

Comedians to headline X-mas party

By Chris Fischer
News/Features Editor

Two well-known comedians and a Lock Haven University student band will headline the First Annual Student Christmas Party on Thursday.

The 7 p.m. event in the Pub is being funded by the SCC and supported by the All-Greek Council. The party is free, and is open to all LHU students.

Comedians Andy Scarpati and Keven Sullivan from the Comedy Cabaret, will both provide 20 minute stand-up routines.

Scarpati has had the honor of performing of the popular David Letterman Show. He has also appeared at various comedy clubs and colleges on the East coast, and has just returned from the Tropicana Hotel in Atlantic City.

Scarpati recently appeared in his first movie, Ryder, P.I. due for release in the spring of 1986. He also hosts his own TV show in Delaware and can be seen in several commercials in the Philadelphia area.

Sullivan's musical comedy routine consists of original tunes mixed with song parodies. He just recently finished a tour with Chubby Checkers.

"...he was really funny!"

Toni Giusti, the SCC Cultural Affairs Committee Chairman and coordinator of the party, said, "I saw Keven Sullivan in Philadelphia, he was really funny! His show consisted of incredible song parodies and impersonations."

The band Clockwork will also perform Thursday night. The band, which is made up of LHU students, will entertain the crowd before and in between the

comedians.

The other main activity of the Christmas Party will be a "Make me laff show."

Three students will be selected from the audience and will have the opportunity to win \$25.

These students will have to withstand laughing, for about two minutes while both comedians do their best to make them crack up, to win the prize.

Also on the night's agenda will be Jerry Miller who will give a short presentation on "The Meaning of Christmas."

There is also a possibility of a LHU DJ spinning some tunes Thursday night, but nothing is definite according to Giusti.

Free refreshments

Free refreshments will be served at the party, including eggnog, fruit punch, Christmas cookies, potato chips and pretzels. The food is being catered by the operators of The Eagle Wing Snack Bar.

"Hopefully the Christmas Party will be a big success so there can be one every

year," Giusti said.

After the Christmas Party, all of the decorations, including a live tree, will be donated to either the Susque-View Nursing Home or the Lock Haven Hospital.



Keven Sullivan



Andy Scarpati

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Students throw party for elderly

By Matt Connor
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Social Work students and members of the Lock Haven Community Choir gathered last night to put on a party for the elderly residents of Susque-View Nursing Home.

The sixteenth annual Christmas party was planned entirely by Carol Ann Harvey's Social Work I and II classes and by Delores Lynch, Director of the Social Work program at Susque-View.

During the course of the evening the residents of the home were treated to music by the Community Choir, gifts supplied by the students, a special visit from Santa Clause (a.k.a. student Steve Shriver), and refreshments provided by area merchants.

For the students, Harvey said it was a valuable learning experience.

"The students gain an appreciation of the elderly by doing this and it all comes together at the Christmas party," Harvey said.

Gina Sunderland, a Social Work major, said, "I feel really good about doing this, especially since a lot of the residents don't have families and you can tell that they really appreciate this party."

Lynch said that the party is one of the highlights of the year for Susque-View "This party is one of the biggest things that happens to these people," Lynch added.

Gifts for all of the 160 residents of the home were solicited from area merchants

by the Social Work classes, and donations were provided by area churches.

Lynch felt good about the party because of the contributions by both students and members of the community at large.

"We are a catalyst to mobilize the community on behalf of Susque-View" Lynch concluded.



Photo by Matt Connor



Photo by Matt Connor

The young and the old alike enjoyed the festivities at the sixteenth annual Christmas party held at the Susque-View Nursing Home last night.

EDITORIAL

Thanks for the Memorandums



Letters, we get letters... over the course of the semester the **Eagle Eye** has received it's fair share of letters, ranging from the more negative (accusing us of sensationalism) to the more positive (thanking us for our coverage of Parents Day).

