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Students report sex offenses

Two women file claims of sexual assault, abuse at Sigma Pi Fraternity house

By Sean Rose
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In the past week, two female students have reported that they were sexually assaulted while at the Sigma Pi Fraternity house, located at 364 Aylesford Place, to Lexington Police.

The UK Office of Emergency Management issued a campus safety advisory Friday in re-

sponse to the reports. One report was made for sexual assault and the other was made for sexual abuse.

The woman charging sexual abuse said her attacker was a man she knew. She described him as a white man about 5 feet 7 inches tall with a thin build and shaggy, dirty blonde hair. The other accusation is against an unknown suspect.

Kendall Zaborowski, president of UK's chapter of Sigma Pi, declined to comment on the allegations, but the fraternity did issue a statement.

"In regards to the recent reports concerning Sigma Pi Fraternity, we want to officially say we are in absolute compliance with the Lexington Police Department and the University of Kentucky in resolving these incidents," the state-

ment said.

"Sigma Pi Fraternity absolutely does not condone any of the accusations that have been reported. We hope to find out what actually happened and will do everything in our power to cooperate to the fullest extent."

The safety advisory encouraged students to use caution when attending parties and events. These precautions include not accepting food or drinks from strangers and not leaving drink or food unattended, being aware of surroundings, and carrying a cell phone or another personal safety device.

Anyone with information on the incidents is asked to contact UK Police at 257-1616 or Lexington Police at 258-3600.

Mold forces fraternity to evacuate

Cleanup expected to be completed by spring

By Shannon Mason
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The students living in the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house will be looking for new places to live because of some recently discovered mold, UK officials said.

"We're in the process of cleaning," said Gail Hairston, a UK spokeswoman. "The students will evacuate while experts clean and repair the cause (of the mold). It's really not safe for them to be in there (while the cleaning is going on)."

Hairston said 46 students are living in the house.

The students will have three weeks to find a new residence and will most likely be out of the house until the beginning of the spring semester.

Hairston said that UK is "definitely going to help them move."

The university will let the students know where on-campus housing is available and students

who decide to move off-campus will be released from their UK housing contracts, Hairston said.

"We're going to find as many on-campus locations as possible for those who want them," she said, adding that all students from the SAE house will have the choice of moving on- or off-campus.

The university is planning an informational meeting for the residents at the SAE house at 7 p.m. today.

Hairston said they know where the mold is, but are not quite sure how it got started.

"I'm not sure, but it's pretty extensive," she said.

Workers will have to tear out some of the ductwork to fix the problem, she said.

"The mold is in the heating and air ducts, but we've got to figure out where the moisture is getting in, where it's coming from," she said. "Because the moisture is what causes the mold."

"It's really not safe for them to be in there (while the cleaning is going on)."

GAIL HAIRSTON
UK spokeswoman

Gas leak at Rose Street apartments causes explosion



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Above: Nathaniel Cornelius, right, and Adam Morgan of the Lexington Fire Department sweep up glass from the windows of the top floor of an apartment building on Rose Street on Saturday. The windows were blown out when a gas leak caused an explosion, said Major Greg Stapleton of Lexington Fire Department.

Above right: Firefighters carry a damaged mattress out of the apartment where the explosion happened on Saturday.



No one hurt in blast; occupants forced to move temporarily

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William McGill heard the explosion that shook his whole apartment building Saturday afternoon.

The telecommunications junior got up and looked out his window to see people running past the building, screaming it was on fire.

He didn't wait to find out what was happening, left the building and let the fire department brief him later.

"Something just exploded, it blew all the glass out," McGill said pointing up at the tattered strips of blinds hanging out of the broken windows at the Orlandria Apartment building on Rose Street near High Street.

An apartment on the top floor of the building exploded after natural gas built up in a wall from a leaky pipe, said Maj. Greg Stapleton of the Lexington Fire Department.

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UK 45, CENTRAL MICHIGAN 36

Despite mistakes, UK holds off Chippewa comeback

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According to UK head coach Rich Brooks, all wins are created equal.

Even if it means giving up 558 yards of total offense and allowing a team to rally from a 28-7 deficit.

The Cats held on Saturday night, despite their sloppy play from start to finish, to beat Central Michigan 45-36 at Commonwealth Stadium in front of 54,566 fans.

"It's a win," Brooks said. "There's no such thing as a bad win."

It's a great win at home and we're 3-0 at Commonwealth. Am I happy about everything? No, I'm not."

UK (3-2, 1-1) jumped out to a 21-0 lead behind touchdown catches from Keenan Burton, Jacob Tamme and Rafael Little.

The Cats seemed to be on their way to an easy victory until Dan LeFevour came in at quarterback to rescue the Chippewas (2-3).

LeFevour engineered three scoring drives to pull the Chippewas to 28-17 at the half. He threw two touchdown strikes and set up a field goal as time expired in the second quarter.

