GPA policy surprises some

Various faculty didn't know about plus/minus changes

by Brian Westley

Although JMU's new policy on plus and minus grades will affect students' grade-point averages, several professors said they weren't aware of the change until recently.

According to the Sept. 14 issue of The Breeze, the new grade policy was proposed by the University Council last semester after suggestions from professors, students, and department heads. Moreover, some professors said they were left in the dark regarding the new policy.

David Pickus, assistant professor of history, said he didn't know about the new policy until he read about it in The Breeze. "There's always a problem when policies are simply announced," Pickus said. "However, some professors said they were left in the dark regarding the new policy.

Teresa Gonzalez, associate vice president for academic affairs, said the policy was well-publicized before the recent discussions. "A draft of the proposal was shared widely on campus to many representative constituent groups to obtain reactions and suggestions for changes," Gonzalez said. "After the comments were shared, the proposal was revised and brought forward for approval."

Faculty Senate, the Student Government Association, department heads, the University Registrar and the Academic Council were all consulted, Gonzalez said.

University Council made a final approval of the proposal last semester, Gonzalez said. "University Council members are expected to report to their constituents on important votes and action taken at council meetings so the outcome of the final vote should have been reported back through deans, faculty senate, vice president to report to their constituents."

"There's always a problem when policies are simply announced," Pickus said. "How-
Police Log

by Steven Landry

Campus police report the following:

Underage Possession of Alcohol
• Gustavo H. Thorn, 18, of Springfield, was arrested and charged with underage possession of alcohol on Sept. 15 at 11:30 p.m. on Sept. 15 in Dingledine Hall.
• Kevin R. Clark, 18, of Pittsfield, N.Y., was arrested and charged with underage possession of alcohol on Sept. 15 at 11:30 p.m. in Dingledine Hall.
• Andrew A. Sobota, 18, of Virginia Beach, was arrested and charged with underage possession of alcohol on Sept. 15 at 11:30 p.m. on in Dingledine Hall.
• James C. Anderson, 18, of Gwinneto Valley, Pa., was arrested and charged with underage possession of alcohol on Sept. 15 at 11:30 p.m. on in Dingledine Hall.

Underage Consumption of Alcohol
• Christopher H. Briggs, 18, of Arlington, was arrested and charged with underage consumption of alcohol in Garber Hall on Sept. 18 at 12:32 p.m.
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Property Damage
• Unidentified individuals allegedly broke the rear window of a 1987 Nissan 200SX that belongs to a JMU student on Sept. 15 at 12:17 a.m.

Petty Larceny
• Unidentified individuals allegedly stole a rear license plate from a vehicle of a JMU student in E-lot on Sept. 16 at 10:27 p.m.
• Unidentified individuals allegedly removed a license plate from a vehicle of a JMU student in Z-lot at on Sept. 17 at 11:30 p.m.

Fire
• An over-heated air conditioner in the basement of Wilson Hall ignited the plywood that surrounded it at on Sept. 16 at 6:21 p.m. The fire department responded and extinguished the fire.
• A fire alarm was activated at Sigma Pi fraternity house when a charcoal grill was pulled up next to the rear door to get it out of the rain on Sept. 17 at 8:04 p.m. The smoke entered the party room and activated the detector. The system was reset.

Number of drunk in public charges since Aug. 27: 10

Speech

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whose only "crime" was being a darker skin tone or the bombing of a restaurant with young people who had entered for a meal, the pastor left the audience of about 250 people speechless and horrified.

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baked pinkish people [not white] and over cooked some of us — hence over cooked chocolate brown people."

Masango spoke about the history of racial atrocities and apartheid in South Africa and how South Africans over came it with an insight that could only come from someone with a firsthand account of the history.

"In 1994, people of my color were allowed to vote for the first time in their lives," Masango said. "For us, it was a restoration of our dignity and honor."

It was at this time that the racial healing process began in South Africa. A Truth and Reconciliation commission was set up at the behest of South African President Nelson Mandela. The idea was for all the oppressors to come forward and confess their guilt in front of the families who they had hurt.

"We did not compel the families to forgive the culprits but they were so overwhelmed by the confessions that most of the families found themselves forgiving

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Duke Days Events Calendar

Monday, Sept. 21
• Alternative Spring Break Leader Information Meeting, 9 p.m., Taylor 302, call x6366
• Science Fiction/Fantasy Guild Meeting, 7 p.m., Taylor 302, contact Michael at adkinsmd
• Yearbook Pictures, 1 p.m., Taylor 305, call Leah or Wendy at x6541
• Zirkle House Exhibits, noon, works by Daniel Bayles and Ben Boseman

Tuesday, Sept. 22
• Association of Information Technology Professionals, 7 p.m., Zane Showker 101, contact Josh at rosenjl
• Bible Study, 7:15 p.m., Canterbury Episcopal Campus Ministry, call Jason at 432-0302
• Harmony Meeting, 8:30 p.m., Taylor 311, call Chris Dolce at x6000
• JMU Faculty Recital, 8 p.m., Wilson Hall Auditorium, call x3481
• Pre-Law Orientation Meeting, 7 p.m., Moody 109, call Tanya at x7124
• SGA Senate Meeting, 5 p.m., Warren Hall Highlands Room, call x3776
• Students for Camp Heartland Meeting, 7 p.m., Taylor 309, call Sarah at x6332

Wednesday, Sept. 23
• Association of Information Technology Professionals, 7 p.m., Zane Showker 101, contact Josh at rosenjl
• Evening prayer, 9:30 p.m., CCM House (1052 S. Main St.), sponsored by Catholic Campus Ministry, call Christine at 574-0534
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• Honors Program Brown Bag Lecture Series, Hillcrest House, call x6953
• International Cultural Fair, 7 p.m., PC Ballroom, call x6541
• Intervarsity Christian Fellowship Large Group, 7 p.m., ISAT 159, call Susie at 438-1607
• Visiting Scholar Lecture, 4:45 p.m., Burress 44, call x6742
• Yearbook Pictures, 10 a.m., Taylor 305, call Leah or Wendy at x6541

Thursday, Sept. 24
• Duke Dog Tryouts, 7:30 p.m., Godwin Hall Gymnastics Room, call Sam at 432-9998
• Planetarium Show, 6 p.m. and 7 p.m., Miller 102
E-mail problems temporary

by Marcia Apperson
staff writer

There are several reasons the campus e-mail system has been unstable since classes began, according to computing support officials. The e-mail system has crashed three times since the beginning of the fall semester, Dale Hulvey, director of technical services, said.

Hulvey said the main reasons are an increase in e-mail volume, new hardware and external Internet problems.

"I don't think people can fathom the complexity of what's involved," Hulvey said.

There are about 23,360 active e-mail accounts, Hulvey said. This year, there are about 4,000 students that have personal computers connected directly to e-mail. Approximately 1,000 of these connections are in apartment complexes, according to Systems Manager Mike Lam.

In spring 1996, about 300 people were on the e-mail system simultaneously. About 16,000 messages were delivered daily. In spring 1997, there were about 2,500 users on the system simultaneously, with 8,500 messages delivered every day.

Technical Services is struggling with the growing student population. There is no way for the department to simulate what the result of use by such a large population will be, Hulvey said. There were 15,457 students, faculty, administration and classified staff at JMU during the 1997-98 academic year.

"We have no control over the demand," Hulvey said. New hardware is another cause for network malfunctioning. In July, a new $400,000 Hewlett Packard mail server took over e-mail operations. The single machine, named "Roc," after a large mythological bird, has the responsibility of sending and receiving every e-mail message.

