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## Senior Spotlights: Outstanding Members of the Class of '95 Bid Us Farewell

Certain Albright students have added a special touch to our lives through their many activities and diverse personalities. As they tell us about their lives during their time here, we wish them the best of luck.



Candice Marie Anderson is a

Marketing major from South Philadelphia

whose post-graduate plans include obtaining

a job in an advertising firm.

Candice is member of the African

American Society, BASE, Campus Center Board, Albright Unity, and the Minority Admissions Task Force. She also has been a

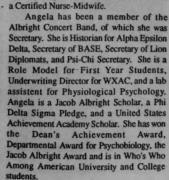
Domino Player and has worked as an Admissions Tour Guide. Candice has been

honored as a Joseph E. Coleman Scholar of

of which he is the co-founder and President; and the Math Club, of which he is Sergeantat-Arms. Matt has also been involved in CCB, Volleyball, and intramural sports. He has also been honored as an Eagle Scout.



Angela L. Borger is a Psychobiology/ Women's Studies major hailing from Gettysburg, PA. She plans to attend Case Western Reserve University for the Doctor of Nursing Program. She would like to work as a Certified Nurse-Midwife.





Katherine Anne Bruckma is an Accounting major from Pittsburgh, PA. She plans to work in the Tax Dep at ment of Ernst & Young in Philadelphia are graduation.

Katherine belongs whe Accounting and Business Association. She has been Treasurer of Alpha Delta Pi. Other offices she has held include Adversing Co-Editor for The Albrightion and Senior Class Treasurer. She has also been involved in Volunteer Income Tax Asstance and tutoring. Katherine is a Jacob Albright Scholar. She has won the Poinsylvania Institute of CPA's Scholarship and the United Parcel Service Scholarship.



Jason M. Budd is a History/Education major from Philadelphia. His post-graduation plans are to find a position as a Social Studies

teacher and as an Assistant Football coach in the Philadelphia area.

Jason has played football for 2 years, has been Head Athletic Trainer for 3 years, and is a member of Pi Lamba Phi, of which he has been Vice-President and Treasurer. He is a sports writer for *The Albrightian*, and an artist for the '95 Cue. Also, he was the Intramural Basketball Student Director for 1994.



Jacquelyne Helen Cunningham is a Psychobiology major form Mt. Laurel, N.J. Her post-grad plans are to complete requirements for Biology teaching Certification.

During her career at Albright, Jacky was a member of the Lion Diplomats (President, Vice-President), Campus Center Board (Vice-President), The Cue (Sports Editor), North Hall council (President), Crowell Hall Council (Treasurer), the Softball (Team Captain, MVP) and Basketball teams, RSA, the Spirit Committee (Co-chair), Beta Beta Beta, the Multi-Cultural Council, and SGA. She has also been a POP, an Admissions Intern, and Co-Chair of the Senior Grad Dinner.



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Matthew Robert Bates is a Mathematics/Business Administration (Marketing) major from Mount Penn, PA. His post-grad plans are to be gainfully employed. Matt's activities include Albright hockey,



Kieran Michael Daly IV is a Marketing/ Communications major from Wethersfield, CT. After graduation, Kieran will be relocating to Arlington, VA, where he will be working in Washington, D.C. in the art department of The Widmeyer Group, a D.C.-

During his career at Albright, Kieran was Founder and President of Seventh Heaven, Treasurer and Vice-President of CCB, a DJ at WXAC, and a Domino Player. Kieran has also been involved in the BASE program and is a member of Sigma Tau Delta. Other activities include volunteer tutoring at Reading High School for French and Algebra, being a Resident Assistent in Krause, and participating in the Washington Center Program, which was a semester-long internship in D.C.

Kieran is a Walton Scholar who has received the Surdna Foundation Scholarship, the "Class Contribution Award" at the '94 Jacob Albright Awards, and the "Unsung Hero Award" at the '95 Jacob Albright Awards. He is also included in Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities.



Robert Alan Gourley is a Computer Science/Elementary Education major from North Hills, PA. After graduation, Robb plans either to obtain a full-time teaching position or to backpack across Europe - which ever comes first.

Robb has been involved in the MDA Dance Marathon and Committee, the BASE program, Intramural Football (Captain), Intramural Basketball and Softball, Varsity Track, and Club Hockey. He also has been President of PSEA, President and Advisor of Dorm Council, a POP, a Domino Player, a Resident Assistant, and a DJ at WXAC.

Robb has been presented with a Jacob Albright Award and was on Homecoming Court. He is also in Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Sarah K. Hughes is from Doylestown, PA. She is a Political Science/History major planning to attend law school in the fall of

Sarah is President of the Historical Honors Society, Phi Alpha Theta; Treasurer/ Secretary of the Political Sciecne Honors Society, Pi Sigma Alpha; and a Member-at-Large in the Student Government Association. She is also a Student Manager in the dining hall.



Wilmer F. Johnson is a Business Administration/Marketing major from Ringoes, N.J. Wil will be entering graduate school in the spring of '96, either for an MBA in Marketing or a Masters in Broadcasting. If he remains in the Reading area he will continue to work with WXAC as an engineering consultant.

Wil was the photography editor of *The Albrightian* from fall '91 to spring '93. During that time he also worked as a photographer for the Office of Public Information. He has also been on the General Staff of WXAC, where he has held the Office of Chief Engineer since May '92. Wil is a Domino Player and is currently the manager of Jake's Place Late Night operations. He was also a cheerleader for Albright Football's '94 season. Wil won the WXAC Service Award in '93 and '94.



Kristin Klein is an English/Women's Studies major from Wernersville, PA. After graduation, she plans either to attend grad school or to work at McDonald's.

Kristin is President of Phi Mu and also has been Assistant Ritual Chair. She was a POP for 2 years, involved with BASE, W.T.S., and Lion Diplomats, acting as the '94 Homecoming Co-Chair.







Jeanette Kirsten Kuhn is a Social Work major from West Islip, New York. She has accepted a position at Kidspeace Afternoon Treatment Program in Reading as a Mental Health worker.

Jeanette has been involved in Phi Mu (Social Service Chair), Cross Country (Co-Captain '94), Swimming, SGA (Member-at-Large), and the Greek Housing Core Committee. She has been a Resident Assistant, athletic trainer, and intern at Berks County Children and Youth Sevices, where she worked primarily with foster children. She has also been involved in Berks County Mental Health Association's Government Affairs Committee, where she plans to remain active after graduation.



Kristine Karen Kulp is a Marketing/ Music Program major from Oley (keville), PA. After graduation she place a career in advertising/marketing in the keading area.

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Kristine has been President of BASE, Family Weekend Chae for Lion Diplomats, CAP President, and open of the Security Advisory Council. She is also involved in Campus Crusade opinight Ambassadors, Varsity Vollewin, Catering, Student Security, and All Grant Adelines.

Kristine is a member of the Phi Delta Nigma Honorary Sorority, and she has won the National Student Athlete Day Award and the Walton, Rotary, Pomeroy, and C.W. Whitmoyer Scholarships.



Dylan Andrew Lange is a History major

from Baltimore, MD. After graduating he plans to "work for a couple of years, then make a movie. After that who knows. If the movie is a success [he] will continue, if not, who knows?"

Dylan is a member of the Domino Players Theater Group, of which he was Treasurer. He is a staff-member of WXAC and also a columnist for *The Albrightian*. He is a student lead in the cafeteria, where he has worked all four years here.



Karen A. Marrongelle is a Mathematics/Philosophy major from Allentown, PA. She plans to study in mathematics at Lehigh University.

Karen's activities and offices include General Manager and Promotions Director of WXAC, Mathematics Club Vice-President, and Cinema Club Vice-President. She is also involved in Amnesty International, AVAO, Student Senate, the Dean's Leadership Council, AGON, and student tutoring.

Karen has been awarded the Walton Scholarship and is a Jacob Albright Scholar. She has also been nominated for Who's Who Among American University and College Students.



Glen Matthew Martin is a German/ English/Women's Studies major from Norristown, PA. He will attend Ohio State University from September '95 to August '96 to achieve his Master's Degree in Black Studies.

Glen is a member of the Jacob Albright Society; President of Delta Phi Alpha, the German Honor Society; Treasurer of Sigma Tau Delta, the English Honor Society; and Co-chair of the MDA Committee. He also participates in CCB, is a DJ at WXAC, and was an upperclass Role Model and later Resident Assistant.

Glen has been honored with the Dr. Albert Barthelmes Scholarship from the German Society of Pennsylvania, the German Language Association of Reading and Berks County Award; the Dean's Achievement Award, a University Fellowship from the Ohio State University, and a Creative Arts Award from AGON





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Chantal A. Newton is a Business Administration (Marketing)/French major from Portsmouth, R.I. After graduation she hopes to find a job in the international community in order to use both her French and Marketing Skills.

Chantal has been Social Chair and Historian of Alpha Delta Pi, Class of '95 Vice-president for four years, Treasurer of the Lion Diplomats, Co-President of Phi Delta Phi (the French Honor Society), and Student Director of the Study Abroad Program. She also is a member of CCB and the Accounting and Business Association and has been a POP and Albright Ambassador.,

Chantal is a Jacob Albright Scholar and

Chantal is a Jacob Albright Scholar and has been nominated for Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. She has received the Order of Omega, the Wall Street Journal Award, the Foreign Language Award, and the French Award for 2 years.





Margaret "Peg" Nowak is a Child Psychology/Theater Program major from Lafayette Hill, PA. Her post-grad plans are as of yet "a mystery."

Peg's activities include being a POP for three years and an actress, house manager, and co-chair for on-campus publicity for the Domino Players. She also was President, Alpha Education Co-Chair, and Music Chair of Alpha Delta Pi. She is a member of Psi Chi, the Order of Omega, and a Psychology Lab Assistant. Peg has been granted Departmental Honors in Psychology and was Greek Woman of the Year for 1994.



Christopher C. Prewo is a Psychobiology major from Vernon, CT. He plans to attend graduate school where he will strive for his Masters Degree in Physical Therapy.

Chris has been Vice-President of IFC, a Member-at-Large of SGA, Captain of the Lacrosse team, a member of the Wellness Committee, and Academic and Social Chair of Sigma Phi Epsilon. He has also been a trainer, a POP, and a member of the track team. Chris was chosen as Homecoming King in Fall '94.



Anjanette Rodzinak is a Political Science/Business Administration (Management) major from Hunlock Creek, PA. She will attend Northeastern University School of Law in Boston, Massachusetts.

Anjanette is a member of Alpha Delta Pi, the Pre-Law Society, and Lion Diplomats. She also volunteers for the Women's Center, was involved in the BASE program, and was a POP and Co-Chair for the Orientation Committee. Anjanette is a member of the Poli-Sci Honor Society (Pi Sigma Alpha).



Tara Aileen Scanio is a Business Administration (Marketing)/English major from Holland, PA. She will be going to graduate school attending either Northwestern University, Auburn University, or the University of Denver. During her four years here, Tara has been Editor-in-Chief, News Editor, Entertainment Editor, and a writer for *The Albrightian*. She has also been a POP; a member of Alpha Delta Pi, of which she was Historian, Panhellenic Vice-President and Guard; and a member of the Dean's Leadership Council, ABA, and BASE.

Tara is an Albright College Faculty Scholar and a Ruth Keith Scholar, and she has been honored with *The Albrightian* Gold Key Award, the Jacob Albright Class Contribution Award, the Gold "A" Award, and the Order of Omega.

The present staff of The Albrightian would like to thank Tara for all her guidance and wisdom as she hands over her newspaper to us. You've done a wonderful job during your time as Chief!



Jarrod W. Schoffler, who hails from Wilkes-Barre, PA., is a Biology/Business Administration major (who is graduating on time!). He plans to enter law school after graduation.

During his time here, Jarrod served as an Editor for *The Albrightian* and a POP, where he was on Steering Committee. He works as the Student Manager of Jake's Place. He also is Secretary of IFC and Vice President of Alpha Chi Rho.



Songita Devi Shah is a "Quadro" major: Chagement, Marketing, Economics, and International Business. She lives in Wyomissing, PA. She plans to work for a large multinational firm to gain practical experience and then to go for her MBA at an lvy League school.

Sangita is active in the International Students Association, the Asian American Council, the Financial Management Association, and the Day Students Association. In the Community, Sangita is Administrative Assistant for Reading/Berks Habitat for Humanity, Marketing Strategist for Neighborhood Housing Services, Board Member of the Police Athletic League, and Board Member of the Reading School District Equity Team. She also writes and composes religious hymns for members of the Temple Youth Group.

Sangita has been nominated for Who's Who among University and College Students in America. She also has been awarded the Albright Endowed Trustee Grant, the Berks Corporate Partners Grant, the Treasury Mangement Association of Central PA.

Scholarship, the National Purchasing Management Association Scholarship, the Corestates Hamilton Bank Financial Scholarship, and the Pennsylvania State University Academic Advanced Placement Scholarship.



Bonnie Nancy Sherwood is an English major from Philadelphia, PA., who will also graduate with a Secondary Education Certification. Her post-grad plans include working for Independence Blue Cross and to "try to figure out what [she] wants to do with the rest of [her] life!

Bonnie has been President of CCB, Co-Chair and Finance Director of the Muscular Dystrophy Association, President and Librarian of the Choir, and Vice-President and Treasurer of Sigma Tau Delta.

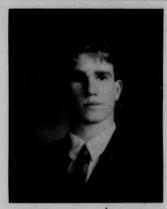
Bonnie is a member of the Jacob Albright Society and has been nominated for Who's Who Among American University and College Students. She has won the Clyde Harding Award, the Paticia Schearer Mertz Scholarship, and a Jacob Award (1994).



Kathryn "Katie" Smith is a Psychology major from Malvern, PA. After graduation she will probably be doing some summer stock work in Hartford, CT. After this month-long acting experience, Katie will apply to a graduate program in Speech Pathology concentrating on Mentally Retarded children.

Katie has been Class President for 2 years, Treasurer and Sisterhood Chair for Sigma Kappa, a member of the Traditions Committee, a Domino Player, and a member of SGA. She has also been involved in the Honorary Degree Committee, MDA, Choir, the BASE program, the Dean's Leadership Cabinet, and the Commencement Committee. Katie has been nominated for Who's Who Among American College and University Students, she has received Honorable Mentions in several Theater Competitions.

Yes, there are more Senior Spotlights! Turn the page to see the remaining profiles and the responses to several questions the editors asked the Seniors.



Shane David Thomas is a Social Work major from Maytown, PA. His post-grad plans include searching for a job in the child welfare/social service field, and later to obtain a degree in Elementary Education.

His activities and offices include Swim Team Captain, Pi Kappa Phi (Social Chair and Chaplain), and Student Athletic Advisory Council. Shane was also a POP and a DJ for WXAC. He was awarded with medals at the 1995 MAC Swimming Championships.



Melissa Wagner is a Businees Administration (International Business) major from Doylestown, PA. She has a minor in Visual and Apparel Merchandising. She currently has a job offer from Nine West Group, Inc. in Boston, MA. Her ultimate goal, however, is to work in the fashion industry in N.Y.C.

