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Jamaal gets his props
Columnist Matt May changed his mind | 2

LEFT OF CENTER

Who should be our next president?

Doyle

"Our American president needs to be honest, down-to-earth and not cheating on his wife."

-Aaron Doyle, international business freshman

Smith

"He needs to have honesty, experience and respectibility."

-Justin Smith, psychology junior

Declercq

"They need to have the ability to get things done and be goal oriented."

-Joni Declercq, music education freshman

JOINT EFFORT

Schools to combat alcohol abuse on campus

A $249,069 grant may help curb drinking among students

By Tasha Harris
STAFF WRITER

Thanks to a hefty grant, UK and seven other colleges and universities statewide are working together to try and help prevent alcohol abuse among college students.

Under-age drinking, driving under the influence of alcohol and any other alcohol-related acts that could be harmful are considered high-risk drinking. Experts and students agree college campuses have their share of such behavior.

"When you walk by a dorm room and you see beer bottles lined up on the windows, that tells you there's a problem," said Randy Gray, an art studio sophomore.

Morehead State University received a grant for $249,069 to work on a project entitled "The Kentucky Network Project to Reduce High-Risk Drinking Among College Students."

UK is one of eight colleges and universities to receive money from Morehead's grant, said Bridget Wells, UK coordinator for health/alcohol education programs.

UK received a grant for $4,000 for the first year and $2,000 for the second year to help establish a campus coalition, Wells said.

The grant was awarded through the Kentucky Network of Colleges and Universities, a coalition committed to the elimination of drug and alcohol abuse.

The network aims reduce risky drinking among college students through market research and surveys.

UK hopes to create its own group to research and survey students. The group will consist of faculty, staff, students and community members who will devise strategies to cope with alcohol abuse based on their research and survey results.

"At UK we are excited about the opportunity to establish a campus and community coalition in order to examine our students environment and to collectively address issues that will reduce high-risk drinking among college students," Wells said.

The facts

Survey says

Percentage of students who had 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row on 1 or more of the past 30 days in the ...
Nation: 33.4
Kentucky: 37.1

Source: National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, 1997

PRESIDENTIAL RACE

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GOP debaters

Republican presidential candidates, from left, Gov. George W. Bush; Gary Bauer; Sen. John McCain of Ariz.; Steve Forbes; Sen. Orrin Hatch of Utah; and Alan Keyes chat prior to debating Jan. 6, 2000 at the University of New Hampshire.

Campaign criticism at UK

Apathy on campus: Students lack support for the presidential campaign

By Britt Clem
STAFF WRITER

It's no surprise college students don't seem interested in the 2000 presidential election.

"Presidential races have become too much the same," Jessica Johnson, a computer science junior, said.

Many students feel there isn't a strong distinction between candidates, parties or their issues anymore.

Others feel the media is to blame for the lack of motivated voters.

"I think the media is making or breaking the candidates," said Shaun Saunders, a finance senior. "This early in the race, most Americans are not interested right now. But the media is force-feeding them to pay attention to non-important issues."

Tim Cantrell, a political science professor at LCC, has his own opinions as to why students are uninterested.

"Students, especially 18 to 20-year-olds, since they got the right to vote in Georgia in 1942, are the lowest (age group) to vote, because they don't see a direct outcome in their life," Cantrell said.

Students agree.

"We feel like what goes on doesn't pertain to us. The government is run by old money, and people like us don't have anything to do with it. Old people own and run everything, so we can't change what needs to be changed," Justin Head, a biology senior, said.

Cantrell said another reason for the lack of political interest is the great deal of Americans who think the candidates have already been chosen and don't feel there is much that can be done.

This lack of interest leads to a lack of mobility in college voters.

"We don't have a big voter turnout, so politicians don't really care what (college students) think," said Emily Romero, an inter-strategic communications sophomore. "If we were involved in more issues, I think the turnout would be better."

Overall, students on campus don't like the issues or the way candidates handle themselves.

"The candidates are all making too many personal attacks, and the issues they have been looking at are all so petty," said Shea Persful, a decision science senior. "They're bringing up issues like what to do with the Cuban kid ... who really cares?"

Students have other things on their minds, and voting is low on their priority lists. It seems that until students can see how an election can directly effect in their lives, their involvement will continue to be minimal.

