Three students seek SGA presidency

MIKE PALMER  

Barry Foster

While in the SGA, he has also worked on the entertainment committee, boxing committee and voter registration. Foster, president of the Young Republicans and vice-president of the Law Club. He has also taken an active part in the forming of the International Affairs Club. He is socially involved as a Sigma Nu Fraternity pledge.

“I want to work toward equality and fairness in the SGA,” Foster stated. “After serving two years on the SGA, I don’t feel like enough student groups are being recognized. The input is being filtered before all voices are heard in the Senate.”

“I would like to see the Music Department and the Southerners get the recognition and the help they deserve from the university,” Foster stated. “Adequate recreational facility hours need to be set to meet student schedules and not the schedule of the school.”

“Baseball ball courts and the weight room need to be improved, also,” Foster continued. “I’d like to see Neil Building and the Hume EC side of Mason Hall open some on weekends to meet student needs.”

Foster also said that he wanted to work toward improvement of the IM system and have each group treated fair and equal.

He concluded by saying that he would like to see the bettering of the Greek system by holding joint band parties to provide independent with cheap entertainment while at the same time promoting the Greeks.

Bill Morris, a senior from Leeds, is a Political Science major. He has served one year on the SGA as a senator-at-large.

While on the SGA, he worked on the Liaison Committee and the ICC Committee. Morris is a member of the Young Democrats and the Law Club.

He is a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity, Order of Omega, IM Council and has been a member of the IFC for two years where he currently serves as president.

“I feel I’m qualified to be the next president of the SGA,” Morris said. “I’ve worked with the senators and with many people very closely and I’ve been in the SGA long enough to know what’s going on.

“I also feel I can work with the administration,” Morris continued. “I want to work toward having more control of student apathy and improving the IM system.”

Getting SGA committees more involved is another goal according to Morris.

“I want to work for the advancement of student life at JSU. I support the activity fee, postal service and would like to utilize the calendar of events,” Morris said. “I would also like to start a book sell and swap among students,” he concluded.

Mike Palmer is a double major in English and history and has participated in the Baptist Campus Ministry choir. He is very active at (See SGA, Page 12)

Chanticleer staff attends seminar

Five members of the Chanticleer staff traveled to the University of Alabama campus in Tuscaloosa Saturday, March 28, for the annual journalism seminar.

A few tips were picked up in such sessions as staffing, layout and design, photography and journalism law.

A fine meal, of which barbequed ribs was the main course, was partaken at the Landing restaurant.

By LEANNE DANIEL

Editor

Jacksonville State University students will have three choices when going to the polls on April 7 to cast votes selecting the next student government president.

By much controversy over a proposed referendum to lower the required GPA for presidential candidates from 1.5 to 1.25 was voted down by the students, three people qualified for the presidential position.

Barry Foster, Bill Morris and Mike Palmer are seeking to sway votes their way in the upcoming election.

Foster, a junior from Birmingham, is a political science major and has a double minor in foreign languages and history. He has served as a senator-at-large on the SGA for two years and is currently holding the title of Political Affairs Director.

“By KIM WHITEHEAD

“Your look like a million dollars tonight,” he said.

“Thank you,” she replied. “But... but, you’ve never seen a million dollars.”

“Yep,” he laughed. “And you look like nothing I’ve ever seen before!”

So went the on-stage conversation of Dinkle and Darlene, the prize possessions of Paige Phillips, as the three performed in the Theron Montgomery Building last Tuesday night. Miss Phillips is the reigning Miss Alabama and with the help of her two very special dummies, she presented a ventriloquist act that helped her to become the first alternates to Miss America 1980 last fall.

Now making appearances in states all across the U.S., Miss Phillips is preparing to go on the USO tour in Europe this summer. When she is able to find her way back home to Leeds, she is an active member of the First United Methodist Church there and a freshman at Birmingham Southern College.

In her JSU appearance, she shared many of the experiences that have accompanied her reign. Too, she told of the importance the position holds for her because of the large number of people she is able to come in contact with.

In addition to her travels to other areas of the U.S, Miss Phillips is currently speaking in eight to ten churches a month, inside the state of Alabama. She stressed the importance of this to her and said, “I have enjoyed, representing the state of Alabama, but more than that, I have enjoyed representing my Lord.”

(See PHILLIPS, Page 12)
Casual Comments...  

One of my staff members informed me a few weeks ago that he thought it was about time for me to write a column on how hard it is to write a column. I honestly don’t think I could beat around the bush and make up enough nonsense to fill this space.

While pondering over a subject to expound upon, the thought came to my mind to write a miscellaneous column. I ask myself, why not? Everybody else does. I had thought about it before, but decided against it. Today I changed my mind. There are several subjects I would like to mention and none of them long enough to devote a whole column to.

It looks as if JSU is approaching the final stages in the presidential search to succeed Dr. Ernest Stone. Gov. James managed to travel to town a few weeks ago to add his opinion toward the choice. It was reported that a final decision will be made in the next couple of months.

Another presidential search is being conducted on this campus. In another week we will vote on who will be the next president of the Student Government Association. I feel that three very capable candidates are running for the office, but just remember as you vote to think about who you are voting for. The person elected will be the one responsible for the SGA in the coming year and it’s not an easy job. Make your choice a wise one.

Greek Week has come and gone and once again it was successful. Greeks are an important element in many student lives and add to the lot us campus. They provide many good services and I feel they should be commended for their activities here.

