

# The WAGNERIAN

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## No Parking In South Lot

By DIANE DIFFENDALE

Recently students have been parking in the south lot (behind the Science Hall and the gym) and causing quite a disruption among the faculty and administration. This lot is exclusively for staff, faculty and administration. Students should remain in Tiers, the west lot or on Howard Avenue. Numerous violations have been recorded but the fines seem to have little effect on the students. Unless the violations stop, the \$5.00 fine will be raised, according to Joe Montalbano, director of security. "On January 26, a memo was sent out to faculty, staff and administration and students regarding the parking situation, and the pressures that exist from the Fire Department and insurance company. I asked for 100% cooperation and I'm still asking for it."

## New Guards On Campus

Dorm and Field Guards are now patrolling the Wagner College Campus. Put in effect Monday night, March 8, the patrol team is made up of Football Team members and will

# Parking Violations, New Guards, False Fire Alarms; Top Security List

patrol the campus from 8 P.M. to 2 A.M. The patrols divided into two groups, the Harbor Hall group, which will not only patrol Harbor View but also Tiers parking lot and the Union Building area, and the Towers group, which will patrol Towers and the south and west parking lots. This new system will hopefully cut down on vandalism, robberies, etc. Students are asked to cooperate with the guards and give them their fullest support.

## False Fire Alarms In NAB

For the second time in two weeks,

the fire alarm in the New Administration Building has been set off, creating chaos and confusion while disrupting workers and students. No one has been caught yet performing this serious offense, which is punishable by fine and/or imprisonment. Security is prepared to take severe action against the person(s) caught in the act of pulling the alarm. Located in the building are offices, classrooms and, most of all, the Wagner College Nursery School. People must realize the danger they are causing when a false alarm occurs, and think twice before they cause any accidents.

# Telefund Great Success

By LUISA POTENZA

The annual Wagner College Telefund was a great success. Volunteers from the student body, faculty and administration solicited over 7,000 houses acquiring \$43,882 in specified pledges. Numerous unspecified pledges and \$3,765 in matching gift pledges brings the total to over \$47,647, exceeding the original \$40,000 goal by 16%.

Enrica Gioe, Development officer, attributes some of this year's prosperity to the fact that parents as well as alumni were asked to contribute. Gioe also noted that it was very encouraging to have the parents respond so supportively.

This year's increase in pledges also coincided with an increase in the amount of student volunteers. 55% of the 138 callers were students, some working two or three shifts. Student organizations that participated in the event included

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## Seahawks Continue To Soar



- photo by Liz Miller -



# the BOARD

March 12, 1982

## Classifieds...classifieds... classifieds...classifieds

Blue Eyes.  
I care alot. Things will be better soon.  
Signed,  
A caring person.

Residents of Wagner.  
Bus your damn trays!!

Football Coaches.  
Next time have the recruits sleep in YOUR dorm! Why should I be subjected to have to run a babysitting service?  
-POed in Harbor View

To little Owen.  
Maybe someday when you're a big boy you can come with us.  
The 3 HB's

Armadillo.  
Have a great time in Hollywood. Say hello to Tom for me.  
Love,  
Bubushka

To the man with the Golden Feet,  
Your fortune says you may get caught in an Egyptian rat Trap- Watch out! Sat. P.M. was fun Let's do it again soon!

Carolyn.  
Up, up and away! We finally did it.  
Love, Gail  
P.S.- I get the window.

Ralph G: (#16).  
I just adore your accent especially when you say hello and my name. And when you smile, it makes me melt!!!  
an admirer

Sully,  
Thanks for a great time this year. I'll miss you!  
Love,  
A.M.  
Larry,  
I like you but I know so little about you. Let's get together soon.  
a Chem class admirer

To the International Club,  
Thanks for a really good time at the party on March 1st. The music was great!!  
Signed, a friend

Tara,  
Don't mix creame with the coffee.  
A Concerned Lover

NIMMS MITT!!  
Good day eh?

Ted,  
Know what else will be on your side of the room? ME!  
Alice

To The Deserters,  
We're sorry we didn't understand at first...but we're with ya all the way!!  
We miss ya,  
The BLOGS

To 3 Muskateers and Kit Kat:  
This is your self-conscience speaking again. Be home early this weekend or no ice cream.

Dear Karin,  
Just wishing you a Happy 20th. Birthday! Hope you enjoy the day.  
Love,  
Louise and Tracey

You can fool some of the people some of the time, but you can't fool Marg!

Leano and Leano.  
Hope Bermuda remains intact after your visit. We'll be thinking of y'all when we put on our longjohns.  
The Palefaces.

To the Sisters of Alpha Omicron Pi,  
You light up my life and fill it with laughter, friendship and good times.  
Alpha Love,  
Your only pledge that stays here on weekends.

**DO IT HOT ROD AND CLUB!**

To All the Irish AOTT's:  
May you have a Happy, Happy St. Patrick's Day!!!  
Your 806 pledge.

Wendy,  
Keep up the effort. Try not to make brothers faint anymore.  
Love,  
Mom

Sweetheart,  
You are my love and my life. I know we cannot be together now, but know you are always in my heart.

