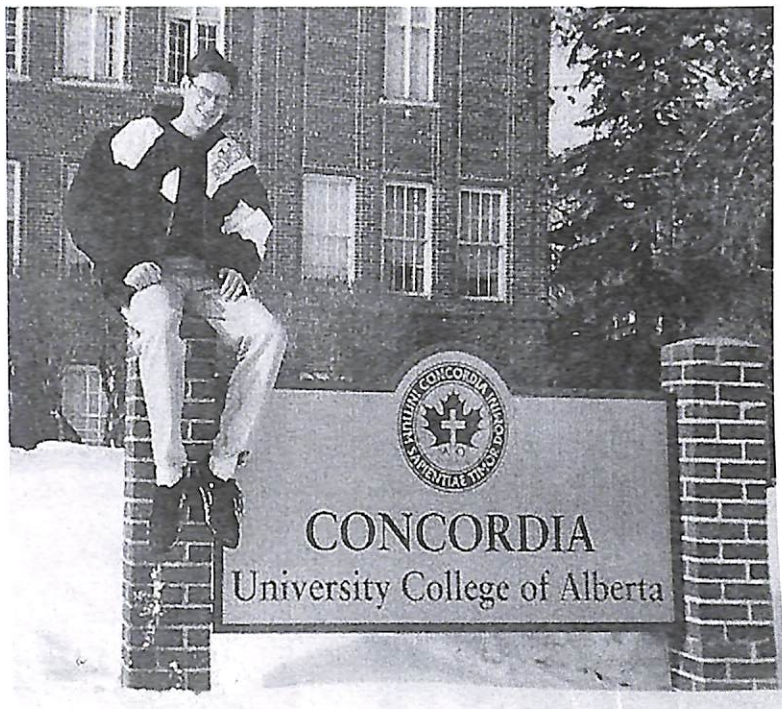


# BLUE & White

Tenth Issue - And it's still Free! Please don't throw this paper away! Keep it and show it to a friend. Thank you! April 1997

## Make your mark



### Jason Gariepy For President!

Jason is currently CSA Vice President. This year, he's worked hard to represent all of the students at Concordia, and to fulfill the Mission of our school. He has a proven and positive student council track record for taking the initiative on important issues that affect students. In addition, Jason's experience as Vice President has given him a unique perspective on what it takes to be an effective CSA President. He knows the CSA President must be open minded, accessible, and accountable to all students, as well as be enthusiastic about our school.

This year, Jason has been involved with student orienta-

tions, organized and participated in CSA events, represented Concordia at the United Nations Model Assembly, and has served as an unofficial ambassador for the university.

Jason balances his student life by playing sports, participating in the Toastmasters Leadership and Communication program, and volunteering as Youth Leader for the St. Vital Roman Catholic Parish in Beaumont.

As President, Jason will listen to students, take the initiative to sponsor events that you want to see, and will continue to follow the Mission of Concordia.

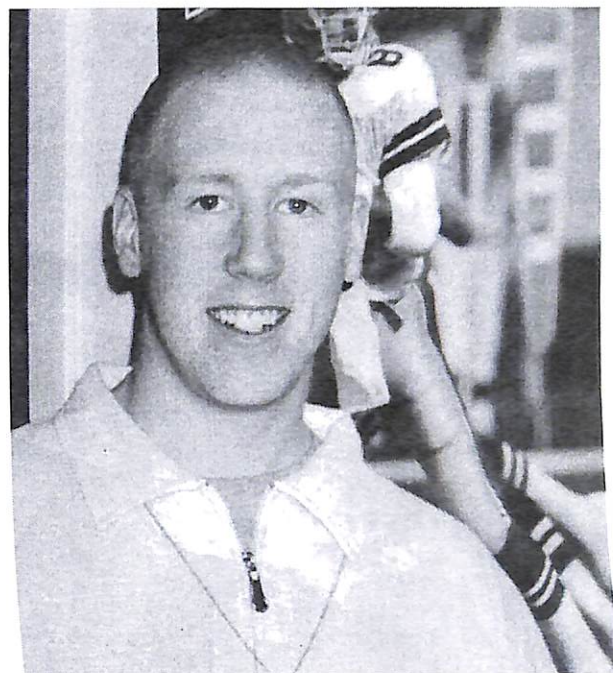
### Tuition Fees To Be Raised Next Year?

by Sarah Holland

Aaahhh, the infamous grapevine. Apparently there have been some rumors circulating about tuition costs. The buzz is that next year we students will be paying a hefty \$5200.00 for tuition. Let's be blunt here — these rumors are totally unfounded and simply not true. Reverend Jones has specifically stated this fact, also asserting that the Board is looking at keeping tuition under \$4000.00. I myself hear many students' con-

cerns about the fees here at Concordia. The fact is, this is a private institution, and tuition fees froze last year, hence they may have to be raised slightly this year in order to maintain Concordia's quality. The fees here have never been a secret, so I don't understand why some students complain about them. Yes, Concordia has historically been a bit more expensive than other places in the city, but U of A

is quickly catching up to us. Besides, just look at fees in the States and you will surely have a greater appreciation of Canada's educational system. So please, if you hear a rumor about increasing fees, take a moment to ask someone who knows, and try to form an appreciation of this university and our relatively low fees. Isn't Harvard \$35,000.00 a year?



### Michael Schutz for CSA president

Michael is an active member in the Concordia community. Involved in many areas of student life over the two years he has attended the school, he truly cares about Concordia. The people at the school are what makes it an excellent school. Certainly the programs and quality education are integral components, as well, but it is primarily the students, faculty, and staff that make Concordia unique. It is because of the people that Michael became interested in attending Concordia, and it is the people who make the school alive.

Entering his third year in the fall, Michael wants nothing more than to see Concordia continue to grow in all areas. Academically, we continue to improve and expand our programs and classes. Athletically, we especially look forward to the completion of the new athletic facility on-campus. (Now Michael can really work on that jump shot that's needed attention for so long!) Socially, the student council and other groups have done a fantastic job in providing opportunities for

students to get together both here on campus and away from it. Spiritually, daily chapel and many other activities contribute to the spiritual growth of students and staff here at the school. Michael is involved these areas, and would like to help lead them to grow even more next year.

Michael is no stranger to leadership positions. He has served for four years on student councils, including a year as president in his senior year of high school. He has also served as team leader for a full-time music ministry team, and this year as chaplain for the Concordia Concert Choir, of which he has been a member for two years. The

captain of three athletic teams in high school, he was also the captain of this year's men's Thunder basketball team. Attendance at numerous leadership conferences and workshops has given him valued formal training in leadership. He is dedicated to the mission of Concordia, and wishes to use the gifts given him by God to serve his school and its student population as a student leader. He pursues a commitment to excellence, both personally and professionally. He is committed to helping to maintain and improve the academic, athletic, spiritual, and social excellence already found at Concordia.

Soli Deo Gloria

Things fall apart;  
the center  
cannot hold

From *The Second Coming*  
by William Butler Yeats



## In Remembrance Of



Dr Barbara Mensch

### Dr. Barbara Mensch

by Peter Dry

Throughout the mortal time that we spend on this planet we will meet literally hundreds of thousands of people. Some we will have the privilege to call friends, while others will pass through our lives like the wind. If we're lucky however, we'll meet someone who -- perhaps even without meaning to -- will have a profound impact on our lives. Dr.

