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Cadavers give students hands-on anatomy lesson

First-year dental students (from left) Jessica Hill, Valerie Scheil, Beth Peercy an Mitra Brown study a cadav-er's arm in the



Gross anatomy: Students say working with cadaver difficult at first, but a great opportunity to learn

By Dustin Adkins

The odor of embalming fluid overwhelms. The ashen skin of the cadaver waits for the first incision. And first-year graduate students wonder if their stomachs will hold.

It's day one of gross

anatomy.

Beth Peercy, a first-year dental student, remembers the first day she saw the discolored bodies of the cadavers on the cold metal dissection tables. She remembers the smell that lingered on her clothes after she left the lab.

"Being in here about five minutes that first day did me in." Peercy said. "None of us knew how we would react to the cadavers. You hear all the horror stories in UK's colleges of Medicine, Dentistry and the control of the control o

It's a room dreaded by many first-year graduate students. "Gross anatomy has the reputation of being one of the most difficult classes in medical school," said John Sallee, a first-year medical student who took the course last fall.

Sallee said undergraduate courses in biology and anatomy provide some preparation for dissection, but nothing can prime a student for the total experience. "It's a whole new world when you first walk in there." he said. "It's a very humbling experience."

Jessica Hill, a first-year dental student, agreed. "I don't think anything prepares you for gross amatomy. This is a lot different from anything we did in undergrad," she

Troops confront Irag's strongest military forces

WAR IN IRAQ



Detainment

At home: Pentagon officials say war going well; congressman calls for end of 'immoral' war

WASHINGTON — American ground troops are battling Republican Guard troops around Karbala, a holy Shite Muslim city about 50 miles south of Baghdad, defense officials said Tuesday.

Heavy fighting raged as U.S. Army units battled parts of the Medina Division of the Republican Guard, Iraq's best trained and equipped forces. After airstrikes and ground fighting, the Pentagon's top general, Richard Myers, said the Medina Division had been damaged below 50 percent of its original fighting strength.

The action in Karbala marked the first major ground battle with Republican Guard troops, the main forces guarding the Iraqi capital. Myers and other military leaders have said the Republican Guard roops the to be eliminated before coalition ground troops move on Baghdad and Saddam Hussein's government.

Airstrikes, artillery barrages and firefights with re-

Former SG presidents reflect and offer advice

Memories: Issues facing old presidents included condoms in dorms and racist remarks from trustees

By Ben Fain

By Ben team
SAFF with a Student Government presidential campaigns end, after the voting ends, and, eventually, after the cho-sen president's term and academic carer at UK are over; a long road still lies ahead for the elected leader.
Former presidents Cyndi Weaver (now Crocker), Shea Chaney. Alan Aja and Melanie Bell-Cruz (now Cruz-Walsh) find themselves in various places along that road.
Weaver, who served from 1867-88, lives in Bowling Green, Ky. where she is a lawyer raising three sons. She describes her term as 'color-discounted and the color of the main issues of the color of the main issues of the color of the main issues during Weaver's tenure was when SG urged UK to put condom machines in residence

One of the main issues during Weaver's tenure was when SG urged UK to put con-dom machines in residence halls due to the AIDS scare. "It was such a controver-sial thing to do at that time. We got a lot of hate mail," Weaver said. "It surprised a lot of people that the medical

center and student health center favored condoms, but the administration came out (against) it."

Another heated event took place in April 1980, when former Gow. A.B. "Happy" Chandler, a then-member of the board of trustees, made a racist remark during a meeting. The committee had been discussing UK's 1986 decision to dispose of its investments in Sult then proved a resolution calling for Chandler, and the condition of the cond

Chaney practices criminal and family law in Lexington. After school, he worked for the Justice Department, then as a public defender, and later as a prosecutor.

"[Being SG president] helped me learn about group dynamics and how to try to balance everybody's interest and time." Chaney said.

Some of the most memorable successes during his tenure were the introductions of fall break and mid-term grades, he said.

Alan Aja, who served as president from 1996-97, is now working on his PhD in public and urban policy at The New School University in New School University in New York City, Aja, UK's first Latino student leader, traveled widely after leaving UK. He worked in Argentina with Amnesty International and worked with an environmental education program in Cuba. Aja returned to the Lis. where he took a job as a union organizer in Texas.

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Students should put pressure ... to keep educational costs down and affordable.

- ALAN AJA, FORMER STUDENT GOVERNMENT PRESIDENT

SG president's voice reaches city, university

Donation options

take many forms

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While college students prepare for life, many fail to consider the impact they could make after death. For those with an altrustic streak, there are many options for organ and body donation.

"In the US, there are over 80,000 people on the waiting list for an organ transplant." said Jenny Miller, education coordinator for Kentucky Organ

See DONATE on 2

In the 2002 Student

In the 2002 Student Government election, less than 6 percent of the student population voted. Kellen Baker, the board of supervision chairman for the 2003 SG elections, said low turnout stems from the 2003 SG elections, said low turnout stems from the fact that students who are not directly involved with SG have no idea what goes on inside SG. 'Students are generally apathetic.' he said. "Most don't knik they make a difference."

The president, with other officers from SG, is responsible for representing student opinion at many different levels.

The administration

many different levels.

The administration

The UK administration is always anxious to leave the students want, said Pat Terrell, vice president of student affairs.

Terrell said that the Green the subject of student affairs, and the vice working relationship with the university president, the senior executive president for administration and the vice president of student affairs.

president of student affairs. "The president is the elected representative of

See IMPACT on 3

Black Student Union endorses Hutchinson

By Andy Scheper
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After a lengthy debate and deliberation Monday night, the Black Student Union voted to endorse David Hutchinson and Lesil Profitt as candidates in the upcoming student government election.

"We felt that their platform entailed the needs and views of the Black Student Union," said BSU President Albert Shumake. "Their plotty stresses financial accountability and openness and honesty without biases."

