Senate approves funds

By BRAD GODFREY
TJ staff writer

Eleven requisitions for funding by various campus organizations totaling $31,154 were reported by the Senate at its meeting on October 21. Each requisition was reported by student organization directors and was voted on by the Senate individually. None of the organizations received the total amount requested. A recommendation to provide the requested funds was reported by the Senate and was approved by voice vote. The Senate also approved a recommendation for a $1,500 allocation for the Student Life Committee.

Richardson rowdies race roaches

By TOM STEARNS
TJ staff writer

A standing room only crowd estimated at 75 people filled the Richardson Lobby for the first annual Richardson Roach Race, which was held on October 20.

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Richardson R.D. John McConnell termed the event a success. "I see a possible future for this type of event," he said. "Hopefully, it will become an annual affair."

In reference to choosing an entry, McConnell noted that the "Roach size does not seem to be a determining factor, but a good sense of direction seems to be a major asset.

Laboratory fee hikes approved

By WENDI DEES
TJ staff writer

A variety of laboratory fee hikes for Winthrop College students have been approved by the Finance Committee of the Board of Trustees.

A large part of the additional fees will be used to update Computer Science 101, which will be redesigned as a course with two hours of lab and two hours of lecture per week. The amendment was adopted by permission of Regent Senator Rhonda Patterson, and senate approved the amendment by voice vote.

After the bill was passed SGA president Brett Smith expressed concern with the bill. Senator Barry Newkirk moved that the bill be held in committee for more work. Senate approved the motion.

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Fees that just barely cover the cost of paper. If students use the computer labs, they should bear some of the cost of computer purchasing and maintenance," concluded Padgett.
**Newsbriefs**

**WC Republicans**

There will be an organizational meeting of the Winthrop College Republicans Monday night, Oct. 28 at 7 p.m. The meeting will take place in Dinkins Auditorium and anyone interested may attend.

**Theatre Tour**

Alpha Psi Omega, honor fraternity in theatre, has instigated a tour program for getting Winthrop students to major theatre shows in the Carolinas. Upcoming tour schedules include "A Chorus Line" in January., Isben's "Ghost," and two special appearances by England's Royal Shakespeare Company at USC, Columbia, March 21 and 22. Anyone interested in joining the tours may call Chris Cook (4020) or Dr. Chris Reynolds (2287).

**“True West”**

“True West” opens Wednesday, Nov. 6 and runs through Nov. 9 at the Winthrop Theatre in Johnson Hall. Shows start at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available at Dinkins desk Nov. 4. The play is the classic adventure plot of the “Good Brother and Bad Brother” locked into a game of competition resulting in a showdown. Playwright Sam Shepard reworks this old plot and places it in a modern setting, a Hollywood suburb. This is a “comedy for discriminating theatre-viewers.”

**Student Try-Outs**

Director Leigh Vandegrift will hold try-outs for the modern comedy, "The Typists," Oct. 30 and 31 at 7 p.m. in the Johnson Hall “Lab” theatre (second floor). Students need not bring a prepared reading; scripts will be available at the auditions.

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**Annual Crop Walk to aid relief**

By STEVE CODY
TJ staff writer

The eighth annual Crop Walk will be held on Sunday, Nov. 3 beginning at the new Cherry Park in Rock Hill.

Rev. Risher Brabham, coordinator of the Crop Walk, said the walk will begin at 2:30 p.m. and will end at approximately 6 p.m.

Brabham said the Festival of Life which precedes the walk will include the Rock Hill High School Band of Distinction, clowns, banners and other entertainment.

"Seventy-five percent of the funds raised will go to Crop which is an ecumenical agency of the church involving 32 denominations," he said.

Brabham said Crop tries to focus on self development aid, which means they work with people in countries such as Africa to help dig wells, buy seeds and train in reforestation.

"Crop also provides relief services in time of natural disasters such as earthquakes and typhoons," he said.

Brabham said the other 25 percent of the funds raised will be used in York, Chester, and Lancaster counties to aid in feeding programs for senior citizens.

"One program provides hot meals throughout eight senior citizen centers and the other provides home delivered meals to over 2,000 elderly citizens," he said.

Brabham said Crop donors don’t have to give this way through church world services. "Sponsors may designate their funds to go through Catholic Bishop’s Relief Fund, HOPE, or CARE," he said.

Brabham said that last year, 500 people walked and raised $11,450. He said he expects 750 people to walk this year and raise $15,000.

"Winthrop College Campus Ministry organizes and coordinates the project but it involves community people as well as students, faculty and staff," he said.

Brabham said that any students interested in walking or sponsoring may contact him at 5640.

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**Neild discusses success formula**

By ROBERT JOLLY
TJ managing editor

Elizabeth Neild, owner and president of Circle Seven Communications near Houston, Texas, spoke Oct. 16 to freshmen about the badges of success and how to achieve them.

One of the main reasons Neild decided to come to Winthrop was to tell freshmen how important they are and that they can become successes, just as she did. Neild said, "Freshmen are the neatest people in the world."