Either way, the Editorial Staff here is grateful for the responses we've received thus far. It tells us that not only are people actually *reading* the **Eagle Eye**, but that they are in some way moved to contribute their views to the Editorial page. Feedback is important to any newspaper, but in a small community, such as the one we report to, such feedback is vital.

In any case, all letters to the Editor are printed, in their entirety if possible, edited for length (no more than 300 words, please) or libelous material if necessary.

Oh, and one more thing; Jay and I decided that we would demurr from any and all "Editorial Responses" (i.e. direct response to letters printed on the Editorial page). Once we've had our say, it is only fair that you, the reader be allowed to state your feelings without us further interjecting our arguements.

This has not been an easy decision to stick to. There were plenty of times when Jay and I really felt like responding publicly to statements made in "Letters to the Editor", but had to overcome the temptation to do so.

So here we are near the close of the semester and we finally decided that it's time to get our licks in--only kidding--actually we felt it was time to let those letter-writers know that we really *do* appreciate the desperately-needed feedback that they provided us with.

Matt

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editors:

Geography, known to the ancient Greeks as the mother science, may be fading from the academic horizon here at LHU. As of this writing there are only two Geography majors at this university, one of whom is graduating at the end of this semester.

One may say, "Who cares about Geography anyway, it's so boring."

The only reply that I can give is that many students seem to profess an interest and concern over such issues as the prevention of Nuclear War and the immorality of Apartheid, which is well and good.

However, I am left to wonder how many students and faculty can argue about the merits of arms control with the Soviet Union when most of them cannot locate the Soviet Union on a globe.

Also, I believe many individuals may encounter difficulties denouncing the

corrupt practice of Apartheid when they are unable to identify the continent of Africa much less the nation of South Africa.

I indeed, I once met a student from New Jersey who said that he could see the Statue of Liberty from his home but when asked to locate New York City on a map, he was unable to do so.

With such a deplorable condition in Geographic education as this and a world in constant strife and turmoil, I am left absolutely perplexed by the lack of support and emphasis, by the department of Chemistry, Physics and Geoscience, towards Geography.

I bid this University, as a Geographer, a fond farewell. However, I only hope that Geography, as a discipline, does not depart with me.

I have no desire to be known as the last Geographer from Lock Haven University.

Todd R. Smith

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Christmas Party

Don't make plans for Thursday evening, December 5, because that is the night of the All-Student X-mas Party. Your don't want to miss it -- it's going to be a night full of laughs, music and fun. Two comedians will perform stand-up routines afterward. Then the comedians are going to pick 3 students and try to make them laugh, if the student doesn't laugh, they will win a \$25 prize.

SCJ luncheon

The Society for Collegiate Journalists is holding his first annual luncheon buffet at the Fallon Hotel on Sunday, December 8 at 1 p.m. The guest speaker will be WNEP's News Director, Paul Stueber. All are welcome to attend! Contact Walt Kramer for further information at #3261.

Meeting

The SCC Cultural Affairs Committee will meet at 1 p.m. on Tuesday, December 3, in the Cultural Affairs office in the bottom of the PUB.

Candy Gram Sale

There will be a candy gram sale in the lobby of Bentley Dining Hall from Tuesday, December 3 through Tuesday December 10. The sale is being sponsored by Tau Beta Sigma Sorority. Send a Christmas wish to a friend!

Student Teaching Meeting

All College of Education Student Teachers, spring semester, 1986, are required to attend an orientation meeting December 12 at 1 p.m. in Hamblin Auditorium. If you have a conflict, see Dr. Fostvedt prior of December 12. This meeting is in place of the one scheduled for December 5, 1985.

Ski Club Meeting

A ski club meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday in the Coffeehouse room of the PUB.

