

Riot Act In Hazleton

Can you name four comedians performing insane and embarrassing skits in the Commons? If you said Riot Act, your absolutely right.

On Tuesday, September 12th, Hazleton undergrads were treated to a spectacle of mirth and mayhem. How, you might wonder, did this menagerie begin? Promptly at high noon, four comedians strutted out onto center stage. As they began their routines, Chuck Mc Collum warned the audience that the group wasn't quite sane. To prove this point, Rob Reed ran on stage and lobbed a fake watermelon into the audience, almost "nailing" this reporter.

As the pace started to pick up the laughs began flowing freely. Some skits included a remake of the Beach Boys' "Surfing USA" into "Minature Golf", Jeopardy with fourth graders, and Win, Lose or Draw starring Vice President Dan Quayle.

Not content to entertain by themselves, Riot Act volunteered some of the audience to participate. During a Dating Game skit Riot Act asked each partner different questions resulting in hilarious laughs and embarrassed contestants.

Riot Act also showed off incredible singing talents by remaking Beatle's hits as commercials for Listermint and Secret deoderant.

Amy Rose added a solo entitled "The Safe Sex Blues" and everyone laughed through the Phil Donohue skit.

Ending on a high note, Riot Act proved themselves great comedians and a certain crowd pleaser. Next time there's a show in the Commons, go, it's fun and it's free.

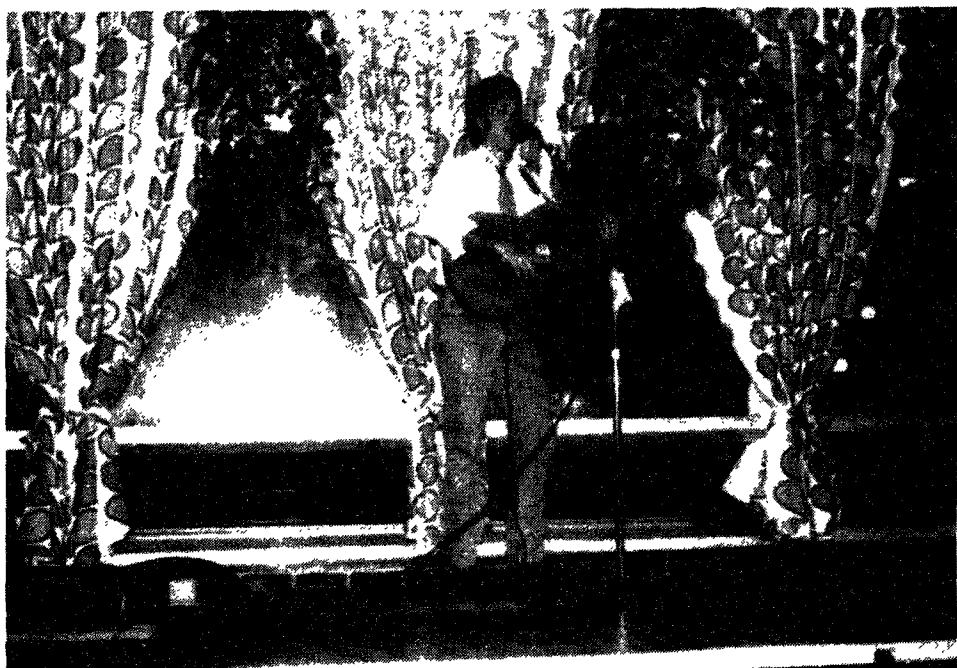
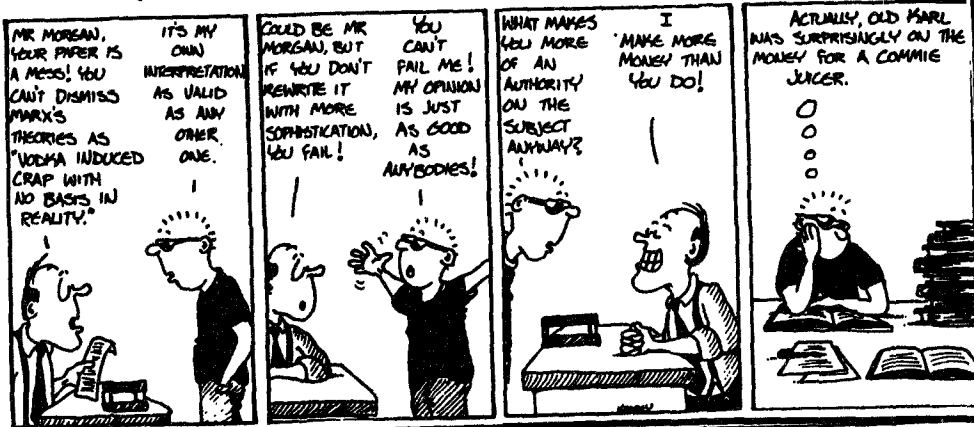


