

The Wagnerian

Wagner College

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Welcome Back '96 Party

By Debbie Lahti
Wagnerian Staff Writer

The annual "Welcome Back" party, sponsored by the Greek Senate, the Inter-Fraternity Council, the Panhellenic Council, and the Student Government Association, was held last Friday in Guild Hall. All students were welcome to attend.

The spirit of Wagner was represented in the decorations as well as in the attitudes of the students who attended. Green and white streamers draped from the ceiling and multi-colored balloons clung to the walls forming a giant W's.

The general atmosphere was one of great friendship. The main purpose for the event was for the attendees to become better acquainted and to catch up on summer events, and to dance and have a good time in the process.

Jenene Gerardi, secretary of Greek Senate, commented on the evening's

festivities. "It's a good opportunity for all Greeks to interact and to meet the class of 2000," she said.

Chris Lenza, a student senator had similar notions about the party. He said, "It's a great way for Wagner students to get together outside of the classroom. It's also great for the freshmen to meet upperclassmen."

Many students enjoyed the evening talking with friends, while others danced the night away! The highlight of the evening was the new dance craze, the "Macarena."

Everyone joined the excitement as D.J. Rob Renaud continued to make the music faster and faster. The accelerated speed of the music didn't break the spirit of the dancers, however. They continued on until they could dance no more!

By the end of the night, it was evident that new friends had been made and a good time was had by all.

Just one more question, Who's Ralph?



WAGNERIAN PHOTO BY DEBBIE LAHTI

Students dance the Macarena

FRESHMEN: YOU'RE NOT IN KANSAS ANYMORE!

By SANDRA PARISI
Wagnerian Staff Writer

Orientation weekend is officially over. As classes began, a bunch of unsuspecting freshmen were suddenly thrown into college life.

Have no fear Freshmen, you are not alone! I strolled around campus and stopped some of these weary wanderers to see just what they thought of Wagner College so far. Here is what some of them had to say:

"The first day I came everyone was helpful and nice, but I was nervous. As the week went on, between the people and the atmosphere, I became more comfortable." Christine Snitkin, CT

"It has been a little hectic but lots of fun. Registration was a pain in the . . ."

Anonymous, NY

"It's not quite what I thought college would be like, but I'm adjusting."

Anonymous, NY

"Everyone was really nice, but everything was late. The shuttle bus, the activities, nothing seemed to start or end on time."

Rebecca Tozer, NY

"I only have one complaint about Wagner so far. That stupid hill outside Harbor View!"

Anonymous, PA

While some freshmen remain shy, others are ready to speak out. Just keep in mind that it is only the first week, and things can only get better. Good luck!

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Squash Hits the Catwalk

Fall's hot fashion colors look more like a salad than a wardrobe!

By CHRISTINE PIETROFESA
Wagnerian Staff Writer

The fall semester of 1996 has arrived composed of new classes, new teachers and friends, and most notably, new fashion.

Yes, fashion is a vital aspect in everyday life due in part to the fact that one's individuality can be expressed through it. Students from Wagner to UCLA are faced with the problem of "What should I wear to class tomorrow?" Since fashion changes as often as the weather, students can become confused about what clothes are considered "in."

At the Fall '96 collections, fashions from the past were relived. Whether it be long skirts, fashionable coats, or hip hugger pants, past trends, some with an added twist, are now back in style and just as popular as before.

Almost all the collections this season, consisting of famous fashion designers such as Calvin Klein, Issac Mizrahi, Adrienne Vittadini, Christian Dior, Ralph Lauren, Gianni Versace and so on, have been colorized in virtual vegetable colors of arugula, squash, and eggplant. Fitted knit sweaters and ribbed turtlenecks are making a strong comeback in those latest hues. Turtleneck sweaters and long colorful skirts make a perfect combination when used with a basic peacoat; while miniskirts and knitted dresses are trendy when worn with a classy, wool, maxi coat.

Wearing mismatched lengths compliments one's outer appearance. The most popular

used item this year is the regular, fitted, hip hugger pants, either in corduroy or basic denim. The twist is that they are now flared slightly towards the bottom which elongates the leg and enhances one's shape.

