



## Men's soccer team ranked No. 1 for the first time ever The Lady Bucs remain undefeated and are now 8-0

By Stephanie O'Brien  
& Dadi Rafnsson

**B**arry's soccer teams have begun the season in style. The men's team lead by coach Steve McCrath achieved its first ever no. 1 ranking in the NCAA polls in September. The women's team a perennial Division II. powerhouse is ranked no. 2 and was at the time of the Buccaneer going to press undefeated in seven games.

Coach McCrath leads the Bucs soccer team for the third year. His team returns with eight starters from last year's team. These eight starters



Alen Mercina has scored ten goals in eight games for the Bucs



The Lady Bucs are undefeated in seven games and have outscored their opponents 41-4

helped last year's squad set the school's best record ever and advanced to the NCAA Final Four for the first time in the school's history.

Although key players Jon Samford, Vinicius Cavani and Michael Bolton have graduated, many talented newcomers will join the eight starters.

The defensive line is held strong by three returning players. Marco Velez, First team All-SCC Greg Vehs, second team All-SCC and senior Arturo Siso all key players in the defensive line.

Up front, Alen Marcina has led the way with ten goals in eight games,

while his last year's striking partner Andy Hylton has performed well at the center of the Buc defence. Marcina leads the Sunshine Conference in goals scored while goalkeeper Ron Gogouen leads the SSC in goals-against average with a 0.61 mark and four solo shutouts.

In September, the Bucs hosted one of the premier soccer tournaments in all of Division II, with the Nike Tournament of Champions. The tournament featured four top caliber teams: Barry, Seattle Pacific, Southern Connecticut State and Tampa and included two memorable victories. Firstly the Bucs'

marked their first men's game under the floodlights with a win against Seattle Pacific, whose coach is Cliff McCrath, Steve's father. Last years champions Southern Connecticut were also soundly beaten 4-1 installing great confidence in the Buccaneers.

Reaching the Final Four in the '99 season can be attributed to both hard work and dedication given by both the players and coaching staff. This year the same work ethics and dedication are present and the Bucs are in search of the 2000 National Championship trophy.

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## Nurse practitioner allows Health Center to provide advanced care

By Dadi Rafnsson,  
Editor-in-Chief

**T**his year Student Health Services announced the addition of a Nurse Practitioner to its staff. This position will provide advance health care to the student at Barry University. Carolyn LePage ARNP, a graduate of the nurse practitioner program in the School of Nursing at Barry, enhances the caring dimensions of the University.

In the past if a student needed lab work, or prescriptive care they had to seek a health care provider off campus, according to Eileen Egan-Hineline, the director of Health Services. "This resulted in considerable inconvenience for our students especially those who

do not have transportation. It also resulted in increased absenteeism."

Nurse Practitioners serve a regular health care provider during health and illness. In order to provide complete health care an ARNP can obtain medical histories and perform physical examination, perform diagnosis and treat acute health problems such as infections and injuries. An ARNP can also diagnose and treat chronic diseases, order, perform, and interpret diagnostic studies, prescribe medications and other treatments and collaborate with physicians and other health professionals as needed.

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## Editor's Note

By Dadi Rafnsson  
Editor in Chief

**W**e are entering exciting times at the *Buccaneer*. This year we will work hard at making your student newspaper bigger and richer in content. This is the first issue of the 2000-2001 school year and from now on we promise a very different paper than in the past.

Any university should have ambitions for a great student newspaper. It lends its people, who in fact are the university, a voice which should never be underestimated.

Dear Barry student, this is your paper. It says so on the front page and our content should mirror what you are doing every day. In school, outside school, in sports, organizations, clubs and volunteer work. We who work here want to know about that, and we want to get to know you.

We do need your help though. We need more writers, ad salespeople, photographers and artists. If your major or interest is pointed towards any of those areas, talk to us and we will put you to work.

In this issue we celebrate Barry's many excellent sportspeople. The *Buccaneer* soccer teams are both heading towards great things this fall. Barry was represented at the Olympic Games by Mickisha Hurley and Anna Hallbergsson is a finalist for the NCAA woman of the year. On a sadder note, golfer Joel Bachzert passed away in September after battling a cruel disease. Hopefully those who are creating a memorial scholarship in Joel's name succeed in building such a fitting tribute to him.

Politics should matter to all college students. The Presidential Elections get closer every day and it is important to remember that your vote matters. But please do not go out and 'rock the vote'. Get to know the issues and make your own decision on what candidate you want to run this country. I said 'what' candidate, because there are more than two out there, they're just operating on lesser means.

The fall movies are finally coming...finally because this was a rather disappointing summer to say the least. I would not wish my worst enemies to sit through *Gone in 60 seconds* and the only thing *Perfect Storm* needed to make it to the top of my list of all time worst movie experiences was Sandra Bullock in lead female role. *X-Men* were really cool though...and the best acting performances of the summer were given by clay chicken!!! We preview the movies coming up and also have an exclusive interview with Shannon Elizabeth, star of this summer's *Scary Movie*. Elizabeth showed true class by staying up late into the night to make up for a cancelled interview and we wish her all the best.

We look forward to work for you this winter and hope you will work with us. Enjoy the new *Buccaneer*.

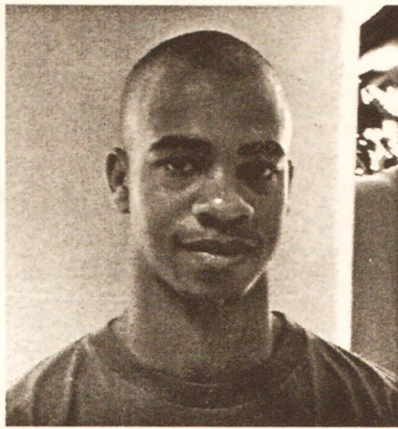


## What are your major goals for the new academic year?



"I want to get on the Dean's List and help others to be as comfortable as I am at Barry."

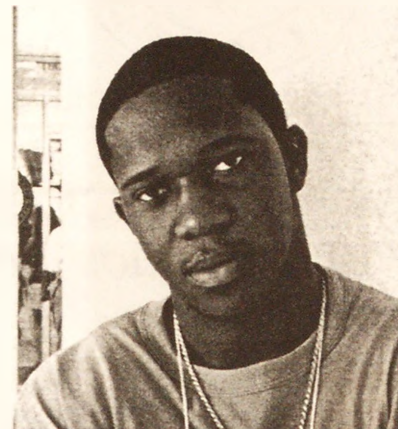
Andrienne Scott  
Advertising Major  
Junior



"...To make friends for life. To find out what my options are for the career path I've chosen and hopefully get good grades."

David Dalton  
International Business/E-commerce  
Freshman

## Student Speak Up



"Get the best grades possible and have the most fun doing it."

Marlon Murray  
Pre-Med / Biology  
Sophomore



"As President of Phi Alpha Delta, I would like to see its popularity grow among the students and become an important organization on campus."

Dennis Wouters  
Pre-Law Political Science  
Junior



"I want to finish the semester with a high GPA."

Elena Ramos  
Forensic Photography  
Senior



"Honestly, I just want to be important."

Monica Perolo  
Theater  
Senior

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# Know the issues and register to vote

By John Hodal  
News Editor

**G**OP presidential candidate George W. Bush accepted his nomination last month in the Philadelphia GOP convention. Bush, who is considered by many to be more likeable than his opponent, Al Gore, skimmed through the issues. Using the wit and charm he is known for he spoke of Social Security and Medicare, education, and military funding without ever failing to attack his opponent.

Democratic presidential candidate Al Gore also accepted his nomination later last month in Los Angeles. Known as a more serious and less approachable individual, Gore concentrated on speaking about the issues. "I know that sometimes people say I'm too serious, that I talk too much substance and policy," said Gore. "But the Presidency is more than a popularity

contest. It's a day-by-day fight for people."

After both speeches and with only a few months away from the presidential elections many American citizens are now beginning to focus more on the elections. "I think people normally vote for who is more likeable, but this year it looks like people are really looking at the issues," says Alex Jackson, member of the Democratic Party.

But it seems likeability will be the major deciding factor for many voters. "I just don't like Gore because he is a liberal from the word 'go'," said Kristy Taye, a junior at LSU. "He will never get my vote."

"Gore speaks for what he believes," says Michelle Liao, a junior. "I think we need that kind of people in the government."



Democratic Presidential candidate Al Gore and Joe Lieberman

How can one become an educated voter? Just look at the issues. Both Gore and Bush have different stands on the issues of abortion, campaign finance reform, civil rights, defense, economy, the environment and social security among others.

Al Gore supports abortion rights and opposes restrictions on late-term abortion. George Bush, on the other hand, opposes abortion except in cases of rape, incest or to save a woman's life and does support late-term abortion restrictions.

Gore supports affirmative action, same-sex marriage for religious reasons and gay adoptions while Bush opposes quotas and racial preferences, same sex-marriage and gay adoptions.

In the issue of campaign finance reform Gore supports public financing of congressional and presidential campaigns through his \$7 billions "Democ-

racy Endowment" fund and supports the banning of "soft money" donations to political parties from all sources, including individuals. Bush opposes publicly financed congressional and presidential campaigns and supports "soft money" donations from individuals.