Smokeout Awards

As part of the American Cancer Society's The Great American Smokeout held on Thursday, November 21, 1985, a raffle was held. To obtain a chance individuals made a pledge not to use tobacco on smokeout day. The pledge was usually accompanied by a used pack of cigarettes or smokeless tobacco. Chances were available at Lock Haven University and at the K-Mart in Lock Haven. Prizes were donated by area merchants. The prizes, the winners, and the donaters are as follows: One month free membership to Genesis I Fitness Center, donated by Genesis I Fitness Center was won by Zoe Schuler; One \$25 gift certificate toward walking, running, or hiking shoes, donated by Bottor's Shoe Store was won by Joanne Eisenhower; One reserved season wrestling ticket to all Lock Haven University home wrestling mee'ts, donated by LHU Athletics was won by John Tirpack; One \$10 gift certificate to be used at Andrus Sport Circle was won by Becky Shultz; One smokers quitting package including a booklet, smoker's tea, and smoker's pollutant tablets from Granny Taylor's Natural Food Store was won by Frank Meskel, Jr.; and one \$25 gift certificate toward one pair of Brooks workout shoes, donated by Clydes Sporting Goods was won by Mike Mullen.

Roommate Needed

Please!! Somebody answer this want-ad!! My roommate isn't coming back next semester, so I need someone to pick up his half of the lease. The apartment is conveniently located, fully furnished, rent can be negotiated, and cost of moving off-campus will be arranged. For more info., contact Matt at 748-2390, or 893-2334.

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Eagles take fourth in Mat-Town Tourney

By winning four out of five bouts in the championship finals, the Penn State Nittany Lions edged out Oklahoma State to capture the 10th annual Mat-Town USA wrestling tournament held in Thomas Field House this past weekend.

PSU finished the tournament with 141 team points while OSU was right behind with 139.5 points. Lehigh was third with 115.5 and LHU was fourth with 100.75 points.

The Bald Eagles had three wrestlers in the finals but came out with no champions. Dicky Howell, 118; Matt Avery, 126; and Brad Lloyd, 167 were LHU's runner-ups.

Howell entered the tournament seeded first but had to face highly skilled Jim Martin of Penn State in the finals. Howell tried to match skill with Martin with a freestyle move but hurt his ankle in the process. According to a trainer Howell may be ready for the Bloomsburg match Dec. 10.

Avery gave an impressive performance against Penn State's eighth ranked strong defending champ Tim Flynn. Flynn pulled out the victory with 1:04 of riding time. Avery shut-out two opponents enroute to the finals.

Underated LHU sophomore Brad Lloyd wrestled sixth ranked Eric Brugel of Penn

State in the semifinals and handed the Nittany Lion All-American a 3-1 loss. In the finals, Lloyd took on Oklahoma State's fourth ranked strong man Mark Van Tine. Van Tine came out on top, 2-1.

LHU had two third place finishers with Greg Wykoff, 177 and Bill Freeman, 190. Wykoff defeated Lehigh's Eyvind Boyeson, 2-1. Freeman scored his victory by an 8-2 margin over Brian Platt of Slippery Rock.

At 158, LHU's John Barrett fell to Vince Szalai of OSU in the consolation finals, 4-2 to pick up a fourth place finish.

Other LHU place-winners were: Craig Corbin, seventh at 118; Willy Metzger,

seventh at 134; Mike Lingenfelter, sixth at 142; Ron Karns, seventh at 142; Jeff Karam, eighth at 150; and Mike Mazza, sixth at 167.

The Bald Eagles will travel to Bethlehem for the Lehigh Tournament this weekend and then start off their dual meet season with Bloomsburg Dec. 10 for the Susquehanna Valley Donneybrook at Bloom.

BOXING NEWS

Greber returns with loss

Team captain Steve Greber has recently returned from Brunei, Southeast Asia after competing on the ECBA All-Star team. Greber lost a tough 4-1 decision to John Wilkinson, an American now living and boxing in Brunei.

According to the All-Star team coach, Billy Taylor, of Central Connecticut, Greber boxed extremely well in losing to the former fifth Army Corps champion who had both extensive Military service and AAU competition. Greber won the third round on all five judges cards. The bouts consisted of three - three minute rounds.

The ECBA team did defeat the Brunei National Boxing Team, 4-2, before a standing room only crowd of 2,000 in the National Youth Recreation Center in Brunei.