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www.georgewbush.com

Al Gore
www.algore2000.com

Bill Bradley
www.billbradley.com

John McCain
www.mccain2000.com

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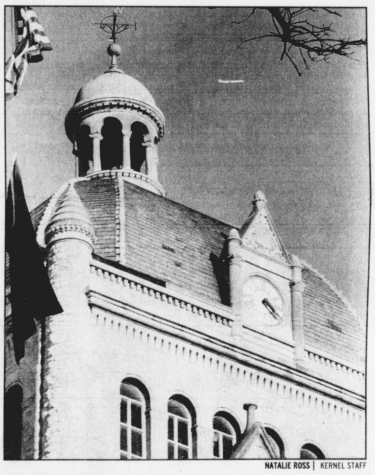
Democratic presidential hopeful Bill Bradley looks at Vice President Al Gore as he speaks during a town meeting at Dartmouth College in Hanover, N. H., Wednesday, Oct. 27, 1999.

ON THE MOVE

UK Art Museum may relocate downtown

A mutual agreement: Art and history museums will be together, pending approval



NATALIE ROSS | KERNEL STAFF

The possible new site for the UK Art Museum and a history museum could be here, in the old Fayette County Court House.

By Hillary Cromer
MANAGING EDITOR

The UK Art Museum might pack up and move out — to the old Fayette County Courthouse. Members of the Urban County Council and the museum may collaborate to enhance and expand UK's museum.

The plan would be to house both the UK Art Museum, currently residing at the Singletary Center for the Arts, and a local history museum in the old Fayette County Court House.

"Downtown isn't very far away," said Harriet Fowler, director of the art museum. "I'm hoping the beautiful building will attract even more people."

According to the proposal, the art museum would get the majority of the space for permanent exhibits, and the two would share temporary exhibits.

UK would pay operating costs, while the history museum would share staff and utilities.

The museum would be open to the public with no admission charge. Although the art museum would attract more of the general public, Fowler does not want to alienate UK's student and staff population.

"I don't want students to feel that it's no longer for them," Fowler said. "We aren't meaning to turn backs by moving."

Fowler said that we might see more of these collaborations in the future.

"It is a new museum for a new century," she said.

The committee will hold another meeting scheduled on Feb. 2 for public input on the proposal, which is to raise $8.5 million for the project. Courthouse renovations would cost a projected $7 million.

"This project is needed," Fowler said. "We need more room, and we need to serve more audiences."

The plan will be implemented if the community can agree that it would do well and that they can get adequate funding, said Bob Wiseman, executive assistant to the mayor.

"The museum would benefit not only the art community, but the community at-large," Wiseman said. "It would give downtown a higher profile."

The proposal has already been approved by both museums and by the committee responsible for the old Fayette County Court House. It still needs to be approved by the Urban County Council and state government.

"There are plusses on all sides," Wiseman said.

The 411

The plan will ...

1) Move the UK Art Museum downtown.
2) Pair the art museum with a Lexington/ Fayette County history museum.
3) Cost $8.5 million.

THE 411

Tomorrow's weather

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Partly sunny, but very cold.

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Jam deserves credit

Eatin' crow: Magloire has proven he can lead the Cats as one of the nation's premiere big men

Matt May
SENIOR STAFF WRITER

Open mouth, insert foot. Well, not quite, but close enough. Some of you may remember a less than complimentary evaluation of UK's Jamaal Magloire just after the Cats were buried by Indiana in early December.

For those who can't seem to get the memory cells working because of this sub-freezing weather we are enjoying, here's a little reminder.

I called the 6-foot-11, 265-pound Canadian soft, immature and exactly what the Cats didn't need from a leader. At the time, it seemed appropriate, as Magloire had struggled in the early season, routinely being outplayed in the post. Through six games, UK's preseason All-Southeastern Conference selection was averaging just 9.3 points, 6.7 rebounds and shooting 32 percent from the field. Not exactly stellar numbers for a player who had contemplated a jump the National Basketball Association over the summer.

But seeing how I am not the type of person to kick someone when they are down and then not give them credit when they are up, I feel as though I must applaud Magloire's effort since the fateful column. (No, I am not saying my column spurred Jamaal's improvement.

Beginning with the second Maryland game, Magloire has been everything UK expected from the outset of the season. Forceful inside, even dominating at times, inside, Magloire has redefined his role on the court, proving himself to be the go-to guy the Cats have needed, while staying under control and providing the leadership a youthful UK has needed. Not coincidentally, UK has gone 9-2 since Magoire turned it around.

