Students offer parking solutions

LAURA MIHAILOFF

Limited parking continues to plague students at Hope, but for the first time, students have stepped forward to formally address the problem.

"Our goal today is for the board to understand that there is only one student on this task force and we wanted to have a voice on the issue," said S.A.P.P. Spokesperson Jeff Amiotte ('98).

Another introduced the ad hoc group, addressing students' concerns with safety, increased prices for parking permits, and the number parking permits issued compared to the number of parking spaces.

"Quite a few Greeks are being auctioned off," Hornsby said. "Now we're opening up the part of the Greek system to reach out to the campus community.

The grand prize of the evening will be a trip to Disney World. The winner of this prize will be determined in a drawing, which will take place at the dance. A few hours later, the winner and a guest will be on a plane for a week-end at the famous Florida theme park.

In addition to the new theme for Casino Night, the Greeks are adding another dimension of fun to the evening. On Wed., Nov. 19, at 8:30 p.m., in Phelps Dining Hall, a Casino Night auction sponsored by Greek Life will reward the highest bidder with free Casino Night tickets and a dollar for the event.

"It's the biggest event of the year. Usually about 800 students attend," said Mary Lucas ('98), director of SAC. "Don't miss out on this.

As in the past, each ticket will buy a packet of money which can be used to gamble with, and hopefully make more. Additional money can be purchased throughout the night if the original amount runs out.

The money won can be used to buy prizes in the Millionaires' Shop. Prizes this year include a TV, VCR, a bike, various gift certificates, a $50 savings bond, and Pepsi products. Casino Night T-shirts will also be available.

"We keep the price down on those, so most people can get one," Lucas said.

The award will be given to four senior Greek members, two women and two men, who have shown excellence in academics and community involvement.

This auction is part of a continuing effort on the part of the Greek system to reach out to the campus.

"In the past we've been seen as an elitist group," Hornsby said. "Now we're opening up and trying to get the whole campus involved.

"Events like this provide the opportunity to become involved with what the school is doing," said Sara Vanhoose ('99), vice president of the Pan-Hellenic Council and member of the—

Tickets for Casino Night will go on sale at the Student Union Desk on Friday, Nov. 14. Cost is $6 for singles, and $10 for a couple.

Tickets can be purchased at the door for $8 and $12 respectively.
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Paper Jam
Printer problems slow students' academic progress

NOAH TUCKER
staff reporter

As the end of the semester draws near, students are piling into computer labs to finish up term papers. Not some students are running into obstacles when they go to print out their masterpieces.

According to Rebecca Van Dyke and Carl Heideman at Computer Information Technology at Hope, students have been complaining more and more lately about short supply of computers, printing problems, and "recreational computing" by other students that tie up machines which are reserved for academic use.

"Several students have walked into a computer lab, ready to write a paper, and found some of their term papers stuck in the machine," said Van Dyke. "They just asked someone who was doing work to flush the queue, and they had to try again."

"I only do it on Saturdays when I get caught up," said Carl Heideman, who is in charge of the computer lab networks across campus.

"I've had trouble with printers running out of paper because everyone's printing blank," said Van Dyke, who is in charge of the computer lab networks across campus.

"They do it on Saturdays when I'm not there. I've got to come down to this lab on Friday nights and play games all the time," said Van Dyke.

"Installation of games on the desktop or computer networks is one of the main reliability problems for the computer lab networks across campus," said Heideman.

"This last week, printing in the computer lab was limited due to the significant number of game files clogging the network," said Heideman.

"Of course, computer abuse is not rampant in the entire student body, but the problem is getting increasingly frustrating when they need to use the computer labs for research and paper-writing assignments."

"The computer labs must be given priority over personal, recreational use. If you are using a work station for entertainment, you could be taking away valuable learning opportunities from other students," said Van Dyke.

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Prof. Jay Budziszewski, the cabinet for Study of Christianity and Polities at the University of Texas-Austin, will give the inaugural scholarly address and charge to the Paul B. Henry Institute for the Study of Christianity and Polities, on Monday, Nov. 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Gezon Auditorium. His address is entitled: "The Mind of Christ in Rome."
IT HAPPENED TO ME...

