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Mock funeral procession mourns the death of higher education Cal U holds rally against proposed state budget cuts

BY GLORIA STONE
News Editor

California University of Pennsylvania faculty and students led a mock funeral procession around campus Tuesday as they "mourned the death of higher education" in response to Gov. Tom Corbett's proposed state budget cuts to higher education funding.

The rally was organized by the Cal U's chapter of the Association of Pennsylvania State College and Universities Faculties (APSCUF).

Faculty as well as students presented eulogies to raise community awareness about state funding cuts and claimed higher tuition costs are a direct result of reduced state support.

Gov. Corbett's 2012-13 state budget proposal would reduce funding for Pennsylvania's 14 state-owned universities by 20 percent, or \$82.5 million.

APSCUF chapters from across the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education (PASSHE) declared this as "action week" for students and faculty to express their thoughts regarding state budget cuts and increased higher education costs. Cal U's

APSCUF executive board chose a coffin to symbolize the death of higher education.

"It is the over 117,000 students in the 14 PASSHE universities who will stay in Pennsylvania, get jobs, and determine the future of Pennsylvania who are being shut out and shut down," communications professor Rick Cumings said.

Many students also expressed their views on the proposed budget cuts.

"Education is not just a frame of mind but a frame of heart it's a frame of everything we do," said Brandon Shuttleworth (senior). "Education is all that we are, students should get involved today because things could get taken away from us and sometimes we take it for granted."

Rally organizers handed out post cards for students to send to their state legislators to share their opinion on the budget cuts and explain how it affects them.

"If we don't stand up for what we believe in as students, people in this country will take advantage of what they think is best and before we know it we will not even have public universities for the future of our state," said Cal U student Josh Hischar.



PHOTO BY: MATT KAMINSKI

Cal U students sign a petition at a campus rally held Tuesday to protest proposed state budget cuts to higher education. Gov. Corbett's 2012-13 state budget proposal would reduce funding for Pennsylvania's state owned universities by 20 percent, or \$82.5 million.

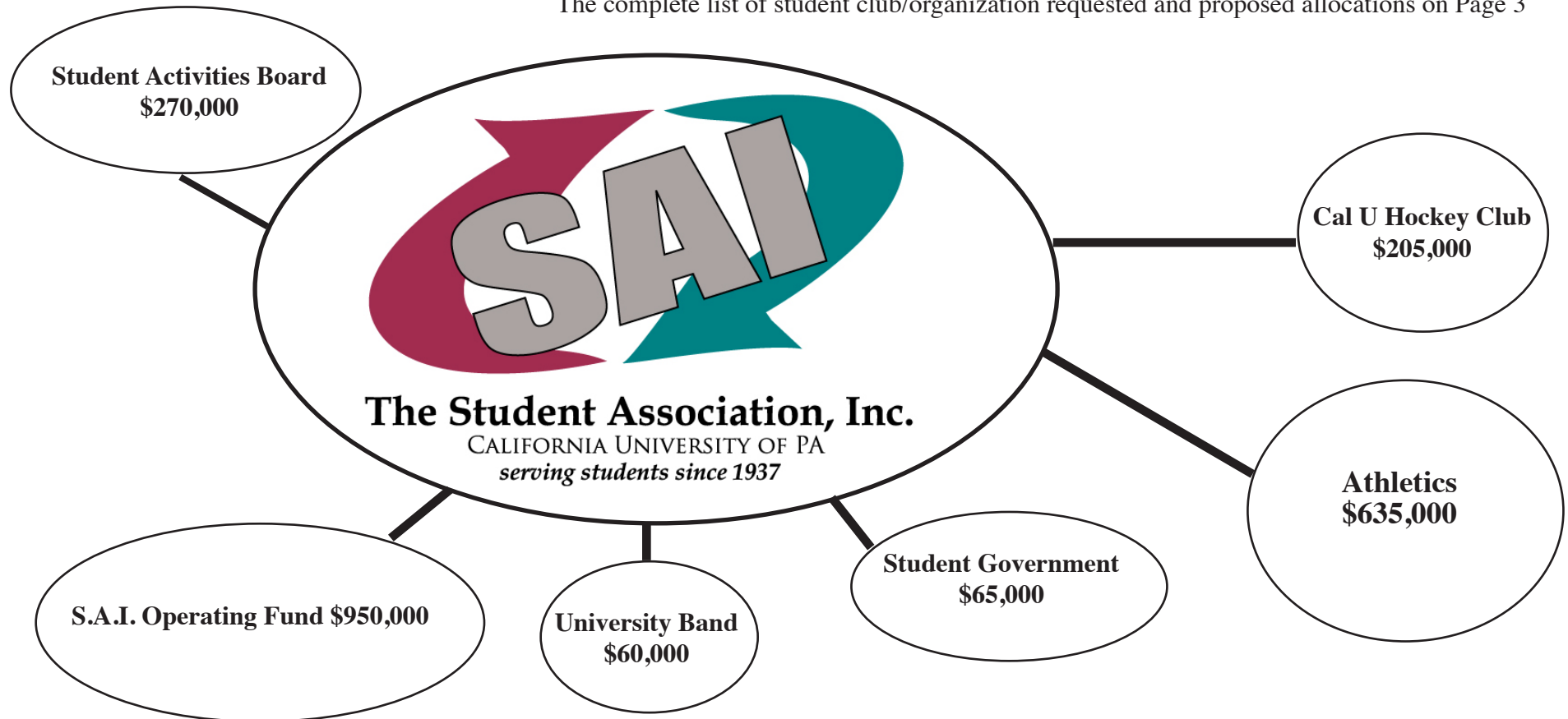
In hope of having legislators and Governor Corbett change the funding of higher education in the state of Pennsylvania, a group of students and staff from all 14 PASSHE universities held a march in the state capitol on March 28. California University will be one school represented by students and faculty during

this motion. Graduate student Shane Assadzandi organized Cal U's rally trip to Harrisburg. "It is becoming even more clear that this trend is continuing and will not stop, it became imperative to us to send representatives to Harrisburg to fight for our rights as students," Assadzandi said.

The funeral procession is not the first rally held by the chapter of APSCUF representatives at California University. A rally earlier this month was presented when Gov. Corbett released his proposal of the budget cut to higher education. Last year, a rally was held when higher education saw its first major restriction to funding.

Who gets what: The \$3.2 Million S.A.I. budget proposal for 2012-2013

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Student leads petition against Borough Police

BY GLORIA STONE
News Editor

Based on a petition, it would seem that some students, alumni, and parents have begun to feel that the California Borough Police officers' actions against Cal U students have been excessive.

Cal U student, Toby Oduho, has created a petition on SignOn.org titled "Cal Boro Cops: Unjust Action." The petition has gained the attention of hundreds of people throughout the California University community. The petition states:

"I have started this petition to bring to light all of the unnecessary actions that the California Borough cops have taken towards "US" the students; from beating and tazing students multiple times, to handing out

finer like candy. A situation happened on March 6, when a student was tazed four times and was also beaten. When a fellow student tried to record a cop quickly shot one last tazer before anyone could begin a recording. This is not the first incident of this situation and it won't be the last until someone speaks up. I myself have been unjustly treated. I felt that I was just only one person who couldn't do a thing; but I learned it only takes one. If one can chase 1,000 to flight, then two can put 10,000 to flight." The petition continues with why students must describe and share particular incidents on why borough police have been unfair in their actions.