The decision followed a debate in which each candidate addressed several predetermined questions, including the goals of the candidates, the lack of communication among minorities and SG, the fate of a questionable mural in Memorial Hall and proposed plans to deal with the budget.

"Currently (Rachel Watts running mate) Mart Rippetoe in charge of our budget. That's why we have a \$10,000 deficit. It's an embarrassment to the students and of the Hutchinson and Profitt's campaign focuses on rearranging the SG office to allow more communication among students and officials and make financial records accessible.

Candidates Mart Falk and James Monroe expressed similar sentiments concerning finances. "Our budget will be published in the Kernel." Falk said. "It's your money being spent. You have a right to know where it's going."

One issue that each candidate could agree on was the need for increased participation among a large variety of students. "We want to have the whole campus working together," said Klyle Jewell.

"I don't see the diversity in the cabinet that I want to see, "Brianna Shaffer, his running mate, said.

After the formal debate, the floor was opened to questions from the audience Many students expressed concerns about minority representation on campus.

"People need to take a step back from their ignorance and realize that it's not just black and white," said candidate and education.

Quoc Nguyen, running for senator at-large, expressed on this campus, and we've all here for the same reason: to get

an education."

Quoc Nguyen, running for senator at-large, expressed admiration for Hutchinson. "David's not afraid to speak his mind and be honest no matter what the other candidates say," said Nguyen. "He always has more pro-active an-

said.

Hill, who admitted to feeling nauseous her first day understands the importance of working with cadavers.

"It's imperative," she said. "You don't fully understand what you're talking

CADAVER

said. "You don't fully under-stand what you're talking about in a two-dimensional book until you get handson (experience)." Students receive a one-hour introduction to the facil-ity before they begin their first incisions are experience to open up the body for the first time." Sallee said. "We start by making an incision all the way down the back of the person. We start peeling away various layers until we get to the muscle."

hours in a lecture class, followed by two to three hours in the lab. Working in groups of six, they alternate between dissecting and teaching.
"Probably 100 students pass through the lab in a day's time," said Gary Gim, coordinator of the Body Bequeathal Program at the UK College of Medicine.
"Some of them will come in after hours and study, and some of them are there because they have a class," Ginn said.

said.

Dental students study the head and neck, while medical and health science students dissect the entire body. Scalpels, scissors and the occasional bone saw are some of the instruments used to perform dissections.

form dissections.

"A lot of the dissection is done bluntly with the separation of the tissue by the hands," Ginn said.

The UK lab is one of only two labs in the state that oper-

ates its own body-bequeathal program.

The program is the people who from the new educated themselves about the need; said Ginn, who is approached by many teachers, health care professionals and families. Most are near retirement age. The lab receives about 60 new cadavers annually. At any given time, the lab and the nearby storage facility house about 130 cadavers. "The people I get in here are usually older folks who died of natural causes," Ginn said. Ginn takes care of the

ates its own body-bequeathal

After they are used, the bodies are cremated and the ashes returned to the families if they desire. Memorial services are held annually in the hospital auditorium in honor of those who donated their bodies to science. Students and family can attend.

Ginn said he does not think students should feel uncomfortable that they are learning from the dear that they are learning from the dear that they are learning from the dear that they are learning from the said. Sallee, whose father donated his body to science after he died, said he had mixed feelings about cadaver dissection when he first started the class.

"I viewed it as a great learning opportunity" he said. "These generous donors of natural causes," Ginn said.
Ginn takes care of the
bodies for the three to five
years they spend at the medical center from embalming
through dissection.
He uses refined embalming chemicals on the cadavers, unlike the diluted chemicals used by most funeral
homes. "It's kind of like a refrigerator; you have the
chance of growing mold,"
Ginn said.

Baseball coach announces resignation

Tradition: Keith Madison, UK's coach for 25 years, leaving to spend more time with family

By Derek Poore

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For the first time in 25
years, UK baseball will have a new baseball coach.

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Stadium,
where he announced his decision to resign after the
conclusion of this season.
"I'm so thankful I had
the opportunity to coach at
the University of Kentucky
for 25 years," he said.
He will end his tenure at
UK because he wants to
spend more time with his
family, "I was spending 50,
60, 70 hours a week working," Madison said.

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Madison said that the decision had weighed heavily on his heart. He explained that he wished to announce his decision now, rather than spring it on his team at the end of the year.

"If I had waited until the end of the season, that would have really cut them short." Madison said. He said that this year's team was going to have his utmost dedication the rest of the season. "We're going to work hard. Every minute I've got with my team is

very precious."
Madison asked to meet
with UK athletic director
Mitch Barnhart on Monday.
"It was an appropriate place
to have a chat," Barnhart
said. "We talked for about
an hour about a lot of different things."

said. "We talked for about a hour about a lot of different things."

Barnhart also emphasized that the search for a new ocach won't be rushed.

Players expressed sadmes and shock, but also provided that had something to say. "Said senior outfielder Gordon Tyler." He's been a leader ... and a great guy, a great coach and a great friend."

"It was totally a shock," said senior pitcher Scott Wade. "He came to us and said it was the hardest thing he'd ever have to do. He's Just a good all-around person, I couldn't ask to play for a nicer fellow."

"I grew up a big Wildcat,"

"I grew up a big Wildcat fan," Madison said. "It was a dream come true to come to UK."

UK."
Madison began coaching at UK in 1978 under athletic director Cliff Hagan. He won 723 games at UK — more than any other baseball coach in UK history. He organized fundraising, not only for last year's \$4.2 mil. Jion expansion work on Cliff Hagan stadium, but also the lighting installation in 1987 and renovation efforts of 1989.

Madison does not know if he will stay in Lexington. He said he will ultimately go "wherever God wants me to be."

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Donor Affiliates.. Last year, only 20,000 or-

Last year, only 20,000 organs were transplanted.
Miller encourages everyone to consider becoming an organ donor.

one to consider becoming an organ donor.

Anyone from birth through age 75 is eligible to donate. They may do so by signing the back of their driver's license or filling out an organ donor card.

