**Finance Committee Members Resign**

by Sarah Huntley

In a move which has received mixed reactions of praise and criticism, Julie Taraska, '92, house senator of Park, publicly resigned from the Finance Committee at Thursday night's Assembly meeting.

Citing philosophical differences, Taraska said, "I couldn't justify the money being spent on extras... I couldn't justify it to myself and I couldn't justify it to others."

In a separate interview, Taraska said, "I believed that if students saw [the money being spent], they wouldn't vote for the budget. I was told that 'all members of the committee are not happy with everything and we would like to put on a united front on the budget.

Taraska explained that one of the biggest problems was the publication allocations and Student Activities Council (SAC) and WCNT's allocations.

"When I came out of the meeting Monday night (October 24), I realized that there was something really wrong with the budget and I couldn't figure out what it was. Through the course of Tuesday morning, I realized the fact was that the budget could be justified, but once you stepped back from it, there were some huge problems with the allocations," she said.

"I was under a lot of pressure to not be the party that held up the budget," she added, "I was told that I was a member of the committee and had the duty to uphold what the committee said."

She said that this was the case with some, but not all, committee members.

Taraska explained that some committee members believed that she had shielded her responsibility by not attending last week's presentation of the budget to organization leaders.

In addition, Taraska acknowledged that question has been raised concerning an alleged breach of confidentiality. Taraska approached John Maguire, '91, president of SGA, with information concerning the SAC budget.

Said Taraska, "After one of the meetings, I was very upset with the amount of money that SAC was being given for decorations. I told John how much money was being spent on one event. This was information that could have been gleaned from looking at the audits." Audits are public documents.

"I realized that telling John how much money SAC was spending on decorations may have been a breach of confidentiality, but I don't think it is as big as it is being blown up to be. I was wrong, but it was public information anyway if you looked in the audits," she added.

Finance Committee members have reacted strongly to Taraska's resignation and her public announcement.

Tom Neff, '91, J-Board chair, explained the committee's major complaints concerning the resignation.

"The manner in which she resigned and, I mean this is key, was disrespectful to other committee members in that it was basically a stab in the dark that we didn't know was coming. It was unprofessional and it was out of selfish motivations that she was resigning and out of selfish motivations that she then reinstated herself to the Finance Committee."

Taraska discussed the resignation in the **See Resignation p. 8**

**Blats Distorts Truth About Computer Ban**

by Sarah Huntley

Information suggesting a deliberate misrepresentation of the facts by Biais editors concerning their use of the computer facilities on campus has resulted in anger on the part of some Finance Committee members and the promise of apol

**Sewage Slimes K.B. Basement**

by Chris McDaniel

According to residents of K.B. basement, the recent leakage from a pipe above the bathroom has contributed to making basement life "sub-standard." For over a week the leakage, which ran behind the bathroom wall creating bubbling paint and brown streaks, seeped onto the bathroom floor.

The problem was finally examined by a physical plant employee, who informed Jennifer Scott, '94, and Daniella DeFilippo, '94, both residents of K.B. basement, that it was a sewage leak and needed immediate attention. This statement, however, is contrary to the statement given by Julie Quinn, director of college relations, who said that it was a fresh water leak.

Upon being informed of Quinn's statement, Scott said even if it were not sewage, "It [was] still a health hazard." Because the pungent smell throughout the basement indicated that there was bacteria growing in the water behind the wall. This water subsequently dripped onto the floor and reentered via a large puddle, which everyone using the bathroom was forced to walk through.

Also, DeFilippo pointed out how the bathroom floor had become very slippery, making the bathroom a safety hazard.

"It is frightening that main

See K.B. p. 10

**Women's crew wins gold medal at regatta**

Sarah Sutro, Pilar Somma, Beth Horner, Clayton Konzad, and Simeon Tsalticoglou

**Freshmen Election Results**

President: Sarah Surto 75 votes
Vice President: Neil Maniar 98 votes
J-Board Representatives:
Pilar Somma 121 votes
Simeon Tsalticoglou 119 votes
SAC Coordinators:
Clayton Kunz and Beth Horner 167 votes
314 Freshmen voted in the election

See Election p. 10
Blats' Blunder Highlights Inadequate Equipment

Over the years, the editors of Blat Magazine have compensated format, typography and printing costs. We have to save money, Blats. This had been this year the year he paid back. The price is new, unfortunately for Blats, they wanted it a little too badly.

When William Khoshvirian, co-editor of Blats, realized that the Finance Committee was once again going to deny his publication a computer, he decided to portray the computer as a true necessity. Khoshvirian announced that the computer would be if it were not given money to purchase a new computer.

The JUI's editorials and the members of the Computer Committee were just not concerned. I apologize for my mistake. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Mary Beth Holman, '91
Senior Class President

Will Light Stay Lit?

Letter to the Editor:

I am surprised and appalled at the positive reception given to the recognition of the OVCS program as the 259th point of light in George Bush's vigilance symbol, a Thousand Points of Light. How can one be "fulfilled" at this recognition from an administrator who is cutting the funding of these very programs that shine so brilliantly while simultaneously spending fifty million dollars a day in the Middle East to light a war? This pontificating comes from the same man who went into Pan-I-Board, as Krumm claims. She discussed the Housefellow of Plant and asked if the 259th point of light in George Bush's vigilance symbol is nothing short of slanderous. He conspicuously makes light of those dead and buried the dead native in a mass grave! This bestowal of enlightenment comes from the hands of a man whose administration (we can assume, as George Bush went to be elected on the laurels of Ronald Reagan's administration), that he accepts responsibility for its actions. Policies have led to the S & L crisis (500 billion more potential dollars from social programs like OVCS), the Iran-contra embarassment, a major recession (if you doubt this, simply spend an hour with the Gorton Stephenson report, for the tone of lay-off in the air), and to this country's changing of positions that the world's largest creditor to the world's largest debtor in eight years. As we have been so unhappily used, we have had to do without that which Jason Krumm refers to as "the "numerous complaints to Campus Safety about noise level, however, at no time did she threaten to take anyone in Plant in front of the J-Board, as Krumm claims. She discussed the Housefellow of Plant, and asked if the situation was actually a problem. Correctly, the Housefellow did not have anything to do with this accu-