"I would like for those of you who feel strongly about this to sign and even give a brief

description of your own experience if your willing to share. Once I have enough I will send the petition to Vice President Bob Thorn. He has already been notified and he is down for the cause, but he states that we need more people to speak up if you want something to be done of the situation"

The petition must reach 1,000 signatures to be delivered to California University's Vice President of Administration & Finance, Robert Thorn.

Many students, alumni, and parents have signed the petition, but have also shared their own stories about situations with the borough police. As of now there are 790 signatures.

Oduho, Thorn, and California Borough Police were unavailable for comment.

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Date: Tuesday, April 3, 2012

Time: 5:00 PM

Location: Carter Hall Multipurpose Room

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A MESSAGE FROM THE CFO OF SAI

On Monday, March 19, Student Cabinet convened for 5 hours and approved the proposed budget for the 2012/2013 fiscal year in the amount of \$3,203,739. As their Advisor, I would like to commend each one of these students for making some really tough decisions this year. The overall goal of the students was to not increase the SAI Student Fee and after much debate, they have successfully been able to achieve that goal with this budget.

Going into the budget meeting with the end number in mind, Cabinet members knew at least \$200,000 had to be taken away from the total allocation amount awarded last year due to enrollment trends. There were 116 clubs eligible for funding in 2012/2013 and each club was assigned a Cabinet member to represent them during the allocation process. The Cabinet member acts as the voice of the club at the budget meeting and uses the history of fundraising efforts, spending patterns and information obtained from meeting with the club advisor and members in order to justify the amount of money needed for the club to operate.

Since the student fee amount was of utmost importance this year, clubs were highly scrutinized for accumulating carryover dollars and unnecessary spending. Last year, clubs carried over a total of \$269,571 into their accounts to spend in 2011/2012, and as you can see from the proposed budget, the majority of clubs have been cut in 2012/2013. The main reason for the large cuts is due to the club having a substantial carryover amount and/or asking for student fee money to pay for budgeted items that were simply deemed unnecessary. Not only that, the pattern that has occurred over the past 5 years is that clubs continue to get allocation increases while their fundraising efforts decrease. Student Cabinet is hoping to break that pattern in 2012/2013 and clubs are expected to make an effort and fundraise more dollars if additional money is needed and be more economical in their spending habits.

There have been recent articles published regarding the high fee cost on college campuses across the country and the value of those fees. Whether you know it or not, you most likely have participated in an SAI Student Fee funded activity on campus. If you have seen a movie in Vulcan Theatre or on Channel 76, personalized a license plate in the Student Center, attended any Homecoming event, used the MAC Lab, or played an intramural sport, you have participated in a club sponsored activity because all of the above mentioned items are just a few of the things that your SAI Student Fee funds. Sure there are more specialized clubs on campus that you may not know of, but the majority of funding goes towards the clubs who affect the entire student body at Cal U and it is highly unlikely that any student has not participated in at least one club sponsored event.

Cal U students it is now up to you to let your voice be heard! On Monday, April 2nd at 4:15 in the Performance Center, SAI will hold its Annual Corporation meeting. This is the final step in the budget process and all members of the SAI Corporation (all full-time SAI fee paying students) get a vote to approve or reject the budget. I highly encourage every eligible student to come and vote whether you are for or against the total budget. You will need your Cal card to verify eligibility prior to entering the meeting and I hope to see you there.

Leigh Ann Lincoln

“To make democracy work, we must be a notion of participants, not simply observers. One who does not vote has no right to complain.” Louis L’Amour

Student fees helping to cut the cost of participation

By ALLISON STEINHEISER
Assistant Sports Editor

Each semester when students get their bills from the University, they see a list of fees. From Academic Support to a Transportation fee, all of these extra costs add up.

One major fee students have to deal with is the activities fee. At Cal U, this fee is broken down into different categories. Students pay fees for Herron Recreation and Fitness Center, the renovations to the Natali Student Center, operating costs, and the Student Association, Inc. (S.A.I.). A full-time student

will pay \$270 per semester to SAI.

Some students may wonder where their money goes when they have to pay a fee for SAI. The answer is, the clubs and other activities around campus. Each year, SAI decides how much of their budget clubs and organizations gets. The fees that the students pay go towards keeping the cost of being active in clubs and organizations down for students. If the SAI fee did not exist, the cost to be in any club or organization would sky rocket.

While some students may see this fee as unnecessary and

expensive, the idea is to allow students to participate in clubs and organizations for a smaller cost. If there were no student fees, each student would have to pay out of his or her own pocket the cost for their participation with a club. These fees allow every club to have some money to help buffer the burden of the cost to run the organization.

If students are participating in one or more clubs, they may actually be using more than the fee they paid. This means that it would be much more expensive for students if there were no student fees and each student had to pay to participate.