Most female students at Wagner College are already sporting the fall season fashion wearing the latest designer inspired clothes that can be purchased for a lower price at such mall favorites as Contempo Casuals and Wet Seal.

Kim Burke, a freshman education major, feels that being comfortable is her main concern, despite the latest fashion phenomenon. "I like to be comfortable, whether that's wearing sweats or jeans. However, I like the new vegetable colors of '96 and hope to purchase an item in those colors," she said. Jillian Fusillo, a freshman psychology major agrees with some of what Kim had to say. "Comfort is the most important thing to me and wearing trendy clothes is not one of my biggest concerns, but I do like the new fall fashion that I see people wearing," said Jillian.

Everyone is a unique individual who has their own way of expressing themselves, whether it be by the way they act or dress. If comfort is your main concern, keep wearing what makes you happy. But if you're the one who likes to grab the attention of others, the latest fall fashion is the one for you. So remember, there are places to go, people to see, and most importantly, clothes to buy.



Notes On Nursing

The first Student Nurse Association (SNA) meeting will be held on Thursday, September 12 at 12:15 pm. The meeting will be held in the Nursing Resource Center (NRC) which is located in the basement of Main Hall.

The meeting is open to all nursing majors as well as anyone with an interest in nursing. Refreshments will be served.

Call a Cab!

By DEBBIE LAHTI
Wagnerian Staff Writer

It's Saturday night. You're bored, you're broke, and you don't have a car on campus. What on earth are you going to do? Answer: call a cab! Wagner College has approved many credible and reliable services for those nights when you're just itching for something to do. But, be careful. Some people are just waiting to take you for a ride. Here's a list of the car services that are permitted access onto campus:

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long as you are there to meet them. Some drivers even let you chose the radio station.

So, what about those nights when you just want to stay in and relax and suddenly your stomach is growling for something besides the food in the dining hall? Well, the wonderful people at Wagner have this one covered also. Here's a list of the tasty places that deliver to campus:

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Pizza Victoria & Rst.	447-8998
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Subway	727-7444

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CHAOS by Brian Shuster



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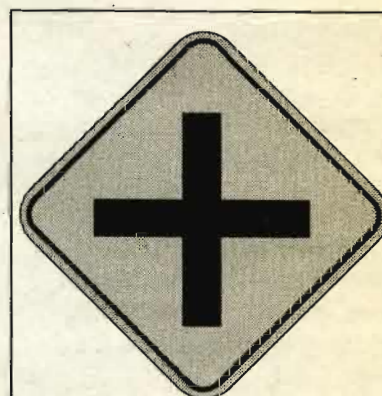
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Sports

Coach Peirano Retires his Club

By NEIL LEONE
Wagnerian Staff Writer

After eight seasons as men's head golf coach, Bob Peirano is calling it quits.

A 1950 graduate of Wagner, Peirano was a four-year member of the Seahawk baseball team. Peirano took over a squad in 1988 that was a hastily thrown together group of football players with little Division I golf experience. In time, Coach Peirano developed his team into an impressive group through recruitment. Before his return the team had compiled an 87-93-1 overall record but under Peirano they were an impressive 100-46. Over a three year span from 1993-1996 his team put up an 18-0 mark in the NEC.

In his time as head coach Peirano has instituted both a fall and spring schedule and has established a yearly spring trip to Pinehurst, N.C. for his players. He has been the sole recruiter and developer of talent for the program and he says that this is one reason for his departure, "My wife Muriel says I spend too much time away and with all the paperwork and less time to spend with the players it's no longer any fun".

Due to the lack of a true assistant coach the team will be handed over to Pete Pryzborowski, one of the assistant athletic directors. Scott Zimmerman, a senior and team captain conveys the feelings of the team when he says, "Coach will be missed, he brought us all here and he made it fun".

Through all his years as coach he was considered a volunteer and received no salary. With the NCAA's tight control he had been reduced to no more than a clerk. Peirano will remain involved with the school handling both the Alumni golf outing and the Seahawk Classic which raises a great deal of money for the school.