The keys to success are to broaden one’s education, to learn to listen, to be curious, to listen with action, and to be involved, she said.

She said research shows that, within five years of graduation, students will have forgotten 85 percent of what they were taught in college, and Neild said, "When one listens to the majority of the information a commercial on TV is objec
tively would be outdated."

Neild said that any example of a person learned to make decisions even though he opposed all he had been taught.

"School is directly related to achieving the badges of suc
cess," Neild said. "However, to choose good role models. Decide what you want to be, and be it.

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**DSU sponsors ski tour**

By GINA WHITTLE
TJ staff writer

Dinkins Student Union is sponsoring a ski tour to Mt. Snow Vermont Dec. 30-Jan. 6.

There are 57 slopes and 13 chair lifts on the mountain. Students will be able to ski Wednesdays of the day of the trip.

The cost of the trip will be $305. The price includes transportation, lift tickets and ski rentals. A $50 deposit is due by Nov. 9.

Tucker said, "I’m really excited about the trip. It’s a good chance for people who ski to go somewhere besides the N.C. mountains. But if you don’t ski it’s a good place to start."

This will be a special college week and groups from colleges around the country will be there. More than 1,000 students are expected to attend.

Students will stay in condominiums on the mountain. The condos have fireplaces, fully equipped kitchens, color cable T.V., an indoor pool and a hot tub.

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**Consumer science gains computer**

By TOM STEARNS
TJ staff writer

The Winthrop College School of Consumer Science has been granted use of the software program for computer graphics recently acquired by the Winthrop College Department of Art.

The program, including one AutoCAD ADE 3 software package, was awarded to the Department of Art by AutoDesk Incorporated of Sausalito, Calif. The package is a state-of-the-art computer graphics program.

Barbara Fuller of the School of Consumer Science and Allied Professions said, "Wade Hobgood, chairperson of the Art Department, applied for general AutoCAD packages, but received a grant. However, the Art Department does not have the equipment to use the program."

Fuller explained that since the Interior Design Department has an IBM system on order, the program will be used there. "The order is already in," she said, "and the equipment will be in within the next month."

According to Fuller, the system has the capability to design floor plans, wall elevations, space planning, and even littering.

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"The faculty and staff will be trained on the system first," Fuller said. "Starting next spring it should be available to graduate students, then later to the undergraduates."

Although the system will be used primarily by Interior Design students, Fuller said the system will be available to all Consumer Science students.

"Fashion merchandising and food and nutrition majors will be able to use the system to design displays and manage inventory."

"The Interior Design Honor Society is also planning a computer fair sometime in the spring," Fuller said. "It will utilize the new system."
Monitoring program for athletes

By ROBERT JOLLY
TJ managing editor

Wanda Briley, assistant athletic director and head women's basketball coach, believes athletes should take a physical exam before going to the health center. "We have to be sure we are monitoring our athletes to be sure they are doing well."

The program consists of mandatory blood tests, counseling, and progress reports from the faculty.

Every freshman athlete must attend a 90-minute study hall Monday through Thursday of every week. Upperclassmen with GPAs lower than 2.0 must attend until they bring their grades up to 2.0. The athletes meet with their teams at a designated place on campus, and each team has a monitor, usually an assistant coach, to supervise the study hall.

According to Briley's proposal of the NCAA rules and regulations, freshmen must have a score of 700 on the SAT or a 15 on the ACT. Students must have a 2.0 G.P.R. in the core curriculum to receive scholarships.

Each monitor will keep a schedule for each team member to be sure athletes are making progress. Students must take 12 hours a semester, and must pass 24 hours a year to be eligible for play. This will not affect the starting line-up.

On the second offense, the athlete will meet with Briley. The athlete will be given a letter and a score of 700 on the SAT or a 15 on the ACT. Students must have a 2.0 G.P.R. in the core curriculum to receive scholarships.

Briley, who had several years of experience in athletic monitoring, said, "Our program at Wake Forest was similar to this one. As a coach monitoring my teams, I have graduated all my players in four years but who dropped out for personal reasons. It's a big change, but I think it's going to be a success."

Bicentennial battle re-enacted

By JILLIAN COFFIN
TJ staff writer

Fall Fest was held Oct. 19-20 at the Winthrop Coliseum, and featured the Sixth North Carolina Infantry who presented a special bicentennial battle re-enactment.

Fall Fest has been an annual event for three years and was initiated by President Lader.

John Presto, vice president for administration services, said, "Fall Fest is really our expression to the community. It is a signal to invite the community to the college."

Fall Fest features craftspeople, food and various activities. This year's highlight was the bicentennial re-enactment of York County.

Captain Jim Daniels has been with the North Carolina Historical Re-enactment Society, Inc. since 1980. "The society is an educational organization our purpose in life is to educate the general public about the lifestyles in the Revolution," Daniels said. "A lot of research goes into these re-enactments to make them authentic."

Daniels added, "This is a good way to learn history and have fun doing it—a chance to meet new people."