STUDENT ASSOCIATION, INC. Proposed Allocated Budget 2012-2013			
	2011-2012 Allocation	2012-2013 Request	2012-2013 Allocation
ANTHROPOLOGY CLUB	6,000	7,484	4,700
ASSOCIATED ARTISTS	19,500	23,145	18,000
ATHLETIC TRAINERS CLUB	7,500	14,490	8,000
ATHLETICS	655,000	2,334,495	635,000
BALLROOM AND LATIN DANCING CLUB	1,000	5,847	1,700
BASEBALL CLUB	2,250	1,675	1,000
BEST BUDDIES	5,500	11,400	6,000
BILLIARDS CLUB	5,200	6,200	4,200
BIOLOGY CLUB	2,850	18,065	3,000
BLACK STUDENT UNION	33,000	54,757	29,000
BODY BUILDING AND FITNESS CLUB	7,000	18,000	7,000
C.C.O.E.-GERONTOLOGY CLUB	2,800	5,758	5,000
CAL CAMPAIGN CONSULTANTS	7,000	11,900	7,000
CAL ROCKS	7,500	14,525	10,000
CAL U ARCHERY CLUB	9,000	11,466	9,000
CAL U BOWLING CLUB	7,299	6,600	6,000
CAL U HOCKEY CLUB	200,000	289,085	205,000
CALIFORNIA TIMES	35,000	35,000	35,000
CHEERLEADERS	22,000	62,570	20,000
CHEMISTRY CLUB	4,000	12,552	3,000
COLLEGES AGAINST CANCER	1,200	3,701	1,100
COMMUTER COUNCIL	6,500	8,258	6,500
COMPUTER CLUB	3,500	2,828	2,828
COUNCIL FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN	11,487	8,344	8,344
CRIMINAL JUSTICE	4,000	No Request	0
CUTV	76,000	76,000	76,000
DISC GOLF	New in 12/13	4,531	1,700
ECONOMICS CLUB	1,100	1,325	1,100
EMS BOOK CLUB	New in 12/13	1,000	500
ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY CLUB	8,000	7,273	7,273
ENTREPRENEURS CLUB	New in 12/13	4,413	500
EQUESTRIAN TEAM	22,500	44,081	21,000
FENCING CLUB	8,000	10,974	8,000
FINANCE CLUB	900	1,205	900
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	2,800	4,575	1,750
FORENSIC SCIENCE CLUB	3,500	4,132	2,992
FORENSICS DEBATE	2,000	1,387	1,387
FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS	9,000	16,674	7,200
FUTURE MATH TEACHERS	0	3,376	1,300
GAMES CLUB	0	13,399	1,000
GEOLOGY CLUB	10,000	18,753	8,500
GIS PLANNING CLUB	9,000	19,300	8,000
GRADUATE SOCIAL WORK ASSOC.	3,500	2,200	2,200
GRADUATE STUDENT ASSOCIATION	7,000	11,250	5,000
H.E.A.R.T.	16,000	23,900	16,000
HABITAT FOR HUMANITY	10,310	13,776	9,750
HISPANIC STUDENT ASSOC.	16,000	37,115	12,000
HISTORY CLUB	5,500	8,100	5,000
HOMECOMING	43,000	53,810	47,000
INLINE SKATING	2,000	No Request	0
INTERNATIONAL CLUB	11,840	10,984	8,000
INTERNSHIP AMBASSADORS	2,000	1,635	1,635
INTER-RESIDENCE HALL COUNCIL	25,000	35,070	23,500
JAPANESE ANIMATION CLUB	1,500	3,290	500
LACROSSE CLUB - WOMEN	New in 12/13	0	0
LACROSSE CLUB- MEN	14,000	15,272	9,000
LAW & JUSTICE SOCIETY	9,000	10,667	5,500
LIONS CLUB	3,446	1,974	1,974
MARTIAL ARTS CLUB	5,200	12,649	4,500
MATHEMATICS ASSOC. OF AMERICA	4,000	6,250	3,200
MEDICAL INTEREST CLUB	New in 12/13	1,082	1,000
METEOROLOGY CLUB	35,000	43,708	30,000
MIDIEVAL & RENAISSANCE CLUB	New in 12/13	5,331	1,000
MON VALLEY DANCE COUNCIL	21,000	28,500	17,000
PARKS & RECREATION	11,000	10,485	6,500
ACTIVIST CLUB	0	2,253	1,200
PHILOSOPHY CLUB	4,200	3,798	3,798
PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB	3,500	1,823	1,823
PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSISTANT CLUB	9,000	18,100	8,400
POTTERY CLUB	3,800	5,697	3,500
PROFESSIONAL GOLF MANAGEMENT	17,500	20,161	17,000
PSEA	2,994	533	533
PSYCHOLOGY CLUB	8,000	16,248	8,000
PUBLIC RELATIONS SOCIETY(PRSSA)	18,000	29,910	15,000
RACQUETBALL CLUB	4,000	0	0
RADIO CONTROL CLUB	3,800	No Request	0
RAINBOW ALLIANCE	8,000	14,309	7,500
ROTC	2,331	1,692	1,692
RUGBY - MEN	37,500	46,300	35,000
RUGBY - WOMEN	22,000	32,760	22,000
S.A.I. OPERATING FUND	1,050,000	950,000	950,000
SCREEN PRINTING STUDENT ASSOC.	10,000	12,527	10,000
SNOW CLUB	5,000	7,992	4,500
SOCIAL WORK ASSOCIATION	5,746	4,248	4,248
SOCIETY OF LEADERSHIP & SUCCESS	7,550	10,425	7,000
SOCIETY OF PHYSICS STUDENTS	0	7,705	1,500
SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISTS	4,000	4,306	3,000
SOCIOLOGY CLUB	3,745	No Request	0
SPEECH & HEARING	5,000	3,850	3,850
SPORTS MANAGEMENT CLUB	6,500	7,177	5,700
SSART	19,000	21,402	19,000
STAND	18,500	28,168	19,000
STUDENT ACCOUNTING ASSOC	2,100	3,350	1,500
STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD	270,000	287,441	270,000
STUDENT CLUB PRINTING HOUSE	9,000	No Request	0
STUDENT COUNSELING ASSOCIATION	5,200	9,570	5,000
STUDENT GOVERNMENT	70,525	69,220	65,000
STUDENT MARKETING ASSOCIATION	19,500	22,540	16,000
STUDIO 224	12,000	20,900	12,000
T.E.A.C. (Technology Education)	39,000	60,191	35,000
THE UNDERGROUND	18,000	41,024	21,000
TRAVEL CLUB	6,000	12,725	5,500
ULTIMATE FRISBEE	4,500	3,160	3,160
UNIVERSITY BAND	60,000	80,850	60,000
UNIVERSITY CHOIR	32,500	32,500	32,500
UNIVERSITY PLAYERS	33,000	41,000	28,000
VETERAN'S CLUB	15,000	19,000	14,000
VULCAN DANCE TEAM	11,750	14,530	8,000
WARGAMING CLUB	New in 12/13	475	475
WCAL	30,000	30,000	30,000
WILDLIFE SOCIETY	17,000	15,633	15,633
WOMEN IN SCIENCE	0	4,867	1,500
WOMEN'S CENTER	21,000	19,994	19,994
WRITING CLUB	0	No Request	0
YEARBOOK-MONOCAL	3,000	1,500	1,500
YOUNG & GIFTED GOSPEL CHOIR	11,000	35,250	9,000
TOTAL	3,434,923	5,614,695	3,203,739

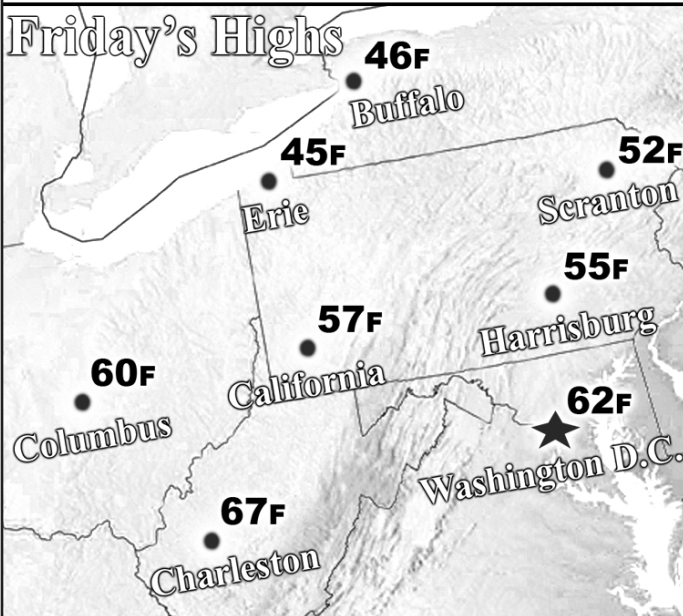
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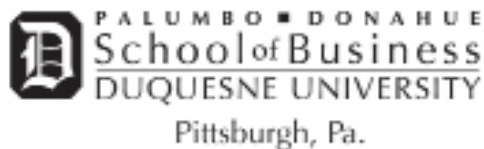
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The Hunger Games hits local theaters

BY NOAH GRUSKIN
Staff Writer

The box office was dominated by the greatly anticipated film "The Hunger Games" this weekend. The movie destroyed its competition earning a staggering \$155 million in its first few days. The movie is the third highest grossing opening weekend film just behind "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallow Part 2" (\$169.2 million) and "The Dark Knight" (\$158.4 million), but is the highest grossing debut non-sequel film of all time.

The movie is based off of a novel by Suzanne Collins and follows Katniss Everdeen, played by Jennifer Lawrence. "The Hunger Games" is set in a future in which North America as we know it has disappeared, and in place of it resides the country Panem. The country is comprised of twelve districts, each under the rule and oppression of the Capitol. Katniss, a citizen of the poverty stricken District 12 is very familiar with the hunger games. Every year the Capitol holds the annual event in which a boy and girl from each District between the ages of 13 and 18 is selected in a lottery system and sent to compete in a contest in which 24 children will be coerced into fighting to the death. The event serves as a reminder that the Capitol has complete power and control over the Districts after a failed rebellion which occurred decades before the events taking place in the novel.

