Coffeehouse management raises student ire

BY RYAN CLANCEY AND JAMES GORE

A great Caltech tradition, the Coffeehouse, is in grave danger tonight. The destruction has come about through a subversion of tradition, a substitution of management, and a general change in atmosphere. The Coffeehouse once stood as the centerpiece of Tech night life. Students used the Coffeehouse as a common ground, a place with no house affiliation. Things are different now. The road to change has been slow and painful, though considerable in last four years.

Today the last vestige of the old, traditional Coffeehouse has been removed. Starting as soon as Monday March 2, there will be a new head manager. This person will not be a student, but an outside hire, picked by Mr. Lee Reavis and Ms. Gina Armus. The student managers were informed this past Tuesday that their weekday positions had been eliminated, though they may vie with the other employees for a regular position at the grill or shake machine. Regardless, five have lost their stations. The Coffeehouse was closed Wednesday and Thursday, and will be closed Saturday, as the managers for these days quit in protest.

Four years ago, the Coffeehouse looked more like a lived-in basement, or an overly large student dorm-room. The décor was eclectic and appealing to a large part of the student population. The students reigned supreme. At the wheel was a student: one of the

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THE ATHENAEUM, FEB 5 - Caltech, while lacking a football team, occasionally has a kickoff. Faculty donors, staff and students gathered to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowships, and begin the 1998 SURF season, which is dedicated to President Emeritus Thomas E. Everhart. The dinner itself has added momentum to the venture, which grew to 234 students last year and has spun off two similar programs: MURF and TIDE.

The SURF program is a growing beast: approximately 2200 students, 15% of Caltech undergraduates during the period, have participated in SURF, and it has expanded externally to the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, other universities, and even abroad. In his comments, President Baltimore noted that the SURF program has been so successful because it serves so much of the Caltech community, allowing undergraduates to make major contributions to science and see the real side of book learning, allowing graduate and postdoctoral students to gain teaching experience, and facilitating continued alumni involvement. Baltimore noted that research during high school shaped his career and that “research is the center of a scientist’s education.”

In the next decade, continued success is projected for the program, and 2400 more SURFers are expected. Growth continued at the dinner, with the dedication of the Carolyn Merkyl Fellowship by Carl Larson, a life member of the SURF Board. Carolyn is an intrinsic part of the SURF process: she served on the staff from 1980-81, and has been director since 1989. When asked about the fellowship, she said it was “amazing” that students would be making important contributions to science, in her name, for a very long time. Indeed, looking back on SURF’s history, it has been quite amazing and will continue to amaze, perhaps as long as the Merkyl fellowship is around: “in perpetuity.”
Revolution in the Coffeehouse

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Letter to the Editor

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A party we'll call Mr. X is hired to manage the Coffeehouse when Jon Langer was the student manager. At the end of the year, Jon discovered that $3000 in Coffeehouse money was missing, and brought it to the attention of the administration. Mr. X claimed that the money had been spent on a new TV. This TV was nowhere to be found. One might notice that Mr. X is no longer employed by Caltech. I hope Caltech's institutional memory would be a little longer.

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I believe that Mr. X was not hired to handle the Coffeehouse; he never did anything other than try to get the students to change the name from Coffeehouse to Bombsheller. Mr. X supervised me and Jon Langer. I did (still do) all of Mr. X's purchasing and bookkeeping. I received orders, made purchases, and handed them to the Coffeehouse.

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The big problem is not that the Coffeehouse doesn’t make a profit, the problem is that it never comes close to breaking even. Add that to the random closings (by the student Managers), and one after the other Head Manager leaving because of academic problems and it seems rather amazing that the Coffeehouse is even still open.

Note the Head Manager image and why they quit working in the Coffeehouse: Dave Jettert (academic problems) Jon Lange (only exception, great student manager... ultimately graduated) Steve Skvoran (academic problems) John Haba (academic problems) Adam Villani (quit shortly after taking job soon after graduated) When Student Affairs couldn’t no longer afford to lose money, it was asked that Tom Mannion move the operation under his direction. Once logistics were worked out between Food Services and Tom, the Coffeehouse was officially moved under Food Services.

To comment on the most recent rehab: Tom wanted to spruce up the Coffeehouse up. Adam Villani and I agreed about what was needed and it was decided that I would do the project with the designer. Although I was sad to see all my hard work of last spring disappear, a thorough professional rehab was sorely needed. It was recently decided that the Coffeehouse attempt to open year round. To do this we need someone who does not have academic burdens. I've always requested that I shift my hours from day to night and become the night manager (Head Manager). As my training is in administrative functions, Lee and I went ahead and finding someone to fill this position. Because I had been looking for someone (part time) to supervise the shift, I filled in, sort of, behind the counter when needed. Lee and I decided to increase the position to full-time, because none of the applicants wanted a job where they might have to be laid off during the summer and rehired in the fall. Consistency is the key. The student workers consistently have had a difficult time managing the Coffeehouse along with the burdens of being an undergrad. Schoolwork comes first, parties second, and the Coffeehouse seems to be last. That is why it was decided that someone who did not have those burdens so that the Coffeehouse could continue to be open regardless of finals and parties. We are not trying to get rid of you, we are only trying because the student worker’s quality of life. In the past, the same position I have been filling from afar will now be filled by an on-site full-time manager. Nothing else has changed.

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Visitors Should Be Like Guests

This is in response to last edition’s letter about some allegedly inappropriate behavior of students towards visiting dignitaries. While I don’t condone the way that the student acted, I would like to give you a student’s perspective on visitors.

My main point is that I, like many others (1 assume), consider Tech to be my home. Because of this, I think that I take greater offense to rudeness done to me by strangers than I would normally. For instance, I hardly ever care about a disguised glare at myself (the pinkies tend not to look like my facial piercings and perpetual barefootedness) if I’m outside of Tech. If I’m on Tech, I don’t feel that I should have to put up with it... I’ve not noticed such looks from fellow students, or professors, or people who belong here. But I do find visitors, who in my opinion should act as if they are guests in our home. One can point out that I should treat them as guests, but I did not invite them in. I do my best not to treat as the trespassers which they seem to be.

Visitors often seem to forget that they are in fact, guests. If I’m walking around campus (especially going in and out of my House (Ricketts) I’ve been yelled at more than I care to count:

Hey, Red! Get out of the camera’s view.” I object to this for many reasons... First, I hate being called red and have for my entire life... calling someone blonde is usually called racially offensive, why is it okay to call me red? Second, there is no, “please,” or “a”, “Could you...” just a “Get out of...” Sure, most people are polite, either waiting for me to leave the cameras field of vision, or possibly requesting, but there are many ruder people who wear on one’s patience.

The weekends are generally one of the few times that we might get to relax. How would you feel if you went out to your backyard to lie in the grass and enjoy being outside, and you find some strangers walking in your yard? You would probably know that they might potentially be donating money to Tech better than we do. How am I to know if the person searching for my security “I hope security gets that vagrant out of here, he doesn’t belong.” (Yes, I did once hear one person loudly (all too loudly) whisper that to someone walking with him,) in thinking of indirectly giving me money? I can’t. So, I’ve found that it’s best to just try and ignore the majority of the people who obviously do not reside on campus. If Tech were closed to the public, and only small tour groups, and visitors considering donating to “Tech were the only ones on campus, I know that I would have to get used to seeing people like this.

