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Suffolk's Best Kept Secret

By Nancy Sodano

"This team is Suffolk's best kent secret," said Coach Dennis Franczak at the end of the first half of Saturday's game versus Worcester State. The Pame finished the game with an impressive 3-1 win at Harvard's Smith Field Suffolk's "home" field. Suffolk is currently on a three-game winning streak, holding a record of

After the game, the players showed their excitement about the rest of the season. "Suffolk has never played like this in the years I've been here." anid Tatsua Nagasue, a senior defender "There's a lot of defensive and midfield improvement. We're playing as a unit."

Captained by senior Phil Falzone, Suffolk soccer began the season with a tough 2-0 loss to Curry College in the Curry Cup. The next day, Suffolk came back with vengeance and destroyed Emerson 5-0. Suffolk was the second place winner in the tournament which consisted of teams from Curry College, Emerson College, and Worrester State College Suffolk's own Joao Pereira was the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

seem confident in the future of the program.

season. "Hey, we're 3-1. We have more wins now than we did in the entire season last year," said Franczak, referring to Suffolk's mere two wins

Joseph Meola, a freshman forward, said, "If we can get our stuff together, we can be a great team."

Lothy T" Jeudy, one of the Ram's midfielder/forwards, stated that the team is diverse with players from all parts of the world. "It can be our strength as well as our weakness, because we have good skills, but different personalities. If we can utilize the diversity, we can definitely go all the way."

As a whole, the team would like more support from the school as far as fan attendance is concerned. Ryan Schrier, a sophomore defender, said this: "Come see us play!" Suffolk meets Nichols College on 9/29 and Framingham State College on 10/1. Both games will be played at Smith

On the outlook of the season, however freshman midfielder Heal Mackenzie said it hest: "Suffalk

Nancy is a '94 Suffolk graduate and a current student of communica-The players and coaches alike tions in the university's masters



Work stoppage looms Around the Campus over NHL, NBA

By Ryan Foley

Where one leads, others will follow. First we had our national nastime null the plug on their splendid season, and now both hockey and basketball stand to possibly follow suit. We may see an autumn season where clips of business-style board meetings could replace the highlights transpiring on our fields, courts, and rinks. Welcome to the 90's snorts fans, where labor action outshines play action, and fan nation is held

For the NHL, the deadline is October 1st, opening skate for most teams in the league. If there is no collective bargaining agreement in place by Saturday, Commissioner Gary Bettman has stated his intentions to indefinitely postpone the 94-95 season. Lockout may not be the best moniker; "freeze-out" is better suited, for the puck stops here kids.

Meanwhile, in the NBA, training camps are scheduled to open in two weeks, while the threat of a possible owner's lockout looms. Similar to the NHL, the NBA is in dire need of a new collective bargaining agreement. The league's Board of Governors are set to go to the meeting table

By Ryan Foley

suffered three setbacks this past week at the hands of Simmons College (0-9), Albertus Magnus College (2-7), the women's cross-country team is still in search of additional runners. Coach Joe Walsh can be reached through the Athletic Department for

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Student Input Essential to Complete Diversity Policy Implementation

By Paul Korn SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

During this fall semester, students from all three schools at Suffolk University will be invited to reaction/feedback sessions to assist President David Sargent and Assistant to the President, Dr. Sharon Artis-Jackson, in creating a relevant and realistic diversity plan for the university. The stated goal of this plan is to create a multicultural campus that women to be future leaders and citizens who can function effectively in an evolving, pluralistic and increas-

Day and evening students, fulland part-time students, undergraduate and graduate students, all will be invited to review the Diversity Policy statement which was approved by the Board of Trustees and the Administrative Council in November. 1993. Students also will be asked to contribute their feedback on the draft folk University: Rebuilding a Diverse

President Sargent has created a Diversity Task Force to oversee the feedback process and revise the planning document based on respo from the Suffolk Community. The Diversity Task Force is convened by Dr. Artis-Jackson, and includes 26 people who were appointed by the President and who represent staff,

Sciences, the School of Managemen and the Law School.

The current efforts of President Sargent and the Diversity Task Force are a result of five-year concerted commitment to create a campus which welcomes people from a wide variety of backgrounds, which envisions education that is inclusive of multiple perspectives, and which is proactive in its efforts to achieve these goals. When this process is completed, the Diversity Policy Statement and the Diversity Plan will provide to all members of the Suffolk community guidelines that will assist in program planning, curriculum destudent services, and resource allo During this semester, studen

will be invited to read the draft planning document and participate in small gorup discussions with Diversity Task Force members. The following groups have been contacted already: Student Orientation staff, dent Government Association, a num ber of studnet organizations, and student in sections of relevant courses

Discussion groups have been cheduled for Thursday, October 6, at 1:00 to 2:00, in Archer 401 and Tuesday, October 11 at 1:00 to 2:00 in Sawyer 421. All students who have read the planning document are welcome. Those interested can RSVP to the Student Activities Office 573administrators, faculty and students 8320, if they plan to attend. More from the College of Liberal Arts and discussion groups will be scheduled.



Ballotti Learning Center staff, Stu-Mark Di Fraia Chosen As Temporary Parlimentarian

By Anthony N. Anzalone
JOURNAL STAFF

Mark Di Fraia, President of the Class of 1997 and Executive Secretary of SGA was chosen as Teporary Parlimentarian at the October 4 Student Government Association meet ing. Mike Trottier, SGA Secretary moved to accept Di Fraia as Temporary Parlimentarian until the position can be filled permenantly.

Erika Christenson, SGA President, cited the fact that according to the SGA constitution, a Parlimentarian needed to be chosen by now, thus necessitating this move. A vote was taken and the motion was passed with one abstention

We are trying to fill ten posi tions on SGA. We're waiting to offer the permenant position to someone that does not get elected," Christenson told the Journal."It's very difficult to fill the position because the person has to be very well versed in Parlimentary procedure, and that's

Leadership for Life series continues: Recruitment and retention Di Fraia told the Journal that he "very comfortable with the posi-

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Inside the Journal The Club Scene

Levden appointed new Lady Rams coach

One of many changes concerning the Suffolk women's basketball team occurred this past summer, with the naming of Edward F. Leyden as the Lady Rams new head coach

Leyden, a proven winner in both the high school and college ranks, coached at Revere High School from 1982-1989 where he was the Greater Boston League's Coach of the Year for three years running.