But LeFevour shouldn't get all of the credit.

Defensive coordinator Mike Archer said his unit lost focus when the Cats assumed the three-touchdown lead.

"Our football team, on defense, is not mature enough when you're ahead 28-7 and your offense scores to put people away," Archer said. "When we scored to make it 28-7, we're trying to get the defense to

the end of the field where we were going to be, and they were all over there celebrating, they thought the game was over."

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Sloppy win is still a win for the cats

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The Chippewas tacked on another field goal to open up the second half scoring that was followed by a 42-yard Burton touchdown reception.

But again, the Chippewas came back through the air. A 15-yard touchdown catch by Damien Linson kept the margin at a one possession game.

After each team traded field goals, the Chippewas cut the UK lead to two with 6:58 left in the game on a 23-yard touchdown pass to Bryan Anderson. The ensuing two-point conversion was broken up in the end zone by Trevard Lindley.

For the first time since the Texas State game, the Cats were effective on the ground. Little and Tony Dixon combined to rush for 107 yards and two touchdowns.

Woodson completed 20 of 32 passes for 266 yards and four touchdowns. Nine of those connections went to Burton.

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Horoscopes

By Linda C. Black
To get the advantage, check the day's rating: 10 is the easiest day, 0 the most challenging.

Aries (March 21-April 19) — Today is an 8 — The more information you gather, the farther ahead you'll be. Find out what others think, but don't let them dissuade you from your objective.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) — Today is a 6 — You have a couple of interesting problems to be solved. Put off the entertainment and vacation until you've got this situation under control.

Gemini (May 21-June 21) — Today is a 10 — You're in a creative frame of mind, so you might as well set goals. Everything seems possi-

ble, so give it another try.
Cancer (June 22-July 22) — Today is a 6 — This is not a good time to be impulsive. Don't let anyone else go shopping with your credit cards, either. Hold onto what you have.

Leo (July 23-Aug. 22) — Today is a 6 — You can't do everything by yourself, so give up on that right now. The assignment is to get the others to do it better than you could.

Virgo (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Today is a 7 — Do something special to express your love. The more thought you put into the gift, the less you'll have to pay. The best things in life are free.

Libra (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Today is a 7 — Do something special to be fun, but also quite frustrating. Patience is a virtue you'll be happy to have learned.

Scorpio (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Today is a 6 — Others are pushing you to make a decision. Go ahead

and do it. If you wait for them to decide, you'll wait forever.
Sagittarius (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Today is a 7 — Your heart's as big as all outdoors, but that doesn't mean you should go along with a stupid idea. Use your own good judgment.

Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Today is a 5 — Keep costs down and money coming in, that's the idea. For inspiration, dangle a juicy carrot in front of yourself.

Aquarius (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Today is an 8 — It's not a good time to make demands, or even simple requests. Do that tomorrow. Meanwhile, edit your list to the important stuff.

Pisces (Feb. 19-March 20) — Today is a 4 — You're doing well, and will be doing even better soon. Continue to clean up old messes, that's what's bringing you the good luck.

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Where's Vince?

Thirteen weeks after Vaughn says he proposed, the \$500,000 yellow diamond is back in his possession

In late spring, a member of Vince Vaughn's team arranged for the star to make a private, after-hours visit to jeweler Suzy Fabrikant's Rockefeller Center showroom in New York City. While neither Fabrikant nor her rep will confirm the visit or what Vaughn purchased, a source tells Us that the actor, 36, selected a \$500,000 9.5-carat canary diamond ring that was later shipped to him. His intention?

To propose to girlfriend Jennifer Aniston, 37. "Vince had thought a lot about it and knew what he wanted," the source tells Us. "He wanted a ring that was different."

What happened after that trip to the jewelry store, however, remains in dispute. In the August 21 issue, Us reported that Vaughn offered the ring to Aniston during a private June 27 flight from Mexico to Los Angeles. Aniston's rep, Steven Huvane, did not return calls for comment by the time the issue went to press, but the couple's host in Mexico, Girls Gone Wild creator Joe Francis, later told Us after publication, "They'll get married!" As news of the engagement spread, Huvane — who has denied reports that are later proved true — issued a denial. Aniston, who had denied even dating Vaughn for almost a year, gave an August 16 interview in which she dismissed engagement news. For his part, Vaughn — who remained silent — was overheard bragging to friends, including Owen Wilson,

about the proposal at a July 12 afterparty for the ESPY Awards. "He was proud," says a witness. A source tells Us Aniston returned the ring to Vaughn sometime in the intervening weeks. Though Vaughn has not returned the bauble to Fabrikant, the couple have been apart for the last three weeks.

