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**Rhode Island College** 

# Finance Committee recommends a 10.8 percent increase in state funding, freeze on tuition

by Pat Kelley News Editor

In a report submitted to the Board of Governors for Higher Education last Tuesday, the Finance Committee recommended a 10.8 percent increase in the amount of state funds appropriated to RI's three public institutions of higher education (RIC, URI, and CCRI) for the 1995-96 fiscal year. The report sketched a plan that would make \$2.4 million available to fund administrative improvements across the system. The proposal included a freeze on the tuition charged to in-state students at the colleges, and a 4.5 percent increase in tuitions paid by out-of-state students.

Despite the 10.8 percent increase, however, the expenditure budget would only be affected by a 3.5 percent increase. According to Commissioner Americo W. Petrocelli, this situation is directly related to a projected drop in enrollments at RIC and URI.

"This is the first time in Board History that I can say enrollment is definitely going down," Petrocelli told the Board. He added that the projected drop at RIC was approximately 2.9 percent, compared to URI's 9.8 percent.

Board Chairman Richard A. Licht stressed the importance of resisting the temptation to shift the institutions' financial burdens onto the students, and necessitated the need for tuition-freeze incentives in making in-state students feel welcome within the system. Licht

also said that he was optimistic in dealing with state officials regarding the budget for the 1995-96 fiscal year, adding that RI's economic recovery has put less strain on the state budget.

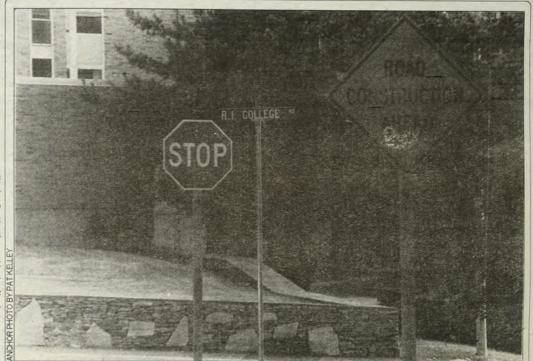
The recommendation was sent back to the committee for revision, and a modified report will be submitted to the Board within 60-90 days.

#### URI/CCE Relocation

The move of URI's Providence Campus of Continuing Education to the Shepard Building on Westminster Street was also addressed at Tuesday's meeting. A discussion was held regarding the availability of parking for students as one of the conditions of the move. Some of the locations that have been considered are the Convention Center parking lot and the Biltmore Parking Garage, which may be going up for sale in the near future.

Governor Deborah A. Smith voiced concern regarding security problems that could arise if students were to use one of these parking facilities. URI's President Robert Carothers assured board members that the issue would be addressed in the near future, and he stated that internal security problems have already been resolved.

A motion by Governor Frank Caprio to delay CCE's move from January, 1995 to September 1, was passed. Governor Smith was the only Board member who abstained from voting.



**Construction** seems to be a recurring theme on the RIC campus. Last week, crews began work on campus renovations, stretching from the Student Union to the former Walsh Gym.

# RIC alumnus Jim Langevin speaks about his bid for Secretary of State

By Ted Rao Staff Writer

On Wednesday, October 5, Democratic candidate for Secretary of State Jim Langevin visited RIC while on the campaign trail.

A RIC alumnus with a master's degree from Harvard University, Langevin first entered politics as secretary of R.I.'s Constitutional Convention. In 1988 he ran for Warwick's 29th district seat in R.I.'s House of Representatives, and he has served there since.

Here are some of the highlights of The Anchor's interview with Langevin. "Let's start by asking why you want to be Secretary of State."

"I'm running for Secretary of State because I'd be very involved in the reform of state government. For the last six years that I have been in the legislature—twice in a row now-I've earned the number one reform vote for my record in the House by the group Common Cause, and I'm very interested in seeing right now that those reforms continue on well into the future, and we don't slide back into the days when few would make the decisions for the many. The way we do that is to make sure that people can understand what's going on in government. We do that

through better access to public information.

I'm running for Secretary of State because I want to make something of that office. I think that it is one of the most underutilized offices in state government, and yet it has a lot of potential to be the center of real and lasting reform—to not only have access to information, but to really understand what that information is all about."

"One of the things that I heard you speaking about was improving the computer system in R.I..."

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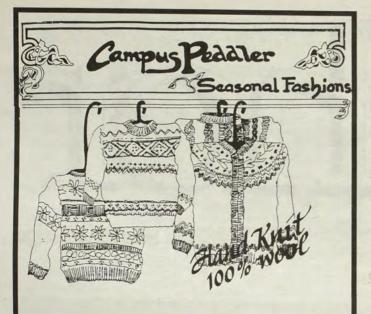
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# **Political Science Club takes** on new life

by Marcela Astudillo Managing Editor

In a matter of minutes and with no lengthy number of speeches, the new Political Science Club became active this past Wednesday after it elected its new executive

Even though only single candidates per office showed up for the 12:30 p.m. meeting, the group decided to go on with the election and each candidate gave a brief speech indicating the reason why they were a good choice.

