Salaries for Legislators:

‘Carrot’ too costly for student body?

by David Rogers
reporter

And, their viewpoints on the issue of paying legislators for their work have put the two on a collision course. When the current legislature convened in late spring, a house bill to give legislators $50 a month (and committee chairpersons $75 a month) for meeting their office hours was introduced.

For the first time in the history of SGA at UAH, students filling positions in the legislature are being rewarded financially for completing their office hours. Williams, chair of the appropriations committee, sees the paychecks as a much needed incentive. “I wanted to look at ways of being able to retain quality people in the legislature because if you don’t meet quorum, you can’t conduct business. If you can’t conduct business, you can’t serve the student body, obviously,” Williams told The Exponent.

“If you look at the last election, there were at least three schools that I know of where there was absolutely no competition for the positions at all,” Williams said. “People needed only one vote to get in,” she added.

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Senator Bill Cabaniss visited UAH on Wednesday, October 24, 1990.

Cabaniss, a Republican, is running for the US Senate against incumbent Howell Heflin. During his presentation, Cabaniss spoke of his beliefs and ideas, as well as what he would do if he were elected to the Senate.

Cabaniss remarked that Alabama, which is historically Democratic, is opening up to Republicans, partly because they are having a positive impact. Cabaniss has a strong environmental record and he feels that there must be a balanced perspective about business and economy as well as with the environment. Cabaniss is also in favor of a two-year college system.

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Azar brings ROTC Program to UAH

by Christie Dale
reporter

Until this fall, UAH has never had an Air Force ROTC program. However, with the help of Mark Azar and Samford University, that all changed.

Azar, a sophomore majoring in Secondary Education, has been at the forefront of developing an AFROTC program between UAH and Samford University. Originally from Huntsville, Azar had been in a family business for almost eight years when he decided to go back to school. He applied for an Air Force scholarship but did not receive it because he did not meet the (younger) age requirement.

He decided to go ahead with the program anyway, but Huntsville area colleges did not offer an Air Force program. So, he decided to create one.

He moved to Samford University in Birmingham several times which resulted in correspondence between the schools regarding an AFROTC program.

As a result, a “cross-town” agreement was made which allowed students at UAH to take their classes at UAH throughout the week and go to Samford on Thursdays for ROTC classes. The agreement was started in the summer of 1989, but it has just been realized since the beginning of the fall term.

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AFROTC offers many opportunities

by Mark Azar

As UAH recruiting and public affairs officer for the Air Force ROTC det. 12, I am excited to announce that UAH now offers a "cross-town" agreement with Samford University. Students now wanting to earn an Air Force commission through AFROTC may now do so through the UAH curriculum.

AFROTC is a program designed to allow students to fulfill officer training requirements and open the doorway to challenging and rewarding careers as Air Force officers. Jobs such as pilot, navigator, administration, as well as career fields in medicine, nursing and law are awarded to college graduates each year.

To enter the program, you can choose a two or four year program. This allows for students already in college to enter. The first two years in the program acclimate a cadet to the Air Force surroundings. There is no obligation from the student at this point.

Upon finishing your sophomore year, you must make a decision as to whether you want to enter the final phase of AFROTC, the Professional Officers’ course. During the summer before your junior year, you must attend field training, a four or six week camp held at various bases around the country. There, you will learn all the Air Force basics as well as
High School Visit Day Held Twice

by Ranjit Pradhan
reporter

It is a well known fact that one is likely to buy what one has seen. Apparently, this extends to choosing a college as well and it is particularly this fact that has led to the annual occurrence called High School Visit Day. The purpose of this visit, is to expose college minded high school seniors and juniors to the realities of college, inform them about the various programs and opportunities available, and, in general suitably impress them with UAH! A large percentage of those students who visit do end up enrolling at UAH so this visit is crucial for the university in attracting fresh talent for the upcoming year.

This year, for the first time, the visits will be held on two separate days, Oct. 20 and Nov. 17 so as to provide students with greater flexibility in planning their tour. According to enrollment management staff, last year the visit day attracted as many as 800 students, and they hope to exceed that figure this time. Students are invited from all area schools as well as high schools in Tennessee, Alabama, and from all over Alabama. Besides students, many parents and several high school counselors are expected to come as well.