Oceans Apart

On September 24, as Aniston walked her dog Norman, her new puppy and pal Courteney Cox's pooch Harley on the beach by Cox's Malibu, California, house, Vaughn was more than 5,000 miles away shooting the Christmas movie Joe Claus in London. (He flew from Canada, where, without Aniston, he'd been promoting his Wild West Comedy Show documentary at the Toronto International Film Festival September 8 and 9.) The couple's separation has friends — who jealously guard the press-shy star's privacy — wondering whether the pair are cooling down or just playing it cool.

"They go days without speaking," an Aniston pal tells Us. "She is miserable and they are not communicating at all like they once did." Another source says the actress rarely speaks of her absent beau: "She never brings him up, and she only says a few words about him." Others are less pessimistic, insisting the couple are deliberately acting low-key to

avoid scrutiny. "Jen and Vince are still 100 percent together," a pal tells Us. "They just don't want any more attention." Adds Vaughn's childhood pal Matt Douglass, "I think it will totally last." Even movie mogul Harvey Weinstein, who purchased Vaughn's film, tells Us, "Vince seems very happy."

The Future

Perhaps even Aniston — who recently posed for Self magazine — and Vaughn are uncertain what comes next. While a close source says, "Jen is not planning to go to London to see Vince in the immediate future," another tells Us the couple will go public "when they get married." So the mystery remains.

Where's the Ring?

"Jen flat-out tells people she's not engaged," a friend tells Us. Though Us reported that Vaughn proposed — and Aniston accepted — on June 27, a source tells Us the actress has returned the 9.5-carat canary diamond ring Vaughn gave her "so he can hold onto it." (Aniston's rep has denied the story.) Says a source of Vaughn's \$500,000 purchase from NYC jeweler Suzy Fabrikant, "It was extremely hush-hush. He wanted a ring that was special, and a yellow diamond is very rare."

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Printing company encourages students to do it themselves

By John Crowell
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Cheap art and do-it-yourself ethics was the subject of the day Friday, as UK's Visiting Arts and Scholar's Series brought the founders of Brooklyn-based woodblock printing company Cannonball Press to campus.

Art majors and others packed seats in the Classroom Building to hear the printmakers' presentation.

Michael Houston and Martin Mazorra, co-founders of the press and collaborators in compositions, gave the audience an outline of their business philosophy and outlook on art.

The two printers established their company in the mid-1990s as an outlet for New York woodblock printing artists.

Cheap production, low prices, simplicity and independence are the tenants of Houston and Mazorra's business outlook. The two also have a specific view when it comes to design; they only print in black and white.

"The point we want to make is, content rules," Mazorra said. "Technique should be servant to content. Also, black and white serves as a uniform platform when we work collaboratively. All the marks are unified into one collective piece."

"Or maybe we're just tyrants," Houston said. From the start, Houston and Mazorra preached to students with humor and convicted

advice.

"Always print your own work! Don't pay for anything! Sell it cheap or give it away! No contract work! Don't wait for nothin'!" were the five points on a document that the two referred to as "The Pirate Primer," their code of conduct for independent print-makers.

The pair also gave a background on printing as an art form and how they became interested in it.

Both cited 1980's punk magazines and flyers as early inspiration. They explained that the crudely lettered and photocopied images of the DIY (do-it-yourself) punk movement influenced their art and practice.

An exhibit of Cannonball Press work will be at the Barnhart Gallery in room 206 of the Reynolds Building number one through Friday.

Students in the audience were entertained and encouraged by Houston and Mazorra's presentation.

"I really liked their sense of humor," said junior studio art major Lauren Hutchins. "They made me think about things I've never thought of before, in terms of material and costs."

Derrick Riley, an adjunct professor for studio art, said that he hoped Houston and Mazorra's ideas would inspire the art students in attendance.

"I think it's good for students to see people who plug away at a project and do it cheaply. It's good for them to see an alternative option for getting their work out there," said Riley.

UK ahead of schedule on billion-dollar fundraising goal

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UK is about \$50 million away from its \$1 billion fundraising campaign.

"We are well ahead of schedule on reaching our goal," UK spokesman Jay Blanton said in an e-mail.

The campaign, which started in 1997, is scheduled to end in December 2007.

Blanton said the money raised is being put toward a number of different things, "from scholarships to endowments to faculty and to research."

Blanton said about 11,000 donations, totaling \$165 million, have gone toward the Research Challenge Trust Fund, which raises money for university research.

"That money has been

matched by the state, so about \$330 million altogether, to go toward creating endowed chairs, professorships and research chairs that have helped us lure nationally recognized faculty to campus," Blanton said, adding that it has helped fuel UK's growth in the research enterprise.

"We did about \$290 million in research last year alone, the fourth consecutive year our research efforts have exceeded \$200 million," he said.

Blanton said that research is being conducted in areas of particular interest to Kentucky, such as "health care, education (and) economic development."