Candidate for president, Patricia Murphy, 24, a sophomore, said that as president, her goal would be to make the club a very important part of the campus. "A lot of the clubs (on campus) are taken as a joke," she said. "I don't

want it to be joke, I want it to be like SCG"(Student Community Government) which she singled out as one of the few serious student organization on campus.

Murphy, who is currently pursuing a double major in history and political science, also said the club may help to "foster the relationships between faculty and students."

Jonathan David, who had also been nominated for president did not show up for the elections.

Other candidates who gave speeches and won the election were: Amie Bergin, Jim Jahns, and Toni Drowne. all political science majors.

Terrence Powers, 21, a senior, did not run for office but was responsible for organizing the club after it had not been active for at least a couple of years.

Powers, who has been heading the meetings up until elections, said he decided to get the club active again because he felt that students' involvement may gain them a great deal of experience and prepare them for their lives as politicians.

According to Murphy, the club is already planning a "coffee with the candidates" which is expected to take part some time at the end of the month. She said that candidates running for the major up coming elections, including gubernatorial candidates, will be invited.

She emphasized, however, that the event would not have any formal speeches but would be a way for students to meet the candidates and ask them questions as well as a way "to get students active in voting."

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## RIC alumnus Jim Langevin speaks about his bid for Secretary of State

#### CAMPAIGN.

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"I think that one of the best ways of providing better access to information is through the use of computer technology. Right now, for example, if you want to find out how your legislator voted, or if you want to find out where or when a public meeting is held, it is very difficult to find out that information.

Number one, to find out how your legislator voted, you'd have to go up to the State House and pull out those old, dusty House journals that are a foot thick."

"Well, you could go to [your local public] library too-

"I don't think they'd have them there. You'd probably have to go to the State House to get them, and you would have to sift through the journals and have exact information, like the date and bill number and all that. In other words, it's very difficult, if not impossible, to find out that information, and the point is that it should be as easy to find out how your legislator voted as it would be to pick up a phone and find out the balance on your checking account.

It's a very cumbersome process to find out where a public meeting is being held. There really should be a place like a page in your newspaper or on a computer screen

telling you of these events, and I want to make the Secretary of State's office the clearing house for public meetings and public education."

"So you feel that education and knowledge is very vital? (Pause.) "Of course."

"Do you see

any problems

with Barbara

Leonard and

how she has

handled the

Secretary of

State's office?"

like to just say

this: serving in

the position of a

state wide '

elected official is about maximiz-

ing the opportunity to serve the

people of R.I., otherwise, why run?

I think that, although I want to run

a very positive campaign, why she

shouldn't be re-elected is a

legitimate question that I need to

answer, and I'll answer it by say-

ing this: I don't believe that she's

maximized that opportunity to

serve, and I ask the people, 'What

more do you know about the

Secretary of State's office today

Most people are honest, and I

really don't know what this office

does, and considering the fact that

than you knew two years ago?'

"Well, I would

it costs between \$4 and \$5 million to run that office, I think the people at least ought to know what that office does, and I could tell you that when I'm Secretary of State, they will."

"Your flyer speaks of 'Uncommon Courage.' How would you personal, educational, or whatever, and do whatever I can to overcome those challenges."

"What year did you graduate from RIC? "In 1990."

"What was your major?"

"I had a double major in Political Science and Public Administration, with a minor in Economics."

"Were you interested politics all throughout your life?"

"Not really. I mean, I suppose I

was exposed to it at an early age, but I never saw myself as running for office. It wasn't until the accident which changed the course of my life that I [became interested in public service].

I don't know how much you know about me, but I was a police cadet when I was sixteen years old. When I was in the locker room one day, a police officer's gun went off and the bullet went through my neck and severed my spinal cord . . . and I believe in that old saying that when God closes one door, He opens another.

At that time I was very fortunate

to have a very supportive family and a very supportive and caring community that came out and helped me to get things back on track, and that experience affected me profoundly, and it really did make me want to give something back to the community if I ever had the chance. Someone had suggested that I run for the Constitutional Convention. I thought about it, and I kind of saw that as a tangible way of giving back to the community, so I ran. It was only a one-year position at the time, and it was something nice to do, and it wound up being a fulfilling experience, and something that gave a great deal of meaning and focus to my life.

It wasn't until two years later that the state representative in my area decided not to run. That's what I've been doing for the last six years."

"How many terms do you plan on being Secretary of State?

