless dress with a small pattern and a large black hat, is blowing a kiss towards a young boy. The boy is wearing a black suit jacket over a white shirt and a dark bow tie. They are both looking at each other, and the girl's mouth is open in a kissing gesture. The background is plain white.



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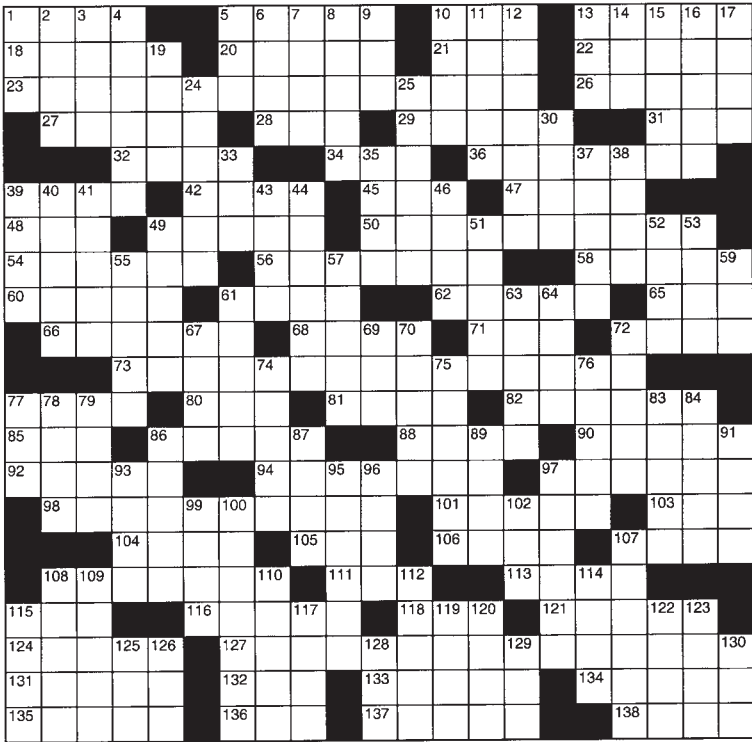
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 - 27 Director Sergio
 - 28 Grazing ground
 - 29 Overact
 - 31 Have a mortgage
 - 32 Become engaged?
 - 34 EMT's skill
 - 36 "La Boheme" girl
 - 39 Depravity
 - 42 Heavy metal
 - 43 Instrument?
 - 45 Mellow
 - 47 Rajasthani rhythm
 - 48 Coach Parseghian
 - 49 Kayak commander
 - 50 Part 2 of remark
 - 54 Verbal explosion
 - 56 Pittsburgh player
 - 58 Skirt feature
 - 60 Tangle
 - 61 "May I interrupt?"
 - 62 Vision
 - 65 Cookbook phrase
 - 66 Impressive lobby
 - 68 Catches cod
 - 71 Runner
 - 72 Karras or Haley
 - 73 Part 3 of remark
 - 77 Suggestive
 - 80 — Na Na
 - 81 Beloved
 - 82 Type of aircraft
 - 85 Maestro de Waart
 - 86 Fusillade
 - 88 Khartoum's river
 - 90 Hopeless case
 - 92 Jeeves or Passepout
 - 94 Focused
 - 97 Watchful city?
 - 98 Part 4 of remark
 - 101 Perfect
 - 103 One of the Marches
 - 104 Anesthetize
 - 105 Fitting
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 - 107 Goofy Gomer
 - 108 Field event
 - 111 — the fields we go ...
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 - 116 Recruit personnel
 - 118 Good times
 - 121 Sari site
 - 124 Rent
 - 127 End of remark
 - 131 Party present
 - 132 Myriads of moons
 - 133 "Midnight at the ..."
 - 134 — Gay?
 - 135 Fight site
 - 136 Room for relaxing
 - 137 Marine leader?
 - 138 Hardware item
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 - 1 Sports official
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 - 4 She knew how to get a head
 - 5 Droop
 - 6 Do
 - 7 Sarah — Jewett
 - 8 Pale purple
 - 9 — "volente"
 - 10 "Carpe —"
 - 11 Turn of phrase
 - 12 Bother
 - 13 "Fantasia" frame
 - 14 Fish-and-chips accompaniment
 - 15 Chauvinist
 - 16 Conductor
 - 17 Lynn
 - 18 Muse count
 - 24 Snuggle up
 - 25 "The Aeneid" author
 - 30 Jacob's twin
 - 33 Tint
 - 35 — "Rider" ("85 film)
 - 37 Neighbor of Libya
 - 38 Kite part
 - 39 Places to dye
 - 40 One of "The Three Sisters"
 - 89 Helen of Troy's mom
 - 91 Wrath
 - 93 Cubist
 - 94 Be there
 - 95 Warning
 - 96 Tivoli's Villa d'—
 - 97 Ancient tongue
 - 99 Little devils
 - 100 Bordered on
 - 102 Kreski's letters
 - 107 Know-it-all
 - 108 Vow
 - 109 Throw forcefully
 - 110 Resort lake
 - 112 Bucolic
 - 114 Memo start
 - 115 — Romeo
 - 117 Actress
 - 119 "Yo!" at the library
 - 120 Move a bit
 - 122 "Blame — the Bossa Nova" ("63 hit)
 - 123 Bill of Rights grp.
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 - 130 Beaver or beret