Melissa is President and one of the Founding Members of Order of Omega Honorary Society. She has also been Vice-President and Treasurer of the Albright College Panhellenic Association, and Vice-President of Vogue Fashion Merchandising Association. She is also a member of Sigma Kappa, a Tutoring Coordinator in the Career Services Office, and a Campus Center Desk Recentionist.

.. And now what you've all been waiting for! The Seniors featured in this issue respond to a few juicy questions about their Albright experiences and hopes for the future. We hope you enjoy them.

1. If you could leave anything to Albright, what would it be and why?

Candice: I would leave Albright with the book of poetry that I have written because it accurately reflects my feelings and emotions associated with the college that I could not exprss at any other times but would like to share.

Matt: All of my self portraits for the Art Center: no reason.

Kieran: I would leave Albright \$40 million dollars. Maybe then Camille would get the new computers she desperately needs and maybe, just maybe, we might be able to balance the budget.

Robb: I would leave the most practical thing and what I most want to rid myself of - my car. Albright would surely benefit from such a treasure, as it could be used by security once thier little red wagon dies. Now that enrollement at Albright is up, it can be used as a dorm room, or possibly a fraternity house, the only thing is the radio needs a little fine tuning for parties (Sorry, AM only). Plus it will be a classic soon, making it a great item for the Traditions Committee. So administrators, feel free to contact me about a payment plan for this precious gem.

Kristin: Without sounding mushy, I'd leave my enthusiasm and a sense of pride to the students here. As for the school itself, I leave my regards, my thanks, and my credit-card bills.

Jeanette: If I could leave anything to Albright it would be my love for this school. I am probalby one in a handful who will admit to loving the time they spent here. I would leave the motivation to get involved with what's going on at this campus, especially when you don't like it. It's not that difficult to be heard on such a small campus.

Karen: I would leave Albright an open mind. With this open mind, members, of the Albright Community would not feel inhibited when they wish to freely express themselves. All persons would be open to new ideas and to innovative courses of action, without negative repercussions. Albright would become a haven for individuality.

Chantal: If I could leave soemthing to

Albright, it would be a filtration system for the pond up at the woods. It could be a really nice pond - esp, with benches, etc. But now you're afraid to even go near it for fear of catching some disease.

Jarrod: I would leave my car, because I can't imagine haiving another car to replace it.

Bonnie: I would leave a large endowment to CCB so that we would be able to plan the types of events that Albright wants without the worry of a budget!

Shane: I would leave enthusiasm to help fight the apathy that is present among some of the student body. 2. If The Albrightian was printing your obituary, what would you like it to say?

Candice: My obituary in *The Albrightian* would probably read (I hope) that I was a caring, understanding person with a smile on my face (most of the time, anyway) who would stand by any of her friends at anytime.

Angela: If The Albrightian was printing my obituary I would like them to mention that I was a friendly and caring person who was willing to listen and lend a hand or a smile. Wil: "Albright mourns the death of Wilmer F. Johnson. Wil was a student with great desire to serve and benefit the college and put personal costs aside to do so. The passing of this uncommon man will be felt for a long time. We will miss him."

Kristin: "World-renown feminist died peacefully this morning at the age of 85. Best known for her research and action on women's oppression and domestic violence, Kristin Klein won the Nobel prize for her dedication and lifetime struggle towards empowering women. She will be missed by many friends, colleagues, and especially her adopted son, Matthew, the quarterback for the Chicago Bears. A fund is being established for single mothers by Matthew Klein in honor of his mother's memory."

Kristine: "She lived a good life, worked hard, cared about everyone, and will always be remembered for trying to help others."

Dylan: "Former actor, and newspaper columnist here at Albright, died last night of old age. Dylan A. Lange, a world-renowned actor-writer-director was Albright's most famous alumnus. He was known for his warped sense of humor, and drastic mood swings while going here way back in 1995. Que sera sera, Old Boy.

Karen: "...she will finally unlock the mysteries of the universe..."

Peg: "Margaret, lovingly known as Peglet, Novack, Novak, Nowak, died of an ulcer, as well as dehydration from a loss of too many tears. She is leaving behind F-2, her pigs, & Chester the dog. Services will be held in Teel Hall, in honor of the few hours she spent felicing there."

Chris: "Here lies a man that did not run through life, but took the time to appreciate the little things. Here's a person that lived his life to the fullest."

Jarrod: "Well, at least he couldn't procrastinate his death. . ."

3. What is your best memory of Albright? Candice: My best memory of Albright was when I was nominated to be Homecoming Queen because it let me know that there are people here who care and whom I have had

Matt: Freshman Car, 301 Krause

Angela: Sore of my best memories of Albright are from the two years that I have lived in Sowell Hall as part of the First Year Expendence. I've had some truly memorable continences living there - I have thoroughly spioyed it!

Katherine B: Any times shared with my friends will always be remembered. The close friends I have made, particularly my senior roommates, are very special to me. Looking back, I find that even the "lower points" of the last 4 years were not so bad - they're even funny. Whether we were struggling to study for exams, hanging out in our apartment, or doing Spring Break in the Bahamas, we always had fun together. I'll never forget those memories.

Jacky: Sledding at the apartment at 3 a.m. after a firedrill Freshman year, and Australia

Kieran: My best memory of Albright has to be winning Songfest with Seventh Heaven during Homecoming "93 or performing with Chris Prewo in Jake's Place last spring. After two years of contemplating a transfer to a music school, these performances made me feel better about my decision to stay at Albright and showed me how supportive the Albright community really is.

Robb: The greatest memory of Albright would have to be orientation, as a freshman, POP, and RA. Orientation at Albright in any

capactiy is truly unique and thrilling. This time of year the entire campus comes together to welcome new students to their home. Orientation ignites new friendships and rekindles old ones. Albright may not remain the home for all who participate in Orientation, but it remains a constant memory of this little college in Reading, PA. In the words of Natalie Cole, it is "unforgettable." Sarah: My best memory of Albright, ironically, occurred while I was alone, entering my night class. It was a paricularly bad day, typically Reading with downpours and gray skies. It was spring semester 1994. I was entering the front door of Masters Hall. when for no reason I just turned around and looked back over my shoulder. The clouds had broken and the sun had poked through. The two trees in front of the building were in bloom, and the rain was misty. With the sun streaming in between the flowers and the rain, it just made me look at Reading and Albright at a completely new angle. It made me reflect on all the things we overlook in the daily grind with which Albright has presented us. It sounds somewhat like a cliche I guess, but it put life back in perspective.

Wil: My best memory of Albright is a current memory still being written - my last semester. All I have learned here, my experiences, and my friends are finally coming together at the end of an era. It is a wonderful feeling.

Kristin: My best memories are always tied to my sisters in Phi mu. When I'm with them, I find that I often do crazy things and enjoy myself. However, the talks I've had with many of them that last well past midnight will always have a special place in my memory. Kristine: Crowell Hall (217)!!!

Dylan: My best memory of Albright, is not one memory per se, but a whole bunch of them. I met a lot of interesting people up here. I remember the roar of the crowd as I took a bow after my many roles in plays. I remember the fun I had working in our cafeteria. I learned a lot about life up here. And I also learned a lot about pain and stress. But I think the most overwhelming memory up here is that of the previous fall semester. Everything was going my way. I was in love, I had a plum role in a play, I was doing two radio shows, and I had a spiffy column. Plus it was the best semester grade-wise of my life up here.

Karen: Albright has provided me with some of the best memories, both academic and social. My strongest memories, however, relate to my involvement with WXAC. I have met some of the most unique and innovative individuals through my pariticiaption in WXAC. The friends I have met through WXAC possess a mystical wonderland of musical talent; something that I have been most fortunate to be a part of. The musicians I have met, both from bands who played at Albright and the infamous CMJ Festivals, are inspirational and stong persons whose influence, I believe, will remain with me for the rest of my life.

Chantal: My best memory of Albright is my freshman year living in Court. That entire year was full of friends, fun, love, laughter, excitement, and no stress. Ignorance if bliss - huh?! Seriously though, the friends and memories I made that year will be with me forever - never to be changed and never to be foreotten.

Peg: Well, that's a close tie between late nights at "J" freshman year, or closing down the computer center for the next three years. I guess I'd have to go with Albright Court. Chris: My best memory does not consist of one experience. There are too many good memories at Albright to limit the best memory to just one. Biut most of thjese good memories originated form the late nights spent with my

originated form the late nights spent with my close friends at the apartment. These memories will be the topic of dicussions for years to come and bring a smile to my face with each memory.

Tara: I will never forget my trip to Hawaii during interim '94. It was one of the best times I had during my four years here and I highly recommend everyone to take advantage of this once in a lifetime

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opportunity. The times I spent with my friends rank as some of my best memories. Jarrod: Having water fights in Chemistry my Freshman year with Jason Albert.

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Bonnie: I can't really say that I have one specific "best memory" of Albright. Over the years there are many special times that I will take with me everywhere I go. For example, I will never forget the students and the smiling faces at Albright. I will always remember the afternoons I spent in the Campus Center office laughing and relaxing. How could I ever forget my great experience as a POP (I had the best partner and group, you know) or my first time at Wild Wings. Late night Ground Round runs! Gettysburg with Charlies' Angels! Tweedledum and Tweedledee! The list goes on and on. But most of all, I will always remember the utopian Ju Ju Bees!

Shane: My best meory of Albright is being a member of the swim team. We are all very good friends and hang out together a lot.

Missy: My best memory of Albright would have to be Spring Fever Weekend my freshman year and rolling down a hill with Laurie Mrozak and a guy named Lance Romance.

### 4. How do you feel that you've changed in

the past four years?

Matt: I've gone from shaving once a week to almost every day.

Katherine B: I think I've become a lot more open-minded over the past four years. All of us have come here with different values and ideas and think that other ways of doing things were the wrong ways. I think Albright was successful in teaching me to respect diversity. I will leave here with the idea that others are not strange or wrong - they're just

Angela: I feel that I have become more social and a little more relaxed. I still tend to be a perfectionist, but I am coming to realize that life isn't usually perfect. Also, I'd have to say that I am a bit more happy and content with my life than I was four years ago, and that's a nice thing to be able to say.

Robb: Aside from the few extra pounds and the loss of more hair follicles, I am a much more laid-back person who is confident about his future. Plus my handwriting has made vast improvements.

Wil: Albright has allowed me, through its organizations, to find talents and capabilities I never knew I had. WXAC is a prime example. Four years of self-teaching (with the help of my mentor Bill Thompson) has yielded a competent broadcast engineer. Working on the construction of the station's new tower was like a final exam for my "broadcast engineering seminar." Like all of my experiences here, I have no regrets at all. I've learned again the value of good friends. Most importantly, my self-confidence level

Kristin: My friends and family say I've matured quite a bit, but I wouldn't give myself that much credit. I am definitely more sure of what I want and do not want out of life. Unfortunately, I haven't quite figured out just how I'm going to get everything I want yet. I now have a purpose to my life and just as soon as I stop being a leech on my parents

and society, I'm going to get started on it. Kristine: I've learned how to deal with all kinds of really weird people.

Dylan: Well, that's easy. I feel I am more intelligent and creative now, then ever before. I have matured here while at the same time relishing in growing-up too fast.

Karen: I fell that I have grown into a stong person, both emotionally and intellectually. I feel that my experiences at Albright have helped me to be more accepting of the differences between myself, my culture, those in my community and the cultures that create the community we live in.. I feel that Albright has offered me an intellectually challenging four years. I have grown to respect and cherish the knowledge I have gianed during my studies at Albright.

Peg: Besides the 30 lbs I gained, the 5" of the hair I lost, and the \$80,000 of debt, I'd

have to say, it has made me a more open individual to others as well as being more in tune with myself as a woman, as a student, &

as a person.

Chris: In the past four years I have grown up. I have learned how to handle stressful situations better, expanded my knowledge, and grown more independent. I feel ready to go into the "real world" and chase my dreams. Anjanette: Over the past four years, I've come to find out who I really am. I've determined what defines who I have become absent from others' views of me. Albright has helped me decide where I want to go in the future

Tara: I think that I have matured a great deal and have finally learned how to budgetmy time. The one thing that hasn't changed is that I still don't know "what I want to be when I grow up."

Shane: I shaved my head, got a tatoo, drink beer, and never study. You ask me how I've

changed? I don't know, you tell me.

Missy: In the past four years I can honestly say that I have grown up to be a much more mature person. My life definitely has direction and what seemed important to me my freshman year, is no longer now.

### 5. What would you like to be doing ten years

Candice: Ten years from now (I really don't want to think about being 32) I hope to be in advertising, creating print and television advertisements for major corporations. I also hope to have a loving husband, maybe one or two beautiful children and live in a house built of stone equipped with a fireplace in a little

Matt: Either playing center for the Philadelphia Flyers or touring with the Rolling Stones.

Jacky: Teaching Biology to High School students and coaching, while promoting

Kieran: I'd like to be headlining my own world tour. If Whitney Houston could be my opening act, that would be an added bonus Katherine B: In ten years, I'm not sure exactly where I'd like to be in my career or with my family. I just want to take advantage of all of life's opportunities and successfully balance all aspects of my life. I don't want to look back ten years from now and have a lot

Robb: Raising my family, working in education, taking graduate courses, running my business, jetting to the coast, and a zillion

and other things.

Sarah: I would hope to be working for a company with interests between the United s and Russia, traveling frequently, and working out trade contracts. I would ultimately like to work in the United Nations in a legal capacity, but that may be a little unrealistic for ten years down the road. I'll

Wil: I would like to have my own business. Right now the plan is for either a radio station or a performance and off-road auto dealership.

Kristin: I would like to be doing groundbreaking research into women's oppression and methods of eradicating it from our society. I plan on attending the coronation of the first woman president and witnessing the downfall of Rush Limbaugh's popularity and influence on the masses. I would also like to be writing about my experiences on the Rainbow Warrior and watch the sunset in the Australian Ouback. I want to help Greenpeace protect the environment and oceanic life by handcuffing myself to harpoons and praying they are not launched. While I'm at it. I'd like to walk on the moon

and touch the stars. Anything's possible.

Karen: I would like to be teaching mathematics at the first American University

Glen: I hope to be in a position in which I can make a positive impact on our ailing society, through activism, teaching at the universtiy level, or writing for a newspaper. I hope that when I wake up each morning I'll know I've stayed true to what is important -

relationships, love, empathy, and community and not been drained of my lifeblood by capitalist ambition. I'd like to reach a point in my life at which I am living comfortabley without losing myself in my career, making a significant contribution to the world, and spending a maximum amount of time creating poetry and raising a family.

Chantal: I would like to be working for either the government or a privately-owned company at the international level. I want to be doing a lot of traveling and I will hopefully have lived in France for a couple of years by then. Marriage is a possibility-kids??? Anyone who knows me well enough will be able to answer this.

Peg: I'd be like Dr. Seaver - with my own private practice out of my home with two kids, a dog, and a pot belly pig. On the side, I'll play Eponine in Les Miserables and sing ducts with Billy Joel.

Anjanette: I would like to be helping & positively affecting others. My decision to be an attorney is my first step in this direction. I hope to represent those who have AIDS. And, probably more importantly, I ant to be a mom!!!