"The most important thing is telling your next of kin," said Miller. Those who fail to inform their families often don't have their wishes carried out, Miller said.

Allison Hensley, a biology sophomore, signed her license and made her wishes known. "Given the opportunity to save lives, I don't see why you wouldn't do that," she said.

Hensley's cousin received a heart transplant as a baby.

"Having a direct family member who has had tar are plant has definitely made men more cognitive of the benefit of it." Hensley said.

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The Lions Eye Bank of Lexington.

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for dissection and teaching. Potential donors should contact the programs within the state they reside.

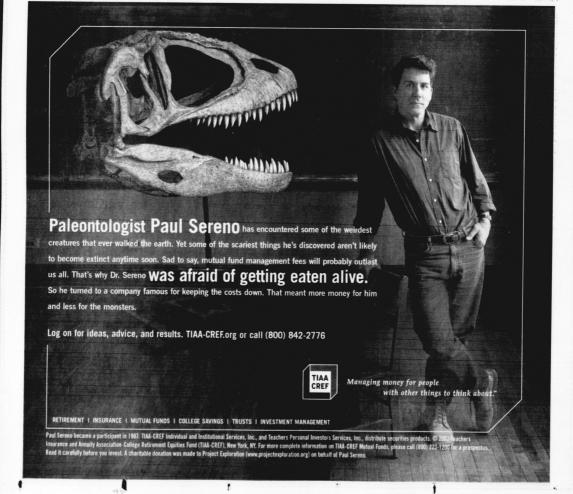
Gary Ginn, coordinator of the Body Bequeathal Program with the UK College of Medicine, meets all of his donors individually. He encourages them to consider the issue with their families.

"If their family doesn't want the body here, we will not accept them into the program," Ginn said.

Most of the potential donors who contact Ginn are near retirement age, but an

d benefit future health care professionals through education, brain and body donation are another post-morten option.

The Sanders-Brown Center on Aging at UK Chandler Medical Center studies normal human brains in comparison of the control of the



Board hopes election runs more smoothly

Problems: Complaints of unmanned polling locations, unfair procedures have marred previous SG elections

Student Government is taking steps to ensure that elections run smooth-ly this year, after com-plaints of unmanned polls and unfair election proce-dures last year

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Kellen Baker the chairman of the Election Board of Supervision, said that Sei sworking with students or recruit polling workers. He said that they are concentrating on student or ganizations that have been reliable in the past years, and are asking anyone who signs up to be a poll worker to agree to arrive early and stay late.

Baker said that the board is also working with students at LCC to make sure that its polling place is manned. The poll at LCC will be open April 2 and 3 from 11 a.m. 40 5 p.m. 11 st. of 5 p.m. 11

year.
Removing these polls
will allow for an extra poll
to be placed in the Classroom Building, which was

a popular spot last year, said Baker. All together, there will be nine polling locations available, some with two polling machines. "We're doing our best as an election board to make sure this is a fair election," said Baker.

Polls will be open throughout campus Wednesday and Thursday. Polls will be open at the following places and times:

B & E Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Classroom Bldg. Wednesday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Thursday: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday: 11 a.m. - 6 p.m. Thursday: 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Medical Center Wednesday: 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Thursday: 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Student Center Wednesday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Thursday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

WT Young Library Wednesday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Thursday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

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connaissance units have pounded Republican Guard units to the south, west and north of Baghdad for more than a week. The second of Baghdad for more than a week. The second of Baghdad for more than a week. The second of Baghdad, has also been damaged to less than half its initial capacity U.S. Marine forces fought in the Kut area Tuesday. Warplanes pummeled Republican Guard units defending Baghdad on Tuesday and U.S. and British ground forces attacked Iraqi positions in key southern cities, around-the-clock combact clearing the way for an assault on Baghdad. In Basra, warplanes dropped 300-pound and 1,000 pound bombs on an Iraque complex to dislodge defendence to the second of the barries of the second of the barries was the week as a continuation of preping the battlefield for a major encounter with the Republican Guard," said Navy Capt. Frank Thorp.

Responding to a suggestion from a Saudi official that Saddam step down to spare his country, Iraqi Vice President Taha Yassin Ramadan replied: "Go to hell."

And in a speech read in Saddam's name, Information Minister Mohammed Saeed al-Sahhaf urged Iraqis to wage a holy war against U.S.-led forces. "Strike at them, fight them. They are aggressors, evil. accursed by God, the excepts of the sea and them, fight them. They are aggressors, evil. accursed by God, the excepts of the sea aggressors, evil. accursed by God, the except of the sea aggressors, evil. accursed by God, the except of the sea aggressors, evil. accursed by God, the except of the sea aggressors.

Iraqi officials also said U.S. Apache helicopters at-

tacked a neighborhood in Hillah, killing 33 people and injuring more than 300. The US. Central Command said it was investigating, but no Apaches were involved in any incident. Marines claimed to have killed at least 80 Iraqi soliers and taken dozens of prisoners in fighting near Diwaniyah. "They were shooting from buildings, from dugout positions, from dugot positions, and positions, from dugot positions, from the first positions, from the special positions, from the west, and the circle is closing" on Saddam, Rumsfeld said.

However, the war effort also received one of its most

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Democratic presidential candidate Dennis Kucinich took his anti-war campaign to the House floor Tuesday, calling for an end to the fighting in Iraq to allow weapons inspectors to return. Kucinich, a congressman from Ohio, repeated the phrase, "Stop this war now," 10 times in his speech. He said the military campaign was built on "falsehood." "This war has been advanced on lie upon lie," he said. "Iraq was not responsible for 9/11. Iraq was not responsible for the anthrax attacks on this country. Rescue this nation from a war that is immoral," Kucinich said.