As my term as Student Government President comes to an end, I would like to express my thanks to the student body for the opportunity to serve in this capacity. Although it has certainly been trying at times, I do not regret it in the least.

Reflecting back on the past year, I feel good about the progress the SGA has made, not to say that we could have been better for there is always room for improvement. But, all in all, through the concerted effort of the student body, and the fine SGA senators who served as your representatives, along with the cooperation of the administration, I can see many positive programs which were initiated that need to be cultivated and nurtured in the coming year.

One of my primary objectives was to represent the student body and inform you of issues that would ultimately affect each of us. Our voice has been heard from the White House to the State House down to the Court House. Yes, we were even heard by Governor James and the Board of Trustees and managed to finally be allowed representation on the Advisory Panel of the Presidential Search Committee.

A continuing problem that affects many students is the intramural program. The SGA tried to have some positive input on this by creating a new Intramural Committee. It was instrumental in getting bleachers for the IM games, outside officials during play-off games, as well as organizing the first backgammon and boxing tournaments.

For the first time we had an International and Minority Relations Director who helped coordinate many programs throughout the year. And, for the first time in several years we were able to print a student directory, as well as secure office facilities for the IFC and Panhellenic Councils, as well as expanding our own. We participated in the summer orientation program for new students and had brochures and booklets printed to let them know what the SGA’s functions are. There were several other new programs initiated that need to be developed such as the SGA typing service, and free income tax service.

Kay’s Korner....

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Fond farewell

It is good to reflect back on past accomplishments, but the students who will not be graduating need to begin to plan for the future. There is much work to be done but few who want to dedicate their time. Please do not take the election of SGA officers lightly. With a future new University President, the rapport developed between him and the SGA will be vital to the continuation of better student programs.

I plan to keep in touch with the progress made in SGA next year. If each of you get involved, even if it is merely to vote, there will be improvements. Make the best of your college years, because you will soon be doing the same thing that I am doing now; reflecting back.

The baseball team is another important part of this University. They may have had a little trouble at the start of the season, but Coach Abbott seems to be guiding his team toward working out their problems. They have several home games coming up so why don’t you go over to the field and support the JSU baseball team.

The spring weather seems to have a special effect on most students these days. More and more students are beginning to come out of winter hibernation and walk to class now. All types of outdoor recreational activities are beginning so get out and get involved.

Since I’ve managed to touch on the subject of grades several times before, I’ll skip it now. They’re not important anyway. (Just a little joke, Dad!)

It’s also time (for me anyway) for funds to start getting low. Inflation keeps going up and my checking account keeps going down. With the increase in postal rates, I can’t even afford to write home and ask for more money.

Three more weeks. Those words are music to my ear. I’ve even counted the hours left in each class. Don’t get me wrong, I love JSU, just had rather not go to class.

Seriously, I often make sarcastic remarks concerning classes, but they’re all in fun. After all, isn’t that the main reason we are all here?
Letters to the Editor

This letter is intended to "kill two birds with one stone," namely Karen Benson and Michael W. Palmer.

First of all, let me say that I, too, am receiving financial aid. And, yes, it is a big help. Not once in my article "Dependent on Financial Aid?" did I state that I was against financial aid, but only that those who receive it have no cause to gripe when it's cut out.

Take Miss Benson for example. She has been federally financed through three years of college. If Uncle Sam cuts out the aid, will she express gratitude for what he has given her or will she throw rocks at him? Frankly, leaving her a year short of graduation.

And what about those people that Miss Benson so aptly knows of that had to quit school because of lack of funds? I wonder why she didn't enlighten them about the low-interest student loans. Perhaps it's because they knew someday they would actually have to repay those loans in cold, hard cash from their own pocket.

Miss Benson called my statement about joining the forces getting an education "totally ridiculous." It's really ironic that she is more than willing for the government to pay for her education, but should her country need the favor returned, she'd probably be hard to find.

Anyways, Miss Benson, I do receive a monthly GI Bill check. But that money was paid for with three years of my life. You see, I have this peculiar thing all to myself. It's called personal pride.

As for Mr. Palmer, I think he reads some one else's article. Nowhere in my article did I mention the abuse of the financial aid programs (although I may be right about that, Michael).

As far as the cuts reducing the amount of students—well, maybe. But I'm a firm believer in quantity over quality. As stated in my article, those persons who want an education badly enough will find a way.

A wise person once said that, "In this world of give and take, too few are willing to give what it takes." That, in essence, is what the article was about.

I think that a campus consisting of people that really have a desire to procure an education and are willing to do what it takes to get it, would be a campus with a high education level—much higher than a campus with students attending just because it's free.

Is a diploma from JSU as good as a diploma earned and respected as it was just a few years ago? No! So instead of raising the education level (as Mr. Palmer suggests) it appears that the current programs may have undermined the quality of education.

Now don't get me wrong, I realize we can't afford to pay for the financial aid cuts. We'd probably lose some fine people. But I'm merely being a realist. The cuts and trimming which it means that some folks might actually have to pay for what they're receiving.

Sincerely,

The Brothers of Kappa Sigma

Opinions

As you like it
By Joe Bryan

Get out and vote

Now that the glory and enthusiasm of Spring Break '81 has passed, we can concern ourselves with certain issues at hand. The first and foremost, of course, is the Student Government elections. There are some issues that have been commonly called "The Royal Nonsense" (my apologies to Mr. Twain).

Traditionally on this campus, voter apathy seems to be the rule. Therefore, those students who are planning on voting should consider this article aimed toward them; after all, they are the only ones who make the important decisions anyway.