The show will be co-sponsored by Lugoff Travel Service and Lugoff-Elgin High School as an effort to promote interest in high school journalism programs.

The program started last year in February when Peter Reckall, Bo Brady on "Days of Our Lives," gave a benefit show at Lugoff-Elgin High School.

Elizabeth McCutchen Simon, a 1989 graduate of Winthrop College, originated and initiated the program. Simon, a journalism teacher at the high school, said that she came up with the idea after reading that stars will sometimes help raise money for worthy causes.

"Days of Our Lives" premiered during my freshman year at Winthrop," Simon said. "The show has since been a huge success."

Simon said that the scholarship raised $15,000. The performance proceeds went to send students to journalism camp, to establish a journalism scholarship, and to add color to its yearbook.

"Long after last year's performance we continued to get letters from soap fans expressing their interest," Simon said.

Simon said that the scholarship will be awarded to the high school that sells the most tickets. Letters should include the fan's name, phone number, ticket number, and why the student wishes to meet the star, each of which will be used to send students to the show. "We will notify the two winners who dropped out for personal reasons," Simon said.

"Those who wish to meet their favorite soap star may wish to attend the show during the day," Simon said.

Interested persons should write the star of their choice at Lugoff Travel Service. Letters should include the fan's name, phone number, and why the student wishes to meet the star.

Fans will also be given the opportunity to bid for the chance to join the limousine tour or to accompany the star to the airport by limousine following a Sunday morning breakfast.

Riding said that interested persons should send their bids to the agency by Nov. 15. "We will notify the two winners by the end of the month," Simon said.
A forgotten holiday
By LISA BUIE
TJ editor

Why are people fascinated with death? Why would they rather celebrate a festival dedicated to the wicked souls of the world? Although the church established All Saints Day every Nov. 1 to remember Christian martyrs, people still refuse to acknowledge this holiday. Instead they prefer to celebrate the night before and honor evil spirits on Halloween.

According to *Encyclopedia Britannica*, the festival honored Samhain, the Celtic lord of death. It marked the start of the season of cold, darkness and decay. According to legend, Samhain called the souls of all the wicked who had to inhibit the bodies of animals for 12 months to walk the earth for one night. The Celtic priests ordered all citizens to put out their hearth fires and build a bonfire with animals, crops, and even human sacrifices.

Because the church wanted to put an end to pagan rituals, it began a festival called All Saints Day where All Hallowsmas, a special ceremony, was held.

However, the new holiday didn't seem to catch on. The same is true today. No one ever heard anyone talking about what a great time they had at All Saints Day bash. Dinkens Student Union never sponsors an All Saints Day happening. Even churches hold Halloween carnivals and haunted houses. It looks like they would have a house with Saint Frances and Saint Christopher in it rather than one with Dracula coming out of a coffin.

Who knows? Maybe one day someone will use All Saints Day as an excuse to have a party and a precedent will be set. Until then, have fun Oct. 31 and forget it.

Happy Halloween
from TJ Staff

Sticker is everywhere
By JAMES DEDES
TJ advertising manager

Life can be cruel sometimes. You know what I mean. You see something that you want very badly, but for some reason you know you can never possess it. For some it's expensive cars. For others it's communications classes. For me however, it's something just a little more reasonable. I want a "Phil Lader for Governor" bumper sticker! Since the first day that I saw one I knew that I had to have one. With each passing car my desire grew greater. Finally, I decided to jump on the bandwagon and get a sticker. Realizing that my roommate was an avid supporter of Phil, I asked him for one. "No," he replied. "Why not?" I exclaimed in anguish. "Because I know what you are going to do with it," he responded. End of discussion.

Fate however, has a strange way of asserting itself. One day, upon entering the Fraternity house, I spied the elusive sticker lying by the telephone. "What luck!" I exclaimed, as I snatched up the object of my quest. But what do I do with it? I couldn't put it on my car. I'd just have to scrape it off after the election. I need to position it in a high visibility area for all to see. It has to be highly visible, but more importantly, it has to make a definitive statement about my support of Phil's campaign. Then it hit me. "Of course!" I thought as I walked downstairs and removed the backing on the sticker. After positioning it in just the right place, I stepped back and admired my handiwork. How majestic it looked against the backdrop of the gleaming white porcelain. I just hope that all of that flushing doesn't cause it to fall off.

They're heeere!!
By MARK WOOD
TJ contributing editor

Well, it's Halloween time, again and time for all of you weak-stomached voyeurs to flock to your favorite neighborhood theater for the fright of your life.

Yes, the horror movies are back and ready to exploit those of you interested in a good scream. But unfortunately, most horror movies leave much to be desired. As a matter of fact, I have only seen a few truly good horror movies in my life.

Most fright flicks tend to follow the same basic formula. And it's for that reason that most of them stink.

Being the avid movie fan that I am, I have had no trouble spotting the basic characteristics of most horror films.

First of all, most of these films feature a group of idiotic and sex-starved teenagers. They are all out of school for the summer and looking for some good fun at Camp Cutten'Up. As they are sitting around the campfire telling ghost stories, the group's cut-up (no pun intended) decides that he is going to scare the stuffing out of the pretty girls in the group.