While his complaints about picky neighbors who are out to get him confused and exaggerated, Krumm's assertion that Blackstone is some sort of madhouse, it is because someone feels that he and his neighbors are the victims of a problem. Correctly, the Housefellow did not have anything to do with this accu-

Gaudiani Responds to Scheduling Concern

Letter to the Editor:

I am writing you to apologize for the fact that the College scheduled Parents' Weekend so close to Rosh Hashanah. The Committee that schedules our events uses the calendar put out by the National Conference of Christians and Jews as a guide in making decisions. Writing to Rosh Hashanah was September 20-21 and the important activities of Parents' Weekend did not begin until Friday evening, the comments of participants which can be read as a matter of fact. The scheduling of Parents' Weekend so close to Rosh Hashanah has made it difficult for families to both enjoy the holiday and attend Parents' Weekend. Hashanah is a time of reflection and I do not think through the inaccuracy of our calendar would cause our Jewish families. Should there be another occasion on which this holiday falls in the mid-week, we will not schedule Parents' Weekend so close to the holiday.

Thank you for your patience.

Sincerely,
Craig S. Bower, '93
President

Senior Class President Apologizes

I am writing to the Voice to make a public apology. The Senior Class has withdrawn the new name "S.C.A.M." or "Senior Class Against Moderation" as the name for the monthly gathering of seniors. Originally Drink of the Month Club, the name was adopted by the Phil's in the midst of a conflict with Campus Safety. The "senior" part of the name has been meaningful for one of our brothers and sisters in the Senior Class. The Class of 1991 would like to avoid exclusivity at all costs.

The gathering will be held at a location to be announced by the Senior Class. The "skeleton" of the group will remain as is, but changes will be made to the format and time of the meeting. The Senior Class would like to be more open to all seniors.

The Senior Class is committed to working together to make the group more welcoming to all.

Sincerely,
Barbara Hamilton, '91
Chairman of the Senior Class
The Closed Minded Left

Last Tuesday, October 2, Judge David Souter's Supreme Court nomination was confirmed by the Senate in a vote of 90-9. Because of his academic background and record as a strict constructionist, Souter is one of the best nominees the Court has seen in years. However, nine Senators feared that within themselves to vote against him. These nine Democrats are: Massachusetts Senators Kennedy and Kerry (surprise?); New Jersey Sens. Bradley and Lautenberg; Sen. Cranston (CA) whose credibility can be illustrated by his involvement in the "Killing Five" sex scandal; Sens. Burdick (ND), Akaka (HI), Mikulski (MD), and Adams (WA). These are the same Senators who voted in unanimous support for known conservative Justices Kennedy (97-0) and Scalia (98-0). Considering the fact that Judge Souter may preside over more than 3,000 cases in his lifetime, there may be more significant subjects to address than abortion. (Incidentally, Judge Souter voted to allow abortion to be performed in a New Hampshire hospital while serving as a trustee; but our ever-so-judged media seemed to have overlooked this.) It seems that the Left would have been satisfied only if Judge Souter stated that it is a fundamental and constitutional "right" to terminate a pregnancy, and that hiring quotas based on color and creed are not institutionalized racism. At least Sen. Biden had the good sense to recognize a qualified candidate.

Judge Souter has been described unilaterally as a strict constructionist. This is how President Bush described the man on July 23 upon announcing his nomination. Strict construction refers to the method of judicial review which utility only past precedents and existing legislation. This is diametrically opposed to the mechanism implemented by the Brennan Court in which "judicial activism" was the order of the day. This is also known as "legislating from the bench." After twenty years of dictating to the private citizens of America random concepts such as life begins after conception, Molly Yard, Kate Michelman, and other feminist millitants can shed their armor since Roe vs. Wade and the Civil Rights Act are done deals. They are on the books and must be taken into consideration for future cases.

As a point of reference, under Rhenquist, our "conservative" Court has already upheld the "right" to burn the flag and terminate a pregnancy. The phrase, "You can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink" comes to mind at this point. What secret agendas are those Senators harboring? It has become "de rigueur" for the dynamic duo from the People's Republic of Taxachusetts to oppose anything supported by a Republican so it is understandable why Ted "safe rides" Kennedy and Supreme Court nominations are not popularity contests and should not become so. The Court's job is to interpret the Constitution not play cut and paste with it.

Perhaps in November, when Sens. Kerry, Lautenberg, Burdick, and Akaka are running for re-election, the own ideologies and are not particularly interested in representing their constituents' best interests. Then again, based on the fact that 535 of the world's best educated men and women, popularly elected to do so, have not been able to balance our checkbook in ten years, maybe not.

Christopher J. Howard
Class of 1992

Misguided Sanctions

When Connecticut College divorced from South Africa, the majority of students, administrators and faculty believed that they were helping the blacks in that country, and according to Mandela and Tutu, they were doing just that. When one scratches the surface of this conclusion, he or she will find that we were doing just the opposite.

By clamoring for the withdrawal of foreign capital from South Africa, divestment proponents have taken away jobs from the blacks and forced the terrorist of outside corpora- tions into the hands of white South Africans. Thus, they have ironically helped to solidify the power of the whites. Mandela and his African National Congress have wholeheartedly supported these sanctions, and have also convinced the rest of the world that what is right for them is also right for the rest of South Africa. The A.N.C. does not represent the will of the people that voted and where did the get the right to order san-ctions in the first place?

The notion that Mandela and his followers are the rightful heirs to the South African government has been fostered by the liberal media and accepted by most of America, yet our closed minds refuse to let us see that this is a lie. The A.N.C. gets most of its support from communists, the A.C. is a terrorist organization, and it is not surprising to Mandela's follow-ers to be free but not under the conditions of Mandela or Connecticut College, for by blindly throwing ourselves behind Mandela, we are in fact supporting Commu-nism.

Though we scream mindlessly "one man, one vote," we have failed to pay heed to the only democratically elected black in South Africa, Zulu chief Bulelani. While we have failed to comply with Mandela's proposals for violence and social-ism, we refused to acknowledge Bulelani's calls for non- divestment and peaceful, capitalistic reforms. The fact that we did not listen to Bulelani is not surprising. The Court's job is to interpret the Constitution not to do so would mean going against our ignorant and liberal ide-ology.