What must one do to vote? Register. You can apply for voter registration by filling out a Voter Registration Application Form. You must also be registered for at least 29 days before the election date. These forms can be found in most post offices, libraries, banks, government offices or you can fill out an on-line application form and get more information at <http://election.dos.state.fl.us/>. General elections will be held on November 7.



GOP Presidential candidate George W. Bush and Senator John McCain

## Carelessness leads to Theft in Freshman Dorms

By Kevin Luba

**Y**ou just received a gleaming \$5,000 laptop computer, with all the trimmings, from your parents. You carry the brand-new, precious object with you as you walk outside. For a moment, you set the laptop down on the D and D front steps so you can run to your car a few feet away. The laptop will be perfectly safe. After all, it's in your sight the whole time. Isn't it? That was not the story for some in the last semester.

"I guess I just turned around too fast," said the then Dunspaugh resident Chelan Smith, speaking on this particular incident in which her new laptop was stolen.

It would be difficult imagining something like this occurring, but it does.

"I heard voices and turned back around quickly," said Chelan. "But it was gone. I still haven't told my parents."

Like any college campus, one has to be careful with valuable possessions, but exactly how careful?

Nick Tamposi, a then freshman living in Weber Hall, was shocked to discover that his \$2,000 laptop had been stolen in what seemed like an instant. "It happened so quickly," Nick said. "I went down the hall for a quick second and, when I came back, no laptop. My new computer was gone."

A question is raised than of how cautious does one have to be. If stu-

dents are not wary at all times, will they be the victims of theft? Security measures come into question.

At the Weber and D and D buildings, front desk personnel are the only authority figures present. They might be able to weed out suspicious characters coming in, but within the dorms, they are virtually powerless.

"I had my wallet stolen from my room while my roommates were in there. So it had to be someone either they or I knew," said a then Weber freshman Matt Hansen. "That means that we all have to be a lot more observant."

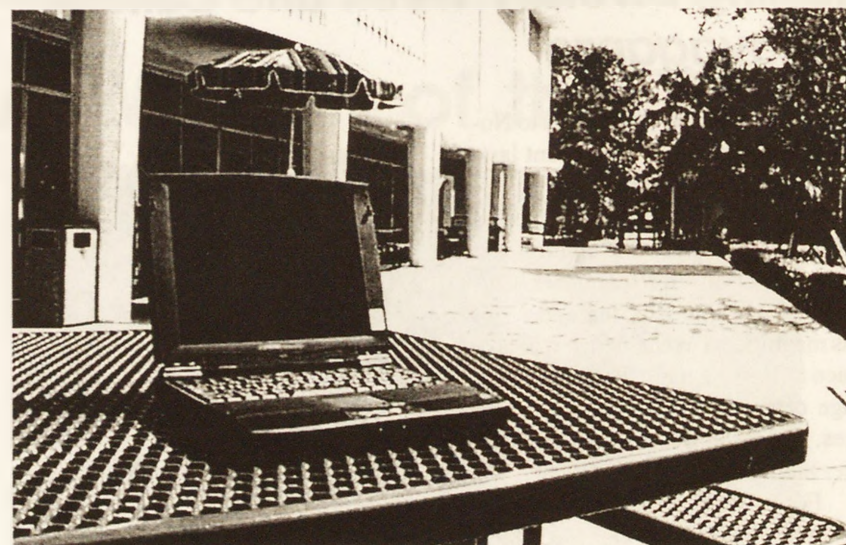
Certainly, if students strongly request it, a program could be set up that would help prevent theft, especially dormitory theft. Perhaps one where students could arm themselves with even the basic knowledge of dealing with robbery. Primarily, to *always* report it.

"That's the problem with us students," laughed first year student Jamil Davis. "Every single one of my friends who had something stolen never reported it to at least an RA."

Despite reasonable complaints, some at Barry think otherwise.

"Nothing like that has ever happened to me," stated freshman Weber resident Marc Williams. "I leave my door unlocked all the time. When I'm sleeping and when I'm in the shower."

Sentiments of this nature also proved relevant among some of the D



and D population. Sophomore Kelly Bayliss, who was a Dalton resident last semester, said, "I leave my door open a lot. When I come back from the cafeteria or somewhere else, it's cool to see one of my friends in there hanging out or watching T.V."

As inviting as a concept that this might sound, the Barry public safety department, located in Thompson Hall room 119, still advises dorm residents to be cautious. Students can go there to voice concerns. Also, students can visit the Barry Campus Crime Checking Center, headed by Freddy Ulloa, found in a tricky spot right outside the west end of Weber Hall. These two facilities offer some helpful hints to avoid dorm theft and other crimes.

### Security Tips

- Always take steps to protect yourself.
- Don't carry large amounts of cash.
- Go with someone. There is safety in numbers.
- Stay away from isolated areas.
- Try to stay near well lit areas.
- Lock your door every time you leave.
- Don't leave your belongings unattended.
- Put valuables in the trunk.
- Lock your bicycle.
- Register your bike with campus security.
- Report any suspicious activity to campus security or local police immediately.



## Sisters wanted, sisters found

By Sarah Daniel

**E**xcited chatter filled the room, as several women anticipated the beginning of sorority recruitment. Recruitment was held from September 8th through September 10th 2000. The two groups involved were Alpha Gamma Delta and Alpha Phi.

Although each group has a self-defined identity, the mutual Greek spirit was quite evident among both groups, as the Panhellenic Council created the perfect sisterhood environment.

Despite the eminent hurricane season, Recruitment went on, with energy greater than that of a storm. Although Recruitment seems like a complicated process, it merely consists of three rounds of fun events. The first round is called Open House, in which the Recruitment guests and members

are encouraged to participate in a philanthropy event. The second round of events is called Theme, in which each group is required to host a party with a particular theme. The third event, Preference, is considered the most serious of the Recruitment activities. This is where the Recruitment guests truly gain a deeper understanding of what each group stands for, enabling them to make a decision.

Later on that day, each group hosts a bid day, in which the old members welcome their new sisters. Each chapter happily added several new members during this period.

Despite the fact that formal Recruitment has officially ended, the fun is not over as yet, because sisters are always wanted.

## Health Center provides advanced care

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The Student Health Services staff consists of a Nurse Director, a board certified in college health, a full-time nurse practitioner, a part time RN, a grad assistant who is a registered nurse, an assistant to the director, and three student health advisors. All the staff works under a signed established protocol, provided by medical consultant, Dr. Susan Dombrowsky.

"The most common problems we see are the episodic illness that occur

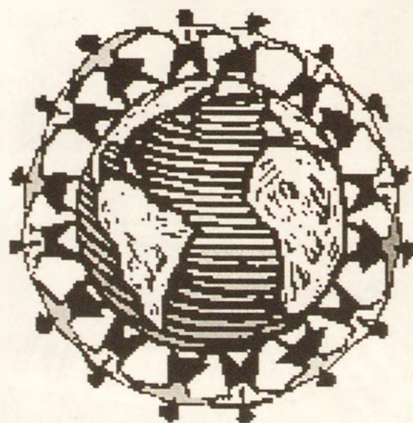
in the average college students like respiratory infections and minor injuries", says Egan-Hineline. "Last year we saw in excess of 4000 visits to SHS. 40% of those visits were referred to an off campus health care provider. Having Carolyn in SHS, we are anticipating our referral to off site providers to be reduced to 10-15% this year with most of the referrals being to medical specialists".

## Diversity Week and Cultural Extravaganza

*The Intercultural Center will be hosting Diversity Week and Cultural Extravaganza*

**B**eginning October 30 to November 3. This event lasts for an entire week, and the purpose is for students and faculty members to get acquainted with other cultures and get a taste of different countries. *Cultural Extravaganza* is the ending of this magnificent event, which will take place at Barry's mall. There will be a huge celebration with music, beverages, food and decorations from all over the world.

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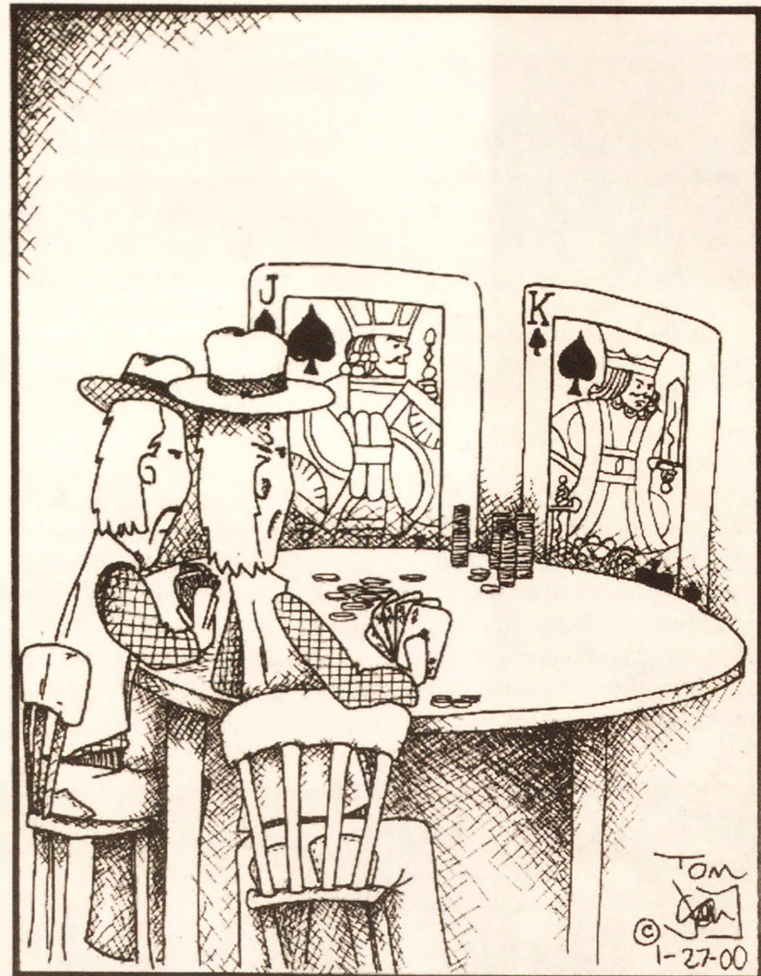


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## A Bit Off by Tom Lucier & Jason Sheardown



"Hey Tex, these guys are pretty good. It's like they've been playing cards their whole lives."