So he runs off into the woods and evokes a cheap scream from one of the air head females.

But we all know that he's going to run into Steven: the psycho who was disfigured by a runaway weed-eater as a child. And, according to the mood the director happens to be in at the moment, the victim will either be stabbed with a pitchfork, impaled with a javelin, or turned into a human shish kabob.

Now, upon learning this disturbing news, do our fearless teens go for help? Nope. Do they stick their heads in the sand? No. Do they all grab flashlights and wander around the campfire screaming, "Help me, they're out there!" Yes. And because of this totally unrealistic and stupid choice on the part of our fearless teenagers, we, the audience, are forced to sit and watch each one of them get turned into diced gibs. A sight which is anything but pleasant.

Now, I wouldn't mind a little blood for reality's sake, but that is the only thing that today's horror crop has to offer. The films are not scary, just disgusting. One can always tell who is going to get killed and when. (It's usually the nude girls who get it while they're skinny-dipping.)

An element of surprise has always been my favorite part of a horror movie. And today's films just don't have that.

So if you want to get a good scare around Halloween you would be better off to see your roommate when he or she first got out of bed. If you want a few laughs then go see a horror movie. That's about all they're good for these days.
Letters to the editor

Freshmen

Dear editor,

In response to Mr. Wood’s article in the Sept. 30 edition of The Johnsonian, and his revised Oct. 21 edition, I would like to reveal my feelings about the situation.

As an upperclassman (senior), it is relatively easy for me to understand many of the instances that occur here at Winthrop. It may be true that “some” freshmen need to gain respect for Winthrop College and their peers, but have you, Mr. Wood, observed the upperclassmen lately?

Many sophomores, juniors, and seniors possess these exact same qualities that you accuse the freshmen of having, and, personally, I feel you are being very unjust accusing the freshmen especially when the majority of them learn from their beloved upperclassmen. We the upperclassmen are the example these freshmen have to follow and upon observing the sophomores, juniors and seniors, I have to admit that they act just as badly, if not worse, than any of the freshmen.

As a resident of Thomson, which is more or less an upperclassman dorm, I experience many disruptions while attempting to study. I think you, Mr. Wood, would love to enter some of the rooms, and observe the broom handle imprints on the ceiling where students have beaten to request silence from above. It is really great at what time these “mature upperclassmen” decide that they want to play basketball, have major fights and, even believe it or not, turn up the music for the whole dorm to enjoy.

I agree totally that some freshmen need to become more respectful of their peers and college, but after living at Winthrop and observing some of the upperclassmen, it appears that they have a great deal of growing up to do themselves.

I would strongly suggest, Mr. Wood, that in your following critiques of the freshmen, you first observe that their school spirit is definitely growing and it will be a team that you will be able to respect.

Sincerely,

Julie McMahan
Senior

TJ letter policy

TJ welcomes letters to the editor on any topic related to Winthrop College.

All letters to the editor must be signed by the author. The author’s name will not be omitted unless we feel retraction will result. Letters will be limited to 200 words.

Letters should be typed, if possible, double spaced, on a 60-inch space line.

Letters should be submitted to Box 6800 or brought to TJ office in Good Building. Letters must be received by 5 p.m. Tuesday to appear in the following week’s issue.

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student wants the grade.

Legislation concerning gates between Richardson and Thomson and gates between Thomson and Lee Wicker will be held for another week, in committee to allow further research, reported Campus Review Chairman Newkirk.

The Amnesty International Charter was passed and sent to the Campus Review Committee. Legislation to allow a student the right to S/U a class after passing second reading and was given final approval but only after several amendments were made.
**SPORTS**

**Marquee is new addition**

By LAURIE ANN DEDES
TJ sports editor

Have you seen the new “marquee” on Cherry Road? I suppose it will be used to announce the events at the coliseum. It’s a great idea... I think. The first message on the “grand Marquee” read “Winthrop and Rock Hill, a classy pair.” A classy pair of what? It’s not bad but “Winthrop and Rock Hill, a classy act” would be better. I’d also be interested in knowing who the engineering genius was that crammed the thing in between those two magnolia trees? Rather, what is left of those two magnolia trees? Why would anybody want to cram a sign between two trees and THEN crop them? Thought provoking, isn’t it?

Concerning school spirit, I’ve thought of something else we could do to honor our athletes. Since basketball seems to be the major sport at Winthrop, I thought we could do this before the first basketball game of the season (in honor of all the athletes, of course). We ought to have a bonfire. The cheerleaders could lead in cheers and the Winthrop Eagles could be featured. That’s a great way to get things going and unify all of the classes. A lot of colleges do it and we’ve got the whole farm area to do it in. I hope someone is taking notes on these ideas and will do something to get new traditions started.

This week in volleyball has been excellent for the Lady Eagles, who won all four of the matches they played. All of these matches were during the Big South Invitational at UNC Asheville.


