Students support King holiday for future

by Jane M. Dudley

Some black students at UAH boycotted their classes on Monday, January 15, Martin Luther King, Jr.'s birthday, to highlight the fact that UAH did not have an official celebration to remember the civil rights leader. The Black Student Association had set up a table in the lobby of the U.C., with a television and VCR replaying the PBS documentary, "Eyes on the Prize."

"We've worked so long to get him recognized," said Paulette Paul, President of the Black Student Association, expressing her wish that there be more official recognition for King. Another student, Kendall Shoulders, said, "There was the Emancipation Proclamation, but we didn't really have our freedom until someone like Martin Luther King stood up. It's an emotional issue for us... It's not something we take casually," he said. Shoulders also mentioned the wide-spread protest shown by people on the UAH campus for the Chinese students who were fighting for their freedom last year in Tiananmen Square in Beijing.

Shoulders, Frederick Lynx and three other students went to UAH President Padulo to ask what UAH was doing to celebrate King's birthday, and if there were plans for taking the day off next year. Padulo saw the students in his office. When asked about next year, Padulo said, "I don't know. It's never come up," meaning the issue of taking the day off.

One of the students said that a celebration or remembrance would not necessarily have to be in the form of a day off from school, but could be a plaque, a ceremony of remembrance, or some other recognition of King's work. "There are all reasonable things," said Padulo. About taking the day off, he said, "In my mind, I have sort of considered it equivalent to a religious holiday. If a student or staff member wanted to observe it, I think that would be perfectly appropriate. I observe it. I hope you observe it." He said that more provisions for celebrating certain holidays are made on campuses such as Boston University or Harvard because those campuses are bigger and have a more heterogeneous population. Shoulders said that he thought that more recognition at UAH for King day would be a major factor in increasing black enrollment here, so it would tend to erase stereotypes that some black students may have of UAH.

Padulo was very receptive to having some sort of celebration next year, but asked that the students specify exactly what they wanted, and put it in writing.

While Oakwood College and Alabama A&M (both traditionally black institutions) had the day off Monday, UAB and UA did not. The students asked Padulo how the "days off" were decided here, and Padulo said that the students were given the help of Provost Elmer Anderson to determine that there is a calendar committee, that works every two years to determine schedules. The students wanted to know if they could attend the next meeting of this committee. Padulo said that would not be possible, but that he would let them know the results. If they did not like the results then they could take action.

Lynx said he was worried that the attempt to get the holiday would get lost in red tape, from committee to committee. "What we would like from you is commitment," he said to Padulo. "You have it," Padulo replied. "We'll get you a quick response, and we'll put it in writing."

Padulo had been to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Unity Breakfast at the Von Braun Civic Center that morning, along with Huntsville mayor Steve Heftinger and other community leaders.

Unity Breakfasts, dramatic readings of King's speeches, wreath-layings and other activities were held on or near King's birthday at other UA campuses, according to Deborah Nelson, Director of Media Relations for the UA system. Rick Mould of UAH media relations pointed out that while there were no official celebrations for King's birthday here, there will be many events in February sponsored by the university in celebration of Black History Month.

Meanwhile, Tanya Hollins, president of the UAH chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha, said, "It's not really a 'black and white' issue. Martin Luther King was in support of freedom and equality for all people. We need to do our part to honor and respect him by having this day at the university. We owe him a lot. We would not be here today if it had not been for him."

Edmondson awarded one-year nursing scholarship

Suzanne Edmondson, a freshman at the UAH College of Nursing, is the recipient of a full one-year scholarship, donated by Dr. R. Parker Griffith, medical director of the Huntsville Cancer Treatment Center.

Edmondson, who is presently maintaining a 4.00 grade-point average, said she decided to pursue a professional nursing career because the most important reason to me is the self-worth and gratification that I would receive as a result of helping patients... I am prepared to give 110 percent of myself as needed.

Griffith said he decided to sponsor the award because quality healthcare is so important in the Huntsville area and there is a genuine need to attract and keep serious, gifted students in the nursing profession.