Barbara Mensch, a professor here at Concordia, was such a person. She died on February 22nd after a long battle with cancer; she will be sadly missed.

Dr. Mensch's students speak of her with affection. They speak of her deep reservoir of compassion -- something that was apparent to all who had the privilege of being taught by her. While I never had the opportunity to either meet her, or have her as a teacher, I regret that. I wish that I would have had the chance to meet this extraordinary teacher.

*To have so soon scaped world's,  
and flesh's rage.  
Rest in soft peace!*

## Saying Goodbye to a great teacher

by Monzer Al-Bekai

Try to imagine this: it's your first day of University, and as you are sitting in your class surrounded by strangers, you ask yourself what an I doing here? We've all been there... but as almost anyone will tell you, a good professor can relieve some of the tension and anxiety one feels that first day. For me, this class was English 110 and the teacher was Dr. Barbara Mensch.

If you know anyone who had Dr. Mensch as a Prof., they will tell you that she performed strange antics from the start. It became blatantly evident that Dr. Mensch was (to put it mildly) a bit eccentric. The question on everyone's mind now was Who is this person? and what

did she do to our teacher? However, what the class didn't realize was that Dr. Mensch has given us all something in common to talk about. As a result of this, the unity of the class grew rather rapidly.

All good teachers find ways to reduce the stress one feels during the first few days of university life. Dr. Barbara Mensch accomplished this, and was a great teacher.

Dr. Mensch passed away recently. The highest honor a person can achieve during a lifetime is to love and in return be loved. My English 110 class loved Dr. Mensch and in return she loved us back. We will all truly miss you, GOOD-BYE.

*The Blue and White would like to take this opportunity to convey its deepest sympathies to Dr Mensch's family. Not only have we lost a valued member of the Concordia family, we have lost a unique and special woman who inspired many students to pursue the art of English. We shall miss her.*

## Roll Call

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## Politics Arrives at Concordia!

### Second Thoughts

by Dallas Harris

We came, we were seen, and we rocked! On March 5, 1997, we came out to raise a little money for the United Way and entertain the masses in a Talent Showcase in Tegler. Although I'm biased, because I organized the whole darn thing, I think that it was a great success. My thanks again to everybody who came out and played their hearts out, and my many thanks to all of you who donated their spare change. I would also like to take this opportunity to apologize to every prof that was disturbed by the volume.

It seems that everybody involved had a great time putting this worthwhile event on. I hope this isn't a one-time event. Maybe we'll see a Talent Showcase one or two more times next year!

by Peggy Wright

On Monday, March 3rd, Concordia University College hosted a political forum in Tegler Center.

Four of the nominated candidates for the riding of Edmonton Highlands were

in attendance: Pam Barrett (New Democrats), Jim Campbell (Progressive Conservatives), Tim Frieson (Social Credit), and Chris Smith (Liberals). Each

of the candidates spoke to those in attendance (who numbered somewhere between 100 and 200 -- that is, if one counts the candidate



supporters who were also there) for fifteen minutes each; a question period followed the speeches. For those who were there, the fo-

rum presented a unique opportunity to learn more about each of the candidates running, as

well as their party platforms -- and promises. In brief, Jim Campbell told us the Tories made promises, and kept them -- Chris Smith said the Liberal's would put People First -- Pam Barrett said she and the NDs would be a

more effective opposition than the Liberals were during the last four years -- and Tim Frieson said the Socreds would privatize health care and provide a voucher system for education.

By the time you read this article the election will be over, so for those of you who attended the forum or who picked up the assortment of pamphlets about the candidates, their parties and their platforms, here's hoping you were able to make a well informed decision about who you thought would best represent this riding.

## Final Approval for EH Program!

taken from Crossroads, February 26, 1997

In early February, Concordia received final approval from the Certification Board of the Canadian Institute of Public Health Inspectors for the Environmental Health After-Degree Program. Graduates will now be able to take the certification exams that will qualify them to serve as public health inspectors anywhere in Canada.

The program had received approval in principle from the Certification Board last fall. In December a review

team visited Concordia and filed a report requesting the addition of a few more courses in the final year and a strengthening of the ties between the undergraduate and after-degree phases of the program. Our response addressed these concerns to the satisfaction of the Board.

Concordia is now one of only three post-secondary institutions in Canada certified to train public health inspectors. The other two are Ryerson in Ontario and the British Columbia Institute of Technology.

Congratulations are extended to Dean Marilyn

Westbury, Adjunct Professor John O'Laney, and all the other staff involved in this difficult approval process!

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## Vice President Candidate Mike Schiemann

*What has Mike done for you?*

This past year, Mike served as the CSA On-Campus Coordinator where he organized many events on campus. Some of these events included cultural week, snow jazz, quiz master, blood donor clinics, a political forum, book buy backs, welcome week, mini-golf, and many many more. Mike fulfilled the requirements of the job, and exceeded them. He has shown he is more than ready to move up in student council rank, and is ready to continue working for you.

*What will Mike do in the future as VP?*

Vice President includes a

wide variety of responsibilities. One of these is the organization and supervision of Student Council activities. As On-Campus Coordinator, Mike saw how activities were run,

and has a good understanding of what needs to be done to make an event successful. As Vice-President, he will take what he

has learned this year, and use it to make next year even better. He also has to organize the



Blue and White. Mike has written for the Blue and White many times, and is aware of what it takes to make a good paper. He realizes that the most important opinions and

articles come from you, the student. He will make every effort to express a wide variety of opinions in the Blue and White, and get student feedback, because of course, this is your paper.

*What about Concordia?*

One of the biggest responsibilities of a Student Council member is that they represent Concordia. Mike does this in many ways. He did this on council

last year, and he is also a member of the Concert Choir, and the smaller ensemble Voices in Praise. He has sung in these groups for 2 years, and has also accompanied them. Mike has shown that he is a good representative of Concordia, and if elected VP would continue to fulfill what he is currently doing. In a nutshell... Mike is ready to work for you. He has a bold vision of what the CSA is, and how he can mold it to become even more. By leading students of Concordia, he will promote, represent, and support Concordia in all of its endeavors and undertakings. He is the ideal candidate for Vice President, and is ready and willing to work for you. Feel free to approach him with any questions you may have, and come out and listen to his speech on March 24 at 11:10.

## Ali Charyna For Spiritual Life Coordinator

Ali has a 2 year General certificate in Biblical Studies from the Canadian Lutheran Bible Institute. She has also had 9 years of experience in leading Bible studies and other related activities when Christian Camping and was a Program Director for a year and a half in a Christian Camp. Ali's duties as Program Director included developing the entire Bible Study Program for the camp and teaching others to effectively run the program. Ali would like to use her talents in the position of Spiritual Life Coordinator.

## Doug Macaulay For Science Rep

Doug has been an active member of the SAFE group for the past two years and has worked on a number of extra curricular activities with teachers and other science students. Doug has had previous summer work experience in the areas of lepidopterist, entomologist, and plant pathologist through Alberta. He has also given public lectures on the topic of Wildlife Biodiversity. Doug would like the opportunity to use his talents for the good of the students.