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now have a better grasp of how public institutions work." Aja recalled a time when the Black Student Union held a protest because they felt W. did not have enough policies to prevent discrimination. "It was a good sign for the univer-sity... a good stepping stone," he said. Apother high posits is

sity... a good steepping stone," he salt orther high point in Agis tenure came when President Clinton visited Kentucky during his '96 campaign and spoke at UK. "It was quite an experience because Kentucky was a swing state and he chose to speak at UK." Aja said. "It showed how much of a symbol UK is to Kentucky." Melanie Bell-Cruz (now Cruz-Walsh), who served from 1997-98, was UK's last female Speak at UK." Aja said. "It showed how much of a symbol UK is to Kentucky." Melanie Bell-Cruz (now 1997-98, was UK's last female Speak at UK." Aja said. "It showed how much of symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK. "Aja said. The symbol Speak at UK." Aja said. The sym

The most difficult aspect of her form came "as a student, trying to prioritize and trying to be a student and officer." She said.

All the former presidents offered advice to the next one. Weaver emphasized the role of the Board of Trustees. "When you join the Board of Trustees and begin to work with administrators, it's easy to forget why you're there." with administrators, it's easy to forget why you're there," Weaver said. "It's easy to get enamored with the administrators and trustees... don't forget that you're there for the students"

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Chaney said presidents should be open to students. "Just make sure what you're an advocate for is what students want." Chaney said. "The more decisions you give the students, the better. Be open — do nothing behind closed doors."

Aja said to make the students woice is heard. "Do not be afraid to dissent on the afraid to dissent on the board of trustees." Aja said. "Ag great portion of students woice in hand." ald, and the university makes a great deal of money from athletic programs and donations from alumni. Students should put pressure on the administration and legislators to keep educational costs down and affordable."

Cruz said the whole experience is a learning process. "Make most of your experience." Cruz said. "It's a learning process.

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34,000 students. We take everything he says very seriously and to heart," she said.

President Todd is particularly interested in working with the SG president to enhance the sense of comminity on campus.

Board of Tustees

Russ Williams, board of trustees secretary, said that other BOT members listed closely to the student trustee because he is so close to sitted processes to the same as the other nineteen members.

Most BOT members are volunteers from off campus, with little contact with students, and must rely on the first-hand experience of the student trustee.

"Some students may fear that their representatives in not taken seriously because they are young or for the trustees they are young or for the trustee's perspective is an important and, in some cases, more influential."

University Senate Council.

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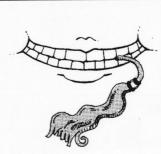
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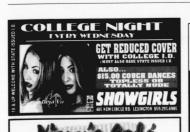


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Horsemen's debut draws record crowd

In action: New indoor football team attracts fans with broadcast of UK basketball, high-speed football

By Tim Wiseman

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Wearing UK blue, fans
streamed into Rupp Arena
by the thousands on Saturday night. Usually, fans come
to cheer their Cats in the arena named after the legendary basketball coach. But
this time, they came to forget
about the Cats.

On this night, more than
1,000 fans turned out to see
the Lexington Horsemen take
he field for the first time.
The Horsemen kicked off
minch the first time.
Midwest Regional Final on
Rupp's large-screen televisions. The Horsemen fell to
the Lake Charles LandSharks, 50-41, but the fast
and furious action on the artificial turf gave fans something to cheer about.

This was a new experience for Lexington, as footballs flew indoors under the
championship banners of UK
basketball. Instead of Tubby
Smith stalking the sidelines,
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crowd erupted as a thoroughbred galloped across the field.

"Great crowd! Awesome
crowd," said LandShark
quarterback Tim Robison.
"If I could play here every
week, I would."

The crowd: A National Inthe crowd and Inthe crowd and Inthe crowd and Inthe crowd and InHossmen with open arms.

Rising to their feet, the
fans gave the starting lineup
a roaring welcome. Familiar
faces took the field for the
home team, including former UK football playersbougie Allen, Champ Kelly
and Dusty Bonner.

Lexington received the
opening kickoff and scored in
less than five minutes as Bonner hit a streaking Martez
Johnson for a touchdown.

On the ensuing kickoff.
Prian Sivinski, another Lexington native, tried an onstart of the control of the conwinter of the control
what the Horsemen are all
about — excitting fan-friendly football. And the action on
the field is just a part of that.

Team President Ron
Borkowski made sure the entertainment was non-stop.

With each break in the
action, T-shirts fly into the
stands, music blares and
members of the Lexington
Fillies, the dance team, gyrate

in go-go boots. Fans participate in constant giveaways and contests, like the one in which couples answered questions about each other to win a free night on the town.

With all this going on, it might be easy to forget about the game on the 50-by-28-yard hids and bodies crashing into the contraction. And the Horsemen look capable of providing quality performances.

"They got a back of a good scheme," LandShark oach Kip Texada said.

"They're going to win alot of games in this league." On this night, the Horsemen thou was the contraction of the contraction o

few times.

The team lost to the LandSharks, a division champion last season, yet the night was far from disappositing.

the night was far from disappointing.
Franklin lamented his team's miscues, but he looked to the future.
"We will figure it out," he said.
The team may still be learning on the fly, but it-looks like Borkowski and the Horsemen organization have indoor football figured out.

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Madison's fate was sealed with bad start, AD's hiring

It is hard to be-lieve that K e i t h Madison, now in his 25th sea-son as UK's base-



with many personal proper and because he wanted to spend more time with his family more time. The personal proper ago before UK's slide. The reality is, Madison knew this would be his last about decade ago or 20 years ago before UK's slide. The reality is, Madison knew this would be his last which will be his last upon the his personal proper and the world with the liked it or not. He probably knew it when Mitch Barnhart was hired as athletics director in June, but it became obvious when his Bat cats struggled to their current 10-17 record, including a winless record in the South-eastern Conference. By resigning, Madison saves face and will get a proper send-off for a 25-year coaching veteran.

The UK baseball pro-

saves face and will get a proper send-off for a 25-year coaching veteran. The UK baseball pro-gram has been mediocre for a while, only finishing above

.500 once in the last six years and not qualifying for an NCAA regional since 1993. The Bat Cats' last NCAA win came in 1988 when Madison's team won its first three Northeast Regional games before being eliminated by Stanford.