Unfortunately, I don’t believe this to be an option at this point.

End end point. Please re-examine the situation again. Were the students playing frisbee against each other thru the area, and you walked thru rather than waiting for them to finish? If so, I find it easier to see how such small group wanderings into the area seems to be out of place. It seems to be common courtesy to not walk into another’s game. If there was a general large congregation, unmoving, and the students decided to play or at least watch, rather than going around, I feel that the students indeed did act improperly. However, while I have personally never witnessed the latter happening (students aiming a frisbee golf game into a group of people) I have seen at least a couple times when a small group of wanderers walked into the area where people were already throwing frisbees, seemingly equipment-messing to just walk in on hold while they measure about snapping pictures to torture their relatives with.

Marq Anthony
I don’t know about Spain, but I hear that in Ireland last weekend they suffered no rain and were in fact bathed in a warm North African wind, as unusual for them as all the rain we have seen in our little patch of desert. The rain here intimidated much work on gardainia; it encouraged watching game gathering at the Olympic games. Anyway, my wife and I ended up watching Dowhill Skating, the unbelievable skills of Austrian Hermann Maier in the downhill race, and his unbelievable comeback, two days later, to win the Gold in the SuperG race. We also watched the ice skating events, especially the pairs ice Dancing, and the comments of the sport writers, announcers, interpreters who were doing what they could to earn their keep.

One of the less appealing things about the Olympics is the nationalistic sentiment that they generate. It is great for us to support our players, but do we have to do it at the expense of somebody else’s? Particularly when a team’s composer...

For those of you born after 1990, this refers to a section in the Broadway show, My Fair Lady. The rain in Spain remains mainly the plot—part of an exercise in fiction that Professor Higgins devised for his pupil Eliza Doolittle.

Hermann Maier, a backpacker from Austria, had quite a following of fans. In the downhill race, he moved second, scored several feet behind the leader, and with a smallish lead, came down on his helmeted head and then shoulder, rebounded into a fence which he crushed through, then a second fence, which he also crushed through, finally tumbling into a snow shell where he came to rest face down, immediately for several seconds, long enough to strain everyone to expect the worst, and then slowly moving a leg or two, head down, struggling on or falling on a patch of snow. It was hard to believe he could have survived all this one piece, but he did.

Hi, this is the sports report. We’re somewhat surprised that the Dean decided to war Summer, doesn’t he know we’re busy enough in it? Well, at least he’s not using this space to mention aphrodisiacs that are derived from primates, women...

Dean’s Corner

The Most Coveted Aphrodisiac

by Jean-Paul Revel

sit has only often a remote connection to the nationality of the players. Many play under a flag of convenience, every bit as meaningful as the registry of ocean liners and tankers in Liberia. Be that as it may, what I am concerned about is the lack of fair play in those sports where there is a quality judgement, not just a determination of who is the winning team by measuring elapsed time, counting goals or some other objective statistic. The skating is an interesting case in point. There were bitter complaints by the news commentators that there was a conspiracy, an unfair complicity by judges to benefit their companions at the expense of others. As explained by one of the commentators, you help my guy and I’ll help yours. And in fact there was a certain unanimity of votes, and also a constancy to the order of teams from beginning to end of the competition.

However I found it difficult to find fault with the rankings. Maybe the Frenchman Pierre Clavel is the finishing point. The Frenchman is a rank amateur in the complex art of judging and second guessing engaged...

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In summary, the title of the play is Othello, the main character is Othello, the main conflict is jealousy, and the main theme is the corruption of good men. Othello's jealousy leads to his downfall, and the corruption of good men is evident in the way that Iago is able to manipulate Othello and other characters. The play also deals with issues of race, power, and sexuality, which add to the complexity of the story.

Othello is a complex character who is initially portrayed as a noble and just leader, but his jealousy ultimately leads to his downfall. His love for Desdemona is genuine, but it is also complicated by his fear of losing her to other men. The play explores the idea of jealousy and how it can destroy even the most noble of men.

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Since Washington is both a prime cause of the humanitarian disaster and, effectively, the lone judge of how much punishment is too much, it is unlikely that the situation will improve.
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Excomm Minutes

February 21, 1998

This week we rule on a protest of the Bylaw elections held on the 16th. Meeting opens: 7:10 p.m. Present: Baldeep, Myfanwy, Branden, Joe, Michelle, and Nick Breen (election chair)

The election amending bylaws was protested on the basis that it was not well publicized. The ExComm finds that the first three amendments on the ballot were in fact published in the Tech the required 7 days previous to the election, though in very small print (hint, hint). The fourth proposed amendment, to place a ballot box in Avery House during elections, was not publicized in the Tech, and notices of the election were not placed in areas frequented by the population of Avery. The ExComm invalidated the result of this entire election, and schedules a new election to be held on Tuesday, March 10. Further, the ExComm suggests that the Tech should in all elections as a sufficient way of meeting the publication criteria in the bylaw.

Meeting closes: 7:28 p.m. Respectfully submitted, VandBrake

You missed it last time? So read it this time!

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CON PRO

by Geoff Smith

Avery House, at full occupancy, has a population of over one hundred undergraduates. This is over 10% of the undergraduate population. Avery and don't come to the on-campus houses regularly. If the intent of ASCIT voting procedures is to have a fair representation of the student population, there is absolutely no credible reason why there should not be a ballot box in Avery.

There are several problems that need to be resolved before Avery can get a ballot box. First and foremost, there are no truly "public" areas in Avery as there are in the seven houses. All the lounges and so forth on the south side are locked and used by those who live in Avery and don't come to the on-campus houses. Setting exact criteria for receiving a ballot box is necessary to prevent confusion in the future. For instance, if Avery merits one, why is the line to the houses' off-campus alley? Where is the line? If off-campus housing is to be given ballot boxes, a fair method of distribution must be found.

Until and unless a solid system of dealing with off-campus housing is assembled, the situation should not be confused by issuing boxes too soon.
Thought of the Week

May be Overrated
by Mason A. Porter

I have often heard — including from so-called experts — that self-confidence is a prerequisite to success. My experience, however, indicates that this need not be the case. Both at Caltech and during high school, I have witnessed people with seemingly little confidence in their ability succeed on a consistent basis. Moreover, I also know many people who are quite confident (although not openly arrogant) of their abilities who have not failed miserably but are hardly paradigms of success.

I am not attempting to say that one is more likely to succeed if one doubts oneself. However, the correlation between confidence and success cannot be nearly as high as many people seem to think. It is probably still positive, but its magnitude is very small. Confidence certainly can lead to success. For example, it is much easier — all else being equal — to do work well and efficiently when one is not stressed out. However, all else is not equal, as certain types of self-doubt also can lead to success. This is especially true of those who are both compulsive and paranoid. While some people’s lack of confidence may cause them to give up, others’ may cause them to work harder, a well-known recipe for success. Somebody who is paranoid may, for example, write up parts of a homework set and feel that much of it is wrong. That same person may then check his/her work compulsively to make sure that every last detail is satisfactory. In the process, this person may learn the material quite well, although one would probably have difficulty convincing him/her of that! I believe that self-confidence is not necessary for success, although it is usually a boon and not a hindrance for the simple reason that it allows one to relax. The successful paranoid is still stressed out, a disadvantage in life if not in work and school.