The advantage of the new computer is that it can be expanded, Hulvey said. It will cost more money and take up more space. The previous system would not have been able to withstand the increasing demand, he said.

The third reason for e-mail trouble is external factors. Parts of the system, like Internet access, are beyond the control of Technical Services' employees, Hulvey said.

"We plan to do our best about the things we know about," Hulvey said. "It's the things we don't know about that get us."

With the large demand for e-mail, there are several things students can do to help decrease the problems, Hulvey said.

Students must remember e-mail passwords. When a student forgets the password, the default has to reset and then the password can be changed.

A total of 4,821 passwords were changed during move-in weekend. Of that total, 1,984 had to be helped at the Help Desk lab, Lam said.

Also, there's an added load on the system when students create multiple folders for e-mail accounts. For instance, students can create separate folders for e-mails from professors, friends and parents. It's easier on the system if students created these folders during the summer or waited a while before setting up their folders to space out the load on the system, Hulvey said.

In July, computing services had to set parameters for the load they thought students would place on the e-mail server. The load was underestimated which has resulted in some of the server problems, Hulvey said.

Computing Services is currently working on expanding the parameters, Hulvey said.

Forwarded messages and junk mail, known as "SPAM" messages, also create an extra burden. Students should decrease the number of forwarded messages they send to friends, Hulvey said.

It is best if students read messages and then delete them. Saved messages require extra storage space.

Finally, students need to be aware of message sizes. Messages with attachments can take up a lot of space, Hulvey said.

"E-mail is a shared resource, and it's not an unlimited resource," Hulvey said.

"We certainly hope that it will settle down," Hulvey said. "We are watching a lot of stuff around the clock."

Students have been frustrated with the e-mail system's failure.

Sophomore Betty Flint said, "It's really frustrating when the e-mailing system goes down because e-mail is usually the way to see E-MAIL page 7

Fall break now falls on a Friday

by Melanie Jennings
contributing writer

With other major policy changes, like pluses and minus-sings, counting for grade-point averages, students may have overlooked a smaller change — fall break is on Friday this year instead of Monday.

This year, fall break is on Oct. 9.

Fred Hilton, director of media relations, said a committee sets the university calendar, but said he was unaware of the reason for the change.

Student and faculty reactions to the change vary from indifference to annoyance or approval.

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Fanatics

Proving that the Dukes do have die-hard fans even though they're 0-3, these students show their purple and gold pride Saturday at the football game. JMU lost to No. 4 Villanova 34-30. The Dukes take on the Elon College Fighting Christians at Bridgeforth Stadium at 6 p.m. Saturday. It will be the first meeting for the two teams.
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Waste site disputed

by Molly Moore
The Washington Post

GUADALUPE BRAVOS, Mexico — This bantam border town has a message for what it sees as the overbearing bullies next door: "Clinton and Bush — Take away your nuclear garbage," screams the banner in front of city hall on Main Street.

The town’s hostility is aimed 50 flat desert miles to the southeast, where Texas plans to chew huge craters in the rocky earth to create a nuclear waste dump for radioactive refuse from Texas, Maine and Vermont.

But what state officials in Austin and congressional suites in Washington regard as a remote patch of scrubland is considered by critics as too close to home and water supplies for hundreds of thousands of Mexicans who populate the towns and cities south of the border.

"For us it’s a question of life and death," said Israel Trejo Gamez, mayor of cities south of the border.

The battle over Sierra Blanca has spanned nearly two decades, since Texas first began looking for a dump site to comply with federal law urging states to take responsibility for disposing low-level nuclear waste generated by power stations, hospitals and research laboratories.

The alternative has been to ship it to one of the two operating dumps in Richland, Wash., and Barnwell, S.C. Four other sites have been closed over the years because of various problems.

Environmentalists allege the site is situated over a dangerous fault line in a region that has experienced dozens of earthquakes in the last 70 years. They complain that Sierra Blanca already has the nation’s largest sewage sludge dump and that the trend toward situating waste dumps along the southern border of Texas violates a 1983 pact between the United States and Mexico to "prevent, reduce and eliminate sources of pollution" within 60 miles of the border.

But Hudspeth County officials and Sierra Blanca business leaders argue that the site for low-level nuclear waste is safe and that in a poor county where the biggest single employer is the U.S. Border Patrol, the dump would bring a needed financial windfall. Even though the dump has not been built, the county has received service fees that have helped build a new park, library and health clinic, refurbish the high school football field and buy new school buses and ambulances.

Roadblocks turn deadly with Israel, Palestine

by Lee Rockstadter
The Washington Post

BEIT ULA, West Bank — Not long before her baby stopped breathing — it was born on the way to the hospital and began turning blue — Fadwa Alam had a terrifying thought: What if the Israeli soldiers stopped her?

"We expected them to allow us to cross the checkpoint because I was pregnant and in labor," Alam said. "We had no doubt they'd let us pass. The hospital’s just 10 minutes past the checkpoint."

The Israeli troops manning the roadblock outside Hebron refused to let their car pass, according to an account by Alam and her family that has not been disputed by Israeli authorities. By the time she reached the hospital more than an hour later, after driving halfway around the city to avoid Israeli roadblocks, it was too late.

Still, Alam’s tragedy, while extreme, fits a larger pattern, according to Palestinians who encounter Israeli checkpoints regularly, as well as Arab and Israeli human rights advocates. They say checkpoints manned by Israeli troops in the occupied West Bank have become one of the chief irritants in Palestinian-Israeli relations.

As a regular feature of life for tens of thousands of Palestinians, they mock the assertion that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu often makes to foreign audiences — that 98 percent of the Palestinian population lives under Palestinian civil control. In fact, Palestinian control often ends as soon as Palestinians try to go very far, human rights workers say.

Each of the more than 130,000 Palestinians who cross daily from the West Bank and Gaza Strip into Israel must pass through at least one of about 30 military checkpoints. In addition, Palestinians within the West Bank encounter roadblocks when Israel orders special curfews and closures in times of tension.

To the Israeli security services, whose members live in constant fear of suicide bombers and terror attacks, checkpoints are a deterrent, not a matter of debate. Israel insists its forces have clear orders to accommodate genuine humanitarian emergencies, and generally ambulances and other emergency vehicles are allowed to pass through roadblocks.

In response to the death of Alam’s newborn infant, the Israeli army issued a statement: The soldiers had used poor judgment, it said, and promised to investigate the incident. The army added it was impossible to ascertain whether the baby had died because of the delay in getting to the hospital.

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we all communicate on campus.”

The number of calls that come into the Help Desk when the system crashes more than doubles, senior Help Desk employee Ryan Sawyer said.

“As soon as it goes down they're on the ball,” Sawyer said.

For some students unreliable e-mail has caused problems getting information.

“A couple of my professors had sent me e-mail with some important information about my classes but with the system down I never got the messages,” Flint said.

But other students said they haven't felt any affects of the server being down.

“I check e-mail four or five times a day both on- and off-campus and I never really ran into any problems,” junior Tim Libeau said.

When the server goes down, students just have to wait it out, Sawyer said. “Be patient because as soon as it goes down somebody is working on it right away,” he said.

students are more apt to skip Friday classes and get a four-day weekend instead of a three-day weekend,” she said.

Several other students said they didn’t care when the break is. “I’m just glad we have a day off from school,” junior Julie Lane said.