In 1989, he began a tenure at Reading Memorial High School that lasted four years, until he commenced coachine at Tufts University this past pasketball season. He is also presient of the Eastern New England Impires Association and is a fulltics teacher at Revere

med Coach of the Year by Massachusetts Basketball Coaches Association (1987 and 1988) and the Boston Globe's 1988 Coach of the Year

In 1967, he graduated from Boston College High School before moving on to the University of Massaetts, where he received a bachelor of arts degree in 1971. Four years later he earned a master's from Boston State College. His other coaching duties include being head coach of the Massachusetts Amateur Athletic Union and the Bay State

In the announcement of Levden's installation on August 23rd, Athletic Director James E. Nelson had nothing but praise for his new employee. We are delighted to welcome an individual of Ed Leyden's talents," Nelson said. "He brings excellent credentials to his position and we his appointment as a definite plus to our women's basketball

and Endicott College (1-6). Despite the streak of losses, Nancy Glennon, a junior from Quincy, and last year's "most improved" player, continues to be one of Suffolk's ton players....Mike DeBenedictis, a Malden junior, hit an 81 to lead Suffolk in the first round of the Little Four. The varsity golf team's next match will be tomorrow at W.P.I. as they continue play in the tournaat 1:00....Women's intra-mural volnized teams. If you are interested, extension 8379. Currently, the women's volleyball club is shooting for varsity status by '95....Cross-country news: at the St. Anselm's Invitational in New Hampshire on Saturday, various newcomers turned in stellar performances on both the men's and women's sides. Kristin McMillan, Dan Burke, and Charley uskus all were impressive in their rookie debuts. On a side note,

By Michael R. Morrill The Leadership for Life series

continued on Saturday, September 24, with a session on organ recruitment and retention by Pierre Du Jardin, associate professor of nagement at Suffolk University.

The session produced by soph more John Smolinsky in conjunction with Lou Pellegrino of Student Activities, began with questions on why students seek out school organizations to join or lead. Answers centered on students increased social it. contact with the student hady along with gaining practical knowledge of how to lead and plan group events.

thusiasm for a group's cause in a visible manner to every possible

"Do not be afraid to take this siasm to the cafeteria, library, or to class a few minutes early," stressed Du Jardin. "If you are not nate about your group, it will difficult to get others excited about

Du lardin went on to say that a leader must provide a vision or cause which attracts members involvement Du Jardin expressed that effec- It must be something they believe tive recruitment must begin with a strongly in The success of the group leader's ability to convey their en- will be limited or propelled by this

Effective retention of new mem bers relies on a leader's ability to let every member feel they are contributing something positive towards the organization, believes Du Jardin.

LEADERSHIP

Many African-American Students Adjust to New Culture at Mostly White Colleges

By Marco Buscaglia College Press Service

When Keith Johnson entered Northern Illinois University in the fall of 1992, he didn't know quite what to expect. "I'd heard that the black students stuck with the black students and the white students stuck with the white students," he says, "I figured it would be no different from

But for Johnson, an African-American student from Chicago's South Side, that first semester was more different and difficult than he

"I was used to being in the majority in my neighborhood," Johnson says. "All my friends were black. most of my teachers were black, the guys I worked for were black. But at school. I was definitely in the minority. People-weren't really hostile to me or anything. It was just a lot harder to adjust than I thought itwould be "

After three semesters, Johnson returned to Chicago and began working, convinced that a college degree was no longer an attainable goal. Johnson's situation is similar to that of many black students who enter predominantly white universities. In fact, the percentage of black students who graduate from college is signifi-

cantly lower than that of their white basic preparation. finished college.

"When I started my freshmen year. I was determined to stick it out," says William Sherrod, who began taking classes at West Chester University of Pennsylvania in the fall of 1991. "I'm not making excuses, but it was a whole different world. I wasn't really ready for such a big

Sherrod left the school during the middle of the second semester. After taking some time off, he enrolled at a community college in Erie, Penn. He says he learned a lot from his West Chester experience and plans on enrolling at a large college sometime soon, "I don't think I was ready to make the commitment to my classes." he says. "I was counting on help from too many other people. Now I know I have to do more it on my gate.

According to some Sherrod's brief stay at a state college with a largely white student body could have been lengthened with some

to get them connected to the school '

Rene Anderson, an 18-year-old se-

Kansas City, didn't plan on attending

Missouri this fall but after witnessing

the school's recruiting pitch, she

the university treated black students

unfairly. He convinced black stu-

dents who were already on campus

to help attract other black students to

their school by hosting dinners for

largest cities. The university also

chartered buses from Kansas City

and St. Louis so applicants could get

The intention was to immerse the

visiting students in the undergradu-

ate culture of the Missouri campus,"

says Schroeder, "We wanted them to

Although the recruiting trips helped.

the biggest draw for the school was

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feel as comfortable as possible.

a feel for the campus.

vinced me to go."

U of Missouri Increases African-American Enrollment by 300 Percent for 1994-95 School Year

By Marco Buscaglia College Press Service

COLUMBIA, Mo. - For some time, University of Missouri has been try- nior at Southeast High School in ing to shed its "white school" image and attract more African-American students to its campus, say college officials. Yet, while more than 12 percent of the state's population is black, less than 4 percent of the land grant university's students are.

Until this year, efforts to change those numbers have largely failed throughout the past decade. However, thanks to a recruiting push and a \$1 million scholarship drive, this year's freshman class at the University of Missouri includes 310 African-American students - up more than 300 percent from 1993.