Sitting South, I picked up this hand at the Caltech Bridge Club:

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4-4-4-1 hands are always hard to bid, but having 15 high card points made that fact easier to deal with, if you’ll pardon the pun. West, as dealer, passed.

With silent opponents, the bidding went:

To my chagrin, my partner opened 1♣. A misfit loomed on the horizon, and the chances only got worse after my partner rebid his hearts after my 1♠ reply. I should have jumped to 3♥ immediately after that, of course, but my “club stopper” seemed tenous, so I searched for a minor-suit fit — at least some show from my partner that he had a club stopper. Then he switched back to my spades, and I let out a sigh of relief. Partner probably had four spades or maybe three good ones, but just wanted to show a six or seven-card heart suit first.

Counting past 26 without any trouble, I bid the game. West led out the two clubs and I was staring at:

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Readers, let this be a lesson to you: a two-card suit is rarely ample trump support. Even if one of them is the ace. Now, most books will tell you to count losers in a suit contract. Let me tell you, this doesn’t work when you have less trumps than the opponents. Why, I should have two club losers and I trump loser, right? Anyway, with three high trump tricks, four high diamond tricks (if I could draw trump fast enough), and one high heart trick, I needed two more tricks. Clubs could potentially generate another trick in high cards, but I didn’t want to rely on a heart finesse. It looked like I could increase my chances by going for a club ruff, and then taking the heart finesse if things go desperate.

With that in mind, I concentrated on the trick at hand. If East had the AQ of clubs, I was losing two club tricks no matter what; if East had the ♠A and West the ♣Q, I wanted to play low to get a club trick; and if West had the ♣A I definitely wanted to play the ♣K or else lose it. After figuring all this out in my mind, I played the ♣K and it was immediately taken out by East’s ♣A.

East led a trump, which I then took in dummy. Not having anything else to do, I played another club trick, my ♣10 forcing out West’s ♠Q. Now my ♦J was high, and would generate another trick if I could draw trumps. (If East or West were able to ruff, my contract was done anyway.) West led another trump, dashing all hopes I had of generating an easy tenth trick, leaving only the heart finesse — right? Hopping the opponents would screw up, I delayed the heart finesse, first drawing trump, which not only split 4-3 (any other split would mean my contract was unmakeable) but also put East on lead, West and dummy discarding a heart on the last trump trick. I hoped that East would blunder and lead a heart, but no such luck: East led a club into my ♦A, pretty much marking him with a high club. The inklings of an idea started to form. I played a diamond to dummy’s ♦J, then played a diamond back to my hand, where I reeled off the top diamonds. As I had suspected, East had the ♠K and a good club, and the situation after trick 10 was:

East later pointed out to me that it was not a true squeeze —it could easily have been West who had the ♦A, and that if he had casually slid the ♣10 on the 11th trick, I would have no idea who had the ♣K and might have tried the finesse instead of the drop. At the time, I conceded — but now I realize that if West had the last club and East had four hearts, not only would East have avoided playing a club trick 7, but, more importantly, the ♠K would have dropped from West on the first heart trick had the finesse been worthwhile! The Caltech Bridge Club meets every Monday night at 7:15 in Avery Hall. All people, regardless of experience, are heavily encouraged to come.
Career Day Hits Caltech by El Niño

TECH STAFF

Where do you want to work today?
Caltech Career Day always has been a singular experience, and the event this Thursday was no exception. The Career Development Center did their best to bring employers together to the minds of potential employees.

Microsoft®, Oracle®, Intel® and the U.S. Navy were just a few of the big names interested in hiring Caltech students for the summer or full time. A surprising number of smaller companies were there, attempting to use Caltech graduates as a major portion of their expansion. Other companies were not interested in hiring immediately, paid for their booths and were simply content to sit and give out company information and take resumes whom they could later contact.

The qualifications most desired were a strong personality, talent, resourcefulness, and computer programming skills. The fact that the most desired employees were those who could program was not lost on the other majors on campus who found Career Day to be somewhat disappointing. Four years of training or more in their respective fields seemed to amount to little and comment out the minor security holes exist which make it possible for people from the outside to gain entry into one. Red Hat Linux is especially prone to these security problems, but every distribution has some security holes. The main dangers come from the TCP/IP daemons which run on every networked computer. Suppose you don’t want any contact to the outside world. While it is fine to unplug the ethernet jack from your machine, for most of us, this is not practical. To this end you should, using the root account, go into your inetd.conf file and comment out the pop2, pop3 and imap entries. These mail protocol entries are known as entry points. You should disable telnet and FTP if you can; remember, a safer method of file transfer and remote login can be had with ssh.

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3. Advanced Computer Communications
4. Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. (AMD)
5. Alexis Studio Electronics
6. Altera Corp.
7. Andersen Consulting LLP
8. Ambis Solutions, Inc.
9. Arite Associates
10. Astecterra Corporation
11. Bi-Rad Laboratories
12. Boeing Computer
14. Calico Technology
15. Cessna-Synergy Corp.
16. Cetus Corp.
17. CyberMedia, Inc.
18. D.E. Shaw
19. Dassault Systems of America
20. EG&G
21. Electronic Imaging, Inc.
22. Emulex, Ltd.
23. Failure Analysis Associates
24. General Motors
25. General Motors Powertrain Group
26. Green Hills Software
27. Hughes Electronics Corp. (Space)
28. Idealab!
29. Intel Corporations
30. International Rectifiers
31. JKL-Toray Corp.
32. Lasergraphics, Inc.
33. Lawrence Livermore Natl. Lab.
34. Lockheed Martin/ Missile & Space
35. Lockheed Martin Tech. Operations
36. Logicon DCG
37. Logicon DTG
38. McKinney & Co., Inc.
40. Microsoft Corporation
41. Mips Corp.
42. MIT Lincoln Laboratory
43. Mykotrix
44. Norwich Grinnell Corp.
45. Oracle Corp.
46. Ord Corporation
47. Perkin Corporation
48. Pioneer Magnetics
49. Raytheon (Hughes - Sensors & Communications Systems)
50. RFMEC, Inc.
51. Research & Development Laboratories
52. Rockwell Semiconductor Systems
53. Schlumberger
54. Sales & Service
55. Silicon Graphics, Inc.
56. Software Technologies Corp.
57. Spectranet
58. Structural Dynamics Research Corp.
59. Sun Microsystems
60. Synergistic Development Group
61. Tinnel Research, Inc.
62. Tech For America
63. Texas Instruments
64. Towle Corp.
65. U.S. Military
66. TRW / Space & Electronic Group
67. U.S. Navy
68. Uniden Corporation (SRC)
69. Woltext

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Shining Moments in TACIT’s Performance of Henry V

BY JOHN HAPFIELD

TACIT’s Henry V was a show which at times shone like a newly polished longsword, but had moments where it was as dull as an eating knife left rust. If the entire show was at the level of some of the performances, this truly would have been a great leap forward for Theater Arts at California Institute of Technology. As it is, it shows some promise of good things to come, and is a solid improvement over Dogg’s Hamlet and Cahoot’s Macbeth.