“I don’t really think I care [which day it is]. I work at Chili’s so I’ll be here [in Harrisonburg] anyway,”

Freshman Nicki Moyer said she doesn’t care whether the break is on Monday or Friday. “[The change] won’t affect me or most other freshmen,” she said. “I can see how there might be a problem with the upperclassmen since they're used to it being otherwise,” Moyer said.

Student plans for the mid-semester day off vary.

Some students are planning trips, like sophomore Seth Pietras, who is going on a road trip to West Virginia during the extended weekend.

Senior Steve Clancy is also taking a road trip.

“I'm going to go up to New York and now I can leave a day early since I don't have Thursday classes,” he said.

If Fall Break would've been on a Monday, Clancy said he wouldn't have been able to take advantage of having no Thursday classes.

Others, like sophomore Tara Sowa, aren't as lucky. “I'm staying here to work in concessions,” she said. “I wish I could go home.”
Sosa should receive due respect

Throughout this blissful 1998 baseball season, Americans everywhere have been glued to their tubes and radios feverently awaiting any news on the St. Louis Cardinals. Everyone wanted to know when Mark McGwire would hit another bomb out of that park. Would he break the mark of 61 home runs set by Roger Maris in 1961? By how much?

When Mr. McGwire hit the record-breaking home run on Sept. 8, it seemed as if America came to a standstill. Major League Baseball certainly did. In the post-game festivities, Cardinal fans from the past, Commissioner Bud Selig, what seemed like all of St. Louis and the Maris family were on hand to congratulate, adulate and coronate Mr. McGwire. On that night, he became the single-season Home Run King.

However, we take this time to remind everyone that what made this assault on one of baseball’s most hallowed records more fun than a mud pit at Tuesday night wrestling, is the fact it was not one man chasing the Mr. Maris’s ghost. We had — and still have — a legitimate race for the National League home run title underway.

Chicago Cubs right fielder Sammy Sosa, who chased Mr. McGwire closely all season, broke Mr. Maris’s record just four days after Big Mac did the same. The Cubs’ slugger accomplished the same magnificent feat, and now has 63 homeres to Mr. McGwire’s 65. However, where were the fireworks, celebrations, achievement with the same reverence they have reserved for Mr. McGwire.

An article in the Sept. 14 issue of Sports Illustrated states: “America is a Baseball Nation again, and Mark McGwire is the head of state.”

Then we pose this question: Is Mr. Sosa the court jester? Hardly. Mr. Sosa could very well surpass Mr. McGwire and end up as the 1998 home run champion, thus becoming the single-season Home Run King. Mr. Sosa, just like Mr. McGwire, has carried himself with a regal sense of grace throughout this whole ordeal.

Furthermore, Mr. Sosa has been more than gracious in the limelight, acquiescing to Mr. McGwire on just about everything — which is an even better reason to root for Mr. Sosa even if you want the New York Mets to take the NL Wild Card slot.

Both sluggers are likeable guys. However, to maintain an unusual sense of dignity in the face of media and fans who treat you like a second-class citizen while continuing on the path of becoming the most prolific single-season home run hitter ever, is amazing.

Perhaps Americans should wake up and give Mr. Sosa the adulation and respect he’s earned.

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OP/ED

UREC: Getting more than just a workout

Eric: "Hey, you about ready to go to UREC?"
Richard: "Yeah, let me throw a shirt on."
Two minutes later.
Richard: "I don't know. Do you think I can pull off this wife beater? I'm not huge, but I think I'm kinda cut."
Eric: "It makes you look kind of big, it's your call. But it's just UREC."
Or is it?
If you've got it, flaunt it. It's a motto some people live by, mostly those clowns on "Jenny Jones" and "Ricki Lake," and also some regular people. While having a good body is considered to be implied or understood, some people show it off. You know who they are.
But is it bad? I'm gonna try and tie this little motto into the biggest meat market on campus: the University Recreation Center.
The first three weeks of the fall semester are one of the three times during the school year when UREC is filled to capacity 'round the clock. The other two are right at the start of the second semester when people come back to school with the all-too familiar New Year's Resolutions to work out more, and the weeks leading up to Spring Break to either slim down or get huge.
Is there appropriate attire for the gym? Is picking up on the opposite sex allowed at the gym (and I'm not talking about, "do you need a spot?") I have the answers to these tough questions.
For those of you still baffled that UREC is the biggest meat market on campus, here's my reasoning: I heard that five years ago, Greek Row was the top draw, but that's been slowed dramatically by the new BYO.B. policy. Apartment parties are near the top of the meat market mountain, but many people throwing the parties don't have the right atmosphere going on. A case can be made for D-hall, but not a strong one. I find the food there so good and plentiful, that I sometimes have problems putting my face up from my plate of tortilla chips and unlimited baked potatoes to look at hot freshmen.
The library, a sleeper in the realm of meat markets, is known to house some of the better looking women on campus, and it's a good place to find a quality girl— if they are in the library, they're smart, or at least trying to be.
I'm going to exclude bars because most freshmen and sophomores can't get in. So how does UREC qualify as a meat market? Let me finish the always fun, "ask a question, answer it yourself" part of this column.
Attire: Jane is looking in the mirror at her outfit just before she goes to UREC. In her mind, she is thinking, I just got back from a summer working at the beach. I am tan. I didn't eat fast-food this summer. I ran three miles everyday. I look good. And speaking for the majority of guys on this planet, we love it! Girls working hard to stay in shape and look good, add spandex to the mix, and you have a recipe for guys dropping 45-pound plates on their feet when they walk and by. Frankly, I can deal with a few broken toes. Girls, you can try and tell yourselves you don't care what you look like when you go to UREC, but we know you're subtly trying to look good. Just like us. Why do you think we are there in the first place? Yes, most of us eat junk food and want to bum off the fat, but we're also trying to get cut. Society may try and dismiss appearances as unimportant, but maintaining a good appearance is half the battle. The other half I'll save for another day and another column.
For guys who have spent all summer trying to look good so they can walk around the pool with their shirts off in an attempt to attract that gorgeous lifeguard, it is okay to wear tank tops or wife beaters? I don't want to act like the authority on appropriate male gym clothing, but I say this: If you think you can pull it off, go ahead. Just be ready. Guys talk about girls at the gym. Girls talk about us. I'll leave it at that.
So I've established, ladies, if you've got it, flaunt it (you know who you are, and if you have to ask yourself, you probably aren't). A lot of the attire factors have to do with confidence, but again, that's another day and another column.
2) Pick up lines: As much as I hate to say it, hitting on the opposite sex is a huge no-no at the gym. Most of us are there to work out, and don't want to be bothered with cheesy lines that should be saved for D-hall. However, funny lines are acceptable— lines that aren't come-ons, but really are. A girl told me one time she was at UREC and this guy was looking at her laughing. She asked what was so funny, and he said, "Your shirt has the word 'beaver' on it."
Yes, that is fourth gradish, but come on, the guy had the guts to say it to an attractive girl, so give him some credit. Like an idiot, he ruined it with a follow-up line, and the girl walked away. He was an amateur. In short, stick to something short and funny, if you're going to say anything at all.
Or you could just be yourself.

Jason McIntyre is a senior SMAD major who really wants to attempt the climbing wall.

DARTS & PATS

Dart...

A "do-you-want-a-job?" dart to those who get upset waiting in lines at understaffed Dining Service facilities. With close to 15,000 students at JMU, there are going to be lines at all campus food places during lunch time.
Sent in by a student who's worked at Dining Services for two years and is tired of hearing complaints.

Pat...