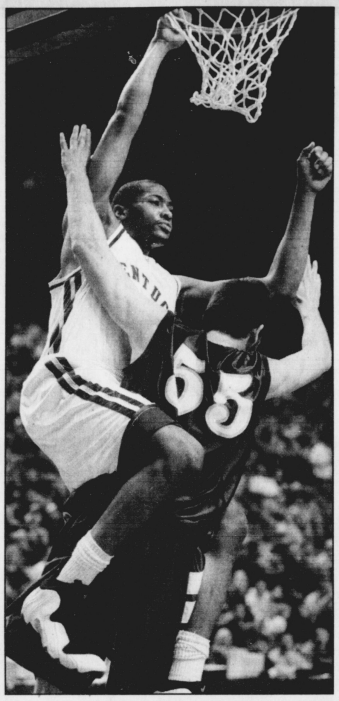
Further proof? Magloire has raised every statistical number dramatically since early December. He has averaged 15 points and 10 rebounds in the last 12 games, while shooting 55 percent from the field and 77 percent from the free throw line. The most impressive stat? Magloire has recorded seven double-doubles in that same time span and been named SEC Player of the Week.

Except for his momentary lapse into the World Wrestling Federation against Michigan State, Magloire has been a "model citizen" as he describes it. Model citizen may be a stretch, but Magloire has proven he can lead this team, and I for one am happy to give him his due.

- Yes, Saul Smith is the coach's son. No, he isn't on the level of such point guard stars as Mateen Cleaves, Khalid El-Amin and Ed Cota. But Smith is more than capable of leading the Cats.

In fact, with all the pressures he faces from less-than-patient UK fans, Smith may be the most impressive player on the floor thus far this year for the Cats. Cut him some slack fans, everyone makes mistakes.

- Okay, I have a request. Would someone (Jamaal) please knock out that little kid on Florida's roster if you get a chance? What's his name? Teddy something? One good elbow should do work just fine.
- Finally, would someone please tell Auburn fans that when you are ranked No. 4 in the country and beat the No. 24 team by just three points, at home, do not storm the floor! You look like you've never won a basketball game before.
- While watching the Tennessee/UK women's game in sold-out Memorial Coliseum Sunday, I couldn't help but wonder how unbelievable an atmosphere it would be for the men's team to play one home game in the old arena a year and have it be all students. Unfortunately we know UK would never give up the money from the suits at Rupp.



FILE PHOTO

Jamaal Magloire has emerged as one of the top players in the college game. The senior center has seven double-doulbes in the past 12 games.

HOCKEY

Cool Cats beat Toledo twice

Welcome back: Cold weather, month off don't seem to bother Cool Cats one bit

Nathan Hutchinson
STAFF WRITER

The UK Cool Cats skated right back into the spring semester from the winter break with two wins against the University of Toledo.

"First day back you could see them wanting it, you tell the fire in their eyes. Practice showed it this week, and the game showed it this week. They want to start playing hockey again," UK coach Brian Graham said.

Kentucky came out shooting last Friday night, firing 20 first period shots on Toledo goaltender Jack Seney. But because of Seney's heroics, the game was scoreless after the first period.

"Their goaltender played a great game. He (Seney) shut us down in the first period. He kept them in it as best he could," Graham said.

Toledo took a brief 1-0 lead when Jake Surdell scored on a power play in the second period. But just 37 seconds later on a power play of their own, UK's Jason Painter tied the score.

With a faceoff to the right of Seney, Aaron Stephenson won the draw, and Painter, who was lined up on the far side, skated around, picked up the puck between the hash marks and beat Seney high to the stick side.

"Stevie (Stephenson) made a good play. He held up his man and drew it back. The puck sat there and I just came around, picked it up and found an opening," Painter said.

Graham credited that play with bringing the Cats back in the game.

"It got the fire burning and the guys came out and started playing again," Graham said.

Kentucky took control, with goals by Toni Haapala, Alex Derhohannesian, and Corey Callahan that led to a 4-1 victory.

Saturday, Kentucky ran out to a 3-0 first period lead before Toledo started a comeback. Surdell and John Frank scored 48 seconds apart to get Toledo within a goal at 3-2, and another late goal made the score 4-3 at the end of the second period.