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A Winner’s Tale

Two houses, both alike in dignity, in fair Holland where we lay our scene, from ancient grudge break to new mutiny, where mud on the field makes players’ hands unclean.

Last Saturday’s football game against Albion had all the makings of a Shakespearean play. The two-hour traffic of our stage had drama, suspense, hard hits, great play by both teams. For once the game was actually meaningful and more than just seeing how many yards Brandon Graham (’98) can rush for. Last Saturday’s Hope football game was for the league title and it felt like it.

In college sports these days it is rare for the two teams directly involved in the title chase to play each other. However, when that game does come along it brings with it such emotion and excitement that it makes all other losing seasons seem to disappear.

In the past, Hope’s football team has been criticized as being too reliant on the running game. This season, to win the title the Dutchmen worked more as a team than they have in the past. Hope used their passing game, special teams, and defense to beat Albion and win the MIAA title and that is what adds to the excitemen...
Cross country runner questions the point of poorly worded sports column

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The times are changing, but after 62 years of Nykerk Cup Competition, most elements have remained the same.

Saturday, Nov. 8, the Odd Year class of 2001 captured the much-coveted 1997 Nykerk Cup at the Civic Center, bringing freshman and sophomore girls together for another year of competition.

As 8 p.m. drew close, led by morale guys wearing tuxedos, the 2000 and 2001 song girls carefully filed into the bleachers, ready to sit completely still for the next two and a half hours. Meanwhile, audience members scattered to find the perfect seats to catch their view of the competition.

"The hardest part of the night was having to sit straight for so long and be professional," said song girl Katie Ellis (’01).

The show was opened by the 2001 song girls and their rendition of "Please Mr. Postman." The large cast of 149 freshman women, dressed in the traditional blue skirts and sweaters, with white gloves in perfect synchronization, was under the direction of Erin Beckman (’99), while the assisting coach Kristy Pratt (’99) had to take her seat after giving one last wish of good luck to her song girls.

"I was pretty nervous because I had to stand to the side and watch them, I couldn't stand in front of the girls like I've done the past three weeks...they were phenomenal," Pratt said.

Sophomore Rita Spire (’00) was next escorted to the stage to give her speech "It's Up to You." The topic of oration for the evening was "Great Expectations.

"2001 Song had just performed and I was the only one in the first half representing my class," she said. "It gave me a lot of fuel, I wanted to represent my class well. I was really, really nervous, but once I started getting into my speech I had so much to say. My confidence comes from God and the past three weeks have been some of the most awesome of my entire life." Following Spire's urge to return to our childhood dreams and let go of our fear of failure, Play 2001 hauled out the disco balls and polyester for "Saturday Night Shakespeare." By referring to duct tape, yellow rubber gloves, wooden shoes, and frisbees, the freshman play girls acted out the story of Romeo and Juliet as William Shakespeare meant it to be.

"I thought it was the best performance we’ve ever done," said Megan Brax (’01) who played the part of the "saucy" Guildenstern.

Morale guys got the chance to entertain their girls as the competition stalled for a fifteen minute intermission, giving the audience a chance to catch some cool air, and rearrange their spots on the bleachers for the next half of competition.

The second half was initiated by the joint efforts of 2000 and 2001 Song for a friendly number, "Turn, Turn, Turn," before 2000 took their stance to perform "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy.

The sixty-three girls pulled out red, white, and blue streamers and bugle replicas as they sung out the patriotic number.

"I was having a lot of fun and the song was done so fast. I was disappointed that we lost, but that isn't all that matters," said Becky Zwart, (’00) who was elected next year's junior treasurer. "I'm looking forward to staying involved in Nykerk.

For the last freshman event of the evening Tracy Summerer took the stage to speak of "Simple Love, Great Expectations," a speech she had dedicated to her family. She spoke of "pure and simple dreams" and even sang a little excerpt of the Simon and Garfunkel song, "Feeling Groovy.

The sophomores ended the night with their play, "Rock Around the Clock," a parody of Cinderella set in the 50's at the "Palace burger joint.

"My favorite part of the night was when they announced the winner, said song moraler Kyle Bloemers (’01). "We were all pumped up, giving hugs, it didn't matter if you knew the person or not, we just met in the middle."
STAND AND DELIVER: Even Year Song Girls stand at attention and raise their hands in choreographed salute to that "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy of Company B."