The visit begins at 9:30 am on both days and is planned to be eventful, in order to expose them to as many facets of UAH—academics and activities—as is possible. The visits will begin in the gliterring Administrative Science Building with registration continued to page 6

Nursing exhibit for high school visit day—photo by Ricky Howard

PRCA Conference Very Successful

by Kelly L. Pennick
reporter

"We have the ability to empower people with knowledge." These words spoken by Sunshine Overkamp, United Way of America Vice President of Communications, at a recent 1990 Public Relations Council of Alabama (P.R.C.A.)/Southern Public Relations Federation (S.P.R.F.) "Connections '90" conference for professional communicators summarizes the importance of this conference. Top public relations and communication professionals from across the southeast (Alabama, Tennessee and Louisiana) gathered in Huntsville to polish their skills and gain new insights from nationally recognized experts so they could better 'empower people with knowledge.'

"We are keepers of the springs," continued Overkamp at one of the conference's mini-seminars as she told the professional "Strategies for Thriving... How to Eat an Elephant." As a keeper of the spring cleans dirt, rocks and impurities out of the spring so the people will have pure water to drink, public relations people take the impurities out the stream of information so that the public has pure, true information said Overkamp. True information leads to people take the impurities out the stream of information so that the public has pure, true information said Overkamp. True information leads to knowledge and knowledge is power. Over the course of the two-day conference, Bob Loseure, CNN Headline News Anchor, also spoke. The audience that filled the Madison Square Mall Holiday Inn's Grand Ballroom sat intently while he spoke on "Getting Your Message Heard From a CNN Perspective." Following the Thursday luncheon with Loseure, the group went to Jack Daniel's Distillery in Lynchburg, Tenn., for a tour/barbecue where they had a "great time," said Rita Daniel's Distillery in Lynchburg, Tenn., for a tour/barbecue where they had a "great time," said Rita Overkamp at one of the luncheons.

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Colloquium

The problem of finding traveling wave front solutions of constant speed to nonlinear parabolic partial differential equations is equivalent to the problem of finding trajectories that connect two fixed points of an associated system of ordinary differential equations. Such a trajectory is an example of a hyperbolic orbit, i.e. an orbit with several fixed points on it. We summarize some recent results obtained by Doedel and the author on development of an accurate, robust, and systematic method of computing branches of orbit that connect two fixed points of a real vector field in a "regular" case, and implementation of the method in the software package AUTO. We also describe some work in the progress on an extension of these ideas to other cases. As applications, we consider the computation of traveling wave solutions to reaction-diffusion problems and DC Josephson Junction.

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Legislators' Salaries

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Cobb, chair of the legislature's student relations committee, says the legislation "is not a good idea and will take funds away from student clubs and organizations." "When we ran for this office, there was nothing mentioned about pay at the time," said Cobb.

"I haven't got anything against the people that we have in there. I think they are all good legislators, but we had only, like, three returning legislators," he said.

"Everybody else was brand new into the office and the first thing they did was give themselves pay. They, of course, have gotten a lot of experience since then, but this is a volunteer thing...why get paid for it?" said Cobb.

Before the 1990-91 school year, a number of duties now assigned to student clubs were handled by a handful of directors.

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"If they all came up with good ideas, that would be like, $28,000. The legislative body has only given the student clubs and organizations around $12,000. There is no way we could fund everybody up to their maximum."

The house bill that gave legislators salaries also gave SGA executive officers money to raise in pay.

The new pay for legislators and the raise for executive officers brings that administrative cost to $18,000—27 percent of the SGA budget, according to Cobb.

"One of the reasons we got rid of the directorships was that we could put that four or five thousand dollars back into our budget and use it for the students," Cobb added.

Williams, who is working on additional legislation aimed at insuring legislators' accountability, maintains the salaries are justified. "They (new legislators) come in here, don't understand how much work is involved, they get discouraged (and), they leave," Williams said.

It's a shame to say that we can't remain an all volunteer organization, but neither is ACE (the Association for Campus Events) or The Fool's Gala," he said.

The appropriations committee chairwoman says funding for cultural tickets for the students has been decreased because of the legislators' salaries. These tickets are now being sold at a reduced price so that the SGA can use those funds to purchase more tickets so a greater number of students can attend those events, she said.

According to SGA officials, the cultural ticket budget for the present school year is virtually the same as last year.

Cobb said he will take action in the coming weeks to abolish legislative salaries, but he says that task may be impossible since it would require a vote of that body.

In late spring, House Bill 9002 passed with a 7-2-1 vote. Student protest, Cobb said, may be the only way the legislature will take itself off the payroll.
Halloween Safety Checklist
by Thalia Haak
UAH School of Primary Medical Care

Halloween is a time for family fun, but safety precautions are planned in advance. The American Academy of Family Physicians and the UAH School of Primary Medical Care have provided a safety checklist to help families ensure a safe and happy Halloween.