That's when Graham decided to pull goaltender Jason Smith and put in Justin Clark.

"It was a momentum changer. Get the guys refocused again. Remember they have to support their goalie. It wasn't anything to do with Jay's (Smith) playing. I just wanted to go with a momentum change. It worked I guess," Graham said.

Clark was solid in the final period. Kentucky got two goals from Callahan, and one from Stephenson on the way to a 7-4 victory.

Overall, Graham couldn't have been more pleased with his team's effort.

"Two league wins is huge, cause you never know what can happen in this league," Graham said.

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FILM

Denzel delivers powerful blow with 'Hurricane'

Like a Hurricane: Film about boxer who was wrongfully-accused packs an emotional punch

By Patrick Avery
STAFF CRITIC

Hurricanes crash on coastlines with Herculean strength and destroy with no mercy. Yet in the middle of all the devastation, the eye of a hurricane breeds a heaven-like calmness. Denzel Washington transforms into the "hurricane" in this new movie about Rubin "Hurricane" Carter.

Carter begins his life in Patterson, N.J., and gets into trouble from the start. Thrown into a detention center at an early age, Carter vents all of the hate inside him by turning to the boxing ring and making it to the top. Once at the top of the mountain, the only way for him to go is down.

Carter finds himself wrongly convicted for the murder of three individuals and receives a life sentence at the Trenton State Prison. While in confinement, Carter struggles with how to deal with imprisonment and his unlikely fate. He can fight for justice and seek to get out, or he can give up and do the time. Like a true boxer, Carter decides to fight for his release. Instead of using boxing gloves, he uses the power of the pen and writes his autobiography in prison, "The Sixteenth Round: From Number 1 Contender to #45472."

Some years after his book is published, a young man living in Canada, Lezra Martin, played in the movie by Vicellous Reon Shannon, comes across Carter's book at a used book sale. Martin has been taken in by a group of Canadians that are teaching him to read and write. Martin begins to read the book and is completely intoxicated by the story. By the time he is finished, Martin believes that Carter is innocent and seeks to convince his Canadian caregivers to help Carter in his fight for justice.

Martin and Carter begin exchanging letters and eventually meet each other face-to-face. They find they have many things in common and form a father-son relationship. Their relationship in the movie is touching and captures the essence of a true friendship.

Washington and Shannon's performances are magnificent. Their performances provoke a range of emotions from the audience. Hate fills Washington at the beginning. It becomes a battle he struggles to come to terms with throughout the movie. Shannon represents most inner-city kids that dare to dream and make something happen with their lives by helping someone else.

Washington's performance in *The Hurricane* has the raging mind of a hurricane, yet the calmness of its eye. Audience members that attend this modern classic will be blown away by the anger that surrounds Rubin "Hurricane" Carter but will be left with the hope of a new day that the eye of a hurricane leaves behind.

Rating: A

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Movie great Denzel Washington turns in another strong performance in *The Hurricane*. Washington portrays former boxer Rubin 'Hurricane' Carter who was wrongly imprisoned and later released.

BOOKS

Movie tries to stay true

Artistic freedom: Like most movies, film takes a few liberties with the storyline

By Patrick Avery
STAFF WRITER

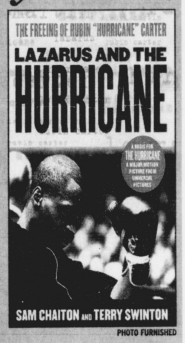
Many movies take significant dramatic liberties when bringing novels to the big screen. *The Hurricane* is no exception.

The movie borrows most of its information from two different books. Rubin "Hurricane" Carter's autobiography, "The Sixteenth Round: From Number 1 Contender to #45472," reveals Carter's incarceration in the Trenton State Prison. The second book, written by Sam Chaiton and Terry Swinton and called "Lazarus and the Hurricane: The Untold Story of the Freeing of Rubin 'Hurricane' Carter," depicts Carter's story as told by the Canadians who helped on the legal front to free Carter.

These books complement each other nicely and provide the basis for an excellent motion picture screenplay. However, many important facts get lost in the making of the movie.

Carter was imprisoned in the late 1960s for life and served 20 years. However, the movie fails to mention that Carter received a release after his initial sentencing. Ten years after the sentencing, Muhammad Ali, Bob Dylan and many other significant people rallied for Carter's release from jail. One court upheld his conviction, and Carter remained free for eight months until another judge ordered Carter back to prison. This fact makes the story more tragic in terms of tasting freedom and then losing it again.