When the lottery takes place Primrose, Katniss' 13 year old sister is selected to compete. Katniss volunteers to take her sister's place in the games and is then sent off to the Capitol with her fellow male tribute Peeta Mellark, played by Josh Hutcherson, for a strange series of traditions before competing in the games.

Director Gary Ross handles the story very well considering its violent nature and young



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Jennifer Lawrence (*X-Men: First Class*) stars as Katniss Everdeen, who takes her sisters place in the hunger games.

audience. The dark tone of the novel is captured perfectly right from the beginning moments of the film. Ross adeptly depicts the poverty and harsh living conditions of District 12 through the movie's score and documentary like, handheld style filming. While this does add some dramatic effect to the film it does hinder it slightly. There are points where Ross goes a bit crazy with the "shaky cam" style and it becomes hard to focus on details. This does help during the numerous violent sequences in the film. The events that take place during the games are graphic and worthy of an R rating (which would exclude much of the novel's fan-base). Ross handles this brilliantly by

using his "shaky cam" style to show flashes of weapons, blood splatter, screaming each in their own frame to avoid displaying the graphic events of the story in detail. This also shows Ross' lack of experience when it comes to action. While the action is filmed well, it has nowhere near the same polish shown in the Bourne series which used the same style.

Furthermore, the acting in the film is phenomenal. Donald Sutherland does an excellent job with his portrayal of the villainous President Snow, aided by Ross, who added some scenes which helped establish the character as an evil entity in the film. Jennifer Lawrence shines as Katniss, and is able to adeptly show

the protagonist's strength and independence. Lawrence was able to show Katniss in her vulnerable moments retaining the character's strength. Lawrence and her portrayal of Katniss have been described as an anti-Bella Sawn. Unlike the Twilight series protagonist, Katniss is not obsessed with or defined by the men in her life and is the very image of a strong, independent young woman. Though it is true, there is a bit of romance in the film, but it is not the focus. The focus is still Katniss and her struggle for survival. Unfortunately the romance is where the film stumbles a bit. The writing during the romantic scenes in the film are at times extremely cheesy and cliché, almost comedically so. Also, some of the relationships in the novel are slightly rushed in the film which results in a good portion of the emotion created in the novel being lost in the film and never experienced by viewers who did not read the book.

That being said, it is important to note that one should read the book before seeing the movie. As stated before, some of the relationships in the film are rushed, but having read the books, the events and conversations that took place between characters are in the back of your mind throughout the film. Though it suffers from poor writing and cheesy dialog at points, and some stylistic filming that is a little too shaky at times, the film shines in its acting. All of the roles were cast perfectly. Each actor does a wonderful job with what they were given, and they all worked well together, providing the perfect mix of comedy and serious emotion. Stanley Tucci, Wes Bently, Liam Hemsworth, Elizabeth Banks, and Woody Harrelson play their roles perfectly, and adeptly support Josh Hutcherson and Jennifer Lawrence throughout the film. Whether you read the book or not, "The Hunger Games" is well worth your time.

Students on Cal U Health Insurance should consider other options

CalU students who have opted to purchase the University sponsored health insurance plan may want to consider purchasing health insurance coverage on their own next semester.

Aaron Zolbrod, licensed health insurance broker and owner of The Health Insurance Store in Connellsville explains why this may be a better option.

"Obviously benefits and cost are huge factors when choosing health insurance," Mr. Zolbrod says. "Medically underwritten individual health insurance plans are very affordable. And the benefits are really good. The most popular plan has co pays of \$20 for primary doctor visits and \$30 for a specialist. Blood

tests and x-rays are provided for a \$20 co pay. Prescriptions are also paid for with co pays of \$8 for a 30 day supply of generic drugs and \$40 for brand names."

For almost all undergrads, these plans cost less than the plan available through the University. And unlike the school plan, where the students or parents have to come up with a lump sum of money each semester, an independently purchased policy premium can be paid monthly.

This plan Mr. Zolbrod mentions is provided by the area's leading health insurance company and can be purchased by a male under the age of 25 for

only \$70 per month. A female under 20 years of age pays the same price. That's less than half the cost of the University plan. Women ages 20-24 would pay only \$111 per month. In addition to the premium difference there is less total out of pocket exposure than the University plan.

Zolbrod goes on to say, "There are other reasons why students, especially those approaching graduation, should consider getting a plan other than the University option." Because the CalU policy is only available to full time students, graduates who are not immediately able to get a job with health benefits will have to purchase a plan on their own.

"With many aspects of the Health Care Reform Act not taking effect until

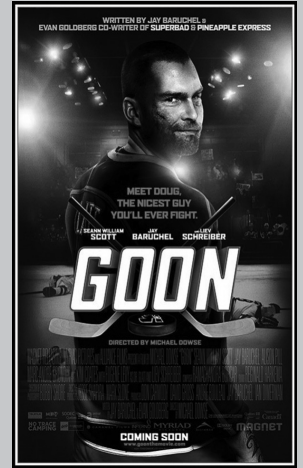
2014 and with the Individual Mandate constitutionality in question, not purchasing a plan on your own before graduation could possibly have long lasting and expensive implications," explains Zolbrod.

If you are interested in learning more about health insurance options, Aaron Zolbrod can be reached at 724-603-3403. You can also request a quote and get more information on the Health Insurance Store's website at

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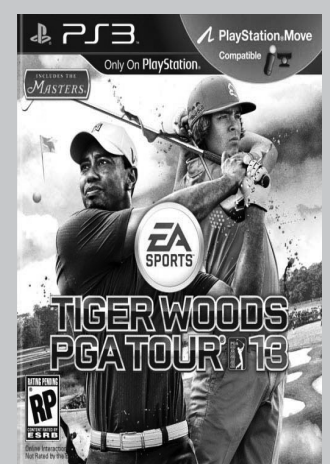
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No. 11 Tennis blanks Edinboro, 9-0

BY SPORTS INFORMATION
For the Cal Times

The No. 11 California University of Pennsylvania tennis team cruised to a 9-0 win over Edinboro in Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference (PSAC) West play on Tuesday afternoon at Roadman Park, losing only three games in the entire match.

With the victory, the Vulcans improve to 12-5 overall and open divisional action with a 1-0 record. The Fighting Scots, who are in only their second year as a varsity sport, drop to 6-10 this year with a 0-1 mark in league play.

Cal U opened the match in dominating fashion, losing only one game in doubles play. Seniors Martina Rubesova (Ustinad Labem, Czech Republic/Gymnazium Dr. Vaclava Smejkal) and Franziska Steinhardt (Bad Lausick, Germany/St. Augustin Gymnasium) claimed an 8-1 victory at the first position against Edinboro's Oranza Carrillo and Angela Pelehac. Playing as a doubles team for the first time in two years, senior Anastassiya Zherdeva (Almaty, Kazakhstan/Gymnasia Number 60) and junior Jade Pondicas (Johannesburg, South Africa/British International



PHOTOS BY: JOSHUA LASKA

#31 Senior Jade Pondicas defeated Angela Pelehac in two sets 6-1 and 6-1, as well as help defeat Emily Meier and Stoe with senior Anastassiya Zherdeva 8-0.

Distance) cruised to an 8-0 win at the second slot. Freshmen Jolien Borrenberghs (Hasselt, Belgium/KA2 Sportschool) and Jesse Burrell (Perth, Australia/Presbyterian Ladies' College) completed the sweep with an

8-0 victory at third doubles.

At first singles, Rubesova blanked Carrillo by a 6-0, 6-0 margin for her 18th singles win of the season. Pondicas registered a 6-1, 6-1 victory at the second position against Pelehac, while Zherdeva posted a 6-0, 6-0 win against Emily Meier at the third slot.