Missy, things to look for this year are experience, the advancement of the issues and a lack of concern for honor or justice. It's time the number of students who work out until the number of students who work out.

Also, the administration (especially the president) must be held strong. Experience and attitude on certain issues are unimportant if the individual is not able to stand up and support his position. The president must be willing to fight for the student body, and not be bullied by selfish desires or lopsided favoritism.

After all, we don't need a part-time president and a full-time de jure president. We need a full-time president for the full time students left on this campus. April 18, 1981 who knows, this day may too live in tyranny.

It rained on Pelham Range but we had fun anyway

By TIM STRICKLAND

It's common knowledge that JSU's cadets have a thing for exercises. So when word got out that the JSU cadre field training exercise (FTX) was going to rain, well, we all got a little worried. "Don't wash your car on the weekends of a JSU field training exercise (FTX) because it's going to rain— for sure!"

The JSU Junior Cadet Brigade left campus around 4 p.m. Friday, March 30, for the wilds of Pelham Range, where they were to be joined by ROTC cadets from Alabama A&M and UNA.

All cadets were formed into a single company which was subsequently divided into three platoons containing cadets from all three schools.

The low camps had been set up and the leaders had been appointed, most cadets decided to eat a meal of C-rations, commonly called C's or Crats (that last definition takes something away from the appetizer) and to try to get a few hours of sleep.

At 12 midnight, the company went tactical (simulated war time environment). The temperature was in the 30s but bearable.

At about 6:30 a.m., the platoons moved out in three different directions. Not until Sunday morning did the group come back together as a whole unit. During the tactical training, most of the cadets were given a chance to prove their leadership abilities, by serving as platoon leaders, platoon sergeants, or squad leaders, and to show their map reading ability, by attempting to locate various positions.

Night travel was hazardous and difficult. Most had the trees and vines refused to budge when encountered but the bitter fact is that if they had been sharpened just for the exercise. But the full moon provided enough light to keep casualties to a minimum.

On Saturday night, the cold and damp troops were treated to a hot cup of chicken noodle soup which was dished out by some of the senior cadets (thanks, again).

The rain, which increased from the Saturday dusk until the wee hours of Sunday morning, put somewhat of a damper on things (call except for the spirit of the troops, that is). Upon consolidation of the company on Sunday morning, JSU's Major Blackburn, commander of the exercise, made a short speech to the men, that officially ended the exercise.

The JSU cadets were extended the privilege of riding on one of the Alabama A&M buses back to campus. For a sight for sore eyes Jax State was!

As a final, I want to personally state that it was a pleasure to serve with the cadets from UNA and Alabama A&M. They were AOK.

1981 Mimosa expected around April 10. Pick up in Room 103, Theron Montgomery, Building formerly Student Commons.

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How I spent my Spring vacation

**Randy Hartley**
Living Editor

"Life Unlimited" was the message carried to Georgia by the Baptist Campus Ministries Choir and their entourage over the Spring holidays.

We left Jacksonville Saturday afternoon, March seventh, and eventually made our way to the Wieau Road Baptist Church in Atlanta. That first night we went to Lenox Square, and several of us ate supper in a sandwich shop. For the first and last time in my life, I paid six dollars for a sandwich and a coke. I can make them myself much cheaper than that. We played basketball, volleyball, or whatever, and the guys spent the night trying to sleep on the hard gym floor. The girls slept upstairs on the "softer" carpeting.

The next morning we left Atlanta for a suburb, Marietta, and attended the morning worship service at Macland Baptist Church.

The choir performed the musical, "Life Unlimited," that night at Villa Rica, and afterwards we had refreshments in, and toured a beautiful old house with a dark attic, behind the church.

On Monday, we sampled part of the life of mission work by doing some door-to-door sales for the Eastside Baptist Church of Marietta. They had a Bible Study program they were trying to make sure everybody was involved in. That night we rode the subway, or el-train (whatever-MARTA) to the Omni in Atlanta, and several of us saw the movie "Private Benjamin," starring Goldie Hawn. Others ice-skated on the big rink in the center of the Omni, and one guy even managed to earn eight stitches by falling on his face (keep your chin up, Tim).

We surveyed again for Eastside on Tuesday, and for lunch we combined the letters from our game cards at a local "thick and juicy" hamburger place. We needed a "T" to win fifty dollars, and a "C" to win a foil wheeled preppy mobile, and if anybody just happens to have one of those letters, we'll cut you in for a small profit.

The choir gave their best performance Tuesday night at LaBelle Heights Baptist Church. The best songs in the musical are "Forgive Me, Lord" (a pretty ballad), "Sometimes" (an upbeat, hand-clapping tune) and the "Life Unlimited Epilogue."

The thirty-eight of us were separated Tuesday night into smaller groups to stay with different families in the Marietta area. The family I stayed with, the Farmers, had a pool table, pinball machine, jukebox, and an air hockey game in their downstairs den.

Reading in the Bible that night, I came across some scripture that appropriately coincided with our tour. In the book of Matthew, Chapter 10, Jesus was instructing his disciples, but he could well have been talking to us: "When you come to a town or village, go in and look for someone who is willing to welcome you, and stay with him until you leave that place" (TEV). "Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from the will of your Father."

"And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered."

"So don't be afraid, you are worth more than many sparrows" (NIV).