Nortneast regional games before being eliminated by Stanford.

But that doesn't mean UK is better off.

Madison was a good coach and a great administrator. He complained that UK's northernmost geography among SEC reams was to blame, but he also put more emphasis on educating his players on and off the field.

He developed a few qualify the major leaguers, Jeff Abboth, Jim Leyritz and Terry Schoth, Jim Leyritz and Terry Schoth, Jim Leyritz and Terry League games. Shumpert, in his 14th season, hit a home run in the bottom of the hinth inning Monday to spur on a comeback win for the Tampa Bay Devil Rays.

But UK was never a baseball hotbed like Stanford, Texas, Arizona State or even its SEC rivals. UK lagged behind Alabama, Florida, LSU and Mississippi State, where Madison began his coaching career as a graduate assistant.

To Madison's credit, UK lagged behind in funding also. Not until last season did UK build the Bat Cats an SEC-caliber stadium. Cliff Hagan Stadium, named after the AD that hired Madison, is still below average among SEC stadiums, though, and other schools are renovating. The performance of Madison's teams may have slowed considerably in the '90s, but the program was lowed considerably in the '90s, but the program was larged' genored by its administration of the '90s, but the program was a Madison's greatest and players and wom more than half his games every other year; the UK athletics administration was content.

Madison's greatest fault might be that he got too complacent himself. With little pressure from UKAA, Madison could rest on his limited successes the last decade. Currently with 723 wins, Madison never felt any heat until Barnhart promised a review of every UK sport at season's end.

Now the time has come for evaluation and change. Madison knew his fate, and chose to leave on his own terms.

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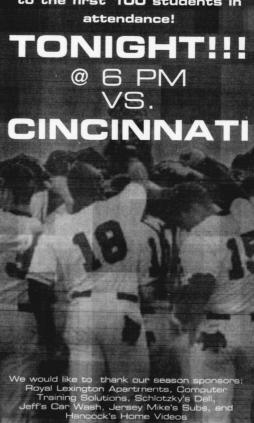
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Local parks provide variety of pastimes

Eli Weir, a student at Morton Middle School, lands a jump at the Woodland Skate Park. "This is the only place town where you can skate and not get in trouble," Eli said.



Spring fever: Parks provide cheap entertainment for students

By Brittany Clark STAFF WRITER

With the weather getting warmer and the promise of summer luring us out of classrooms and into the out-doors, Lexington parks are an obvious destination for students looking to un-

doors. Lexington parks are an ovolvous destination for students looking to univoind.

With 96 parks in the area, it can be hard to pick a destination that has what you are looking for.

Stacey Dimon, information officer at the Lexington Parks and Recreation Department, said students can find inexpensive things to do. especially over the summer months.

"We are a bargain here at Parks and Recreation and have a ton of cultural events scheduled for this summer." Dimon said.

Basketball lovers who are looking for an outlet now that the Wildcat season is over can look at parks in their area, most all of which have basketball courts.

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UK students can also join the men's Senior Ditt Bowl Summer Basketball League, which plays games Sunday through Thursday during the summer. A meeting will be held at Dunbar Center at 7 p.m. on May 15 for those interested.

Tennis courts are also a ubiquitous part of the Lexington park scene. The biggest is Shillito Park, located off Reynolds Rd. behind Fayette Mail, with 13 lighted courts. Woodland Park has four lighted courts as well as a solo tennis wall.

The not-so-familiar sport of discolding the courts woodland Park has four lighted courts as well as a solo tennis wall.

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"Disc goff is good for college students," Dimon said. "All you need to play is a disc or a Frisbee.

Mite Morrow, a biology sophomore.

"It is a challenging as regular golf, but it is a lot less serious and much more fun, Marrow sad.

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Marrow sad. Veterans park have an 18 hole, par-3 disc golf course. Tournaments are often held as part of the Professional Disc Golf Association (PBG. Tennis Course) course of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the course of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the professional Disc Golf Association that the park of the p



Disc golf enthusists gather around the score table at the PDGA tournament at Veterans Park, Lexington has two 18-hole disc golf courses, another course is located in Shillito Park.

Lakeside, Tates Creek, Picadome, Meadowbrook, Kearney Hill and Avon.
For those who enjoy activities other than organized sports, the aquatic centers at Woodland, Southland, Tates Creek and Castlewood offer swimming.
"Tates Creek has the newest aquatic center and a lot of college students live around there." Dimon said.
Woodland Park is also home to Lexington's only skate park. In-line skaters and skateboarders can "ollie" and "kicklip" until 10 p.m.
Fitness trails are accessible at 13 different locations. If you would rather run with your dog, there are designated areas in Jacobson and Masterson

Station Parks where four-legged friends can roam sans leash. Jacobson Park also boasts a fishing area and a marina for non-motorized boats. Paddeboats are available to rent. If simple leisure is your only goal then Dimon suggests Masterson Station, Shillion and Jacobson Parks.

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 Do you trust Student Government? We will restore integrity to Student Government by publishing our budget in the Kernel, keeping the student body updated on our progress and strictly enforcing the rules.

We will not wait around for problems to arise before taking positive action for students. We hope that you join FALK and MONROE in demanding more from Student Government.

RESPONSES

On Tuesday, the Kernel endorsed David Hutchinson and Lesli Proffitt in the race for SG president. Candidates not endorsed were invited to submit a response of up to 800 words. These are their rebuttals.

Watts ticket promises advocacy

To the Students of the University of Kentucky:

Over the past four months, we have been working to secure the support of all students in our effort to bring a spirit of advocacy and accountability to Students of August 2000 and August 200

Our campaign has reached out ostudents from all backgrounds, and we are proud to have the support of a broad coalition of students.

We look forward to bringing advocacy to the forefront of Student Government. Students deserve representatives that work to make UK a better place for the entire student body. We want to be advocates for issues that are important work to make UK a better place for the entire student body. We want to be advocates for issues that are important we believe that we would be pour advocates and the student body. There is also need for Student Government to communicate more effectively with the student body. There is also need for Student Government to communicate more effectively with the student body. If elected, we will create a student message line that students can call if they have an issue they need Student Government to address. We will survey you, the students, for your opinions.

