

Liberal and conservative ideals clash in a debate held during Parents weekend

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In the area of domestic policy, Rusher said Bush promised no new taxes during his campaign and has stuck to the promise.

On the subject of foreign policy, Rusher cast a shadow on the changes in the Soviet Union.

"Perestroika in itself can not work and that means that Mr. Gorbachev is going to fail," Rusher said.

Their introductions were followed by three five-minute rebuttals.

During his rebuttal, Rusher said the Democrats are ready to blame Bush for anything.

In response to Kondracke's comment about the much-publicized HUD scandal, Rusher said, "HUD and the whole idea is essentially a liberal idea."

Kondracke responded by noting "Government help (for the poor) means that some Republican conservative is going to get fat." He continued to say that waste, fraud, and abuse have not been stopped by Bush and

Reagan.

In response to a Kondracke remark about the deterioration of nuclear plants during the past Republican administrations, Rusher said it is the fault of Congress because they haven't allocated the money needed to maintain nuclear plants.

The budget deficit is too big to be taken care of by anybody; it is going down only if you cheat by using the surplus in Social Security, Kondracke said.

"In terms of the economy, the debt was larger under Ford than under Reagan," said Rusher.

Kondracke concluded by saying it will cost tax money in order to get the American education system up to world standards.

During a question and answer period following the debate, Kondracke suggested Senator Bill Bradley might be a presidential candidate in 1992.

Asked why defense spending shouldn't be cut, Rusher said cuts have been made, but that conservatives believe in defense.

Student Government grants approval of newly formed Math Club

by Jodi McWilliams
Collegian Staff Writer

The Math Club, the newest club on campus, came about when Dr. Cupillari, a Behrend math professor, wanted to have a meeting of the Math Association of America (MAA) here at Behrend.

Cupillari, who is an MAA chapter representative, ran into trouble obtaining a room for the meeting because there was no official math club recognized by Behrend's Student Government Association (SGA).

Feeling that there was a need for such a club, Dr. Cupillari initiated an organizational meeting. Dr. Bill Dunbar drafted a constitution earlier this semester and submitted it to SGA. At last Wednesday's SGA meeting, the Math Club

constitution was approved.

Because of her commitment to MAA, Cupillari could not advise the Behrend club.

The advisor for the young club is now Dr. Dunbar. He believes there is a growing interest in the math field.

As the advisor, he hopes to bring speakers to discuss math related topics like new developments in the field, what kind of jobs are involved with math, and related job markets. The club also plans to organize social activities.

The officers elected at the club's first meeting were: Steve Nichols, president; Kristin Winnin-Smith, vice-president; John Musser, secretary; and Laurie Brooks, treasurer.

Nichols stated that because the club is so new they would have to wait to see what happens before they decide what format the club will adopt.

This club is not restricted to math majors. Dunbar believes that the Math Club meetings will attract not only the MAA members, but others who have an interest in mathematics and its applications.

Unlike the MAA, there is no fee to join. New members are always welcome, but you do not have to join to attend the meetings.

Interested students can contact Dr. Dunbar at 898-6476. The next meeting of the Math Club will be on October 18. Time and place of meeting will be posted later this week.



Ask Louanne

The Collegian Advice Column
by Dr. Louanne Barton,
Psychologist

Dear Louanne,

My roommate is planning a party. A lot of our friends are underage. I'm against the idea ever since the "big bust" in Perry. I'm not going to tell him what to do, but how do I keep from being liable? I could go visit a friend or go home for the weekend. What would you suggest?

Signed,
Strictly Anonymous

Dear S. Anonymous,

I can sure understand why you want to remain anonymous. As I am sure you already know, you stand to lose big bucks if you're judged responsible for making alcohol available to underage drinkers (minimum of \$1,000 for the first person and \$2,500 for each additional person). You are smart in trying to disengage yourself from the party, but legally you are still responsible if you know about the party even if you're not there. You are considered an accessory to the crime because you didn't take steps to stop it. It is my understanding that the courts will take into consideration the fact that you did not participate. So if you can't talk your roommate out of the party you'd better blow town till things cool down.

Signed,
Louanne

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