Men's, women's cross country teams take ACC championships

♦ The cross country teams achieved top fin-ishes, living up to performances in recent

Todd Lion

Staff Reporter

CLEMSON, SC-N.C. State's cross country teams showed their dominance in the ACC on Saturday by completing their fifth sweep in the last seven years.

The fourth-ranked women won their 19th conference tile with a score of 39 points. North Carolina and Virginia took second and third, totaling 55 and 80 points, respectively. Senior Katie Sabino led the Pack with a fourth place finish and a time of 21:18 over the six-kilometer course. Three other Wolfpack runners made the All-Conference team by placing in the top ten.

Megan Coombs and Kristin Price followed Sabino in sixth and seventh place. They completed the course in 21:26 and 21:32, respec-

tively.

Beth Fonner obtained the last AllConference spot with a tenth place finish in

Conference spot with a tenth place finish in 21-36.
Senior Christy Nichols rounded out State's top five with a twelfth place finish, eight seconds behind Fonner.
Josic Lauber and Beth Kraft followed closely behind, finishing in 15th and 16th place. Janelle Vadnais was the final Wolfpack runner, finishing in 37nd place.
UNC's Shalane Flanagan defended her conference title by winning the individual title in 20-34. Georgia Tech's Rence Metivier followed her by five seconds in second place.
"There was a lot of pre-season talk about who was going to win this title," said assistant coach Laurie Henes, "but we just wanted to keep the title where we think it belongs. We've got four seniors on the team, and they all real-ly wanted to get a title in before they left. I think all of them did a really good job." State's sixth-ranked men's team crushed the rest of the field in their eight-kilometer race by placing all five of their scorers in the top nine.

The Wolfpack scored 26 points to defeat run-ner-up Wake Forest, who scored 45. Last year's champion, Duke, scored 94 points to

year's champion, Duke, scored 94 points to place third.

Junior Chad Pearson was the Pack's top finisher. He finished second with a time of 24:28.

Seniors Chris Dugan and Chris Seaton followed immediately behind him in third and fourth place. They completed the course in 24:31 and 24:33, respectively.

All-American sophomore Andy Smith was the Pack's fourth finisher in eighth place, crossing the line one second ahead of David Christian. They ran 24:41 and 24:42.

Ricky Brookshire, Devin Swann and Ryan Woods also competed for State. They finished 19th, 20th and 25th out of the 71-runner field. Nathan Sisco of Wake Forest used a strong kick to defeat the field in the last mile to win in 24:23.

Greek community stands behind the line to stand behind others

A free-throw shootout last week raised money for the children of a missing World Trade Center employee.

Ayren Jackson

Witnesses said Jim Berger's last words as he rushed out of the 101st floor of the World Trade Center's second tower were, "I'm right behind you."

were, "I'm right behind you."

Berger, who has not been seen since, was a husband, a father of three and a brother of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Now the N.C. State chapter of Sigma Nu, along with many other Greek organizations on campus, is standing "right behind" Berger and his family to provide the support and aid

T'm just doing what I can do here to help," said Robert orris, a member of the NCSU chapter of Sigma Nu frater-ty, who told Berger's story at a recent Inter-Fraternity ouncil meeting.

Council meeting.

After hearing Berger's story, the brothers of Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity decided that they wanted to help. Last Thursday aftermon, the Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity held a free-throw shootout to raise money for the scholarship fund, which the Signa Nu fraternity established for Berger's three children who are now left without their father.

"Not only are we trying to raise money for this scholarship fund, but we also are trying to promote Greek unity," said David Simmons, a member of Kappa Alpha Psi.

Fifteen Greek organizations participated in the shootout.

Members of the NCSU women's basketball team also came out to show their support.

Members of campus sororities also participated

"It's very important to us that everything we do goes back into the community," said Tasha Rogers, a member of Delta Sigma Theta sorrity, "This event is just another way we can give back to the community."

NCSU has three Greek councils, the Panhellenic Council, ne National Pan-Hellenic Council and the Interfratemity

Council. "Events like this [free-throw shootout] are a good way to get all the three umbrella groups together," said Jessica Heath, a member of Delta Zeta sorroity. "We are reaching out to help someone, and at the same time, we get a chance to catch up with each other."

To participate, each organization had to split up into teams of two. Some organizations had more than one team. Each team was able to shoot 20 free throws. For every free throw made, 51 was donated to the scholarship fund. The Greek societies donated \$2340 for made free throws.

Donations that totaled \$142.50 were also collected at the event. In addition to those donated single Greek groups collected \$500 for the scholarship fund at the free-throw shootout.

"This is why I joined a fraternity, for events like this that bring Greeks and non-Greeks together to help others," said Morris, "This is the side of Greek life that I would love to see more of."



Service-learning brings concepts to life

· More courses will be offered next semester that will allow students to receive classroom instruction and hands-on application in the community.

Spaine Stephens

This is the first story in a series about service learning at N.C. State. Future articles will address the student perspective of the initiative, community response and service-learning research.

The NCSU experience is often considered enriching when measured from within the walls of the academic buildings; it can be even richer and more fulfilling when students reach beyond the books and take the hands of the community. Next spring, 15 service-learning courses will be offered to students as a partnership between classroom instruction and service—and as a union between the university and the community. According to the National Community Service and Trust Act, service learning "meets the needs of a community and is coordinated with an institution of higher education," "helps foster civic responsibility" and "enhances the academic vicrosponsibility" and "enhances the academic vicrosponsibility care vicrosponsibility care vicrosponsibility care vicrosponsibility and vicrosponsibility and vicrosponsibility care vicrosponsibility care vicrosponsibility care vicrosponsibility and vicrosponsibil

ice experience."
The courses will be available because of the
NCSU Service-Learning Curricular Development
Project and its leaders; Patti Clayton, coordinator
and professor of multidisciplinary studies; Mike
Giancola, co-coordinator and interim director of
the Center for Student Leadership, Ethics and
Public Service (CSLEPS); Lea Wells, co-coordi-

Regretfully, Technician staffers lost Friday's basketball game 14-13 to a team representing Student Government.

nator and assistant director of the Faculty Center for Teaching and Learning; and Jason Grisson, co-coordinator and senior in economies. "Students take a traditional class, and at the same time, they're matched with an agency in the community," said Giancola.

