

How do you feel about the recent article on Greek Life?

"I did not think that it was very fair to the brothers and sisters. If there was going to be an article on them they should have been interviewed also." Amy Karenbauer, 03 Accounting

"I hated the article! I was appalled and mortified. Not only did the article bash the Greeks on campus, but it also created a lot of conflict among the Greeks. The editor obviously has no idea what it is to be Greek and of course he can't see the good things we do, it's easier and more interesting to create controversy."

Lidana Chinea, 07 Communications

"I feel the author was on the outside looking in and he did not have a clue. He was very biased." Dave Szkoda, 09 MIS

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The Collegian

are

by Paul Marini

This year, the Collegian has two

advisors. Robert Speel, Assistant Professor of Political Science, and

Alan Michael Parker, Assistant

Parker said, "I began discussions

last summer regarding The

Collegian; I joined the organization in August as Faculty Advisor."

Speel was asked by Humanities and Social Sciences division head

Roberta Salper to help with The

Collegian, in the Spring 1996

semester. Speel said that, as a

student, he wrote for his college

"However, when I was asked to help with The Collegian, I thought

it might be a nice opportunity once

and advising of news production, so

I accepted despite the time

commitment involved," said Speel.

Collegian] are simple: to help the

newspaper meet its journalistic and

literary obligations--to be well-

considered and well-written--while

performing its vital function within

Speel said, "As a side issue, I

think that The Collegian has the

opportunity to make a difference in

the Erie community, and I am

hopeful that the changes instituted

this year will make this difference.

"Also, as a First Amendment

stalwart, I am wholly committed to

the newspaper's Freedom of the

Press, in all its guises," continued

Parker.

the Behrend community."

Parker said, "My goals [for The

newspaper.

Professor of English,

advising/teaching the Collegian.

Meet the advisors of

Speel says that the following changes have been made:

1) NEWS--In the news section, students have chosen sews beats in

which they will be responsible for all coverage of one aspect of campus life," said Speci. Also, continued Speel, The Collegian is now subscribing to two national wire services.

2) EDITORIAL-The editorial page will include an "Eye on Eric" column, with commentary on whats on around Behrend, said Speel. Also, the editorial page will include a weekly opinion piece stating the views of the editorial staff, as well as political cartoons.

3) FEATURES -- Speel said that Features will include stories about life at Behrend, and life in Erie, as well as music, movie, theater, and food/restaurant reviews.

4) SPORTS--Speel said, "The again to be involved in the teaching sports section will have more extensive coverage of individual varsity sports and may have a box scores listing that will include results from both intramural and varsity contests."

> Speel said, "My hope is that everyone at Behrend will find plenty of material of interest to read the paper, and that the paper will be a rewarding experience both for the students involved in producing it, and for all of its readers."

> Alan Parker has a B.A. cum laude in English and History from Washington University in St. Louis, and an M.F.A. in writing from Columbia University. Robert Speel received a B.A. in Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, and a ph.D in Government from Cornell University.



Question of the Week

"It made me re-establish my position on whether or not to join a fraternity."

Lee Swartzsager, 01 Engineering

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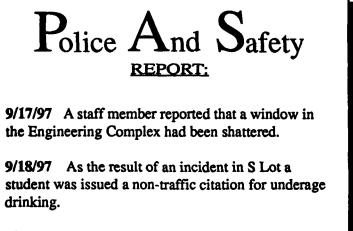
Harambee: let's pull together

by Ayodele Jones Staff Writer

the mayor thinks students have the resources readily available to do so.

"Penn State students have a message to give the city of Erie, annual they need to expand their Harambee is Swahili for "let's communication link with the pull together." The dinner was city." Gary Horton, assistant to true to its name, Harambee, by

On Wednesday, September 10, the multi-cultural council gave its Harambee dinner.



9/20/97 Charges of Defiant Trespass have been filed against a non-student after an incident in Tigress Hall.

9/22/97 A bomb threat was reported to P&S. The buildings involved were searched by P&S and were secured until 1:00 pm.

all cultures and ethnic groups coming together to share a night of commonality. Horton's speech was one that led many students to think of ways they can help the

community as well as benefit from it. Shannon Jones, the president of the multi-cultural council said that he hoped having this dinner would bring together many people in unity. He also hoped this would filter out to the campus at large.

The evening began with Maya Angelou's "Human Family," read by Jennifer Fontecchio. The other highlights of the evening included a Scottish dance by the Highland accompanied Dancers by bagpipes.

The inspirational speech by Gary Horton, the performance of the Highland Dancers and the fellowship of students from numerous ethnic groups is one way to somewhat close the gap that exists between cultures.

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