One of the best performances is the interplay between Henry V, played by James Gleeson, and his closest advisor, the Duke of Exeter, played by Adam Burgess. Although individually their performances are quite good, the best part of both is the trust in the other, and their ability to show the audience this trust. Gleeson does a fine job in the title role of King, showing the vitality of Henry V, especially in the Saint Crispin speech. If Gleeson attempted to show King Henry as a man completely recovered from his juvenile exploits with Falstaff, he has certainly succeeded, we see nothing of the weaknesses he showed as Prince Henry in the earlier plays. I would have preferred to see some of these weaknesses because they would have made King Henry more human, more accessible to the audience. But this is simply an expression of a personal feeling, and perhaps others like the clear vision of an unraveled king.

The supporting cast, however, has both wonderful performances and ones that could have been better. For example, we have the comic relief provided by Captain Fluellen, played by Allen Corcoran, who fancies himself a military genius while merely being a military blowhard. As he berates a friend for being loud, calling him a “an ass and a fool and a prating coxcomb,” he betrays himself as the same; herein lies the humor. What makes this performance worthwhile is that we see Fluellen as such, instead of him acting as such. Unfortunately, many of the other performances along this vein do suffer from this problem. We see actors acting like windbags with over inflated egos instead of being these people with their human foibles. We also see this at other times, when people play at being sad or angry, instead of feeling these emotions.

Another example of a fine performance that does not suffer from this problem, in which we see the human emotions, is the rather touching performance by Princess Katherine and her ladies-in-waiting. The women, in their attempts to spy on Henry and the princess, are the over-inquisitive ladies of the court, and we are able to see the princess as the inexperienced and shielded lady she was.

A special note needs to be made of the fighting scenes; they are quite well done. In particular, the sword fight between Joseph Cook and Scott Van Essen is very good. If nothing else, this fight is an enjoyable, short break into the pure animal savagery of warfare. However, the fighting and resultant dying does lead to one of the play’s weakest points; the bad tendency of the dead to breathe heavily and visibly, which is especially disconcerting as some make their entrances over the “dead” bodies.

In sum, TACIT yet again has the same problem that has appeared in many of their previous plays; although the main players are strong, the supporting cast gives uneven performances. Although Henry V’s main players can and do make the performance worth seeing, a stronger supporting cast, one that can make the atmosphere that Henry V and Exeter move around in seem real and vibrant, would make the show one that truly transports us to the field of Agincourt.

DAVID BLAU: FOOD DUDE

Non-Coffeehouse Restaurants
by David Blau

Del Taco
Just up Lake near Ralph’s, it’s one of the closer options for late-night eating. Mexican gringo food (they serve french fries, for heaven’s sake). Open 24/7, they are a favorite stop for anyone who has a car. Like most places around here, they won’t serve you unless you have wheels. Get the Del Scorcho sauce — the mild is tasteless.

The Original Pantry
You haven’t lived Tech until you eat here. They open for breakfast at 3 on weekdays, 4 on Saturday and Sunday. The waiters are amazing — Miguel remembers your name and your favorite drink, and brings it to you instantly upon arrival. The hot cakes are large enough to make a meal in themselves. All breakfast comes with a side of potatoes, and their orange juice is fresh and powerful. Make sure and order the number 4.

Norm’s
This place serves breakfast all night. Their big special is the “bigger better breakfast”, which will run you $2.99, and believe me it’s worth every penny. They also serve full meals if you’re so inclined, complete with dessert. The claw machine in the front is kinda cool. Watch for the lady who wears too much makeup, she likes to hit on Terry whenever we go.

Carrow’s
You go for the chocolate milk. Free refills, and they mix it fresh in the back, so you can see the brown goo on the bottom of your glass. The food is OK, and they don’t get too upset if you make an utter fool out of yourself. Like Norm’s, it’s very easy to get to by car.

Far Tommy’s
You want chili, you come here. Known throughout mankind and Blacker Hovey for its unsavory dedication to pain, the “Triple Threat” can take down even the most hearty of adventurers. Located in the ghetto, Tommy’s has provided late-night nourishment to generations of hungry Techers. The negative-time Tommy’s run is a tradition, carried out on the autumnal equinox.

Jack in the Box
It’s close. They won’t give you food unless you have a car, so make friends with an upperclassman. Their Oreo cookie shakes are excellent, and the rest of it is OK for being fast food. The Frensho Jack is only $0.99, and two or three will satisfy cravings. Not as good or as greasy as ‘In ‘N Out.

In ‘N Out
Only open until 1 (1:30 on Friday and Saturday), but the fries are great. The ever popular “double-double” cheeseburger is only $2.30. It has the advantage of being very close, and the food is OK for the amount you’ll pay for it, especially the numbered orders.

Cantor’s
Located in Hollywood, Cantor’s is a Jewish deli. If you’re loud when you come in, they’ll sit you way in the back, where you get to see behind the partition into the kitchen area. If you go at the right time, all the freaks go there after they get done chubbing. The food is authentic, if not as delicious as what you could get elsewhere in the country. The portions are a good size, though a bit expensive.

Jerry’s
If you ever need food at 4 AM and don’t mind a bit of a walk, Jerry’s will be open. It has the advantage of being a walk-in restaurant, which is nice if you don’t mind paying more than you would for fast food. The portions are large, but it’s a little pricey. If you’re into sports, they have a ticker on the wall near the bar.

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by David Blau

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Just up Lake near Ralph’s, it’s one of the closer options for late-night eating. Mexican gringo food (they serve french fries, for heaven’s sake). Open 24/7, they are a favorite stop for anyone who has a car. Like most places around here, they won’t serve you unless you have wheels. Get the Del Scorcho sauce — the mild is tasteless.

The Original Pantry
You haven’t lived Tech until you eat here. They open for breakfast at 3 on weekdays, 4 on Saturday and Sunday. The waiters are amazing — Miguel remembers your name and your favorite drink, and brings it to you instantly upon arrival. The hot cakes are large enough to make a meal in themselves. All breakfast comes with a side of potatoes, and their orange juice is fresh and powerful. Make sure and order the number 4.

Norm’s
This place serves breakfast all night. Their big special is the “bigger better breakfast”, which will run you $2.99, and believe me it’s worth every penny. They also serve full meals if you’re so inclined, complete with dessert. The claw machine in the front is kinda cool. Watch for the lady who wears too much makeup, she likes to hit on Terry whenever we go.

Carrow’s
You go for the chocolate milk. Free refills, and they mix it fresh in the back, so you can see the brown goo on the bottom of your glass. The food is OK, and they don’t get too upset if you make an utter fool out of yourself. Like Norm’s, it’s very easy to get to by car.

