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## COUNTDOWN

Top 10 events at APSU in 2009

## Unity Celebration focuses on acceptance

### Mother speaks out against anti-gay violence

By **PATRICK ARMSTRONG**  
*Editor in Chief*

Nikki Giovanni, writer of “We Are Virginia Tech,” Alex Haley, writer of “Roots” and Holly Thompson, co-anchor of “Channel 4 News Today” on WSMV have been past speakers at the annual Unity Celebration Dinner. This year’s speaker is a gay rights activist and mother, Judy Shepard.

Judy’s son, Matthew was attacked in Laramie, Wyo. on Oct. 8, 1998, for being gay. He later passed away on Oct. 12. The death of Matthew quickly spread across the nation. This brought awareness to the growing epidemic of hate crimes in the nation. Judy testified before the Senate Judiciary Committee in support of the Hate Crimes Prevention Act on May 11, 1999.

Judy and her husband Dennis Shepard created the Matthew Shepard Foundation, in memory of their son and for what he believed in.

According to the Web site, “the Foundation seeks to replace hate with understanding, compassion and acceptance.”

The Unity Celebration Dinner will be held at 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 3, in the Morgan University Center Ballroom.

Tickets are free and are available at the office of Student Affairs, UC room 208, starting Wednesday, Jan. 20, for students, faculty and staff with a current student I.D.

After the dinner, Judy will speak in Clement Auditorium at 7 p.m. about the tragedy hate can bring, acceptance and how we can unite together against violence brought on by hate and fear. This will be free and open to the public.

For more information contact Students Affairs or visit [www.matthewshepard.org](http://www.matthewshepard.org). ♦

### 1 Enrollment breaks 10,000

Last fall enrollment numbers reached 10,188. Tennessee’s fastest growing public university announced the milestone to the public in the Morgan University Center Plaza on Nov. 16, 2009.

### 2 Groundbreakings

The new Chemical Engineering Technology Facility broke ground on the corner of Eight and College on July 10, 2009. APSU received a \$6.4 million grant from the state to build the new lab facility and will work with the Tennessee Board of Regents and the Tennessee Higher Education Commission to offer an associates degree in chemical engineering technology. On Nov. 3 a groundbreaking ceremony was held for a new residence hall on an empty plot of land across from Marion Street lot and next to Castle Heights lots.

### 3 Coach Dave Loos passes 400th win

In his 20th season as head coach of the Govs basketball team, Dave Loos earned his 400th win Dec. 3 2009, when the Govs defeated the Southeast Missouri Redhawks 76-71. Loos also broke the record for most victories (320) while coaching in the Ohio Valley Conference Dec. 9.



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### 4 Satellite campuses open facilities

The APSU Center at Fort Campbell opened its \$4.5 million facility on May 26, 2009. Austin Peay @ The Renaissance Center in Dickson held an open house for the public on June 11, 2009. APSU partnered with Nashville State Community College to offer core classes with upper-division business classes available through APSU.

### 5 McMillan, Rabidoux run for office

Kim McMillan, executive director of community and business relations, confirmed in an exclusive interview with *The All State* Jan. 15, 2009, interview she was going to run for governor in 2010. On June 4, 2009, Greg Rabidoux, assistant professor of political science, announced on Facebook that he was running for US Congress in the 7th Congressional District of Tennessee against the incumbent Marsha Blackburn.

### 6 Fly Williams jersey retired

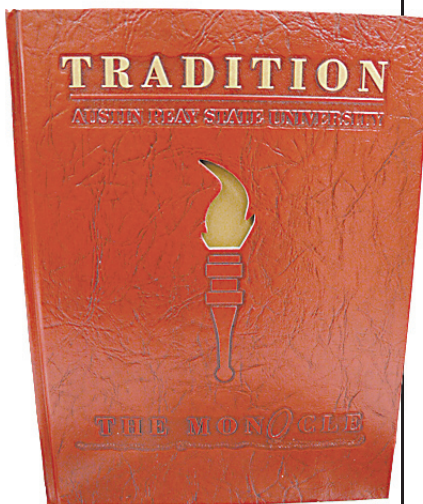
The man who had the Red Barn chanting “Fly’s open. Let’s Go Peay,” in the early 1970s had his No. 35 jersey retired in the Dunn Center on Feb. 5, 2009. James “Fly” Williams lead the Govs in his first year, 1972-1973, to a 22-7 record and their first-ever appearance in the Division I NCAA tournament. He holds the single-season record with 854 points in APSU history and second most in OVC history.

### H1N1

The World Health Organization declared in June 2009, the H1N1 virus, swine flu, to be a pandemic. On Aug. 28, President Timothy Hall released an e-mail saying two commuter students were suspected of having swine flu. A H1N1 task force was created to inform students of preventative measures that could help reduce the spread of the flu; make available educational information regarding symptoms and CDCs recommendation for treatment; provide and distribute cleaning supplies for offices, classrooms and residence halls; inform the campus community of how to respond to suspected cases and monitor reported cases in order to make recommendations to President Hall if necessary.

### 8 The Monocle

“Austin Peay State University Govs Pride” yearbook was last printed in 1993. In August 2009, “The Monocle,” the new yearbook, was printed and distributed. The new name refers to the eyepiece the Gov wears and was thought of by Terry Damron, assistant director of marketing. Suggestions were taken to President Timothy Hall and he chose the name for the new yearbook.



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### 9 APSU Athletics

The Lady Govs basketball team shocked the OVC when they defeated Eastern Illinois March 7, 2009 to win the 2009 OVC Women’s Basketball Championship and earned a spot in the 2009 NCAA Division I Women’s Basketball Championship. It was the first time a fifth seed had won the championship. The Lady Govs were picked to finish ninth in the conference’s preseason poll. They went on to lose to Duke in the first round.

One month later, the Golf Govs came from behind to win the 2009 OVC Championship and also earn a trip to the NCAA Men’s Golf Regional. They played three rounds of golf at The Club at Olde Stone, a 7,400-yard, par-72, Arthur Hills championship course. Battling through water delays and course conditions, the Golf Govs earned a 13th-place finish.

### 10 Student organizations

Alpha Tau Omega fraternity was officially re-chartered at APSU on March 21, 2009. During the summer, they received the “True Merit Honorable Mention Award” from the fraternity. Phi Alpha Theta History Honor Society was awarded “Best Chapter of 2009 by their nationals.

# Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity at APSU suspended

By **JENELLE GREWELL**  
*News Editor*

On Jan. 5, a letter of notification from the Pi Kappa Alpha International Fraternity was sent to the APSU Eta Tau chapter declaring the suspension of the chapter.