Steinhardt added a 6-0, 6-0 victory at fourth singles on Tuesday, while Burrell and Borrenberghs posted wins by a 6-0, 6-0 margin at the fifth and sixth positions, respectively.

The Vulcans return to the courts on March 28, when they travel to face BIG EAST-member Pittsburgh at the Alpha Tennis and Fitness Club, but the match ended to late for press time.

The Vulcans then return to the courts today, March 30, when



#10 Senior Martina Rubesova was named PSAC West Athlete of the Week after collecting several wins.

they host PSAC West opponent Clarion at Roadman Park at 3:30 p.m. They then travel to Indiana

University of Pennsylvania on April 1, for another PSAC West match up.

Women's Studies program sponsors bra drive

BY LISA PFAFF
Staff Writer

The California University women's studies program and Activist Club are teaming up with "Free the Girls" to help sex-trafficking victims in Mozambique.

"Free the Girls," an organization based in Denver Colorado, has an unusual method to help women, through the donation of bras. All of the donated bras are given to women in Mozambique, which allows them to sell the items for a small profit. In Mozambique bras are not commodity items, so by selling the bras, the women are able to have a source of income that can help them get out of the sex-trafficking industry.

"We found the CNN article about "Free the Girls," from our friend Daelynn Roach. We

thought it would be a great thing to be involved in here at Cal U. We gave the article to Dr. McClintock-Comeaux and she thought it would be a great idea to get involved," Amber Preston (senior/psychology), said.

"This year's Women's Studies conference theme was 'International Violence against Women,' and I have always felt passionate about issues such as human trafficking. When I heard about this organization, it was something easy that people here can do to help out women all the way in Africa. By donating bras, it will actually be helping the victims of human trafficking," Rebecca Will (senior/history) said.

Both Rebecca and Amber are women's studies minors and officers in the Cal U Activist Club. They felt "Free the Girls" would be a great way to bring the two clubs together, and thus far the

bra drive at Cal has brought in donations of over 200 bras.

"I thought the University response was absolutely amazing. I never imagined that so many people would want to get involved. I guess it goes to show that the community can pull together to achieve something great... We come from America, so sometimes we take things for granted that these people don't have. By doing something so small, you can change a life," Preston said.

Bra donations are still being collected in Azorsky 136 through the beginning of April. For more information about "Free the Girls" or if you wish to donate, e-mail Rebecca Will (WIL6924@calu.edu) or Amber Preston (PRE6721@calu.edu)

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ANNUAL CORPORATION MEETING

April 2, 2012 at 4:30 p.m.

Performance Center - Natali Student Center
California University of Pennsylvania Campus
California, Pennsylvania 15419
(Immediately following Student Congress Meeting)

Article III. Membership, Meeting & Quorum

Section 1. **Membership:** All regularly enrolled students of California University of Pennsylvania carrying twelve (12) or more semester hours and who have paid all established fees shall be members of the corporation.

Section 2. **Meeting:** The annual meeting of the corporation shall be held between the first and fifteenth day of April of each year concurrent with the first April meeting of Student Congress which shall be open to all Corporation members. The first order of business shall be nomination of Student Association, Inc. Board members.

Section 3. **Quorum:** A quorum for the transaction of business at any general or special meeting of the membership of the Corporation shall consist of twenty-five (25) members.

Section 4. **Notice:** Notice of the time and place of the annual and any special meetings of the corporation shall be given seven (7) days prior to the scheduled meeting by posting same on all student, faculty and administrative bulletin boards. Such notice shall state the purpose of the meeting.

THE AGENDA SHALL BE:

1. Nominations for members of the Student Association, Incorporated Board of Directors to serve for one fiscal year (July 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013).
2. Approval of tentative budget for fiscal year 2012-2013.

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BY LEVIE KIRKLAND

Hey everyone! We would like to thank everybody who came out and supported our talent show on Tuesday! We would also like to congratulate the winners: 1st place winner Adam Knopsynder, 2nd place winner "Beast Drumline", and 3rd place winner Michelle Cooper! Kevin Hart tickets for April 19 are sold out. BSU and the Commuter Council are sponsoring the end of the year trip to

Six Flags in New Jersey. Tickets will be sold at the information desk; \$15 for students and \$25 for non-students. We're having a Block Party on April 27 at 4 p.m. There will be food, music, games and other organizations participating. Also, there will be a basketball tournament, so come out to this event and bring a friend. We're also having a Retro Party on April 28 at 9 p.m. For more information contact Chantel Garrett gar9857@calu.edu or Marcus Wright wri7233@calu.edu. Our meetings are every Thursday at 5:15 p.m. in Carter Hall Multipurpose Room, and everyone is welcome. Remember this quote, "Human progress is neither automatic nor inevitable...Every step toward the goal of justice requires sacrifice, suffering, and struggle; the tireless exertions and passionate concern of dedicated individuals." ~Martin Luther King, Jr.

The Internship Corner

BY LUCIE FREMEAU

The Washington Center extends deadline for summer 2012 applicants!

The Washington Center for Internships and Academic Seminars has announced that they will be accepting applications for summer 2012 D.C. internship programs until April 6. The extended deadline will allow students to finish submitting their application materials, but submitting materials as soon as possible will allow The Washington Center to appropriately place students in internships and consider them for financial aid opportunities.

The Washington Center is an organization that places students in internships with corporations, businesses, embassies, cultural organizations, lobbying firms, and media headquarters. Students live in Washington, D.C.; Sydney, Australia; or London, England for eight to ten weeks and complete an internship for academic credit.

Multiple students from Cal U complete internships with The Washington Center each semester and rave about the experience. Lauren Vitt, a senior at Cal U, and Nate Earl, who graduated from Cal U and is now enrolled in the Master's program, both believe that their experiences were crucial for their careers.

"I had such an awesome and life changing experience," Lauren Vitt, a senior majoring in International Business, said.

"The experience was great because I was able to sight-see in Australia while receiving academic credit and obtaining real experience in my field," Nate Earl, a senior majoring in Gerontology, said.

Students who are interested in The Washington Center should contact Karen Primm at primm@calu.edu or 724-938-1578. Also, visit <http://twc.edu/> for more information about placements, deadlines, and financial assistance.

The following internship is currently available through the Internship Center.

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- to help students to learn more about career fields of interest;
- to network and make professional contacts;
- and to learn more about the professional qualities needed to successfully transition from college to the world of work.

Interested students can apply on the Career Services website – www.calu.edu/careers

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Hispanic Student Association

BY: ANGELINA LORENZO

SPANISH PHRASE OF THE WEEK: "En boca cerrada no entran moscas," (literally: Flies don't enter into a closed mouth. In English we would say "Silence is golden" or "Think before you speak")

Hola everyone! The HSA is getting ready for an action-packed April. We will be going to the Center in the Woods on Thursday, April 5 in lieu of our meeting to deliver Easter cards to the adults at the Day Center, teach them some Spanish Easter vocabulary, and play a Mexican game called "La Loteria."

We will also be attending the Pirates game on April 20 to cheer on our favorite Hispanic baseball players and try out a new Latin American restaurant in Pittsburgh, called Alma. Our Salsa Night will take place on Saturday, May 5th so save the date! Email lor8100@calu.edu to get on our email list.

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Cal U wins six and two events, host Early Bird Invite

BY SPORTS INFORMATION

For the Cal Times

Senior Brice Myers (Pittsburgh, Pa./McDowell) won the 110-meter hurdles and triple jump on Saturday, as the California University of Pennsylvania men's track & field team claimed titles in six events while hosting the 10-team Early Bird Invitational at Roadman Park.