Divided into four categories—"Costumes", "Walkers", "Trick-or-Treat Do's and Don'ts", and "Drivers/Home Owners"—the checklist contains precautions that many people might not think about. For example, it's a good idea to avoid dogs when wearing a Halloween costume. Even a family pet can be frightened by a costume and possibly attack.

Urging families to take precautions at Halloween time is just one aspect of "Family Health Month", sponsored annually by the American Academy of Family Physicians. The School of Primary Medical Care notes that keeping people healthy is the best medical cost control there is.

1. Costumes
- wear flame-retardant materials
- avoid billyow costumes
- wear white or light-colored costumes (use reflective materials in the evening)
- avoid wigs (they can burn into flames)
- make-up is safer than masks
- for children wearing masks, make sure they remove the masks between trick-or-treat stops
- avoid oversized shoes
- props such as magic wands and swords should be cardboard rather than metal or wood
- carry a flashlight
- avoid jack-o-lanterns illuminated by candles
- avoid dogs (even your own dog may be frightened by a costume)

2. Walkers
- walk on the sidewalk or grass
- if you must walk on the street, walk on the left side facing traffic
- cross the street only from corners or at crosswalks
- never dart between parked vehicles
- observe all traffic signals
- look both ways before crossing the street
- watch for cars turning at intersections or into driveways

3. Trick-or-Treat Do's and Don'ts
- parents should set rules such as boundaries and curfews and enforce them
- young children should be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult
- older children not accompanied by parents or adults should travel with friends
- stay in your own neighborhood and go only to homes of family of friends
- go only to those homes which are well-lit
- do not go inside a home or building to accept treats
- have parents check treats before eating (do not eat any treats before they are examined)
- some hospitals will X-Ray treats (contact local hospitals to see if they offer this service)
- have a parent or adult cut all fruit and candy into sections before eating

4. Drivers/Home Owners
- clean your windshield and headlights before driving
- be alert for children darting into the street (be prepared to give trick-or-treaters the right-of-way)
- park your car in the driveway or in the garage to prevent vandalism
- be sure walkways and stairs are free of obstructions
- don't leave lighted pumpkins in an area where a child's costume could be camouflaged
- greet trick-or-treaters at the door (do not encourage them to come inside)
- wrap treats that are loose or homemade
- put your name and phone number on treats so parents will know where they came from
- Halloween comes once a year (Discourage trick-or-treaters who come before or after the actual date)

Search for New President

The search began Monday for the next president of UAH. An 18 member advisory group, representing both academic and business constituencies, including faculty, students, and administrators from UAH, will help professors from the other two system campuses, UAH alumni, members of the UAH foundations and North Alabama round out the advisory board.

In announcing the appointees, Dr. Austin confirmed the university's commitment to provide high-quality academic programs on the undergraduate and graduate levels while also expanding research programs that support the high-tech industries and federal agencies that fuel the Huntsville economy. The group initially will work with Chancellor Austin to review selection criteria that will be used in considering the candidacy of all applicants and nominees. After reviewing and screening candidates, the committee is expected to recommend finalists to the chancellor, then the Board of Trustees will interview those prospective final candidates. It is hoped that a new permanent president will be ready to assume administrative responsibilities here at UAH by the beginning of the 1991-92 academic year.

Listed below are the members of the Advisors Council for the UAH Presidential Search.

Who’s Who Among Students in American Colleges & Universities

At the University Center Information Desk

To be eligible, you must be...
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- a graduate student must have at least a 3.0 g.p.a.
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If you meet the above criteria, fill out an application today. This honor would be a nice addition to your resume, and all those selected will be recognized at the Student Leadership Banquet in the Spring. For more information, call 895-6445.

Who’s Who Deadline: October 26

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“Why do so few people seem to care...?”

As a result, a small amount of saliva finds its way to my pillow on some nights. It's not like we're talking about gold or anything.

If you're feeling a little queasy right now, I apologize. A friend who works for the local health department pointed out that the UAH community has a duty to ensure that the food we eat is safe and healthy. This is especially important in the current generation of bohemians who are more health-conscious than ever before.

I was appalled at what I found: zero evidence of student body interest in obtaining positions of wealth and power. This is not right, and I hope someone is listening. THE SCIENTIFIC REVOLUTION Brought On By The Internet Is Not So Good.

On the contrary, the Inquisitors of the Internet have been asleep at the switch, allowing the collapse of a critical public sphere to proceed unchecked.

UAH has fallen into the hands of a technically skilled scientist who has been reading David Rogers' article. After reading Rogers' article on page 1 of the Exponent (Oct. 10) I am forced to conclude that they may be correct. In fact, I have come to the conclusion that the Inquisition may be closer than we think.