"I will always be proud of my players and the things we accomplished as a team in the time I coached them", the coach said with a twinkle of pride in his eye.

Junior Matt Ondo commented, "I really hope they recruit more golfers so that all of coach Peirano's hard work isn't wasted when we graduate. They can't let the team go back to being a group of people just out to play golf, we have a reputation now".



Bob Peirano

WAGNER COLLEGE
1996 SEAHAWK FOOTBALL

SEPTEMBER	
14 (Sat.)	at Iona 12:00
21 (Sat.)	C.W. POST 1:00
28 (Sat.)	MARIST 1:00
OCTOBER	
5 (Sat.)	at St. Francis-PA 1:00
12 (Sat.)	MONMOUTH 1:00
19 (Sat.)	ST. PETER'S # 1:00
26 (Sat.)	at Central Connecticut 1:00
NOVEMBER	
2 (Sat.)	ROBERT MORRIS 1:00
9 (Sat.)	at Stony Brook 1:00
16 (Sat.)	at Towson State 1:00

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8	9 10:00am Flag Football Signups Begin (Fitness Center) 10:00am Intramural Volleyball Signups begin (Fitness Ctr.)	10 5:00pm Greek Senate Meeting (WU 201)	11 5:00pm Freshmen Class Meeting (Spirito 2) 8:00pm "You Laugh - You Lose" (Gatehouse Lounge)	12 3:45pm Homecoming Meeting (WU202)	13 8:00pm Movie "Seven" (SpH4)	14 12:00pm Football @ Iona 9:00pm Sigma Gamma Rho Party (Gatehouse) Rosh Hashanah
Rush Week				Feast of San Gennaro (NYC)		
15 8:00pm Movie "Seven" (SpH4)	16	17 11:00am Montel Williams Ticket Giveaway 4:00pm SGA Meeting (SpH5) 5:00pm Greek Senate Meeting (WU201)	18 11:00am Student Activities Fair (Wagner Union Terrace)	19 11:00am Ticket Sales "La Boheme" 9/27 perf. (WU227) 3:45pm Homecoming Meeting (WU202)	20 4:00pm Applications due Freshmen Class Elections (WU227) 9:30pm Keith Marks, Flutist (Coffeehouse)	21 1:00pm Football vs. C.W. Post 9:15pm Movie "The Truth About Cats and Dogs" (CoffeeHouse)
Feast of San Gennaro (NYC)						

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1996

Entertainment

KISS is as hot as ever!

By Tony Correnti
Wagnerian Staff Writer

I'm back! Just when you thought you could read a copy of the Wagnerian again, I am here to fill you up with biased opinions that you don't like! To fill in all of you freshmen, for the past two years, I have been trashing all music that you consider popular, and will continue to do so until I am told to stop! Just come into the Wagnerian office and check out my wall of articles.

Music Notes



My biggest story this summer is the return of cock rock! Everyone laughed at the KISS reunion tour, but KISS is laughing all the way to the bank! The KISS tour had, by far, the greatest ticket sales of any this summer, and it shows no sign of stopping. It is slated to continue well into 1997! I scalped a ticket for the third show at Madison Square Garden and I was awestruck! KISS sold out four consecutive nights in less than an hour! That hasn't been done since...probably since KISS did in the 70s! In my many

concert going years, I have never seen anything like it! It wasn't just music, it was total entertainment and it had incredible crowd participation (some in costume)! What a kick in the face to the lame Lollapalooza tour (even though Metallica rocks). It couldn't sell out two days at Downing Stadium with cheaper tickets than KISS. KISS is tentatively set to return to the New York City area in December and also the spring of 1997. Even if you don't like their music, you should see this show!