Griffith is also hosting a reception for UAH nursing students Thursday February 1, from 3 to 5 p.m., at the director of the Huntsville Cancer Treatment Center, 502 Governors Drive. Nursing professionals will be on hand to provide pertinent information to the nursing students. Refreshments will be served.

The R. Parker Griffith scholarship will be awarded on a yearly basis to high school seniors or upcoming freshmen or sophomores with an above-average academic record. Students must also be a U.S. citizen and Alabama resident. The scholarship recipient is selected by Dr. Griffith and the UAH College of Nursing dean.

Jeremiah Denton to speak at UAH January 30

Former U.S. Senator Jeremiah Denton will speak on January 30 at 8 p.m. at UAH. Denton's appearance in the U.C. Exhibit Hall is being sponsored by ACE, as part of their lecture series.

Denton, a Mobile, Alabama native, served one term as a U.S. Senator. In the mid-1960s, he was an attack squadron commanding officer for the U.S. Navy and flew missions from the U.S.S. Independence. He was shot down and captured by the North Vietnamese on July 18, 1965. Although he was the first prisoner to survive four years of solitary confinement there, he was actually held prisoner for seven years and seven months. Denton managed to send messages to the U.S. by blinding his eyes in Morse code on North Vietnamese propaganda tapes.

He wrote a book about his POW experience, "When Hell was in Session." The book was adapted for a continued to page 3
SGA Legislature holds first meeting January 8
by Dennis W. Varner for the Exponent
The first official meeting of the UAH Student Government Association Legislature was held on January 8. Among the items of business were new legislative committee appointments, updates on committee activity, and joint legislative and executive work on final draft of the SGA Constitution. Mike McCracken initiated the appointment of legislators to the standing committees. The members of the Rules and Revision are Ed Ditto (chair), Ray Hamilton, Doug Jones, Ben Masters, and Cheryl Williams.
The Student Awareness Committee was absorbed by the Student Relations Committee, which consists of the following members: Tim Cobb (chair), Raymond Hamilton, and Marian Sampson, Chris Thorpe (ad hoc), and Carol Ann Vaughan.
The Appropriations Committee members are Doug Jones (chair), Ben Masters, Randy Setiawan, Carol Ann Vaughan, and Cheryl Williams. Organizations committee members are Tim Cobb, Dena Livingstone and Ben Masters (chair). Computer committee members are Tim Cobb, Mohan Mullaipudi (ad hoc), Rudy Setiawan (chair) and Dennis Wingo (ad hoc).
The Student Relations committee has been working on acquiring a student section in the Von Braun Civic Center arena during the hockey games. Tim Cobb suggests that interested students voice their support to the office of Athletics and SGA.
Members of the computer committee have been busily working to upgrade the Apple Macintosh computers in the Library Reserve Room. Presently, the types of software available in the library are Claris Draw and McPaint, Silicon Beach Software, Superpaint, Microsoft Works and Powerpoint, Informix Inc. Windows, Living Videotext Inc. More and Microsoft Word.
Library personnel will be provided training for the express purpose of the administration of the computer center. The training will consist of basic operating procedures of hardware and software systems associated with the Apple computer.
Work on a final draft of a revised SGA Constitution is being initiated by members of the Executive and Legislative branches. The document will replace and update Constitutions of 1976. Joint work by both branches will result only in a cessation of Legislature and Executive Cabinet meetings, temporarily. Officers and representatives will continue to hold their office hours.
Official office hours are scheduled to be released in the 24th edition of the Exponent. If any student has a suggestion or question on any SGA related matters, please feel free to stop by the SGA office (UC 106) or call our new number (939-6375).

Friends of Huntsville providing free rides to games
International Friends of Huntsville will provide free transportation from UAH to the V.B.C.C. arena for ice skating on January 26. Individuals interested in using this transportation are asked to meet in the U.C. lobby at 6:15 p.m. on the 26th. Admission to the arena will be $4. To make reservations, please call 895-6375.