## Jodie Veldman For On-Campus Coordinator

Jodie is currently the off-campus coordinator and has provided events such as the hiking trip, Oktoberfest, Christmas banquet, pool tournament, and more. She is open to many suggestions for events as we have seen in this past year. Her willingness to accept suggestions and use these ideas to benefit the students make her a good candidate for on-campus coordinator.

## Matt Cassie: A Fresh Perspective In The Vice-President's Office

If elected, Matt pledges to stay in touch with you, the students, who will always be his highest priority. Here is some information about Matt:

- \* third year student
- \* member of the Concordia Thunder Soccer team
- \* sportswriter for the Blue & White
- \* has worked with the Thunder hockey team

Matt decided to run for vice-president because he feels that he has a fresh vision of what will make the "Concordia experience". He wants to stay in touch with Concordia students, and here's his plan:

1. Matt believes that it is only through regular contact that council can stay in touch with the concerns and desires of you, the student body. Therefore, Matt will distribute feedback forms which will allow a regular opportunity to be heard. Matt will also update students as to what he is doing through the Blue and White.

2. One of the primary functions of the vice-president

is to act as Chief Executive Officer of your student newspaper, the Blue and White. Matt believes that with the tremendous talent pool available at Concordia, your paper can be the finest student paper in the city. When a student opens up a copy of the Blue and White, he or she should be able to see



a reflection of themselves. Matt will ensure that your paper re-

mains of the highest quality by ensuring that a top-notch Editor-in-chief is in place — one who shares this same vision. Matt will work relentlessly to ensure that the Blue and White remains a paper that reflects Concordia's greatest asset: diversity.

3. Another duty of the vice-president is that of a public relations officer. Matt will use his experience in promotions and communication to ensure that you, the student body, are always in touch with on and off-campus activities as well as other special opportunities that may exist for you. In addition to CSA activities, Matt will take an active role in promoting other student events such as sports and theatre productions.

4. Matt is a strong team player who will work closely with other council members to ensure that CSA activities are of a high quality.

If you like what Matt stands for, give him your vote on March 25th and 26th.

## Sean McKeown for Vice President

Sean would like to tell you things about himself, where he was born, where he grew up and all that, but he says that all that information would be irrelevant to his campaign. "If you really care you'll come talk to me, we'll hug and have a good cry. READ MY LIPS fiscal accountability and restraint."

## Conrad Chan For Treasurer

Conrad has had 3 years of experience as a treasurer of a Roman Catholic group in Hong Kong, 1 year as the treasurer of his high school student council, and as the treasurer of a program called RYPEN. Conrad has also taken part in a peer support group as well as being a part of his local Rotary Club.

## Suzanne Liske for Secretary

For the past year I've been secretary for the CSA. It's been a great job, and I've loved doing it! Other members of the CSA have told me that I've done my job well, and I look forward to an even more successful year next year. When I was in high school, I was part of the student council, was leader of a counter attack club, and was nominated to be grad chairperson. For the past two summers I've been a senior camp counsellor leading camps for kids ages 7 - 17. This year, while taking an overload, I've been on the CSA, in choir, part of the chapel praise group, and part of the choir executive. I'm organized, cheerful, responsible and reliable person.

## CONCORDIA STUDENTS ASSOCIATION ELECTIONS FOR 1997/1998

THE SPEECHES WILL BE HELD ON MARCH 24

THE ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON MARCH 25 AND 26

THE POSITIONS AVAILABLE ARE:

President

Vice-President

Treasurer

Secretary

On-Campus Activities Coordinator

Off-Campus Activities Coordinator

Athletic Activities Coordinator

Spiritual Activities Coordinator

All Representatives (Excluding UCEP)

## Odds on Best Picture

by Catherine Scott

**Fargo:** A hysterically funny, yet disquieting film from the Coen brothers. It centers on a bungled extortion/kidnapping plan in Minnesota. The characters have a bizarre habit of saying "Yah?" in a nasal tone that will leave you shuddering by the end. Fantastic performance by lead actress Frances McDormand as Margie, the 7 month pregnant sheriff on the trail of the criminals. She deserves the best actress nod for her work. Great film for the same genre of people that liked *Trainspotting*, *The Last Seduction* and *Shallow Grave*. \*Not for the faint of heart.

-Too dark for the Academy, so its highly doubtful that it will win the big prize. Odds: 20-1

**English Patient:** A sweeping epic that took my breath away with flawless editing and astounding cinematography. A tragic love story against the backdrop of W.W.II, it is a complex plot that has all the right elements. There is palpable chemistry between Kristin Scott Thomas and Ralph Fiennes with a love scene that will make you break into a cold sweat. Definitely a must see and a great achievement for Canadian author Michael Ondaatje.

-The front-runner, but will face alot of competition from the understated *Shine*. Odds: 3-1

**Shine:** A powerfully moving tale of the struggle between a gifted child and his obsessively domineering father; this counterbalances the theme of the relationship between madness and genius. The performance

by Geoffrey Rush certainly deserves the nod for best actor. This strangely likeable bundle of nerves is a wonder to behold. I was enraptured by this film. I left in silence, awed by this man's courageous story and buoyed by its message of hope.

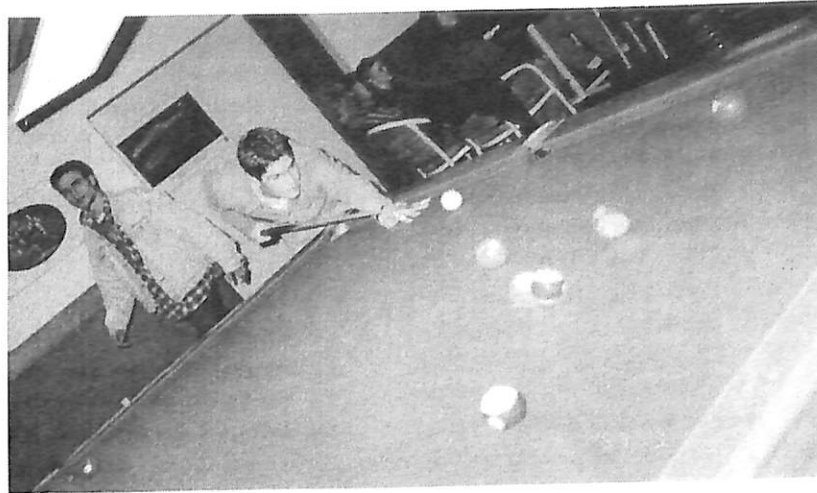
-Very hard to choose between it and *The English Patient* - bit of an outsider's film, but gaining momentum nonetheless. Odds: 5-1

**Jerry Maguire:** A highly 'watchable' film with the charismatic Tom Cruise. Its overly long by about a half hour, but lots of laughs in between and Cuba Gooding Jr. dancing in the kitchen, yelling "Show me the money!" is worth the price of admission. Clever dialogue, an incredibly cute child actor, a big star in the lead and its being an American film, are its reasons for entry in this category.

