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An egg drop participant proudly displays his egg-carrying craft during Friday's egg drop contest at Stratton Hall.


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## Review

## George Carlin "Lectures" at WPI

## Sewspeak syaff

Last friday night, in casc you didn't notice. George Carlin came to WPI. If I had been wo persons, this review would have been a mixed one. I have, however, no choice but to put forward an opinion and try to give you an accurate rendition of the show.
This brings us to the show. Whatever you or I may think of George, this was a show that'll be talked about for weeks on campus. Heck, the jokes have drifted into everyday slang, such as the Mr. Bullhorn jokes from the opening act.
Excerpt:
Lawrence (picking up bullhorn): Dear family at the salad bar . . . You have had enough . . . Go hoine . . . Leave some for us . . . Some croutons would be nice . . . Bacon bits too.
Lawrence (I can't remember his last name.) proclaims that hie is the funniest man in show biz. As a name, Mr. Bullhorn is easier to remember. His talents also lie in playing the ruitar and bastardizing original songs For guitar and bastardizing origul songs. For examed at Imelda Marcos and "Good aimed (sung like"Cood Love") menioning Dr Sex"(sung like"Good Love") mentioning Dt Ruth (so what about cucumbers?) (continued on page 5)


George Carlin's reaction to meeting the WPI crowd in Harrington Auditorium on Friday night.

## EDITORIAL

## Professors Have Performance Quotients <br> Everyone should remember the applications they had to fill out to get into college.

 They were asked to provide S.AT scores, achievement scores and a high school transcript. Of course you had to write an essay and maybe you even had an interview, but you knew that most of the admissions department were really looking at those numbers and grades.You chose WPI, and by passing so many courses in so many terms you get to stay here. It is not so easy for your professors.

Many of you may not know what tenure is. Tenure is defined as the right to hold a position. Most of the professors who have been here for a while have tenure. They have proved that they have a right to teach because they are good teachers.

Well, this is a computerized society, and apparently some people think that a professor and his or her teaching can be reduced to a single number. (This may or may not be true, but our source appears to be quite accurate.) Your professor's number is measured in units of Course Student Equivalents (CSE), the equivalent of one student in a standard course. It is calculated as follows:
$15 X$ No. of courses the professor teaches +
Total number of students in all those courses +
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21 X the number of MQP's and IQP's being advised
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When you add this all together, you get your professor's performance quotient.
Newspeak does not know what effect research time and publication has on evaluation of faculty.

Now you can rank your professors and decide which ones are better. The professor who hus onty 10 students in his or her class and gives you lots of individual help will get a lower number than the professor who teaches a lecture hall full of students and lets the TA's handle the conference sections.

Some of the best courses offered are the ones with fewer than 15 students, but once the professors figure out their performance numbers, they probably won't want to teach these courses any more. There will be fights in the departments to see who gets to teach courses like CS1021 or CH1010. Many of the professors might find it more profitable to stop teaching and just advise projects. Better yet, sign up everyone in a class for an independent study and get three for the price of one.

Now that you know this, you might want to try a simple experiment. Compute the performance numbers of several of your professors and see how they compare. It seems, however, that when judging something as intangible as teaching performance, perhaps a method other than reducing performace to one number should be developed.

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## COMMENTARY

## My View from the Fourth Estate

by Joshua Smith
It looks as though this parking mess is finally straightened out: President Strauss sent out a memo which repealed all the new parking policies. To tell you the truth, I don't really know the difference between the new parking policies and those that had been replaced. All I know is that with the old policy, the faculty didn't have to pay $\$ 35$ for a sticker. That means that the new procedure acted much like a $\$ 35$ across-the-board paycut for all faculty and staff that drive to work.
I received the memo in my mailbox, along with an invitation to join the Scuba club, as did just about everyone else, judging by the number of scuba flyers on the floor around the mailboxes. But I doubt most people read the memo. It was marvelous: the most outstanding example of political double-talk and rhetoric l've ever seen. He started by announcing that "Fees already paid will be returned." This is a textbook way to start a returned. This is a exibook way to start a ll the reader that he will recelve money: after that, anything sounds good."
Next, he defends his position by referring to similar policies "sucessfully in place at numerous institutions in the Boston area, This is not a particularly strong argumen considering that for a policy to be "successfulty in place" at any other school simply requires administrative mandate. WPI is rare in that the faculty feel that the administrators are their subordinates. Only at WPI could the faculty petition the President's staff for a policy revocation, and ac (ually keep a straight face. So, in fact, if WP1 were like most schools, the new parking policy would still be "successfully in place" here, But as weak at Strauss argument migh be, it truly embodies the spirit of our school let's do what the big name schools do; if is works for them, it'll work for us. This philosophy has been used to modify the academic system, why not the parking policy?
Strauss continues in the memo by explaining the real reason for his actions (after all, a policy developed by the President's staff can't possibly have any faults). Apparently the policy needed to be repealed because of "allegations of potential damage to confidence in our collegial governance pro-
cesses. What the hell does that mean? Let us examine this phrase word-by-word. "Allegations" are like accusations, except they have no proof with which they can be substantiated. "Potential damage" is a term which, in this context, seems to indicate that the damage was more likely to occur if the new policy had been left in place. Those two were easy. Thus far we have unsubstantiated arguments which imply that some damage might occur under certain circumstances. So what might be damaged? The word "confidence" is not very clear here, since the confidence of whom is never specified; let's just say "somebody " "Collegial" refers to WPI "Governance process" means the policy. making process. Hence, I ranslate his reason making process. Hence, I ranslate "is reason for repealing the policy as such: "Someone maplied that somebody might lose confidence implied that somebody might lose confidence in the policy-making process that the President uses to come up with new policies." Or put even more simply: "My system didn't work, so let's repeal the policy it produced, and keep using my system.
He continues with, "No parking policy, no matter how laudable (read deserving the highest possible praise) its objectives, and no matter how sanctimonious (read rediculous, hypocritical) the allegations of loss of confidence, is worth damage to one of our mos cherished assets (you know, like life, liberty, and the persuit of happiness), namely. collegiate governance (read the Presidents way of making policies)." What this means is that he is willing to repeal this policy (and presumably any subsequent policies) if there is even the slightest hint that someone migh question the way he does his job
This is a man I can really admire. He pro udly proclaims in the loftiest language possible that he is a political jellyfish. So were does he go from here? Well, after explain ing that he told his staff to put the wheels in motton and they screwed up, he declares that he will tell his staff to put the wheels back in motion; presumably so that they can screw up again. But notso-worry - when the "College Governance Process" churns ou a new policy, all we have to do is hint that we might not like the President's preciou "Process," and he will surely repeal whateve measures his staff comes up with.