The inner peace that you can know by trusting God was strengthened on this trip in gaining the knowledge that the Lord will take care of even your smallest worries or needs. As a matter of fact, you shouldn't worry at all. He'll (See HOW, Page 12)

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**Carla Wheeler**
Feature writer

**DOLLARS AND HORSE SENSE DEPARTMENT—**Sherlock Holmes and Watson couldn't find out whether or not the tuition is going to increase next fall. Listen to the grapevine, and you'll hear everything from no increase at all to 100 per cent increase. Maybe I pull for the "Junkyard Dogs" a little much, but that doesn't mean I won't take this lying down. If John Wayne were alive, he wouldn't stand for it. He would organize a vigilante squad, round up the lazy no-good slobs, and sew a red "C" (for cheater) on their clothes until they are graduated. That would fix their wagons. We honest folks need some compensation for not having the right connections.

**TAKES A THIEF DEPARTMENT—**Exam prices are being consistently tuned to: All My Children, General Hospital, and Dynasty. We notice a slight decline in the popularity of Dallas, but all you men out there from two to 102 are keeping The Dukes of Hazzard at the top of the polls. Question of the Week: Is Cousin Daisy really that pretty?

"Have a good week, everybody."

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**WEATHER OR NOT DEPARTMENT—**
Only five weeks left in spring semester—where's that Southern sunshine we all know and love? Does anyone out there know an Indian sun dance?

**GRADUATION DAY APPROACHETH DEPARTMENT—**Are you 50 hours or less from that long-awaited degree? 
Don't think that just because you have one of those letters, we'll cut you in for a small profit.

**PEN IS MIGHTIER THAN THE SWORD DEPARTMENT—**After six months of writing for the Chanticleer, I have finally come up with a list of things not to write about unless you have F. Lee Bailey for a lawyer, or want your name placed on a hit list. "Taa-Daah: S.G.A., Black History Month, The Copper Penny, abrupt changes in faculty, derogatory comments about Greek Week, football, or any other problem more consequential than corn dogs."

**OLD WAVE SOUNDS DEPARTMENT—**The sound of yesteryear may be the big thing pretty soon. I noticed that Stu...d...baker's, Claiborne's, and P.J. Haley's (all of ya'll from Decatur know about P.J.)'s all report overflow crowds. The local record stores also say that they can't keep "The Supreme's Greatest Hits" on the shelves for more than two weeks. Maybe we'll be hearing blasts from the past over here sometime in the future...

**VIDEO FANATICS DEPARTMENT—**This may not be as accurate as the Nelson Ratings, but here goes. Local tevees are being consistently tuned to: All My Children (darn that Erica), Gone With The Wind, the Greatest American Hero, M+A+S+H, Flamingo Road, General Hospital, and Dynasty. We notice a slight decline in the popularity of Dallas, but all you men out there from two to 102 are keeping The Dukes of Hazzard at the top of the polls. Question of the Week: Is Cousin Daisy really that pretty?

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This is the eighth edition of America. The magazine includes the stories, photos, and advertisements which were the winning entries in the annual student writing, photography and advertising competitions conducted by Datsun.

A true story by the first-place winner in the Seventh Annual Datsun Student Writing Contest, "Growing Up on the Last Frontier," is a remembrance of a boyhood in the Alaskan wilds. The winning photographs in the Fourth Annual Datsun Student Travel Photography Contest are also published in the magazine, as well as seven ads for Datsun models, the winning concepts in the Eighth Annual Datsun Student Advertising Contest.

The winner of the First Annual Student Travel Odyssey set out with a backpack and a buddy to follow a legend of hidden gold stashed in the forbidding volcanic landscape of Idaho's Craters of the Moon Wilderness Area. "In Search of Outlaw Gold" recounts his adventurous treasure hunt.

The magazine explores students' travels and interests from cruising the Caribbean to bicycling across Iowa. For example, "Sea Cruise" describes a "weeklong, nonstop party with dancing, music, cabaret entertainment, and eight meals a day." In "The Great Bike Ride Across Iowa," a staff writer describes his ride with 5,000 other participants and the many roadside provisions provided by gracious and enthusiastic farm folk.

The country itself is also explored in the pages of America magazine, from the best student hangouts and nightlife spots in six major cities to the backwaters of the Chesapeake Bay; from Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks to the New Mexico area around Santa Fe and Taos, with its strong Spanish and Pueblo flavor.

For those who like to take to the road, there is a profile of Jane and Michael Stern, the authors of the popular travel books Roadfood and Amazing America. Cross-country travelers will have an easier time finding radio stations on their journeys by consulting "Roadland," a sampling of radio stations (and their formats) across the country. "Roadward" will spark interest with diverse suggestions of unusual sights to see. And "Movables Fest" includes a collection of American festivals that celebrate man's many methods of movement, ranging from rafts, balloons, bicycles, and canoes to camels and riding lawn mowers.

All in all, America '81 offers exciting travel adventures, travel inspirations, and useful information to help make student travel practical as well as possible. Nissan Motor Corporation in U.S.A. has bought the exclusive advertising rights for America: The Datsun Student Travel Guide, which is published by 13-30 Corporation, Knoxville, Tennessee.

Graduate Studies program available

By DENNIS SHEARS

For those of you who don't know, Jacksonville State University has a Graduate Studies program for people who want to pursue further education or degrees than a B.A. or B.S. degree.

The JSU College of Graduate Studies is regionally accredited by Southern Association, nationally accredited by NCATE (Education Programs through Master's Degree), and offers degrees in various categories: Master of Arts, Master of Science, and Master of Business Administration.