-Not likely to win, but definitely worth a rental. Odds: 25-1

**Secrets and Lies:** Haven't yet seen it - it's on my list of "things to do" this weekend. However, considering its lack of exposure, it is definitely the long shot. Odds: 50-1

-Finally, I'd just like to say that as cheesy as awards shows are and even if, cynically speaking, they have little to do with art and foster a competitive atmosphere between the performers.....I still love to watch them. I admit that I am sucked into the whole grotesque display...besides, I love to watch the 'beautiful people'! Ha!



Pool Tournament at its best

## Pool Tournament - March 15, 1997

by Jodie Veldman

Congratulations to Tim Jeffares who, after combatting some minor rule infractions, took first place at Concordia's second annual pool tournament. A total of 25 contestants took part on Saturday at the Highrun Club, and many more Concordians came to watch the event. Second place was taken by the former champion Jeff McKeddie, who I would also like to thank for all the help in organizing this event.

## Easter, the Festival of Fertility

by D. Nicklin

Easter, the holiday of bunnies, chicks, and eggs, but where did these images come from? The Christian associations of Easter do not include the ubiquitous rabbits and egg hunts we have every year. Where exactly did these symbols come from?

Paganism. The festival of Easter is far older than most people realize. The Hebrews celebrated the Festival of Passover, when God passed over Egypt and took the first born from every house not marked with the blood of a lamb. This festival has been celebrated continuously for at least 4000 years. Yet even this festival is young in comparison with the pagan festival often called Oestera. Easter falls on the weekend of Passover, whose date is determined by the lu-

nar calendar. It varies from year to year. Oestera falls on the 21 of March, the Equinox. On this day, like the Fall Equinox, both day and night are of equal length. It is also considered the first day of spring. Throughout most of Europe, the land is ready to be sowed by this time. To bring about a productive harvest, the ancient Europeans would hold a fertility festival which often included much physical intimacy, animal sacrifices (to 'fertilize' the land) and feasting.

The symbols of the egg, the rabbit, and the young chicken denote generative powers of the Earth, the planting of the seed that will bring a successful harvest (as well as the sexual connotation of reproduction). This festival, called by many names, has been cele-

brated for as long as humanity has been agricultural. Careful observation of both the sun and moon's motions through the sky led to the knowledge of when to plant and reap. Hence, the date of Oestera and Passover vary from year to year.

Christianity has also picked up some of these associations as well. Easter is the holiday where Christ was resurrected. New life springing from the old. New flowering after the death of winter. Christian Easter is as much a fertility festival as the ancient Oestera. A celebration of new life.

So when you hunt for your eggs, or see those bizarre Cadbury commercials on T.V., you see the continuation of a festival almost as old as mankind itself.

## Money Marker

This issue of the B&W contains the very last set of clues this year for the CSA Money Marker. This year, the marker has been found by 9 females, and only 1 male. Guys, this is your last chance. The clues in this issue are notably more difficult than the others to give everyone a more equal opportunity to find it. The last prize of the year is a Concordia Concert choir CD. But, the package doesn't stop there. It's no good to have a CD if you don't have a player, so we're also going to throw in a Sony Discman, with the car kit accessories. This package has an approximate retail value of over \$200, and we're going to GIVE it to the person who finds the money marker. So, without further adieu, read the clues and get to it. Good luck!

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## Sports Chat

by Sarah Holland

There are only a few short weeks of school left, and the athletic year is quickly wrapping up. Perhaps now is the time to review the year in Thunder sports. The year started off with soccer, and the mens' and ladies teams bared the frigid weather to represent our institution. The year continued with cross-country running, golf, swimming, badminton, hockey and basketball. The hockey team made 'history' by making it to the first round of the playoffs, unfortunately they lost out to NAIT. I think that the hockey team will do much better next year with more rookies who work hard and don't have an attitude problem. The women's basketball team played in a very small league, and they were not as successful as hoped. The men's basketball team has had an exciting year, as stated by the superfan Corey Haberstock. Bobbi Provencher was the ACAC Women's silver medalist in cross-country running. I would like to say thank you to all of the athletes who took time out of their schedules to support and represent the school. A university would not be a 'true' university if athletes and teams did not exist. I myself am sorry that the fans were so apathetic this year, and I hope that next year some more people will take notice of those of you who sweat and work hard.

To recap, the team rosters for the 1996/97 year are:

### GOLF:

Mark Ristola  
Zach Krukewich  
Blaine Nedelko  
Jason Milligan

### CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING:

Marlena Turner  
Graham Woods

## Untitled

by Charles Villebrun

At the cloudy edges of your mind where reason begins and sanity ends, is the grey area where even the loudest of sound, and the brightest sun fails to penetrate. You visit this place from time to time, but the reflection of you standing with your soul bared, sets your heart pounding with fear. You know in the deepest part of your soul that you have done nothing wrong, but, this fear is overwhelming, and sets your mind racing, repeating these words: I've gotta, get out, I've gotta get out. The problem is you're wide awake. So, tell me, where do you run? Do you run back into the shadows where you believe it's safe, or do you confront what you think are your fears?

To bare your soul is one of the scariest things a person will ever do. You have laid it open for everyone to see, including yourself, and standing in your nakedness, do you not think that you will have a bit of fear? All the wants, goodness and perversions of your mind are in the open for all to see. It is not bad for a stranger to see all this, but, when you look at

yourself, you begin to see the tiny cracks that the stranger cannot see. Those tiny cracks that you see are floating around the edges of your mind, where even the sun fails to penetrate. The desperation in your life, the unfulfilled promises, the things that you were going to do crack — the fear that you will never accomplish what you have set out to do cracks. Do you not face these tiny cracks everyday, and push them aside as fast as they come into your memory?

Maybe, just maybe if you're lucky, this is what you fear. If it is, then you will survive. If not, then you'd better visit Dr. Colleen Hammermaster because you're in trouble.

Bobbi Provencher  
Claire Hallex  
James Scozzafava  
Keith Hudson  
Tim Klein

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Doug Macaulay

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Melanie Zapesocki  
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Rob Fraser  
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Laureen Bellamy  
Gurjeet Sandhar  
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Shannon Maher  
Maria Trapasso  
Nicole McGreevy  
Jacqueline Figueroa  
Keltie Oullette  
Nycki Charpentier  
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Steve Cicchini  
Julio Cabrera  
Ryan Myskiw  
Rodolfo Rubio  
Fernando Runco  
Chris Cicchini  
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Michael Lewis

## New Achievement Scholarship

The Admissions and Scholarships Committee has approved a new Concordia scholarship worth \$1000. The *Concordia Achievement Scholarship* will be awarded to the top forty eligible students.

To be eligible, students must have completed a minimum of 24 credit hours at Concordia, participated in early registration, and be registered full-time in an Arts or Science degree program. The forty students with the highest cumulative grade point average will be awarded the scholarship and the \$1000 upon confirmation of enrollment in September.

The money for these awards comes from funds received over the years from private donors; funds deposited to the general scholarship fund since they were not designated for specific scholarships. There are sufficient funds available to award these new scholarships for at least four years.