## Williamson joins Barry coaching staff as new men's golf coach

**J**oel Williamson joins the Barry athletic staff as the Buccaneers new men's golf coach. Williamson takes over for Roger White who will remain as the women's golf coach and head up the university's golf management program.

A PGA professional, Williamson most recently served as the head of golf instruction for Baylor University in Waco, Texas for the past six years and Assistant Golf Professional for Better Golf, Inc.

Williamson has seven years of collegiate coaching experience as well. He served as head men's golf coach at the University of Texas - San Antonio, a NCAA Division I program, for six seasons (1987-93), and as the assistant men's coach at the University of Mary Hardin Baylor, an NAIA program in Belton, Texas, for one season. While at UTSA he developed one of

the top men's golf programs in the Trans America Athletic Conference. He was selected conference Coach of the Year in 1990-91 and guided the Roadrunners to a No. 23 national ranking during the season in 1993. His teams at Texas-San Antonio also excelled in the classroom with three players earning Academic All-America honors and nine players earn Academic All-Conference honors.

He graduated from the University of Mary Hardin Baylor with a bachelor's degree in Liberal Arts in 1984 and a bachelor's degree in Education in 1985. Williamson then earned a master's degree in Education from Baylor University in 1986.

Williamson is also a veteran of the U.S. Army having served as a crewchief and flight engineer for the 101<sup>st</sup> Airborne Division at Fort Campbell, Kentucky from 1972 to 1975.

## You can read Sister Jeanne's diary online.

**S**r. Jeanne O'Laughlin is sharing her twenty years of experience as Barry president on the new, on-line *Journal of College and Character*.

The *Journal*, which focuses on moral and ethical issues on campus, will publish Sr. Jeanne's entries daily. She is the eighth college president from across the country to be recruited to participate in the diary project. Take

some time to visit the site and find out what Sister Jeanne thinks is the secret to her longevity at Barry, her views on our mission, as well as the University's history and path for the future.

The diary can be viewed by logging onto:  
[www.collegevalues.org/diaries.cfm](http://www.collegevalues.org/diaries.cfm)



# Where's that school spirit?

*There are more student than ever, but the spirit remains dormant*

By Amitra Gollett

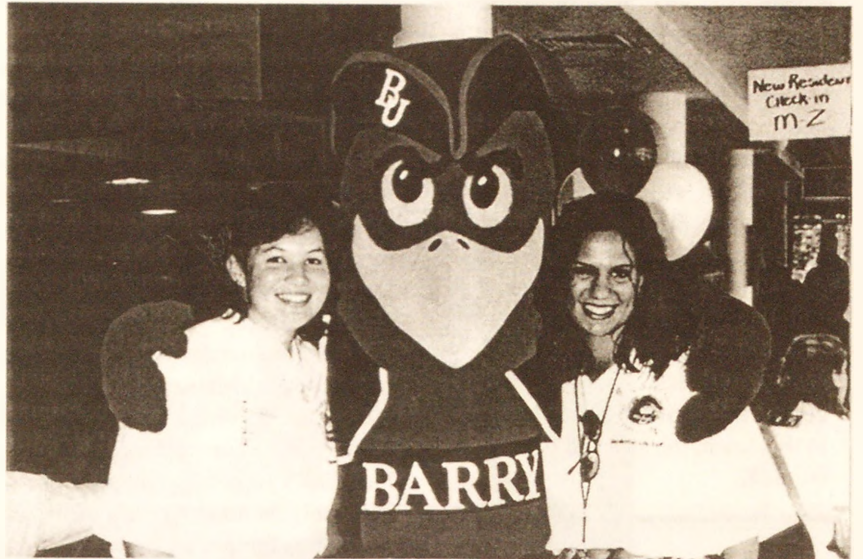
**G**etting involved in school functions, supporting the athletic department or wearing school paraphernalia may now be a thing of the past.

In the early years Barry students expressed school spirit on and off the university's campus. "Life was centered around the school," said Mary Lou Desmond, Alumnus since 1957. "Because we were a boarding school we did everything together and became

devoted to the school, because of our close relationship."

During these times students were not permitted to work during the school year. Desmond, who was president of her class for three years, said that students were only allowed to work during summer break. "This allowed students to get more involved in school activities," said Desmond.

However as time changed so did Barry University and their students. "



"...Making money to pay for my education is more important than supporting Bucky the Bird..."



Joe McQuay conducting a trivia contest on last year's Barry Pride Day

I was not able to participate in many activities on campus, because I worked 20-25 hours per week to put my self through college while trying to maintain a high GPA," said Theresa Moorehead, Alumnus since 1971.

Many students today are similar to Moorehead. They are unable to express total school spirit due to other responsibility such a spouse, children or full-time employment.

"Making money to pay for my education is more important than supporting Bucky the Bird," said Kathleen Stonich, a junior.

Yet, there are students who don't work and still can't find the time to get into the Barry spirit. "With my full work load I don't have time to get involved in any type of school activities," said Margaret McDermont, a sophomore.

School spirit may not be possessed by many of the present Barry students. However, former students believe school spirit has converted more. "I feel school spirit has changed for the better," said Moorehead. "I see more activities that I did not see back in my day."

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# L.A. Confidential

## A unconventional convention report by Kobina Aidoo

By Kobina Aidoo  
Staff Columnist

They say national nominating conventions used to come with all the drama of *Survivor*, the back-stabbing of *The Sopranos* and the sleaziness of *Jerry Springer*. They also say that they were fun. Now they say they look like infomercials. TV-hungry parties use every frame of free airtime to hawk their wares and introduce their shining stars. After 40 years, the DNC once again jump-started its road show in Los Angeles. The last time the democratic convention had been held in this town, the star had been a certain JFK.

**"Same venue, four months prior, and Al would have been Shaq and Joe, Kobe."**

The week before, one experienced city hurriedly tried to put its best foot forward.

More lights were added to Los Angeles International Airport (coincidence, according to the officials), and adjustments to public transportation were made (no coincidence). And the media was there to give folks back an appraisal of the city's preparation. Los Angeles has a Republican mayor. By mid-week, 15,000 members of one of the most hated professions were descending upon the city. The camera presence was overwhelming even for L.A. In that respect, political conventions are more like *Big Brother*. Participants, from

delegates to balloon blowers, had their soundbites down pat.

Speculation was making the rounds as to the Vice Presidential selection that the sitting VP would make. The Republicans had gone for a veep candidate to assure the public that there was someone watching over Junior. For obvious reasons, local pundits favored local girl Diane Feinstein. At a time when Gore was trailing badly in the polls, he needed to make a selection that would cause a stir rather than a murmur. If Vice Presidents have a reputation as funeral goers, Al Gore had had a reputation as a corpse so definitely he needed to stir things up. Feinstein, female and Jewish, would have been big. But Gore did a 180 in his grave. He went for an Orthodox Jew in Joe Lieberman; a move that was to jumpstart the emergence of the 'real' Al Gore. Jesse Jackson set the tone for the show with his "Stay out of the Bushes" line. Same venue, four months prior, and Al would have been Shaq and Joe, Kobe. But the crowd was no less fired up.

Two blocks down the street at the patriotic Hall, the Shadow Convention had started a day before the DNC's convention. Orchestrated by independent commentator, Arriana Huffington, the first ever shadow convention brought together mavericks such as Harvard professor Cornell West, Minnesota Senator Paul Wellston, a campaign finance reformer, and Ethan Nadelmann, who called for the decriminalization of narcotics. This reporter actually smelt 'pot' at one session. According to its organizers, the shadow is a reaction to the unwillingness of both Republicans and Democrats to address and solve the real issues of



Buccaneer Columnist Kobina Aidoo with other students at the Democratic National Convention.

America. Their main beef was the corruption of the political process by corporate America. It was mainly composed of people who would otherwise be on the extreme left of the Democratic party - those who think the party is selling out to the center. They are the same people that are boosting Ralph Nader's stock. The shadow convention was apparently deliberately poorly organized on a shoestring budget. Each day's activities were capped with a performance on the convention floor by Public Enemy and free Ben and Jerry's ice-cream.