WIGGING OUT: Romeo, Sarah Pedley (‘01) asks the funky friar, Katie Civest (‘01) for love advice.

HAPPLY EVER AFTER: Cinderella, Kate Davelaar (‘00) and Danny, Jen Bongiorno (‘00) dance the night away in Even Year’s play "Rock Around the Clock."

HAND US THE CUP: Odd Year ends their performance with raised arms after a spirited rendition of "Please Mr. Postman."
**Rumor has it...**

I hate rumors. No matter how much truth may be somewhere in the depths of a rumor’s make-up, the publicity rushed or privately hastened words have damaging effects.

Rumors are hurtful, not because they tend to be negative, but because rumor mongering avoids discussion and discovery of truth and breeds harmful assumptions and hateful attitudes. Rumors also often wound people and devour friendships.

There’s a rumor floating around campus which made its way onto my ear recently. This word of mouth upset, angered, amused, and disappointed me.

Rather than assume this rumor to be true, I will attempt to discuss this issue.

I’ve been told that some here at Hope are not pleased with the chapel program, or, more specifically, with our Dean of Chapel. Rumor has it that members of the Hope community feel that Ben Patterson isn’t doing a good job of embracing the people of Christianity.

To that, I have a three part response.

Number one, as the head of a Christian ministry, it’s pretty safe to say that Patterson’s main objective is to present the gospel of Jesus Christ, which is the basis for all Christian belief. He is not at all obligated to speak on the various faith values in this world. That is the job of the religious educator, rather than that of a Christian minister.

A general religion professor is not expected to give a strictly Christian message to a class. He is expected to instruct students as to the world and its religions. It is not Ben Patterson’s job to teach Hope students to embrace other religions. He does, however, encourage the campus to embrace the people of other religions. This brings me to my second point.

As a senior, I haven’t missed many chapel services in the past few years. In those three years, I have, on countless occasions, heard Ben speak of the love of God. I would dare say that his main focus of sharing during chapel services is that of loving those around us, including those who believe differently than we do.

In fact, the chaplain’s staff incorporated a series during chapel earlier this semester on seeing others the way Christ sees them. The Bible shows Jesus treating the adulteress, business man, and contagiously diseased all the same. He loved and accepted them. I believe Ben Patterson lives and speaks of the same type of unconditional love for all people.

Lastly, being the consistent chapel-goer that I am, I have never once heard Patterson speak ill of any people group or religious faith. On the contrary, I have, on several occasions, heard him use people of other beliefs as examples of dedication to their religious convictions.

The Dean of the Chapel doesn’t bad-mouth religions different than Christianity. Ben Patterson simply does his job. He speaks of the love of Christ and of loving Christ on behalf of the chapel ministry at a Christian college.

I haven’t written this whopper of a column to make anyone dog-angry. If, in the process of reading this, you got angry, that means I’m doing my job. I took this position as religion editor to stir things up, to stir the student body up, and to make you think. Maybe this is all simply a rumor. I certainly don’t intend to spread false assumptions. I just heard something that made me think and I’m talking about it.

I’d love to hear your thoughts concerning this topic. Write to the Anchor and give us your scoop on religious life here, at our beloved Hope College.

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**Spread the Word**

**Passionate student sends Bibles to Peru**

**JENNIFER JAMES**

**staff reporter**

It is common for a student to want to help, but it’s rare for someone to actually reach out and touch a life who needs help.

Jane Roeters ’98 has a passion for helping the people of Peru.

This passion was ignited in the summer of 1996 after her sophomore year at Hope, when she decided to make a trip to the country with her Presbyterian roommate.

Although she claims she “just went with intentions of traveling,” by the end of that summer, Roeters knew she would return to Peru.

This past summer she did go back to Peru. Roeters did her own fundraising and packed 80 Bibles, “What Would Jesus Do?” bracelets, and other Christian literature to give people.

“The whole reason I wanted to go was to share the Gospel with them and the best way to do that was to bring Bibles,” she said.

While she was there, a woman told her the story of a church that started up in the mountains with around 75 members. She was able to give them a big bag containing some Bibles and devotionals she brought from America.