Far Tommy’s
You want chili, you come here. Known throughout mankind and Blacker Hovey for its unsavory dedication to pain, the “Triple Threat” can take down even the most hearty of adventurers. Located in the ghetto, Tommy’s has provided late-night nourishment to generations of hungry Techers. The negative-time Tommy’s run is a tradition, carried out on the autumnal equinox.

Jack in the Box
It’s close. They won’t give you food unless you have a car, so make friends with an upperclassman. Their Oreo cookie shakes are excellent, and the rest of it is OK for being fast food. The Frensho Jack is only $0.99, and two or three will satisfy cravings. Not as good or as greasy as ‘In ‘N Out.

In ‘N Out
Only open until 1 (1:30 on Friday and Saturday), but the fries are great. The ever popular “double-double” cheeseburger is only $2.30. It has the advantage of being very close, and the food is OK for the amount you’ll pay for it, especially the numbered orders.

Cantor’s
Located in Hollywood, Cantor’s is a Jewish deli. If you’re loud when you come in, they’ll sit you way in the back, where you get to see behind the partition into the kitchen area. If you go at the right time, all the freaks go there after they get done chubbing. The food is authentic, if not as delicious as what you could get elsewhere in the country. The portions are a good size, though a bit expensive.

Jerry’s
If you ever need food at 4 AM and don’t mind a bit of a walk, Jerry’s will be open. It has the advantage of being a walk-in restaurant, which is nice if you don’t mind paying more than you would for fast food. The portions are large, but it’s a little pricey. If you’re into sports, they have a ticker on the wall near the bar.

“Love Sucks” at Caltech
by CHERYL FOREST

As if there wasn’t enough bitterness in the world, Tech’s two a cappella groups hosted the first annual “Love Sucks at Tech” concert this past Saturday. Four other groups joined the Treble Makers and Epiphonema in the Avery dining hall. The Stylodogos from Claremont opened with the haunting “Without you,” written and sung by one of the group’s members. Next up were the USC Hangovers, who will best be remembered by this reviewer for their cover of the Bob’s “Banana Love,” complete with animal-inspired sound effects and choreography. Tech’s own Treble Makers finished out the first half with songs ranging from the sassy “Trash” to the melancholy “Yesterday.”

The USC SoCal VoCals, fresh from winning the Regional level of the National Championship of College A Cappella, opened the second half of the show with incredible enthusiasm. The VoCals version of “Ironic” was deemed to be better than the original, and the choreography in “I’m the Only One” included a male member of the audience who rose to the occasion (inexperienced Techer by day, exotic male dancer by night...). Pandora’s Vox, a four-month-old group out of Claremont, performed an eclectic mixture of songs that spanned from folk to 10,000 Maniacs. Epiphonema, Tech’s male a cappella group, closed the show with such numbers as the House Jacks’ “Gone” and the “Masochism Tango.” The Treble Makers joined Epiphonema on stage for the final song: the classical masterpiece “Since You’ve Been Gone,” by “Weird Al” Yankovic.

The Treble Makers and Epiphonema will next perform at Decompression. If you are interested in becoming a part of Caltech’s a cappella scene, please write to treble@ecos@epiphonema.ucsc.
Out of Actions

There's an amazing, vast new exhibition at the Museum of Contemporary Art in downtown Los Angeles, and the general feeling amongst the group was that perhaps most are worth more than a passing glance. And even the (very helpful) tour guide was only able to mention the inherent absurdity of taking art off the wall and placing it in a museum, trying to revitalize the stuff since then just isn't as good as the stuff of the 1960s. The very nature of action art is to make us question the arrogance of the exhibit in recognizing such events that happened around the art community, but failing to note similar events taking place in the music world or society as a whole --- surely collective experiences such as Ken Kesey's "Acid Tests", or the S. F. Mime Troupe's "action art" are worthy of note. And even the (very helpful) tour guide was honest enough to admit that not all of the artists were very effective in conveying their messages.

Nevertheless I encourage you all to come down to the building at 1st and San Pedro Streets and check it out for yourselves. There are enough individual pieces on display to warrant multiple visits, and, furthermore, this exhibition is quite a lot of fun. The very nature of the action art encourages interactivity, and taking a guided tour fosters discussion and provides fascinating background information on the works presented.

Vacky Grammy Fun

So, Wednesday night I watched the Grammys, sort of. While the TV was on. I was typing on the computer and listening to Apath Twin while the Grammys went by with the mute on. As always, few of my favorites won, and the ones that did didn't get on stage. What follows are a few choice bizarre moments I'm glad I turned the sound back on for:

• The Old Dirty Bastard from the Wu-Tang Clan grabs the microphone as Shawn Colvin walks on stage and basically tells the world, "Yes, I am completely nude!"

• With the camera in a close-up of 12-year-old drummer Zac Hanson during his band's performance of "MMM-Bop," he fumbles with his headset and drops a drumstick.

• "Skinny white girl Paula Cole inexplicably ends her performance of "Where Have All the Cowboys Gone?" with a Fat Boys-style human beatbox routine. [Bullet] Actor Mike Myers presents an R&B award at the Ash Wednesday ceremony wearing ashes on his forehead.

• Bob Dylan performs, looking as pasty as Tiny Tim. In the middle of the song, a shirtless guy with the words "Soy Bomb" painted on his chest jumps onto the middle of the stage and writhes about for a while like a beaknik doing a bad impression of a snake. The Recording Academy president was awfully apologetic; I thought it was hilarious.

by Adam Villani

Porno Man and Insect Woman: The Films of Shohei Imamura

Winner of his second Palme d'Or at Cannes last year, Japanese director Shohei Imamura is one of my favorite directors. His raw movies concern people removed from the sterile society of mainstream Japan, either in isolated groups, or as individuals forced to create their own sets of mores. UCLA is currently holding a retrospective of his work, beginning last week with his 1983 Cannes winner The Ballad of Narayama and continuing through March 17.

Highlights include this Saturday's tale of female self-preservation The Insect Woman, Sunday's black comedy The Pornographers, and the closing night's epic triumph of irrationality over progress The Profound Desire of the Gods. Prepare yourself to be drawn into a world of extreme behavior, absolute conviction, and animal carnality. For information call (310)206-8014 or (310)206-8015 for a recording. Arrive early; the theatre is hard to find, and it's $5.00 for parking nearby.

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of something or other, all duties which were quickly taken care of by the student head manager. Since being managed by a non-student, namely Ms. Armas, the Coffeehouse has had a higher incidence of all of these problems, pointing to a general ineptness or isolation from the work.

One of the most noticeable changes is that of the interior design of the Coffeehouse. What once was eclectic and indicative of the student population of "Tech, was replaced with sterile faux 50's furniture and wall coverings. The new appearance of the Coffeehouse has done much to thwart its overall popularity. Those who came for atmosphere, no longer have an atmosphere to come for, at least not one worth the effort of walking to the SAC.