The concept has been evolving over the past few years, seven service-learning classes were offered tast year, and two classes offered the year before served as the pilot program.

CSLEPS works to find service matches for the students that are relevant to the course, community liaisons like Dana Hughes, a senior in textile chemistry, talk with professors about the curse objectives and find suitable community agencies for student service." It talk with the professor about the objectives of the class as they relate to service learning, and what they want to be accomplished by the students going to the sites," said Hughes.

Hughes also communicates with the various agencies for the gradient of them from having traditional volunteers.

"I talk to the agencies and get that connection," she said. "I step out once the semester starts."

Hughes is so familiar with the concept because she has seen what service learning and of irist-hand. She took a course last semester that enabled her top to Centennial Campus Middle School, where she helped get the student government off the ground.

She enjoyed "seeing the 13-year-olds working with the issues and seeing how they benefited the

the ground.

She enjoyed "seeing the 13-year-olds working with the issues and seeing how they handled the leadership roles they were placed in.

Hughes felt strongly that every NCSU student would benefit from the responsibility of service learning as much as the community agencies did. "It brought the concepts to life," she said. "It's really good to be able to apply them."

Giancola said one feature of service learning that is different from traditional volunteers in is the emphasis on reflection, which allows students to "take the objective of the course, apply it and

come together and make sense of what you've earned," he said. Giancola said reflection helps students learn to process and articulate the impact of their experi-

process and articulate the impact of their experiences.

"This is a great opportunity for students to apply what they're learning in a timely fashion and reflect on service experiences," said Giancola. It is also a chance for students to take on leadership roles. In addition to community liaisons, students serve as reflection leaders.
"Both roles are good leadership and growth opportunities for students," and Clayton. Students have also provided input about the initiative from the start.
"Students have been involved since day one," said Giancola. In addition, Giancola said Chancellor Marye Anne Fox has been quite supportive of the initiative, and the deans of the colleges have also expressed interest in following the progress of service learning.

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lowing me proge-ing.

In fact, service learning seems to be taking NCSU by storm. Service-learning planning and research are ongoing. On Nov. 6. Janet Eyler, a professor at Vanderbilt University, will present her research on service learning and answer relevant ques-in the will present her research on service learning and answer relevant questions from 3:30 to 5 p.m. in the Assembly Room in D.H. Hill. Library, On Nov. 14, there will be a service-learning roundtable from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Faculty Senate Chambers in D.H. Hill. "We have functioned as a team of academic affairs and student affairs coming together, and students, faculty and staff coming together, and students, faculty and staff coming together," said Clayton. "But the central leadership has been from students. We draw on their motivation and energy."

One such student is Grissom, who has worked to make service-learning an evolving success from the very first year, when faculty members pursued a grant to field-test the concept.

Grissom served as a community liaison the first year, and a reflection leader the second year.

"The students met with me every other week to talk about how their service experiences related to the class, and about citizenship issues," said Grissom.

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Service-Learning Courses/Faculty for Spring 2002

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HON 296/297: Our Interdependent World: Food As a
Model ... Sarah Ash & Patti Clayton
MDS 302H: Contemporary Science, Technology and
Human Values (Leadership and Ethics Seminar for the
Caldwell Programs), Patti Clayton
PRT 358: Recreation Programming, Annette Moore
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Human Values, Janice Odom
LAK 502: Landscape Architecture Studio, Shishir Raval
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VMF 973: Epidemiology, Morty Stebbins
SOC 440: Social Change, Randy Thomson
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PS 202: State and Local Government, Jim Svara
BUS 100: COM Orientation Course, Millie Herget
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CSE 492: Senior Design, Bort Green
CSE 492: Senior Design, Bob Farnaro & Carolyn Miller

Opinion

ECHNICIAN'S VIEW

Scour postal facilities linked to anthrax

POST OFFICES THAT HAVE PROCESSED ANTHRAX-CON-TAMINATED LETTERS SHOULD BE CLOSED FOR EXAMINATION TO ENSURE THE SAFETY AND PEACE OF MIND OF POSTAL TO ENSURE PEACE OF WORKERS.

Every time we have heard the word "anthrax" recently, we have been thinking about how it might affect us; however, more attention should be paid to those whom anthrax might affect most — postal workers. The Associated Press reported Friday that the New York chapter of the American Postal Workers Union plans to sue the Postal Service in order to prompt the closing of the Manhattan station that processed four letters contaminated with anthrax. It's sad that this has come to litigation, it should have been done a long time ago.

The attorney for the union. Louis Nikoladis, says the plant should be closed for the safety of the postal workers, while the Postal Service, speaking on advice from health officials, maintains that there is no need to shut the facility. It very well might be that there is no risk of further anthrax contamination at the facility now, but there was anthrax present at some point in time in that office. That in and of itself is deserving of a one-day closing so the facility can be checked thoroughly for lingering traces of the disease.

Closing the facility for a day will cause a significant hitch in the Manhattan area mail. 20 million pieces of mail are processed through this branch daily. However, this is a small price to pay to prove that there

is no more anthrax on the premises and to assure the employees of their safety. Lately, there has been an influx of previously unseen support for our nation's police officers. Firefighters and rescue workers, and appropriately so. This recognition and support should be extended to postal workers as well. These are the people who do not have a choice about going into work each day despite new cases of anthrax being spread through the mail.

Two of the three lives claimed by anthrax in the past several weeks have been those of postal workers. We owe it to them to be better off safe than sorry. Holding up the mail in a major hub for a day is no small task and should not be done on a whim; however. Nikoladis hit the nail on the head when he told reporters. "If it's possible to close down this building too."

The Postal Service should have

should close down this outside too."

The Postal Service should have closed down the plant for examination immediately upon finding that antibrax-contaminated letters had been processed there. By the time the union's lawsting goes through, it will be too late — not necessarily too late to save lives or infection, but too late to show that our country is concerned with everyone's well-being amidst this anthrax scare.

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ROLLIE GEIGER'S COUNTRY TEAMS CROSS HAVE OVER COUNTRY TEAMS
DEFINED DOMINANCE
THE LAST TWO DECADES.