## Poison Pen

On The Private Sector
by Jody Bobbitt
At Tech we're in training Were groomed and conditioned To someday become Corporately positioned

We learn how to solve
Every problem we meet
Every problem we meet
Were drilled and were skilled Were drilled and we're skilled
And we're fast on our feet

We're exercised well
Like some grand thoroughbred Until it is anchored
In each naive head
The world can be cold
Can be bloody well ruthless

- Which some still don't see

Til they're balding and toothless
So learn your lines well
And practice your it
Underbid, undercut
And you've got a good start

That we're out for cash
Out for blood, and prestige
It's as if we're the troops here
Prepared for some siege
Math and science, we've been taught
Rule all - here that's given
But the vast business world
Is by politics driven

- Yes, we'll make the moves

Shake the hands, deal the deals
As the chrome-plated cogs
In the corporate wheels.

## On Terrorism

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INSTITUTE ROAD by Sean Luck and David Derian


OACWorcester Polytechnic Institute Office of Academic Computing
Newsletter V.14, N. 19 September 23, 1986

Weicome to the weekly newsietter from the office of Academic Com puting (OAC). OAC was formed several years ago to supply WPI faculty, staff, and students with AT\&T faculty, staff, and students with AT\&
personal computers and to provide personal computers and to provide hardware and software support for
those machines. The office staff is those machines. The office staff is on call to answer any questions about the AT\&T PC and supported software at Salisbury 106, Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM.
Other office functions include new software testing, hardware and software updating, and the offering of instructional seminars. The office also maintains a full shop for hardware repair, updates, or additions.
Over the past two years, the "OAC Newsletter" was distributed through inter campus mail on a bi-weekly basis. The letter reached department offices and those registered as having purchased an AT\&T PC through ing purchased an AT\&T PC through OAC. The letter reported any impor-
tant information concerning the AT\&T PC and its associated software packages. With the increased use of AT\&T labs on campus, we feel that items in the OAC newsletter may be of interest to more of the WPI community than just purchasers. This newsletter, included each week in Newspeak, will replace the bi-weekly format used in the past. A laser printed copy of this weekly publication will still be sent to department offices, and is also available at OAC for those wishing to save its contents. Now onto the news!
An error in the AT\&T MS-DOS manual has been reported and con-
firmed. When using the TREE command, there are three options described which can be included with the command (/A, ID, /Q). The syntax listed for including these options is incorrect in the manual
The option delimiter must come immediately after the TREE command, not after the filename:

TREE[/A]/D][/Q] [d:][filename]
For instance, the first example in the manual should read:

TREE/A *
Other examples should be changed accordingly.
The OAC utility of the week is SETUP.COM. This program allows you to change the setup of your printer by sending printer control commands from within an application without having to exit first. There are different versions for each type of printer, but they all work the same The utility is menu driven and is simple to use. For a copy of the program and documentation, come to OAC.
OAC is offering weekly tutorials on the AT\&T PC and associated software packages. The tutorials are held in Olin 205, from 4:00 to 5:00 PM. This week's topics are:
Tuesday 23
PC-Write part I Wednesday 24 PC-Write part II Thursday 25 PC-Write mail merge Tuesday 30 Turbo Pascal, intro
Handouts are available at the tutorials. A brief outline of material covered at each tutorial is available at OAC.