Just as we, as college students, have supported the right of a mother to kill her fetus, so have we beat down the black South African by divesting from his country, and maybe if things work out exceptionally well (to Conn's standards at least), Mandela and his thugs will be able to establish a communist tyrant there, just like in Nigeria, Mozambique and Zimbabwe.

by Michael D. Lynch
Class of 1993

CONNNTHOUGHT
It is Your Right

As Editorial Page/CONNThought Edi- tor, it is my responsibility to reach out to the students and faculty of Connecticut College to present a representative perspective. Let my portrayal of the numerous beliefs and opinions that exist. Every voice, no matter how insane or ridiculous, must be allowed to speak. For if the editors of the Voice brand certain letters or opinion pieces by students as unappealing or undesirable, and refuse to print them, cause of their displeasing nature, the newspa- per would be indignantly mainstream. The CONNNthought section would be a boring and useless.

Students should not be intimidated by predominant beliefs held by the writers or editors of the Voice, or even by popular opinions held by the majority of students or professors on campus. If one blankets his beliefs simply to placate others, that person is a coward and will inevitably live his life guided by the notions of those around him. It is essential that one finds the courage to comment on an issue or to critique one with whom he disagrees.

After the Voice printed "Reckless and Superficial," an article by Brian Lee, '94, I was ecstatic by those who chose to recite it. I am dismayed by those who chose not to. To me, it is a fundamental and constitutional "right" to say what they please, permit free-thinking, This is the United nations like China and Iraq which do not permit free-thinking. This is the United States, and there is something that exists called the Bill of Rights which allows people to say what they please.

Though Lee's opinions may not appeal to a majority, they represent values and morals in which he strongly believes. Students may exist outside of the confines of an objective, and they should never attempt to silence him. For if this occurs, definitive free speech will be de-stroyed. In effect, this will lay the ground-work to much more and more students because of their seemingly "wrong opinions."

It is ironic how similar Brian Lee's ardent opinions are to his legislative tendencies. Both seem to understand what beliefs are good or bad, what morals and values are right or wrong, and what we should read in the newspapers. My advice to both parties is to avoid infringing upon my right to drink what I want, to do what I want, and to read what I want. Hopefully, Connecticut College will not have it's own "moral majority" to contend with.

by Jed Low
CONNThought Editor
FEATURES

Conn Fellows Program Brings Students and Faculty Closer Together

by Jennifer Scott
The College Voice

At five p.m. on Sunday there was a knock on the door. The House Senator stood with a desperate look on his face. "Why aren’t you in the living room having grinders with our dorm Conn Fellows?" he asked. I began mumbling something about a major Biology exam and having to study. He cut me off by adding, "Free food!" The idea of something other than Harris appealed to me. I considered going for a few minutes but then decided just to stay in my room and finish my studying. At the time, I had no idea what Conn Fellows were.

The Connecticut College Fellows program officially began in April of 1990. However, the program did not go into full operation until this fall. The program was patterned after a similar one at Yale University. The Fellows program is designed and implemented by the Board of House Governors. Consequently, the Board is presently organizing a committee to promote interaction between the Fellows and their dorms.

One of the dorm Conn Fellows, Chaplain Steve Schmidt, told me about the program. In the course of our discussion I realized that I had made a mistake by not taking a few minutes on that Sunday evening to go to the living room and have a grinder with my dorm Conn Fellows.

Although two or three faculty members are assigned to each dorm, Conn Fellows are not "in-cognito parents," Schmidt explained. He expressed his fear that many students may have the impression that Conn Fellows are assigned to dorms to look over the student’s shoulders. They exist for the students, for lectures and discussions, or simply for casual conversation over pizza. The Fellows’ role is to heighten the intellectual activity of the dorm outside of the classroom, as well as interact with the students socially.

"Many times faculty and students are like oil and water," Schmidt said. "The purpose of the Conn Fellows program is to bring the college community together, and it is up to the students to decide what direction the program will take," said Chaplain Schmidt. "This is especially true because of the fact that this is the first year for the program. The Fellows will respond to your invitations as a dorm."

To become more involved in the program and to find out who your dorm Conn Fellows are, talk to your house governor. Invite your Fellows to your dorm movie night. Chances are you will find a new friend.

-Chaplain Steve Schmidt

The purpose of the Conn Fellows program is to bring the college community together.

Last year we made over 14,000 students Wall Street Tycoons in the...
**CONNECTICUT VIEW**

**COOL Gives New London Kids Apples and Friendship**

by Lauren Klatzkin

Connecticut View Editor

"Like Conn College and I enjoy the people that come to help us at the mission," exclaimed Jackie Jackson, age 11. Jackson is one of 11 children from New London’s B.P. Learned House who went apple picking in an Old Lyme orchard Saturday afternoon. The outing was sponsored and organized by Connecticut College’s Campus Outreach Opportunity League (COOL).

Nat Damon, ’93, program director for COOL, explains that the organization is for “people who want to be involved in community service but who don’t want to be tied down by a structure.” John Roesser, ’92, presidents of COOL, continued, “I don’t think enough people really know what COOL is.” Damon and Roesser explained that COOL sponsors several community service projects throughout the year. Members can become involved with as many or as few events as they like. Membership in COOL is not an overwhelming time commitment. Weekly meetings are held only for the executive board.

Damon added that “another thing unique about it is . . . it serves as a catalyst. If you do a program you can follow through on your own.” As an example, he cited COOL’s trip to the Nutmeg Pavilion nursing home last Christmas season. Each student volunteer was matched with an “adopted” grandparent for the day from among the home’s residents. Many of the students chose to make repeated visits to their “adopted” grandparents over the next semester.

This year, in addition to a return trip to the Nutmeg Pavilion, COOL has planned several events with the B.P. Learned House. Akin Russell, Jr., a counselor at the B.P. Learned House, accompanied the children to Saturday’s event. He explained that the House, which children refer to as “the mission,” is a non-profit organization founded in 1848. B.P. Learned House, located at 40 Shore Street, sponsors various programs for children between the ages of four and fifteen, including an after-school program, teen pregnancy workshops for both males and females, summer school instruction in “the basics,” including cooking classes, and monthly parent-child workshops. "That’s basically what we’re all about," said Russell.

Russell explained that the participants in the ‘Learned House’s various programs “come down voluntarily,” and that the organization solicits through newspapers and flyers. Financing comes from the United Way and private grants. "We have no help from the state or city," said Russell.