The fund-raising campaign started at with the higher education reform act, ultimately becoming a \$600 million cam-

paign, Blanton said. When UK President Lee Todd came to UK in 2001, he decided to continue the campaign, setting a new goal of \$1 billion.

"In doing so, he said Kentucky needs big, bold and audacious ideas," Blanton said. "Nothing like this has been done in Kentucky before. To succeed in such an endeavor demonstrates what we are capable of as a state and as Kentucky's flagship university of higher learning."

Blanton said UK is one of 25 universities in the nation, including public and private institutions, currently engaged in billion-dollar campaigns, and only 12 public universities have ever achieved that goal.

"We are confident that we are about to be added to that rather auspicious list," he said.

EXPLOSION

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No one was hurt in the accident.

"There are seven apartments in the building, five were occupied at the time," Stapleton said. "We took two tenants to UK hospital just to check them out."

A small fire followed the explosion but was put out quickly. The building suffered structural damage, and all the utilities were disabled. Electricity was temporarily knocked out for the surrounding area following the blast. The explosion damaged two apartments, and another had water damage from a broken pipe.

Rick Garcia, who works in nearby buildings said he was on Kalmia, about a block away, when the explosion occurred around 1:18 p.m.

"I heard a big boom," Garcia said. "Transformer was the first thing I was thinking."

Garcia and Mike Newcom, another employee in a nearby building, swept away glass that was blown across the street from top story windows after the explosion.

All eight residents of the building were evacuated for the weekend. Building inspectors will look over the damage today to determine when they can move back.

"We have condemned the building for the time being," Stapleton said.

McGill wasn't sure where he would live during this time.

"Friends, I don't know," he said as it started raining Saturday. "We'll figure something out."

Cats swept in weekend matches

Volleyball team loses early lead at home against No. 10 Florida

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A defiant Florida team (12-2, 5-1) outlasted a scare Friday as UK (9-5, 2-4) pushed the Gators to five games before dropping the match 3-2. The Cats were driven by the roar of a season-high 3,150 fans in Memorial Coliseum, the fifth largest in UK volleyball history.

UK came out poised and determined, dominating Florida in the first game. The Cats opened with kills by junior middle blocker Nicole Brittenriker and freshman middle blocker Heather Hausfeld. Senior outside hitter Melissa Popp served up an ace that put the Cats up 4-0 and they never looked back, winning 30-26.

"We came out with an attitude that we wanted to win," said senior defensive specialist Julie Gagnon. "Florida didn't want it so we took it; we were hungry."

Six of Hausfeld's career high 15 kills came in the first game after being inserted into

the starting lineup Friday. But the flames that ignited the Cats in the first game soon cooled. During the second and third games UK more than doubled the errors committed by Florida with 25. Florida capitalized on the mistakes and took command in the match 2-1.

"It was a little too much of a roller coaster," head coach Craig Skinner said.

The match took its most drastic course in game four with the Cats back against the wall trying to force a fifth game. This game saw 16 ties and seven lead changes. The fourth ace by UK off of a serve by Brittenriker gave the Cats an early 4-1 lead.

"We had the advantage, and we definitely had the energy on the court," Brittenriker said.

Florida came charging back and gained the momentum, bringing their lead back to a two-point advantage 21-19. Another kill by Brittenriker decreased the deficit by one.

Gagnon's dig saved the ball for freshman setter Sarah Rumeley and resulted in a kill by sophomore middle blocker

Queen Nzenwa. The kill brought UK fans in Memorial Coliseum to their feet providing an emotional lift for the Cats.

"Give a lot of credit to the fans, our fans pushed us through the end of that game. This is the best crowd we've ever had since I've been at UK," said Popp. "It was great to have everyone supporting us and being behind us in that game (four). That really helped us put them over the edge."

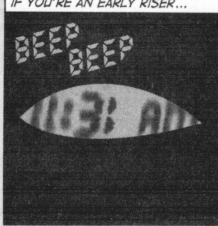
The Cats, down 34-35 in game four, used the fuel from the crowd and drove home a win. UK finished the game with three straight kills, two from Popp and one from Brittenriker, to win the game 37-35.

The Gators went on to defeat the Cats 15-10 in game five, winning the match 3-2 (30-26, 17-30, 21-30, 37-35, 10-15).

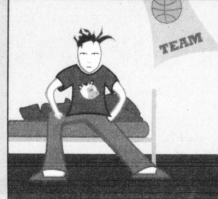
UK continued the weekend with a match at Auburn (11-6, 3-3) yesterday. For the second match in a row the Cats took their opponent to five games. Popp had a season high 19 kills but it was still not enough to topple Auburn as the Tigers won the match (30-23, 30-28, 28-30, 24-30, 12-15).