Radford was defeated 15-12 in two sets. In the final game the Eagles took on UNC Asheville and defeated them once again by a score of 15-12, 15-9, 15-7.

Winthrop walked away with this tournament championship and in the Big Conference now sporting a record of 7-0.

Overall the ladies are 19-5. Two players, Janet Dykton and Hazel Turnbull, were named to the All-Tournament team.

Dykton has been leading Winthrop in statistics for the better part of this season. Her serve percentage is 98 percent. She has only six errors in 294 serve attempts. Of those 294, 233 have been service aces.

Dykton’s attack percentage is 88 percent with 60 kills. Of 42 serves received she has made only five errors. (No wonder she made the all-tournament team.)

The cross country and soccer reports aren’t that good this week. At Furman Invitational the men finished 20 of 29 while the women were 14 of 20. The team has been doing fairly well against schools the same size as Winthrop but there has been a lot of NCAA action for the runners.

The men are now 43-43 while the women are 24-24.

The soccer team now has a disappointing record of 5-9 after three losses last week. Catawba beat Winthrop 3-2, Boca Raton shut them out 20-0 and Landers defeated the Eagles 6-2.

Even with these suffering they are still second in the conference in scoring, thanks to Choco Gutierrez and Doug Aldridge. Aldridge, from his outstanding performance of the past several weeks was named Big South Co-Player of the week.

**Easterling holding her own**

By DAVID McCallum
TJ sports writer

The chill of the fall air and leaves on the ground means only one thing—basketball is right around the corner. Senior Guard Debbie Easterling could not be more ready for the roundball season.

“We’ve been ready to get on the court, but we had to wait until Oct. 15 to get started,” Easterling said. “We’ve been doing a lot of running and lifting weights getting ready for the season. Everybody is real excited about starting. We’ve got a lot to work on, but we’re ready to learn,” she added.

In Easterling’s time at Winthrop she and fellow seniors Janet Dykton and Stephanie Bost have been through three of coaching against Division II teams. Coach has a lot of new ideas to the program, and that means nothing but good things for Winthrop.

The 5’8” guard, who averaged 10 points and 4.4 rebounds a game last year, says her coach Wanda Briley, the Lady Eagles have found a happy medium. “We had to learn different styles of play,” she said.

Easterling said it has been difficult adjusting to different sets of rules both off and on the court. Also, we had to probably my strongest points, learn different styles The Defensive Player of the of play,” said the senior from the last three seasons. She also added, “Coach believes she needs to work on Briley has combined the leading the open man on offense knowledge of Coach (Karen) and her quietness. “Seeing the whole court and getting the ball into one, which will be good for that I’ll need to work on.”

Easterling believes the style of play Briley brings to Winthrop will suit the type of players the Lady Eagles have. “We’ll probably be running and breaking a lot, since we don’t have a great deal of height. On defense, we’ll probably mix the defenses up, playing both man and zone defenses.”

Easterling believes her main contribution this year will be in a leadership capacity. “I have to be a leader, and help pull the team together. It’s going to have to be a total team effort to do it.”

Easterling believes the arrival of freshmen Cherri Foster and Kim Seegers will help bolster the Lady Eagles squad. “Kim is going to be a big help in the middle, because she is a strong player. Cherri is going to help the backcourt situation a lot.”

Easterling said that the first week of practice has been a good one. “The freshmen are looking real good, everybody is working real hard, giving 100 percent, and everyone is coming together as a team.”

The WC guard believes she and her fellow teammates have helped the program this season. “We want to prove that we can beat the Division I teams on our schedule, and that we can compete with the big schools in a short period of time. We’re opening with USC-Spartanburg and we have a score to settle with them from last year.”

**Garnets dancing hard; looking good**

By MARC HOWIE
Special to TJ

The Golden Garnets, a carefully choreographed, twelve girl team, have been working hard this year to help add a little more excitement to basketball games this season.

“The girls really have been working hard this year,” said Carolyn Yance, who is in charge of both the Golden Garnets and the cheerleaders.

The team went on to say that the Golden Garnets, who will be performing during halftime at basketball games this season, have been working through some changes since last year.

This year the girls are required to follow a proportional chart. Their weight is checked once a week, they practice three times a week, and they also have new uniforms. Yance said that Andrea Grier, who does most of the choreography for the girls, has been working very hard to get them ready for the coming season.

This year Yance and Grier have also worked with the girls and taught them how to be really “good fans” and help generate some more excitement in the stands. The girls are really looking forward to the season opener November 18, when all of the hard work will begin to pay off.
**“G-Man” McKiver settles down**

By JEFF RUBLE

TJ sports writer

Ups and downs have been a part of Jerome McKiver’s career. McKiver is known as the “G-Man” because of his 42” vertical leaping ability and slam dunking exploits. He has also been part of a Winthrop basketball program that has put together two up and down seasons, finishing 14-21, 21-10 and 11-16 in the past three seasons. So what does McKiver want to do? He wants to set his down to personal ups and downs and team consistency.