No NBA-style introductions, bob-blehead dolls or media army accom-panied N.C. State's most successful athletics teams as they won their lat-est ACC titles. The NCSU men's and women's cross country teams swept the ACC Championships at Clemson over the weekend. The dual victories marked the fifth time the Pack runners have swept the event in the past seven years.

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The cross country team's performance Saturday would be spectacular, if it weren't so dammed typical. In his 20 years at NCSU, cross country coach Rollie Geiger's numbers are astounding: eight ACC men's crowns, six of them in the last seven years; 14 women's conference titles, including two in a row, 39 All-Americans through 1999; eight men's conference ocach of the year awards for Geiger and 11 women's

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Registration consternation

Chris It comes by Mickling some cruel twist of fate that we do. Just as classes are getting committed your professor's name into memory, you have to think about what classes you a twee finally committed your professor's name into memory, you have to think about what classes you are going to take come January. Signing on to TRACS in late Octoberfearly November is the hateful mistress that every student must answer to. In addition to that, it's stressful—there is pressure to pick those classes that will provide requirement fulfillment and pick a schedule that won't drive you (or your roommate, friends, etc.) insane. Some people have been planning their schedule since the TRACS book was put online. They have 32 square feet of white board in their room and have derived complex equations to determine the perfect schedule. Others might polish off the last of that case of beer before determining their spring schedule. Some people opt for that wham-bam-thank-you-professor style. They can't stand to be here four years—it's just too long! Their counterparts would rather smell the roses and relax. Let me tell you a little story about a man named Kirk. Switched majors four times, always had a smirk. Then

one day, six years later, he's at Johns Hopkins ... nothing could be greater (now go back and sing that to the Beverly Hillbillies theme). Enough of my poetry — let me explain. Kirk started as a political science major. After that, he tried his hand at forestry. Next, he dropped school altogether to be an EMT. Then, I think he went back to political science. He finally landed on zoology. Now, he's a nursing student at one of the best schools in the country. And he did all that in six years. I never asked him for his advice or his strategy for class selection, but I be it wasn't a masterful plan. Now, for the three-and-a-half year plan. Let's call this next guy "Chris" He has known since he was twelve years old exactly what he wants to be (the President of the United States), so he has remained with his major throughout his time here at N.C. State. He recently realized he could finish his degree in two semesters, for a total of three and a half years. He, for some strange, sadistic reason, takes 16 hours each semester and, instead of taking it easy this semester, will probably continue his trend.

What do these two have in common? Ravishing good looks? Intelligence beyond compare? Perhaps women want them or men

want to be them. OK, guilty on all charges. But, beyond that, although they have taken different paths down the academic road, they have both had fun. They have taken the classes they have wanted to take; they enjoyed college.

So, when you register, and you are sitting in the infinitely long queue (another bit of cruelty in our registration process), don't worry about finishing in four years. If you want to finish early, go for it. If you love going to school here so much that you can't see staying here any less than at least half a decade, go for it. Don't let traditions or standards keep you from enjoying your education or your overall experience of college. Take a forestry class. Learn something about politics. If you are really ambitious, take an engineering class. wait, I take that back. Don't take an engineering class. wait, I take that back bon't take an engineering class. Whether you will be out of here sooner or if you prefer the later option, don't leave N.C. State without having fun.

Even though he is a poli sci major, Chris is going to take a full load of Chemical Engineering classes. His roommate says that they are loads of fun. Any other suggestions? E-mail them to cwhickli@unity.ncsu.edu.

Decker is a redneck

Decker Nyongang the so-called UNC fans has many bases. I don't hate them, for half of my friends from high school go to UNC, and I, after graduation, might take my law education to their facilities. The problem I have with the UNC fans is the extremes they go to in order to somehow belittle me as a Pack fan.

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They tell me that our football team sucks, that we got our butts kicked by them, and that we are the worst in the ACC. This is all said after they themselves at preseason counted their own team out of ACC competition. This is annoying because it displays a certain amount of wishywashiness. They simply take the liberal arts education they are receiving and use that as a basis to talk out of their butts. Further evidence can be seen when they are confronted with the level of suckiness embodied by one Ronald Curry and how much they pumped him up as the savior of UNC football. Even with such a good season, he has still shown he is better served running paper routes. No matter how bad he is, they will talk him up and say he is the best athlete in the ACC while he throws three interceptions.

My UNC peers also have a serious problem that may need looking at by a neurologist. They seem to find ways to criticize our tailgating festivities. I seem to realize they have no such thing. We begin our mornings stopping by Bojangles to pick up the chicken, the beverage store to get our Kool-aid, and to our various meeting places a round Raleigh. After all this, we head out to the roomy confines of the student park-

ing lot, or maybe the fairgrounds or maybe even the stadium lots. Either way we all have the community feel going around It's 10 degrees, four hours before game time, and we have nothing to do but talk football and mingle with the other Pack fans. This is something I didn't get at UNC when I visited a friend for a football game. There is nowhere to even tailgate; the closest thing to grilling out was eating brunch in the dining hall. Only recently has there been a push to attend football games, something I can't relate to because even when NC. State sucked, you couldn't get a ticket.

Here we make it a day, whatever time, whatever the conditions. On Saturday, my roommates and I got up at 8 a.m. to head to the fair-grounds to embark on our weekly failgating festivities. To challenge any doubts about fans, it's important to point out that there were about 100 people in the parking lot already there when we arrived. These are funs, not the wine-and-cheese-eating crowds in Chapel Hill who call consuming crumpets in the parking lot of an intramural field tallgating.

The fans of North Carolina State can have the unofficial distinction as the number-one tailgating school in the nation. During the UNC vs. NCSU football game tailgating festivities, I spoke to a representative from College Television Network who said he had never seen tailgating like this ever. He said we had all different kinds of people coming together with love for the Wolfpack. UNC students just walk out of their dorm and go to the game. Here in Wolfpack country, dedication is the status quo.

status quo.