A "you're-all-amazingly-talented" pat to the cast of 'Romeo and Juliet' who performed at Theatre II last week.
Sent in by a fellow thespian who thinks Shakespeare himself would've been impressed.

Pat...

A "keep-on-marching" pat to the Marching Royal Dukes for their incredible performances and spirit at JMU football games.
Sent in by music lovers who are proud to have such an organization at their school.  

Pat...

A "how-can-I-ever-repay-you?" pat to the guy who gave me extra change in Carrier Library to make copies.
Sent in by a procrastinator who needed the copies to start her paper and is appreciative of your giving nature.

Return of the Mac

— Jason McIntyre

Darts & Pats are submitted anonymously and printed on a space-available basis. Submissions are based upon one person's opinion of a given situation, person or event and do not necessarily reflect the truth.

Dart...

A "pedestrians-have-the-right-of-way" dart to drivers who turn from Duke Drive onto Bluestone Drive that are oblivious to anyone trying to cross the street.
Sent in by several Village residents who think it's only a matter of time before someone will get hit if this reckless behavior continues.

Dart...

A "they-gave-us-fifteen-minutes-for-a-reason" dart to professors who think they can extend class for an additional five minutes.
Sent in by students who aren't enjoying their 10-minute dashes from Zone Showker Hall to Anthony-Seeger Hall.

Dart...

A "how-would-you-feel?" dart to the individual who cut through my bike lock and stole my dark green mountain bike from outside my apartment Thursday night.
Sent in by a transportationally-challenged student who worked long hours to buy a nice bike and hopes you have the heart to return it.
Gary Peterson, professor of mathematics, said he was told of the new policy last spring. He had not used plus and minus grades before and said that even with the new policy, he’ll use them sparingly. Peterson isn’t the only professor who isn’t going to make major changes in grade policy. Several professors have been giving out plus and minus grades in the past and said the new GPA policy won’t have an affect on how they’ll grade students.

“I do give out [plus and minuses] if it’s appropriate,” Lewis said. She has given out plus and minus grades previously, but not to a great extent, Lewis said.

Charles Blake, assistant professor of political science, said he won’t change how he gives out grades because he already assigns plus and minus grades.

Whittier said he’d planned to give out plus and minus grades to students before he heard that plus and minuses affected student GPAs. The new policy won’t affect his position because he said he assumed JMU already counted plus and minus grades toward the GPA.

Gilliam said the new policy won’t affect how she grades because it is something she has done in the past. “I’m very happy [about the new policy],” Gilliam said. She said she always has a difficultly assigning grades that are borderline and feels the new policy will be fairer for students because it gives professors more grade options.

Suzanne Baker, assistant professor of psychology, said she doesn’t know if she’ll assign plus or minus grades. She said she hasn’t in the past. However, Baker thinks the new policy could help keep grade inflation down, for example, when a student’s grade is borderline.

“With a student that has a 79 there’s always a temptation to give them a B instead of a C because a 79 is really different from a person with a low C,” Baker said.

Baker said she thinks pluses and minuses that count towards GPA will give professors more options on what grades to give students and that could keep grade inflation down.

According to a Breeze report last spring, grades have inflated during the past 10 years. In 1964-65, the average GPA was 2.29, while in 1995-96, it was 2.89, according to the report.

Other professors said the new system could help curb grade inflation.

Reilly said, “If a student has tried really hard and hoped for a higher grade, if I have to give them a lower grade I will use a plus.”

Pickus said that there is a big difference between a B+ and a B student. Even though he wasn’t aware of the policy until last week, he said he thinks the new grade policy is fairer for students.
Searching for love in all the wrong places

Loyd Dobler doesn’t exist. I’ve searched and searched. He’s fake. Well, ok, I knew that at heart. After all, “Say Anything” is just a movie, and you won’t find it in the documentary section at Blockbuster. You can’t even find it in the personal video library of many girls our age. We gather together and watch “Say Anything,” “Dirty Dancing” and all those other “chick flicks” while imagining that “ami-fat” guy and would want to see myself as fat when single. I can’t help but laugh out loud when I start thinking about a single gram of fat into their bodies. While I don’t chow on weight are missing out on so much. These are the people annoying than their collective voices screaming, “Oh my god, it’s me!” The macho New York Italian boy who attempts to subtly reveal the fact that he has mafia connections is usually left playing the same numbers on some new unsuspicious diva. At least we get a laugh out of it.

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Breeze Reader’s View

— Erin Callaghan

I realize some guys act even more pitiful than many girls do. I always thought my own gender was impossible to figure out, but I just can’t understand some of the stupid things guys do. Usually with girls, I can’t figure out why they do the stupid things they do. But if you actually take the time to really motivate them, or so every guy I’ve ever known has said. What possesses these guys to think these pick-up tactics would actually work? As for finding a guy on your own, this psycho-breed of boys is seemingly growing in numbers. When a situation similar to the one I had in Florida replays within the confines of a bar or party, my friend and I usually make a bee-line for the door. The macho New York Italian boy who attempts to subtly reveal the fact that he has mafia connections is usually left playing the same numbers on some new unsuspicious diva. At least we get a laugh out of it.

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— Erin Callaghan is a senior mass communications major.

Weight-watching reaches extreme levels

One healthy student’s quest to understand her friends’ behavior leaves her perplexed

It has come to my attention that my friends are exercise obsessed and weight-watching has reached extreme levels. They plan their lives around multiple trips to the University Recreation Center, profess their undying loyalty to Jane Fonda and constantly pinch their fat stomachs and thighs while wishing it was all non-existent fat.

While I love my friends dearly, there is nothing more annoying than their collective voices screaming, “Oh my God, there’s two grams of fat in this! I just can’t eat it!” I go through my insecure days too, but overall when I look in the mirror, I feel comfortable and confident with myself and my body.

I have one friend who gets angry with me because I don’t worry about how fat she is. This girl, by the way, is about 90% lightweight and can wear three clothes. Are there a lot of people out there like this? I just don’t understand it. People who flatly refuse to eat certain foods because of an irrational fear of gaining weight are missing out on so much. These are the people who will not allow a single piece of food with more than a single gram of fat into their bodies. While I don’t chow on fast food every day, I certainly won’t spend hours talking about how one piece of pizza I ate last week went straight to my thighs.

I’m not trying to offer advice here, I just want some explanations to why people see themselves as fat when they are really no more than stick figures with hair. Do they really realize how annoying that “ami-fat” guy gets? Especially in my case when my friends, who are a good six inches taller, wear my clothes! Sometimes it feels like some big competition of who can be the skinniest. At least one of my friends, I’m certain, is an undiagnosed bulimic. She fits the textbook description, and while she does eat on occasion, it’s usually microscopic amounts of food closely followed by a trip to the bathroom, or more recently, the gym. If the situation wasn’t so grim, I would almost find it funny.

Breeze Reader’s View

— Amy Bafumo

When we eat together, the discrepancy in our dinners is more than obvious. While I eat fettuccini alfredo, my friend will eye a single green pea, a strip of white meat chicken and a teaspoon of fat-free barbecue sauce. She’ll push this around, eating maybe half a bite here and there, Vomiting the food, he says, is a way of losing weight. I’ve never searched and searched. He’s fake. Well, ok, I knew that at heart. After all, “Say Anything” is just a movie, and you won’t find it in the documentary section at Blockbuster. You can’t even find it in the personal video library of many girls our age. We gather together and watch “Say Anything,” “Dirty Dancing” and all those other “chick flicks” while imagining that “ami-fat” guy and would want to see myself as fat when single. I can’t help but laugh out loud when I start thinking about a single gram of fat into their bodies. While I don’t chow on weight are missing out on so much. These are the people annoying than their collective voices screaming, “Oh my god, it’s me!” The macho New York Italian boy who attempts to subtly reveal the fact that he has mafia connections is usually left playing the same numbers on some new unsuspicious diva. At least we get a laugh out of it.