“I just started crying,” Roeters said. “I couldn’t believe the way God was working in this church.”

Roeters is continuing to try to make a difference in Peru, and specifically the church in the mountains that has now grown to over 140 people. This year she has started a campaign to purchase and send Bibles to the church.

The Bibles are purchased through the Bible League, which charges about $1. Shipping cost drives the price up to send them overseas.

“There are so many people who don’t have their own Bible and they are thirsty for the Word,” Roeters said. “They have heard people talk about what it means to be a Christian, but they don’t know what the Word says.”

She started her Bible-sending mission by sending letters to those students at Hope who had been on mission trips and asked for their help and participation.

“The response has been amazing,” Roeters said. “We’re still short of our goal, but God is working.”

Roeters has not done this alone and has gotten by with a little help from her friends.

“My housemates are making this possible,” she said. “They, too, felt a need to help these people when they heard about Roeters’ experiences.”

Before Thanksgiving Roeters found pictures displayed in the Keppel House of the people who are being helped as the result of Roeters and others.

Roeters plans on continuing her work with the people she says she “feels called to be a servant to.”

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FINE-TUNING: Members of the Hope College Orchestra warm up in the basement of Dimnent Chapel before their concert last Friday, Nov. 7, in which they performed the American premiere of “Interplay,” by Michigan composer David Gillingham.

**Up and coming**

**Up with People to get down with Holland**

MIRIAM BEYER  intermission editor

Recall the sixties, when circumstances provided causes, and people got fired about these causes. Students on campuses across the nation brought out their placards, staged sit-ins, and fought for the ideas in which they believed.

Up with People, a non-profit, international, educational organization, emerged from this conscientious atmosphere in 1965. However, instead of merely protesting conditions, Up with People focused on the actions they could take to make a difference.

Although the feeling of the sixties is no longer around, Up with People still is.

And they’re coming to Holland, Mich. next Friday, Nov. 21, to treat the community and the campus to their lively presence and a performance. On Nov. 22, of their new musical, “The Festival.”

120 performers, aged 17-25, from countries around the world come together to present the cast of “The Festival.”

The show – a fast-paced combination of music, drama, and dance – tackles international issues and positive ways to deal with them.

Two of the show’s lead characters were inspired by news during the Bosnian war of a young couple, a Christian and a Muslim, who were shot as they tried to escape Sarajevo. The couple in “The Festival,” however, meets with a different destiny, and ends up helping to resolve gang-like tensions afterwards, and get a first-hand taste of the communities in which they chose to resettle.

Incorporating music and dance styles from around the world, “The Festival” is an international creation, and appropriately, is being performed across the globe in places ranging from school gymnasiums to well-known theaters.

Up with People’s main mission is to promote and celebrate positive global relations, and to foster an appreciation of cultural differences. The organization also aims to bolster participants’ leadership skills.

In addition to their musical event, Up with People participants perform community service for the cities and towns they visit on their tour. In Holland they will be working with Habitat for Humanity, building and repairing homes for low-income families.

If you’re interested in traveling with Up with People, you can contact Ellen and Elma, the Holland Advance Team, at 392-7000, ext. 278.

You can also visit the organization’s website, http://www.upwithpeople.org.

Or, you could just see the group’s performance of “The Festival” on Nov. 22, chat with some of the members afterwards, and get a first-hand taste of the communities that the group visited and worked with around the world, the first to walk on the moon, the first to fly around the world, the first female to be a Supreme Court Justice, et cetera.

“INTERPLAY” IT AGAIN, SAME DUO-pianists Joan Conway and Charles Aschbrenner perform with the Orchestra in Dimnent Chapel on Fri., Nov. 7.

**Duo-pianists and orchestra premiere piece**

Gillingham, a professor of music composition and theory at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, has an impressive portfolio of compositions. He has written solo works for many noted performers, as well as pieces for winds, percussion, and bands.

“Interplay,” however, is the first piece he has composed for orchestra. According to students, he’s found his niche.

“The piece is very good,” said trumpeter Josh Rashall (’00). “It’s a lot of fun to play.”

“It’s a slick piece, man,” said bassist Nicholas Knefel (’00).

It’s important to Gillingham that performers react in this manner to his pieces.