"Well, let me get through the first four years first. You know, for all the executive offices up for re-election, I think we've got a pretty aggressive agenda for what we'd like to get accomplished. That is, to redefine the office of Secretary of State, and make it more than just a record keeper and filing clerk, to really being the people's partner. I imagine it's going to take us a good four years to do so."

#### "I believe in that old saying that when God closes one door, He opens another \*\*

 Jim Langevin, on the accident that left him paralyzed

describe this concept?"

"I've always made the most of every challenge in my life, and I haven't let many obstacles stand in my way . .

It's the courage not only to overcome some personal challenges in my own life, but also overcoming challenges and goals I've set for myself. You Know, when I was a delegate to the Constitutional Convention, I was also elected Secretary at RIC. I was an honor student, and also President of the student body here.

I think it's the courage to meet tough challenges, whether they be

#### The Campus Connection

#### **Computer Center** Workshops

"Microsoft Word 5" (on Macintosh). Oct. 12, 12:30 - 2 p.m. in Horace Mann 182

"Customizing MM with the Eve Editor," (IBM), Oct. 14, 1-3 p.m. in Gaige 168.

"Interview" Part of the Career Development Center's series of workshops to be held this semester. Oct. 12, 12:30 - 2 p.m. Call x8031 for more information.

CPR Training; The Office of Health Promotion is offering a three hour class in Level A (adult) CPR on Oct. 15, from noon - 3 p.m. The class will be limited to 15 participants and the fee is \$20. For more information, contact Fran Lopes at x8062.

"Women in the Old Testament," Part of a series of workshops presented this semester by the Chaplain's Office. Oct. 11, noon. Donovan 202.

"The Changing Workplace," Part of October's "Tools and Techniques for the 21st Century Workplace" series. Sponsored by Cooperative Extension of the College of Resource Development at URI, the Faculty Community Leadership (FCL) of URI, and the R.I. Commission on Women. Oct. 13, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. at the Sheraton Tara Airport Hotel in Warwick. For more information, call 792-2471.

"Preparing a Business Plan" A workshop sponsored by The Service Corps of Retired Executives (SCORE) on Oct. 14, from 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. on the Second Floor of the Barrington Public Library. Contact Bill Mackinnon at 528-

The R.I. Sri Chinmoy Centre will offer a Free six-week course in meditation at the Williams Free Hall Library on 1825 Broad Street in Cranston. The classes will be held on Mondays from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Contact Terri Carr at 438-5954.

#### Miscellaneous

"The Walk for Hope," the annual 10 kilometer walk-a-thon of the Samaritans of R.I. is scheduled for Oct. 15 at 10 a.m. at the Roger Williams Park Zoo. For more information, call 272-4243



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# RIC tries its hand at *The Real World*, London style

by Jeremy R. Marquard Anchor Contributor

What do you get when you take seven eclectic college personalities, enroll them in a course on the European Community, and then send them off to an apartment in London to live for five weeks?

If you guessed MTV's "Real World," guess again. (Of course, if you threw in a few cameras to the above recipe, we might have been famous.)

Actually, you've got RIC's first annual exchange program to London, England, a trip affiliated with RIC's Political Science Department in the spirit of keeping up relations with the Motherland.

Coached and prepared by our graciously cosmopolitan Dean of Arts and Sciences, Richard Weiner, this past June seven of us jetted to the Land of the Queen

(and the rest of the feuding Royal Family), Buckingham Palace, Big Ben, the London Bridge (you know, the one that fell down), and the like.

We were there to learn, of course, and indeed we did. The two classes that we took at South Bank University, although brief, were very informative. But without question, the greatest learning experience came from being away from home, submerged in another culture, and living with seven virtual strangers.

Eventually, we got past the initial awkwardness of being lost in a foreign land and began to get the hang of things. Transporting ourselves around the city by metro, or the "Tube," black cabs, and the all-too-famous double-decker buses, we saw London in all of its splendor.

Now, of course, as beautiful as

London is, we didn't restrict ourselves to remaining in the city. At different times, we all ventured out to other parts of the U.K.; some to the academic world capitals of Oxford and Cambridge,; some to Edinburgh, Scotland, and others even to the "city of love," Paris, France.

Our "tutors," a.k.a. professors, at London's South Bank were gracious enough to lead us on a few walking tours through certain parts of the city. There was ample time, apart from the tours, to see just about as much of the city as we wanted. From London's lively night beat, to their multiple first-class theatres, from their historic and artful museums, to their hundreds of pubs and cafes, there was certainly enough entertainment to keep even the busiest of us occupied.

Many a wandering afternoon,

the well-stocked bookstores kept the most avid readers among us occupied. Sunday afternoons were full of free speech, revolution, and/or ventilation of anger at "Speaker's Corner" in Hyde Park. Speaker's Corner was perhaps one of the most interesting parts of our trip—a place where hundreds of people gathered every Sunday for the sole purpose of expressing their values and opinions through jolly good debates.