Two lose in New York City

Two other LHU boxers performed well, but this time it wasn't in Asia; this time it was at the Downtown Athletic Club in lower Manhattan, New York City Nov. 25.

Lock Haven's Junior College transfer, Keno Saavedra lost a close 2-1 decision to tough Darryl Smith of the U.S. Naval Academy. Saavedra of Pittsburgh, won the second round on all three judges scorecards after losing the first round by identical scores. Saavedra got caught twice in the final 30 seconds by good combinations by the tough Naval Academy boxers to lose the close bout.

In the feature of the evening, Navy's 1985 National Collegiate Boxing Association 165 pound champion won a Referee Stops Contest in 1:55 of the second round over Lock Haven's promising freshman Eric Gravely of Washington D.C. Gravely won the first round 20-19 on all three judges score cards.

Gravely and Saavedra will represent LHU this weekend in the LHU Invitational Intercollegiate Boxing Championships this Saturday.

Lady Eagle netters defeat Gannon 66-56

Karen Merlie
Staff Reporter

The Lady Eagles have their first victory under their belt. Lock Haven defeated Gannon University Sunday afternoon, 66-56, to make them 1-3 overall and 0-1 in the conference.

"It's about time," was the reaction of the Lady Eagles.

"We're starting to play the kind of basketball that will make us a winning team," commented coach, Fred Riley.

Seniors Tina Martin and Helen Woltman led the Lady Eagles with 18 points each. Woltman led all rebounders with 16, and freshman Joy Redmon helped out by pulling down seven. Donna Sergi and Lori Young scored eight points each and four key steals between them that came at crucial times in the game.

Martin was five-for-seven to give Lock Haven the edge at the half, 30-25. She has 79 points in four games and is moving closer and closer to the 2,000 mark.

Boxing Invitational slated this weekend

The Lock Haven University boxing club, ranked fifth nationally, will host the eighth annual LHU Invitational Intercollegiate Boxing Championship this Saturday in Thomas Field House.

According to Dr. Ken Cox, the Bald eagles will have 11 boxers competing in the home event.

Scheduled to box novice bouts are Rob Archie, 119; Brad Klein, 132; Tim Wagner, 139; Joe Ferrari, 147; and Frank Fisher, heavyweight.

Boxing in the open division will be Marcelo Cancelli, 125; Keno Saavedra, 132; captain Steve Greber, 147; Brett Stevens, 165; Eric Gravely, 172; and Renny Dowdell, 190.

Assisting Dr. Cox in the Bald Eagle's corner will be former LHU All-Americans Martin Santiago, with the novice boxers and Ken Cooper with the open boxers.

Lock Haven played sharp throughout the first half, running off 12 in a row for a 14-4 lead. Young was the key playmaker getting Lock Haven down court for break-aways.

Gannon's Cheryl Hubbard and Tonya Treharne kept their team close with their two great performances. Hubbard was 13-of-19 from the field to lead all scorers with 27 points. Treharne scored 10 second half points to finish with 21.

Both teams went back and forth in the second half until Lock Haven pulled away with 4:00 left in the game. Woltman hit two in a row to put the Lady Eagles up by 10, putting the game out of reach for Gannon.

The Lady Eagles traveled to Mansfield last night to face the Lady Mountaineers. Details on the game were not available at press time.

The Lady Eagles next encounter will be Thursday night when they play host to Mt. St. Mary's.



Men's b-ball loses to PSU

By Gienn Hane
Staff Reporter

The Bald Eagle men's basketball team went down in defeat to Division I opponent Penn State, 79-54, at Rec Hall in State College Saturday.

Bald Eagle head coach Kurt Kanaskie said, "We were nervous playing in a big arena, and it showed in the first half as we committed 13 turnovers."

The Bald Eagles were down by 19 at halftime, 43-24. They cut the lead to 10 early in the second half, but failed to convert on three consecutive one-and-one situations, which enabled the Nittany Lions to pull away.