Dear Kenny Rogers,  
It was only fifty-eight percent proof, but I still challenge you to go shot for shot with me.  
Signed, Amaretto Lover (TAB)

Neff,  
El Espanol has been the downfall of many; Let's party and forget about it.  
Psycho

To All of B-6,  
I'm a Narc, Narc, Narc.  
Sincerely yours,  
Your Thief

Teddy Bear,  
"Sweet wonderful you, you make me so happy with the things you do." I hope I do the same for you.

Love, Suzy Homemaker

To Rick,  
Do you still remember the names of all of those skeevey girls that you got to know so well? Or didn't their names matter? The 3HB's

To the Wild and Crazy Irishman,  
I'm 230% sure you could've won the best legs contest if you'd tried!  
The shy girl in the green vest.  
P.S.- Nice light show with the exit sign.

John, Jigs, Spud, Hot Rod, Chet, Hose, Tom and TJ.  
We know what you were doing last nightBad Boy!!!

Jim Fontaine,  
I still think you're sexy, no matter what anyone says.  
Signed, Only a NINE.

Independents this is YOUR chance to get involved. Donate an hour of your time to CCC March 13. Contact Denise Tuohy in HVH 805.

Bob, the purple piper...  
(you know the rest)  
Good luck pledging. Just remember those 1-2-3's.  
Love, Momma Gerry

## Wagner

### COMMUNITY CHEST

### CARNIVAL

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**MARCH 13th**  
**9 A.M.-6 P.M.**

**Sutter Gym Wagner Campus**

**Limited space is still available for interested vendors.**

**Call Roger Solberg at the College: 390-3221.**

## Currently at Wagner

PLACE	EVENT	TIME	PLACE	EVENT	TIME
<b>Friday, 3/12/82</b>					
HVH & MDH	Music Seminar	All Day	Kade Gallery	Student Ceramic Show	11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
GYM	C.C.C. Setup	All Day	WU 108/110	Newman Club Mass	12:00 Noon
Kade Gallery	Student Ceramic Show	11:00 AM - 5:00 PM	<b>Monday, 3/15/82</b>		
WU Pit	C.C.C. Solicitations	11:00 AM - 6:00 PM	Kade Gallery	Student Pottery Show	11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Oval or BF	Softball Practice	3:30 PM - 5:45 PM	WU 107	Career Services	
WU 201	Faculty Forum	7:45 PM - 10:00 PM		Recruiters Lunch	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
Gatehouse	Coffeehouse	9:00 PM - 1:00 AM	WU 204	Health & Nutrition	
<b>Saturday, 3/13/82</b>					
GYM	Campus Community Chest	9:00 AM - 6:00 PM	WU 204	Group Meeting	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
CC Hallway			WU 204	Student Activities	
or Gym Plaza	Campus Community Chest		WU 204	Board Meeting	3:00 PM - 4:00 PM
	Flea Market	9:00 AM - 6:00 PM	Oval or BF	I.F.C. Meeting	4:00 PM - 5:00 PM
AH	Special Olympics			Softball Practice	3:30 PM - 5:30 PM
	Training Session	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	<b>Tuesday, 3/16/82</b>		
Oval or BF	Softball Practice	9:00 AM - 11:30 AM	Kade Gallery	Student Pottery Show	11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
HVH & MDH	Music Seminar	All Day	WU Pit	ROTC Recruiting	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Kade Gallery	Student Ceramic Show	11:00 AM - 5:00 PM	WU 107	Career Services	
WU 107	C.C.C. Judges Luncheon	1:00 PM - 2:00 PM		Recruiters Lunch	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
Gatehouse	Sigma Phi Rho Party	9:00 PM - 2:00 AM	SB-106	Spanish Club Meeting	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
<b>Sunday, 3/14/82</b>					
Oval or BF	Softball Practice	3:30 PM - 5:45 PM	WU 204	Education Club Meeting	3:15 PM - 5:00 PM
			Oval or BF	Softball Practice	3:30 PM - 5:30 PM
			CCF-2	Film - "The Enforcer"	7:00 PM & 9:00 PM

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March 13 -  
**THE OPERA**

March 19 -  
**STRUTTER**

March 20 -  
**FURY**

March 26 -  
**RICOCHED**

March 27 -  
**TROUBLING  
DICE**

**SPECIAL EVENT**  
Wednesday  
March 17  
- St. Patty's Day  
Party  
**FREE FOOD AND  
THE MUSIC OF  
FURY**

**COMING IN  
APRIL**  
Baby Blue, Liar  
and Trigger

**Happy Hour:**  
Friday & Saturday  
8-10 PM  
Weekend drink  
specials:  
Friday - 7&7's \$1  
Saturday - Pina  
Coladas for \$1.50  
8-11 Pm

# The Real Danger

By SCOTT LIEBERMAN

If you are reading this, then the book "The Jupiter Effect" was wrong. In it the authors claimed that the "Syzygy" or alignment of the planets on March 10 would cause earthquakes and other weather disturbances. On that day all nine planets of the solar system came together on the same side of the sun in a single 90 degree quadrant. The unusual gathering, (actually it occurs every 179 earth years) was supposed to put a strain on the Earth. This strain coming from the gravity of the planet Jupiter.

In fact, the gravity from the moon and the sun is always very much stronger than the pull from the other eight planets combined. As such, Astronomers really didn't think too much of this supposed threat to people.