“They were closed or suspended by their national organization for financial debt,” said Dean of Students, Gregory Singleton.

According to the letter sent to Chris Killebrew, Eta Tau chapter president, the chapter owed \$7,286.12 to the national headquarters.

“No institution of higher education wants to lose a fraternal organization on their campus, particularly an organization that has been here almost 40 years,” Singleton said.

Singleton said unfortunately organizations have to close. The Eta Tau chapter was established in 1972.

Killebrew was just nominated chapter president and has been in the chapter since 2006. He said it is obviously a hard thing to see the chapter go, but if one really cares about the fraternity one has to do what’s best for it. “What’s best for it is to take a little time and restructure,” Killebrew said.

Brianna Lombardozi, coordinator of Fraternity and

Sorority Affairs, said it is a great regret when circumstances like the suspension of a chapter arise and losing a fraternity or sorority is something a campus never wants to happen.

“It makes me sad, but at the same time makes me hopeful that it will come back stronger,” said Alberto Mendoza, alumni and former Eta Tau president.

According to the letter from the Pi Kappa Alpha national headquarters, chapter suspension means the chapter may no longer operate in the name of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity or in any way use the fraternity’s names or derivatives, symbols or signage to denote the chapter is in anyway affiliated with the fraternity.

Singleton said this is not his first experience with the closing of a fraternity and it is never easy for anyone.

“I hate it for the young men who were affiliated with organization and who were active contributors, who were paying their dues, who were giving everything they could to insure the success and longevity of the chapter,” Singleton said.

He said he sent the letter from the national organization to each member of the chapter, at Killebrew’s request.

He said in the e-mail he would

offer support and guidance to the members if they should need him at any time.

“My own collegiate chapter closed after I was an undergraduate and I know how it affects and it is tough,” Singleton said.

“Fraternity and Sorority Affairs does its best to support the Greek community in conjunction with international headquarters, campus advisers and local alumni, with whom we respect and appreciate our close partnerships,” Lombardozi said.

Singleton said the chapter was advised months ago to utilize a payment plan to pay down the debt.

He said he did not think the members were surprised about the chapter closing because they had prior knowledge of the debt.

“To my understanding, before the chapter can ever be recolonized in the future, the debt would have to be erased.”

Singleton said the debt primarily is for membership dues and insurance.

Singleton said from his understanding, the debt would have to be paid back from liquidation of the current assets, meaning all money taken out of the bank account and the alumni would work to make sure the debt was paid when working with national



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The Eta Tau chapter house is located at 240 West Ave. The chapter was recently suspended for financial delinquency.

headquarters to recolonize the chapter.

Killebrew said he is looking forward to the chapter coming back to APSU soon. Singleton said recolonization will not take place until at least Spring 2014.

Killebrew said for the chapter to come back, there will be certain guidelines set by nationals, but he is not obligated to talk about them at

the current time, but the guidelines will be put out eventually.

“There’s some goals that have to be met, which is not out of reach and it will be done,” Killebrew said.

Lombardozi said the Office of Fraternity and Sorority Affairs will work with Pi Kappa Alpha’s headquarter staff to facilitate a

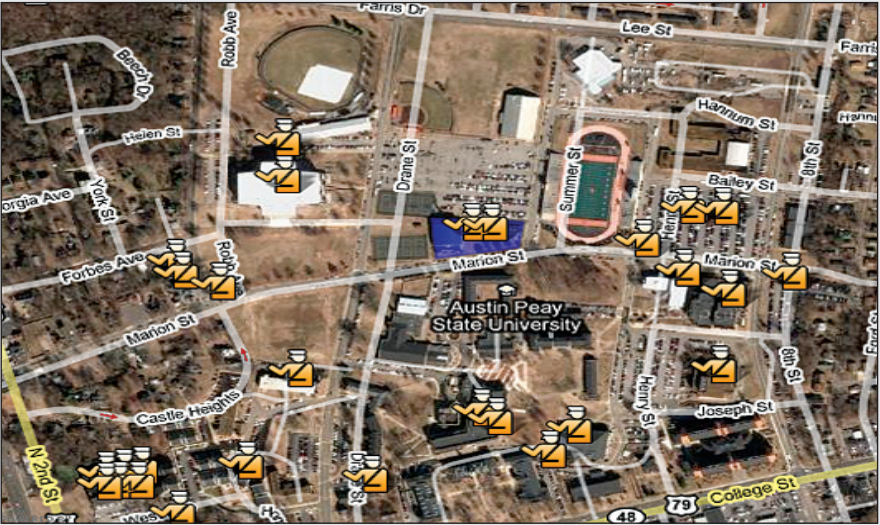


CAMPUS CRIME LOG

The APSU crime log includes arrests and dispatch call-ins. As mandated by Tennessee law, the crime log is updated within 48 hours of an incident and available for public inspection any time during normal business hours.

- 9:02 p.m., Jan. 9, Meacham lot, vandalism
- 5:36 a.m., Jan. 9, Hand Village parking lot, public intoxication, arrested; William F. Betts, 766 Princeton Circle, Clarksville, Tenn. 37042
- 6:05 p.m., Dec. 22, Killebrew, theft of property
- 7:05 a.m., Dec. 18, Blount lot, theft of property
- 11:12 p.m., Dec. 16, Meacham, theft of property
- 5:15 p.m., Dec. 16, Einstiens, theft of property
- 5:41 p.m., Dec. 16, Ellington, theft of property
- 8:15 p.m., Dec. 12, Rawlins, theft of property
- 4:05 p.m., Dec. 11, Library, theft of property
- 1:34 p.m., Dec. 11, Hand Village, theft of property
- 12:56 p.m., Dec. 10, Killebrew, theft of property
- 2:52 p.m., Dec. 8, Trahern, theft of property
- 9:11 a.m., Dec. 8, MUC, theft of property
- 8:55 p.m., Dec. 7, Foy Center, theft of

- property
- 12:52 p.m., Dec. 7, MMC, theft of property
- 9:06 p.m., Dec. 5, Eighth and Farris Streets, theft of property
- 2:30 p.m., Nov. 24, Claxton, theft of property
- 10:21 p.m., Nov. 23, Hand Village, alcohol violation by a minor
- 5:46 p.m., Nov. 22, Sevier lot, indecent exposure
- 12:00 p.m., Nov. 22, Rawlins, vandalism
- 10:26 a.m., Nov. 19, Trahern lot, criminal trespass
- 9:50 p.m., Nov. 18, Rawlins, alcohol violation by a minor
- 6:00 p.m., Nov. 18, Meacham, violation of drug free school zone, possession of resale, unlawful drug paraphernalia
- 3:56 p.m., Nov. 18, Rawlins, theft of property
- 2:58 p.m., Nov. 18, Rawlins, theft of property
- 2:58 p.m., Nov. 18, Hand Village, theft of property
- 2:20 p.m., Nov. 18, Sevier, alcohol violation by minor
- 8:19 p.m., Nov. 17, Foy Center, theft of property
- 5:11 p.m., Nov. 16, Hand Village, alcohol violation by minor
- 3:28 p.m., Nov. 16, Shasteen, theft of property



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To view an interactive map of campus crime, visit [www.theallstate.org](http://www.theallstate.org).