A scene from Native Awareness day

## Grad News

by Kathy Jennings

Graduation is only a month and a half away (although for some of us that seems like a lifetime). Grad plans are finalized so it's time to let you know what's going on. We'll be having an information table on the upper level of Tegler (by the coffee shop) on Tuesday, April 1 between nine-thirty and one o'clock, and one of the things we'll be doing is selling flower arrangements for Grad. We're decorating each table with a single white carnation with greenery in clear glass vase. The regular retail price is \$5.55 + GST, and we thought it would be nice to give you a chance to purchase them for that someone special who is attending your grad — remember that Mothers' Day is the next day! We're going to sell the flower arrangements for \$2.00 (which is less than we paid) and will include a little card with a personal message from you on it. Any unsold flowers will be donated to a seniors' lodge for Mother's Day. We will also be pre-selling yearbooks for \$7.00.

Remember, your dinner and dance ticket is free, and you can purchase a second ticket for only \$15.00. If you buy other banquet and dance tickets, the cost is \$30.00 each. We're also going to sell dance tickets for only \$5.00, and are hoping that many of your family and friends who're not able to join us at the banquet will join us then — we're planning on a great party, with a great DJ, so we'll see you there. Tickets can be purchased from Val Lenz at Stu-

dent Services.

I'd like to thank all the people who attended the Pub Crawl. Club Malibu has apologized for the inconvenience and the mix-up (ie. not being able to get into the Thunderdome). In response, they've given us a rebate on the bus, and are providing us with some complimentary tickets to Club Malibu. If you're interested, drop by my office and give me your name and phone number. If there are more names than tickets, we'll have a draw for them; otherwise, I'll just distribute them to whoever is interested. Despite the hassles, the pub crawl did raise \$500.00 — thanks for all your support. The time table for grad is as follows.

### Grad Festivities

May 9

3:00 pm

Grad rehearsal at the College

May 10

8:00 am

President's Breakfast at Concordia - for Grad's only.

10:00 Baccalaureate Ceremony

at Concordia's Tegler Center - open to family and friends.

2:00 pm Convocation Edmonton Convention Center - open to family and friends.

5:30 Cocktails

Convention Center

- open to everyone

6:30 Seating for Supper

- open to everyone

6:45 Buffet Dinner

- open to everyone

8:30 Dance

- open to everyone

## Gamer's World

by Paul Linton

Sierra's release of *Leisure Suit Larry 7: Love For Sail* has been burning up the PC since November, 1996.

Gamers have come to rate this game as a 10 out of 10 and it is easy to see why. Al Lowe, the lead designer and programmer, has gotten back-to-basics and combines a mouse interface with a keyboard or text interface. This was a result of people complaining that just a mouse interface made the game too easy to finish. He incorporates the text interface so that you have to type an action to perform or a topic to discuss with the people Larry meets in his travels.

For those of you who have never heard of *Leisure Suit Larry*, as a result of being locked in a closet or living under a rock for all these years, he is not your typical man. Larry is a man who won't let the 70's

die. He is a 40 year old man who, until LSL 1, has never had a date and still lives with his mother. Barry Manilow is his idol and Air Supply is one of his favorite groups. He is the ultimate nerd who wants to be cool. One day he buys a leisure suit, a big gold pendant and chain, and decides to go out for a night on the town. He gets into all kinds of hilarious mischief as you lead him through his night in search of the woman of his dreams, otherwise known as "the one." This adventure is known as *Leisure Suit Larry in the Land of the Lounge Lizards* and was released in 1987. Future embarrassing episodes included *Looking For Love (In Several Wrong Places)*, *Passionate Patti in Pursuit of the Pulsating Pectorals*, *Passionate Patti Does a Little Undercover Work*, and *Shape Up or Slip Out*.

The story line for this episode of the Larry saga starts where the last episode left off. Shamra, the last woman of Larry's dreams, leaves Larry, tied up and almost naked on the bed, in search of more excitement. In her haste to leave, she leaves her cigarette burning on the bed, next to Larry. The bed catches on fire, and there you are, helpless and in trouble

(just like always). You find a way to escape the bed and the rest of the room catches fire. Your only option is to jump of the top floor of the resort and hope somebody catches you at the bottom. The night isn't a total burn out though (pun intended), as you find a free cruise voucher stuffed in your underwear. Larry 7 just flies from there as you meet wonderful women, like Nailme and Wydoncha Jugg, aboard the PMS Bouncy and compete for the Thyghsman Trophy.

Al Lowe also introduces a few other new interfaces.

These include the CyberSNIFF 2000™, so that you can get the feeling (or would it be the smelling?) of being there, the CyberSCAN 2000™, so you can be a star in the game itself, the CyberSOUND 2000™, so you can add your own sound effects to the game, and a few other ingenious interfaces to maximize game play. Even if you have never tried a Larry game before, this is a wonderful way to start. The game is more funny than raunchy, and it has a few games inside a game that really make it worth trying. The puzzles, or dilemmas, are not impossible, they just take a little time and imagination.

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by Mike Schiemann

### A Father's Love

A father's love for his children is one that most of us may never understand. From day number One, a father has expectations of his child. Hopefully someday, he will learn to flush, eat with a fork, ride without training wheels, be a "good" driver, find the woman he loves, and become a father himself. To achieve these goals, the child needs assistance, guidance, and love, all of which a father should be willing to provide. During the course of one's life, occasionally things are overlooked, and we fail to meet the expectations of people who love us, and care for us. Another thing a father wishes for his child is safety. You can probably remember such remarks as "Look both ways before you cross the street", or "Don't touch that. You could hurt yourself." A father is constantly looking out for his children.

In these days of Lent, we see a similar kind of love, given by God the Father. Having recently celebrated the birth of our Savior at Christmas, we saw God giving His Son to us, to come and save us — His one and only Son, whom He loved and with whom He was well pleased. God's love for Jesus is shown in many places in the Bible. Yet, His love for us is also great. So great in fact, that God did something that most fathers could never do. He sent His Son through agony, torture, and hell. Why? For you, and me, be-

cause of our sin. Jesus knew the events that would take place on that Good Friday, and allowed them to happen anyway. "Jesus replied, 'The one who has dipped his hand into the bowl with me will betray me. The Son of Man will go just as it is written about him. But woe to that man who betrays the Son of Man! It would be better for him if he had not been born.'" Then Judas, the one who would betray him, said "Surely not I, Rabbi?" Jesus answered "Yes, it is you". Matt 26:23-25. Jesus knew that Judas had plotted to have Him killed, and was going to carry it out. Other horrible things happened to Christ. His closest friends could not be awake to pray; they denied Him, and watched Him be arrested as a dirty, worthless criminal. Not too fitting for the Son of God, the Savior of all mankind. Yet, the plot was a go, and things began to happen as was seen by the Father. Jesus came before Pilate, the governor. Pilate gave the crowd a choice to release either Jesus, or a known murderer named Barabbas. The crowd selected Barabbas, and he was set free. This left the punishment of death for Jesus. He was persecuted, mocked, scorned for us all. They made Jesus carry His cross to Golgatha, the place where He was to be crucified. They placed a crown of thorns over His head, and made fun of Him. Finally, they crucified Jesus. While on the cross, Jesus cried out to His Father

"My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" Jesus takes on and becomes the sin of the world. The Father forsakes His one and only Son. Jesus bowed His head, and breathed His last breath. "At that moment, the curtain of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom. The Earth shook, and the rocks split. The tombs broke open and the bodies of many holy people who had died were raised to life." Matt 27:51-52. This man truly was the Son of God, King of the Jews.