Rosnette Cole, age 11, said, "I’m going to the mission . . . it’s fun. You learn a lot." Seventeen children from the mission and about 20 Conn students attended the apple-picking outing organized by COOL. The event was planned by Christy Burke, ’93, assistant to the president of COOL, and Jen Yuan, ’93, COOL’s treasurer. In addition to picking and eating apples, the children played several games and went on a hayride around the orchard.

The children’s shrills of glee echoed in the trees for the entire two hours of the outing. Damon laughed, “I think the one mistake that we made was that we didn’t set the number-one rule, the number-one guideline for this trip . . . when you pick the apples, you don’t throw them — especially at people!”

Burke agreed that the afternoon was a success. She said, "Considering the way it went . . . we'll definitely consider doing it next year, too.”

COOL’s next major event will be a campus-wide Halloween party in which children from B.P. Learned House and mentally handicapped adults will travel from door to door, with a different event or game in each. Troadec explained.

Troadec points out that the trouble at Winthrop does not come from its residents but from outsiders — the homeless alcoholic who urinates in the hall, the prostitute who has increased police patrols. It is easy to notice the scuff marks on the stairwell and to enter buildings before the advent of crack growing in the hallways.

"The buildings were not always as they are today," said Troadec, "the city officials located the new low-income housing under the twin bridges on an isolated patch of land and for nothing to them except the storage of the poor."

The seven hundred residents live here today in the other. They are divided into three separate stacks of nine floors each. The highrise design allowed the project to be built on very little land, and framed prints. One woman had an arrangement of Chinese fans on the walls. These apartments were obviously bedrooms.

Because she was befriended by many residents, Troadec knows specific details of each life. One such friend is Minerva Canales, resident of ‘Building A’ and headkeeper of Afterhalf democracy at Conn.

Canales has lived in Winthrop for two years. Reverend Santos Canales, for almost four years and has worked at the college for three. They have four children, the eldest of whom just graduated from Mitchell College and is attending Eastern Connecticut State University on a scholarship.

Canales said that she is “forced” to live in Winthrop, since her family cannot afford to live anywhere else. She is worried about her eleven-year-old son. She said that it is impossible to keep him in the house. She is concerned about what he is learning in the hallways and parking lots of the project.

“The environment has affected my family,” Canales concluded. From their window, the Canales family can see the nightly drug deals. In Puerto Rico, Reverend Canales said, “My daughters didn’t know what a prostitute was, they didn’t know what drugs were.” Now Reverend and Mrs. Canales see that kind of knowledge growing in their children every day. Outside the Canales’ ninth-floor apartment, the wind whistles steadily through the stairways, the window less doors of the building affording no protection against it. It has the sound of a steady low moan.
Environmentalists Sound Concern

by Susan Foster
The College Voice

Last Wednesday night, Students Against Violence to the Environment (SAVE) and the Connecticut Sea Grant Program held an open forum discussion on the Long Island Sound in Dana Hall. It was part of a three day conference, from October 1 through 3, which explored the future of the Sound.

Randall Lucas, '91, a member of SAVE, introduced the five member panel, calling it "an embarrassment of wealth." The panel included James Whitely, an associate professor of marine science at Wesleyan University; fisherman William Wise, the director of the marine research center at the State University of New York; Dan Danilla, a scientist with Northeast Utilities; Barbara Welch, of the University of Connecticut; and Ron Whaley, president of the Thames River Watershed Association.

Lucas, who moderated the discussion, began asking the panel members what each felt to be the Sound's most pressing problem.

The members agree that there are many problems, but one that is hard to pinpoint is most important. Baker felt that one of the biggest problems in the Sound is "the lack of concern from the public." Danilla added, "It's a question of how much people are willing to sacrifice and give up, and if they are willing to make their concerns known to their political leaders." It was noted that money is not the question any more specifically. She feels, "We need to move to a new understanding of hypoxia [low oxygen]. We need to study the effects of hypoxia on specific species.

During any discussion about the Long Island Sound, the topic of pollution inevitably arises. The panel quickly addressed this issue. Whitely feels, "We're putting too much stuff into the Sound that shouldn't be there." He added, "Pollution is socially acceptable, and we have to make basic changes in what's socially acceptable before we will stop being acceptable." The members explain that citizens are putting more pollutants into the Sound, instead of eliminating them.

Wise addressed the elimination of pollution and the cleaning of the Sound. He feels citizens must ask themselves, "What kind of Long Island Sound do we want?" In order to figure out what has to be done to help the Sound, he added, "We might as well shoot for the top when we answer this question."

The issue of money came under discussion, but Baker felt "by giving a price of how much it will cost to clean up the Sound, we're putting a price tag on something that is priceless." Whitely added, "We should not ask what the cost to is clean up the Sound, but what the cost is to not clean up the Sound."

The panel then addressed the situation of the Thames River. Whitely commented, "At the very least, the Thames is a troubled river. The Thames is an estuary of the Sound, and it is microcosm of the Sound. It has the same problems as the Sound, and it contributes problems of its own to the Sound."

The panel members stressed the importance of the public in cleaning up the Sound. Welch said, "It's the will of the people. The politicians are the politicians to act." Danilla added, "The vast majority of people want to clean up the Sound, but don't do anything about it."

Pollution and garbage clag area beaches
SOAR Conference Inspires Participants

by Matt Vidalos
The College Voice

Fifty-one students, faculty and staff from Connecticut College participated in the SOAR Conference held at Brown University over the weekend. The delegation was the largest student group representing any of the twenty-nine member colleges including Brown University. SOAR, the Society Organized Against Racism, was founded in 1982 with an initial membership of ten colleges. In that time, its membership has tripled and continues to grow. The society is dedicated to social, economic and educational equality for all races and ethnic groups and works to raise the consciousness of individuals within higher education institutions.

The purpose of the conference was to share experiences and problems with the other SOAR chapters in New England and to help each chapter realize that they are not alone in the fight against racism.

Cristo Garcia, member of the Minority Student Studies Project, which was designed to outline the college's need blind admissions policy, quoted her hope expressed at Brown University in a statement, urging the trustees to consider the need for more standardized professors.

Rantiya Ruangsuwana, assistant to the chair of MSSC, discussed the impact a diverse curriculum could have on admission and retention.