However, the change in appearance is not the chief agent of destruction for this institution. The Coffeehouse was once much more than a convenient place to order cheese-dix. It was a social center. There was comfort in knowing that there was a student-based management who felt responsible to the student body, not to a budget plan. Ideas and changes to the Coffeehouse were based on the ideas of the students that frequented the Coffeehouse, not the whims of those who claim to have our best interests at heart.
I BELIEVE IT'S WHAT'S INSIDE A PERSON THAT COUNTS. NOT HOW YOU LOOK OR WHAT YOU WEAR. HOW CAN YOU GET RESPECT FOR HIDDEN QUANTITIES?

I'VE BEEN HEARING THAT THE QUALITY OF A GADGET IS AS IMPORTANT AS THE QUALITY OF THE CLOCKS.

SO, YOU RECOMMEND BEING A DECENT MANUFACTURER, MANUFACTURING AS MANY CLOCKS AS POSSIBLE.

I PLACE THE CURSE OF DOGBERT ON ALL MY FUTURE SALES.

I THINK I SAW WALLY FUNK.

IT'S FREEZING OUTSIDE, WE ARE NOT A COUPLED COUPLES. THERE WERE TIMES, I'M THINKING ABOUT IT AND I DON'T HAVE TIME TO READ THE MESSAGE, EVEN IF IT'S A BRIEF POSTAGE DELAY. I'M GENERATING AS MANY CLUES AS POSSIBLE.

IF YOU DON'T HAVE A BIRTHDAY CARD, YOU TAKE IT AS A SIGN OF YOUR OWN DEVELOPMENT.

I THINK I HAVE A GREAT IDEA. WILL GET CLOSER, NOT THOUGHT.

LOOK AT ME, MOTHER! I'M Crying, WHAT CAN I DO?

DID YOU KNOW THERE'S ALSO A GARAGE MAINTENANCE CURSE FOR PEOPLE WHO SEND CHAIN LETTERS?

NEAT OR ON "20/20," JOHN STOSSEL, YOU TOLD US THE STORY.

NAH! AFTER THE COMMERCIAL, I WILL GET USEFUL INFORMATION. FOR PEOPLE LIKE ME!

WELL, WELL, WELL, IT SEEMS MY OLD NEIGHBORS, YOUR SISTERS, HAVE BEEN BUSY.

I HATE THIS STRONG JOB MARKET FOR ENGINEERS!

YOU'RE PROUD OF ME, OR WHAT?

Catering & Delivery (5 orders or more)

If you like Thai food, you'll love our Vietnamese Cuisine! Free Soft Drink with purchase and a student ID.

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I DON'T THINK IT'S WORKING.

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STUDENT ACTIVITIES CENTER (SOUTH HOUSES)

Employment Opportunities email gina@ccoc.edu

Located in the Student Activities Center (South Houses)

Know the combo!
# Men's Club Volleyball crushes competition in undefeated season

by Scott Van Essen

Rolling over all who stand in their way, the Caltech Men's Club Volleyball team has made a mockery of those who would claim that strength of body and spirit are out of the realm of the strong of mind.

The team opened its home season against Whittier on Valentine's Day.

In the first game, middle blockers Luis Saenz and Andete Bogoriti dominated the middle and opposite Mike Machczynski had Whittier on their knees with his powerful front and back row attacks. Setter Joe White kept the Whittier defense guessing with his creative setting, allowing two to three zero victories against La Sierra College and Whittier attack. Caltech took the first game 15-3. In game 2, Whittier began to lose focus, and Steve Sears took advantage of it with a series of excellent serves which took the team to an early 9-0 lead. Whittier fought back, but with the substitution of Scott Van Essen at middle and Joel Jones at outside hitter, they were unable to keep up, and Tech took the second game 15-6.

In game 3, Caltech again took control. Whittier was unable to effectively run its offense to the middle attacker, allowing Tech to get double blocks on almost every attack, while the speed of the Caltech middles allowed Joe White to isolate his attackers against the defense. Caltech was finally able to finish them off 15-10. Two three to zero victories against La Sierra College and Occidental College brought their record for the season to 5-0. At a tournament on Saturday at Pomona-Pitzer the team fought a very strong second place finish, beating teams from Biola, Occidental, and Pomona-Pitzer in pool play, and LACL in the semi-finals, ultimately losing in the finals to the same Biola team which the Beavers had defeated in the first round of pool play.

On Saturday the 28th, at 3 PM in Brown Gymnasium, the Beavers look to continue their undefeated streak against a Los Angeles City College team looking to comeback from their semi-final loss at Pomona-Pitzer tournament.

Future Matches and scores can be found on the Men's Club Volleyball Web Site at http://www.cec.caltech.edu/~shall/VB/home.html

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## New director of Office of Public Events appointed

Caltech Press Release

PASADENA-The California Institute of Technology is pleased to announce the appointment of Denise Nelson Nash as the new director of the Office of Public Events, effective February 17. She replaces Jerry Willis, who passed away last July.

"We're so pleased to have someone of Denise's caliber join the Caltech staff," says Robert O'Ronke, Caltech's associate vice-president for institute relations. "She brings with her talent and expertise that will enhance our public events operation. I look forward to working with her."

Nash comes to Caltech with long experience in the arts community. Although she has most recently worked as a consultant, she was executive director of the Cultural Planning Division of the city of Pasadena from 1991 to 1997. As director, she created comprehensive programs of communications, marketing, public relations, special events, and protocol for cultural, entertainment, and sports events for the city of Pasadena. She has managed and directed large groups of employees, independent contractors, and volunteers.

Previously she was director of the School of Performing and Visual Arts for Plaza de la Raza in Los Angeles. Nash has an impressive history of volunteer experience with programs in the Pasadena and San Gabriel Valleys, areas including, the Pasadena Robinson Memorial Project, the Pasadena Emmy Awards Program, the Pasadena Football Hall YWCA, and the Pasadena Children's Eco-Arts Festival.

Nash earned a BA from Scripps College in Claremont and an MFA from the University of Michigan. She lives in San Marino with her husband, James, and their two children.

As director of the Office of Public Events, Nash will oversee the presentation of Caltech's annual public events season and the operation of the campus' activities (Bonnec and Ramsey Auditoriums along with Deane Lounge) and the audio visual services unit. In addition, she will represent Caltech at and in a variety of local, state, regional, and national arts and governmental organizations.

The California Institute of Technology is a small, independent university that carries on instruction in science and engineering for a student body of approximately 900 undergraduates and 1,000 graduate students. With an outstanding faculty, including three Nobel laureates, and many off-campus facilities such as the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Palomar Observatory, and the W. M. Keck Observatories, Caltech is one of the world's major research centers, focusing on areas in which it has the facility and faculties to excel.

## Baseball's Spring Training Begins

by Mason A. Porter

It is once again the time of year when one's heart turns to the important things in life. I refer of course to baseball. Spring training began last week, as the rest of every baseball team joined the pitchers and catchers who had reported in the middle of February.

This year has brought some changes in Major League Baseball. Two new baseball teams—the Arizona Diamondbacks and Tampa Bay Devil Rays—will be debuting this year. Additionally, the Milwaukee Brewers have moved to the National League, which is now contains 16 teams. The American League has 14 teams.

