

From the desk of the
SGA President
Ron Drum

I'LL VOTE ANYWAY

When the ballot were being counted after the last Student Government Association election, the Election Committee ran across a ballot that had this written on it: "Even though you don't do a damn thing I'll vote anyway."

Well, I thank that person for at least voting because by voting this person proved himself wrong! For an organization that does not "a damn thing" the S.G.A. ran a pretty good election. But that is not all! One would have to be the most apathetic person on campus or a complete moron not to see what S.G.A. does.

Dr. David can attest to this. I have been to see him about this campus and the welfare of this campus so many times that I am afraid he is going to give me a permanent office beside his!

The S.G.A. has taken a campus on the verge of complete social breakdown and turned it into a campus capable of putting on one of the best LAS VEGAS NITEs ever and bringing in one of the foremost authorities on the assassination of John F. Kennedy.

How has S.G.A. done this? We formed a council that meets every Thursday at 12:30 in the S.G.A. conference room. This council is called the Highacres Club Advisory Council and is made up of the presidents of the clubs on this campus. It was through these meetings that the clubs started to work together and Apathy on this campus, as far as the clubs are concerned, became almost non-existent!

The S.G.A. has registered six new organizations, a record high for one term! That is six more groups the students can

become involved in.

The S.G.A., mainly through the hard work of Elliot Grossman, has started a column in The Hazleton Standard Speaker, Greater Hazleton's newspaper, entitled "Highacres Happenings." This column is open to any club on campus that wishes to publicize their activities.

But, then why am I writing this? It will obviously not be read by those it was focused at, because they probably will be so apathetic that they will not even be reading this Collegian.

Well, how is that for an organization that does not "do a damn thing?"

The Saga Of the Styrofoam Cups

When I first became President of the Student Government Association, I said I would try to look into any complaint that the students may have pertaining to the campus and do anything I could to solve a problem, if one existed. A number of people have complained to me about the price increase and the use of styrofoam cups instead of porcelain cups at the Commons snack bar. I went straight to the people involved; the ladies who work at the snack bar, and Mr. Krone, the Manager of Food and Housing.

The information I received, I feel should be known by the student body here at Highacres.

Mr. Krone tried, at the beginning of this year to lower the snack bar costs. He decided to use materials (cups, etc) on stock and reduce the work force using new techniques for quicker

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Letter to the Editor

HUNTERS DO IT

To The Editor:

I would like to go on record as a supporter of the bill recently introduced into the State House of Representatives that would ban the use of any birth control devices on Pennsylvania State College and University Campuses. I am totally against the use of birth control devices since they take the daringness and risk out of sexual intercourse. If an unwanted pregnancy occurs, abortion should be used.

Abortion is a much more practical and efficient method of eliminating unwanted children since it only has to be used if a pregnancy does occur. Birth control devices have to be used regardless of pregnancy thereby wasting precious materials that could have been used to produce another product or good for mankind.

I am sick of various anti-abortion groups claiming that abortion is a detestable method of eliminating unwanted children or even claiming that it is "murder." Abortion is simply the termination of another beings life. These anti-abortion groups can call abortion "murder" if they want to, but here they are dealing with just a technicality.

What could possibly be wrong with ending another being's life? Hunters do it all the time. If they can do it why can't everybody else?

In closing, I urge THE HIGHACRES COLLEGIAN to support the bill that would not only ban birth controls devices at State Colleges and Universities but also increase the number of abortions throughout the state thereby putting murder where it belongs: in the state's hospitals and clinics.

Most earnestly yours,
John Emanon
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