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The new C-Store, located inside the Hand Village lobby, opened Monday Jan. 11 and is accessible to all housing students. The hours of operation are Monday to Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. and 5 to 11 p.m., Saturday 12-9 p.m., and Sunday 5-11 p.m. There is also an ongoing contest where students can submit entries to name the store. The winner will not only receive \$250 Plus Dollars and a mountain bike, but there will also be an engraved plaque with their name inside of the store. The winning name will be announced in the Wednesday, Feb. 3, edition of *The All State*.

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re-colonization of the chapter when the time is appropriate. "I am confident that when the time is right, Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity will be welcomed back into our community and establish itself as a group of student leaders ready to continue the values that the organization upholds," she said.

Singleton said Pi Kappa Alpha is a strong national organization and he will work the national organization to recolonize the chapter.

"I want to make sure when the group comes back in the future that they are a strong and viable organization on our campus and a positive reflection on the national organization," Singleton said.

Killebrew said he thinks the APSU community will be affected at the loss of the chapter. Killebrew said Pi Kappa Alpha was one of the first fraternities here on the APSU campus. "It might take a little time to kick in, but it will have an affect," he said.

Mendoza said he thinks APSU will lose some of its history in the chapter being suspended.

"This chapter, as far as membership goes, it did not have a tremendous amount of members, so it affects the young men who are in the organization because they lose that opportunity for their fraternal organization to be on campus," Singleton said.

Singleton said there are number of very noteworthy alumni that come from the

chapter. He said members of the organization have contributed to the community and campus over the years.

Killebrew said he and his brothers will still keep close and in contact even though the chapter has been suspended.

"Even with this, I think there has been more communication, especially with alumni and in ourselves included. I think it will get stronger instead of weaker."

He said he and his brothers are trying to grasp on to everything and use this time to work on other things such as grades and part time work.

"I am always there for [my brothers] just like I know they will be there for me," Killebrew said.

He said the suspension of the chapter is a good thing because it cleans out the air a little bit and the chapter can come back with support from a newly involved alumni and support from the school, community and nationals.

"Organizations do go away and come back, sometimes it is necessary to take a step back and reevaluate what you are meaning to do," he said.

Lombardozi said the in order to ensure longevity of the Greek community at APSU, Fraternity and Sorority Affairs will continue to recruit and retain outstanding student leaders at APSU.

"I think sometimes, closure of an organization can assure its long term success," Singleton said. He said in his experience, when chapter is suspended and recolonized it is very successful. "It is no one's fault. It just happens," Singleton said. ♦

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# Considering the future as graduation nears



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Features Editor

Coming to college is an experience many people can't wait for — getting away from home, experiencing a little bit of freedom and doing whatever you want whenever you want to do it. As a college student, there are so many new adventures just waiting to be had. But now I've experienced it all, where do I go from here?

As a junior in college, I began to dream about the day I would graduate. I continued to look forward to the moment I would walk

across the stage. But now that it is finally here, I'm nervous. I can't even begin to put what I feel into words, but for you, my dear reader, I will try.

In less than four months, a mere 107 days, around a thousand other students and myself will walk across that stage in the Dunn Center and receive the coveted piece of paper. We have spent not only hours studying, but also several thousands of dollars investing in a degree.

Although I know this is a moment we will remember for the rest of our lives, I believe it is the days leading up to this moment and what will follow truly has us shaking in our boots.

For myself, and for many of my friends in the education department, we will be student teaching. We are neither the first, nor the last

batch of students teaching while worrying about how we will do or if we will fall on our faces as we attempt to mold the minds of children.

However, we are not the only group of students that will be attempting to work in a position we have trained years for. For others, these last few months may result in a couple of final classes, studying abroad or internships with firms of all kinds.

Although we may be excited and looking forward to these positions that we have worked hard to earn, we now face a new challenge — a challenge which awakens our deepest fears and motivates us to work even harder to ensure we succeed and continue to make ourselves and those who care about us proud.

These are our final moments as undergraduate

students. All we have worked for and all we have dreamed of is now at the footsteps of our lives. We must now pick up the pieces and truly find out what we want to do with the rest of our lives.

Seniors all around you are now faced with difficult decisions about their future. There is a list of possibilities we have at our fingertips. Sometimes choosing the thing we want to do for the rest of our lives is the scary. But if you don't believe me, then simply take a look at what others seniors are thinking as the day approaches we leave APSU behind.

Rob Denson, a senior marketing major, is just one of many students who plan to stay with a company that they are currently working with, before trying to find a position in a career more suited for

their major.

"I'm fortunate to have a job in the economy the way that it is. As far as being scared or worried, I am neither I have faith and patience that will get me somewhere."

Other students, like senior music major Rosa Sharon Hart, have decided to further their education.

"I'm really looking forward to graduating," Hart said. "Right now I'm a music major, but after graduation I plan on going to graduate school to become a physician assistant."

Some students simply want to focus on their lives and settling down. "I am glad I came to APSU, but I'm ready to be done," said senior Taylor Tolleson. "After graduation, I hope to get a job and get a place with my girlfriend."

But others, like myself, are looking forward to going

into the field they have been working toward. Christina Barnes, senior education major, is one of these many students hoping to land a job in a career that directly reflects their major.

"I am nervous, because I feel I have worked a long time for this and I will now be on my own to make a difference in many children's lives. I am excited to begin this new adventure."

Like Christina, I will fill these final days student teaching. I will continue to work hard to attain my degree, applying to schools in the local and surrounding school systems.

I have less than four months until I can say I am an alumna from APSU, and with everything coming to an end, will be a reward by itself. ♦

# Beginning of new year brings many goals, desire for changes



**Lois Jones**  
Senior Photographer

It is the beginning of a new year. What does that mean to you? For many it is a fresh start — the start of a diet or exercise program, resolutions to get financially sound, the desire to find romance, the overwhelming feeling that last year is over and anything is possible because it is a new year.