Last fall's freshman class, which totaled 2,940, had 97 black students, just 3.3 percent of the entire firstvear class. That was the low point in a 10-year struggle to add more minority students to the student body. Although the selfool had been cleared of charges of segregation in 1989 by the federal government, the low numbers did little to help dismiss its mostly

"We've always believed that there were a lot of African-American students who lived in the state that could benefit from a Missouri education," says Charles Schroeder, the miversity's vice chancellor. "But it took a while for the school to learn that recruiting students meant more than just sending someone a letter. It

counterparts. According to the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), 37 percent of all African-American students who enrolled as college freshmen in 1987 earned degrees. During that same period of time 50 percent of white students

Wanda Ruffin, assistant professor of psychology at Hood College in Frederick, Md., says that the sooner black students get involved as an active member of the student body, the faster they'll adjust to college life. "It's your college," says Ruffin. "You're not a guest at somebody else's party. Participate, don't segre-

While Williams suggests that African-American students join together to form support and study groups, he admits that the concept is not as simple as it sounds. "For some reason, black students don't want to get together to work on their academic problems," he says. "It's like we don't want to let each other know took a systematic and ongoing effort what we don't know '

"Black students never really learn

mostly white university," says Eu-

gene Williams, a recent graduate of

Emory University in Atlanta. "We

have a hard time dealing with the fact

that we're in such a blatant minor-

his experience, "The Raisin-in-Milk

Syndrome: Ten Survival Tips for

Black Students at Predominantly

White Universities," and hopes to

help other black students benefit from

his development. "College is col-

lege," he says, "If you find yourself

in a predominantly white institution.

you have to know what to do to need

Ruffin agrees. "Some African-American students, in their zeal to quiet stereotypes of academic inferiority, won't seek help from study groups or from their professors," she says. "Students have to remember changed her mind. 'They really made why they're here. Don't get so caught the extra effort," she says. "They had up in that 'black thing' that you ignore academic excellence"

a great presentation and really con-Still, Williams maintains that in-That "great presentation" was the clusion in any sort of campus organimain focus of an increased effort by zation is important. "Students need Missouri's chancellor Charles Kiesler to learn how to network to survive in to attract more black students to the this very competitive society," he says. "They need to belong to black Kiesler traveled to Kansas City and groups because of the brotherhood. St. Louis to speak to high school

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"Leaders must improve their listening skills and be responsive to member's suggestions," Du Jardin continued. "A member who feels they are not being heard or exerting the coping skills to make it in a any influence on the group may lose interest and leave "

A leader must not make promises members they cannot deliver Members need to feel the time they volunteer to the organization is fruit

Du Jardin summed up, "a leader who makes a big speech without delivering any tangible results, will lose credibility with the members. Achievable goals must be set within reasonable time limits with recognition for all who contribute."

The Leadership for Life series tinues on Thursday, October 20 with a session on effective advertising for organizations. For more information contact Lou Pellegrino at the Student Activities Office

It's a place where they can be totally honest. But other groups are important, too, because they can be fulfill ing as well. They are also good places to make contacts."

Margaret Bass, director of multicultural affairs at St. Lawrence University in Canton NV save that minority students need to have more realistic expectations when they enter larger universities. "Students must realize the limitations of their jostim tion," she says, "Some of their needs will not be met."

Williams says that black students are still victims of racism, both subtle and obvious, on campus. He personally recalls being questioned on a paper about a William Faulkner novel "My professor said I had plagiarized because the paper was 'too good." he says. "It was like I was unable to write a great paper on my own. She wanted to see all of my sources because she thought that the paper was 'too good' to come from a black

Starting this fall, black students at Penn State have a new support

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Forensics? That's Greek To Me

Forensics is a Greek word meaning "for the court", or "discovery". Webster's New Dictionary defines forensic as "Belonging to the courts courts or legal debate".

Here at Suffolk we have a nationally ranked Forensics Team. Currently, our Forensics is ranked number one in New England, the team is also ranked in the top twenty in the nation. Our team has won three national championships. This is quite an accomplishment when one has to consider that in the arena of Forensics there are no divisions, as in sporting events. The design of the national championships places Suffolk in competition against Ivy League schools such as Harvard, Yale, Dartmouth, and other top rated schools. Suffolk's wins should not be taken lightly, they are quite the accomplishment and should be source of pride to both the team and the Suffolk community

The team members participate in two different public speaking events: debate and individual events Suffolk debates both locally and nationally in Lincoln-Donglas Debate Students research and argue topics of serious contemporary significance.

This year the debate team is pres-

ently researching the welfare system of the U.S., evaluating the information eathered and recommending possible system changes in the system. Each of the schools debate teams

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will research this topic the whole team to victory in addition to Sarah ENROLLMENT year and will present and argue their Carroll include: Ed Harris, Gloria Continued from p views of the welfare system. After their presentations they will be subject to opponents analysis of their facts and suggestions. They will then be cross examined on points of contention. If you think courtroom drams is better than day time television you will enjoy observing these events.

The other sphere of Forensics is the Individual Events. These are competitions based on a sole performance by a team member. There are a wide range of Individual Events. These include: Poetry Interpretation, Prose Interpretation, Dramatic Duo Interpretation (two speakers interpret a selection from a play), Impromptu Speaking (a limited preparation event on an assigned topic), Extemporaneous Speaking (limited preparation event which asks speakers to discuss current events), Informative Speaking (Speakers present original speeches to inform), Persuasive Speaking (speakers try to persuade the audience to take action or change attitudes), After Dinner Speaking (a speech to entertain which includes a erious point), and Rhetorical Criticism (contestants examine some speech or other persuasive commu nication using a specific critical method). These are great events to watch if only to view possible future political leaders at work.

The Director of Debate is Sarah Carroll and the Director of Individual Events is Richard Kropp. The coaches who do so well to spur our debate

Roone and assistant coach Brian Greeley. The Individual Events coaches consist of Dr Gloria Boone John Adams, Annie Elliott, The Graduate Assistants for Individual Events are: Kristen Ciolkast, Zack Elliot, Meg Gossin. The current members of both Debate and Individual Events are: Tad Furtado, Russ Patten. Mary Cunningham, Karen Cole, Vicky Whalen, Chris Wilkens, Jenn Peterson, Kevin Connaly, Angelique Muller, Sharon Sundberg, and Kate

Team Schedule for Fall 1994 Se-

October 8-9 West Chester, Penn-

Plattsburg, New York

Suffolk University November 4-5 FMII Fastern Michi-

gan University November 12 NEA Northeastern

University, Boston December 2-3 Ohio State

This promises to be an exciting year for the forensics team. If you are interested in getting involved in any aspect of the team or would like to view any of the competitions call Sarah Carroll or Dick Kropp at 617/573-8236.