Student Government needs a better relationship and better lines of communication with the university administration and the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. Establishing a working relationship with the LFUCG will be a high priority in our administration. With better communication and greater trust between UK Schotz of the students of the student of the students of the student of the student of the studen

... we desire to serve. represent and advocate for all students."

Jewell and Shaffer: 'leadership that counts'

There are many things that Brianna and myself feel that we can bring to student government. First and foremost, we want to bring you "leadership that counts." We want to do this by making Student Government "the Students Government "the Students Government "to say possible. We want to provide events for you, the students, but we will strive to the sevents when the sevents for you, the students, but we will strive to the sevents work be as costly. We want to work with the Student Activities Board to provide some of these events won't be as costly. We want to work with the Student Activities Board to provide some of these events to you. This will make more funds available in the Senate allocation fund, which is the fund that gives money back to the students and their respected organizations. We want you to feel free to come to SG for whatever funding your organization may need. SG will not be the students and their respected organizations we want you to feel free to come to SG for whatever funding your organization may need. SG will not be the students as it should be.

I have been in SG now and I have seen both good and bad things with two different administrations both under Jimmy Glenn and Tim Robinson. Both Brianna and I believe that there is a lot that we can bring to the plate that will be beneficial for the students. Our bud-

get will be very detailed from the beginning, and we WILL NOT run into budget problems that have plaqued the organization over the last few semesters. We believe what this year's SG did wrong was that they were anticipating getting more money from student fees, and they spent that money before they expend the student of the student of

copy of a test. This will not only be readily available for you at the SG office, but the resource will also be available for you online as well.

We want to work with the Student Volunteer Center to increase community service on campus. We feel that we need to give back to the community, because it has given so much to us. With cause it has given so much to us. With cause it has given so much to us. With cause it has given so much to us. With the control of the people, but the Lexington-Fayette Urban Courty Government will be more willing to work with us on issues that greatly concern us.

We want to work with the Athletics Department to bring an extra UK home basketball game. This would be at Memorial Coliseum and would only be for students. This would definitely increase spirit and morale on campus. In closing, the reasons I chose my runningmate are because she is a great Christian and because she has never been in SG before. She has been in many other organizations, though, and has a great deal of diversity and outside perspective to bring to SG. This is something that I believe to be vital for the success of SG. I am looking forward to meeting as many of you as possible. I encourage you to vote, because this is something that till greatly influence your campus for the mext year.

Kyfe Jewell, a political science junior, is run-

Kyle Jewell, a political science junior, is run ning with Brianna Shaffer, a Spanish sophomore.



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Holiday in London: No grief, problems for being American

culture

Some people told us to say we were from Canada. They told us not to say much, to work on our accents, to avoid

much, to work on our a talking to strangers. People feared for us when we were over-seas during the begin-ning of the war. They feared that we would be stuck in case all flights, were halted. flights were halted, and they feared that we would be treated badly



by the people we encour were American.

I was never threatened nor did I feel threatened. The one war protest we hap-pened across in London was small for the population's standards, maybe a hundred people or so. And we were in London, which is home to some of our fiercest al-

"Some people in my country feel that your president is like a," Sebastian, a German from Cologne, paused to search for a word. "A big clown with all the pow-

I told Sebastian that some people in my country thought the same way about the president.

It was two seconds of politics in a

night of conversation with the Germans we met. And he didn't initiate the political conversation. I did. It was the same way across the board. No one talked

And it's funny to think about what others may think of us, knowing that oth-

ers may feel the same way.

"So what do you know about Ger-mans?" asked Sebastian's friend, Nils.
"We are all Nazis? We all wear Lederho-

We would tell people we were from Kentucky, and the war wouldn't come out of their mouths. America wouldn't be the

first thing they talked about.
"Oh, like the fried chicken?" some people would say. We would stop for a minute to explain that there were far more Kentucky Fried Chickens in London than there are in our home towns. There may have been a moment of

unease as we told people where we came from. But it is comforting to be able to come back and tell people, "No, we didn't have any problems." People didn't treat us any differently because we were

I hope people who come to America have the same experience.







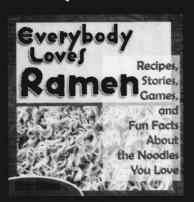


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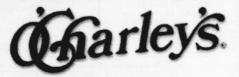
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Architecture students hold wild dress-up ball for AIDS charities

BY LILY COOKS

When you're sick, you call a doctor. When you're hun gry, you call Papa John's. When you're ready for a party, yo call the architecture students and ask them to build it fo

It could easily be confused with a Dali painting, or a black the affair. For one night, surrealistic decorations, lighting and imaginy set the stage as boll-gowns and tuxedoo mingle with bubble wasp dresses and later paint suits. Undermant's learning to the stage of the stage of the stage of for this night into a world where almost anything goes. a world of life seem, otherwise, looking as the Stage, which said suits of the stage of the stage of the stage of the stage of suits of the stage of the stage of the stage of suits of the stage of the stage of the stage of suits of the stage of the stage of suits of the stage of suits of the stage of suits of

You feel like a celebrity," said Adam Phillips, co-director of the ball, of attending the event. "As you descend down to the underground party, there are tons of people lining this street just to see you and see what kinds of continues people

The Beaux Arts Ball has been a tradition for architecture students nationwide for the past too years. Here at UK, it has

It originated as a costume hall where students would come displaying outfits ranging from buildings to skyscran ers to pyramids. While the years have changed the ball into mote formal event at most architecture schools, one school has been able to maintain the authenticity of the party. UN which holds the reputation for the wildest continues and bet have set as all the the action.