Chris: I would like to be a certified physical therapist with a private practice. Hopefully I will have a garage band on the side, playing in bars on the weekends. I also would like to be living close to the shore.

Tara: Whatever it is, I want to be happy doing it.

Jarrod: I can't look ten hours into the future. yet alone ten years; however, I hope I have a good and respectable job and a great family. Shane: I would like to be an elementary school teacher and living in Virginia.

#### 6. If you had three wishes, what would they be and why?

Candice: 1-Good health, 2-I hope I become successful in order to please those who have made it possible for me to get to that point, 3-I hope that my mother, who is also my best friend, could live with me forever

Matt: 1-A job, 2-World Peace, 3-Yuengling and Taco Bell to join forces. What else would you need?

Jacky: 1-Never to lose touch with my friends from Albright, 2-Financial security for Albright, 3-Enjoyable jobs for all Albright grads!

Kieron: 1-A cure for AIDS, because it is such a widespread, hateful disease, 2-Health and happiness for my family and friends, because they are the most important people in my life, 3-a really, really big Scickers bar, because I really, really like 'em.

Angela: The only wish that I'm sure of is that I could have goten about double the amount of sleep I 30 get during the last four ears, while not missing out on anything.

Robb: 1-Thre very student that wanted an education a any level could get one, 2-That anyone wao really has the ability for an education and the opportunity to attend scool takes advantage of this, not wasting their talents, 3-That Saturday Night Live would be funny again. What can I say - it's just bad!

Wil: 1-To have a more than a few short weeks left to spend with my friends, 2-The financial means to help WXAC reach its incredible potential, 3-That I was in High School again about to start this journey. I would not change a single thing.

Kristin: 1-That I could speak and understand all languages: past, present, and future. 2-That I could choose my time of death, 3-That I could sing WELL so that I

could sing along with Mom and Carol.

Khristine: 1-That everyone would be happy, 2-That we could all learn to live together in harmony, 3-At least 7 more

Dylan: 1-To be a famous movie person, 2-I'd like a certain woman with me, because I'm mad about her, 3-For an almost-Utopian world to exist.

Karen: 1-World Peace, 2-The perfect chocolate chip cookie - it would contribute to our world peace efforts, and it would taste really good! 3-To think for one day with the

mind of Bertrand Russell.

Tara: 1-A photography staff for The Albrightian, 2-A completed 20 page Wallace Stevens English Seminar paper, 3-To hit the lottery, for obvious reasons.

Jarrod: 1-To be a better person in every aspect, 2-To have my family be proud of me 3-Three more wishes: one for a child somewhere who really needs it, one for my mom, and the last for three wishes. . .

Katie: 1-That there were more hours in the day to accomplish everything I needed to do, 2-That being a procrasinator was a requirement in every job description, 3-I wish.
. well, I'll think about it and get back to you

Shane: 1-To be the first social worker to make over minimum wage, 2-To live in an apartment as elegant as A3 for the rest of my life, 3-to reinstate all of the majors that were

#### 7. Who is the Albright professor who has influenced you the most?

Candice: Dr. Jacqueline Lever and Professor Christine Bell are the 2 Albright professrs who made me look deepinto myself to figure out what I wanted to do with my life. Both women inspired me to become a marketing major and assisted me through all of the bad times. Thank you.

Jacky: Dr. Ingram, who worked my butt off but showed me how intense and interesting a class can be.

Kieran: Michael Adams, although he may not know it. As my advisor, he encouraged me to take mroe challenging courses than I might have selected on my own, and he has continually encouraged me to "go the extra mile." He also encouraged me to participate in numberous campus activities by his own xemplary involvement in the campus.

Katherine B: Professor Gail Wright helped to shape much of my career direction. She truly wants to see her students succeed and has always made an extra-special effort to arrange an internship or job interview for us. Thanks, Professor Wright, for all of your help! Jason: Dr. Perrin's candor has and will mold me into the type of teacher I wish to be.

Robb: I forget the name exactly, but it's one

at (you know) taught me something. Wil: Rod Hill, my guiter instructor. He has

shown tremendous skill and patience and has helped me mold my talent and in that has given me a love for the acoustic guitar. On top of all that, he is a friend.

Kristin: Dr. Karen Hicks. She laid the foundation for my decication to women's studies and opened the door to a whole new world of ideas

Jeanette: Dr. Bowersox. He is the reason I came to Albright. Dr. Bowersox has been a tremedous motivation to me throughout many trials. He has been inspirational as a coach and a friend to a distressed student in tears. Anyone who has Dr. Bowersox will refer other students to him for a variety of reasons. Khristine: Professor Bell and Dr. Lever had a great impact on my life - thank you.

Karen: Dr. Lassowsky and Dr. Barker. Dr. Lassowsky inspired me with her love of mathematics and dedication to the art of teaching mathematics. Dr. Barker has taught me to investigate my curiosities with respect to both philosophy and other subjects.

Glen: I have been most influenced while at Albright by Dr. Cacicedo, who has thank her enough.

Anjanette: Dr. Brogan has had a great influence on me. He exemplifies what a professor should be. His compassion for his students and others, his undying love for learning, and his ability to balance everything have been inspirational to me.

Tara: Dr. Jacqueline Lever has had a strong influence on me over thepast two years. She has helped me to focus my future gaols and is always willing to lend a listening ear. I would also like to recognize the guidance I have received from Judy Rile. Judy has helped me through some tough times and I really appreciate all of her help. Thanks to both of you, I will definitely keep in touch.

More Senior Spotlights...turn the page

Imust also thank Dr. Michael Adams for opening my eyes to the wonderful world of Wallace Stevens.

Jarrod: Dr. Adams. Although I've never had him in class, it seems that whenever I come into contact with him, he somehow seems to motivate me and point me in the right direction.

Shane: Although not a professor, my swim coach, Jenis Frederick, has been a great influence on me throughout my years at Albright.

Missy: I definitely feel that Professor Connie Horacek has influenced me the most. Prof. Horacek taught me that I really do have the ability to do anything I desire to do. She has been ther for me and provided the much appreciated support and guidance every student should receive.

#### 8. If you were stranded on a desert island and could choose anyone in the world (past or present) to be stuck there with, who would it be and why?

Candice: My mother, because besides being my best friend, she is the only one who can put up with my bad moods and temper (and alos because she's probably reading this and I have to live with her).

Matt: Marcy Shoemaker, so I can cook for her.

Jacky: Stephen J. Kmet - he has always been there to support me through good times and bad.

Kieran: Whitney Houston. Why ask why? Next question.

Robb: It would have to be Jesus. The guy could do it all.

Kristin: I'd want absolutely no one on the island with me. I'd like to be alone for awhile without any distractions to get in the way of peace and quiet. I love my friends, but I'm tired. (Perhaps Sting could drop in once in awhile to sing to me.)

Kristine: I would choose to be stuck there with my wonderful boyfriend, Chris, because we could make everything we needed and well, you know. . .

Karen: Andrew Gordon because he always has a bottle of Jameson on hand (and I think I would need it if I'were stranded on a desert island!)

Peg: Definitely ACE VENTURA - PET DETECTIVE, because he's YUMMY!!!

Chris: It would have to be McGyver because he would take that lone pine tree on the island, turn it into a boat, and we would sail to the mainland.

Jarrod: Depending on how long, I'd say Robin Williams because of his humor, Michelle Pfeiffer because she is my female idol, and Lassie because you have to have a dog.

Shane: Sangita Shah.

Missy: I would without a doubt love to be stuck with the infamous Sig Ep alumnus, Sean Carney. If you want to know why, just ask his fan club (they live at Apartment A2).

### 9. What is the one thing you would change about Albright?

Candice: I would change the negativity associated with this place because Albright is what you make it to be. If you don't like this place, then you won't do anything to change what you don't like about it. I have learned that what you put into this place is what you receive from it.

Matt: More classes, more majors.

Kieran: I think Albright has been weakened by the politics plaguing some of the faculty and the administration. I understand the tough times we are going through as a college, but I think our recovery has been hindered by personality conflicts and personal goals that have been overshadowing the one thing we should all be working for: the good of the college. Once we learn to trust each other to do our best and empower everyone from the support staff to the president to do so, I think we will find this college to be a much more successful and happy place to be.

more successful and happy place to be.

Robb: The lack of technology at Albright.

Recently, Albright has made great strides in this area. The process of automating the

library is finally starting, having the sun system, and the purchase of new machines at the computer center are all very important advancements, but Albright is still far behind. Sarah: I think I would try and bring a feeling of stability to the school. These four years are the most important for people because they offer a transition period between responsible adulthood and care-free childhood. Almost all seniors can attest to the fact that Albright had not always provided the most stable gorunds for personal development.

Kristine: Elevators and parking lots!

Dylan: We need less apathy and more school spirit. But the one thing I would love to do to this place is have Albright expand a little bit. One thing I can think to do is turn one of our un-used buildings into a studio.

Karen: I would add 10,000 more books to the library so that students would no longer become frustrated when doing research.

Tara: I think that students who volunteer their time on *The Albrightian* staff should be somehow compensated for their efforts. I suggest giving students who work diligently on the papter either course credit or college work study compensation.

Jarrod: Experience events would be monitored more closely.

Bonnie: Apathy!! As a classmate of mine so eloquently said the other day, Albright has a lot of stuff to do, but where is everyone? C'mon, Albright! It's time to have some fun! Get out there, support your school, take advantage of the activities fee you pay, and have a blast!

Shane: I would change the name - most of us aren't that smart anyway.

### 10. What are your famous last words for Albright?

Candice: Cherish all of the times you share with your friends because, and as sad as it seems, it does come to an end. Be there for each other and they will be there for you. Live one day at a time, but make sure you live it up!

Matt: Me graduate: that's unpossible!

Jacky: "When you wish upor a star, your dreams come true."

Kieran: Don't let things happen to you. Make them happen for you.

Angela: Just remember, you can never go back, so make the most of it

Robb: If you keep on turning out students like the Class of 1995, then you'll be OK!

Sarah: Good luck. While it may be frustrating and painful, in the end I think you will come out a stonger person. Knowing how to battle gives us a leading order in life.

edge in life.

Wil: Put aside my meager complaints and worries. I do not yet know all that Albright has given me. Thank you. Go Lions!

Kristin: I have only one thing to say to Albright. . . and I can't think of it right now.

Jeanette: If you want to see something done, do it yourself. If you haven't done anything to improve the school or the time you've spent here, don't compain about it. And finally, I hope it's as good out there as it has been here.

Kristine: Learn to have fun

Kristine: Learn to have fun doing things for people who don't have any joy.

Dylan: Have fun. Don't knock youself out by completely studying all the time. Hang out and meet people. Relax, it's not all bad. Only you can make it fun.

Karen: Thanks for the four-year lifetime experience!

Chantal: Au Revoir mais pas Adieu. . . I'd also like to leave a few words of wisdom or rather a few of Garth Brook's words of wisdom: "Don't you sit upon the shoreline and say you're satisfied/Choose to chance the rapids and dare to dance the tides.

Peg: "...And you learn, and you learn, and with every goodbye you learn." --Comes the Dawn

Chris: Take advantage of what you have before it's gone. At Albright you have the option to do anything; but many people don't not realize this. Make your college years an experience you will never forget.

Anjanette: My not-so-famous last words for Albright - College is more than a campus, go beyond, and remember there is a huge world out there!

Tara: Make the most of your college years! Don't blink, you might miss something! Jarrod: Avoid procrastination like the

plague and chances are you'll never catch a cold or hand a paper in late.

Bonnie: Your college experience only happens once, so make themost of your experience! Oh yeah...Thank you for a great

four years! Shane: Don't be that guy!

The Editors of The Albrightian would like to sincerely thank all Seniors who responded to our "Spotlight" Questions. We apologize if a few responses are missing; we were forced to condense for spacial reasons. Again, Thank You and

Congratulations!!!



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## From the Chaplain ...

As I continue to try to understand the tragedy of the bombing in Oklahoma City, I am faced with many concerns and questions.

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The first concern I have is with the state of our nation. We are, as it has been pointed out over and over again, one of the most violent nations in the world. Our right to bear arms has been twisted into our right to carry assault weapons and kill anyone we please. Violence is central to most of our popular sports (like football and hockey).

Abuse of women is still and hockey). use of women is still seen by many men as perfectly acceptable.

I have been reading about the militias around the country, and I am scared. Gordon Liddy tells his listeners to shoot twice at the body of federal agents if they come to get their guns. Hate groups are growing. Hate crimes are becoming commonplace. These militias are not so much about freedom as they are about the right to kill.

The second concern is one of safety. Nobody is safe! We have become complacent about our freedom, choosing to have as few restrictions as possible. We are not prepared

for the kind of terror we have experienced in Oklahoma City, even though it is happening in our schools everyday on a smaller scale. Our individual rights have become so sacred to us that we have all but forgotten about the rights of society.

Last, I am concerned that we might lose hope and give in to fear and hatred. If we do, we become like the terrorists and psychotics we are coming to know through the media. The hopes and dreams of our ancestors are being lost in the noise of angry voices. We have become so oppressive and paranoid that we immediately blamed the Middle East terrorists for the bombing. We have become so used to blaming minority groups for all of our problems that we are shocked that white men are alledgedly the culprits here.

We are entering into a new age, a time when reason will win out over evil. If we give in to the insanity of people like this, we become terrorists ourselves. We are not doormats - neither are we animals.

Peace. Steve Ohnsman

### Class of '95 Prepares for Graduation

by Doug Robbins and Katie Smith

The senior officers: Katie Smith, president; Chantal Newton, vice president; Katie Bruckman, treasurer; and Laurie Mrozak, secretary, have been extremely busy organizing various activities throughout this school year. The officers have helped the members of the Traditions Committee increase school spirit by displaying memorabilia from past and present traditions The Committee has initiated a campus-wide face lift as well; more plants and flowers have been planted. Also various plans are "in the works" which include the remodeling of the campus center, cafeteria, and other buildings on campus. Plaques, pictures, and namesakes have been displayed in Jake's Place and around the college.

Members of the Dean's Leadership Council, SGA, and the Commencement Committee are working hard to iron out all the meticulous details involving Baccalaureate and Commencement. They must decide what songs will be sung and where the various activities will be held among other details. The officers held various

elections regarding the Commencement guest speaker and the officers contracted the Senior Class's first choice, Ms. River Huston. All the arrangements were finalized in late November and early December setting a record. No other class has had their arrangements finalized this early. The seniors and the Honorary Committee are very pleased with this choice and are anticipating a great

The officers were also responsible for the rather successful fall fund-raiser, the Exam-Aid Kit; this was a big hit and a clever idea. It helped somewhat ease the stress and tension of the dreaded final exams. They also organized the necessary arrangements for the different "Senior Nights," which proved to be a great deal of fun for all!

The officers are not only busy with school work, but are also planning the different activities for Senior Week. They are planning a fun-filled, memorable, and exciting week! President Katie Smith describes graduation as a "bittersweet' time; we are all excited to graduate, but a little scared and sad about leaving our friends and Albright." Best of luck to all the members of the Class of 1995!