Requirements for admission for these degrees are as follows:

- Undergraduate degree
- Graduation from a regionally accredited college or university
- A minimum GPA of 3.0

Other degrees offered include Master of Science in Education, Master of Science in Political Science, Master of Science in Criminal Justice, and Master of Science in Instructional Media. M.S. in Personal Counseling, and M.A. in General Studies. There is a gradual growth in the field of Business Administration and Criminal Justice.

Presently, there are approximately 800 full-time enrolled students and approximately 2000 more students who are active in the program at some time during the year.

The fees for courses in the Graduate Studies University are slightly higher than the undergraduate courses. A Graduate Record Examination (GRE) is required, but the score on the test is not the basis for admission.

The admission requirements are determined by a graduate council of elected individuals. The council members also discuss student complaints in the Graduate Studies Program.

The JSU College of Graduate Studies encourages and invites students who are interested in the graduate program to come by his office, Room 202, Bibb Graves Hall, and he will be more than happy to talk with you about your situation.

A Review

"Cheaper to keep her"

By STACY CROWDER

Cheaper to keep her: Regal Productions - "R.

Mac Davis is back after a long rest from his last movie, "North Dallas Forty." Davis returns in a comical role that is a surprise to its fullest extent.

If you're in a comical mood, I recommend this movie. Language gave it its "R" rating and Davis does a surprisingly good job.

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delta chi
by butch shumate

the delta chi softball team got off to a good start last week by defeating pi kappa 12-11. the chi's got some hard hitting and good defense in the first game of the season. the chi's may prove to be a force to deal with this year on the softball field.

the miller drive continues to go well for delta chi. we hold a solid second place and continue to work hard to take the top prize. our hard work paid off last week by having the largest turn-in of the fraternities.

the chi's had a party at brotherhood week last week with hotel and it proved to be a great success. the large crowd enjoyed the music as well as the opportunity to party with delta chi.

alpha tau omega
by gary shamblin

the sisters were some very important awards presented at our spring formal. rosie powell was presented with the "brother of the year" award and the "solon glover" award.

rosie is a very dedicated and beloved brother of the chapter. the eta theta chapter of ato is fortunate to have rosie as a brother and an exemplary leader. chuck yow was presented with the "jo jo parker memorial" award for brotherhood. this award is very special to all of the brothers of this chapter.

mickey statham received the "sports award". d-ray jones received the "chapter service" award. john jones received the "outstanding pledge" award. j-ray jones received the "best p.g.a." award. all of these awards were well deserved and we are proud of all of our brothers.

debi streetman was named ato sweetheart. we are proud to have debi represent ato. sherry sarrells was our former sweetheart and represented ato well.

ato had a mixer with phi mu last week and the theme was "wear something tacky". there were some very tacky outfits at the party.

thanks phi mu for a great time.

this jfc had a successful greek week. we hope everybody enjoyed it as much as we did. it was very competitive and the parties were great.

ato finished fourth, missing third place by three points.

we would like to introduce our new little sisters. they are phyllis jinks, annette cosmas, lori gambril, ann smith, judy alberty, jenni hendricks, pam reed, regina sanders, gail swindell, susan davis, jeanette knoabie, jamie fraedy, kathy hawkins, cathy hammond, angela melkindis, nancy newill, jennifer shupe, and marla rees.

our annual viking party is set for april 11th. the time and place will be announced in a later report.

be-wore of the viking.

ato the only way to go!

kappa alpha
by john selman

the ka rebels are proud to have won a hard fought, well earned second place in greek week. it drew the brothers and little sisters closer together as we showed the spirit of competition among fraternities.

congratulations go out to kappa sigma for their well earned battle for first place, and to pi kappa alpha for placing third.

the rebels are fired up as coach chuck rodgers led us to a victory in softball over kappa sigma. we're looking forward to a great season in softball as we strive for the all sports trophy.

hey, want a great idea way to surprise somebody or you might just miss your mom doing it . . . i'm talking about kappa alpha alpha great tuck-in! it's where brothers and little sisters will sit in and read bedtime stories to you and make you laugh!! listen for information about it or ask any ka brother or lil sis.

speaking of little sisters, initiation is set for thursday, april 2. the brothers would like these well deserving women to know how much we appreciate and admire them in their efforts to support the brotherhood of ka.

finally the pledges are having an open party at the ka house following southern belle initiation this thursday.

don't forget to listen to kj for the ka report monday nights.

pi kappa phi
by stacey crowder

pi kappa is ready for spring. the big brothers of the spring pledges plan a camatroll at brother jeremy scott's cabin. many activities are planned to bring the brothers and pledges closer together.

miller drive is going great. sponsoring two pickups a week, we're gaining points fast. the money for the cars won't hurt either. thanks, david grigsby for your fine job.

a delayed thank you for two alumni for their help with formal, to randy rice for getting the band and to bobby stewart for helping to put it all together. without help like this from supporting alumni, pi kappa would not be what it is.

pi kappa placed third in greek week and won special events. we are also ready for softball. this should be a great season for pi kappa.

april is full of events for pi kappa. april 5 is parent's day at the house, april 10 and 11 is luau. we hope your spring is as eventful as ours and invite you to stop by and check us out.

sigma nu

the brothers of the iota lambda chapter of sigma nu fraternity are saddened by the temporary loss of our pledges. it seems that while we weren't looking, someone auctioned them off to a host of screaming onlookers. however, the $25.25 raised for the pledge class project through the slave auction relieved the melancholy moved to some extent. congratulations to pledge president jim beene and the entire spring pledge class.