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Los Angeles Guitar Quartet pleases crowd

by Jacob Wascalus

Every so often, a group of musicians forms an ensemble so talented its live performances set precedents difficult for other bands to meet. In the case of the Los Angeles Guitar Quartet, which performed Friday evening to a near sell-out crowd in the Wilson Hall Auditorium, its beautiful, 90-minute performance met a high mark of excellence. It proved itself to indeed be one of these bands.

The Los Angeles Guitar Quartet is recognized as one of America’s premier instrumental ensembles. Consisting of the four virtuosi John Dearman, William Kanengiser, Scott Tennant and Andrew York, the quartet’s unique blend of eclectic programs and dynamic musical interplay brings a new energy to contemporary classical guitar performances.

Along with its innovative transcriptions of concert masterworks, the Quartet also breaks new ground with its interpretations of contemporary and such World music genres as African, Latin and Asian.

The LAGQ, as it’s also known, has steadily been building a national and international listener base among classical guitar fans through appearances at prestigious musical events. Among the events are series at Pasadena’s (Calif.) Ambassador Auditorium, Chicago’s Orchestra Hall, New York’s Lincoln Center and Weill Recital Hall at Carnegie Hall. LAGQ has also been featured in the Hong Kong, Singapore and the Istanbul International Arts Festivals.

One of the ensemble’s four members has a history with JMU. Andrew York (class of 1980) has since established himself as a unique and compelling voice in the guitar world. His work has been recorded by such renowned guitar aficionados as John Williams, Christopher Parkening and David Brandon, and his original works “Bantu, Quiccan” and “Pacific Coast Highway” are featured on LAGQ’s release “Labyrinth.”

Two of his new works, “Passage” and “Djembe,” are currently being toured by the group of rouse audience acclaim.

During the weeks preceding Friday’s event, WMRA promotion director Andi Arndt said the radio station began plugging the LAGQ concert to build interest.

“We initiated this event and wanted it to succeed,” she said. “We know a lot about our listeners’ tastes, and we had a hunch that they’d like [the LAGQ].”

In the case of WMRA listener and JMU graduate Howard Arnn, Arndt’s assessment is true. The performance Friday was not only excellent but also exceeded his expectations, Arnn said. “I thought the performance was marvelous,” he said. “All four members played so extraordinarily well I would like to see them here again another time.”

Senior Michael Meadows, a music major, said he enjoyed the Quartet’s creativity over its virtuosity, especially in “the way they used its guitars to make other sounds.” In particular, he liked how it “attached devices to its strings,” a technique reminiscent of John Cage’s prepared piano.

The performance was indeed amazing. For a seemingly effortless 90 minutes, LAGQ strummed its way through a varied set of international pieces.

The accurate transcription and ease with which the Quartet played made choosing a particular song as a highlight nearly impossible. Each was refreshing as well as adventurous.

LAGQ is noted for performing such complex pieces as “Canon in D” and “The Nutcracker” with only its four guitars while making them sound full and rich. At Friday’s performance, even though those pieces weren’t performed, Arnn found himself pleased with the Quartet’s set: “I was happy that they deviated from the program by playing Praetorius,” he said. “In a way, it reminded me of ‘Monty Python.’”

Such reactions aren’t uncommon. In many of its songs, LAGQ incorporates characteristics of different genres to liven it up. Whether it’s salsa, reggae, rock, bluegrass, grunge or any of the other many genres, it uses these influences to show its versatility and innovation.

By the performance’s end, hearing the Quartet’s vast repertoire of talents was enough to make people leave with a greater appreciation for classical guitar.

Its set was excellent: lively, challenging and at the same time, drawing.

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Van Goghing down memory lane

by Megan Rosenfeld
The Washington Post

There is a dentist in France who will paint a van Gogh reproduction on your front teeth if you want. A French cook fashions copies of van Gogh paintings in sugar, and is gradually making his way through the entire oeuvre. Knitters turn the paintings into sweaters, craftsmen make them into mosaics, profiteers program paint machines to duplicate van Gogh's painstaking brush strokes.

Vincent van Gogh and his art have spawned a vast industry of worship and imitation — reams of books and articles, movies, plays, songs, poems, Web sites, T-shirts, puzzles and even a "Great Artist Series" Barbie doll dressed in a sunflower.

Pilgrims travel to weep in the room where he died in Auvers-sur-Oise, France, and leave ashes and mementos at his nearby grave. There is a Pin the Ear on van Gogh has the dubious distinction of being the most recognized artist in the world," said Eric Jackson of Anderson Consulting, which is underwriting the exhibition for a sum he would not disclose.

That recognition appeals to the Fortune 500 CEOs and CFOs who are his company's main clients, Jackson said of the decision to sponsor the show.

Monique Hageman of the Van Gogh Museum says the artist's appeal is "because of the letters he wrote. So we know a lot more of him than of other painters of his time. Everybody wants to make a romantic life of what we know of him from his letters."

Built to accommodate 60,000 visitors a year, the 25-year-old Van Gogh Museum has been attracting more than 15 times as many. With a single elevator and one staircase, viewers face long lines, especially during the high-tourist summer season.

"A million people a year, and toilet facilities designed for 60,000," museum spokeswoman Marjelle van Hoon said.

Because it must close for eight months to complete renovations prompted by this popularity, the museum (which was started by van Gogh's nephew; the name comes from his beloved brother Theo) agreed to loan 70 of its 200 paintings to the National Gallery.

Van Gogh mania perhaps reached its height in 1999, when "Portrait of Dr. Gachet" was sold at auction to a Japanese paper magnate for a record $82.5 million. That sale occurred 100 years after the impetuous artist died, shortly after painting the picture of his homeopathic physician, a man he thought sicker than himself.

Given the vices of the art market, however, it is best to consider the value of the collection coming here as "priceless."

Security will be extremely tight. Van Gogh was the most recognized artist in the world," said Jackson.

During the high-tourist summer season. And expect heavy demand for the 1,800 to 2,300 additional tickets to be released every morning during the exhibition. Even scalpers have gotten into the act, selling the free tickets for as much as $50 for opening day.

"We don't usually do art exhibits," said Danny Matta, the owner of Great Seats Inc., a ticket brokerage in College Park, Md. "But many of our regular clients wanted them. This is basically a service for people who don't want to wait in line."

"Surveys have shown that van Gogh is the most recognized artist in the world," said Hageman. The artist's appeal is "because of the letters he wrote. So we know a lot more of him than of other painters of his time. Everybody wants to make a romantic life of what we know of him from his letters."

The National Gallery will have its share of memorabilia for sale — 64 items ranging from 50-cent postcards to a $139 vase, all of which have been approved by the Van Gogh Museum as suitably tasteful. The profits go toward subsidizing the gallery's publications.

In its more-virulent forms, van Gogh mania goes way beyond 50-cent postcards. "It's a peculiar global community of enthusiasts that all share the same kind of fever," said David Brooks, a Canadian computer expert who maintains the Web site www.vangoghhall.com.

"There is something indescribable that possesses you . . . the majority of people, you couldn't show them a Vermeer and they would know what it is. But you show them 'Starry Night' or 'Bedroom' and they know who he is. Why are people so fascinated with Elvis or James Dean? It's the tragic flavor to their story . . . it touches people."