Optics Lab begins using new 20-kilowatt laser
by Rick Mound for the Exponent
A 20-kilowatt carbon dioxide laser—one of the largest in the academic world—began operations on January 8 at the UAH Center for the Applied Optics’ Laser Applications Research Laboratory.
The laser was donated to UAH in 1986 by Combustion Engineering Inc., a subsidiary of C-E Industrial Lasers, Inc. A. H. Werkhouser, UAH senior research scientist, has been responsible for assembling and testing the laser and its subsystems.
The lab will provide technology transfer to a rapidly expanding industrial community. The basic applications will be manufacturing technology, welding, heat treating and cladlining. Other applications include experiments on optical beam control, materials damage and improving laser performance.
The computer-controlled laser produces a beam three inches in diameter that can be focused down to one-half millimeter in diameter. It is cooled by water. The output laser power is controllable from one to 20 kilowatts. The laser requires a minimum of 3,000 square feet to be housed.
The focused beam can cut through one inch of steel at a rate of one inch per second. A slightly defocused beam can weld two half-inch thick pieces of steel.

Exponent-sponsored blood drive scheduled for Jan. 26
by Curt Craig associate editor
On Friday, January 26, The Exponent will host a blood drive in the U.C. Exhibit hall. The Red Cross will hold the blood drive from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
According to the Red Cross, blood collected here at UAH will be distributed to hospitals in the region as well as other components. The blood or components will be given to the hospital free of charge; however, the hospitals must pay processing fees, which in turn are passed on to the recipient and the recipient’s insurance company. The fees collected by the Red Cross are used to cover blood collection expenses.

Donating blood is extremely safe and leaves you feeling good about yourself because you know you’re done something to help others. So’s support our Red Cross, UAH, and “give the gift of life.”
Denton to speak
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Denton retired from the Navy in 1977. He won many awards and medals including the Navy Cross, the DOD and Navy Distinguished Service Medals, three silver stars and the Distinguished Flying Cross. He founded the National Forum Foundation and has been the recipient of numerous honors as a civilian, including the Distinguished Community Leadership Award from the Alabama Black Conference of Mayors and the Man of the Year Award from the Citizens for Decency through Law.

Director of Lectures and Symposiums for ACE, Ron Byrd especially wanted to bring Denton to UAH. Byrd noted that “This guy is a legitimate war hero from Alabama.” Byrd said that while ACE had brought very popular speakers in the past, such as “Star Trek” cast member George Takei, it was time for a speaker who was more “issue-oriented.”

The next event in this lecture series will be a debate on abortion, to be held April 24. The debaters will be Sarah Weddington, who was the attorney for Jane Roe in the famous Roe v. Wade case, and Phylis Schlafly, a noted right-wing speaker and opponent of abortion.

S.O.T.A.

S.O.T.A. is a peer support network for students over traditional age which meets each Thursday from 12:15 - 1:00 p.m. in the U.C.

Schedule of speakers for winter quarter:
Jan. 18 Rm. 137 — Open Date
Jan. 25 Rm. 137 — Mr. James Gibson, Dir. Financial Aid
Feb. 1 Rm. 127 — Open Date
Feb. 8 Rm. 127 — Dr. Ann Boucher, Dir. Honors Program
Feb. 15 Rm. 127 — Open Date
Feb. 22 Rm. 127 — Ms. Margaret Bibb
Mar. 1 Rm. 127 — Open Date
Mar. 8 Rm. 127 — Rev. Franklin Broyles, Campus Ministries

Faculty also invited to attend.
EDITORIALS

"I don't know, 'I don't know,' and 'no."

by Curt Craig associate editor

Why won't UAH students get involved in campus life? Why are we so passive? Isn't there a need for involvement on the part of the students and the school's? I think so.

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"I don't know," 'I don't know,' and 'no."

by Gregory Caasteel columnist

During the Christmas break, north Alabama experienced the coldest weather we have had in 100 years. This lead to many problems for north Alabama residents who were not prepared for this type of weather. One of the most common problems was that many people's water pipes froze and burst leaving them without water. I was lucky. My pipes didn't freeze. But some of my neighbors and relatives were not so lucky. I know of some people who were without water for a week.

And I wasn't completely spared from inconvenience. While my pipes didn't freeze, I was without water for one day because the Water Department had to replace a pump that had burned out during the cold weather. I had difficulty doing without water for one day. I don't know how anyone survived without water for a week.

