Tuition protest gains muscle

The shift in legislative support against a proposed $21 million tuition increase has both surprised and pleased ASEWU President Ron Weigel.

"All we need to do is apply more pressure and I think we've got it made," he said. A Feb. 16 Spokesman-Review article quoted Democratic House Speaker John Bagnariol as saying that educational expenses in Gov. Ray's proposal plan do not justify a tuition increase even though costs have risen.

"The way the higher education budget is put together, it, in my opinion, would not be proper for us to impose additional tuitions on students when in fact we're squeezing down the dollars being spent," he said.

Weigel has sent letters to state senators and representatives explaining the reasons for the student opposition to a tuition increase. Along with these letters, he sent each house and senate member a petition sheet listing students supporting a non-increase. He also wrote a response to Gov. Ray's desire to double financial aid loans to students.

So far he has received about 30 replies. The majority were either in support of a non-increase or could be swayed, Weigel said.

"It's an ongoing process," he said. "We've accomplished much in the way of writing and telephoning, but we must do more.

Weigel added that he heard representatives comment about the amount of letters and telephone calls received in opposition to the increase when he attended a legislative hearing some weeks ago.

"I don't know how many actually phoned or wrote," he said. "But EWU had 1,300 signatures on the petitions."

The protest at the Spokane International Airport was indeed effective, despite reports to the contrary, he added. The results were twofold. "It got a front page article in the Spokesman Review," he said, "and that informed the public of what was going on. It also showed the legislature that the students are not in favor of this increase."

Weigel said that he wants students to write or call their representatives again, especially Democratic and Republican House Speakers Bagnariol and Duane Bernston.

"Since they are the house speakers, they could really spread the word about how we feel," he said. "They have influence."

"We must get it on our side," Weigel added. "Others must take a stance on the issue."

Eclipse Monday

By Paul Schiefeldt

If you sleep through the total solar eclipse this coming Monday morning, you won't have another chance to see one for 38 years, says Dr. Norman Higgenbotham of the physics department.

It will be 17 years into the next century before another total eclipse--in which the sun is completely blocked out by the moon--will be visible in North America.

"It's an eerie feeling," said Higgenbotham, who has witnessed four of the spectacular events. "You just have to experience a total eclipse to know what it is really like."

Basically, a solar eclipse is when the moon comes between the earth and the sun, casting a shadow that follows a path across the earth. The shadow is between 100 and 200 miles in diameter, and travels at more than 1,000 miles per hour.

"If you're not in its path you won't see a total eclipse," he said. "Here in Cheney, the eclipse can't be seen totally. There will only be a partial eclipse, which compared to a total eclipse is nothing."

Higgenbotham recommended that people interested in seeing the total eclipse travel at least 10 miles south of Cheney.

The eclipse will occur between 8:15 and 8:20 on the morning of Monday, Feb. 26.

"You have to go at least 10 miles south to get within the path of the shadow. The best viewing is in the Walla Walla area," he said.

Viewers in these areas will be able to see the moon totally block out the sun. "It's as if a very dense cloud passes over it appears to be somewhere between sunset and total darkness," he said.

The total eclipse will last about 2 minutes and 30 seconds in the better viewing areas, but a partial eclipse can be seen about 45 minutes before and after the total eclipse.

"Since the shadow is moving about 2,000 miles per hour across the face of the earth, it doesn't seem to last long," Higgenbotham said.

"Higgenbotham, and other observers are hoping for good weather, but he admits that clouds and other weather disturbances could complicate matters.

According to the physics professor, people should be very careful how they view the eclipse. He cautioned against looking directly at the partial phase of the eclipse with the naked eye or with sunglasses.

"You can severely damage your eyes and not even know it," says Higgenbotham, explaining that the sun's rays can burn a spot on the retina, causing partial blindness. Often symptoms do not appear for several hours or days.

"Smoked glasses or sunglasses will not block out the harmful infrared ultraviolet radiation," he added. "During the total eclipse, you can look at it with the naked eye. But don't try to look at it before or after."

Those interested in learning how to safely view or photograph the eclipse should contact the physics department for more information.

"If you've ever witnessed a total eclipse, you can imagine why the ancients fell on their knees when they occurred," said Higgenbotham.

Last chance until 2017

It was a triple victory for Eastern hoopsters last weekend as the varsity, junior varsity and women's squads rolled over the Central Wildcats. The varsity team came from behind to win 66-57. (Above) Eagles Neil Ann Massie (62) and Maria Loos (30) jump to take the ball from Central's Karen Schilinger (15). The women trounced the 'Cats 64-43.