If the shenanigans at the Staples Center were the big Hollywood production, the shadow convention would be

the Indie movie and the Internet movies would be the protests. Confined in a specially designated area marked by barbed wire and surrounded by a heavy LAPD presence, thousands of protestors cried themselves hoarse in the general direction of the Staples Center and into any microphone that was pointed at them. Even the ones not pointed at them. The protestors could be collectively be described as "Americans With Issues". But the issues were as diverse as the geographical and ethnic backgrounds. A situation that robbed them of any cohesion and unified action. Terry, a substitute elementary school teacher from (Continued on Pg. 12).

## Do you know what he did this summer? School of Business Intern is recognized by Booz Allen & Hamilton, Inc.

What happens when you have a dream? Duh! You pursue it, right? Of course! And if that dream is to work for a particular company, what you can do is get an internship. "It is the best way to get your foot in the door," says Susana Fernandez, Coordinator of Internships and Study Abroad Programs for the Andreas School of Business. "It is also an excellent way to gain professional experience and build your resume." And that's what Christian Witt did this Summer.

School of Business intern, graduate student Christian Witt, was recognized by top consulting firm Booz Allen & Hamilton on September 7, 2000. "We wanted to recognize Christian for his excellent job," said Mr. Keith Martello, Human Resources Director and Miami Site Manager. Christian, who is completing an MBA in International Business and Marketing as well as an MS in E-Commerce, had always wanted to work for Booz Allen & Hamilton. "It was my top-choice company and I was very excited when they gave me the opportunity to work for them. It was hard work but I learned a lot. Now more than ever, I realize that consulting is what I want to do," said Witt. Mr. Martello and Mr. Steven Lopez, BAH Consultant and Christian's direct supervisor, wanted to surprise Christian with the award.

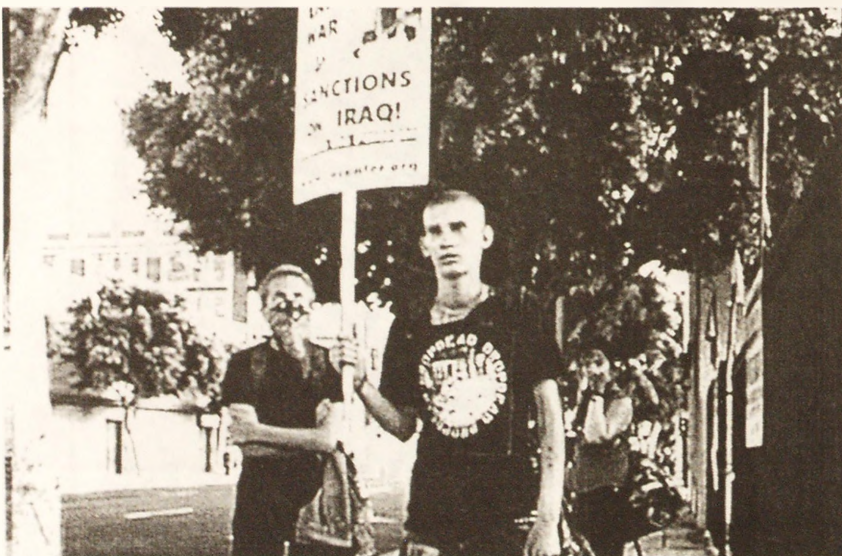
"We were very impressed with Chris, and thus with the school and the quality of its students. We were happy to have him be part of our team. He fit right in!" said Mr. Lopez. Christian Witt was also presented with a check for \$500 that he never expected. When asked what he was planning to do with it, he responded: "It was quite a surprise! I never expected it but I know how to use it...to pay my debts! I'm a student, after all!" Dr. Jack Scarborough, Dean of the School of Business, congratulated Christian at the gathering. "To be recognized in this way by such a distinguished company is a source of great pride for me and for the School of Business," he told him.

If you are a business major and want an internship, you can contact Susana Fernandez at:

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# On Campus

## On Campus

### Panel discussion and 3 on 3 wheelchair basketball tournament

Office of Disability Services

**J**oin us for food, drinks, and a panel discussion with Barry Students with disabilities on October 11<sup>th</sup>, 11am - 1pm at Andreas 112. Guest speaker Taras Dennis will be sharing his experience as a Deaf student at Columbia University, followed by a panel of students who will share their perspectives about living with disabilities. All students and faculty are invited.

On October 12<sup>th</sup>, 8pm at Andreas 112 everyone is invited to come for popcorn and soda and the film titled "The Other Sister". It is based on a

young woman who is slightly mentally challenged and faces many obstacles, dealing with them head on. Share your ideas with us. Dr. Iozzio of the Theology and Philosophy Department will introduce the film and lead a discussion after the movie.

On October 13<sup>th</sup> we then bring you a 3 on 3 Wheelchair Basketball Tournament in the Health and Sports Center from 4pm-8pm. If you think you are an athlete then you are encouraged to show us what you've got!

*The Office of Disability Services, Thompson 105, phone number 899-3488*



A 3 on 3 Wheelchair Basketball Tournament will be held on October 13th

### Sex Under the Influence

Student Health Services

**N**ational Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week will be from October 16<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>. Nationally renowned speaker Joel Goldman will kick off the week on the 16<sup>th</sup>, at Andreas 111, 1pm. Best known for his program "Friendship in the Age of AIDS" (with T.J. Sullivan), Joel Goldman has now put together a powerful solo program called "Sex Under the Influence." The new program includes humor, personal experiences, interactive exercises, and video to help students better understand how sexual decisions made under the influence of alcohol can dramatically affect their lives, and the lives of their friends.

Joel is a person living with HIV, and he traces many of the behaviors that led to his infection to his college days. With humor and unflinching honesty, Joel tells of how he learned - like many college students - to hook up at parties and bars while intoxicated. His non-preachy style is always received well by students who are challenged to look at their own behaviors. Joel shows how even those students who understand safe sex can make deadly mistakes when mixing sex and alcohol.



Joel Goldman will present his program, "Sex Under the Influence"

Joel is the past national president of Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity, and he has received top national honors from the National Interfraternity Conference, the Association of Fraternity Advisors, and the Ryan White Foundation for his work in AIDS prevention. Since 1993, he has spoken to more than 700,000 students across the nation.

*Student Health Services, Weber East, phone number 899-3750*

### Student Comments Lead to Library Renovations

Anthony Valenti,  
Reference Librarian

**P**erhaps you noticed the construction area just outside of the library's main entrance. Or perhaps you caught the smell of new paint as you did your research in the periodicals room. It is hard not to notice all of the renovations taking place in the library this semester. Library Director, Nancy Kalikow Maxwell, gratefully acknowledges that all of these renovations are being accomplished thanks largely to the comments received from students about the library.

Maxwell was able to use student and faculty user survey comments regarding the library's appearance in her plea for funding for several renovation projects. The most noticeable renovation concerns the construction of a handicap accessible entrance for the front of the library. Construction for this new entrance began shortly before the start of classes this semester and will be completed soon.

There have been several other renovations within the library. At the beginning of the semester, all of the walls on all of the floors in the library were repainted a bright white. There are plans for new carpeting to be installed soon. All light bulbs that had burnt out had been replaced during the summer and the entranceway to the library was remodeled with plants and benches. There is a new shelf displaying books written by Barry Uni-

versity faculty and staff. Thanks to the efforts of John Beaubrun, Associate Vice-President and Dean of the Division of Information Technology, 30 new computers have been installed in the Reference room for student research.

In addition to these physical improvements, the library has also added two racks of current, popular paperback books and two racks of audio books. There is also a shelf located near the elevator that displays newly purchased books.

Another improvement in the library has been the addition of new signage throughout the library as well as a new directory by the elevator. These new additions should make it easier to navigate and find materials or people within the library.

Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to continue to make comments or suggestions to Nancy Maxwell. There is a suggestion box located at the Circulation desk. Please take the time to let her know your thoughts or opinions. They are taken seriously and can lead to improvements in the library that benefit everyone.

In addition to these improvements to the physical library building there have been changes and additions to library resources such as databases, journals, services, etc. These will be profiled in greater detail in future columns.

*Monsignor William Barry Memorial Library, phone number 899-3760*

### Open House Attended by Local and National Employers

By Lisette Ortega,  
Career & Counseling Center

**W**elcome to the start of a new academic year! Our department has many new programs and events planned for you! Our dual purpose is to help guide you through the career process and provide any personal counseling that you might need along the way. We are staffed with two career counselors and four personal counselors. We are located in Thompson Hall room 208.

One of our upcoming events will be Open House. It will take place October 10<sup>th</sup>. Food and refreshments will be served. Local and national employers will attend. This is a perfect opportunity to begin your job search.

We are also happy to announce the first year of the C.A.R.E. for women organization. C.A.R.E. stands for Committed to Awareness, Resources and Education. It focuses on the empowerment of women in all aspects of their lives. The meeting location is D&D residence hall lounge from 7-9pm Tuesday nights. These are just a couple of the surprises we have in store for you. Please stop by and visit or call 899-3950 for more information. We are looking forward to seeing you at our events and becoming a part of your college experience here at Barry!