After three days had passed, Mary went to look at the tomb. The stone covering the entrance was then rolled back by an angel, whose clothes were as bright as snow. The angel had the best news of all; Jesus had risen from the dead. He conquered death so that you and I might live with Him in eternal paradise. In this season of Lent and Easter, we remember these events, and constantly give God all of our praise and worship. God does all of this for us, even while we were covered in sin. There is nothing we can do to earn God's love and forgiveness, for it is a free gift from Christ. As a Father loves His children, so is the Father's love for us.

Amazing Grace, how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me. I once was lost, but now am found, was blind but now I see.

### New Gymnasium Instills Excitement in Students

by Sarah Holland

After attending Concordia for a few years, I am ecstatic that a gym is finally being built. During my first year here, I played volleyball I for the school — our team name was the Concordia Fillies. Sure, it was a little humiliating, but I love the sport, and it was fun to play on the team. We used to have practices at Commonwealth and at Braemar campus. Commonwealth is a great facility, but at Braemar the guys practiced in the decent gym, and we were forced on many occasions to practice in the "small gym". This is certainly not an understatement as the gym was not much bigger than a classroom, the temperature was at sauna

level and I believe the floor was cleaned with Mazola. If any of us tried to move quickly or dive we ended up skidding across the gym on our tailbones, madly struggling to stop our hurtling bodies before we hit the wall. We did not particularly enjoy this experience. As for games and tournaments, at least once a week we had to travel to various schools around the city in order to play. Now, however, construction on the new gymnasium is under way, and I personally cannot wait to try out my black-soled runners on the new gym floor. Seriously though, this is a big opportunity for Concordia in many ways. New students may be more attracted to our school when they see a new sports facility, and

our athletic teams will surely benefit from having a home gym, thus eliminating the necessity of travelling to exotic places to play. Perhaps students will become more inclined to watch sports if they only have a 2 minute walk in order to see their team. I suppose the only thing I am a tad concerned about is that the irritating omnipresence of the high school students will cause us to become quite daft. Barring any other unforeseen unpleasanties, I am anxiously awaiting the opening of the Athletic Centre.

### A Message to Concordia Graduates

The CSA elections are being held this week, and if past years are any indication, many of you will choose not to vote -- we urge you to reconsider your position. You've attended Concordia for a few years now, and you've probably got some sort of opinion as to how the CSA should be run, as well as the priorities it should be dealing with. Your opinion -- your vote -- is just as important as those who are planning on attending next year. So, take the time out to consider the candidate's positions, and their promises.

On March 25th and 26th, vote.

### Student Life Committee Works for You!

by Peggy Wright

Recently signs have appeared around campus — signs that tell you when the doors to the various buildings are open. These signs are there because of work done by the Student Life Committee.

The Student Life Committee is a standing committee of Concordia Faculty, and it's comprised of 10 members — 7 voting, and 3 non-voting. The President is an *ex officio* member, and of the remaining nine, three members are elected by the Faculty, and three members are appointed by the CSA (of those, one must be a mature student) — these are the voting members. Non-voting positions include a high school faculty representative who attends as an observer, and the Vice-President Student Services who is there as an advisor.

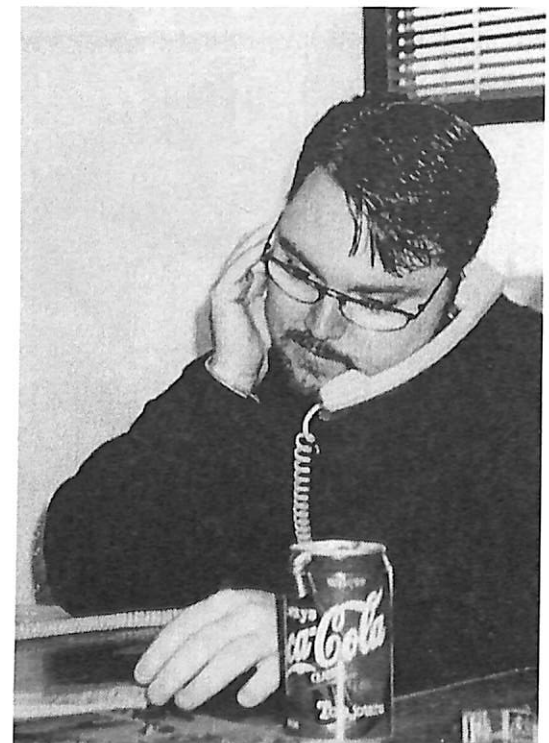
Dr. Zoltan Berkes, chairman of the committee, notes that the Student Life Committee looks at matters and policies concerning students — policies like the hours university buildings are open. In past years the SLC has dealt with issues including the sexual harassment policy, appeal procedures (academic and disciplinary), as well as a non-smoking policy.

In order to figure out what issues might be on students' minds, members of the committee try to stay in contact with students, and read the *Blue & White*. As Dr. Berkes says, "feedback can be direct or informal". Students sometimes approach Dr. Berkes personally, or may take a concern to Dean Stuhlmiller, or may even write a letter to the editor. Whichever route is taken, if it's a policy issue, and if it's brought to the attention of members of the committee, it's the SLC that will wrestle with it. For example, many students expressed concerns regarding building hours (you saw some of that expression in past issues of the *B&W*). Once those concerns were brought to Dr. Berkes' attention, a meeting of the committee was convened and as a result, building hours were reviewed, determined, and posted.

The SLC is currently working on other issues that concern Concordia's students. If you have any issues that you believe involve policy matters, you may wish to contact Tony Wong, President of the CSA, or write a letter to the editor, or seek out Dr. Berkes. Rest assured that your concerns are being heard, and are being taken seriously.



THE OILERS NEW STYLE OF HOCKEY AS OF LATE



Put me down for Fast Jazz in the third

Dear Editor:

I attended the Native Awareness Demonstration with a thousand other FN people on February 25th, 1997 to kill the Bill C-79: Indian Act Modification. Our peaceful demonstration was in conjunction with many other natives in Ottawa. We marched from the Legislative Building to Canada Place. I am insulted by the media coverage on it, because there was none — even though some major stations had their cameras there. It seems to me that the Nurse's upcoming strike was more important than the long term implications of the passing of this Bill to our Native people. This is a major historical event in Canadian history and the media was blowing their chance to be a part of it.

I am disgusted with the Liberal government because their leader is trying to rush this Bill C-79 through before their party's term is up. Chretien and his axeman, Mr. Irwin, both dodge or ignore our Native leaders. They both ignored the Royal Commission on Aboriginal Report's recommendations, which took 5 years to complete, when it was released, and showed this by insulting our First Nations people by running off to Asia in December, and just recently on February 25th when our First Nations leaders re-scheduled their own itineraries to accommodate these two leaders. Now, they want to quick-

ly axe 63% of the Indian Act and make modifications to it by giving the many Indian bands the option to "opt-in", because they hold the federal purse strings or the option to "opt-out"; bands won't receive any funding before the election. Once a band accepts the "opt-in" it will never be able to get out of the self-government.