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Chicano activities slated this week

Art displays, poetry readings, film presentations and lectures will highlight Eastern’s Chicano celebration, which opens today and continues through Saturday.

The theme of this year’s celebration, the second to be held at Eastern, is Semana Chicana. “We chose this name to pay tribute and to stress the role of the Chicana (woman) in history,” said Dr. Esteban Sena, director of the Chicano Education Program at Eastern.

The CEP, based in Monroe Hall, was formed about a year and a half ago and now has about 35 members. This week’s events are being sponsored by the CEP, the Women’s Center and Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano De Aztlán (MECHA), a national Chicano student organization.

A revolutionary group, will speak at 2 p.m. Thursday in Monroe Hall. Alejandro Nejía will continue the discussion on the Nicaraguan struggle for independence on Friday.

A feature of Friday’s activities is scheduled at 2 p.m. in Showall Auditorium, where the well-known Chicano poet Lalo Degado will appear.

The film, “Salt of the Earth,” will be presented Friday at the Women’s Center, 114 Monroe Hall. Created in the mid-1950’s, this unusual documentary was made by members of the New Mexico Mine, Mill and Smelter Worker’s union. It is the story of a long and heartbreaking strike in the salt mines of New Mexico, and of the courage and determination shown by the Chicana, as they urged their men on to victory.

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Bookstore sales booming

By Rick Salvadadene

Eastern students spend an average of $145 a year at the university bookstore. For that amount, it is important they know the store is trying to give the students the best deals possible, says manager Gerald Douglass.

Douglass, manager for the past nine years, said one problem encountered by students is that of returning “new” books. If a name is written in a book, it is no longer considered new by store personnel nor by the next buyer. “It really makes very little sense to write a name in a book anyway,” Douglass said, “since it can be torn out without any damage.”

If a class is canceled, books bought for the class can be returned if they are new. The manager cautioned students not to write their names in books until they are positive they will stay in the class.

The bookstore also buys back used texts. Students are reimbursed for just over 50 percent of the original purchase price.

Used books make up about 10 percent of text sales, Douglass said, with most being general education books.

“Most books dealing with a student’s major aren’t sold back because they want to hang on to them for future reference,” he added.

A variety of general interest books, ranging from paperbacks to cookbooks, are also available. Douglass said that if a certain book is not in stock, he can get it by special order. The process takes three to five weeks, and a 50 percent deposit is required to insure that the student does not cancel the order.

Douglass said the bookstore is limited just to the sale of texts. School supply sales have increased by 30 percent over previous years. Posters, records, t-shirts, greeting cards and a variety of other articles are also for sale.

“The store does stock such things as candy and personal items but this is not a major part of the store,” Douglass said. “We want to provide them for the convenience of the students.”

Scholarships available

Scholarships are again being offered to qualified students in communications by the Seattle Professional Chapter of Women in Communications, Inc.

The awards will be based on demonstrated proficiency in communications, financial need and scholastic achievement. To be eligible, students must have been accepted or have application in process as majors in print or broadcast communications.

Only juniors, seniors or graduate students attending a college or university in Washington state will be considered.

Piano technician dies

Chauncey D. Hahn, Jr., 64, a piano technician at Eastern for the past 16 years, died at his Cheney home Feb. 3.

Legally blind from birth, Hahn left public schools at the age of 10 and entered the School for the Blind in Vancouver, Wash., where he trained as a piano tuner. Using his training to work his way through Washington State University, he obtained a B.A. degree in physical education.

Hahn worked in Spokane for 35 years and began the Hahn Piano Co. in 1952. In 1967, he liquidated his business to work for the UW department of Music and Fine Arts as piano technician.

His retirement from EWU came Feb. 1, just one week before his death.

Survivors include his mother, Christine Hahn, Spokane; a sister, Ella Smith, Spokane; and 14 grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be sent to the EWU Scholarship Fund, Cheney, WA, 99004.
The business of selling term papers to students seeking the "easy way out" may be well on its way to becoming a legal operation in the state of Washington if House Bill 126 passes this legislative session that banned it up for the second time, as there is no indication that the bill will be enacted. The proposal of outlawing commercial operations in Washington is one of several similar bills introduced in other states. The legislative session that banned it up for the second time, as there is no indication that the bill will be enacted. The proposal of outlawing commercial operations in Washington is one of several similar bills introduced in other states.

The proposal is being brought up for the second time, as there was an unsuccessful introduction on the 1977 legislative session that banned it from being reviewed then, Hall explained. "House Bill 126 and its new companion, HB 1719, (dealing with marketing academic publications and degrees) aim to prevent the companies from selling them, period," Goltz said. The companies are designed to increase the credibility and reliability of our state schools. Right now, the state does not have standards for the credibility of all academic work.