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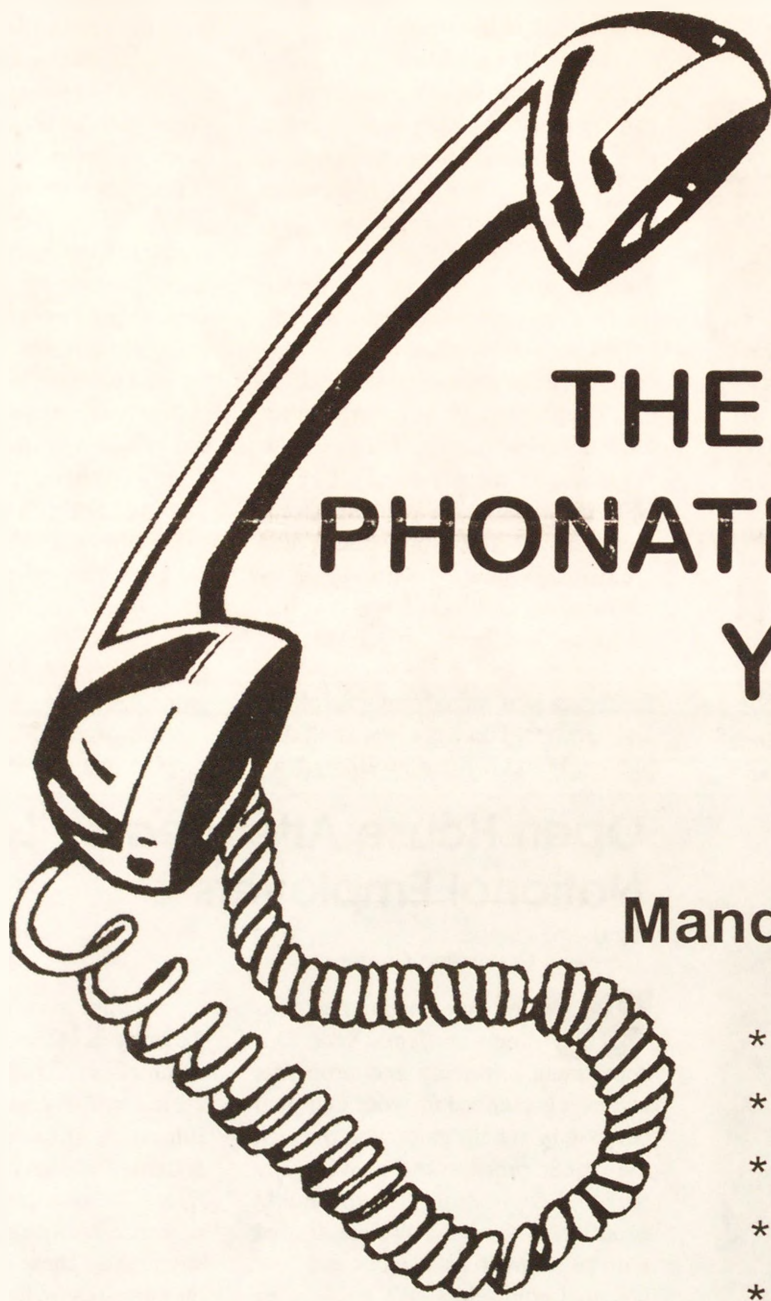


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# entertainment

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## I am not sure what the Czechs think... An exclusive interview with Shannon Elizabeth

Dadi Rafnsson  
Editor in Chief

**S**he starred in one of the summer's most popular movies, is a former model, an avid animal lover and probably a legend in her own right in the Czech Republic. Shannon Elizabeth seems to have it all so why on earth would she stay up late into an early summer's night making up for a missed interview with the *Buccaneer*? Check out her website at [www.shannelizabeth.com](http://www.shannelizabeth.com) and you will see that keeping in touch with her fans is very important to this promising actress.

**Was the making of *Scary Movie* with Keenen Ivory Wayans as much fun as the movie itself? Do you watch shows such as *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*?**

I love watching *Buffy the Vampire Slayer*! It is probably one of my favorite shows. That is definitely part of why I liked my character so much, I just loved being named "Buffy".

Keenen was the best to work with. He was completely open to letting us improvise, write scenes, jokes, cheers...he was great. We were never afraid to bring ideas to him or ask questions or anything. Everyone really got along and worked well together. Between Sean and Marlon Wayans and Cheri Oteri, I think we were constantly laughing on set!

**Did you always have acting aspirations, even when working as a model?**

Ever since I was a little girl I've wanted to act. I kind of fell into modeling and just went with it hoping that one day it would lead me into acting...which it did. I actually lived in South Beach, Miami for awhile when I was modeling and I loved it! I had so

much fun there! It was so laid back, and I love the sun and rollerblading everywhere.

**In *American Pie* you made people, mostly guys probably, stand up and notice you. Did you expect the movie to be such a success and what has it changed for you?**

I did not really know what to expect from *American Pie*. It has changed my life by making work a bit easier to get, and it has made me become very aware of my surroundings. I have found that sometimes I will be talking to someone and they seem very nervous for some reason, and then I remember and think "Oh, they recognize me from the film. I always forget, so it catches me offguard."

**After that movie you have been more visible in the national spotlight, appearing on shows such as *Politically Incorrect*. Do you find that people value your opinions more now that you are a recognized person?**

I am not sure what it is about being recognizable to people that makes them suddenly value your word more, but it can be very helpful, I have found, when it comes to helping to raise money for charity events like the animal charities I support. I love animals so much, that if this "fame" thing helps to save just a few doggies and kitties, then it is all worth it. I really like doing the talk shows because you get this nervous energy rush being in front of a live audience, and sometimes airing LIVE!. It is very different than the film work and it is a great challenge.

**You are born in Texas, and your father is Syrian. You entered movie folklore as a Czech exchange student in *American Pie*, have you ever been to the Czech Republic or had any reaction from there? Have you travelled to Syria?**



"If this fame thing helps to save a few doggies then it is well worth it."

Well, I am half Syrian but I have never gotten to go there...yet. My dad has not either. But I am planning to go there one day with him. As far as the Czech Republic goes...I am not real sure of what they think, but I was on the cover of a Czech *Esquire* just recently so I guess they do not hate what I did in the film. I really want to go there and learn a bit more about the culture and place before I do any sequel action.

**How are you spending your summer? What is your next movie going to be?**

I have started my next film called *Tomcats*. I will be in it with Jerry O'Connell and they are casting the rest of the actors now. That will take up a lot of my summer. That and the release of *Scary Movie* in July. I will have to take a few days off from *Tomcats* around that time to do some press for *Scary Movie*.

**Your website looks great and it appears as if you are very involved in it yourself.**

I am glad you like my site. The idea was mine and my boyfriend's. It was a good way to stay in touch with people and put all of the right information out there. It has really helped to feed other fan sites pictures and text that is true and already approved. I spend as much time as I can answering mail and coming up with new things for the site. I am constantly thinking about the site, it is my baby. Updates have been a little

slow lately, mainly because we've been interviewing companies to help us with the look and feel of the site; I have a ton of ideas but no way to execute them right now. So, we are working on that and it should be resolved really soon.

## Here Come the Titans

By Dadi Rafnsson,  
Editor in-Chief

**W**hen Jerry Bruckheimer and Disney co-produce a movie, you go in with mixed thoughts. How many corny handkerchief-moments can they cook up together? Fortunately Remember the Titans is a great surprise, putting together all the best each producer has to offer.

Disney brings us the adventure, the underdog high-school football team which stands up against all odds and remains victorious in the end. Bruckheimer brings tough guy Denzel Washington who probably went chewing bricks with Nicolas Cage, Tom Cruise and Will Smith while other guys went to Sunday school. Together we end up with a very enjoyable movie which earns the 'feel good' tag with honors.

What lends even more credibility to this Disney story is that it is  
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## Local Happenings

### October

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# FALL MOVIE PREVIEW

**F**all is here and that means you won't be seeing poorly scripted - action packed - 500 billion-dollar films in movie theaters. 'Tis the season to be jolly for those who like films with substance.

With the Oscars a couple of months away, the major film companies unload the best flicks in their arsenal so that they may be considered for the Oscars.

The fall movie season began with great quality films such as Cameron

Crowe's *Almost Famous* and *Remember the Titans*, starring Denzel Washington. Writer and director M. Night Shyamalan's, who gave us *The Sixth Sense*, brings Bruce Willis back, along with Samuel L. Jackson, in *Unbreakable*.

*The Sixth Sense* Oscar nominee Haley Joel Osment joins Oscar winners Kevin Spacey (*American Beauty*) and Helen Hunt (*As Good as It Gets*) in the heartwarming film *Pay It Forward* to be released in late October.