This looks to be an exciting year, although some things can still be done to improve the game and its hierarchy. Bud Selig has been the 'interim' commissioner for several years, the wild card and interleague play persist, and many team sales are still pending.

In just over a month, the 1998 baseball season will be. Look for a preview of in The California Tech in the beginning of next term.
Fencing wraps up strong season with numerous victories

"Take out your aggression by attempting to place 35 inches of cold steel into your opponent's heart..."

by Andrea McColl

Caltech fencing has a tradition, a tradition unique among Caltech sports. Caltech fencing wins.

This season was no exception to the tradition. Coached by George Clovis, and containing 18 fencers, the fencing team conquered the opposition.

Of the five teams (men's foil, epee, and sabre; women's foil, epee, and sabre) in the region overall, men's and women's foil took third, and men's foil placed sixth. Overall, all the men ranked third, and the women came in second.

"[The women's foil victory] may very well be the first conference championship won by any women's team in any sport in Caltech history," said Dan Daniel Bridges, director of Caltech athletics.

Fencing as a sport is subdivided into three weapons: foil, epee, and sabre. In foil fencing, the purpose is to bring the point of the weapon in contact with the opponent's torso, scoring a "touch." For epee, point contact can be made with any part of the body. Sabre touches are made above the waist by either the point or the edge of the blade.

For all three weapons, bouts are fought on long, rectangular strips, usually to five touches. Electric devices are usually used to aid in scoring. Rankings are determined based on four factors - victories received, defeats received, touches received, and indicators. Indicators are calculated by subtracting the number of touches received from the number of touches given. The higher the indicators, the better a fencer is doing.

There are six teams in the Southern California Intercolligate Athletic Conference who fence NCAA Division I: Caltech, CSU, UCLA, USC, UCSD, and USC. The Techs met each of these teams twice during the course of the season. Additionally, the Caltech team fenced against Stanford and Northwestern, though the results of that tournament did not count towards overall standings.

On an individual basis, Caltech fencers also scored well. Male sabreur Yaxen Fan tied for first place, though his final standing was second by 11 indicator points. Woman foilist Emma Goldberg finished the season ranked in second place, with her teammates Kristie Armentrout in a close third, Adrienne Bourque in eighth, and Keldja Bega in eleventh.

Men's sabre ended with Cory Loonis in third place, Jorge Palamar in tenth, and Nathan Stein in seventeenth. Despite difficult opposition, men's foil managed to have two of their fencers, Dan Hennessey and Joe Cook, place in the top eight, with Zhao Huang, who is likely to be next year's foil captain, placing in sixteenth.

Although men's epee had only one returning fencer, all placed within the top twenty. Wes Salzillo came in sixth, Ben Soleciki and Eric Tuttle in thirteenth and fourteenth, respectively, and Tim Elling in eighteenth.

The women epeists, struggling with the loss of several key team members early in the season, still managed to score well. Jane Garrity placed sixth and Andrea McColl placed twelfth.

All team members are looking forward to an even more successful season next year, a prospect which is extremely promising. Only four fencers are graduating - Hennessey, Armentrout, Palamar, and Saizillo - leaving the composition of the team much the same. However, they are still looking for new fencers, and invite anyone with interest to try out for the team.

The fencers are also looking for submissions for a t-shirt design and a team cheer.

The team has one more tournament remaining in the season: Western Regionals, to be held at Stanford on March 6th and 7th.

"We're looking forward to continuing the [winning] trend at Regionals," said Hennessey.

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The California Tech Scholarship applications for 1998-99 are now available through the Jewish Vocational Service (JVS) and the Jewish Community Foundation (JCF). The funds are intended to provide a limited amount of financial aid for needy college students who are legal and permanent residents of Los Angeles County. Scholarships are not available to college freshmen. A minimum 2.5 GPA is required. Applications can be obtained until March 1, 1998, from Jewish Vocational Service, 5750 Wilshire Blvd., 2nd Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90036. Deadline for submission of completed applications is April 15, 1998.

The American Electroplaters and Surface Finishers Society is offering scholarships to undergraduate juniors and seniors and graduate students who are interested in careers in the electroplating and surface finishing industry. Undergraduates must be full-time, matriculated students in a college or university, majoring in metalurgy, materials science or engineering, chemical engineering, or environmental engineering. Applications must be submitted by April 13, 1998.

The Jewish Family and Children's Services offers financial support for Jewish individuals and their families. Individuals may apply for up to $5,000. Special scholarships are available for study in Israel. Eligible students must have financial need, have at least a 3.0 G.P.A., and be residents of San Francisco, the Peninsula, Marin or Sonoma counties, or the Bay Area. There are no deadlines—applications are accepted throughout the year and are available in the Financial Aid Office.

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The history of the present Queen Bitch of the S.A.C. is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the destruction of this Coffeehouse. To prove this, let Facts be submitted to a candid Laws for the accommodation of large districts of people, unless those people would relinquish the right of Representation in the Legislature, a right inseparable to them and formidable to tyrants only. She has called together leg- whereby the Culinary powers, incapable of Annihilation, have returned to the Houses at large for their exercise; the Coffeehouse remaining in the meantime exposed to all the dangers of invasion from without, and consusions within.

She has made Waiters de- pendent on her Will alone, for the tenure of their offices, and the amount and payment of their salaries.

She has eliminated a multi- tude of Offices, and sent hither swarms of Rats to harass our people, and eat out their sub- stance.

She has affected to render the Administration independent of and superior to the Student power.

She has combined with others to subject us to a jurisdic- tion foreign to our constitua- tion and unacknowledged by our laws; giving her Assent to their

Acts of pretended Legisla- tion

For cutting off our Trade with all parts of the world.

For imposing Taxes on us without our Consent.

For taking away our Music, abolishing our most valuable Traditions and altering fundamentally the Forms of our Entertain- ment.

For suspending our own Employees, and declaring themselves invested with power to legislate for us in all cases whatsoever.

She has plundered our freezers, ravaged our Fridges, burnt our food, and destroyed the lives of our people.

She is at this time transport- ing large Armies of foreign Mercenaries to complete the works of death, desolation and tyranny, already begun with cir- cumstances of cruelty and fer- fidly secretly paralleled in the most barbarous ages, and to- tally unworthy the Head of a civiliz- ed restaurant.

She has constrained our fellow Waiters taken Captive to bear Arms against their Col- leagues, to become the execu- tioners of their friends and Brethren; or to fall themselves by their Hands.

An Administrator, whose character is thus marked by every act which may define an in- competent, is unfit to be the ruler of a free student body.

Nor have We been wanting in attentions to our Administr- ative brethren.

We have warned them from time to time of attempts by their agents to extend an unwarrant- able jurisdiction over us.

We have reminded them of the circumstances of our emigra- tion and settlement here.

They too have been deaf to the voice of justice and of con- sagnourity. We must, therefore, acquiesce in the necessity, which denounces our Separation, and hold them, as we hold the rest of mankind, Enemies in War, in Peace Friends.