Another adaptation made for the movie was the role of the Canadians. The actual number of Canadians who assisted in Carter's release from prison was decreased. The movie shows three, while the book tells of 9. Three of them eventually move to New Jersey to pursue the matter closely; all of them helped significantly in the legal process. One of the Canadians, Lisa, wound up living with Carter after his release in the 1980s. They have since gone their separate ways.



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One of the many Rubin Carter books, "Lazarus and The Hurricane," is told by some of the Canadians that helped free Carter.

The Hurricane, despite the variations from the book, stands as a descriptive tale of Carter's life. Instead of a legal, documented movie, *The Hurricane* tells the story of hope and promise.

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Tues 25

ACADEMIC
*Master Your Time Workshop, 11-11:50 am, Frazee Hall

MEETINGS
*Alpha Phi Omega, 7:30pm, Rm 359 Student Ctr.
*Green Thumb, 8pm, Rm 106 Student Ctr.

ARTS/MOVIES
*EXHIBIT: Henry Chodkowski Mavros Labyrinthos Series, UK Art Museum, noon-5pm
*EXHIBIT: A Horse of a Different Color, UK Art Museum, noon-5pm
* DMA Recital: Angelique Clay, 8pm, Singletary Ctr.

INTRAMURALS/RECREATION
*Raquetball Doubles Tournament on 1/29 &1/30 Entry deadline, Rm 145 Seaton Center

SPECIAL EVENTS
*Poster Sale, 9-5, Rm 245 Student Ctr.

Wed 26

ACADEMIC
* Internship and Shadowing Orientation, 3-4pm, Rm 111 Student Ctr.
*L.E.A.P., 2-2:50pm, 203 Frazee Hall

MEETINGS
*Dinner at the Dorms with the Hillel/Jewish Student Org., 6:15, Blazer Hall
*Table Francais, 3-5pm, Magic Beans Cafe (SH Station)
*UKNOW, 7pm, Rm 115 Student Ctr.

SPORTS
*Kempo Self-defense Club, 8:30pm, Alumni Gym Loft
*Men's B-ball @ Georgia, 8pm

SPECIAL EVENTS
*Poster Sale, 9-5, Rm 245 Student Ctr.

Thurs 27

MEETINGS
*Thursday Night Live, 8pm, Christian Student Fellowship

ARTS/MOVIES
* Senior Voice Recital: Charis Humpress-Strange, 8pm, Singletary Ctr.

SPORTS
*Kempo Self-defense Club, 6:30pm, Alumni Gym Loft
*Women's B-ball @ Alabama, 8pm

SPECIAL EVENTS
*Poster Sale, 9-5, Rm 245 Student Ctr.
*LCC Club Fair, 11-1pm & 2-4pm, Academic Tech Bldg.

Fri 28

SPECIAL EVENTS
*Poster Sale, 9-5, Rm 245 Student Ctr.
*UK Wellness Program Membership Drive For UK Employees and Spouses, 7am-3:30pm, H133 UKMC, call 257-WELL

Sat 29

MEETINGS
*Newman Center Mass, 6pm

ARTS/MOVIES
*Ky Orff Schulwerk Assoc. Workshop, 9:30-2pm, Rm. 230 Student Ctr., call 257-8203

SPORTS
*Men's B-ball @ Miami, Fl, 1pm (CBS)

INTRAMURALS/RECREATION
*Raquetball Doubles Tournament, Seaton Center

Sun 30

MEETINGS
*Sunday Morning Worship, 11am, Christian Student Fellowship
*Newman Center Mass, 9am, 11:30am, 5pm and 8:30pm

SPORTS
*Women's B-ball @ Tennessee, 2pm

INTRAMURALS/RECREATION
*Raquetball Doubles Tournament, Seaton Center

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Becoming a U.S. citizen

Since 6-year-old Elian Gonzalez was rescued as the lone survivor of a capsized boat, he has been in the middle of a tug-o-war between Cuba and the United States and various interest groups within each nation.

In the latest episode of this ongoing saga, U.S. federal lawmakers are planning an attempt to declare Elian Gonzalez a U.S. citizen.

The Senate could vote on the legislation as early as the middle of this week.