"I was lucky. My pipes didn't freeze. But some..."

by Nelson Papucci for the Exponent

From the mind-boggling events closing out the '80s arises a great irony. As the '80s closed, the fears foremost on the American peoples' minds included the uncertain spreading of communism by Islamic fanatics, the energy crisis, and a malaise-ridden economy with high unemployment, interest rates and inflation. Also, many credible scientists warned of another possible ice age.

But all the problems we have lessened, giving way to lower-tier priorities. Polls indicate that Americans' leading fears now include drugs, foreign investment, the failure of a spendthrift Congress to reduce the deficit and environmental matters. The only major fear left unchanged is the threat of Middle Eastern terrorism - although even that worry has abated somewhat with the death of Khomeini and the thrashing of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

"...it is finally time to give credit where credit is due..."

by Paul Fandre, assistant editor

The worst thing about not having water isn't that you have nothing to drink you can always drink snow or melted ice. The worst thing is that you have no water for sanitary purposes.

Not able to bathe, or wash your hands, or flush the toilet is a miserable feeling. It's tough enough trying to get through one day without water; I can't even begin to imagine what it would be like.

They say that you don't realize how important something is until you have to do without it. And the things that are truly important are the things we take for granted. We never think about water until it is gone. We never think about the air we breathe until we are choking.

There are many precious resources that we need to survive - but because we have taken them for granted, we are allowing them to run down and run out.

Experts say that the world's petroleum supplies will be exhausted within 50 years. When they are gone, what will we fuel our transportation? How will we make the plastics that we have come to rely on? We are consuming fossil fuels at an alarming rate with no thought of conservation; and we really have no idea what we will do when the well runs dry. The problem is that we don't care what happens when the well runs dry, as long as we are able to consume as much as we want right now. (And some people are already more than enough water for a week.)

So to all those people in the early '80s demanding a nuclear freeze, calling Reagan a warmonger, and castigating the defense buildup: You go to bed tonight without any desert.
ATO

The brothers of the Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity would like to congratulate our pledges who did great on their grades this past quarter. Keep up the good work. Last week was their pledge rush. They went to Gatlinburg and stayed at a two-story chalet. Except for Mike Mayes almost killing himself skiing down the slopes, everyone had a great time. It is time for Winter Rush Parties to start. Everyone is invited to both parties on January 19 and 27. February 3 is our 11th annual Founders Day Banquet, and our initiation of the pledges. We are looking forward to having a great time. The Taus are looking forward to having a great basketball season. Good luck to all the teams.

To all the Taus: keep the grades up, study hard, and while you’re at it, go to class every once in a while.

Sigma Chi Gamma

The brothers of Sigma Chi Gamma have had an exciting and fun-filled week. Brothers’ night was held on Sunday along with the beginning of pledge indoctrination. On Monday, Sean Platt taught several of the brothers a new game called Spinners, which bends the laws of probability severely. A dinner was held for two of our local Sigma Chi alumni on Tuesday. On Wednesday, the new Sigma Chi Gamma mascots were purchased. We hope that someday our Sea Monkeys will grow large enough for us to see.

Initiation for the Nu (Fall, 1989-90) pledge class was held on Wednesday night. New initiates to Sigma Chi Gamma are Dennis Demirjian, Sean Platt, Nathan Johnson, and Eddie Dittos. Welcome to the brotherhood, guys.

As usual, the weekly chapter meeting was held on Thursday night. We were pleased to have our chapter advisor, Cecil Stokes, at the meeting. Friday night kicked off winter rush. The Xi Chapter (1989-90) pledge class began on Tuesday, Jan. 16th. All in all, we’ve had quite a week, and we’re looking forward to more of the same. Sigma Chi Gamma thought for the week. Hey Alan, can I have a...?

Kappa Delta

The Epialon Lambda chapter of Kappa Delta would like to congratulate new members Lori Lambert, Trisha Loring, Janet Steely and Kathy Wilson for being newly elected members in the Greek Honor Society, Order of Omega. They will be inducted on January 17 at 8 p.m. in U.C. 126.