The real danger lies in an irresponsible press that sees fit to play off the fears of people. An example can be found in the recent voyager flight. During it the human race made great strides in understanding our own place here on Earth, but the only thing that was reported or shown here were

a couple of 8 x 10 color glossies, with little or no explanation. But two people come along and make an end of the world prediction that was based on nothing at all, gets polls asking people how they're spending their last days, others asked about the end of the world. This would be all fine and good, if it were all done in satire, but in the local metropolitan area, it was the lead off story and it was treated quite seriously. Oh well, in 179 years maybe we will be able to view the syzygy from Pluto, and worry about it there.

## British Musical Ensemble To Open American Tour At Wagner College

STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. - MARCH 1, 1982 -- The Cheltones, a vocal-instrumental ensemble from Britain, will open their first American tour with a performance at Wagner College on Tuesday, March 30. The concert will begin at 8 p.m. in the Music Annex at the College's Grymes Hill campus.

The concert marks the start of a 10-day visit to the United States for the quartet that hails from Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, England. Additional performances are scheduled at their namesake town of Cheltenham, Pa., and at the University of Maryland.

The group is comprised of pianist Geoff Lloyd, an organ scholar at Corpus Christi College of the University of Cambridge;

Julian Linnell, vocalist and clarinetist who is a choral scholar at Selwyn College of the University of Cambridge; cellist Adrian Courtenay, who studied history and music at Oxford and is now teaching both at the Cheltenham Grammar School; and Vic Carnall, the group's violinist, who studied at St. Mary's College at the University of London and the University of Maryland in the United States. He presently teaches modern languages at the Cheltenham Grammar School.

The program for the show, entitled "Divertissement," will feature works by Grainger, Elgar, Leighton, Squire, Finzi, Gershwin, Foster and Joplin, many of which have been arranged exclusively for the Cheltones.

The public is invited to attend, and there is no admission charge. For further information about the concert, contact the Wagner College Music Department at (212) 390-3313.

## Telefund...

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AOTT, ZTA, AΔTT, Kappa Sigma Alpha, TKE, Delta Nu, SAB and Student Government. Pleased with the student volunteer support, Gioe stated that it was "very encouraging to see students take an evening out to support their institution" and hopes they will increase their support in the future.

## Faculty Pay Increases

Washington D.C. (CPS) - Full-time faculty members are making 10.1 percent more this year than in 1980-81, according to the American Association of University Professors (AAUP).

The AAUP survey, published in the current issue of its magazine, Academe, showed that full-time teachers at private colleges got bigger raises (11.5 percent) than public college teachers (9.3 percent).

The findings are consistent with the AAUP's 1981 survey, which concluded full-timers got average salary increases of ten percent from 1979-80 to 1980-81.

This year, full professors averaged 9.8 percent boosts while assistant professors got 11.7 percent hikes.

Only full-time faculty members were included in the survey.

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- Longest dancing couple (with largest amount of money)
- There will be other 2nd and 3rd place prizes

Volunteer information available at the Candy Counter in the Union.

Further information: John Bonando or Ralph Gaglione in Union 201.



VIEW

# You Can Tell This Book By Its' Cover

By **RICHIE WILNER**

While walking back from the library late one night, you notice someone following you to your car or dormitory. What should, or could, you do?

You're awakened during the night by the smell of smoke, and, stumbling into the hall, you see thick puffs of smoke coming from the stairwell. What's the first thing you do? How do you get out?

Quick! Do you know security's emergency number? Do they have one?

Who DO you notify in situations like this? Does Wagner College have these incidents worked out before the tragedy strikes? Is the system set-up, practised, and ready to go?

A sixteen page booklet put together and distributed by St. John's University (Jamaica and S.I.) covers all these topics, and more. It explains the safest ways to cope with emergencies and the criminal element that crawls around every campus, and, most importantly, how to prevent future crimes and tragedies from happening.

If this sounds like a commercial, it should. If

the idea of publishing a pamphlet or some helpful ideas that pinpoint what a student should know to be safe on campus (and what to do if they are a victim) sounds good, then we're in agreement.

On an 86-acre campus, it's fine and dandy to apply "band-aid" cures everytime something goes wrong. A chain fence here, some paint splashed there, and a sign over there. All these "cures" are fine. But they'll only stop one particular problem, and then, only for a little while.

They're not aimed at long time solutions. Look, if I wanted to drive my four-wheeler on campus at night, a chain across the walkway in front of the library is not going to stop me. If I really wanted to park my truck in front of the Union, it wouldn't take me long to figure out another route. (It's just as easy to drive through the gate at the loading platform, then behind Towers, past H.V.H., around and past North and Cunard Hall, then hang a sharp right, then straight past the "Old Admissions House" and into the endzone.) You see, one chain, a whole campus-wide, years-long cure does not make

On the other hand, the blue-covered, sixteen page book St. John's puts out, may never give out a ticket, or patrol the parking lots, or catch some student without their registration while they leave Tiers Lot, but it will stop many more acts of vandalism, robbery, or personal attack than Mr. Montalbano can ever dream about.

A booklet, or another type of sign, pamphlet, or flyer, that would educate the student on safe dormitory life and campus living would serve as a "Conscious-Raiser," and would, in effect, cover this campus as an invincible force field, or a 25-person police force couldn't.

I guess it's just a difference in style. One security department in one college looks to help prevent crimes before they happen, by raising the consciousness of the students, and educate them on safe campus life. Another Security department, somewhat closer to our hearts, looks towards "Band-aid" cures, measures, that if continued, still wouldn't work when my 6-month old nephew graduates from college.