Of course, an act of Congress is not the normal route one takes to become a U.S. citizen. Here's a little terminology about the immigration and naturalization process:

Visa

Anyone can apply to be an immigrant to the United States. In order to enter the country, however, most applicants must have a visa. There are two classes of visas: nonimmigrant and immigrant.

Green card

A green card gives you the right to live and work permanently in the United States.

Naturalization

Anyone who has a green card may apply to become a U.S. citizen. This application process is called naturalization, which is done through one of the 33 INS district offices.

Qualifications

These are the criteria immigrants must meet in order to become citizens:

- Reside in the United States continuously for at least 5 years after receiving a green card.
- Have been physically present in the United States for half of those 5 years.
- Be of good moral character.
- Have a basic knowledge of U.S. government and history.
- Be able to read, write and speak simple English.
- Be at least 18 and capable of taking a U.S. oath of allegiance
- Express allegiance to the U.S. government

Interview

After filing an application, a person may wait anywhere from several months to more than a year before receiving notice to appear for a naturalization interview.

Source: http://www.metlife.com/Lifeadvice/Family/Docs/usaintro.html, http://www.usatoday.com/news/ndsmon02.htm

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IN OUR OPINION

Play by the rules

Retiring Mashburn's jersey is not fair to other student-athletes

Last week during the UK men's basketball game against Ole Miss, the jerseys of three former Wildcat players were retired — Pat Riley, Bill Spivey, and Jamal Mashburn.

And while no one disputes the contributions the three made to the University's basketball program, the fact that Mashburn has not yet earned his degree rests uneasy with us.

Mashburn was a shining star for UK in one of the lowest periods of the program's history. To have an athlete of his caliber sign with a program while on probation was most fortunate for Kentucky. His performance resurrected the men's program from the depths of darkness and turmoil.

Mashburn gave new meaning to versatile with his post moves and sweet jump shot. He led the team to the NCAA Final Eight during his sophomore year, only to come back and take them to the Final Four during his junior season.

He was unquestionably one of the best players to set foot in Rupp Arena.

Like most basketball players with his talent, he left the college ranks early to join the rich and famous lifestyle of the National Basketball Association.

A consequence of this action is not having time to finish the requirements for a college degree. Another consequence of leaving early, at least at some universities including UK, is that an athlete cannot have their jersey retired unless they have a degree.

This is a logical and symbolic rule. All collegiate athletes are student-athletes. They receive a scholarship to the university to earn a degree as well as continue their athletic endeavors at a higher level.

If we reward and recognize student athletes for only their accomplishments on the playing surface, then we send the message to future student athletes that the university is more concerned with athletics than education. Furthermore, it devalues the accomplishment of having such accolades bestowed on the athlete that earned a degree.

UK reserves the right to waive the graduation requirement for retiring jerseys, but should they?

All of this is not to say that Jamal is unworthy of such an acknowledgement. He certainly has contributed to UK in other ways as well, such as establishing a scholarship fund for poor and minority students.

He is a first-class individual who has earned his way to stardom. We just feel he should be judged by the same academic standards as other student athletes before hanging his jersey in Rupp's rafters.

READERS' FORUM

Expressions

Public let Y2K hype to be carried too far

To the Editor:

Social popularity structure, my ass! I highly resent the tone that Gary McCollum took in his "Media overdid the Y2K hype" column on Thursday.

It is nothing more than an example of inappropriate ad hominem attacks, misinformation and egotistical social references of the prepubescent level.

First, saying Y2K hype was a concoction of "computer geeks" is a gross misstatement. Go to any web search engine, type Y2K and see what you get.

The majority of the sites will undoubtedly be survivalist sites made by fundamentalist religious groups.

If it is apocalyptic prophecy that you want, go no further than Pat Robertson's 700 club and the like. "Lord, Lord, let's get a generator and canned food before digital fire and brimstone rain down upon us."

The 24-hour news/infotainment industry bears some blame for the hype as well. Our commercialized media is more concerned with ratings than content, so if the American populous will watch corporate brainrot, they can be shown paranoid Y2K banter.

So perhaps Gary should take a second look at who perpetuated the buzz.

Gary's comments about his vision of a social hierarchy were the most inciteful. The ad hominem attacks on "socially inept computer geeks" coming from a future journalist is truly in bad form. In addition, the conception that popularity implies intelligence is such a fallacy that it makes me shudder. God help us if our world was run by a Popularity Theocracy.