## DATELINE

Sunday, Seplember 14 After another bomb attack on Paris, in a Jacques Chirac announced new security measures. One of these measures is that visas are now necessary for entrance into France for most foreigners. Monday, September 15
A bomb exploded in the main headquarters of the Paris Police Department. The quarters of the Paris Police Department. The
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The Texas Air Corporation has finalized an agreement with People Express, which will allow it to acquire People's. In this deal, Texas Air will pay out $\$ 125$ million in cash and stocks. This sum, however, does not include a $\$ 176$ million dollar payment for People's subsidiary Frontier airlines, which Texas Air is also buying.

Thursday, September 17 The Senate today confirmed William Rhenquist as the 16th Chief Justice of the United States. This follows three months of discussion
integrity.
Friday, September 18
Aquino, in a U.S. visit, spoke to Congress today. In her speech, she asked for additional aid to help her preserve her country's new freedom. In response to her speech, Congress appropriated $\$ 200$ million in aid for the Philippines.


## OPEN MEETINGS

Open meetings to discuss the proposed statement of the institutional goals will be held on:

Faculty: 4:00-5:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 30 NEWELL HALL

Undergraduates and Graduate Students: 11:00-12:30 Wednesday, October 1 ALDEN MEMORIAL

## Entertainment Review

## New Voices 41/2 Carries "Tradition of Excellence"

by Sami Seyouri Newspeak Staff
On Friday September 12 at noon, New Voices produced a pair of plays in Alden Hall. New Voices is a program by Masque, the theatre group here, which allows students o produce, direct, manage, and, of course, dramatise their own plays.
In the tradition of excellence and creativity 0 often below the surface at the Institute, the plays they put on in the Alden Hall stage for an audience of Masque groupies and new fans alike. The first drama was "INTER eACTIONS," by Nancy (last name deleted for the same reason Maddonna has), This or the same reason Maddonna has). This furned out to be an exisential soap-opera between female and male representatives of possibly the human race. They were given the colorful names of no. 1 and no. 2 respectively. The medium of communication was minimal, but concise. Take an example no.1: I hate you.
no.2: I hate YOU
no. 1: Divorce?
pause
no.2: Divorce.
pause
no. 2: Baby ?
no.1: MY baby,
no.2: OUR baby

## Admission Office Hosts Special <br> Visitation Days

The Office of Admissions is sponsoring a eries of on-campus recruitment programs his fall which are designed to give prospecfive students and their parents the opportuhity to tour our campus and facilities and to meet the staff, faculty and students who make WPI a special place
During the day, participants will select rom presentations about the admissions process, financial aid, student activities, and the offerings within our major academic departments, as well as taking a comprehensive tour of the campus and the facilities. Don't be surprised when you see the many new faces of visitors walking around the campus on Wednesday, October 1st, 8th and Novermber 5th. These programs, entitled "A Day at WPI" are each limited to approx mately 250 seniors in high school and their parents and if last year is any indication, these special visitation days should prove to be an unqualified success!

## Part-Time Jobs

Information about part time jobs can be found on the bulletin boards on the third loor of Boynton in the corridor and inside OGCP. The next time you go to Accounting on the 2 nd floor take a walk up one flight and read a few of the jobs waiting to be filled. Some are temporary so it's not a long. ime commitment.
Here's a sample of the postings now. Bank tellers, Drafting, Computer terminal, Warchouse, Stock clerks, Substitute teaching at Fanning Trade H.S., Child care Anima Caretaker at Worc. Foundation of Exp. Biology, Retail sales, C-Programming for St . Lottis, Cashier, County Police Department Engineering Tech for Dept. of Army, Fitness Instructor at Nautilus (will train), Freelance technicians, Phlebotomist, N.E. Satellite Systems, U P S, Accident Loss Repor Takers, Credit/Collection, Handy Person \& Painter, In process Inspector or Plastic disposable medical supplies

## Student Government News <br> Executive Council

The Executive Council met on September 18, 1986

Announcements
The last day for submitting entries for the C and D Term Activities Calender is Friday, October 6.

Fac. Committee Reports
Chry Demertry reported that the C.A.P. (Comm. Academic Policy) has recently discussed the Educational Development Council. The Council's purpose would be to foster improved teaching and learning. (continued on page 7)

## no.1: (adamant) MY baby

So it goes.
Nancy Teasdale and David Fraioli couldn't have done a better job. If psyco drama interests you, you would have enjoyed this play.

Intermission.
The second play, "Free Will," was a monologue in which a rock ' $n$ roll dude played by Jamie Anderson, expounds his gripes on rock music, band members, and teen-aged groupies, all while revealing his schizo personality. As powerful as his per formance was, the music and lighting deserved equally rich praise. John Whyte, by the way, was the director, author, and guitar/keyboard part. (This guy takes his play seriously!) This was the second production of the two plays on campus. The plays were originally part of New Voices IV which took place last spring.

Last week Masque held auditions for A Street Car Named Desire its next and potentially greatest production. Professor Susan Vick will be producing/directing the performance. Let's see who will be the next Brando Aurevoir.