Wake up, UAH! Beware this new wave of techno-tyranny!
Today's students are tomorrow's leaders. The Public Relations Council of Alabama can prepare you to be tomorrow's leader today by helping you get valuable work experience and start to network with professionals. P.R.C.A. can help you get internships and work opportunities that will help you become active in community projects. If you are interested in joining the club for people who are going places, come to our next meeting or call Marcy Bunn, president, at 880-8670 or Rita Graham, vice president of membership, at 830-2764 or Kelly Pennick, vice president of projects, at 722-8432 or the Communication Arts Dept. at 895-6645. Meetings are scheduled for the third Thursday of each month, come to our meeting at 12:15 p.m. in the Communication Art Dept Conference Room, Morton Hall, Third Floor.

SOTA

Students Over Traditional Age will meet in Morton Hall this week in room 129. Miss Billie Asherbranner will help you get pre-registration. Bring your lunch, if you like, and join us at 12:15 on Thursday.

PSC Club

The Political Science Club in association with Pi Sigma Alpha is proud to present a candidate for statewide office representing the Alabama Socialist Workers Party on October 29 at 8:15 pm in the U.C. exhibit hall. This event will mark the first in a series at speakers representing the ideological spectrum to be presented this year. The evening should prove to be enlightening as well as informative and a good turn out will certainly make for a lively evening. Admission is free. For more information, call Dennis Miller at 534-6702.

A?O

The brothers of Alpha Tau Omega and members of Math Club have planned for our biggest Halloween party to date. The party is going to be at Kala Park, near Huntsville Mall. Costumes will be given away from Mr. Gatti's, O'Charley's, and Classic Cafe. The doors will be opened throughout the night according to costumes (both individual and couples) and by ticket numbers. The party will be a blast, so we encourage everyone to attend. See an ATO for details!

We would like to thank the Kappas for a great football game Sunday. We expect to look hopefully forward to another meeting in the playoffs. The team's put in a lot of practice so far, so maybe we'll make it to post-season. Speaking of intramurals, what the hell is floor hockey?

Math Club

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Do you the type of student that gets mathematically butter-flyus right before a math test? Perhaps you enjoy the pursuit of mathematical dilemma and would like some help in order to make good time with your new friends, or maybe you simply need some help with math...

The UAH Math Club has a math lab set up in Madison Hall room 318 with assistants ready to help you with math topics ranging from arithmetic to differential equations. Lab hours are listed below.

Mon 12:00-1:00pm, 3:00-4:00pm
Tue 9:00am-2:00pm
Wed 10:00am-1:00pm, 3:00-4:00pm
Th 10:00am-12:00pm

Also... the Math Club will be having a dollar luncheon Thursday, Nov 1, from 12:15 to 1:15 in Madison Hall room 301 with a presentation to be given by Jason Woodward and Jay Bruce on Mathematical Modelling. Everyone is invited to the luncheon and is encouraged to visit the Math Club office at Madison Hall in room 318. Join the Math Club today!

AIche

Attention Chemical Engineering students! AIche is attending a plant tour of Amoco Chemicals in Decatur on Oct. 30. If you are interested in going, please call 895-6266.

BSA

The Black Student Association will be having a general meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 30 at 8:15 p.m. in Room 131 in the University Center. Dues will be collected.

Rap Session II, "The party is just getting started" will be held on Tuesday Nov. 6, at 8:15 p.m. in Room 131 of the University Center.

Officers were elected at the meeting on Oct. 16. They are as follows: Maxwell Wade, president; Jennifer Guice, vice-president; John Holloway, recording secretary, Rita Harris, corresponding secretary, Tony Phillips, treasurer, Maria Newsome, assistant treasurer, Sherman Ford and Steven Alexander, public relations. We would like to congratulate these members and wish them the best in their newly elected offices.

Delta Chi

The brothers of Delta Chi would like to congratulate our alumni for putting on a very special 100th Anniversary Founders Day. It really gave us a chance to learn a little more about Delta Chi and its history over the last 100 years. We are proud to be a part of Delta Chi and proud of the history and shaping and preserving it for the next generation.

One pledge class had their retreat this weekend and they seem to really be putting things together. We really look forward to seeing the results of this retreat. It looks like a very strong pledge class.

At last week's meeting, we want to congratulate all of the greek organizations for helping out so much with the penny drop; especially the Chi Omegas who appear to be leading the penny drop. Good work girls. For anyone who doesn't know, the jar is in University Center. (Stop by and drop your pocket changes). Finally, congratulations again to the pledge class and its new officers. Thanks again to the alumni for such a great Founders Day.