"People can expect a wild and crazy time," said Case Mather, co-director of the ball. "There will be a lot of visua

The ball, however, isn't just about having a great time, it is an effort to raise money for the charity Moveable Feast, which provide meals to AIBS sixtims who are unable to leave their homes. All the proceeds from the ball go to this cause. It is a way that the architecture students feel they can give back to the income.

by the architecture students and it is considered to be the largest chants even in kentucks but on by young adults. Politically all Box other political sole is great parts and then fewer at the end of the orbit on who that all the mode.

A night of costumes and dancing is not all that it beaux Arts Ball has to offer. Events starting at 7 pm. wis cocktalls include a dragon dance by local mortial satist Cyppy dancing perentied by Mecca, a performance by the band III Subliminal, a drag show and mass by electronic artist Dean Coleman presented by bullist Bookings and 12% Transfer.

A special samon snow will endo save piace at fins year Beaux Arts Ball. In an effort to support the cause, Central Ec centric has teamed up with MAC and Posh Salon to provid costumes, hair, and makeup for the show. Images Modelin will be providing models.

Phillips and Mather, the two co-directors of Beaux As Ball, had approached General Eccentric with the idea of team

we thought it was a great loba when they hirst hold about it; "said General Eccentric manager Katle Blair." It was a good match. Our clothing fit with what this ball is a about, fun, trendy and great for a party.

For Blair it is not only a chance for publicity and help for

For Blaff it is not only a chance for publicity and help for good cause, but it is the realization of a childhood dream.

"I am designing some of the clothes and accessories for the fashion show." Blair said. "This is exciting because it is something I have always wanted to do."

585,000 for AVOL. AIDS Volunteers of Sexington. This yes there are limited tickets, but Phillips plans to have the sar full turnout as last year.

"We'd like to raise even more money this year," sail Phillips.
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"We did well last year, but we're hoping to do even be ter."

The architecture community is not only coming to see

er to throw the party, but also to attend the party. Many first year students plan for their first Beaux Arts Ball.

Pretty much all of but instru-year students are going," said Beth Heigherg. There is been a lot of talk about it. I am.

thing of course some of my friends have been planning their months in advance.

Another elaborate half gown friends black the interval and of the property of the size Walter of the size Walter of the size Walter of the size Walter of the size was not been stated.

Costumes in Lexington aren't hard to come by

BY DARJUSH SHAFA CONTRIBUTING WRI

From Elvis to lipgoies, pimp suits to zoot suits and storybook characters to flappers, there are endless numbers of costume choices that you can does up as for the Beaux Arts Ball this Saturday. Choosing the right costume is important, but where you get your costume can make all the difference.

manner of costumes, with a selection of more than 10 coocestumes to choose from: What can be found there? "We have just about anything," raid Tracy Jarvis, who works at Backstage line. Whether it be costumes from the lister stores for

tume, they've got it.

Another costume store is Life's Masquerade on Southport Drive. They carry between 300 and 400 costumes, including Mickey Mouse and flapper dresses, but store owner Kashy butle says there's something that sets her store apart from others.

unique, "Uzzle said.

A third costume store is Off Broadway Costumes.

located on Moore Drive just off Nicholasville. They carry 2,000 to 3,000 costumes, not only the aforementioned vintage and party costumes, but also have story book and even biblical character costumes for sale or for rent. "We have a very large costume selection with good quality," said Barbara Smith who worke an off Renafasse.

There is no shortage of costumes or places to ren
them in Lexington. The only hardest decision to make it

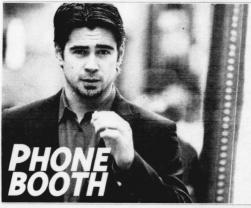
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FRAMEBY FRAME

By Lucas M. Thomas



Were it not for a few trigger-happy criminals' sniper-shooting rampage last fall, we would have seen the release of this film a long time ago. But with the world in such a situation as it is, I suppose it's good we're getting this tale of a man and his rifle-wielding assailant at all. Colin Farrell stars as your typical young professional in the Big Apple, and is happily living out his normal life with his own fare share of skeletons in the closet. An unknown vigilante learns of the secrets Colin's been keeping, and devises a trap to get him to clean up his life. Also starring Forest Whitaker and Katie Holmes, this one's been looking interesting ever since the previews started rolling back in August. I'm sure they saved tons on the location budget, too.

HEAD OF STATE

Ah, nothing like the old comedy staple of mixing different culture groups and laughing at the improbability of it all. Sure, it's possible that we'll see someone like Chris Rock running for President some day, but the old white women singing "I wanna take my clothes off?" Gotta love the originality it must have taken to come up with that.





BASIC

After being praised for years for their work in a little orange juice story back in the mid '90s, John Travolta and Samuel L. Jackson have finally re-teamed for Pulp Fiction 2. After this film's inevitable success, the dynamic duo will go on to produce a sequel of Michael, in which Sammy will play a comical demon opposite John's fallen angel.

THE CORE

I really hope none of you have gone to see this. And I further hope that if you did, you didn't pay good money to do so. *The Core* is the film that proves Hollywood's complete and utter idiocy in all scientific matters, featuring a storyline that would make even a D-average 6th grade chemistry student wretch in psychological agony.



FRIENDS: THIRD SEASON

I've noticed that this DVD of the Week section has become more and more the DVD set of an Old Television show of the Week section, so why not add more fuel to the fire? I don't think there's anything wrong with profiling these I'v collections, especially, when compared with the newly released Hollywood films sharing the same shelf space, they're very appealing additions to anyone's entertainment ascortment. This week we got the third season of thrends—the year when things really started getting interesting for Chandler, low-y, Roys, Monica, Rachel and the Pheebs This set is home to as episodes, including infamous classical like. The one With the finitess less fantasy, and The line Where Roys.

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OnTap...

For the week of April 2 - April 8

MUSIC

Lexington Blues Society Jam Session. 10 p.m. High on Rose. Tickets cost \$3.

Slobberbone. 8:30 p.m. South-gate House, New port. Tickets

Big Maracas. 10 p.m. High on Rose. Tickets cost \$3.

Barnhouse Effect. 9 p.m. Cheapside. Tickets cost \$3.