After five weeks of gallivanting through the streets of Europe, the time came to return to Little Rhody. Our good thing had come to an end. Our memories of all the new people we met and of all the different adventures we had were born. It certainly was a summer to remember for all of us.

And now for some of us, the question surfaces: "Which way back to London, mate?"

# Scholarships available

The National Science Foundation is proud to announce a 1995 national competition for graduate fellowship awards. Those who are eligible to apply in the Fall 1994 are college seniors, first-year graduate students, and others who have completed a limited amount of graduate study in science, mathematics and engineering. There are also a variety of minority Graduate Fellowships available, as well as additional awards to be offered to encourage women to undertake graduate study in engineering and computer information science. The application deadline is November 4.

The Consortium for Graduate Studies in Management is proud to announce that they are offering fellowships for talented individuals who are African-American, Hispanic American, or Native American and interested in pursuing graduate studies in business. U.S. citizenship is a requirement. The application deadline is February 1.

The Presbyterian Hospital of Dallas offers scholarship funds up to \$2500 per year to qualified junior and senior students in professional health care fields. The financial assistance is offered as reimbursement towards tuition, activity fees, books, and other fees related to approved courses. This is a continuous program, therefore there is no deadline.

80 Fellowships will be awarded by the **Howard Hughes Medical Institute** for full-time study toward a Ph.D or Sc.D degree in biological sciences. Awards are for three years, with extension possible for two additional years of full support. Fellowship awards provide an annual stipend of \$14,500 and a \$14,000 annual cost-of-education allowance. The application deadline is November 4.

For additional information regarding the scholarships mentioned above, contact the Financial Aid Office at x8033.



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# **Anchorwomen almost survive Colonial attack**



Captain Sara McEntee spikes the ball against UMDartmouth. The Anchorwomen (I to r) are: Jenn Hasting, McEntee, Jess Aldrich, and Ellen Davenport.

by Cassie Toshack Anchor Staff

The Women's Volleyball team put up and incredible fight this past weekend against the highly ranked Colonials from Western Connecticut, taking the match to five games. The Colonials captured the first game 15-12, but the Anchorwomen quickly retaliated, winning the second game 16-14. Western Connecticut struck again taking the third game 15-8, but RIC stayed strong and won the fourth game 16-12, making it a tied match (2-2). The final game had the fans on the edge of their seats as they watched the Anchorwomen and the Colonials. Although the Anchorwomen played well, they were not able to survive the Colonial's final attack. Western Connecticut captured the victory by defeating RIC 15-9 in the fifth and final game, making the final score of the match (3-2). At the end of the match, both coaches and the many fans who showed their support with energetic applause and a standing ovation, were pleased with their teams' performances.

Sports Information Director, Ed Vallancourt was dually impressed with The Anchorwomen's performance, commenting: "The team has much improved since the last time they met Western Connecticut, earlier in the season.

Their ability to play as a team, has improved as well as their over all defense against the attack of their opponents."

outstanding Turning performances for RIC were senior and captain Sara McEntee from Riverside, RI, and sophomore Faith Birtwell from Seekonk, Ma, both of whom had 10 kills each. Sophomore Ellen Davenport from Cranston, RI came through for RIC with 20 assists. Junior Jessica Aldrich also played well, adding many assists and numerous powerful serves.

The Women's Volleyball team will play again this Tuesday, against Endicott College, at Our Lady of Providence Gym at 7:00 p.m.

# **Valiant RIC Soccer** team ends up with yet another loss

U-Mass Dartmouth 1 Rhode Island College 0

Frustration. Anger. Pain. If you are a fan of RIC soccer all these words ran through your head during last Tuesday's losing effort against U-Mass Dartmouth. If you are a player on the RIC men's soccer team, the only word on your mind was: why? Two days earlier the Anchormen played yet another 120 minute game to leave the University of Southern Maine with a 1-1 tie and desperately wanted to put a hurting on fellas from Dartmouth. Freshman forward Erik White said, "Hopefully the gents will be swift of foot in our efforts against U-Mass today. With any luck we shall reign triumphant." But all would be for nought as the game unfolded. RIC goalie Steve Clapprood held U-Mass scoreless for the first half and most of the second with a slew of death-defying saves but a goal scored by Dartmouth's Enrico Palazzo would end the hopes of a shut-out. The Anchormen would try valiantly to level the score but again time was not on their side. Chris "The Pork Chop" Blanchette was quoted as, "Curses, that confounded clock seems to be our ubiquitous foe! A pox on that infernal time piece!" Josh and Ben DelDeo turned in great games as well as "Ed Luva" Haik and Matt Forrest but even their magical