When I first heard "Until it Sleeps" by Metallica, I thought that their new CD "Load" would be a load of crap. I was quite wrong. How surprised was I when I heard it. It blows the Black album away! By far their best work since "Master of Puppets" in 1986. People say that Metallica has lost its edge, but when I look at a band like Slayer

(pure crap!) trying to be 18 again when they are 35, they sound ridiculous! Listen to the huge difference between 1989's "...And Justice for All" and 1991's Black album and you can see a huge progression. They progress even more with "Load." With the groove in "King Nothing," and the rhythmic diversity in "House that Jack Built," you can tell that Metallica is not the same

group of guys that wrote "Whiplash" when they were 18. People will still be buying Metallica albums in 15 years when the members of Pearl Jam are the backing band for the Jackson 5 50th anniversary tour!

TIDBITS...The new Rush album is out. It's called "Test for Echo" and is their best work in years. Their tour pulls into New York this winter and Derek Sherinian from Dream Theater (I had to mention them) told me that they may open one show for them!...I love the "Macarena," but they have been playing it at the Jailhouse for almost a year now...Everyone yelled at me for saying that Nirvana put out the Unplugged album for the money. To prove that I was right, they are now putting out a DOUBLE live album. Are you kidding? Would you pay \$25 for two hours worth of feedback and out of tune guitars? It hurts my throat just thinking of Kurt screaming into a mic! Until next time.



What's in Store On Stage

By KIM BURKE
Wagnerian Staff Writer

As summer comes to an end and classes begin, Wagner College theater productions are steadily busy. Once again Wagner is ready to bring screenplays to life with spectacular performances.

The first show to take the stage early to mid October is *Fiorella*, a musical which is not only hysterical but also captivating. It is a former Pulitzer Prize winner and will take your breath away. *Fiorella* features a widespread variety of characters from Poker Players to Politicians—it's definitely not one to miss.

As fall of '96 closes out, Wagner theater proudly presents the everyday love story, *Pippin*. *Pippin* is a French prince whose only interests are fame and glory. That all comes to an end when he meets the girl of his dreams and falls head over heels in love. It displays emotions and depicts reality. It is not only mysterious, but magical and heart warming.

Wagner offers a student rush, which is a free seat to those who come first with a proper student identification. A good time to arrive at the box office is thirty minutes before the scheduled performance. Tickets are non-refundable and seating is reserved. The average ticket prices are \$18.00 Friday and Saturday evenings and \$16.00 for all other performances. Seniors, don't forget to get your \$12.00 discount. Wagner student prices are \$16.00 and \$15.00 with a limit of two per student. Be sure to see these soon to be extravagant performances.