The research companies claim they can justify their existence by providing background research for students, Hall said. "We can't believe that is their primary function, however," he said, speaking for the Senate, and also the House, in the proposal met approval 97 to 0. "And of course, the bill will not affect legitimate information services—they're supporting the bill," Hall said. "They're not fly-by-night. A lot of term paper manufacturers have that reputation, though. They (information services) don't want to be classified with us. "We don't mean to attack companies lending assistance to students," he stressed.

But, students thinking of ordering term papers—or degrees to-go—will probably have a tougher time and prices for these items are likely to skyrocket because of the risks involved. Goltz said he doubts very much that the bill will cut buying and selling completely. "We're trying, though," he said.

From Bedford, Texas, where he was fire marshal.

But a person would do well to be wise of the state's history. For instance, said Jerome W. Page, president of the Seattle Urban League and member of the "IPFW-Black" committee: "People and governments never learn from their mistakes. We're always asking for: Is it the fault of the city or the mayor?"

The department is evolving from a volunteer force to a staff of four firemen, said workers and the rest volunteer, be explained. In that type of situation, certain problems and suspicions begin to develop.

"The theories and rumors were running me into the ground," he said.

"It was a lot of soul searching and thinking and decided that this was the only way to fly," he said. "I've had enough and I'm moving on."

Black history is also of vital importance to the West. Throughout the year, several events and cultures.

"We're not doing anything to impact the world outside," he said. "But we're still out there. Racism still is out there."

Page sees the future for blacks in Washington state as an open and promising. "We must be aware of our own personal history," he stressed. "Who are we, who are we related to, who helped us. We must not forget our roots when taken by the arm of upward mobility."

"History," James Joyce once said, "is a nightmare from which there is no awakening." Page added.
Opinion

Who really cares?

Spring is nearly here. In spite of the intermittent spurts of snow, one can feel the change in the air. Flowers will soon blossom, trees will bud. Activity of all sorts is happening everywhere—and in more ways than one.

While the inhabitants of Washington State move into another season, the Chinese move into Vietnam. A revolution in Iran has ousted one regime and replaced it with another. The SALT talks don’t seem to be getting anywhere and if that isn’t enough to get us out of our homes for a while, in addition to developing ulcers over. Inflation isn’t just a local threat. England has the same problem and the evidence is currently filling the streets.

Do people want to know why we’re plagued with inflation, increasing taxes, the threat of war, riots, famine, disaster? It’s because someone way up there and we have there heads far enough to see it.

And at the above of observation, people will smile (or frown), nod their heads and say, “Oh yes, that’s the way it really is.” But not many, will do much to rectify the situation.

We’re an ostrich-type lot, aren’t we? Hiding our heads in the sand with a “Tsk, tsk isn’t it shameful?” Most people are so far removed from reality that they wouldn’t recognize it if it stared them in the face.

Nobody really cares. Nobody cares as long as they have their own safe, comfortable homes with their over-stuffed chairs, soft beds and full refrigerators. Inflation is a problem, but a nice wage hike will take care of that, even if it has to go on strike for it, thereby creating another problem.

Oh sure, there’s poverty, all right. Even here in the United States, we’re at war elsewhere and the threat of war and murder and famine and revolution and flood and tyranny and—oh, just all sorts of evil, nasty, wicked things in the world.

People don’t react to reality for reality because it’s all on the television or in the newspapers. “Charlie’s Angels” or “Soap” or “The Bugging Road Runner Show” has more substance. Who knows? Maybe sometime Mighty Mouse will indeed come to save the day.

But who needs to talk of such unsavory things? Spring is just around the corner and soon flowers will bloom and bees will buzz and birds will sing. Oh, what have I planned for this spring... ILC.

Letters

Candidate questioned

When considering the candidates running for the legislative seat this winter, I remembered an incident that I feel should be brought to the attention of the students.

Last spring, Arne Stevens was on the campaign planning committee to represent the students’ opinion on the closure of lots 10 and 15. He was to vote to keep the lots open but went against the voice of the students and voted to close the lots.

The reasons for keeping the lots open were: 1) It would be a waste of taxpayer’s money to close them and would offer no benefit to the students. 2) Both lots are centrally located. 3) Closure of lot 10 will reduce the desirability of Dressler and Pearce dorms. 4) Threaten many student activities.

Because of his decision to misrepresent the student body, Arne Stevens’ slate unanimously decided to send Arne a memo stating that if he were to remain on his slate, lots 10 and 15, it would be an action contrary to the interests of the student body and would force the legislature to reconsider his appointment. His slate then instructed him to consider his appointment. His appointment was reconsidered.