I guess it's just a difference in style.

**The "Rag in the Wag" will return next week. Stay tuned for your favorite complaints.**

## Another SAB Success

In the second edition of what Scott Fink hopes to be a long line of varied Wednesday night entertainment, the rock-n-roll band, *September*, appeared before a crowd of approximately 300 students, during a free S.A.B. concert Wednesday night in the main dining hall.

S.A.B. president, Fink, was happy with both the performance of the band and the turnout of students for this evening, as his new Wednesday night ideas are now 2-for-2, both coming up winners.

*September*, which hails from St. Louis, Missouri, mixed original material with some copied songs as they glided through their scheduled three, 45-minute sets. A professional band in every sense of the word, *September* members joked and spoke with the audience, trying to get them to cover the floor area

directly in front of the stage and not congregate in the perimeter areas.

This Wednesday night concert follows right on the heels of an *Irish Music Night*, which was such an overwhelming success that the S.A.B. is trying to book the singing trio to another gig on campus.

In all three events: M\*A\*S\*H\* Night, the Irish Music Night, and Wednesday's *September* Concert; the admission was free. This seems to be a very successful formula for Fink and his group. It is much different, and much more successful than any other social board has been in the past.

As usual, the T.J. MacDermott food service workers did a very good job serving the thirsty throng. The crowds were all orderly and pleasant, as were the surroundings.

## Send In Your "Create A Job" Coupon Today

TO: Glenn Windisch  
Student Government President

FROM: Wagner Student Body

RE: "Create-a-Job"



As a Wagner student, I am worried about the drop in financial aid next year, and therefore, wish to help out in the "Create-a-Job" campaign. I feel the following position(s), which is not filled by a student at a present time, should be filled by a student in the future.

JOB(S) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Thank You

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

## Help Create New Jobs With Students Help

The *Wagnerian*, with the cooperation of the Wagner college Student Government, is asking all students at Wagner to start searching around their part of the campus for possible job openings for students that aren't held by students at the present time.

With the decrease in financial aid that is being forecast for next year getting closer and closer, we are calling on Wagner students to fill out the coupon, listing possible new job openings, so that the students of Wagner will be able to work off at least some of their tuition.

If you happen to see positions in the Dining hall, in security, as a lab assistant, tutor, or whatever, let us know about it. All "Create-a-Job" replies should be dropped off in the "Create-a-Job" Box at the Candy/Info desk in the Union, or sent directly to the Student Government Office.

Remember: No job is too small, to be started in the Fall." Fill out your coupon today!

# EDITORIAL

## Appalled By Abuse

It is with deep regret that I write this editorial this week. Since the first issue of the WAGNERIAN, I have tried to increase student interest in the school newspaper. To achieve this goal, the WAGNERIAN will cover student-group activities, welcome stories written by students on topics that interest them and are not "assigned to them" and other various techniques established by the staff. One big area that interests a lot of students is the Classified Section. Here, the WAGNERIAN has been most generous, providing a service that is "free" and is normally charged for by other newspapers.

Much to my dismay, I have discovered that this free service is being abused. The Classified Section is no longer an innocent section, sending greetings to ones' friends, relatives, etc. It is being abused by uncaring, unthinking people who find pleasure in hurting their peers.

I guess the big question that enters my mind is-Why? Why must something that could be fun and beneficial for people be turned into an ugly and useless service?

I am appalled and upset that people feel they can "use" such a service for their own sick reasons. It is not amusing and measures are being taken to end this situation.

All classifieds must be delivered to a staff member in the Wagnerian office and will be subject to approval by the editorial staff.

The box at the Candy Counter in the Union is no more. Classifieds will have to be delivered to the WAG office(Room 227) in the Union and handed to a staff member. All classifieds will then be subject to approval by the editorial staff of the paper. If this does not have sufficient effect on the misuse of classifieds, a fee will be charged for EACH classified.

To the innocent bystanders who must suffer because of a few pranksters, I am very sorry, but once again all must suffer because of a few.

## Wake Up!

There is no more dreaded a word in the English language than the word "involvement." We witness a crime or an accident and we turn the other way. We become like the three monkeys: See nothing, hear nothing and do nothing.

This is unfortunate. A society that has become so complacent that we wonder what the future has in store for us. Where would we be today if there were no American revolutionists?

Wake up! Come alive! Our society demands that we be involved in the problems and concerns of our young adult population. Next to automobile accidents, which take the lives of some 25,000 teens each year, we have death by suicide.

Defensive driving courses given by the National Safety Council can dramatically reduce the road death toll, but what do we do about suicides?

This is where involvement comes

familiar saying, When you assume, you make an ass- out of - u - and - me. I was unjustly accused of plagiarism by Mr. Nalin which was based on a mere assumption. Yes Mr. Nalin, you have made an ass out of you, and me both. But by the time this article is finished, you will stand bent over alone.

For Black History Month, I contributed two articles to the WAGNERIAN. It was clearly stated that both articles were indeed written by me. The article entitled "Sixteen Years Ago", which Mr. Nalin "just happened to assume I submitted and plagiarized", had no by-line acknowledging who had wrote the article. Since all my work is original and I am proud to possess this creative talent, anything that is written by me will boldly state its' creator.