Jackie Soteropoulos, MSSC member, told the trustees that the Development Office needs their approval before grant opportunities for a more diverse curriculum could be investigated. Also discussed was the students' commitment to anti-apartheid education. Sabiria Durand, chair of MSSC, explained that a committee has been established with student representatives working in conjunction with the Affirmative Action Office to plan future educational events.

MSSC plans to address one trustee's question concerning specific goals and present more detailed research results in future meetings.

SGA Outlines Issues

by Chris McDaniel
Associate News Editor

The Student Government Association Executive Board met with members of the Student-Trustee Liaison Committee on Friday to inform them of issues of concern for the upcoming year.

John Maggiore, '91, president of SGA, was the first to speak, explaining the purpose of the SGA Executive Board's College Issues Project, which was designed to outline the concerns of the college community and leadership about the current academic year.

Reviewing the issue of cost containment, Maggiore pointed out that there was a "3.9 percent increase in the student services budget, which was below inflation, and essentially a cut." This cut in student services did not help the problem of money allocation to campus clubs and organizations that feel pressured by budget constraints.

Maggiore then went on to address the diversity issue, stating, "Our one main goal is to make sure that student leaders know what already exists," referring to the Connecticut College Diversity Statement, which was passed in 1988. As contained in the issues document presented to the trustees, SGA also stated that, "It is important that all members of the community read, understand, and support the diversity statement."

After speaking about the college's Five Year Strategic Plan, Maggiore addressed the college's need blind admissions policy, quoting the issues document which states, "The need-blind admissions policy is essential to the college's commitment to a diverse student body and to its commitment to accessibility to all qualified potential students."

In response to Maggiore, Richard Scheller, vice chairman of the Board of Trustees, stated, "We need to look at the cost, of need-blind admission and while this, "doesn't mean that the (policy) will be changed," it is something that warrants further discussion.

Scheller also noted that he estimates that need-blind admission is costing the college $8 million a year and that he questions whether the college can continue to afford such a price.

Next to speak was Amy Mass, '92, chair of SAC, who stated the Student Activities Council's commitment to quality student events as well as support for the renovation of the College Center, urging it to "remain a top

Delegations check into the SOAR conference at Brown University to plan for future events.

Sander addressed the Umbrella Plan Proposal, which would provide an opportunity for restricted giving that is currently not explored or publicized.

Reg Edmonds, '92, chair of academic affairs, outlined current efforts of the Board of Education in a letter to Griswold (Director of Athletics) and all "for all great work with Unity House."

Soteropoulos was excused that Connecticut College's and Harvard University's diversity initiatives were both cited as successful programs.

In addition, for the first time, presidents of the New England SACs agreed to meet every other month.
NEWS

Resignation Draws Strong Reaction and Criticism

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of resignation with Michael Sandler, '91, vice president of SGA, before the budget was pre-
faced with the same problems that the Finance Committee has to deal with. That was one voice taken away from the Finance Committee who could have vocalized students' decisions and rationale," he said.

Soteropoulos, '92, house senator of the Business and Finance Committee, echoed this opinion. "Because no one is given access to the budget during the request-

ing process, it is up to Finance Committee members alone to present our rationale. Whether she agreed with the entire budget, as an elected member of the Fi-

nance Committee, it was her responsibility to appear and give the rationale.

"We felt it was important that we could reach a consensus among committee members that we supported the budget as a whole; however, at no point was anyone told to take the party line." While Soteropoulos respects Taraska's concerns about the budget, she said, "The whole idea behind the budget is compromise...it is the committee's job to hammer out the best possible budget and to accommodate all the clubs in the best possible way."

Upset with Taraska's unexpected decision, Neff said, "If she had been so dissatisfied with the process and with the Finance Committee's rationale for our various allocations, she had plenty of time to make it known to us in that she was thinking about resigning or that she had such extensive problems that she couldn't support the budget at all."

The issue of Taraska's discussion of accounting, which was so minor, is actually a very important issue. The fact that because of Julie's sort of aban-
donment of the committee at the last meeting, the budget was inadequately represented..."

"The Finance Committee felt that because of Julie's sort of abandon-
dment of the committee at the last meeting the previous week that her role was diminished and they found themselves not listening to her opinions or suggestions in the same light that they previously did," said Sandner.

Koine Editors Plan New Approach

The task of organizing another yearbook is currently under way. However, riding the wake of last year's fiasco, this year's book promises to be an altogether different publication.

The 1990 yearbook became the subject of much controversy and dissatisfaction upon distribution last year. Both students and trustees raised complaints of racial insensi-
tivity, factual inaccuracy and lack of equal-

ity in senior representation in the compila-
tion of a new yearbook over the summer.

The cause of the most vigorous protest was a photo of six white students in blackface wearing derelict wigs. Many students, angered by this photo, returned or refused delivery of their yearbooks.

Inappropriate photo coverage consisting of a small group of seniors, factual inaccuracy including misspelled names, incorrect ma-

jors and erroneous, as well as incomplete, coverage of faculty departments were also a problem with this yearbook. Students and faculty became frustrated and less of a problem with this, she did not voice it.

"Julie's actions are not to be con-

The issue of Taraska's discus-

sion about the committee is really one that I was trying to do my best to come across, whether the effect was different, I was certainly not trying to come down and say 'vote this way or else.' In fact, I would say that if anybody that I talked to would say that was the effect, it would surprise me to no end."

"I don't believe that John did [see the information appropriately]; I don't believe that there is anyone on the commit-

tee who really believes or knows that he did; and I believe John when he says that he didn't."

Soteropoulos said that he received phone calls expressing the opin-

ions of six committee members who believed it would be best for

Koine Editors Plan New Approach

A Service of Remembrance will be held for Susan Kuster, '93, who was killed in a plane crash last week, on Wednesday at 10 p.m. in Harkness Chapel. Organizers have asked that no one wear black.
Finance Committee's Proposed Change: World View: $2,500. This figure would have been a $1,240 increase from the previous allocation.

Student organization office: $530, a cut of $2140.

No other revisions were made.

SGA Sends Budget Back for a Second Time

by Jon Flinnmore
Associate News Editor

Dissatisfied with the Finance Committee's single change, the Student Government Association Assembly once again voted down the budget proposal by a vote of 11-16-2.

After being debated last week, the proposed budget was sent back to the Finance Committee last week for revisions.