Myers posted a season-best time in the 110 hurdles, winning the event by over one-tenth of a second with a time of 14.32 seconds. A five-time All-American, he won the triple jump with a distance of 13.11 meters (43-0.25 feet) while competing in the event for the first time since January 2010.

Senior Ryan Schleicher (Pittsburgh, Pa./Baldwin) captured the win in the javelin throw with a mark of 57.81 meters (189-8.0 feet) while competing against throwers from Duquesne and Pittsburgh. Junior Jake Hillegas (Berlin, Pa./Berlin Brothers-valley) placed second in the hammer throw after posting a distance of 38.79 meters (127-3.0 feet).

In the high jump, sophomore Marcus Givan (Putnam Valley, N.Y./Putnam Valley) won the event by clearing 1.90 meters (6-2.75 feet). The Vulcans also featured a pair of second-place finishers in the jumps on Saturday in junior Bruce McDaniel (Hawthorn, Pa./Redbank Valley) and freshman Jared Schaut (St. Marys, Pa./Elk County Christian). McDaniel registered a mark of 6.34 meters (20-

9.75 feet) in the long jump and Schaut finished behind only Myers in the triple jump with a distance of 12.62 meters (41-5.0 feet).

Freshman Mitchell Fawcett (Upper St. Clair, Pa./Upper Saint Clair) won the 200-meter dash after crossing the finish line in 22.70 seconds and placed fourth in the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.32 seconds. Junior Bobby Ralls (Pittsburgh, Pa./North Hills) finished third in the 400-meter dash with a time of 51.12 seconds and junior Chris Poss (Manchester, N.J./Manchester Township) was third in the 1,500-meter run after rounding the track in 4:11.81.

The 4x400-meter relay of Fawcett, freshman Garret Trosch (Hermitage, Pa./Hickory), senior Vince Wilson (Bear, Del./Middletown) and senior Alex Smith (South Park, Pa./South Park) posted the fastest time in the event with a time of 3:21.99.

Sophomore Sierra Rogers (Port Tobacco, Md./Maurice J. McDonough) and freshman Sam Beckerleg (Shermans Dale, Pa./West Perry) each won an event on Saturday, as the Vulcans hosted the 10-team Early Bird Invitational at Roadman Park.

Rogers won the triple jump for the second-straight week, as she posted a mark of 11.16 meters (36-7.50 feet). Beckerleg captured the title in the long jump on Saturday with a season-best distance of 5.18 meters (17-0.0 feet), while junior Breeanna Robinson (East Hampstead, N.H./Pinkerton Academy) placed second in the

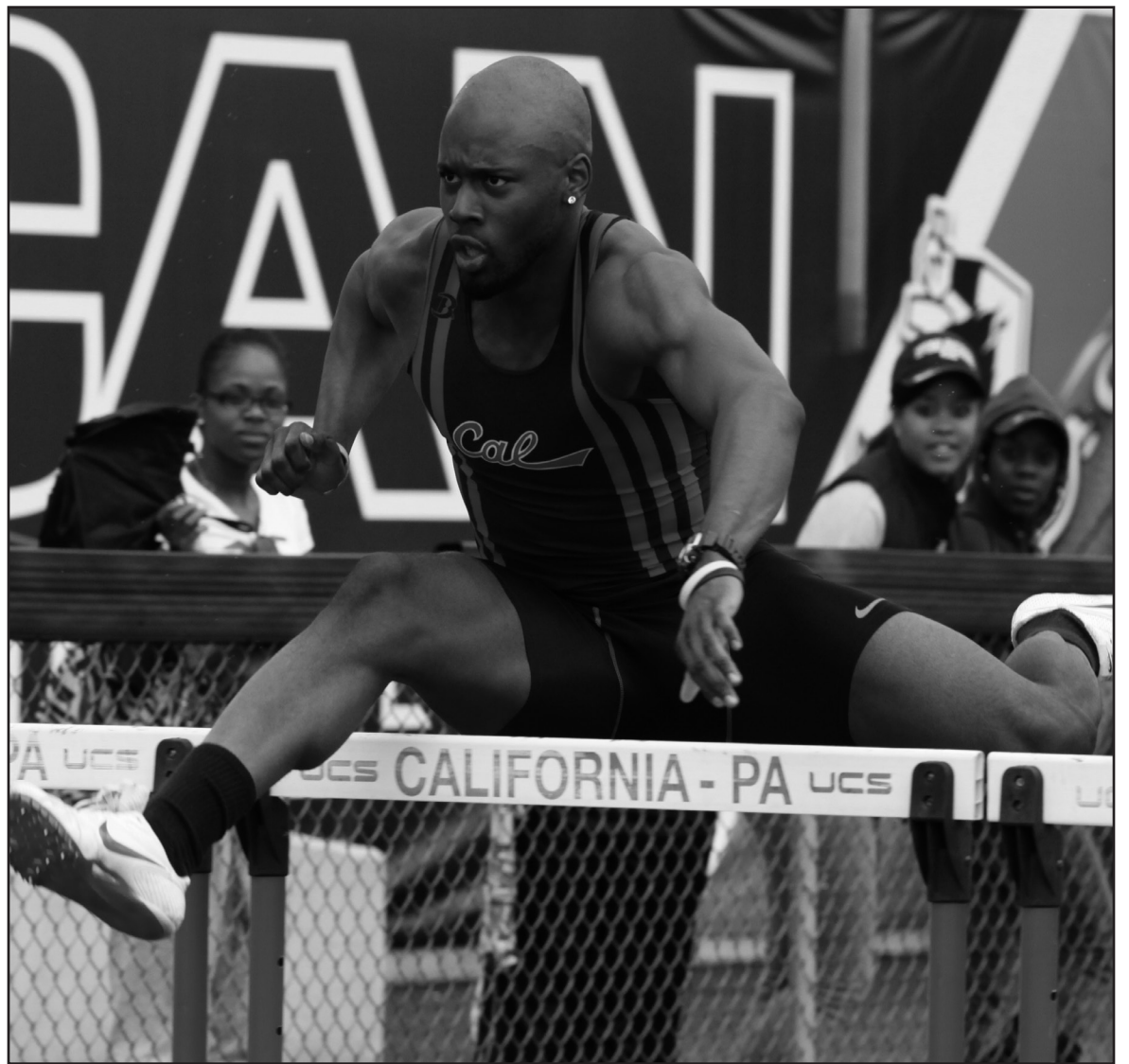


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Senior Brice Myers won the 110-meter hurdles and triple jump events on Saturday, giving the Vulcans two of their six event wins.

event with a mark of 5.17 meters (16-11.50 feet).

In the high jump, junior Amber Saunders (Chicora, Pa./Karns City) finished second in the event at Adamson Stadium with a height of 1.60 meters (5-3.0 feet). Senior Khyalyani Whitaker (Pottsgrove, Pa./Pottsgrove) and junior Shantae Motley (Burlington, N.J./Burlington City) placed third and fourth, respectively, in the high jump after each cleared 1.50 meters (4-11.0 feet).

Senior Laurie Hall (Jackson, Pa./Blue Ridge) crossed the finish line second overall in the 1,500-meter run with a time of 4 minutes, 58.27 seconds and placed third in the 800-meter

run after posting a time of 2:24.57. Freshman Janae Turner (Akron, Ohio/Copley) was close behind in the 800 meters at fifth overall with a time of 2:24.83.