John M. Hodai  
News Editor

## Almost Famous

Starring: Billy Crudup, Kate Hudson, Anna Paquin  
Directed by Cameron Crowe  
Release Date: September 15

Cameron Crowe's first film since his Academy Award-nominated hit *Jerry McGuire* captures a pivotal time in the history of rock and roll. Set in 1973, it chronicles the funny and often poignant coming of age of 15-year-old William (Patrick Fugit), an unashamed music fan that is inspired by the seminal bands of the time. William is offered an assignment from *Rolling Stone* magazine to interview the up-and-coming band Stillwater that exposes him to new experiences he could only dream of.



## Remember the Titans

Starring: Denzel Washington  
Directed by Boaz Yakin  
Release Date: September 29

Based on a true story, *Remember the Titans* follows the explosive events that took place in Alexandria, Virginia in 1971 when African-American football coach Herman Boone (Academy Award winner Denzel Washington) was hired to guide an integrated but racially polarized high school team - the T.C. Titans. Boone faces a cold reception from the team's players as well as an awkward relationship with assistant coach Bill Yoast (Will Patton), a local white coach with seniority and a tradition of winning who was bypassed for the job. As the two men learn to overcome their ignorance and bigotry and realize that they have much in common they work together to transform a group of angry, unfocused players into a dynamic winning team.



## The Legend of Bagger Vance

Starring: Matt Damon, Will Smith, Charlize Theron  
Directed by Robert Redford  
Release Date: November 3

Based on Steven Pressfield's mystical novel, the film tells of a WWI hero, played by Matt Damon (*The Talented Mr. Ripley*) who challenges two pro golfers in a local tournament. The film also stars Will Smith, a godlike caddie who guides Damon achieve his challenge. Directed by Robert Redford, the film is expected to be one of the year's best and more entertaining than *The Horse Whisperer*.



## Unbreakable

Starring: Bruce Willis, Samuel L. Jackson  
Directed by M. Night Shyamalan  
Release Date: November 22

In his follow up to *The Sixth Sense*, Oscar nominated director M. Night Shyamalan has created another unique suspense thriller. Bruce Willis again stars, this time as David Dunn, the sole survivor of a devastating train wreck. Samuel L. Jackson co-stars as Elijah Price, a mysterious stranger who offers a bizarre explanation as to why David escaped without a single scratch, an explanation that threatens to change David's family and life forever.



## Dancer in the Dark

Starring: Björk, Catherine Deneuve, David Morse  
Directed by Lars von Trier  
Release Date: September 23

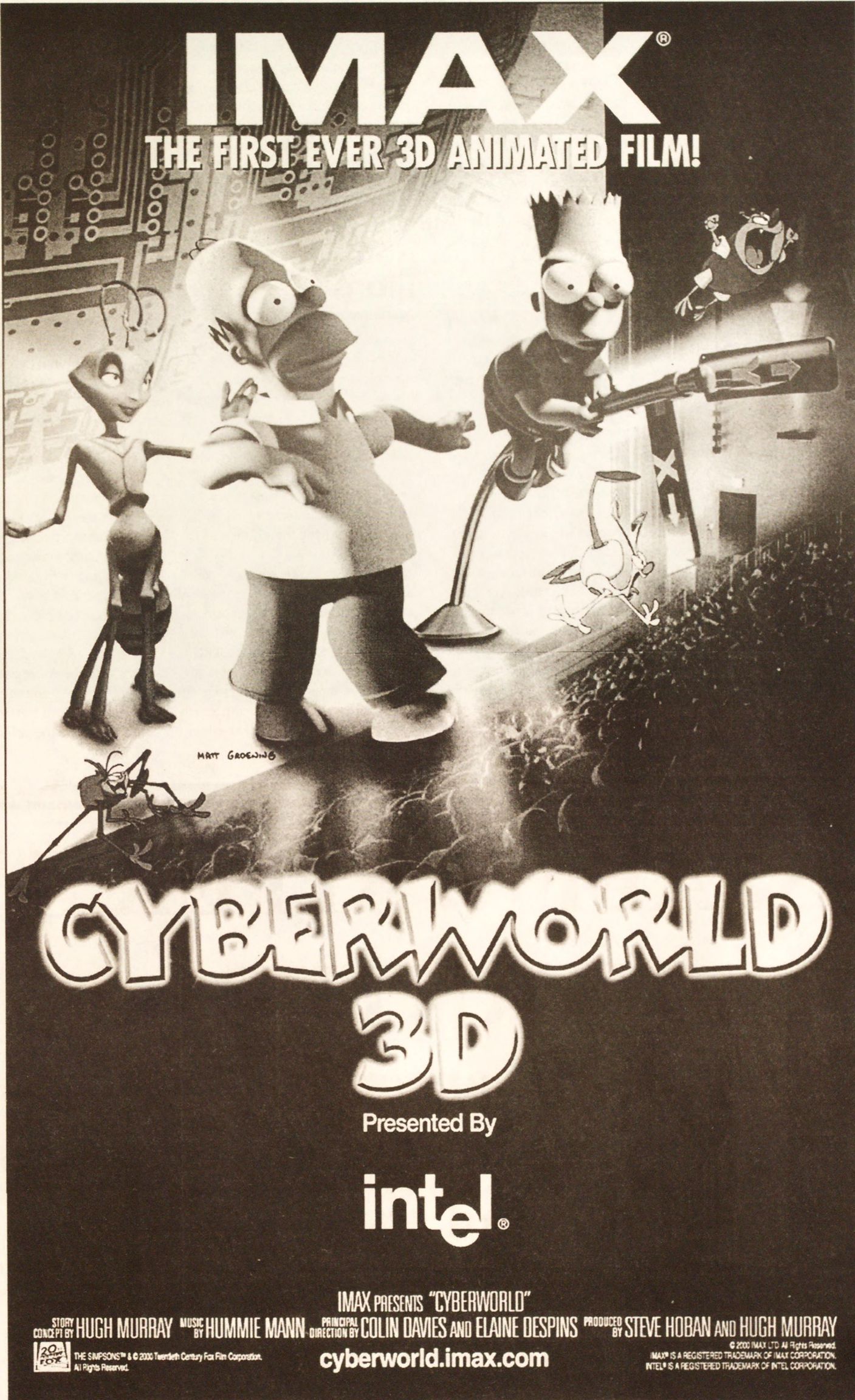
Winner of the Palme d'Or for best picture in this year's Cannes Film Festival, *Dancer in the Dark* may be the best foreign film this year. Selma (Played by Palme d'Or winner Björk) is a Czech-expatriate single mother who is going blind and works at a metal factory in the Pacific Northwest during the 1960s. She loves Hollywood musicals so much that she lets her imagination take her to a world of fantasy, helping her forget the grim reality.





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# Talking about Clean Cuts...

By Kobina Aidoo  
Columnist

**F**irst on the list of people I just gotta meet in heaven is the dude who invented circumcision, with maximum respect due to my brothers and sisters of the Judeo-Christian religious persuasion. I pay respect to the aforementioned group because their tradition traces the practice as having originated from a covenant between the Biblical Abraham and Jehovah God. However, assuming it was not Abraham but someone else, ask yourself: "how did the thought cross his mind?" What in the hell was he thinking? Was he playing? Was he experimenting? Was this a case of attempted suicide? What? 'Cos that thing hurts, you know. That is why I think it was a woman that invented it. A vengeful wife maybe. A former day Lorena Bobbit. Or what? Was it an accident? Some dude accidentally cut himself 'there' and made such a clean cut? Improbable, 'cos that thing takes skill, you know.

In Ghana we have a special name for these professionals. We call them wanzams. *An awe-inspiring moniker well deserved for these are men skilled in the art of deforeskinning. And an onerous task it is. Sometimes follow-*



*ing generations of family tradition, which convinces me that my people had this custom even before arrival of the missionaries on our shores. When we were kids growing up back home, there was this old dude named Abanga in the 'hood. A very talented wanzam he was. Or so they say, for my most sensitive flesh never tasted Abanga's stainless steel. However, anytime I would misbehave, all my uncle had to do was shout "Abangaaaa!" So as you can imagine, the job of a wanzam comes with clout back home. Even political clout, if you will. You see, unlike us modern kids who had had it done in a hospital, right after birth, the older generation had experienced Abanga's cold steel. Strong was Abanga's grip on society, no pun intended. Ok, pun intended. Whatever! So strong was Abanga's grip that men of status were said to tremble at the very mention of the name Abanga.*

Going by the Biblical story for now, Abraham is the guy who takes credit for starting this whole deal. Now, I don't claim to be no biblical expert but from what I have read, Abraham must have performed the procedure on himself. That takes a real man, you know! It's not exactly like cutting your nails. And it also makes you wonder what he used for practice. His son Isaac? A shepherd by profession, the only peeling the father of Israel had

done prior, is assumedly the shearing of his flock to use as wool for the harsh winter. Abe's legacy rests on two words: 'sacrifice' and 'circumcise'. Guessing by the phonetic similarity of these two words, what if God actually said was "Do not circumcise your son Isaac" and Abraham had misheard? Well, That really changes things, now doesn't it? Sacrifice. Circumcise. Hmm!

## Here Come the Titans

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based on a true story of a 70's Virginia football team which overcame racial prejudism to go all the way to the state championship game. Washington portrays Coach Herman Boone who spearheads the only mixed team in its conference. After initial mistrust on both sides of the racial lines, Boone's team comes together as one, embracing each other and inspiring their divided community.