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the increase in financial aid made available to students. In total, Missouri officials planned to offer three times the amount of minority scholarships as it had the previous year. Missouri used more than \$1 million from its general scholarship fund to create more than 300 scholarships for black students. And financial awards were announced early, providing students with an added incen-

"The best students are going to go where they get the most attention." says Schroeder, adding that the new awards have not reduced scholarshins for other students "By increasing our attention to our students' needs, we were able to move toward a more diverse student body "

Fifty students will receive full scholarships at \$6,500 per year, while 235 others, including Anderson, accepted African-American Achievement Awards, which cover tuition and fees and are renewable for four years. Some marginal students will receive tuition scholarships and will be placed in a special program designed to help foster their academic growth.

While Schroeder says that school officials would eventually like to see African-Americans make up 10 percent of the entire student body, he knows that recruitment is one thing. getting students to stay in school is another

"We are trying to set up support systems for our new students. whether it's in the dorms, the classroom or in social organization." he says, "We want to establish longterm relationships with our students and their families." Anderson has already contacted her new roommate and is planning on a busy fall. "So far, they've made me feel really welcome so hopefully that will continue," she says. "I plan on doing a lot of things this semester, but I know I have to spend most of my time studying. That's alright, though, because

that's why I'm going to school."

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group in which to turn for help - the African-American Alumni Interest Group (AAAIG). "We're looking for ways to strengthen the ties between black American alumni and black American students at Penn State." says AAAIG president Donald Campbell "We want to enrich their college experience and enhance their career ontions

The group formed out of an African American Alumni conference establish a positive self image and last October, after Penn State graduates saw a need to help support the next generation of African-American students. But AAAIG members plan to be more than just the givers of advice for the school's black students. In fact, Campbell, who is president and CEO of Century Technologies, says the group has a number of goals. "We want to assist Pean State in the recruitment of African-American students, faculty and staff," he says. "We're hoping to get involved with financial aid as much as we can,

Johnson says one of the problems he had his freshman year was the additional burden of achieving success. "I felt like people were looking at me to see how black people did in general," he says. "I was in classes where there would be only three African-Americans. I felt like if I failed as the spokesperson for your group.

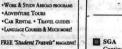
That additional pressure is often a problem for African-American students, and Wanda Ruffin says students should be prepared for it. "You may be perceived as representing your race and not yourself. Ignore that mandate. You are an individual not a race," she says, adding that she disputes critics who believe academic standards have been lowered for African-American students. "You must

Johnson also says that he was expected to be the "black voice" in some of his classes, especially those that dealt with social issues. "I had a sociology class where other students would always ask me what black people thought of the situation," he says. "I don't have the authority to speak for all black people. I can only speak for myself."

continue to work toward reaching

your goals, regardless of what other

Bass agrees, stressing that each student should remain true to their own individuality. "Be your own person," she says, "There is no one African-American experience just like there is no one Native American experience or Asian-American experience. And since there is no one experience, you do not have to serve



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tion. I've been familiar with it since high school so it's second nature to

Also at this meeting, Christenson urged members to keep thinking about what should be included in the SGA mission statement. Christenson stated that the SGA will spend time on the Leadership Retreat weekend to discuss the measure further.

Streep runs this "River Wild"

By Justin Grieco

In the new thriller "The River Wild." Meryl Streep plays "supermom," well, sort of, Her character, Gail, is a nature-loving woman This is due to Streep's superior actwho not only brings her family down ingtalent and the simple fact that Gail the rapids of one vicious body of is the most fleshed-out character in water, but also finds time to patch up the script. She is the definitive 90's some family problems and save her woman: tough, smart, protective, family from the clutches of a psycho- and likeable. The audience likes pathic criminal. Streep's perfor- Gail and her sarcastic attitude and mance, along with some sparkling therefore roots for her to win this cinematography and tense action se- battle. quences make "The River Wild" a rip that is definitely worth taking.

The film's central plot device is really the only weak point in this motives are never fully established. otherwise notable entry in the thriller but Bacon brings depth to the role genre. Gail decides to take a trip to through charm, an undeniable her hometown in Montana to go creepiness and an all-out gripping white-water rafting with her son mean streak. Roarke (Joseph Mazzello). Gails's husband Tom (David Strathairn) is not really into nature in quite the Cradle"), is exciting and very entersame way as his wife; in fact, he is not taining. It doesn't lag for a moment. really into Gaileither. The only thing The action sequences are realisti-Tom is into is his job in Boston.

The vacation begins eventually, as Gail. Roarke, Tom and the family dog begin their adventure down the river. Along the way, they meet up with Wade (Kevin Bacon) and Terry (John C. Reilly), two drifters who have more on their mind than just a good time. These two turn an ordinary family vacation into a night-

and Roarke, making "The River Wild" a suspenseful and very wet

roller coasterride Streep's performance is by far the most moving portrayal in the film.

Bacon's performance is also quite good, considering he has much less of a character to work with. Wade's

the small, thunk to their Hanson ("The Hand That Rocks the cally and thrillingly filmed, and the scenery is truly breathtaking. The story is somewhat flat but it is a forgiveable flaw once the viewers realize that man is not the true force of terror, nature is. This factor comes to play in full force during "The

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Ask Pat

This weekend I went on a trip with my boyfriend. It has always been understood between us that I am waiting till marriage to have sex This weekend he tried to push me into having sex and I told him no. He got mad and said that if I didn't have sex with him soon he'd break up with me. Hove him so much that I am thinking of just giving in to him. I really need advice. Help!

