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WEEKEND WEATHER OUTLOOK

SATURDAY



Cloudy High: 50° Low: 40°

SUNDAY



Showers High: 48° Low: 37°

MONDAY



Partly cloudy High: 50° Low: 38°

BEHREND BRIEFS

Tolerance forum addressed recent terrorist attacks, blame

Several student organizations organized a tolerance forum last Friday evening. The topic was "September 11, 2001: Who is to Blame?"

Sue Daley, staff psychologist, moderated the event and panelists included Dr. Sved Saad Andaleeb, professor of marketing; M.G. Syed, coordinator of Residence Life; Mark Connerty, lecturer in English; Dr. Dawn Blasko, associate professor of psychology; Dr. John Rossi associate professor of history; Dr. Matt Davies, assistant professor of political science; Rev Charles Wertz, Faith Lutheran Church pastor; and Allison Parr-Plasha, personal counselor Panelists discussed educational and social perspectives of the Sept. 11 assault.

SGA senate nominations

Student Government Association is taking nominations for one senate seat and one freshman senate seat.

Nominations for the freshman senate seat must be made at the SGA meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 5:20 p.m. in Reed 114. SGA will elect the new senator at this meeting. Nominations for the other seat must be made at the Oct. 10 or Oct. 17 meeting.

Senators represent the interests and opinions of the student body at SGA meetings, serve on at least one committee, assist in the general operations of SGA, and serve office hours.

POLICE AND SAFETY

9/28/01 00:35 A janitor reported two plants were missing from the Academic Building.

10/2/01 15:30 Housing and Food Services reported finding 11 .22 caliber rounds outside of the north entrance to Ohio Hall.

10/3/01 23:08 There was a report of odor and possible smoke in one of the apartments.

Upon P&S' arrival, smoke was found in the apartment and the furnace room. The fire department found the cause to be a bad motor in the furnace, which they shut down. Housing was notified.

Immediate Openings

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FOCAL POINT



Hopefully this particular lifeguard isn't looking for a drowning person at the bottom of the Gorge. If so, it doesn't look like she's being too successful. Of course, since she's only standing in less than a foot of water, maybe there's hope.

Streeter wins regional honors

by Mike Bello sports editor

Penn State Behrend enjoyed one of its best all-around athletic seasons in 2000-2001, and that did not go unnoticed by the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference. The ECAC named Behrend Athletics Director Brian Streeter as one of two ECAC Jostens Administrators of the Year. JoAnn Harper, senior associate director of athletics at Dartmouth College (an Ivy League school), was the other winner.

The awards, which are presented to a male and female administrator every year, are given to those who are recognized for their outstanding service. The ECAC presented the awards to Streeter and Harper on Monday at the ECAC Fall Convention Honors Dinner at the Sheraton Hyannis Hotel in Centerville, Mass.

"It's a true honor to be recognized by your peers, to be recognized by the ECAC," said Streeter. "It is a great recognition and I'm happy for that. Even though the award was given to me, the quality work our coaches have done are recognized through this award."

Streeter is currently in his fifth year as athletics director at Behrend. Before he was hired, Streeter was the head men's basketball coach at Hobart College for 16 years while serving as assistant athletics director for the same amount of time.

Streeter is one of the more active athletic directors around. Aside from his duties at Behrend, Streeter also serves on several other committees. He is a member of the ECAC Board of Directors and chairs the ECAC Championship Committee. He is also the chairman on the ECAC men's south soccer committee and the men's south basketball committee. He is also part of the selection committee for the Women's South Volleyball committee.

His duties don't stop there, though. Streeter just finished serving a two-year term as the Allegheny Mountain Collegiate Conference (AMCC), which is Behrend's home conference for most of their sports teams. He is part of the NCAA women's soccer committee and the NCAA mid-Atlantic selection committee for women's softball. Streeter also is part of the Tri-State

Officials Board Association and is on the local Board of Directors for the American Red Cross.

"There are 312 schools in the ECAC, and for myself I try to work hard and represent Penn State Behrend the best way I can," said Streeter. "The opportunity to work for Dr. John Lilley, Dr. Jack Burke, and Dr. Bob Light has been great. The postseason competition in the ECAC, as well as the weekly and yearly awards are all things that really help our student athletes."

Streeter isn't a stranger to awards. He has won the Schoenfeld Regional Sportsmanship Award, which is given by college basketball officials, five times. In fact, Streeter won the award in 1995 by beating out all other coaches nationwide. In 1993, Streeter was named as the Geneva, New York, American Red Cross Volunteer of the Year. He

has also been a vital part of the expansion of the athletics department, including the most-recently added teams last year men's and women's water polo. Streeter was also instrumental in Behrend's successful attempt to replace 50-year-old Erie Hall with the new, state-of-the-art Junker Center.

Behrend is a member of the AMCC in every sport except swimming, water polo, and track and field. The AMCC consists of six other schools: Frostburg State, La Roche, Pitt-Bradford, Pitt-Greensburg, Penn State-Altoona, and Lake Erie College. Last year. men's soccer participated in the ECAC tournament and won their first game before losing 1-0 in round two. Women's basketball and women's soccer both made NCAA appearances, while men's cross country, women's tennis, and women's soccer all won AMCC titles.

The ECAC was first formed in 1938, and,



recognized as the Eeastern Collegiate Athletic Confer-

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has expanded to include, as Streeter said, 312 schools in 16 states today. The conference stretches from Maine to Pennsylvania, but has started to expand to states outside this area. The conference includes 112 Division 1 schools, 51 Division II schools, and 149 Division III schools (including Behrend). The ECAC is also the largest single conference within the NCAA, the governing body of college sports. Behrend joined the conference when it became a four-year

school in 1973. "What I want to accomplish in my coming years here at Behrend is to meet students' needs, as well as athletes' needs, and to continued recreational provide opportunities," said Streeter. "We're lucky to have administrative support for the athletics program and excellent coaches as well as quality student athletes who understand the value of an education."