My biggest beef is the ever-run-

ning mocking of our school as a redneck institution. I am a redneck. Yes.
I. Decker Ngongang, a 6-foot, 220pound black, am a redneck. Not a
very logical argument, is 1t? This is
one that is made every time I bring
up the overall superiority of our
school. This argument went too far
one time, with an elderly male
Carolina fan attempting to belittle
my Wolfpack spirit by calling me a
"tractor-driving redneck." At first I
wanted to retaliate with harsh words
and a backhand slap to the facial
region, but I calmed down and
replied to the man by saying that I
was accepted to UNC but chose
NCSU. He wouldn't believe me. I
quoted the educational advantages to
having everything educational
Carolina has and so much more.
I am from Charlotte, North
Carolina, one of the largest cities in
the Southeast, and drive an old
Volvo, not an old tractor. And, for
some reason, I don't like country
music too much. If he wants to label
us rednecks, let him do it. How else
would he get his milk, cotton and the
tobacco for the Virginia Slim he was
smoking? I forget that we are talking
about University of Nike Carolina
— they have sweatshops for all that
stuff. I still wanted to slap this guy,
but he was old and there were State
Troopers around, and I thought jail
wouldn't have been the best thing
for me then. I simply replied with
the saying Carolina has proclaimed
for years: "Wait till basketball season!"

Duke U. forum focuses on bioterrorism.

ence of harmful microbes in the environment as a means of con-trolling bio-terrorism. Cheng also demonstrated ways of detecting microbes in envelopes, including "Smart Ticket," which can quickly detect the presence of microbes using a card exposed to the pathogen.

"There were a few tons of smallpox virus dried and stored in Soviet bunkers." Cheng said. "Though most of these have been destroyed, it doesn't take a lot of this virus to start an epidemia."

"The Soviets had also devel-

oped strains of anthrax that are antibiotic-resistant," Cheng

Matt Bradley

(U-WIRE) DURHAM, N.C. Duke University's Pratt School of Engineering hosted the latest in a series of community forums on terrorism last night, focusing on technology for counterterror-ism.

The forum focused on new the forum tocused on new technologies for detecting mechanical and biological ter-rorist attacks. The panelists also discussed methods for improv-ing old technologies at a time when weaponry is anything but predictable.
"The interesting part is that the

"The interesting part is that the terrorists could use our advanced infrastructure against

Photonics and Communications Systems.
Panel participants also included Pratt Dean Kristina Johnson, Leslie Collins, assistant professor of electrical and computer engineering. Amin Vahdat, assistant professor of computer science; and Allen Cheng, a resident in the School of Medicine.
Johnson began the forum with a discussion of pattern recognition technology, used by submarines to detect other periscopes on the surface of the ocean and by medical technology, used psy submarines to detect other periscopes on the surface of the ocean and by medical technology, used psy submarines also be used to pick out specific faces from a crowd of people.
Johnson also discussed In-Fiber Liquid Crystal Optical Switch technology, using fiberoptics inlaid in concrete to determine the stability of a building before it collapses, giving rescue workers an approximate time frame in which to respond to a crisis in an unstable building.
Focusing on peaceful methods

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He is helping train reflection leaders and put together a report for upper administrators explaining "service-learning in the past, and where it's going." He is also working with repre-sentatives from Duke. Meredith College and the NC School of Science and Math to implement

ula.
UNC-Chapel Hill students are also pushing to move similar programs forward, and include a fee that goes toward such

classes.
"These are methods of teaching and learning that students like." said Wells. "It involves being in the real world and learning that way, not just by textbook."
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The numerous partnerships supported by service learning are only bolstered in the classroom. Professors are able to build more substantial relationships with their students when they teach in an active classroom, said Clayton.

"It's often rejuvenating for faculty," she said. "And it's an opportunity for undergraduates to get involved and engaged in the mission."

Wells pointed out that service learning also re-emphasizes the concept of a land-grant university.

"With N.C. State being a land-grant university, it fits very well in that taking learning to the community is primary," she said. "It allows the campus-mite relationships."

said. "It allows the campus-community relationships." Vice Chancellor for Engagement and Extension Stephen Jones said the "cus-tom-made" partnerships created by service learning benefit everyone involved. "Service learning is another vehicle for engaging our stu-dents meaningfully in many dimensions of the real world," he said. Jones said the connection to

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Jones said the connection to public agencies, including busi-nesses and government, is a fundamental concept to NCSU that will reap many rewards. "T'm so impressed with the different experiences that stu-dents have talked about," he said. "It brings tears to your yes, the kind of thing they relate about their experiences. It speaks with such an impact for the learner."

International students' pasts subject to INS searches

Sarah McClellan

Daily Staff Gesas Christian 13)

(U-WIRE) FORT WORTH, Texas Immigration and Naturalization Services will implement a database tracking the background of international students, while American students do not face such scrutiny because of protection under federal law. Laws that protect students' privacy don't apply to international students, said Eyleen Schmidt, an INS spokesoman. Schmidt said the Coordinated Interagency Partnership Regulating International Students (CIPRIS), a pilot-program designed to collect information on international students (CIPRIS), a pilot-program developed as a pilot program in 20 higher education institutions. U.S. citizens are protected by the Family-Educational Rights and Privacy Act, which states the "eligible student shall provide a signed and dated written consent before an educational agency or institution discloses personally identifiable information from the

student's education records."
Previously, international students had assumed privacy rights under FERPA. Schmidt said. However, new immigration laws would recate programs that would provide governmental agencies with background information without forcing the U.S. attorney general to obtain a subpoena. The program will be implemented as the Student Exchange Visitor Program in December of 2002, as a result of an anti-errorism bill the Senate passed Thursday.

students.
"It's unfair to focus on student visas,"
Petrovski said, "We come (to the U.S.) to
study, not terrorize."
CIPRIS was designed to provide INS with
information on international students in
response to the 1993 World Trade Center
bombing. One of the men involved in the
bombing was in the country on a student
visa, Schmidt said.
Last month. Sen. Dianne Feinstein, (D)-

One of the Sept. 11 hijackers was in the country on a student visa, ABC News

Hock said INS was "charged by Congress" in the Immigration Reform Act of 1996 to set up this database.

"(She dropped the proposal because) she's been assured by education and university officials that they'll make sure they provide the INS information to get the database, or tracking system, on foreign students up and working." Hock said.

John Singleton, director of international student services, said the database will be a good system if its purpose is to track an international student's travel and not their

monitor the travel of students with that sys-tem," he said. "It will be used to store infor-mation on international students regarding anything the government wishes to collect

affect the number of foreign students that come to the United States.