A Virgin

'If you really love me you'd do ... ' That is an age-old line that has been used on far too many loyal, loying girlfriends and boyfriends. Any guy that gives you an ultimatum such as the one you were given is not giving you the respect you deserve. Stick to your resolve to wait until marriage That is admirable in this day and age, although it is not for everyone. Just remember to be true to yourself And lose this guy ASAP. You deserve respect, not ultimatums.

Finally I've met a guy who I was convinced could be the one for me He's sweet, funny, intelligent, sensitive, and extremely handsome. We get along great and have fun together. There is one problem though: he said he's not sure if he's gay or 116, Student Activities Center.

not I am devastated I'd give any thing to be with him. What do I do? Sincerely.

Confused, too

Dear Confused.

This seems as if this is causing a great deal of stress for you, and understandably so. We all wait for that one day when we can find that one special person to be with. When everything is so right except for one thing-in this case, one big thing-it can seem as if your whole world has been turned upside down. He told you he wasn't sure of his sexuality and that could be a good sign. It also sounds as if you two have developed a strong friendship so one of the best things you can do is to be there for him. Remember, this is confusing and stressful for him, too. Be the best friend you can be, be there for him, and care for him. But also be prepared for anything. You can't change him so you may have to be willing to accept him as a friend only. This is going to be a long and difficult process. Try your best to stay positive. One way or another, things will work out and you can at least have a special, lifelong friend, Good Luck!

If you have a problem or a question you'd like to Ask Pat, send your letter to The Suffolk Journal, or drop it off at the Journal office, Room

Liz Phair's Latest: A Solid Effort, Poorly Organized

By Kristen Padios

The new album from acclaimed singer-songwriter Liz Phair opens with a dull monotone song called "Chonsticks." However flat this opening may be, the lyrics are undeably frank, displaying Phair's adher major label follow-up to her inde- the middle with a few not-so-memo-

pendent debut, "Exile in Guyville." The album, as brilliantly written as it is, is deliberately underproduced. which unfortunately works against its continuity. After the low-key introduction, "Whip-Smart" takes off with the original and powerful "Supernova," a song about her infatuation with a male love interest. Phair mirably cocky attitude. This is an keeps the energy flowing through attitude that rings throughout the en-tire album, entitled "Whip-Smart," tem" and "X-Ray Man" then lags in

this sedate atmosphere last a bit too up-tempo tunes like "Crater Lake" and "Alice Springs."

means. Phair proves herself to be an intelligent, independent woman in rock, something that is still muchneeded in this "women-as-sex-ob-

rable yet well-written songs such as jects" industry. Phairknows that she "Shane" and "Nashville." Phair lets can be a sex-object but makes no apologies for treating men as sexlong before "Whip-Smart" redeems objects, too. She knows there is a itself at the end with a few rocking. difference between love and sex and there is a merging of the two. She wants what she wants and isn't afraid Although this follow-up isn't a to ask for it. For these reasons alone, classic, it is certainly not a flop by any Liz Phair is one new artist to watch.

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Restaurante Bella Vista: Elegant and Charming Dennis Quaid Enjoys Life, With ... And The Food is Good. Too

By Gary Zerola

If you're in search of an elegant and charming place to dine on any night of the week, you need look no further than the intimate setting of Restaurante Bella Vista, located at 288 Hanover Street in Boston's world famous North End Just a ten minute walk from Suf-

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folk, the Bella Vista's cozy atmosphere and very personal service are only the beginning of what promises to be a world-class dining experience. The most difficult time you'll have at this family-owned restaurant is deciding what scrumptious appetizers and main dishes to select.

You can choose from many appetizers including the house salad, Clams Casino, Mussels Marinara, or Calamari Salad. Main dishes include nasta yeal chicken and fish

The chef offers a myriad of pasta combinations from the simplest of pasta and gravy, to the spicy dish of Spachetti Matriciana. Italian food lovers who enjoy the simple pleasures can choose Chicken Parmigiana or for the daring, Lobster Fra Diavolo.

If you can't decide or have trouble reading the Italian menu, just ask your fellow Suffolkian, Anthony Perzano He and his mother I nois own and operate the restaurant and have for over ten years. The Pezzano's also have a wide array of red and white wine imported from Italy. The menu provides a selection of beer for those who don't veteniov wine, and soft drinks for the under-

I had several dishes The Calamai Salad was an inviting appetizer. I was then surprisingly pleased by the unexpected spiciness of the Matriciana. I finished with the intriguing dish of Lobster Fra Diavolo. Although all the food was delicious. the Diavolo was my favorite

The bonus of it all was the inex pensive price of almost every item on the menu. Attire ranges from formal to casual and they specialize in parties of two, or large groups. They also have a function room available for private parties at no extra cost.

Restaurante Rella Vista is fine dining at its best. This reviewer gives Bella Vista five stars out of a possible

or Without Box-Office Success

By Ian Spelling Special Corresponden College Press Service

LOS ANGLES — Actor Dennis Quaid seems to have a laid-back "If it happens, it happens" attitude about things. He doesn't concern himself with box-office success. He debunks the theory that two actors can't be married, have a kid and be happy. And he doesn't take himself or his career as serious as he once used to "It's a good life." says Quaid, reflecting a moment during a recent interview at a Los Angles hotel. "I feel like I have more fun with acting than I did when I began, I give everything I've got, but when I do work. I'm not as serious about it all. I just have

An example of Quaid's giving it all for a role was for his most recent one, as gunslinger Doc Holliday, For Lawrence Kasdan's Western epic "Wyatt Earp," which was released earlier this summer." Quaid didn't mosey into the Old West

Rather, he spent three months 40 pounds in order to give Holliday the nale haunted look of a man duing a slow, painful death from tuber-

Though he transformed himself into Holliday under the supervision of a doctor and a nutritionist, Quaid was a bit of a crank on e set while everyone in advance," says the nowfit Quaid, only half-joking. "I was every take I'd have to rest. I didn't saw it during its brief run, loved it. see myself as Doc Holliday (initially) because I was in pretty good shape, and Doc was a frail man. There was this one picture of him where you could just about see his skull. So. I audience believes what it sees and hears "

The moment Kadan called cut on Quaid's final scene, Quaid returned to his normal eating habits. In fact, he had a banana cream pie on the spot. And, Quaid jokes, he didn't get sick. So, now that the film is out, was it worth the self-torture?