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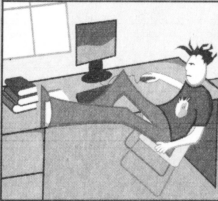
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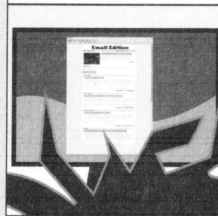
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KERNEL EDITORIAL

Putting provost in charge of research will benefit campus

As UK moved up in the rankings used to measure university research, President Lee Todd announced a move to restructure research operations and incorporate them into the provost model he established when he became president five years ago.

The move comes as Executive Vice President Wendy Baldwin announced her decision to leave UK early next month. Todd said the vacancy makes it the right time to move the system under the direction of new provost Kumble Subbaswamy.

"The provost will be clearly directing both the academic enterprise and the research enterprise, both of which are, and should be, inextricably linked," Todd said.

Chuck Staben, associate vice president of research, will temporarily take over as the head of research operations and will report directly to Subbaswamy.

We're glad to see UK making strides in research — which, in UK's quest to become a top-20 research university, seems like an obvious step — and we're happy to see Todd taking steps to help integrate it with the rest of the campus.

When Todd came to UK in 2001, he decided to implement the provost system. He created the position to oversee the academics of the university and report directly to him. This differed from the chancellor system, which was employed by former President Charles Wettington and called for chancellors to oversee the campus and medical center.

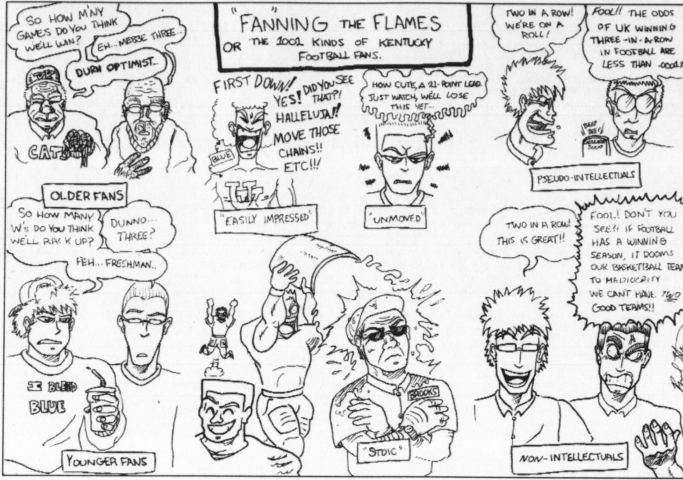
That system seems to have paid off for the university so far.

The Kernel took the stand in April 2005 editorial that the provost should be open with students and faculty by holding forums with faculty and staff about projects or changes being debated, and would work to advance UK's top-20 goal, to make the most out of limited funds and to raise more funding.

Subbaswamy has only been on campus for a few months, but if he follows the model set by former Provost Michael Nietzel, who worked to do all of the above, it can only help research operations.

"I firmly believe it will facilitate the alignment of research priorities across the entire academic enterprise and help us move our research endeavors to the next level," Todd said.

We are happy to see the improvements university research has had under Baldwin, and think the new structure can help advance it even further.



BRAD STURGEON, Kernel cartoonist

The life and times of Mark Foley

Some people are not what they appear to be.

Mark Foley, a member of the House Republican leadership is definitely no exception to this statement. As a member of congress, he was supposed to represent the best interests of his constituents and be a model citizen.

Foley, R-Fla., started a family restaurant at age 20. At age 20, I was trying to pass Math 109.

However, on Friday, Foley resigned abruptly after being confronted with a series of sexually explicit Internet messages he reportedly sent to underage congressional pages, as reported in the New York Times. The first e-mail messages to one male page, sexually suggestive but not explicit, were reported by ABC News on Thursday.

But by Friday, other pages had come forward with more blatant instant messages, reported in the Times. "What ya wearing?" Foley wrote to one young man age 16. "T-shirt and shorts," the teenager responded. "Love to slip them off of you," Foley replied.

Whoa!
What was Foley thinking? Does he not remember that in five weeks the elections are coming up? I wonder if Mr. Foley's real intention was to come out of the closet? Was he tired of putting on this persona that he was not attracted to other men?

It all started when, as the Times reported, "questions about his sexuality swirled, beginning with his first run for Congress, when his opponent in the Republican primary sent out mailings saying Mr. Foley was gay."

Surprisingly, "in 2003, when he was considered the front-runner in a crowded primary race for the Senate seat being vacated by Bob Graham, Foley gave a news conference to denounce rumors that he was gay, but refused to say whether he was," the Times reported.

The Republicans in Congress are now in

an uproar. Accusations are being made that Thomas Reynolds, head of the House Republican election effort, knew about this "10 or 11 months ago." According to the Times, Foley sent the messages to the first page in Aug. 2005.

Rodney Alexander, R-La., told a Louisiana newspaper that he had told the page's parents and the Republican House leadership, ironically, "the House leaders said last Friday that they had not known about the incident until the day before."