Gary should stick to writing about the "dog-eat-dog" world of wrestling that he knows so much about.

What makes popularity, anyway? Physical appearance, the correct clothes, money, not brains for sure; brains are what make a geek, right Gary?

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Speak up against Ky's House Bill 70

Have you heard of House Bill 70?

If you value your civil rights, pay attention: you're about to be stripped of a few of them.

This bill is bouncing around the Kentucky legislature right now. If we don't do something about it, by the end of next month, it could become law.

In case you're not familiar with it, HB 70 deals with discrimination. It is not, however, a groundbreaking new proposal that will make Kentucky a serious leader in social equality. Far from it.

In its original form, HB 70 would have allowed organizations with religious affiliation to discriminate based on race, religion or disability.

Private organizations — those that don't receive funding or support from the government — already have this right.

But HB 70 would have given it to public organizations as well. It was to be voted on last Wednesday but was removed from the agenda at the last minute.

It has since been amended so that the organizations can only discriminate based on religion in all "public accommodation, resort or amusement."

What does this mean? "Public accommodation" is a fairly broad term, so it's difficult to say exactly what it could pertain to.

It could mean a religious school, an after-school daycare program sponsored by a church, a religious club at a public school, a Christian bookstore, the YMCA or possibly even a religiously-affiliated hospital.

If so, then any one of these organizations could turn away any person because they were Jewish, Muslim, Hindu, atheist, etc. Does that sound American?

So why should you care about HB 70?

What's the big deal, anyway? If private organizations can already do this, why not let public organizations do it too?

Here's why: Because that will mean the Kentucky state government, which should be taking steps forward to oppose and lessen discrimination in our communities, will be supporting it instead.

They will be encouraging us to segregate ourselves based on our religious differences, which can be just as dangerous and prejudiced as racism.

This is far from a step forward. Rather, it is a huge leap backwards for a society that has been struggling for so long to learn to accept each other.

What makes Kentucky's state government think it can get away with this?

There are a lot of non-Christians here. There are a lot of people who believe that this is wrong, that no person has the right to discriminate against another for any reason, and that the government certainly doesn't have to right to encourage it.

Aren't they going to be a little upset about this? Well, maybe, but only if they know about it and take it seriously.

That's exactly what this body of lawmakers, which consists largely of white, conservative, heterosexual males who were raised in the Bible belt, is counting on.

They don't want you to know or do anything about it. If they keep it quiet, they can get away with it.

Know why HB 70 was taken off the agenda so suddenly?

Because too many angry Kentuckians were standing up for equality, calling their representatives and complaining.

Our voices were heard! We can make a difference. We can stop this, and HB 70 is proof.

Anyone who claims to be a proponent of civil rights has a responsibility.

If you believe that people of all religions have the same rights, if you believe that discrimination in any form is wrong and you let this bill pass anyway, then you and your civil rights have just been walked all over.

Don't let them get away with this. Call your legislator and express your outrage at this prejudiced, backward proposal.

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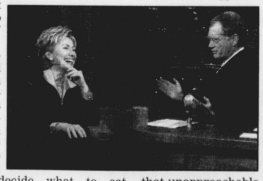
Softer Hillary appears on 'Dave'

"Four words: Severe lapse in judgment," was one of First Lady Hillary Rodham Clinton's Top Ten Reasons for finally appearing on "The Late Show with David Letterman."

Funny, but far from the truth. Clinton's decision to finally take the hot seat on the "Late Show" stage turned out to be anything but a bad idea. Image is essential in American politics, and Clinton presented a very likable one on the stage of the Ed Sullivan Theater.

She was poised, she was open, she was knowledgeable, and she even gave Letterman a run for his money in the humor department. She did admit that she was "a little nervous" when she sat down next to the "Big Guy." Please.



When rating stressful events in Hillary Rodham Clinton's life, an interview with David Letterman ranks up there with having to decide what to eat for lunch.

Clinton's appearance on the show was much anticipated, as she had dodged Letterman's nightly-broadcasted interview requests for nearly a month. He called her staffers "pinheads and weasels," resorting to bully tactics in challenging her to appear at his playground after school.

Truthfully, she was lagging behind her likely opponent in the senate race, New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani, who had already graced "The Late Show" with his presence 16 times.

Though Giuliani was leading Clinton in the polls 49 to 41 percent, not one of his 16 appearances, full of Clinton-bashing and Yankee talk, could have been as memorable as the single appearance the first lady made last week.