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Neurotic By Nature

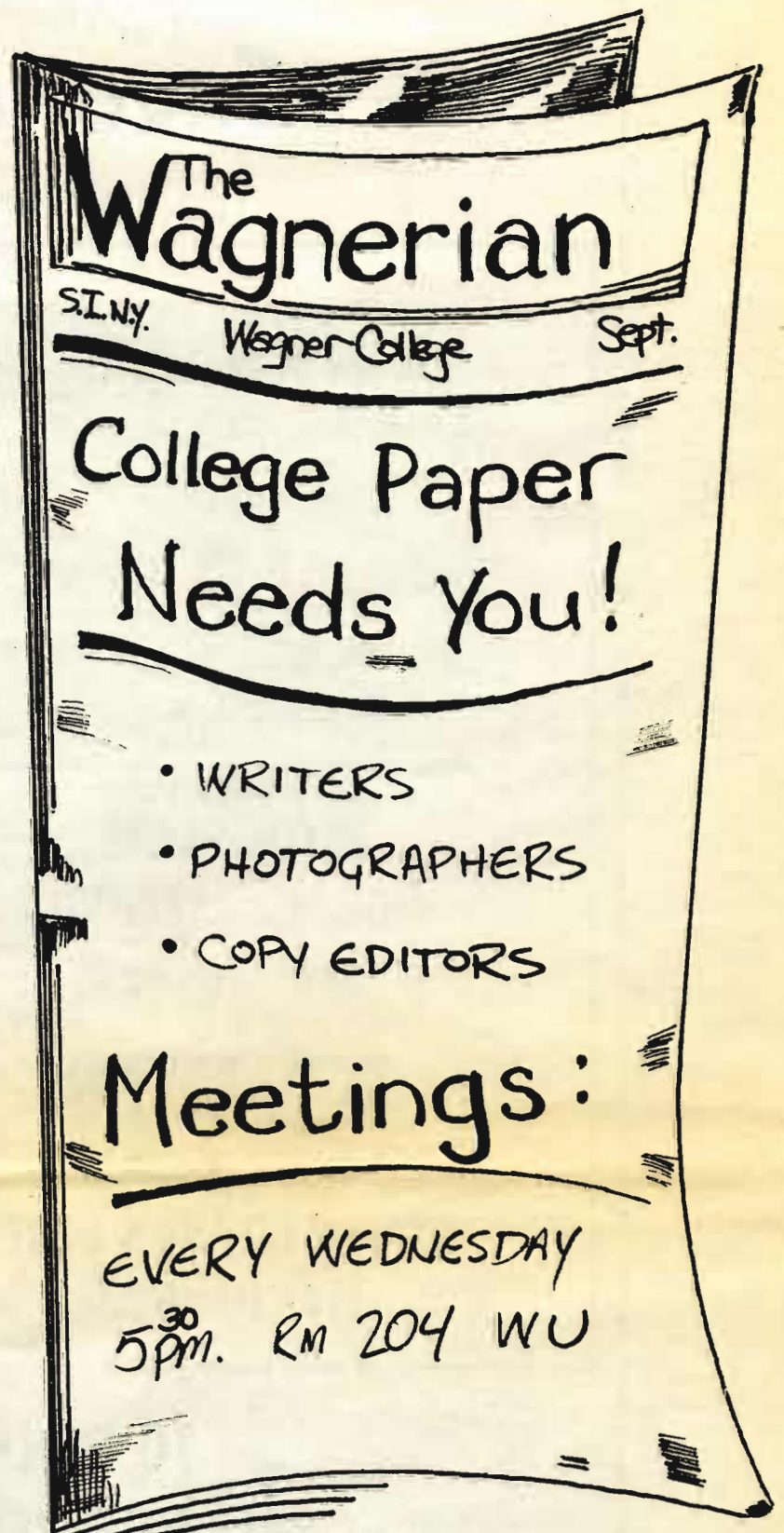
By Jason Borelli
Wagnerian Staff Writer

Well, it's another year at old Wagner College for me, and then I am out of here. Of course, so far, I have seen at least four students who were seniors last year, so I guess nobody really leaves Wagner.

I had my first real job ever; doing menial work at the Horrman Library. I will only say this: Even if the signs say "Do not reshelve the books," it would be nice to do that anyway, just to give the hard-working men and women a break or two.

For those of you new to the Wagnerian, allow me to introduce myself. My name is Jason Borelli, and I'm a neurotic. I've written *Neurotic By Nature* for the past year. Essentially, I pick a topic and go medieval on it. However, I'm just going to skip to Random Thoughts. **RANDOM THOUGHTS:** First up, let me just say that, God willing, I will have an Internet site soon...Remember, Bubba, bombing Iraq didn't get Bush re-elected...Has anybody actually danced the Macarena?...Best day of the summer was

the Major League Soccer All-Star game, at the Meadowlands. Next year, you HAVE to see the MetroStars in action...NFL Predictions: I'm no dummy! Jets and Giants go 6-10 each. Superbowl XXXI: Packers defeat the Dolphins 38-28...Funniest moment of the summer: watching Al and Tipper Gore attempt to dance at the closing ceremonies...If I never hear Kerri Strug's annoying muppet voice again, it will be too soon...Would it be too cruel to hope the Yankees dive from first place, simply because I'm an embittered Met fan? Nah...Best comic book read of the summer: no contest, KINGDOM COME. A must read for all...Quick recap of movie morals: Nutty Professor. Moral: It only matters what's inside that counts, not outside (not to mention Eddie Murphy should've starred in Multiplicity). Independence Day. Moral: We can put our differences beside us to fight for the greater good (and laptops are indeed compatible with alien spacecrafts' computers). Rumble in the Bronx. Moral: Life is just what happens between butt-kickings.)Like YOU could come up with anything better?)