On January 4 two candlelighting ceremonies announced the engagement of Kappa Delta members Katie Burroughs to Chris Jackson, a member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity and Angie Stepp to Kevin Smith, who is also a member of Pi Kappa Alpha. Congratulations!! Kappa Delta has been busy preparing for the visit of Michelle Williams, our National College Advisor. She will be arriving on January 20. We’re looking forward to her visit.

Delta Zeta

Congratulations to Delta Zetas new initiated Friday night, January 12. Delta Zeta’s fall pledges were initiated in a ceremony held at the Bevill Center. The chapter welcomes Chanda Berrill, Debbie Durham, Suzanne Edmondson, Melissa hood, Val Rose, Amy Jackson, Megan Johnson, Denise Kuenig, Aniesa Moore, Jennifer Rainwater, Stacy Seller, Lena Thomas, and Kim Thrasher.

Congrats to Kristy Kilpatrick, winner of the $50 Delta Zeta raffle drawing money.

Tuesday night, Delta Zetas got together and attended the A&M/UH basketball game. Everyone had a great time supporting the Chargers.

Accounting Club

The UAH Accounting Club had its first winter quarter meeting Wednesday, January 10. Mr. Thomas Beason from Beason, Cutler & Nalley, P.C., was our guest speaker. He spoke to us about the CPA Exam and changes that will be made in the future on the exam. Mr. Beason also spoke about his work with the Alabama State Board of Public Accountancy, which is a position appointed by the governor. Ms. Marilyn Urbanz, a recent UAH graduate and former club officer, was also in attendance at the meeting and she commented briefly about work being available in the Huntsville area.

There are several upcoming events that will be of interest to you. First is the NAA Student Night on January 16. Detailed information is posted on the sign outside the Accounting Office. Alan Whitten will be conducting Winter Rush now. Mark Avery is heading this effort. Grant Frederick is in process of putting together a calendar of social events for the rest of the year. We plan to make this a very active quarter.

Delta Chi

The Huntsville Chapter of Delta Chi is conducting Winter Rush now. Mark Avery is heading this effort. Grant Frederick is in process of putting together a calendar of social events for the rest of the year. We plan to make this a very active quarter. Delta Chi have had a good turn out at recent athletic events. We encourage the other Greeks and students to support the basketball and hockey teams. If we have enough students attending the games maybe UAH can start a student section.

Related congratulations to Jeff Sands for his induction into The Order of Omega, John Kresse our “great leader” for his 4.0 Fall Quarter, and Bill Luncerford for having the highest G.P.A. in his Associate Member class.

Latin Film Series

The UAH Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, in cooperation with Tulane University’s Roger Thayer Stone Center, is currently hosting a Latin-American video film festival. Films will be shown at 7:30 p.m. in room 302 of Robert Hall every remaining Wednesday of the term.

Republicans

There will be a meeting of the UAH College Republicans at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 23, in U.C. Room 150C. Everyone interested in Republican politics is invited to attend. For more information please contact Ronald Byrd at 880-9347.

ASCE

The ASCE held a meeting on January 11. Major plans are being continued to page 6

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**Pulse**

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made in order to be ready for the Regional Concrete Canoe competition in April. Membership dues are $15 and the deadline for paying them is January 19. The next regular club meeting will be January 24 at 8 p.m. in the Engineering Building. A canoe design meeting will be held January 17 at 8 p.m. in the Engineering Building. We invite anyone to come join our club. We are in the process of starting the canoe construction, so all help is needed.

**German Club**

The German Club will have its first meeting of the new term Friday, January 19, at 5 p.m. The location will be the Heidelberg Restaurant where we will have an original German dinner (optional). We hope to see many new members and do some new things this term. We hope to see YOU there!

**Amnesty**

Amnesty International is a worldwide movement of people working on the conviction that governments must not deny individuals their basic human rights. The UAH campus branch works on special campaigns and on behalf of individuals prisoners, while educating the campus communities on human rights. We meet every Thursday at 8:15 p.m. in U.C. Room 126B.

**SAEA**

Have you been thinking about joining S.A.E.A. but haven't yet? Well, now is the time. We cordially invite you to come to our next meeting on Thursday, January 18, at 12:15 p.m. We will meet in the Teacher's Material Center, Morton Hall. Our guest speaker is going to be Carolyn Parker, the employment coordinator for Huntsville City schools. Please mark your calendar and make it a point to attend. Lunch will be served.