ALD

The UAH chapter has selected Ha Hai Nguyen and Crystal Inozing as the joint chapter recipients of the 1990 Lambda Delta in recognition of its outstanding GPAs. This important award originates with National Alpha Lambda Delta in recognition of its first president, Maria Leonard.

Sigma Nu

HEEHEY! Did you see the sign in front of the University Center? Yes, it's true. This Saturday Night is the long-awaited costume party. Dress up in your favorite weird costume and come on out. Admission will be 2-3 cans of food, which will be donated to charity. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes.

We'll be having a hay ride and floor hockey games on site. Our advisor, Ritchie Bufkin, will be in the Middle East for the next month. Good luck, Ritchie, and keep on rockin' and rollin'.

Thought for the week: HOSSENFEFFER.

Pikes

This past weekend was busy. We had a mixer with the Delta Zetas Friday night at Sharon Johnston Park, which included a hay ride, hamburgers, hot dogs, and a lot of fun.

Sunday we had intramural football and hockey games. In football we beat the Delta Chis 14 to 2, and in hockey we suffered a defeat to a pretty good team. Our football team is now two and one and the hockey team is one and two. It seems if we win at football we can't win at hockey and vice versa.

We want to especially congratualte the Kappa Deltas and the Delta Zetas on their Founder's Days. We know the importance of these days and we hope you have more of these.

The brothers are looking forward to the mixer with the Chi Omegas. This one should be a lot good or better than our past mixers.

A rally for Bill Cabaniss will be Oct. 25 at the old drive-in on the corner of Whitesburg and Airport Road. The rally will begin at 4:30 p.m. and end at 6:30 p.m. The two candidates will invite anyone who is interested in attending. The rally should be a great experience.

Delta Zeta

Delta Zeta would like to welcome Sharon Hochberger who accepted her bid! Congratulations to all the pledges whose Big Sisters were revealed in a ceremony last night. After a week of mysterious gifts, the girls finally discovered the identity of their Big Sisters.

Thanks to all the Big Brothers who came to the Cookout on Sunday. Thanks also to the brothers of Pi Kappa Alpha, for the beautiful pink roses they sent in honor of our Founder's Day. Thanks to them too for a fun Hayride and mixer Friday night. We all had a great time.

DZ's are anticipating our Masquerade Party coming up this weekend.

SWE

UAH's Society of Women Engineers would like to welcome their new advisor, Dr. Martin Holman. Dr. Holman also serves as IEEE's advisor. THANK YOU!!!

The October 9th bake sale went great. Our thanks to all of you who participated! We had 12 new members sign up!!

All clubs and organizations' announcements must be kept to 150 words or less. This is to allow room for all announcements. Clubs and organizations are not prohibited from exceeding the 150-word limit. However, The Exponent cannot guarantee that all of the announcement will be published. We will make every effort to include all of the announcements not exceeding word limit. The editor has final approval of all announcements in regards to length, newsworthiness, questionable content, and poor taste. Clubs and organizations are permitted to submit photos to accompany announcements; however, the photos will be printed on a space-available basis. All photos should contain the following information: name of club, submitting photo, names of all individuals in photo, photo credit, if photo can be cropped, if photo needs to be returned, and if the photo can be printed at a later date as soon as space becomes available. We will make every effort to return photos, but unmarked photos will not be returned. At the discretion of the editor, an announcement may be moved from the "pulse: campus events and happenings" page to an appropriate news, features, or sports page. If this becomes necessary, an Exponent representative will try to notify the club of the change. All announcements must be typed and double-spaced, or must be neatly hand-typed and double-spaced. The Exponent reserves the right to care in spelling as well as in neatness when including people's names in announcements. In addition all submissions must contain a phone number of a contact person who can be reached between Friday at 5 p.m. and Monday at noon in case we have any questions.
Comedy of Errors to be shown

David Rogers
reporter

There's nothing worse than an old joke that just isn't funny. And those type, unfortunately, seem to last forever. No one can make such disparaging remarks about William Shakespeare's 'The Comedy of Errors.' The Comedy of Errors has been delighting audiences for 400 years. And its humor is still fresh and entertaining. UAH students and others interested in enjoying the play, one of Shakespeare's first, will soon have the opportunity.

The North Carolina Shakespeare Festival 1990 outreach tour brings the comedic version of 'The Boys Next Door' to Huntsville's Lee High School Monday and Tuesday. Monday is student night; general admission tickets are $10. The performance Monday, to start at 7:30 p.m., will be prefaced by a lecture/discussion period led by Dr. Jerry Melbanc, chairman of the UAH English Department.