Quaid pauses, then responds, "I definitely think it was. The thing dragon, set in a medieval town." about film is that you just don't get a explains the actor. "Sean Connery is chance to go back and do it again. I in it, too. We'll film it in Slovakia." wanted to do everything I could while After that, he's not sure, though he I was there. There were times when I may team again in the future with was in the middle of it that I asked Ryan, who shared the screen with myself, 'Is this worth it?' But it was." him in "Innerspace," "D.O.A." and

Quaid's performance was worth it, and their son Jack live in Montana. also. The film, a vast, three-hour and "I'd love to work with Meg again, 20-minute telling of the life of law- absolutely," he notes, "but we're not man Earp (Kevin Costner) and his actively looking for something. But unlikely friendship with the outlaw if something came along fine, we'd Holliday, enjoyed only a mild box- do it." office success before fading from power (the cast also included Gene joying today:

Hackman, JoBeth Williams and Michael Madsen), it was Quaid. whose performance was as interest ing as his appearance was frightening, who stood out.

Onaid had always been fascinated by Holliday and was eager to step into the boots of Kirk Douglas. who many, including Quaid, consider to have created the definitive Holliday in "Gunfight at the O.K. Coral " He viewed Holliday as a cross between a free spirit and the Angel of Death, "Doc had a fatalistic point of view. He only expected to live about six months after they told him he had tuberculosis," notes the actor. "He surprised himself by living another 14 years. It was amazing. He must have had quite a constitution to do that. He drank two quarts of whiskey a day just to kill the pain."

As "Earp" moves joins Quaid's other recent films, "Undercover Blues" and "Flesh and Bone" in video stores. Quaid once again is faced with a film that didn't become the blockbuster that many anticipated. jogging, dieting and losing more than "If there's one knock on Quaid, it's that his films don't seem to attract the audience to turn major profits.

The underrated comedy "Blues" cast Quaid and Kathleen Turner as retired spies who temporarily give up the peace of raising their little baby daughter in order to save the world, while "Flesh and Bone" was a shooting "Earp." "I apologized to dark thriller in which Quaid starred with his real-life wife, Meg Ryan. A box office disappointment, Quaid and really Mr. Mood Swing. Between most of the handful of people who Other examples? "The Right Stuff," "Dreamscape," "Jaws 3-D," "Innerspace," "Everybody's All-American, "The Big Easy," "Great Balls of Fire" and "Wilder Napalm," to name just a just thought it was necessary. An few. Most were quality films, and some feature extraordinary Quaid performances, but none could be called bonafide hits.

Does Quaid worry about being in

"I don't ever see it as essential." he says.

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After all, Quaid isn't worrying screens. For all its scope and star about tomorrow. He's too busy en-

Editorials

Playing to the camera

Judge Lance A. Ito, the judge in the O.J. Simpson murder trial in California, has formally proposed to close the court proceedings to television cameras. Ito has been reported to be angry over irresponsible and prejudicial coverage of the trial in the news media.

With the poliferation of cameras in the courts these days, especially in such headline-grabbing cases as Simpson, the Menendez Brothers, Rodney King and others, some feel it is harder to find unbiased jurors for these cases.

Also, since parts of these trials are used in television and cable news reports, along with commentary, these reports could serve to bias existing jurors, increasing the need for sequestering the jury, adding to the expense of a trial in the

Trials can be complicated proceedings; every fact must be weighed by jurors in the course of the trial. Television's necessary reliance on short segments, stating pieces of testimony and "sound bites" makes it hard for the full story to come across in a two-minute television segment. The American public can make their decisions based on these bits of information, but the actual members of the jury are the only ones with the complete story.

Despite all these problems, however, the removal of television cameras from the courtroom would be a mistake. Trials are public proceedings, anyone can walk in off the street and observe a case if they are interested in it. The limiting of cameras also limits the public nature of the

Print journalists have covered trials for years, long before the advent of television. Coverage of some of these trials have been as intensive as the O.J. Simpson trial. The only difference is the use of cameras rather than typewriters and a reporter's observation.

Of course, it is the duty of every journalist to get the facts right. This applies equally to newspapers as well as the electronic media. Inaccuracy in reporting, due to a human reporter's faulty or biased memory or to the camera's editing of a piece, obscuring the full story, is an ongoing problem that needs to be addressed.

But these are problems that exist for journalists in all forms of media. Taking the cameras out of the courtroom because the televison reports are not totally accurate would be the same as barring reporters because one's memory isn't photographic.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"A room full of politicians, and she expects honesty?

- Anthony Anzalone, at the SGA meeting when SGA President Erika Christensen asked people to b nonest about whether they voted that afternoon.



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CORRECTION:

Last issue, in an article detailing clubs and organizations at Suffolk, the Journal accidently omitted the Cheering Club. We regret the error. The Cheering club is a very active organization, and should have been acknowl-

The money's on O.J. | WSUB is on my mind, savs .Jim

Jim Behrle

It was late last night, as I was enjoying my issue of "Cigar Aficionado" magazine and listening to some Bee-Gees when the phone rang. It was the anonymous tip of a lifetime.

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Well, Mr. Source says that WSUB, our student television station, is getting access to some of that shuttle

Just think of it, folks. Gavel-to-gavel coverage of Psychology department meetings! Exciting, never before seen footage of Deans actually doing some work! Exclusive front row views of "Gotcha". Stories will in-Physics and Engineering department fist fights!

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WSUB and the space shuttle! They'll put a smile on your face (whether you

I say, bring on the technology! Progress is power, School Murders", "Venture- etc. And anything that improves my reception is O.K. with me, baby!

Voices of Suffolk

By Christian Engler and Erskine Plummer

How do you feel the government is handling the situation in Haiti?



'Since we've always been involved in everybody else's business and consistantly forget the American people and their needs, yes, everything is going just as well as it has for decades.

Aaron St. Pierre

Junior



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By Rie Tomoda JOURNAL CONTRIBUTOR

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The officer's safety issues are also concerned. "Park Street is not Suffolk University.