**French Club**

Le Cercle Francois, the UAH French club, met January 10 in Roberts Hall. Galette des Rois, or cake of the kings, was served along with drinks. The next meeting will be held in the early part of February, and is scheduled to feature a guest speaker. Details will be announced at a later date.

Anyone interested is encouraged to attend the French club's meetings. Details are available from any of the French instructors.

**BSU**

The Baptist Student Union (BSU) will be having its weekly lunch today at 12:15. The cost is only $2, which all goes to summer missions.

The Drama and Clowning groups will meet tomorrow night at 8:15. Everyone who is interested is welcome to join us, and we guarantee you'll have a good time.

We will be visiting the Boy's Ranch this weekend to play games and spend some time with some really great guys. We will leave the BSU around noon on Saturday. If you're interested, come by and sign up.

**Sierra Club**

The Sierra Club meets tonight at 7 p.m. at the Huntsville P-blic Library. Slides will be shown on "Big Oil vs. the Caribou" in Alaska's Wildlife Refuge. Call 880-6653 for further details.

**Singles**

Socially Conscious Singles meets Saturday, January 20, at 7 p.m. at the Parisian Community Room in Parkway City Mall. Local author Patricia Sammon will speak on "Social Activism in Everyday Life." Phone 534-2122 for further information.

**SEDS**

Students for the Exploration and Development of Space is having a meeting on the 17th of January at 8:15 p.m. in the U.C. Subjects to be covered will be the Get-Away Special experiment program and 1990 officer elections. Any students interested in working on space flight experiments should attend. We have several projects that we NEED people to work on. If you ever wanted to work with NASA now is the time to come to a meeting.

**UAH Student Directory**

For the 1989-90 academic year will be available the week of January 17th through the 23rd, at each newsstand of The Exponent.
“Tango and Cash” hampered by distracting flaws

by Laurence F. Specker
features editor

Last week I took a few potshots at Sylvester Stallone’s latest effort, “Tango and Cash,” as I reviewed “Born on the Fourth of July.” This movie has been a bit underrated, in view of the fact that I had yet to see “Tango and Cash.” Now I have seen that movie, and here, in the words of Paul Harvey, is the rest of the story.

To begin with, it’s a little unfair to compare these two movies. One aspires for true greatness and has every right to it; the other aspires only to turn a few million bucks profit while hopefully entertaining the people who go to see it. So in spite of “Tango and Cash’s” relative triviality and silliness, it could still be a “good” movie.

But, so what? The album is still good, this sexy, over-fifty rocker keeps churning out rock-and-roll this good forever.

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The overall quality of the songs Turner has to work with is not as good as previous work. Simply stated, the album is not as good as Private Dancer, her triumphant comeback. But, so what? The album is still good, rhythmic and enjoyable. I just hope this sexy, over-fifty rocker keeps churning out rock-and-roll this good forever.

Tina Turner’s latest album shows skill, maturity, and trite, unrealistic characters, not to mention trite, unrealistic dialogue.

Tina Turner’s latest album shows skill, maturity, and comes to evoke pure sexuality. Some critics have said the mature rocker has no business singing about this subject. They say a teenager would be better suited. I disagree. Coming from a teenager this song would be irresponsible. From Turner it becomes fun and sensual.

The last word? If you want to see this superman by the movie’s end. Don’t forget that I said “Tango and Cash” was indeed entertaining, if barely. The movie has its share of laughs and thrills, but I question whether they are worth it or not.

The last word? If you want to see this one, you’ll better not waste any time. I don’t think it’ll be around for too much longer.

Entertaining the people who go to see it. So in spite of “Tango and Cash’s” relative triviality and silliness, it could still be a “good” movie.

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Menard to perform Cajun dance music
by Andrew Fandre reporter

DL Menard, the "Cajun Hank Williams," will perform his traditional Cajun Dance music Friday, January 19 in the U.C. Exhibit Hall at 8:00 p.m. Menard, an alumnus of the Country Music Hall of Fame, has been playing since the late 40's. Eddie Le June and Ken Smith will accompany him on accordion and fiddle.