Now the question is being raised as to whether Reynolds was trying to cover up Foley's misconduct.

Mr. Foley, I am only disappointed that you preyed on young innocent teenagers. Your sexual orientation is your business. I respect all your hard work to keep away the pedophiles and your dedication to your career, but what you did was inexcusable.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Graduate students not whining for attention

In response to Megan Vazmina's column, "Grad students seen but not heard thanks to UK's top-20 quest," I have clarifications regarding the newly formed Graduate Student Congress (GSC) that I would like to add. Not only did the column portray grad students as whining for attention, it provided no pertinent information regarding how GSC is organized. Yes, we're students in that we attend classes to fulfill degree requirements, but we're also university employees and deserve benefits related to that status. We are a diverse group — probably more diverse than any other group on campus. Grad students at UK represent many different countries and disciplines. Some have families and others are single. We have different needs and concerns that, until recently, had no platform on which to address them. We are very concerned about health care, wages, adequate representation on campus, and our rights in general, but we're not here simply to complain about these issues!

The GSC was formed not only to represent all grad students (teaching and research assistants) at UK, but also to provide social activities, professional development, and community service. The GSC plans to fulfill UK's land-grant mission by providing support to students in teaching and research as well as extending through community service. Currently we have representatives from over 30 departments and are looking for student representatives for all remaining departments. To find out if your department has representation, contact Sarah Cavendish at sarah.cavendish@uky.edu. To date we've had two social events (a cookout and an ice cream social) with a total attendance of almost 500 students. We've had forums for students to voice concerns and provide us with goals for the coming year's agenda. Our goals are very ambitious and we need all grad students' help to accomplish them.

Although I appreciate Ms. Vazmina's support of the GSC, I do not appreciate the casual and off-handed way in which she discusses the concerns of grad students. Without graduate stu-

dents, much teaching and research would not occur; therefore our concerns should not be treated as trivial. The GSC is here to serve the needs of UK grad students, not to complain about them!

Beth Kits
animal and food sciences graduate student

Focus on the issues, not the party

It was a bit disturbing to read the opinion column by Brent Burchett, the chairman of the UK College Republicans, entitled "Guns and burgers join us for College Republicans week." In Mr. Burchett's column, he referred to those who hold opinions different than his own as "loony" or "easy to spot (and smell)," and ridicules the legislation passed by individual politicians who happen to be in the other party.

All of this was said while making an appeal for people to become more involved in the political scene at UK. Mr. Burchett's words are unfortunate because as college students we have the opportunity to raise the level of discourse in politics, and his column did nothing of the sort.

Likewise I could retort by saying that many of today's Republicans are narrow-minded and corrupt, with fine examples such as the U.S. Senator from Virginia, George "some of my best friends are macaca" Allen, and the admitted felon, U.S. Representative from Ohio, Bob "Coingate" Ney.

I could point out the ridiculousness and hypocrisy of an event promoting firearms to celebrate the second amendment when the Republicans are the party that will go down in history as supporting the use of torture and denial of habeas corpus on anyone suspected of being a terrorist, a major violation of constitutional rights (see the Fifth Amendment and Article One Section Nine of the US Constitution). Many people have already suffered through torture at our hands, their only crime being that they are brown-skinned people who live in places where people don't like us.

The point is that this kind of talk is the reason why so many Americans are disgusted with politics. Even here at the collegiate level, people feel the need to insult or degrade others be-

cause they happen to view the world differently. We need to be better than that. Democrats and Republicans mainly want the same things, but they have different ideas of how to get there. And that's okay! Just tell us who you are and tell us your ideas, and let the people decide who to stand with.

Michael Handy
business management sophomore

Political events insulting to other side

There has never been a more upsetting time to be a moderate (independent, etc.) in American history than the present. In a way, being "in the middle" is the most frustrating position because both parties/sides make pathetic attempts to sway us. Thus, diatribes like Brent Burchett's promo for "College Republicans Week" are more disheartening (and borderline insulting) than anything else.

Could anyone with the capability of looking at both sides possibly align himself or herself with a person who, when speaking for his entire organization/party, calls the people who disagree with him smelly idiots?

Discourse is about respect, and it's incredibly difficult to honor the position of a person who shows none to his opponents. If the way to motivate your "base" is by misrepresenting debates over the Second Amendment with water guns and by cooking out in the name of pissing off animal rights activists, then I think your priorities are in the wrong place. The nonsense about "supporting the spirit of PETA" is completely negated by the fact that you are calling the event "PETA Cookout Day." I mean, at least show a little honesty while insulting those with whom you disagree.

Republicans, "silent" or otherwise, do not need to be "outed" by these silly events. In fact, it would be a true shame to motivate your activism by such blatantly politicized events as "Military Appreciation Day."