It seems as if every magazine has articles on how to accomplish what you want this year. Titles advocating a "new you" or "how to ... (fill in the blank)" and your life will be better fill the stands. Talk shows will award makeovers and tell the public what is "in" for the year to come.

The beginning of every new year inspires a strong desire for change. It may be a big change or a little one. You might want to lose that last 10 pounds or embark on the journey to lose a substantial amount of weight.

You might decide to continue your education and get an advanced degree or just to stay in school, because you had thought about quitting.

Even though the economic

times are not great, you may want to make a job or career change. That may be a risky decision, but it could also be the start of something great in your life.

Take your hobby and make it into a profitable and fun job. New means fresh and new start equals fresh start. If the last year was a bad one or just an uneventful one, and you have decided to make this one a great one, then hooray for you.

Don't create an environment that makes you feel overwhelmed. Break your goals into attainable accomplishments. If you are going to lose 100 pounds, then break it up into five- or 10-pound goals. If you want to start walking, then set your goal low enough that you can reach it and aren't discouraged, but steadily increase it so you see the progress you have made. You know what you can do without setting yourself up for failure.

We have just started a new semester. For some it is their first and others their last. For me it is my last as I will graduate with my master's degree in May.

I happen to be one of those people that loves school. I didn't when I was fresh out of high school. It took me a lifetime to realize what an education means and what it can offer you.

This year I have many goals. Will I reach them all? I don't know, but I can answer that next New Year's Day, so check with me then. I, for one, think reaching your goals requires accountability. Write your goals down and review them often. Let someone you trust and who will support you know what your goals are.

You might have a few roadblocks along the way, just keep your eyes on the goal. If it takes you longer than you had anticipated, don't get upset. Look at how far you have come and appreciate your efforts so far, then evaluate what it will take to reach the goal and go for it.

I am not going to lie and tell you achieving all your goals will be easy. I am the first to admit these last few years have not been easy for me, but they have been a time of reflection, and awareness I can succeed even when obstacles are thrown in the way.

I am grateful to those of you that have been my champions, mentors and friends these last few years. Without you, I would not have been as successful as I have been. I am trying to realize I need to do things one day at a time and one step at a time and all those steps will get me to where I am going.

Efforts add together. It may not seem like a lot in the beginning, like finishing your first semester, but each

semester you finish gets you one semester closer to your degree. Each pound lost, each step taken, and each class finished all get you closer to your weight loss, health or education goals.

Did I reach all my goals last year? Sadly, no. Ben and Jerry's and chocolate still have a hold on me and my house still isn't House and Garden beautiful.

Yes, those goals have been added to this year's goals and hopefully I will be looking great in my gown in May and relaxing in my pretty, clean home and in my new home office doing homework very soon.

I know we are over half way through January, but take this year and claim it for yourself.

Don't take "no" for an answer. Ask: If you don't ask you don't get. Reach: You might find you like what you get when you go a little out of your comfort zone. Evaluate what you have done that has worked and keep doing it and change what has not. Dare to be the best you and have the best year you can.

Just remember we are all human and will make mistakes and have setbacks. If you see me with chocolate, you can say something, but be kind. Chocolate is chocolate after all, and it may be one of those days where the only thing that makes it better is the sweet taste of chocolate.

Happy spring semester. ♦

YOUR TAKE

## “What do you think APSU could do to help the citizens of Haiti?”



**“**  
Contact the local Red Cross and get information on what people can help with and have APSU inform the students and what the Red Cross wants."  
**— Kristian Caully, freshman special eduation major**



**“**  
Have an auction where you bid on the fraternity boys and sports players and all the money that has been raised, donate to Haiti."  
**— Kiteera Campbell, freshman criminal justice major**

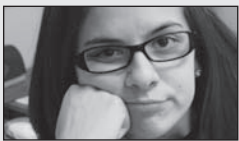


**“**  
A fundraiser, a game night where students buy a ticket to play games and all the money goes to Haiti."  
**— Clinton Van Ert, junior business management major**



**“**  
A car wash, have a night event concert to raise money and all money goes to Haiti."  
**— Benjamin Rush, sophomore mathematics major**

# This week in ridiculous: from athletics to late-night television



**Jess Nobert**  
Senior Staff Writer

Last week, I was getting settled in my room at the school in Sweden, where I'll be an exchange student for the next six months, when I came across a glaringly ridiculous story. Mark McGwire finally admitted he used steroids when he broke the home run record in 1998.

This comes after another McGwire related story I saw the weekend before: Tony La Russa allegedly wants to

activate the team's hitting coach as a designated hitter if the team manages to make the playoffs. McGwire is the new hitting coach, for those of you who might have missed that last semester.

With the time difference in Sweden, I sleep through most of what is the later part of the afternoon and evening in Clarksville. So when I woke up to see Facebook groups like, "Lane Kiffin, we hate you," I was a little surprised. I heard the Seattle Seahawks had fired their head coach before I left and I also heard the rumors of Pete Carroll leaving USC for the job. It wasn't until I did a Google search I found out what UT fans are so mad about.

There are a lot of things about professional and college sports that make me mad. Steroids, athletes who play the minimum time in college to enter the draft and coaches who leave their teams after one year. Or, as I found out this year, I also don't like coaches who leave for another job when their team is going to a bowl game.

UT was only 7-6 last season under Kiffin, which as far as I understand during my time in the South is mostly considered a losing season. Let's just hope ole Rocky Top can pull this one out so we don't have to hear the Vols gripe for too much longer.

Another story I was (not really) following before I

boarded the plane for the Eastern Hemisphere was the Jay Leno situation. I never really got why he moved time slots to begin with.

Is it because he's old and wants to go to bed? No, he taped the Late Show in the afternoon. Was it because he was on too many nights a week? No, the new show was just as often.

So what is this about his ratings? Does the network really think moving him back to after the news is going to help with the ratings there?

The way I see it, Leno has probably had the same viewers for decades and this switch isn't really about who is watching him. Brian Williams reported

last week many of the local NBC affiliates were losing money over the new Leno show because he was turning people away from the network just before the 10 p.m. news. According to Williams, this is where a lot of local stations get most of their revenue.

So what about this "new" scenario? It's almost the same as it was before. Granted, I never really cared for Leno myself, so the earlier show wasn't much of an incentive to watch, but will the old time slot help that much?

What about the new shows that goes there and hurts the news just as much? The network will have to rearrange their primetime programming to

fit this change.

I always thought the new Leno show was a waste, but now I see his bosses (the advertising companies) might think so, too.

(Not long after I wrote the part about Leno, I turned on the Swedish TV to see his show coming on.)