McKiver has had a lot of settling since he was a student at Blenheim High School. There he was a superb all-around athlete, lettering in four sports and leading his football team to the state championship. As he neared graduation, colleges recruited him in all four sports, so McKiver made a choice. “I thought basketball was my best sport, and I enjoyed it the most.” So McKiver did just that, improving his grades to among the best on the team and winning the Coaches Award his freshman year.

McKiver went on from his freshman year to play good basketball for the club, but still the Eagles were an up and down basketball team. “During my years, I’ve played point guard, shooting guard, forward and even a little center.” Last year the Eagles had a discouraging year but McKiver displayed his improvement by winning the Most Improved Award.

This season McKiver is anxious to step in and settle down the Eagles to winning habits. “My goals this year are to score more points for take for losses of Brian Pope (Pope) and Pat (Sass) and to play a true point guard.” By playing a “true” point guard role, McKiver hopes to cut down on team turnovers and his direct court action, feeding the ball to the post players.

“I’m going to have to get the ball inside to Fred (McKinnon), Allen (Washington) and (Jon) Bowman. McKiver’s last goal, and probably his most important, is to be the leader on defense.”

McKiver along with three others on the basketball team, is a senior this year, and McKiver is looking forward to his last season. “I’ve been looking forward to playing his old position again.” A valuable player here at Washington State College, McKiver is being recruited by several schools a year and then I’d like to pursue a career in broadcasting.”

McKiver is in a position to do this because of the same advice he gives freshmen now: “Settle down and get your priorities straight, education first; education is the most important aspect.”

**Wrestlemania at Winthrop**

By TODD HUTCHISON

TJ assistant sports editor

On Oct. 1 the National Wrestling Alliance, on the N.W.A., brought its traveling "shoow" to Winthrop Coliseum for a television tapings. Included on the card were: N.W.A. World Tag-Team Champions, the Rock & Roll Express, Superstar Billy Graham, Abdullah the Butcher, the Road Warriors, and many more notable NWA stars.

The Rock & Roll Express started the evening by pounding two unknowns. The match was decided in a quick fashion for the Rock & Roll Express, as they performed double-flying drop kicks that won hardly.

The next match brought the first surprise of the night. As the hated Midnights arrived, after a hundred greeting by their manager Jim Corbett, the arrival of Jimmy Valiant and Rocky Johnson. As Valiant’s own lady, Big Mama, was introducing her “main-man”, Valiant and Johnson entered the ring in street clothes and proceeded to cleanse house. The match never took place as the and the locker-room in a cowardly fashion.

The next match was also an action packed event. Abdullah was going to slap Babydoll, the Butcher took on Starship Magnum and Magnum was allowed on the Eagle in one of the night’s better head by Blanchard. After yet another exchange outside the ring in a dirty fashion, Abdullah came on and defeated both wrestlers were counted young lion by squashing him led outside with a whopping 402 pounds of rope too long.

The Nature Boy, Buddy Landel made quick work of his opponent. He ended his onslaght by making his opponent submit with his dreaded figure-four on the Express.

**Washington is into action; USC transfer getting plenty**

By JILL ZEGLER

TJ sports writer

Standing at 6’5”, and weighing a 185 pounds, Winthrop College basketball player Allen Washington is getting the playing action he wants out of a college basketball team.

As a freshman at USC, Washington felt that he was simply not getting enough action as a player. He comments, “I was ready to contribute to a team, and at USC, I wouldn’t be doing that unless my junior year.”

Then he was transferred to Winthrop and got the playing action he wants out of a college basketball team.

In addition to this, he was in the Conference Top five in the state and made All-State twice. As a communications major, he was satisfied with Washington's program. So, yes, he chose Winthrop.

Despite his unsatisfying year at the University of South Carolina, Washington is getting the playing action he wants out of a college basketball team.

**Intramural standing**

By CHRIS ROWELL

Special to TJ

Washington College recently ended the fall season of softball intramurals, that recently intramurals, while the football season began, are as follows. The intramural teams are currently “Crowd Pleasers,” and the competing.

According to Grant Seurry, intramural graduate assistant, 21 teams participated in the softball intramurals that began in September. The winners of the Tuesday and Thursday league, and the winner of the Wednesday league with a 3-0 record, the “L.R. Express” is currently holding the first place position for the women’s league with a 20-0 record.

Washington received an Honorable Mention All American in both ’Stitch & Smoo, and in the ‘Nads’ are both tied for first place in the Wednesday league with a 3-0 record. The “Slainhunters,” the “No-Names,” and “Nally’s Patrol” are all tied for the win in the Tuesday and Thursday league at 2-1.

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Now that he is a well developed basketball player, Washington makes many contributions to the team. He averages 11.5 points per game, but his most important asset is to be the leader on defense.

His position on the team has recently been changed from center to power forward. When asked if this would affect his play, he stated, “It may limit my number ofrebounds, but I would be more of a power forward all through high school, and it was my natural position.”