What we have is a person who in the past has failed to accurately represent the students and is now running for a legislative position. Is this the kind of representation the students deserve? Or maybe we should look for someone who offers more honest representation and will hear the voice of Eastern and act on their behalf and not his own interests.

Star Simpson

Weigelt criticized

I am sending you a copy of Ron Weigelt’s recent attempt to lobby the members of the House of Representatives. I am also sending two responses to Ron’s letter, one from myself and one from another Eastern intern.

In part, my reply to Ron read: “I feel your letter displayed that you are badly mis informed and at the subject of student fee increases and have neglected your duties as student body president by not keeping on top of the issues that affect Eastern and its students. As a student of EWU, I am quite disgusted that you would bring up charges of awareness to the attention of the House of Representatives.”

Another important observation prevails among the House interns from EWU toward the legislators taking the money out of our A.S. President. I feel that the reasons for this impression should be brought to the attention of someone other than Ron in hopes that sloppy attempts will not happen again.

An educated and well constructed suggestion or opinion can be incredibly effective when put before the proper legislators. For instance, an amendment to House Bill 102 that would cut student fees (such as capital improvement fees) in one area to equalize a raise in operation fees is a good suggestion. However, a weak and uninformative attempt such as Ron’s may be hurting us more than helping us.

The students of Eastern desperately need a representative who has the ability to monitor the activities of the state legislature and the interests of the students. Isn’t there someone who understands the views of the students of EWU and who knows how to work with the legislative process?

Since I’m not in Cheney, the views that I’m expressing may be somewhat distorted. Hopefully, there are facts that I’m not aware of and the example of student representation that I received is not typical.

David Leipold
Senior Cadet, ROTC

Letters to

A.S. President Ron Weigelt and Weigelt’s letter to State Legislators are available for viewing at the Easterner office, PUB 119.

No apologies

Kindly permit me a chance to reply to Hossein Nikdel’s comments and his views of Americans in last week’s Easterner. My first reaction was that he could catch the first boat home. I don’t know how much of his education here at EWU is the world is turning on right being paid for by funds from this country, but if he is going to place the blame for Iran’s current problems on Americans, then let him go back to Tehran and go to school there. We don’t need him here.

I also want to say I made no apologies for the United States’ role in Iran’s development. In fact, I’m angry at the abuse and violence directed at Americans by the revolting Iranians. They’ve had a Shah a lot longer than we’ve been interested in securing oil from Iran. Nikdel’s right about that; we have been trading technology for oil. But for his information, I feel more than just proprietary over our oil.
Students often utilize art as a means of obtaining recognition and acceptance. "The long distance runner doesn't run because it feels good when his body hurts," said Hawkins. "It's a sense of personal achievement."

It was noted that artists are occasionally stereotyped as erratic, irresponsible people. In actuality, Hawkins said, they are really quite conventional.

"Many artists own their own homes and make mortgage payments, but the image is quite different."

The added that when some people view a Warhol-like piece of art, they wrinkle up their noses and can't perceive it sitting on the fireplace mantle, they think it's strange.

"Who cares about the man-made" said Hawkins. "Mantles are for candles and pictures of your ancestors. In art, there are numerous ideas and directions to go on."

Another misconception of artists depicts them as starving unemployables. Hawkins said that artists are academically oriented in a variety of careers from cornucopia to gallery curators—to teachers.

Additionally, the percentage of job placement for artists is high despite "difficult times." Hawkins elaborated by saying that although there were a large number of art graduates in the country competing for the same jobs last year, Eastern students fared well.

In teaching positions, for example, he said that of the last five art job openings in Spokane, four went to Eastern students.

"We've placed more people numerically than the University of Washington," said Hawkins. "Perception-wise, we are far above them."

Professionally directed secondary teachers also well with almost 100 percent job placement. However, the placement of students with bachelor degrees in art is not as easy because they lack more specific training. These individuals are primarily found in areas such as business, sales and display design.

At the graduate level, many EWU students have gained employment in a scope of jobs from museum curators, including the Cheney-Cowles in Spokane, to instructors at Spokane Falls Community College and the Spokane Art School.

Hawkins said some statistics show that yearly income figures for art professionals, including architects, are considerably lower than the national average.

There are several social activities at Eastern organized by art fencers. Hawkins said that the "Friends of Cornucopia," the pottery group of EWU, is a highly active group that puts on yearly demonstrations at the Spokane Fairgrounds.

The student Art League, said Hawkins, is a small nucleus of people who basically promote activities such as field trips to Priest Lake and Seattle.

In the art department's future are plans to obtain full departmental accreditation, which Hawkins confidently predicted would be "pulled off without a hitch."