On Adult Night Tuesday, the lecture will begin at 7:15 p.m. and the play will start at 8:15 p.m. Tickets for that night's performance must be reserved and are $12. Huntsville Literary Association members are offered a discount on the ticket price.

Tickets can be purchased at the Huntsville Arts Council office in the Von Braun Civic Center and in Morton Hall room 319. For more information, call 533-6665 or call Dr. Carol Roach, UAH Communication Arts Department, at 895-6645.

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and refreshments, followed by an opening assembly at which Dr. Ron Kroger (Asst. VP for enrollment mgmt.) and Dr. John Vost (Provost and VP for academic affairs) will welcome the visitors. From 10:30 to 11:40 the students will attend two sample classes where they will be able to get a real feel of college classes and teaching methods. The students will have a chance here in deciding which classes they want to attend, depending on their preference for various broad areas of study. This is also an opportunity for the university to 'show off' its instructors and organizers try to have the most interesting professors interact with the visitors. Parents are welcome to accompany their kids to class to if they feel like getting a firsthand feel of college too.

After classes are out at 11:45 all the visitors are treated to a picnic lunch on the U.C. lawn. This is a time for students to mingle, socialize and meet with enrollment staff. However in order to acquaint them with the various activities available on campus and to answer questions about requirements, an information fair called "Life at UAH" has been organized in the UC Exhibit Hall from 12-1:30PM. All major academic areas, greeks, intramurals, clubs, housing and student development will be represented in information booths. At the same time students who have specific questions about financial aid and admissions can meet with officials. Students who feel they need career guidance are encouraged to make individual appointments with career planning.

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We are sending representatives to the Nov. 9-11th Regional Conference in Clemson, SC. This should be a good one! We met some of the Clemson SWE members at the National Conference in New York City this summer. They looked like a really active group and we should be able to get a lot of good ideas. If you haven't signed up already, it's too late to go on this trip, but we will try to send representatives to the National Conference in San Diego, CA next summer.

NEXT MEETING: Our next meeting is Thursday, Nov. 1st. Patti Smith, the Director of the Gender Equity Program at Calhoun will be our guest speaker. Look for the room number and time in the next Exponent. We'll also post notices in the EB. Everybody is welcome to come!
Hope
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The following is a translation of Dr. Stromecky’s poem:

HOPE

For a long time we waited for this word.
It is like a singing of the soul.
It was suspended by our language
We heard it only in our dreams.
The storm that crept so insidiously
Brought deadly fear upon us and all things.
A terrible sorrow was circling all around
While the future held a spark of hope.

Hope awakened. It’s not a dream.
And sovereignty began to blossom
A myriad of flowers like a bouquet.
The spring has come for our people.

The spirit of all the land
Throughout the forests, steppes and mountains.
And we, throughout the universe, the Diaspora,
Are radiant that is came without the roar of cannon.

Sovereignty was realized with a word,
By a multitude of diverse minds
Blending together miraculously
Like a swarm of nature on the move.
The scepter of Kiev gleams wisely
Initiating the beginning of spring
And promising a future without fear,
As new generations are being born.

The stars in the light blue heavens
Shimmer like the ocean’s waves
And the fields, clothed in gold,
Float...the renaissance is launched.
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When you're down on the world, and it's down on you,
When you're down in the dumps, and life looks blue;
Just remember, it's probably CLEAR ON TOP.
Do you work on a tightrope without any net?
Do your bills exceed the national debt?
Hang on, chances are it's CLEAR ON TOP.
When money is tight, and the price is steep,
And you can't get out, 'cause you're in too deep.
Don't quit, the odds are it's CLEAR ON TOP.

When you've run out of luck and nobody cares,
You're fresh out of friends, and fresh out of prayers.
Pray harder, and pray that it's CLEAR ON TOP.
When your troubles are big, and you've run out of hope,
And you're hanging alone at the end of your rope.
Climb higher, to up where it's CLEAR ON TOP.
When the going is tough, and you'd like to quit,
Just keep on climbing, a little bit 'Cause God made it CLEAR ON TOP.

For information about joining P.R.C.A. call Marcy Bunn, president, at 680-8707 or Rita Graham, vice president of membership, at 830-2764 or Kelly Pennick, vice president of projects, at 722-8432 or the Communication Arts Dept. at 895-6645.

