Behrend Briefs

Attention Spring Graduates: Remember to pick up your cap and gown from the bookstore. Candidates must report to the weight/fitness room, ground floor of Erie Hall, no later than 11 a.m. on May 16. In addition, tickets and graduation announcements should be picked up from the Registrar's office as soon as possible.

Finals Cookie Break: Campus Ministry is sponsoring a Finals Break with free cookies in the residence hall lobbies as follows: Perry Hall -- Tuesday, May 5; Niagara and Lawrence Halls -- Wednesday, May 6. All breaks are from 8 to 9 p.m.

Finals Blowout: Come and join the fun of May Madness! There will be free games and food, plus music and dancing tomorrow night at Bruno's from 8 p.m. to 12 a.m. Sponsored by Residence Life and JRC.

Catholic Baccalaureate Picnic: The last Catholic Mass of the semester will be held this Sunday, May 3, at 5:15 p.m. in the Wintergreen Cafe.

1992-93 Mentoring Program: All students, organizations and clubs who wish to participate in the program must sign up in the Office of Student Activities/Union by Friday, May 8.

New-To-You Drive: Newman Association, IVCF, and Campus Ministry is co-sponsoring a drive for the needy. Any one discarding usable clothing, appliances, nonperishable food, etc., can place items in the boxes located in residence hall lobbies through May 8.

Baccalaureate Mass and Picnic: A special Eucharistic Liturgy is planned to honor our Spring 92 graduates on May 16 at 5:15 p.m. in the Wintergreen Cafe. A picnic follows. All are invited. R.S.V.P. at 898-6111.

"Stress: The Spice of Life": The Wellness Center sponsors Dr. Suzanne Cherney tonight at 8 p.m. in the Reed Lecture Hall. All students are welcome. For more info. call 898-6924.

Bible Study: Campus Ministry is sponsoring a semester-long Bible study every Thursday from 7 to 8 p.m. in Reed 116. All students are welcome.

Free Tutoring Available: All Behrend Students are welcome to utilize the Learning Assistance Center's services. Student and faculty tutors are on duty daily offering help with many subjects. For more information call 898-6014 or drop by the Center located on the South Cottage.

All Commu 001 Students: Take note -- Folders containing hard copies and tear sheets are due in *The Collegian* office tomorrow. Questions concerning the folders should be addressed to Todd J. Irwin, editor.

***The Collegian*'s annual staff dinner** is scheduled for tonight at 6 p.m at the Waterfall Restaurant. If you are a staff member and have not already reserved your place for the dinner, call *The Collegian* office at 898-6488 and ask for Todd J. Irwin, editor or Phoebe Bonfardine, administrative assistant.

RUB to be open 24 hours

Attempt to alleviate stress

by Vicky Snyder
The Collegian

The Reed Building will remain open 24 hours every day during during finals week to accommodate the needs of students who cannot study in their dorm rooms or off campus.

Both the Wintergarden Cafe and the library will stay open until midnight, one hour past their usual closing time. The vending machines in the cafeteria will remain accessible after the midnight closing.

"We're going to have the Backroom and the RUB desk open until 3 a.m. to meet the needs of the students here," said David Shields, assistant dean of Student Services.

Shields and his staff are hoping this plan will help to alleviate some of the stress associated with finals week.

"This is an attempt to make finals week easier for students, primarily commuter students who are forgotten at times," said Shields.

He hopes that students will take advantage of this new plan. "If it works this year, we'll try to keep the building open 24 hours for every finals week."

Coffee and doughnuts will be served in the residence halls May 2 and 3. Waffles will be served Monday through Wednesday of next week to students living in the residence hall.

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Awards

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influence on students through his involvement in college programs and services. Todd J. Irwin received the Thomas H. Turnbull award for his outstanding service to the college community.

Jason Bates was the recipient of the Eric A. and Josephine Walker Award. This university-wide honor was given to Bates for his scholarship and leadership.

"It was incredible. I was very happy to have received the award," said Bates.

Dr. Christopher Reber, dean of student services, received the Benjamin A. Lane Outstanding Service Award and Karen L. Cooper, management information systems instructor, took the Guy W. Wilson Award for Excellence in Advising.

The Penn State-Behrend Council of Fellows Faculty Research Award was presented to Dr. Chester Wolford, associate professor of English. Jonathan Hall, instructor of physics, accepted the Penn State-Behrend Council of Fellows Excellence in Teaching Award. They will both give speeches as part of the 1992-93 Provost's Speaker Series.

Finals Blowout

Free Showing of *Cape Fear*

Friday, May 1st.

Reed Building 117

Alpha Sigma Alpha
Congratulates our Graduating Sisters!
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Stacy Neff Stephanie Ludwig
Good Luck!!!

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