wizardry couldn't pull out the victory. The RIC-men would fire a flurry of narrowly missed shots in the game's closing minutes but when the Ref. in the big purple shirt blew the final whistle, The Anchormen still found themselves down a goal. Captain Steve Thompson said in hindsight, "We expect to win games like this. Our team is capable of doing such great things and a loss today is like getting stabbed in the guts with a really big rusty knife, and that hurts wicked bad!" The men traveled to Boston on Thursday with hopes of slapping a different U-Mass team but returned with another tie after another overtime game. When asked about the game, Craig "The Sausage King of Chicago" Dalpe said, "Boy, it sure was cold there in Boston! I wished I had some tights to put on or something because I was freezing! But, Boston is lovely this time of year." This 2-2 tie puts RIC at third place in the Little East with only one conference game left. These men are destined for the ECAC championships and look forward to the opportunity of winning a Little East crown. The Anchormen play Mass Maritime on Saturday (Oct. 8) and then two more road games before coming back to the hometown crowd on October 18th. Good luck men, remember..."Fire it up!"

### **RIC** students jump to make a positive difference

by Jodi Johnson Anchor staff

On October 26, the Rhode Island Association For Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance will sponsor Jump Rope for Heart, an event to teach individuals how regular exercise can help their hearts stay healthy while raising money to help heart disease.

At the event, which will take place from 12:30-1:00 p.m. on the campus quad, prizes will be distributed based upon how much money each individual raises. Some of the prizes will include t-shirts, jackets and sports bags. A mountain bike will go to the student who raises the most money in the state, and school trophies will go to the top fund raising schools.

Any individual who would like to help out may contact the Physical Education Department at 456-8046 for collection and sponsor envelopes. Any donations or volunteers are greatly appreciated as well. Help RIC become the top fund raising college in the state by sponsoring your school in the fight against against heart disease.

#### Intramural Results

#### Wiffleball (as of 10/3)

Air it out defeated Neon's

All-Stars defeated Silver Bullets

High rollers defeated Long shots

#### **Coed Volleyball** (as of 10/4)

Toast defeated Anzeveno's Crew

Dazed and Confused defeated Moxie

Academic Suicide defeated Avengers

#### 3-on-3 Basketball (as of 10/5)

Suns defeated Atomic Bombers

Won't be beat defeated Who?

jam defeated Twirl Warriors

Road House defeated Hoosiers

# **Sports** Schedule

Men's Soccer @ Wentworth Inst. of Tech

3:00 p.m.

Women's Volleyball **ENDICOTT** COLLEGE 7:00 p.m.

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

Women's Tennis **JOHNSON** &WALES UNIV.

THURSDAY

3:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Women's Tennis @ Salem State College

3:30 p.m.

Men's and Women's Cross Country Regis College 11:00 a.m.

Women's Volleyball @ Fitchburg State

College Men's Soccer @ Eastern Nazarene

College Women's Tennis Little East Conference Championship @

Plymouth State Univ 1:00 p.m. SATURDAY

SUNDAY

Home events in capital letters

# GET OUT.

# For the week of October 11 to 17

By Brian Ross Anchor Entertainment Editor

#### TUESDAY

On Campus: Bible Sharing at 12 noon in SU 300, sponsored by Chaplains' Office.

Women in the Old Testament at 12 noon in Donovan 202.

Come see the film, **Sarajevo Ground Zero** at 7 p.m. in the Bannister Gallery.

Off Campus: Mule plays at the Last Call Saloon tonight with the Laurels and the Jack-O-Nuts. 15 Elbow St. Providence. 421-7170.

Mark Cutler plays at the Met Cafe. Only \$2.00. 130 Union St. Providence. 861-2142.

Fetish Night at Club Babyhead. Call the Fetish Hotline at 575-4334 or contact Babyhead: 73 Richmond St. Providence. 421-

#### WEDNESDAY

On Campus: L.A.S.O Meeting from 1 to 1:30 p.m. in SU 305.

Chamber Music Series: Baritone, Piano at 1 p.m. in Roberts Recital Hall.

Off Campus: Tickets go on sale for Violent Femmes show today. See below (But Wait...) for details.

Witch Meadow play the Last Call Saloon with The Orphans.

Arna and Slow Drive are at the Met Cafe tonight.

**Luscious Jackson** plays at Club Babyhead with **Ben Harper**. \$7.50 in advance.

#### THURSDAY

On Campus: Prayer Service at 12 noon in SU 300.

Art: "Moral Imperatives for Design in Craft" slide lecture at 12:30 p.m. in room 5 of the Art Center.

**LA.S.O. Meeting** from 7:15 to 7:45 in SU 205.

Movie: Like Water for Chocolate at 8 p.m. in the Video Den (Located in the ground floor of SU building).

Off Campus: 94 HJY Birthday Bash with Fury in the Slaughterhouse, the Nads, and Bloodline at the Strand Theater.\$4.94.79 Washington St. Providence. 272-0444.