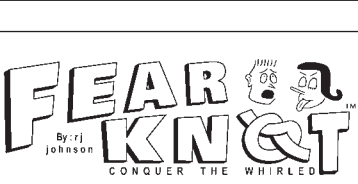


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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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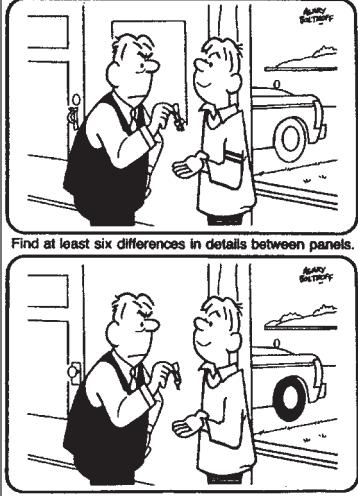
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Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an L, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

- 1. Gulp down — V — — — —
- 2. Puff up — W — — — —
- 3. Greasy dirt — — — — M —
- 4. Exchange S — — — — —
- 5. Speaker's platform P — — — — —
- 6. Line of business — — — — E —
- 7. Commuter boat — E — — — —
- 8. Soft color — — — — — L
- 9. Siberian feline — — G — — — —
- 10. Courageous B — — — — —
- Alternative route — — — — T — — —
- Snail's home — — H — — — —
- Complain — — — — P — — —
- Eye movement T — — — — —
- Salt S — — — — —
- President Jimmy — — — — T — — —
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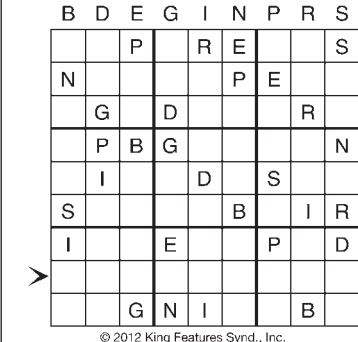
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Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Letter Box by Linda Thistle

Place a letter in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the letters listed above the diagram. When completed, the row indicated will spell out a word or words.



1692: A doctor in Salem Village, Massachusetts Bay Colony suggested that two girls in the village may be suffering from bewitchment, leading to the Salem witch trials.

1915: D.W. Griffith's controversial film *The Birth of a Nation* premiered in Los Angeles, Calif.

1968: The Orangeburg massacre, an attack on black students from South Carolina State University who were protesting racial segregation at the town's bowling alley, left three dead in Orangeburg, S.C.