Bebop is Back

Hazleton, PA- The Bert Seager Jazz Quintet will deliver a rousing, mainstream, modern bebop performance in the Commons building at the Penn State Hazleton Campus on Tue., Oct. 3. The performance gets started at 7:30 p.m.

The music of the Bert Seager Jazz Quintet is exciting and accessible. The two-horn front line format recalls the "blue note" quintets of the fifties and sixties. However, the soloists and the forms of the songs they play keep the music fresh and up-to-date. For a jazz sound from a few years back, with a fresh and original approach to arrangements, the Seager Jazz Quintet is hard to match.

Miller's Tale By Keith Khoroy



- 2nd - Jim Barber & Seville
12:00 Noon in the Commons
- 3rd - Bert Seager Jazz Quintet
7:30 p.m. in the Commons
- 5th - Soccer (H)
- 7th - Football Game - Rutgers (A)
Soccer (H)
- 10th - Women's Volleyball (H)
- 11th - The Nittany Trombone Quartet
7:30 p.m. in the Commons
- 12th - Family Feud
9:00 in the Commons
- 14th - Football - Syracuse (A)
- 16th - Mocktail Party
8:00 p.m. in the Cafe.
- 17th - Mock Trial
Southlobby
- 18th - Statistic's Day
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Campus Wide
- 19th - Mock Accident
Parking Lot
- 20th - Bacchus Postor Contest
Campus Wide
- 21st - Soccer (H)
- 28th - Football - Alabama (H)
- 31st - Halloween Dance and Haunted House
9:00 p.m. in the Commons

Memories of



Marty Bear

Remember that edgy feeling you had the night before the first day of classes. Well, here at Penn State Hazleton we found the perfect tension breaker in coffeehouse comedian Marty Bear.

Performing in the dining hall, Marty started off by making some comments about the "attractiveness" of the fake plants hanging around his head. Playing with an acoustic guitar, he then sang musical spoofs to the tunes of American Pie and My Ding-a-Ling.

Of course, who could forget the brave men who got on stage to do their imitations of Elvis and sang back-up to Under the Boardwalk.

Everyone had a chance to relieve some tension tonight because of Marty Bear.

FUN FEST '89

The Organization For Town Independent Students, along with several organizations participated in the annual "FunFest" activities September 9 and 10. On Saturday September 9, we participated in the Bed race agaight four other teams. The race was held on Broad Street. Our racing team came in third. The team consisted of four pusher: Tony Guzzardo, Rich Tito, Greg Alderman, and Dan Hischar, and one rider: Eileen Bradshaw.

On Sunday, September 10 we participated in the annual Funfest Parade with SGA, Bacchus and Theta Sigma Pi. We used the Penn State Maintenance truck for the parade. Cy Falatko drove the truck and the back end was filled with Blue and White Balloons. The Balloons were donated by Burt Smilay of Smilax Floral Shop in Hazleton.

All in All, FunFest was a success and everyone who participated enjoyed themselves.

"LIVE LIFE TO TO THE FULLEST... AND THEN DIE! - M. BEAR"