94 HJY Birthday Bash also at Lupo's Heartbreak Hotel, featuring Soulhat, Atomic Opera, and Star Darts. \$4.94.239 Westminster St. Providence. 272-5876.

#### FRIDAY

Off Campus: Deborah Harry in the Jazz Passengers performs at Babyhead tonight. Also appearing: The Robert Jazz Quartet. \$12.50 in advance.

WBRU's Home BRU-ed Night at Lupo's and the Met Cafe, with Fretblanket, Blueshift Signal, Blair's Carriage, Birdy, and Gestaldt. \$3.95 for both clubs.

Fretblanket is at the Met Cafe tonight. (See Above.)

#### SATURDAY

Off Campus: Michelle Malone and Band de Soleil play the Met Cafe.

The Fugees are at Lupo's with Ini Kamoze. \$10.00 in advance.

At Babyhead, Corrosion of Conformity play with Keypone, John Monopoly, and Tree. \$5 in advance.

Al DiMeola plays at the Strand Theater. Doors open 6 p.m. WBRUNight to follow. \$10.50 in advance, \$12.50 day of show. Golden Circle seating available.

#### SUNDAY

On Campus: Hike Mt. Monadnock. Bus leaves SU loop at 9 a.m., to return at 5 p.m. Tickets are \$5 at SU info. desk.

Off Campus: WBRU presents Pavement at Lupo's with Thinking Feller's Union Local 282 and Ass Ponys. \$10.00.

Widespread Panic is at the Strand Theater with Freddy Jones. \$10.50

#### MONDAY

On Campus: Volunteer at a Soup Kitchen from 11 a.m. to 1



Fury in the Slaughterhouse, along with the Nads, and Bloodline play at the Strand Theatre on Thursday. They perform as part of the 94 HJY Birthday Bash for a \$4.94 admission fee. For other locations of the Bash, check Thursday's lineup.

p.m. Meet at SU 300.

Country Line Dancing at 12 Still Home. noon in SU Ballroom.

**Games Room Tournament** at 7 p.m. Sign up at SU info. desk.

Off Campus: Stompbox play at Babyhead with Temperance and Still Home.

#### BUT WAIT ...

The Violent Femmes are playing at Lupo's Heartbreak Hotel

on Nov. 4, so mark it on your calendar now. Tickets are only \$17.50, and they go on sale Wednesday, October 12th. Keep reading The Anchor for more details.

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# New wrinkles as Starman twinkles

by Ben Jones Anchor Contributor

Imagine that you're father retires, feeling to old, too tired for the job he loves. Imagine that he needs an heir, someone to take over the family business now that he's hit the showers. Now, this isn't something that particularly interests you. You've got your own niche, buying and selling neat stuff like viewmasters, old movie posters, and Bobbsey twins books. Luckily, you're older brother is chosen, and gladly takes the job. He's got his mission, you've got your life, and dad's work is being continued. So everybody's happy,

Wrong. The previously mentioned family business is superheroing. A dangerous line of work. One in which said brother might, say, get himself blown away by a sniper. What then?

This is what happens to Jack Knight, an easygoing antiquary in picturesque Opal City. His father, Ted Knight (not the guy from Mary Tyler Moore) fought crime in the '40's as Starman, and his brother David has recently died trying to live up to the Starman tradition. The killers, led by an old supervillain called the Mist, tear the city apart. Jack has to do something, but he's not the heroic

This all takes place in DC's

monthly comic Starman, probably their best. It's refreshing to see a superhero who's not gung ho, wh; would frankly rather do somethi 42 else. British writer James Robinson has also created a convincing intergenerational conflict, and one of the coolest supporting casts around. These include the O'Dares, an almost identical family of Irish cops; and the Shade, an old Flash villain who puts his dark powers and Victorian manners to work for good, sort of. These and other distinguished touches are rendered by the ace art team of Tony Harris and Wade von Grawbadger.

Starman looks like a real treat for comic book fans, as well as those who are just curious.

# Stereolab gives "a taste of ethereal modness"

by Jeffrey Deston Anchor Staff

Stereolab Mars Audiac Quintet Elektra Records

Mars Audiac Quintet, Stereolab's follow-up to its debut Transient Random Noise Bursts with Announcements, has enough Moog synthesizers and Vox organs to make Gary Numan die with pleasure. It's a layered sandwich of guitar and organ droning that fills everybody's appetite. I highly recommend it for anyone who wants a taste of ethereal modness and a change of attitude.

The production begins with "Three-Dee Melodie," combining poppy guitar hooks, hummable lyrics, and even more hummable organ synthesizers. Laetitia Sadiers' heaven-like voice travels through the melody like it belongs there forever. "Wow" and "Flutter" anesthetize with a constant flutter of guitar, voice overdubs, and 70's spacy sound effects. "It's not eternal, interminable, progress is the clue," sings Laetitia, high on a cloud of her own lounge knowledge.