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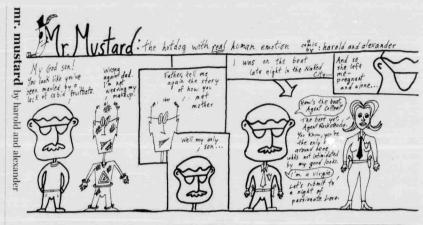
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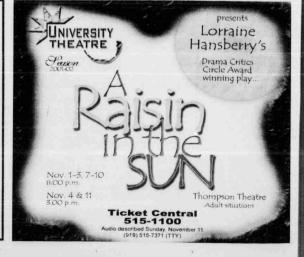
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¹ Exhibiton game



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UNC sophomore Shalan Flanagan won her second individual title with a time of 20:34. She faced stiff competition from Georgia Tech's Renee Metivier, who finished second in 20:39. Virginia's Jennifer Owens took third in 21:09.

UNC appeared to have com-MEN

"Our plan is always to run as a group." Smith said. "This time it really worked very well. I don't think it really matters who is running with whom just as long as they're wearing red."

mand over the field after a strong start. Three Tar Heel runners shared the lead through the one-mile make, while all of State's runners were still working in small groups farther back in the pack. Sabino, Coombs, Picce and Fonner were running as a group near 10th place at that point.

By the 10-minute mark, the trio of UNC runners had begun to fall apart as five State runners were surrounding the third Tar Heel runner.

Shortly after the two-mile mark, Sabino, Coomba and Price moved up to UNC's second runner. Nichols and

Fonner had already passed the fading UNC runner.
For the next mile, the Wolfpack runners continued to advance through the pack toward the front, where they eventually finished.
"It was profit, scarce at the

eventually finished.
"It was pretty scary at the beginning for a while." Fonner said. "There were those three daroline girls up front before any of us, but we all ran a really smart race, and I think that is what won it for us. All the girls ran very tough and very smart. We all really wanted the win, and it was tough to run a race with that strategy, but we knew it would pay off at the end of the race."

end of the race."

Following the third mile, which was passed at a lackluster pace, Pearson moved near the front as the leaders started picking up the pace.

Pearson's conservative start played out well for him, as he was able to cover the last two miles in under 9:30. No omiles in under 9:30. No omiles in under 9:30. No omiles in the pack was able to hold off the finishing speed of Sisco, who pulled away from Pearson in the last half-mile to finish with a five-second margin of victory.

Sisco's teammate, Chris Estwanik, took fifth behind the trio of Wolfpack runners, Florida State's freshman Joep Tigchelaar and Duke's Sean Kelly pulled down the sixth and seventh positions.

BASKETBALL

to play our best, we all worked hard, and I think today went

hard, and I think today went well."

Another newcomer, Levi Watkins, was 5-for-6 from the field, including 2-for-3 from three-point range, for 12 points. Josh Powell also chipped in with seven points and five rebounds and displayed his shot-blocking ability, swatting four shots, although three were called for goaltending.

While this year's freshman class was the main attraction Saturday, a pair of sophomores—Scooter Sherrill and Marcus Melvin — did everything they could to swipe the spotlight. Sherrill, who averaged 4.2 points per game last season, went 8-of-10 from the floor and finished as the game's leading scorer with 16 points. Sherrill scored most of his points on layups and short jumpers, even hitting a couple of reverse layups over taller players in the second half.

"I'm a little smarter out there

on the court," Sherrill said. "I know when to take my shots, when to gamble: and when not to gamble:

Melvin, the Pack's most experienced froncourt player heading into the season, showed off his shooting touch from the outside. He hit all three three-pointers he attempted and finished with 12 points. "In the off-season, the coaches

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ished with 12 points, "In the off-season, the coaches had me working on my outside game, as well as my inside game," Melvin said. "Being game as well as my inside game," Melvin said. "Being the forward, and I'll be playing the forward, and I'll have an advantage over others."

The Pack, which was often plagued by poor shooting last season, shot 52.2 percent from the floor Saturday. With the "interchangeable parts" he has brought in, Sendek doesn't think that will be as much of a problem this year.

"I think our personnel has changed," Sendek said. "We've tried to carve a system that takes advantage of our strengths. We have any number of players that when they have an open look have confidence, and I think that's going to be a key for us."

TERPS

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The first Terrapin goal was scored at the 19:24 mark in the first half and came courtesy of a tong throw-in by Terps captain Lindsay Givens, Givens, whose throw-ins are a dangerous weapon and typically sail some 15 yards in the air, found Boyd in the State penalty box, and she stipped a header past Gomez for the first goal of her career.

"That's a weapon," said

the tirst goal of her career.

"That's a weapon," said
Kerrigan of Givens' throw-ins.
"We were aware of it ahead of
time. We knew it, we prepared
for it, and we did a fairly good
job of defending it."

Unfortunately for the Pack, the
one time they had trouble
defending the throw-in, it resulted in the game-winning Terp
goal.

goal.

Maryland tacked on an insurance goal in the 90th minute on a
rebound goal from King. The
junior was in the right place at
the right time to poke a shot past
Gomez after she had made an
outstanding save on a shot by
Tery defender Valerie Lawrence.
The Pack's best scoring chance
came with a luttle more than 16
minutes remaining in the match
when defender Melissa Pressley
carved through the Maryland
defense, only to see her subsequent shot sail over the crossbar.
Despite only registering five

Despite only registering five shots, State had many runs in the Maryland portion of the field. The Pack was unable to notch a goal, running its scoreless streak in ACC play to more than 131

m'Acc, pay to make your own breaks in soccer," said Kerrigan. "We had some great combination plays to put ourselves in a position to score. All it takes is one pleval, in this game, as we've seen the last couple of games." Junior defender Lauren Bendahan voiced the frustrations of the entire State team. "It's really frustrating this whole season," said Bendahan. "Everyone's said we've been this close, and we haven't been abit to put the complete game together."
And as the frustrations continue

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And as the frustrations continue to accumulate, the Pack next turns its attention to archirval North Carolina when it ravels to Fetzer Field Thursday night for the final regular season ACC contest.

ond runner. Nichols and the last few weeks. Dugan and Seaton shared the lead in a large pack by the one-mile point: Christian and Smith joined them in the lead after the pack meandered through the two mile in 10:00. "We decided to let the leaders from some of the other teams control the pace at the beginning of the race," Christian said. "I told coach before the race that if the pace went out slow, I was going to push up with the top guys and hang in there." After two miles, Chad Pearson was seemingly not in contention to win the individual title. He was well back in the pack, slowly working his way up to the front. red." Ricky Brookshire. Devin Swann and Ryan Woods rounded out State's runners with 19th., 20th. and 25thplace finishes. Woods, last year's ACC indoor track 5,000-meter champion, is still nursing a slight knee injury that has kept him sidelined for READ TECHNICIAN, EVERYDAY!