## **Senior Award Winners**

Accounting Department Award: Anthony Harnett, Brian Picariello, Erica Schoch

American Chemical Society Prize: Sean Smith
The Chemistry Faculty Award: Jennifer Lopez
Association for Computing Machinery Award: Thomas Landis
Cyrus E. Beekey Memorial Award: Amy Scidel
The Edwin L. Bell Endowed Biology Prize: Martha Reis

Biology Department Award: Eleni Antonopoulou

Elwood F. Briel Memorial Award for Excellence in Teaching: Maura McLaughlin The David A. Caramanica Endowed Memorial Award: Maura McLaughlin,

Robert Gourley

The English Department Faculty Award: Kachina Horacek, Bonnie Sherwood Elementary Education Program Award: Michael Faust Glenn A. Deibert, M.D. Memorial Prize: Tami Hottenstein

The William E.C. and Mary Dearden Chair in Bus. Admin. Scholars Award:

**Economics:** Chirag Sheth Management: Anjanette Rodzinak Marketing: Chantal Newton

Finance: Boris Ondercin

International Business: Michelle Reymos
Department of Religion Awards:
Independent Lutheran Church of Divine Fellowship: Tracy Noll
West Lawn United Methodist Church: Martha Reis, Maryellen Reis
The David N. Farber World Affairs Award: Sarah Hughes

The French Prize: Chantal Newton

Thomas H. Gerstley Memorial Fund: Marcy Haas

Marcus H. Green Pre-Professional Award: Richard Nye
Lucille Griswold Albright Prize: Joseph Hendrzak
Benjamin H. Handorf Chemistry Award: John Rochowicz, Deborah Chess
The Morgan S. Heller Memorial Chemistry Award: Sean Smith
Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Kelchner Memorial Prize: Glen Martin

J. Warren Klein Memorial Prize in History: Sarah Hughes, Patrick Gibbs Paul M. Leininger Chemistry Award: Dipa Brahmbhatt

Frederick W. Linder Award: Daniel Shuman The Maltzer (Pre-Law) Award: Anjanette Rodzinak, David Warren

Mathematics Department Award: Maura McLaughlin
Allen McKenney III Memorial Fund Prize: Amanda MacKay, Margaret Nowak
Northeast Conference Foreign Language Awards:

French: Chantal Newton German: Heidi Focht

Spanish: Heidi Fochi

Spanish: Heidi Schaich

Outstanding Individual Contribution to Psychology Award: Carolyn Ristaino

Ernest J. Pastorello Biology Prize: Heidi Eisenhardt

PA Institute of Certified Public Accountants Award: Katherine Bruckman,

Brian Picariello
Louis D. Pepe Memorial Accounting Award: Francisco Romero
Psychology/Business Prize: Jayne Charneski
Psychology Department Prize: Marcy Haas, Sheila White
Psychobiology Prize: Angela Borger
Reading Chpt. of PA Certified Public Accts. Award: Katherine Bruckman
Reading Chemists' Club Prize: Michelle Kantner
St. Joseph's Hospital Staff Award: Michael Davies
Rose S. Sack Social Work Award: Debbie Adams
The Sam Sahi World International Student Recognition Award: Chirag Sheth
Ella M. Schaeffer Music Awards:
Choir: Bonnie Sherwood Instrumental: Stephanie Bendesky
Annadora Shirk Readers Theatre Prize: Tara Scanio
Lewis E. Smith Political Science Award: Jennifer Wilkinson

The Spanish Prize: Maryellen Reis, Michael Davies Frederick Vastine Prize in Religion: Kimberly Freeman Visual and Apparel Merchandising Award: Melissa Wagner Douglas B. Woolson Memorial Philosophy Prize: Karen Marrongelle

**Honors and Awards Committee:** 

The Muhlenberg Goodwill Prize: Heidi Eisenhardt, Maura McLaughlin Alumni Graduation Honor: Margaret Nowak, Anjanette Rodzinak, Bonnie Sherwood

Gold "A" Awards: Dipa Brahmbhatt, Kieran Daly, Joseph Hendrzak, Kachina Horacek, Chantal Newton, Tara Scanio

#### Service Awards:

Campus Center Board Awards: Jacquelyne Cunningham, Kieran Daly, Helen McGovern, Chantal Newton, Premal Patel, Bonnie Sherwood, Jennifer Wilkinson Cura Award: Suzanne Rehrig

Day Students Association Award: Diana Berstler Natalie Olson Memorial Award: Stephanie Bendesky Josephine E. Raeppel Award: Debbie Adams, Jennifer Wilkinson Student Government Awards:

One Year: Sarah Hughes, Reginald Walker, David Zipin wo Years: Joseph Hendrzak

Leonard Var Priel Memorial Award: Richard Nye, Sarah Hughes Orientation Steering Committee Award: Sari Berger, Stephanie Izbicki, Hien Nguyen, Jarrod Schoffler

#### Arts Awards:

Domino Players Award: Dylan Lange Freedman Gallery Award: Kachina Horacek WXAC Senior Awards: Brett Bair, Angela Borger, Patrick Gibbs, Wilmer Johnson, Karen Marrongelle The Albrightian Awards:

One Year: Katherine Bruckman Two Years: Alicia Frascione Four Years: Tara Scanio

**Music Department Awards:** Band Award - Four Years: Angela Borger

Choir Senior Awards: Bonnie Sherwood, Heidi Schaich, Kieran Daly, Caryn Shriner Albright Ensemble Senior Awards: Stephanie Bendesky, Rami Lee

Eleni Antonopoulou, Diana Berstler, Angela Borger, Katherine Bruckman, Nicole Christman, Michael Davies, Victor Dykty, Heidi Eisenhardt, Sherry Epler, Jerry Farro, Kimberly Freeman, Patrick Gibbs, Marcy Haas, Anthony Harnett, David Heleniak, Kachina Horacek, Tami Hottenstein, Sarah Hughes, Michelle Kantner, Michael Kirby, Jennifer Klemow, Kristine Krupa, Kari Kudaka, Thomas Landis,

Neal Lebo, Keefe Long, Jennifer Lopez, Karen Marrongelle, Glen Martin, Chantal Newton, Barbara Noll, Christine Nye, Brian Picariello, Martha Reis, Michelle Reymos, Jeffrey Rockett, Anjanette Rodzinak, Patricia Ross, Heidi Schaich, Twilla Schaub, Amy Seidel, Kim Shapiro, Bonnie Sherwood, Chirag Sheth, Daniel Shuman, Sean Smith, Douglas Ward, David Warren, Sheila White, Jennfier Wilkinson, David Woomer

Phi Delta Sigma Pledges:

Angela Borger, Amy Chamberland, Pamela Diely, Kimberly Freeman, Sarah Hughes, Kristine Kulp, Ann Manderewicz, Alixandre Pascale, Michelle Reymos, Erica Schoch, Bonnie Sherwood

## **SGA Minutes - 4/11/95**

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting of the Albright College Student Government Association and Student Senate was called to order at 8:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 11, 1995, in the North Hall Meeting Room.

The following members were present: Joe Hendrzak, Natalie Famous, Terry Miller, Dave Zipin, Deirdre Diener, Sarah Hughes, Chris Patrick, Mindy Vaughn, Reggie Walker, Tetsuya Fujimoto, Derek Zbyszinski, Michael Stephan, and Jon Hodgson.

The meeting began with the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

The treasurer's report was given by Zipin. He announced that the treasury is unchanged.

The vice president's report was given by Famous. Preparations are being made for the members-at-large elections.

The ISA report was given by Fujimoto. The organization is scheduling a trip to New York on May 6.

The AAS report was given by Walker. Elections are coming up in the organization.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Curriculum Committee - Interim was discussed by the committee. The faculty is somewhat split on what to teach. Barbara Fahy is the new chair of the committee.

Student Affairs Committee - Security on campus was discussed.

The Director of Housing attended the meeting. The apartment situation was discussed as well as the housing lottery.

Committees were dismissed.

Hillel proposed a budget for Passover. A table will be set up to see who is interested. The budget will be discussed later in the week.

A schedule was set up for the memberat-large election.

Ballots will be made up and Diener will make posters for the election.

The band budget was discussed. Patrick made a motion to pass the budget. Hodgson seconded the motion. The motion passed.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

Respectfully submitted.

The meeting was adjourned by Hendrzak at 9:43 p.m.

Terry C. Miller, SGA Secretary

#### The Puzzle ontest

by Aimee Nichols and Alexandra Garms

The solutions to the last puzzle contest: First Puzzle:

The probability that the coupon in the second box is different from the first is 4/5. So on average a customer must buy 1 + 5/4 boxes to get two different coupons. Then he must buy 5/3 more boxes on the average to get three different coupons. The average number of boxes required to produce five different coupons is 1 + 5/4 + 5/3 + 5/2 + 5/1

#### Second Puzzle:

If the traffic light is red for 30 seconds and green for 30 seconds, and the random variable x is the duration of waiting, its density function f(x) is as shown below. The expected wait is: E(x) =the integral from negative infinity to infinity of x f(x) dx = theintegral from zero to thirty of x/60 dx = 7.5seconds.

#### Third Puzzle:

The probability that two people have

different birthdays is 364/365. The probability that three people have different birthdays is P=(364/365)(363/365).

The probability that n people have different birthdays is P=(364/365)(363/ 365)...(366-n/365).

When n is 23, P= 0.493. So for a group of 23 people the probability 1-P that at least two have the same birthday is slightly higher than 0.5.

#### Forth Puzzle:

- 1. If there is no wind, the round trip takes 2 hours
- 2. If there is a 40 km/hr headwind, the trip out takes 200/160 or 5/4 hr. The return trip takes 200/240 or 5/6 hr. The round trip takes 25/12 or 2.08 hr.
- 3. If there is a 40 km/hr crosswind, the airplane's groundspeed is (200x200-40x40)L(1/2)=196 km/hr so the time for the round trip is 400/196 or 2.04 hr.

The grand prize winner was Glen Guzzleman. Look for as again next fall. Hope everyone has a nice summer!

## **SGA Minutes - 4/17/95**

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting of the Albright College Student Government Association was called to order at 8:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 17, 1995, in the Campus Center Conference Room.

The following members were present: Joe Hendrzak, Natalie Famous, Terry Miller, Deirdre Diener, Sarah Hughes, Chris Patrick, Mindy Vaughn, Reggie Walker, Tetsuya Fujimoto, Derek Zbyszinski, and Jon Hodgson.

Absent were: Dave Zipin and Michael

The meeting began with the reading and approval of the minutes of the previous meeting.

Hendrzak made a motion to dispense with committee reports. Hodgson seconded the motion. All were in favor.

The housing situation was discussed. It was decided that SGA members should voice the students' concerns to the Office of Housing and Residence Life. SGA decided to try to move back the lottery and point out the importance of senior privileged housing.

SGA members decided to meet at the Office of Housing and Residence Life at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 19, 1995.

The housing situation was discussed further among the members present.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned by Hendrzak at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted. Terry C. Miller, SGA Secretary

#### Albright College Computer Labs Extended Hours Crunch Week (Prior to Finals)

Monday, May 1 - Thursday, May 4	8:00 a.m 2:00 a.m.
Friday, May 5	9:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 6	10:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.
Sunday, May 7	10:00 a.m 2:00 a.m.
Monday, May 8 - Thursday, May 11	8:00 a.m 2:00 a.m.
Friday, May 12	9:00 a.m 8:00 p.m.

Resume Regular Hours: Saturday, May 13

#### **Summer Session**

The Computer Labs will be closed 5 p.m., Friday, May 19, 1995 through 12 p.m. Thursday, June 1, 1995.

#### **Summer Lab Hours** Thursday June 1 - Friday August 4

Monday - Thursday 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. Friday - Saturday 12 p.m. - 4 p.m. **Closed Sunday** 

#### **Dates Closed During Summer**

The Computer Labs will be closed 5 p.m., Friday, June 30 through 12 p.m., Thursday, July 6 The Computer Labs will be closed 5 p.m., Friday, August 4 through 9 a.m., Tuesday, August 29

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## **Albright Traditions**



Clockwise from the top left-Mae Jean Picking Rosser, Christine Caplin, Bertina Blauch Rudman, Janet Luckenbaugh Forker, Erma Leinbach Swope, Ann de Farges Solenberger, Eleanor Schubert Bricker, and Jeanne Miller Metcalf. In 1944 these ladies dressed in football uniforms and performed a skit called Sissie Eootball which ended with "Let's all have tea!"

June 6, 1941

## Grads Frolic, Dance, and Senior Party

Swimming, Baseball, On Program

A huge success seems to be the only way to describe the senior party that began the five days of feting the seniors. Wednesday afternoon all the seniors and their guests gathered at Stegman's country home and spent the afternoon and the evening in a full program of sheer fun. During the afternoon there was swimming, badminten, baseball, and just plain loafing and then--supper!

A huge Albright seal made of red radishes and cottage cheese formed the centerpiece, and carrots arranged to form lions were on each side of the seal. The rest of the table was decorated in red and white. After the supper, a treasure hunt took the participants all over the grounds of Stegman farm and was followed by dancing from 8 to 12. Dancing was to the music of a "juke" box and, even though held in the barn, it was not a barn dance. Just to make sure that the seniors did not forget their last party as Albright students, each senior received as a special surprise a bright red bakelite mug with his name and "senior class 1941" hand painted on it in white enamel.

The chaperones, who could not be distinguished from the seniors, were Miss Ernestine Elder, Miss Esther Fenili, Dr. Milton Geil, Mr. Robert Work, Professor and Mrs. Newton Danford, Dr. and Mrs. Graham Cook, and Dr. and Mrs. Harry Masters.

May 21, 1946

#### Sophs Plan Doggie Roast; Select Committee Heads

At a meeting held by the sophomore class last week, Warren Pfost, president, appointed standing committee heads. The chairmen are Marjorie Christ, social, and Marjorie Plowfield, publicity.

Pfost announced that the class will hold a doggie roast this Friday night.

During the meeting the emblems of the class of 1948 were distributed.



May 8, 1953

#### Campus Groups Enter Mardi Gras

The annual Mardi Gras is scheduled for tonight from 8:00 to 10:00 on the parking lot across from the physical education building, it was announced by Jim Barrett and Jack Fetterman, co-chairmen. Twelve campus organizations have announced ther intention to participate in this student council sponsored event.

Included in the evening's festicities will be games of skill and chance and refreshments. Along the midway will be found the following: Home Economics Organization--pizza pie and birch beer: Kappa Tau Chi--hot dogs and french fries; Dormitory Council--ice cream sandwiches and candy apples; Daywomen's Council--root beer and pretzels; Daymen--duck throw; Phi Beta Mu--hot dogs and birch beer and argyle socks; Pi Alpha Tau--barbeque and cake and lemonade; Zeta Omega Epsilon-nickle pitch, cane toss, dart throw, ball roll; Pi Tau Beta--nickle pitch, ice cream and waffles, car shoot; Kappa Upsilon Phi--shuffleboard, baseball throw, ping-pong throw, dart throw; Alpha Pi Omega-tomato toss, penny pitch, golf, shot put, and show; Chemical Society-basketball throw.

All students and friends are urged to attend and support the organizations.

