

# NEWS

## Weekly Weather

**Monday:** Sunny.  
High 67/Low 52.  
Chance of  
Precipitation 20%.

**Tuesday:** Sunny.  
High 73/Low 56.  
Chance of precipita-  
tion 10%.

**Wednesday:** Sunny.  
High 73/Low 54.  
Chance of precipita-  
tion 20%.

**Thursday:** Sunny.  
High 72/Low 55.  
Chance of precipitation 20%.

## University Gate apartments continue to expand

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Everyone has probably seen the new construction taking place near the University Gate Apartments complex across from Penn State Erie, the Behrend College, but many do not know that it is going to be a Hungry Howie's, a laundry mat, student lounge, fitness room and the new home of the University Gate office. "That's going to be a great local place to hang out- they're going to make a killing," said sophomore Tyler Lyon.

The new building is not only open to the residents but to all Behrend students. Students see major advantages in having this new addition near Behrend's campus. "I won't have to walk to the Junker center every time I want to work out," says Sophomore Laura Cammarata. "I think it will encourage people to work out," adds Lyon.

Freshman Jordan Shelleby says that it will provide another place to study other than the library on campus: the shorter

walk and alternative atmosphere could offer an appealing environment.

"We won't have to drive to Sheetz now," Lyon continues. "we can just walk to the new pizza place now." It will also present more job opportunities for Behrend students, and should allow more students to exercise by cutting down on the crowds in the Junker Center's weight room- something that has been a problem lately. It will also help by offering additional laundry services, as the campus lacks them in some areas.

On the negative side, the new structure could potentially cause larger crowds around the complex and make the parking situation more hectic, but students don't seem concerned. "Now with this new addition, with Bruno's Cafe, Health and Wellness, and the LEB movies, there is really no need to leave campus," says Shelleby. Manager of the complex, Wendy Huoo, said "We hope to have the construction done by the time everyone comes back for the spring semester." She encourages students to check out their website for further information.

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### STD TESTING - WALK IN CLINIC

Erie County Department of Health  
606 West Second Street  
(Corner of West 2nd & Cherry Streets)

Monday 9:00 am - 11:00 am  
Wednesday 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm Thursday 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Questions? Call 451-6700

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## First Men's Rugby Home Game!

PSB Vs. Geneva  
Saturday, September 27  
The Behrend Fields  
Kick-off @ 1 pm



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# Golden Garden

4478 Buffalo Rd. Erie, PA  
Located in the Giant Plaza

Golden Garden, a Chinese restaurant on Buffalo road, is only about a three minute drive from the entrance to Behrend, and features a welcoming atmosphere and excellent selection of food.

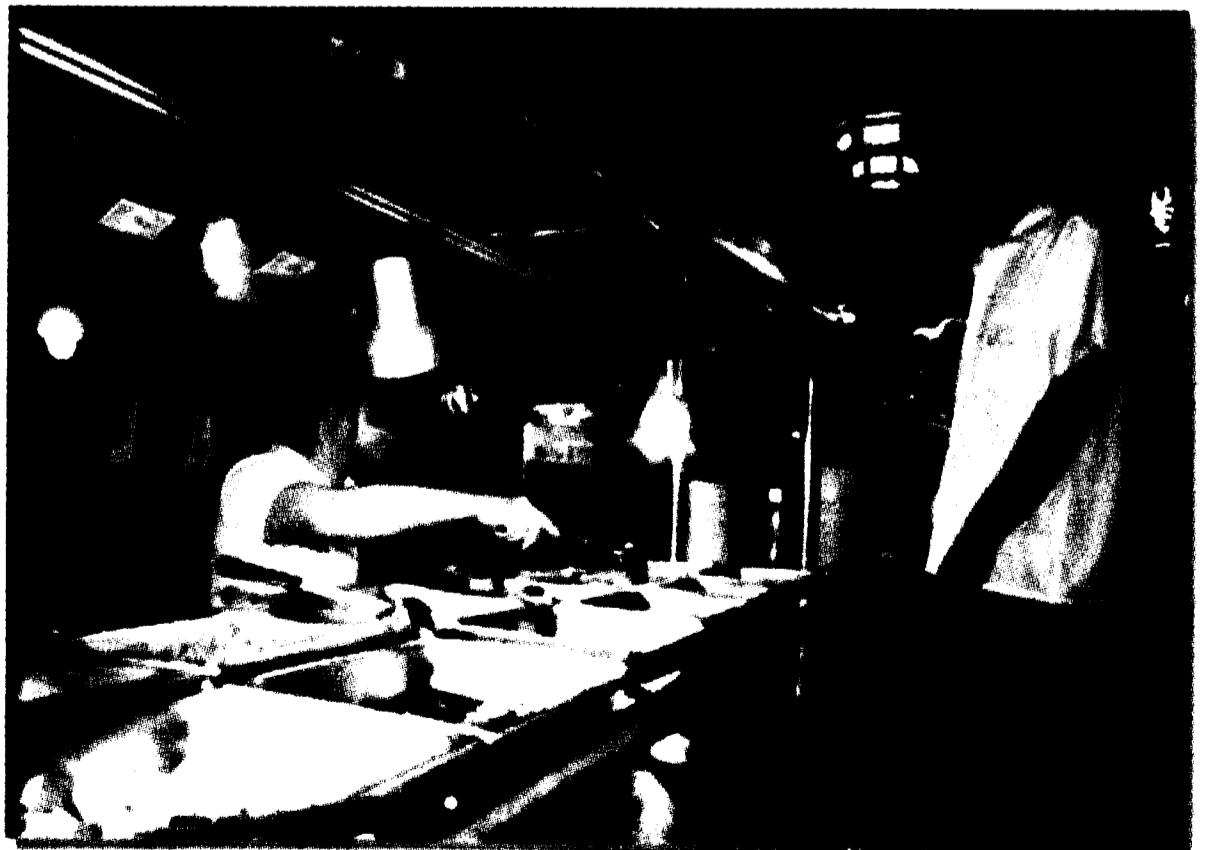
At dinnertime, diners can either eat buffet-style or order a specific dish. Golden Garden is either dine-in or take-out, and the fantastically decorated interior makes it an inviting place to eat.

The food, constantly being resupplied and refreshed by employees, was great. The team in charge of the restaurant tries very hard to keep customers happy and keep the food at the highest quality possible. It is genuinely Chinese - sticky rice and all - and has the taste to prove it. There was a high selection of any Chinese dish at the buffet, including an entire table devoted to entirely desserts. Some desserts were Chinese in nature, while others were classic dessert dishes, such as éclairs or a coconut type of cake.

Golden Garden is also very popular for their delivery on campus. The restaurant is easily affordable; they offer both free delivery and a five percent discount to students who show their ID. Also, the delivery service is very fast as the restaurant is very nearby on Buffalo Road.

Overall, Golden Garden is a great way to get real Chinese food at a low price. Whether you're waiting for the game in your dorm or meeting with a friend, Golden Garden is the place to go for true fans of good food.

-Connor Sattely, Sports Editor



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