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Nebraska 20, Oklahoma 10 Florida 24, Georgia 10

Oregon 24, Washington State 17 Stanford 38, UCLA 28

Tennessee 17, South Carolina 10 Purdue 32, Northwestern 27

Mississippi 35, LSU 24 Texas A&M 24, Iowa State 21



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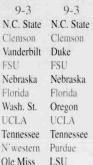
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Team	ACC Record	Overall
Maryland	5-1	7-1
Florida State	4-1	5-2
North Carolina	4-1	5-3
Clemson	3-2	5-2
Georgia Tech	2-2	5-2
N.C. State	2-3	4-3
Virginia	2-4	3-5
Wake Forest	1-4	3-4
Duke	0-5	0-8

Saturday's results:

Clemson 21, Wake Forest 14
The Tigers spoiled Homecoming for the Demon Deacons. Woodrow Dantzler bounced back from his worst game of the season to throw a pair of touchdowns and run for another

Vanderbilt 42, Duke 28
Duke had one of its best chances to break its losing streak Saturday but couldn't pull out the win. The Commodores scored 21 unanswered points in the third quarter to pull away from the Blue Devils and send them to their 20th consecu-

No. 14 Florida State 52, No. 15 Maryland 31 The Terrapins jumped out to a 14-0 lead in Tallahassee, Fla., but the Seminoles quickly railanassee, ria., but the Seminoles quicky caught and passed the pesky visitors to keep their ACC home record unblemished at 39-0. Chris Rix threw for 350 yards and three touch downs, including three to Talman Gardner, to hand Ralph Friedgen and the Terps their first loss of the season.

State selected seventh in poll

♦ Duke took 69 out of a possi-ble 74 first-place votes to top the annual preseason men's basketball poll.

Steve Thompson

GREENSBORO — Like just about everyone else in the nation, the ACC sportswriters picked Duke as their No. 1 team for the upcoming ACC men's basketball season at Sünday's 40th annual ACC Operation Basketball season at Devis picked up 69 of the 74 total first-place votes gamering a total of 661 out of a possible 666 points. Maryland, picked second in the ACC, received the other five first-place votes among the season title 27 times. N.C. State was picked seventh in the poli.

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Most pundits have picked championship team, including Naismith Award candidates Jason Williams, Mike Dunleavy and Carlos Boozer. "Can this team win a national championship? Absolutely, if we stay healthy," said Duke head coach Mike Kryzewski. "In a one-shot deal, though, you can't [count on it]. There are too many factors."

After Duke and Maryland, we wister picked the rest of the conference in the follow-

ing order: Virginia (483), North Carolina (421), Wake Forest (407), Georgia Tech (254), State (242), Florida State (140) and Clemson (126).

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"Virginia's very good; they return most of their players," said Maryland head coach Gary Williams. "Wake Forest returns a lot of their players, who will be playing a new style [under new coach Skip Prosser]..."

style [under new coach Skip Prosser] ...
"You can't say anybody in his league [isn't dangerous]. N.C. State probably has as good of a recruiting class anyone in the country. It's going to be interesting this year to see who emerges."

This year's is the third poll out of the last four in which Duke has been selected as the top team. The Blue Devils have won three straight ACC championships and six straight regular season titles. In the history of the Operation Basketball poll. UNC has been selected as the media's top choice a total of 15 times, the most among all teams. Duke's selection was its eighth time picked first, second-most among a CC teams.

teams.

In addition to the preseason ACC poll, the media also picked their preseason player of the year and freshman of the year. State's Julius Hodge will be announced this afternoon as preseason freshman of the year, and Duke's Jason Williams will be announced as player of the year.

The preseason All-ACC team will also be announced this afternoon.

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Ray Robinson (5) finished the game with 149 all-purpose yards in the Wolfpack's 24-0 shutout victory over Virginia.

FOOTBALL

Corey Smith.

The defense also held Virginia All-America candidate Billy McMullen without a touchdown, quite a feat considering he has registered nine this season, tops amongst ACC receivers.

The game stared out slowly, as both teams were able to move the ball but unable to put any points on the board. Just before halftime, State was deep in Cavalier territory when Rivers' pass was picked off in the end zone by Virginia cornerback. Jamaine Winborne. Despite the interception, the Pack still held a 3-0 lead as both teams headed to their respective locker rooms.

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State came out roaring in the second half, moving the ball straight down the field on an eight-play. 84-yard opening drive that cultimated with a Robinson 4-yard touchdown run.

In the second half, [Amato] told us we either need to run the kickoff back or soor on the first prossession," said Rivers. "That's what we did, and that got us rolling."

The big play of the drive was a 0-yard slip-screen from Rivers freshman wideout Sterling

find an opening and see what I could take," said Hicks, who finished the game with four catches for 88 yards, both career highs, "If the play is executed right, you can take it the distance. I saw an opening, and I just took it."

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After scoring on its next possession to forge ahead 17-0 on Robinson's second touchdown of the day. State added the final margorial control of the day. State added the final margorial control of the day. State added the final margorial control of the day of the day

big."

Virginia was able to drive down the field on its next series and had first-and-goal at the State 2-yard line. Following an incomplete pass, the Pack stuffed the Cavs wince more to set up fourth-and-goal from the 1. What ensued was freshman Marcus Hudson broke through a part of Virginia blockers to tackle running back Alvin Pearman for a 6-yard loss and preserve the first shutout by the Pack since a 41-0 defeat of Southern Methodist last year.

"He's been playing excellent all year," said Smith of Hudson. "He's a big-play guy, and he's going to make bigger plays than that in the years to come." The new signature of the Pack, its field goal block unit, also played a key role in keeping the Cavs off the board. One week after blocking a field goal against Georgia Tech. Terrence Holt repeated the feat by Virginia kicker David Greene, who finished the game to-of-3 on field goal attempts.