Even though I might be in a different hemisphere than the majority of the students at APSU, I will try my best to still do the same thing I've been doing for the last year.

When a ridiculous story makes news in the U.S. or somewhere else around the world, I will be like the Lewis Black of *The All State* and bring it to you in a segment I like to call "This Week in Ridiculous." ♦



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I thought that the only way I could make a difference was to do it myself.”

— Anne Wall, associate professor of education

# Wall awarded Innovative Professor of the Year

Anne Wall, associate professor of education, has been teaching online courses at APSU for eight years.



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By TANGELIA CANNON  
Features Editor

As a young woman right out of college, Anne Wall thought she would never teach due to the bad experience she had while she was student teaching. However, due to an ordeal her youngest daughter encountered in her fifth grade classroom 20 years later, she decided to go back and update her degree so she could make a difference.

“After realizing how much difference an ineffective teacher could have on a child’s education; I thought the only way I could make a difference was to do it myself,” Wall said.

Since Wall had allowed her teaching license expire, she went to the Department of Education at APSU and asked what she had to do to get recertified. It was then she began taking a special education class, as well as Education 3040 — Instructional Technology.

When Wall got her recertification, she began teaching at Burt Elementary. Around the time Wall started at Burt, it was being transformed into a fifth grade,

21st century school.

“I thought, ‘Oh, that would really be cool, If I could teach over there and have all of this technology,’” Wall said. “I just loved it.”

“When I started teaching and saw the potential of using technology in the class and what you could do, I just got so excited about it.”

During the summer of 2001, the professor that taught instructional technology quit and transferred to another job.

Although Wall had no intention of leaving Burt Elementary, Wall decided to take a leave of absence for one year from the school system to teach the class. Wall never returned to Burt Elementary.

During Wall’s second year at APSU, former APSU President Sherry Hoppe put forth the initiative to begin online classes.

Unfortunately, because no one had ever done it before, no one knew what to do. At the time, the standard was simply to put face-to-face classes online.

“A face-to-face course is a face-to-face course because of the interaction

between the teacher and the students,” Wall said. “You can’t just put the content online and expect the class to succeed.”

“It has been a work in process,” Wall said. “We have gone to workshops and conferences. We have been told what stuff works and what to try.”

Everyone has their own theories about what works, but Wall believes in order to make an online class thrive, the resources on the Internet must be used.

“There are so many wonderful resources that are available to us now that have never been available to us before. If we’re going to use this online platform classes, then we need to take advantage of those tools to make our classes richer,” Wall said.

Wall’s online class is used in a way which allows students to use the tools available to them to make decisions.

“I tend to make my online tests completely different. It’s not stuff that you can find in the textbook. It’s stuff that you have to figure out,” Wall said. “There are ways to put tests online to make them effective, that aren’t just find this sentence in the book.”

Due to Wall’s dedication to future educators, her passion for technology and her ability to teach with efficiency, students felt Wall deserved recognition.

During a banquet held in November for the Center of Extended and Distance Education, Wall experienced a shocking moment when she heard her name being called for the Innovative Professor of the Year.

“It was quite an honor,” said Wall.

“I believe that her care and concern that everyone understood how to use technology in the classroom was most impressive,” said Christina Barnes, senior elementary education major.

“Dr. Wall taught me all the essential keys I needed to know about Instructional Technology,” said Chelsea Clack, senior English education major.

“Because of Dr. Wall, I feel fully prepared for student teaching this semester.”

In addition to the Innovative Professor of the Year award, Wall has also received the Innovative Award for her use of technology in general during a conference in Florida in 2008 and received the Socrates Award in 2005. ♦

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# David Scherer breaks world record



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Scherer, sophomore, broke the Guinness World Record playing Grand Theft Auto IV for 55 hours in a single setting.

By DEVON ROBINSON  
Sports Editor

Sophomore David Scherer never talked about what he could not do. Scherer only spoke of what he will do. Now, there is no more will. He beat the Guinness World Record for the longest session of Grand Theft Auto IV in a single sitting with 55 hours. He didn't do it for just bragging rights, but most of all, for the kids. Scherer is a coach for the Fort Campbell Swimming Eagles swim team.

The Swimming Eagles is a non-profit, parent-run competitive swim team that has been around for 17 years. While he set this new record, he aimed to raise money for a new swimming pool for his team. "The kids all thought that it was the coolest thing ever, that their coach was willing to do something as weird and crazy as this. I was just happy to do something to bring attention to the team. We have a relatively small roster and we really need to grow it," Scherer said. Grand Theft Auto IV, made by Rockstar, is a video game that can be played on the PC, Xbox 360 or Playstation 3. The game is ideal for long hours of play because of its non-linear gameplay. Set in Liberty City, the action-adventure game is packed full of missions and goals that could amount to 100-plus hours of gameplay. The record was first set by 26-year-old Chirantan Patnaik, who set the time at a then-astounding 40 hours and 20 minutes. With a great deal of help from Retro's Classic Arcade, Scherer sought to

beat this time. Retro's provided the place where he could set the record, accompanied with a large high-definition television and Internet so he could record the attempt. Throughout the nearly three-day session, people were allowed to come watch him play or keep him company to help him stay awake. For a normal person, breaks probably would be the most difficult for this period of time. The Guinness World Record allowed a break at the end of each hour, but that proved to be far too many breaks for Scherer. "I took three breaks, but only two bathroom breaks. During one of the breaks there were several young kids that wanted me to play one of the arcade games with them, so I did that instead of using the restroom," Scherer said. As of press time, Monday, Jan. 18, Scherer and his team raised about \$1,500 for the new swimming facility. "While that is no where near enough for a pool, it is a great start and we really appreciate every little bit of support," he said. ♦

## APSU students named to "Who's Who" list

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The following APSU students were selected for the Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges for the 2009-10 academic year:

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- Lori Natterstad, nursing major
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- Joy L. Pigott, corporate communication major
- Jonathan F. Pressnell, criminal justice homeland security major
- Paige Rasmussen, Spanish major
- Caleb S. Roberts, corporate communication major
- Sara L. Rudolph, biology major
- Ashley M. Sanford, marketing/management major
- Sara L. Seesholtz, music major
- Brittany N. Via, general business major

Who's Who Among Students exists as one of the most highly regarded and long-standing honors programs in the nation, having earned the overwhelming respect of college faculties and administrations. For the students, the outstanding campus leaders of the year, national recognition by the Who's Who program marks a pinnacle of scholastic achievement. Selections to Who's Who Among Students are made each fall by individual schools campus nominating committees, created to nominate the upperclassmen and graduate students eligible for the program, are composed of representatives from the faculty, administration and student body.