It is possible that the article Mr. Nalin is referring to was plagiarized. The fact that it had no author would support his thesis. But that is not what is in question here. The fact that Mr. Nalin had the intelligence to read the article, but not the common sense to see that I hadn't written the piece is very pathetic on his part. This just goes to show you that you can have the intelligence to read and write or to get a B.A. degree without

## Letters To The Editor

into play. Every person has an obligation towards his fellow man; be he adult, staff, faculty, student or administration.

On the college campus and in the education field we have an excellent opportunity to practice involvement. A student cries out for help in many ways. They need someone to talk to, someone to listen to their problem. In the course of your work, you may be that person. Do not treat him or her lightly. It is difficult for them to pour their heart out to you. Involve yourselfencourage conversation, take the time to listen; reccommend a chaplain; lead them by the hand.

The signs are there for all to see; depression, morose feelings, lack of companionship, talk of suicide, etc. Students have an opportunity and an obligation and should be concerned of their peers' actions. They are the closest to the situations. We should all be vigilant and read the warning signs. There is help available for the problems of our young adults and teenagers. We can give them their first sign of hope through the practice of brotherly love and friendship.

Pat Gentile  
Business Office  
Cunard Hall

really reflecting your actual knowledge. Knowledge isn't having the ability to learn something. Knowledge is having the common sense, logic, and discretion to use what you have learned. It would be nice to think that the stray donkeys roaming around with this great load of acquired learning on their backs will now be able to maneuver, so that they can in turn be treated as knowledgeable people, instead of asses.

P.S. I would like to thank the Editor for verifying and defending that I had not submitted the article to the WAGNERIAN. You may ask why did they print Mr Nalin's article if it was known that his accusation was unjustified. There is such a thing as Freedom of the Press and Freedom of Speech, which I enjoyed expressing in this article

Lydia Diane Plummer

# THE WAG NEEDS

✓ Writers    ✓ Reporters  
 ✓ Typists

## The Wagnerian

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## Common Sense Needed

This article is not written in total defense of the brutal accusation by Tienna Nalin in the WAGNERIAN'S last issue. But it is more or less geared to be a lesson in common sense and logic to those who apparently lack it, such as Mr. Nalin.

When I was younger, I had a habit of jumping to conclusions which sometimes caused me to act irrational. I learned the hard way that

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LETTER TO  
THE EDITOR  
TO  
ROOM 227  
IN THE  
UNION BLDG.**



# ARTS

## Film: "Porky's" - Raunchy and Rowdy Fun

By George M. Gott

The 1950's were a time when there were two cars in every garage, a chicken in every pot and sex was considered a dirty word. That era in time is the setting of the new movie, "Porky's". Written and directed by Bob Clark, the film concerns itself with the misadventures of six teenage boys and their sexual hangups. Raunchy and rowdy are terms that come the closest to describing this movie which most definitely deserves its "R" rating.

"Porky's" is essentially a showcase for six relatively unknown actors who manage to pull off this romp in respectable style despite a script that lacks any punch. Dan Monahan, Mark Herrier, Wyatt Knight, Roger Wilson, Cyril O'Reilly and Tony Ganios portray the six sexually frustrated young males in a most amusing style. Although they all look about 5-10 years older than their characters are supposed to be, they manage to act out their roles with distinct believability. Rounding out the crazy cast are Kaki Hunter, Kim Cattrall, Nancy Parsons and Scott Colomby. The only recognizable face is Alex Karras

who portrays a do-nothing sheriff, in a goingnowhere role.

To try and describe the plot of "Porky's" is rather difficult. The style is similar to "American Graffiti" but without any real conflicts. The film follows the exploits of the six teenagers, one of whom is a virgin who wants to "get laid." The six teens decide to go to a place similar to the infamous Chicken Ranch where, for \$100.00, they hope to be "entertained" by the women of the house. Their plan is thwarted by the owner of the club, Mr. Porky (hence the name of the club, Porky's.), who takes their money and tosses them out into the swamp the club is situated around. The remainder of the film deals with the teens planning a counter-attack to restore their bruised egos and wallets.

While the movie is hilarious, it suffers from some potentially lethal flaws. Director Clark is relying to heavily upon sexual humor and gags. While this may amuse the younger moviegoers, it isn't going to exactly please the Geritol set. The frustrated virgin, PeeWee (played by

Dan Monahan), tends to get bothersome at times and downright annoying at others. The main problem appears to be the script or lack of it. In all sincerity, the appears to be rather ambiguous and at times drags. That usually doesn't last for long since the cast seems to be having a good time in the film and that is related back to the audience.

If you're looking for some raunchy comedy and a fun night, "Porky's" is a safe bet. What it lacks in substance it more than ably returns in fun and vitality. \*\*½

- \*\*\*\*-Excellent
- \*\*\* -Good
- \*\* -Fair
- \* -Poor

### WABC: All Talk

WABC announced it will adopt a talk radio format in early May.

The announcement, made by Alfred Racco, Vice President and General Manager of the station, stated that the station will phase out music programming and increase its information-oriented offerings, including a strong commitment to local and national news, and will retain the popular morning team of Ross & Wilson, Art Rust, Jr. and his "Sportstalk" program, psychological talk with Dr. Judith Kuriansky and all of the New York Yankee games.

WABC is a clear-channel 50,000 watt facility serving the New York Market area.