also, softball is going well this year for the "skees." we anticipate a much improved record from last year. the boxwood bombers, an independent team sponsored by sigma nu is also threatening to strike fear into the hearts of some teams. coaches bill whitehead and david glover are doing excellent jobs with these teams.

we are proud to announce that we have an important weekend coming up april 3-5 as we celebrate charter day. many parties, celebrations and activities are slated.

sigma nu is still leading in the miller drive although a surge last week by delta chi has closed the margin. congratulations to delta chi for winning the seven cases. finally, congratulations are in order for hubert o'r and barry foster for being selected brother and pledge of the week, respectively.

in the way of honor, follow a sigma nu.

sorority news

delta zeta
by debbie holt

the sisters of lambda gamma chapter were the recipients of several awards at province day. the chapter was presented with the spirit award, loving cup, for best cooperation with national. the chapter also won the first place scrapbook award. individual awards were given torita lee, $100 scholarship, and the chapter ccd, denee mccullars, who won the guild award which is given to the most outstanding ccd in the province.

delta zeta celebrated its fourth birthday here at jsu thursday, march 26. an open party was held at copper penny complete with decorations and a birthday cake. thanks to all who came out and helped the sisters celebrate.

congratulations to olivia spooker for placing second in the greek week talent show. everyone who participated in any event is to be congratulated for helping to make this one of the best greek week ever.

nashville was the setting march 20-22 for the kilarnery rose ball. a good time was had by all who attended. awards were given out to several of the sisters: vickie page, best active; terri sarrelles, best senior; robin herndon, best alumna; julie

ross and janice childs, best pledges. the scholarship award went to susan smith and regina norris. special thanks go to terri sarrelles for coordinating the formal.

bruised knees and lots of laughs were the result of the skating party held march 23. everyone had a blast and the sisters suggested that this be a regular activity.

birthday greetings are extended to diane feshee, kim wellow and big brother bobby austin.

zeta tau alpha
by carla wheeler

zeta congratulations go out to all the girls who made it through ballerina tryouts so far: tracey allen, susan french, sherry goodwin, leisa harron, terri cosmas, darlene singleton, and karen watford. we're so proud of them!

our basketball team finished the season with flying colors—they were terrific! we are now looking toward the spring softball season, and it is sure to be our best ever. our team has been working and practicing hard to be number one!

we want to remind everybody of our open party at the copper penny this thursday night—everybody come on out and have a great time.

laura kent, darlene singleton, and amanda smith were all contestants in the miss northeast alabama pageant this past saturday night, and we are very proud of these girls for representing zeta tau alpha so well.

membership chairman dorothy scalf has done it again—last weekend we had our rush workshop, and she had everything organized right down to the last detail. she also managed to work in time for us to socialize, though—we all had a fun weekend! dorothy has proved to be a top-notch organizer, and she has us all looking forward to next fall.

very special zeta best wishes are extended to alumnae bonnie elliason on her recent marriage to bill reid march 20.

happy birthdays are extended to the following zetas: leisa harron, lisa brown, dawn clements, jamie carlson, terri mccoff and debbie seales!

phi mu
by kristy kiser

the sisters of phi-mu are planning some excitement. our charity project that we contribute to every year is, "project hope". this year we have decided in order to raise money to contribute we are going to "rock" away. we are going to begin

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## Campus Calendar

Any department, office, club, organization, fraternity or sorority that would like to submit dates for the calendar should have them in to Chanticleer Office or call Gail at 435-2554 by Wednesday noon for the next week's publication.

### THE COPPER PENNY

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**THURS.** ZETA TAU ALPHA OPEN PARTY 75¢ cans all night

**FRI. & SAT.** STUDENT ID NIGHTS

**SUN.** FREE TEA WITH MEAL

**MON.** Chuck Knighton Duo and 2 for 1 beer (imports included) 7:30-10 p.m.

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Brazelton & Hannah running for Vice-President

By JEFF SPEEDIE
News Editor

The two candidates for SGA vice-president are Barry Brazelton, a senior from Trion, Ga., and Mary Hannah, a sophomore from Floretta, Ala., both SGA senators.

Brazelton, a physical education major and psychology minor, has been freedom in entertainment spending," Brazelton adds. “What the students don’t realize is that when the fee is paid, they will not have to pay again for a concert ticket.”

Brazelton went on to say that with the extra money the activity fee provided, he could provide entertainment to satisfy a majority of the students.

Hannah, who has served in the senate both years she has been at JSU, is a food services major and marketing minor. She has served on various committees in the senate, including the entertainment and intramurals committee, and has served as chairwoman of the food, student opinion and elections committees.

Hannah is also in favor of an activity fee, but only on a voluntary basis. She feels that if the students want better entertainment, the budget will have to grow, aided by the fee. She also stated that she would like to arrange one big concert and several small concerts of quality for the students. Weekend entertainment is

see more. "Weekends are pretty boring on this campus, and I think that could be solved by weekend movies or mini concerts to encourage students to stay on weekends.” Hannah stated.

Hannah also would like for the students to come by the SGA office and voice their grips. "I want to stress the fact the door will always be open to my office for any students who want to talk and voice their opinion,” Hannah said.

In closing, Hannah expressed her wish that students who have a question or concern should come by the office.

Three in race for SGA treasurer

By SUSIE EWING

The treasurer of the Student Government Association at Jacksonville State University has many responsibilities to the students. Budgeting and allocating funds, keeping records and assisting the president, are a few of the duties the main obligation of the office is to serve the students of JSU.