Volleyball swept by Deacons, Devils

The Wolfpack volleyball squad played several close games but couldn't pull out a victory.

end before coming to Reynolds Coliseum.

The N.C.
State volley ball team (5-1)
NCSU 0 16, 1-11
Volleyball accept with the Model of the

30-24, 30-23, 30-20. State only had a.018 hitting percentage for the match. Duke came to town the next night and swept State 31-29, 30-25, 30-15. The hitting percentage for the Pack was still low, with the team hitting. 051 for the match. State came close against Duke during the first game but wasn't able to finish the Blue Devils off.

"We're looking at the positives; we are improving." Pack head coach Mary Byrne said Saturday. "The last couple weeks, we've played strong to maybe 15 and then just let it crumble from there. Tonight, we went maybe to 26, so we just have to find a way to finish those last four points.

"We're demanding them to process a lot of information and they're getting it, they're really improving with that. They know a lot about the team, they're tryent or execute that at the same RECYCLE TECHNICIAN

time we're trying to make adjustments."

Against Duke, Charece Williams led State in kills with 16 and hitting percentage with a 258 mark. Lindi Sheppard led both teams with 32 assists and tied the Devils' Jill Sonne with two service aces. Rebecca Anderson and Nikki Stemler added six kills apiece. "I thought Lindi, our setter, who had been struggling, did very well," said Byrne. "I thought she really started to show some leadership out there and take some risks, and get the ball to the middle hitters, things like that. They just didn't execute in those situations, but that's not the setter's fault. She's really communicating out there more.

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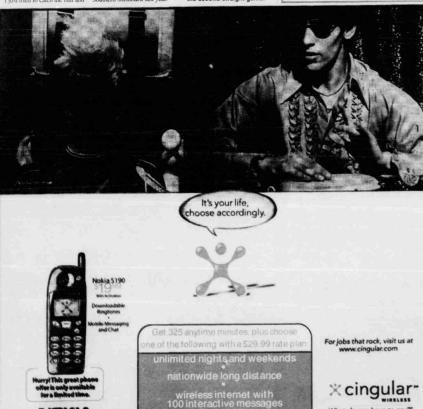
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assists over the weekend.

match originally scheduled for
Sept. 11. The match will be the
Wolfpack's final nonconference
match of the season. After
Tuesday, State will have four
more ACC matches on the road
before the start of the ACC
Tournament.

"I think Tuesday night should
be good for us," said Byme." I
think winning the first game
will be a big momentum swing
for us, and that's what we're
really focusing on. This match
lagainst Duke is over, and we
just have to focus on Tuesday
and get excited about winning
that match and go after it like
it's the last match we're going
to play and give it all we got. I
think we can come away with a
win."

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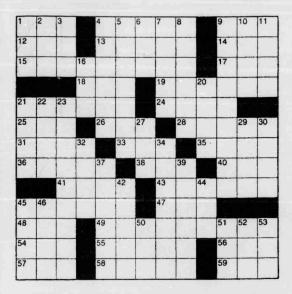
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SCHEDULE

Football @ Duke, 11/3, 1:00 W. Soccer @ UNC, 11/1, 7:00 Volleyball vs. App. State, 10/30, 7:00 Cross Country @ Districts, 11/10 Swimming vs. ECU, 11/1, 4:00

Virginia Virginia

N.C. State Statistical Leaders

Passing Rivers (NCSU)
Rushing Robinson (NCSU)
Receiving Hicks (NCSU) Player Ray Robinson, N.C. State. Robinson has taken plen of the ty of criticism this season for the Wolfpack's inability Game to establish the rm, but he delivered a standout per-formance Saturday. The senior tailhack was the work-horse of the offerese, carrying 26 times for 105 yards and two touchdowns.

Key N.C. State already led 24-0 when the Pack defense Play made its biggest statement of the game. After State stuffed the Cavaliers on three consecutive plays at the goal line, freshman Marcus Hudson brought down Alvin Pearman for a 6-yard loss, preserving the Pack's first shutout in ACC play since 1990.

Defense, running game key Pack shutout

◆ The Wolfpack picks up its second conference win and shuts out an ACC opponent for the first time since 1990.

Matt Middleton

With all the hoopla and press the high-powered, airborne N.C. State offense has gamered in the Chuck Amato era, it was the basics of traditional football good defense and a solid run-ning game — that propelled the Wolfpack to a 24-0 victory over Virginia.

moved the Pack (4-3, 2-3 ACC) to within two games of qualifying for a second straight post-season trip.

season trip.

On the flip side, the loss crip-pled the Cavaliers' quest to qualify for a bowl in head coach AI Groh's inaugural season. The Cavs (3-5, 2-4) have lost four straight conference games after starting the season 2-0 in ACC play.

senior tailback Ray Robinson Sentor faintack Ray Robinson had his best game of the year, rushing for two touchdowns and accounting for 149 all-purpose yards, 105 of those on the ground on 26 carries. It was Robinson's first 100-yard game since he gained 178 yards in last year's 35-28 overtime loss to

Maryland.

"Ray ran hard," said State sophomore quarterback Philip Rivers, who threw for 217 yards. "He had a good week of practice and prepared well. This was going to be his ganne, and it was well worth it as far as the way he prepared this week."

The Wolfpack defense, often scrutinized for giving up too many yards on the ground, forced one fumble and held the Virginia ground attack to a mere 2.23 yards per carry.

"[In] past years we've been known for giving up a lot of runs, so it was a big achievement for us," said defensive end

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Terrence Holt (9) and the Wolfpack defense shut out a conference opponent Saturday for the first time since 1990. The Pack allowed Alvin Pearman (21) and the Cavs just 66 rushing yards.

Freshmen take center stage

Sophomore Scooter Sherrill scored a game-high 16 points, and freshman Julius Hodge hit the game-winner in the basketball team's Red-White

Jeremy Ashton

As the final seconds of the game were ticking away, the basketball ended up in the hands of N.C. State's Julius Hodge.

The freshman from the Bronx made his move to the hoop, driving down the lane and by the defense. With the score tied and little more than a second left, Hodge laid in the game-winning basket, giving his seam a two-point win.