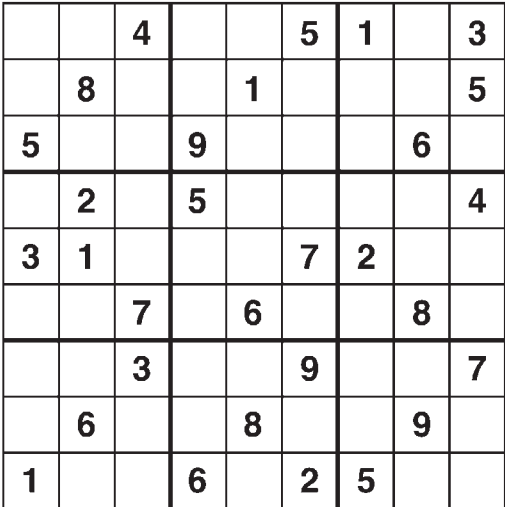
RANDOM FACT

All three major 1996 presidential candidates, Clinton, Dole, and Perot were left-handed.

Information from OnThisDay and Facts app.

Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

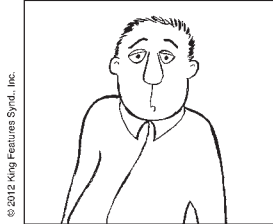


Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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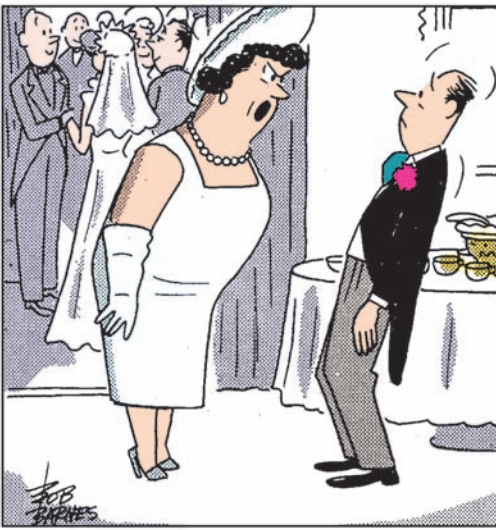
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Just Like Cats & Dogs by Dave T. Phipps

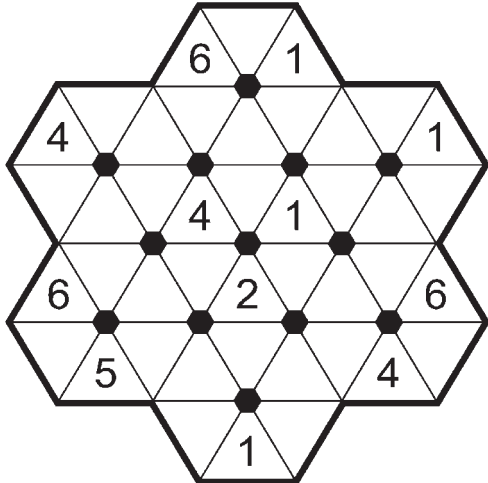


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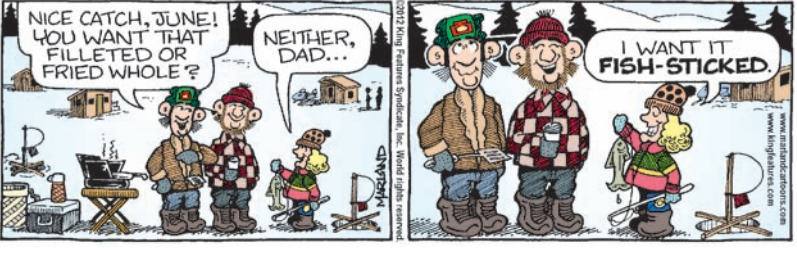