### When a Celebrity Dies...

Whenever a celebrity dies, the public feels a sense of loss. That loss cannot be put in any certain terms. The death of actor/comedian John Belushi hit the nation hard when the type of humor Belushi provided us with was needed the most. Whether or not the man was a saint is not important. What is important were his contributions. John Belushi's zaniness and spontaneity, which were the crux behind the show, "Saturday Night Live," gave the nation's young people something to look up to in an era void of heroes. He was a genius of comedy and knew what to do to make people laugh and take them away from a world zanier than he was, even for a couple of hours.

It is with deep regret and sadness that we accept the passing of John Belushi. May his memory always be with us and may his humor keep us laughing through the good times and the bad.



BELUSHI

## TV Newsman Captivates Audience

By Lydia Diane Plummer

Dynamic! Spectacular! Overpowering! All of these adjectives could never justify the lecture Gil Noble gave on February 25, in CCF-2. Although he is employed by the communications media and is an exceptional public speaker, the success of the lecture cannot be credited to just that. The knowledge of this man and the song of truth which he sang so gracefully is what made the night a memorable one.

The evening began with a documentary film by Gil Noble on the late, legendary Paul Robeson. The film exhibited the greatness of Mr. Robeson and clarified that there was definitely a black "Renaissance Man" in the 20th. century. The film somehow managed to capture all of the talents of Mr. Robeson. He was an actor (the first black man to play Othello), an author, linguist, singer, lawyer and an athlete amongst other things. He was loved and praised throughout the world, especially in Europe and Russia. What was most surprising were the actions that the United States government took against Mr. Robeson because of his political beliefs. His passport was taken away and he wasn't allowed to perform in places that he had performed in before just because he advocated peace with the Communists, and the independence of African nations.

The absurdity of the government's actions can now be seen since the United States eventually came to practice what the esteemed Robeson preached.

Gil Noble went on to trace the 1960's civil rights movement, dramatizing the unity and determination of the blacks to overcome the suppression of black people during and prior to that time. Mr. Noble then asked the question, "What has happened to destroy those positive characteristics in our generation?" Like an explorer looking for hidden treasures, he identified this drastic change to the sudden outburst of drugs in the late '60's, the black exploitive films of the early '70's, with which youths began to identify instead of their real black struggles, and the lack of Black History being taught in schools today. This has resulted in a general sense of apathy towards growth and maturity among black people as a whole.

Gil Noble's message was clear; always grow for individual achievements, but don't forget the importance of developing together as a unified group. "You may have your gun full of knowledge," he said, "but without your scope of ethics, you will not be able to aim it and shoot correctly." Thank you, Mr. Noble, for telling it exactly how it was, and "like it is!"

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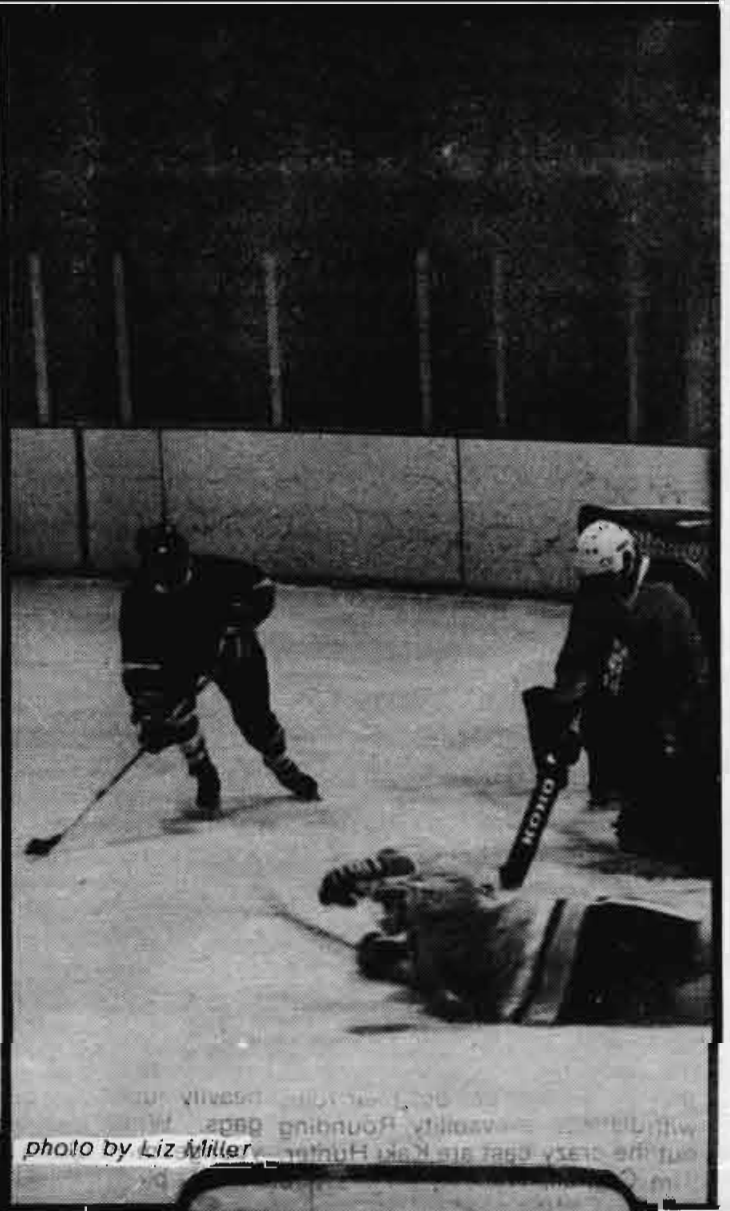