# Ovation Award reinstated after seven years

By ERIN UPSHAW  
Guest Writer

The Center of Excellence at APSU has a long history of supporting the arts in Clarksville. "The center's mission is to inspire an appreciation of the arts," said Chris Burawa, director of the Center of Excellence. The presence of the arts in Clarksville is widespread, evident in many art associations and artists who have made the city their home. To reward those individuals who make significant contributions to the arts and cultural life of Clarksville and reach back out in to the community, George Maybry, the former director of the Center of Excellence and one of the founders of the center, began bestowing the Ovation Awards. The first award was given out in 1995 to Mabel Larsen. The award was given out six additional times before Maybry retired. After his retirement, his position was left unfilled for several years. When

Burawa was hired, the Ovation Awards immediately caught his attention, and he sought to revive them. After seven years of no recipients, the first of the new awards will be given out this spring after receiving a facelift for it's debut. The award, which previously was only made up of a single category, has now been expanded to include four. According an APSU press release, the new categories are as follows: "Artist: A living Tennessee artist active in the field of literature, visual arts, performing arts, music, folk arts, architecture and design, who lives or lived in Montgomery County. "Community: A Tennessee community organization or institution for an outstanding arts-based community program or project. "Business: A business or corporation that has made a significant contribution to support arts and culture in Montgomery County. "The George Maybry Award: A living Tennessee individual who has made a

significant impact on arts and culture in Montgomery County through philanthropy, leadership or direct involvement or a Tennessee individual who has advanced arts and culture through strategic and innovative work in creating or supporting public policy beneficial to the arts in Montgomery County." The Acuff Circle of Excellence Community Advisory Board chooses the recipients for the Artist, Community and Business awards, while a sub-committee of the advisory board chooses the recipient of the fourth award, the George Maybry Award. "I'm pleased that we have resumed giving the Ovation Award," said Burawa, "because we need to honor people and organizations who support the arts in our community. The arts are integral to our quality of life. If we didn't have the arts, we would have a gray world." The awards will be given out at the Center of Excellence's Annual High Tea on Sunday, March 7, in the Music/Mass Communication building. ♦

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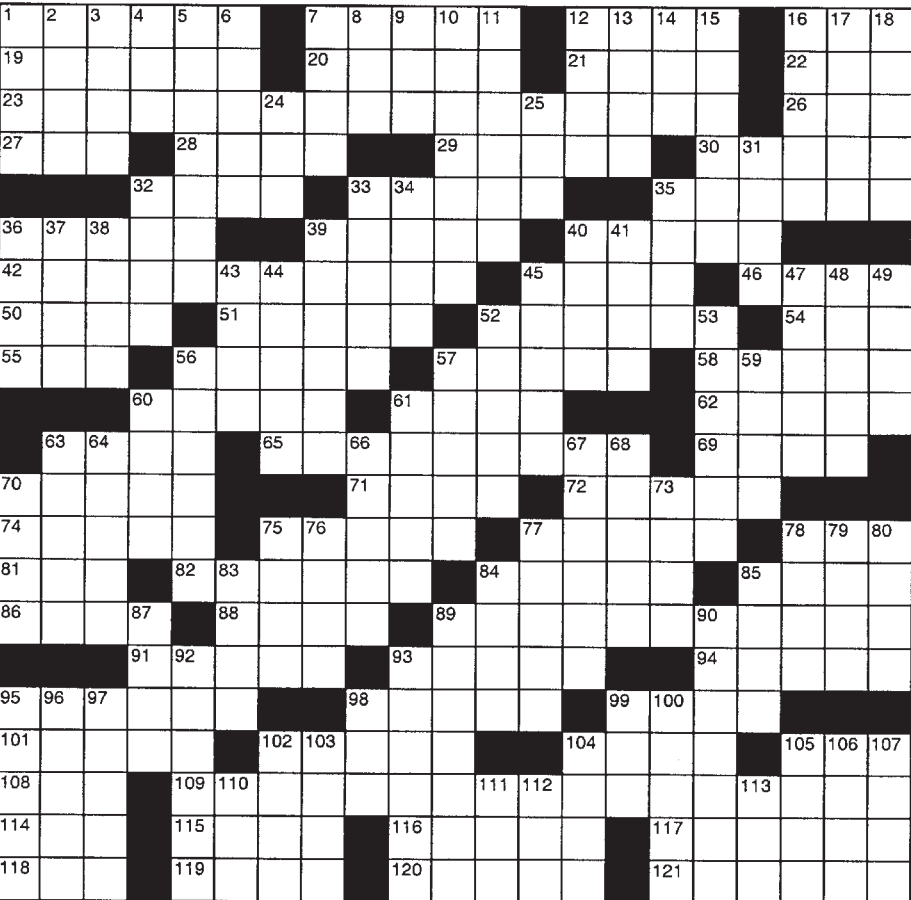
Free tickets for the Unity Celebration Dinner are available in Student Affairs, UC 208, beginning Jan. 20 for students, faculty and staff with current Govs ID. One free ticket per person. Dinner tickets not available for sale. Deadline to pick up tickets is 4 p.m. Jan. 28. Advance tickets for the Unity Celebration Dinner will secure reserved seating for speaking presentation in Clement.