According to Hawkins, more and more art students are venturing to Eastern from the coast, which he feels is a significant goal in purpose to say, "We're achieving ever increasing recognition as the place to go for art."

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**Today's Crossword Puzzle**

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3. Buddy
4. Arizona city
5. Figure of speech
6. Beverage
7. Trouble
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11. Tube
12. Layer
13. Full
14. Sandbar
15. Kind of berry
16. Nonsense
17. Pollution
18. Petition
19. Thomas
20. Vanishing star
21. Author
22. Rand
23. Lion in Illusion
24. Of musical
25. Tarry
26. Lacerate
27. Animal
28. In Illusion
29. 10 Most pro-
30. 12 Solitary
31. 13 Rent
32. 14 Chinese dy-
33. 15 German
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Iranian turmoil was clearly a communist country of Iran that we can work with. Rather than decision, the U.S. needs perceptions of how others see the situation, he said. "Right now there is a period of enormous confusion as elites point for leadership," Coon said. "We have to know what's going on and listen to the Iranians for hidden meanings and interpret cultural things." With such a policy, Iran "will be close enough to the U.S. for comfort, but not as close" as under the Shah. The United States will not entirely lose its oil influence but the Soviets may play a larger role. "There is no question about it—we were married to the Shah for a hell of a long time," he said. But basically Coon sees the anti-American movement as a resurgence of nationalism, a total anti-communist foreign policy. "The moves are more verbal than tangible," he said. "Only a few Americans have been killed." What was noteworthy, he said, was that in four to five months of turmoil there were so few casual-

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The Afghan government didn't kill him," Coon said. "But by sitting back and doing nothing, the Afghans got themselves into a dilemma. If the terrorists were right-wingers, they should have kidnapped the Soviet guy."
The students may think we're running things, but we have to look at things from different angles; in other words, pretty thoroughly. We give opinions when necessary, and in some cases it takes much soul-searching.

"Maybe I wouldn't have made the same decision 21 that I'm making today, but I'm looking at issues from an entirely different point of view," he said.

Kelly describes the BOT as part of the university's check and balance system. The board deals with the administration, faculty, and student body, as well as state residents and taxpayers. "People state-wide, if they have an issue, and I feel it's fair to have the Seattle area represented by our board, also," he said. "I've had to deal with members Fred Enlow and Jerome Page, both of Seattle.

Kelly, who has been a Spokane resident for 13 years, is married and a father of seven. He is presently serving his third year on the board.

According to unofficial sources, Kelly is next in the rotating line of the five BOT members to be elected chairman. Mary Wilson of Spokane presently holds the position.

He says he enjoys his work on the board, but admits it gets tedious at times. "It's never boring, though. It's a challenge. When I started, I didn't have the least idea what I was getting into. There's so many sides to the job."

BOT members are not paid, and they seldom receive much more than minimum travel expenses for their efforts, said Kelly, who is a manufacturer representative for plumbing and heating businesses.

He says one thing that impressed him about Eastern's is its screening policy for faculty members. It used to be that faculty members were hired by say-so.

"Now, though, backgrounds are really delved into before a professor is hired. Some schools still don't do it. I feel a college should have a quality staff, and improve on it all the time," he said.

I do think one thing that would improve the school in general is more programs designed to interest commuter students. I know there are many, but they just don't seem to be well-attended. And of course, I'd like to see students encouraged to take a more active interest in sports," he added.

McPhaden active

Eastern's Board of Trustees vice-chairman Bruce McPhaden has a job that requires much traveling, is active in several Spokane-area business organizations, is married, and a father of five.

"That's not enough to keep him busy at 81, he also spends an average of 10 hours per month on Eastern's affairs.

"The time adds up because there's a lot of reading and keeping up with committee work," he said. "And I try to attend all meetings. Although prior commitment will prevent me from attending tonight's 6 o'clock meeting in the PUB Council Chambers.

"I don't see that students would be upset in knowing their trustees aren't a part of the campus vicinity," McPhaden said. Two members, Jerome Page of Seattle's Urban League, and Fred Enlow, vice president of Sea-First's marketing planning division, are from Seattle. McPhaden and two others are from Spokane.

"By the time an issue gets up to us, it's sort of at the final stage," he said, "if things aren't settled through the previous procedures that are supposed to be followed, then they come to us.

"Urgent students to come to us if they have something to say, so we can be aware of things that might be bothering them," he added. "Expecting action, though, would be like going to the president of the country. If I could make a suggestion, I'd like to sue some action without going through representatives, I might make some suggestions.