*Remember the Titans* has an abundance of entertaining characters. A quarterback named Sunshine, an inspiring captain and a little girl who should switch to de-caf immediately. Yes, the handkerchief moments are there but by then we have connected with the affable Titans. This film leaves the audience with smiles all around.

## L.A. Confidential

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Boston who came to LA straight from the GOP convention in Philadelphia was protesting the fact that more people die of hunger every year in comparison to the total deaths of people in the holocaust. He was also protesting the sale of red meat and capitalism and government and a few other non-related things. Other protestors called for anything from "Ban Breastfeeding Now" to "Free Abu Mumia-Jamal". The protestors referred to the LAPD-designated area as a jail and by Wednesday refused to "get back in there". One of the causes that attracted the most people and voices was the call for an end to sanctions in Iraq even though many of the placard and coffin bearers did not know where Iraq was.

They also say that this year's GOP convention looked very much like the DNC conventions of times past. In the fight for the soccer mom and the Latino vote both parties were pandering to the political center and the differences were blurring in favor of the George W. The bonus was on Al Gore to make the difference clear. His acceptance speech resonated well in the packed-to-capacity Staples Center and apparently with the American Public. With his huge post-convention bounce, the 'real' Al Gore has stood up and we have a race on the polls.

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# Sports

## Sports

## Barry Gold

### Barry Alumnus Represents the U.S. at the Olympics

**W**hen Mickisha Hurley '96 (School of Arts and Sciences) takes the volleyball court in the Sydney Summer Olympics in September, the roar from the crowd will not deaden the one thought in her head. For years she's been repeating it over and over again: Ignore the pain and play to the best of your ability.



Mickisha Hurley

A Miami native and Barry All-American who led the Barry Buccaneers to the 1995 NCAA Division II national championship, Hurley is the only player on the U.S. national team roster to have emerged from a Division II school.

And she's had to deal with excruciating pain every day since shin splints surfaced in 1997, after a year layoff from athletics.

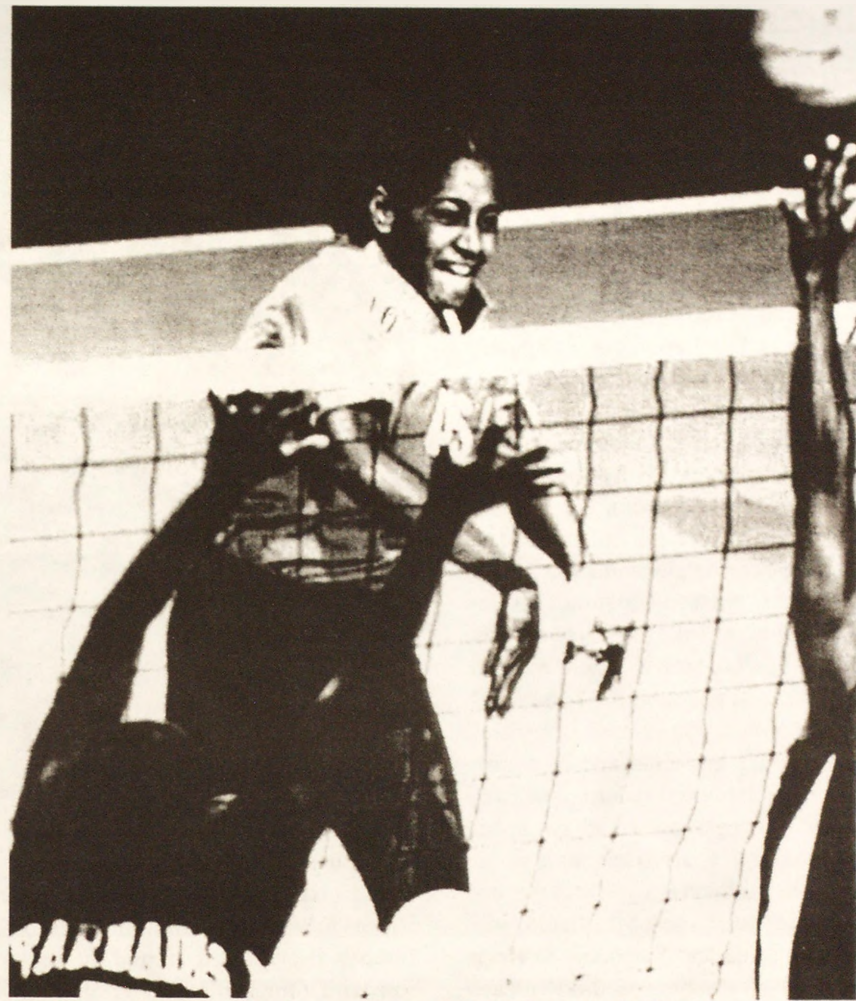
"I almost want to give up all the time because of the pain," she said. "But I know this is where God wants me to be."

Leonid Yelin, former head coach at Barry, had to convince her to try out for the national team. At the trials in Colorado Springs, Hurley leaped higher than any other player, touching the 10-foot-10-inches high — that's almost a foot above a basketball rim. U.S. Olympic coach Mick Haley invited her back for a probationary period.

"Getting on the team was the work of the Lord," she said. "Doors kept opening, and I just walked this way and that way. I figure when it is time for me to go, I'll know too."

Since 1997 she has traveled with the U.S. national team to all corners of the world, visiting Australia, Brazil, Dominican Republic, and Japan in 1999 alone. Last year she led the starters with a .338 hitting percentage at the World Cup and helped Team USA claim a bronze medal at the Pan American Games.

By continually posting impressive numbers — for example, in a four-game



Ace! Barry Alumnus, Hurley represented the U.S. in the 2000 Olympics

win over Brazil last year, she tallied 12 kills, seven blocks, and a .500 hitting percentage — she has provided a major contribution toward Team USA qualifying for the Olympics.

Along the way, she shattered the stigma she first faced with team members for being the only Division II

player. Even the coach teased her, saying what was good enough at Barry may not be good enough against highly skilled Asian teams.

"Not everything is set in stone," she said. "Regardless of where you come from, you can make the opportunity (Continued on Pg. 14).

## Tennis star named NCAA Woman of the Year

**F**ormer Barry University student-athlete Anna Hallbergson has been named one of the 10 finalists for the 2000 NCAA Woman of the Year award. A senior captain last season for the Barry women's tennis team, Hallbergson is currently attending medical school at Chicago Medical School in Chicago, Illinois.

Earlier this month Hallbergson was selected NCAA Woman for the state of Florida. The 10 finalists were selected from the 51 state winners. Hallbergson is the third female athlete from Barry to win the award in the past five years. Marya Morusiewicz received the award in 1996 and her sister, Janina Morusiewicz, won it in 1998.

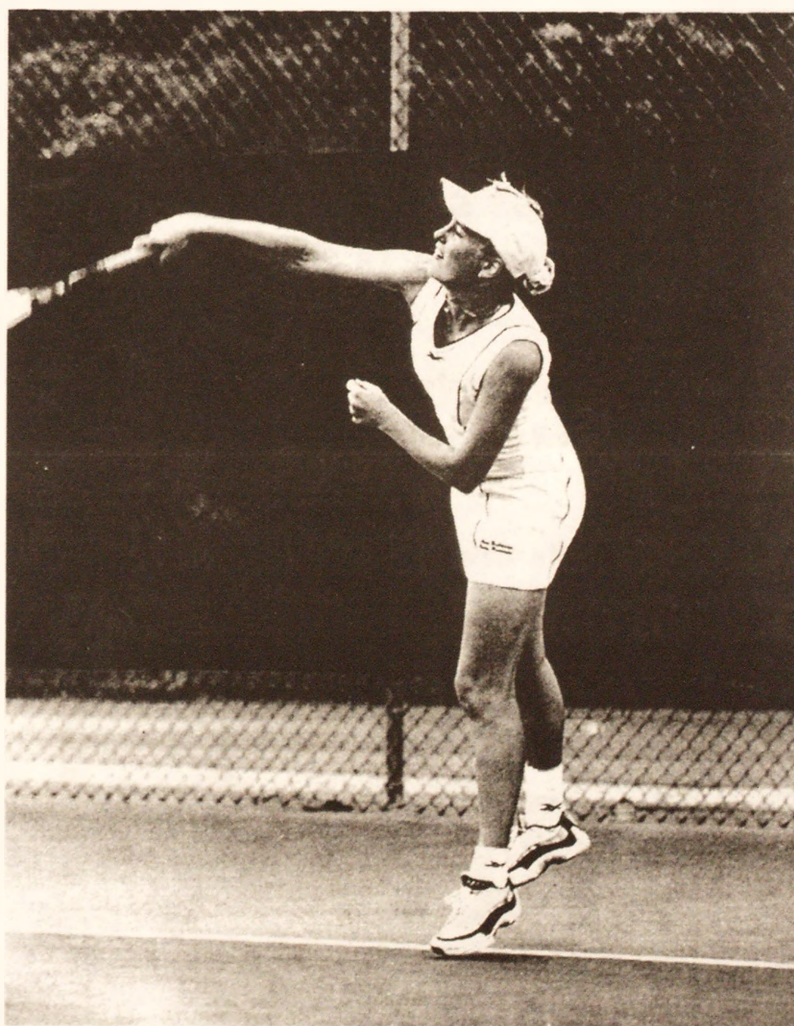
Hallbergson led the Buccaneers to a 16-8 record last season while receiving All-American honors and maintaining a 4.0 GPA. Barry placed third in the Sunshine State Conference last season and made a fifth-straight appearance in the national tournament. She won the NCAA's \$12,500 Walter Byers post-graduate school, making Barry the only scholarship at any level to have two Walter Byers scholarship winners (Marya Morusiewicz won the

honor in 1997). She helped Barry win the conference title in 1998 and a No. 3 ranking in the national polls last season.