## Graduation Exercises to be Held Outside

At the last meeting of the senior class William Schmidt, president, announced that the commencement exercises will be held in front of Selwyn Hall, as it has been in previous years. A request was made by the senior class to follow the tradition that has been followed after the announcement by the administration that the exercises would be held in the new gymnasium. The administration considered the request of the students and consented to the change as they felt the class would appreciate the outside atmosphere and secnery.

#### Skunk Day to be Played Today, Girls Varsity vs. All-Frat Squad

This afternoon the mighty battle between the sexes takes place when the all-star frat team meets the girl's varsity in the annual Skunk Day Classic, sponsored by *The Albrightian*. The battle this afternoon at 4:30 'in back of Science Hall promises to be close, for the men will be handicapped. However, the men still rank as pre-game favorites, mainly on their terrific hitting power. Although batting only with their left hand, the men still pack plenty of power.

The frat team was picked by an election in which each team manager voted for the three best men on the teams opposing his. Co-captains of the men's team are Lee Cappel of the Dorm team and Russ Guensch of the Kappa's. As The Albrightian goes to press, the captains have not picked their starting licenan and post likely team's trailing the same.

lineup, and most likely won't until the game.

Mrs. Mosser, coach of the women, is standing pat on the lineup that beat Drexel last week. Jean Schwartz will most likely get the thankless task of pitching to the male sluggers, and Phyll Ibach is slated to do the catching.

Thirteen men will be on the men's team,

each one having received the necessary three votes to play. Guensch and Cappel intend to use three pitchers thoughout the game, Jug Manderbach, Waid Rowland, and Paul Seigerfied. Manderbach, Forrest Compton, and Red Lamberson will represent the Zeta's, Butch Harting, George Morfogen, and Waid Roland, the APO's; Russ Guensch and Gene Shollenberger, the Kappa-Pi Tau's; Angelo Baro, Hops Guldin, and Paul Seigfried, the Daymen; and Lee Cappel and Joe Kubisen will represent the Dorm.

The winnig team will be awarded custody of Horatio, the Skunk.

May 21, 1946

#### Social Events of Next Week to Honor Seniors

A series of social events will take place next in honor if the class of 1946. The first will be an "at home "went by President Harry V. Masters in honor of the graduates and the College faculty, from 3 to 5 p.m. this Sunday, May 26 at the Masters home.

The alumni of Albright College will honor the seniors at the alumni dinner Friday, May 31 at the Wyomissing Club at 6 p.m. Lydia Roland, of the class of 1932, is had of the committee in charge of the dinner.

Herman Miller and his sixteen piece orchestra will furnish danceable music for the annual Junior-Senior Prom, Friday, May at the Bershire Hotel. There will be dancing from 9:30 to 12:30 p.m. in the Mirror Room, and admission is two dollars and forty cents per couple.

Chaperones for the evening are Dr. and Mrs. Russell B. Smith and Professor and Mrs. Clyde Harding.

May 21, 1946

#### Social Calender

Friday, June 6

7:30 a.m.--Senior men leave for breakfast at Egelman's Park.

8:30 a.m.--Senior woman leave for Reading Country Club.

7:00p.m.--Eighth annual Greek play. Science Hall steps. The Antigone of Sophocles. Stawberry festival on Selwyn Hall lawn immediatly following the play. Saturday, June 7--Alumni Day

Saturday, June 7--Alumni Day 9:00 a.m.--Registration of Alumni, Alumni Memorial Library.

Memorial Library.
10:00 a.m.--Phi Delta Sigma Sorority

meeting and luncheon. 1:30 p.m.--Annual alumni bussiness

meeting, College Chapel.
4:00 p.m.--Alumni tea for alumni, seniors,

falculty, and friends, Alumni Memorial Library. 5:00 p.m.--Class reunion perioid.

6:00 p.m.--Alumni Banquet. (tickets \$1.00) College dinning hall. Entertainment by Tony Sarg. Sunday, June 8--Baccalaureate

Sunday, June 8--Baccalaureate 4:00 p.m.--Admistration Procession from Admistration Building.

4:15 p.m.--Baccalaureate Service, outdoors on campus. Sermon by the Reverend Raymond M. Veh, D.D., Editor, the Evangelical Crusader, Harrisburg Pa.

Evangelical Crusader, Harrisburg Pa.

Monday, June 9--Commencement
10:00 a.m.--Academic procession from
Administration Building. (Trustees are
invited to march in the academic
procession with or without dress.)
10:15 a.m.--Commencement exercises.
Outdoors on campus. Address by Russell
W. Davenport of New York City. Editor,
"Fortune." Subject: "The American
Future." Alumni Induction Ceremony
immedially following the exercises.



# Traditions/Editorials

May 20, 1937

### **Editorial**

We'll Do It!

One of the most heartening features of college life this year has been the anouncement of a quarter of a million dollar gift to Albright College from Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pfeiffer of New York City.

We say, most heartening, because of our hope and confidence in our Alma Mater to go foward as the years go by. We are hopeful since this large gift is serving as a challenge to alumni, the present student body, and the Evangelical Church in doing all they can to have the financial drive 'go over the top.'

When such a challenge is given, every interested person must rally to the support of the organization to show that a free-from-debt Albright College is possible. Up to the present time, the financial drive has been started among the members of the Evangelical Church and the Albright Alumni. Reports from all quarters indicate that favorable impressions exist in the minds of the donors. This is a new sign--one that undoutably presents to the administration a new hope for the future.

The support which is coming in to the campaign committee also indicates that the contributors are showing their appreciation to Dr. Klein who has unselfishly given of his serviced to Albright College for a period of thirty-five years. It is indeed a note of gratification to know that President Klein was able to secure the large gift for Albright, and now the loyal sons of the groups concerned over the future of this institution are meeting the challenge squarely and whole-heartedly.

It goes without saying that Albright College will be geatly aided by the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer in the years to come. We, the student body, express our thanks and appreciation and pledge ourselves to meet the opportunities now knocking to grant us additional inspiration and faith in Albright College as a growing college and one which has produced many loyal sons now engaged

in important work all over the country.

No doubt the alumni who live in distant parts of the country have heard of this substantial gift and readily realize what great advantages Albright College now has and will have in the years to come. The will be anxious to learn that the financial condition of the college has been inproving and soon Albright College will be without a debt. As soon as this is accomplished there will be many sons and daughters eager to know what steps will be taken to make this campus a better campus and a more attractive one.

We cannot forsee the future. However, we can say that if there are other benefactors interested in Albright as much as Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer, there is no reason why improvements cannot be made. Naturally, time will march on, and if the challange presented by the Pfeiffers is met now, there is every hope that in the not too distant future the students of Albright College may enjoy the privileges of a gymnasium, may worship in a new college chapel, and live in new dormitories.

Many of us would like to see these things come about soon. But, there is the vision which must be well planned by intelligent persons. A long range planning program with capable leadership will undoubtedly solve the problem and give to the future sons and daughters of Albright a larger campus, offering many more courses under the intelligent and diligent attention of a larger faculty.

Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer have come to help Albright College in the present crisis. They have benefited by wise counsel and pratical business procedures in their rise to the top of the ladder. They have said that they want to help us by saying, "We'll do it!" Let us resolve then that we the students will join them in saying, "We'll do it!"

## A Letter to the Editor...'95

One Student Addresses a Serious Problem Plaguing Albright

To Whom It May Concern-

I have never quite understood fraternities or the ties that bond them together in brotherhood. A recent event was especially baffling to me. At approximately 10:30 p.m. I was summoned to my window by shouts from outside. As I opened my blinds I saw about thirty jubilant "brothers" calling for the school to witness something that exemplified stupidity: They had deposited a "hog-tied" brother face down in the middle of the quad for all the world to see. See what? What exactly were they trying to prove? I certainly do not understand, but I would love to hear an explanation.

That incident is just one of the many reasons why I have grown to dislike this school over the course of my year here at Albright. I am not saying that this school sucks, because it doesn't. I have had my share of good experiences here. I have met some people who are wonderful and whom I consider to be true friends; I have had the pleasure of getting to know some professors and administrators who are genuinely concerned and care about us as their students; I have taken classes that are interesting, I enjoy, and open my mind.

However, there is an attitude pervasive at this school that offends and bothers me, and should bother anyone with some sense of morality. I know people on personal basis who have been raped or harrassed on this campus. And rumors about women getting raped this year have been more that abundant. Obviously, something is going on here. Now you may say that rapes happen on every college campus because they do, but that does not justify it. What is perhaps even more

disturbing is that whomever has been raped is too scared or ashamed to step forward and point the finger. And who can blame her in this kind of environment? But every time one rape happens that goes unpunished, one more is bound to happen. After all, why wouldn't a guy rape a woman if he knows that there are no consequences. It bothers me that on a campus of this size that a woman cannot (and for good reason should not) feel safe walking alone on campus at night. One out of four women will be raped during their lifetime. That is a reality. But at college, of all places, I think that women who are trying to get an education should not need to worry about their personal safety.

This one example says to me that something is very wrong here. This is just one reflection of something I see going on here all the time: lack of respect for women, apathy on behalf of the school (with exception of the Take Back the Night Rally), immature behaviour (which constantly manifests itself in every aspect of school life) and above all ignorance towards our fellow schoolmates. Many people may be perfectly content to wallow in their self-created quagmires of ignorance and apathy, but I refuse to be taken down with them. However, ignorance and apathy  $\underline{do}$  hurt other people, and that must be realized.

This is your wake up call, people. All I ask of you is to open your eyes and take a critical look around. Now is the time for change! "If you are not part of the solution then you are part of the problem." Right now, as I see it, the majority of this school is the "problem."

## Alumni Weekend: Schedule of Events

The Albrightian

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Friday, May 5

8:00 p.m. DOMINO PLAYERS
PRODUCTION
Meridian Theatre

Saturday, May 6

8:00 a.m. REGISTRATION
Campus Center
8:30 a.m. ALUMNI ASSOSIATION
BREAKFAST
CCDD north wing
8:45 a.m. ANNUAL MEETING OF
THE ASSOCIATION
9:30 a.m. CLASS AGENTS
CC conference room
9:45 a.m. 50 PLUS CLUB
CC south lounge
10:00 a.m. PHI DELTA SIGMA
ALUMNEA SORORITY

Alumni Hall

10:00 a.m. FUTURE ALBRIGHTIANS

Mohn Hall

10:00 a.m. ANNUAL JURIED

STUDENT ART EXHIBITION

Freedman Gallery

11:00 a.m. "VALUES: PAST,

PRESENT, FUTURE"

Moderator: Jeffery H. Barker

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CC south lounge
"NEW DIRECTIONS IN
ALBRIGHT PROGRAMMING"
Moderator: James P. Pitts
12:30p.m. RECOGNITION
LUNCHEON

2:30 p.m. "VALUES: PAST PRESENT, FUTURE;" NEW DIRECTIONS IN ALBRIGHT PROGRAMMING"

(repeat)
3:00 p.m. BARBEQUE
CC dining hall

The following are at the Sheraton Berkshire, Wyomissing:

6:00 p.m. CLASS RENUNIONS 9:30 p.m. DANCING

Sunday, May 7

11:30 a.m. WORSHIP SERVICE Teel Hall 11:30 a.m. BRUNCH CC dining hall 2:00 p.m. PHI MU / PHI BETA MU ANNIVERSARY

200 p.m. PHI MU / PHI BETA MU ANNIVERSARY RECEPTION Phi Mu House 30 p.m. DOMINO PLAYERS

2:30 p.m. DOMINO PLAYERS PRODUCTION (repeat)

(repeat)
4:00 p.m. ALBRIGHT CHAMBER
ORCHESTRA AND STRING
ENSEMBLE CONCERT
Roop Hall
7:30 p.m. ALBRIGHT COLLEGE

7:30 p.m. ALBRIGHT COLLEGE CHOIR CONCERT Memer-Pfeiffer-Klein Memorial Chapel

# Style

## Out of My Head

### All Good Things Must Come to an End

by Dylan A. Lange

Well gang, this is it. The end of an era. Yeah right. It is the end of an era for me though. Next stop, the real world. Oh boy, I can't wait.

Well, a lot has happened to me up here in Reading, PA. A whole hell of a lot. Seeing as how this is the last column I will be writing in the foreseeable future, I just wanted to turn this into one of those rememberances of days past. You know, the kind where you mention every one of your friends. So if you are one of my friends, you may be in this little column. So without further ado, away we

#### Freshman Year

I came to Albright for a couple of reasons. One being that I had a sister here who was a senior when I arrived. She had spent four years at Albright much like I was about to do. Heck, she even met her husband up here (hi Adam!).

Besides having a history here, admissions also accepted me. Amazing, isn't it?

Of course my first friends up here were the members of my POP group whom I remember very vividly. So here's to Shane Thomas. You've come a long way Shane. I remember when you were having a problem with one of your legs, and you were afraid that you would never be able to swim again. Well, you did it buddy. Hi Sheila, I'm happy that you still say hi to me. I wish I could have gotten to know you better. Good luck also goes out to Rebecca, Amir, Jen Ketch, and Jen Craven. I hope I didn't forget anyone. We almost won "gumballs." Thanks also goes out to our POPS, Kristen and Puddle.

This was also where I met the illustrious Tara Scanio. Thanks chief for the chance to make a statement on this campus. I'll miss you

While I'm on the subject of women, let me say goodbye to Candice. CANDY!!! I'll miss yelling your name. Take care.

I'd also like to say goodbye to the other denizens of Court, most especially George Phillips, Mike McKenney, Dave Heleniak, Mike Toscano, and Bill Jefferson. You guys were the best. Hanging out in George and Mike's room drinking, talking, and watching movies was a blast, gang. I'd like to especially thank you, George. Those nights of hanging out in your room during the Fall semester and that one all-nighter we did and the crank phone calls we made with McKenney were the best. It was fun.

Finally, to finish off the Court crew, I could not go on without mentioning my roommate. Jarrod, we might not have always gotten along, but it was an interesting experience. Take care pal.

The only other big event that I can recall from Freshman year was probably the first play that I was ever in, Love for Love. This play was probably the best experience of my Freshman year. We had a great and gifted cast of people. We were more than a bunch of people who were putting on a play, we were an ensemble. (But I was a star! A little injoke.) So to Bill, Brad, Rob, Melanie, Cindi, Lee, Doug, Lottie, Sue, Jason, Kelly, Todd, and to my on-stage love interest, Dinah, thanks for the ride of my life. We've got to do it again, and afterwards we can go to Temple. What a way to end my first year.

#### Sophomore Year

This was a big year for me as well. I met the people who would turn out to be my best friends up here. I'll get to them shortly.

I started the year off with a bang - my own room, and a part in a Shakespeare play which I had done two other times before, The Comedy of Errors. Here I met some of the coolest people I know.

To my buddy Chris Crowe, I miss you sportie. Ms. Newland, always a pleasure to know someone as cute as you. Russell, another of the long gones, not really though, since you'll be back next year. Russell, I'll never forget our talks on movies and UFOs. I'll look you up in a few years when I've hit it big. Devon, or is that Dylan? No one seems to remember what our names are. I enjoyed working with you in Fen later on in the year. I wish we could have worked together again.