The assembly, this week, many members expressed what (person) felt was a lack of attention to these requests by the committee.

Sean Spencer, '92, associate-senator of Wright, said, "We made specific recommendations, and I don't see any actual changes made. The budget should be set back to the Finance Committee to address our recommendations."

Julie Taraska, '92, house senator of Park, mentioned that she attended the meeting and (said) to the Finance Committee.

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Craig Meeker, '92, watching the Whalers-Rangers game.

Committee Denounces Unclaimed Fund Payments

by Jon Flinnmore
Associate News Editor

The revised budget proposal continued to be the focus of the Assembly meeting this week. The SGA members voted down the proposal again by a vote of 11-16-2 and returned the budget to the Finance Committee for further and upcoming publication.

Assembly members suggested changes to the publicaction allocations, a look at the SAC allotment and consideration of the club allocations and the appeal for a computer by Blats magazine.

The Assembly also approved the appointment of Kristina Ruff, '92, house senator of Cummings, to the Finance Committee. The position was left vacant as a result of the resignation of Julie Taraska, '92, house senator of Park.

The tie vote of 13-13-1 was broken by John Maguire, '91, president of SGA.

Colleen Shirley, '93, house senator of Hamilton, was elected as the SGA representative to the newly-established South African Education college committee. The committee's goals is to foster intercultural understanding and education.

Marian Farin, '93, announced that a service of remembrance of Susan Kuster, '93, will be held on Wednesday at 10 p.m. at Harkness Chapel. Organizers are asking that no one go to the service.

Although not originally scheduled, an SGA meeting will be held on Thursday to discuss the budget. It will be at 6:45 p.m. in Unitas Common Room and is open to the public.

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Freshmen Elect
Class Leaders

The freshmen Students Activities Council will be Clayton Kunz and Beth Homer. They are "ready to get this year rolling" with their own ideas for social events as well as the ideas of their classmates.

When asked to comment on the Freshman Class election, Jenn Freeman, '93, public relations director, said, "I was really, really happy with the number of people who came to speech night and voted." She also said that this response as well as the number and quality of the candidates reflected well upon the Class of 1994.

On Thursday, October 4 from 6:30-7:30 the Professional School Fair was held in Crozier-Williams Student Center. This year's fair was the biggest ever with 50 graduate schools participating. Betsy James, director of Alumni Career Services, said "The program is effective because the students have one-on-one contact with the representatives."

I'd never have believed that one little computer could make such an incredible difference in my academic and working life.

Miri N. Stoll
M.B.A. Stanford Graduate School of Business
"I became a Macintosh convert in business school. "At our computer lab I'd always find lines of people waiting to use the Macintosh computers, while other computers just sat there. So I had a choice: wait for a Macintosh, or come back at 6 A.M. to grab one before they'd all be taken."

"After business school, I took a job at a large bank and used my Macintosh for producing everything from spreadsheets to a company newsletter."

"Today I use Macintosh to help me run my own management consulting firm. When I give a presentation, I can see in people's faces that they're really impressed. That makes me feel great."

"Sometimes I take Friday off, put my Macintosh and skis in the car, and head for the mountains. I ski days and work nights. It's perfect."

"You know, I can't say where I'll be in five, ten, or fifteen years, but I can say that my Macintosh will be there with me."
Doonesbury

BY GARRY TRUDEAU

Calvin and Hobbes

by Bill Watterson


Characters: Calvin, Hobbes, Mom, Dad, Grandpa

Title: Calvin and Hobbes

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- Calvin: "Con-se-ver... Con-se-ver... Con-se-ver...
- Hobbes: "1,000,000 troops in Sinatra album!

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- Calvin: "Hey!

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- Calvin: "Give me the backup band again. I want to make a point."
- Hobbes: "Click..."

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by James Banta
The College Voice

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CINEMOG
The Latest on the Latest Movies

Goodfellas
Afficts the Right Side of the Brain

Christian Solha
The College Voice

As I sit here before this computer, ready to type this review, the cancer seems to be taking the shape of a question mark instead of its usual monotonous straight line. What if I’m wrong? What if I’m wrong? Can one ever be wrong? I’ve been holding for years that an era in this movie should get two Oscars. I suppose that if you define a good movie as one which makes you feel, then that is the movie for you. A good example: A man is shot through the top of the head. There is no background music. No police sirens. No screaming. Just complete silence. With one small exception. You can hear the blood pouring out of the man’s skull, as you sit in peri stilled silence watching the dark stain on the carpet expand steadily outward. In this day and age when certain movies get nothing more than a yawn or a chuckle from the audience, to make me feel like these people help keep everything in perspective.

So, it is up to you to decide what you look for in a movie. Do you want a film that’s an actual story, a trick plot, and decent costumes. If that’s true, steer clear of Goodfellas and head to the other side of the theater with all of its other anorexic toes and footnotes From the Edge. But if you like a movie that’s going to make you feel, a movie that’s going to make you think and remember about for a long time, this is your kind of flick.

Okay, if you are a left brain person you’ve probably given up hope. However, for all right brain people like me, this movie does have some merit. This movie was released from the best looking images I’ve ever seen. However, the real reason I have been holding on to this era in this movie should get two Oscars. I suppose that if you define a good movie as one which makes you feel, then that is the movie for you. A good example: A man is shot through the top of the head. There is no background music. No police sirens. No screaming. Just complete silence. With one small exception. You can hear the blood pouring out of the man’s skull, as you sit in peri stilled silence watching the dark stain on the carpet expand steadily outward. In this day and age when certain movies get nothing more than a yawn or a chuckle from the audience, to make me feel like these people help keep everything in perspective.

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Goodfellas is a movie for both hemispheres of the brain; the sensible, orderly, anal retentive left, and the whimsical, daydreaming, emotional right.

The Lyman Allyn houses per-

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The African American Dance Ensemble will send messages of cultural respect and humanistic values when they visit Connecticut College on October 10 in Palmer Auditorium. Their performances blend West African traditional dance and contemporary African-American works through colorful costumes, masterful choreography, and pulsating rhythms. Ticket prices for the event are $12 for general admission, $5 for students, and $3 for children under twelve. For ticket information, call 439-ARTS or visit the box office between 11 a.m. and 6 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Right Hand Video Corner

by Dan Seligson and Sean Bien
The College Voice

In the Corner this week: Reviews for the new "me" generation.