Although this will be his first time of taking on this role, he doesn’t seem worried. “I’m looking forward to playing his old position again.”
DSU Celebrates Halloween

Dinkins Student Union will celebrate Halloween by sponsoring a variety of student activities for the entire week of Oct. 28 through Nov. 1.

According to Kim Morris, DSU graduate assistant, the events begin with a Halloween dance in ATS on Monday and Tuesday nights from 9 p.m. to midnight. Admission is free to students with WCID.

Jeff Gaffney, DSU films committee chairman, has planned two movies for Wednesday, Oct. 30. Steven King’s “Dead Zone” will be showing at 9 p.m. in Tillman Auditorium, followed by John Carpenter’s horror classic “Halloween” at midnight. Movies are $1 with WCID, and $2 for the public.

DSU’s annual Halloween carnival, better known as “Halloween Happening,” will take place in Dinkins Student Center, Halloween night from 7-11 p.m. Halloween Happening features booths, exhibitions, and games. According to Becky the Dinkins Information Desk.

Otis Day and the Knights concert that takes place in the coliseum Friday at 8 p.m., will mark the finale of the week of events. Otis Day and the Knights are best known for their appearance in the movie National Lampoon’s “Animal House.” Graduate Assistant Morris said, “They are well known for their high energy entertainment and we are expecting a great performance as well.”

“Halloween Happening,” will entertain and we are expecting take place in Dinkins Student Center. Halloween night from 7-11 p.m. Halloween Happening $5 for students and $7 for the public. They are being sold at games. According to Becky the Dinkins Information Desk.

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Senator Mitchell addresses rally

By ALLAN C. JENKINS
TJ staff writer

Senator Theo Mitchell (D-Greenville) was the featured speaker at a “Rally for a Free South Africa” held on Thursday, Oct. 10, in Dinkins Auditorium. The rally was jointly sponsored by the Association of Ebonites and Winthrop College Campus Ministries.

Mitchell, who has sponsored several bills in the S.C. Senate calling for divestiture of all state funds from companies having business relations with South Africa, called the South African system of racial oppression, also known as apartheid, “the most cruel and inhumane on earth.”

“By cruel fate, 4.4 million Africans have been able to set up a system that leaves 24 million Africans in homes unlighted by electricity, not graced by running water, sanitation, health, or education,” Mitchell said, “and this system is propped up by the economic systems of the United States and Israel.”

Under apartheid, Africans are not allowed to vote or live in white reserved areas, and must carry internal passports. Most have been relegated to “homelands” or “bantustans,” and cannot leave these areas except to work.

Mitchell called for citizens of the U.S. and especially South Carolinians, to support divestiture, and to prepare to boycott businesses and banks doing business with South Africa, South African companies, and U.S. companies doing business in South Africa.

“May you be called to lend your support to this cause by boycotting these businesses, because apartheid will last as long as there are greedy businessmen who do not care about how much blood is spilled for their profits,” Mitchell said. “We’ll watch and see how many can survive boycotts, we’ll see how many can survive massive withdrawals of deposits, we’ll see how many can survive pickets everyday.”

“It will be interesting to see which legislatures oppose these bills calling for divestiture,” Mitchell continued, “and very interesting to see which corporations come forth to lobby against it.”

Mitchell said that the blacks in South Africa were exercising restraint, and that he hopes an early, non-violent end to apartheid is possible, but warned that any further delay could be bloody.

“Blacks in South Africa are sick and tired of their people being tortured, killed, mysteriously disappearing, their women and children being treated like animals,” Mitchell said, “A dam may hold back a lot of water, but when it bursts, it will drown a lot of people.”

After his speech, Mitchell answered questions from the audience. When asked what students could do to protest South Africa’s policy of apartheid, Mitchell replied, “Nothing works like an economic protest; you must raise your voices and boycott American companies doing business in South Africa.”

Mitchell was asked if that included U.S. businesses abiding by the “Sullivan Principles,” a set of voluntary guidelines that many U.S. businesses follow to prevent racial oppression within their factories in South Africa.

“Sullivan himself, just two weeks ago, called his principles ‘outmoded, out of time, and out of step,’” Mitchell replied, “More stringent measures are needed.”

Prior to Mitchell’s speech, Dr. Mary de Grys, professor of anthropology at Winthrop, gave a short history of the Afrikaner rise to power in South Africa. Afrikaners are the leading white ethnic group in South Africa and are of Dutch descent. They settled the area in the 17th century, and have ruled ever since, except during a period of British rule in the late 19th century.

The British rule culminated and ended in an Afrikaner rebellion, known as the “Boer War,” which DeGrys cited as being primarily responsible for the extreme conservatism and seige mentality of the Afrikaners today.

“I had really expected Winthrop students to care a lot more about this issue than they obviously do,” said Winthrop freshman Gene Broadway, “It is sad to see that less than 1 percent of the student body cared enough to attend.”

About fifty persons were in attendance at the rally, which was less than some had expected.
Strom wins award
By KAREN PARKER
TJ staff writer

Allyson Strom was named Religious Heritage of America’s Outstanding Youth of the Year at a banquet on Monday, Oct. 14.