"We are out there, away from our campus, away from our help," Capt,.. Pagliarulo said. "It [walking escort] is tough . It is very difficult. People don't realize that.

According to the S.U. Police records, 244 personal escorts (118 in Fall semester) were serviced in 1993 104 in 1992, and 159 in 1991. Most of the requests were made by female students. "It's just not for females. If males need escorts, no problem," Officer DiBlasi said. Comments from program users are not available for

Making a request for an escort service is as simple as calling 573-8333 and tell your name, destination and time escort is needed. It is recommended to do so in advance Campus phones, as well as escort program and other campus brochures are available in the lobby of each building. When an escort cannot be pro

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Let's Go Out with Chris

By Christina M. Tealdo

Now that the semester is officially underway, the familiar battle cry on Friday afternoon is heard across campus, "Let's go out". If you are new to the area, or are tired of your usual hangout and would like to try something new, your desire can be difficult to fulfill because of the shear magnitude of drinking and social establishments in the Greater Boston area. Throughout the year, we will be exploring, through great effort on the part the Journal Staff, the variety of nighttime (and afternoon time) entertainment presented. .

THE RED HAT 9 Bowdin Street Roston MA 617/523-2175

It would not be right to start this endeavor without first examining The Red Hat. As anyone on campus knows The Red Hat is the old standby for Suffolk Students. Many classes have been missed because of the sheer proximity of The Red Hat to Suffolk. If you do not know the location of The Red Hat, take a walk shops located on Cambridge Street. Walk to the light at the corner turn right facing up toward Sawyer, and take about twenty steps and you will be there

The Red Hat not only offers a liquid menu, but a substantial range of food. They have a wide selection of appetizers, salads and burgers. More than likely at any given time of the day you'll bump into a fellow Suffolk Student or ten who would enjoy spending the afternoon immersed in stimulating conversation.

FANEUIL HALL MARKET-PLACE Quincy Market

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Faneuil Hall Marketplace offers a large selection of activities for the socially minded Suffolk Student. Seaside and Cityside offer a serious beverage drinking atmosphere. And as luck would have it, they also have extensive menus for those moments when the hungry horrors strike.

Other places of social interaction in Faneuil Hall Marketplace include Serendipity 3, Frogg Lane, Bell in Hand. Purple Shamrock and many more, too numerous to mention.

Lilly's Piano Rar offers a socially charged atmosphere infused with Piano music. This offers a great setting if you would like to spend quality time with that special person.

Faneuil Hall Marketplace also offers the Comedy Connection. The latest and greatest comedians play this club. There is always a revolving selection of comedians to see. If you are not happy with what is offered one week be sure to check back the

For dancing in the Faneiul Hall Marketplace, nothing beats the Boston Beach Club. You can't miss it, it is the club that has a person (well, their leg) in the shark's mouth. The RRC offers a wide reaching selection of music to dance to. I can't tell you how many nights I have spent there, dancing until the wee hours of the morning.

If you are looking for an out standing time that require minimum preparation chances are you will find bridge, is the t in Faneuil Hall. It is also fun dent arriving to the Dunkin Donuts and Subway because of the wide range of people the "alternati who make their way there. The crowd that is used is mainly young, or young at heart, ing everything and a good time is to be had by everyone.

Remember, if you do go out and find yourself drinking it is always best to grab a cab or jump on the T. We want you back to read the Journal next week!

> By Michael McCusker - ICHIRNAL CONTRIBUTOR

Dance music in the nineties has become as diverse and as essential as it could ever be. Covering new ground as well as a reflection of the latest trends, the nineties dance sound is high on technology as well as ics can creative. From techno-to ambient to any orches house and hip hop, each sound evolves and changes, creating another. This styles the tunes we dance this one all to in a club or chill out to at home. may be th

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With her baseball career just starting to bloom, Brown had developed a problem. Now a student at Suffolk on an athletic scholarship and a parttime job, she needed to bypass her last two months of the academic year to report to spring training. With permission from her various professors, she was exempt, but would not

That spring, when Brown went seeking to be absolved from her courses again, two of her professors denied, and suddenly she found herself at a crossroads. Remain with school to realize a dream she had always had, or depart for baseball, who had informed her that if she did not report to spring training, she sim-ply would not play. "I had to make a choice, and I chose to stay in school." Her decision proved favorable, for two years later the AAGPBL

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vided, Brown could focus on her schooling full-time and would eventually earn her BA and MBA from Suffolk and her JD degree from the university's law school. She started the physical education program for Suffolk women and was also the

founder of the women's basketball team, when to her dismay, no team existed. "It helps to spread women in baseball, and it helps to spread women sports altogether." Brown's impact can also be seen

and felt in other areas of Suffolk. For over forty years she toiled throughout various departments in Suffolk's buildings, before her culmination as associate law librarian in the law school, a position she retired from nearly three years ago. She was one of the first women to labor her way through Suffolk's occupational ranks, eventually paving the road for other women to follow.

Which is something she almost accomplished in baseball. Most aspects of our society have gradually begun, if not already, to include women in its ranks. The realm of sports has not. "I think it's terrible. It's disgusting," she would state in regards to baseball's, and most prosional sport's exclusion of women. "I myself know that I could never have made the majors, but there are some women who could, that were

Yes, timewise their portion may have been small, but the ripples of influence from the AAGPBL and the women who played in it are still being felt today. In 1988, Brown along with many women players were inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame, an endowment long overdue. And Brown was on hand this past week to donate several historic mementoes to the university's Athletic Department. "It was only a small portion," she would say about her give them?? and her teammates place in history. "but we were just a small portion of the overall 125 year history."