## Introducing THETA CHI's 1986-87 Pledge Class.

Brian Berg Kyle Brenner John Christopher Bob Cleary Jim Craft Mike Donahue Scott Emus Chris Gormley Tak Horie Matt Hwang Tom Larosa Harald Lucas Jeff McLane<br>Todd Miller Bob Millington Sean O'Malley Ken Rawlings Dan Reiss<br>Chris Rett<br>Andy Robes<br>Mark Salsman<br>Tim Shea<br>Vincent Tyer<br>Ed Urquhart<br>Chris Weeks Ron Zawadzki Congratulations!

QUESTION \#2.

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## Club Corner

## Rugby Club

The Rugby Club opened the 1986 season with impressive victories over Brandeis University and Bryant College.
On Sept. 13, the team travelled to Brandeis and returned with a whopping $30-0$ victory. The game was literally a blowout due to the aggressiveness and superb playing of the WPI team.
Ed Werner and Kevin Earabino both played great and scored in the game. Then, towering Brendan Connetty, who tater tefi the game with a head injury, scored the winning Tri.
The B-side also killed Brandeis 18.8 with Matt McGrath scoring once and Tom "The Killer" Zamecnik scoring twice
On Sept. 17, the team played at Bryant College and turned the day into a Rugby clinic. W. P.I. shut them out $4-0$. The only Tri was scored by Kerry "Jailbird" Hennessey, who, in a valiant effort, broke tackle after tackle to bring the team over the top. The ream is very pleased by the performances.
and by the strong turnout of freshman. The team is still welcome to any new players.

## Intramurals

Term A intramurals are under way with 20 teams competing in flag football. Games P. M. Last year's champions KAP look like the team to beat. Volleyball is off to a good start with 49 reams divided into iwo Divisions with three leagues in Div. I and four leaguer in Div. II All games are played in Harrington from 11 P.M.
Water Polo will be under way soon with 5 or 6 teams competing. Matches will be in Alumni gym pool in early evening.
Cross Country meet will be held on October 8th at 5 P.M. and all entries must be in by September 26th.
Basketball, bowling, and swim meets will be held during terms B and C. Table tennis will be held in C term. Solrball, soccer, and track will be in term D.

## Carlin

## (continued from page 1 )

Mr . Bullhorn was well received by the audience. Hopefully his career will soar, but if you see a man with a bulthorn at a salad bar, restaurant or candy aisle, get out of earshot, 'cause you don't need that kind of verbal abuse. No sir, he's good at it.

Fifteen minute intermission: This might have been boring for some, but not me! 1 just made my friends go green with envy by telling them how I got a free ticket from Newspeak so I could cover a story I might not need to submit. I pushed my luck too far when I asked to get a backstage interview. Can't win'em all.
blink blink go the lights
"Intermission's over, girls, got a job to do. See ya at the party later." I say. I go back to my spectacular bleacher seats. Suddenly, George, George Carlin runs up on stage. Deafening applause. He's wearing a black poloneck, black trousers, and black shoes. Up to the mike he comes and introduces himself. "I'm trying to get home, that's all. Just trying to get home.", he tells us. He then
proceeds to rell us one anecdote after another about how he tries to get through the day until he finally gets to go home; to his dog .... Then he launches off on the at titudes of household pets, especially the canine and feline members. Like a shot, he switches subjects and discusses driving habits, producing scintillating remarks abou weird licence plates, the toll system in New Jersey, bumper stickers, passengers from Connecticut, getting out of your driveway, and large vans. What does he do next? He tells us how to make our and other people's lives more interesting, for example, to go up to strangers on the street and say to them "Excuse me, but I just wanted to stop you Excuse meren whatsoever " Let them figure for no reason or haw abeut driving to ago that out. Or ling aver the price. "What booth and haggling over the price, "What d'you mean, fifty cents? The roads sucked Tell you what, a quarter. That's my final of fer." If you want an equally confusing trick pay for the car behind you, without their see (continued on page 8)