Ever since Hodge committed to State, Wolfpack fans have been dreaming about that scenario. On Saturday at the Entertainment and Sports Arena, they saw it unfold before their eyes during the Red-White Game.

"I really wanted to dunk it, but I didn'rt know if I had my legs all the way because we had practice earlier, so I just had to get it over the rim and made the layup," said Hodge. "We won the layup," said Hodge. "We won the game; that's more important."

The Red-White Game was the first chance State's highly touted recruiting class has had to play with their teammates in front of a crowd. Following the team introductions, head couch Herb Sendek took the microphone. thanked the fans for coming and encouraged them to continue supporting his young team.

"I think in short order you're going to fall in love with this team the same way I have," Sendek said.

Hodge, who scored 15 points and grabbed a team-high six rebounds to lead the Red team to a 45-43 win, seemed to enjoy his first appearance on the court at the ESA.

"It was a lot of fun playing out there today for the first time." Hodge said. "It was a good crowd, and everyone was showing a lot of support. We tred

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MEN BLOW OUT FIELD

Five of N.C. State's runners finished in the top 10 to claim All-ACC hon-

Todd Lion

Staff Writer

CLEMSON, S.C. — After a disappointing loss at last year's ACC
Championships, the N.C. State men's
cross country team was seeking
redempion.

This weekend, it got what it was
looking for.
The sixth-ranked Wolfpack
destroyed the rest of the field, which
included 17th-ranked Duke and 21stranked Wake Forest. State's 26-point
total easily outdistanced Wake and
Duke, which scored 45 and 94 points,
respectively. Virginia (114) and
Florida State (134) rounded out the
top five teams

Florida State (134) rounded out the top five team. Duke broke State's streak of five consecutive ACC titles last year by beating the Wolfpack. This year, State was glad to regain its title. "This was just a great day for N.C. State cross country," senior Chris Seaton said. "The women won, and we regained our title from Duke. We

didn't get the individual title, but we ran as a team and won that title. That's what cross country is really all about, running as a team."

State's top five runners all made the All-ACC team by placing in the top 10.

10.
Junior Chad Pearson was the Pack's top finisher as the individual runnerup. His time of 24:28 over the 8-kilometer course placed him five seconds
behind the winner, Nathan Sisco of

behind the winner, Nathan Sisco of Wake.

All-American Chris Dugan followed closely behind Pearson in third place with a time of 24/31. Chris Seaton was the Pack's next runner, finishing fourth in 24/33. Sophomores Andy Smith and David Christian rounded out State's scoring few with eighth- and ninth-place finishes. Their times of 24/41 and 24/42 kept the Pack's top five runners, all within 19 seconds of the winner.

"I think the race went really well," Dugan said. "Having 15 seconds between your top five and having five in the top 10 is the way to win a race." Smith, and Al-American last year as a freshman, agreed with Dugan on this point.

WOMEN CONTINUE DOMINANCE

 The No. 4 women's cross country team knocked off three other ranked teams to claim its 19th ACC

Todd Lion

CLEMSON, S.C. — N.C. State's women's cross country team reasserted its dominance over the ACC on Saturday as it won its 19th conference title in the last 24 years.

The fourth-ranked Wolfpack ran away from one of the most talented conferences in the nation, which includes No, 9 North Carolina, No. 15 Virginia and No. 20 Duke.

State placed its top five runners in the top 12 and totaled 39 points to best UNC's 55-point total. Virginia scored 80 points to finish third. Georgia Tech and Duke scored 107 and 136, respectively, to round out the top five.

"We are all really excited about the race," sophomore Kristin Price said. "We are glad that we got to keep the title where it belongs."

Four State runners made the All-

Conference team by placing in the top

Conference team by placing in the top 10.
Senior All-American Katie Sabine del the pack with a fourth-place finish in 21:18 for the 6-kilometer course. Sabine was joined on the All-ACC squad by sophomore Megan Coombs (sixth, 21:26). Price (seventh, 21:32) and senior Beth Fonner (10th, 21:36). Senior Christy Nichols was State's final scoring runner, finishing in 12th place with a time of 21:44. Josie Lauber and Beth Kraft finished in 15th and 16th in 22:10, crossing the line as State's sixth and seventh runners and in front of any other team's fourth.
Janelle Vadnais was State's final runner, finishing 32nd in the field of 71 runners.

"There were four of us seniors on "The there were four of us

runner, finishing 32nd in the field of 71 runners.

"There were four of us seniors on this year's team, and we have spent a long time getting the team up to the level where we wanted it as far as how unified we are as a team." Sabino said. "Things went so well for us out on the course."

Nichols, returning for her sixth year of eligibility, feels the same way.

"I've been through this six times now, but I have had so much more fun

Maryland topples women's soccer 2-0

N.C. State was unable to register its first conference win of the season against upstart Maryland.

Matt Middleton

The frustrating season for the N.C.
State women's soccer team continued
Sunday with the latest chapter being a
2-0 loss to a streaking Maryland team
that came into the
match unbeaten in its
Soccer
NCSU
On a cold, windy
afternoon at Method
Road
Soccer
Complex, midfield play dominated the
action, as neither team could muster
consistent scoring opportunities. The
Terrapins (9-4-2, 3-3 ACC) were able
to take advantage of the few they creat-

ed with goals by senior Jenny Boyd and junior Kim King.

The Pack (7-8, 0-6) controlled the action, as it has done on several occa-sions against the top teams of both the ACC and the nation.

ACC and the nation.

Offensively, State was able to create a number of scoring chances but managed to launch just five shots at Maryland keeper Ali Wolff.

"Anyone that watched the game coult fell we controlled the whole flow of the game," said Pack head coach Laura Kerrigan. "That's the most frustrating fact for this team because we've done that against several of our ACC opponents."

opponents."
The defense limited Maryland to just seven shots, and reserve goalkeeper Juliana Gomez, starting her fifth con-secutive match in place of the injured Gretchen Lear, was forced to make just one save on the day.

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Maryland ran by N.C. State for a 2-0 victory Sunday. The Pack dropped to 0-6 in the ACC.



Ilian Evtimov (3) and the rest of N.C. State's freshman class got their first chance to show their skills to the fans at the ESAs.