Dawn, oh Dawn. I miss you. I hope that England was fun for you. Maybe I'll get a chance to write to you over the summer. Maybe we can get our correspondance back. And finally, Krista. What can I say, Krista? You and Josh look so perfect together. I guess deep down we both knew that we weren't meant to be together. It was fun while it lasted. I'll never forget. Love ya.

This was a great year for me because I got to meet some of the coolest people in the world. Jen, you were the first one I met back in Freshman year, but I got to know you a lot better in Sophomore year. You were from my area, and unbeknownst to each other, our high school badminton teams played each other. Then I met you up here. You were really involved in the school so I hardly ever saw you. It really wasn't until Junior year that we truly became best buds. I love you, Jenny, and from now on, we've got to get on each other's nerves back in Baltimore, once we're in the real world. Good luck, Jen. This isn't a goodbye. This is actually a new beginning for us. I hope that we can hang out a lot more from now on.

Pat, you were the next one I met. A transfer with ties to Maryland even though you lived in Pennsylvania. A fellow history geek and a very interesting person, I'm glad I got the chance to meet you and hang out with you. You leave me speechless buddy. Good luck.

Eric Magnuson, you are truly one of the striaghtest arrows that I've ever met. You have this well of friendliness that is bottomless. You are a true friend who is always there for anybody. You've helped me through a lot, compadre. I don't know how I'll ever be able to thank you for all of the friendship that you've given to me. I'm gonna miss you a lot buddy. Take care of yourself, and take care of Jenny too. You are the best. See ya.

Eric Henao, What can I say? Yes've ways been an interesting guy to hang out ith. I'm only sorry that I didn't hang out ith you more in the past. You are a genius on the computer, and you've awed my butt many times because of you expertise. You are a great photographer and computer nerd, and you're a great free.d. I'll miss you. Every

time I hear a firecracker go off, I'll remember you. Take care of yourself, and have fun back in Texas.

Troy, when I first met you in the cafeteria lo those millions of years ago. I did something I am ashamed of. I pre-judged you. I gave in to a stereotype. You looked like a head-banging, brainless, long-haired, skateboarder who hated authority, and who was probably lazy. Then I worked with you in the cafeteria and I got to know the real you. I felt like a jerk that such thoughts would even enter my head. You were none of those. You did have long hair, and yes, you are a metalhead, but I've learned that metalheads are just the same as everyone else. Troy, you are an intelligent, creative, fun, hardworking, hell of a guy and a good friend. I'll miss you. Say hi to Wolverine for me.

#### Innion Vone

I think what I'll remember most about this year is that my friends and I owned a hallway of Mohn. Pat, Eric and Eric, Bryan Frey and I, and Bood. We were all in the same area and boy did we have fun.

My dear roommate, Bryan. Nobody thought that we could do it but we did. A whole year together in the same room. We both freely admit that it wasn't always a great time. If you sit down and think about it though, we did have some good times. You're a great guy, Frey, and it is easier to like you now since we aren't rooming together. I can honestly say ,though, that I never truly hated your guts. I may not have liked them sometimes, but most of the time it was fun. Especially when we include...

Meg! My second roommate. Actually, I think that we should have roomed together, Meg. I mean, Bryan did tell us that we talked to each other in our sleep. When most roommates have their girlfriends over, the other roommate hates the idea that she will be in the room too, but with you Meg, it was fun. It was comfortable and you exerted your influence on Bryan occasionally, torcing him to go to bed when we went to bed. Bye Meg, I love va'.

How can I forget my best buddy, Bearded

More GOOD THINGS on page 12

# Reggae Takes Albright by Storm Major Domo Plays Spring Fever

by Michelle Spielman

Well, I must say that I had quite an honor during Spring Fever Weekend. This honor consisted of interviewing the "Reggae" Band, Major Domo. The word reggae is quoted because, technically, they aren't a reggae band but instead, are an original rock, heavy R & B soul band.

After three years together, Major Domo has just started rolling ahead with their new independent label, Wedge Music, and have radio campaigns beginning on the East Coast that go through the Midwest in the next couple of weeks as well.

Now if that's not enough for you, this

talented group of young men is also beginning a tour starting next summer in Germany and heading through Austria, Poland, and France (this includes 32 cities in 45 days).

So far Major Domo's biggest gig has been at a classical music hall at Lincoln Center, NY where they performed in front of 600 people. The band has also performed at various clubs in NYC such as the China Club, New Music Gate, Wetlands, and CBGB's.

The band also has various contracts with papers such as the Village Voice, Island Ear, The Aquarian, and will be appearing on the cover of the next Good Times. If you missed the chance to see their performance at Albright, then pick up a paper to find out

where they're playing next and what you missed.

I guess here is where I can say that I have a bit of a bias toward liking the band since they are from my home town of Long Island, NY. It's not everyday that you meet a group of Long Islanders here in Reading, PA!

Major Domo is comprised of the following very talented musicians: lead singer/songwriter, Danny Richard; guitarist/reggae singer during our Spring Fever Weekend, Joey Rose; saxophonist, keyboardist, and back-up vocalist, Don McCabe; drummer, Matt Miller; and bassist, Dean Zucherro.

On being asked about their influences,

Danny replied, "We are all pretty much into early funk." This statement includes musicians such as Bob Marley, Parliament, Miles Davis, Prince and David Bowie.

"Music for the People," the band's most recent CD, is their primary concern right now and they are hoping to see a maximum amount of CDs being sold. Danny's favorite song on the CD, "Can Anybody Hear Me" (7th track) contains 17 overdubs of his voice and follows along the same lines as Freddy Mercury's tastes.

Personally, I loved the whole CD. It's really great to be able to sit down and listen to a good band. Major Domo is definitely one of those very talented bands. Good luck guys!

## **FOX Movies**



French Kiss PG-13
Panther R
While You Were Sleeping PG
Bad Boys R
Rob Roy R
Top Dog PG
Village of the Damned R
A Goofy Movie G
Tommy Boy PG-13

Arts Cinema: The Sum of Us R

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Jefferson in Paris PG
Destiny Turns on the Radio R
Circle of Friends PG-13
Kiss of Death R
Jury Duty PG-13
Friday R



Nobody's Fool R Heavy Weights PG Just Cause R Roommates PG Legends of the Fall R

These movies will be playing this weekend and next week. Please call local theatres for playing times.

The Albrightian would like to thank Ted Robidas of FOX Theatres for helping us out with *The Albrightian's* "movie project."

### Jacob Awards

Faculty Member of the Year - Dr. Jerry Lee

Staff Member of the Year - Jim O'Brien Administrator of the Year - Dean Carolyn Brooks

R.D. of the Year - Jen Valtos Class Contribution Awards:

Juniors - Jon Hodgson and Natalie Famous

Seniors - Rob Gourley and Tara Scanio People's Choice Awards - Don DeHart, Sari Berger, and Bill Esterly Unsung Hero Awards - Kieran Daly,

Sarah Hughes, and Bill Stahler Service Above Self Awards - Mike Lizzy, Kerri O'Malley, Angela Borger, and Harry Burdan

Congratulations to all of the award recipients!



# Critic's Corner

by Megan Bell and Nicole Anderson

A Goofy Movie

Imagine yourself back in your carefree childhood days when cartoons and comics were your life. Remember the stress-free times of laughing and playing with your best pals? Well, if it's difficult to focus, just tune right in to A Goofy Movie, and it will all come flooding back to you.

The crazy antics of one of America's favorite Disney characters are sure to bring a smile to your face and brighten up your day.

Sure, it may be a cartoon, but the lessons taught are universal in meaning. Goofy and his son, Max, go on a cross-country trip and learn the true value of a father/son relationship.

What starts as a "rocky" road soon leads to an admittance of love and respect. It's hard for Max to admit it, but how can any person not love Goofy? Just when it seems that the trip is a failure, the truth triumphs from the perils of danger. I'll leave the details for you to find out.

Of course, as in any good movie, it has its share of love and romance, but with its own twist of innocence.

So if you're looking for a fun and relaxing time, then head straight for the theatre and let the laughter loose at A Goofy Movie!

#### Kiss of Death

If you are one of the many who liked Pulp Fiction, then you'll love Kiss of Death. While it may not have the charisma for an Academy nomination, this movie has enough senseless violence and crime to make a very interesting movie.

Nicolas Cage offers his best performance yet playing Little Junior Brown, a nononsense, organized crime leader.

David Caruso, better known for his role on "NYPD Blue", shows that he is definitely ready for the "big screen" with his portrayal of a man caught between the law and the lawless, fighting just to keep his family.

There are many twists and turns, and a lot of great humor. For an action movie fan, Kiss of Death is a must-see.

#### Legends of the Fall

This saga, set in the Montana Rockies, retells the trials and tribulations of the three sons of rugged Col. William Ludlow (Anthony Hopkins) who all fall in love with the same woman.

The first world war breaks out claiming the life of the youngest brother, Samuel (Henry Thomas). The wild middle brother, Tristan (Brad Pitt) is haunted by the guilt that he didn't protect his younger sibling in the war, and abandons his dead brother's fiancee to roam the South Seas. The oldest brother, Alfred (Aidan Quinn), eventually marries the woman who loved both of his brothers and becomes a politician.

Who is this well-loved woman? The beautiful and talented Julia Ormond arrives at the Ludlow's picturesque ranch as Susannah, the Boston beauty, engaged to the idealistic Samuel.

There will be shoot-outs, bootlegging, politics, a tragic accident, a debilitating stroke, a suicide, vengeance and a wise old Indian narrator recounting all of the family's events.

This is definitely an action-packed movie that is also entertaining. Anyone who enjoys mythmaking melodramas or Brad Pitt, this movie is for you.

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Man! I mean Glenn. I mean Ralph. I mean uh, ah forget it. It will always be Glenn to me. Buddy, I don't know what to say. You've been a really good friend. You've given me ideas, you've lent me your CDs, you talked movies with me, and you shared your vision with me. Buddy, if you finally get around to writing your series of Empire books, send me an autographed copy of each. I don't know what else to say. Love ya' pal.

Sarah Hughes, as smart as you are beautiful! I had a lot of fun at the Christmas dance Junior year but I like the fact that we've gotten closer during our final year. You are a great woman, and one of the friendliest people I know. I'll miss you. If you decide to go to the Big Easy, give me your address, that way I'll have a place to crash during Mardi Gras.

Heath, hey guy how's it going? I'm glad I got a chance to meet you. You are quite an interesting guy. I hope everything goes well for you. Good luck.

#### Senior Vear

The grand finale. Before I go on, I'd like to thank my staff in the cafeteria. Mengel, you are another computer nerd, but it's your passion. Keep it up. Sci-Fi lives! Pam, I'm glad I had the chance to work with you. I never really knew you all that well until this year, and I'm sorry for that. Have fun and good luck. Chilufya, CHILI!! I miss you already. You are such an interesting person. You are kind and gentle ( when you want to be), and a lot of fun. I'm glad that I've gotten to know you over the past three years, mainly due to the fact that we both worked in the caf. See ya. Lisa, you are a hell of an actress and one wild woman. It looks to me like you are having a great time and that makes me feel good. More people should have fun while they are up here. Lisa you is a crazy woman! I wouldn't have it any other way though. Jenn B., I don't know what to say. You've been a good friend. Keep up the good work and don't let Patrick get to you. Speaking of whom...

Chris Patrick, Albright College, Reading, PA, you are a good man. You enjoy yourself, you like hanging out with a lot of people, and you are a pretty good worker. I hope you have an entertaining senior year. Remember, being president will be a lot of work. Keep those Crows in line buddy. Finally, to my bosses, probably the best bosses I will ever have, Dave, Clark (Pa), and good luck to you Chris in your new endeavor.

I would just like to end my Senior year section on a few of the people who have affected my life this year, then perhaps I will shut my head down for good.

Dave Blais, re prodigy. do me proud son. I've taugh you all you need to know. Don't make the come up here again and straighter you out. Understood? You still have a long way to go, but it will be 1998 before you know it. Believe me. I can hardly believe it's 1995. Lori, make sure he behaves simself, and keep him in line. I think you are the only one who can do that. It's been fun. Good luck to you both.

Bob Holliday, you are a hell of an actor. Keep it up. I'm glad I was able to work with you twice this year. Especially since the play opens tonight, May 5. We'll do fine. Let's go out and drink, curse, and smoke some cigars. Take care, pal. It will go fast up here, I promise.

Rob Tartamosa, it's been a pleasure looking up to you. I don't feel so out of place now, especially with someone who's taller than me. You are a good actor. Keep it up. Just have fun with it. See ya.

Beth C., well girl, I'm glad I had someone of your class living above me in Mohn. You've helped me out a lot and I hope I was able to help you in some way. Your life is just beginning. You still have time to start over. Hopefully you and Dave can do that together. If not, I know of a little ranch we can live on in Montana, or was that Wyoming, of course you can decorate it. I'll miss you.

Beth R., I couldn't have a column without my two favorite Beth's in the world. Now, I may not agree with your views, but once we got past that I think we had a lot of fun. You are such an outrageous flirt that I feel scared for you. It may backfire on you someday, so be careful. I worry about you sometimes. I also want to thank you for all that you've done for me. You were there for me when I needed you, and I can never thank you enough for it. (Well, I could, but I don't think that's in your plans. Hee-hee.) I will truly miss you. Of course when you've hit it big, if you mess with the film industry, I might just have to kill you. But I will still miss you. And who knows, I may scare you this summer in Ocean City, N.J., where my relatives live. See ya, honey.

Karen Wert, hey there girl. How have you been? I miss hanging out with you. I don't know what to say. I honestly do miss you. I wish things were a little different, but they happen. Not much longer now. Make good use of it. Relax, let your hair down. You were always a lot of fun to be around. And I'll see about getting Ethan Hawke and Peter Gabriel to come visit you after I've hit it big. Take care.

Randi-Lynn, you've always been trouble for me. Your views are a lot different than mine, and I think we had some interesting confrontations. But I wanted to let you know how much I truly respect you. You are a very intelligent woman, and you are very strong as well. I know you'll do great when you graduate. I see nothing but greatness for you. Maybe if I get into some trouble a little while down the line you can bail me out. Deal?

And finally, the most important person I met this year, it's you Alyssa. I really don't know what to say to you. Things seem to have gotten out of control. I just want you to know, whatever the future will bring, I will never forget you...Never.

To end my list, here are a few other names worthy of my mention.

Sarah Shoffler, first I call you Susan, then I think you are a junior, I can't do anything right, can I? Hatchett... I get the last word...Fascist! Richie, I still want you as my doctor. Good luck to you and all of your New England sports teams. Finally, good luck to the entire Senior class!

Well, gang, that's it. I hope I didn't forget anyone. If I did please forgive me. Thanks Albright, Mom, Dad, Stace, Adam, and

Maryann. I'm outta here!! This time for good.

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Seniors!
Only 17 Days Left!!!
Good Luck Class of
1995!