## BE A TECH BROTHER/SISTER

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SPORTS

## WPI Trounces Fordham and Coast Guard

## by Stephen Nelson

Newspeak staff
The WPI Football Team has started its 1986 campaign in impressive fashion with two victories. The Engineers beat Fordham $31-20$ in the season opener at Fordham and decisively downed Coast Guard in front of a large Homecoming crowd, 42-18.
The WPI Football Team ventured to the "Big Apple" (Bronx, New York) to open their season against the Fordham Rams and came away with an impressive 31-20 victory. The Engineers came up with many big plays all afternoon, including a great effort from Freshman TB Mike Bucci, who earned ECAC Rookic of the Week Honors and the New England Football Writers'/Coca Cola's Gold Helmet Award.
Bucci, from Sheiton, CT., put on a terrific display of running the football gaining 168 yards in only ten carries with two touchdowns ( 47 yards and 4 yards) in his first ever college game. Head Coach Bob Weiss said of Bucci, "That was the best freshman performance l've seen in my eight years at WPI." Bucci also had an 86 yard run in the WPI." Bucci also had an 86 yard run
third period to set up another score.
The Engineers took an early lead 3-0 on a first quarter 25 yard field goal by Junior Steve Mango and led at the half $10-6$ on Bucci's 4 yard run in the second quarter. However, in the third quarter, WPI turned on the power scoring twice. Senior Split End Steve Nolan scored on a great catch of a 20 yard pass from Senior QB Rick Farland and Bucci scored again on a 47 yard run. In the final quarter, Nolan caught a ten yard touchdown pass from Farland to make the
score 31-6 and secured the game for WPI Standouts for the Engineers were QB Rick Farland, who had two touchdown passes and ran the club in fine fashion, SE Steve Nolan with 2 TD calches, the running of Bucci and Pat Murray ( 110 yards) and the fine blockPat Murray ( 10 yards) and the fine blocking by Offensive Linebacker Larry LeBel and
Andy Gathy did a great job. In the seconAndy Gathy did a great job. In the secondary. Freshman Mark Erickson had a clutch
interception and Greg Engert was "chalinterception and Greg Engert was "challenged but never let us down," according to Coach Weiss. In addition, Place Kicker Steve Mango did an outstanding job whith a field goal and four extra points.
All in all, Weiss was "extremely pleased with the performance of everyone. The kicking game was fine, the running game was obviously good and our defense had a great effort all day with the exception of one pass play Fordham used for the two late 4th quarter TD's."

The Engineers thrilled the Homecoming fans with a $42-18$ trouncing of the Coast Guard Bears. The Engineers didn't waste time as they scored on their first possession. The score came via a 24 -yard pass from Farland to Cahill. While Bears were being hampered by penalties, the Engineers got their ground game moving. Freshman sensation, Mike Bucci scored on a 15-yard run and Sabourin ran for two touchdowns from 2 -yards and 4 -yards. The Engineers defense grabbed three second-half interceptions to stall the Bears offense.
The Engineers move on to play at Tufts and then back home for a game against Union.

## Football Box Score

TEAM
W.P.I. vs. COAST GUARD (Sept. 20, 1986)

## W.P.I

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | FINAL |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| 7 | 7 | 14 | 14 | 31 |

COAST GUARD
$\begin{array}{rrrrr}7 & 7 & 14 & 14 & 31 \\ 0 & 10 & 0 & 8 & 18\end{array}$
Scoring by Quarler
(1) W.P.I.- Cahill 24 yd pass from Farland (Mango kick) (7:44)
(2) C.G.- Tarantino 29 yd F.G. (14:56)
W.P.I.- Sabourin 2 yd run (Mango kick) (8:46)
C.G.- Sabellico 4 yd run (Tarantino kick) (7:37)
(3) W.P.I. Bucci 15 yd run (Mango kick) ( $10: 52$ )
W.P.1.- Nolan 23 yd pass from Farland (Mango kick) (2:31
(4) W.P.I.- Sabourin 4 yd run (Mango kick) (11:18)
W.P.I.- Farland 4 yd run (Mango kick) $(5: 42)$
C.G.- Hagan 10 yd run (Sebastian kick) (3:34) Individual Leaders

Rushing (Att-Yds) W.P.I

Passing (Att-Comp-Yds.)
Bucci (14-52)
Sabellico (11-53)
Receiving (No,-Yds.)
Farland (10-8-95)
Hagan (10-4-87)
Sabellico (1-33)

## WPI Soccer Suffers Loss to Coast Guard

The WPI Soccer Team was handed losse from Wesleyan College and Coast Guard, but were able to beat arch-rival MIT, 2-1 The Engineers spent Homecoming playing the formidable Coast Guard team that is ranked fifth in the league. Coast Guard ranked fifth in the league. Coast
played WPI with tuned skills and fine passplayed WPI with tuned skills and fine passing. Both teams seemed evenly matched as
Coast Guard took a $2-0$ halftime lead. WPI's
constant drive and pressure could not save this game. Goals by Alden Whitney and Captain David King were countered by two Coast Guard goals leading to the $4-2$ final score. A few breakdowns in defense and a lack or capitalizing on opportunities added up to a WPI loss.
The Engineers will try to bounce back against Lowell this Thursday.

## Hillel

## Our first meeting will be held on

 Tuesday, September 30th at 7:00 pm in the lower Wedge.See you then, Marc

## Greek Corner

Alpha Chi Rho
Congratulations to Pete Perrotti, Rush Chairman, on a job well done. Rush went incredibly well, with 27 bids returned. Good luck, Bill, they're yours now?

Thanks to all the grads who came back for homecoming. We all had a great time. Paul Lavigne and his crew of engineers did an outstanding job on our space shuttle "Crowlumbia."
Time for pledges to start training for the pledge/brother football game. Good luck. you'll need it!