A workshop on the two-step and the waltz will be held from 6:15 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. before the show. The show is free to all students, faculty, and staff and all are encouraged to attend the workshop and learn the basic steps. It's fun. Discovering and exploring new cultures is entertaining and will开阔 your mind.

DFL sponsoring Latin-American video festival

The UAH Department of Foreign Languages and Literatures, in cooperation with Tulane University's Roger Thayer Stone Center is currently hosting a Latin-American Video film festival. Films will be shown at 3:15 p.m. in room 329 of Roberts Hall every remaining Wednesday of the term.

Today's film will be "Man Facing Southeast," a color film that will last approximately 105 minutes. The film is in Spanish with English subtitles. Other scheduled films, with languages, dates and running times, are as follows: "Bye Bye Brazil," in Portuguese with English subtitles, 105 minutes, on January 24; on January 31, "Pixote," in Portuguese with Spanish subtitles, 127 minutes; U.S.A.: "Kiss of the Spider Woman," in English, 119 minutes, on February 7; Cuba, "Death of a Bureaucrat," in Spanish with English subtitles, 85 minutes, on February 14; on February 21, Mexico: "El Angel Exterminador," in Spanish with English subtitles, 95 minutes; Mexico: "Mexican Bus Ride," 80 minutes, in Spanish with English subtitles, on February 28; and on March 7, U.S.A.: "Salt of the Earth," 94 minutes, in English. Everyone is invited to attend these free films. For further details, contact the Foreign Language Department.

"Urbanscapes" now on display in University Center Gallery

"Urbanscapes: Ancient and Modern," a collection of recent paintings, prints and pastels by Michael G. Crouse, is on display at the U.C. Gallery until February 3. The work in this exhibition reflects Crouse's continued interest in landscape imagery that has been altered by man. Modern urban environments found in the southeastern United States and ancient Viking ruins found in Britain are the subjects in the works on display. Crouse is an associate professor of art at UAH. His works have been on display in Canada, Spain, Korea, England, and Massachusetts in the past year.

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Basketball team loses close game to UNA Lions

By Jennifer Grace
Sports Editor

After an impressive 77-72 win over top-ranked Jacksonville State, the Lions of the University of North Alabama traveled to UAH to meet up with the Chargers. UAH coach Gary Elliott prepared his team well for UAH, having commented that "UAH is a much better team this year than they have been in several seasons." The game was a close one throughout and although UAH held a small lead during much of the second half, UNA regained control in the final minutes and escaped with the victory.

The Chargers were down 42-40 at halftime and came out in the second half with even greater intensity. "The first six minutes of the second half showed some of the best defense we've ever played," remarked assistant UAH coach Lennie Acuff after the game. Good defense in combination with some excellent shooting from Thomas Jones, who led the Chargers with 30 points, and Mike Morris who had 17 points, helped keep the Chargers on top until the last four minutes of the game. At that point UNA began to make a serious scoring run and UAH had to make a few changes. Substitutions were made from the UAH bench to give several players a rest and put fresh defenders in against UNA.

The Lions continued to score and UAH had to foul to slow down the clock. Then Coach Baker sent in the secret weapon for UAH, Todd Howard, to do some perimeter shooting. "I told Todd, 'If you get the ball in range, you shoot it!'" said Baker. And that's exactly the 6' 3" freshman guard did, sinking two of two three-pointers during his one and only minute played in the game. Howard sunk his second basket at the buzzer as UNA won a 96-93 victory over the Chargers. Several UAH players rotated in and out of the game to make positive contributions for the Chargers, including Fred Steger, who had 13 points and 8 rebounds, Jackie Cumigan, with 10 points and 7 rebounds, and Mitch Moore with 5 points and 2 rebounds.

Lady Chargers give up early lead to Montevallo

by Aaron Koger
sports reporter

The women's basketball team played Montevallo Saturday night at Spragins Hall. UAH started a 37-56 loss earlier in the year to Montevallo, so the Lady Chargers were ready to give Montevallo a taste of their own medicine.