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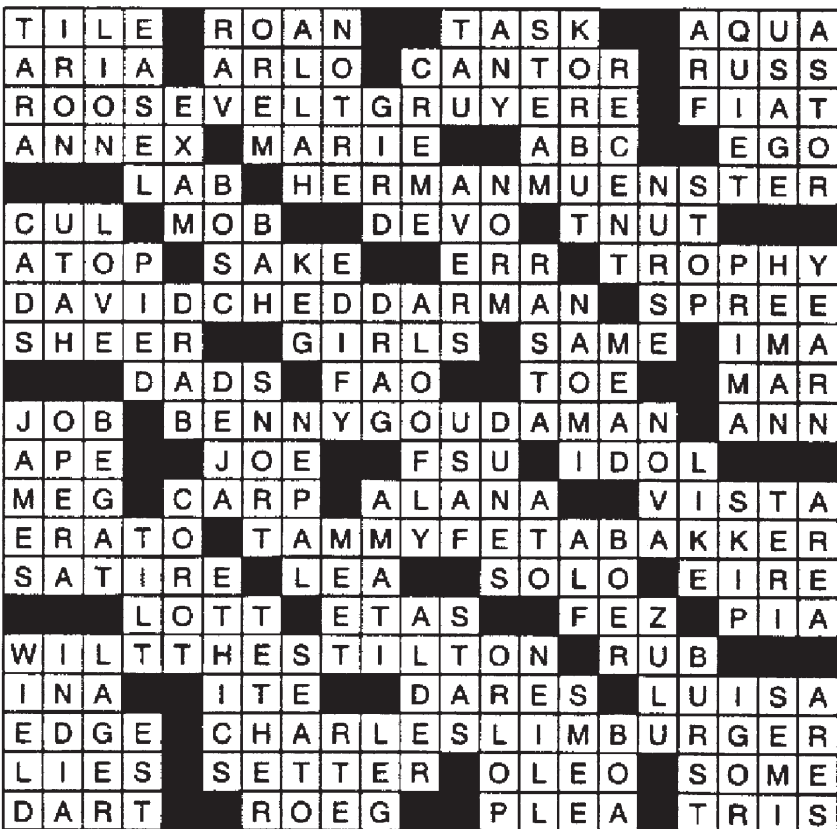
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82 Napoleon's cousin  
84 Icing flavor  
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60 Tizzy  
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97 Stadium shout  
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100 Shady spot  
102 Grumpy guy  
103 "The Perfect Fool"  
104 "What's My Line?" host  
105 Lingerie trim  
106 "— never happen!"  
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111 Actress Le Gallienne  
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# Govs escape scrappy Tigers, 79-77

By MARLON SCOTT  
Senior Staff Writer

The bright ESPN camera lights were focused on the Dunn Center Saturday, Jan. 16.

Fans, whether they were in the Dunn Center two rows up from the floor or watching in high definition from the comfort of an old lounge chair at home, were treated to an exciting game decided by the last shot.

The APSU Govs defeated the TSU Tigers 79-77.

“We managed to find a way to get two more points than they did,” said Govs Head Coach Dave Loos. “I didn’t think we played particularly well although there were some bright spots.”

The Govs’ “bright spots” came in the first 10 minutes of the game. They appeared to be constantly running past the Tigers.

Forward Anthony Campbell battled for seven of his team-leading 13 rebounds in the first half.

When he pulled down a defensive board, guards Wes Channels, Tyrone Caldwell and Justin Blake became track stars sprinting down the lanes.

The Govs pushed the ball



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Junior point guard Caleb Brown makes it difficult for Evansville foe to complete a play, Tuesday, Dec. 22.

through the Tigers’ press to a 21-9 lead with 11:38 remaining in the first half.

However, the fast pace did not last. The Govs went from sharp to sloppy. The Tigers took advantage of Govs miscues to catch up.

At the 8:53 mark, Tiger freshman guard Jacquan

Noble made a 3-pointer to top a 10-0 Tigers run. Two minutes later, the game was tied 23-23.

The Govs continued to struggle the rest of the first half. They committed 15 turnovers which the Tigers turned into 23 points.

At halftime APSU was

down 38-42.

“We made enough plays to win the game, but overall too many turnovers, 24,” Loos said. “We gave up 19 offensive rebounds. You can’t win consistently like that. We definitely have some things to clean up and work on.”

The second half of the

game was a close battle. The Govs took a 52-51 lead on a layup by Caldwell with 14:45 remaining in the game. They continued to make small runs, but could not break away from the Tigers.

Four Tigers scored double-digit points. Nobles and Josh Sain led the team with 20

points.

On the Govs’ side, Campbell led the five Govs with double-digit points. He had 17 points to go with his 13 rebounds for a double-double. Channels added 16 and Blake scored 15.

With just over a minute left in the game, Nobles made a long 3-pointer to bring the Tigers within one point of the Govs, 78-77. On the ensuing Govs possession, a missed pass led to a Tiger chance to take the lead.

The clock wound down to less than 10 seconds when Tiger forward Darius Cox’s shot to take the lead was challenged by center John Fraley. Cox missed the short jumper and Campbell pulled down the rebound. Campbell was fouled. He made one free throw to make the score 79-77.

TSU took a timeout and then took over at half court with less than five seconds remaining in the game. Sain took the last shot for the Tigers. He was behind the three-point arc, shooting to win the game. He missed and the Govs won.

“I certainly wouldn’t want to trade for a well played game and a loss. I’ll take it and move on,” Loos said. ♦

Texas forward Damion James, center, drives to the basket past Texas A&M forward Khris Middleton, right, during second half action in their NCAA college basketball game Saturday, Jan. 16, 2010, in Austin, Texas.

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# Lady Govs finish strong after winter struggle

By MARLON SCOTT  
Senior Staff Writer

In addition to the sounds of jingle bells, ripping wrapping paper and shouts of “Happy New Year,” some of the APSU community may have heard the distinct squeaks of tennis shoes on polished hardwood and the swish of nylon nets from the Lady Govs basketball team.

While opening presents and keeping an eye out for snow, the Lady Govs played seven games during the holiday break before finishing at home on the first day of classes with a 77-66 win against the TSU Lady Tigers.

“I feel like we have gotten our core group of players that we feel like kind of play good together,” said coach Carrie Daniels on her Jan. 13, radio show broadcast.

“Not to say that we have our set ones that we are going with every time with the ones that are rotating. But we have got a good eight players that are those consistent ones. I feel good about where we are at and where we are headed.”

## Sunday, Dec. 20, Pittsburgh, 75-76 OT

The Lady Govs gave the then top 20-ranked Panthers everything they could handle and were one shot away in overtime from a victory. A three-point shot in the last seconds of the game by Panthers junior Jania Sims sent the game into overtime. The Lady Govs made only three-of-eight field goals in overtime.

However, they didn’t let the Panthers run away with the game and finished with a chance to win. Jasmine Rayner led the Lady Govs with 21 points and 12 rebounds. Ashley Herring added 15 points.

## Wednesday, Dec. 23, Xavier, 41-87

Xavier extended the Lady

Govs’ losing streak to four games with a 40-point beat down. Within the first five minutes, the Lady Govs were down by double digits and never caught up. Rayner continued to play well with 15 points.

## Wednesday, Dec. 30, Alabama-Birmingham, 66-75

The Lady Govs were down by only two points, 39-37 at halftime. But the Lady Blazers went on a 21-2 run to start the second period and continued to blaze a trail to victory, leaving the Lady Govs burned in their wake. Rayner scored double digit points for her third straight game. Brooke Faulkner came off the bench and scored 10.

## Saturday, Jan. 2, Morehead State, 56-79

The Lady Govs defense collapsed with nine minutes left in the first period. Turnovers and miscues helped the Eagles soar to a 20-point win.