McPhaden, a white-haired man with blue eyes and a friendly smile, is regional vice president in governmental relations and power supply for Kaiser Aluminum, which employs about 4,000 workers in the Spokane area. "I do a little of everything-community and public relations included," he said.

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He served on the Spokane-area council that assigned to select EWU's president, H. George Frederickson, and from there was appointed by Governor Dixey Lee Ray to the board.

What spare time he has, McPhaden said that on his hobbies: golf, reading, collecting art, and music. "I like everything from Beethoven to Barry Manilow," he said emphatically.

He is presently serving a six-year term on the board and is a member of the by-laws subcommittee.

Boxing bout planned

Fund honors fire victim

Feeling aggressive? Want to beat the heck out of your roommate? Next Tuesday will see the beginning of a knock-out competition at Western, in cooperation with the Associated Students. The annual Debra White Scholarship Fund Boxing Bout in the PUB.

Anyone is eligible to join in the fun and competitors will be matched by weight and experience. Those interested can sign up in the PUB office behind the information desk. There is no entrance fee.

Tickets may be purchased in advance from the PUB information desk for $3 or bought at the time of the fights for $1.50.

True fight fans can buy special $2 ringside passes for balcony seats at the door.

Officials for Tuesday's festivities, scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m., will be Al Ogdon, Jack Lighthizer, and Jack Marshall, the former boxers. Fred Enlow, Eastern's former boxing coach, will serve as referee.

Chuck Bayles, dorm director of Sutton Hall, devised the match as a money-making project to support the Debra White Scholarship Fund. White was the victim of a Jan. 25 Garden Manor fire. A senior here at Eastern, White was an honor student majoring in psychology.

The Scholarship Fund will be the recipient of all proceeds from the event. All proceeds from the event. Additional monies for the fund has been raised from students and businesses. The local Eagles Lodge is supplying the boxing ring, gloves, and belt.

Further information may be obtained by contacting the PUB office.
The importance of being Wilde

By Scott Miles

“The Importance of Being Earnest,” a great classic of modern theatre, open tonight at 8 o’clock in the University Theatre and plays tomorrow and Saturday, continuing through March 13 and 15. Born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1854, Wilde attended Oxford University at 20, where he became known as a scholar and wit. The publication in 1888 of a collection of fairy tales, known as “The Happy Prince and Other Tales,” established him a popular public figure. Within two years his only novel, “The Picture of Dorian Gray,” was published.

“Dorian Gray” deals with a man whose portrait ages and becomes ugly, as a reflection of his moral corruption, while his physical appearance remains unchanged. In nearly all his plays, Wilde combines comedy with farce, ridiculing society’s hypocrisy and its concept of earnestness and seriousness, and the result is a very biting social satire.

It was during the peak of “Earnest’s” success in 1893 that Wilde was accused of having homosexual relations with Lord Alfred Douglas, the son of the marquis of Queensbury. After a long legal dispute, Wilde was sentenced to two years hard labour in prison. Drawing upon his prison experience, he wrote his best poem “The Ballad of Reading Gaol,” and a small biography entitled “De Profundis.”

Wilde died in France three years after his release. One of the greatest playwrights of our time died financially ruined and rejected.

Yet an aura of mysticism clings to Hoyt. A sign of his office door reads, “Trust those Wizards of the area. Eastern is no longer represented by the Savages, so this takes quite a bit of preparation,” he said. “That sums up why I do this stuff.”

He said the wizard demonstrations he gave to school children this morning are his first experiences of that type. And it appears that his role as chemistry wizard is catching on.

“IT wasn’t much until recently. Now that things are going so well, I’ve been thinking a lot about what to do next,” said Hoyt. “I would really love to make a living traveling from school to school with my wizard act. I’d also like to teach chemistry in a junior college, using my tricks.”

For Hoyt, the life of a wizard fits him fine—he is getting students of all ages enthused about chemistry and also getting a kick out of playing the role.

“Besides,” he joked, “It gives me an excuse to keep my hair this length. Like I explained to my son Corey recently, what would a wizard be without long hair?”

Wizard works magic
Montana actors to perform

The Montana Repertory Theatre will perform Edward Albee’s critically acclaimed drama, “Who’s Afraid of Virginia Wool?” Wednesday, February 26, at 8 p.m. at Showalter Auditorium, the second annual workshop production.

The plot centers on George and Martha, a middle-aged college professor and his wife, whose illusions are shattered when she invites a young faculty colleague to their home. The relentlessly satirical dialogue, black and often profane humor, and rapidly developing sexual relationships between the two catalysts — especially intense tension and serve to convey Albee’s grim view of modern society.