"Transona Five" is much like "Wow" with a slightly groovier bassline that reminds one of angels dancing to Musak on the highway. Dean Martin boards an elevator in Paris on "Des Étoiles Electroniques" while "Ping Pong" brings out the more mainstream, pop side of the group's abilities, combining the catchy riffs of the Housemartins with a skewed calmed down version of Pavement. "An Amorphose" is a sleeper, charming organ like a Sunday school practice session for chorus gone slightly groovy.

Grab onto the lullaby-like joyous

tone of "Three Longers Later" for some happy heaven drink spiked with its own ironic evil. Tim Gane and Mary Hansen pine away on guitar as Sadier sings son indecipherable lofty melodies in French. More of the same stuff heard in "Wow" and "Flutter" is found in "Nihilist Assault Group" and "Outer Accelerator."

"International Coloring Contest" rules the space lounge on the disc, while a heavier distorted "Transport Sans Bouger" gives a Jesus and Mary Chain feel. "The

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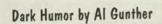
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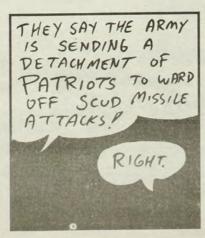


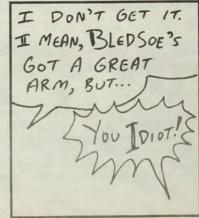


For those of you who haven't been following "Warped World," here's a rundown of what you missed. Tom's nephew was selling lemonade at a make-shift stand on Tom's lawn. The kid ran out of lemonade and began to sell hard liquor instead. Naturally, all the neighborhood tots got plastered. Trying to prevent a disaster, Tom shut the stand down. This brought on an ugly kiddie riot. Last week, the Army was called in to stop the pandemonium, but things got worse when the negotiator, Jimmy Carter, was captured by the kids. This week we see the siege start to come unraveled. Thank you. I don't know why I'm typing all this cuz if you were a decent person, you would have been reading all along! Anyway...enjoy!











# Warped World by Al Gunther... "The Lemonade Incident, Part 5."













#### Dark Humor by Al Gunther









# True Story is first rate material

by Ben Jones
Anchor Contributor

True Story- A Comedy Novel by Bill Maher Random House

"Five comedians sat on a train. They were Dick, Shit, Fat, Chink, and Buick, so pseudonymed for their specialties de fare: Dick, who did dick jokes; Shit, who did shit jokes; Fat, who did fat jokes; Chink, who made fun of the way Oriental people spoke; and Buick, the observationalist, whom everyone called Buck, and so he came to be called Buck."

True Story contains a good deal more charm than you may have inferred from reading the above passage. Unless you thought that was charming, in which case you must have been raised in a really bad neighborhood. And it comes from the twisted mind of Bill Maher.

Who is Bill
Maher? He is a longhaired comedian
specializing in political
satire, not unlike Dennis
Miller except that Maher has
never mistaken himself for the

Messiah. His talk show, "Politically Incorrect" is one of the best new shows on cable, the last time I had it anyway.

True Storychronicles about
a year in the lives of five
New York comedians.
They tour. They
love. They
connive.
They don't
necessarily
grow wiser. In
fact, one character
whom everyone else
admires has essentially
devoted himself full time to

The ride, however, is a lot of fun. This is especially true if you find casual sex, blatant racism, and massive drug abuse funny, as all right-thinking people do. These being a part of the world of his protagonists, Maher keeps 'em all comin'

"And so on, until he (rival comic Leland) closed with his closing bit, wherein he pointed to a chair onstage and asked, 'How many people wanna see me fuck this chair?' That bit always got a laugh out of the other comedians because they recalled the night that Leland's protege, another black comic named Ashley, did what he

thought was a twist on this bit, inviting a girl onstage and asking the audience, 'How many people wanna see me fuck this girl?'"

In his back-cover blurb, Jerry Seinfeld says that, "Anyone considering a career in stand-up comedy should read this book, then consider something else, because all this great stuff is over." Well, maybe the days of stand-ups stabbing each other in the back are over (right), and certainly the days are gone when comedians had an unlimited supply of groupies, but Maher has preserved them for your enjoyment. Be forewarned though, something absolutely disgusting happens in Chapter 14.

# Stereolab gives "a taste of ethereal modness"

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Stars Our Destination" is just that on this track, spinning through the atmosphere to a Moog induced orbit. "L'Enfer Des Formes" brings back the pop, and "New Orthophony" makes you want to don a beret and make for a poetry gathering outside. "Orthophony" slowly gathers all the moody synthesizers into one big room for a standing ovation, and then leaves us off with "Fiery Yellow," a xylophone tropical paradise to hula and groove to.