Alpha Gamma Delta
The sisters of Alpha Gamma Delta would like to congratulate and welcome our 31 new pledges and Tusha, too! They include Karen Apicella, Lisa Battista, Lisa Benoit, Michelle Burns, Stacey Cotton, Michelle Diguette, Tracey Fallon, Chris Forand, Denise Fortier, Claudine Gagnon. Francesca Giorgi, Chris Hajjar, Tusha Hoskere, Sue Johnson, Tiffany Kennedy, Katie Laing, Kim Lemoi, Nancy McLaughlin, Pam McNeil, Chris Mozzone, Sonja Odegard, Michelle Petkers, Darilyn Reuter, Beth Schaefer, Karen Sears, Lynne Stanton, Lynne Timmerman, Jen Tobin, Chris Trinceri, Stacey Valhouli, and Deb Whitman. We hope you guys are all as psyched as we are!!!
Roses to Julie for Rush. You did a great job and we couldn't have done it without you! 31 shots of Peppermint Schnapps? you! , close! Roses to everyone else who made Well, close! Roses to everyone else who made
Rush such a success. Now for you pledges Rush such a success. Now for you pledges the fun is just the beginning BEWARE.
Hey, Bibi, whose your friend? Good thing the Voting Room was near the bathroom, huh, Q-Zer? Gotta love Black and White Russians! How was dinner Saturday night Lori? Don't cough! The "Missing Person of the Weekend" Award goes to Simone for her outstanding disappearing act. Sue, talk to yourself much? By the way, did you clean the livingroom floor yet (deleted)? Next time find someone who is already housebroken. Love your name Holly! (It's my girlfriends.) Congratulations, Wendy, on being a new Mom. Anyone want a doll house? "W asted Mom. Anyone want a doll house? "W asted
days and wasted nights"... Oh how true it days and really is!

## Delta Phi Epsilon

The Homecoming float was a great success!! It was good to see everyone working on it. Thanks to Cathy and Karen, we were able to "find" all of the materials for it. Did everyone have a good time with the alumnae on the Quad Saturday?? PLEDGES: stay psyched for an awesome time this year!!

Phi Sigma Sigma
The sisters of Phi Sigma Sigma proudly announce their new pledges: Kristin
Baierlein. Avlin Barlow, Daniele Bellavance, Baierlein. Avlin Barlow, Danielle Bellavance, Michelle Brideau, Maureen Brosnan, Leandra Clark, Christina Coumou, Patricia Dube, Laura Fries, Pamela Hajcak, Heather Julien, Heather Kallquist, Maureen Kelly, Lisa King, Tania Lawendowski, Kathy Macchiarola, Susan Mitchell, Maureen Murphy, Jody Normandin, Kathie Palmieri, Karin Ricei, Carrie Scheinman, Kristina Szwaya, Sharon Whyte, and Melissa Wolfe. Congratulations!! A well-deserved "O" for ovagratulationst A wailland and her committee for the excellent job they did during rush tee for the excellent job they did during rush
this year. (You mean it's all OVER?? ALREADY?!?) Thanks to all the sisters who came psyched to all the functions - it paid off guys because we have THE most awe-
some pledge class! They're in your hands some pledge class! They're in your hands
now Lisa, good luck! You'll be a great Pledge Mom! (Make sure they don't sing that song about "my roommate is away... . Or is it"I'll have it with a Tab"?? I can never remember .
The pledge party was incredible! How often do you hear 50 people screaming over a phone ringing? And how many times did 35 ... Holly, it's cool to be a square (double loser)! And walking up the stairs is much casier if you're looking straight ahead. .. We casier if you're looking straight ahead. .. We
(and Ferris too) love ya!! Jen D.. Ive been (and Ferris too) love ya!! Jen D.. I've been
told to inform you to get a REAL tire!? Hey told to inform you to get a REAL tire!? Hey
Maria, let us know when you're ankle is Maria, let us know when you'te ankte is
working again, ok?? Yes Karyn, it's true, I working again, ok?? Yes Karyn, it's true, I
am NOT a freshman, sorry! Elaine, someone (and we know who) is gonna pay for all this grief!! Guess what? It's finally over!! Party Time!
Congrats to all the sisters and pledges on their successful raids (with some unexpected bonuses) of those fraternities around the corner! Good psych guys- I think we have the hang of it now... Hope everyone had a widd
time at Homecoming last weekend! Stay psyched for pledging! Don't forget those ribbons Pledges!! We Love You!
manuscripsts: "The medium through which alienation occurs is itself a practical one."
Infatuations to our, as of yet 3 dimensional, newly initiated pledges . . 33 out of 38 - no doubt!
A wave of both arms - on a horizontal plane to our Vincent Van Gopherlike rush chairman. High ratings young Thomas

Speaking of wading - did you meet any chemical friends in Institute Pond? Perhaps Mr. Protoplasm or Uncle H2O
It seems the most recent draught devastating especially as noted in the local area - has come to an end. Brrrr! Do you (continued on page 8)

## The MUSLIM STUDENT ASSOC.

is going to hold its first meeting at WPI. The objective of this meeting is to establish the first MSA chapter at WPI. All the muslim students and faculty are strongly recommended to attend this important meeting.