There is certainly room for light-hearted fun, but the events of "College Republicans Week" have clearly missed that mark.

Guy Spriggs
English junior

New law necessary to protect against sexual offenders

As a young woman who was sexually abused as a child, I stand firmly behind the new legislation limiting when released sexual offenders are permitted to live. While it is true that sexual offenders have rights, it is untrue that they are magically "reformed" in prison. Recidivism rates for released sexual offenders can be as high as 50%. There is not sufficient room or funding to keep every criminal in jail until he or she is "reformed."

The new law, forcing convicted sexual offenders to live at least 1,000 feet from schools, parks, or day-care centers, will hopefully make the rates of repeat offenders fall. True, offenders can still drive to these areas, but most of the temptation is removed through the new law.

Those convicted of statutory rape were certainly not the prime consideration when day-care centers and elementary schools were added to the list. However, the law prevents a 19-year-old male sex offender from living near high schools and public pools, prime gathering places for teenage females. This law is not being put into place to embarrass or mistreat sexual offenders. The purpose of the law is to protect children.

It is untrue that the law will force sexual offenders to the edge of cities. 1,000 feet, in perspective, is roughly the distance from the Singletary Center to the K-Lair Grill. This distance is walked nearly every day by many UK students. It is not a huge inconvenience then, for sexual offenders to stay outside of a 1,000-foot radius. Sexual offenders are not being exiled or branded; they are merely being located a reasonable distance away from innocent children.

Sexual offenders are real people. Often they regret their crimes. But they did, in fact, commit those crimes, and they must face the consequences. If a sexual offender is truly penitent, he or she will have an argument with living at least 1,000 feet from an elementary school, in order to make children and parents feel safer.

Erin Hune Glover
secondary english teacher junior

Criminals deserve further restrictions

In response to the Sept. 26th editorial on sex offenders, I must express my discontent. While it's honorable for the Kernel to think that criminals come out of prison "reformed," let's be honest here.

Those criminals were of sound mind when they chose to commit the crimes; thus, the reason for the jury convicting them so. The criminals knew what they were doing was wrong because those laws had been established since before their time.

The victims of these criminals, especially those of the sex offenders, must live with the trauma of that crime for the rest of their life. So, why should the sex offender be allowed to forget it and move on from it?

As the Kernel so feebly threw around the word "reformed" in its editorial, let us be reminded that these criminals cannot control their sexual urges, and that alone makes them a threat for the rest of their lives.

There is just cause in establishing limitations to a sex offenders' lives after their crimes. It is proven that the majority of sex offenders stalk their victims prior to committing the crime. Hence, allowing a sex offenders to live next to schools, the government is offering them a private window from which to stalk their victims.

When you look up UK's campus on the sex offenders list, none are registered in this area. One would assume that this is a result of the restrictions. I breathe a little easier knowing that there aren't any living nearby. In my neighborhood in Louisville there are three registered sex offenders. With two younger sisters, understand that this makes me uneasy.

The world is imperfect, and of course we cannot keep them from driving by these areas. But precautions must be taken. Sexual offenders made cognitive decisions to commit their crimes. They inflicted life-long trauma on their victims; society should remind them of that everyday.

Society has every right to be weary of these criminals. They made their bed when they chose to break the law, now they must lie in it.

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SPORTS

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Big man verbally committed to Tubby

7-footer believes he's a good fit for UK program

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Rebounding and low post scoring problems with the UK men's basketball team might be answered as head coach Tubby Smith landed his first commitment for the 2007-08 season on Wednesday. Mike Williams, a 7-foot, 270-pound center from England, verbally committed to play basketball for UK.

"Coach Smith said he has a need for me. He needs a big and strong guy. He needs someone, other than Randolph Morris, who can push some guys around."

Williams averaged 12 points and eight rebounds as a junior last season for his high school team at Bishop Ireton in Alexandria, Va. He sees himself fitting in well at UK on the court as well.

"I think on the court it's a good fit," Williams said. "I play big inside, move people around and rebound the ball."

Bishop Ireton head coach Mark Vincent said Williams is a pure low post player whose best basketball is still ahead of him. He said Williams likes to play with

his back to the basket, but can step out and make a 15-17 foot jump shot with consistency.

Williams flew into Lexington Sept. 15 for his official weekend visit, with senior forward Bobby Perry as his host. Perry gave Williams a tour of the campus, introduced him to the basketball team, and took him to watch the Wildcats beat Ole Miss at Commonwealth Stadium.

Williams has lived in the United States for three years.

"Mike really enjoyed spending time with the team," Vincent said. "He loves Coach Smith and he trusts Coach Smith. Coach Smith showed us how sincere he was about wanting Mike, and the truth is, there aren't a lot of programs that can compare to UK."

Vincent said Williams decided UK was the right fit almost immediately.