There are three students who are in the running for the position, Maria Palmer, a junior and Secondary Education major; Tim Culpepper, a sophomore and Accounting major; and Greg Bullock, a sophomore and Marketing and Math major.

Maria Palmer said her interest in the issues brought about the election of the treasurer, Palmer said that she would like to see the problem with student government was the reason Tim Culpepper entered the race for treasurer. Culpepper said he would be in favor of no major changes in the SGA, but be added, in reference to the GPA issue, he would be willing to "fight against the GPA level being lowered." In regard to the entertainment fee, Culpepper said that he would be willing to pay in order to get the entertainment they want.

Also interested in the SGA, Greg Bullock, said he would like to see the problem with student quality alleviated.

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A general interest in the student government was the reason Tim Culpepper entered the race for treasurer. Culpepper said he would be in favor of a minor changes in the SGA, but be added, in reference to the GPA issue, he would be willing to "fight against the GPA level being lowered." In regard to the entertainment fee, Culpepper said that he would be willing to pay in order to get the entertainment they want.

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World friendship continues

By RANDY HARTLEY
Living Editor

The Fellowship of International Students, which is sponsored by the Baptist Campus Ministries, was organized by a small group of students who were interested in promoting friendship and cultural exchange between people from all over the world.

Jacksonville State has at least 60 foreign students enrolled in classes here, with only 20 out of that number being residents of International House.

This week is International Awareness Week on the Jacksonville campus, and we urge you to participate in the activities planned by the International Committee of the BCM.

The date for the next meeting of the FIS is Saturday night, April 18, at the BCM Student Center.

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Veasley... GSC player of the year

Veasley was joined on the All-GSC first team by Toney Andre and Will Colchery of Livingston, Anthony Hicks of Mississippi College and Daron Fayson of Troy State.

By Tim Strickland
Sports Editor

Have you ever witnessed the entry of a very important person through a crowd? A pathway is hastily made clear for the VIP. That's the effect that JSU's Arnold Veasley had on opponents this season.

The 6'5", 230 lb. Gamecock center received the GSC's top honor when he was named as the '80-'81 GSC Player of the Year by the league coaches.

"Player of the Year? Really? Wow!" was the first reaction of the big senior.

Veasley received the honor on his great inside game. When he waltzed through the lane, opposing players would bow out gracefully or they would suffer the consequences.

Although Veasley's 6'5" is considered small by most college standards, he made up for it by playing like a 7-footer. Of course his 230 pound torso helped a lot on his ability to control the lane. Veasley was almost always a key figure in most of the 228 season games.

Coach Bill Jones wholeheartedly agreed with the choice of Veasley and he also agreed that Arnold's size is a big plus.

"Arnold is a very intimidating, rough, physical player. I don't think there's any question what he means to our program."

"I'm proud of him for winning the honor not just for his basketball accomplishments, but because he didn't have a lot of opportunities out of high school. He made himself what he is by hard work and by trusting in the right people."

Veasley was joined on the All-GSC first team by Toney Andre and Will Colchery of Livingston, Anthony Hicks of Mississippi College and Daron Fayson of Troy State.

Ed Murphy, Livingston's head man, was named Coach of the Year after a successful 19-4 season.

Veasley, as do many great athletes, attempted to shift the spotlight from himself to his teammates.

"Whatever I did was for the team. When I won, the team won," Veasley commented. "I didn't do it myself."

A transfer student from Chattahoochee Junior College, Veasley came in to lead the GSC in rebounding last season and was named to the league's second honor team. This year, however, Veasley shot out of the starting blocks like a cannonball that kept rolling all the way to the national playoffs.

"I just went out and played like the coaches told me," Veasley said. "I just tried to play hard and with intensity. I gave the coaches all I had and they gave me all they had. They gave me a chance."

Veasley may get another chance soon. This time at pro football. But I think I'll save that for another article.

Aloha! Dana Kahele

Kahele was stationed in Hawaii as an MP (military policeman) and at Fort McClellan as a drill sergeant training new enlistees, a job that Dana said he "really gained satisfaction from."

Because of his expertise, he was sent on short tours in the far east as an Army investigator.

"I joined the Army to gain maturity and to see some other places," Kahele said. Although he left the Army last year, Dana hasn't severed all ties with the green machine. He is currently a member of the Junior ROTC Brigade.

"My goal in ROTC is to successfully complete the program. I strongly believe that with the ROTC Cadre's help, I can make it," he said.

"I can make it," seems to be Dana's motto. He thought the same thing about the JSU football program, so he asked for and was granted a tryout by the 1980 coaching staff. He impressed the coaches and was given a scholarship to play ball.

In explaining why he chose Jax State, Dana said that "JSU was close to the Fort so I came to watch the Gamecock football games. I met some of the players and they exposed me to campus life. I liked it, I liked the atmosphere."

But that's not to say that Dana doesn't think the Army helped him—on the contrary.

"The military taught me how to be a leader in whatever endeavors I undertake. It also gave me a chance to deal with many different personalities," he pointed out.

Dana's mother and father asked him why he decided to stay here instead of going back to his homeland.

"I told them that Hawaii is just too geographically limited for my purposes," Dana said. "Sure I miss Hawaii and I still feel of it as home—sweet—home. My hobbies in Hawaii were surfing, martial arts and weight lifting. The whole tropical scene was my thing. I miss all that too. But I'm grown now and I feel like I have to make it on my own. I haven't been home in four years, but one of these days when I return there and see my parents and my brothers and sisters (six of them), I want them to be proud of me for what I have accomplished."