My advice: Lounge is making its comeback. Put on a bow tie, grab a martini, and go buy *Mars Audiac Quintet*. It's worth its weight in Moog.

# Three cheers for the Beer Expo

by Alan Gunther
Anchor Editor

living a lie by the end of the book.

The Rhode Island International Beer Expo was quite a success last weekend. Hundreds of eager beer connoisseurs poured (excuse the pun) into the Rhode Island Convention Center to sample over 150 different beers.

Top brews from Europe (including former Iron Curtain nations), Canada, Ireland, Great Britain, Brazil, and America were on hand. Local favorites Sam Adams and Providence's own

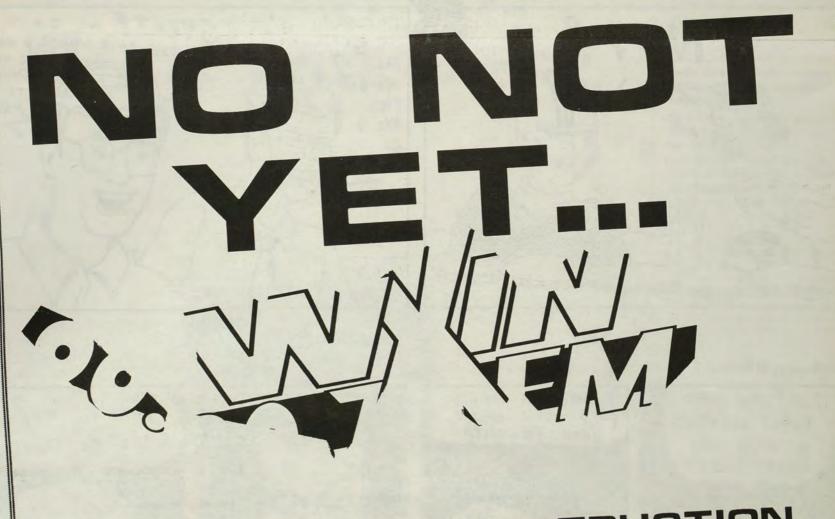
Union Station Brewery were on hand as well as representatives of the soon-to-be-opened Trinity Brewhouse.

Picking a favorite brew was not easy. My "squad" of beer experts and I did agree that Germany's Julius Echter "Heffe-Weissbier," a special wheat beer that must be shaken and *carefully* poured into a special glass, was the best beer of the show. It's a dark beer, but it is very smooth and offers no bitter after-taste. Brazil's Xingu Black Beer was another favorite. We

Porter, a British beer with a recipe taken from a bottle of beer found on a sunken ship in the English Channel. Apparently, the yeast culture was still active in the bottle dated 1825! Providence's Union Station Brewery's

were also very impressed with Flag

selections were cold and bottled, so the taste was not as good as a fresh, warm glass you'd get at the pub. Dundee's Honey Brown also got good marks. Surprise hits were the hard ciders. Woodchuck cider was the best, but Strongarm's Cider Jack was also very tasty.



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Give a smile, give your time, Don't give heartache, Don't give crime, why aren't you sharing yourself with the

Scrumper-come to my window. Crawl in and wait by the light of the moon. Come to my window.... I'll be home

Elfman? I know you can do better than that. How about... Love Machine?

Sherrie-There's a foul and mysterious odor coming from my room! Next time bring some ear plugs or better yet go to sleep!

How can I give you a hand? I will listen to you. I won't judge you. Do you see yourself writing this? Peace

Please call Professor Upegui. Non of that stuff with me; even if you do have beautiful eyes. Think of coffee or me!

Karen: Red!Red! What the hell was that? Well keep up the good work with Mr."Tiplet" and next time could you be a little quieter?

I can never concentrate in Bio, because you are insane Kim! What are you doing besides nothing?

Moose: I remembered the Big red book. Come down and see it some

Socialism-what have you done for me lately? Ever take an old poor women to the zoo?

Dave C. I'm not saying this to make you feel better, it's the truth. Remember when we talked outside until 1:00 AM? Well I went home and after hearing what you said about women I realized how much respect I have for you and I wanted to let you know that.

Open, Times, .125, 10, justify, spell, read, close, open, Times, .125... my life has become hell.

j. I think that letting me find out your e-mail address was a bad thing.-day

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sure the cure for a hangover is raw eggs. No, live goldfish. Wait. Aren't you supposed to starve a hangover? Never mind, what are you asking me for, anyway? What do I look like? Dr.Ruth?

I'm really registered to vote you know. And, I have a permit to carry this

Here's another one: "I never claimed to be the biggest bulb on the tree." I was pretty sure they were referring to ornaments. I think I pretty much proved that "biggest bulb" theory. Keep these for your kids.

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