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by Mike Marland

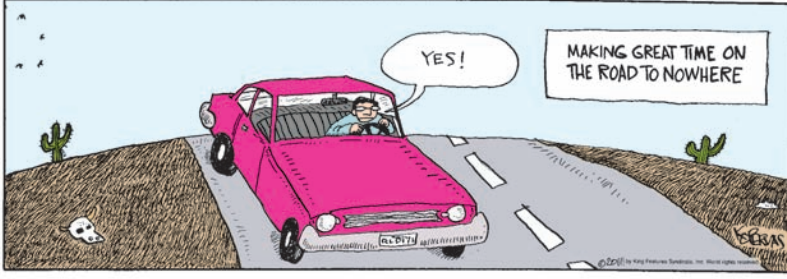
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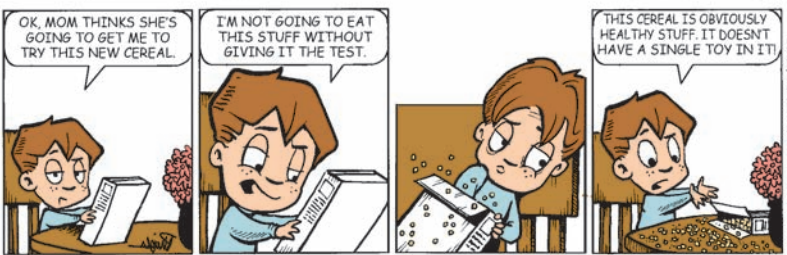
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Out on a Limb



by Gary Kopervas

Amber Waves



by Dave T. Phipps

TOP HEADLINES

SCORE BOARD



OVC BASKETBALL STANDINGS

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Murray St.	11-0 (23-0)
Tennessee Tech	8-4 (16-9)
Tennessee St.	8-4 (15-11)
Southeast Mo.	7-4 (12-11)
Morehead St.	6-5 (13-12)
Eastern Ky.	6-6 (13-12)
Austin Peay	6-6 (9-16)
Jacksonville St.	5-7 (11-16)
SIUE	5-7 (7-14)
Eastern Illinois	2-9 (9-14)
UT Martin	0-12 (3-22)

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Eastern Illinois	10-0 (19-4)
UT Martin	9-1 (15-8)
SIUE	8-3 (14-8)
Tennessee Tech	7-4 (11-14)
Eastern Ky.	6-5 (11-11)
Murray St.	5-5 (9-14)
Morehead St.	4-6 (7-14)
Tennessee St.	4-8 (8-16)
Southeast Mo.	3-8 (6-18)
Austin Peay	2-9 (5-19)
Jacksonville St.	1-10 (4-20)

OVC BASKETBALL STATISTICS

MEN'S SCORING (PPG)

1.) K. Murphy (TTU)	21.8
2.) I. Canaan (MUR)	18.9
3.) J. Dillard (TTU)	18.3
4.) R. Covington (TSU)	17.8
5.) J. Jones (EKU)	16.2
6.) J. Granger (EIU)	15.3
7.) M. Liabo (UTM)	14.9
8.) T. Stone (SEMO)	14.6
9.) M. Yelovich (SIUE)	14.3
10.) D. Poole (MUR)	14.2

MEN'S REBOUNDS (RPG)

1.) J. Dillard (TTU)	8.6
2.) R. Covington (TSU)	8.0
3.) L. Powell (SEMO)	7.3
4.) A. McKinnie (EUI)	7.3
5.) T. Stone (SEMO)	7.2
6.) M. Baker (APSU)	6.2
7.) M. Yelovich (SIUE)	6.2
8.) J. Jones (SIUE)	5.8
9.) D. Shaffer (SIUE)	5.7
10.) K. Murphy (TTU)	5.6

WOMEN'S SCORING (PPG)

1.) H. Butler (UTM)	22.9
2.) J. Newsome (UTM)	19.8
3.) W. Hanley (APSU)	18.7
4.) E. Hayes (TTU)	17.0
5.) E. Burgess (MUR)	16.0
6.) J. Shuler (TSU)	15.2
7.) L. Dixon (MOR)	15.1
8.) C. Lumpkin (MOR)	15.0
9.) M. Robinson (MUR)	14.9
10.) T. Nixon (EUI)	14.7

WOMEN'S REBOUNDS (RPG)