This first performance by the Montana Repertory Theatre in the Spokane area is sponsored by the University Artist and Lectures Committee, as part of a series of performances aimed at acquainting local audiences with professional Northwest acting companies.

The Montana Repertory Theatre is directed by Dr. Wendal Jones, who will perform a variety of orchestral works from “Peer Gynt Suite.”

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Today
SEMINA CHICANA: Chicana Awareness Week

Today-March 1 EXHIBIT: The art of Tad Savinar, Art Gallery, Department of Art.

Today-March 1 A.S. GENERAL ELECTIONS: Voting in the PUB, Tawanka Commons.

Today-March 1 ON STAGE: “The Importance of Being Earnest,” 8 p.m., the University Theatre, Department of Drama. Showing every Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Today-March 1 LECTURE: Ruben Trejo’s presentation of Chicano Art, 12 noon; Monroe Hall.

Today-March 1 ART DISPLAY: Art of Tad Savinar; Art Gallery, Department of Art.

Today-March 1 EXHIBIT: Bob Lloyd; Photography Gallery, Department of Art.

Today-March 1 DANCE: “Clear Logic,” 9 p.m.-1 a.m.; PUB.

Today-March 1 DISCUSSION: “How to Live with a Liberated Woman,” 12 noon; Women’s Center.

Today-March 1 MOVIE: “The Gauntlet,” 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.; PUB.

Today-March 1 MOVIE: “Salt of the Earth,” 1 p.m., 3 p.m., and 7:30 p.m.; Women’s Center.

Today-March 1 EXHIBIT: “Who’s Afraid of Virginia Wool?” will be on sale at the bookstore.

Today-March 1 LECTURE: Celita Alvarez will speak on women of the third world, 2:45 p.m.; Monroe Hall.

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Upcoming from Riverpark Center

TONIGHT
The Great and Glorious Piano Trio, featuring Kelly Farris, Achilles Balabanis, and James Edmonds of EWU, 8 p.m.; Spokane Opera House Music Room.

February 24
Concert and Teicher, 8 p.m.; Opera House.

February 25
Jesse Colin Young, 8 p.m.; Opera House.

February 26
Phoebe Snow, 8 p.m.; Opera House.

February 27
Fred Waring and the Pennsylvanians, 8 p.m.; Opera House.

February 28
Ronnie Milsap and Janie Fricke, 7 p.m.; Opera House.

March 3
The Marshall Tucker Band and Fireball, 8 p.m., Coliseum.

Chicano Work Activities

February 22 CHICANO ART: Slide presentation, Spanish Trejos, 12 p.m.; Monroe Hall.

February 23 LOS SANDINISTAS: Nicaraguan Revolutionary Group, 2 p.m.; Monroe Hall.

February 23 ART DISPLAY: Presented by the Chicano High School, 10 a.m.; Monroe hall Lounge.

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February 24 CHICANO POETRY: Laio Delgado, 2 p.m.; Shewalter Auditorium.

February 25 LECTURE: Cecilia Alvarez will speak on women of the third world, 2:45 p.m.; Monroe Hall.

February 26 CHICANO DANCE: “La Nueva Imagen,” 9:15 p.m.; Davenport Hotel, Spokane.
Sports

By Mark Brunelv

Highlighting the last basketball game of the regular season tonight against cross-country rival Whitworth, following Sat­

urday's 66-57 defeat over Central is a challenge issued by Eagle mentor Jerry Krause for all students to support the squad.

"Of all the places we play, our students are the most apt to attending. "This is the last time	

the students just had a great game. They had over 3,000 people at that game, with all sorts of	

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Game time tonight at the Whitworth Fieldhouse is 7:30.

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cats, 51-49.

The two teams traded baskets from that point until with 3:35 remaining Roger Boesel scooped up a defensive rebound and drove almost the length of the court and popped one in from 17 feet to tie it at 55.

Central's Dennis Johnson hit a layup for the Cats but Emir Hardy was fouled and canned two free throws to tie it at 57.

Marty Harpole grabbed a couple of big rebounds off the defensive boards and brought the big basket from 14 feet along the baseline to bring the score to 55-56.

Central's usually steady Joe Holmes then traveled with the ball with 27 seconds remaining and shortly after Terry Reed brought home two free throws to bring the margin up by two more points.

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zaga and Central Washington last weekend in the Special Events Pavilion.

Eastern raised their record to 26-5 overall. The Eagles are 26-4 against small colleges.

Maria Loos scored 18 points and pulled down 17 rebounds as the Eagle beat Central 64-43 last Saturday. Jackson and Ness each contributed 16 points in the win.