Pep band auditions

The UAH Pep Band will begin its fall season with auditions and rehearsals on the following dates: October 24, 25, 29 and November 1, 7, 8. Auditions and rehearsals will be held at 8:15 p.m. in the recital hall of the Roberts Hall music faculties on each of the above dates.

Woodwind, brass, and percussion instrumentalists are encouraged to lend their talents to the active group, which plays for the UAH hockey and basketball games. Participants receive a $200 scholarship toward UAH registration fees and the thrill of providing drive and spirit for Charger athletics.

Some instruments can be provided for student use by the university. For more information, contact Dr. David Graves, Music Department Chairman, at 895-6436, or Pep Band Director, Mr. Jon Hand, at (615) 363-0648.

Sir Tickell, Prime Minister

Sir Crispin Tickell, former British permanent representative to the United Nations and the Security Council, will speak on environmental diplomacy at UAH this Wednesday, Oct. 24 at 8 p.m. in Room 131 of the University Center.

Sir Tickell, author of Climatic Change and World Affairs (Harvard University Press, 1986) is a noted environmentalist who has helped to increase environmental awareness on the part of the world governments, including his own. Leading writers have commented that "Sir Tickell is responsible for the "greening" of British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher." Sir Tickell left his UN post this month to assume the presidency of Green College at Oxford University.

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term limitation for members of Congress. He feels that a limitation would solve the problem of members being elected repeatedly.

Cabaniss states that the 1990s will be presenting great opportunities for the southeast. He feels that his being elected would be of special interest to Huntsville. Being a Republican, Cabaniss feels that he would have direct contacts with the Republican Administration. This could benefit NASA as well as MICOM at Redstone Arsenal.

When asked about his running against such a well-known, long-time senator (Heflin), Cabaniss remarked, "Nothing is impossible."

He encourages everyone to vote on November 6.

Cabaniss has served four years in the Alabama House and eight years in the State Senate. He has received the honor of being voted the "outstanding senator" by his peers, as well as being named the "outstanding state legislator" by The Montgomery Advertiser.

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Exhibition game not good

The hockey team participated in an exhibition game against the Nashville Knights. The Chargers went into the exhibition hoping to build a relationship with the Knights. However, the game turned into a brawl and a disappointment. The Chargers were staying close with the Knights in the first period. The score was tied 2-2 when the fighting started and progressively got worse. Coach Doug Ross made a decision to leave the arena after the first period. UAH was escorted out by the police. The regular season for UAH starts this weekend with a road trip to Massachusetts to play the University of Lowell Chiefs and the Merrimack Warriors. The Chargers will take on the Warriors on Friday night and the Chiefs on Saturday night. Merrimack will be a tough competitor as the Warriors only lost 4 lettermen from last year’s squad. Merrimack’s record last season in their first Hockey East play was 10-24-1. “We’re very excited about being involved in Hockey East,” Merrimack’s coach Ron Anderson says. “It was a very strong league last season and it will be even stronger this year. And likewise, we should be improved.” The strong point for the Merrimack squad will be defense. The defense will be lead by three seniors Doug Greshuk, Sean Dooley, and Claude Mallett. On Saturday, the Chargers will face the University of Lowell. The Chiefs will be playing with a lot of desire this season for their coach Bill Riley. Coach Riley will retire at the end of this season after coaching the Chiefs 22 years. Riley has 19 returning lettermen from last year’s team that finished 13-20-2. The weak point this season for the Chiefs will be defense with only one senior at the position. Last season the Chiefs defeated the Chargers in both meetings. Lowell won the first game 6-5 and the second 5-3. This year’s game should be a hard fought one for both teams.

Player of the Week

Robert King, soccer player, has been named the UAH/Coca-Cola Player of the Week for Oct. 8-14. King earned the award for his outstanding performance in the Mayor’s Cup against Alabama A&M. King led his team defensively as the Chargers held the Bulldogs to only 2 goals. “Rob once again demonstrated his leadership role as captain of the UAH soccer team through a strong week of practice culminating with a winning performance against a more experienced A&M squad,” said coach Carlos Petersen. “Rob’s performance as a leader in the defense shut down many scoring opportunities of A&M.”

King is the son of Kathleen and Robert King of Rayleigh Essex, England.