"Lust for Life" is just one of more than 85 feature films and documentaries about van Gogh from 19 countries, according to Kees Pinxteren in "The Mythology of van Gogh." They range from fictionalized dramas to Dadaist parodies to a one-minute humorous exegesis in Dutch called "The Bedroom."

Van Gogh has inspired scores of novels, biographies and critiques, as well as sappy poetry.

Painters, from the prominent to retirees copying postcards, have mimicked or interpreted him for decades.

Perhaps the most dedicated van Gogh worshipers are those who travel to the many places he lived in the Netherlands, England, Belgium and France. It can take two weeks to visit all the sites in Holland alone.
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As Robert Roberts, professor of political science moderates, panelists for the “Media, Technology and Freedom of Expression” discussion answer student and faculty questions. Thursday’s panel was part of the week-long Arts and Sciences Symposium.

First Amendment, technology discussed

by Jessica Beck

College students are slowly losing their first amendment rights, the moderator of a media panel said Thursday afternoon. About 80 JMU students and faculty gathered in Taylor Hall Thursday to discuss “Media, Technology and Freedom of Expression” as part of the Arts and Sciences Symposium.

Robert Roberts, professor of political science and moderator of the discussion, opened by asking the audience if there should be limits placed on the media.

The emergence of satellite television and the Internet have had a tremendous impact on how information flows, said panelist Robert Patterson, an SCOM professor.

Along with increased accessibility comes media filtering, as only a few owners control most of the media information that is consumed, Patterson said.

Patterson gave a brief speech entitled, “Civic Communication: Reclaiming the Rights and Responsibilities of our Freedom to Express,” in which he suggested that “media and technology corporations are dictating the very forums of public life.”

Patterson said television is changing the structure of national discourse, by creating new forms of truth telling.

Roberts said, “It is important to realize how changes in technology cause changes in our speech.”

“As our communication becomes more anonymous with increased public access to certain forms of the media, like the Internet, we have to be careful in what we believe as fact. Just because something is posted on a web page, that does not make it credible,” Roberts said.

“Since no one is accountable for the information it becomes more difficult for us to judge as truth and the potential for abuse becomes high,” Roberts said.

Senior Joey Groah said he thought the discussion was informative. He said he was interested in how current technology is changing the way people communicate and receive information.

In addition to the Internet discussion, panelist Roger Soenksen, professor of speech communication and media arts and design discussed the idea that student journalism in state institutions is gradually becoming more censored.

“Colonists afraid that our freedom of expression would be limited created the First Amendment for our protection,” Soenksen said. “Now students are losing those rights.”

Junior Ashley Paul said she was most interested in the issues surrounding students’ first amendment rights.

“We are losing our rights, and I think this lecture was beneficial to all students by making us more legislatively aware of what our rights are and what we can do,” she said.

Patterson said, “One purpose of this lecture and discussion was to think about freedom of expression in different ways, not only legally but in an everyday practical sense as well.”
Good hope hunting

Beauty helps survival by restoring faith, professor says

by Tara Jennings
contributing writer

The Arts and Sciences Symposium turned its focus to hope and beauty Wednesday, as Scott Russell Sanders spoke about his book, "Hunting for Hope."

Sanders, distinguished professor of English at Indiana University, said he wrote the book to give hope to the people who feel there are no solutions to the problems of today's society.

Speaking mainly on the chapter entitled "Beauty," Sanders said beauty influences our survival by feeding us from the same source that feeds us, restoring our faith in nature and reassures us that we are wonderfully made.

He discussed the improbability of pursuing the laws of nature without bumping into beauty and commented that one needs training to see beyond the obvious. To illustrate his point, Sanders used the example of someone who appreciates beautiful music that comes from a musical instrument, but one must learn how to play it to experience its complete beauty.

Sanders also said beauty is out in the world and this beauty gives us a glimpse of underlying things. What we find beautiful is what we feel things ought to be, Sanders said.

Students who attended the lecture said Sanders' ideas on beauty and nature were thought-provoking.

Freshman Alisha Berrington attended the lecture, and said, "I never thought of beauty in terms of how a lot of things he discussed, but the way he portrayed beauty in life was hopeful."

Junior Jennifer Chapman said she enjoyed the connections between ideas Sanders made in his lecture.

"I really enjoyed the way he made a connection between things such as beauty, art, science and religion," Chapman said.

Another student said the speech made him examine his own life.

Junior Brian Stoughton said the lecture "made him realize that I need to slow down and enjoy more of God's beautiful creations."

Prof calls digital science 'revolution'

by Maury Sugarman
contributing writer

The effect of electronic digital technology and new discoveries it's made possible was the subject of Tuesday night's Arts and Sciences Symposium lecture.

"Galileo would be amazed with what a human using a machine can accomplish today. He was someone that was so enthusiastic about the novelities of technology," Paul Humphreys, professor of philosophy at the University of Virginia, said during his lecture, "The 3rd Revolution: Digital Science."

Humphreys said 150 people that technology has given mankind the enlightenment to see truth and solve previously impossible problems through math.

Last year, two men achieved a feat deemed impossible when they drove a car fitted with twin jet engines down a road at 770 miles per hour and surpassed the speed of sound. In order to keep their car grounded at such a high speed, sophisticated, extremely detailed computer-assisted aerodynamic models were needed. Without the computer processor power of today, their feat would have been more folly than fact, Humphreys said.

For many centuries, two philosophies concerning the truth have dominated. Empiricism states all knowledge must be observed to be believed, while rationalism says some truths can be learned independent of our sense. The digital revolution has created a middle ground between the two, Humphreys said.

For example, while we can't physically see DNA evidence ourselves, we are quick to believe it simply because we trust the vision of our machines more than we trust our own, Humphreys said.

Ching-Yuan Chang, associate professor of mathematics, and an Arts and Sciences Symposium committee member, said this year's symposium is only the third in the past 20 years in which science has been a focalpoint.

"This week is very educational for all of our students," he said. "Our students don't get [so many quality speakers on a subject in one week] very often, and they deserve this. We have been planning this event since last October, but the time spent has been well worth it."

Freshman Carly Hassinger attended the lecture. Although she is an English major, "Math is sort of a hobby that I got from my parents [who teach math and science]," she said. Hassinger enjoys working with words in her major, but at times numbers make much more sense, she said.

Lynn Bowes-Sperry, assistant professor of management, said many of the technical details discussed were less important than the overall question of how new technologies alter our view of the truth.
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Cancer hits home
The story of one 21-year-old’s fight against the disease

by Amy Joseph
contributing writer

"Chemotherapy hasn’t taken the Italian out of me," Vinnie Augustoni jokes.

Augustoni, 21, was diagnosed in late August with testicular cancer, the most common form of cancer for men age 15 to 35.

Like many JMU students, Augustoni grew up in northern Virginia and graduated high school in 1995.

After graduation from West Potomac High School in Alexandria, he joined the United States Air Force. It was while he was working in England as a supply systems analyst that he began experiencing lower back pain. He was not alarmed until he woke up one morning and his left testicle was swollen. Augustoni immediately went to the infirmary on base.

After three doctors examined him, he was sent to the hospital. There he underwent an MRI (magnetic resonance imaging) and a blood test, a urinalysis and physicals from three more doctors.

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At a Glance . . .
Facts about testicular cancer

- It is the most common form of cancer for men age 15 to 35, but it can strike any male, any time.