NORTH BY NORTHWEST (NR)
Imagine yourself a timid, twice-divorced, wimp advertising executive who is kidnap-
ped by two thugs, forced to drink a bottle of bourbon (with no chaser), and put behind
the wheel of a moving car while you are half unconscious. What could possibly be
the reason for this? Naturally, you are mis-
taken by a spy as a Federal agent who does
not exist. Ever had one of those days?

Continuing with the "ever

PHOTO OF THE DAY

A & E Trivia

1. Wild at Heart star Laura Dern is the daughter of what now-divorced
Hollywood couple?

2. What celebrated Frenchwoman is following up her 1964 memoir,
"Life With Picasso," with an account of her troubled relationship with
Picasso and Henri Matisse?

3. What avant-garde fashion designer is responsible for the costumes
in Madonna's recent Blond Ambition tour?

4. Oliver Stone's upcoming film release is an account of which 60's
rockers?

5. George Herriman is celebrated for what surrealist comic strip
featuring a love-smitten cat and a brick-throwing mouse?

Send all answers to Box 3596. The first
correct answer will receive a free pizza
from DOMINO'S Pizza.

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Women's Soccer Kicks Trinidad and Salve Regina

by Dan Levine Associate Sports Editor

Over the past week the women's soccer team picked up two victories by beating the arch rival Trinidad and Salve Regina 4-0. These two wins extend their record to an outstanding 6-0-1. The victory over Salve Regina sets up a tough match against Bowdoin College next weekend.

In Hartford the Camels played a tough match against the Trinity squad, who is the defending ECAC champion. Trinity played the Camels close, but a goal by Mary Davis, '91, was all that was needed to secure a Conn victory. The Camels were unable to score due to aggressive defense by the Camels and excellent goalkeeping by Eva Palmgren, '93. The Camels outshot Salve 38-3. Conn controlled the match from the opening whistle by out hustling the Newports all over the field.

Conn will hit the road for their next four matches. They will travel to Clark University on Thursday and to the University of Maine on Saturday. The Camels' biggest match of the year will be next Sunday as the Camels play the Bowdoin Bears in Brunswick, Maine.

In Tuesday's second game, E.M. Airplanes continued their winning ways by defeating Dry Season 21-0. Jon Krawczyk, '92, ran for 2 TDs and threw for another to lead the Airplanes to victory. The Airplanes' Carson "No I didn't play hockey for Nobles" Smith, '93, came up with his first TD of the season on a long bomb from Krawczyk. Thursday's first game, which featured the much awaited showdown between SC and David, was postponed and will be made up at a later date. The second game of that day between Jehovah's and the KBees was played, but because the commissioner (r.a. Mark Fallon, '92) did not give the IM department the score sheet from that game we have no score to report.

The Volleyball Team defeated UMass but fell to Trinity and RIC at the RIC tournament.

Intramural Update

It was yet another exciting week on the gridiron. In Sunday's first game, Can't Touch This easily rolled over the 4 Horseman 42-0. QBs Cristo Garcia, '92, and Jon Luxe, '93, combined for 2 TDs to lead a balanced David attack. Chris McLaughlin, '92, received for two TDs, while Huao Hwang, '91, Bryce Brown, '92, and Jon Fahey, '92, each received one. The 4 Horseman, on the other hand had no attack. These guys are second only to the KBees in points against with a respectable 112, while the Moondogs have 113. Keep up the good work, fellas.

In "non-action" on Sunday, Can't Touch This was victorious over Jehovah's Army by forfeit. Can't Touch This captain Brooks Brown did however give out an MVP award for that game to John Yearout. When asked why he made this gesture, Brown replied, "Yearout is our best player, I had no choice.

On Tuesday, the question that seemed to be foremost on everyone's mind was not "who are these Moondogs?" but rather "what exactly is a Moondog?" The Moondogs handily defeated Can't Touch This 21-0. What was expected to be a tight game, turned out to be just another walk in the park for the Moondogs. QB sensation Steve Pettit, '91, was held scoreless, but was an inspiration to his team, who finally saw that it was possible to call a play on the line of scrimmage with a lit cigarette in your mouth. Said center Chris Ross, '93, of this feat, "It was one of the most incredible things I have ever seen in sports." Dan Dwyer, '92, led the Moondog attack with 2 TDs, while Coley "Sister Sue" Cassidy, '92, continued to prove that he may have the best hands in the league. Can't Touch This had hoped that the signing of veteran free agent Doug Roberts, '91, and a "down donut sack" incentive to Bill "Dorm" Shultz, '91, would have bolstered their chances against the Moondogs. On a positive note for Can't Touch This, the referees awarded captain Brown with the good sportsmanship award of the game for his demonstration of the perfect ict from behind the play.

In Tuesday's second game, E.M. Airplanes continued their winning ways by defeating Dry Season 21-0. Jon Krawczyk, '92, ran for 2 TDs and threw for another to lead the Airplanes to victory. The Airplanes' Carson "No I didn't play hockey for Nobles" Smith, '93, came up with his first TD of the season on a long bomb from Krawczyk. Thursday's first game, which featured the much awaited showdown between SC and David, was postponed and will be made up at a later date. The second game of that day between Jehovah's and the KBees was played, but because the commissioner (r.a. Mark Fallon, '92) did not give the IM department the score sheet from that game we have no score to report.

In six aside soccer action this week ACP crushed Jon's Boys 4-0. This game was a one man show as a slightly ill Garth Roos, '93, displayed incredible ball control by scoring three goals in the first three minutes of the game. The second game of that day matched the E.M. Airplanes against the Stoners, with the Stoners coming out on top 1-0. Newly acquired Brenden Gillman, '94, tallied for the games sole goal assisted late in the second half to give the unbeaten Stoners the win.

In the second week of softball there was no action because every team forfeited.

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In a relatively easy game, the Colts beat the Lord Jeffs of Amherst on Wednesday 2-1. The win marked their first victory against Amherst in three years, and their third win this season. On Saturday the Colts lost their fourth game in a tough game against Middletown 2-0.