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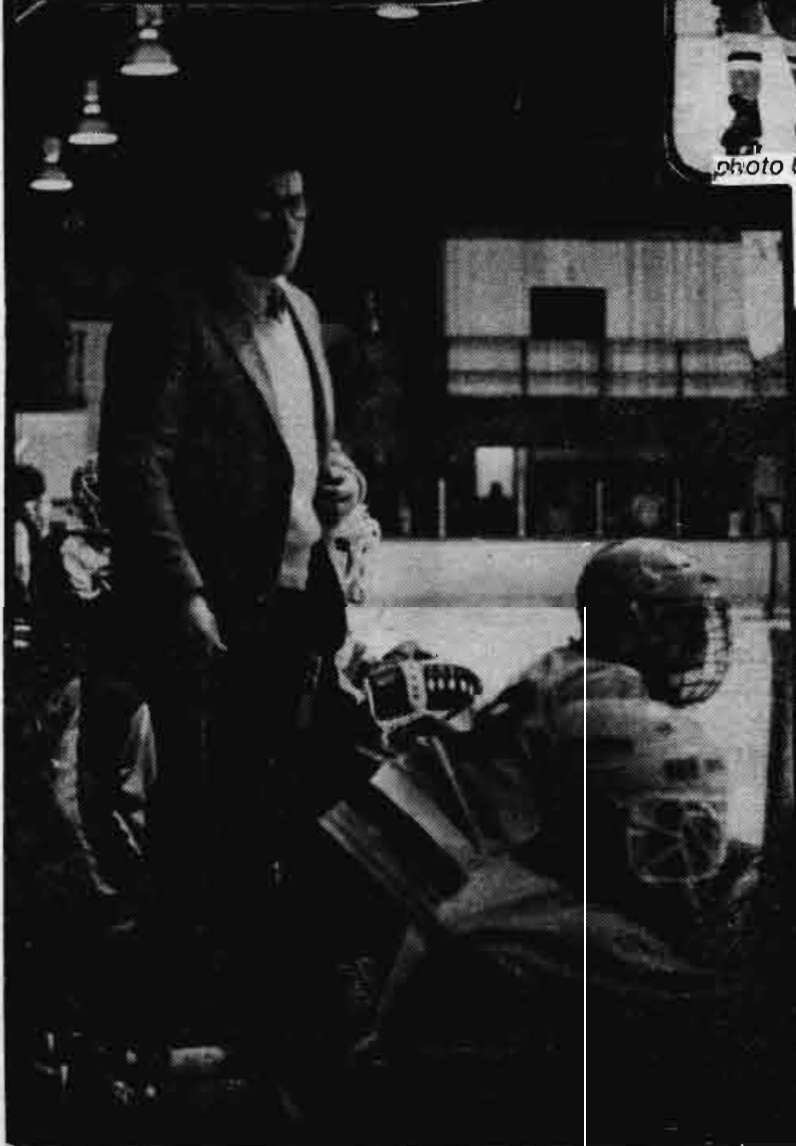
FROM TOP LEFT: Number 4 Tom Chimento makes a cross ice pass; Dooley Garardi sprawls across the Seahwk goal to stop a shot; Goalie Pat DeForte; Garardi lets a slapshot fly; Wagner coach Tim Cullen; Tony Sarlo swipes at a rolling puck and (center) Jeff Cianci, Sarlo and Garardi celebrate a Wagner goal.



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# Seahawks Advance To Final Four Defeat NJIT 10-2 In Metro Playoffs

By James T. Kirk

Wagner's hockey team didn't exactly come out flying against New Jersey Institute of Technology as they commenced the second round of the Metro League playoffs after sitting out of the first round with a bye. After laboring through the last month of the regular season, the Hawks had eight days off to recuperate from a demanding 32 game schedule and after lacking both hustle and intensity for the first period, the Seahawks woke up and completely buried NJIT with a 10-2 drubbing.

In winning, Wagner has advanced to the final four and is two wins away from a showdown for the league championship at the Nassau Coliseum. Equally important, the victory over NJIT demonstrated that Wagner's quick paced, potent offense the same offense that has made this the most successful hockey season ever at Wagner seems rejuvenated and ready to make a run for the championship.

For almost the entire first period against NJIT, the Seahawks were able to keep the puck in the enemy's end but it wasn't until Tony Sarlo found the net at 16:03 to make it 1-0 Wagner. As the second period progressed, the Hawks slowly began to shake the cobwebs from their skates and completely dominate NJIT. Glenn Simons scored the first of his three goals on the night at 2:33 of period number two then Tom Chimento fired a slap shot that was deflected in by Pat Rooney to make it 3-0. Midway through the second period Rooney flipped in a rebound to give Wagner a 4-0 edge.