- An estimated 7,600 cases of testicular cancer will be diagnosed in America each year. About 400 of those cases will be fatal.

- Testicular cancer is almost always curable if it is found early.

- Most cancers are found by men themselves as a lump on the testicle.

- Five-year survival rate for Stage I is 95 percent, Stage 2, 90 percent and Stage 3, 75 percent.

- Treatments include surgery, radiation therapy, chemotherapy, surveillance, or a combination of these treatments.

Resource Center (TCRC), in most cases, men are still able to have children.

Radiation treatment can cause temporary infertility. After a few months fertility is usually restored.

The risk of infertility occurs with RPLND (Retroperitoneal Lymph Node Dissection) — they may have to remove lymph nodes in the abdomen. This surgery is only done when the cancer has spread to the lymph nodes and is rare.

The toughest part of testicular cancer is the treatment, according to Augustoni and many health care professionals. Because of his excellent health prior to the cancer, his doctors decided to be aggressive with the cancer.

His doctors put him on a four-week cycle for chemotherapy. The first week consists of four hours per day for five days. Nausea pills are given first, then chemotherapy is given in liquid form through an IV.

"During the first week I felt like a vegetable," Augustoni said. He was tired, weak and lost his appetite.

The second and third weeks he was able to go home and feel more like his normal self. He had to go to the hospital on Tuesday, when the shot is given to check his white blood cell count. White blood cells are the cells cancer attacks; they are also the body’s immune system. To avoid germs during chemo, patients have to stay away from highly populated areas such as movie theaters or malls.

On Fridays during these two weeks, Augustoni had to go back for a shot of bleomycine. This shot is given to keep the white blood cell count low. If not, one more session of chemo should rid him of testicular cancer for good.

Augustoni knows the next few months of treatment are not going to be fun, but he is not going to waste his time being sad about it.

When a friend asked if he was scared of chemotherapy, he answered no.

"I’m not trying to be a hard-ass," Augustoni said. "But maybe I would be worried if I was having triple bypass surgery. I know chemo is going to make me sick, but it’s going to make me better."

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Benefits, flaws at CISAT Hall

by Kate Veseljeva
contributing writer

A common undergraduate T-shirt reads, "JMU, the best five or six years of your life." College signifies an important step forward in personal growth, because it entails a great deal of responsibility. College means independence and of course, fun. It also requires students to get acclimated to new things. One of the toughest parts of college can be adjustment to life in a residence hall.

Some first year students have no idea of what living in a residence hall really is. There are several ways for them to get over the "cultural shock." One way is to ask experienced residents for advice. But for students living in the newest residence hall on campus, like residents of CISAT Hall (R-1), there is no other way to get adjusted than by your own experience.

CISAT Hall, popularly referred to as Skyline Hall, is a novelty for JMU. It is the first residence hall on the new College of Integrated Science and Technology (CISAT) campus. It was opened for students at the beginning of this semester. If everything goes as planned, within the next two years, the campus will contain more buildings including more residence halls, a student center, and a new cafeteria.

CISAT Hall currently houses 410 students in two wings. The east wing contains freshmen, while the west wing is upperclassmen. The two wings are connected by "the pavilion," a hallway containing offices and a meeting room.

Sophomore Lindsay Hockensmith feels expanding across the interstate is a positive step for JMU. "We really need this new campus. They don't have enough room for increasing numbers of students anymore," she said. "If they wish to keep the college expanding, they should build this campus."

Most students like the new residence hall, for a variety of reasons. Sophomore Jenny McNamara has many reasons for enjoying the new building. "It's clean and neat and well-equipped," she said. "The whole construction of the building is open — that's what I like the most."

Sophomore Laurie Whitlock lists the air conditioning system as a positive aspect of living in Skyline. "Last year, I lived in Eagle. We'd sweat to death trying to get to asleep," she said, "Air-conditioning here is just great."

Students are also quick to point out the benefits of being the first to live in a brand new residence hall. "I feel like we are the first to break in this dorm," freshman Dan Horn said.

His roommate, Peter Gorecki, agrees. "All our friends are jealous because we live here. They really envy us," he said. Everything is so nice and clean - the furniture and the facilities.

Besides, I guess we got the biggest rooms on campus," Gorecki added. The rooms in Skyline are surprisingly spacious, roomy enough for students to get all their belongings in and still have space to move without bumping into their desks or closets.

Besides the large rooms, residents of the new hall also feel using their JAC cards, as opposed to keys, to open the entrance door is a positive feature of Skyline, offering added convenience and security.

Although most residents of the new hall are very satisfied with the facility, the distance from main campus still weighs heavily as a drawback for many. Kenneth Armstrong feels it's difficult to use campus dining services. "I'd love it more when the cafeteria is open," Armstrong said. "Walking all that long way for food is not that fun."

McNamara agrees. "Distance is a huge drawback. I don't mind walking, I like some exercise. But when it gets really cold and nasty outside I don't think I will be willing to walk that long," she said.

For students living in the new hall, using the inner campus shuttle is a part of their lives. Buses come every 15 to 20 minutes and take students to upper campus. "The bus system is pretty reliable, for the most part," Aditi Chhaya, a resident advisor, said. She added that most of her residents have not had problems using it.

Still, because of the distance, many of the hall residents feel somewhat secluded from the main campus and its attractions. Laurie Whitlock admits feeling a little removed. "On main campus, everything is closer and you are closer to life. Here, you feel distracted from people and activities," she said.

Whitlock also feels it can be difficult to get to know students living in the hall because many spend much of their time in the main campus.

Some students, like Hockensmith, don't mind the distance from main campus. "I don't like that hustle and bustle of main campus," she said. "I used to live there and every time people had parties late at night, we heard them and couldn't fall asleep. Here, you don't have all these endless crowds of people passing by your window, overlooking what you are doing. It's quite and calm here, I really like that it's far from the main campus."

Many students living in residence halls across campus couldn't imagine air conditioning being a problem, but residents of the CISAT feel their building is too cold. It gets extremely cold in the lobbies and in the rooms, especially at nighttime. Transfer student Anna Nicole Mandorli feels it's awful.

"That's what I hate about this dorm. It gets really cold at night. So if you need to go to the bathroom in the middle of the night, you feel so cold you even can't make it! And when you're stepping out of the shower - it's freezing," she said. Shannon Halstead, the hall director, said they should have the problem fixed within two weeks. "Things will get better. The smartest thing we can do is to wait for awhile," she said.

Hockensmith realizes it may take time to get everything worked out. "It is just a new building. They don't have everything quite finished yet," she said.

Second floor west wing resident advisor Alfredo Capps feels the students of the new hall is the students who have adjusted in stride. "There's a great sense of community. Students have a great attitude," Capps said. "It is people who make the campus. And people here are just awesome!"
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Villanova holds off JMU 34-30

503-yard offensive explosion not enough to give Dukes first win of '98

by Seth Burton

From almost any seat in Bridgeforth Stadium, the scene did not look good. One minute into the second quarter, the Dukes found themselves down 14-0 to the fourth-ranked Villanova University Wildcats.

As Villanova tailback Brian Westbrook celebrated the second of his four touchdowns, the gloom of two straight losses and an impending third began to creep over the JMU sideline.

Thirty-four football minutes later, after a ferocious JMU comeback, the Dukes walked off the field 34-30 losers, but with none of the negativity usually associated with 0-3 teams.

"It's not all gloom and doom for us," JMU head coach Alex Wood said. "We faced three pretty good football teams in the last three weeks. We're disappointed because that's three teams we could have easily beaten."

