

POLICE REPORTS

PENN STATE BEHREND

- A resident student reported that his bicycle lock was stolen at Almy Hall shortly before midnight the night of Sept. 2.
- A BB hole in a window at Ohio Hall was reported to police at 10:00 a.m. on Sept. 2.
- Police responded to a report of an underage party in Perry Hall on Aug. 28, shortly before midnight.
- Police cited a student for underage drinking in Niagara Hall at 1:20 a.m. on Aug. 29.
- Penn State Erie Police Services responded to an incident of a stolen bicycle on Aug. 28 around 9:15 p.m.

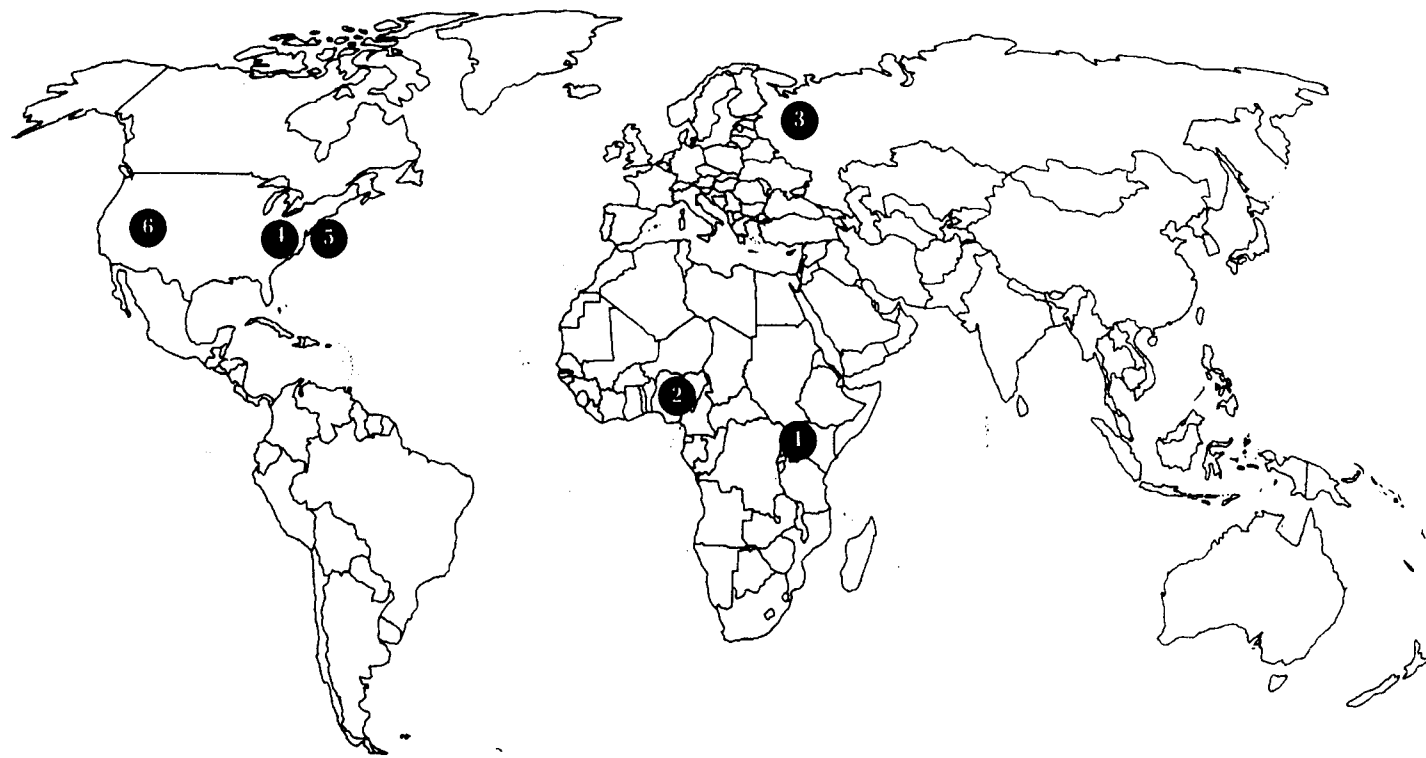
PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE

- PSP Erie responded to a hit-and-run crash on the intersection of Buffalo Rd. and Nagle Rd. in Harborcreek Township. According to reports, an unknown female driver with long straight dark hair, driving a white sedan, fled the scene of the accident.