The Camels dominated the Amherst Lord Jeffs, although Amherst has not won a single game yet this season. The teams first half went scoreless with tough defense and skillful goalkeeping on both sides of the field. With some aggressive play, the second half saw the Camels pull away with well-earned goals from Captain Allen Wiggins, '91, and Xoliand Zanga, '93. Great defense and goalkeeping from Lou Cutillo, '92, held Amherst off for almost the entire game. Amherst scored late in the second half but their single goal was not enough to beat a tough and unified Camel squad.

Amherst scored late in the second half when Middlebury scored their first loss by more than one goal this season. Despite all the heartbreak and defense held Conn to only a few chances to score but, Conn just could not put the ball in the net. Middletown scored early in the first half, giving them a one to nothing lead that they took confidently into halftime. The entire first half was marked by intense defense and constant hustle on both sides of the field.

Conn's Peter Spear, '94, played excellent defense the entire game and Cutillo played another great game in net. In the second half Conn had a few chances to score, but nothing resulted from their efforts. Any hopes the Camels had of winning were thwarted late in the second half when Middletown scored another goal which put the game out of reach.

Each game the Camels have played this season has been extremely close. They have lost two games in overtime, and Saturday's loss marked their first loss by more than one goal this season. Despite all the heartbreakers this year, Conn still posts a respectable 3-4 record thus far.

The Camels remain home for their next two encounters, the first on Saturday at 3:30 p.m. against Clark University, and the other on Saturday at 11:00 a.m. against Colby College.
Cross Country Grabs Third at TriStates

by William H. Schulz, Jr.
The College Voice

The women's cross country team placed an impressive third at the Tri-State Championships on Saturday, which were hosted by Bryant College in Smithfield, Rhode Island.

Running on a fairly difficult course, the Camels were just one point behind Worcester Polytechnic Institute, which had 75 points. The Coast Guard Academy won the championship by a wide margin of 26 points. Both Worcester Polytechnic and the Coast Guard are ranked in New England.

Conn's number one runner over the 3.1 mile course, Jonnichelle Devine, '94, placed second overall with a time of 20:00. Other runners for Conn were Lynn Balsamo, '94, in 10th place at 21:29, Leah Bower, '93, in 14th place at 21:34, Kat Havens, '93, in 21st place at 22:04, Dana Ossi, '91, in 45th place at 25:03, Anne Connolly, '91, in 54th place at 25:23 and Sarah Beers, '91, in 58th place at 25:50.

Athlete of the Week

This week's award goes to EVA CAHALAN, '91, of the women's soccer team. CAHALAN has had six straight shutouts in goal to lead the Camels to a 6-0-1 record. WHS, Jr. & DIL

Women's Crew Team Strikes Gold

by Jennie Davidson
The College Voice

Nine members of the women's varsity crew team opened their fall season with flying colors last weekend at the Head of the Ohio in Pittsburgh.

Rowers Jen Yeres, '93, Peggy Witherell, '94, Kathryn Guntel- man, '93; Jonnie Davidson, '93; Beth Filipone, '91; Anne Alhauzen, '93; Chris Jill, '94, Tara Rayher, '93, and Meg Shen- has, '92, were flown to Pittsburgh. A newly-formed crew alumni group helped finance the trip. This marks the first time that Connecticut College has participated in this regatta.

Although originally scheduled to race only once, the women were able to show their might and muscle in two races. In the first race, the Club Eight not only won the gold medal, but set a course record with a time of 13:59 for the 2.5 mile course. Coach Wener Sheehan said, "They attacked it from the first stroke, and kept getting stronger throughout the race."

The second race was the tougher Open Eights category, with Conn facing such schools as Brown and Cornell. Although the women were fatigued from their efforts earlier in the day, they rowed an extremely aggressive race, missing the bronze medal by a heartbreaking 1.4 seconds.

Having won their first race of the year, the women are off to a fast start. Coach Claus Weller was pleased with their performances, and both he and the rowers hope that the team can return next year for an equally strong showing.

Field Hockey Vanquishes Wellesley and Amherst

by John Fitcher
The College Voice

The Connecticut College women's field hockey team suffered their first loss of the year against Smith this week, but cushioned their defeat with victories at Wellesley and at home against Amherst. The team's record now stands at 6-1-1.

The Camels started off the week by crushing Wellesley 6-0 on Sunday. Six different players scored for Conn. Suzanne Walker, '93, started things off by scoring at 28:39, aided by Jill DelloStritto's, '91, third assist of the year. Jenny Garbint, '91, scored the next goal for the Camels from an assist by Carter Wood, '93, at 34:59 to give Conn a 2-0 halftime lead. Conn pulled away in the second period as Abby Tyson, '92, co-captain Diane Stratton, '91, Wood and DelloStritto all tallied for Conn. Erica Bos, '92, and Tyson each added an assist in the second period. Conn ousted Wellesley by a 24-4 margin, clearly showing their dominance. Laurie Sachs, '92, and co-captain Jen Schumacher, '91, combined for four saves and the shutout in net.

Wednesday, however, was a different story as the visiting Smith team blanked the blue and white by a 4-0 count. The first goal came at 34:22 of the first period, as Lara DeSantis beat Sachs to give Smith the lead. Smith's Becky Wright, who assisted on the first goal, scored at 45:32 to give the Pioneers a 2-0 lead, and Elizabeth Welborn gave Smith its third goal at 58:28. Sachs and Schumacher combined for thirteen saves in a losing cause.

Conn rebounded for an important win on Saturday as they faced Amherst on Daviey Field. Tyson greeted the visitors with her fourth goal of the season at the 29:00 minute mark. The same goal was DelloStritto's fourth assist on the year. Amherst led the contest early in the second half as Cori Rockey slipped one past goalie Sachs. But Conn came back to win the game with 15:48 remaining in the game. This time DelloStritto got the goal and Tyson chipped in with the assist. The Conn defense held Amherst for the rest of the game and the Camels came away with a 2-1 victory.

DelloStritto leads the squad in scoring with four goals and four assists. Right behind her are Tyson with four goals and three assists and Wood with three goals and two assists. The Conn defense, led by Amy Norris, '92, Nicki Hemnessey, '93, and Lauren Moran, '94, has made it tough on opposing offenses, who have only managed six goals all season. Sachs has been terrific in net with a save percentage of .922 and a goals against average of only 0.69. The Camels play back to back road games next week, facing Western Connecticut on October 11 and then matching up against highly-rated Trinity on October 13.