NJIT didn't really have the opportunity to test Wagner goalie Pat DeForte until Tom Wallace spoiled the shutout at 14:47 of the second period. The Hawks responded to the NJIT goal by scoring three of their own in one minute. Captain Mike Leavy made it 5-1 and 49 seconds later Glen Simons took the puck from his own zone and motored down the ice shaking off defenders before beating the NJIT netminder to make it 6-1. As if that wasn't enough, Jeff

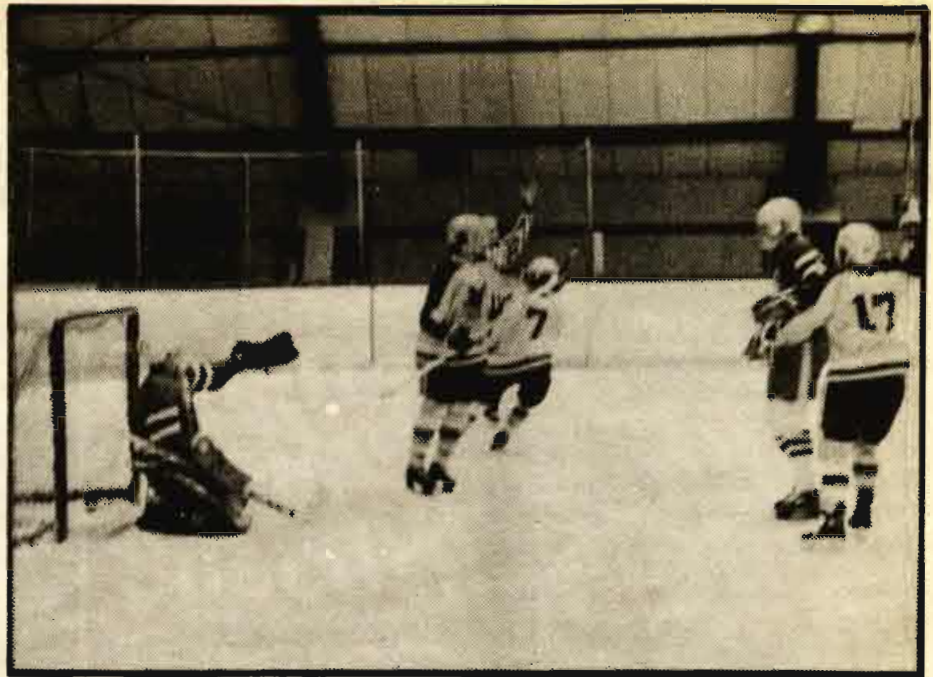
Cianci scored on a break-away only 10 seconds later to give Wagner a 7-1 edge.

In the third period, NJIT showed signs of life as they had 14 of their 30 shots on net but Pat DeForte came up big when he had two to extinguish any hope for a miracle comeback. Tony Sarlo scored two straight goals to give himself a hat trick and Wagner a 9-1 lead. Glen Simons finished the Wagner scoring when he completed his own hat trick with the tenth Seahawk goal.

With DeForte pulled and second string goalie Dave Bala in the net, NJIT made it an 8-goal drubbing when they scored with 42 seconds left in the game.

Of the ten Wagner goals, five came from the "production line" that has Pat Rooney at center with freshman Chris DeDea and Glen Simons at the wings. While as a group they collected 77 goals in the regular season, they like the rest of the team had problems putting the puck in the net in the last few games of the regular season. The NJIT game featured dominance from the production line and especially a commendable effort from right wing Chris DeDea.

At only 5'6", 130 pounds, DeDea has not only filled the net with 24 goals he has worked diligently in the corners and has consistently frustrated bigger opposing players. For his efforts this season he tied the freshman scoring mark set by Tony Sarlo. While Sarlo has scored 10 more goals this year, DeDea's hustle and



The "Production Line" of Pat Rooney (left), Chris DeDea (number 7) and Glen Simons celebrate a goal against NJIT in last Tuesday's playoff game.

good hockey sense has set up 42 goals to give him a total of 66 points on the year.

Perhaps one of the reasons the "production line" has been so effective is because both DeDea and Simons played on the same team in high school when they attended Tottenville H.S. here on Staten Island. While Simons is a few inches and a few dozen pounds bigger than his line mate DeDea, both employ the same hard skating, tough brand of hockey that has escalated Wagner to the final four of the Metro Conference playoffs.

Tomorrow (Saturday), Wagner will play either Nassau C.C. or Queens at Branchbrook Ice Center at 2 p.m. and then play the same team Sunday night. If Wagner should lose both games this weekend their season will be history; if they win one and drop one they'll play Thursday night, if they win on Thursday or if they win both games this weekend, they will travel to the Nassau Coliseum to do battle for the league championship.

**ICE CAPADES:** Last season Wagner also had a bye in the first round but they were eliminated in the second round by Maritime... If Wagner plays Nassau tomorrow it will be the third meeting of the two teams this season, so far the Seahawks are 1-1 against Nassau... Mike DeAngelo, playing for the first time after suffering a broken foot, looked impressive and had several good scoring opportunities... while the stands at Branchbrook were completely filled for the NJIT game, the vast majority of the crowd was pulling for the losers.

**DIRECTIONS TO BRANCHBROOK ICE CENTER:** Take the New Jersey Turnpike to exit 15W and proceed on Route 280 west until the Clifton Avenue exit. Get off 280 there and make a right at the first light. The entrance to the rink is on the left. Total travel time from Wagner should be about a half an hour.



AL STEWART carries the puck in to the NJIT zone

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