In the sprints, sophomore Bria Jay (Plum, Pa./Plum) placed second in both the 100- and 200-meter dashes. She rounded the track in 25.90 seconds in the 200 meters and posted a time of 12.54 seconds in the 100 meters. Senior Shakeria Love (York, Pa./Central York) finished second in the 400-meter dash after crossing the finish line in 59.06 seconds.

Sophomore Courtnee Whitaker (Stafford, Va./Mountain View) established a personal

best in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 14.93 seconds. In the 400-meter hurdles, newcomer Jasmine Stevenson (Jacksonville, Fla./Cumberland Valley (Pa.)) finished third after crossing the finish line in 1:06.93.

Junior Patriece Thompson (Greensburg, Pa./Hempfield) placed sixth overall, and second among non-NCAA Division I throwers, in the hammer throw with a mark of 40.77 meters (133-9 feet). In the shot put, sophomore Briana Lumley (Butler, Pa./Butler) finished fifth with a distance of 10.85 meters (35-7.25 feet).

The Vulcans return to action at the Raleigh Relays in North Carolina on March 30-31.

Rubesova earns weekly laurel from PSAC

BY SPORTS INFORMATION

For the Cal Times

After posting a 4-0 record last weekend against a pair of NCAA Division I opponents, California University of Pennsylvania senior Martina Rubesova (Usti nad Labem, Czech Republic/Gymnazium Dr. Václava Smejkal) was named the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference (PSAC) West Athlete of the Week on Monday afternoon by the league office.

Rubesova collected a pair of wins while playing at first singles and first doubles against James Madison and George Washington. The No. 10 singles player in the country, she posted a 6-1, 6-3 victory over the Dukes' Kinsey Pate on Friday. The following day, Rubesova earned a 6-3, 6-1 win against GW's Jacqueline Corba.

A 5-6 senior, she teamed with classmate Franziska Steinhardt

(Bad Lausick, Germany/St. Augustin Gymnasium) at the first position for wins in both weekend matches, as the Vulcans claimed the doubles point each time. Against James Madison, the No. 5 tandem in the nation collected an 8-4 victory against Pate and Taylor Pinchoff. Rubesova and Steinhardt also registered an 8-4 win over the Colonials' Mimi Hamling and Zoe Krohn.

Rubesova, a transfer from Northwestern State (La.), is tied for fourth on the team with 15 wins in singles play this season. She also ranks fourth on the team with a 21-4 record in doubles play while teaming with Steinhardt for 18 victories.

Rubesova and the No. 11 Vulcans (11-5) are scheduled to open PSAC West play tomorrow, Tuesday, March 27, when they host Edinboro at Roadman Park, beginning at 3:30 p.m.

Intramural basketball teams finish second at tournament

BY ALLISON STEINHEISER

Assistant Sport Editor

While, many students were enjoying the sun over Spring Break, the men's and women's intramural basketball teams were enjoying playing in the NIRSA regional tournament at Ohio State University. The tournament has been a tradition for many years for Cal U to send one men's and one women's team to the tournament over Spring Break where they compete against some of the best teams around the region.

Assistant Director of Recreational Services, Thomas Hasbrouk says, "When I came a couple years ago, it was a tradi-

tion that was passed on that they always sent our teams to the regional tournaments."

Many of the teams that succeed so well start from a group of friends. This is how both the men's and women's teams were formed that finished second at the tournament.

Team captain Miles Porter says, "It was a group of friends that all played pickup together. We've known each other for years, so we got together and made our intramural team. We won in intramural and that's how we got to go to the tournament."

The competition was tough making both teams happy with how they did.

Women's team captain Laura Montcalvo says, "We actually played against all club teams. The competition was really, really good."

If you love sports but don't want to play at the intercollegiate level, intramural is a great way to get involved.

Porter says, "I love basketball and all my friends do too, so it's a great way for us to get involved with the school and intramural activities."

For more information on intramural sports you can visit imleagues.com or check your announcements.

Walk off defeats Gannon in the bottom of the seventh

BY JOSHUA LASKA
Managing/Sports Editor

The Vulcan softball team captured three wins but had their 10 game winning streak snapped. The Vulcans opened up Lilley Field for the first time this season with a 5-1 win over West Liberty followed by a 4-0 win in the second part of the double header. Gannon came out on top 9-4 in the first game of the double header. Before California University of Pennsylvania fought back to take game two 2-1 after a freshman right-fielder Shelby Heyd walk off single in the bottom of the 7th inning. The Vulcans are now 18-4 on the season and 1-1 in the PSAC.

In the home opener against West Liberty, senior third basemen Jillian Russell led the way with two hits in two at bats for a 1.000 batting average, as well as walked twice and scored once. Sophomore second basemen Natalie Wideman, freshman shortstop Breanna Morris and sophomore first basemen Shelby Lia all scored once on one hit in two attempts to help lead the Vulcans to victory. Senior catch Alyson Johnson also scored once but had a .250 batting average. Heyd, A. Johnson, Morris and freshman center fielder Katie Natter all drove in a run as well.

On the defensive side of the ball, Lia and A. Johnson led the way with eight putouts each. Sophomore pitcher Hope Spancake posts three assists in the win, while Wideman added two and one putout. Morris, Natter and Russell added two, one and one putouts, respectively. Spancake picked up her ninth win the season only giving up one run and caring a no-hitter into the seventh inning. Spancake struck out eight batters, while only throwing 73 pitches to 24 batters.

The second game of the double header against West Liberty was much the same as the first, however Natter led the way with two hits, one run and one run batted in. Heyd led the batting with a perfect 1.000 batting average on two hits. Senior left-fielder Kristen McKenzie, Russell and A. Johnson were the only other Vulcans to collect a hit in the victory. Wideman, McKenzie and sophomore designated hitter Stephani Ellis both came away with one run each.

Lia again paced the defensive side of the ball this time with an impressive 12 putouts at first base. Morris and A. Johnson both added three putouts, while Wideman added two putouts and six assists. Sophomore pitcher Kaitlyn Schilling picked up her seventh win of the young season after a solid seven-inning outing. Where, she picked up three strikeouts, no runs allowed and threw 83 pitches.

In the eighth inning loss to Gannon, Natter led the way

with two runs on two hits including a solo home run. Wideman scored one run on one hit, while Russell scored one run on a fielder's choice. A. Johnson, Heyd and Lia all collect one hit each in the loss.

A. Johnson and Lia led the way with seven putouts for the defense. Morris and Spancake collected four and two, respectively. While, Wideman, Natter, Heyd and McKenzie all added one each with Russell and Spancake both added three assists. Freshman pitcher Madison Cashner picked up her first loss of the season after pitching two and a third innings and giving up three runs. Spancake was the starting pitcher for the Vulcans and she collected six earned runs and seven strikeouts.