Kanaskie said, "We kind of blew our opportunity to come back in the second half because of our poor foul shooting (12-for-21 for 57 percent)."

Lock Haven's Dan Williams played well for the Bald Eagles as he pulled down 10 rebounds and scored 12 points.

Kevin Charney also played well for Lock Haven, scoring 19 points while only playing eight minutes due to foul trouble.

Junior "J.R." Price also scored in double figures for Lock Haven as he netted 11 points.

Lock Haven dropped to 2-2 and Penn State picked up its first win in as many tries.

The Bald Eagles traveled to Mansfield last night for a Pennsylvania Conference game. Details on that game were not available at press time.

Kanaskie and his team will return home this Friday to face Shepherd University at 8 p.m.

Dr. Cox said, "This is an excellent opportunity for us to get ring experience for our boxers. Our goal is to qualify six or seven boxers for the ECBA qualifier next March."

Boxers from Central Connecticut State, Shippensburg, Lehigh, Penn State, West Chester, Dickinson, and host Lock Haven will compete in the invitational.

At least six NCBA All-Americans including Mike Paolin, PSU; John Calles, CCSU; Jay Bontabus, CCSU; Rocco Iannetta, WCU; and Lock Haven's Greber and Dowdell are scheduled to box in the open division.

Ticket prices will be \$3 for ring side seats and \$2 and \$1 for general admission.

All LHU students with validated I.D. and senior citizens with card will be admitted free.

Teacher certification requirements changed

Lock Haven University students enrolled in the school's education program gathered Monday, November 18, to learn of upcoming changes in requirements of teacher certification and licensing.

Dr. Ira G. Masemore, dean of the College of Education, and acting dean of the College of Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, explained these changes.

The changes include testing for teacher certification, an induction program for first year teachers, and a program for continuing education and professional development for teachers.

All are effective for people entering the field of education after June 1, 1987. Another change affecting teachers is Act 34 of the Pennsylvania legislature, which will take effect on January 1, of next year.

Testing will be in four areas

The testing for teacher certification will include four areas, Masemore said. These include basic skills, subject matter, professional knowledge, and general knowledge.

The basic skills and general knowledge testing will cover areas such as the humanities, social science, science and mathematics, and the fine arts.

Professional knowledge and subject matter testing will include questions on how to teach, and the person's comprehension of his academic field of study.

The exams will be administered at regional centers throughout the state.

According to Masemore, the teacher induction program has been designed to develop the first year teacher.

"This will not be used to evaluate the individual, but help teachers adjust to the classroom environment and the school system," he said.

Each of the induction programs will be individualized, based on a profile of the student's strengths and weaknesses, and his competencies in the early stages of teaching.

Ongoing education required

Masemore said that teachers will also be required to continue their education by earning six credit hours of approved

college work every five years.

"This is to encourage teachers to update their knowledge in their subject area," he said.

Upon initial certification, the teacher will receive a temporary teaching license that is good for six years.

To make this license permanent, teachers will need to complete three years of satisfactory teaching, an

additional 24 credits of work in education, and an approved induction program.

Act 34 will require people entering the education field to have background checks of criminal records, and present any evidence of a criminal record to an employer.

Masemore said that these searches are a result of concerns for child abuse.



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The landmark "Y", operating under a budget of \$12 million, provides sports, cultural activities and community services to more than 100,000 Montrealers. It has so far raised \$3 million of the \$13 million sought for its 1984-1989 capital development project.

What a Party!.....In a recent issue of USA Today, veteran hostesses Ann Landers, Rosemarie Stack, and Lynn Wyatt gave a few tips on how to throw a great holiday party. Landers suggests a caterer; "I am relaxed at my own parties. I know the menu. I have plenty to eat. It's always better to over-order." Stack likes the outdoor life; "Californians love to entertain outside because of the weather." And Wyatt cuts down on the boozing; "I do not have a long cocktail hour. The fewer people I have, the shorter the cocktail time." I wonder if any of these ladies have ever been to TKE....

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