The idea of a first lady, particularly Clinton, running for political office has been met with a large amount of opposition. Clinton's critics have portrayed her as a power-hungry carpetbagger, arguing that one Clinton in politics is enough.

It would actually be somewhat of a first if she were to win her yet undeclared race for a New York seat.

First ladies and their ex-president husbands have traditionally gone on to live private lives with their families when their days in Washington were over. What a twist it would be for ex-President Clinton to be the one offering a briefcase and a kiss for his senator wife on her way out the front door. If he still lives there, that is.

Maybe the calm and polished woman who appeared in Letterman's hot seat is a sign of things to come. She certainly did not seem like the ice queen of the past or like she was on a power-starved rampage.

She might have even shed some of that unapproachable image that the media has built up around her for so long. The President's wife, ambitious and intelligent in her own right, may have finally decided it is time to reclaim a life of her own. For the past seven years, she has done little right in the public's eyes.

Expecting Hillary Rodham Clinton to move into a quiet post-White House existence is like expecting January in Texas to be cold.

She will not simply disappear. She is determined to emerge from her husband's shadow, and if that means running against Rudy Giuliani for a chair on the Senate floor, that is what she will do.

David Letterman seemed impressed. It remains to be seen if the rest of New York is impressed as well.

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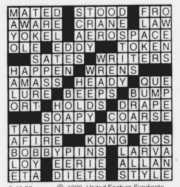

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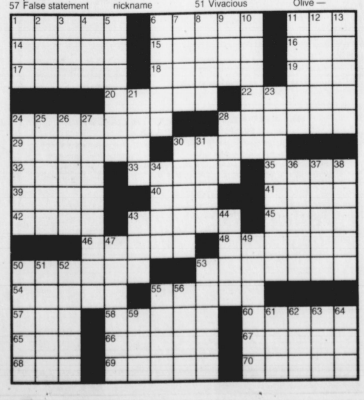

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BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

Herald Leader offers fellowship

Nose for news? One lucky graduate student will be eligible to earn while they learn

By Casey Hamilton
CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Higher education just offered more opportunity.

The UK Graduate School, in cooperation with The Lexington Herald-Leader, is now offering a graduate student with an interest in journalism a chance for some hands-on experience.

The new fellowship, endowed by the Herald-Leader, includes a summer internship at the newspaper, a $10,000 stipend and a full tuition scholarship.

This is the first year for the fellowship, and both the school and the newspaper are hoping for good results.

"We can't really predict how many students we will have apply, but I have the feeling that we will receive an excellent pool of applicants," said Lisa Collins, assistant dean of graduate studies.

The fellowship's main goal is to keep students interested in the local community and keep them working in the state after they graduate from UK.

"This fellowship represents a partnership between the school and a local business," Collins said. "It shows that both the school and the community are interested in keeping excellent students in the area after they graduate."

The graduate school hopes to use the fellowship to attract students from minority and poverty backgrounds. Applicants don't have to have undergraduate degrees in journalism either. Students applying for master's or doctoral programs in accounting, business administration, communication, computer science and other areas are eligible for the fellowship.

Collins is expecting the best from the pool of graduate students who might apply.

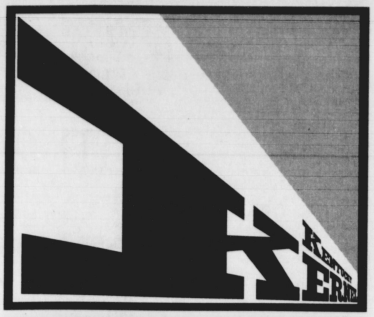
"I do not see us having any trouble selecting an excellent student to represent the school and the fellowship," Collins said.

Fellowship candidates are students who have the time to work hard and excel in the classroom.

To apply

To be considered for the fellowship, graduate students much do the following:
- Be enrolled in graduate school by Fall Semester of 2000.
- Have an undergraduate GPA of at least 3.0 or higher and a graduate school GPA of at least 3.5
- Be nominated by the director of graduate studies and show excellence in the classroom
- Candidates must fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA).
- Nominations must be received later than Thurs., Feb. 24, 2000.

The recipient will be announced by March 31, 2000.
For more information, call 257-3261 or see the web site at www.rgs.uky.edu/gs/gradhome.html



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