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Apt. A-2, Thanks for 3 years of wonderful memories! But tell me one thing... Who gets to keep the light bulb?!? Love, -- Thee-uh

It's been 4 years and I still wanna be a Pi Lam! Your Sweetheart

You have become one of my closest people to me, thanks for being the best buddy anyone could have. I'd go over a cliff with you anyday. Remember-never grow up or become a pirate and I'll meet you at the same time next year (just set a time and place!) -- "T"helma

To my four year perfect roomie, I think we were a perfect balance I couldn't have asked for a better roomate or friend. Thanks for all that you have done for me in the past four years, if it weren't for you I may still be on that couch in the campus center. Love.

-- Your four slightly imperfect roomie

Congratulations! I'm going to miss you next year. Thank you for everything. I love

you! -- Laura

Betsy, Congratulations! This will be the last time to see me cry. thanks for everything! I love you! --Vikki

I can't believe you are the same girl that tried to tell me you were going to the formal with my boyfriend. We've come a long way since thenjust think no one liked us freshman year. If we didn't hate each other freshman years we could have been friends longer!

To The Krause Krew, Hellooo...Last year seems like ages ago but what I will always remember is: Maria -you said you were sorry for the first time Thea -when you showed me your engagement ring Janice and Cindy -puking in the red trash can Wendy -the new friend I

Amanda -your counseling essions over Interim Lia -you and Dave studying together - if thats what you want to call it (mass chaos) Laurie -The start of a beautiful friendship? Do we get visitation rights

for the Krause Krew Cock? Maria. All color Glints are good

feelings for anyone since freshman year. I'm sorry that things end up this way.

When are we going to finish that Strange Boy Book?

Sigma Kappa, It's not just four years, It's until you steal a beret.

Moose Always cherish the Krause

Remember-Court Reuniongraduation eve!

I can't believe I thought that was Dawn?

Jay, Debbie, Amanda, Pete. and Tony, Did we really have that sleepover in Court freshman year? -- Maria

Kwan Love Forever

Krause Krew 1993-1994. To the Trojan! Row Row Row! It was a great year!

J.D. and T.N. = fatal attraction

Attention: All members of the Sean Carney fan Club, Our next meeting will be Homecoming 95!

Bonnie It's electric! Friday night was a blast!

Angela. Watch out CW, here you come! Your dreams are still out there, reach out there and hold on tight! I love you bunches. -- Heather

It's been four years and we're still great friends! I don't know how I survived ... with you! No matter what anyone says - you're cuter than a .... Love, --Me

Can't get enough of these cool "Bay Breezes"! Keep in touch, ok?

can you believe it? We're out of here! Now what!?!? I'm gonna miss you. -- Tweedledum

Thanks for calling me during Spring Fever Weekend! -- Candy

Chilli and Tammy, I have not yet mastered the art to "forgive-and forget." I guess I never will. Oh Well!

Jen R (Shorty), Crazy - Sexy - Cool. Sometimes a cigar is JUST a cigar...

Joanne. So am I an Autumn or what?

Hey roommates... I'll miss you guys, if I have a single apartment, I'll be sure to let you know. (Can you get the lights and the door on your way out?) Love, -- The messy housekeeper

Albright Adelines, TERRIFIC job on Sunday girls, that was so awesome Swinga swinga! Thanks for the hard work guys.

CAP. It's been a rough semester, and there's a lot of change in the future, but don't forget the true goal! -- I love you guys, I'll miss ya...

To all those wonderful men (and women) in Security: I hope I can feel this safe wherever I go for the rest of my life. Thanks a million, I'll miss

Look, she's got Joanne hair!

you all.

LaChine models, Now wasn't that fun! I just have to get those clothes ...

CAP Lock-iners Here we go, good luck...

Sing it to me baby! -- Candy

Brian Young, Thanks for being my buddy in Seminar! Good riddance to "My Adidas!"

Kieran. Thanks for being my breakfast buddy! I'll always remember and cherish the hour and twenty minutes we shared together this past semester. And yes, I will come down to Virginia to visit even if I have to walk all the way to get there!
--Your Breakfast Buddy.

Will you please stop chewing your gum like a cow! You're disturbing Rich.

Mrozak. Roses are red Sigeps are blue It's alumni golf weekend Shame-o on you

Is that Dawn or MacDaddy sleeping in your bed?

Hey Sigma Kappa, Can we have our formal at the Sigep golf tournament

Ed-E Myers Will you still be a spy when you grow up or just run a psychic gossip hotline?

Do you have a track meet even when you're not on track. Maybe you can pole

vault a drum stick.

Jay Lavin. It's been a great year in Apt. A although it's been since our years in court-It's been great.

Sean Carney for President

Trace. thanx for the advice, i'll jump off the balcony now.

Would you still talk to me if I walked like a penguin with one leg tied behind my back and a Knee brace on.

What ever happened to our old Whoop-There-It-Is Days?

Is, older really wiser or do they just drive better cars?

We'll have our second photo shoot in December at Suzi's wedding, it won't be the Riveredge but janitors and chefs will look the same. -- Maria

There's a first time for everything.

Laurie, Maria and Amanda. Over 30. Trust me, it's all good. -Biscuit.

I never thought I would see the sun rise from a car window. Of casese a moose happened to be walking by, and blocked my view-What a sharm of

Cobles, Mugsy, Boozer, Sari, Beth, PT and Pic: Someday, we'll really have our POP group reunion party, unless Dave is in jail for building a bomb. Those were the days! I'll miss you all -- Laurie

Lia, Just because we're graduating, it doesn't mean we have to be normal now. does it?! You've been a great friend, sister and roommate never change! I love you! Love -- Noah's Ark

Maria, Pick a category: under18, 18-30, 31-45, or 46 and older. Gracias for being such a strange friend. Same time next year, I'll probably still be here! I love You! Love, --The Forking

No matter what happens, or what has happened. you will always have a special place in my heart! Love, -- Strange Girl Laurie

"Krause Krew...to the Trojan, to the Trojan. Row, row, row,

Cuts like a knife, feels so

It's All good: unless he's married.

I hear there is an RD position available in Smith next year. I'll fight you for it! --Louise

Tammy, 16 more days to go! Then we're outta here! -- Ho3

Jen R. (Shorty) You might as well step in the Ring with Mike Tyson. You'd probably knock him out, too!

Didn't I see you dancing next to me during airbands? Everybody else did! -- Candy

Any time you want to play cards all day, go canooing in the middle of the night, steal blue elephants, or just bond to Harvard Jones, you know where to find me! (Thanks for sparing all of those Tshirts!) Love you, -- Laurie

Alicia, I've got \$10.43. Will you help chip in to buy our favorite Professor a case of extra strength Peppermint-Playored Listerine?

Glen and Bill. Doo be doo be doo doo doo -A -ah! I love you guys! -- Heather

Wendy, Moose, Lia, papea, Trace, Da, When are we going on another photo expadition to the dorms? --Maria

Trace, Thee-uh, Da, the freaks come out of Mohn. I'm proud to be one with my strangeness.

To all of my strange friends, Whenever you go hardcore enough to stay up late enough to hear the birds chirping and to see the sunrise, think of me...I'll probably be doing the same thing. Love, -- Laurie

To Apt. A-2, We've been together since Mohn and I think we've done okay together, thanks for all of the memories. Thea--I definitly don't think I'll be getting the light bulb when this is all over. Love, -- Tracie

Never lose your one with strangeness quality. You know I never will, and I don't want to be a freak all by

myself! I love you! Love,

-- Your other half. Laurie.

Were the NERDS really here? I don't REMEMBER! -- Ho3

Jen R. (Shorty) Knock her out the box (in this case, in the nose)!

Tracie

4 Year perfect roomies! You may be a flake but I wouldn't trade you for the world! I'm gonna miss you (and Autumn) lots! Love, -- Thea

Wink

My Texas Sweetie, your friendship has been one of the best things I've gotten from Albright, I'll miss you! -Don't forget...I expect to see you at my wedding (whenever it may be). With all my love, -Thea

Panama City buddies, What do you think about a little reunion; let's say March next year!! This time we'll stay the extra week!

Love, --Laurie

To the zoo Never let Mrs. Doubtfire die! Whenever you hear the infamous"Hellooooo", just remember that I'll be thinking of you! I'll miss you all!!

Love, -- Laurie

There's so much to say and not enough time to say it; there will always be a special place in my heart for you. I'll be thinking of you and wishing you well next year. All my love, -- Thea (aka Theo)

Thanks for the couch all those times. Well, all those times youdidn't break out the marker! Love you. -- Laurie

We love ya, was that really us freshman year? -- Da. Maria

Thanks for getting me started in the office, playing oozeball with you was a blast, have fun job hunting. Tom Cruise in red silk boxers

Katie and Alicia, I had a great time living with you up in the boonies. Maybe we should ask our "Little Friend" to move in with us permanently. I love you guys and I will definitly miss our

chats over tea. -- Tara

## Persona

Keima.

Where's "our baby?!" -- Candy

When are you going to get up on stage and shake your thang? Oh, tell your friend not to be scared of me. -- Candice

Before 6pm on Friday and after 7pm Sunday? Just checking. You know what they say about guys with big feet? A big need for socks, or....someone with a wind breaker and pigtails.

Congrats on the S.G.A. elections! Next year will be great. I can't wait! Pi luv,

To the lovely ladies in room 105 Walton, are you interested in a menage a trois?

Which guy is it this week?

Can you have me stand at attention while you are naked? --Bethey

You're such a TIGER! Yeah abs of steel. Love. -- The women who want you.

Good luck with your job and all your summer plans. Thanks for being such a great friend. I'll never forget the runs with endless conversation or our racketball fun. Good Luck with finals and I'll miss you.

-- Michelle

Todd.

You should join a nudist colony. From, -Me

Attention Squirrels of Albright:

Now is the time to rise up against our human oppressors. I call on all Albright squirrels to come out of hiding so we can unite together, and proudly show our faces. We don't have to be ashamed anymore.

Chris Patrick and Nick Restrepo. Watch your backs!

-- You know who

Do you have a plastic bag? Do you think we could have had this much fun if we weren't so shady - I do! I still hate you though.

We had a great year hanging out with you guys. For the

short year that we've known each other you've been great friends. Thanks for all the fun. Love.

-- The Zookeepers

Thanks for attending to my wounds at oozeball. Have fun with whatever you do, and don't do anything I wouldn't.

You're the best little brother. Keep in touch. Love,

-- Your big

Brenda. Shhh, I'm trying to sleep!

Thanks guys for a great year! Love.

-- Jen

Hey, what about July 4th? Dave? He is all mine! No shaung this time!

-Guess who?

Hey Bren.

Thanks for being such a great roomie! Clean your mess up now! Want me to pack for

FLYERS RUILEIIII

To Nicole and Michelle. I always stop by, you just don't like my music. Oh yeah thanks for everything.

--Joe

The Cat:

--Sharon

I meant what I said. Thank you for everything. You are a great friend. -Wrench

Julie (Judy),

How about a stroll in the pouring rain to monkeys andrun into schizoprenies. AAA!! Twilight Zone! Love, -- Michelle

Smile, cheer up. The future is bright for you. I'm going to miss you next year, you're a great listener, Luv.

Happy liquid lives for eva!! I'm gonna miss drinking with you. Luv,

-- Chaupaw

How about a cigarette? We still haven't found Brad. H's our eternal mission! Have fun graduate, I'll miss you! Luv, --Michelle

Who thought we'd survive the year rooming together. not me! You were a great roomie, I'm gonna miss you. -- Amy

Scott and Wil,

You guys are just too funny. Brillo, anyone??

Paul S-

I'll let my hair down anyday

Wow, was April busy. To quote one, "I guess our parents were all horny at the same time." Happy B.D. to all Aries (belated). Jeanette, Tanya, Adriana, Beth, Deb.

-- the last one, Kristen.

Robb, Stoney, Prewo, MG, Bates, PITA, BS, JW, JC, and the entire senior class, Best of luck in the future! Make it happen!

--Kieran

Whomever-

Your friendship and love is the best encouragement.

Softball Improving all the time. Split, Split, Win!

To my surrogate parents of E-300 and beyond. Thanks for caring so much. Next time I'll call if I stop somewhere on my way home from work. I didn't mean to make you worry.

A-eu! Hope you don't ge stuck with any McIntyre's! HaHa. Boy told me he wants you! Only kidding! Have fun next year, I will miss you.

--Michelle

Did you get sunburn last weekend? Or did you just drink alot? Hey is that a cut on your leg? -- Amy

Kristina,

Good Luck in NY next year. We have to keep in touch.

T and A SHMOO!! (What's todays word?)

Adriana and Kristen, Hammers, Creme de Monkey, Milk Trucks and the quest to create the color

purple. What will Spring Fever hold for next year.

Is Spun a word?

Until Matt makes another interesting speech. Always help Oscar.

I've realized that the only people, you've stamped so far are me and yourself. Hmm

--K

Beth and Beth,

Thanx for putting so much time in on the play; I can't wait for this weekend to end!! Stress relief coming soon.

Abnormal isour! Thank God. Congratulations Bell of Pennsylvania only our presidency in RSA, Don't break out into any hives next year. Love, -Michelle

To you know who. Birthday or not....you will

Chances are if you rebruise a bruise, it won't heal.

Your the greatest of friends. Thanks.

If you were killed by a milktruck would you be embarassed to talk about it?

Jen L.

Don't worry too much about the warning I gave you, just go and have a good time.

We can always' rent a movie another night!' We have a second chance so cheer up! Pi luv.

--R

Umanga.

Ordinarialy you hurry to insist we tremendously underachieve/overachieve our goal of tries. Todd never asks why. I ask instead can intramurals last always?

Hello! I just wanted to thank you for being there when I needed a Loulder. You're a true (2 cod, have a nice seamer and keep in touch. Michele

Laura Lee, How would you like to visit

the rainforest. Squeak. -- The one who made you

To the active editors of The Albrightian.

You guys are doing a terrific job, Keep up the great work,

Don't want no itsy, bitsy, teeny, weenie....Hey, did you know you're burnt?

--K

Oh, Skrunkhead. Grinding chic. -I think we may have too much fun at "our" formal-HaHa!! The lightbulb is mine! I'll miss you grabbing my legs next year. Have fun in Spain, and you better write to me. Love,

--Skrunk

Tricia.

My lesbian chic, Ha, We shall have fn this summer if you know what I mean. Me, you, and ??? Ha. Love, --Michelle

Tand L. You guys finally got your wish, next year we're out of seclusion. Let's hope no one kills anyone. (Hint, hint, wink, wink, nudge, nudge, enuff said.)

Regina,

What can I say, this year has flown by No one could have asked for a better roommate. Friend or sister. Have a great summer! Good Luck with finals and I'll miss you. Love, --Michele

Sometimes I miss her. By, Thomas S. Jones Sr. I ran into my ex-wife the other day, then I backed up.

Sometimes I miss her.

Regina, Amy, Lynda, Carissa, Tracy, and Leslie, Thank you for making my freshman year of college s full of memories and good times. We have shared so much. You guys mean the world to me! I love you! --Michele

Hey, once more, Look, a wall... wop. (They really need to invest in a moonwalk) --K

Jaime. I think you have turned out to be a fantastic editor-inchief. Good Luck next year.