The final game of the week and second game of the double header against Gannon was the most thrilling because it took a walk off single to win it. Wideman led the team with two hits on three attempts and the game winning running. Heyd came up big in the bottom of the seventh inning to break a 1-1 tie and drove in Wideman for the victory. Before that could happen McKenzie scored in the

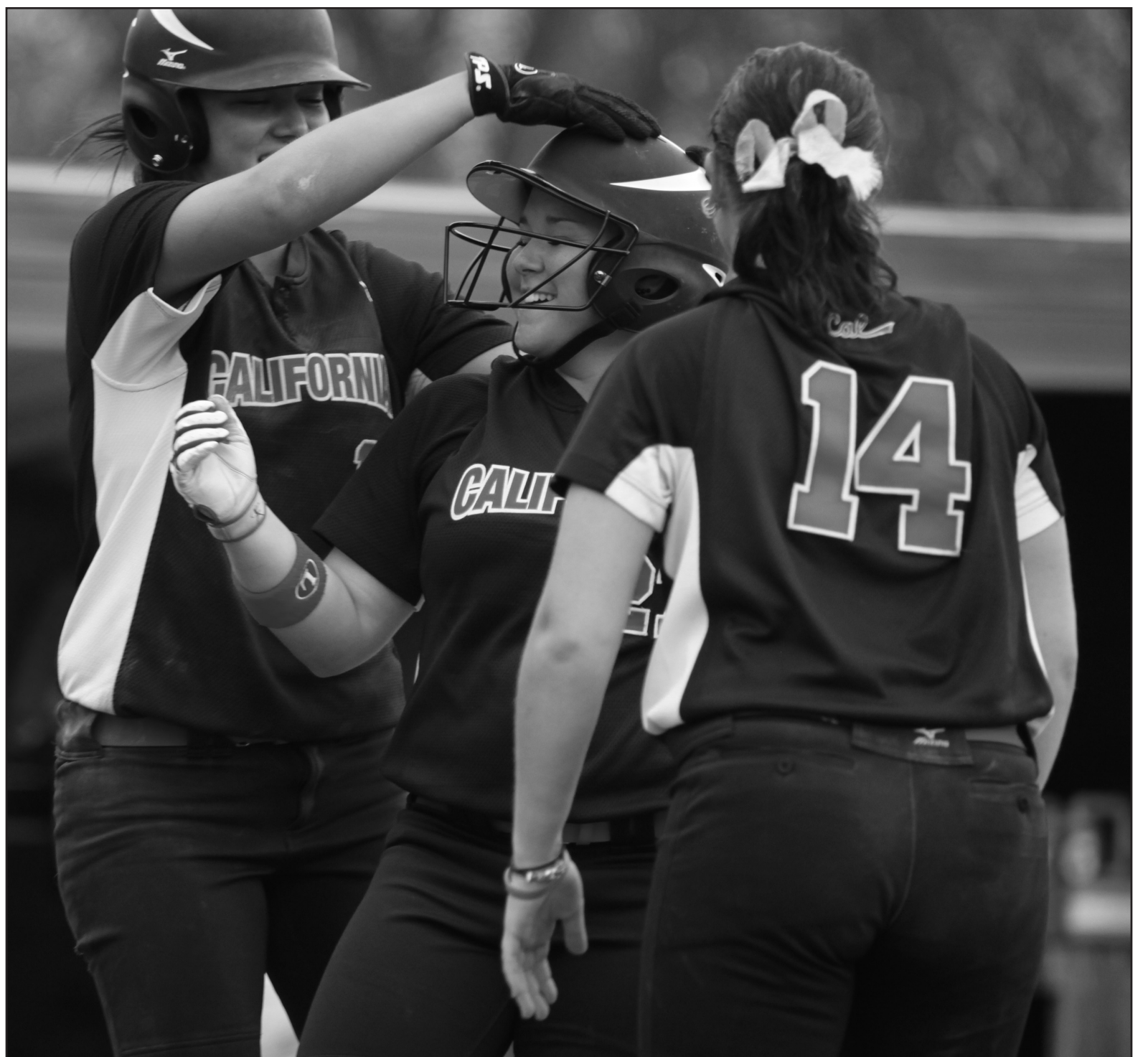
same inning to give the Vulcans a shot at the victory. Russell, McKenzie, A. Johnson and Ellis all collected one hit each in the victory, Ellis provided the other run batted in with a hit to right field.

The victory came with 14 putouts from Lia on the defensive side of the diamond. A. Johnson posted three putouts, while Natter, Heyd, Morris and McKenzie all added one each. Wideman lead the way with an impressive seven assists followed by Morris and Schilling who both had three. Schilling again picked up the win for her eighth of the season after seven innings of work and only giving up one run.

The Vulcans returned to action on Wednesday, March 28 to face Lock Haven at home, the game that was postponed from March 24 due to rain, but that game ended after press time. They continue their home stance at Lilley Field tomorrow when they take on Mercyhurst at 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. in PSAC West doubleheader action. A recap of all four games will be available in next weeks Cal Times.



Freshman center fielder Katie Natter was the only Vulcan to hit a home run last week in the four games played.



PHOTOS BY: JOSHUA LASKA

Sophomore Shelby Heyd (27) became the hero after hitting a walk off single in the bottom of the seventh inning. Heyd celebrates her RBI winning hit with teammates Stephani Ellis (17) and Kaitlyn Schilling (14).

Get to know your Vulcans:

Heather Bureau

Individual/Relay swimmer for the California Vulcan swimming team



PHOTOS BY: JOSHUA LASKA

INTERVIEWED/LAYOUT BY JOSHUA LASKA
Sports/Managing Editor

WHAT WAS IT LIKE TO GET TO SWIM IN THE PSAC'S YOUR FRESHMAN SEASON?

It was one of the biggest meets I've ever competed in so I was really nervous. I was also really excited to compete against everyone and see where I stand as a freshman and I also wanted to see all my hard work from training finally pay off.

WHAT WAS IT LIKE GETTING IN THE POOL FOR THE FIRST TIME AND COMPETING AS A VULCAN?

I was really anxious to be able to compete at the next level of swimming. I also love to race and I was pumped to finally race against new swimmers I haven't ever competed with before.

HOW HARD WAS IT TO ADJUST TO SWIMMING AT THE COLLEGE LEVEL?

I had a hard time balancing the academics, athletics and social life. It took me a few weeks to adjust to school work again and by that time, swimming had started up and it was so time consuming I was overwhelmed and it took some time to adjust and figure out a schedule.

WAS THERE SOMETHING THAT WAS REALLY HARD FOR YOU (LIKE TO LEARN) AT THE COLLEGE LEVEL?

Something that was really hard for me was starting to lift and how to apply what I'm doing on land in the water. I was always so sore and felt like I wasn't moving in the water for a while, but I adjusted and figured out how to use my strength.

HOW DO YOU STAY "IN THE GAME" DURING THE OFF-SEASON?

I try not to think about getting right back in the water and focus on other activities and staying in shape. I also keep my head in the game by setting goals for the next season.

BUREAU'S SWIMMING STATS FOR THE VULCANS

15th in the 1000 Freestyle at PSAC's with a NCAA 'B' time of 10:39.25

WHAT ORIGINALLY GOT YOU INTO SWIMMING?

My older sister started swimming and then my brother started shortly after her. I continued the tradition after my older brother started.

HOW MANY YEARS HAVE YOU SWAM?

I started swimming club when I was four... so 16 years.

WHAT IS ONE INTERESTING FACT THAT NOT EVERYONE WOULD KNOW ABOUT YOU?

I whip lashed my neck and broke my wrist on the same day when I was 3. They were different accidents within four hours of each other

WHERE ARE YOU FROM AND WHERE DID YOU GO TO HIGH SCHOOL?

I went to Greater Latrobe High School and I am from Latrobe.

WHAT DO YOU PLAN ON DOING AFTER COLLEGE?

I don't really know. I plan on moving south and getting out of the cold of Western PA.

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOW?

Criminal Minds

WHO ARE YOUR FAVORITE SPORTS TEAMS?

The Pittsburgh Penguins!

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD?

Mashed potatoes and gravy.

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE?

"Taken"

DO YOU HAVE A FAVORITE QUOTE?

Hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard.