1.) A. Harris (MOR)	12.5
2.) D. Vaughn (JSU)	9.1
3.) R. Berry (SIUE)	8.9
4.) A. Jones (EKU)	8.1
5.) M. Herrod (SIUE)	8.0
6.) J. Barber (EKU)	7.9
7.) B. Morrow (JSU)	7.7
8.) M. King (EUI)	7.7
9.) B. Hamiel (SEMO)	7.1
10.) C. Pressley (EUI)	6.7

NCAA BASKETBALL AP TOP 25

- 1.) Kentucky
- 2.) Syracuse
- 3.) Ohio State
- 4.) Missouri
- 5.) North Carolina
- 6.) Baylor
- 7.) Kansas
- 8.) Florida
- 9.) Murray State
- 10.) Duke
- 11.) Michigan State
- 12.) Georgetown
- 13.) San Diego State
- 14.) UNLV
- 15.) Florida State
- 16.) Saint Mary's
- 17.) Creighton
- 18.) Marquette
- 19.) Virginia
- 20.) Mississippi State
- 21.) Wisconsin
- 22.) Michigan
- 23.) Indiana
- 24.) Louisville
- 25.) Harvard

UPCOMING BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Feb. 11 @Murray St.	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 15 MOREHEAD ST.	7 p.m.
Feb. 18 YOUNGSTOWN ST.	7:30 p.m.
Feb. 23 @UT Martin	6 p.m.
Feb. 25 SOUTHEAST MO.	7:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Feb. 13 @Murray St.	7 p.m.
Feb. 18 MOREHEAD ST.	5:15 p.m.
Feb. 23 @UT Martin	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 25 SOUTHEAST MO.	5:15 p.m.

OVC CHAMPIONSHIPS

Feb. 29 - March 3
Nashville, TN
Municipal Auditorium

NEXT MEN'S HOME GAME



Morehead State Eagles
6-5 (13-12)

VS.



Austin Peay Governors
6-6 (9-16)

Wednesday,
Feb. 15,
7:00

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Murray State remains unbeaten, face APSU Saturday

Manning named MVP as Giants beat Patriots in Super Bowl XLVI

SPORTS

#GOVSBASKETBALL

Govs lose at home to TTU



Senior center John Fraley had the best performance of his collegiate career, but it wasn't enough to beat the Golden Eagles on Thursday, Feb. 2.

PHYLLISIA REED | SENIOR PHOTOGRAPHER

» By TRENT SINGER

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Nearly a month had passed since the Govs lost a game at the Dunn Center, but following a combined 62 points from the Tennessee Tech Golden Eagles' Jud Dillard and Kevin Murphy, the Govs came up

short on Thursday, Feb. 2, 94-88.

Several players proved they were prepared to take on the nation's best scoring duo in Dillard and Murphy.

Senior center John Fraley had the best game of his collegiate career, finishing with 31 points and 17 rebounds.

Regardless of Fraley's effort, the Govs could not muster up enough defense to slow down the Tennessee Tech offense.

Leading 36-33, the team ended the first half rather well.

They had kept Dillard and Murphy in check defensively, limiting the shooters to only 19 points.

At the beginning of the second half, Murphy made three straight three-pointers to give the Golden Eagles a 42-38 lead.

Senior center Melvin Baker played well in the losing effort, scoring 17 points and six rebounds, but more importantly, giving the Govs life with less than a minute left in the game.

Baker made a three-pointer and a dunk in the game's final minute to cut the Golden Eagles' lead to 90-88.

Fraley's 31 points marks the third consecutive contest in which he scored 20 points or more.

After allowing only 33 first-half points, the Govs gave up 61 second half points in the losing effort. After the game, coach Dave Loos spoke to Sports Information about the loss.

"I thought we played pretty well the first half," Loos said.

"They had significantly more fast-break points than us because we keep turning the ball over. Our turnovers led directly to baskets — easy baskets."

As a team, the Govs ended the night with 19 turnovers, nine of which came in the second half.

"The point is, we're really not giving ourselves a chance to win," Loos said.