Congratulations becoming a POP and I'm looking forward to being your partner nex year. Shinebox

Sarah,

So much to say... Your a terrific person. I will miss you dearly! Stop wreking the cars. I hope I helped analyze your problems. Thank for the many cigarettes and trips to the diner. I could go on and on!!!

Michelle

you think the head tilts to balance out the backpack weight?

Trust I seek and I find in you. Every day for us something new. Open mind for a different view. And nothing else matters!!

Who's buying the snow-cone machine for next year?

Stop smoking cigarettes. It's a bad habit. Like I'm the one to talk! Good lick next year. I'll miss our drives. I'll be sure to cut my hair this summer.

-- Michelle

I shall have Mr. Turtle before I leave!! You better keep in touch w/ me.

--Michelle

Karen.

Is that a wonder cage your wearing? Look at those Gummy Bears, bouncing here and there and everywhere!!!

-- Nicole + Michelle

Britigan, How about some lasagna? You better pay more attention to Oliver> Only kidding. smoking those Keep Marlboro Menthols - Yuck.

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Love. --Michelle

So many people need kicks in the head. Hey we can name the bat, a B--- bat. Step right up, bat a B---.

I'm only in town for a little mate I'm only in town for a little while longer, let's make it canc worth it! Love, enou

-- Iesha

oppo Watch out, those trees can be slippery in the rain. That is the last time Iesha and I give you CPR for the whole campus to see.

-- Paul

-- Wolf

Thanks for the fun time lately. I'm really glad that we've gotten closer. Don't worry about your future endeavors - you'll knock em dead!! (P.S. - Sorry about the "marking.")

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## Sports

# Men's Tennis Makes M.A.C. Softball Rebuilding Spawns



Senior Tony Burkhardt warms up before one of his singles matches. He was instumental in the late season surge to make the conference tournament.

### An amazing turn of events gives the tennis team a chance to win the title

by Jason M. Budd

It was only a few short weeks ago that we sadly reported that mathematically the tennis team was all but out of post season contention. Well this reporter is proud to say

By one of the most complicated to explain formulas, the Men's tennis team has made the playoffs and even more exciting, the MAC Championship. Two weeks ago the Lion's chances of making the playoffs were all but dead, but thanks to a lack of sunlight, the team is basking in its own glory.

For the Lions to make the playoffs, Moravian College had to lose two of their a little matches; during the course of these two matches the lack of sunlight forced a cancellation and an invalid match. Ironically enough, Moravian was beating both opponents, and in the makeup matches Moravian managed to lose.

In Moravian's first match against can be Elizabethtown College, E-town used a That is Elizabethtown College, E-town used a Il give heir match it did not harm them. In between

their canceled and makeup match Elizabethtown reinstated their suspended player and won their match against Moravian, leaving them with two losses. This still left Albright tied for second with Moravian, but due to Albright's excellent point total, the Lions were able to edge out Moravian and move into the playoffs were only Monday they decisively defeated Drew.

Things looked grim through the middle of the season, where the team was lost four of its five mid-season matches. "The team had all but missed the playoffs, but Tony and the rest of the team would not let that happen," Head Coach Dale Yoder said.

The fore mentioned, Tony Burkhardt, has done well during his last year; at this point Burkhardt has 33 consecutive singles wins. Along with Burkhardt, Dave Trang has put forth an amazing undefeated singles season. Dr. Yoder also makes it clear that, "no one player comitted more to the success of the son than any other."

If Albright wins this will be the first overall MAC Championship for either the men or the women. Good luck to the Lions...

## **Panel Claims NCAA** Excludes Minorities future

(NSNS)-A panel of scholars has out the eleased a report that strongly criticizes the lational Collegiate Athletic Association's NCAA) initial eligibility rule, or Proposition 8, for excluding large numbers of minority, emale and low income athletes who would ave graduated if they had been allowed to

"According to the NCAA's own esearch, Prop. 48 eliminated 45 percent of rsonals frican American students who would have raduated if they had been allowed to enroll. ther to hat compares with six percent of otherwise shall be ualified white students who would have been of The lied ineligible," said Dr. Peter Schonemann

olicy if Purdue University, who coordinated the port. "Similar negative consequences are well of kely for members of other minority groups, sing to omen and low-imcome students.

The McIntosh Commission for Fair Play in Student-Athlete admissions is the first outside group to analyze the NCAA's data. Both NCAA and McIntosh researchers agreed that the test score requirement of 700 on the SAT or 17 on the ACT college admission tests is the primary cause of the

negative impacts.
"Simply put, raising the test-score cut-off is not the same as improving academic standards," Schonemann said.

The McIntosh Commission uncovered documents demonstrating that the NCAA knew of Prop. 48's negative impacts as far back as 1983. The study also showed that even more qualified minorities would be excluded if Proposition 16, which raises the SAT test score cut off to 900 for students with a 2.0 grade point average, goes into effect.

## Playoffs After Strong Finish Enthusiasm for Next Season

Program receives a much needed boost with an infusion of young talent and a new head coach

by Jarra Rusnock

Albright's softball team has a lot to be proud of this season. They have worked hard throughout the season and have improved their skills. They also picked up six wins in the process improving on a four win record from last season.

The two seniors of the team Jill Bradley and Betsy Miller are sad and wish they still had a few more years of eligibility. "We're disappointed that we have to leave now," said the two seniors, "the program is just getting started in the right direction, but we're glad we could be a part of an improving team with great potential."

Not only will Miller's and Bradley's positions have to be filled, but their leadership both on the field and off will be missed.

"They are two great players and they are always picking the team up," said first year student Jarra Rusnock, "They both have caring attitudes and our team will miss both their skills and leadership very much.

Albright played a solid game against Gettysburg last week, winning 5-3. Gena Groner went 3-3 with a homerun and two RBI's. Rusnock added two RBI's to the team effort and Dona Kondash went 2-3 in the win. Sara Hedgepeth was the winning pitcher and the Lady Lions defense was near perfect, with only one error in the field.

It's been a building year for the '95 softball season under first year coach Brian Stufflet, and the Lady Lions are headed in the right direction. The future looks bright for this young, hard working team under an energetic new coach

## Track and Field Enjoys **Another Excellent Year**

Small team does big things behind young talent and veteran coaching

Good things come in small numbers. That certainly seems to be the story this year with men's and women's track team, who both finished with a winning record.

In spite of having an unusually small team, both track teams still finished with winning record. The men's team, with an overall record of eight wins and three loses had a very strong showing this year. Perhaps the most important team accompanyment was placing seventh out of 17 tows this year at the Messiah Invitational.

The women with an overall record of nine wins and for besses were consistent throughout the season. Although the team was not bigh in numbers, the women ere still warth out of ten teams at the Dickins invitational. Junior standout Lori Chosowski had a second place finish in the 1507 Meter run and then came back to take a first in the women's 5000 Meter run. Her teammate, Lauren Summa also contributed to the overall success of the team, winning the women's 800 Meter run. Another Lady Lion who contributed to the team at the invitational is Freshman Maggie Ward. By finishing third in the 1500 meter run and second the 5000 meter run, Ward gave the team 16 points at the Dickinson Invitational.

This talented freshman certainly did a lot after coming back from competing at the Penn Relays in Philadelphia. Ward along

with Melissa Meade, Allyson Simpson, and Alison Carrigan ran the 4 x 400 Meter relay to obtain a time of 4:23. The goal of this young relay feam is to set a school record.

For Ward, the team has had a great season considering the size of the team. think it's (the season) gone very well considering the size of the team." she said.

Her coach, Don Gottshall is not in the least bit dissapointed with the performance of his athletes. Although Gottshall was not expecting to coach such a small team, he never expected this small team to do as well as it did. "We're certainly satisfied with what both teams did. The committment on the most part has been good. We tried to upgrade the program this year with a nice mix of dual meets and invitationals. There still needs to be some committment on the part of some individuals, however." he said.

Both track teams have finished the regular season. Today, the team travels up to Widener University for the Middle Atlantic Conference meet. Junior Choynowski who is the team captain for the second year in a row is excited for this weekend. "The girls and guys both had a really good year. A lot of us will be going to MAC's where hopefully we'll run our best times," she said.

Junior Charles Moore is expected to win the 110 high hurdles along with the 400

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intermediate hurdles. Also expect Freshmen guys John Sakoff and Daniel Bellisimo to score in the meet as well. The women's team, provided they get personal bests, will likely finish in the top three.

The roster of this year's track team (both men and women) is as follows: captains Lori Choynowski and Charles Moore, Melissa Meade, Allyson Simpson, Abe Antler, Daniel Bellisimo, Alison Carrigan, Gregory Madias, Nicole Williams, John Sakoff, Gia Pham, Kristy Hering, Bryan Bucklen, Michelle Halleran, Michael McKenney, Brian Sylvie, Mark Coldron, Maggie Ward, Ryan Ditze, Stephanie Johnson, Stephen Janke, Lauren Summa, and Rebecca Dohner.

The team was coached by Gottshall along with jump coach Ronald Maier and throwing coach Barret Oxenrider.

## Lacrosse Club Wins First Game in Rain

Program improves in both results and quality

by John Hatchett

Nobody ever envisioned a turnaround like the one that has taken place on this campus this spring. The Lacrosse Club not only won their first game ever, but also managed to take two more this season.

The team recorded wins against East Strousberg, Juniata, and Valley Forge. In addition, they played tough games against Susquebanna, Bloomsburg, York, and Millersville just coming up short.

The first victory was also the first game of the spring sports season. On a stormy afternoon, the Lion's were able to pull out a tight victory against East Strousberg, a team that had beaten the team by ten goals the year before. This is only the second season that Albright has had a Lacrosse Club. In their first the team dropped every game, but showed marked improvement every game and pushed Bloomsburg University to overtime before falling.

The off-season brought several changes to the program, as a large number of first year students came to Albright.

These players, many that had prior experience in high school, helped to solidify the team. The defensive additions include Gcoff Baldwin, Ed English, and Jason Howe. They teamed up with veterans such as Thomas Carrell and Kip Scannell to provide a strong defense.

Head Coach Greg Eichhorn has been very happy with the defensive improvement this year. "The defense is solid and the new players were a big part of that," he said.

The improving defense gives the team a chance to get the ball to offensive threats such as junior John Hodgson, senior Chris Prewo, junior John Ullman, and senior John Dascher.

Another important addition to the team this year was first year goalie Curtis Finnegan, which allowed Dascher to move to attack.

Eichhorn pointed out that this team has made tremendous strides towards success in a short period of time.

"Last year we didn't have the numbers that we do now, and the quality of our game has improved a great deal since then," said Eichhorn.

The team has been working more often and harder than it was in the past. Eichhorn said that it is nice to see the rewards of that

## **Baseball Still Holding Out** for Spot in ECAC Playoffs



## Experience the difference as veteran squad sets school record for victories

by Dana Peterson

The regular season schedule has been completed for Albright's baseball team, yet still they can be found on the field every afternoon. However, it is not their love of practice that keeps the team running around Kelchner. Instead, it is the hopes that on May 8 they will receive a bid to participate in the ECAC tournament.

"Our goal was, and still is, to become the first team in the history of the school to go on to post-season tournament play," said head coach Stan Hyman,

Whether or not the men make it to tournament play, the fact that they have enjoyed much success this past season cannot be disputed. They finished fourth in the MAC Commonwealth with a league record of 7-5. Although at one point they were hoping to place higher, this placement was a significant improvement from last year, at which time they finished eighth.

The Lions also set a school record with their 23 wins, and their pitching staff will most likely be ranked among the top ten of the nation.

"Because we started with seven freshmen, anyone outside the program would think we had a remarkable season, especially since we had to replace five seniors from last year," explained Head Coach Stan Hyman, "however, we still feel that we haven't totally reached our potential."

Six of the losses the men faced came against nationally ranked teams, but the men were able to beat nationally ranked Elizabethtown and Old Westbury proving to themselves and their contenders that they can win big games. They hope that in the future these teams will not be such a hurdle for them. Meeting other rivals during tournament play would allow the Lions to see exactly where they fit in.

Hyman and the team look forward to next season. They will be returning a majority of their players, including the seven first year students who started this season. However, the men are already aware of where their concentration must lie. "We realize," said Hyman, "that pitching and defense wins championships and we still need to improve on our defense."

If the contributions of the personners that have made positive continuous to the team this year is any indication, Hyman should have another good to work with next year and beyond.

hard work beginning to come through.

Comparing this year to last year is like apples and oranges according to Eichhorn.

"The improvement has been amazinf, this team is a thousand percent better than the one we fielded last spring," said Eichhorn.

Several members of the team were honored by the league and selected for the all star team. Both Hodgson and English made the team while Finnegan and Dascher were alternates. Ullman and Scannell were given an honorable mention.

The goal for the future is to compete for victories in every game and to pull out wins in close games.





#### Editor's Angle

## Strikes Ruin Sports Scene

#### John Hatchett

The spring is supposed to be one of the most exciting times of the year for the average sports fan.

There is the NCAA Championship, NBA Playoffs, NHL Playoffs, and even the beginning of the baseball season. All of these usually compete for the national attention in the media.

Only thing is that this year seems to be different. To be frank, the audacity of both the owners and players in the baseball strike was primarily responsible for this tragedy. In early spring it looked like only viable summer sport to be had would be tennis.

Yeah John, but what about the replacement players that the owners had dug up.

That's exactly what they were, dug up! These guys should be letting me sign their ball before the game instead of vice versa.

Most of them realized that they were only a temporary resolution in the first place, so what is the point. Oh yes, I almost forgot that the owners have to make money since they have none. I mean these guys scream that the small market teams have no many and then start signing free agents in the middle of the strike.

Negotiations were pathetic if you could even call them that. They never accomplished anything other than agitating the other side even more than they were before the meeting.

They should have taken the NHL strike as an example of how to handle labor disagreements. That league is now back at work and beginning to regain some of its popularity on a national stage.

But did Major League Baseball do this, I think not. The distrust and separation continued with no end in sight. It took a court injunction to get the real players back on the field, for the time being.

After a shortened spring training, the baseball season started in late April. Wait a minute, something still isn't right...it must be the umpires.

Once one strike is over another one just gets warmed up. Replacements were issued to keep the schedule and get the season started.

Let's not beat around the bush, these guys are worse than the umpires I had in Little League. One guy called a runner out when he was tagged with an empty glove. NEWSFLASH--the ball must be in the

NEWSFLASH--the ball must be in the glove for him to be out. It's just a small thing that of course doesn't mean anything important. It doesn't matter whether the ball is in his other hand or over the wall, the runner isn't out.

Another thing, many of the replacementumpires had a difficult time making a decision much less a good one. I could drive my car home and back (I live in Tennessee) before these guys could make up their mind on a simple call.

Here is a classic example of this kind of thing. It's opening day in Denver, Colo. Bobby Bonilla strikes out on a controversial call and walks away. When he is about ten feet from the dugout he drops his helmet. Twenty seconds later the umpire throws him out of the game--for dropping his helmet. Not exactly the most violent reaction to a called strike three.

Calls like this degraded the game and turned off fans that were already upset about the strike.

I thank the umpires for settling their grievance with baseball in an efficient manner so now the true fans of baseball can enjoy it for what it really is, a game.