The passing of Bill C-79 will make our band councils tax collectors for the government, it will assimilate treaty Indians, which many of us will not agree to, it will take our Aboriginal and treaty rights away and diminish the Crown's fiduciary obligations. Many First Nations people I have talked with will not stand for this. Why does the government give preference to Quebec's demands and neglect to treat our First Nation people with "Respect, Trust and Integrity"?

It's going to be a sad day in First Nation history if they pass this second reading in Parliament without consulting the First Nations; which by the way, is a contradiction to what the Liberal government's Red Book promised to do in their 1993 election campaign. This Bill C-79 is the most historical event in Canadian history this century, and these two men will be remembered as villains by the First Nations. The Liberal government must not ever be trusted!

Upset Indian,  
G. L. McGillivray

The last edition of the *Blue & White* featured a couple of articles commenting on the recent Spiritual Emphasis Week, that I believed concerned many of us. I would like to begin by pointing out that while Concordia is an institution that harbors students of many different faiths, its mission still remains a Christian one. Those attending Concordia who are not Christian I'm sure realized this when they applied, and thus it's safe to assume they expected to see some evidence of Christianity in the school's activities. No one is forcing Christian values and beliefs on anybody who is not open to them, but it is unreasonable to expect Concordia's Christians to hide their faith from the rest of the student body.

The anonymous author of *It slices! Dices! It's SPIRITUALITY!!* commented on how insulting they found Spiritual Emphasis Week, but to me it was nothing more than a chance to praise and celebrate in the name of the Father, and it was disappointing to read that some believe that this imposed on their spirituality. I don't mean to sound pretentious in my writing this — I am including myself in these criticisms — but I am afraid that as Christians we often find ourselves sinking into a sea of indifference when it comes to spreading God's Word and showing the rest of the world the pride we have in our faith. It's much

more comfortable to put God on the back burner and forget about him until the next time something goes wrong and we need a quick pick me up. But what we can't forget is that in doing this we are not only denying ourselves the chance to thank and praise our Lord, but we are also denying the non-Christians in our midst the chance to hear of God's message and perhaps to someday find salvation in it. In Matthew 28:19-20 Jesus commanded us to go make disciples of all nations and by hiding our spirituality we are denying him that request. Being bold in our faith and making a joyful noise to the Lord does not make us hypocrites as suggested in the verse quoted in *It slices! Dices! It's SPIRITUALITY!!* (Matthew 6:5-6), but instead it shows the world that we are not ashamed of the gospel (Romans 1:16). The verse quoted was instructing us not to pray as the hypocrites do, using God's word only as a means of proclaiming their own self righteousness. Instead our prayers should come from our hearts, not to make ourselves look better, but to ask forgiveness and grace from God. Praising God does not make us hypocrites, condemning or belittling those who don't do.

I believe that perhaps the authors of *In Review: Spiritual Emphasis Week* and the aforementioned article may have been too caught up in the word

"Spiritual" in the week's title. True, Christianity does not have the franchise on spirituality and I can respect and understand a person's desire to keep parts of their relationship with God a private thing. But as I mentioned before, Concordia is a Christian school. It can be expected that there will be Christian activities, and where spirituality is not exclusive to Christianity it is an important part of it. I am sure that the mentioned authors had nothing but good intentions but they may have misinterpreted the meaning of Spiritual Emphasis Week. It was not intended to force Christianity on those who do not believe, but instead to provide the opportunity to worship, and to share and grow in our faith.

No one marvels at the presence of native culture on Native Awareness Day or complains that the Native music is imposing a command to be Native. But the same token it is unfair to expect Christians to hide their faith quietly in chapel, especially on a week dedicated to doing exactly the opposite. Spiritual Emphasis Week provided Concordia's students an opportunity to make a joyful noise unto the Lord, and for that I am very thankful. And perhaps in doing so, God's word might be spread to those who haven't yet had the chance to hear it, or refresh those of us who might have forgotten.

Crystal Bieber

## The S.P.C.A Needs You

by Sarah Holland

Have you ever been to the S.P.C.A? On Sunday, March 16, I visited the shelter for the first time. I have lived with dogs all my life, and now that I am in an apartment I have to get my dog fix through alternative methods. On Sunday I filled out a form to volunteer for the Walking and Grooming program, and now I just have to wait to hear from them about attending an information session. After I completed the necessary paperwork, I decided to take a look down 'puppy row'. As you know, or can imagine, it was so sad to see the dogs with their little noses peeking out of the cages, looking way up at you with moist, sorrowful eyes that seem to be longing for a home and some freedom and affection. I stopped to pet each one, and as I got up to leave, they jumped on the cage doors and pawed at the wire, sometimes slightly whimpering. Then, I came upon three little puppies who stole all of my attention. They were black Shepherd crosses, but looked like Lab puppies. I couldn't resist going into their cage, and soon I found myself with three irresistible balls of fur jumping all over me, and nipping at my wool sweater. I had to pick them up, and when I did I was overcome with the harsh reality of how skinny and boney they were. One little guy snuggled up in my arms and didn't move or whine or bite. I didn't want to put him down, but I had to, not only because I couldn't stay all day, but also because it was almost too painful. After this, I continued on to the cages where they hold the bigger dogs. Most of them simply sat quietly, staring sadly out of

their wire confinements. There was a beautiful, huge German Shepherd who was incredibly docile. All he wanted was a playmate and a scratch behind the ears; I, of course, obliged. Soon I found myself back in the 'puppy palace' where the dogs seemed to be getting smaller. Further down from my little black friends, were four puppies who were so small that you couldn't enter the cage without assistance. They were sleeping together in a pile, and one tiny baby was on the bottom, with only his eyes, nose and floppy ears visible. Beside them was a stray who had patches of fur missing and the saddest eyes I have ever seen. When I got near his cage he was violently shaking from fear, so I stopped and tried to calm him down and give him some much needed affection.

It is wonderful that the S.P.C.A has many volunteers, but they can always use more help, especially with adoptions. If any of you want a dog please, I beg to you, go down and visit the shelter before buying expensive pure-breds. These priceless, lonely puppies need homes or they will be put to sleep, with some of them never knowing a comfortable home and happiness. It breaks my heart to see the abused dogs shake when people approach them. I'll do my part to help, will you?

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Taking a break from winter

## The Odd Couple: A Review

by Greg Schuhknecht

Fantastic! Inspirational! Heartwarming! Gut wrenchingly hysterical!

These are the words that come to mind upon reflection of this semester's Drama production of Neil Simon's *The Odd Couple—The Female Version*. Under the capable direction of Randy Ritz, the sensationally written play took on a life of its own through the inspired hands of the cast and crew.

The story revolves around the relationship between Olive (Angie Sample) and Florence (Carmen Giles). Florence — a neurotic, compulsive clean freak — has been separated from her husband and two children, likely due to her insane compulsions. Olive, though she is a complete slob, opens her heart and her midtown apartment to Florence. Angie Sample and Carmen Giles skillfully interpret the script to create hysterical comic tension between their characters.