The Religious Heritage of America is a St. Louis based interfaith group. It has four goals: to make Judeo-Christian principles part of America’s daily life; to demonstrate that religious values are part of a successful life; to speak out on moral issues; and to strengthen Judeo-Christian congregations. The organization stresses a commitment to one’s own church, school, and community and demonstration of principles of honesty, integrity, and religious values.

Strom had to fill out a three page application. Some of her many activities and achievements include: Chorus, Who’s Who Among American High School Students, Yearbook copy editor, UNICEF volunteer, President of United Methodist Youth Fellowship, varsity cheerleader, Wesley Foundation Board, Bread for the World student group, and the President’s List.

In addition to the title, Strom received a plaque, a trophy clock, and medallion. The award also brought a $5 hundred, which Strom says will go toward tuition.

As to what Strom has gained from the award and the rewards that go with it, she noted that it gave her “Motivation to keep doing the kinds of things I was given the award for.”

The “Holidays in Paris” will be led by Mlle. Claudia Zachry, assistant director of the Winthrop College Studies Abroad program. A $25 deposit must be paid by Nov. 14 to reserve a place in the tour group, and full payment must be made by Nov. 22, according to Dr. Glenn Thomas, director of the International Center.

Two of the trips will be during the Christmas holidays, Thomas said.

For $799, a student can spend the week of Dec. 26-Jan. 2 in Paris. The price includes round trip air fare from Atlanta to Brussels, train fare from Brussels to Paris, and all breakfasts in a hotel near Notre Dame cathedral, and dinners in a variety of Parisian restaurants.

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International center plans tours
By ALLAN C. JENKINS
TJ staff writer

The International Center will plan four trips abroad this year that will give Winthrop students a chance to experience another culture, and possibly gain college credit, according to Dr. Glenn Thomas, director of the International Center.

For more information, students may contact Dr. Judith Barban, lecturer in French at Winthrop, at 323-2291.

Students preferring to spend the holidays in England can go on the “Holidays in London” tour, which will be abroad Dec. 27-Jan. 6. Participants will fly from Charlotte to London, and spend nine nights in the Cumberland Hotel overlooking Hyde Park.

The price is $1,250, and will include airfare, bed and breakfast, a theatre ticket, half-day trips to Stonehenge, Windsor Castle, and Brighton, a full day in Bath, and seven days of unlimited travel on London’s “tubes”, the subway system.

Deadline for a $100 deposit is Nov. 1. The balance of $1,150 must be paid in full by Nov. 29. Interested students may contact the International Center for more details (323-2133).

The price is $2,449 and includes all airfares and accommodations while in Europe.

Interested students may contact Viault at 323-2173.

A “Studycade” is also planned for students interested in visiting the USSR. The tour will be July 20-August 9, and will feature visits to Leningrad, Moscow, and the Soviet Republic of Armenia, Georgia, and Estonia.

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By ALLISON LOVE

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- Friday: sloppy joe, beef pot pie.

Sunday-  roast beef, fried chicken.

Monday- hot roast beef sandwich, fettucini Alfredo with baby shrimp.

Tuesday- salisbury steak with mushrooms, waffles, baked ham.

Wednesday- fried turkey, lasagna, knockwurst and Kraut.

Thursday- baked chicken, liver and onions, pepper steak.

Friday- turkey and dressing, oriental beef.

Saturday- meat loaf, fettucini with chicken.

Sunday- beef stroganoff, grilled cheese with chili.

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**Student advisory committee formed**

By LORI CASALE

Winthrop’s School of Education has formed a Student Advisory Committee. Eight students from the course Edu 180, introduction to education, have been selected to head the newly formed committee.

These students will mix with other education majors and gather opinions about various education-related concerns. They will be visiting education classes on the freshman, sophomore and junior levels and will be talking with education students and faculty throughout the semester.

The student representatives will also be available by phone to talk with any education students about their various programs and to take any comments or suggestions they might have.

The aim of the School of Education’s Student Advisory Committee is to encourage student input as the school seeks to change its curriculum.

“As we move through this major curriculum revision process in the School of Education, we need student input so that we’ll be better able to develop a curriculum that will meet the students’ needs,” said Dr. Sue Smith.

The eight student representatives are: Brian Brunson, Susanne Couch, Amy Harrelson, Rita Hines, Leslie Lewis, Lona Poole, Terry Steele, Becky Turpin.

Any interested students wishing to express their views may contact these representatives.

**Perselley awarded grant**

By MAGGIE ZALAMEA

Dr. Gerald Perselley, professor of business administration and management at Winthrop College, has been awarded a $25 thousand grant to write a book.

This grant was awarded by the National Defense University of Fort Lesly J. McNair in Washington, D.C. Perselley expects to finish Human Resources and Defense Management within a year. “I haven’t begun yet, but I will within the next two weeks. I still need to go to Washington and pick up some materials,” said Perselley.

When asked what kind of materials, Perselley answered, “mostly government publications.”

The book will cover people, population and how personnel is used in the armed forces.

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