BEACON ONLINE

The new *Beacon* website, www.thebehrendbeacon.com, is your online source for campus news. Constantly updated with new and breaking news stories, the website will feature immediate coverage of events as well as an archive of past articles in the *Beacon*. We also offer a Twitter accounts which will be used to let students know of breaking news happening at the college: notification of important events about to begin, police reports at the campus, or developments not yet released to students by the college. The site also offers a RSS feed, links to Erie resources, and soon, Behrend students' blogs.

World & National News



WORLD NEWS

1. King's supporters riot in Uganda

UGANDA--At least two people have been killed in Uganda's capital, Kampala, in clashes between police and rioting supporters of a traditional king. Police fired tear gas at the protesters who hurled stones and burned tires. The demonstrators protested against the government's attempts to stop the king of Buganda from visiting a region near Kampala where violence was feared.
-BBC World News

2. Nigeria begins vast river dredge

NIGERIA--Nigeria has started a vast operation to dredge the Niger River to enable boats to carry goods from the Atlantic Ocean to remote villages in the interior. The \$36

billion naira project will remove silt from hundreds of miles of the river - Africa's third-longest. The government says it will bring communities together and secure the flow to hydro-electric plants.
-BBC World News

3. Russia Signals Opposition to New Sanctions Against Iran

MOSCOW--Foreign Minister Sergey V. Lavrov on Thursday all but ruled out imposing new sanctions against Iran over its nuclear program, brushing aside growing Western concerns that Iran had made significant progress in a bid for nuclear weapons. Mr. Lavrov said he believed that a new set of proposals that Iran gave to European nations on Wednesday offered a viable basis for negotiations to end the dispute.
-New York Times

NATIONAL NEWS

4. Poverty rate rose in 2008, Census reveals

In the recession, the nation's poverty rate climbed to 13.2 percent last year, up from 12.5 percent in 2007, according to an annual report released Thursday by the Census Bureau. The report also documented a decline in employer-provided health insurance and in coverage for adults. The rise in the poverty rate, to the highest level since 1997, portends even larger increases this year, which has registered far higher unemployment than in 2008, economists said.
-New York Times

5. Nations Remain Divided on Global Warming Policy

WASHINGTON — The Obama administration's senior negotiator on global warming warned Thursday that developed and developing nations remained deeply divided in talks on reducing greenhouse gases and that time was running out before United Nations treaty negotiations in December.
-New York Times

6. NASA tests stage of new rocket

SALT LAKE CITY--The National Aeronautics and Space Administration successfully test fired the first stage of a new rocket that might soon be cancelled. The firing was the first full-scale demonstration of a major component of the Ares I rocket that NASA has been developing for the past four years to replace the space shuttles, which are scheduled to be retired next year.
-New York Times

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"I don't know where I'm going from here, but I promise it won't be boring."
- David Bowie
www.brainyquote.com

FACT OF THE WEEK

No piece of normal-size paper can be folded in half more than 7 times.
www.blog.fivebyfive.com

11 FRIDAY 12 SATURDAY 13 SUNDAY



10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
@ Junker Center
Varsity Volleyball Contest

7 p.m.
@ Andy's Pub on Peach St.
Billiard's Night
•Free food and non-alcoholic drinks will be provided throughout event. Please meet in front of the bookstore at 6:30 p.m. Rides will be provided.

4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
@ Smith Chapel
Protestant Campus Ministry

7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
@ Smith Chapel
Catholic Mass

8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
@ Reed 114
Business Meeting

Get on the calendar!

The *Beacon* is glad to display any events from any organization. Submissions are due the **Wednesday by 5:00 p.m.** for publication in that week's issue. To submit an item for the calendar, send an e-mail with information or attachments to editor@psu.edu. While you should include all possible information, submissions may be edited due to space constraints. Please contact the editor for special requests.

14 MONDAY 15 TUESDAY 16 WEDNESDAY 17 THURSDAY 18 FRIDAY

7 p.m.
@ Classic Lanes in the Broad St. Plaza
Bowling Night
•Free food and non-alcoholic drinks will be provided throughout event. Please meet in front of the bookstore at 6:30 p.m. Rides will be provided.

6:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.
@ REDC 180
Stephen Gurgovits - Pres./CEO
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- Investigative writing

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