The NCAA will salute the achievements and accomplishments of all of its state winners and finalists at the awards dinner on Oct. 15, at the Indiana Roof Ballroom in Indianapolis, Indiana.

While at Barry, Hallbergson conducted research on fetal alcohol syndrome with Barry professor Dr. Laura Mudd. She also spent time volunteering at Jackson Memorial Hospital and the Big Brother/Big Sister program. A biology major at Barry, Hallbergson is originally from Sweden and began playing tennis at the age of 9.

Her medical aspirations began at an early age. She excelled at chemistry and biology, and began spending time at hospitals when she was 15. In her first year in South Florida, 1996, she helped Miami-Dade Community College win the national junior college title, playing No. 1 singles and doubles. She won the conference's Scholar Athlete of the Year in 1998 and 1999.





# Undefeated Lady Bucs Ranked No. 2

**Outscoring their opponents 46-4, Bucs reach double digits twice**

By Stephanie O'Brien

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**E**ven though they go undefeated into October, the Lady's Bucs just aren't satisfied. Many are proud of the team's appearance in last year's Final Four, but losing definitely was not part of the plan. So the Lady Bucs are hungrier than ever for the 2000 National Championship title.

The team is led by head coach Mike Neveu, while returning 12 from last year's Final Four squad. Leading the free-scoring Bucs in front are senior Jenny Nilsson and junior Ashley Snell. Nilsson broke the Barry all-time scoring record in a 6-0 win over St. Thomas and has scored 14 goals in 8 games already. She is also Barry's all-time leader in points and is getting closer to the assist record. Snell has terrorized oppositions with her speed and has eight goals to her name so far.

The midfield is again orchestrated by the skilful Pamela McDonald, with Lauren Ruda and Stephanie O'Brien providing valuable speed down each flank. The Buccaneer defense will be led, for yet another year, by senior sweeper Merry Osikowicz and in goal



Jenny Nilsson and the Lady Bucs are determined to reach No. 1

Neveu has two internationally experienced goalkeepers in senior Birna Bjornsdottir and freshman Johanna Fischer. Bjornsdottir started the season with four shutouts and all four goals, which the team has conceded, came in two away games against Tampa and Christian Brothers. The Bucs also

welcome ten new faces to the team and a strong bench promises great things ahead.

The Lady Bucs have outscored their opponents 46-4 and twice reached double-digit scores. The team plays one of the toughest schedules in Division II Women's Soccer, facing three

teams that finished in the top 25 last season. Last year, the team broke the school's single season record for goals, assists, and points and was ranked third nationally at season's end. Now the ladies are heading full steam forwards, on their way towards the goal: The 2000 National Title.

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## Barry Golfer Bachstetz dies at 21 years of age

**J**oel Bachstetz, member of the Buccaneer Golf team died on September 2<sup>nd</sup> after losing his battle with neurofibromatosis, a genetic disease that causes tumors to grow on nerves. Bachstetz was 21, from Ocho Rios, Jamaica and had arrived at Barry University in the fall of 1999, pursuing a dream of becoming his country's best golfer. By then he was already deaf because a tumor had been removed from an auditory nerve, yet he had ambitions of being the Buccaneer's best golfer ever.

Bachstetz qualified for the Lynn University tournament where he shot 79-80-80, and the Northwood tournament, and came close to qualifying on several other occasions. In April, Bachstetz complained about his fingers going numb, leading to the discovery of that eventually fatal tumor on the stem of the brain.

A movement is under way to establish a golf scholarship at Barry in



Joel Bachstetz

Joel Bachstetz' name. Tennis player Stephen Trussell expects to raise more than \$2,200 through monies collected for his participation in a triathlon and others are encouraged to call Sister Arlene Scott, Barry's director of Mission and Ministry at 305-899-3655.

## Barry Gold

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happen for yourself."

Now she's on the 14-player team, earning a spot on the more exclusive 12-member traveling squad.

And Barry couldn't be more proud; Hurley is the first Olympic athlete to grace the ranks of the Barry Alumni Association.

Hurley, who played for Coral Gables High, would like to play professionally at European Leagues after Sydney. Her mother, Hazwl Callendar, is an account executive at BWIA Airlines in Miami. Hurley's sister, Toni Callendar, is starting 11th grade at Miami Killian High.

"I'm anxious to see if I'm going to be able to access my ability at the time I need it," she said. "I am definitely anticipating my performance."



# Slow start to Volleyball's Season

By Stephanie O'Brien & Dadi Rafnsson

**A** slow start has been disappointing to the 8-4 Lady Bucs volleyball team. Expectations are high this year, as always, due to the team's successful history. The program only began in 1988 and by 1995 captured its first NCAA Division II National Championship. Throughout the years Barry's Volleyball team has made great strides and had many successes.

Senior outside hitter Jade Harper leads the Bucs attack, averaging 4.47 kills per game. Junior middle hitter Tricia Stanton ranks second on the squad, averaging 3.49 kills per game and sophomore outside hitter Rochelle Magill is averaging 3.00 kills per game. Junior setter Meghan Clarke is averaging 11.98 assist per game.

For the fifth year Barry is led by coach Dave Nichols (UCLA '76). Through his four seasons he has guided the Bucs to a 98-30 overall record and a 46-8 record in the SSC.

Barry returns all six of its starters from last season.

The Lady Bucs play one of the toughest schedules in the country, with 23 of their 33 games being away from home. So far the team has traveled to Georgia and Colorado in their pursuit of glory.

Last year Jade Harper was a First Team All SCC selection, while Harper and Meghan Clarke made the All-South Team, Clarke and Angie Matzen were Second Team All SCC Selections. Rochelle Magill made the All Freshman Team.

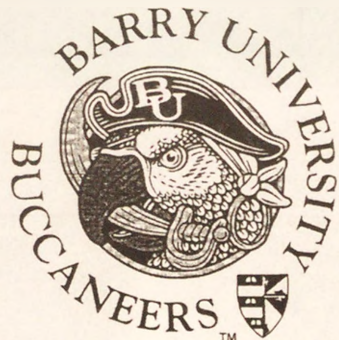
Harper led the team with 371 kills, while Clarke had a team leading 1,142 assists. Other returning starters are middle hitter Tricia Stanton and Monika Beldzinska.

During last season the Buccaneers were ranked as high as 13<sup>th</sup> in the National Poll. This year the team started at number 11 but has slipped down to number 18.



Junior Setter Meghan Clarke is Averaging 11.98 assists per game

## Fall Sports Calendar



### Men's Soccer

Oct.4 \* at Florida Tech 7pm  
 Oct.6 Milligan (TN) 7pm  
 Oct.10 Florida Southern 7pm  
 Oct.14 Truman State (MO) 3pm  
 Oct.22 \* at Eckerd 3pm  
 Oct.28 \* Rollins 7pm  
 Nov.4 \* at Saint Leo 2pm \* Sunshine State Conference Opponent ^ at Christian Brothers

### Women's Soccer

Oct. 6 Milligan 5pm  
 Oct.14 \* Florida Southern 12pm  
 Oct.15 Queens (NC) 1pm  
 Oct.17 \* Saint Leo 7pm  
 Oct.20 \* at Rollins 7pm  
 Oct.22 at North Florida 3pm  
 Oct.27 + Harding 4pm  
 Oct.29 at Central Arkansas 12pm  
 Nov.3 \* Eckerd 7pm  
 Nov.11 NCAA First Round TBA  
 Nov.18 NCAA Quarterfinals TBA  
 Dec.1 NCAA Semifinals TBA  
 Dec.3 NCAA Finals TBA

\* Sunshine State Conference Opponent ^ at Christian Brothers (Memphis, TN) + at Central Arkansas (Conway, AR)

Oct. 4 \* Lynn 7pm  
 Oct.11 North Florida 7pm  
 Oct.13 @ Puerto Rico-Rio Piedras 6pm  
 Oct.14 @ Puerto Rico-Mayaguez 10am  
 Oct.14 @ USC-Spartanburg 2pm  
 Oct.20 \* at Florida Southern 7:30pm  
 Oct.21 \* at Saint Leo 2pm  
 Oct.21 \* at Eckerd 7:30pm  
 Oct.27 \* Florida Tech 7:30pm  
 Oct.28 \* Rollins 3pm  
 Nov.1 \* at Lynn 7:30 pm  
 Nov.4 \* at Tampa 3pm  
 Nov.6 Armstrong Atlantic 4pm  
 Nov.10 \* Saint Leo 7:30pm  
 Nov.11 \* Florida Southern 4 p m  
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