We, therefore, the Coffee- house of Caltech, in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions, do, in the Name, and by the authority of the good Stu- dents of this Institute, solemnly publish and declare:

That this Coffeehouse is, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent; that they are Absolved from all Allegiance to the Caltech Administration, and that all connection between it and the Caltech Administration is and ought to be totally dis- solved; and that as a Free and Independent Coffeehouse, it has full Power to grill Burgers, fry Cheese- Stix, prepare Sand- wiches, mix Shots., and do all other Acts and Things which Independent Restaurants may of right do. And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm re- solution of the protection of De- vine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our Lives, our Fortunes, and our sacred Honor.

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She has refused for a long time, after such dissolutions, to cause others to be hired;
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Kohl on House Elections

Ah, the birds are blooming, the flowers are singing, and the smell of crushed egos is in the air. It's the end of another glorious election season, and time for us to reflect upon the particularly down-home-brand of political back-stabbing that only occurs in groups as small and close-knit as our Houses.

Actually, recalling my stints in House offices) these folks have committed to sacrifice their time in service to their House in exchange for rewards as piddly as roompoles. They don't deserve to be tanned en masse by the unpleasant business of politics; they deserve our thanks. So here goes thanks.

Especially big thanks go out to Eric, Miles, Joanne, Andy, Lisa, Mike, and Jeremiah — these brave souls have volunteered to represent their Houses on the IHC (a non-trivial task, what with Jeopardy branding the whip and Crisco(, and to give us restless souls something to hang (and someone to pester during rotation). Now, if only Avery had a visible representative...
In memory of Janie Wolfe.

The Third Testicle

One day, a man discovered a third testicle on his person. Not knowing what to make of such a bizarre bodily development, he called up his doctor and set up an appointment for its inspection. Later, in the hospital, the man was referred to a certain Dr. Emroy who was a tympanist. You see, Dr. Emroy is a blossomstone household with huge capital B's, so you must excuse his reaction. Indeed, Dr. Emroy was not amused. He ran down and stare at the bright light while she inspected. After a bit of poking and prodding, she remarked, "Oh dear, what a tumor this is!" And then she told him, "I'll remove it right now, it'll be painless." She then fed him some medicine that made everything south of his tonso go numb. Then, she bound his legs to the inspection table. A few minutes afterwards, there was a dull thud that shook his entire body. Curiously, he looked down at his groin area and saw Dr. Emroy holding up a pair of legs. Then, helplessly watched her chuck the legs into a trash can. The poor fellow shouted, "What the hell have you done to my legs?"

To this, Dr. Emroy responded, "Tear. I'm not actually any kind of doctor. Here have two kids. Giggle, snicker." Then, she concurred on the head with a knee-mallet and promptly left the scene.

The Substitute Teacher

One sunny day in a nondescript classroom on a nondescript day, Mrs. Hortwell got a big fat heart attack and died in front of her 38 charges. Needless to say, the kids were very disturbed by this event. The next day, another substitute teacher, the name of Mr. Jones was summoned to take over her teaching duties. Mr. Jones talked with the class about the event yesterday and tried to refresh their minds by making them feel comfortable with the subject of mortality. The kids had many questions, but one asked by little Veronica, who later spoke to Mr. Jones. "So, if people die all the time and you say that is normal, is it ok for somebody to kill her self?" Mr. Jones replied "No child, it is not ok for someone to kill themselves." And then he went on to explain the taboo. At the end of the school day, most of the children were more peace with the subject of mortality. Most, except quiet little Veronica. Mr. Jones had a small talk with Veronica to make sure she wasn't suicidal and found her to be at risk, but not directly so. The next day, only 37 chil dren showed up to class. Little Veronica was missing that day. Mr. Jones was somewhat dis turbed by her absence and de cided to investigate when recess rolled around. Class went normally then Mr. Jones took their vocabulary test and so on and so forth. Then, just be fore recess, an angry fellow clutched a brown paper bag standing in the classroom. He shook his fists at Mr. Jones and angrily spluttered "You! What kind of fucking idiot are you to tell these kids that dying is ok for people die all the time?" Mr. Jones was shocked. "Oh, please sir, not in front of the kids..." But he was interrupted with "Oh no, try to please te aching without squat! Look here..." He reached into the paper bag and pulled out a small heart and held it in front of Mr. Jones's face. "This...this is the result...the consequence of your foul talk. This was my Veronica's sweet heart! But look, it thumps no longer. This morning, I found her dead...with her heart sitting next to her...sob." The man was breaking down. He shook his head sadly and tears swelled in his eyes. Everyone else in the classroom looked up at Mr. Jones. When he turned to look at Ruddock, Mr. Jones was at a total loss. Suddenly Mr. Simms stopped shaking his head in sorrow and pointed with the heart. "You! You will pay for this you stupidmotherfucker!" Mr. Jones meekly responded "Oh, please sir, not here?" Mr. Simms pulled a bloody knife from the bag and waved it in the air. "You will die, by the same means that my daughter took her life!" said he. And then Mr. Jones proceeded to gut poor Mr. Jones from the back of his rectum in front of his 37 charges.

Ah, poor children, those that just sat there and watched the whole epilogue. Poor Mr. Jones, who shall never breathe again. And poor Mr. Simms. If only he realized in time that the heart and knife were part of a sick practical joke, engineered by mischievous little Veronica who was now watching cartoons at home.

One tip is: always bring a towel.

"The Ten Top Reasons Why Lisa Biswal Could Kick Jeremiah Smith's Ass"

10) CBE 103 is a lot easier than EE 52
9) Lisa can outdrink Jeremiah any day of the week (as long as it's not Friday)
8) Jeremiah doesn't get to wear protective catcher gear
7) Lisa eats Ruds for breakfast
6) Ruds eat out other Rudds for lunch and dinner
5) Jeremiah = Superman, but don't be kryptonite
4) Ukrainian Mafia? No! Yeeehaa
3) Lisa challenged him in Warcraft
2) Buttafucio, Buttafucio, Buttafucio
And the number one reason why Lisa could easily kick Jeremiah's Ass: Jeremiah's brother got all the good looks in the family AND all the kung-fu fighting skills.
It's a hot day in Death Valley. You have stopped at the local Pavilions for a cool, refreshing iced tea in the shade. Unbeknownst to you, your car has become an inferno as the severe equatorial sun beats down on your closed car windows. The temperature rises to above 85 degrees Celsius as your baby's blood begins to boil and your precious child is slowly and painfully desiccated.

Screaming, your offspring writhes in the car seat trying in fervent yet futile desperation to unfasten the straps which ironically would have saved its life should you have been in a car accident. However, due to your thoughtlessness your child is now dead and quickly becoming baby jerky. May God have mercy on your soul.

Every year, hundreds of thousands of children just like yours and the one pictured above have been accidentally and viciously murdered by their parents. Prevention is the key! If you are going to leave your car in a parking lot for a long period of time, be sure to take your baby with you! If you're a veredict bastard and are going into a gun-banned action S&K gun at least leave a razor blade with him so he doesn't need to go through the pain of being fried alive the might even be able to get their way out of the safety seat and beat his soft, adorable little head against the safety glass of passers-by to see. Don't become a statistic. And if you really do want baby jerky, be sure to salt the little tyke first, it really improves the consis-

cency.

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