“If the performers like the piece, it makes a big difference,” Gillingham said.

As the title suggests, the piece is a parley between the orchestra and the pianists, and their conversation is a particularly flashy and dramatic one. Gillingham keeps the audience moving between the quick runs of the pianists and the bursts of sound from sections of, or the entire, orchestra.

The most innovative portion of the piece is the middle, in which both pianists play jazz-like rhythms and chords, accompanied by a walking bass line and a full drum set.

The entrance of the drum line at this point is the most unexpected element.

“The jazz section with the walking bass line is so nice,” Gillingham said. “I was thinking of the interest of the audience when I wrote that.”

Gillingham defined Conway and more PREMIERE on 12.
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PARKING from 1 as far as change by Jan. 1, 1998. Palmer said. Together, the teams exchanged possible solutions such as charging freshmen significantly more than the present $40 to buy a permit and also eliminating parking for freshmen altogether.

It is important to remember that this is a report, not a policy statement. stated Administrative Affairs Chairperson Colleen Conway.

DELAY from I

“This issue was different for a lot of other reasons too,” Perez said. “We added more to the book to make it longer and experimented with a lot of new things such as using new fonts. One thing we didn’t plan for was the problems we would have in trying to make these changes compatible with the publisher’s style and equipment.”

Overall, the Milestone staff feels that in the future things will go very smoothly with upcoming books. This year we know what to expect and we have more computers,” Perez said. “We have also become more experienced at delegating responsibilities to a larger staff.”

“We hope to get students’ attention with the improvements made. We feel this will be our best book ever,” Black said.

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Flying Dutch ready for Regional race

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With the league meet behind them, the Flying Dutch men’s and women’s cross country teams are ready for regionals.

The teams competed in the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association’s first regional meet this season.

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Hope skates into second season

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Although it’s only a club team, the Hope College Hockey team looks and plays like a varsity sport.

Now in its second season, the Flying Dutchmen have made vast improvements in their play.

Friday, Nov. 7, the team took on a club team from Bowling Green, all but the first game of the season that was closer than the score indicated.

The Flying Dutchmen dominated much of the game, ending the first two periods with a 5-3 lead.

Hope was quick to get on the board as Cory Curtis ('99) blasted a goal from the blue line 22 seconds into the game. Paul Looden ('99) left, and Cory Curtis ('99) nail a Bowling Green end the first period at 2-1.

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Slaying the Brits
Hope tops Albion to capture MIAA crown

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This was the game that the football team waited for the whole season.
The entire football season pointed to Saturday’s Nov. 8 game against conference powerhouse Albion.

By defeating the Britons 28-25, the Flying Dutchmen captured a share of the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association title.

Prior to this season Albion had a stranglehold on the MIAA, winning the past eight league championships.

“My motto has been ‘let’s risk winning,’” said head coach Dean Kreps. “If I’m going to lose then I’m going to go down swinging. That’s what we had to do today.”

Kreps was able to claim a title in only his third year as head coach.

Everything seemed to go Hope’s way with penalties and three lost fumbles preventing Albion from gaining any advantage in the contest.

But Albion’s hopes effectively ended when Jim Shields ‘99 dove on the ball at the one yard line, just before he slid into the endzone.

“The team worked too hard to let that lead get away,” Graham said.

Hope’s defense stopped Albion on downs, regained the ball and the Dutchmen were able to run out the clock for the team’s first MIAA title since 1987.

“I feels great. We have a great group of seniors,” Kreps said. “It probably sink in when we can sit down and talk about it.”

The Flying Dutchmen finished the season at 4-1 in the conference and 6-3 overall. They are forced to share the title, due to a 26-19 loss to Adrian Saturday, Oct. 18.

“I think the turning point of the season was when Graham got hurt (versus DePauw, September 20),” Kreps said. “We talked and I said that Graham could go out in any game and if that happens who is going to step up?”

Kreps will also be looking for players to step up next season as the team will graduate 17 seniors, including seven offensive and five defensive starters.

“It’s tough to replace good players but it’s tougher to replace good people,” Kreps said.

SANDWICHEO: Brandon Graham (‘98) is wrapped up by an Albion defender. The Flying Dutchmen defeated the Brits 28-25, to claim a portion of the MIAA title.

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