Soccer Team Disappointed

The UAH soccer team is having a disappointing season. This past weekend did not brighten the Charger’s outlook as they lost to University of the South Tigers. UAH could not get its offense going and lost 2-0. The Chargers had opportunities to score, but the young strikers could not put the ball in the goal. On Saturday, UAH traveled to Montgomery to play the Auburn-Montgomery Senators. “AUM was scared, and we scored first because of that factor,” commented coach Carlos Petersen. “We allowed them back in the game. AUM found out they could play with us and got fire under them.” The Chargers were playing with freshman Chris Maltezos at goalie due to the injuries of Adel Massoud and Patrick Lennon. Maltezos allowed 5 goals as the Chargers went down 5-2. The Charger goals were scored by Richard Cardin and Felix Egbe. On Sunday, the Chargers played the Columbus College Cougars. The Cougars edges out the Chargers 3-2. The Cougars scored early to put the lead the team in shots on goal creating several threatening situations.” The Chargers go against Birmingham Southern on Tuesday. The UAH Tournament will begin this weekend. Participating schools include UAH, Christian Brothers, AUM and LMU. Chargers down 2-0 before Steve Anewalt scored on a direct kick to make the score 2-1. The Cougars lost their goal keeper in the first half for fighting. Columbus scored again to make the score 3-1. The Chargers scored on a goal by Steve Anewalt to give the final score of 3-2. “Richard Cardin demonstrated guts, determination and a desire to win by sparking the attack for us in scoring and assisting a goal during the AUM game,” stated coach Carlos Petersen. “Richard’s attitude carried into the Columbus College game where he...
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Volleyball Team Wins 3 Out of 4
The Chargers volleyball team had a good week winning 3 of its 4 matches. The Lady Chargers defeated University of the South, Alabama A&M, and Bryan College. The only loss was to the Troy State Trojans who are currently 21-1 and top int he Gulf South Conference. The Trojans started poorly in games one and two but fought back as the Chargers rolled to a 15-10 win. In the third and final game, the Chargers broke out early never allowing the Bulldogs to stay close. However, great defensive plays by LeAnn Hill and the net play of Billie Richards and Jennifer Grace held the Bulldog attack back as the Chargers went on to win 15-10, 15-9. The Lady Trojans only loss was to nationally ranked Florida Southern. The Chargers started poorly in games one and two with many too many hitting and serving mental errors. However, in the third game, UAH began to capitalize on the Trojan’s errors. The Chargers missed only one serve in the third game. UAH played together and did not give up and won the game 15-13. In the fourth and final game, the Chargers went ahead 6-1 before the Trojans began to dominate the net and execute their offense. The Trojans won the game 15-10. Leading hitter for the Chargers was Billie Richards with 11 kills. Korohen Smith added 13 assists. Tracy Mejdrich played well in the middle for the Chargers. Mejdrich is an outside hitter, but was moved to the middle during the Troy State game due to the absence of senior Jennifer Grace. “We played well all week long,” said coach Connie Nicholson. “The last game against Troy State could have gone either way. Our offense is playing as well as possible.” The Chargers have only three remaining matches. The scheduled game against Tennessee Temple on Oct. 23 has been canceled. The Chargers next game will be Wednesday, Oct. 24 against the University of the South Tigers. UAH defeated the Tigers last Monday 15-13, 15-2, and 15-13. The next home game will be Monday Oct. 29 when the Chargers face the Jacksonville State Gamecocks. UAH played the Gamecocks earlier in the season and were defeated 4-15, 15-10, 9-15, and 3-15. The Chargers have improved since their last meeting with Jacksonville. UAH will have to stop the Gamecocks AJ Sanders at the net.

HPE 299 Gives Practical Work Experience
Jennifer Grace
sports editor
The Health and Physical Education Department at UAH offers a course called Field Work in Athletic, Physical Education, or Leisure Services. The course number is HPE 229, and the faculty advisor for the course is Joe Hagan. Two hours of credit are received for the course.

The main objective of HPE 299 is to provide practical work experience in a physical education, athletic or leisure related activity. Students who sign up for the course will be assigned to a particular business or organization dealing with one of these areas. Each student will be under supervision of a professional, and have his/her progress evaluated weekly by that professional. This course is flexible enough that if a student had a particular interest or even a specific organization in mind to work with, the HPE department may be able to make the appropriate contacts to place the student with the organization of his/her choice. Inquiries should be directed to Joe Hagan.

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Oct. 24 Volleyball vs. Univ. of the South A 6 p.m.
Oct. 26-28 UAH Soccer Tournament H
Oct. 26 UAH vs Christian Brothers H 3 p.m.
Oct. 27 Christian Brothers vs AUM H 12:30 p.m.
Oct. 27 UAH vs LMU H 3 p.m.
Oct. 27 UAH vs AUM H 3 p.m.
Oct. 26 Hockey vs Merrimack A 7 p.m.
Oct. 27 Hockey vs Univ. of Lowell A 7 p.m.

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