The transition from Army life to campus life is still posing challenges to the stout Kahele "but it's things that I can overcome with hard work and determination," said Dana.

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Gamecocks slug Baldwin-Wallace

JSU's baseball club finally got on the stick for the first time in a while as they demolished visiting Baldwin-Wallace College 17-4 and 19-3 here Tuesday night.

"Our guys finally swung the bat with runners on base," said JSU coach Rudy Abbott after the games. "The real test, however, is how we hit the ball in our conference games."

The two wins give the Gamecocks a 10-6 record.

Gil Bruce, senior outfielder, was the top slugger for the Gamecocks against Baldwin-Wallace with a pair of home runs and a single. He scored five runs and had seven RBIs.

Other top hitters for the Gamecocks were Charlie Fisher with a homer, double and single; and Tony Walley and Bob Bender with a home run each. Also, Barry Henderson had a double and a single; Bob McKinney had two doubles and a single; Kenny Atchley had a double and a single; and Derrick Whitely had two singles.

Skipper Jones and Charley Davis backed up the heavy hitting with nifty pitching performances in the two games. Jones struck out 12 and allowed only three hits while Davis allowed only one hit and struck out 14.

It's a hit!

Sororities wind up Greek week

By TRACY PFANNKUCHE

The fraternities finished their Greek Week competitions Friday, after it was all totaled up their was a new winner. This year it was Kappa Sigma with 28 points, followed by Kappa Alpha with 26 points and Pi Kappa Phi with 24 points.

Greek Week started out with archery. Kappa Alpha won in the lead with three points; followed by Kappa Sigma and Delta Chi.

Kappa Alpha kept right on going in the next event getting three more points in swimming; runners up were Alpha Tau Omega and Pi Kappa Phi.

Kappa Sigma pulled out a victory in the Tug of War followed by Pi Kappa and KA.

Pi Kappa then won their first eight in the one on one basketball event followed by Kappa Sigma and Omega Psi Phi.

In the basketball dunk, Omega placed first with Pi Kappa and Kappa Alpha Psi following.

Then in the 120 wrestling class, Kappa Sigs placed first with Pi Kappa placing second.

In the 150 wrestling class Pi Kappa placed first followed by Delta Chi and Sigma Nu. Kappa Alpha then got back into the picture with a win in the shot put; followed by Delta Chi and Pi Kappa.

Kappa Sigma won the next three running events the 60, 100, and 440 relay followed by KA and Delta Chi in the 80, Delta Chi and Kappa Alpha Psi in the 200, and ATO and Sigma Nu in the 440 relay.

In the arm wrestling, ATO finished first with Kappa Sigma and Sigma Nu placing second and third.

Kappa Alpha won the baseball event followed by Pi Kappa and ATO.

In football, ATO placed first followed by KA and Delta Chi.

Pi Kappa then grabbed a first in the Rifle Shot following were KA and Delta Chi.

Then in the dead lift, Kappa Sigma again placed first followed by Pi Kappa and Delta Chi.

In the special event competition Pi Kappa came out ahead, winning the Egg Toss, Bull Riding, and placing third in the House to House beer run, and second in the golf accuracy.

Delta Chi was second with three second places and a third; followed by Kappa Sigma with a first and a third.

The last event was the tennis which wasn't completed because Kappa Sigma only had to place third to win Greek Week and they did so.

Some of the differences that he calls refreshing are that "there is less pressure here and everything isn't synchronized like it was in the Army."

With three years remaining in college football, Dana may make some of his most noteworthy accomplishments as a Gamecock.

Head football coach Jim Fuller said, "It's an unusual situation because of his military background," Kahele is a very polite young man that has worked real hard and improved in every area that it takes to be a winner."

But Dana refuses to accept the credit he merits by pointing out the many "wonderful" people that have helped him along his way.

His high school football record is an impressive one. He played at Farrington High School in Wahiawa where he made the All-State team three years in a row at a linebacker position.

Where will Dana Kahele go from here?

"I'm not sure," he said. "But my goal is to get my degree and utilize it to its fullest extent. I think with the Lord's help, I'm going to go a long way."

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Mike Palmer for SGA President

Mike Palmer holds a special place in thealamo. He is the current president of the Student Government Association, and his leadership has been instrumental in shaping the campus community. Here are some key points about his campaign:

1. **Experience:** Mike has dedicated himself to serving the student body, ensuring that their voices are heard and their needs are met. His experience in student government has equipped him with the skills and knowledge necessary to continue leading the campus.

2. **Vision:** Mike's vision for the future of the SGA includes initiatives that focus on improving student life, enhancing campus facilities, and promoting a sense of community. He believes in the power of collaboration and is committed to involving all stakeholders in the decision-making process.

3. **Community Engagement:** Mike is known for his ability to connect with students on a personal level. He values the opinions and ideas of his peers and works tirelessly to ensure that student voices are heard. His approach to leadership is inclusive and respectful, ensuring that everyone feels valued and appreciated.

4. **Transparency and Accountability:** Mike is committed to maintaining transparency in his leadership role. He believes in being accountable to the student body and is always open to feedback and suggestions. He aims to create an environment where students feel empowered to participate and have a say in the direction of the SGA.

5. **Innovation and Change:** Mike is not afraid to push boundaries and drive change. He understands the importance of adapting to the evolving needs of the campus community and is always looking for ways to improve services and programs.

Mike Palmer is the leader who will continue to guide the SGA forward, ensuring that the voice of the student body is heard and that the campus remains a vibrant and dynamic place. Vote Mike Palmer for SGA President today!