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"Dewdrops" has it's share of bright spots, but this gang should know

A group worth knowing is the Underworld. A four pièce band (yes, band) from London, Underworld fuses ambient techno with traditional pop song structure on "Dubnobasswithmyheadman." Underworld explores dark themes in most of the tracks, awash in the bassiest grooves laid in recent memory

Darrel Emersen lead singer adds solid vocals to the mix without overstating or getting lost in the sound. "Dubnos..." brightest moments are its strangest; "Cowgirl" and "Dark and Long" approach their sinister themes with an innocent bystander

And after one listen, "Cowgirl" does stay on the brain, with its repeated chorus edited throughout. The album ends on an optimistic note with "Mother Earth" being one of the most infectious pop songs ever given the techno treatment, as it hangs on a very new wave 80's structure. This is an album not worth missing.

And speaking of missing, what are those Pet Shop Boys thinking?? With the release of "Disco 2," an album of remixes from the "Very" album, the PSB's try to jump on the house bandwagon. They should have staved home

In true Robin S. "Show Me Love" styling, everything from "Go West" to "Can You Forgive Her?" gets the treatment. It only succeeds in proving their strongpoint is the pop song. These remixes go nowhere, and many lose their lyric content altogether. As house record to be worthwhile; it just rings of a great band being stripped of it's signature sound. Can we for-

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First Loss for Soccer Team

By Nancy Sodano SPECIAL TO THE JOURNAL

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Around the Campus

By Ryan Foley

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"I'm like a female Ted Williams," her query letter pointed out. She had grown-up with, and yet outgrown sandlot baseball, so the game was not foreign and alien to her.

A response arrived announcing try-outs in the state of New Jersey. Just sixteen-years-young at the time,

Brown's sojourn to the Garden State with her mother would end dispiritedly. She did not survive the final cuts. "There were hundreds of girls." she would recall, "and it just didn't seem like anybody was paying attention. Like they almost knew who they wanted "

Her second chance, though, was on the horizon, and not hundreds of miles away, but rather in the nearby town of Everett. There, showcasing her talents with hundreds of others in a gymnasium, Brown captured the attention of every scout present. "I am going to throw that ball with everything I have," she remembered thinking on that day of try-outs.

She did heave that baseball with all she possessed and when scouts witnessed what her arm was capable of, she was asked to pitch. After obliging, she was shipped to South Bend for ten days of rookie school, without a contract, though still zeal.

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In America's heartland, Brown was in direct competition with women from all over the country. From 1200 hopefuls, 25 were chosen to

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Tealdo knows for sure.

Is she or isn't he? Only Chris

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Golf and Cross-Country eams begin season.

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Carjacking at Suffolk

OURNAL CONTRIBUTOR

A Suffolk Night School student was attacked at gunpoint and had his car stolen from him last Wednesday night. October 5, at approximately 9:40 pm. The student whose name has not since been released, was waiting in his car outside the Fenton building on Derne et when a white male approached him and identified himself as a police officer. When the student rolled down his window, the attacker then pulled out a handgun and demanded that the student get out of his car.

The student complied and then immediately reported the incident to campus police. The man who stole the car was described as a white male who stood at 5'10" and weighed approximately 170 lbs., with a slight build. He was seen wearing glasses. a brown sweater, jeans, and a white turtleneck sweater.

Captain John Pagliarulo of the

continue the investigation. In the meantime however the Suffolk Police have distributed a special "Safety Alert" fiver all around campus de scribing the event and advising studente on what to do should a similar incident happen to them:

"When waiting in a vehicle, stay alert, lock your doors and keep your windows up If a stranger asks you a question do not roll your window down more than one inch. If somebody [brandishes] a firearm, immediately comply with the suspect, then report it to the police as soon as it is safe to do so."

Considering the fact that the Suffolk officers do not have firearms or a vehicle, Captain Pagliarulo feels that his department has handled this incident very well. "I think that by reporting this to the Boston Police and by getting the word out about it, we are doing the right thing."

Students are asked to call the Suffolk police if they have any information that may lead to an arrest of Suffolk Police has since turned the the carjacking suspect at 573-8333. who have assigned a detective to while on campus, call 573-8111.



Our intrepid reporter poses with Ig Nobel award package.

The Geeks throw a party

I, the lowly freshman, have just been give the assignment of a lifetime. I get to cover the Nobel Prizes!

"No. Mike." Myeditor corrected . "These are the Ig Nobel Awards. They are given out to people whose

Anyway, after a little research, I found out some interesting little facts about these Nobel Prize wanna-be's.

Ever since 1991, a public ceremony has been held each year to "honor" scientists and researchers hose accomplishments normally go nnoticed, or are seen as meaningless. The awards were named after Ignatius Nobel, the inventor of exignatus Nobel, the inventor of ex-celsior (packing material) and co-inventor of soda pop. Ig Nobel laure-ates are chosen from the pages of The Annals of Improbable Research. The ceremony is funded, in part, by a grant from the Peter C. Deflorez Fund

for Humor at MIT By the time I got to Kresge Auditorium at MIT on Thursday night, it was already full. I had gotten there late. I walked up to the receptionist's

would kill me if I did.

Chaos. Screaming. Shouting. I looked over to the Journal's photo editor. "What kind of awards show is

desk and got my press pass. I hoped

I obecked my program once again. There was no doubt about it.

Amidst a haustoring confetti, three-foot paper airplanes, young clean-cut man clad in black and wearing a headset walked out onto the stage. Obviousily, he was the stage manager.

"Sit down and shut up! We're going to start the show!"

Silence Before anyone could think to chastise the man for his rudeness, another man walked out on stage This man was in a tuxedo, and being escorted by six women dressed in tin

Thunderous applause. ral times -- as Robert B. Dimmick After a few opening remarks, he summoned the Ig Nobel's security

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3 fire drills, one alarm disturb mornings

By Mike Shaw JOURNAL CONTRIBUT

The Donahue building, site of the real alarm.

On Wednesday, October 5, the Suffolk Police, in conjunction with the Boston Fire Department, staged three fire drills in the Sawyer, Fenton, and Ridgeway buildings respectively starting at 10:45 am.

Captain John Pagliarulo said that hat he was impressed with the

eration, and we got it...These drills are all about educating people. They are a part of the educational process. We need to check the system periodically, and the students and facult all need to know the proper evacuafire," stated Pagliarulo.

Another alarm that went off on

ing burst, setting off the fire alar The situation was quickly con