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Editor's Note

By Kerri Johnson
Editor

I'm not going to bore you with a long "Welcome Back," just a quick "hello."

This year I hope to make some positive changes to the WAGNERIAN, starting with the masthead, as you can see. Some of these changes include horoscopes, an advice column (strictly for laughs), and a few other things which I haven't thought of yet.

I basically want the student body to be aware that the door is always open as far as suggestions, story ideas, upcoming events, and the like.

Well, that's it! Have a great semester.

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MONDAY - FRIDAY

Breakfast: 7 to 9 am
Lunch: 11 am to 1:30 pm
Dinner: 4:30 to 7 pm

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Brunch: 11 am to 1:30 pm
Dinner: 4:30 to 6:30 pm

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MONDAY - FRIDAY

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SATURDAY, SUNDAY, & HOLIDAYS

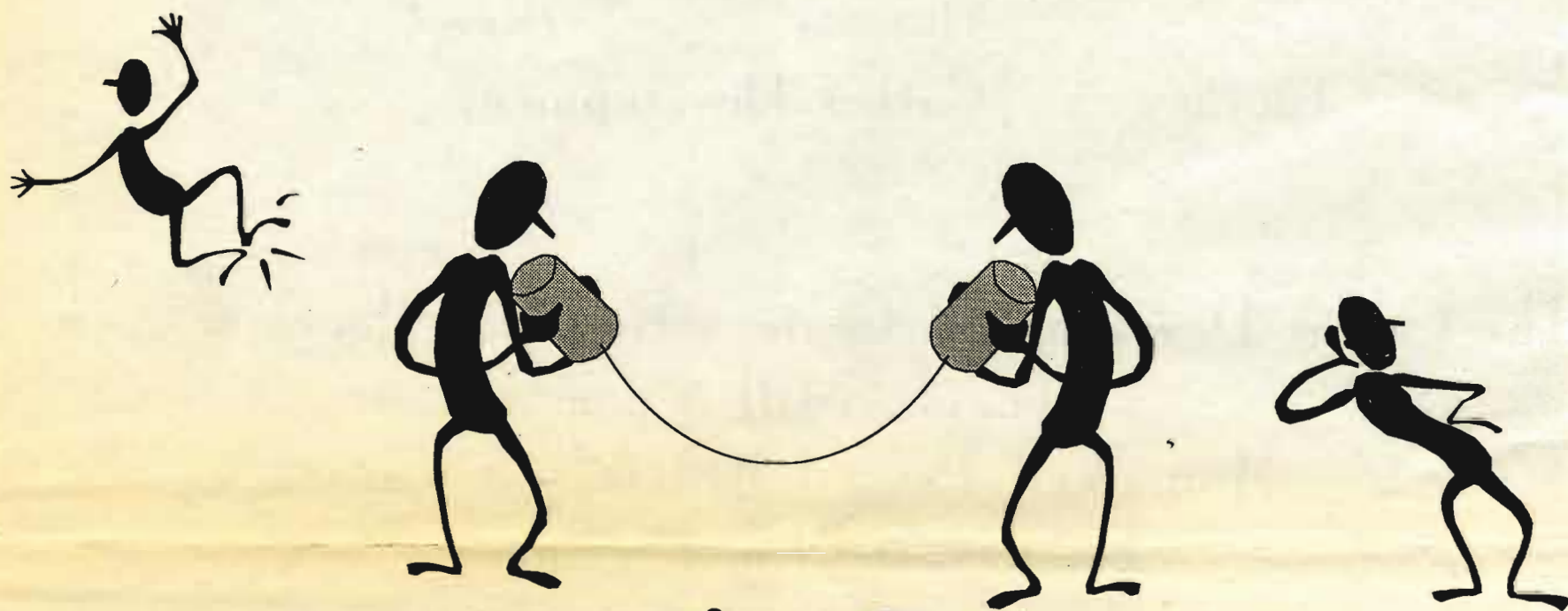
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