The Jayhawks w/ Tim Easton. 9 p.m. Headliners, Louisville. Tickets cost \$14.

Spoon w/ Crooked Fingers & The Fea-tures. 8 p.m. Arts Place. Tickets cost \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door.

C.O. Iones.

Todd Rundgre 8 p.m. Kentucky Theatre. Tickets cost \$29.

Derek Trucks Band. 9 p.m. Phoenix Ballroom. Tickets cost \$12.

Spoon w/ Crooked Finger. 10 p.m. Southgate House, Newport. Tickets costs \$12.

TailDragger. 10 p.m. AIA. Tickets cost \$6.

Alex Skolnick Trio. 10 p.m. High on Rose. Tickets cost \$6.

Better Off Dead. 10 p.m. Cheapside Tickets cost \$4.

SATURDAY

C.O. Jones. 10 p.m. AIA. Tickets cost \$6.

Keller Williams 9 p.m. Phoenix Ballroom. Tickets cost \$17.

Better Off Dead.

10 p.m. Cheapside. Tickets cost \$4.

Liquid Snafu. 9 p.m. High on Rose. Tickets

cost \$3. Dianogah w/ Ampline. 9 p.m. Southgate House.Tickets cost \$6.

SUNDAY
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John Scofield
Band. 9 p.m.
20th Century The
atre, Cincinnati.
Tickets cost \$12.

MONDAY The Datsuns w/
The Sights.
IO p.m. Southgate House, Newport. Tickets cost \$10.

Perennial w/ Psy-cho Bitch Magnet 8 p.m. Thursday, April 10. Student Center Game Room. Tickets Club Dub Sessions. 10 p.m. High on Rose. Tickets cost \$3.

Goose Creek Symphony. 8:30 p.m. Thurs-day, April 10. Bill's Grill, Morehead.

John Butcher. 8 p.m. UK Niles Gallery. Tickets cost \$5.

COMING SOON

Leftover Salmon. 9 p.m. Wednesda April 9. Madison Theatre, Coving-ton. Tickets cost \$18.

Chitara Rhythm Section. 10 p.m. Friday, April II. High on Rose. Tickets cost \$3.

Jon Spencer Blues Explosion. 9 p.m. Thursday, April 10. Headlin-ers, Louisville. Tickets cost \$15.

Yo La Tengo w/ Portastatic. 8:30 p.m. Friday, April II. Southgate House, Newport Tickets cost \$15.

8:30 p.m. Sunday, April 13. Southgate

Pearl Iam 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 21. Rupp Arena. Tickets cost \$36.50.

G-Funk.
10 p.m. Saturday, April 12. AIA. Tickets cost \$12.

> Ani DiFranco. 8 p.m. Thursday, April 17. Singletary Center for the Arts. Tickets cost \$30.



Bob Dylan. 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 30. Jillian's, Louisville. Tickets cost \$30.

Of Montreal. 9 p.m. Wednesday, April 30. Southgate House, Newport.

Tickets cost \$8. Los Straitjackets

8 p.m. Thursday, May I. Headliners Louisville. Tickets cost \$10.

Les Claypool's Frog

Brigade.
9 p.m. Wednesday,
May 14. Bogart's,
Cincinnati. Tickets
cost \$22.

7:30 p.m. Wednes-day, May 14. Palace Theatre, Louisville Tickets cost \$28.50.

> - Compiled by On Tap Editor Robbie Clark





Spoon will play at 8 p.m. Thursday at Arts Place. Tickets cost \$8 in ad-vance, \$10 at the door.

A SONG AND DANCE FOR HOPE, LOVE AND ACCEPTANCE

Theatre senior Ja-son Thompson dances as part of the group Sabi Diri, which recently went to Suriname to dance. The group will be per-forming April 18 in conjunction with the next Gallery Hop.

MELYNDA MILBURY



BY JENNIFER MUELLER

matters.

Sabi Diri opened its performance and discussion Tuesday night at Center Theatre with a rat-a-tat-tat on the drum and a pounding of feet. As Aminata Baruti pounded the beat

with her hands, five lithe bodies entered the stage and began to sing, then dance. Enter Sabi Diri, a UK-born dance company led by Baruti, an anthropology graduate student. The performance was sponsored

by the Women's Studies Program.
Sabi Diri is a Surinamese proverb meaning "Knowledge is Priceless," and it explains a lot of what the group is about. while traveling to Suriname this summer for their performance entitled "Creating Spaces Without Boundaries," the group brought dance — and received cultural insights in return. Baruti, who is originally from Suriname, on the northeast coast of South America, said the performance is all about the idea "that everybody that's here

The group began about two years ago when students wanted to continue taking Baruti's dance classes during the summer. After choreographing some dances for local

events the group of dancing students be-came an official dance troupe. Baruti says that for her and the peo-ple in her group, dance is a way to reach out to others.

"We use our art form to connect with other cultures and make people under-stand who we are, and to foster apprecia-tion of culture," she said.

The members shared their feelings about dance and how they fit into the

group, as well as their trip to Suriname

"What in life is guaranteed? You have to do what makes you feel good, what makes you happy," said Lauren Moss, a theatre senior

Baruti said that as American students with so many resources, people have a lot of responsibility. She said the UK students who displayed their talents

in Suriname were very appreciated.
"We did something for them but they also did something for us in making them feel special," said Barutti.
Krystal Uimbley, a theatre graduate student, with her pale skin and hair, said her experiences in Suriname made her appreciate the difficulties of being a mi-nority, although the people she met were very kind.

"People tried so hard to welcome me and teach me the language. I wish it were like that more in America," she said. Moss talked about some of the com-

munity programs the group does, most recently for some elementary school chil-dren in Woodford County. She said these performances gave her a sense of accom-

"They're seeing people who are from different ethnic groups come together to do something positive for the community," Moss said.

A dance of hope

For those that missed Tuesday night's performance, Sabi Diri will be performing April 18 at Mecca as part of the Gallery Hop

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