- Date: Friday, 9-26-96
- Time: 7:30 pm
- Place: Atwater Kent R. 233

For further information, please contact:

- Emadeddin 792-9862, Box 2409
- Azhar 797-3456, Box 475

Thank You, Wassalamualaikum WBT.

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## Police Log:

Wed. Sept. 17th, 12:44 AM, Citizen call to report BillBoard "walking" down Russel Street. BillBoard was advised.

## CLASSIFIEDS

"Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Jesus Christ will relieve you of all your anxieties... if you let Him.
Yard sale - 5 families - Dishes, Pots \& Pans household goods. Saturday, Sept 27, 212 Fairmont Ave, Worcester. See Sue, IMC for details.
CBF Announces yet another of its delicious bake sales. Drop by the Wedge this Thursday and treat yourself to a variety of scrumptious homemade baked goods.
Delta Phi Epsilon! Damn Fine Engineers!!
Help Wanted CHEMIST, temporary job, 15 hours per week, experienced in Gas Chromatograph Analyses. 793-5380.
Delta Phi Epsilon Pledges GET PSYCHED!!!
Alumni Gym, 7:30 pm, Nov, 12, BE THERE!
ERIK with a ' $K$ ' from Sigma Pi, you never said 'hi' - the flamboyant hair's roomate

Spaz, You never did tell us what this fat pig was all about! Laurie and Hank

Scott, Your shoulder is so sexy! Lisa and Heather

THE YEAR OF THE RAT
The FED LIVES ON!! He's alive and well and digging holes in Colchester.

Leandra \& Danielle - you're awesome. Love 'ya. Bridget.

Alumni Gym is the place to be on Nov. 12th at 7:30.

To the young ladies who live above us in F 4 -: We're tired of just saying hi whenever we pass in the hallways. Come on downstairs for a visit.

GET PSYCHED FOR NOV. 12!
Leo-K, you are such a mast master! Gotta love you for that! (Oh!)
Roses to Peggy! on her new-found freedom.
BEEP! Where's the base?! The Potato must be sitting on it.
Oh no, not Todd again:
God, how much is Mary Jane worth?
Obedience to the law is liberty.
Ajent 3.
What is my next assignment?
Pixy Stix

## . . . Student

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Comm. Concerned Students
There has been discussion about starting a S.A.D.D (Students Against Drunk Driving) chapter on campus. Further discussions about organization and funding are planned. Residence Hall Council
There will be a training session for floor representatives held on Tuesday (today) in Morgan A at 7:30.

Otd Business
A proposal was made to amend the constitution to allow SAS to become a voting member to the Executive Council. The pro posal was approved unanimously, and the student body will now vote on the amendment. The balloting will be held on Friday, October 3.


## Police Log

Eriday September 12
4:00 PM - Student reports a van selling tereo equipment. Description of van is silve with Connecticut plates. Officer out to check but was unable to locate vehicle
9:00) PM - Sergeant advises he just saw hit and-rum accident. Unable to get plate number of vehicle. Incident occurred around Theta Chi area. Sergeant further advises vehicle involved with hitting curb was located. It sustained damage, but onty to this vehicle. No other vehicle involved in accident.
10:00 PM - Received complaint about loud nolse comong from fraternity. Sergeant ad vises speaking with member of fraternity Music was coming from a stereo in one o the rooms. Stereo will be turned down 1t:00 PM . Sergeant advises student found near rear of Riley Hall with beer. Bee was confiscated. Srudents advised about pen-container law.

## Suturday September 13

12:13 AM - Report of loud music received about fraternity. Officers respond. Will quie down music
1:00 AM - Sergeant reports checking Founders Hall. Complaint received abou loud sterco. Music will be turned down. Of to another complaint received about music at a fraternily. Reports talking with student who will turn music down.
2:47 AM - Complaint received about louc nusic coming from fraternity. Also sergean repors ambulance needed at that location as stodent had been injured. Student trans ported to Hahnemam Hospital.
3:10 AM - Sergeant reports stopping two students who were in violation of open containet laws. Had them dump out the atcohol.
3:53 AM - Student into station to repor occupants of a Fuller apartment making a ereal deal of noise. Serecant reports residen il Fuller apartment broke the window of the main entranke of the apartment. Also the courtyard was covered with trash, glass, brohen bench and a shopping cart. Student who were responsible were identified 1:54 AM Sergeant out regarding man pased out at Dean and Institute Rd, In

$5: 20 \mathrm{ANt}$ - Clurh campus potice report thim a WPI stident was appreliended atremptin osteal 4 lite eximewisher from their camper

8:36 AM - Student calls to complain about loud music from Fuller apartment, Officen reports music was rather loud but now has been turned down.

7:00 PM - Complaint received about some one making a great deal of noise at a frater nity. Officer reports that the noise was coming from a band that was warming up.

