

STUDENT LIFE

Student Life snapshot



Mike Sharkey/THE BEHREND BEACON

On Thursday, December 7, the Organization for Latin American Students presented "Latin Fiesta," a celebration including food and music in McGarvey Commons. Grupo Fuego, a salsa and merengue band from Cleveland, OH, performed at the event.

Student Life snippets

Campus welcomes new minister

By Alexis McKnight
staff writer

Father Dan Arnold is the new minister in town and he is making a huge hit across campus.

Father Arnold was born and raised in Erie into a family of ten. He is the third of eight children. He went to grade school at Blessed Sacrament and Our Lady of Peace, where he later returned to be one of their parish priests. He then graduated from St. Mark Seminary and spent two years at Gannon University and another two at St. Bonaventure University. There he received a bachelor's degree in philosophy. After those two universities, he went to graduate school at Christ the King for theology and received his Master of Divinity degree.

Ordained on May 16, 1975, Fr. Arnold has been preaching for 32 years. When asked who or what his inspiration was he replied, "Father Casimir Bogniak was my inspiration... I thought he was cool and he helped people. I thought I might do the same." Fr. Arnold's home parish is Our Lady of Peace, located on West 38 street.

According to Fr. Arnold, "Advertising is key."

Fr. Arnold said one of the differences between being a parish priest and being a campus minister is the need to advertise on campus. He said, "I cannot assume that the faculty and the students know I am on campus." So he has left it up to himself to get interaction with the students and faculty. One way he does this is by his game "Stump the Priest," which takes place outside Bruno's Café every Wednesday from 11:30-1. The game is for students and faculty; they ask him questions and try to "stump the priest." They do not have to be questions of religion either.

Worship service is 7:30 p.m. Sunday, "All are welcomed!" stated Fr. Arnold. If anyone would like to contact Father Dan Arnold for further questions or for guidance, his email is dxa19@psu.edu. Also, his office hours in the Smith Chapel are Monday through Friday from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Behrend student's equestrian career excels

By Rebecca Adrucky
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Penn State Behrend student Kelsey Bova, a sophomore, has quite a resume when it comes to the Behrend Equestrian team. She recently qualified for the Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA) regional competition by more than 35 points in this year's shows. The competition is tentatively scheduled for April 1, 2007, in Riverfalls, Wisconsin.

Though Bova says she has been competing in horse shows since she was eight years old, college riding offered a significant challenge because the Behrend Equestrian team rides "hunt seat" instead of "western style," which is what she was familiar with.

Despite the obstacle, Bova proceeded with flying colors and her first semester on the Behrend team she pointed out and moved on to the more advanced competitions, she eventually advanced

from beginner walk, trot and canter sections of competition, to competing to Novice Equitation on the flat, which is the area she is currently showing.

Bova says she is very excited about competing at the regional competition. She commented, "I've never competed at a higher level for Hunt Seat... I hope to place at least somewhere in the middle of the class, but I'm happy with just having the opportunity to compete."

Unfortunately, though Bova says she would like to be able to continue competing at Behrend, she is transferring to Penn State University Park for the Spring 2007 semester. However, she did say that she is considering trying out for their team.

Bova is from Spartansburg, Pa, and has been competing in western and halter riding since she was eight. She is now 19 and has been competing on Behrend's equestrian team in IHSA shows for the past two years.

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Wednesday, Dec. 20, 2006

Mon - Thurs
8:00 a.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Friday
8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Saturday
9:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Sunday
9:00 a.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Thursday Dec. 21, 2006
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

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Friday, Dec. 22
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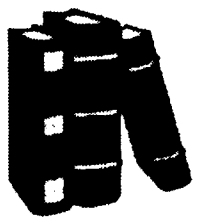
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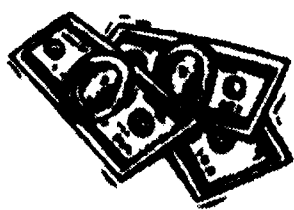
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