The Chargers played impressively in the first half, sinking 14 of 22 field goals and nine of 13 free throws. Montevallo stayed close though, and the score at halftime was UAH 37, Montevallo 33.

In the second half the Chargers were only 28 percent from the field while Montevallo hit 16 of 32 two-pointers and eight of 18 three-pointers to defeat the Lady Chargers. Montevallo's Cabaniss led the Lady Chargers with 15 rebounds while Wigley grabbed 10. Cabaniss netted 20 points while McBride and Wigley scored 14 each. Cabaniss led the Lady Chargers with 16 rebounds while Wigley grabbed 10. The Chargers (0-13) next home game is at Spragins Hall against UNA on February 7.

Curry leaves Crimson Tide to coach Kentucky's Wildcats

By Jennifer Grace
Sports Editor

Former University of Alabama football coach Bill Curry left the Crimson Tide, having accepted a position with the University of Kentucky Wildcats. Curry was the head coach at Alabama for three seasons. The resignation ends three somewhat trying seasons for Curry. He was met with criticism almost immediately after being hired on Jan. 4, 1987, and received a death threat on the day he was announced as head coach.

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Prestegard, Cunigan, Morris, recognized as outstanding players

UAH hockey player Shane Prestegard has been named the UAH/Coca-Cola Bottling Company Player of the Week for December 28-31, 1989. Prestegard led the Chargers defensively against the University of Lowell on December 29-30, 1989.

"Shane played an outstanding series against Lowell," said UAH coach Doug Ross. "He has great team attitude and is an inspiration to his teammates. He never gives up and gives 110% at all times. He blocked a number of shots, moved the puck well in the defensive zone and played great offense. He certainly does everything we ask him to do."

Prestegard lead the Chargers in defense and had an assist on a Charger goal. He was also named the UAH/Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Player of the Week for December 18-24, 1989 for his outstanding play against Faulkner University. Cunigan led the Chargers to a 99-68 victory against Faulkner.

"Jackie has been a solid player for us in each game," said UAH coach Joe Baker. "He doesn't get the press that other players get, but he continues to play well in each performance. He is playing out of his natural position as well as playing bigger and stronger people, but every night he gives us a great effort. In order for a team to be successful, you have to have three consistent players and he has been one of those players for us."

Cunigan scored 22 points and had 7 rebounds against Faulkner University. He is third leading scorer on the team with 12.6 points and is currently leading rebounder with 5.4 per game.

Cunigan is a junior majoring in computer science.

UAH men's basketball player Jackie Cunigan has been selected the UAH/Coca-Cola Bottling Co. Player of the Week for January 1-7, 1990. Morris led the Chargers in scoring against Troy State University and Tuskegee University in the Columbus College New Year's Tournament.

"Men had a great tournament," said UAH coach Joe Baker. "Whenever a player averages 30 points in a tournament, you have to say he had a great tournament. Mike has played very consistently all year and has been a great complement to Thomas Jones. Teams realize that if they try to gang up on Thomas, Mike has the ability to score big numbers. We now have two wings that are legitimate scorers."

Morris led the Chargers against Troy State with 30 points and 4 assists. Morris again led the Chargers against Tuskegee University with 31 points and 5 assists. He was also named to the All-Tournament Team for the tournament. He is second leading scorer for the Chargers with 17.1 points and leads the team in steals with 2.5 per game.

Morris is a junior majoring in secondary education.

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Curry has made no bold predictions for improving the program right away. "It's important to get a realistic perspective," said Curry. "It's possible to win 12 games and maintain a level of academic excellence, but it's difficult." Curry did not immediately announce his coaching staff but it is assumed that several Alabama assistants will join him in Kentucky.

The second annual pool tournament took place on December 13, 1989, in the University Center Exhibit Hall. This event was sponsored by the University Center Game Room. There were eighteen participants in this year's tourney. The winners will compete in the Region 6 Association of College Unions-International Games Tournament at Georgia Tech in Atlanta in February. These students will be competing with others from Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, and Alabama.

In the women's Division, Doris Ray placed first and Lisa Gorman second. First place in the Men's Division was Bernarda Batong, Tim Varano, second, and Charles McEniry third.

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