With two losses before the break, the Lady Govs losing streak increased to six games. Nicole Jamen recorded a double-double with 11 points and 12 rebounds. Herring added 11 points.

## Monday, Jan. 4, Eastern Kentucky, 54-61 OT

Herring stole the show with 19 points, 11 rebounds, five assists and three blocked shots. She even made two free throws to send the game into overtime. But it was not enough to end the Lady Govs’ losing streak.

After an 8-0 run in overtime, the Lady Colonels closed the game, making six-of-eight free throws.

## Thursday, Jan. 7, Tennessee-Martin, 63-45

The Lady Govs ended a seven-game winning



streak by beating up the shorthanded Tennessee-Martin Skyhawks. The six Skyhawks who played watched Jamen post her fifth double-double this season with 11 points and 14 rebounds.

Rayner was one of three Lady Govs who scored 10 points in the contest.

## Saturday, Jan. 9, Murray State, 83-79

In their last game before classes begin this semester, the Lady Govs faced hated rivals the Murray Racers, at home in the Dunn Center. The Lady Govs controlled the first half of the game and developed a lead of 15 points before ending the first period ahead of the Racers 47-36.

Instead of spinning their wheels, the Racers drove to a 73-72 lead with 2:11 remaining in the game.

The game came down to free throws. With fouls being called constantly on both sides, the Lady Govs finished

the game shooting 13-of-18 from the free-throw line. Herring made 12-of-14 from the line by herself. She led the team with 19 points, and was one of five Lady Govs who scored 10 or more points. Rayner scored a double-double with 11 points and 10 rebounds.

The Lady Govs have not lost a conference game at home. However, five of the seven games during the losing streak were on the road.

“We have got to start producing on the road. We have not played well on the road,” Daniels said. “In this conference, you have to protect your home court. Bottom line, you have got to win them at home and you have got to pick up some wins on the road.”

With the win against TSU, the Lady Govs improve to a 6-12, 5-2 OVC record. They are currently ranked fourth in the OVC.

Next, they play two conference games on the



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Top: Senior center Nicole Jamen dribbles past Murray defender Saturday, Jan. 9.

Bottom: Sophomore guard Whitney Hanley drives into UAB player to create a play and score Wednesday, Dec. 30.

road. They play Tennessee Tech in Cookeville, Thursday, Jan. 21. Then, the Lady Govs

visit Jacksonville, AL to face Jacksonville State Saturday, Jan. 23. ♦

# Govs battle during holiday break, start OVC play 4-3

By ANTHONY SHINGLER  
Assistant Sports Editor

While students were on winter break celebrating the holidays, the hard-nosed Govs were busy at work preparing themselves for war in the Ohio Valley Conference. The Govs played nine games during the break, finishing at home against the TSU Tigers in a thriller on ESPN2, 79-77, to improve to 10-9 overall, 4-3 in conference.

## Saturday, Dec. 12, Marian (Ind.), 85-55

The Govs played host to Marian in preparation for the Kentucky Wildcats the next week. Head Coach Dave Loos was able to get the entire team playing time, with everyone on the team scoring at least one field goal. Guard Tyrone Caldwell

led the way with 11 points, while center John Fraley finished with a double-double, 10 points and 10 rebounds.

## Saturday, Dec. 19, No. 3 Kentucky 69-90

Arguably being one of the toughest road contests on the Govs’ schedule this year, they did not go into Rupp Arena handing the Wildcats an easy win. The Govs opened the second half on an 8-0 run to cut the Wildcat lead to 49-43 at the 17:38 mark. But the Wildcats used their superstar athletes and pulled away for the victory. Senior guard Wesley Channels lead the way with 21 points, while forward Duran Roberson came off the bench to

contribute 16 points.

## Tuesday, Dec. 22, Evansville 71-68

With Channels on the bench in foul trouble, forward Anthony Campbell fought back from a poor outing against Kentucky to lead the Govs with 17 points. With the game being a physical battle, both teams combined for 62 fouls (APSU, 26; Evansville, 36).

## Sunday, Dec. 27, Missouri 79-94

Turnovers and the Missouri press were too much to handle for the Govs. With the Govs down by as much as 27 points, they would claw back within 11 points with 49 seconds left. But from there,

Missouri used their speed to put the game out of reach.

## Saturday, Jan. 2, Morehead St. 65-68 OT

In a rematch of last season’s OVC Tournament Championship game, the Govs battled from behind to go into overtime. Campbell showed resilience in scoring eight of nine points the Govs scored in the extra period. But Campbell missed a desperate three-pointer as time expired to send the game into a second overtime.

## Monday, Jan. 4, Eastern Kentucky 71-76

The first half plunders continued, falling behind to a double-digit deficit at half. The Govs’ second half

come-from-behind efforts started at the 3:39 point. Trailing 67-56, the Govs went for seven straight points, four from guard Caleb Brown to finish the game. Campbell chipped in 22 points, while Channels fouled out, contributing 17 points. Both Fraley and Roberson each scored 11 points.

## Thursday, Jan. 7, Tennessee-Martin 90-72

The Govs returned to their old ways in opening the second half on a 25-6 run in the trouncing of the Skyhawks. The win also snapped a three-game losing streak, two of which came from conference games. Channels showed resilience in scoring 21 points for the sixth time this season.

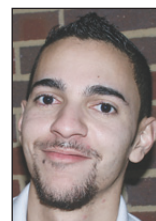
Campbell had 16 points, while Brown and Fraley scored 14 and 11 points, respectively.

## Saturday, Jan. 9, Murray State, 53-69

Quite possibly one of the biggest rivalries in the nation, the Govs played host to the Racers of Murray State on ESPN 2. The Govs connected on a bone-chilling 13-of-39 shots and a cold 2-of-11 from three-point land. With the ice-cold shooting performance from the field, they found stride from the charity stripe, connecting on 25-27 for 92.6 percent. In their losing efforts, the Govs were led by Channel’s 14 points, while Campbell had 12. Fraley and Brown both scored 10 points each. ♦

## SUPERBOWL XLIV: YOUR TAKE

# Students, faculty share their SuperBowl XLIV picks, predictions



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They have a strong offense with solid wide receivers. They also have Mr. Clutch, Peyton Manning.”

— Anthony Irizarg, junior marketing major, picked Colts.



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My dad has always been a Vikings fan, so I have to go for them.”

— Megan Gray, freshman biology major, goes for the Vikings.



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Everyone is going for Vikings but I think the Colts will win.”

— Bethany Garrett, sophomore biology major, chose the Colts to take it all.



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I think Colts will win it, but I want the Vikings to win.”

— Sean Bailey, freshman communications major, chose Vikings over the Colts