8:57 PM - Sergeant reports backing up Worcester Police Department. WPD had received several complaints about loud music coming from fraternity and party had been shut down.
10:03 PM - Sergeant from Assumption College calls in regards to WPI students picking up Assumption students and bringing them to Iraternity party
10:19 PM - Complaint received about loud music at 16 Elbridge St.

10:35 PM - Sergeant reports party in Ellsworth apariment. Kegs and alcohol were confiscated from the party. Matter was referred to Residential Life

10:55 PM - SNAP reports male harassing female in location of Riley Hall. Man wa imtoxicated.

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ing you. If you wear a costume, they'll call you The Masked Toll Payer of the MassPike. Let them figure you out

In any case this genre of humor is very light and for a broad audience. George went crazy a couple of times, but that just made us laugh harder. He was profersional enough to make it rotally casual throughout. The last to make it rotally casual throughout. The last
routine was the familiar words you can't say routine was th
So generally the show was a success, but there remains a question: Who was really better George or his opener? A lot of people who where there asked me which way did I lean. I have to say that "Mr. Bullhorn" was rewl good, but he hasn't been around as long as Carlin. Gicorge can afford ro reiax and to spreatd out his best jokes over 90 minules Hell have a lot of groupies for a long time to come, but Lawrence liad to prove himself to us. The fact that he sueceeded in a major way means that he's on his way up, but umtil hes there, we'll still refer to him is "Mr. Bullharn" So if you set the chance to se Butmorn, Su il you get the chance to se mend it: Id ako recommend that you bring a date: Aurevoir.

## What's Happening

## Tuesday, September 23, 1986

6:30 p.m. - "Managing Stress" Part 1, Student Counseling Center Seminar Room, 157 Wes Street, free
$7: 30 \mathrm{p}, \mathrm{m}$. - Cinematech Film Series, "Odd Man Out." Alden Hall, free
$7: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ - Lower Wedge, Society of Women Engineers, Informational meeting Wednesday, September 24
6:30 and $9: 30$ p.m. - The Reel Thing, "Funny Girl." Alden Hall, \$1.00
Saturday, September 27
9:00 p.m. - "Salem 66," Gompei's Place, \$1.00
Sunday, September 28
3:00 p.m. - Greek Celebration, Harrington Auditorium
6:30 and 9:30 p.m. - The Reel Thing, "Karate Kid." Alden Hall, \$1.00
Monday, September 29
8:00 p.m. - Spectrum Fine Arts Series, "Ron Hudson," Classical Guitar, Alden Hall, free Tuesday, September 30
6:30 p.m. - "Managing Stress" Part II, Student Counseling Center Seminar Room, 157 Wes Street, free
Off Campu
September 24 - Stoddard Memorial Lecture, Stephen Jay Gould, Ph.D., Distinguished scholar, author, lecturer, $8-9: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. in the Little Theatre. Harvard Street entrance to the Worcester Memorial Auditorium. College students $\$ 6.00$. For information call 791-9211

## Greek

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feel a draft? Enter lucky King Beverage. According to the sacred formula of Skep Chem, PV $=\mathrm{nRT}$ (in dimensionless units), wet $=$ friday night "Graffitti Party". First dimension flats will not be tolerated. Dimensional analysis will be conducted, ratings will be made.
In the immortal words of Huckleberry Hound: "Now get yourselves gathered round, 'cause this here's a hum ding dinger!" Sign of Cuchy

## Theta Chi

The Brothers of Theta Chi would like to welcome 26 new pledges to our house. They are: Brian Berg, Todd Miller, Kyle Brenner. Bob Millington, Joho Christophef, Sean O'Malley, Bob Cleary, Ken Rawlines; Jim Craft, Dan Reiss, Mike Donahue. Chris Rett, Scott Emus. Andy Robes. Chris Gormley, Mark Salsman, Matt Hwang, Tim Shea, Tak Horic, Vincent Tyer, Tom Larosa, Ed Urquhart. Harald Itreas, Chris Weeks, Jeff McLane, Ron Zawadaki

Congratulations to all of them:
This week's intramural results include wins in Volleybatl with the undeferted Budmen sictorious over Sigma Pi's D (for Drink) Tcam and also B Teams win against Stoddard A. Special commendations go to Scont Packv" Reid for saving al man' lilc last
week. Packy was in Worcester Center when the man in the car in front of him had a hear attack. Packy pulled him out and proceeded to administer C.P.R. We are all proud of Packy's noble deed.

## Greek of the Week

Anne Marie MacFaddin, a senior mechan ical engineering major from Avon. Connec ticut, has been chosen as this week: Panhet Ieric Association's Greek of the Week.
Anne is very active in the Plii Sigma Sigm orority for which she is currently the presi dent. Last year Anne served as the pledge trainer for the Phi Sigma Sigms initiales. Since entering WP1, Arne has become in volved in many activities on campus. She icted as a tour gulde for the Admbsions Of fiee and was atho at member of the Junio From Commitiee, While maiataining her high academic standing, Anne is an activ member of the Americain Sociciv of Nectari ical Engineers and is the Sention Clas Reprosentative
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