Senior forward Melvin Baker ended the night with 17 points and 6 rebounds as the Govs lost by six points to the Golden Eagles, 94-88.

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The Govs will need to remain focused as they prepare for this year's toughest test on Saturday, Feb. 11, when they head to Murray and take on the undefeated Murray State Racers. *TAS*

#LADYGOVSBASKETBALL

Lady Govs surrender 7th-consecutive loss



Junior Kaitlyn Hill finished the Wednesday, Feb. 1, match up against the Lady Skyhawks with 11 points.

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Guards Whitney Hanley and Nicole Olszewski combined for 44 points in the Dunn Center on Wednesday, Feb. 1, but it wasn't enough to beat the UT Martin Skyhawks, who won the game 88-83 and are now in second place in the OVC.

Hanley ended the night

with 23 points and 12 rebounds, recording her first double-double of the season. Olszewski's 21 points was a career-high as the young sophomore continues to show her talents at the guard position.

Other important contributors included junior center Kaitlyn Hill, who ended the night with 11 points, and freshman guard Kristen

Stainback, who ended the night with 14 points.

For the Skyhawks, it was Jasmine Newsome who led the team's top-ranked offensive attack, finishing with 27 points.

After trailing at the half, 50-44, the Lady Govs continued to keep the game close for the remainder of the game.

The team put together a 20-11 run to cut the lead to two, 77-75, with seven minutes remaining in the contest.

Despite scoring the game's first eight points and holding the conference's best scorer, Heather Butler, to 17 points, the Lady Govs could not find an answer for leading scorer Jasmine Newsome.

The team turned the ball over 11 times, while the Lady Skyhawks played a more mistake-free game, ending the night with only four turnovers.

They will now look to end their losing streak this Monday, Feb. 13, against the Lady Racers at Murray. *TAS*

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Two APSU tennis players ranked No. 1 in OVC preview

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The OVC tennis preseason polls were released Friday, and two APSU players were ranked No. 1 in men's and women's tennis.

Sophomore Jasmin Ademovic was ranked No. 1 in men's tennis, while Senior Vanja Tomic was ranked No. 1 in women's tennis. Junior Sean Bailey was also ranked No. 3 in men's tennis.

Last year, the men's team finished second in the regular season and advanced to the OVC Championship match for the first time in more than 20 years.

Ademovic is the first Govs tennis player to be named Freshman of the Year. He earned the honor by going 5-1 in league play at the top two singles spots, and ended with a 16-10 overall mark. In doubles play, Ademovic went 14-7 overall and 4-2 in

conference play.

Although the team has four freshmen who are still young, there are high hopes for this year's tennis team.

Ademovic spoke to The Leaf Chronicle about his own aspirations as well.

"This season my goal is to be the Player of the Year for the OVC and again to be first-team all-OVC," Ademovic said.

"I think if I get these two goals I'm going to be the best athlete at APSU, which will be a great thing."

Along with two-time All-OVC pick Sean Bailey, the Govs hope to advance to their second consecutive OVC Championship.

The Lady Govs are led by Tomic, who is a two-time first-team All-OVC pick and was the 2010 OVC Player of the Year.

Despite losing in last year's conference championships, the team returns with sophomore Andra Cornea and five new

freshmen that have a lot to prove.

Tomic saw her numbers decrease in 2011, but still had a dominant season, finishing 16-5 overall and 7-1 in the OVC.

The men's team played its first game in Louisville on Thursday, Jan. 19, where both Bailey and Ademovic fell to the Cardinals, 7-0.

The team's first home game was last week against Belmont on Wednesday, Jan. 25, where both players won in singles and doubles competition, as the team went on to win, 5-2.

Meanwhile, the women's team has started the 2012 season off slow, losing their first six matches, four on the road.

This weekend features both teams at home, as the men's team takes on Western Kentucky on Friday, Feb. 10, at 2 p.m. and the women's team takes on Southern Illinois on Saturday, Feb. 11, at noon. *TAS*



Senior Vanja Tomic is one of two APSU players ranked No. 1 in OVC preview.
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