"He probably would have committed earlier," Vincent said, "but I wanted him to wait and not rush into a decision, because he was still excited from his visit."

Williams said he was impressed with how close the basketball team was.

"They went everywhere together off the court," Williams said. "And when they

were in Wildcat Lodge, they were always in the same room hanging out. There was never any drama."

But Williams said he was most impressed with the head coach.

"I really like Coach Smith and how straight forward he is," Williams said.

Williams has not been highly touted by recruiting analysts, but many analysts did not get the chance to see him play. He missed games during the evaluation process due to a cyst on his knee.

Neither Hoop Scoop nor Prep Stars has Williams listed among the nation's top 200 recruits.

Bob Gibbons, of the All Star Sports service, ranks Williams at 62 in the nation. He compared Williams to former Wildcat Nazr Mohammed.

Gibbons said Williams is a big, strong player, who has better basketball skills straight out of high school than Mohammed had.

Coach Vincent described Williams as a dedicated student who loves basketball and works hard at everything he does.

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Ugly or not, a win is a win for the cats

You don't give 'em back.

My high school basketball coach would tell us that after a particularly ugly win, and it's the same way I feel after UK's nobody-stops-anybody 45-36 shootout win over Central Michigan.



CHRIS DELOTTELL
Kernel columnist

It was a bizarre game that had that "never over" feeling until Rafael Little waltzed into the end zone with 4:30 to play. The defense couldn't slow — let alone stop — CMU in the second

half. The offense, despite its success, was sloppy at times.

But beggars can't be choosers. Coaches, players and fans of this victory-starved program can't complain with a team that is above .500 after five games for the first time since 2002.

"There's no such thing as a bad win," head coach Rich Brooks said. "It's a great win at home. You can't take the win away, and that's the happiest thing of all."

In a way, the sloppy victory might be the best thing that could have happened to this team heading into the South Carolina game. The win allows UK to feel the benefits of success, but also to fix the flaws, and work harder this week in practice.

"It's good to practice in a week like this," wide receiver Dicky Lyons Jr. said. "Because you have winning confidence, but you know there's a lot you can correct."

Said Brooks: "We coach hard every week, but we ought to be heard a little better this week."

Let's hope so, because this week we will finally find something out about this team. The South Carolina game is UK's first legitimate chance to earn a victory that exceeds expectations.

But if the Cats are going to beat the Gamecocks, the defense has exactly one week to grow up.

"We still have not figured out and don't understand how to win," defensive coordi-



ANDREW HUGGINS | STAFF
Freshman corner back Trevard Lindley attempts to stop a pass to Central Michigan freshman wide receiver Bryan Anderson in the second half of Saturday's game.

nator Mike Archer fumed after the game. "Our (defensive) football team is still not mature enough to put people away."

Archer knew he had problems when he saw a premature first-half celebration on the sidelines when UK took a 28-7 lead.

"I look over there to try and get them ready to go out on the field and they're high-fiving and laughing," he said. "That is called not having maturity and not knowing how to win."

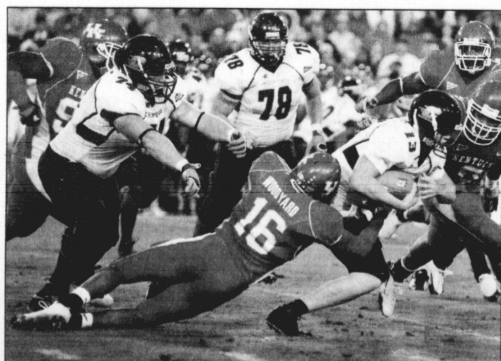
Yes and no. While the Cats showed a lack of maturity by letting CMU back in the game, they showed they're growing up by winning it.

How many UK teams past would have found a way to lose that game? Remember Louisiana State in 2002? How about Florida in 2003?

The most encouraging thing about Saturday's win is that it was the first time in recent memory UK won a game and didn't feel good about it. While previous teams were just happy to have any win they could get, this team wants more.

"It really doesn't feel like a win to us," Lyons said.

But that doesn't mean they are going to give it back.



BRAD LUTTRELL | STAFF
Junior linebacker Wesley Woodyard tackles a player from Central Michigan during Saturday's 45-36 win. Woodyard was a key player on the Cats' defense, recovering two fumbles during the game.

FOOTBALL

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The Cats' pass defense will almost certainly get another test next week when South Carolina and pass-happy head coach Steve Spurrier visit.

"We're going to play a team that can throw it pretty well in South Carolina," Brooks said. "Steve Spurrier is going to lick his chops looking at that film. If he didn't know what he was going to do against us we showed him what he can do, and we now have to correct that."

But, for now, a win is a win.

"We shouldn't have never let them come back like they did," Little said. "We were playing hard at first then we just lost it in the second half, and we just can't do that every game."

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