Jackson scored 30 points to lead the Eagles over Gonzaga 75-62 last Friday. The Eagles led by only nine at the half, but raced away to a 30-point lead early in the second half. Jean Ness added 17 points in the win.

Swimmers end season

The Eagle swimming team began preparation for its final meets before national com­

petition, as the men travel to Moscow, Idaho, and the women travel to the University of Oregon. Competition will begin on Thursday and will continue through Saturday.

The NAIA swimming cham­

pionships will be in Huntsville, Ala., on March 6 and 10.

Coach Eileen O'Donnell said the competition in both meets will be stiff, with nothing but high-quality swimmers com­

peting. "If we get one swimmer in the consolation rounds, then that person will be doing extremely well," she said.

Representing Eastern in the women's division will be Lisa Deck in the 50- and 100-meter breaststroke, the 200- and 100- meter backstroke and the 100- meter individual medley; Beth Lagerberg in the 50-meter and 100-meter freestyle, 50-meter butterfly and the 200-meter individual medley; Jeanie Whiteley in the 50- and 100- meter butterfly and the 100- and 200-meter freestyle; and Jerri Purtell in the 50- and 100- meter backstroke.

The men's division will in­
clude Bernie Kingsley in the 50-meter freestyle, 100-meter individual medley and the 200-meter individual medley; Steve Verney in the 100- and 200-meter backstroke and the 50-meter freestyle; and Scott Arbogast in the 100- and 200-meter breaststroke and the 50-meter freestyle.

O'Donnell said this will be the last chance for swimmers to get their qualifying times for national competition.
White defends high jump title

EWU's high jump champion, Vic White, captured another title to add to his list of accomplishments in track at Eastern. White, a junior, took first place at the NAIA Indoor Championships last Friday in Kansas City. MO. with a jump of seven feet, one and one-half inches. White already holds the NAIA outdoor title in the high jump and triple jump and will be defending those championships this spring.

White was the only Eagle to compete in the indoor meet.

The remainder of the track team competed in the University of Idaho Collegiate Indoor Track Meet on Feb. 17. Coach Jerry Martin said a new world record of 3:19.6 was established in the four-man 1000 meter relay.

"Dan Butler, Randy Taylor, Don Rouse, and Steve Kissel did a fine job of running as a team," Martin said.

Although team scores were not included in the competition, Martin said the burst of competition came from EWU, the University of Washington, Washington State University, Idaho University and Boise State College.

Martin said that although the Eagles earned fewer first-place finishes than in the past several weeks, several individual performances were outstanding. He applauded the performances of Jeff Frederick, who had a career-best triple-jump mark of 46 feet and five and one-quarter inches; Steve Quigley, with a 9.4 foot shagadelic, and Roy Martin, with a 36-foot and one and one-half inch shotput and 170-foot throw in the discus.

Martin said a closely contested race in the 800-meter run involved three team members of the record-breaking relay team, which finished three-hundredths of a second apart. Steve Kissel led the pack with a time of 1:52.52, followed by Dan Butler at 1:54.3 and, Don Rouse in 1:55.

The track team resumes competition this weekend as they travel to Seaside, Ore., for the Seaside Marathon.

Grapplers to nationals

North Idaho College displayed superior strength and speed last week as they beat the Eagle grapplers 25-15.

"We wrestled much better than we did before," said Coach Stan Opp, "but we lost critical matches at 194 and 185, which helped to provide the winning margin for them.

Ruben Martinez was the first Eagle to win by taking a 13-12 decision at 126 pounds. He was followed by Dave Reimnitz at 150, who won 7-2. Co-captain Mike Opp, at 167, lost a 9-7 decision at 177 by Dan Thew pinned his man in one minute and 32 seconds in the first round.

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### Ballot Item 1: Which of the following academic schedules would you prefer?

- **#1**
  - Fall: To begin the first Monday after Sept. 14.
  - Winter: To begin the first Monday after Jan. 2. If Jan. 2 is on Monday, Jan. 3.
  - Spring: To begin the 12th Monday after the start of Winter Quarter.
  - Spring Quarter to end June 8-15.

- **#2**
  - Fall: Same as above.
  - Winter: Exception of Jan. 3 start omitted. Quarter could start as late as Jan. 9.
  - Spring: Quarter would then end June 16, with some exceptions on June 15.

- **#3**
  - Same as #2 except 1 week for Thanksgiving vacation. All quarters would have 49 days plus an exam week plus one weekday vacation per quarter.

- **#4**
  - Same as #3 except no vacations during Fall Quarter except Thanksgiving week.
  - 50 days of instruction plus one week of exams.

### Ballot Item #2: Would you prefer the quarter to begin on

- ☐ Tuesday
- ☐ Monday