Victory was definitely within the Dukes' grasp Saturday, but once again penalties and mistakes led to their downfall.

Despite controlling time of possession, gaining 42 more total yards and running all over the Wildcats, eight penalties for 79 yards and problems with the snaps in the kicking game held the Dukes back.

"Once again, the same thing," Wood said. "Penalties, penalties, penalties. They get you out of a good situation on the football field. You just can't do that and win against a good football team."

JMU was in position to pull out the win, in large part to the fleet feet of junior tailback Curtis Keaton. Keaton amassed 243 yards on 35 carries and scored two touchdowns. He finished the afternoon with the third-highest single game rushing total in JMU history. (Warren Marshall holds the JMU single-game rushing record with 264 yards set in 1986).

Keaton got the Dukes on the board first when he capped an all-rushing, eight-play drive with a nine-yard touchdown run with three minutes left in the first half.

The snap on the ensuing extra point was a low one, and junior holder Delante Fitzgerald picked the ball off the turf and began to run to his right. He spotted sophomore tight end Jeremy Lindsay Fleshman's perfectly in sync the open Fleshman continued untouched into the end zone, bringing the Dukes within three, where they stayed to end the half.

JMU continued to run the ball effectively as the second half began. The Dukes pounded the Wildcats relentlessly on the ground all afternoon, as they piled up 292 rushing yards.

"If we cut down on those big plays, we should be ready to go," JMU strong safety Mike Masella said.

Masella made a big play of his own on the following two-point conversion. Boden dropped back to pass and released a 72-yard bomb that hit sophomore wide receiver Lindsay Fleshman's perfectly in stride. The open Fleshman continued untouched into the end zone, bringing the Dukes within three, where they stayed to end the half.

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Another Villanova blitzkrieg attack extended the lead back to 16-29 and once again, Westbrook played the role of the Dukes' main foil. He hauled in a 72-yard pass from Boden for his fourth touchdown of the game, his second game this season where he has scored four TDs. In Villanova's first three games, Westbrook has scored four TDs.

JMU charged right back however, with a 71-yard drive culminating in a Maddox-to-Shelton two-yard touchdown pass. Maddox finished with 211 yards on 16-29 passing.

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"I just wanted to prove to the coaches that the Lord blessed me with the ability," Keaton said. "I've waited a long time for this opportunity. I wanted to make the most out of every time they gave me the ball."

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JMU sweeps weekend tourneys

Women's soccer shuts out University of Kansas, 1-0, to claim victory in Sheraton Four Points Hotel Invitational

by Keith Feigenbaum

senior writer

After only 11 minutes of play in yesterday's championship match up of the JMU/Sheraton Four Points Hotel Tournament, the JMU women's soccer team made one thing clear to the University of Kansas: They were no longer in Kansas.

The Dukes (6-2), who defeated George Washington University, 2-1, on Friday night to reach the final game, needed only senior Lisa Cioffi's tally at the 11:52 mark to send heat-stricken Kansas packing with a 1-0 defeat.

The goal was Cioffi's team leading fourth of the season, and the assist came from senior Jessica Williams. Cioffi deemed the goal "a combination of three people doing a lot of different things."

Most importantly, Cioffi's goal allowed JMU to take an early lead despite the absence of senior forward Therese Wolden, the Dukes' number four all-time leading scorer who was sidelined with the broken nose she suffered in the team's opener against the University of Virginia.

In addition to capturing their sixth win in 12 games, the Dukes compiled their 12th win in their past 13 games, 15-9, 15-5, 15-11. The Dukes were able to turn around a 15-6, 14-16, 15-2, 15-11 victory as their first stepping stone to their title.

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With the victory, the Dukes are now winners of four straight after losing their opening two games to UVa. and the team made one thing clear to the University of Kansas: They were no longer in Kansas.

"We're [JMU] just a little bit more organized defensively now than we were in the first couple of games of the season," said Lombardo. "The playing surface has a lot to do with it — [the Reservoir Street field] is probably one of the nicest fields that we play on in the country. But it's also big and suits our [JMU's] play because of our speed."

This home-field advantage came into play two-fold on Friday night, as the Dukes played their first-ever home contest under the newly installed lights at the Reservoir Street Field.

"It's showtime," said Lombardo of Friday's contest with GW. "It's a different feeling, a special event for them [the Dukes]. They were really pumped-up and ready to play."

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The Colonials began the second half by cutting the Dukes' lead in two on a Lauren Jacobi's first tally of the year at 29:48. But JMU seemed sufficiently inspired by the 402 vocal fans who packed the stands to hold GW off and advance to the finals to meet Kansas.

Kansas had defeated the University of Arizona, 1-0, in Friday's afternoon game.

The Dukes will attempt to continue their hot streak against interstate rival Virginia Tech tomorrow at the Reservoir Street Fields, 7:00 p.m. JMU has not lost to the Hokies in the teams' five previous meetings. The Dukes won last year's contest 8-1.

The tournament was truly a team effort, as the Dukes proved to be a well-rounded team, winning games with their defense, offense, and midfielders. The Dukes' turnaround came as a result of their hard work and dedication to the game.

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recorded an eye-popping 10 touchdowns.

The Dukes refused to go away, and an 11-play drive ended when Keaton took the ball in from the one-yard line to cut Villanova’s lead to 34-30 with 2:50 left in the game.

Once again, the snap on the extra point was bobbled. This time, however, the Dukes weren’t as fortunate, as senior kicker Alan Haston picked up the ball and was then promptly taken down.

“The kicking game still wasn’t our buddy today,” Wood said. “We’re just kicking ourselves right in the butt in so many areas there.”

The Wildcats ran out the clock, leaving the Dukes with another loss and a bittersweet taste in their mouth.

“Of course, it’s a letdown,” Masella said. “But I think we played hard. We know we can play a good game. This game we played really well. Nova was just a little better today. From last week, we improved a whole lot.”

Despite his outstanding performance, Keaton knows that the only place the Dukes would like to improve is in one area: the win column.

“We wanted to win the game,” Keaton said. “Personal stats are all fine and dandy, but if it’s not enough to get the team a W then it doesn’t really matter.”

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with everybody contributing.

“They played together, like a unit, [with a] winning attitude,” Beerman said. “I thought it was a high level performance, with room for improvement, but we had new people stepping up.”

The Dukes take a 6-3 record into conference play. They first face in-state rival Virginia Tech at 7 p.m. Tuesday and then begin conference play this weekend.

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The aim of the event was to bring individuals together, regardless of ethnicity, color, race and religion. Organizers also hoped to spread an awareness on how to combat racism and a different approach to dealing with it.

“Racism exists everywhere,” said CMSS Director Zebulun Davenport. “It stems out of the lack of understanding among individuals and events like this are the seed to uprooting the disease [racism].”

Masango said, “People here have no knowledge of the world. I have noticed they take things for granted and are quite unaware of the problems the world faces. It’s so easy for you to go to the cafeteria and throw excess food when there are millions around the world who go for days without a meal.”

The pastor delivered his message with ease and struck an excellent rapport with the audience.

“We met [Rev. Masango] at a Trinity Youth conference in Moncton, N.C. last summer,” said Ken Bahn, who is a youth adviser with Trinity Presbyterian Church youth group. “We expressed our desire to visit South Africa upon which he challenged us to bring him to Harrisonburg.”

Rev. Maake Masango will speak at an Interfaith Community Rally on Saturday, Sept. 26 at 7 p.m. The venue is the Trinity Presbyterian Church, 725 South High Street.

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