Olive and Florence are a part of a circle of friends that play trivial pursuit each week. The interaction of these characters was superbly crafted by the cast. Mickey (Katarina Loutas), Vera (Kathleen Braul), Sylvie (Cheryl

Anne Coon), and Renee (Kris Diaz) breathed life into their characters. All four women were amazing to watch in their roles. Katarina presented a female police officer devoid of all feminine qualities for great comic effect. Kathleen's Character, Vera, was the epitome of naiveté. Cheryl Anne's character was a hysterical interpretation of an uptown New York Fashion hound woman while Kris's Character was representative of all those joggers in Central Park. Although the ladies were amazing individually, it was the cohesiveness of the group which demanded attention from the audience. As the story developed on stage, Olive exposes her need to attract the opposite sex into her hollow and lonely existence. She arranges a date with two Spanish men from her apartment building, much to the neurotic displeasure of Florence. The fateful evening soon approaches. In walk Jesus (Jordan Walker) and Manolo (James Bylund) who immediately steal the show. With comic flair and great physical choices, Jordan and James amaze the audience with their interplay with Olive and

Florence. The script provides many instances of comic misunderstanding between English and Spanish which the cast pounce on with determined vigor. Saturday night, the audience was laughing so hard that the cast often had to take long pauses between lines to allow the audience to recover. Having seen the play four times over its run, I was delighted to see the cast grow and adapt to each performance's audience. The relationship that had grown between the cast members allowed the play to flow with integrity and creative flair you would expect from the theaters on Broadway. Technical and support crews performed at a hundred percent through out the play's run allowing the play to be what it was, a great success for Concordia. We all have reason to be proud of the finely tuned machine that our Drama department has become. Testimony for this is in the sold out show Saturday night and the many repeat viewers who enjoyed the play two or three times. As good as the play was, the Drama Department is still a work in progress. And if this play is any indication, I cannot wait to see the next play!

## Home for the Blue

by Dallas Harris

Smoky room full of lost souls  
the whiskey calls and beer echoes  
the collective pain.  
On stage, under a blue halo  
light  
the guitarist hits the strings  
everyone stops as the melody  
begins.  
You can feel the soul  
as fingers make the notes play  
a deadman's last rage.  
In the corner the drunks  
raise their tired shamed faces  
as the crowd moves and dances.  
It's just another night in the  
blues bar  
the band is giving all they can  
the singer wails at the mic  
stand.  
There isn't a inch smoke doesn't  
touch  
on the floor not an inch of  
space  
every song electrifies this place.  
For those brief hours  
the smoke is thick, the liquor  
flows  
and every lost soul is home.

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## Line by Line

Fidel,  
can we smoke cigars at your V-party  
-the Gang

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Fozzy,  
And so the reign ends.  
How do you spell relief?

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Tony Robbins,  
Seize the power,  
awaken your \_\_\_\_\_  
-S.E.

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C.S.  
Reading test today  
are you prepared for the slaughter?  
-I feel your pain

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Freak,  
Are you getting weirder?  
-Me

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BRQ,  
Thanks, for being there/here.  
Have you ever been driving  
down the highway with your  
hand out the window and a  
bug hits your arm?

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Carman,  
Thanks for all of the coffee over  
the year.  
-EIC

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Arrr.....I hate the sea and everything  
in it.  
-Captain. MacCalister

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Elections? What is that, some kind of  
depository for wild chickens.  
-A faithful Voter.

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Come one, Come all and vote. Prove  
your democratic worth.  
-Patrick Corbett, Head-Elec-  
tion Officer.

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Your time has come, you have been  
here far too long, and now there is  
no health in it.  
-The Grad.

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Come witness Bottomless Pete, Na-  
ture's cruelest mistake  
-Capt. MacCalister

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I can't think now, I have to go study.  
-Ruth Dumass

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Dallas,  
How is that pizza grease.  
-Signed, Pepsi and a Maga-  
zine.

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R.J.,  
You put the babe back in Ruth.  
-Signed, 3PM.

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S.H.,  
I'm still waiting for it to happen.  
-Signed, You know who.

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Dave,  
I have found the formula.  
-Signed, Greased.

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Peter,  
Have you gone for your L. Lube to-  
day.  
-Signed, Greased

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Danneille  
Your ROCK.

## Reality Check

by Peggy Wright

For this week's reality check, we decided to do another straw poll — this time though, we cast a wider net. We asked you two questions: "Who do you think is the ugliest person in show business" and, "Who do you think is the coolest person in show business". Please bear in mind that ugly and cool meant anything you wanted them to mean — physical qualities, the person's character, etc. Here's what you told us:

Ugliest:  
Lyle Lovett  
Alec Baldwin  
Woody Allen  
Whoopi Goldberg  
Andy Rooney  
The Artist Formerly  
Known As (TAFKA  
for short) Prince  
Dennis Rodman  
Keith Richards  
James Brown  
Juliette Lewis  
Bruce Dern  
Howard Stern  
Bob Dylan  
Seal  
The Rev. Marilyn  
Manson  
Christopher Walken

Coolest:  
Sean Connery  
Harrison Ford  
Alex Baldwin  
Bruce Willis  
Drew Barrymore  
Gillian Anderson  
Rosie O'Donnell  
Michelle Pfeiffer  
Miles David  
Tom Cruise  
Mel Gibson  
Barbara Streisand  
Jim Carrey  
John Lee Hooker  
Hugh Dylan (of  
the Headstones)  
Bob Dylan  
James Doohan (of  
"Beam me up  
Scotty" fame)  
Seal  
Gord Downie (of  
the Tragically  
Hip)  
Gord Johnson (of  
Big Sugar)  
Katherine Hep-  
burn

## Foundations

by Ian Campsall

In the Hades of fallen  
thought  
Choirs of tattered Angels  
perch and muse  
On shattered steeples and  
plundered Churches of past  
ideals  
Leering down on penniless  
past philosophers  
Who rant and drivell aim-  
lessly  
Among Freudian relics and  
rigid papal prophecies  
A menagerie of rotting  
castoff carrion  
Doomed to decay under  
Yeats' anarchistic course  
But as Herbert's *Virtue*  
cries  
All must die,  
For the root is ever in its  
grave  
Softly suckling original pu-  
rity  
From the rust dry corpse  
of invention,  
One of the miscarried chil-  
dren of passion  
While he stares at God's  
reflection in a mirror  
Warp cracked raped and  
torn, but now slowly healing  
While round him recon-  
sideration builds  
A new interpretation of  
the human soul upon the old  
And grey gives slowly way  
to white

## Fairly Warned Be Thee Says I

Captain MacCalister

### SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

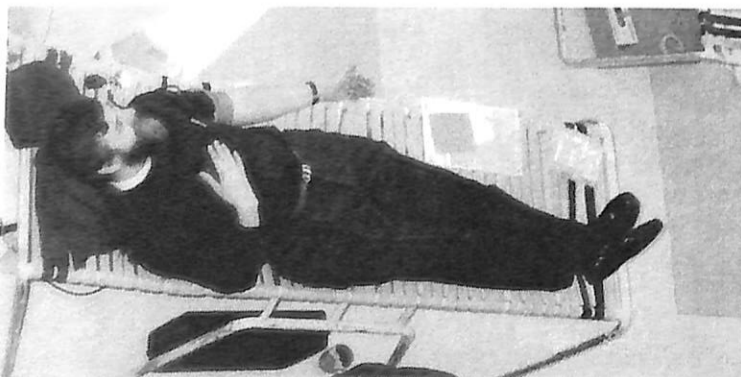
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